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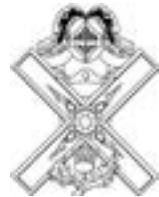
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## Robert S. Artinian, 32° KSA

*Wise Master*

### Chapter of Rose Croix

Greetings Brethren,

July marks a special time for Americans, as Independence Day is observed and celebrated on the fourth of July. It has been a federal holiday in the United States since 1941, but the tradition of Independence Day celebrations goes back to the 18th century and the American Revolution. On July 2nd, 1776, the Continental Congress voted in favor of independence, and two days later delegates from the 13 colonies adopted the Declaration of Independence, a historic document drafted by Thomas Jefferson. From 1776 to the present day, July 4th has been celebrated as the birth of American independence, with festivities ranging from fireworks, parades and concerts to more casual family gatherings and barbecues. As we do for Memorial Day and Veterans Day, let us keep in our thoughts and prayers all those who have sacrificed to allow us to enjoy our freedoms.



The dress code will be casual through the month of September as we head into the middle of summer, allowing all of us to enjoy a more relaxed atmosphere during dinner and stated meeting.

We have a special evening planned for our July meeting. Illustrious Joe Ryland, 33° will perform a special presentation of “Salute to the Flag” so we can celebrate our country’s independence and pay respect to our flag together.

Since the days of chivalry, men have been led into battle by their Flag, and if, during the turmoil of battle the bearer of the Flag was slain and fell, the one nearest took up the colors and carried them forward. Many a faint heart has been strengthened, many a shaky hand steadied, many a trembling resolve

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restored by the sight of those brave and bright colors floating ahead. In the moment of imminent disaster, the Flag became the rallying point for the new charge that won the day.

President Wilson once said, "This Flag which we honor, and under which we serve, is the emblem of our unity, our power, our thought and purpose as a nation. It floats in majestic silence above the people; and yet, though silent, it speaks to us--it speaks to us of the past and of the men and women who went before us, and the record they wrote upon it."

Illustrious Frank Loui, 33°, Sovereign Grand Inspector General for the Orient of California will be visiting our Valley for dinner and stated meeting.

Brother Joseph Klein, 32° will be presented his fifty-year hat, having joined the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Dallas in the Orient of Texas in 1968. Please join us to collectively pay tribute to our worthy Brother.

During social hour and dinner, we will hear the eclectic sounds of violin selections performed by Violinist Meruzhan Margaryan for everyone's entertainment.

I will leave you with a quote befitting this month's theme of independence:  
"No one is free who has not obtained the empire of himself."  
-Pythagoras

Fraternal Regards,

Robert Artinian, 32° KSA  
Wise Master, Chapter of Rose Croix

# The Secretary's Memo Pad

III. William F. Rook, 33°

Welcome to a bang-up Summer.

It is not too early to reap the crop of new applications for membership. Fall reunion is October 26 and 27, and November 2 and 3. Stated Meeting in November is on November 9.

Have a fun summer! Got nothing more!

Bill



Current Year Membership Statistical Changes	
Initiations:	0
Affiliations:	0
Reinstatements:	1
Deaths:	3
Demissions:	2
Suspensions (Non-payment):	2
Suspensions (Other reasons):	8
Current Lodge Membership	<b>832</b>

Current Dues Statistics				
	Count	% of Total	Orient Wide Avg.	Jurisdiction Wide Avg.
Active Members with Dues Paid in Full:	460	55.4%	52.1%	56.3%
Active Members with Current Dues Balance:	113	13.6%	10.1%	10.0%
Active Members with Arrears Dues Balance:	59	7.1%	9.5%	6.1%
Active Members that are Dues Exempt:	93	11.2%	10.3%	8.1%
Active Paid Life Members:	106	12.8%	18.1%	19.5%

## The P.R.'s Corner

Ill. Rees Padfield, 33°

Brethren,

The 4th of July has many meanings to Americans; a paid Federal holiday, fireworks, time with family relatives, sports, BBQ, road trips, and remembering the effect of the Declaration and the lives it cost it making that statement of declaring independence a real fact of independence.



“On June 7, 1776, when the Continental Congress met at the Pennsylvania State House (later Independence Hall) in Philadelphia, the Virginia delegate Richard Henry Lee introduced a motion calling for the colonies’ independence. Amid heated debate, Congress postponed the vote on Lee’s resolution, but appointed a five-man committee—including Thomas Jefferson of Virginia, John Adams of Massachusetts, Roger Sherman of Connecticut, Benjamin Franklin of Pennsylvania and Robert R. Livingston of New York—to draft a formal statement justifying the break with Great Britain.

On July 2nd, the Continental Congress voted in favor of Lee’s resolution for independence in a near-unanimous vote (the New York delegation abstained, but later voted affirmatively). Adams wrote to his wife Abigail that July 2 “will be celebrated, by succeeding Generations, as the great anniversary Festival” and that the celebration should include “Pomp and Parade...Games, Sports, Guns, Bells, Bonfires and Illuminations from one End of this Continent to the other.”

On July 4th, the Continental Congress formally adopted the Declaration of Independence, which had been written largely by Jefferson. Though the vote for actual independence took place on July 2nd, from then on the 4th became the day that was celebrated as the birth of American independence. The tradition of patriotic celebration became even more widespread after

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the War of 1812, in which the United States again faced Great Britain. In 1870, the U.S. Congress made July 4th a federal holiday; in 1941, the provision was expanded to grant a paid holiday to all federal employees.”\* (\* HistoryChannel.com)

Enjoy your summer and the 4th of July. Remember that our freedom was not cheaply bought or maintained. Please thank a veteran for his or her service.

Rees Padfield, 33°  
Personal Representative



## A Heart Beat For Our Language Center

Arthur H. Zabounian, 33°

Brethren,

Our Language Center is undergoing a positive transformation-from the new look of the therapy rooms to colorful and playful furniture.

I am also excited about our new therapist who recently joined our team. Mrs. Yomna Elsiddig, MS, CCC-SLP. Originally from the east coast, Yomna's resume is very impressive. Her background in dealing with kids, her managerial skills and joyful, warm personality are just the right addition that will complement the work that we do.



On behalf of the Board, I welcome Yomna and look forward to sharing with you the new talent that she will bring to our Language Center.

Arthur H. Zabounian 33°  
CLC President

## Knights of Saint Andrew

### Christopher N. Lebedeff, 32° KSA

Thank you to all the brothers and guests who joined us for the 2nd Annual Language Center Golf Tournament held on Saturday, June 2, 2018. The brothers had a blast raising funds to help a child learn to speak. Check out our valley's facebook page and share any photos you might have online at <https://www.facebook.com/PasadenaAASR/>



### Oh Brother, Where Art Thou? – Finding our Lost Brothers

As with any large group, sometimes a brother might fall through the cracks. Brothers move, change phone numbers, etc. The Knights of St. Andrew along with the help of other brothers are actively working to find our lost brothers and check in on them. If you know any of the following brothers, please have them call the front office at (626) 795-4213 to update their contact information.

Donald A Journey, Harvey M. Presser, Esper Kanaan, Enrico R Rivera, Michael W Latimer, Ruperto C. Rivera, Roy G Lewis, Robert D Rooks, Michael R Mac Farlane, W Barrett Ross, Garabed Markarian, Raul A Sandoval, Peter A Martin, Neal Neison Schwartz, William J O'Brien, Bernardo R. Talplacido, Jon A Olson, James F White

Brothers, Please take a moment to update your information with the Scottish Rite at: <https://my.scottishrite.org/AccountHandler/PortalLogin.aspx>  
California Masons, please also confirm your information with the California Grand Lodge at: <https://freemason.org/memberCenter/secured/profile/account.htm>

Catch you in the fall!

In Humble Service,

Bro Chris Lebedeff  
First Knight,  
Knights of St. Andrew



# PASADENA SCOTTISH RITE BOWLING TOURNAMENT



Sunday  
July 22, 2018  
3:00-6:00 p.m.

**MONTROSE BOWL**  
2334 Honolulu Ave.  
Montrose, CA 91020

**\$20 for adults**

**\$15 for children 12 and  
under**

**\$15 for members of the  
Masonic Youth Groups**

*Includes shoe rental, food, and  
raffle entry!*

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*To sponsor this event (100% tax deductible), go to:*

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## July/August Dinner Menus

### Stated Meeting on July 6th

Cheese & Crackers  
 Southwestern Salad  
 Baby Back Ribs  
 Roasted Corn  
 Baked Beans  
 Cornbread  
 Apple Pie A La Mode

Last Day for reservations: Tuesday, July 3rd at 12pm



### Stated Meeting on August 3rd

Cheese & Crackers  
 Island Paradise Salad  
 Hawaiian Chicken  
 Coconut Pineapple Rice  
 Green Beans with Hoisin Sauce  
 Hawaiian Dinner Rolls  
 Mango Mousse Cake

Last Day for reservations: Wednesday, August 1st at 2pm

Number of Reservations at \$15.00 Per Person.....

**Fish or Vegetarian on request only when making reservation.**

*Remember - a reservation made is a reservation paid.*

*mary@pasadenascottishrite.org or 626-795-4213 Ext: 101*

## Pasadena Childhood Language Center



Becky Griffiths  
Office Coordinator

Donations may be made by a group, an organization, a couple, or an individual. They may be made **In Honor of...**, **In Memory of...**, as a member of the **365 Club**, or as **Friends of the Center**. All donors are recognized in the bulletin.

Thank You to Our May 2018 Donors  
**365 Club**

**In Memory of Walter Ralston**  
Arthur Beddoe

**In Memory of A. Ray Lockhart**  
Ronald Stein  
Jose Baldonado

**Friends of the Center**

## Director of Membership

Steven D. Klein, 32° KCCH

Congratulations & welcome to the newest brethren of the Pasadena Scottish Rite. We look forward to seeing you. We hope you were inspired and your Masonic journey through life has been greatly enhanced. Your involvement and participation is highly encouraged. Consider joining a degree team or becoming a Scottish Rite Ambassador for your Blue lodge. Contact me via the office if you have any questions.



I want to especially thank the Pasadena Scottish Rite for allowing me the honor of speaking to the candidates and brethren on the Kabbalah during the reunion.

Have a great summer & come to our summer activities! The Master Craftsman program will be dark for the summer.

Sincerely & Fraternally,

Steven Klein, 32, KCCH  
VMAP Chairman

### Mission Statement

It is the mission of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, SJ, to improve its members and enhance the communities in which they live by teaching and emulating the principles of Brotherly Love, Tolerance, Charity, and Truth while actively embracing high social, moral, and spiritual values including fellowship, compassion, and dedication to God, family and country.

### Strategic Objectives

Fulfill the promise of additional Masonic knowledge through education and training.

Build a Positive Public Image of Freemasonry and the Scottish Rite.

Support and expand our philanthropic activities.

Provide a framework for effective leadership to ensure the stability and long-term success of the Fraternity.

Provide a financial process to ensure the stability and long-term success of the Fraternity

### Scottish Rite Creed

Human progress is our cause, liberty of thought our supreme wish, freedom of conscience our mission, and the guarantee of equal rights to all people everywhere our ultimate goal.

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## Women's Association News

Gentlemen thank you for sharing this newsletter with your lady

Dear Ladies,

Thank you so much for your donations for our June bake sale. Remember all proceeds will be donated to the PSR Language Center for the children. Thank you so much. Your participation makes for a successful evening.

Summer schedules are upon us and hopefully a time of relaxation and family fun for all. Remember, the young people are welcome to join the ladies upstairs after dinner in our special meeting area while the men are in their meeting. We have age-appropriate movies and/or games available for them to enjoy.

Please come join us! It's fun!

Hope to see you in July. Remember we meet upstairs - elevator button #2 which is one level above the auditorium.

Sincerely,

Lynda Lockhart  
President

Reception Honoring

Ill. Frank Loui, 33<sup>o</sup>



Sovereign Grand Inspector General  
Orient of California

Friday, July 6, 2018  
6:00 PM

**ILL. ROY J. HENVILLE 33°  
MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD**

**PRESENTED TO  
ILL. ARTHUR S. BEDDOE 33°**



**Friday Evening,  
August 3, 2018  
Reception at 6:00 PM  
Dinner at 6:30 PM  
Award Presentation at 7:30 PM  
Stated Meeting 8:00 PM**

**RSVP BY WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2018  
TO (626) 795-4213 OR  
MARY@PASADENASCOTTISHRITE.ORG**

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Keith D. Kramer, 32 <sup>o</sup> KSA	Asst. to Secretary
Stephen R. Miller, 32 <sup>o</sup> KCCH	Organist
George T. "Kerry" Halgrims, 32 <sup>o</sup> KSA	Tiler

**Scottish Rite Calendar**

Keep Friday Nights for Scottish Rite  
 Dress is Casual in July & August

**JULY**

Wednesday, July 4

Independence Day - Office Closed

Friday, July 6

3:30PM Rite Care Board  
 4:30PM Cathedral Board  
 6:00PM Reception Honoring  
 Ill, Frank Loui SGIG  
 6:30PM Dinner  
 8:00PM Stated Meeting  
 Rose Croix in Charge  
 Women's Association

Saturday, July 7

9:30AM Knights of Saint Andrew  
 NO Master Craftsman

Saturday, July 21

9:30AM Discussion Group

Sunday, July 22

3:00PM Family Bowling - Montrose  
 Bowl

**AUGUST**

Friday, August 3

3:30PM Rite Care Board  
 4:30PM Cathedral Board  
 6:00PM Social Fellowship  
 6:30PM Dinner  
 7:30PM Henville Award Presentation  
 Ill, Arthur S. Beddoe 33<sup>o</sup>  
 8:00PM Stated Meeting  
 Council of Kadosh in Charge  
 Women's Association

Saturday, August 4

9:30AM Knights of Saint Andrew  
 NO Master Craftsman

Saturday, August 18

9:30AM Discussion Group

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