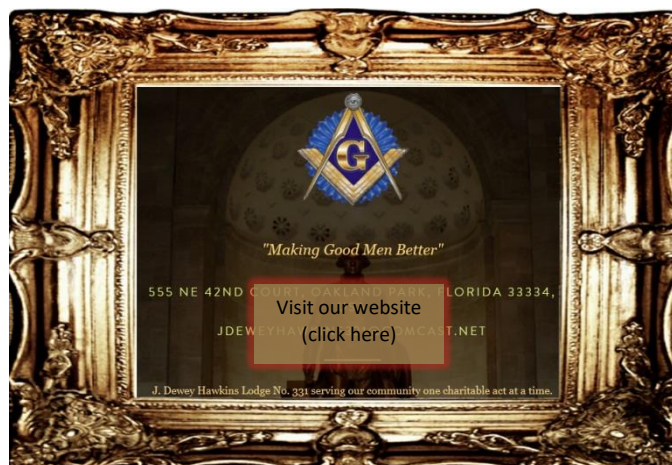


*J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge No. 331*

*Free and Accepted Masons*

*555 Ne 42<sup>nd</sup> Court, Oakland Park, FL 33334*

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J. Dewey Hawkins

## OFFICERS MEETING

APRIL 3<sup>RD</sup> AT 6:30

## STATED MEETING

APRIL 11<sup>TH</sup> AT 7:30  
(DINNER AT 6:30)

SEE PAGE 9 FOR A COMPLETE LIST OF J. DEWEY EVENTS.

## 2019 OFFICERS

<b>WORSHIPFUL MASTER:</b>	JAMES 'FREEBORN' FREEBORN
SENIOR WARDEN:	RAMON RAMIREZ
JUNIOR WARDEN-ELECT:	W.: SOLOMON GOLDENBERG
TREASURER:	R.: W.: MIKE BINDER P.D.D.G.M.
SECRETARY:	W.: ROBERT WISEHART
CHAPLAIN:	W.: CARLTON MCLEAN
MARSHALL:	R.: W.: NICHOLAS CANORA, P.D.D.G.M.
SENIOR DEACON:	VASKEN 'KENNY' LAKHOYAN
JUNIOR DEACON:	RANDALL LAY
MUSICIAN:	R.: W.: COLIN SMITH, P.D.D.G.M.
TYLER:	W.: VIVIAN GOLDSON



## Birthdays for April 2019

Michael	George	Beaudet	04/04/19...
Raul	A	Martinez	04/05/19...
William	Arthur	Manwell	04/10/19...
Melville	B	Herron	04/12/19...
George	John	Greb	04/12/19...
John	Taylor	Adcock	04/16/19...
Kenneth	William	Conklin	04/18/19...
Robert	Alphonso	Duran	04/22/19...
Michael	John	Maher	04/24/19...

## DISTRICT 26 COMING TOGETHER

*J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge aided Coral Springs Lodge to man an information booth at an event in Coral Springs on March 31<sup>st</sup>.*

*W:M: Eran Erez and Right Honorable Michael Tishman, the District Instructor of District 26, , along with several other brothers, represented Coral Springs Lodge. Assisting them were J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge members W:M: James Freeborn and W: Sol Goldenberg, the Zone 7a Child ID Committee Member.*

*The District's ongoing effort of outreach to our communities brought these Brothers together to spread the spirit of Freemasonry to anyone who took an interest; and there were many who showed interest.*

*A simple booth that featured some implements, some aprons, and some candy was all that was needed to draw interest from passers-by. Add to that some Brothers working the Child ID program and you have a successful effort at outreach to men, women, and children*

*I hope we can duplicate the effort many times at many venues.*

## FROM THE EAST

Congratulations to our three newest petitioners; they have been regularly elected to receive the three degrees of Freemasonry at J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge and herein will we make them Brothers at a Called Communication on April 9<sup>th</sup>.

They were all in attendance with us at our most recent Friends and Family night at the Chow Time restaurant in Tamarac last month. The event was heavily attended, so much so that extra tables were pulled to handle those taking part in fellowship. When Brothers, their spouses and partners, and their friends get together, it reinforces the truism that Freemasonry promotes inclusion and friendship to all. It warms the heart.

Next month—at special request—we can celebrate the making of our new Brothers at Catfish Dewey's. I hope it is not out of anyone's price range because the food is scrumptious. If you have not joined us lately, come and make a memory (and bring anyone who wishes to share a tasty meal in the midst of friends).

Personal Note: Easter Sunday is April 21<sup>st</sup> this year. To all those who celebrate the Resurrection, decorate an egg to commemorate the occasion and I will see you in Church.

May we govern our actions by the Square of Virtue,

James Freeborn, WM





## **MASONIC EDUCATION:**

### **LODGE OFFICERS**

#### **Reguired Officers:**

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|---------------------|------------------|------------|
| ○ Worshipful Master | ○ Senior Deacon  | ○ Chaplain |
| ○ Senior Warden     | ○ Junior Deacon  | ○ Marshall |
| ○ Junior Warden     | ○ Senior Steward | ○ Musician |
| ○ Treasurer         | ○ Junior Steward |            |
| ○ Secretary         | ○ Tyler          |            |

#### **WORSHIPFUL MASTER**

The Master is supreme in the Lodge and his decisions cannot be appealed to the Lodge. He must be firm but fair. The entire Lodge is dependant upon his acts. He should listen earnestly to the opinions and positions of all the Brothers before making a decision so that every decision is made wisely.

The Master's authority is limited only by:

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| ▪ Installation vows and Charges             | ▪ The Rules and Regulations of his Lodge                       |
| ▪ The Constitution                          | ▪ The ancient established usages and customs of the Fraternity |
| ▪ Resolutions and Edicts of the Grand Lodge |  |

#### **SENIOR WARDEN**

Due to the importance of his duties, the Senior Warden's station is second only to the Worshipful Master's; he will assume the duties of the Master should anything happen to the elected Master during his term. Along with the Junior Warden and Worshipful Master, the Senior Warden (1) represents the Lodge at Grand Lodge and (2) serves on the Lodge's Board of Relief. He is Chariman of the Finance Committe. He has responsibility over the Craft during the hours of labor.

#### **JUNIOR WARDEN**

- Assumes duties of Worshipful Master - if the Master and Senior Warden are incapacitated.
- Chairs the Vigilance Committee – this committee investigates charges of un-Masonic conduct.
- Oversees instruction of Candidates through Degrees – including catechisms, Masonic History, traditions, and philosophy.
- Assists all appointed officers in Esoteric Work proficiency.
- Responsible for Craft during hours of refreshment – including meals.

#### **TREASURER**

The Treasurer duties are limited in open Lodge but his obligations include keeping all funds of the Lodge and making payments according to the Master's written order. He must keep accurate records and assist the Finance Committee in their audits, reports, and detailed annual budget.

**SECRETARY** – duties are numerous and complex, including (but not limited to):

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| ▪ Maintain membership records    | ▪ Log candidates' progress through the Degrees |
| ▪ Keep Minutes of Communications | ▪ Daily correspondence                         |
| ▪ Maintain files of petitioners  | ▪ Activities of various committees             |

This office is so complex there is a Grand Lodge publication called "The Lodge Secretary Administrative Guide" and Secretary Workshops are held throughout the year.

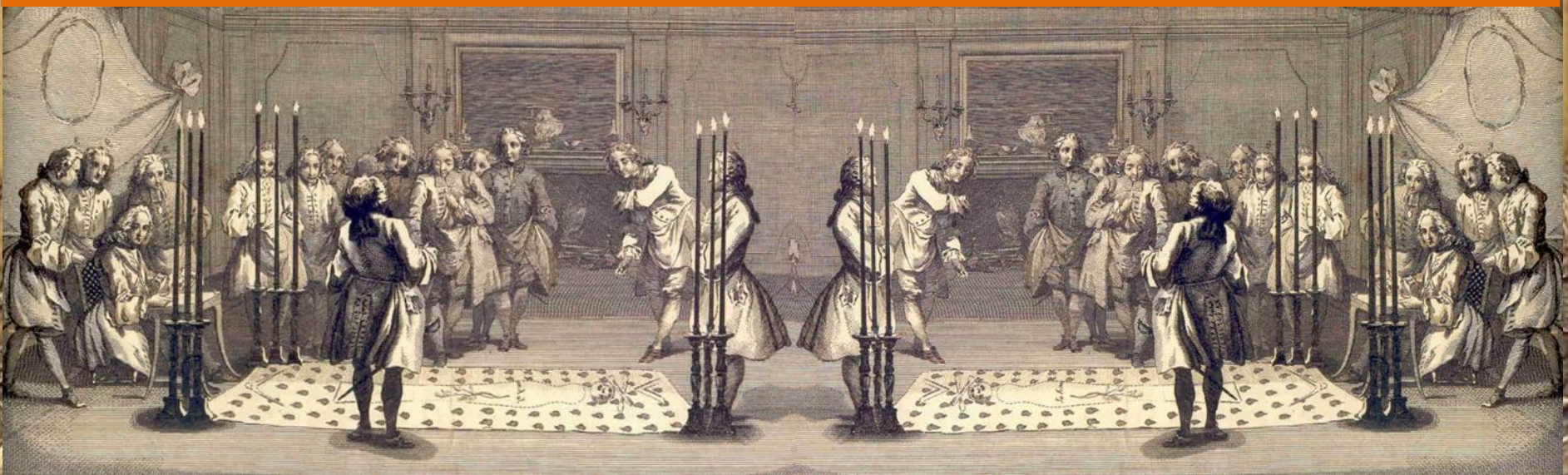
#### **NEXT MONTH: THE APPOINTIVE OFFICERS**

James Freeborn, WM



## 2019 COMMITTEES

FINANCE		VIGILANCE		PETITIONS & INVESTIGATIONS		BOARD OF RELIEF			
SW:	Ramon Ramirez, Chairman	W.:	Solomon Goldenberg, Chair	W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn	W.:	Solomon Goldenberg		
R.:	Robert Wisehart, V.C.	R.:	Nick Canora	W.:	Solomon Goldenberg	SW:	Ramon Ramirez		
W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn	W.:	Robert Wisehart	R.:	Nick Canora	W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn		
R.:	Stephen Gladstone	R.:	Mike Binder	W.:	Carlton McLean	R.:	Stephen Gladstone		
CHARITY		BUILDING (LODGE PROPERTY)		MASONIC EDUCATION					
W.:	Solomon Goldenberg	R.:	Mike Binder, Chairman	W.:				Solomon Goldenberg (LMC, Chair)	
W.:	Carlton McLean	R.:	Nick Canora	SW:				Ramon Ramirez, Chairman (LMC)	
W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn	W.:		Robert Wisehart	R.:				Mike Binder (LMC)
W.:	Robert Wisehart	SW:		Ramon Ramirez	W.:				Robert Wisehart
				W.:				James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn	
COMMUNICATIONS/WEB		CATECHISM		DEGREES		FUNDRAISING			
R.:	Mike Binder	W.:	Robert Wisehart	R.:	Mike Binder, Degree Master	R.:	Mike Binder, Chairman		
W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn	W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn	W.:	Robert Wisehart	W.:	Solomon Goldenberg		
Bro:	Robert Duran	R.:	Mike Binder	W.:	Solomon Goldenberg	W.:	James ‘Freeborn’ Freeborn		
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### FRIENDS AND FAMILY

J. DEWEY HAWKINS HAS BEEN TRANSACTING ALL BUSINESS DURING A SINGLE STATED MEETING EACH MONTH. ON THE NIGHT THAT WOULD BE OUR SECOND STATED MEETING, WE HAVE CONTINUED THE TRADITION OF MEETING AT A LOCAL RESTAURANT WITH OUR FAMILIES, OUR SPOUSES AND PARTNERS, AND OUR FRIENDS.

THIS PAST EVENT WAS SOMETHING SPECIAL. DUE TO ADDITIONAL FAMILY AND FRIENDS JOINING US, WE OVERFLOWED OUR ALOTTED SPACE AND EXTRA TABLES WERE NEEDED. THE RESTAURANT CHEERFULLY COMPLIED AND A GOOD TIME WAS HAD BY ALL.

OURS IS A MEN'S FRATERNITY AND OUR MEETINGS ARE RESTRICTED TO MEMBERS, BUT WE ARE A FAMILY ORGANIZATION AND THIS OUTING WAS THE PROOF OF THOSE WORDS.



### **190th Annual Grand Communication of the Grand Lodge**

The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Florida will hold its 190th Annual Grand Communication on Monday, May 27th thru Wednesday, May 29th, 2019. It will be held at the Rosen Plaza Hotel, located at 9700 International Drive, Orlando, Florida, 32819. The schedule has not yet been released, but will be updated as soon as it is finalized.



## PETITION FOR THREE DEGREES OF FREEMASONRY

PETITIONER(S): KEVIN OCONEFSKY  
DANIEL JOLLY  
DOUGLAS LIANTONIO

It is requested that all members of the Lodge consider Petitioners carefully and notify W:: James Freeborn of any facts or reasons that you believe would justify denial of petition. All information received will be held in strictest confidence.





## FROM THE WEST



In my last masonic education, I discussed the meaning of the word LIFE when use as a mnemonic to remember four big masonic principles. If we, as masons, follow the principles in this message, we would definitely become better men.

First, lets start with Leadership. Our masonic growth involves becoming leaders in our respective lives and. of course. in our Lodge. We are living examples of our masonic values; Leaders by example in our respective lives.

The second principle is Inspirations. We should be inspirations to others. Inspire good men find their internal spark. That spark that helps us build that spiritual building that” house not made with hands”.

The third important concept is that of Fellowship. The very foundation of our beloved Fraternity. Fellowship allows us to develop and practice trust and respect. It is one of the main pillars of our teachings and practices.

And, finally, the last principle is that of Education. To learn, to draw out that which is within. Our Lodge and our principles should be considered an inspiration in our education towards our pathway in search of more light.

May these principles and the word L.I.F.E. be in your thoughts every day of your pathway.

So mote it be.

Fraternally, your Senior Warden, Ramon Ramirez

## FROM THE SOUTH

Dear Brothers,

I am most grateful to our Worshipful Master, James Freeborn, our secretary, W.: Robert Wisehart, and our Treasurer, R.:W.: Mike Binder, for their support and encouragement.

Our lodge is growing with leaps and bounds; we have 3 initiates on April 9. I have been working with Brother Dr. Ramon Ramirez who will be sitting in the east and our Senior Deacon, Brother Kenny, who will both be involved in this initiation for the first time.

We have three more brothers who are considering joining our lodge. I am also grateful to Worshipful Robert Wisehart who has been working with Brother Islam for his catechism. The brotherhood of this lodge is beyond belief.

Thank you to all the brothers who have given me the opportunity to be part of this brotherhood.

Most fraternally,

Sol. Goldenberg, JW, PM







## *Diamonds and Gold Ladies Night*



*"An Evening of Elegance"*

A District 26 Charity Benefit:



To benefit the first Lady Carol Karroum  
Project at the masonic Home.



Sponsored by: Dist. 26 & J. Dewey Hawkins No.331

- + Live Music
- + Live Jewelry Auction

Saturday, April 6, 2019

Tropical Acres Restaurant: 2500 Griffin Rd, Fort Lauderdale

Cocktail Hour Begins: 6:00 pm    Dinner Begins: 7:00 pm  
\$55.00 per person or Discount on purchase of 20 seats (or more)





TAKE NOTICE THEREOF:

APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup>

**11:30AM**

Deputy Grand Master R:W: John Westerman will hold a membership seminar at J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge No. 331. All are encouraged to attend.

**6:00PM**

Diamonds and Gold Ladies Night.  
(see flyer on Page 8 for details)

APRIL 9<sup>TH</sup>

**6:00/7:00**

Entered Apprentice Degree at J. Dewey Hawkins Lodge:  
Daniel Jolly, Douglas Liantonio, Kevin Oconefsky

Dinner at 6:00 and Degree at 7:00.

**J.DEWEY HAWKINS No. 331**

**APRIL 2019**

<u>Date-(Day)</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>
3 <sup>RD</sup> (Wednesday)	Open Books / School of Instruction	5:00-7:00	Doric Lodge: 401 SE 15 ST, FT LDL
4 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	J. Dewey Officers Meeting	6:30	Meeting room @ JDH
9 <sup>th</sup> (Tuesday)	EA Degree (Called Communication) @ J.Dewey Hawkins	6:00/7:00	Dinner/Degree
11 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	J. Dewey Stated Meeting	6:30/7:30	@JDH: dinner/meeting
15 <sup>th</sup> (Monday)	Open Books / School of Instruction	6:00-8:00	Doric Lodge: 401 SE 15 ST, FT LDL
24 <sup>th</sup> (Wednesday)	Masters & Wardens Meeting	6:30/7:30	Eureka North Shore 101 SE 1 Ave, Dania Beach
25 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	Friends and Family Night @ Catfish Dewey's	6:30	*4003 N Andrews Ave, Ft Lauderdale

\*subject to change

**SEE MASTERS & WARDENS BULLETIN FOR MORE INFORMATION**