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The Wave of the Future

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Rohnerville-Redwood Chapter No. 76

Sisters and Brothers of Rohnerville-Redwood Chapter,

It has been a pretty quiet month with 'shelter in place'. Fortunately, none of our members have been reported as having the coronavirus. Members have been keeping busy making masks, and doing what they can to help others.

We are looking forward to once again being able to get together for meetings and fun activities. It is also getting closer to the Citywide Garage Sale (June 6). This is a perfect time to clean out those drawers, closet, garage, and storage shed. We would like to have items for the garage sale by May 15. Let Shari or Karen if you would like to drop items off.

At the time that this is being written, we are not sure if there will be a meeting on May 14. This was to be the night of Deputy Grand Matron, JoAnna's, Official Visit and Memorial Night. There will be a notification posted on Facebook, or you can contact Worthy Matron Tricia (382-8102) for an update. There will not be a Masonic dinner on May 6.

The Ferndale Rep. will not be performing '9 to 5' until May 2021. We will look for another play for late summer or early fall.



One of the things that a lot of us have been doing the past few weeks is looking at old photos. This picture is from Rohnerville-Redwood Chapter's 125th celebration held on August 20, 2008. How many of the officers can you remember?

Star Love to all the Chapter Members and their families. Stay healthy.

Tricia Coombs, Worthy Matron Tom Howe, Worthy Patron

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Scottish Rite Valley of Northern California

Brethren,

Greetings and a hearty Hello. I hope this message finds you all safe and well in your secure hideaways. As of this writing on April 15th, we at the Scottish Rite are still locked down. There are still no organized meetings, but we have high hopes for possibly May or June. This is a good time to read and study the Degrees on your own. Who can recall what the 20th Degree or Master of the Symbolic Lodge is all about? I have been working on the Master Craftsman Course from the Supreme Council and it is very informative.

In the event you could use some help, please give one of us a call and we will try and give you a hand: Ken Poulter, Sec. (707) 725-5898 Gary LaFaunce VM, (707) 442-7064 George Durfee (530) 262-0986 Jim Widdoes (707) 725-9763

Take care and stay safe. George Durfee, SR Editor

Larry Nicholson (707) 834-9015



Ferndale Chapter No. 23

As I write this month's article, I find myself struggling to find a topic. As many of you

know our April 8th meeting had to be cancelled. While I am disappointed that I did not get to see everyone and celebrate our newest 25 year members, I am gland to hear that every-one remains healthy. We will reschedule our celebration. Do to the uncertainty of the length of the shelter in place we have decided to postpone our Aebleskiver breakfast. We

will let everyone know when a new date has been picked. Any tickets sold with the original May 9th date will be honored.

As of now, our Official Visit of the Worthy Grand Matron and Worthy Grand Patron is proceeding as scheduled. They and the Grand Family are scheduled to be up here on June 11th. Ferndale Chapter will be preforming Ritual Opening. Several of our members have been keeping busy making face masks. Thank you for sharing your sewing skills. I know that the medical professionals that receive them are also thankful. If you have made face masks or any other type of PPEs please let me know and where you have sent them. If anyone of our members is in need of a face mask please contact me! We do not want any of our members left without protection.

In Charity and Loving Kindness Leslie Nicholson, Worthy Matron Larry Nicholson, Worthy Patron



Bethel No. 86, Job's Daughters

Hi Everyone.

We hope that everyone has been staying safe and are healthy. We had our first Zoom meeting and we are looking for ways to stay connected during this pandemic time.

The dates for Grand Bethel have been moved to August 6th through the 8th. It will be a celebration of 100 years for Job's Daughters.

We are looking forward when we are able to all meet again in person. We miss seeing everyone. Please stay safe and healthy.

With Jobie Love, Brooke Hansen, Honored Queen





Dear Masonic family and Brethren,

Donate today. Donate to our Distressed Worthy Brother Relief Fund to assist our brethren and families impacted by COVID-19 and other distresses. By now you should have received a letter from our Grand Master John E. Trauner detailing the urgent need of assistance you can provide. Although you may never know the recipient of your generosity, it may be someone in our own community that benefits from your donation. Visit www.MasonicFoundation.org to donate online or use the pre-stamped envelope to mail a check to the California Masonic Foundation. If you are in need as a result of COVID-19, please contact Masonic Outreach Services at (888) 466-3642.

There is another resource available, the Masonic Center for Youth and Families (MCYAF) that can assist you with licensed counselors for any issues dealing with stress or concerns. Call the MCYAF at (415) 929-3000.

Hopefully you remember March was the month I requested 100% officer participation to donate to the California Masonic Foundation. I would like to now extend the deadline and participation to all members of Humboldt 79. Together we can impact lives in a positive way.

April Lodge events have been postponed, and the May 23rd Widows Luncheon will be rescheduled unless the restrictions are lifted by then. Contact our Lodge at (707) 443-3079 for any assistance needed and visit our website at www.humboldtlodge79.org.

Donate today. Call for assistance when needed....and be Masonic Strong.

Aahmes Redwood Shrine Club & Djinns Band

Nobles & Ladies:

I have not heard of any of our members suffering from the current pandemic. If any of you are not well for any reason, here is hoping that you have a speedy recovery. Due to the current threat, all meetings and functions are still being canceled. Here is hoping that a solution is soon found and some semblance of normalcy can return. Meanwhile, have a memorable Mothers' Day for the ladies in your life who are Mothers!

My lady, Dolores, recently surprised me by presenting a nice Sultan's fez! Now, all we need is a parade or party to wear it for! Speaking of parties, let's have a virtual party in May. Grab a bottle of a favorite wine or drink of your choice, some crackers and cheese. Relax and enjoy! Pick up the telephone and call a friend. I will plan to open Beauleiu Estate Cabernet, vintage 1999, coupled with a round of Brie! What is yours?

Yours in the faith, Paul Wright, Sultan

Jim Widdoes, Joker Clowns

Redwood Nile Club No. 7

With great sadness, we let you know Shirley Miller passed away Saturday, April 18th. As of this writing, no further information is available. Please keep Jim and the Miller family in your thoughts and prayers.

Proud 2BA Mason, Worshipful John Prince



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SATURDAY JUNE 13, 2020 Memorial Building CORNERSTONE

Where: Humbolt Lodge No. 79

When:

8:00 a.m. - Coffee and Refreshments

8:30 a.m. - Grand Lodge opening practice

9:30 a.m. - Grand Lodge Opening

Where: Veterans Memorial Building, (1018 H. St)

When:

12:00 p.m. - Cornerstone

1:00 p.m. - Lunch



Invited: Masons (Entered Apprentices, Fellow Crafts, Master Masons), their ladies, families and friends Dress: Business: Grand Lodge Officers: daytime attire; Other Men: business suits; Ladies: dress or pantsuit

Camellia Chapter No. 63

Dearest Sisters and Brothers, We hope you are well, safe, and happy.

We hope you have found ways to distancevisit with family and friends. We see some Chapters have used Zoom or other programs to "get together" to play Bingo and check in with each other, which looks like fun. If we want to try doing something like that, though, someone other than our Worthy Matron will need to lead the group as her mic doesn't work (the program, not the mic itself) – no one can hear her.

Naturally we will cancel our fund raiser with Applebee's. We will reschedule that as soon as practical.

We also probably will need to reschedule our Deputy's Official Visit, so keep an eye out for more information on that situation as well.

The Chapter overwhelmingly decided to explore the possibility of consolidating with Trinity Star Chapter, and we want to thank Sisters Peggy Mecham-Carlotti and Liz Lorig and Brother Mike Carlotti for volunteering to serve on the Consolidation Committee. The full Committee met via Zoom to talk about the logistics and particulars of what a consolidation might look like. I think they have it pretty well hammered out and are ready to report to their respective Chapters. We need to vote on this in a formal manner; doing so by Zoom or by email is probably not going to work. Again, stay tuned. We want to move this process along as quickly as we can.

In the meantime, while we are all sheltering in place, if you need assistance, please contact Joni at 442-9223 (evenings) or Liz at 599-7521 (or either of them through facebook), and they will see what they can do to assist you. Even if it is just a chat on the phone.

In case you are not aware of it yet, Camellia Chapter has its own facebook page where you can keep up with what is going on in the Chapter ("Camellia Chapter No 63 OES"). There is also a page for District 1 ("Star Friends"). These pages are great ways to stay in touch with each other.

Portions of "One" by Shawnee Kellie

One smile can bring a friendship, One handclasp can lift a soul; One star can guide a ship at sea, One cheer can obtain a goal. One voice can speak with wisdom, One heart can know what's true; One life can make a difference, One life is me and you....

Stay sane, stay safe, and stay well!

Star Love – Joni Hewston, WM Lee Astorino, WP



Humboldt No. 216, Rainbow for Girls

Hi Everyone,

Humboldt Assembly Rainbow Girls have still been finding ways to stay connected during these uncertain times. California's Grand Assembly was postponed, but our amazing Grand Officers still held a virtual Grand Assembly with lots of fun activities including how to make face masks to help protect people from viruses, hoop skirt challenges, painting tutorials, and even a virtual dance party! We also had a virtual spirit week where Rainbow Girls and adults all over the state participated in daily challenges and dress up days all week to show our Rainbow spirit. Our assembly has continued to have meetings over the phone and have been making cards for local health care providers. We've also been making blankets to donate to our state service project, The Painted Turtle, which is a camp for children facing lifethreatening illnesses. We miss being able to see all of your faces and hope that you are staying safe!

With Rainbow Love, Hope Crossley



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10	11 6:30 PM HUMBOLDT ASSEMBLY IORG 7:30 PM FERNDALE 193 STATED MTG & REFRESHMENTS	12	7:00 PM FERNDALE OES 23	14	15 TRESTLEBOARD DEADLINE 5PM	16
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