

THE BULLETIN BOARD

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ADD THIS EVENT TO YOUR CALENDAR!

Sunday, AUGUST 25, 2013

Pasadena Scottish Rite

150 North Madison Ave.

Pasadena, California

10:00 AM

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***PGM Steve Doan will be
reviewing the proposed
2013 Grand Lodge
Legislation***

DON'T MISS THE 2013 ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM!

You need to register very quickly to attend and hear discussed an extremely interesting Masonic subject, at the 13th Annual California Masonic Symposium on Saturday, June 22nd, at the Pasadena Scottish Rite Cathedral. This year's focus will be on "*The Early Struggles for Control of Freemasonry in Great Britain and America*", as a fascinating topic of historical and philosophical relevance to our Fraternity. It explores the rise of the Antients and Moderns, and the political and social effects of their division and later reunification.

Again having this annual California Masonic Symposium close to home is a great opportunity to hear four very distinguished Masonic scholars discuss the rise and fall of the original two rival Grand Lodges, guided by the research of the Henry Wilson Coil Lecturer and English Masonic scholar John L. Belton. He will be joined by Scottish Rite Journal Editor S. Brent Morris, Deputy Grand Master John L. Cooper III, PhD., and Past Grand Master R. Stephen Doan, J.D.

It is open to Masons and the public, with a \$10 charge (plus \$15 for lunch). You are asked to complete a *registration form* found on the Grand Lodge Web Site, under "Masonic Education".

Photos Illuminate Masonic Beauty in Architecture

There were some wonderful pictures submitted for our fraternity's *Second Annual Photo Contest*, as recently displayed on the Masons of California Facebook page, and several of our local Brethren took the top honors! Photos from Bros. John Maldonado of North Hollywood Lodge and Harry Maslin of Santa Monica-Palisades Lodge were the top two winners this year, reflecting the most appropriate and unique views of Masonic architecture. In addition, Bro. Kevin Morris from Ionic-Composite Lodge took 7th place in the competition. The top three photos will be shown in the June/July edition of the California Freemason Magazine, and the top 10 winners will be displayed at Grand Lodge in October.

SPECIAL NOTE!

It is with much pleasure and admiration that we recognize the recent achievement of Granada Hills Lodge No. 378 in being presented the *Mark Twain Masonic Awareness Award* for 2012! The Masonic Service Association of North America recognized only 22 Lodges throughout the entire United States and Canada in making this award! This award program acknowledges outstanding Lodges for their emphasis on activities that create a positive Masonic identity in their community. **Granada Hills Lodge is the first California Lodge to receive this distinction. Check out the "msana.com/twainaward" Web Site.**

The Grand Lodge Management Certification Program (LMCP) now offers new on-line live "Webinar" courses to Lodge Officers. Sign up today at freemason.org.

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY



81st Annual Men's Breakfast Welcomes Covina Residents

For the first time, a table of special Masons (above) joined the 2013 Breakfast Gathering of over 650 Brethren honoring our Grand Master John Lowe at the LAX Hilton Hotel this past April. They all were members of the Destiny Masonic Club living at the Masonic Homes in Covina, and they hope to form a new Masonic Lodge there one of these days. We are most pleased to welcome these Brethren!

Come on, SoCal Masons!

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District, state-wide! Use the
template on the Service Bureau
Website for your submissions.**

Major Future Events

June 9

MH Covina Summer Festival
(for Masons and Eastern Star)

12 to 3 PM – \$10 – dress in Disney wear
Contact: Peggy Parker (626) 251-2232

June 22

13th California Masonic Symposium
(see Article in left column)

July 4

Independence Day Parades

Masonic Participation in Santa Clarita
and Pacific Palisades Celebrations
Call: (213) 369-7926 – Santa Clarita
(310) 454-2054 – Pacific Palisades



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