

**CANNON LODGE NO. 104
OF FREE & ACCEPTED
MASONS**

October 2018

**24TH MASONIC DISTRICT
GRAND LODGE OF NEW JERSEY**



**CELEBRATING OUR 148TH YEAR
CONSTITUTED 26 FEBRUARY 1870**

Blue Lodge
Regular Communication
THIRD TUESDAY OF MONTH

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Junior Steward: Christian M. Brown

Chaplin: Royce E. Robinson, PDDGM

Marshall: Charles G. Bitting Sr., DWA

Tyler: Albert F. Donahue, PM

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Proxy to Grand Lodge: Robert Bosisio

Lodge Trustee 1 Year: Albert F. Donahue, PM

Lodge Trustee 2 Year: Edward F. Leith Jr., PM

Lodge Trustee 3 Year: Ronald N. Menear, PGC

Temple Association 1 Year: Paul "Larry" Gossin, PM

Temple Association 2 Year: Paul N. Loveland III, PM

Temple Association 3 Year: Justin D. Turner

Honorary Members

MW Francis R. Mitchell, PGM

Past Masters

B. C. Lippincott	1870	James C. Daebler	1966●
J. Milton Townsend	1871, 72	Garwood H. Payne	1967, 76
George H. Dare	1873	Thomas G. Spatol	1968
Michael Swing	1874-77, 80, 82-88, 95, 98	David G. Whittington	1969
I. S. Townsend	1878, 79	Charles T. Camp	1970, 88, 89
Bennington Corson	1881-89	Richard E. Seymour	1970●
Charles Way	1890-93, 96, 97, 1900, 01	Robert V. Lane, PGC	1971●, 86●, 98●, 2003●
Harry S. Douglas	1894	Peter Gudelunas	1972, 74
John M. Sparks	1899	Edwin F. Stites Jr.	1973●, 88●, 89●
Ralph T. Peterson	1902, 03, 10, 1939	Morris A. Reeves	1975
C. E. W. Ellenberger	1904	Harry P. Muller	1975●, 93●, 94●, 95●
Francis Ludlam	1905	Charles W. Lord	1975●, 77●, 99●
John C. Shreve	1906	C. Dean Ewen	1977
Thomas Holmes	1907	Robert O. Clayton Jr.	1977●
Edward B. Arnett	1908	Jeffery L. Pierson	1978, 79
Charles M. Preston	1909	Frank Van Artsdalen Jr.	1979●
Walter A. Smith	1911, 19, 20	Royce E. Robinson, PDD	1980●, 83●, 2001, 12, 13
Samuel Morton	1912	David J. Lord	1980●
Benjamin R. Little	1913	Steven B. Hopkins	1981
Albert Way	1914	Ernest Utsch III, PDD	1981●
Wayne M. Struthers	1915	Eugene F. Guion	1982
Harry T. Pierson	1916	David H. Freese Jr.	1983, 91
Irving Fitch	1917, 18, 22	Harry P. Higbee	1984
Clarence W. Way	1921	Richard A. Affa	1984●
Harold D. Collins	1923	David Katz, PGC	1985, 86
Effinger J. Rubright	1924, 30	Edward R. Devlin	1985●, 92●
Harry C. Whiting, PDD	1925	John Schofield	1987
Henry A. Foster	1926	Howard C. Woolley Jr.	1987●
Claude H. Rice	1927	John C. Leith	1990
Harry S. Muller	1928	Robert A. Lewis	1990●, 91●
George K. Cain	1929	Donald E. Tweed	1991●, 95●
Melvin F. Wills	1931, 32	Ray G. Snyder	1992
Virgil W. Pierson	1933	Howard J. Young, PGC	1992●
Clarence W. Hartman	1934	Robert A. Grace, PJGD	1993, 99, 2000, 06
James Eldridge	1935	Edward F. Leith Jr.	1994
Albert Ringler	1936, 37	Jack C. Nichol	1995, 96
Joseph H. Shipley	1938, 41, 43	Bruce L. Young	1996●, 97●, 98●
Elmer Cox Jr.	1940, 42	Gino Marrone	1997
Charles E. Foster Jr.	1944, 45	William J. Stoop	1998
R. V. Anderson	1946	Albert F. Donahue	2002
Arthur D. Perreten	1947	David P. Buckwalter Jr.	2003
Bailey B. Abrams	1948	Steven H. Kahny, PGC	2004, 08
Paul W. Stevens	1949	Robert L. Lane	2004●, 05●
Otis McKaig	1950	John R. Reardon Jr.	2005, 09
Lewis M. Simpkins	1951	P. Larry Gossin	2007, 14
Morris A. Reeves	1952	Paul N. Loveland III	2007●, 2016
E. Kenneth Simpkins	1953	Ronald N. Menear, PGC	2009●, 2017
Leslie O. McElwee	1954	Greg R. Young	2010
James Lindsay	1955	Charles J. Mears	2011
Leon H. Schuck	1956	Emmitt B. Herron	2015
D. G. Everingham	1957	Anthony P. Stelacio	2018
C. Hildreth Reeves	1958		
William Rocap	1959		
William J. Brown	1960, 80		
Elmer Cox Jr., PGC	1961, 62		
Otis N. McKaig Jr.	1963		
Otto Greisman, PGC	1964-66, 71, 73		
Calvin Back	1964●		

● *Affiliated*

○ *Unaffiliated*

From the East

Hello Brother,

Welcome to a new season of color, cooler temperatures and fading daylight. However, as Free & Accepted Masons never have the light fading from our thoughts, our actions and our souls. Masons lead by the light of God and the gift of love shines brighter in our souls as we speak to every human being.

A beautiful picture that is presented to us consists of "Building Better Builders". These important things are Wisdom and Strength, the two lines flanked on either side of the circle of Beauty encompassing the Word! Brothers, this is how we Build One Mason At A Time.

A very big thank you to Brother Dr John S Nagy for those wonderful and enlightening words of Masonry, with whose teaching I have received more Light in becoming a "Better Builder Of Masonry".

Brother, let God's Light always shine on you and everyone you come in contact with. May God Bless you and may God Bless America!

Fraternally yours,

Anthony P. Stelacio, WM



In case of sickness or distress, please contact the Worshipful Master, Wardens or Secretary. Please notify the Secretary of any change of address.

Masonic Birthdays for October

Nick R. Badame Jr.	2002	Grant Hofferica	2014
James E. Bailey	1988	William G. Hunter III	1978
Robert H. Bakley	1967	Steven H. Kahny	1997
Robert Bosisio	2015	Charles A. McIlvaine	1964
Mark J. Buganski	1991	Richard W. Ratcliffe	2015
Somers M. Corson	2015	Greg R. Young	2003

Petitions / New Member Advancement

Petitions:

Entered Apprentice:

Br. Albert C. Garrett

Fellowcraft:

Br. Rocco R. Panebianco

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The 24th Masonic District

CANNON #104	3rd Tuesday
CAPE ISLAND #30	2nd & 4th Tuesday
STAR #65	1st Wednesday
OCEAN CITY #171	1st Thursday

Regular Communication Tuesday, October 16, 2018

- **Dinner** 6:30 PM
Yankee Pot Roast
- **Agenda** 7:30 PM
Business Meeting
Nomination of 2019 Officers

24th District and other Masonic Events

Rehearsals

Cannon Lodge - Every Monday at 7:00 PM except holidays. All Brethern are invited and officers are required to attend.

Oct 6

JGW Reception
Fellowship Center, Burlington
\$60 pp, Contact is RW Butch Elliott at 201-390-3415

Oct 11

District 24 Lodge of Instruction
Star Lodge #65, 7:30 PM

Oct 26-28

Masonic Leadership Conf.
Keynote Speaker:
John William McNaughton
Past Sovereign Grand
Commander, AASR NMJ

From Within The Halls

We have a newly examined FC Mason, Bro Ronald Panebianco. Ron is going to receive the Master Mason Degree in November and we are looking forward to him receiving all the light and rights of a Master Mason.

Cannon Lodge has been on a mission to update and modernize the Hall. With subtle changes and improvements we are building a friendlier and more comfortable Lodge for the Brothers to perform their ritual and have fellowship.

2019 Dues & Assessments

Grand Lodge	\$26.00
MCF	\$18.00
Insurance	\$ 5.00
GW Memorial	\$ 1.00
Trenton Temple	\$ 3.00
Rainbow for Girls	\$ 1.00
DeMolay	\$ 1.00

Sub Total	\$ 55.00

Cannon Lodge	\$ 45.00
<i>Total per member:</i>	\$100.00

Payable on or before January 1, 2019 and considered overdue after.

The Grand Lodge



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of Free and Accepted Masons for the State of New Jersey

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September 25, 2018

**TO THE MASTERS, WARDENS, AND PAST MASTERS OF THE GRAND LODGE OF
THE MOST ANCIENT AND HONORABLE SOCIETY OF FREE AND ACCEPTED
MASONS FOR THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY
SUMMONS**

I, Roger B Quintana, Grand Master, in accordance with the Constitution and Article II, Section 1 of the By-Laws of The Grand Lodge of the Most Ancient and Honorable Society of Free and Accepted Masons for the State of New Jersey, hereby call an Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge at the Masonic Fellowship Center, located at 1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, New Jersey 08016 on Saturday, November 3, 2018.

The Grand Lodge will open at 8:30 A.M. in the lodge room and business will commence at 9:00 A.M. sharp in the banquet room. Doors to the Masonic Fellowship Center will open at 8:00 A.M. with coffee available.

The purpose of this emergent communication is to present before the Grand Lodge, inter alia, the state of the finances of the Grand Lodge, the operations of the Grand Lodge Office and the status of conversion of Grand Lodge records to CircumscribeTM.

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Roger B. Quintana".

MW Roger B. Quintana, Grand Master

Dinner n Speaker

FBI's Indiana Jones

Noted Author

ROBERT K. WITTMAN

October 11th, 2018

Opens: 5:30 PM

Dinner: 6:00 PM

Speaker 7:00 PM

At:

Masonic Fellowship Center

1114 Oxmead Road,

Burlington, NJ 08016

Tickets: \$42.00

Buffet Style Dinner

Cash Bar

For Tickets Call:

609-239-3804

Ask for FBI Tickets



FBI CAREER

Robert K. Wittman joined the FBI as a Special Agent in 1988 and was assigned to the Philadelphia Field Division. As a result of specialized training in art, antiques, jewelry and gem identification, he served as the FBI's investigative expert in art and cultural property crime investigations. During his 20 year career with the FBI, he recovered more than \$300 million worth of stolen art and cultural property resulting in the prosecution and conviction of numerous individuals. In 2005, he was instrumental in the creation of the FBI's rapid deployment Art Crime Team (ACT). He was named the ACT's Senior Investigator and was tasked with instructing the team's founding members in cultural property investigation techniques. He has represented the United States around the world conducting investigations and instructing international police and museums in investigation, recovery and security techniques.

PUBLICATIONS

Robert Wittman penned and published the New York Times best-selling memoir *Priceless: How I Went Undercover to Rescue the World's Stolen Treasures*, written with Pulitzer Prize Finalist John Shifman. *Priceless* follows Wittman through his career with the FBI, providing a first-person perspective account of some of the most well-known art heists in modern history and the undercover FBI stings that sought to foil them.

Drawing on the accomplishments of Wittman's post-FBI career, his release, *The Devil's Diary: Alfred Rosenberg and the Stolen Secrets of the Third Reich*, a groundbreaking World War II narrative wrapped in a riveting detective story. Co-written with Pulitzer Prize winning author David Kinney, *The Devil's Diary* also ranks as a best seller, published in 26 languages in 30 countries.

BEYOND THE BADGE

In 2008, after 20 years with the FBI, Robert Wittman retired from the Bureau and brought his expertise to the private sector. He sought to create a Security and Recovery Consulting firm that would draw on his unique investigative experience to protect its clients from losses related to theft, fraud or forgery. Since its inception, Robert Wittman Inc. has grown far beyond its original vision, providing protection and recovery services to more than 100 public and private collections worldwide. Robert Wittman Inc. continues to proudly serve a diverse portfolio of institutions, auction houses, collectors, galleries, insurance companies and Nations committed to protecting their cultural assets.

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

Robert Wittman has shared his experiences with audiences around the world. Known for his ability to seamlessly blend information and entertainment, Wittman has designed his presentations to engage audiences of all kinds. He has spoken to venues including the American Association of Museums (AAM) Annual Conference, Philadelphia Museum of Art, Museum of Modern Art (New York), Museum of Fine Arts (Boston), Smithsonian Institution, and several international conferences. He regularly speaks at university, corporate, and literary events across the nation.



SAVE THE DATE

Garibaldi Lodge No. 542

of the Grand Lodge of New York
will be exemplifying
their Entered Apprentice Degree
at the Trenton Historic Masonic Temple on
Saturday, March 30, 2019

All Freemasons are invited to join us in this memorable day to witness the historic Italian lodge exemplify the first degree using ancient Scottish rite ritual. Registration information will be disseminated soon. For information please contact R.W. Mohamad Yatim, GEO at mayatim@hotmail.com