## THE BULLETIN BOARD

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# OUR NEXT BUREAU MEETING

Sunday, November 3, 2013

The Midnight Mission Clothing Drive

#### **IMPORTANT!**

Start now to collect adult's and children's clothes.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

King Davids Lodge 209 will recognize the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of its San Luis Obispo Masonic Hall at a special celebration, attended by our Grand Lodge officers, to be held on October 20<sup>th</sup>. It starts at 12:30 PM, with an open house and program following. Contact David Cross at 559-541-5001.

Eastern Star members may attend and hear our Grand Master speak at the 2013 Annual Session of the Grand Chapter of California, on October 19<sup>th</sup> at the Fresno Convention Center, starting a 6:00 PM.

Atwater Larchmont Tila Pass Lodge 614
will be honoring the former AGL of our
Los Angeles Division V Inspectors,
Wor. Vernon M. Dandridge, with a dinner
and presentation of the Golden Veterans
Award, on October 18<sup>th</sup> starting at 6:00
PM. Dinner cost \$20.00. Contact
Reuben Zari at 818-402-2603.

<u>The Annual Shrine Halloween</u>
<u>Youth Dance will be held on</u>
November 1<sup>st</sup> this year!



LODGES . . . don't forget that the L.A.

Masonic Service Bureau web site
[www.lamsb.org] needs your calendar
entries each month, to continue providing a
useful local listing of Masonic events.



# Child Literacy & Mentoring

Expanding our Fraternity's championing of our public schools, a new program has been initiated in the San Francisco area by the California Masonic Foundation, to provide needed learning opportunities for children who are at risk for falling behind in literacy. Called the Masonic Literacy Mentoring Program, it partners interested Masonic family members with students, to instill in them a love of reading, writing and learning, through interactive tutoring sessions. What a wonderful way to actively continue our support of public education!

As another great example of ways to promote literacy through our Fraternity's ongoing "Raising A Reader" sharedreading program, the above picture reflects what one of our Los Angeles Lodges is doing to support this service to our local youth. Santa Monica Palisades Lodge 307, besides donating financially to the Program, has formed an Education Committee and has recently donated one book each to more than 450 children attending the local School District's summer school program, for students needing extra attention keeping up their grade levels. Another excellent way of developing a close connection to the local community's educators, parents and students.





### BEYOND THE LODGE

In October, California Masons will make a special effort to help our communities beyond our lodges. Work alongside your brothers, youth orders, and allied organizations to offer compassion and service to your neighbors. In gestures great and small this month, make a profound difference in your community!

## Table Reservations and Tickets are

<u>NOW ON SALE!</u>

for our

Annual Men's Breakfast honoring The Grand Master Sunday, March 2, 2014

The Hilton Hotel at Los Angeles Airport

\$150.00 per table

Tables assigned in order of the receipt of reservations. Your check makes your reservation.

\* \* \* Seating is limited to 60 Tables \* \* \*



SEE YOU IN SAN FRANCISCO OCT. 4-6

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