

## Communications

All members are invited to visit our website ([morselodge257.org](http://morselodge257.org)) and Facebook (Morse Lodge 257) on a regular basis.

## Degree Committee

The “Degree Team”, led by Jack Fullmer helped San Pablo Lodge put on the degree program at the Cave Degree in August. They wore costumes provided by Yreka lodge and helped to initiate many people into Odd Fellows.

## Entertainment

We will be eating at Gyro King (25 Grove St.) before our next Meeting. The Barbeque has been cancelled; however, we have some great events coming up.

## Membership

Membership dues must be paid in order to participate in our events. Please make all checks out to Morse Lodge #257. Letters have been sent to all members that have not paid for 2017.



## Spotlight on Morse



## Birthdays

<i>Binh Ngo</i>	<i>September 1<sup>st</sup></i>
<i>Rosiwati Alday</i>	<i>September 10<sup>th</sup></i>
<i>Bin Bin Zhao</i>	<i>September 20<sup>th</sup></i>
<i>Frank Sityar</i>	<i>September 29<sup>th</sup></i>
<i>Sofia Wu</i>	<i>September 30<sup>th</sup></i>

**Birthdays are good for you. Statistics show that the people who have the most live the longest.**

### *A message from our Noble Grand*

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Thanks to Brother Jack Fullmer and the Morse Degree team, along with the members who attended the Cave Degree at Yreka, CA. I hope that everyone had a wonderful time. I also hope that more members can attend this enriching event next year. Please plan on attending and inviting potential new members to our dinner/meeting on September 6<sup>th</sup>. Please let our Entertainment Committee Chair know if you are inviting any guests.

Thanks.

FLT,

Paul Tan

Noble Grand



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## September 2017

September 6, 2017

**5:30pm – Dinner at Gyro King (25 Grove St.)**

**7:00pm - Regular Business Meeting**

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**L.S.V.G.:** Irene Castillo

**Warden:** Carol Hinrichs

**Conductor:** Cathy Stevenson

**Chaplin:** Nancy Wong

**Inside Guardian:** Ferdinand Ramos Jr.

### *Financial Trustees*

Susan Bernard

Phyllis Fullmer

Paul Tan

### *Hall Association Delegates*

Tom Barton

Brian Schlesinger

**District Deputy Grand Master  
for District #1**

Henry Rosenthal

### *State Appointments*

Tina Phanivong – Grand Herald

Rita Cooper – Grand Musician, Member of  
Grand Lodge Board of Directors (4yr Term!)

Brian Schlesinger – Odd Fellows Home

Board of California Board Member

## Schedule of Meetings

### September 2017

**Wednesday, September 6, 2017**

5:30pm Dinner at Gyro King (25  
Grove St.)

7:00pm Business Meeting

### October 2017

**Wednesday, October 4, 2017**

5:30pm To Be Determined

7:00pm Business Meeting



### *Upcoming Events*

September 22<sup>nd</sup> Colin Jones' Party

September 23<sup>rd</sup> Grand Opening of  
Rebekah Café in Napa

September 24<sup>th</sup> Brewery Tour

October 21<sup>st</sup> Halloween Party

November TBA Pie Baking at Camp  
Bothin

December 6<sup>th</sup> Christmas Party &  
Stockings for the  
Homeless

## Committees

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### *Book Club*

We are taking September off! The Book Club will be meeting at 6:00pm on October 18<sup>th</sup>. We will be reading Crocodiles in the Sand by Elizabeth Peters