

Knights of Saint Andrew

Hello Knights and Brothers,

There has been lots of activity around the Temple and in case you haven't noticed we're moving! It is expected that the Scottish Rite will be out of the building by the end of October, and the Scottish Rite will be located at Masonic Temple at 340 E. Market in downtown Stockton. Tentatively, meetings for the Knights of St Andrew will be in the Library on the Third Floor. Our next meeting will be on November 1, 2017 at 6:00 p.m..

Congratulations to our First Knight Mark Castillo who has been elevated to K.C.C.H. (Red Hat). We are proud of Mark and his achievement, but unfortunately he could no longer serve as First Knight. Therefore, a special election was held and this writer (Roger Moore) was nominated and elected to the post of First Knight. I am truly humbled to be nominated and elected and I look forward serving to the best of my ability in the coming term.

Elections for the rest of the offices is scheduled for December, so any Knights who are interested in holding office as Second Knight (Vice President), Keeper of the Realm (Secretary) and Keeper of the Treasury (Treasurer) are encouraged to toss their Glengarry into the ring and be nominated. There are other offices to be filled by nomination. If you are interested in any of these posts please see me.

Congratulations to Ross Anderson, PM who is our newest Knight. Ross comes to us from Volcano Consolidated, and resides in Sutter Creek. He has been Master of his lodge on three occasions, with the most recent being in 2015. Ross was elected in our September meeting and will be Knighted at the November stated meeting. We are very proud to have Ross join our ranks.

The Knights of Saint Andrew is a service unit that consists of 32nd Degree "Black Caps". We answer directly to the Personal Representative of the Stockton Valley, and our duties consist of membership services, community outreach, recruitment, and other duties as directed. We have established a dedicated 29th Degree Team, and are responsible for assisting with the degrees at the Communication. The Knights of Saint Andrew will also assist with social functions, and encourage Masonic Education by helping to administer the Master Craftsman Program. If you are interested in becoming a Knight of St Andrew contact Greg Niskanen at the Scottish Rite (209) 466-3391 (stkngs@stocktonscottishrite.org) or myself at (209) 601-1448 or Roger.ramlaw007@gmail.com.

Roger Moore
First Knight