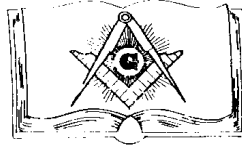




Stated Meeting of Coastal Lodge No. 57, A.F. & A.M. Masonic Temple on Tuesday, May 6, 2025



OFFICERS PRESENT WERE

W. M.: WB. Dante Pezzolesi
S. W.: WB Andrew Pedro
J. W.: WB John Piper
Secretary: WB Jim Chianese
Asst. Secretary: RW Phil Rathbun
Treasurer: Bro Wayne LaBarre
Asst. Treasurer:
Chaplain: WB Paul Johnson

S. D.: Bro. Tim Deveau
J. D.: RW Craig Pedro
Marshal:
S. S.: Bro. Gary Lassinger
J. S.: Bro. Greg Bromley
Asst. Steward:
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Tiler: Bro. Mike Brinson
Sec. Emeritus: WPGM Roger Read
Organist:
Historian: MWPGM Roger Read
Assoc. Historian:
Mentor: RW Michael Northrup
Prompter:
Almoner: Mike Brinson

Meeting Minutes

The lodge opened on the Master Mason Degree in due form at 7:30 pm with twenty-two (22) brothers in attendance. After the opening Lecture and The Pledge of Allegiance to The Flag of Our Country. WB Dante proceeded with the business of the evening.

The Secretary posted the minutes for review by the brethren. Paid the following bills, Rent (PA 005644), Community of Hope Charity (PA 005650), WB Dante Pezzolesi for Project Outreach Charity (PA 005651) Donate for Life (organ donation) (PA 00652).

The Treasurer reported all clear on his desk.

The Worshipful Master then went over upcoming events:

17 May: There will be a Lodge Special Awards Ceremony Highlighted by 50 year Awards for 2 Master Masons.

22 May: Union Lodge #31 230th Charter Celebration @6:00pm Tickets \$15.00

31 May: Memorial Service for Brother Joal Fuller

21 Jun: Family Picnic@11:00am

18 July: 3rd Annual Masonic Baseball game at Dodd Stadium

13 Sept: The Scheduled Outdoor MM Degree More info in future.

7 Oct: Senior Warden Night

A small discussion preceeded concerning Donate for Life fundraising Skydiving event. The WB Andrew made a motion to donate \$500 to the event and he would represent the lodge to skydive. RW Craig Pedro up the donation motion to \$1000 and the Worshipful Master and Senior Warden should both skydive. Motion was seconded and approved by the Bretheren.

Worshipful Master then proceeded with the event of the evening Masonic Trivia night hosted by WB Andrew Pedro. All the brother enjoyed the event and stated that we need to do it again.

Brother Mike Benson was presented a Masonic Bear from Grand Lodge. The resemblance to the bear was rather remarkable.

RW Craig Pedro announced upcoming events at Brainard Lodge: 27 May short form Master Mason Degree, 10 June Master Mason District event where the full tragedy will be portrayed All masons raised on 27 May must go to the 10 June event. 24 June Brainard Hawaiian Shirt Fellow Craft Degree.

The Worshipful Master recognized the Past Masters present: WB Paul Johnson, RW CA Duke, MWPGM Roger Reed, WB Phil Rathbun, WB Jim Chianese, RW Craig Pedro, WB Andrew Pedro, and WB Andrew Pedro.

WB Andrew Pedro gave last words and offered the warm and Fraternal Greetings from **Brother Rinaldo Francis Magliano, Jr., Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of CT. AF & AM** as well as his own.

The Wor. Master closed at 11:00 P.M. in due form.

Attest, Jim Chianese Secretary

