

Stated	Whidby Island	15	F. & A.M.
Coupeville, WA	16 April	2019	6019
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	Arturo Quizmundo		Mark Dolar
w	Douglas Jerome		
	Kelly Gustafson		
w	Dale Thayer	w	James Gaskill
	Nestor Cagingin		
w	Phil Bleyhl		Dave Severo
	Dondon Aguirre		

The WM extended a warm Whidbey Island welcome to all Brothers present this evening with 13 members and 4 visitors. Thanked Pro-Temp Bro Mark Dolar as Senior Deacon, WB James Gaskill as Marshal and Bro Dave Severo as Tyler.

Visiting Senior Warden: Bro Chris Areglo of LuzViMinda Lodge # 317, received a warm Whidbey welcome.

Visiting Worshipful Master: WB Michael Sapida of LuzViMinda Lodge # 317, escorted to the East and accorded public grand honors.

Presentation: Bro Mark Dolar was presented a “Mini Working Tool Set” as his farewell gift from Whidby Island Lodge # 15. “Fair winds and Following Seas” Brother as you transfer to Misawa, Japan. It is hope that your Mother Lodge made a solid Freemasonry foundation upon you and may you continue your Masonic journey anywhere you go.

March 19, 2019 Stated Meeting Minutes was read for information only. Approved written Minutes is posted in our Bulletin and website and emailed to all brethren.

Communication: Package from the Grand Secretary dated 25-March-2019. Booklet contains information regarding business to be conducted at the 162th Annual Communication to be held in Bremerton, WA (14-15 June-2019): Resolutions, Grand Lodge General Fund Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2019-2020, and Statements of Availability.

Package from the Grand Secretary dated April 2019. Pre-registration, On-site Check-in/Registration, Proxies, Ladies, Lodging and Meals.

Committee Report: Bikes for Books – WB Dale Thayer and Bro Nestor Cagingin contacted two schools last week and three more schools this week. Two schools will present bicycles on 20-May. Scholarship – program is on track, WB Douglas Jerome had WM Arturo Quizmundo signed eight certificates. Pizza Night will be on 03-May/Friday with the “Flag Presentation”. Awards will be presented in June (one for Oak Harbor HS and one for Coupeville HS). Website – WB Jim Gaskill reported our website is up to date.

Bills: April Bills in the amount of \$ 1,427.09 was read and ordered paid.

Treasurer’s Report: Earnings/Expenses for March were read.

New Business: 04-May/Sat at 10:00 am – “Range Day Fellowship”. Meet at the Lodge at 9:00 am for coffee and Safety Brief by Bro JW (Bro Kelly Gustafson/Range Safety Officer of Central Whidbey Sportsman’s Association Shooting Range). All calibers welcome. Various target boards

available (25, 50, 75, 100 yards). Proxy on behalf of WM Arturo Quizmundo is WB Douglas Jerome for the Annual Communication in Bremerton, WA.

Old Business: Proposed Projector Screen (Foldable Stand at around \$69.99). Reminder to get Washington Health Cards at \$10.00 which is required for all food handlers for our Breakfast Fundraiser (Starts on 01-Jun/Sat).

Masonic Anniversaries: WB Dale Thayer (26 years as Master Mason) was present and was given Masonic birthday applause.

Sickness and Distress: Visit or call any distressed brothers and inform the Lodge. We can offer relief to any struggling brother.

Announcements:

20-Apr/Sat – Whidby Island Lodge # 15 annual visit to Grandview-Trinity Lodge # 96 at 2:00 pm

20-Apr/Sat – MM Degree at 12:00 pm and Bottle Auction at 6:00 pm at Camanio Lodge # 19

23-Apr/Tues – LOV to Langley Lodge # 218 Stated Meeting at 7:30 pm

04-May/Sat – “Range Day Fellowship” meet at the Lodge at 9:00 am for Safety Brief

11-May/Sat – Garage Sale at Camanio Lodge # 19

24-May/Wed – Fellow Craft Degree Conferral at 2:00 pm at San Juan Lodge # 175

Final Remarks: VWB Gerry Myers made final remarks on behalf of DDGM. He mentioned one of the Lodges’ tradition – Brothers with disagreement will not wearing their Apron until it has been settled. He also commented “Lodge Team Competition” will be added in the next Warden Competition. And finally, charge the Brothers to get out and visit other Lodges.

Reading of the Minutes: Bro Secretary read April 2019 Minutes for information only and approved as written.

No further business appearing at this Stated Communication and after reading and approval of these minutes closed the Lodge by WB Michael Sapida due form at 9:20 P.M. O’clock with peace and harmony is prevailing.

Art Quizmundo  
Worshipful Master

Nestor Cagingin  
Secretary