



# 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  
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### Upcoming Dates:

- Century Stated Communications: 1st & 3rd Thursdays
- Masonic Hall Assoc.: 4th Thursdays
- Sep 1: First fall meeting

See calendar for Greeley Masonic Bodies' regular meeting days.

## Master's Message



Brothers of Century Lodge,

Summer is coming to a close and fall is around the corner. This summer was a busy time for your officers with a picnic on June 5, a Second Degree on July 14, and a First Degree on August 11.

Our first meeting in September will be Thursday, September 1. Bro. Dane Barns will be giving a short slide presentation about his trip to Israel and the archeological work he did there. His trip was partly made possible by contributions from Century Lodge members. Also on that night we expect our Fellowcraft will give his proficiency on the Second Degree. If all goes as planned, we will be giving a Third Degree at our second meeting, September 15; there will be a dinner at 6:30 p.m. preceding the Third Degree. For dinner reservations please call Kent Craven, Junior Warden, at 970-371-8330.

It appears that October will be a busy month, as well, with a likely First Degree on October 6 and Past Masters Night on the 20th of October.

If you haven't been to Lodge for a while, please make an effort to come experience the great work your officers are doing and definitely come for the Third Degree.

Jerry Hager WM

Cell 970-988-3940

## From the Secretary's Desk



Here it is September 2016 and Century 190 has a busy schedule already. It is requested from the Worshipful Master and officers that if you have not been to Lodge recently or if you've just been thinking about returning, please do so and see what you are missing. We have a lot of new brothers, plus we have a lot of fun. You do not have to even come in a suit; casual dress is fine.

This summer we had an EA and an FC degree, both of which went very well. On September 15 we will have a MM degree, there will be an EA degree on October 6, and our annual Past Masters Night will be October 20; all of these events will have a 6:30 p.m. meal before the meeting.

The annual Grand Lodge budget meeting was on August 6 in Colorado Springs; the results will affect all of the Lodges in Colorado in 2017. Our per-capita has been increased to \$67 which increases the dues of Century by \$11. Our Worshipful Master **did not** vote for the increase and from what I understand that vote narrowly passed. This

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will affect all of us, brothers! For those who may think about demitting because of this, I ask you to contact me or the Worshipful Master. In these difficult times in Colorado and in our communities, it seems we are seeing an increase in all products, with not much of a relief in sight. When you receive your dues notices for 2017, the shock will not be as bad, I hope. For the brothers who still need to send me their 2016 dues, please do so ASAP. I have tried to contact you many times but have been ignored. With the 2017 increase, you will find it much more difficult to get caught up!

Here are a few facts in history I thought some may find interesting. On September 1, World War II began; V-J Day was on September 2, 1945; and Patriot Day is September 11. See you in Lodge!

Robert R. Chapman, PM  
Secretary

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September 2016

Greeley Masonic Bodies

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



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