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CONFIDENCE LODGE # 110 F. & A. M. OF CALIFORNIA

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John Sigismondi Master

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Brothers and Friends,

As we enter the fall season, we are reminded that a new Masonic year is rapidly approaching. I am confident that in the coming months we will be able to continue to move the Lodge forward.

Included in this months TB is an update from Brother Jensen Maas describing the progress being made to the building. I would like to thank Brother Zeke Floro and all the members of the Hall Association for their hard work and commitment.

New motion sensor lights have been added to the storage side of the building, installed by Brother Jeff Strouse at a Lodge clean up day. Thank You Brother Strouse!

On Saturday October 5th, we will have the second annual tri-lodge BBQ at Paradise Park. Please contact Fred Dunn Ruiz if you can setup or clean, etc. at (831)426-6472 or dunnruiz@gmail.com. Fred needs help and many hands make light work. There will be a Chili cook off and a trophy will be awarded by our inspector. Rumor is that the Grand Master will attend so lets look sharp! The event starts at noon; chili...judging.....BBQ food will begin around 1:00 pm.

For the fall and winter, the dress code will revert back to jacket and tie, tuxedo for degrees.

John Sigismondi





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Happy September Birthda	eys!
Wayne B. Heimsoth	9/2
F Dean Hamilton, PM	9/4
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Soquel Masonic Hall Association Update Jensen Mass

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Brethren of Confidence Lodge,

As you may or may not know, there has been a renewed effort to improve and modernize the Masonic Center. Over many years, this has been proposed, and some efforts were made to initiate the process, with varying degrees of success. Now however, there is a dedicated body of Brothers who are really moving things along, and have made the largest advance ever.

We now have engaged an Architect who has made plans, and we have a set of drawings for the proposed changes, and a clear idea of the way forward.

The project is a result of concerns about a) the structural integrity of the building, b) the aesthetic appearance of the building from the outside, and c) the ambience of the dining and common use area, and d) other concerns of members such as storage and a chamber of reflection.

To date, there appears to be harmony and agreement within the body of Brothers concerned about the desired outcome of this project.

To whit: First and foremost we have to make sure the building is safe structurally. This is being accomplished by opening up small inspection holes in the sheetrock or plaster at the direction of the engineer, to inspect the vital areas now hidden. On his report, we will know how to proceed with any repairs etc.

Secondly, this will be our opportunity to replace all the mismatched and old windows on the exterior, and re-stucco the outside, as per the new architectural drawings.

Thirdly, it is agreed that the dining area should be renovated and redecorated to make a much more convivial environment. This fulfills a secondary purpose of making a desirable meeting place, not only for ourselves, but for outside groups to rent for meetings as well, as it appears revenue from this is a factor that we would like to receive.

Fourthly, the current drawings increase the space in the bathroom area outside the lodge doors. Bathrooms will be improved and modified, storage will be increased. This will be achieved by moving more into the actual Lodge Room with a new wall and doors. The space is there to do so.

A chamber of reflection is highly desired by many Brothers, and as a wonderful traditional esoteric part of our Masonic tradition, we think it will be an asset to the initiation experience. We include this article in the Trestle Board to inform the members of the Lodge, and invite input and suggestions or requests.

We intend to regularly update members of the lodge on the progress in the Trestle Board.

Jensen Mass Soquel Masonic Hall Association



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Wild Lily Chapter #18 Order of the Eastern Star

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Next Meeting will be held on Wednesday September 18, 2019 at 7:30 PM

Please Support our OES Brothers and Sisters!

Monday September 9th Stated Meeting Dinner 6:30 Dinner PM followed by a meeting at 7:30 PM.

Please mark Monday September 9th on your calendar and bring your guests to enjoy a great meal Reservations are Most Appreciated.

Please email

<u>info@confidencelodgell0.org</u> The Donation for Dinner is \$10.00 Wives, Widows and Children <u>always eat free</u>

Congratulation's to Worshipful Ray Hill and his band of Brothers from Texas Lodge. They captured the travelling Gavel at our August Stated meeting!



Don't get too cozy with it Worshipful Ray!

September 2019 Confidence Lodge #110 Soquel Masonic Center 3001 N. Main St. Soquel California

Sun	Man	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Confidence Lodge Dark Labor Day	3	4 7:00 PM Paideia Lodge #852 Soquel Ma- sonic Center	5	6	7
8	G Confidence Lodge #110 6:30 P.M. Stated Dinner \$10.00 Donation 7:30 Stated Meeting	10	11	12	13	14
15	lb 6:30 PM Light Fare 7:00 Soquel Hall Association Meeting	17	18 7:30 PM Wild Lily Eastern Star Chapter #18 at the Soquel Masonic Center	19	20	21
22	7:00 PM Confidence Lodge 3rd degree practice	24	25	26 6:00 PM Paideia Lodge #852 Soquel Ma- sonic Center	27	28
29	30 6:15 Light Fare 7:00 Third Degree Andy Gustafson					