



**November 20, 2019 Meeting Minutes  
Master's & Warden's Association  
of the "Grand" 15th Masonic District of Florida  
Hosted By – Leesburg Lodge No. 58**

A regularly scheduled meeting of the Master's and Wardens Association of the 15<sup>th</sup> Masonic District of Florida was opened at 7:30 PM at Leesburg Lodge No. 58 by Vice President W.: David Dix with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by Prayer given by W.: Barry Rosenthal.

**Present were:**

Grand Master – 0	District Deputy GM – 1;
Grand Lodge Officers – 0;	Past Grand Masters - 0;
District Instructor – 1;	Grand Lodge Committeemen – 4;
Worshipful Masters – 7;	Past District Dep. GM - 4;
Past District Instructors - 4;	Past Masters - 11;
Senior Wardens - 3;	Junior Wardens - 3;
Treasurer - 3;	Secretary - 1;
Chaplain - 2;	Marshall - 2;
Senior Deacon - 0;	Junior Deacon - 0;
Senior Steward - 1;	Junior Steward - 1;
Tyler – 0;	First Time Visitors – 0.

**Minutes** of October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 were distributed by e-mail with original available for reading; Motion was made to waive the reading of the minutes and accept as distributed by email, seconded and passed.

**Treasurer's Report** is attached to the minutes, beginning balance for October was \$6,572.83. Income was \$0.00, expenses \$3,924.36, balance as of October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019 – \$2,648.47. A motion was made, seconded and passed to accept the Treasurer's Report, subject to review.

**Guest Speakers:** None.

**Bills:** A receipt was presented by W.: Ron Hicks for a new plaque for the Traveling Cup of \$21.35. A motion was made, seconded and passed to reimburse W.: Hicks.

**Hot Gavel:** Currently located at: Umatilla Lodge No. 65

**Traveling Gavel:** The Villages No. 394 returned the Gavel and it will be given to Memorial Lodge No. 15.

**Correspondence:** Grand Lodge Monthly Mail

## **Sickness & Distress:**

- R.:W.: Dennis Ricker, had a heart attack, has been under Hospice Care.
- W.: Matt Brunold, suffering from CVS and in Hospital.
- Bro. Fred Nielson passed away
- Bro. Fred Wiel was in the Hospital, is recovering.
- W.: Bud Wendt tripped and fell, bruised arm and had stitches above his eye.
- Bro. Kirk Mugler's wife had quadruple bypass surgery.
- Lady Gerri Rosenthal was sick, but is doing better.
- Bro. Herb Mundean recovering, was in hospital, doing better.

## **2 Minute Drill:**

### **Leesburg No. 58 – 5 Officers; 3 Members**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Breakfast; 8:30 – 11 a.m., \$7.00
- 22 Nov – Adopt-a-Family for Thanksgiving; Beverly Shores Elementary
- 30 Nov – Adopt a Highway – 8:00 breakfast, 9:00 road cleanup
- 18 Dec (Est) – Adopt-a-Family for Christmas; Beverly Shores Elementary

### **Umatilla No. 65 – 1 Officers; 5 Members**

- 14 Dec – Cracker Christmas
- Dec - Adopting 2 families for Christmas

### **Peninsular No. 85 – 2 Officers; 4 Members**

- 14 Dec – MM Degree; 2 candidates

### **Wildwood No. 92 – 3 Officers; 3 Members**

- Last Saturday Breakfast 8-10:30 a.m., \$7.00
- 10 Dec – Volunteer recognition night.
- 21 Dec – Children's Christmas Party 2 PM

### **Groveland No. 190 – 1 Officers; 0 Members**

- No upcoming events

### **Clermont No. 226 – 2 Officers; 0 Members**

- 7 Dec - 3 FC's for the Outdoor Degree
- 24 Nov – Child ID at Clermont Farmer's Market
- 2 Dec – Monarch Elect Joe Crum from The Grotto
- 14 Dec – Christmas Fruit Baskets for the Widows in South Lake
- 16 Dec – M.:W.: Steve Boring speaking on "The Origin of The Grand Lodge of Florida"

### **Mt Dora No. 238 – 0 Officers; 3 Members**

- No Report

### **The Villages No. 394 – 3 Officers; 4 Members**

- 21 Nov – EA Degree
- 2 Dec – Social Dinner @ Napolitano's on 301

**Upcoming District Events:** 7 Dec – 15<sup>th</sup> Masonic District Outdoor Degree

**Old Business:**

- All Lodge installation dates have been scheduled, please see the most recent schedule attached to the Minutes.
- District Outdoor Degree – 7 Dec; coffee & doughnuts at 8, Degree at 9; setup assistance is needed on 6 Dec – Friday
- Bylaws Committee – The committee has met and the Secretary is revising the By-Laws and will bring to the next meeting for Vote and then submit to Grand Lodge for approval.

**New Business:**

- Officer Nomination forms were made available for the 15<sup>th</sup> Masonic District M&W Assoc. Nominations were closed at the beginning of the meeting. The following nominations have been received: W.: David Dix; President, W.: Gary Gamache; Vice President, W.: Tom Pappin; Secretary, R.:W.: Ed Mayfield; Treasurer, R.:W.: John Haas; Director, R.:W.: Alan Heist; Director.
- Bro. Rich Koenig will host the second Town Hall Meeting for the District March 31<sup>st</sup>. The Villages will have an advertisement in the Villages HOA newsletter, Clermont has received approval and is advertising in the advertisement in the newsletter with the Clermont Chamber of Commerce. Umatilla is applying for an advertisement. Each Lodge can use the FaceBook Advertisement.

**Announcements:** None.

**Presentations:** None

**School of Instruction:** Dec 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019, Peninsular Lodge No. 85  
Open Books & School of Instruction  
Topic – Installation

**Traveling Cup** Awarded to Leesburg Lodge No. 58

**Next Meeting:** Dec 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7:30pm at Umatilla Lodge No. 65  
Supper will be served at 6:30

District 15 Memorial Lodge Meeting to follow

**Closing Prayer:** W.: Barry Rosenthal

Meeting closed at 8:21 PM by Vice President W.: David Dix, PM with peace and harmony prevailing.

**Attendance:** 26

**Respectfully Submitted:**

R:W: Alan Heist, PDDGM, PDI, PM  
Secretary  
Master's and Warden's Association  
District 15

**Attested By:**

W: Robert "Bob" Swiger, PM  
President  
Master's and Warden's Association  
District 15



**2019 Meeting Schedule  
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Meetings rotate based on Lodge Number**

<b>Month</b>	<b>Host Lodge &amp; No.</b>	<b>Address</b>
<b>October</b>	<b>The Villages 394</b>	<b>103 Georgia St., Wildwood</b>
<b>November</b>	<b>Leesburg 58</b>	<b>200 Richey Rd., Leesburg</b>
<b>December</b>	<b>Umatilla 65</b>	<b>101 N. Central Ave., Umatilla</b>
<b>2020</b>		
<b>January</b>	<b>Peninsular 85</b>	<b>1234 Wells Ave., Tavares</b>
<b>February</b>	<b>Wildwood 92</b>	<b>103 Georgia St., Wildwood</b>
<b>March</b>	<b>Groveland 190</b>	<b>320 E. Jim Payne Rd., Groveland</b>
<b>April</b>	<b>Clermont 226</b>	<b>865 W. DeSoto St., Clermont</b>
<b>May</b>	<b>Mt. Dora 238</b>	<b>535 N. Donnelly St, Mount Dora</b>
<b>June</b>	<b>The Villages 394</b>	<b>103 Georgia St., Wildwood</b>
<b>July</b>	<b>Leesburg 58</b>	<b>200 Richey Rd., Leesburg</b>
<b>August</b>	<b>Umatilla 65</b>	<b>101 N. Central Ave., Umatilla</b>
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**2020 Installation Schedule  
For the Installation of Officers of the  
“Grand” 15th Masonic District of Florida**

**Leesburg Lodge No. 58** – 7 Jan 2020 – 6:00 Supper, 7:00 Ceremony

**Umatilla Lodge No. 65** – 6 Jan 2020 – 6:30 Supper, 7:30 Ceremony (Closed)

**Peninsular Lodge No. 85** – 28 Dec 2019 – 9:00 Breakfast, 10:00 a.m. Ceremony

**Wildwood Lodge No. 92** – 14 Jan 2020 – 6:00 Supper, 7:00 Ceremony

**Groveland Lodge No. 190** – 4 Jan 2020 – 7:00 Breakfast, 8:30 Ceremony

**Clermont Lodge No. 226** – 28 Dec 2019 - 5:00 Supper, 6:00 Ceremony

**Mount Dora Lodge No. 238** – 2 Jan 2020 – 6:30 Supper, 7:30 Ceremony

**The Villages Lodge No. 394** – 4 Jan 2020 – 12:30 Lunch, 1:30 Ceremony

**Memorial Lodge No. 15** – 15 Jan 2020 - following M&W meeting