



The Severn Street Masonic Association newsletter

The weekly communication sent directly to brethren providing

- Masonic news
- A summary of lodge meetings
- Special dates
- Social events
- Provincial news

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The SSMA Newsletter is available to all brethren whose Lodges belong to the “Community of Severn Street Lodges”

This is a weekly electronic News Letter that drops into the inbox of your computer, tablet or mobile device with Masonic & non-Masonic news, events that are of interest to all Masons:

- **Lodge News** – a calendar of Regular Lodge meetings with some detail of the labour being carried out, to promote visiting.
- **Masonic News** – SSMA, 5 of 9 Club, Provincial Grand Lodge of Warwickshire
- **Events** – Lodge social events

All brethren whose Lodges meet at the Severn Street Masonic Hall qualify to receive this newsletter, to do so, please update us with your email address.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

A place for Lodges and individuals to advertise coming masonic events and greetings

The current Car Park barrier code remains **1923**

Abuse of the car park will result in the immediate loss of usage



Supreme Order of Holy Royal Arch Masons

St Martin's Chapter 4011

On Wednesday 11th September all who attended celebrated 50 years' service by Excellent Companion Michael Spencer PPRGSN.

PODCASTS

In the car, on the train or in the comfort of your home are you listening to the wide range of subjects discussed in these masonic podcasts?



<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLyV7jlsjgR5ulk617HZV3EuGWo2aScA>



<https://fiveofnineclub.buzzsprout.com/2006028>



https://solomon-live.zencast.website/?mc_cid=716f885b1f

A podcast is essentially a talk radio series on demand. This means that listeners don't need to turn up and tune in live, but can listen any time (and pretty much anywhere) they like.

September 2024

- 13 Vernon Chapter Rose Croix
- 14 Alma Mater meeting
- 16 Athol Chapter
- 18 Charity Mark
- 19 St Martin's Mark
- 23 St Martin's meeting
- 24 St Paul's meeting
- 23 Freedom meeting

October 2024

- 1 Security meeting
- 2 Athol meeting
- 3 Elkington meeting

Alma Mater Lodge 1644

Gents to dine

Saturday 14th September 2024

almamaterlodge@gmail.com



Aston Old Edwardian Lodge 3857

677th Regular Meeting

Wednesday 16th October 2024

Installation Ceremony

secretary@lodge3857.org



Athol Lodge 74

Wednesday 2nd October 2024
Double Passing Ceremony
assistantSec@athol.org.uk

07702 200945

<https://athol.org.uk>



Elkington Lodge 1016

1329th Regular Meeting
Thursday 3rd October 2024
Installation Ceremony
elkingtonlodge1016@gmail.com

07976 298768

<https://www.elkington1016.com>



Forward Lodge 1180

1208th Regular Meeting
Wednesday 23rd October 2024
bob.manders@blueyonder.co.uk

07910747326

<https://forwardlodge.org.uk>



Lodge of Freedom No 3914

Friday 20th September 2024

Installation Ceremony

kentonmanor@hotmail.co.uk



Lodge of Happiness 7952

Thursday 10th October 2024

secretary@LodgeofHappiness.org.uk

<https://lodgeofhappiness.org.uk>



Lodge of Israel 1474

Monday 11th November 2024

timburgin@btinternet.com

01889 579039



Lodge of Loyalty 4340

Tuesday 8th October 2024
Passing Ceremony
ericrymer67@outlook.com

07785 573554

<https://lodgeofloyalty.org.uk>



Lodge of Security 5650

585th Regular Meeting
Tuesday 1st October 2024
2nd Degree tracing Board
lodge5650@hotmail.com
07944 846537



St Martin's Lodge 4011

718th Regular Meeting
Monday 23rd September 2024
nimar.bridges@tiscali.co.uk

07787 430212



St Paul's Lodge No.43

Tuesday 24th September 2024
Double Passing Ceremony
richda100@gmail.com

07711 072235



University of Birmingham Lodge 5628

Saturday 7th September 2024

Please email Bro. Secretary confirming your attendance

c.e.n.sturgess@bham.ac.uk



CHAPTER

Having been raised to the Degree of a Master Mason, you are now eligible to be exalted into the Supreme Order of the Holy Royal Arch. A Royal Arch Chapter is a Masonic body which is attached to, but organised separately from, a Craft Lodge and is not in any way directly governed by it. Chapters meetings or Convocations usually meet 3 or 4 times a Masonic season.



<https://www.ugle.org.uk>

Athol Chapter No.74

Monday 16th September 2024

aaron@powell.uk.com

Leigh Chapter No.887

Friday 1st November 2024

mikehogarth@aol.com

Chapter of Fortitude No.43

Wednesday 20th September 2024

peter@wellings.me.uk

St. Martins Chapter No.4011

Wednesday 13th November 2024

nimar.bridges@tiscali.co.uk

Rose Croix

The Rite, one of the oldest orders, consists of 33 degrees, of which the three degrees of Craft Freemasonry are accepted in lieu of the first three degrees of the Rite. The one worked in chapters is the 18°, is known by the grand title of Sovereign Prince of the Rose Croix of Heredom, It is from this that the Order gets its nickname in England and Wales:

Vernon Chapter Rose Croix

Friday 13th September 2024

d.freshwater@icloud.com

Aesculapius Chapter Rose Croix

Thursday 14th November 2024

mikeallcott@gmail.com

MARK

The Order of Mark Master Masons within England is one of the world's oldest fraternal society and seeks to encourage thoughtfulness for others, kindness in the community, honesty in business, courtesy in society and justice and fairness in all things. The Degree of Mark Master Mason is considered the fulfilment of the Fellow Craft Degree; that being the case it is still necessary for the Candidate to be a Master Mason before he can be Advanced to the Degree of Mark Master Mason.

Charity Mark Lodge MMM 430

Thursday 18th September 2024
Rehearse Advancement Ceremony
430mmm@warksmarkpgl.co.uk



Concord Lodge MMM 735

Friday 4th October 2024
735mmm@warksmarkpgl.co.uk



Holte MMM Lodge 1041

Monday 14th October 2024
1041mmm@warksmarkpgl.co.uk



Matthew Clarke MMM Lodge 1012

Saturday 12th October 2024
Advancement Ceremony
1012mmm@warksmarkpgl.co.uk

07817 588031



St Martins Lodge MMM 959

Thursday 19th September 2024
Installation Ceremony
959mmm@warksmarkpgl.co.uk



Royal Ark Mariners

Matthew Clarke RAM 1012

Concord RAM 735

Saturday 7th December 2024

Friday 15th November 2024

1012ram@warksmarkpgl.co.uk

735ram@warksmarkpgl.co.uk



**ORDER OF THE
SECRET MONITOR**

St Martin's No.509.

Monday 21st October 2024



ROYAL & SELECT

St Martin's No.252

Monday 7th April 2025



kdownes1235@btinternet.com

**ORDER OF THE
SCARLET CORD**

Andrew C
Sweeney No.140




Thursday 24th
October 2024

dennispotter@sky.com



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WARWICKSHIRE** 
&
Provincial Grand Chapter of Warwickshire

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**Do you want to get more from your freemasonry?
Looking for masonic based social events with other new and young
masons? Looking for opportunities to get involved in new experiences?**

We are the club for new and young Freemasons in Warwickshire. Started by seven keen young masons with the aim to build a social network for Freemasons in the Warwickshire area. We aim to bring people from any province who live or work in the Warwickshire area together for the purposes of fun, enjoyment, informal support, development and friendship under the masonic banner.

Over the year we will hold a series of social and masonic activities, which reflect the interests of our diverse members.

Qualifications for Membership:

- You must be a Freemason in a Warwickshire Lodge or Chapter and under the age of 55, and /or be a Freemason under the age of 55 who lives or works in the provincial area of Warwickshire.
- Cost of membership is £10.00 to join and there is no renewal fees. You continue to be a member until the age of 55.
- <https://www.fiveofnineclub.org.uk>



PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE &
PROVINCIAL GRAND CHAPTER OF
WARWICKSHIRE



The joint Provincial Grand Lodge and Provincial Grand Chapter Website.

warwickshirefreemasons.org.uk

The website is packed full of information, useful resources and information including:

- Yearbook.
- Toast lists.
- Forms and document downloads for Lodge Secretaries and Scribe E's.
- Guidance documents and booklets.
- Members Pathway and Archway links and documents.
- Procedure and information for Lodge and Chapter officers.
- Help and advice on setting up Lodge and Chapter websites and social media.
- Charity information, documents, downloads and links.
- The Book of constitutions.
- Music library.
- Provincial Shop.
- Information on women Freemasons.
- Information for prospective new Freemasons.
- Meeting calendar with details of every meeting in Warwickshire.
- And (of course) much more...

The password for the members area is: WIML4538

Brethren, the data protection regulations came into force on 25th May 2018

We hold your email address which under the new General Data Protection Regulation, GDPR, it is a requirement that we advise you that this is the case.

It is very important that if you wish to change your preference (opt in or out) and have this data removed now or at any future time, that you advise us straight away, by email instruction or by unsubscribing at any time.

This is your data and we do not wish to infringe your rights in any way.

Thank you for your continued support.