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LODGE OFFICERS

Worshipful Master: Brother S. Can
Senior Warden: Brother M. Guthrie
Junior Warden: Brother K. Curtis
Treasurer: WB F. Eastman
Secretary: WB R. Becker
Senior Deacon: Brother K. Gunnar Stensvig
Junior Deacon: Brother E. Greendorfer
Senior Steward: Brother M. Anderson
Tyler: WB G. Brown
Chaplain: WB L. Sackett
Marshal: WB G. Guthrie
Musician: Brother N. Whippo

To meet the first Monday of each month at 7:30 pm

307 Maple Leaf Place NE
Seattle, Washington

FROM THE WEST

Greetings from the West!

As the Junior Warden of Eureka Lodge No. 20, I want to give a quick update for why NOW is a good time to come to your next Lodge meeting on October 2nd.

I personally want to take this time to invite you to come to our next Lodge meeting. We have an awesome time set up for fellowship and dinner starting at 6:30pm sharp. We are serving Home-style Turkey Pot Pie, Cornbread with Honey butter, and a mixed green salad with dried cranberries, candied nuts, and blue cheese vinaigrette dressing. (we allow you to add the sides to your salad yourself too).

We have our business meeting starting at 7:30 pm. Come find out the latest that is happening at Eureka. We currently have the traveling trowel in our possession. There is even a rumor that we might have visiting Masons to our Lodge meeting that would like to take the trowel from us. Come to the meeting to possibly meet with some visiting Masons too!

Our lodge is only as great as the active members we have in our Lodge. We have had an exciting year in 2017 under WM Suha Can's leadership. Come be a part of our Future! We miss you all and it is my hope to see you at our October 2nd Eureka Lodge meeting.

In brotherly fellowship,
Kent Curtis
Junior Warden; Eureka Lodge No. 20





TIDINGS FROM THE SECRETARY

Brethren,

Our September meeting went off without a hitch, even though we had been on vacation for 2 months. Our October meeting will be the Election of Officers for 2018, so your attendance is important as we elect those that will be helping our Lodge in 2018. Also, our JW Kent Curtis has been arranging terrific dinners and there is always enough to leave your stomachs full. We have continued the practice that Bro. Elias Greendorfer started of donating all remaining food to a local food bank.

On a personal note, I wish to thank Bro. Elias for assisting me with the Trestleboard. The improvement in the design is totally Bro. Elias's handiwork. He does this from the confines of his "undisclosed" hide-away in New York, balancing it with his busy schedule. I offer a hearty thank you to Bro. Elias for his continued contribution to Eureka.

Fraternally,
Rick Becker, PM - Secretary

DID YOU KNOW...

"Time immemorial" is used frequently in Freemasonry; what does it mean? Other explanations are given, but briefly "time Immemorial" can be termed as ancient, something having existed from a time one cannot remember.

In China, about 300 B.C., Mencius wrote "A master Mason, in teaching his apprentices, makes use of the compasses and the square. Ye who are engaged in the pursuit of Wisdom, must also make use of the compasses and the square." Additionally, in a book called Great Learning, 500 B.C., we find that "A man should abstain from doing unto others what he would not they should do unto him; and this is called the principle of acting on the square."

Music written by Brother John Stafford Smith (1750-1836) of Inverness Lodge #4 in London was, at one time, used by an Irish Masonic Orphans' Home as their song. Later it became a popular drinking song for many years known as To Anacreon in Heaven. Then, some years later, the music was adopted by Francis Scott Key to which he wrote the words to our National Anthem, The Star Spangled Banner.

HAPPY OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

Bro. L. Smith, 8th
Bro. M. Vance, 13th
VWB M. Cuadra & Bro. G. Photakis, 18th
Bro. T. Eastman, Jr. & Bro. P. Young, 28th

CALENDAR

10.2.17	11.6.17	12.13.17
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Stated Meeting	Stated Meeting	Christmas Party!
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Dinner at 6:30 pm	Dinner at 6:30 pm	On The Skansonia boat.
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Meeting at 7:30 pm	Meeting at 7:30 pm	Reservations required.
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Green Lake Masonic Center (Open to all Masons)	Green Lake Masonic Center (Open to all Masons)	
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