## ~PAST MASTERS~

| R∴W∴ Samuel T. Weening, PDDGM      | 1967                |
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| R:W: Santo A. Borello, Sr., PDDGM  |                     |
| W∴ William Knieriem.               |                     |
| R∴W∴ Frank Borello, Jr. PDDGM      |                     |
| W∴ William D. Richter              |                     |
|                                    |                     |
| R∴W∴ Robert E. Welsh, Jr., PDDGM   |                     |
| W∴ Peter Brower                    |                     |
| R:W: Donald W. Jorgens, Sr. PDDGM  |                     |
| W∴ Eugene Tufaro                   |                     |
| R∴W∴ Edward R. Stouter, PDDGM      |                     |
| W∴ Frank J. Borello, III           |                     |
| W∴ Richard A. Piper                |                     |
| R∴W∴ William J. Welsh, PDDGM       | 2004-2005;2007-2008 |
| R∴W∴ Thomas Basich PDDGM 2014-2016 |                     |
| W∴ David Valvik                    |                     |
| W: Michael D'Avanzo                |                     |
| R∴W∴ Thomas Carbone GC             |                     |
| W:: Frank C. Bockowski             |                     |
| R∴W∴ Michael DeLuca DDGM           |                     |
| W∴ Charles Calderon                |                     |
| V∴W∴ Thomas Payero                 |                     |
| W: Alan Katz.                      |                     |
| W∴ Joe Rubin                       |                     |
| W∴ Frank Agostino                  |                     |
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## ~HONORARY MEMBERS~

| M∴W∴ William Sardone, GM     | Honorary   |
|------------------------------|------------|
| M∴W∴ William J. Thomas, PGM  |            |
| M∴W∴ Vincent LiBone, PGM     |            |
| 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. William Sorensen, DSA   | Honorary   |
| Bro. Walter Ettinger, DSA    |            |
| R∴W∴ Robert F. Demarco Sr    | Affiliated |
| R∴W∴ Gerald T. Meyer         | 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

I AM YOUR LINK WITH GREAT KILLS LODGE

Visit our Web Site at: https://greatkillslodge.com

# PLEASE SUPPORT THE BROTHERHOOD FUND WITH YOUR YEARLY CONTRIBUTION

November / December 2019

## Brothers;

You and your Masonic Friends are cordially and fraternally invited to the 1862<sup>nd</sup> Stated Communication of Great Kills Lodge No. 912 F&AM to be held on THURSDAY November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 7:30pm at the Tottenville Masonic Temple to confer the Degree of Entered Apprentice.

Collation: 6:30 PM Dress: Officers – Tuxedos Other – Business Suit & Tie

# THURSDAY November 28th, 2019 - closed, Happy Thanksgiving

You and your Masonic Friends and Families cordially and fraternally invited to the 1863<sup>rd</sup> Stated Communication of Great Kills Lodge No. 912 F&AM to be held on THURSDAY Dec. 12<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 and to present our Brothers celebrating their service anniversaries and to hold our Annual Memorial Service.

## THIS IS AN OPEN MEETING ~ FAMILY AND FRIENDS INVITED

Collation: 6:30 PM Dress: Officers – Tuxedos Other – Business Suit & Tie

## THURSDAY December 26th, 2019 - closed, Merry Christmas

Please, as you celebrate these holidays, keep those less fortunate and the Members of Service that are away from their families in your thoughts and prayers.

# By order of:



Missael Robles W∴ Missael Robles Master Robert E. Welsh Jr. R∴W∴ Robert E. Welsh Jr., PDDGM Secretary

## From the East

Greeting my Brothers,

As we closed out October I would like to congratulate W: Frank Agostino on receiving his Past Master's Apron. It was a very well attended night.

Our 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting was another big night as we had 4 candidates become Entered Apprentice, and I am honored to call them my Brothers. Thank you, Brothers that were in attendance for our 1<sup>st</sup> degree, it is truly is a special moment for the candidates, in that it is a lodge room full of Brothers when they first come to light.

Brothers, we have several important dates in November & December.

- 1. The second School of Instruction is Thursday the 7th hosted by Huguenot Lodge #381. We already won the first one, let's win all 5, for one of them we forfeit.
- 2. Sunday November 10<sup>th</sup> is our district Interfaith Breakfast at St Paul's Methodist Church, across from the Tottenville Temple.
- 3. Tuesday November 12<sup>th</sup> is a District Deputy visit at Staten Island Lodge #66.
- 4. Thursday November 14<sup>th</sup> we are having another First Degree for the remaining candidates that seek light in Masonry.
- 5. Wednesday December 4<sup>th</sup> is a District Deputy visit to Tompkins Lodge #471.
- 6. Sunday December 8<sup>th</sup> we will be hosting our annual Ladies Christmas Party at the Grand Oaks, a Great Time!
- Monday December 9<sup>th</sup> Beacon Light Lodge #701 will be host to the 3<sup>rd</sup> School of Instruction.
- 8. Thursday December 12<sup>th</sup> will be our final meeting of the year.

I hope to see each one of you at all these events, if possible.

Let's show the rest of the district why we are "GREAT KILLS LODGE".

Happy Thanksgiving, Christmas, Chanukah, Kwanzaa and New Year to You, Your Friends and Families,

W: Missael "Mike" / "Hollywood" Robles

# ANNIVERSARY AWARDS

On December 12th we will be honoring the below Listed Brothers who have achieved 10 or more years. Let's come out and celebrate with them on this joyous night:

| Bro. George W. Garbutt        | 70 Years |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Bro. Howard Herbert, Jr., DSA | 65 Years |
| R∴W∴ Donald WS. Joergens      | 50 Years |
| Bro. Chester Rossiter, Jr     | 45 Years |
| Bro. John M. Stuckey          | 35 Years |
| Bro. John K. Gilday           | 30 Years |
| W:: Frank J. Borello III      | 25 Years |
| R∴W∴ Thomas Carbone           | 25 Years |
| R∴W∴ Thomas R. Basich         | 20 Years |
| Bro. Curtis Friend            | 10 Years |
| Bro. Louis Pisctelli          | 10 Years |
| R∴ W∴ Michael DeLuca          | 10 Years |

Please inform the Secretary if you will or will not be able to attend. R∴W∴ Robert Welsh Jr. (718) 490-5944

# TRESTLE BOARD

# **AWAITING FIRST DEGREE**

- Mr. Ruben Estrella, 49, 12 Coscade Street, 10306, Proposed by W∴ Frank Agostino
  - Mr. Michael Merolo, 29,, 50 Billings Street, Proposed by Bro. Richard Quagliano
- Mr. Thomasx Cacace, 27, 723 Barlow Ave 10310, Proposed by Bro Thomas Durbin II
  - Mr. Lonnie Delon, 47, 163 Johnson Ave 1007, Proposed by Bro. Richard Quagliano
  - Mr. Eric Velez, 651, 755 Narrows Road No., Proposed by Bro Glen Kornwalker

# **AWAITING SECOND DEGREE**

| <b>Bro.Brandon Cruz</b> | <b>Bro.Carlo Constantino</b> |
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| Bro. Kevin Leo          | <b>Bro. Anthony DeNatale</b> |

# ANNUAL LADIES NIGHT CHRISTMAS PARTY

**Brothers and Ladies:** 

You are cordially invited to attend our Annual Ladies Night Christmas Party on Sunday, December 8th, 2019 at the Grand Oaks Country Club from 6:PM to 10:PM. Your wife or lady are invited for FREE; your cost is \$90.00; non-members pay \$90.00 per person (\$180 per couple). Santa will be there with gifts for the Ladies. Come out and have a great time with Great Kills Lodge. Where else can you take your wife or lady out for such a great night for so little money.

Call Sandy and Dotty with your reservation at (717) 727-6619 by December 1st.

# 2019 ANNUAL DUES

Don't fall behind. We still have members that haven't paid their 2019 dues. Get your checks in or click the link below to pay by credit card.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

R∴W∴ Santo Borello has had a pacemaker installed; all seems well. Please continue with the prayers and well wishes.

Bro. Joseph Franco went for knee surgery, is hurting but recovering.

# Great Kills Lodge Calendar Links

Calendar ID: <u>greatkills912@gmail.com</u> The direct link to open our lodge calendar ON YOUR PC is: <u>https://calendar.google.com/calendar/b/1/r?cid=Z3JIYXRraWxscz</u> <u>kxMkBnbWFpbC5jb20</u>

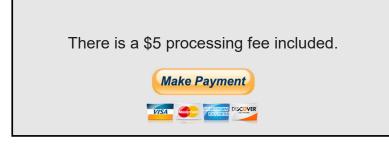
To ADD TO YOUR PHONE

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# **Richmond District Calendar Links**

Calendar ID: <u>maevent@gmail.com</u> The direct link to open the District calendar ON YOUR PC is: <u>https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=rmaevent%40g</u> <u>mail.com&ctz=America%2FNew\_York</u>

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# Officers of Great Kills Lodge 912

<u>2019-2020</u>

| Master                    | W∴ Missael Robles         |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Senior Warden             | Bro. Jay Cohen            |
| Junior Warden             | Bro. Thomas Durbin        |
| Senior Deacon             | Bro. Frank DiMarco        |
| Junior Deacon             | Bro. Michael Santino      |
| Senior Master of Ceremony | Bro. Scott Peretti        |
| Junior Master of Ceremony | Bro. Anthony Vaccaro      |
| Senior Stewart            | Bro. Kenneth Meyers       |
| Junior Stewart            | •••••                     |
| Marshall                  | Bro Roderick Rooks        |
| Tiler                     | R:W: William J. Welsh     |
| Treasurer                 | Bro. Salvatore Barletta   |
| Secretary                 | R∴W∴ Robert E. Welsh, JR. |
| Assistant Secretary       | R:W: Thomas Basich        |
| Chaplain                  | W∴ Frank Agostino         |
| Bro. Joseph Martelle      |                           |
| Orator                    | Bro. Joseph Franco        |
| Web Master                | Bro. John McDougall       |
| Trustee                   | Bro. Joseph Martelle      |
|                           | R∴W∴ Michael DeLuca, DDGM |
|                           | W∴ Michael D'Avanzo       |
| Historian                 | Bro. Howard Herbert. DSA  |

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| Ritual Director | R∴W∴ Thomas Carbone     |

## COMMITTEES FOR 2019-2020

## 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 W∴ 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. Michael Santino

# MASONIC DEVELOPMENT TRAINING

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

> SICKNESS and DISTRES Master – Wardens – Secretary

#### BY-LAWS

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