#### ~PAST MASTERS~

R∴W∴ Samuel T. Weening, PDDGM	1967
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	1993-1994
R∴W∴ Donald W. Jorgens, Sr. PDDGM	
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	
R∴W∴ William J. Welsh, PDDGM	2004-2005;2007-2008
R∴W∴ Thomas Basich PDDGM 2014-2016	
W∴ David Valvik	
W∴ Michael D'Avanzo	2008-2009;2012-2013
R∴W∴ Thomas Carbone GC	
R∴W∴ Michael DeLuca DDGM	
W∴ Charles Calderon	
V∴W∴ Thomas Payero	2015-2016
W∴ Joe Rubin	2017-2018
W∴ Frank Agostino	
W: Missael Robles	

#### ~HONORARY MEMBERS~

M∴W∴ William Sardone, GM	Honorary
M∴W∴ William J. Thomas, PGM	Honorary
M∴W∴ Vincent LiBone, PGM	
M∴W∴ Edward R. Gilbert, PGM	Honorary
M∴W∴ Gary A. Henningsen, PGM	
M:W: Carl J. Smith, PGM	
M∴W∴ Carl J. Fitje, PGM	Honorary
M∴W∴ Edward R. Trosin, PGM	
R∴W∴ Gilbert Savitzky, PGS	Honorary
R:W: Joseph Quarequio, PGT	
Bro. William Sorensen, DSA	Honorary
Bro. Walter Ettinger, DSA	Honorary
R∴W∴ Robert F. Demarco Sr	Affiliated
R∴W∴ Gerald T. Meyer	Affiliated
R∴W∴ Robert Simione	
R∴W∴ Joseph Ruggiero	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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**JANUARY 2022** 

## Brothers.

You are Summoned to the 1892<sup>nd</sup> Stated Communication of Great Kills Lodge No. 912 F&AM to be held on THURSDAY January 27th, 2022 to Confer the Degree of Fellowcraft, as well as the transaction of such business that may be regularly and constitutionally be brought before the lodge.

Dress: Officers – Tuxedos, Brothers – Suit & Ties Collation: 6:30pm Gavel: 7:30pm

## By order of:



## From the East

#### My Brothers,

By now many of you have seen the statements by our DD as well as our Grand Master regarding reopening the district. At this point, it is up to the discretion of the individual Lodges and their Masters whether we open or stay closed. Some of our District's Masters are opening immediately, while some have made the decision to cancel all January meetings and events. As of the beginning of the month we were still required to stay closed until after the 16th which effectively canceled our first meeting of the month, and I chose to start up again for our Second Degree on the 27th.

Despite a recent change from Grand Lodge I have decided to keep our lodge closed next week in light of the surge in COVID cases in New York. We will closely monitor the numbers prior to our meeting on the 27th and may be forced to cancel if I feel there is a safety risk. In addition, I will encourage brothers to wear masks for our next meeting.

To put it simply: Our next meeting is canceled and the meeting after will be the Second Degree on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

Nothing has changed for Great Kills.

If any brother would like to discuss or has any questions I encourage you to give me a call.

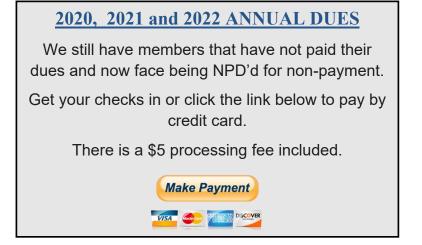
Sincerely,

W∴ Jay Cohen (347) 401-4830

Jason Cohen W∴ Jason Cohen Master Robert E. Welsh Jr. R∴W∴ Robert E. Welsh Jr., PDDGM Secretary Brothers,

I have been sending out the second dues notices to those Brothers who have not paid their dues for 2021, also there are some Brothers who have not paid their 2020 dues. Do not fall behind in your dues or the Lodge will have to unaffiliate you.

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



## Sickness & Distress

M:W: James Sullivan is at home after a stay in rehabilitation, but his wife Babe is in the hospital.

# Sad Tidings

Joanne Kessler, First Lady and wife of MMRJ KESSLER passed away after a short illness. Cards of condolences may be sent to the Mw RJ Kessler and family at: 62 Woodcrest Blvd Buffalo, NY 14223-1317

# **Good Cheer**

R∴W∴ Bob Welsh finally got his 2021 Ford after 4 trips to the Ford Repair shop. Hopefully this will be the last time.

## NOTICES

Brothers waiting for their 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree

Bro. Brian Ayala Bro. Ronald Barranco Bro. Victor Buttaro Bro. Ian Cantor Bro. Johnharold Cicero Bro. Taylor Goodspeed Bro. Anthony Gordon Bro. Daniel Maisonet Bro. Michael Morongiello Bro. Christopher Scarselli Bo. Nico Tripoli

## MASONIC WAR VETERANS

## Brothers,



If you are a veteran, on active reserve duty or a member of the Merchant Marines and not necessarily a veteran of war, Post N0p. 6 Masonic War Veterans are looking for new members.

The primary function of the Post is to provide support to the DDGM at his Official visits and flag presentations at District and Lodge

functions.

If you are interested contact Commander Robert Trovato @ (917) 803-5349

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

## **GREAT KILLS PILLARS**

No scheduled announcements.

#### Officers of Great Kills Lodge #912 F&AM

### 2021-2022

Master	W∴ Jaso
Senior Warden	Bro. Th
<u>Junior Warden</u>	Bro. Fra
Senior Deacon	Bro. Sco
<u>Junior Deacon</u>	Bro. An
Senior Master of Ceremony	Bro. Ke
Junior Master of Ceremony	Bro. Ro
<u>Senior Stewart</u>	Bro. Ca
<u>Junior Stewart</u>	Bro. Eri
<u>Marshall</u>	Bro. Da
<u>Tiler</u>	R∴W∴ V
<u>Treasurer</u>	Bro. Sal
<u>Secretary</u>	R∴W∴ I
Assistant Secretary	<b>R∴W</b> ∴ ]
<u>Chaplain</u>	W∴ Mis
	Bro. Jos
<u>Orator</u>	Bro. Jos
Web Master	Bro. Joł
Trustee	Bro. Jos
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<u>Historian</u>	Bro. Ho
<b>Ritual Director</b>	V∴W∴ ]

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#### COMMITTEES FOR 2019-2020

#### RITUAL

Worshipful Master R∴W∴ Thomas Carbone-Ritual Director

#### **MEMBERSHIP RETENTION**

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

#### **BENEVOLENCE**

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 Jr. 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