





OVERSEAS LODGE NO. 40 F. & A.M. CRANSTON, RHODE ISLAND

Dispensation Granted March 15, 1919 Coblenz, Germany Charter Granted May 17, 1920 Coblenz, Germany Constituted November 11, 1920 Coblenz, Germany





This Month's Meeting is on Tuesday, 08 MARCH 2016 at 1830 hrs

** REHEARSAL — 1 MARCH 2016 AT 1830 hrs. OFFICERS MUST ATTEND **

Lodge Line Officers 2016

Worshipful Master - W.: Manfred Diel Jr.

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Phone: 401-487-5586 Email: mb258@aol.com **Secretary -** M::W:: Wyman P. Hallstrom Jr. Ph. 401-323-8955 Email: skip_h@verizon.net

Senior Deacon - Andrew Gold Junior Deacon - Neal Bowman Senior Steward - Joseph Wheeler Junior Steward - Garabed Emdjian Sentinel - W.: Marcus Channell Marshall - W.: Jospeh A. Bennett Tiler - W.: David Goldberg

Chaplain - W.: Michael Gardner Musical Director - Kevin Jackson Asst. Grand Lecturer - R::W:: Sam Miller

Master of Ceremonies - R::W:: Norman D. Tierney Jr.

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REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Second Tuesday of each Month (except July & August) **Rehearsal -** Tuesday Preceding the Communication, at 1830 hours.

ANNUAL COMMUNICATION 11 NOV - VETERANS DAY Overseas Lodge #40

2115 Broad Street, Cranston, Rhode Island

Dates Subject To Change-Check the Inside of the MAIL CALL

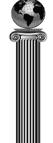






970th REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Tuesday, 08 MARCH 2016



1800 HOURS Dinner

1830 HOURS Opening

General Business,

receive DDGM's suite **1915** hours

Grand Master's visitation to the

Metro District @ 7:30PM (1930 hours)

PROGRAM BY R.W. RICHARD LYNCH











Dinner -1800 hrs. **Portuguese Cuisine**

RSVP IS REOUIRED – CONTACT THE MASTER Email: fred@kedzcovers.com Phone: 401-419-7432









Please note Brothers: The March meeting will be held in the Masonic Temple, 2115 Broad St, Cranston, RI. This is the Scottish Rite building.

THE REHEARSAL WILL ALSO BE AT THE SCOTTISH RITE BUILDING on March 1, 2016. Officers are required to attend, <u>1830</u> hours.

SEE THE ENCLOSED FLYERS FOR UPCOMING EVENTS!

Brothers: Please send all communications to;

Overseas Lodge, c/o Wyman P. Hallstrom Jr., 18 Lane F, Coventry, RI, 02816.

Thank you, Skip



Worshipful Chief's Corner,

I am writing a message this month in the Chief's corner thanking everyone that was in attendance at the February meeting. We had a good meeting and settled a few items. One of the issues is where we will be holding our meetings in the future. I have assigned an investigation committee to bring back to the lodge information regarding our meeting at Jenks Lodge in Pawtucket. After the committee reports back to us with their findings we will schedule a vote on the issue after all members have received due notice.

We can only move forward if we work as a TEAM!

Rehearsals will be starting at 1830 hours on the first Tuesday of each month for the near future. We have our Entered Apprentice Degree scheduled for April on 2 candidates.

The line officers have been busy attending various lodges throughout this jurisdiction. We had a good representation from Overseas Lodge for the Grand Master's visitation at Hope Lodge #25 in Wakefield, RI. This month the Grand Master will be visiting Overseas Lodge and I encourage all brethren to attend, especially the Past Masters since we know the Grand Master always has a large Suite that follow him everywhere AND he is a member of Overseas Lodge.

We held a Valentine's Day Dinner and Dancing at the Shrine on Saturday, February 13, the coldest night of the year with wind chills down to -20F. We had a good time with family and friends. Reminds me of Psalms 133. I want to thank all those that made it out in the cold. The food was excellent and I had many thanks from the Ladies for the dozen roses they each received. We do not want them to feel like Masonic Widows.

I hope to see each of you in lodge this year.

Fraternally, Fred Diel, Worshipful Master







THE OVERSEAS MAIL CALL - 08 MARCH 2016



FROM THE SECRETARY:

Work of the evening will be such business that may come before the lodge.

The Most Worshipful Grand Master, (our own M. W. Raymond E. Hassell) will make his official visitation to the Metro District. His suite will enter at 1930 Hours. (7:30PM) The district suite will enter at 7:15PM. Anyone planning on coming for dinner, PLEASE contact the WM so we may have enough for all. Contact information is on the front page.

Please remember to keep the lodge informed if there are any changes to your address, phone, or e mail.

Anyone who would rather get the notice via e mail, please let me know with an email and I will take care of it. E-mail for Overseas Lodge is, skip_h@verizon.net

Wyman P. Hallstrom Ir, Secretary, 18 Lane F. Coventry, RI, 02816, skip_h@verizon.net

THIS MONTH: PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGES IN TIMES FOR THE REHEARSAL AND THE OPENING.

THE PROGRAM THIS MONTH WILL BE PRESENTED BY R. W. RICHARD F. LYNCH AND IS TITLED;

"ADVENTURES IN THE SEVEN CITIES OF GOLD; CIBOLA"

UPCOMING EVENTS:

CANDIDATE FORUMS; MARCH 10 – EA & FC, MAR 22 – MM & FC. APRIL 7 – MM & EA

DDGM VISITATION TO THE METRO DISTRICT AT JENK'S LODGE MARCH 28, 2016

TESTIMONIAL FOR MW RAYMOND E. HASSELL - - -SEE ENCLOSED FLYER

GRAND LODGE OF RI ANNUAL COMMUNICATION WILL BE MAY 23RD AT 9AM.
THE GRAND LODGE ANNUAL BANQUET WILL BE HELD AT RHODES ON THE PAWTUXET ON MAY 23RD,
COCKTAILS WILL BE AT 5:45 AND DINNER WILL BE AT 6:30PM. CONTACT THE SECRETARY FOR
RESERVATIONS AT SKIP_H@VERIZON.NET OR 401-323-8955. DINNER CHOICES ARE; PAN SEARED FILET OR
SWORDFISH, VEGGIE ALTERNATIVE AVAILABLE ALSO.









SICK CALL

SEND A CARD TO A BROTHER!

Wor. Frank Yetner
P.O. Box 78
Lecanto, FL, 34460

Alberto S. "Doc" Rubio
40 Deerfeild Dr.
West Warwick, RI
02893

BIRTHDAYS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BROTHERS!!!

Francisco Felipe 3/9/1064

Mark P. Wainwright 3/10/1939

Brad C. Buckley 3/18/1971

Charles Alvernaz 3/17/1944

Steven Chagnon 3/31/1947

M.I.A.

Please contact the Secretary regarding
Sick Call, M.I.A., or
Birthday information.

None this month



Officers Forum Dates

28 March 2016 - Jenks #24 (Metro)

10 May 2016 - Franklin #20 (Southern)

Any questions regarding the Officer's Forumscall R.W. Paul Kokolsky, Director of Masonic education at 401-828-2457

Dates to Remember

March 22 MM & FC forum April 7 MM & EA forum April 16th, Grand Master's Testimonial \$35.00 each

DD Visitations-Metro District

28 March 2016 - Jenks #24 20 Apr 2016 - St. Johns #1 P

Grand Master Visitation 8 March 2016 - Overseas #40

OVERSEAS LODGE PAST MASTERS

WENDELL R. DAVIS -U.D. 1919 * WINFIELD SOLOMON - 1920 * ARTHUR S. VAUGHN - 1921 * HAROLD L. McAUSLAN - 1922 * ASA CUSHMAN - 1923 * JAMES A. TILINGHAST - 1924 * EARL H. MASON - 1925 * CHARLES T. GLINES - 1926 * ARTHUR W. PEACE - 1927 * SAMUEL A HALL - 1928 * THOMAS J.H. PIERCE - 1929 RAYMOND L. VAUGHN - 1930 * HAROLD E. STAPLES - 1931 * ALVAH A. FISHER - 1932 * CLIFTON L MONROE - 1933 3 C. RAYMOND WALPOLE - 1934 * EDWIN E. CULL - 1935 * HERBERT H. ARMINGTON - 1936 * HAROLD A. ANDREWS - 1937 * ROBERT HIRONS - 1938 * ROGER E. HARD - 1939 * WALTER M. BAKER - 1940 * WILLIAM H. PRESTON - 1941 * ELLWOOD W. WALLING - 1942 * EDWARD ANDERSON - 1943 *

SAMUEL M. EVANS - 1944 * J. ALBERT FRASER - 1945 * ELMER E. LENT- 1946 * FRED H. STANG - 1947 * ELLSWORTH TURNER - 1948 * HERBERT B. MASON - 1949 * ERNEST E. CHASE - 1950 * ARNOLD C. TOWNE -1951 * RUSSELL D. NEWHALL-1952 * W. HOBART PALMER-1953 * RUSSELL L. TOMLINSON - 1954 * CLINTON K. DAVIES - 1955 * LEBARON D. GRANT - 1956 * LUTHER R. BEAVERS - 1957 * LEONARD F. STUDD - 1958 * JOSEPH N. CLOSE - 1959 * ARNOLD F. PRATT - 1960 * ALEXANDER M. MOFFAT - 1961 * ARTHUR H. AKER - 1962 * ROBERT COLBURN - 1963 * KENNETH P. TILLINGHAST- 1964 * ROBERT H. PEARSON - 1965 * NORMAN D. TIERNEY SR. - 1966 * DAVID P. KOPECH - 1967 *

CHARLES E. ANGELL-1968 JOSEPH KEATING-1969 * CARL W CARLEEN - 1970 * NORMAN D. TIERNEY JR. - 1971 JAMES A. GODING - 1972 CHARLES J. ALBEE - 1973 * ROBERT J. MURPHY - 1974 * HYMAN LEVIN - 1975 * WILLIAM J. NICHOLS - 1976 * DAVID A. D'AGOSTINO - 1977 LOUIS C. ZANNINI - 1978 ANTHONY M. OLIVIERI - 1979 * FRANK A. YETNER - 1980 CHARLES NAZARIAN - 1981 PAUL E. GERSDORFF JR. - 1982 * DAVID A. OGILVIE - 1983 MORPHIS A. JAMIEL - 1984 * WILLIAM R. SWEET - 1985 RICHARD J. LAURINO - 1986 LIVIO MARTINI - 1987 * WILLIAM L. BARTLETT JR.- 1988 * PAUL E. GERSDORFF JR. - 1989 * RALPH RICCI - 1990 * HYMAN LEVIN - 1991 *

JOSEPH KEATING - 1992 * RALPH RICCI-1993 * JOHN W. COOK - 1994 * EARL RANDALL - 1995 EARL RANDALL - 1996 ROBERT M. CHASE - 1997 * EDWIN M. KEENAN - 1998 * EDWIN M. KEENAN - 1999 * JOSEPH KEATING - 2000 * DAVID A. OGILVIE - 2001 FRANK DIMASCIO - 2002 FRANK DIMASCIO - 2003 DAVID A. OGILVIE - 2004 WILLIAM J. NICHOLS - 2005 * DUNCAN C. WATSON - 2006 JOSEPH NETO JR. - 2007 JOSEPH NETO JR. - 2008 MICHAEL J. BARBOZA - 2009 BRAD C. BUCKLEY - 2010 MANUEL M. LEWIS III - 2011 * MARCUS CHANNELL - 2012 MICHAEL J. GARDINER JR. - 2013 JOSEPH A. BENNETT - 2014











