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# Rick Baca, 32° KSA

## *Master of Kadosh*

### Consistory

It really is wonderful to get back to meeting in person. All over California Masonic Lodges, Temples, Cathedrals, and Halls are opening up and shaking off the dust. Brothers are back to meeting and shaking hands and sharing in good fellowship. After being denied for so long, it certainly is a great feeling to be in the same room and not on zoom. So if you haven't been back to an in person meeting, I highly recommend you safely do so. Make sure you have gotten your vaccine and have waited the after period.



I'd like to give a huge thank you to our Venerable Master Simon, for putting on such great virtual presentations during this year. It is really difficult to schedule virtual meetings and to be able to have such informative speakers. I certainly have enjoyed hearing some interesting and insightful topics. I know the rest of the year will also be just as exciting.

Finally, I am really looking forward to our Fall Reunion. As with the reasons listed above for meeting in person. Performing the degrees is a special experience for cast and candidates alike. I hope that we will have a healthy turnout of brothers not only as candidates, but also members in the audience to see the degrees. It would mean a lot to the cast to see a full house. So if you can, please take the time for our Fall Reunion.

Rick Baca, 32° KSA  
Master of Kadosh, Consistory

## The Secretary's Memo Pad

III. William F. Rook, 33°

By the time you are reading this in the bulletin some or maybe all of you with current dues cards will have received your 2022 dues invoice along with your 2022 dues card. If you have not paid your 2021 dues you will not receive a 2022 dues card with your invoice. Those cards have been mailed to us and are in our office, When you pay your dues we will issue those cards to you.



Please note that if you are still having difficulty paying your dues please contact this office and let's chat about some alternatives.

We are in need of volunteer for degrees and other positions within the Rite. Please contact this office if you can assist,

Lastly because of calendar and Orient constraints and the uncertainty of the spread of the Delta variant the September 3, stated meeting will be a virtual zoom meeting only. More information will be forthcoming.

That's all for September!

Bill



## The P.R.'s Corner

Ill. Rees Padfield, 33°

Brethren,

Eight months gone in 2021 and we saw a light at the end of the tunnel. It turned out to be an oncoming train. However, we have learned our lessons from 2020. Our first several combined in-person and ZOOM have been successful and will continue for the near future assuming no new drastic measures are levied upon us. Our Venerable Master, Simon, has provided us with great speakers. Thank you, Simon.



We now need to focus on publicizing our Living Constitution Play scheduled for September 17, 2021. Dinner will be served at 6:00 PM. It is open for everyone.

We also need to make a concentrated effort to enlist candidates for our Fall class, starting November 12, 2021. It is time to canvas your Masonic Lodges for those who might be interested in obtaining more Light in Masonry. Our classroom presentation will now feature a new interactive format. Remember, if you are the top line signer, you committed to attend the Class with your candidate. It will be nice to see a full audience.

A few important dates in September include:

September 1, 1939

Germany invaded Poland starting WWII.

September 2, 1945

V-J Day, surrender of Japanese ending WWII

September 3, 1783

Treaty of Paris ended Revolutionary War

September 4, 1781

City of Los Angeles founded by Spanish Governor Felipe de Neve

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The P.R.'s Corner continued...

September 6, 1620

Mayflower ship imparted from Portsmouth England

September 6, 2021

Labor Day

September 11, 2021

Patriot Day – Remember 2001

September 22, 2021

Start of fall, Autumnal Equinox

As we proceed on our path in 2021, remember the men and women of our Armed Forces and our first responders who are in harm's way, and the sacrifices they make for us.

Take care and be safe.

Rees Padfield, 33°

Personal Representative



# IN MEMORIAM

John Kenneth Borchert  
August 22, 2020  
Arcadia Lodge No. 278

Carlos Miguel Delgado  
March 15, 2020  
Maya No. 793

Leroy Charles Newsom  
February 24, 2021  
South Pasadena No. 290

Preston Sumner Erlick  
October 16, 2020  
Glendale No. 368

Lee Joseph Broussard  
June 12, 2020  
Burbank No. 406

Richard Elden Gilbert  
January 6, 2021  
Ontario No. 301

Jack Escoe Terry  
January 1, 2020  
Fellowship No. 668

Robert Victor Greenshields  
January 8, 2021  
Arcadia No. 278

Joseph Lee Campell  
December 22, 2020  
Oasis No. 854

Leeroy Al Halley  
June 11, 2019  
Lancaster No. 437

Chester Dee Thomas  
September 5, 2020  
Central Coast No. 237

Robert Ivey Humble  
February 13, 2021  
Covina No. 334

Donald Arthur Campen  
January 22, 2021  
Burbank No. 406

May Almighty God, in his infinite mercy,  
Grant that we may meet again, to part no more.

Current Year Membership Statistical Changes	
Initiations:	0
Affiliations:	2
Reinstatements:	7
Deaths:	19
Demissions:	0
Suspensions (Non-payment):	1
Suspensions (Other reasons):	3
Expulsions	0
Current Lodge Membership	712

Current Dues Statistics				
	Count	% of Total	Orient Wide Avg.	Jurisdiction Wide Avg.
Members with Dues Paid in Full:	7	1.0%	1.9%	2.6%
Members with Current Dues Balance:	401	56.3%	49.3%	52.3%
Members with Arrears Dues Balance:	97	13.6%	18.7%	14.0%
Members that are Dues Exempt:	110	15.4%	11.5%	10.5%
Paid Life Members:	97	13.6%	18.6%	20.7%



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## Good Cheer Report

Bruce Ivie  
Nursing home

Robert Artinian  
Covid

Eusebio Sanchez  
Hospital

Bob Edis  
Covid

Oliver Torrealba  
Quarantine

Hovig Antabian  
Covid

Simon McIlroy  
Bone Spurs

Massimo Del Grande  
Covid

*Please take a moment to call upon your distressed brethren.*



# Pasadena Scottish Rite

*Presents The Live 2021 Performance of*

# The Signing Constitution

The Constitution Drafting  
and Signing Re-enactment  
**ON STAGE**  
and in Period Costume



Spaghetti Dinner Served between  
6:00pm and 7:30pm

Play Starts at 8:00pm  
September 17th

Face masks Required regardless of vaccination. Everyone Required to RSVP for the Dinner!  
Walk-ins welcome and will be screened but only for the play and not for the dinner.  
Vaccination Evidence OR Recent Certified COVID test within 72 hours

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## Knights of the Double Eagle Program

Robert Artinian, 32° KCCH

Greetings Brethren,

As previously discussed in previous meetings, our valley has initiated an awards-based program called the Knights of the Double Eagle. Its intended purpose is to recognize, reward and incentify members of the valley to participate and get more involved by participating and engaging in events and activities conducted and sponsored by the valley. All members in good standing at the valley of Pasadena are eligible to become a Knight of the Double Eagle.



The program will be effective each year beginning on January 1st and ending on December 31st. A knighting ceremony will take place in March of the following year conducted by the P.R. and the Venerable Master, and all friends and family will be able to attend.

This year the program will commence beginning July 1, 2021. All points will start to accrue starting July 1 except the Master Craftsman courses. Credit will be given for courses completed prior to July 1 if it is submitted for approval and verified by December 31, 2021.

Some examples of activities one can participate and receive points are: joining the Knights of Saint Andrew and becoming active there. Participating in Reunion activities such as being a cast member, part of Wardrobe or stage crew, lighting crew, participating, and attending special events held by our valley, etc.

Below, please find a link to the website where you need to sign up to participate as well as view tutorials to help with any questions you may have.

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Knights of the Double Eagle Program, continued...

Please contact any of the committee members with inquiries: Illustrious Ron Alcorn (ron@pasadenascottishrite.org), Honorable Gregory Gabriel (gregorygabriel@gmail.com), Honorable TJ Oliva (quarryworkman@gmail.com) and Honorable Robert Artinian (robertartinian@gmail.com).

<https://www.de32.org/>

Thank you in advance for your participation.

Sincerely & fraternally,

Robert Artinian, 32° KCCH  
Chairman, Knights of the Double Eagle Program

## Master Craftsman Program



Kenneth Greene presenting a certificate to John Thorpe for completing the Scottish Rite Ritual and History course.

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Annually the Valley of Pasadena, as part of its Americanism program, presents to deserving members of Jr. ROTC unit special recognition in the form of a certificate and medal. These worthy students are nominated by their Command Advisors. Here is the list of the recipients for 2021.

SCHOOL	STUDENT
El Camino Real H.S.	C/Petty Officer 1st Class Matthew Espiritu
Garfield H.S.	C/CSM Sarah Sandoval
Kennedy H.S	C/Seaman David Martinez
La Puente H.S.	C/PFC Audrey Guerrero
Reseda H.S.	Seaman Apprentice Syrus Motamedi
Washington Prep H.S.	C/CPT Isobel Zavaleta
UCLA	GySgt Keason Torian



**American Red Cross Blood Drive**

Pasadena Scottish Rite

Location: Dining Room  
150 N. Madison Ave  
Pasadena, CA 91101

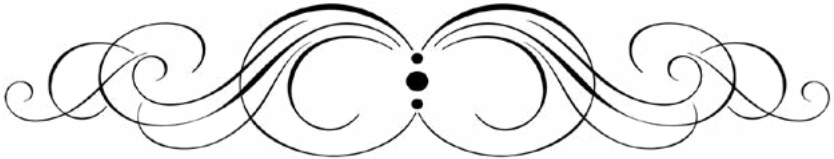
Wednesday, September 15, 2021  
1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Please visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter sponsor code:  
PSRP to schedule an appointment.

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It is the mission of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, SJ, to improve its members and enhance the communities in which they live by teaching and emulating the principles of Brotherly Love, Tolerance, Charity, and Truth while actively embracing high social, moral, and spiritual values including fellowship, compassion, and dedication to God, family and country.

**Strategic Objectives**

- Fulfill the promise of additional Masonic knowledge through education and training.
- Build a Positive Public Image of Freemasonry and the Scottish Rite.
- Support and expand our philanthropic activities.
- Provide a framework for effective leadership to ensure the stability and long-term success of the Fraternity.
- Provide a financial process to ensure the stability and long-term success of the Fraternity.

**Scottish Rite Creed**

Human progress is our cause, liberty of thought our supreme wish, freedom of conscience our mission, and the guarantee of equal rights to all people everywhere our ultimate goal.

# Language Center Contributions

## “365 Club”

Your most appreciated contributions to the Childhood Language Center may be made in any of several ways. The first being as an undesignated contribution, the second being a contribution designated as applying toward a “365 Club” membership and lastly as applying to either “in Honor of” or as a “Memorial of” anyone you may wish.

Membership in the prestigious “365 Club” requires a contribution of at least \$365.00 in any one calendar year. The contributions may be made in increments, and are accumulative over any given year and when the goal of \$ 365.00 is met, suitable recognition will be published in the Scottish Rite Bulletin.

Ill. Arthur Zabounian, 33°, Chairman Language Center Board

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 All contributions are tax deductible.

Pasadena Childhood Language Center



Meghri Habashian  
Office Coordinator

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Thank You to Our July 2021 Donors

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William F. Rook

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In Honor of

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Time dated material

## Scottish Rite Calendar

Keep Friday Nights for Scottish Rite

## SEPTEMBER

Wednesday, September 1

Deadline for October Bulletin articles!

Friday, September 3

7:30PM Virtual Stated Meeting  
 Guest Speaker Greg Kaminsky - Mirandola's Hierarchy of Angels & Christian Cabala

Consistory in Charge

You must register in advance to attend this meeting, registration info will be sent out by the Secretary via email.

Saturday, September 4

12:00PM Knights of Saint Andrew

Monday, September 6

Labor Day

Saturday, September 11

Scottish Rite Honors in Oakland

Friday, September 17

6:00PM Living Constitution

Friday, September 24

7:30PM Ambassadors Meeting  
 If you are interested in being a Scottish Rite Ambassador for your lodge contact Massimo Del Grande, 32<sup>o</sup> KSA at [ambassadors@pasadenascottishrite.org](mailto:ambassadors@pasadenascottishrite.org)

Saturday, September 25

10:00AM Discussion Group  
 You must register in advance to attend this meeting. If you would like to participate contact Charles Fisher, 32<sup>o</sup> KCCH at [arroyoseco@hotmail.com](mailto:arroyoseco@hotmail.com)

