



Hunter's Paradise Lodge #85



MAY 2023



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Message from Worshipful Master - Gary Dates

Hello Brethren,

It is May summer is almost here! Grand lodge is approaching fast, at the last stated meeting WB Bill read the synopsis that we will be voting on in June. Everyone should have received them by email by now and if you have any questions feel free to reach out.

Grand Communication will be at Wild Horse Pass Casino like last year. Please be sure to register as soon as possible.

I am putting this question out for everyone to respond so please do! What will it take to get you to participate in your

Blue Lodge? Just a reminder that lodge participation is more than just stated meetings, we have many things going on every month.

This month we had an officers meeting with three participants, May 8th we had a practice for two third degrees to be held on May 15th. May 22nd we have our stated meeting and on May 29th we will have a masonic education on Branding given by our WB Bill Enloe.

Fraternally,

Gary Dates
Worshipful Master

Our Mailing Address
Hunters Paradise Lodge No. 85
P.O. Box 1545
Mesa, AZ 85211-1545

Upcoming Planned Activities

- May 1 - Officer Mtg (Zoom) - 6:30 pm
- May 8 - Practice - 3rd Degree- 6:30 pm
- May 15 - 3rd Degree night - 6:30 pm
- May 22 - Lodge Stated Mtg - 7:00 pm
- May 29 - Masonic Education - 6:30 pm
subject: Branding
- June 5 - Officer Mtg (Zoom) - 6:30 pm
- June 12 - Practice - TBD - 6:30 pm
- June 19 - Degree night - 6:30 pm
- June 26 - Lodge Stated Mtg - 7:00 pm

(The Master will update via email)



The Plumb Line Junior Warden, Earl Gould

Greeting from the South:

As June approaches, the officers of Hunter Paradise are preparing for the Grand Communication which will be held at Wild Horse Pass this year. I

personnel look forward to meeting brothers from all around the state. I enjoy hearing what made people join Masonry and all the things they
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The 2023 Monthly Meeting Plan

- 1st Monday - Officers meeting (ZOOM)
- 2nd Monday - Ritual practice meeting
- 3rd Monday - Degree special meeting, if no degree, then the Master will advise as to the activity to be done.
- 4th Monday - Stated meeting
- 5th Monday - If it exists - NO meetings



**From the Secretary's Desk...
By William Enloe, PM**

Hello Hunter's Paradise Lodge members and officers,

It's May and it is that time of the year when I focus my attention on the outstanding dues payments. This year, during the summer, I'll be making calls to get our number of non-paid dues to a minimum. Hopefully that number will be zero.

If you have not received your dues card, go on Grand View and see if it shows your dues having been paid. If it has and you have not received a card, let me know and I'll get one out to you (or investigate why it hasn't been received).

If, however, you have not paid your annual dues then you may be hearing from me because we have already paid the per capita for you and we want to make sure we do not

lose you as a member. If you have something keeping from making your dues payment and you would like to arrange a payment plan then contact me and we'll work something out. In any case, please remember that the dues is something you need to pay each year, but having you involved with your Lodge should be the main priority. So, get your money's worth out of our organization by getting involved with a committee, a fundraiser, a charitable event, or even ritual. Let's all remember that the Blue Lodge sets the foundation and we do not want to lose the focus of what makes us great. "YOU"!!!

Bill Enloe PM
Secretary

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have been involved in over the years.

In an organization such as this I am sure there is not much new, I am sure brothers have always talked about the need to get more people to lodge, or that brother's need to RSVP for stated dinners (which, by the way you can do to me at earl.gould.15613@gmail.com or text at 716-800-7658) , but I will take this opportunity to learn and listen. To maybe take what has been done and to add to it or to freshen it up for our time. My goal is for everyone to have a good time when they come to lodge, for them

to enjoy each other's company and to pursue that common goal we all became Masons for.

I hope to see many of you at the Grand Communication and to learn from each and everyone of you.

Again, Please RSVP to me at the email address or text to the phone number above. For our may stated meeting, it will be a Mexican haute cuisine.

Earl P. Gould
Junior Warden
Hunters Paradise #85

**Hunter's Paradise #85
Lodge Officers**

----- Elected -----

Worshipful Master

Gary F. Dates, Jr.
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Senior Warden
TBD

Junior Warden
Earl Gould
716-800-7658

Treasurer
Leo R. Balthazor
602-740-5635

Secretary
Bill Enloe, PM
480-861-2440

----- Appointed -----

Senior Deacon
Braden Gaines

Junior Deacon
Chris Liristis

Senior Steward
Brian Conner

Junior Steward
Phillip Lopez

Marshal
David Ruff

Tyler
David Lowery, PM

Chaplain
Austin Nisbet

----- Trustees -----

Mark Brown PM
Jim Thomas

Gerry Massey, PM

-Trial Commissioners-

Scott Garzuzi
Leo Balthazor
James Lippert
Jim Thomas
Ken Neusch