

# THE TRESTLEBOARD



INMAN LODGE #201 AFM NEWSLETTER

#### **Golf Tournament 2016**



Inman Lodge's 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament, held on August 27<sup>th</sup>, was another successful outing! A shot-

teams out to Village Greens for 18 holes of competition and fun, in spite of a 93 degree high for the day. A barbeque meal, cooked on site, was served to the teams as they came in from their final hole. The team of Mainstay Fuel Alternatives came in for the second year in a row as the best team, overall. Thanks to the many volunteers that helped make our annual golf tournament as great as it was. Look for the photo album of the golf tournament on our website at www.inmanmasoniclodge.com .

#### **Work for the Quarter**

On July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016, William E. Mitchell II, grandson of RWB Eddy Mitchell, received his Entered Apprentice Degree. Justin Woodyard received his Entered Apprentice Degree on August 11<sup>th</sup>. His father, John Woodyard, received his Master Mason Degree on September 20th. Congratulations to these Brothers for the steps they have taken in the Craft.

# **Harvest Day 2016**

Barbeque was on the menu for Inman Lodge's Annual Barbeque Sale held at Harvest Day on September 24<sup>th</sup>. Many new and returning customers lined up at the Lodge's door for a taste of that famous Pinker BBQ that has made our Harvest Day fundraiser a success. Starting at 9:30 AM, a steady stream of customers came in for the wonderful food (as well as the air conditioning) until around 3 PM as Harvest Day began to wind down. Inman Lodge is lucky to have such a solid foundation of volunteers willing to work to make our Lodge the best in the world!

#### **Obituaries**

Worshipful Brother John Lanford, Past Master of Inman Lodge, laid down his working tools on September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016. On August 26<sup>th</sup>, Brother Robert Hammett laid down his working tools. Worshipful Brother Roger Darby, Past Master of Chesnee Lodge #282 and honorary member of Inman Lodge #201, laid down his working tools on October 1st. Our hearts go out to the families of each of these Brethren in their time of sorrow.

## **2016 Inspirational Meeting**

The 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> Districts Inspirational Meeting Charles Heatherly Memorial was held on September 22, 2016 at Cannon's Camparound United Methodist Church. Many of the Brethren and their families attended, with Chesnee Lodge #282 bringing in 29 Brethren and gun start at 8 AM brought 34 guests. For their outstanding numbers, Chesnee Lodge was presented with the Traveling Bible and the Traveling Gavel. Many awards and certificates were given out by the AFM Club of Spartanburg, and WB Wayne Bradley presented each Lodge with a hand-made wooden table setting with the 2016 Inspirational Meeting logo on it. Wrapping up the evening was RWB Acy Flora, PDDGM, who gave a short lecture as the keynote speaker for the evening.

#### **Grandmaster's Bowling Tournament** 2016

All 36 lanes were full on August 22, 2016, at Paradise Lanes for the 2016 Annual Grandmaster's Bowling Tournament hosted by the AFM Club of Spartanburg. MWB William B. Rogers was in attendance, and the competition was heated! Inman Lodge's team played two games for the trophies on hand, but were unsuccessful. Inman's OES Chapter #169, however, came away with the Lowest Team Score Trophy! It was a great night and for a good cause.

### **A Word From the Worshipful Master**

As the third quarter of 2016 draws to a close, I cannot help but feel thankful that I am surrounded by such a fine group of men and Brothers. Without the help that you have provided during what is the busiest time of our year, our annual fundraisers would not have been the successes that they were. Thanks to each and every one of you for the support that you have given Inman Lodge! It warms my heart to know that this Lodge is in the best of hands, and that they will carry us forward into the new year and beyond. In Masonry we are taught that every edifice must have a strong foundation, and I am convinced that Inman's foundation is solid and true.

Fraternally,

**Curt Lynn Lowe** 

Worshipful Master