

THE BULLETIN BOARD

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ANNUAL BUREAU MEETING

Sunday, January 11, 2015

Pasadena Scottish Rite
150 North Madison Ave.
Continental Bkfst. at 9:15 AM
Meeting Starts at 10:00 AM



Year End Reports, Election of 2015 Bureau Officers, & Introduction of New Masters

This is our Annual Meeting of the Bureau. Reports on its activities for the past Year 2014 will be presented.

All continuing and newly-appointed Lodge Service Bureau Representatives are particularly encouraged to attend and select our new Executive Committee. For these voting members, a preliminary Ballot is provided with this Bulletin.

Special recognition of the 2015 Lodge Masters is also planned. Pictures will be taken. Come and meet them, and give them a good send-off for their year!

A SPECIAL NOTE!

The Lodge Secretaries & Treasurers Retreat will take place at the end of this month, at the Irvine Marriott, on January 23-25. Vital for your Lodge!



"Incivility" – we see it more and more around us, in politics, race relations, and particularly in contacts with and consideration toward other people. Masons in California and throughout the country have recently been taking the matter of civility to heart and are now starting to look at ways in which Freemasonry and its ideals and values might be helpful in efforts to build a more civil society.

Our Grand Master presented an idea last February at the Conference of Grand Masters of North America, that Masons lead such a movement for civility. This has now resulted in the beginning of a collaboration with the National Civility Center, an Iowa-based non-profit organization, which is dedicated to finding better ways for solving divisive social community problems through development of effective ways to handle dialogue and to instill respect for others.

This is a perfect project for Masons to champion . . . providing workable "tools" for re-building a better society in which to live!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Utilize our Web Site Calendar! Advertise your events – local, District, state-wide! Use the template on the Service Bureau Website for your submissions.

LODGES ORDER YOUR TICKETS NOW!

L.A. Service Bureau Annual Men's Breakfast

honoring
our Grand Master

March 8, 2015

**The Hilton Hotel at LAX
Los Angeles**

\$15.00/person - \$150.00/table
Seating is limited – reserve ASAP!

**All EA's, FC's & MM's are
welcome!**

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!! IMPORTANT ADVANCE NOTICE !!

For best table location in **2016**, get your table deposit to us right after this event.

Service Bureau Meeting Dates for 2015

January 11

Annual Meeting/Elections

February 8

**DGM David Perry – Speaker
Breakfast by Midnight Mission**

March 8

GM Breakfast

May 31

Masonic Youth

September 27

Grand Lodge Resolutions

November 15

Clothing Drive



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