

# PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE OF MARK MASTER MASONS OF WARWICKSHIRE



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Dear Sir and Brother,

By command of the Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master, the

## ANNUAL MEETING OF PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE and of the Warwickshire Mark Benevolent Fund

will be held under the Banners of Silhill Lodge of MMM No 972, Holte Lodge of MMM No 1041, and Cyril Batham Lodge of MMMs No 1844, at the Heart of England Conference and Events Centre, Meriden Road, Fillongley, Nr. Coventry CV7 8DX on Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at 10.45 a.m.

Present and Past Officers of Provincial Grand Lodge and the Masters, Wardens and Overseers of the several Lodges in the Province are summoned to attend. All Mark Master Masons are invited to be present.

Brethren should assemble not later than 10.30 a.m.

Yours fraternally

IAN D. BELSHAM.

Provincial Grand Secretary

*Dark Suit and Full Dress Clothing will be worn. The Present and Past Provincial Grand Officers will wear the insignia of their rank in the Order. Masters, Wardens and Overseers of the Several Lodges will wear the Collar and Jewel of their respective Offices. Holders of Royal Ark Mariner Grand Rank or Provincial Grand Rank will wear the appropriate Collaret.*

*Applications should be returned using the enclosed slip before 5th November 2021*

# ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

## OPENING HYMN

O, Grace this Lodge, Great Overseer, With all Thy pure and earnest truth, That it may flourish through all time, In strong and undecaying 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. So mote it be.
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Provincial Grand Lodge will be opened at 10.45 a.m.

The Obituary list will be read.

The Minutes of the Virtual Annual Meeting held on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2020, will be submitted for confirmation.

The Roll of Provincial Grand Officers, and Mark and Royal Ark Mariner Lodges, will be called.

Reports will be received from:

- the Provincial Grand Secretary
- the Provincial Grand Registrar
- the Warwickshire Mark Lodge of Instruction
- the Warwickshire Mark Benevolent Fund
- the Warwickshire Mark Social Committee
- the Festival 2027 Chairman

To elect up to six Trustees of the Warwickshire Mark Benevolent Fund for the ensuing year.

The report of the Provincial Grand Treasurer and Statement of Provincial Accounts will be presented for approval.

A Provincial Grand Treasurer and auditors will be elected for the ensuing year.

Pursuant to Notice of Motion given at the Virtual Annual Meeting held 21<sup>st</sup> November 2020, V. W. Bro. Gareth Hughes will propose, seconded by W. Bro. Ian Belsham, that the revised Provincial by-laws be adopted.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will appoint, obligate and invest W. Bro Andrew Roland Armbrister **P.G.J.D.** as Deputy Provincial Grand Master.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will appoint, obligate and invest W. Bro Robert Nigel Clemson **P.G.S.D.** as Assistant Provincial Grand Master.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will appoint and invest the Officers of Provincial Grand Lodge for 2021-22, and invest those Brethren appointed to, and promoted in, Past Rank.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will appoint and invest holders of Provincial Royal Ark Mariner Grand Rank.

The Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master will address the meeting.

Any other regular business for the benefit of Provincial Grand Lodge will be discharged.

Provincial Grand Lodge will be closed in due form.

The closing hymn will be sung, during which alms will be collected in aid of the Warwickshire Mark Benevolent Fund.

The National Anthem.

## CLOSING HYMN

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 heav'n above; The corner-stone of every work Should be unselfish, lasting love.	Still will we work, and working, pray; And trust that in a better land; Our mystic keystone may be raised, And fitted by Thy Master Hand. So mote it be.
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# PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

W.Bro. ANDREW R. ARMBRISTER, **P.G.J.D.**, Deputy Provincial Grand Master

W.Bro. R. NIGEL CLEMSON, **P.G.S.D.**, Assistant Provincial Grand Master

Senior Warden	W.Bro. M.C. GRAHAME-DUNN Prov.G.S.W.	40TI
Junior Warden	W.Bro. N. MURRAY Prov.G.J.W.	1844
Master Overseer	W.Bro. W.J. ORTON Prov.G.M.O.	1833
Senior Overseer	W.Bro. P.J. ROWLANDS Prov.G.S.O.	606
Junior Overseer	W.Bro. G.R. HARRISON Prov.G.J.O.	408
Chaplain	W.Bro. D.T. HOPKINS <i>C.St.J.</i> , <b>P.G.J.D.</b>	1574
Treasurer	W.Bro. N.J. BRIDGES <b>P.A.G.D.C.</b> , Prov.G.Treas.	959
Registrar	V.W.Bro. G. HUGHES C.M., <b>P.G.J.O.</b> , P.Asst.Prov.G.M.	1041
Secretary	W.Bro. I.D. BELSHAM P.Prov.Reg., Prov.G.Sec.	1041
Director of Ceremonies	W.Bro. H.L. SMITH <b>A.G.D.C.</b> , Prov.G.D.C.	744
Almoner	W.Bro. P.F. MASON <b>P.G.St.B.</b> , Prov.G.Alm.	1012
Charity Steward	W.Bro. P.J. HAYWARD P.Prov.G.Swd.B	1811
Inspector of Works	W.Bro. B.J. KAVANAGH Prov.G.Insp.Wks.	735
Sword Bearer	W.Bro. T.R. PRAIN Prov.G.Swd.B.	1041
Deputy Chaplain	W.Bro. M.F. NOY Prov.G.Dep.Chap.	629
Deputy Secretary	W.Bro. J.R. FREAKLEY Prov.Dep.G.Sec.	1012
Deputy Director of Ceremonies	W.Bro. A.F.J. BALL <b>P.G.S.D.</b> , Prov.Dep.G.D.C.	1256
Senior Deacon	W.Bro. C.L. FOX Prov.G.S.D.	776
Senior Deacon	W.Bro. D.A.G. HALL Prov.G.S.D.	972
Junior Deacon	W.Bro. J.R. THORNE Prov.G.J.D.	1844
Junior Deacon	W.Bro. S.C. WARNER Prov.G.J.D	1811
Assistant Charity Steward	W.Bro. R. MILLWATER P.Prov.Dep.G.Chap., Prov.A.G.Ch.Stwd.	1574
Assistant Secretary	W.Bro. N.J. CLARKE Prov.A.G.Sec.	735
Assistant Director of Ceremonies	W.Bro. G.H. LEWIS, Prov.A.G.D.C.	757
Assistant Director of Ceremonies	W.Bro. M.D. HOGARTH, P.Prov.G.Swd.B., Prov.A.G.D.C.	T.I.
Organist	W.Bro. Dr M.G.T. GRILLAGE <b>P.A.G.D.C.</b> , P.Prov.G.S.W.	1012
Standard Bearer	W.Bro. M.J. REA Prov.G.St.B	629
Assistant Standard Bearer	W.Bro. D.M. CLARKE Prov.A.G.St.B	1256
Inner Guard	W.Bro. D.A. LODGE Prov.G.I.G.	606
Steward	W.Bro. M.L. YORK P.Prov.G.I.G.	1256
Steward	W.Bro. R.P.J. FREAKLEY Prov.G.Stwd.	1012
Steward	W.Bro. C. HALLAM Prov.G.Stwd.	776
Steward	W.Bro. P.D.J. REGAN Prov.G.Stwd.	40T.I.
Tyler	Bro. P.D. ROUND Prov.G.Tyler.	40T.I.

## Promotions

P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro J.R. Beavis P.Prov.G.J.W.	972	P.Prov.G.Junior Overseer	W.Bro D.D. Swarbrigg P.Prov.Dep.G.Chap.	776
P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro I.D. Belsham P.Prov.G.Reg.	1041	P.Prov.G.Registrar	W.Bro J.R. Dunlop P.Prov.G.S.D.	1574
P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro E.R. Burkill P.Prov.G.J.W.	776	P.Prov.G.Registrar	W.Bro N.E. Headley P.Prov.G.Swd.B.	776
P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro R.S. Croxall P.Prov.G.J.W.	719	P.Prov.G.Registrar	W.Bro S.M. Hester P.Prov.G.Swd.B	698
P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro G.F. Duckham P.Prov.G.J.W.	719	P.Prov.G.Registrar	W.Bro A.F.Weight P.Prov.G.Swd.B	1746
P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro P.I. Johnston P.Prov.G.J.W.	737	P.Prov.G.Senior Deacon	Bro G.W. Lea P.Prov.A.G.D.C.	1811
P.Prov.G.Senior Warden	W.Bro P. Mycock P.Prov.G.J.W.	629	P.Prov.G.Senior Deacon	W.Bro. D. McGuiness P.Prov.G.I.G.	40TI
P.Prov.G.Junior Warden	W.Bro R.S. Gale P.Prov.G.S.O.	408	P.Prov.G.Junior Deacon	W.Bro A.M. Phipps P.Prov.A.G.D.C.	629
P.Prov.G.Junior Warden	W.Bro D.C. Ore P.Prov.G.J.O.	735	P.Prov.G.Sword Bearer	Bro J.S. Fell P.Prov.A.G.D.C.	972
P.Prov.G.Junior Warden	W.Bro T.R. Scott-Worthington P.Prov.G.Reg	606	P.Prov.G.Sword Bearer	W.Bro D.F. Sparkes P.Prov.A.G.Chap.	757
P.Prov.G.Junior Overseer	W.Bro A.S. Panesar P.Prov.G.Swd.B.	1012			

## PROVINCIAL ROYAL ARK MARINER GRAND RANK

W.Bro G. Eden	40TI	W.Bro P.M. Rees.	1574
W.Bro M.F. Noy	629	W.Bro N.P. Wright	776

# PROVINCIAL EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT
20 November 2021 Saturday, 10.45am	<b>Annual Meeting of Provincial Grand Lodge</b> Heart of England Conference and Events Centre, Meriden Road, (B4102) Fillongley, Coventry CV7 8DX	W.Bro. James Freakley <a href="mailto:provdepgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provdepgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
7 <sup>th</sup> December 2021 Tuesday	<b>Annual Assembly of Royal Ark Mariners</b> 60 Great Queen Street (off A4200) London WC2B 5AZ	W.Bro. Ian Belsham 01905 358264/ 07900570553 <a href="mailto:provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a> .
12 <sup>th</sup> December 2021 Sunday, 6.00pm	<b>Warwickshire Mark Carol Service</b> Edgbaston Old Church, Church Road (B4217) Birmingham B15 3TA	W.Bro. Nigel Clemson 0121 705 9162 / 07968 019073 <a href="mailto:r.n.clemson@sky.com">r.n.clemson@sky.com</a>
5 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 Saturday	<b>Lodge of Instruction Mark Festival</b> Alderson House 23 High Street, Warwick CV34 4AX	W.Bro. James Freakley <a href="mailto:provdepgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provdepgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
8 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 Tuesday	<b>Mark Grand Lodge Quarterly Meeting</b> 60 Great Queen Street (off A4200) London WC2B 5AZ	W.Bro. Ian Belsham 01905 358264/ 07900570553 <a href="mailto:provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
11 <sup>th</sup> -13 <sup>th</sup> March 2022 Friday-Sunday	<b>WIMM Lodge No 1400 Festival Weekend</b> Mercure Bristol Grand Hotel Broad Street, Bristol, BS1 2EL	W.Bro. Paul Rowlands <a href="mailto:Ladies1400@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">Ladies1400@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
May 2022 Sunday, 12.30pm for 1.00pm	<b>Family Sunday Lunch</b> The Tally Ho Centre, Pershore Road (A441) Edgbaston, Birmingham B5 7RN	W.Bro. Cedric Stiles <a href="mailto:social@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">social@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
17 May 2022 Tuesday	<b>Warkwickshire vs Worcestershire Golf Day</b> Robin Hood Golf Club	W.Bro. Ian Belsham 01905 358264/ 07900570553 <a href="mailto:provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
7 <sup>th</sup> June 2022 Tuesday	<b>Annual Mark Grand Lodge Investiture Meeting</b> 60 Great Queen Street (off A4200) London WC2B 5AZ	W.Bro. Ian Belsham 01905 358264/ 07900570553 <a href="mailto:provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
8 <sup>th</sup> August 2022 Monday	<b>Warwickshire Mark Provincial Golf Day</b> Hearsall Golf Club Coventry	W.Bro. Ian Belsham 01905 358264/ 07900570553 <a href="mailto:provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">provgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>
August 2022 Sunday	<b>Family BBQ</b> Berkswell & Balsall Rugby Club, Honiley Road Meer End, Balsall Common CV8 1NQ	W.Bro Cedric Stiles <a href="mailto:social@warksmarkpgl.co.uk">social@warksmarkpgl.co.uk</a>