Black Hawk Lodge # 11 A.F. & A.M. Glenn Smiley, Secretary 1465 S. Fenton St. Lakewood, Colorado 80232

Black Hawk Lodge #11 A.F. & A.M. Chartered October 1866



Regular State Meetings Held 2nd & 4th Thursdays of each Month at 7:00PM Friendship – Schiller Lodge 4625 Morrison Road Denver, Colorado

Schedule November 2018

November 8th
Dinner at 6:00PM
(Brisket)
Lodge open at 7:00PM
Regular Communication
Ladies and Guests welcome

November 22nd No Meeting Thanksgiving

Practice every "off" Thursday unless otherwise indicated. Brethren standing on any degree are always welcome.

Various degree work will be done as needed. Any Brother that needs transportation to the Lodge, please call any Lodge Officer, we will see to it that you can attend the Lodge meeting.

PAST MASTERS OF THE LAST 50 YEARS

Roy Charles Grant 1967 Slaughaupt 1968 John Souther 1969 Samuel Ivie 1970 Cecil Bolich 1971 Andrew Krodhen 197 Donald Evans 1973 Cecil Bolich 1974 Robert Brently 1975 Richard Conn 1976 Donald Sherriff 1977 James V. Quinn 1978 James V. Quinn 1979 Jerry L. Fenimore 1980 Donald Sherriff 1981 Jerry L. Fenimore 1982 Jerry L. Fenimore 1983 Alon Sanders 1984 William Tregay, Jr. 1985 William Tregay, Jr. 1986 Gilbert Mohan, Jr. 1987 Gilbert Mohan, Jr. 1988 William Tregay, Jr. 1989 William Tregay, Jr. 1990 Robert Brantley 1991 Cecil Bolich 1992 Robert Brantley 1993 Robert Brantley 1994 Glenn E. Smiley 1995 Gardner Sanford 1996 Howard Fling 1997 William Lloyd 1998 William Lloyd 1999 William Lloyd 2000 William Lloyd 2001 Randall Ansley 2002 Mirl Fowler 2003 Glen W. Newton 2004 William Lloyd 2005 Roberto Mandoza 2006 Jurgen Hartman 2007 John Fiegler 2008 Julian Newton 2009 Brian Fowler 2010 Mark Ralston 2011 Michael Rowan 2012 Charles Watts 2013 Charles Watts 2014 Robert Salazar 2015 Gregory D. Koenig, 2016 Karl Koenig 2017

Master's Message

My Brothers,

I hope everyone that attended the Holiday Brunch enjoyed the new venue. Now comes my Bitching I'm not sure why it is so hard for the members of this lodge to pick up the phone or log into a computer and RSVP for the doings if you want to attend. I would never tell anyone that they are not wanted, if you take the time to be polite. Jerry and I spent a lot of out time setting the brunch up and making sure that it was very enjoyable for all. I don't believe that it is to much to ask to respond if you want to participate. I had 157 reservations and had to add 4 tables and 40 extra meals.

Onward, we will be doing Carlos's proficiency at the meeting in November and I would like to do a 3rd degree or find a lodge that is doing a 3rd degree so we can keep him continuing down his Masonic path.

Dinner will be Beef Brisket on the 8th of November. Please join myself and the Officers for dinner, brotherhood and ladies bingo. If you are not at the next meeting I would like to wish you and your families a very Happy Thanksgiving.

Till we meet again, SO MOTE IT BE.

Fraternally, Mark W. Ralston WM

Birthdays October 2018

Doyle Mathews 01, M. Sky Fairlamb 02, James Ashley 05, Russell Gray 08, John Peck 10, Dale Wells 11, Michael Katich 13, Gary Mueller 13, R, Roger Stene 14, William Lewis 15, Richard Talkington 15, Daniel Hardin 15, Donald Hurst 16, Paul McCabe 16, Nathan Rowan 16, Mark Ralston 17, Larry Crook Sr 19, Tim Andrzejewski 20, Asher Thoeming 22, Clive Buchan Jr 26, Steven Schroeder 27, Karl Hinkle 27, Ernest Clore 28, Marvin Lewis 28

Masonic Quotes

We are all naturally seekers of wonders. We travel far to see the majesty of old ruins, the venerable forms of the hoary mountains, great waterfalls, and galleries of art. And yet the world's wonder is all around us; the wonder of setting suns, and evening stars, of the magic spring-time, the blossoming of the trees, the strange transformations of the moth.

-Albert Pike

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Committees:

Standing Committees

Finance Recommendations Committee

Mark Ralston, Jerry Fenimore, John Culp, Brian Fowler

Scholarship Committee

Glenn Smiley, Mark Ralston, Greg Koenig

Member Investigation Committee

Mark Ralston, Bob Stretch, Ed Sisk Ron Williamson

Entertainment

Mark Ralston, Eddie McGrady, Gary Dickenson

Trestle board

Dave King

Electronic Communications Webmaster

Dave King

Refreshment (non-dinner nights)

Ed Sisk

Special Committees

Director of work: TBD

Prompter: Glenn Smiley

Funerals: Chuck Watts

Investments: Jerry Fenimore

Preparation Room: Jerry Rice

Masonic Education: John Culp, Jim Stark

Grievance: Jim Harris

If you are interested in serving in any Committee position, please contact the Worshipful Master.

Please contact the Lodge Secretary Glenn Smiley if you have not paid your dues.

Dues are \$ 67.00, please remit to the Lodge Secretary.

Postings

need to be filled, first degree Karl Koenig, second degree Joe Crose, third degree