



# HUNTER'S PARADISE LODGE #85

*Taking Good Men - Making Them Better*



## Greetings from the East... Worshipful Master, James "JJ" Jennings

Brethren,

As this is my final trestle board, I would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for your confidence in allowing me to serve as your 2017 Worshipful Master. It has been nothing short of an honor to serve you.

I would like to thank the 2017 officers for their dedication to the craft and wish them nothing but success as they pick up their new tools and report to their new quarries (stations/ places). I am comforted knowing that Hunters Paradise will be in good hands moving forward. They have put in many hours assisting me in drawing designs upon the trestle board whereby Hunters Paradise #85 may pursue their labors in creating perfect ashlar.

To WB Bill Enloe, I thank you for your countless hours help-

ing me prepare to sit in the East. To the Past Masters of Hunters Paradise, I thank you for your support. And to Brother Leo Balthazor, I thank you for keeping me on track in getting our trestle boards out in a timely manner.

I could not, in my wildest dreams, have dreamt of a more rewarding journey. I have always looked forward to going to Lodge, but had no idea the kindness and respect that I would receive from my Brethren. I'm proud to say that we received our 3<sup>rd</sup> straight Master Architect Award and are well on our way to a 4<sup>th</sup> straight Master Architect Award.

To the incoming officers of Hunters Paradise:

- Worshipful Master: Jonathan Beffel
- Senior Warden: Bill Wright

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Worshipful Master,  
James "JJ" Jennings

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### Upcoming Activities

11/6 - 2nd Degree for Bro. John Charles Forrest at 6:30 pm  
(Dinner available in Red Fez room)

11/11 - Nogales Lodge #11 - 125th Anniversary Celebration -  
10 am Cornerstone Laying,  
Noon Lunch

11/12 - Installation of 2018 officer in HP85  
Lodge Room at 3 pm

11/27 - Stated Meeting 7 pm\* - Electrons  
- Open on 1st Degree, (Red Fez room availability to be determined)

All other activities will be announced by the Worshipful Master via email



## From the Secretary's Desk...

By PM George "Z-Klown" Mather

Brethren All,

This is you friendly neighborhood Lodge Secretary. We sent out the 2018 dues statement on the Friday October 13, 2017. We have had several returned already. We mailed the written notices the Brothers asked for.

Please send in your dues check so we may start 2018 off with everyone in good standing. We know the call for dues always comes at a difficult time of the year with all the holidays. Please call us to let us know if you may need an extension of time or assistance.

Brethren, if you were raised in Hunters Paradise Lodge between 2013 and 2017 we ask that you attend the November 27<sup>th</sup> meeting. If you are an Entered Apprentice or Fellow Craft Mason we also ask that you attend that meeting. We

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- Junior Warden: Michael Coontz
- Secretary: WB George Mather
- Treasurer: Phil Houghton

I have the greatest confidence that you will move the Lodge to new heights. You have my undying support for a prosperous

are 5 years strong and will soon reach the century mark in membership. One of our current candidates may very well be the 100<sup>th</sup> Master Mason in our Lodge.

Grand Lodge has a new Mentor / Candidate Education program. We will be asking our current Entered Apprentices and Fellowcrafts along with their Mentors to review the new product to give us feedback. If you are interested in the Mentor sections of the program please give me a call. The program is very educational to both the Candidate and the Mentor will realize there is still more to learn about Free Masonry.

See you on the sidelines

Fraternally,

George  
Z Secretary

new year.

To the Brethren of Hunters Paradise #85, I thank you for your confidence in giving me this honor to serve you as Worshipful Master. I remain, humbled and thankful.

Fraternally and humbly yours,

**James Jennings**  
Worshipful Master

## Hunter's Paradise Lodge #85 2017 Officers

### Worshipful Master

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### Junior Warden

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### Secretary

PM George Mather  
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### Treasurer

Phil Houghton  
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### Appointed Officers

#### Senior Deacon

Michael Coontz 480-236-2612

#### Junior Deacon

Shawn Bushey 623-340-3653

#### Senior Steward

Norm Carpenter 602-509-6105

#### Junior Steward

Larry Schwarberg 602-809-8359

#### Chaplin

PM Bill Enloe 480-861-2440

#### Marshal

Jim Poage 480-361-6520

#### Tyler

Mel Linberg 602-993-8649

# Hunter's Paradise #85 2018 Officer Installation



**When:**

**November 12, 2017 @ 3pm**

**Where:**

**Hunter's Paradise Lodge Room at El Zaribah Shrine Temple  
552 N 40th St, Phoenix, AZ 85008**

**2018 Officers:**

**Worshipful Master - Jonathan Beffel**

**Senior Warden - William Wright**

**Junior Warden - Michael Coontz**

**Treasurer - Phil Houghton**

**Secretary - George Mather**

**Senior Deacon - Jon Weber**

**Junior Deacon - Jonathan Whisenhunt**

**Senior Steward - James Leppert**

**Junior Steward - Andre Bourgeois**

**Marshall - Jim Poage**

**Tyler - Jim Hoover**

**Chaplain - Bob Beffel**

**\*\*\* This event is open to the public \*\*\***

## **Sickness and Distress**

**Bro. Ken Jones:** No real change for him . He still appears to be in good spirits, still in VA home.

**Bro. John Enloe:** He is in the hospital recovering from heart surgery. He is still John!

**Bro. Mel Linberg:** Has had his heart pacemaker replaced and he is recovering slowly and it will take time...

# 125th Anniversary Celebration

## Nogales Lodge No. 11 F & AM

1620 N Royal Rd., Nogales, AZ

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Rededication and Ceremonial Cornerstone Celebration

**November 11, 2017**

Grand Lodge opens at 10:00 am **CORNERSTONE CEREMONY** 10:45 am

Lunch at 12:00 pm



*NICKEL'S SLOW ROASTED BBQ* LUNCH & COMMEMORATIVE PIN \$20

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