

~PAST MASTERS~

R:W: Samuel T. Weening, PDDGM.....	1967
R:W: Santo A. Borello, Sr., PDDGM.....	1975;1994-1995
W: William Knieriem.....	1976
R:W: Frank Borello, Jr. PDDGM.....	1978;1999-2000
R:W: Frederick Becker, PSO.....	1979
W: William D. Richter.....	1988
R:W: Robert E. Welsh, Jr., PDDGM.....	1989
W: Louis Stiland.....	1990
W: Peter Brower.....	1993-1994
R:W: Donald W. Jorgens, Sr. PDDGM.....	1995-1996
W: Eugene Tufaro.....	1996-1997
R:W: Edward R. Stouter, PDDGM.....	1997-1998
W: Frank J. Borello, III.....	1998-1999;2002-2003
W: Richard A. Piper.....	2000-2001
R:W: William J. Welsh, PDDGM.....	2004-2005;2007-2008
R:W: Thomas Basich PDDGM 2014-2016.....	2005-2006;2011-2012
W: David Valvik.....	2006-2007
W: Michael D'Avanzo.....	2008-2009;2012-2013
R:W: Thomas Carbone GC.....	2009-2010
W: Frank C. Bockowski.....	2010-2011
R:W: Michael DeLuca DDGM.....	2013-2014
W: Charles Calderon.....	2014-2015
V:W: Thomas Payero.....	2015-2016
W: Alan Katz.....	2016-2017
W: Joe Rubin.....	2017-2018

~HONORARY MEMBERS~

R:W: William Sardone, GM.....	Honorary
M:W: William J. Thomas, PGM.....	Honorary
M:W: Vincent LiBone, PGM.....	Honorary
M:W: Edward R. Gilbert, PGM.....	Honorary
M:W: Gary A. Henningsen, PGM.....	Honorary
M:W: Carl J. Smith, PGM.....	Honorary
M:W: Carl J. Fitje, PGM.....	Honorary
M:W: Edward R. Trosin, PGM.....	Honorary
R:W: Louis H. Juers, PGT.....	Honorary
R:W: Gilbert Savitzky, PGS.....	Honorary
R:W: Joseph Quarequio, PGT.....	Honorary
Bro. Herb Dahlberg.....	Honorary
Bro. William Sorensen, DSA.....	Honorary
Bro. Walter Ettinger, DSA.....	Honorary
R:W: Robert F. Demarco Sr.....	Affiliated
R:W: Anthony Barbato.....	Affiliated
R:W: Gerald T. Meyer.....	Affiliated
W: Alex Goldman.....	Affiliated
R:W: Robert Simione.....	Affiliated
R:W: Joseph Ruggiero.....	Affiliated
R:W: Ira Kirsch.....	Affiliated

# GREAT KILLS LODGE

## NO. 912 F&AM

CONSTITUTED MAY 9, 1914



### Communications

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays

**Tottenville Masonic Lodge**

**236 Main Street**

**Tottenville, Staten Island, NY**

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**February 2019**

Brothers;

You and your Masonic Friends are cordially and fraternally invited to the **1849<sup>th</sup> Stated Communication** of Great Kills Lodge No. 912 F&AM to be held on **THURSDAY February 28<sup>th</sup> 2019 at 7:30pm** at the Tottenville Masonic Temple for the transaction of such business that may regularly and constitutionally be brought before the Lodge.

**Collation: 6:30 PM**

Dress: Business Suit and Tie

By order of:



Frank Agostino  
W.: Frank Agostino  
Master

Robert E. Welsh Jr.  
R.: W.: Robert E. Welsh Jr., PDDGM  
Secretary

**FROM THE EAST**

My Brothers,

Our last month's meetings were awesome. Starting with our first regular business meeting that went off with no hitches and ending up with our Second Degree that was awesome.

This month's we are only having 1 meeting on February 28<sup>th</sup>, but we are having a Valentines Brunch on Sunday February 10<sup>th</sup>, at the Waterside Restaurant located at 225 Ellis Street Staten Island NY.

On February 22<sup>nd</sup> we will be sending three of our Great Kills Brothers to Arlington Virginia for their 3<sup>rd</sup> degree along with 7 Fellowcraft from around district. This should be an epic event.

Brothers, please come out to our DD visit at Thompkins Lodge on Wednesday February 6<sup>th</sup> and support our District team.

W.: Frank Agostino



Brothers, I mentioned a couple of meetings ago that for table lodge I would love to have beer mugs engraved with the square and compass and our names at the bottom. The new style is here, and this is it. The cost would be \$25 dollars each. I will have an order sheet at our next meeting and every meeting till the end of February .

## SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

W.: Charlie Fox is undergoing chemotherapy.  
Brother Luis Cooper is now battling cancer.  
Brother Thomas Mano is still undergoing treatment for cancer.  
Please keep these Brothers in your thoughts and prayers.

## ALAS, MY BROTHER

Brother Robert “Robby” Novallo, brother of R.:W.:William Novallo, has been called home by the Great architect of the Universe after a long and hard-fought battle with cancer.  
MAY HE REST IN PEACE

### 2019 ANNUAL DUES ARE NOW DUE

Dues notices are going out. They are the same amount as last year. If you'd like to pay by credit card you can click the button below. There is a \$5 processing fee included.

[Make Payment](#)



## Change of Address??/?

**Brothers-It would make my life a lot easier if you would notify me of a change of an address. I have to wait for the Post Office to notify me and it's a waste of postage. Also, please ask your family to notify the Lodge in the event of your passing or illness.**

## **BROTHERS, WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

The Lodge has instituted an Automatic Call System, called ONE CALL NOW, to alert the Brothers of meetings, the passing of a Brother or family member, special events and cancellation of meetings. We need your email address and cellphone number to alert you. Please email me your cellphone number and mail address to [rwelshjr0912@verizon.net](mailto:rwelshjr0912@verizon.net) as soon as possible. I can also email you your communication instead of snail mail and get it to you quicker.

## **Lodge Calendar Links**

Calendar ID: [greatkills912@gmail.com](mailto:greatkills912@gmail.com)

The direct link to open our lodge calendar ON YOUR PC is:

[https://calendar.google.com/calendar/b/1/r?cid=Z3JIYXRraWxsczkxMk  
BnbWFpbC5jb20](https://calendar.google.com/calendar/b/1/r?cid=Z3JIYXRraWxsczkxMkBnbWFpbC5jb20)

To ADD TO YOUR PHONE

[https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/greatkills912%40gmail.com/p  
ublic/basic.ics](https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/greatkills912%40gmail.com/public/basic.ics)

## **District Calendar Links**

Calendar ID: [rmaevent@gmail.com](mailto:rmaevent@gmail.com)

The direct link to open the District calendar ON YOUR PC is:

[https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rmaevent%40gmail.co  
m&ctz=America%2FNew\\_York](https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rmaevent%40gmail.com&ctz=America%2FNew_York)

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[https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/rmaevent%40gmail.com/publi  
c/basic.ics](https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/rmaevent%40gmail.com/public/basic.ics)

Reminder – Our District Charity Ball is coming up on April 13<sup>th</sup>, make sure to add this to your calendar and keep an eye out for announcements.

## TRESTLE BOARD

### AWAITING MASTER MASON DEGREE

Bro. David Romano,  
Bro. Thomas J. Tolino, Jr.,  
Bro. John S. Stampar,  
Bro. Naffali Colon,  
Bro. Richard V, Qoagliano,  
Bro, Anthony Sanszone,  
Bro. Stephen J. Gripo

Officers of Great Kills Lodge 912  
2018-2019

Master.....W.: Frank Agostino  
Senior Warden.....Bro. Missael Robles  
Junior Warden.....Bro. Jay Cohen  
Senior Deacon.....Bro. Thomas Durbin  
Junior Deacon.....Bro. Frank DiMarco  
Senior Master of Ceremony.....Bro. Michael Santino  
Junior Master of Ceremony.....Bro. Scott Peretti  
Senior Stewart.....Bro. Anthony Vaccaro  
Junior Stewart.....Bro. Roderick Rooks  
Marshall.....Bro Joseph Franco  
Tiler.....W.: Charles Fox, DSA  
Treasurer.....Bro. Salvatore Barletta  
Assistant Treasurer.....R.:W.: Thomas Basich  
Secretary.....R.:W.: Robert E. Welsh, JR.  
Assistant Secretary.....R.:W.: William J. Welsh  
Chaplain.....W.: Joe Rubin  
Bro. Joseph Martelle  
Orator.....Bro. Matthew Birstler  
Web Master.....Bro. John McDougall  
Trustee.....Bro. Joseph Martelle  
R.:W.: Michael DeLuca  
W.: Michael D'Avanzo  
Historian.....Bro. Howard Herbert, DSA  
Ritual Director..... R.:W.: Thomas Carbone

COMMITTEES FOR 2017-2018

RITUAL

Worshipful Master  
R.:W.: Thomas Carbone-Ritual Director

MEMBERSHIP RETENTION

R.:W.: Robert E. Welsh, Jr. – Chairman  
Wardens

BENEVELONCE

Worshipful Master  
W.: Frank Borello III – Chairman  
R.:W.: Robert E. Welsh, Jr. – Director Funerals

BLOOD DRIVE and Organ Donations

AUDIT and FINANCE

Senior Warden – Chairman  
Junior Warden  
R.:W.: Thomas Basich  
Bro. Sal Barletta

LODGE and MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Senior Warden – Chairman  
Junior Warden  
Bro's Matthew Birstler Frank Agostino

COMMUNITY RELATIONS/PUBLIC AWARENESS

W.: Joe Ruben – Co-Chairman  
Worshipful Master  
Senior Warden  
Junior Warden  
Bro. Richard Sciabica

ENTERTAINMENT, FELLOWSHIP and FAMILY DEVELOPMENT

Junior Warden – Chairman  
All Line Officers

WIDOWS

R.:W.: Sandy A. Borello, Sr. R.:W.: Gerald Meyers

BROTHERHOOD FUND

Bro. Mike Santino

MASONIC DEVELOPMENT TRAINING

R.:W.: Robert E. Welsh Jr. R.:W.: Frank Borello III  
R.:W.: William J Welsh

SICKNESS and DISTRESS

Master – Wardens – Secretary

BY-LAWS

R.:W.: Robert E. Welsh, Jr.  
R.:W.: Michael DeLuca  
Bro. Sal Barletta