



CENTURY LODGE No. 190, AF&AM TRESTLE BOARD

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Dispensation:

August 2, 1961

Chartered:

January 23, 1962

Meeting Place:

Masonic Hall
2532 9th Ave.

Greeley, CO

1st & 3rd

Thursdays

7:30 p.m.



**TO MAKE THE
BEST BETTER**

Upcoming Dates:

- Century Stated Communications: 1st & 3rd Thursdays
- Masonic Hall Assoc.: 4th Thursdays
- Oct. 6: EA Degree
- Oct 20: Past Masters Night

See calendar for Greeley Masonic Bodies' regular meeting days.

Master's Message



Brothers of Century Lodge:

On Thursday, September 15, Century Lodge members put on a Third Degree for our newly-made Master Mason, Eric Vargas. It went very well thanks to the preparation work of the degree team. I am always pleased when we raise a new MM; it shows that work has been done by both the new member and our degree teams.

Our work in October will begin on Saturday, October 1, at 9:30 a.m. when we start our road cleanup at 20th Street and 59th Avenue. Century Lodge has been responsible for the cleanup from that point south to Highway 34 and 65th Avenue for the last several years. We will meet near the Subway shop on the northwest corner of 20th St. and 59th Ave. Last spring, this project went quickly because we had several people helping, including a group of energetic Job's Daughters. Thank you, Jobies, for your assistance!

On October 6 we will be having a First Degree with a pot luck dinner. Please come and bring something to share. October 20 is our regular second meeting of October and will be Past Masters Night; I plan to have no business that night other than opening and closing. The evening will be for family and close friends, especially Masons and their spouses. I want to open at 7:00 pm and immediately go to "refreshment" so that dinner can begin at 7:30. This evening will be an appreciation night for the work that Past Masters and current officers have done and a small thank-you gift will be given to each PM and current Century Lodge officer. The dinner will be Salisbury steak and other items. The cost is \$15 per person and \$10 for children under 16. If you are a PM or a current officer of Century Lodge, please come to this dinner and bring your wife and/or other guests. Please call me (970-988-3940) to give me your reservations for dinner.

Jerry Hager WM
Cell 970-988-3940

From the Secretary's Desk



Here it is October already and the first day of autumn has come and gone. Brother Erik Vargas received his Master Mason degree on September 8 with eighteen Master Masons present, including eight Past Masters and two visitors (one from Virginia and one from Massachusetts). A note worth mentioning:

The music for the funeral portion could not be located, so Bro. Dane lead the procession and sang the song and did a very fine job. A BIG thank you to you, Dane.

Mark your calendars for October 20 for our Past Masters Night; the meal will be Salisbury steak. That evening will be a relaxing and entertaining one and should not be a long one. The

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Worshipful Master does not plan on conducting any business so bring your families and friends and join in our time together. Contact the WM directly for your dinner reservations!

I will be sending out your dues notices for 2017 in the next few weeks. In Lodge on September 15, the WM brought up the upcoming dues increases and Century has an assistance plan for those brothers whom this hike may affect more than others. If so, the WM has appointed Brother Jerry Park and your secretary the ones to contact for further information! You need not worry as no one but Bro. Jerry, the WM, and myself will know who needs assistance. If you have any questions whatsoever, please contact one of us. Remember that according to our by-laws, Article V, section I, dues are payable on or before the first stated Communication in January of each year.

On September 15, the Worshipful Master presented Bro. Gene Brantner with a 40 year service pin; Bro Gene mentioned how grateful he was and thanked Century. He joined Johnstown Lodge and then merged with Century when they went Dark.

As a reminder, when leaving the Lodge building, please be sure to turn off all the lights and lock the door.

Brother Don Chapman, our Marshall, has a commercial upright freezer for sale and if you know of anyone or a business that may need one please contact him directly at 720-951-1055 or donaldkchapman@yahoo.com.

I have two questions for you this month: What very important event happened on October 19, 1781? What is a Lewis?

If you have changed your address recently and not contacted me or if you want to receive your TB by e-mail instead of snail mail, let me know!

See you in Lodge!
Robert R. Chapman, PM
Secretary

October 2016

Greeley Masonic Bodies

Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Weds.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
2	3	4	5	6  Century 190	7	8 1
9	10	11  Eastern Star	12  Job's	13	14  White Shrine	15  Amaranth
16	17	18  York Rite	19	20  Century 190	21	22
23	24	25  Eastern Star	26  Job's	27  MHA, 7 p.m.	28	29
30	31			October 6: EA Degree and Potluck dinner October 20: Past Masters Night		



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