

Unity Lodge #1242
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Borger Masonic News



Masonic News from Unity Lodge #1242, Billy Dixon Lodge #1369,
Borger York Rite Bodies, Tri-City Scottish Rite Association, and
Chapter 811 O.E.S.
August 2011

Borger Chapter #437 Officers for 2011-12

Randy L. Hardin	M. E. High Priest
L. Rick Wells	Excellent King
Zar Robinson	Excellent Scribe
Cecil Biggers	Treasurer
Terry L. Flippo	Secretary
J. David Williams	Chaplain
Orville Robison	Captain of Hosts
Kurt Schoch	Principal Sojourner
Curt Farmer	Royal Arch Captain
Steve Cross	Master of 1st Veil
Ken Moss	Master of 2nd Veil
Ken Waldschmidt	Master of 1st Veil
Joe Bob Trumbly	Guard



Borger Chapter Officers for 2011-12

The Officers for 2011-12 were installed on Monday July 18, 2011 by Past High Priest Stephen F. Cross.

Borger Chapter #437 meets at 7:30pm on the 3rd Monday of odd numbered months.

Borger Council #354 Officers for 2011-12

Randy L. Hardin	Thrice Ill. Master
L. Rick Wells	R Ill Deputy Master
Zar Robinson	P. C. of Work
Cecil Biggers	Treasurer
Terry L. Flippo	Recorder
Steve Cross	Chaplain
Ken Waldschmidt	C. of Council
Curt Farmer	Captain of Guard
Kurt Schoch	Steward
Joe Bob Trumbly	Sentinel



Borger Council Officers for 2010-11

The Officers for 2011-12 were installed on Monday July 18, 2011 by Past Thrice Illustrious Master Stephen F. Cross..

Borger Council #354 meets at 7:30pm on the 3rd Monday of each even numbered month. Borger Commandery #96 meets on the third Monday of each month following the Chapter or Council Meeting

CHAPTER #811 O.E.S. INSTALLS OFFICERS



Hazel Howard	Worthy Matron
Joe Bob Trumbly	Worthy Patron
Rita Harrington	Associate Matron
Tommy Howard	Associate Patron
Judy Whitson	Secretary
Caroline Alexander	Treasurer
Geneva Howard	Conductress
Betty Yeager	Assoc. Conductress
Lillie Turner	Chaplain
Kevin Flanagan	Marshall
Sue Trumbly	Organist
Dena Moon	Adah
Billie Mayes	Ruth
Eulliah Jeffers	Esther
Mary Morris	Martha
Faye Andrews	Electra
Terry Moon	Warder
Howard Yeager	Sentinel

At the Stated Meeting of Chapter #811 Order of Eastern Star held on Tuesday, June 21, 2011, the officers for 2011-12 were installed.

Calendar of Events

1st & 3rd Tuesdays @ 7:30.....Eastern Star
1st & 3rd Thursday @ 7:30.....Unity #1242
2nd & 4th Thursday @ 7:30.....Billy Dixon
3rd Monday @ 7:30.....Borger York Rite

08-13-2011.....Hilltop Assoc. Meeting
08-19-2011.....5-State Conf. @ Amarillo
08-26 & 27....York Festival in Amarillo
09-10-2011.....Hilltop @ Terry Ranch
09-10 & 11-2011.....Kettle Korn Sale
10-21 & 22-2011.....El Paso Reunion
10-17-2011Grand Chapter & Council
10-28 & 29-2011.....Lubbock Reunion

In Memoriam for 2010-11

Robert M. Adams	07/04/2010
George M. Baxter	07/12/2010
Herbert G. Collins	06/11/2011
Harold E. Dalton	09/17/2010
George L. Dewey	05/11/2011
Walter E. Ford	06/25/2010
Raymond Gant	04/12/2010
Weldon C. Haynes	06/06/2011
John W. LaGrone	03/10/2011
Robert L. Mathews	04/16/2011
Harold R. McPherson	10/16/2010
Wiley G. Price	12/16/2010
James C. Shaw	09/30/2010
Toy R. Stanton	03/02/2011
Bobby A. Tippitt	07/28/2010
Louis T. Wilkinson	09/03/2010
Billy J. Willhite	10/17/2010

Unity Lodge #1242 Installation Of Officers

On Friday June 24, 2011 the officers for Unity Lodge #1242 were installed in due and ancient form.



Front Row L to R: Mike Webb Treas., Kevin Flanagin SW, Rick Wells WM, D. C. Taylor JW, Randy Hardin Sec.,
Back Row L to R: Joe Bob Trumbly JD, Tommy Howard Chap., Terry Flippo Musician, David Williams Tiler, Bill Spelce JS

The officers were installed by Past Master Terry Flippo. Past Master Joe Bob Trumbly was the Installing Marshall.

Following the installation the Brethren and guests retired to the dining room where they enjoyed cake and ice cream.

York Rite Observes Memorial Day

On May 30, 2011, members of Borger Commandery #96 and Amarillo Commandery #48 participated in the Memorial Day Services at the Veteran's Memorial in Amarillo.



The Sir Knights carried the various service flags during the ceremonies. They also assisted with the Gold Star Families. A special thanks to all the Sir Knights who participated

On Friday June 24, 2011, Brother Randy L, Hardin was installed as secretary of Unity Lodge #1242. Please give Randy all the support that you gave the previous secretary. The new lodge e-mail address will be:

rhadin47@hotmail.com

Please send any e-mails and address changes to that address.

Community Project

Recently members of Unity Lodge #1242 replaced a porch in Fritch for Hutch-care.

The existing porch that was in bad need of repair.



Brothers D. C. Taylor, Bill Spelce, Kevin Flanagin, and Randy Hardin put in over 40 hours of labor in rebuilding the porch. **Thank you Brethren!!**



Billy Dixon Lodge #1369 Installation Of Officers

On Saturday July 16, 2011, the officers for Billy Dixon Lodge #1369 were installed in Fritch. Brother Randy Hardin, Past Master of Unity #1242 was the installing Master. Brother Jonathan Douglas Past Master of Billy Dixon #1369 was the installing Marshall. There was no camera at the meeting, but we all know what the good looking guys at Fritch look like.

Those installed were;

Ron Kenyon.....Worshipful Master
D. C. Taylor.....Senior Warden
Gabriel Sims.....Junior Warden
Tracey Wright.....Treasurer
Bobby Mack Jr.....Secretary
Bill R. Spelce.....Chaplain
Wesley Hughes..... Senior Deacon
Dustin Hughes.....Junior Deacon
Shane Hughes.....Senior Steward
Joe Bob Trumbly...Master of Ceremonies
Fred Ruland.....Marshall
Matt Trammell.....Musician
Barney Turner.....Tiler

Brethren,

This is a reminder that Grand Lodge raised the per capita for 2012' Dues in Unity Lodge #1242 will be raised to \$60.00 per year.

Panhandle Masonic Hilltop Association Cooks for MS Bike Ride

On Saturday July 23, 2011 Unity Lodge #1242 joined a number of other area Lodges to provide the meal for the MS Bike ride in Canadian, Texas.



The Panhandle Hilltop Association agreed to provide the meal. All food stuffs and supplies were donated by the various Lowe's Supermarkets in the Texas Panhandle.



We all took our turns on the Unity #1242 BBQ Grill.



The various lodges prepared enough food to serve 300 people. We all had a great time,



Unity Lodge #1242 prepared the chicken. Ochiltree Lodge #910 prepared the steaks. Palo Duro Lodge #1239 prepared the chicken K-Bob's. Dumas #1009 prepared the desert and pasta.



A special thanks to the Hutchinson County Masons who answered the call and gave of their time and efforts.



After a job well done the twenty-two Masons who worked joined the 300+ in enjoying a fine meal and began the planning for 2012. We look forward to doing this in 2012 and hope more Masons will assist in the worthwhile project.

Summer Celebration

On Thursday July 14, 2011, Unity Lodge cooked hotdogs for the Summer Celebration at Huber Park..



Sales were brisk and a lot of fun was had by all who attended. Over 300 hotdogs were served.

