

Promotions

P.Pr.G.S.W.	T.G. Elcock	South Shropshire	1150
P.Pr.G.J.W.	A.S. Dowley	Shropshire	444
P.Pr.G.M.O.	R.H.D. Biggs	Dartmouth	993
P.Pr.G.M.O.	W.J. Moore	Robert Mummery	1304
P.Pr.G.M.O.	P.D. Young	Castle	1622
P.Pr.G.S.O.	M. Gibbons	Roses Castles Boaters	1922
P.Pr.G.J.O.	D.J. Evans	Wulfruna	186
P.Pr.G.J.O.	J. Pollard	Shropshire	444
P.Pr.G.Reg.	R.K. Passap	Tudor lodge of RV	290
P.Pr.G.Reg.	C.T. Lucan-Pratt	North Shropshire	840
P.Pr.G.Reg.	B.S. Bassral	Dartmouth	993
P.Pr.G.Reg.	R.C. Shingler	Talbot	1021
P.Pr.G.Reg.	P.J. Knowles	Kidsgrove	1503
P.P.G.I.Wks.	N.A. Wright	Wulfruna	186
P.P.G.I.Wks.	J.S. Matharu	Dartmouth	993
P.P.G.I.Wks.	B.D. Lewis	Wrekin	1129
P.P.G.I.Wks.	D. Boulton	Castle	1622
P.Pr.G.S.D.	M. Davies	Wulfruna	186
P.Pr.G.S.D.	R. Bright	Tudor Lodge or RV	290

Provincial Royal Ark Mariner Grand Rank

Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	D.J. Evans	Wolverhampton	186
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	A.M. Clarke	Shropshire	444
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	A.J. Henshall	Peace	541
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	R.C. Shingler	North Shropshire	840
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	T.J. Wilton-Morgan	North Shropshire	840
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	D.S. Gordon	South Shropshire	1150
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	M.J. Hall	South Shropshire	1150
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	M.R. Hegde	Sir John Jervis	1416
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	B.A. Shaw	St Editha's	1426
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	S. Malpass	Kidsgrove	1503
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	D.C. Carthy	The Severn	1630
Prov.R.A.M.G.R.	T.R. Nield	The Severn	1630

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Provincial Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons of Staffordshire and Shropshire



R.W. Bro. Kevin John Spencer

Provincial Grand Master.

W. Bro. Dennis John Hill P.G.J.D.

Deputy Provincial Grand Master

W. Bro. Harjinder Singh Sagoo P.G.S.D.

Assistant Provincial Grand Master.

August 2026

Dear Sir and Brother,

By command of the Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master, the Annual Meeting of this Provincial Grand Lodge will be held at **The Ingestre Suite, County Showground, Weston Road, Stafford, ST18 0BD** on **Thursday 15th October 2026 at 3pm.**

Brethren are requested to be seated by 2.45pm.

The attendance is requested of Provincial Grand Officers Present and Past, Masters, Past Masters, Wardens and Overseers of Mark Lodges and Commanders, Past Commanders and Wardens of Royal Ark Mariner Lodges. **Mark Master Masons are encouraged to be present.**

Dark Morning dress (short coats) and full-dress Mark clothing will be worn, with appropriate Royal Ark Mariner Jewels or Collarets.

It is essential that anyone wishing to attend whether or not dining informs the Provincial Deputy Grand Secretary using the Airtable link in the invitation letter with the appropriate remittance if dining, by 14th September 2026 to enable thorough planning. Payment by cheque or preferably bank transfer, details in the invitation letter.

Yours sincerely and fraternally

Paul S Crutchley PPrGJO.
Provincial Grand Secretary

OPENING ODE

O, Grace this Lodge Great Overseer
With all Thy pure and earnest truth,
That it may flourish through all time
In strong and un-decaying youth.

Bless the Advancing ones this night
That more and more their lives may be,
Made glorious by increasing light,
Acknowledged and derived from Thee.

Their mark in hand, Thy mark at heart,
O may they ever constant prove,
And in all time and circumstance,
Unite in Brotherhood and love.

BUSINESS

1. The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master, The Worshipful Deputy Provincial Grand Master and The Worshipful Assistant Provincial Grand Master will enter in procession.
2. A delegation of Royal Ark Mariners will be received.
3. An Opening Ode will be sung.
4. Provincial Grand Lodge will be opened at 3pm
5. In Memoriam.
6. The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will welcome our Distinguished Guests.
7. The Roll of Provincial Grand Officers will be called.
8. The Roll of Mark and Royal Ark Mariner Lodges will be called.
9. The minutes of the annual meeting of Provincial Grand Lodge held on Thursday 16th October 2025 will be put for confirmation.
10. Apologies for absence and any other correspondence will be read.
11. The Worshipful Deputy Provincial Grand Master will present the report of the Provincial Committee and any recommendations arising therefrom will be considered.
12. The circulated and audited accounts to be presented by the Provincial Grand Treasurer.
13. The Provincial Grand Treasurer will announce Provincial Grand Lodge Annual Dues.
14. The Provincial Grand Treasurer for the ensuing year will be elected, only one nomination received, W.Bro. John M. B. Phillips. P.G.J.D.
15. An Auditor for the ensuing year will be elected.
16. The report of the Staffordshire and Shropshire Mark Benevolent Association will be presented.
17. The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will re-appoint Worshipful Brother D.J. Hill, P.G.J.D. as Deputy Provincial Grand Master.
18. The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will re-appoint Worshipful Brother H.S. Sagoo, P.G.S.D. as Assistant Provincial Grand Master.
19. The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will appoint and invest the Provincial Officers, and congratulate Brethren appointed to Provincial Royal Ark Mariner Grand Rank at the meeting of Kenneth Shenton Installed Commanders Lodge held on 30th September 2026.
20. The newly appointed and invested Officers will be saluted.
21. The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will address the brethren.
22. Alms will be collected.
23. Any other Mark Provincial business not requiring notice of motion will be considered.
24. Provincial Grand Lodge will be closed.
25. A closing ode will be sung.
26. The first verse of the National Anthem will be sung.

CLOSING ODE

Have we marked well Great Overseer?
A work to last beyond all time,
Each his allotted task fulfilled?
The Glory and the praise be Thine.

In this degree we find the truth,
On earth below, in heaven above,
The corner stone of every work,
Should be unselfish, lasting love.

Still will we work, and working,
And trust that in a better land,
Our mystic Keystone may be raised,
And fitted by Thy Master Hand.

OFFICERS TO BE INVESTED

Prov.G.S.W.	W.Bro. K. Robins	The Jubilee	1485
Prov.G.J.W.	W.Bro. T. J. Wilton- Morgan	Talbot	1021
Prov.G.M.O.	W.Bro. D.J. Thomas	Wulfric Spot	1416
Prov.G.S.O.	W.Bro. M.S.G. Ashton	Round Table & Rotary	1630
Prov.G.J.O.	W.Bro. J.R. Weaver	Shropshire	444
Prov.G.Chaplain.*	W.Bro. Rev. R. Stephen	St. Bartholomew	650
Prov.G.Treasurer.**	W.Bro. J. M. B. Phillips P.G.J.D.	Wrekin	1129
Prov.G.Registrar.*	W.Bro. V.J. Evans P.G.J.D.	St. Edwards	1182
Prov.G.Secretary.*	W.Bro. P.S. Crutchley P.Pr.G.J.O.	St. Edwards	1182
Prov.G.D.C.	W.Bro. P. James	Centenary	1581
Prov.G.Almoner.*	W.Bro. A.R. Tomson G.Stwd.	St. Editha's	1426
Prov.G.Ch.Stwd.*	W.Bro. S. Thompson P.G.Std.B.	Staffordshire Knot	541
Prov.G.I.Wks.	Bro. P. Prosser	Dartmouth	993
Prov.G.Swd.B.*	W.Bro. S.W. Pell	Croft	1524
Prov.Dep.G.Chap.*	R.W.Bro. Rev. J.T. Parker P.G.M. (Worcs)	South Shropshire	1150
Prov.Dep.G.Sec.*	W.Bro. A.D. Cadman	North Shropshire	840
Prov.Dep.G.D.C.	W.Bro. D.W. Paget	Round Table & Rotary	1630
Prov.G.S.D.	W.Bro. N. Harper	Dartmouth	993
Prov.G.S.D.	W.Bro. S.W.G. Boulton	Kidsgrove	1503
Prov.G.S.D.	W.Bro. S.J. Farmer	Centenary	1581
Prov.G.J.D.	W.Bro.M.R. Stubbs	Gough	45
Prov.G.J.D.	W.Bro. R.G. Talafair	Tudor Lodge of RV	290
Prov.G.J.D.*	W.Bro. T. English	Loxley	1484
Prov.Asst.G.Alm.	W.Bro. M. Towns P.G.Std.B.	Wulfruna	186
Prov.Asst.G.Sec.	Bro. N.P. Beesley	Talbot	1021
Prov.A.G.D.C.*	W.Bro. A.R. Dejak P.Pr.G.Swd.B.	North Staffordshire	960
Prov.A.G.D.C.	W.Bro. G.J. Hickman.	St Oswald	982
Prov.A.G.D.C.*	W.Bro. N.M. Thomas P.Pr.G.Insp.Wks.	Wulfric Spot	1416
Prov.A.G.D.C.*	W.Bro. G.W. Gough	Stretton Hills	1450
Prov.G.Organist.*	W.Bro. M.T. Colton-Lowe	Hantune	1085
Prov.G.Std.B.*	W.Bro. A. Abbot	North Staffordshire	960
Prov.A.G.Std.B.	W.Bro. J.E. Perfect	Robert Mummery	1304
Prov.G.I.G.	W.Bro. M.B.J.D. Cresswell	Regis	862
Prov.G.Steward.	Bro. S.C. Herritty	Hantune	1085
Prov.G.Steward.	Bro. R.J. Martin	South Shropshire	1150
Prov.G.Steward.	Bro. J.T. Wareham	St Edwards	1182
Prov.G.Tyler.	W.Bro. S.J. Waring P.A.G.D.C.	Kidsgrove	1503

** Subject to election

*Re-appointment

PAST RANK APPOINTMENTS

P.Pr.S.G.D.	W.Bro R.G. Parrott	Beaudesart	1127
P.Pr.G.J.D.	W.Bro D. Denton	Regis	862
P.Pr.G.St.B.	W.Bro A.P. Morgan	Wulfruna	186
P.Pr.G.St.B.	W.Bro M.H. Holmes	Staffordshire Knot	541
P,Pr.G.St.B	W.Bro L.C. Hutchinson	North Staffordshire	960
P.Pr.G.St.B.	W.Bro A.J.D. Spink	Wulfric Spot	1416
P.Pr.G.St.B.	W.Bro R.W. Johnson	St Edithas	1426
P.Pr.G.St.B.	W.Bro A.M. Woodhead	The Jubilee	1485