

Alvin Lodge Newsletter

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Community Builder Award, Thursday, March 10, 2011

Worshipful Master Ron McClendon invites all members, friends and families of Alvin Lodge to honor **Mr. Cary Wilson**, this year's recipient of the Community Builder Award. Please come and show him our appreciation for his support of our community. The covered dish theme is Cajun Foods! The dinner is at 6:30 PM and program is at 7:30PM.

Prayer concerns:

Please keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers:, Carl and Joyce Ann Ellis, Nelson Eng's father- Bill, Steven Mercer's Mother, Bill Pannell, Gene Banks, Craig Woodard's son Cody, Joe Pickens' grand daughter Jennifer Cobb, George Williams, and Doug Holsenback. Our Masonic family: Beth Moser, Blanche Vineyard, Kathy Benoit, Patsy Zumwalt, Carol Little and Susan Selzer. Keep all our Masonic family in your prayers.

John Wayne Chapter News

A new organization of DeMolay is forming at our Chapter: **Squires of the Round Table**. This group will be named for William "Billy" A. Dixon, a Senior DeMolay of Alvin who was killed in action May 29, 1967 in South Vietnam while serving in the USMC. This organization is for 7 to 12 year old boys, the initiation will be May 14th and all inductees will be CHARTER MEMBERS! Go to the website www.jwdemolay.org for more information! **Honor Teacher Night** is March 4th at the Lodge. **DeMolay Support Night** is March 16th at 6pm. All Master Masons are invited to this meeting to see the conferral of the DeMolay Degrees.

Lodge Fundraiser

Next fundraiser for the Lodge is the Golf Tournament on April 18th. We have 28 people signed up and we need more! Please support this needed fundraiser for the Lodge. Everyone can help: sponsor a sign [\$100], register a team [\$75 each player], donate to the auction or simply make a donation!

Alvin OES No. 15 News

Alvin Chapter Number 15, Order of the Eastern Star, next stated meeting is Tuesday, March 8th. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. Next

fundraiser is BBQ sandwiches served at the Alvin Wal-Mart parking lot on April 22nd & 23rd.

Texas History is Masonic History

The local radio shows, newspapers and television stations are providing many articles about Texas History starting with the siege of the Alamo on February 23, 1836, fall of the Alamo on March 6, 1836, The Battle of San Jacinto on April 21, 1836 and ending with the signing of Texas Independence from Mexico on May 14, 1836; as well as many other important dates. Many of these men were Masons from other states. Let us always remember our Masonic History interwoven with Texas History!

New Master Mason at Alvin Lodge

Please welcome Alan Jeffrey Stone to our membership!

MWSA 31st District Meeting at Alvin Lodge

The Masters, Wardens, and Secretaries Association of the 31st District will meet on Wednesday, March 9, 2011. Dinner is at 6:30 PM the meeting is at 7PM. Dinner provided by **Harmony Lodge No. 6.** The program is group study! Come and learn how the Lodge works, ask questions, get involved!!

Calendar of Events for March, 2011

See current calendar at the website: www.alvinlodge.org.

Wed. Mar. 2 nd	J.W. DeMolay Stated Meeting [6pm]
Thurs. Mar 3 rd	Alvin Lodge Stated Meeting [6:30pm]
Fri. Mar. 4 th	J.W. DeMolay special event [6:30pm]
Tues. Mar 8 th	OES Stated Meeting [7:30pm]
Wed. Mar. 9 th	MWSA Stated Meeting [6:30PM]
Thurs. Mar. 10 th	Community Builder Award [6:30pm]
Mon. Mar. 14 th	DeMolay cleaning outside of building [6pm]
Mon. Mar. 14 th	Lodge Fellowcraft Degree [7pm]
Tues. Mar. 15 th	OES Obligation Night [6:30pm]
Wed. Mar. 16 th	DeMolay invite Masons to see degrees [7pm]
Thurs. Mar. 17 th	Alvin Lodge Stated Meeting [6:30pm]
Wed. Mar. 23 rd	J.W. DeMolay Stated Meeting [6pm]