

## Administration

We now have a Post Office Box! Please send all information to the following address: P.O. Box 210574, San Francisco, CA 94121.

## Communications

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

## Entertainment

We will be eating in for our July Meeting. The meal will be eating Chinese Food! We will be celebrating our July Birthdays with delicious cupcakes by Sister Gaycia Parks.

## Membership

A reminder that Dues must be paid to participate in our events. Dues for 2018 are \$55.00 and are due now. Please make all checks out to Morse Lodge #257.



## Spotlight on Morse

We are having another Initiatory degree event on July 22<sup>nd</sup>. Since we started doing the monthly events, membership has increased by 10+people.

The Cave Degree is August 24 – 26, 2018. Please advise if you wish to attend, either as a participant (for degree or player) or as a member of the audience please advise the Secretary by July 20<sup>th</sup>. If attending, please get your hotel room ASAP! If you are going to attend the Banquet on the 25<sup>th</sup>, please advise by July 31<sup>st</sup>.

## July Birthdays

**Evelina Gara** July 9<sup>th</sup>  
**Larry Wu** July 10<sup>th</sup>  
**Tom Barton** July 20<sup>th</sup>

**Let's get a little crazy here!**  
**-Bob Ross**

## 2018 events

July 7, 2018	Independence Day BBQ (Location TBA)
July 8, 2018	Good Works – Walk against Colon Cancer
July 14, 2018	Fishing Trip
July 18, 2018	Business Meeting,
July 21, 2018	Pedi-Party/High Tea
July 22, 2018	Initiatory
August 1, 2018	Business Meeting
August 11, 2018	SF/Marin Food Bank
September 5, 2018	Business Meeting
September 22, 2018	Dinner Dance Cruise
October 3, 2018	Business Meeting
October 6, 2018	Wine & Cheese & Painting
November 10/11, 2018	Recruitment Dinners at either Morton Steak House or Greens Vegetarian Restaurant.



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## July 2018

July 18, 2018

**5:30pm Dinner (in  
house – Asian Cuisine)**

**7:00pm Business Mtg.**

## Contact Information

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## Elected Officers

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**Appointed Officers**

**R.S.N.G.:** Rita Cooper

**L.S.N.G.:** Lani Welcher

**R.S.V.G.:** Tom Barton

**L.S.V.G.:** Joe Stark

**Warden:** Catherine Mitchell

**Conductor:** Tino Solis

**Chaplain:** Alan Thomas

**Inside Guardian:** TBA

**Musician:** Alan Thomas

**Flag Bearer:** Jack Fullmer

**Financial Trustees**

Phyllis Fullmer

Paul Tan

## Hall Association Delegates

Tom Barton

Brian Schlesinger

District Deputy Grand Master for

District #1

## State Appointments

Phyllis Fullmer – RCS Home Board Member

Brian Schlesinger – Odd Fellows Home

Board of California Board Member

Rita Cooper – GLBoD Liaison to Odd Fellows

Home Board, Chair of Grand Lodge

Membership Committee

## Schedule of Meetings

### July 2018

#### Wednesday, July 18, 2018

**5:30pm** Dinner (In house,  
Asian Cuisine)

**7:00pm** Business Meeting

### August 2018

#### Wednesday, August 1, 2018

**5:30pm** Dinner (TBA)

**7:00pm** Business Meeting

### A few words from our Noble Grand

Hello Morse Lodge Brothers and Sisters:

I hope everyone has heard that on Wednesday July 18<sup>th</sup> Morse Lodge will have the monthly Business Meeting for July. We will be meeting at 26 7<sup>th</sup> Street on the 6<sup>th</sup> Floor We will enjoy a Chinese Dinner catered by Oriental Restaurant. **It is very important that every member attend this meeting as we will be voting on moving our meeting place to the United Irish Cultural Center.** You must be present at the meeting to vote and for your opinion to be heard.

I want to remind all members about our Membership Event: **Pedicure and Tea Party on Saturday July 21 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** We will enjoy pedicures at Diva Nails in Millbrae followed by high tea at Lovejoy's Tea Room, Redwood City. **Open to all members in good standing who have received the Initiatory Degree, or who will receive it on July 22.** Although a favorite of the ladies, all genders are welcome. Transportation can be arranged from Millbrae Bart/Caltrain. \$45 Deposit is required to hold your place, so bring your checkbook to the meeting to sign up! Checks will be returned to Members who have the Initiatory degree at the Tea Party. Checks from new members who are receiving the degree on the 22<sup>nd</sup> will be returned at the degree ceremony. This event is limited to 12 participants and we currently have 7 signed up.

**Nancy Schlesinger, Noble Grand**

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The Book Club will be meeting at 6:00pm on August 22nd. After reading a non-fiction book – “I’ll be gone in the Dark” by Michelle McNamara at our July meeting, we will be traveling to Gibraltar, by reading A Dangerous Place by Jacqueline Winspear. Location – TBA -