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The Orlando Scottish Rite Bulletin March – April 2004

Calendar of Events – *What's Happening Around Here?*

March 14, 2004 – Knights of Saint Andrew Fundraiser to help pay for the new dishes in the Kitchen at the Orlando Scottish Rite Masonic Center Sunday 11:00am until 4:00pm. Adults \$5.00 Children \$3.00 Deserts to be sold separate.

March 26, 2004 – KCCH meeting 6:30pm, Monthly dinner 7:00pm Ceremony of Remembrance and Renewal approximately 7:45pm followed by the regular stated meeting at 8:pm.

March 27, 2004 – KCCH Fund Raising Dinner to benefit the Scottish Rite Foundation at 6:00pm.

April 16, 2004 – Change in date for the regular stated meeting and dinner. Dinner at 7:00pm and the meeting at 8:00pm.

April 23 & 24, 2004 – Scottish Rite Leadership Conference to be held at the Adams Mark Hotel in Jacksonville.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN APRIL MEETING DATE. Due to the Leadership Conference being scheduled on April 23 our meeting has been moved to the 3rd Friday of the Month.

From the Master of Kadosh:

My Brothers, thank you for all of your support at my first meeting as your Venerable Master. We had about 100 members at the meeting and it sure was good to see the sidelines filled up. Keep up this participation.

Thanks also to all of you who made your most positive comments of the way we are now working our dinner service. Everything went very smooth and from your comments we will continue this procedure. A big thanks to the Kitchen Crew and to our General Secretary, III. Keith Albright, 33° for the meal variety and themes selected for our dinners.

Please come and be with us and fellowship with everyone at our monthly meetings.

Fraternally,
III. Thomas E. Embree, 33°
Master of Kadosh

K.C.C.H. COURT

March/April 2004

We started the year off with a “bang” as they say! Our visit to Mount Dora Lodge surprised them with 21 Scottish Rite Masons and started with dinner at a local restaurant. The social aspect of our visits allowed several Brothers to get better acquainted, and at the same time created a heightened awareness of Scottish Rite Masonry and up coming activities. By the time you get this newsletter our February visit to Merritt Island Lodge will no doubt be complete. I have every confidence we will have had another night of fraternal fellowship, starting with dinner prior to our lodge visit. I love it when a plan comes together, eh! Keep your eye on the bi-monthly newsletter for the visitation schedule and join us.

Call Keith, our General Secretary for details. The KCCH of the OSRB will meet on the **26th of March @ 1830 (that's 6:30pm)** in the library at the Masonic Center to conduct any business at hand. All KCCH members are cordially invited to attend. As a note, this will be 30 minutes prior to the serving of dinner, in other words it will be a short meeting. The night of **March 26th** is also the evening we will reflect, recommit ourselves, and honor those brothers who have been called to the Celestial Lodge on high during the 2003 year with the “**Ceremony of Remembrance and Renewal.**” While not obligatory, your attendance is earnestly solicited. I promise you won't be disappointed. Last, but not least, is the **KCCH Fund Raising Dinner** on the **27th of March** details will be coming to you via a separate letter, but mark your calendars now! Good Food, A Good Program and the **Battle of the Hats.**

🎯 **Kitchen Corner** 🎯

MARCH

That's Italian!

Come out and enjoy our Italian buffet. Everything that is Italian will be there for your enjoyment. We will furnish the salads, unless you have a specialty that will go with Italian, so you bring your best dessert.

APRIL

April showers bring May flowers!

Come out and see what is blooming in the Kitchen. Again we will furnish the salads and you bring the dessert.

Good Food and Good Fellowship – It doesn't get any better!

More good stuff on the back →

THE KNIGHTS OF SAINT ANDREW

To all 32° Masters of the Royal Secret, are you a Knight of Saint Andrew? If not, why not? The Order of the Knights of Saint Andrew is starting to grow more with more. There is still room for you. Come out and be a part of something new and exciting. The Knights were officially knighted at their meeting in February and they will have their first event of the year. When the Knights of Saint Andrew first met they made a commitment to help raise money to offset the cost of the dishes that we now use in the Kitchen. They are putting their words into action by having a fund raiser on March 14th it will be a spaghetti dinner from 11:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.m. The Lady Knights have agreed to help out by selling desserts and we know they can bake. What a great group the Lady Knights are. So you see the Knights of Saint Andrew will be involved in activities that will significantly affect the life of the Valley. Are you a Knight of Saint Andrew? You should be!

2004 Reunions

The Spring Reunion is only three weeks away, March 20 and 21, 2004. Don't let another day go by without putting a petition into the hands of a Master Mason who is not a Scottish Rite Mason. There is so much more to learn about being a Mason and the Scottish Rite is one of the great learning institutions to gain this knowledge. Membership starts with you and I, when was the last time you placed a petition into the hands of one your Brothers who is not a member. Start now, not tomorrow but today, there is further light in Masonry and it is here at the Scottish Rite. Remember my Brothers that everyone is a member of the Membership Committee, and the work starts with you and I.

Robert W. Moyer, 33°
Membership Chairman



KNIGHT OF THE DOUBLE EAGLE

Wow!! What a great night we had for the Knight of the Double Eagle award program. It looks great to see all those who received their medallions wearing them proudly. I know that I am proud to wear mine, I hope you are proud to wear yours.

LODGE VISITATIONS

Our next scheduled visit will be:

March 8th will find us at **Oviedo Lodge No. 243**
located at 534 W. King Street, Oviedo.

April 8th we will be at **Groveland Lodge No. 190**
Located at 320 E. Jim Payne Road, Groveland.

May 4th we will be at **Sanford Lodge No. 62**
Located at 212 N. Park Avenue, Sanford

On The Road Again in 2004!



2003 Dues? *Scottish Rite Perpetual Membership!*

There are still several Brothers who have not paid their Dues for 2003. If this is you, please don't let paying your dues fall to the wayside. It's twice as hard to play catch-up than to stay current. **WHY NOT BECOME A PERPETUAL MEMBER?** Why continue to pay dues when you can become a regular perpetual member for the low price of only \$750.00 or if you have reached the age of 75 or older, you can become a perpetual member for only \$200.00. **Now that is a deal!**



SCOTTISH RITE CLUBS – VALLEY OF ORLANDO

Central Brevard Scottish Rite Club meets 3rd Thursday each month at Brevard Lodge #113 at 7:00 p.m. Covered dish dinner.

President James G. Wilcox, 32°
Secretary George E. Malone, 32°, KCCH

Deltona Scottish Rite Club meets 3rd Monday each month at Landmark Lodge #383 at 7:00 p.m. Covered dish dinner.

President Carl Harbaugh, 32°
Secretary George F. Sites, 32°, KCCH

Halifax Scottish Rite Club meets 2nd Monday each month at Club House Restaurant, 600 Wilder Blvd. at 7:00 p.m.

President Carl Reed, 32°
Secretary Robert Hyslop, 32°

Lake Scottish Rite Club meets 1st Wednesday each month at Eustis Lodge #85 at 7:00 p.m. Reservations required.

President Barry A. Rosenthal, 32°
Secretary Henry H. Link, Jr., 32°, KCCH

New Smyrna Beach Scottish Rite Club meets 1st Tuesday each month at New Smyrna Beach Shrine Club at 7:00 p.m. Covered dish dinner.

President William H. Evans, Jr., 32°
Secretary H. E. "Bud" Bacheller, 32°

Osceola Scottish Rite Club meets 2nd Friday each month at St. Cloud Lodge #221 at 7:00 p.m. Spaghetti dinner.

President Frederick H. Bierbaum, 32°
Secretary Richard A. Overbee, Jr., 32°

Sanford Scottish Rite Club meets 2nd Wednesday each month at Colonial Room Restaurant at 6:00 p.m. Dinner meeting. Reservations required.

President Robert M. Morris, 32°
Secretary Sam C. Loper, III, 32°

South Brevard Scottish Rite Club meets 4th Thursday each month at Melbourne Lodge #143 at 6:30 p.m. Covered dish dinner.

President Gary G. Wilson, 32°
Secretary Fred C. Baker, 32°

Titusville Scottish Rite Club meets 2nd Tuesday each month at Indian River Lodge #90 at 6:30 p.m. Covered dish dinner.

President Michael Carter, 32°
Secretary Kermit E. Huff, 32°, KCCH