

The Regular and  
Special Communications of  
Harmony Lodge #9 F & A. M.  
are held in the  
Doric Masonic Center  
1237 Reservoir Avenue  
Cranston, RI 02920  
401-942-9883

Regular Communication  
First Tuesday of each month  
with the exception of July and August

Annual Communication  
Second Saturday 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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Jeremy T. Newton

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HARMONY LODGE

TRESTLEBOARD



No. 9, F. & A. M.

FEBRUARY, 2023

## MASTER'S MESSAGE

### *Brothers, Ladies and Friends of the Lodge*

*I would like to start this month's message by congratulating Harmony's newest class of Masons. Six new brothers entered the craft at our recent entered apprentice degree, and I hope the lessons of that morning's work were sufficiently impressed upon you all. I look forward to watching you grow in the craft.*

*I would also like to remind everyone of upcoming important dates. Our February meeting will take place on the 7th, and is our official visitation from our District Deputy. RW Alsabe has been no stranger to Harmony this year, but it is sure to be a great evening to officially receive him into the lodge. The entertainment for the evening will be a presentation of the working tools of an Entered Apprentice, as well as several other discussions of that degree work. Just a reminder, dinner will be at 6pm, and we will open at 7pm.*

*The annual game dinner is right around the corner, with the 3rd through 5th of March dedicated to the dinner, and all necessary prep work for it. Be sure to assist the Fellowcraft club as much as you can in the work for this event, it is one of the great Lodge events of the year.*

*Also, do not forget to get your reservations to Wor. Torgan for Brother Rapson's testimonial dinner. Brother Rapson's selfless service to Harmony as its treasurer for 35 years is an impressive feat, and the dedication he showed in that time is worthy of emulation.*

*In closing, continue to do all the great work you all do Brethren. The Lodge always provides ways for you to work and serve, and I hope you all get involved in that work this year. But it is also truly humbling to hear about all the other work you all do on a daily basis in the service of the Lodge, the Craft, and humanity in general.*

**Fraternally**

**Jeremy**

### Appointed to Harmony Lodge #9, F. & A. M. 2022 - 2023

Ralph Carlini	Chaplain	Frank Castellone	Musical Director
Michael Meier	Senior Deacon	W.: Donald Aquilante	Tyler
Adam Clement	Junior Deacon	Nevan R, Valente	Sentinel
Glenn Dela Rosa	Senior Steward	Armen Avagyan	Marshal
Jeffrey D. Resch	Junior Steward	W.: Kenneth Angily	Master of Ceremonies

# **Regular Communication of Harmony Lodge No. 9**

**Tuesday February 7th 2023 at 7:00 P.M.**

**PLEASE NOTE THE TIME CHANGE**

**The District Deputy Grand Master will be making his Official  
Visitation to Harmony Lodge at 7:30 PM**

**Dinner 6:00 P.M.**

**Dinner : \$15**

For reservations contact the Sr. Steward  
or go to [Harmony9.org](http://Harmony9.org)

## **The Monthly Meeting of the Doric Board**

Will be held on

**Monday February 20th, 2023 At 7:00 PM**

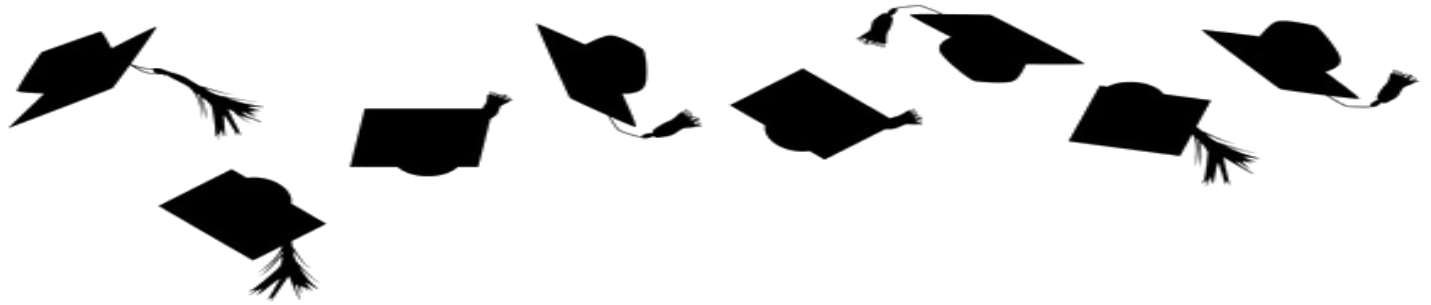


## **The Monthly Meeting of the Fellowcraft Club**

Will be held in person on

**Wednesday February 15, 2023**

**At 7:30 PM**



**Mactintosh Scholarship Applications for the 2023-2024 Year are now available for download at [Harmony9.org](http://Harmony9.org)**



Harmony Fellowcraft Club Annual Game Dinner

March 5th, 2023

Set Up and Prep March 3 & 4

Cranston Portuguese Club

**Our Brothers who are Sick and Infirm.....**

*A card or call would be much appreciated.*

Wor. Steve Charron 203 Van Buren Drive, Dalton , GA 30721 (401) 919-8459  
Wor. Herchell Talan 195 Lewis Farm Road, East Greenwich, RI 02818 (401) 884-3328  
Ken Scanlan 109 Burnside Street, Cranston , RI 02910 (401) 226-7773  
Wor. Edwin E. Fielder 85 Lakehurst Drive, Coventry, RI 02816 (401) 397-5637  
Wor. John Cirelli 6 Lane B, Coventry RI 02816 (401) 595-6683  
David Hobday 241 Magnolia St., Cranston, RI 02910 (401) 204-7591  
Wor. Arthur Kurtz, Jr. 4 Five Elms Cir. Unit 128 Coventry, RI 02816 (401) 559-8510  
Robert William Chace, Sr. 34 Superior St Warwick, RI 02886

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

**In Memoriam**

**Brother Gordon Edward Martin, Jr.**

Initiated as an Entered Apprentice  
March 14th, 1955

Passed to the Degree of Fellowcraft  
April 11th 1955

Raised to the Sublime Degree of a Master Mason  
May 9th, 1955

Admitted to Membership in Rhodes Lodge #44  
June 13th, 1955

Died January 18th, 2023

Aged 90 Years

*Testimonial Dinner to Honor James Rapson  
For his 35 years of Service to Harmony Lodge  
As Treasurer*



*on*

*Saturday, March 11, 2023*

*Reservation Deadline is February 19, 2023*

*To be held at Valley Country Club*

*251 New London Avenue*

*Warwick, RI 02886*



*6:00 P.M.—No Host Social Hour*

*7:00 P.M.—Dinner*

*Cost: \$50.00 per person*

**\*\*\*Note: If reserving for multiple parties, please include a breakdown of all names and meal choices on back of form or include a separate sheet!\*\*\***



*Name: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Number of tickets: \_\_\_\_\_*

*Make check payable to: Harmony  
Lodge #9, F. & A.M. and mail to:*

*Wor. Mick Forgan, P.M*

*269 Harrison Ave., Warwick, RI  
02888*

*Phone: 401-477-9362*

*Total Menu Choices (Beef and Scrod  
come with Roasted Potatoes and Green  
Beans):*

*\_\_\_ # of Prime Rib*

*\_\_\_ # of Baked Scrod*

*\_\_\_ # Chicken Parmigiana w/ Penne  
Marinara*

*\_\_\_ # Dietary Restriction*

*\_\_\_ (please indicate below).*

# **Masonic Youth News**

## **Woodridge Rainbow**

### **Regular Meetings**

February 4th 10:00 AM

February 17th 7:00 PM

## **Rhode Island DeMolay**

### **Regular Meetings**

February 10th 7:00 PM

February 24th 7:00 PM



# February 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
						Woodridge Rainbow
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		<b>Harmony Regular Communication DDGM Visitation</b>			Fidelity DeMolay	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
			Fellowcraft Club		Woodridge Rainbow	
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Doric Board				Fidelity DeMolay	
26	27	28				

## PAST WORSHIPFUL MASTERS OF HARMONY LODGE #9, F. & A. M.

*George E. Lord, Jr.	1960	*Elmer H. Palmer	1977	M.W. Richard L. Ault, Jr., PGM	1994	Todd P. Derksen	2011
*Ray C. Arnold	1961	Donald J. Parker	1978	Carl H. Liese	1995	Michael O. Dixon	2012
*Harrie N. Arnold	1962	*R.W. Raymond A. Hargraves	1979	Paul C. Liese	1996	Edward J. Diggle	2013
*Russell M. Birtwistle	1963	*Robert E. Harrop	1980	M. W. Kenneth F. Poyton, PGM	1997	Steven Waxman	2014
*Arthur G. Irish	1964	*Richard E. Harris	1981	Carmine DePetrillo	1998	Alfred J. Anton	2015
*Arthur J. Dennis	1965	*Josef A. Polichetti	1982	Kenneth A. Angilly	1999	R.W. Michael A. Cunningham	2016
*R.W. Robert F. Poyton	1966	*Phillip G. Rollins	1983	*R.W. Joseph B. McGrath	2000	Merrill I Torgan, Jr.	2017
*M.W. Charles M. Menge, PGM	1967	*Ronald S. Page	1984	*Albert N. Phaneuf	2001	Robert P. Izzi, Sr.	2018
*Richard E. Archer	1968	*Daniel A. Falvey, Jr.	1985	^Scott W. Shippee	2002	Patrick M. Connor, Jr.	2019
†M.W. C. A. Calverly, Jr., PGM	1969	†Richard R. Galipeau	1986	John H. Cirelli	2003	David R. Desplaines	2020
*R.W. James A. Malcolm	1970	*Robert P. Gorman	1987	Philip N. Crawford	2004	Joshua A. D. Edwards	2021
R. W. Earl E. Goodby	1971	R. W. R. David Armstrong	1988	Arthur J. Kurtz, Jr.	2005		
*Alfred G. Evans, Jr.	1972	*Reginald Götjen	1989	*Alan French	2006		
*L. Kimball Simmons, Jr.	1973	Antonio Perreira	1990	Stephen A. Charron	2007		
*Carl W. Johnson, Jr.	1974	*Robert F. Aguiar	1991	R.W. James I Ogilvie	2008		
*Harry Liese	1975	Edwin T. Carlson	1992	*Jesse H. Edwards, III	2009		
*Larry J. Farnham	1976	*Edwin M. Keenan	1993	Robert J. Kempf	2010		

## PAST WORSHIPFUL MASTERS OF DORIC LODGE #38, F. & A. M.

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

## PAST WORSHIPFUL MASTERS OF RHODES LODGE #44, F. & A. M.

†Robert A. Cottrell	1960	Herchell J. Talan	1970	*Richard J. Pollock	1980		
*George J. Leaver	1961	†James G. Johnson	1971	†Thomas G. Brown	1981		
*Michael Lezanic	1962	†Robert C. Johnson	1972	*Philip L. Kershaw	1982		
*Frank Allen	1963	†Lewis F. Salk	1973	*Richard J. Pollock	1983		
*Walter M. Anderson	1964	*Henry W. Fraser, Jr.	1974	*Charles C. Coakely	1984		
*Russell Salisbury	1965	*Carl F. Diaz	1975	*Charles C. Coakely	1985		
*Burton Salk	1966	Richard L. Wood	1976	Richard L. Wood	1986		
*James H. Winch, Jr.	1967	*Raymond H. Brown	1977	Richard L. Wood	1987		
^Herbert N. Clark	1968	*Raymond H. Brown	1978	*M.W. Charles R. Bonnemont, PGM	1988		
*Victor H. Persson	1969	^Allyn L. Larson	1979				

## PAST WORSHIPFUL MASTERS OF NATHANAEL GREENE LODGE #45, F. & A.M.

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

\* Deceased | † Demitted | ^ Non-Member

For a complete list of Past Worshipful Masters, please visit [harmony9.org](http://harmony9.org)