



**The Regular and Special Communications  
of**

**Harmony Lodge #9 F & A. M.**  
are held in the  
**Doric Masonic Center**  
1237 Reservoir Avenue  
Cranston, RI 02902  
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**Regular Communication**  
First Tuesday of each month with the  
exception of July and August

**Annual Communication**  
Third Tuesday of November

**Dispensation Granted**

May 6, 1805

**Charter Granted**

September 20, 1808

**Constitution**

September 20, 1808

**Incorporated** February, 1809

Doric Lodge #38

Merged - 2003

Nathanael Greene Lodge #45

Merged - 2005

Rhodes Lodge #44 Merged - 1988 with  
Nathanael Greene Lodge #45

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# *Harmony Trestleboard*

Harmony Lodge Number 9, F. & A.M.

**October, 2015**

Brethren:

Our seemingly short Summer at an end we got right back to work at the September meeting. We performed a Mock Funeral Service for the Brothers, the Funeral memorial service is the last and perhaps most important thing we can do for a departed brother. We were joined by the R.W. associate Grand Chaplain for the Grand Lodge, Alfred M. Cameron, who wrote the book on the Memorial Service.

R. W. Al gave us insights in to the why and how the service is to be performed and we thank him for his great Work.

October, is step up night, always a fun evening; as we watch our officers attempt the rituals they will be performing in their new position. I sincerely hope to see a large turnout in support of our officers as they prepare for their new positions. I believe our officers have worked hard this year and deserve our support and praise.

May the Supreme Grand Master of The Universe grant us peace and harmony as we move toward our new Masonic year.

Steve Waxman,  
Worshipful Master  
Harmony Lodge #9

**Step-up Night**

**Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**

***Please show your support for our officers.***

See page 2 for meeting and dinner details.

## *Appointed to Harmony Lodge #9 F. & A. M. 2014 -2015*

Robert J. Fish .....	Chaplain	Frank A. Castellone .....	Music Director
Merrill I. Torgan Jr. ....	Senior Deacon	Walter C. Noelte.....	Tyler
James W. Hopper, Jr. ....	Junior Deacon	W. Philip N. Crawford PM .....	Master of Ceremonies
Robert P. Izzi .....	Senior Steward	David R. Des Plaines.....	Sentinel
Patrick M. Conner.....	Junior Steward	W. Edward J. Diggle PM.....	Marshal

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We are also on Facebook as Harmony Lodge #9

### **Notice**

**The regular communication of Harmony Lodge #9 will be held on  
Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup> , 2015 at 7:30 PM**

Proper Dress Required: Jacket & Tie or Military Uniform

**October Meeting ~ Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**

**Pork Loin**

**Dinner Served at 6:30 PM meeting at the Lodge**

Reservations at Harmony website or Call Rob Izzi @ 401 378-4393

Dinner reservations are to be made no later than Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup> by 6:00 PM,

\$7.00 with reservation ~ \$10.00 unreserved

Brothers without reservations are not guaranteed a dinner.

**Day Trip via Chartered Bus to  
Garibaldi Lodge No. 54, New York City  
for their presentation of the Entered Apprentice Degree  
given in Italian.**

**Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

***Sponsored by Daylight Lodge No. 48***

Cost \$60 per person which includes round trip transportation along with  
sandwiches and beverages on the way down.

Contact Elliott Green at (401) 440-5926 or email at

[ellyn576@gmail.com](mailto:ellyn576@gmail.com) for more information or reservations.

Bus leaves at 10:00 AM and returns approximately at midnight.

## *Upcoming Events*

September 24<sup>th</sup> (Thursday) – All Officers – Step-up Night Rehearsal 7:00 PM

September 29<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) - Ionic Lodge #28 Annual 7:00 PM All Officers Tux, Apron & Jewels

October 6<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) - Regular Communication (Step-up Night) Dinner 6:30 PM,  
Meeting 7:30 PM

October 19<sup>th</sup> (Monday) – Manchester Lodge #12 Annual 7:00 PM All Officers Tux, Apron & Jewels

October 19<sup>th</sup> (Monday) - Doric Board Meeting 7:30 PM (Please check Website calendar for being rescheduled due to conflict with Manchester Annual).

November 3<sup>rd</sup> (Tuesday) - Regular Communication Dinner 6:30 PM, Meeting 7:30 PM

November 9<sup>th</sup> (Monday) – Daylight Lodge #48 Annual 10:00 AM Officers Suit, Apron & Jewels

November 13<sup>th</sup> (Friday) – All Officers – Rehearsal for Annual (with RW DDGM) 7:00 PM

November 16<sup>th</sup> (Monday) - Doric Board Meeting 7:30 PM

November 17<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Harmony Annual Meeting 5:00 PM, Dinner 6:30, Semi-public  
Installation 7:30 PM

November 20<sup>th</sup> (Friday) – Manchester Lodge #12 DDGM Visitation 7:15 All Officers Tux, Apron & Jewels Visitation will include Officers Forum.

November 21<sup>st</sup> (Saturday) – Grand Lodge Semi-Annual

November 28<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Harmony Annual Banquet Cocktails 6:00 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM at the West Valley Inn

December 1<sup>st</sup> (Tuesday) - Regular Communication Dinner 6:30 PM, Meeting 7:30 PM

December 6<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – Ladies Luncheon 12:30 PM at Chelo's, Post Road, Warwick

December 12<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) – Holiday Visitation of Sick, Shut-in and Special Ladies 8:00 AM  
Breakfast at Scramblers, 9:30 AM at Lodge

December 13<sup>th</sup> (Sunday) – Children's Christmas Party, Noon to 4:00 PM

December 21<sup>st</sup> (Monday) - Doric Board Meeting 7:30 PM

January 5<sup>th</sup> (Tuesday) – Regular Communication Dinner 6:30 PM, Meeting 7:30 PM

January 18<sup>th</sup> (Monday) – Doric Board Meeting 7:30 PM

### **Our brothers who are sick or shut-in.....**

#### ***A card or call would be much appreciated.***

Wor. William Savasta 74 Hazleton St., Cranston, RI 02920 (401) 942-8765  
Herbert G. Reid c/o 6204 Acadia Ave. Agoura Hill, CA 91301 (818) 889-3552  
Arthur Latham, Jr. 445 Narragansett Bay Ave., Warwick, RI 02889 (401) 738-0342  
David H. Clark 26 President Drive, Narragansett, RI 02882 (401) 792-8462  
Wor. Ed Fielder 85 Lakehurst Drive, Coventry, RI 02816 (401) 397-5637  
Ken Smith 37 Peace St., Warwick RI 02888 (401) 374-8431

#### ***No one likes not being home, please visit or send a card.***

Wor. George H. Marshall Roberts Health Care 25 Roberts Way, North Kingstown, RI 02852  
(401) 521-3312  
Wor. Charles Cokely Greenwood Center 1139 Main Ave., Warwick, RI 02886  
(401) 739-6600  
Tony Oliver South Counting Nursing & Rehab 2115 S County Trail West Kingston, RI 02892  
(401) 783-8568  
Richard R. Joyce Parkway Pavilion Room 18A, 1157 Enfield St., Enfield, CT 06082  
(860) 745-1641  
Aram Tateosian Hopkins Manor, Room #74A, 610 Smithfield Road, North Providence, RI 02904  
(401) 353-6300

### ***Heading South for the Winter?***

Please give your Winter address to:

James Rapson, 244 Park View Ave.  
Warwick, RI 02888  
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[jrrapson@cox.net](mailto:jrrapson@cox.net)

# Summertime for Harmony Lodge

While the Lodge may be officially “Dark” for the Summer months, we do take advantage of the good weather with many activities. The list goes something like this:

July 8 <sup>th</sup>	Revolutionary War Table Lodge
July 12 <sup>th</sup>	Harmony Annual Family Picnic
July 16 <sup>th</sup>	Fellowcraft Club Night on the Bay at Chelo’s on the Waterfront
July 18 <sup>th</sup>	Annual Golf Tournament to benefit the Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Ocean State
July 28 <sup>th</sup>	Master Mason Degree
August 9 <sup>th</sup>	Grand Lodge Picnic
August 11 <sup>th</sup>	Master Mason Lectures
August 12 <sup>th</sup>	Pawtuxet Rangers Cookout
August 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Harmony Lodge / Bristol Lodge Picnic

What follows are some pictures and summaries of these events.



Left is a picture of some of the Harmony members at the Revolutionary War Table Lodge held in Newport which included a surprise ‘visit’ from General George Washington. (photo by Patrick Connor)

Right is a photo including the General himself as a guest at the head table. (photo by Patrick Connor)



## Summertime for Harmony Lodge (continued)

### Golf Tournament

75 golfers teed off at Crystal Lake Golf Club this past July. When they were done with their round, they were joined by 20 non-golfers for a steak dinner and raffles galore. At last report over \$4,000 was raised for the Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Ocean State.

Well done! Thanks to Mike Cunningham who chaired this fund raiser.



Fellowcraft Night at Chelo's on the Waterfront. (above)

President Todd Derksen put on a night of fellowship, accompanied by a truck load of appetizers on what was a beautiful night for this event.

### PICNICS

**Annual Picnic** - Over 125 people enjoyed Greenwich Bay, the huge swimming pool, playground and most of all tons of food at our picnic at the Masonic Youth Center which was chaired by Sentinel Dave Des Plaines.

**Grand Lodge Picnic** — While several Harmony members attended, the 150 kids present were fed by a Harmony delegation — Jesse Edwards, Mike Cunningham and Todd Derksen. The adults enjoyed a barbeque.



## Master Mason Degree & Lectures

A cast of approximately 30 members put on the 3<sup>rd</sup> degree in July. The event had been postponed from earlier in the year due to the sudden illness of one of the candidates. Once again we can be proud of and thankful for all of those who participated.

Two weeks later, a special communication was held for the officers to present the MM lectures to the candidates which was very well done.

## Fellowcraft of Harmony and Bristol Lodge Picnic

Below some of the attendees relaxing at the Masonic Youth Center while others are on their way to start throwing some horse shoes. (photo by Patrick Connor)



## Harmony Lodge ~ Pawtuxet Rangers Steak Fry

Right, members of Harmony and the Pawtuxet Rangers gathered at the Rangers Armory (a former home of Harmony) to enjoy a steak fry and tour of the facility. (photo by Patrick Connor)



## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS HARMONY LODGE #9, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Harmony Lodge

* R. W. Clarence S. Cleasby, Jr.....1951	* M.W. Charles M. Menge, PGM..... 1967	* Phillip G. Rollins..... 1983	Kenneth A. Angilly.....1999
* Harold E. Jenson .....1952	* Richard E. Archer..... 1968	* Ronald S. Page ..... 1984	* R.W. Joseph B. McGrath .....2000
* Raymond R. Culgin..... 1953	† M.W. C.A. Calverley, Jr., PGM..... 1969	* Daniel A. Falvey, Jr..... 1985	* Albert N. Phaneuf .....2001
* Louis Cashen ..... 1954	* R.W. James A. Malcom .....1970	† Richard R. Galleau ..... 1986	^ Scott W. Shippee .....2002
* George F. Patterson ..... 1955	R.W. Earl E. Goodby.....1971	* Robert P. Gorman.....1987	John H.Cirelli..... 2003
* George M. Kilner ..... 1956	* Alfred G. Evans, Jr. .... 1972	R.W. R. David Armstrong ..... 1988	Philip N. Crawford .....2004
* R.W. Luther C. Homan ..... 1957	* L. Kimball Simmons, Jr.....1973	Reginald Gotjen ..... 1989	Arthur J. Kurtz, Jr.....2005
* Lester N. Elwell ..... 1958	* R.W. Raymond A. Hargraves.....1974	Antonio Pereira ..... 1990	Alan French .....2006
* James Daley ..... 1959	* Harry Liese.....1975	* Robert F. Aguiar ..... 1991	Stephen A. Charron .....2007
* George E. Lord, Jr.....1960	Larry J. Farnham ..... 1976	Edwin T. Carlson ..... 1992	James I. Ogilvie..... 2008
* Ray C. Arnold..... 1961	Elmer H. Palmer.....1977	* Edwin M. Keenan ..... 1993	Jesse H. Edwards's III.....2009
* Harrie N. Arnold..... 1962	Donald J. Parker.....1978	M.W. Richard L. Ault, Jr., PGM ..... 1994	Robert J. Kempf .....2010
* Russell M. Birtwistle ..... 1963	* R.W. Raymond A. Hargraves.....1979	Carl H. Liese.....1995	Todd P. Derksen .....2011
* Arthur G. Irish ..... 1964	* Robert E. Harrop ..... 1980	Paul C. Liese.....1996	Michael O. Dixon.....2012
* Arthur J. Dennis ..... 1965	Richard E. Harris ..... 1981	R.W. Kenneth F. Poyton .....1997	Edward J. Diggle..... 2013
* R.W. Robert F. Poyton .....1966	Josef A. Polichetti ..... 1982	Carmine DePetrillo..... 1998	

\* Deceased † Demitted ^ Non Member

## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS DORIC LODGE #38, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Doric Lodge

* Clifford C. Kent.....1951	* Robert M. Smith ..... 1964	William G. Strozier ..... 1977	† Alan L. Vogel..... 1990
* Harold J. Christiansen.....1952	* David W. Blood.....1965	* Arthur Soder, Jr. .... 1978	† Alan L. Vogel..... 1991
* J. Stanley Hall.....1953	* John R. Curtin.....1966	* Melbourne R. Barden..... 1979	James M. Thatcher..... 1992
* Harold W. Mosier..... 1954	* Donald A. Bostrom.....1967	† Robert A. Fife.....1980	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr..... 1993
* Alfred E. Grant..... 1955	* John W. Boardman.....1968	† Frederick F. Fairfield, III.....1981	* Steven R. Hayes, Sr..... 1994
* Robert D. Stone..... 1956	* William H. Hurry.....1969	William Savasta.....1982	Donald M. Aquilante.....1995
* Alf Gabriele ..... 1957	* Robert A. Wicklund.....1970	* Leland H. Wilson.....1983	Thomas P. Piscopio..... 1996
* R.W. David L. Hildebrand.....1958	* Oscar M. David .....1971	Stephen C. Markham.....1984	Thomas P. Piscopio..... 1997
* George H. Goff.....1959	* M.W. Julio A. Paniccia, PGM .....1972	Donald M. Aquilante.....1985	Edward A. Eklof..... 1998
* P. Richard Swajian.....1960	* Leland H. Wilson.....1973	* Alexander Peligan .....1986	^ Ronald J. Bowser.....1999
* Irvin D. Follett.....1961	George H. Marshall.....1974	* Robert A. Wicklund .....1987	† John K. Chin.....2000
* Kenneth F. Reed .....1962	† Melvin L. Ayers ..... 1975	M. Paul Rego.....1988	^ Alan A. Abbott.....2001
* Erle D. Forrest.....1963	* Michael H. Margolis .....1976	M. Paul Rego.....1989	

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## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS RHODES LODGE #44, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Rhodes Lodge

* Lester H. Smith .....1951	* George J. Leaver .....1961	† James G. Johnson .....1971	† Thomas G. Brown .....1981
* M.W. Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM..1952	* Michael Lezanic .....1962	† Robert C. Johnson .....1972	* Philip L. Kershaw .....1982
* Gilbert C. Machon .....1953	* Frank Allen .....1963	† Lewis F. Salk .....1973	* Richard J. Pollock .....1983
* George W. MacLean .....1954	* Walter M. Anderson .....1964	* Henry W. Fraser. Jr. .... 1974	Charles C. Cokely .....1984
* William H. Romer ..... 1955	* Russell Salisbury .....1965	* Carl F. Diaz .....1975	Charles C. Cokely .....1985
* Abram M. Fraser .....1956	* Burton Salk .....1966	Richard L. Wood .....1976	Richard L. Wood .....1986
* Harold M. Cornell .....1957	* James H. Winch. Jr. .... 1967	* Raymond H. Brown .....1977	Richard L. Wood .....1987
* George R. Handel .....1958	^ Herbert N. Clark .....1968	* Raymond H. Brown .....1978	* Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM .....1988
* Edward L. Gregson .....1959	* Victor H. Persson .....1969	^ Allyn L. Larson .....1979	
† Robert A. Cottrell .....1960	Herchell J. Talan .....1970	* Richard J. Pollock .....1980	

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## LIVING WORSHIPFUL PAST MASTERS NATHANIEL GREENE LODGE #45, F. & A.M. and Recently Deceased Past Masters of Nathaniel Greene Lodge

* Chester I. Maymon ..... 1950	* R.W. William A. Carlow, Jr. ....1964	* Harry J. G. Grattage, Jr. ....1978	† Paul H. Giard .....1992
* Clarence E. Degross .....1951	† George W. Gange, Jr. ....1965	* Hyman Lipet .....1979	William J. Kitson III .....1993
* Edwin A. Farrow ..... 1952	R.W. Edwin E. Fielder .....1966	* Robert A. Siple, Jr. .... 1980	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr. ....1994
* Richard A. Barker ..... 1953	* M.W. Elmer F. Perkins, Jr., PGM .....1967	* Mark A. Rosenholm .....1981	Timothy P. Madden .....1995
* Russell G Anderson .....1954	* Arthur B. Worden .....1968	* R.W. Gilbert A. Howard, Sr. ....1982	^ Ronald L. Bernier, Jr. ....1996
* Max F. Gee ..... 1955	* Paul A. Kane .....1969	* Robert W. Bourne .....1983	Charles E. Goins II .....1997
* Allan E. Reynolds .....1956	* Walter M. Germond. Jr. ....1970	James W. Dowding .....1984	^ Alan A. Abbott .....1998
* George W. Cherry, Jr. ....1957	* R.W. Fred S. Jurmann .....1971	Christopher J. Dawley .....1985	* Joseph E. Thompson .....1999
* Archibald Burnside ..... 1958	* R.W. Earland W. Fielder .....1972	Donald G. Scott .....1986	Manuel J. Fox, Jr. ....2000
* Kenneth C. Steinmetz ..... 1959	* Anthony A. Pusateri .....1973	* Ernest E. Widergren, Sr. ....1987	Arthur F. Chapman, Sr. ....2001
* Milton A. Phillips.....1960	R.W. Robert J. Steams .....1974	Arthur F. Chapman, Sr. ....1988	Ernest E. Widergren, Jr .....2002
M.W. A. Sheffield Reynolds, PGM.1961	* Charles E. Barker, Jr. ....1975	* John V. Grieve .....1989	* Raymond R. Hogarth .....2003
* Frank D. Whorf .....1962	* Paul B. Alexander ..... 1976	John H. Grover .....1990	
* Douglas C. Brush .....1963	* R.W. J. Elwin Wilcox ..... 1977	* Albert A. Abbott ..... 1991	

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