



Provincial Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons of Warwickshire

R.W.Bro. Andrew Armbrister, Provincial Grand Master



Warwickshire Royal Ark Mariners Lodge of Instruction Festival Monday 20th July 2026

Festival President

W.Bro. Ian David Belsham
Assistant Provincial Grand Master
Warwickshire

Monday 20th September 2026 at
Guy's Cliffe Masonic Rooms, Guy's Cliffe, Warwick, CV34 5YD

Brethren All,

You are cordially invited to attend the next meeting of Thomas Arthur Wood Lodge of Royal Ark Mariners No. 1737, which will be hosting this year's Warwickshire Royal Ark Mariners Lodge of Instruction Festival.

The meeting will be held at Guy's Cliffe Masonic Rooms on Monday 20th July 2026, commencing at 5.00 pm, followed by a Mark meeting to which all are invited, where a paper entitled "What's RAM all about" will be presented by the Worshipful Commander and the Right Worshipful Provincial Grand Master.

The Festive Board will be **£27.50** a head, payable to the Lodge Treasurer. Please see next page for the menu and payment details.

Dress code is dark or morning suit, black or Provincial tie. Full dress regalia is to be worn.

Please reserve your place at this important Provincial event by completing and returning the attached booking form, either by email or post, including your payment by cheque, or confirmation that you have paid by BACS. Yours sincerely and fraternally

Mark Thomas 

Provincial Deputy Grand Secretary

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I will/will not be attending the Warwickshire RAM Lodge of Instruction Festival on Monday 20th July 2026.

I do/do not intend to dine.

Title (W.Bro/Bro.)

Name..... (please print)

Provincial/Grand Rank (if any)

Lodge Name Lodge No.....

I confirm that I have made BACS payment of £27.50 per head to:

Account Name: T A W Lodge Of MMM No 1737

Sort Code 30-97-17

A/C No 00468901

Please use reference "RLOI" and then your surname.

Email: provdepgsec@warksmarkpgl.co.uk

Menu – Mark Festive Board

Traditional prawn cocktail, homemade Marie Rose sauce, baby gem lettuce,
lemon wedge, brown bread and butter

Ham and Cheese Ploughmans – home cooked ham, extra mature Isle of Wight
cheddar, chopped salad, crusty baguette, Branston Pickle, scotch egg, pickled onion,
piccalilli, fresh apple.

Fresh fruit salad with cream

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MARK BENEVOLENT FUND GRAND PATRON

Commander: W. Cdr. John Starley

**The Next Regular Meeting of the Lodge to be held on
Monday 20th July 2026 at 5.00 p.m.**

Agenda

1. To open the Lodge at 5.00 pm.
2. To approve and confirm the previously circulated minutes of the meeting held on 9th February 2026.
3. To invest officers not present at the Installation meeting.
4. To present a Grand Lodge Certificate to Bro David Harris.
5. To receive the Almoners Report.
6. To receive propositions.
7. To receive the Grand Lodge Officers Report.
8. To transact any other business not requiring Notice of Motion.
9. To acknowledge a dispensation.
10. There being only one candidate for each for the offices of Worshipful Commander and Treasurer, and no brother present either demanding a ballot or proposing any other candidate, the Worshipful Commander. will declare W. Bro. John Starley to be duly elected as Worshipful Commander and W.Bro. David Liddington as Treasurer for the ensuing year.
11. The Provincial Lodge of Instruction will demonstrate the ceremony of Elevation under the presidency of W Bro Ian Belsham RAMGR Assistant Provincial Grand Master.
12. To collect alms.
13. To close the Lodge.

Dark Morning Dress

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Officers:

Commander	W.Bro. John Starley
Senior Warden	Bro. Andrew Davis
Junior Warden	W.Bro. John Owen
Senior Deacon	Bro. Neil Cappel
Junior Deacon	Bro. Terry Preece
Guardian	Bro. Stephen Ward
Warder	W.Bro. James Freakley
Chaplain	Bro. Jonathan Castle
D. of C.	W.Bro. Roger Cook
Signs/ Secrets.	Bro. Peter Stokes
Working Tools	Bro. Avtar Panesar
Candidate	Bro. John Sheaf