



# Meridian Lodge # 47 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Idaho



November 2016

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## 2016 Officers

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Secretary	Mark H. Smith, PM
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Junior Deacon	Randall Vanek, PM
Senior Steward	Hal Allerton
Marshal	Nason Hoyt
Chaplain	Mark Isserman
Tyler	Robert Fisher
Member-at-Large	Joby Hyman

## Pay dues, donate on line

Dues notices for 2017 will come out soon. Due to an increase in Grand Lodge assessment, the new dues will be \$160. You will have an opportunity to pay in installments using the lodge's new PayPal account. There will be a small convenience fee.

Donations to the Charles Monger Memorial Masonic Scholarship fund, and other Grand Lodge charities, are tax deductible. Look for them on line and in the dues notice.

## Rusty on the work? No problem!

Sometimes brothers don't come to lodge because it's been a long time since they attended, they don't quite remember the work, and are embarrassed. Don't let that stop you! Come a little early, pull a member aside and get a little coaching. We want to see you at lodge as a full and active member.

## Upcoming Meridian Temple Schedule

### November 2016

#### Meridian Lodge #47

5 Temple Bd/Finance 9 am  
8 Stated Communication 7:30

#### ELECTIONS

15 Practice/Cmte/Coaching 7:00  
22 Degree or practice 7:00 pm  
29 Fifth Tuesday

#### OES Chapter #66

1 Stated Communication

#### Job's Daughters Bethel 6

2 & 16 Regular meeting 7:00

#### Meridian Gems Rainbow

14 & 28 Regular Meeting 7:00

#### Treasure Valley DeMolay

10 & 24? Stated Communication 7:00

### December 2016

#### Meridian Lodge #47

10 Temple Bd/Finance 9 am  
13 Stated Communication 7:30  
20 Practice/Cmte/Coaching 7:00  
27 Degree or practice 7:00 pm

#### OES Chapter #66

6 Stated Communication

#### Job's Daughters Bethel 6

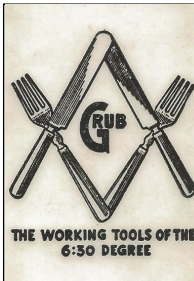
7 & 21 Regular meeting 7:00

#### Meridian Gems Rainbow

12 & 26 Regular Meeting 7:00

#### Treasure Valley DeMolay

8 & 22 Stated Communication 7:00



## Meridian 47 Social Hour

*Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!*

6:30 pm prior to stated communication on November 8. Come on out for a good time.

## Support the Monger Scholarship with your Fred Meyer Card

Meridian Lodge is now registered with the Fred Meyer Community Rewards program. Connect your loyalty card to the Lodge, and we will earn a portion of Fred Meyers' charity distributions, dedicated to the scholarship fund. You retain all of your Fred Meyer benefits. To date, only four have signed on and we earned a whopping \$10 this last quarter. We can do better. See details on page 4.

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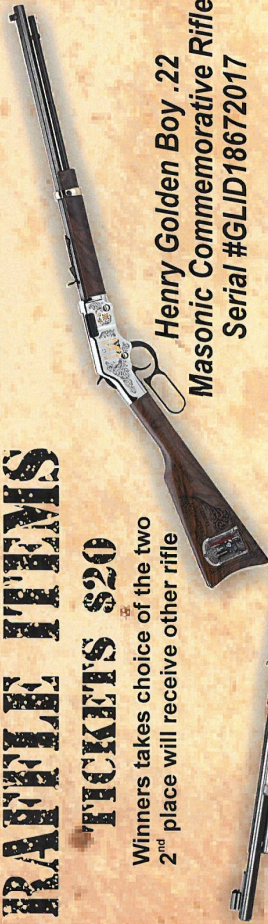
## GUN RAFFLE

all proceeds to offset the cost of the  
Sesquicentennial Activities

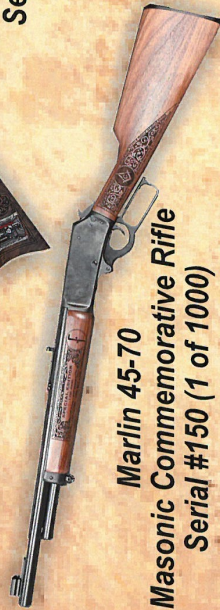
### RAFFLE ITEMS

#### TICKETS \$20

Winners takes choice of the two  
2<sup>nd</sup> place will receive other rifle



Henry Golden Boy .22  
Masonic Commemorative Rifle  
Serial #GLID18672017



Marlin 45-70  
Masonic Commemorative Rifle  
Serial #150 (1 of 1000)

Sesquicentennial Coins embedded in the backside of butt stock



## September 22, 2017

at the

150<sup>th</sup> Annual Communication of  
Grand Lodge General Membership Banquet

#### Ticket information:

any Grand Lodge Officer or Monte Bollar (208) 343-4562  
Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Idaho Office  
219 N. 17<sup>th</sup> Street Boise, Idaho, 83702  
gs@idahomasons.org



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- Then, every time you shop and use your Rewards Card, you are helping the Meridian Masonic Lodge earn a donation! All proceeds will be applied to the scholarship fund.
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