

Alvin Masonic Lodge E-Letter
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'Go Texas' Night with the Lodge and OES

Worshipful Master Al Pool and Worthy Matron Glenda Grubbs invite everyone to Rodeo "Go Texas" BBQ Night to be held on Wednesday, March 21, 2012 at the Alvin Masonic Temple. Covered dish dinner is served at 6:30 pm! Program starts at 7:30 pm. This is an 'open' meeting and families and friends are welcome.

Prayer Concerns:

Please keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers: Sid McKenzie, Paul Pool's Mother, Chris Little & family (Daughter passed away), Our OES Family (June Rowell passed away, Susan Selzer and Will Pranger), Durwood Sanders, Mark Harris, Bill Pannell, Melvin Green, Gene Banks, and Doug Holsenback who would appreciate a phone call: 281-331-6516. A computer print out of the membership is available to all Alvin Lodge members. A 'complete' Roster is twenty-three pages and a 'Name, wife and phone number only' Roster is seven pages. Request yours today!

John Wayne Chapter News www.jwdemolay.org

Dates to note:

1. Friday, 3/2/2012 is a DeMolay Patriotism Event 6 pm till 9 pm.
2. Wednesday, 3/14/2012 is Clean the Lodge Day.
3. Thursday, 3/22/2012 is a Fidelity Event for WM Al Pool, Initiation of both Degrees for the Lodge.
4. Saturday, 4/21/2012 is a San Jacinto Day Baked Potato Sale
5. Saturday 5/12/2012 is an Obligatory Day/Parents' Dinner
6. Saturday, 5/19/2012 is Installation of Officers.
7. Saturday, 5/26/2012 is the next BBQ fundraiser.
8. Thursday, 6/14/2012, is Ritual practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
9. Monday, 6/18/2012 is Ritual Practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
10. Saturday, 6/23/2012 is Ritual Practice 1 pm till 4 pm.
11. Thursday, 7/12/2012 is Ritual practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
12. Monday, 7/16/2012 is Ritual practice 6:30 pm till 9:30 pm.
13. Saturday, 8/18/2012 Initiation of both degrees 10am till 2pm.

Please Come and support DeMolay!!!!

Happy Masonic Birthday!

The following brethren received the Master Mason Degree in March: Michael Zwahr, James Morse, John Robinson, Clarence Wittwer, Bill Lawrence, Robin Winslett, Victorino Sanchez, Randall Epler, Steven Mercer, Howard Wissner, Gil Hoadley, Alan Davidson, Terry Adams, Dennis Chronister, William Holloway, Sid McKenzie, O.P. Gautney, Ivan Boots, George Williams, Terry Turner, Sam Rowe, G.E. Thomas, Glen Allen, Virgil McDonald, James Banks, Jim Biddle, Jimmie Snelson, David Kangas, Donald Grubbs, and Richard Adams. Happy Masonic Birthday!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Please welcome our newest member of Alvin Lodge:

Steven Rieves!

Alvin OES No. 15 News

Alvin Chapter Number 15, Order of the Eastern Star, next stated meeting is Tuesday, March 13, 2012. Refreshments served at 6:30 pm. The stated meeting is at 7:30 pm. March 'Happy Birthday' wishes is extended to Clara Campbell, Faye Ashcroft and Oletha Henegar! Family Night with the Masons is Wednesday, March 21st and is Rodeo "Go Texas" BBQ. Oscar Moser has assembled a District 4 Section 10 Year Book! This publication is available for \$10 and includes the Worthy Matron's Yearbook from each Chapter in our section. It also has directions to the Lodges and contact numbers. It is a good source of information for Eastern Star members and Lodge members! Call Oscar at 281-245-6077 and order your today! **Called Meeting is scheduled for, Tuesday, March 27th for a Friendship Program by Sister Margie Lowery.** The Chapter is raffling a 46" LED TV! Tickets are \$10 each or three for \$25. Prayer requests: Susan Selzer, Will Pranger, and Marjorie Lawrence.

Announcements!

MWSA 31st District Meeting at Alvin Lodge: The Masters, Wardens, and Secretaries Association of the 31st District will meet on Wednesday, March 14th at Alvin Lodge. We will have a short business meeting and go to study groups. Host Lodge is League City No. 1053.

Fourth Wednesday of the Month is Woodshed Night at Dickinson Lodge with the District Instructors. Come and learn Masonry!

Grand Lodge will level a cornerstone at Mark Twain Elementary on Friday, March 2, 2012 at 9AM. All Master Masons are invited to attend the opening of the Representation of Grand Lodge at 8AM. We plan to open a MM Lodge at 7:30 am. **Everyone is invited to the ceremony at 9AM.**

OES No. 15 raffle: 46" LED TV; drawing May 28th. The tickets are \$10 each or three for \$25. See attachment for details.

Worshipful Master Al Pool has mailed a letter seeking donations for the new roof. Please donate today and support the fund raisers so we may retire the debt!

Put your name on our wall! Bricks are \$100 each and will be placed on the exterior wall facing the front entrance sidewall. They are available to anyone who wants to participate. Please contact the office for details.

Brother Gene Bank announced the upcoming BBQ plate and Auction for his Son-in-law, on March 17, 2012 at the National Oak Park

Pasadena Lodge 1155 is having a golf tournament. Go to www.pasadenalodge1155.org for details.

OES Chapter 15 is starting to plan for their Installation June 9th at the Alvin Masonic Temple. Please watch for upcoming details as Sister Arlene Squires and Brother Calvin Harvey advance to the East!

OES Night-time study club is March 7th at 7:30 pm in Sweeny; **Day-time study club** is March 14th at 10 am in Lake Jackson.

Alvin Lodge Spring Golf Tournament is Thursday, April 5th at Texas City. All details same as last year. We need members to sell sponsorship! The new website not yet on line, but you can go to the Fall 762golf.com website and download all the information concerning sponsorships! Let get started and support this fundraiser for the Lodge!

Alvin Lodge BBQ brisket sales are now underway! Purchase your tickets at the Lodge or from a sales committee member or send in the order form below with your payment and we will send you your tickets!

Alvin Masonic Lodge Brisket Sale

PO Box 762

Alvin, TX 77512

March 23rd, 24th and 25th 2012

_____ Whole Brisket (\$45 each) \$ _____

_____ Half Brisket (\$25 each) \$ _____

Total: \$ _____

Name: _____

Mailing address: _____

Contact No. _____ E-mail: _____

Sold By: _____

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