



From Under The Eastern Star

Mt Pleasant Lodge Newsletter

July 2019

Brethren, July is usually an unremarkable month in the life of Mt Pleasant Lodge as we begin preparing for our August Installation. But this July has heralded some significant changes.

It started at UGLQ Quarterly Communications, which saw the ownership of Ann St Masonic Centre returned back under our direct control, with some very clever business arrangements put in place jointly by "General Board of Directors" and the "Board of Benevolence" (Hand, Heart, Pocket). They also re-established our own Benevolence Fund solely for the benefit of members.

Secondly and more specific to Mt Pleasant Lodge we had 3 members installed into Grand Lodge Office at the Grand Installation.

Congratulations again to WBro Gareth Pethig (Grand Sword Bearer), WBro Rodney Lancashire (Grand Standard Bearer), and for his 2nd stint Bro Wayne Greenley (Grand Steward). I believe it is the first time in my 22 years in Mt Pleasant that we have had 3 Grand Lodge officers at any one time.

The Grand Installation also welcomed in our new Grand Master MWBro Paul Holland. We all hope that the 'troubles' that plagued MWBro Allan Townson term are all buried and never to return. Allan steered the 'Bark of this life' over some very stormy seas. We all hope and pray the we now will enjoy some calm sailing under sunny skies under MWBro Holland. I'm sure it was not the 3 years that Allan envisaged. I believe we all owe MWBro Townson our sincere thanks for his management of UGLQ.



Worshipful Master WBro Trevor Green, Bro Wayne Greenley, WBro Noel Andrews, Bro Wayne Gannon, WBro Gareth Pethig.

A big thanks to our officers and PM for their excellent display of ritual skills at our July 1st degree. It was very gratifying to be able to sit in the East and watch everyone perform to the highest standard.



WBr Michael Tangué, Worshipful Master WBro Trevor Green with Bro Lindsay Pelser Camphill Lodge.

My thanks go to Bro Lindsay Pelser, Camphill Lodge for assuming the persona of our Candidate for the evening.

I had much pleasure in presenting WBro Michael Tangué with his Masters certificate.



Worshipful Master WBro Trevor Green presents WBro Michael Tangué with his Masters certificate.

At the Festive



Three "Jiggins" upgrades to Most Valued Visitor



DeMolay gifts for Bro Cameron



Is That WBro Gareth again!



The AGDD finally gets on the board

Out and About

Our July Breakfast in the Park at Karawatha Park saw the weather gods smile upon us again. With around 40 attending it was another enjoyable morning. Thanks again to everyone who attended particularly the workers!!

On Saturday the 4th May the Graceville Croquet Club celebrated its centenary. Bro Peter Matic was present representing the Lord Mayor of Brisbane. He had the pleasure of presenting WBro Lindsay David with a certificate of appreciation for volunteer services to the Croquet Association of Queensland.



Brethren please keep WBro Noel Andrews, Mrs Denise Wyatt, Mrs Joy Moffatt, Mrs Lorraine O'Halloran and any others you may know personally who are unwell, in your prayers and thoughts,

Until we meet again,



Kind Regards,
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Brethren, please refer to the website for the latest information on all upcoming events and visitations. This will be kept up-to-date with any changes, additions, etc. If you are unsure, please give me a call. (website: <http://www.mpl361.org.au>)