

## SUBSCRIBING MEMBERS

*WBro Arthur B Wilson\**  
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*WBro Philip G Mountford*  
*WBro Toni W Hankins,*  
WBro Anthony F Sinkinson  
Bro Jack Metcalfe  
WBro Simon D Fentem  
*WBro Michael Sutton*  
*WBro Christopher O Eccles*  
*WBro Malcolm N Ashton JP*  
*WBro Lt Col (Retd.) David G Hilton TD*  
*WBro David A Kyme*  
Bro James D Pepperday  
*WBro Michael JS Bailey*  
Bro Harvey Wood SW  
Bro A Gareth Bradshaw WM  
Bro Robert P Smith  
*WBro Phillip T Juniper* IPM  
Bro Christopher D Lomax  
*Bro Stuart E Browning* JW  
Bro Kristian Embrey  
Bro Christopher J Boardman  
Bro George Johnson *MBE*  
Bro Anthony E Bryan  
Bro David R Brown  
Bro Craig J Halliday  
Bro Justin P Sanderson  
Bro Jordan E Thomas  
*WBro Richard A Sykes*  
Bro Christopher J Wilkinson  
Bro Phillip J Winnington  
Bro Peter M Taylor  
Bro Christopher A Taylor  
Bro Matthew A O'Neill  
Bro Gareth R Williams  
*WBro Melvyn S Pryce*

Names in red italics indicates membership  
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Consecrated – 18<sup>th</sup> October 1895

Patron – New Masonic Samaritan Fund 1992  
Patron – Grand Charity Festival 2004  
Vice-Patron – East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2012/13  
Vice-Patron – East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2013/14  
Grand Patron of the RMBI Festival 2015  
Grand Patron - East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2016  
Grand Patron - East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2017  
Grand Patron - East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2018  
Grand Patron - East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2019  
Grand Patron - East Lancashire Masonic Charity 2020

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Dear Sir and Brother,

I am instructed by the Worshipful Master to summon your attendance to the 1,132nd meeting of the Lodge which will be held at Bury Masonic Hall, Parsons Lane, Bury BL9 0LY (0161-761-5980) on

**Wednesday, 2nd September 2020**

The Lodge will tyle at 6.30pm prompt.

Yours sincerely and fraternally,  
WBro Malcolm N Ashton *JP*, PProvGSwdB  
Lodge Secretary

Dark suit or Provincial Dress, White collar, Black/Craft or Provincial tie, White Gloves

**Worshipful Master**  
Immediate Past Master

**Bro A Gareth Bradshaw**  
WBro Phillip T Juniper

## OFFICERS 2019/20

Senior Warden	Bro H Wood
Junior Warden	Bro Stuart E Browning
Chaplain	WBro Arthur B Wilson, PProvGSuptWks
Treasurer	Bro Jack Metcalfe
Secretary	WBro Malcolm N Ashton, JP, PProvGSwdB
Director of Ceremonies	WBro David A Kyme, PProvSGD
Almoner	Bro Craig J Halliday
Charity Steward	Bro George Johnson MBE
Mentor	WBro Richard A Sykes
Senior Deacon	Bro Christopher J Boardman
Junior Deacon	Bro Anthony E Bryan
Asst. Director of Ceremonies	WBro Michael JS Bailey
Organist	WBro Lt Col (Retd) David G Hilton, TD, PProvAGDC
Asst. Secretary	Bro Anthony E Bryan
Asst. Treasurer	Bro Christopher J Boardman
Inner Guard	Bro George Johnson MBE
Stewards	Bros Robert P Smith, David R Brown, Justin P Sanderson, Jordan E Thomas, Christopher J Wilkinson, Phillip J Winnington, Peter M Taylor, Christopher A Taylor, Matthew A O'Neill and Gareth R Williams.
Lodge Webmaster	Bro Christopher D Lomax
Tyler	WBro Michael Sutton, PProvAGDC

## PAST MASTERS OF THE LODGE

WBro David W Fentem, PProvGSwdB	1974/75, 1995/96
WBro Arthur B Wilson, PProvGSuptWks	1985/86, 2001/02, 02/03
WBro Philip G Mountford, PSGD, PProvGM	1986/87
WBro Toni W Hankins, PProvJGD	1994/95, 2017/18
WBro Anthony F Sinkinson, PProvAGDC	1999/00, 2000/01
WBro Simon D Fentem, PProvAGSuptWks	2004/05
WBro Michael Sutton, PProvAGDC	2008/09
WBro Lt Col (Retd) David G Hilton, TD, PProvAGDC	2009/10
WBro Malcolm N Ashton, JP, PProvGSwdB	2010/11
WBro Christopher O Eccles, PProvSGD	2011/12, 2016/17
WBro David A. Kyme, PProvSGD	2013/14, 2014/15
WBro Michael JS Bailey	2015/16
WBro Phillip T Juniper	2018/19

## PAST MASTERS IN LODGE

WBro Richard A Sykes: Lodge Nos. 2766 (Middlesex) and 8382 (London)  
WBro Melvyn S Pryce, PProvSGD: Napthali Lodge No.266

The **Supreme Order of the Holy Royal Arch** is the completion of a Mason's journey through Pure Freemasonry and newly raised Brethren are eligible to be exalted into a Royal Arch Chapter. Further information may be obtained from **WBro David Kyme PProvSGD**. The Prince Edwin's Chapter No.128 meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in September, November, February and April.

## ANTIEN CHARGE

*From ancient times no master or fellow could be absent from his Lodge especially when warned to appear at it, without incurring a severe censure, unless it appeared to the Master and Wardens that pure necessity hindered him.*

## BUSINESS

- 1 To open the Lodge.
- 2 To read an Antient Charge.
- 3 To consider and if approved, confirm the Minutes, previously circulated, of the last Regular Meeting of the Lodge held on the 4<sup>th</sup> March 2020
- 4 The Treasurer will propose that he shall have the authority to increase the Lodge Subscriptions by a sum equivalent to up to 5% of the subscription currently in place, should it be necessary to meet our commitments to United Grand Lodge, Provincial Grand Lodge and the Bury Masonic Association.
- 5 To discuss a proposal that all Lodge Officers remain in post for a further 12 months until November 2021.
- 6 Ceremonies to be deferred: - Passing of Bro Matthew Anthony O'Neill initiated: 4<sup>th</sup> September 2019 and Bro Gareth Roose Williams, Initiated: 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2019 Raising of Bro Peter Matthew Taylor and Bro Christopher Andrew Taylor, both Passed on the 8<sup>th</sup> January 202 in a Double Ceremony.
- 7 To receive reports from: -  
the Charity Steward;  
the Almoner;
- 8 Any other business connected with Craft Masonry.
9. To make a collection for Good Causes.
10. To close the Lodge.

**A meal will only be ordered for members who contact the Secretary no later than 6pm on the Sunday prior to the meeting.**

**All apologies for absence shall be sent to the Secretary.**

## Diary:

Lodge Practice: TBA  
Lodge of Instruction: 9<sup>th</sup> September 2020

The DC will be pleased to see all brethren in attendance.  
The next meeting of Provincial Grand Lodge will be at  
Blackburn on the 20<sup>th</sup> November 2020

Please visit our website: [www.earloflathom2560.co.uk](http://www.earloflathom2560.co.uk) or the Provincial website:  
[www.pgllel.co.uk](http://www.pgllel.co.uk); also <https://solomon.ugle.org.uk>