

## Calendar of Events

Regular Communications on 2nd Wednesdays at 7:00PM, with supper at 6:00PM in the Fez Club.

All other Wednesdays (except 5<sup>th</sup>) are Ritual Practice or Special Communications. Supper is served in the Fez Club every Wednesday at 6:00PM with the following exceptions; June, July & August only on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, no suppers in December.

### September 2007

- 8 Sat - Grand Master's Retreat in Las Cruces at Aztec #3
- 9-23 State Fair
- 12 Wed - Regular Communication, Past Masters & Old Timers Night

### October 2007

- 5-7 Fri-Sun - Santa Fe Scottish Rite Fall Reunion (11AM Fri, 7AM Sat, 8AM Sun)
- 6-14 Balloon Fiesta
- 10 Wed - Regular Communication, Step-Up Night
- 13 Sat - 8:00AM All the Way In One Day @ Shrine
- 20 Sat - 8:00AM Shrine Ceremonial
- 22-3 Mon-Tue - YR Colorado River Fall Festival in Laughlin
- 27 Sat - 9:00AM-12:00PM Grand York Rite Quarterly
- 27-8 Sat-Sun - DeMolay Conclave

### November 2007

- 3 Sat - 8:00AM Grand Master's Retreat in Roswell at Aztec #3 Masonic Temple
- 10 Sat - 8:00AM District 6 meeting at Zia Daylight #77 (Temple 6 @ 3801 Osuna Rd NE)
- 14 Wed - Regular Communication, Election of Officers
- 22 Thu - Thanksgiving

### December 2007

- 8 Sat - 8:00AM District 6 meeting at Temple 6
- 19 Wed - 7:00PM Albuquerque 60 Installation of Officers
- 25 Tue - Merry Christmas
- 27 Thu - Temple 6 Installation of Officers

### February 2008

- 3 Sun - SuperBowl XLII in Phoenix, Arizona (and on TV at the Fez Club? - see next issue for further information)



# The Beehive

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**Albuquerque Lodge No. 60 AF&AM**

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## Past Masters & Old Timers Night

Our September regular meeting, on the 12th, will be our Past Masters and Old Timers night, when we honor our Past Masters and present a 50 year certificate and pin. All Past Masters are invited to join us for dinner in the Fez Club at 6:00PM as guests of the Lodge. And all members are invited to join us after the meeting in the Fez Club for cigars.

Since our last Beehive edition, one of our Past Masters has departed for the Grand Lodge Above. WB Dickerson R. Watkins passed on Tuesday, June 19<sup>th</sup>. WB Dickerson was Master of Albuquerque 60 in 1994 and extremely active in York Rite, and was currently serving as Secretary/Recorder and Treasurer of the Albuquerque Bodies and as the Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons. He was also a Past Illustrious Grand Master and Past Grand Commander, and served as Secretary and Treasurer of most of the York Rite appendant bodies.

October is a very busy month (as usual), starting with our regular meeting, on the 10<sup>th</sup>, which will be Step-Up Night, when our officers demonstrate their ritual skills at the next office they aspire to.

Also in October is the Fall Reunion at the Santa Fe Scottish Rite Center on the 5<sup>th</sup> through 7<sup>th</sup>. Grand Master's All The Way In One Day on Saturday the 13<sup>th</sup> at the Shrine Center. Albuquerque 60 has been asked to confer the Fellowcraft degree. The Shrine Ceremonial is the following Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup>. And to complete the full sweep, is the annual York Rite Colorado River Fall Festival in Laughlin, Nevada. It is possible to become a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, Knight Templar, and Prince of the Royal Secret in one month! (And empty your bank account.) If you are interested in York Rite, please contact the Albuquerque York Rite

Secretary/Recorder, Larry Brownfield, at 884-2737 immediately so that required reservations for candidates at Laughlin can be made. It will be worth the effort as the CRFF is put on by teams from Arizona, California, Nevada, New Mexico, and Utah (and the Albuquerque YR will cover candidate's expenses).

And finally, November regular on the 14<sup>th</sup>, will be our annual Election of Officers.

Our regular communication in December will be Dark, with our Installation of Officers on Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00PM.

In outside events, Socorro Lodge #9 will host the Annual Magdalena Lodge #50 Reunion on Saturday, September 22, 2007 at the Ilfeld Warehouse in Magdalena. A smoked brisket lunch 'with all the trimmings' will be served for a nominal donation at 11:00. The lodge will open at 12:00PM after which invited guests (including wives, children, candidates, prospects, & etc.) will be invited into the lodge for introductions and to hear the featured guest speaker, Dr. Virgil W. Lueth, the Senior Mineralogist/Economic Geologist and Curator of the Mineral Museum at New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology. Take Highway 60 west to Magdalena and turn right on First Street. The warehouse is about one block north on the left side of the street. Dress is country casual. Again further information is available at the Grand Lodge website or by contacting Socorro's WM, Dave Welch at 835-2311 or Secretary, Dave Millis at 255-2324.

At this writing the only installation that we know of, other than our own, will be Temple 6 on Thursday, December 27<sup>th</sup>, on St. John the Evangelist's Day.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>SEPTEMBER</b> 2007						1
2	3 <b>Labor Day</b>	4	5 7:00PM FC Degree	6	7 State Fair	8 State Fair 8:00AM Grand Master's Retreat @ Aztec 3
9 State Fair	10 State Fair 7:30PM Shrine	11 State Fair	12 State Fair 7:00PM Reg Comm Past Masters & Old Timers	13 State Fair	14 State Fair 7:30PM Abq YR	15 State Fair
16 State Fair	17 <b>Constitution Day</b>	18 State Fair	19 State Fair Ritual Practice or Special Comm	20 State Fair Provosts	21 Fall Equinox	22 State Fair 2:00PM St Sophia RCC
23 State Fair	24 7:30PM Santa Fe SR	25	26 Ritual Practice or Special Comm	27	28	29
30 2:00PM AMD						

<b>OCTOBER</b> 2007						
	1	2	3 Ritual Practice or Special Comm	4	5	6 Balloon Fiesta
7 Balloon Fiesta	8 <b>Columbus Day</b> Balloon Fiesta 7:30PM Shrine	9 Balloon Fiesta	10 Balloon Fiesta 7:00PM Reg Comm Step-Up Night	11 Balloon Fiesta	12 Balloon Fiesta 7:30PM Abq YR	13 Balloon Fiesta 8:00AM All The Way In One Day @ Shrine
14 Balloon Fiesta	15	16	17 Ritual Practice or Special Comm	18 Provosts	19	20
21	22 7:30PM Santa Fe SR	23	24 Ritual Practice or Special Comm	25	26	27 9:00AM GYR Qtrly
28 Standard Time	29	30	31 <b>Halloween</b> 7:00PM MSRICF			

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4	5	6	7 Ritual Practice or Special Comm	8	9 7:30PM Abq YR	10 8:00AM District 6 @ Zia Daylight 77
11 <b>Veterans Day</b>	12 7:30PM Shrine	13	14 7:00PM Reg Comm	15 Provosts	16	17
18	19 7:30PM Santa Fe SR	20	21 Ritual Practice or Special Comm	22 <b>Thanksgiving</b>	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

<p>Albuquerque Lodge No. 60 AF&amp;AM Officers for 2007</p> <p>WM Wade Villanueva 298-1173 willanueva@dmc-logistics.com  SW Neil Rivard 228-5324 neil@cdinm.net  JW Bob Stull 883-4314 rncks@att.net  SC Chris Mabray 228-6006 Abq60NM@newmexico.com  TR Chris Fogel 228-3365 cfogel@swcp.com  SD Charlie Cameron 344-9380 charlie_cameron@hotmail.com  JD Alan Varela 266-4154 a.varela@state.nm.us  CH John Baker 881-3792 hjbaker50@aol.com  MA Tim Blada 265-9383 tblada@yahoo.com  SS Ed Gold 573-0520 furniturerestoration@juno.com  JS Richard Jaramillo 205-9552 daz304thang2003@yahoo.com  TY Shannon Goddard 604-7473 shangcoddard1@yahoo.com</p>	<p>Committees for 2007 - chairman listed first</p> <p>Finance - Jim Shepherd, Neil Rivard, Shannon Goddard  Audit - John Baker, Bob Stull, Paul Price  Charity - Wade Villanueva, Neil Rivard, Bob Stull  Social - Ralph McClish, Ed Gold, Richard Jaramillo  Ritual - Neil Rivard, Al Moore, James Romero  Memorials - Chris Mabray, Dick Butterfield, Tom Goodgame  Dues Relief - Jeff Johnson, Tom Goodgame, Chris Mabray  Communications - Tom Goodgame, Ralph McClish, Tim Blada  Long Range Planning - Neil Rivard, Bob Stull, Charlie Cameron, Alan Varela, Ed Gold, Richard Jaramillo</p> <p>Lodge website: <a href="http://www.albuquerque60.org/">http://www.albuquerque60.org/</a></p>
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The New Mexico Lodge of Research AF&AM is looking for new and active members. Are you interested in New Mexico or Masonic history, or better yet, New Mexico Masonic history? Then please consider membership in the Lodge of Research, which was specifically chartered to promote these goals and Masonic education. Voting membership is available to any New Mexico Master Mason in good standing for the sum of \$25 without balloting, and Associate membership to non-Masons and to organizations. The Lodge of Research, by charter, does not confer degrees, and by bylaw, only those who have served in those offices in a constituent Lodge are eligible to serve as the Master or Wardens.

A collection of papers is provided to all members, and the Lodge of Research has an ongoing goal to encourage Lodge's to document their histories. It sells books at various Masonic events throughout the state (Scottish Rite reunions, Grand Lodge meetings, and others by invitation) to members of the Craft. This allows you to examine the books before purchase, and pay only the suggested list price (the LoR buys in quantity at discount and applies that to the shipping). The Lodge of Research also provides the book *The Craft and It's Symbols* by Allen Roberts, to all new Entered Apprentices in New Mexico through the Grand Lodge.

For further information and/or a petition, you may contact WB Wade Villanueva, Sr. Warden LoR (see above), WB Tom Goodgame, Junior Past Master LoR at 266-0783 or tgoodgame@albuquerque60.org, or WB John Zubersky, Secretary LoR at 821-1774 or zubersky@msn.com.

Albuquerque 60 **needs** a written history, how about you?