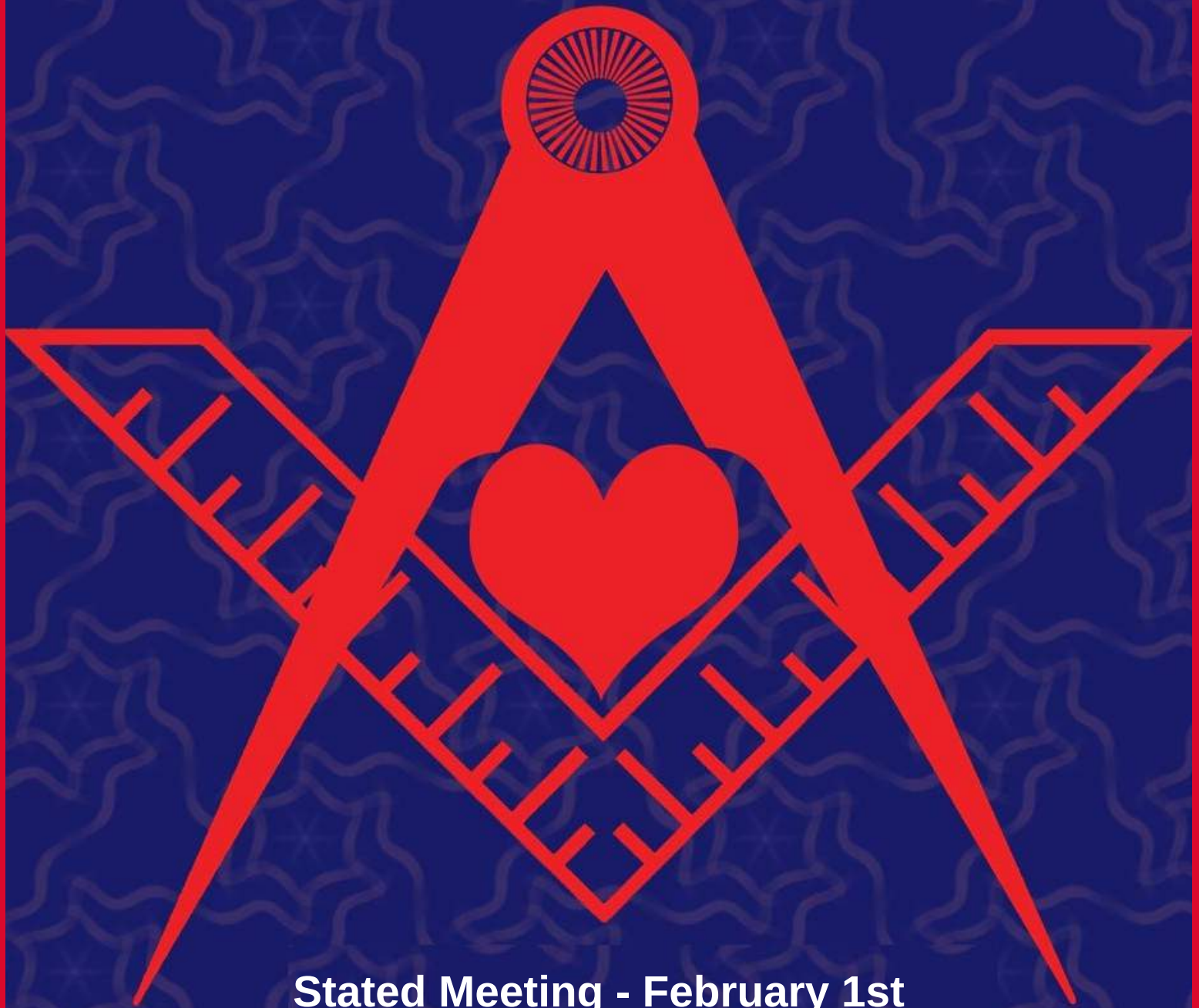


# Yorba Linda FREEMASON



**Stated Meeting - February 1st**

**Superbowl/Commercial Party - February 4th**

**Entered Apprentice Degree Justin Dasilva - February 15**

**Widows & Sweethearts Brunch - February 24th**



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# WORSHIPFUL MASTER



Worshipful Lindsey Shortland

The installation and 70s dance was a big success. Thanks to all who helped put it together and clean up after. Special thanks to Brother Chad Brook for lending us the lights and mirror ball. It was just the touch it needed to make the event a slam dunk. In February we start off with the every Thursday is Masonic plan. The second Thursday will be practice for the degree we will be putting on that month, which this month will be a 1st degree. Everyone is encouraged to attend. This year we want Brothers, other than the officers, to learn the parts to all 3 degrees. Many times we have Brothers who cannot make it to a degree and I want to ensure we have people to fill in when we have a vacancy.

To start the year we will be hosting our annual Superbowl party. We will be using the upstairs projection screen as well as all the other TVs. If you are not into the game then come and enjoy the funny commercials which are always entertaining.

The 15th is Justin Dasilva's initiation. We have known this man for a long time and he has worked hard to be able to take this step into our fraternity. I would expect a huge turn out to show your support for our new Brother.

The 22nd is our Brotherhood night at the lodge. This is our night to hang out and have fun and this month we will be having a poker night. This is also the opportunity for you to bring someone who might be interested in our craft and it will be a laid back atmosphere to get to know men who may want to join us.

The 24th is the Widow's and Sweetheart's Brunch. This is where then men serve the women to show their appreciation for their love and support. All Masons are invited to bring your loved one and assist in serving our lovely ladies.

I look forward to working with you all this year.

*Fraternally,*

*Lindsey Shortland*



## Special Announcements

Greetings from the Secretary's Desk,

The new year is off to a swift start here at Yorba Linda Lodge. Please check your wallet for your dues card and make sure it says "good through December 31, 2018". If you still haven't paid your 2018 dues, remember we have 3 ways to do it. First, you can mail a check to PO Box 178, Yorba Linda, CA 92885; Second, you can visit the lodge's website at [www.ylmasons.com](http://www.ylmasons.com) and pay using a credit card; and Lastly, you can pay using the lodge app on your phone.

Worshipful Shortland has set a new schedule for lodge meetings and degrees. Starting now, we will be having degree practices on the second Thursday of each month. This is required for all officers but any brother is welcome. Even our most experienced ritualists can help the lodge because we all improve when we practice together as a team. It's a great way to discover both how and why our ritual is conducted. Every brother is welcome on practice nights, even if you don't have a part.

Mike Gowder, PM HA  
Secretary and Officers' Coach

Hello Brothers of Yorba Linda #469,

Our Worshipful Master, Lindsey Shortland was able to make some BIG changes to our trestleboard! We will no longer have Senior or Junior Warden articles in our monthly publications. This has freed up a lot of space.

Some new additions in the trestleboard: Meet our newest candidate and/or Brother transitioning to the next degree, Full printed Lodge Calendar (Same as the one on [www.YLmasons.com](http://www.YLmasons.com)), \*\*\*COMING SOON\*\*\* calendars from surrounding lodges, and more!

These changes will allow us all to stay up-to-date on our lodge and brothers, and will help us work with numerous lodges from the surrounding cities. Our Worshipful Master, Lindsey Shortland will also be assisting our lodge to become more active in the community. One of the major and important events we will be putting on is a First Responders Appreciation Night...more details coming soon!

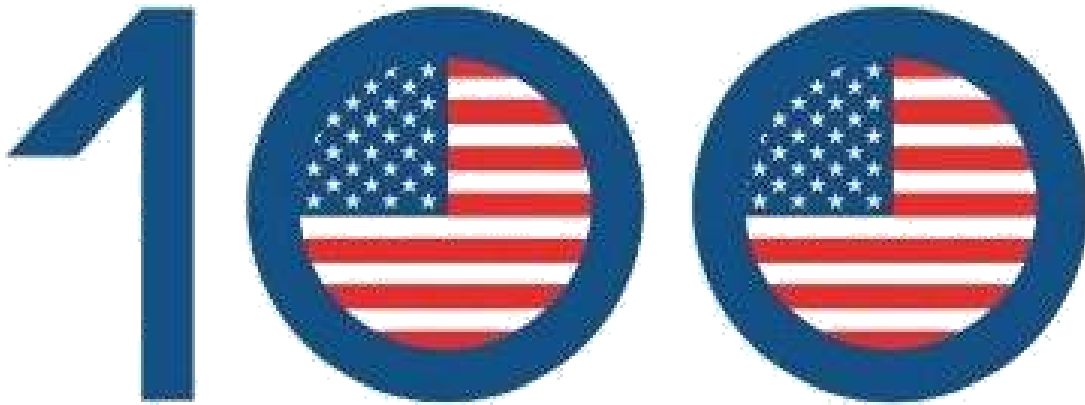
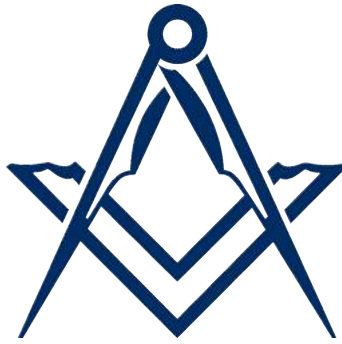
If any brothers have any suggestions for the lodge/events/etc we would LOVE to hear your ideas and get you involved with the process. Our fraternity stays strong with our fraternal bond by working hand in hand for the betterment of our lodge and fraternity.

Best Regards,

Brother Michael Rad  
Communications & Events

*Yorba Linda #469*

**YORBA LINDA MASONIC LODGE #469**



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**SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 2018**

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# **100TH CELEBRATION**

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**CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF YORBA LINDA #469**

Tickets are available @ [www.YLMasons.com](http://www.YLMasons.com) or SCAN HERE:

Location: Yorba Linda Community Center

Dinner/Dancing/Entertainment Included in ticket



**SPECIAL GUEST:**

**THE MOST WORSHIPFUL BRUCE R. GALLOWAY  
THE GRAND MASTER OF MASONS IN CALIFORNIA**





# JUSTIN "DOC" DASILVA

*Congrats!*

## Meet our NEXT Entered Apprentice!



- 28 years old
- Veteran of the United States Navy 6 years Fleet Marine Force Corpsman
- Contacted the lodge March of last year. Helped in the lodge remodel and other social events
- Enjoys hunting, fishing, the outdoors, and all manner of social gathering
- Pursuing a nursing career
- Engaged to his better half
- Resident of Yorba Linda/Anaheim most of life
- What made him join? - "I became interested in Freemasonry as I enjoyed the bonds of brotherhood and camaraderie that I felt serving in the military. I also have always sought to improve myself and those around me. Over the past year I have built some great friendships and shared in very fun experiences. I truly am looking forward to many more years of brotherhood and adventure"

## Event Reminders:

### Widows & Sweethearts Brunch



### Superbowl/Commercial Party



VS



February 4, 2018  
U.S. Bank Stadium



3rd Degree Anniversary:

| Full Name            | Raised Date | Years MM |
|----------------------|-------------|----------|
| Billy M. Baker       | 2/28/1972   | 46       |
| Jeffrey G. Dotson    | 2/13/1986   | 32       |
| Richard J. Caldwell  | 2/20/1986   | 32       |
| Jerry R. Miller      | 2/28/1989   | 29       |
| Musa S. Samawi       | 2/24/1998   | 20       |
| Patrick J. Bradley   | 2/19/2004   | 14       |
| Mark S. Hoage        | 2/16/2006   | 12       |
| Alton L. Minter, Jr. | 2/10/2010   | 8        |
| Aaron S. Morton      | 2/26/2015   | 3        |

- Edward L. Houghton
- Richard W. Boyes
- John G. Simon
- Norman W. Lange
- Matthew R. Alexander
- Jeffrey G. Dotson
- George L. Postlethwait
- Darrell J. Robinson
- Claron E. Anderson
- Joseph A. Tambe
- Glenn E. Martin
- Billy M. Baker
- Robert W. Mc Namara
- Lewis B. White
- Wayne A. Folsom
- Michael K. Gowder
- Samuel E. Brandes

BY Affiliation

- Wallace C. Stairs
- Dana M. Vrsalovich
- Jess E. Christian
- Richard B. Wood
- Raymond D. Godeke
- Robert L. Meador

Alton L. Minter, Jr.

| Full Name               | Birth Date |
|-------------------------|------------|
| Edward S. Johnson       | 2-Feb      |
| Gerald D. Phillips, Jr. | 2-Feb      |
| Samuel E. Brandes       | 5-Feb      |
| Bill D. Greganti        | 6-Feb      |
| Ronald J. Legarski, Jr. | 10-Feb     |
| William L. Beattie      | 12-Feb     |
| Edward L. Houghton      | 15-Feb     |
| Edwin M. Hilden         | 15-Feb     |
| George L. Postlethwait  | 20-Feb     |
| Willie D. Yates, III    | 21-Feb     |
| Marcellus C. Robertson  | 23-Feb     |
| Michael J. Neitzel      | 25-Feb     |
| Patrick J. Bradley      | 28-Feb     |
| William M. Bradley      | 28-Feb     |

# 2018

## Things are changing...BIG!

Starting in January the lodge will be making the following changes:

- Wednesday practices are being GONE!
- 1st Thursday of each month is Stated Meeting, 2nd Thursday is Practice Night for the degree scheduled, 3rd and 4th Thursday's are Degree Nights. No Degree? Its Masonic Education/Watch Sports/Social Time! Every Thursday at YOUR lodge will be a fun night!
- Well planned and inspired Lodge & Social Events to commemorate 100 Historical years of Yorba Linda Masonic Lodge #469!





# 2018 Lodge Officers

| Officer                 | Name                        | Phone        | Email                         |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| Worshipful Master       | Lindsey Shortland           | 714-225-8265 | admin@neilford.com            |
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| Junior Warden           | Wayne Folsom, P.M.          | 714-328-7811 | wcfolsom@pacbell.net          |
| Treasurer               | Sam Brandes, P.M.           | 714-683-5117 | sbrandes@ylmasons.com         |
| Secretary               | Mike Gowder, P.M., H.A.     | 619-823-4109 | mgowder@ylmasons.com          |
| Chaplain                | Matt Kari                   | 714-272-9683 | mkari@sbcglobal.net           |
| Assistant Secretary     | Claron Anderson, P.M., H.A. | 714-524-2554 | claron@pacbell.net            |
| Senior Deacon           | Kory Levoy                  | 714-694-0363 | klevoy@ylmasons.com           |
| Junior Deacon           | Steve Meisenheimer          | 949-295-1774 | steven.meisenheimer@gmail.com |
| Marshall                | Steve Forell, H.A.          | 714-348-0425 | stevehj@sbcglobal.net         |
| Senior Steward          | Cory Dedmon                 | 714-469-4701 | cadedmon1987@yahoo.com        |
| Junior Steward          | Jim Barden                  | 714-271-2235 | Jim.Barden@expresspros.com    |
| Organist                | Yungfan Liu                 | 714-213-5943 | yungfanliu@yahoo.com          |
| Tiler                   | Andrew Cruz                 | 714-473-4987 | Andrewcruz9@me.com            |
| Dist. Inspector 652nd   | Robert E Scott, P.M.        | 951-202-3448 | pm293@prodigy.net             |
| Communications & Events | Michael Rad                 | 951-227-0875 | michael.rad@ylmasons.com      |

## YORBA LINDA MASONIC CENTER HALL ASSOCIATION

|                     |              |                         |                     |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>President :</b>  | Steve Forell | <b>Vice President :</b> | Steven Meisenheimer |
| <b>CFO :</b>        | Jim Barden   | <b>Secretary :</b>      | Richard Nelligan    |
| <b>1 - Year :</b>   | Joseph Rosas | Steve Meisenheimer      | Ron Rad             |
| <b>2 - Year :</b>   | Steve Forell |                         | Matt Kari           |
| <b>3 - Year :</b>   | Rob Pedregon | Richard Nelligan        | Dave Price          |
| <b>Ex Officio :</b> | Jeff Dotson  | Lindsey Shortland       |                     |

PLEASE SUPPORT AND ATTEND HALL ASSOCIATION MEETINGS



## Active Yorba Linda Lodge Hiram Award Recipients



|                   |                       |                        |                    |
|-------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Waine Richey      | Claron Anderson, P.M. | Ray Ramirez            | Wally Stairs, P.M. |
| Joe Tambe, P.M.   | Bill Baker, P.M.      | Mike Gowder, P.M.      | Mark Hoage         |
| Jeff Dotson, P.M. | Bob McNamara, P.M.    | Darrell Robinson, P.M. | Steve Forell       |
| Ed Hilden         | Ray Godeke, P.M.      | Howard Harris          | Glenn Martin, P.M. |
| Shawn Smith       |                       |                        |                    |

## Concordant Bodies That Meet At Our Lodge & Contact Information

|                                     |                               |                              |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Yorba Linda DeMolay                 | 2nd and 4th Tuseday @ 7:30pm. | Ray Ramirez - (714) 349-9476 |
| Yorba Linda Job's Daughters         | 2nd and 4th Monday @ 7:00pm.  | Mike Gowder - (619) 823-4109 |
| Fullerton/Yorba Linda Rainbow Girls | 1st and 3rd Monday @ 7:00pm.  | Jeff Dotson - (714) 779-5016 |
| Order of Eastern Star               | 1st and 3rd Tuseday @ 7:30pm. |                              |

# Calendar

**Stated Meeting is the 1st Thursday of every month. Dinner starts @ 6:30 PM, and Stated Meeting starts @ 7:30 PM**

## Yorba Linda Masonic Lodge #469

| Sun<br>28  | Mon<br>29  | Tue<br>30  | Wed<br>31  | Thu<br>Feb 1  | Fri<br>2   | Sat<br>3  |
|--|--|--|--|---|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7am Church Rental (Upstairs)</li> <li>7am Church Rental Downstairs</li> <li>12pm Rainbow Inst. of Officers (up and</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2pm Red Cross Blood Drive</li> </ul>  |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7pm Church Rental (Upstairs)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6:30pm Stated Meeting and Dinner</li> </ul>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6:30am Coffee Social</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9am 1st Birthday Party</li> </ul>          |
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To become a member, just ask!



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