

Provincial Grand Chapter of Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Minutes of the Annual Convocation held at the Novotel, Southampton on Wednesday 1st September 2021.

243rd Annual Convocation

Present:

Order	Title	Name	SGC Rank	Ch Prov Rank
H&IoW Chapter	MEG Superintendent	Stephen Allum	MEGS	
H&IoW Chapter	DepGSupt	Colin Upton	PGSwdB	Dep GSupt
H&IoW Chapter	2ndPGP	Jonathan Stainton-Ellis	PGStB	2ndPGP
H&IoW Chapter	3rdPGP	Jonathan Bell	PGStB	3rdPGP
H&IoW Chapter	PGSupt	Roger Jago	PGSupt	
H&IoW Chapter	P3rdPGP	David Workman	PAGSoj	P3rdPGP
H&IoW Chapter	P3rdPGP	David Gosney	PGStB	P3rdPGP
H&IoW Chapter	P3rdPGP	Geoffrey Tuck	PGStB	P3rdPGP
H&IoW Craft	Prov Grand Master	Jonathan Whittaker	PAGSoj	
H&IoW Craft	APGM	Leon Whitfield		PrGReg
H&IoW Craft	APGM	Barrie Hewitt		PPrDepGReg
H&IoW Craft	APGM	Peter Vosser	PAGDC	
H&IoW Craft	APGM	James Kneller		
H&IoW Craft	APGM	Adrian Cleightonhills	PGStB	
H&IoW Craft	APGM	Ian Preece	PAGDC	
H&IoW Craft	ProvGSec	Frank Milner		PPrDepGReg
H&IoW Craft	ProvGDC	Martin Jackson		PPrDepGDC
H&IoW Craft	Past PGM	Michael Wilks	PGSwdB	
Mark & Ram	Prov Grand Master	George Deacon	PGStB	
A & AR Rose Croix	Inspector General	Paul Hillyard		PPrGSwdB
Red Cross Constantine	Intendant General	Steven Groeger	PAGDC	
Royal & Select Masters	District Grand Master	Jeremy Shaw	PAGSoj	
Allied Masonic Degrees	District Grand Prefect	Michael Whelan		PPrGSN
Order Secret Monitor	Prov G Supreme Ruler	Richard Batchelor		PPrGSStB
Knight Templar Priests	Grand Superintendent	Malcolm Lloyd		PPGReg
W Society Freemasons	Dep G Master Mason	William Winter		PPrGReg (Oxon)
St Thomas of Acon	Prov G Preceptor	Anthony Welch		PPrGSN
Dorset PG Chapter	Dep G Supt	Julian Mitchell	PGStB	
Grand Mark	Dep G Master	John Prizeman	PGStB	
Met G Chapter	3rdMetGP	Christopher Head	PGSoj	

The Active Provincial Officers, and numerous Companions whose names, ranks and Chapters are all listed on the attendance sheets

Processions into Provincial Grand Chapter

Official Guests from the Craft Province of Hampshire and Isle of Wight and Heads of other Orders in the Province entered in procession.

The Deputy Grand Superintendent, E.Comp Colin R Upton, PGSwdB accompanied by Past Deputy Grand Superintendents, Past Second Provincial Grand Principals and Past Third Provincial Grand Principals of the Province entered in procession.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent in and over the Province of Hampshire and Isle of Wight, Excellent Companion Stephen Michael Allum, entered in procession, accompanied by the Second Provincial Grand Principal, E.Comp Jonathan David Stainton-Ellis PGStB, the Third Provincial Grand Principal E.Comp Jonathan Bell, PGStB, and the Officers of Provincial Grand Chapter.

Item 1. To open Provincial Grand Chapter.

Provincial Grand Chapter was opened in due form by the three Principals at 12:00 noon

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent welcomed all the honoured guests of the Province.
(Applause)

Item 2. In Memoriam.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent made remembrance of those Companions who had passed to the Supreme Grand Chapter above since the last Provincial Convocation. The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent asked the Convocation to remember and offer a prayer for all Companions who have lost their lives due to the Pandemic. The names of all Grand and Provincial Grand Officers whose passing had been notified to the Provincial Grand Scribe E are detailed on the Paper of Business and are appended to these minutes. The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent called upon the 3rd Provincial Grand Principal to offer a prayer in their memory.

Item 3. The Roll of Provincial Grand Officers.

The Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra, E.Comp A. Tykocki, PAGSoj, reported that the Roll of Provincial Grand Officers had been checked and that, with the exception of four who had sent apologies, all were present.

Item 4. The Roll of Provincial Chapters.

The Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra reported that all Chapters in the Province were well represented.

Item 5. To approve the minutes of:

(a) The Annual Convocation held at the Masonic Centre, Botley, under Covid Regulations, on Saturday 3rd October 2020.

(b) The Installation Convocation held at Freemasons' Hall, Great Queen Street, London, on Wednesday 28th July 2021

The Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra reported that the minutes of the Annual Convocation held on Saturday 3rd October 2020 and Installation Convocation held on Wednesday the 28th July 2021 had been circulated to all Chapter Scribes and had been posted on the Provincial Grand Chapter Web-site for the information of the Companions. He then submitted those minutes for approval.

E.Comp A Weldycz, PGStB proposed, and E.Comp M. Orsmond PAGDC seconded the proposition that both sets of minutes be approved and adopted as a true record. The proposition was carried.

Item 6. To submit the Accounts and Balance Sheet for the year ending 31st December 2020.

The Provincial Grand Treasurer, E.Comp M.J. Fagelman submitted for approval his report for the year ending December 31st 2020. He referred the Companions to his written report on the order paper, and expressed his thanks to the Provincial Office staff for their assistance during the year.

E.Comp JC Southwick, PAGDC, proposed, and E.Comp B Clark, PAGDC seconded the proposition that the Accounts and Balance Sheet for the year ending December 31st 2020, together with the Treasurer's Report, be adopted and entered into the minutes. The proposition was carried.

The Accounts, Balance Sheet and Treasurer's report are appended to these minutes.

Item 7. To elect the Provincial Grand Treasurer.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent stated that as only one nomination had been received, that of E Comp Michael J Fagelman. He therefore declared E.Comp Michael J Fagelman duly elected as Provincial Grand Treasurer for the ensuing year. He thanked E Comp Michael J Fagelman for his work as Treasurer.

Item 8. To elect the Accounts Examiner.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent confirmed that only one nomination had been received, that of Comp. Christopher Welton, and he therefore declared Comp. Christopher Welton duly elected as Accounts Examiner for the ensuing year. He thanked Comp. Christopher Welton for his work as Examiner.

Item 9. To receive the Report of the Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra.

The Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra stated that his report to Provincial Grand Chapter had been distributed in advance to the Provincial Executive and to all Chapters for the attention of the Companions and that a copy appeared within the Paper of Business for this Convocation. The report was then submitted for approval by the Companions. E.Comp Malcolm Stevens, PAGDC proposed, and E.Comp. John Meaden, PGStB, seconded the proposition that the Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra's report be adopted. The proposition was carried. The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent thanked the E Comp A, Tykocki for his work as Provincial Scribe Ezra.

Item 10. (a) To Present a Patent of Appointment to the Deputy Grand Superintendent.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent presented a patent of appointment to E.Comp Colin Richard Upton, PGSwdB, Deputy Grand Superintendent.

(b) To Present a Certificate of Appointment to the Second Provincial Grand Principal.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent presented a Certificate of Appointment to E.Comp Jonathan David Stainton-Ellis, PGStB, Second Provincial Grand Principal

(c) To Present a Certificate of Appointment to the Third Provincial Grand Principal.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent presented a Certificate of Appointment to EComp Jonathan Bell, PGStB, Third Provincial Grand Principal.

Item 11. To Present a Past Third Provincial Grand Principals Collarette and Jewel To E Comp David Gosney, PGStB.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent, in presenting the Collarette and Jewel to E. Comp David Gosney, warmly thanked him for his work as Third Provincial Grand Principal. (*Applause*)

Item 12. Appointment and Investiture of Provincial Grand Officers for 2018/2019

Before the Appointment and Investiture of Provincial Grand Officers. The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent requested the Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra to announce the names of those Companions who had received an appointment or promotion in Supreme Grand Chapter in 2020 and 2021.

Appointments 2020

E. Comp. John Meaden, **PGStB**
E. Comp. Terry Stephens, **PGStB**
E. Comp Guy Sudron, **PAGDC**

E. Comp. David Ryan, **PGStB**
E. Comp. Christopher Billington, **PAGDC**

Promotions 2020

E. Comp. Anthony Tykocki, **PGStB** to **PAGSoj** E. Comp. John Rowell, **PAGDC** to **PGStB**

Appointments 2021

E. Comp. Stuart Bates, **PGStB**
E. Comp. Maj Stephen H Slade, **PGStB**
E. Comp. Michael J. Ingram, **PAGDC**

E. Comp. Adrian N Cleightonhills, **PGStB**
E. Comp. Michael J. Fagelman, **PAGDC**
E.Comp. J. Ian Preece, **PAGDC**

Promotion 2021

E. Comp. George J. Deacon, from **PAGDC** to **PGStB**

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent requested the Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra to announce the names of those Active Provincial Grand Officers whom he was to re-appoint.

The following stood to order and were re-appointed, together with the thanks of the Most Excellent Grand Superintendent for their continued service:

ProvGSE	Anthony Tykocki	Southbourne Chapter	No. 6281
Re-elected ProvGTreasurer			
	Michael Fagelman	Old Portmuthian Chapter	No. 8285
ProvGDC	Christopher T. B. Davis	Chine Chapter	No. 1884
ProvDepGSE	Graham Wisely	Brook House Chapter	No. 8606
ProvDepGDC	Michael Geddes	Chapter of Peace	No. 359
ProvDepGDC	Paul S. Taylor	St Mary Chapter	No. 730
ProvGAlm	Peter B. Adams	Boscombe Chapter	No. 2158
ProvGChStwd	David Wood,	Yarborough Chapter	No. 551
ProvAGSE	Andrew Free	St. Mary Chapter	No. 7304
ProvGOrg	Robert I Douglas	Chapter of Friendship	No. 257

The Provincial Grand Director of Ceremonies then called the Deputy Grand Directors of Ceremonies, Assistant Grand Directors of Ceremonies, and Provincial Grand Stewards to order, to assist with the investiture. The Provincial Deputy Grand Scribe Ezra proceeded to read the names of the other Provincial Grand Officers to be appointed and promoted. They were duly invested by the Most Excellent Grand Superintendent as follows:

Provincial Honours June 2021

Active Ranks

ID	Surname	Forename	Rank	Chapter	No
5	TAYLOR	David Leslie	ProvGSN	St Mary Chapter	7304
7	AYRES	Anthony John Patrick	ProvGReg	Chapter of Economy	76
9	BUCHANAN	Peter	ProvGSwdB	Hayling Island Chapter	6422
10	COYLE	Peter Keith	ProvDepGReg	Neptune Chapter	5150
14	St JOHN JACOBS	Paul	ProvDepGDC	East Medina Chapter	175
15	PHILP	Paul Michael	ProvDepGSwdB	Chapter of Peace	359
17	WOOD	David Robert	ProvGChStwd	Yarborough Chapter	551
18	SANDERMAN	Michael John	ProvPrinGSoj	Wilfrid Attenborough Chapter	7672
19	TOMS	Owen David	Prov1stAGSoj	Needles Chapter	2838
20	RENSHAW	James Henry	Prov2ndAGSoj	Chapter of Concord	394
22	KITCH	Philip	ProvGStB	New Forest Chapter	319
23	BARRY-WALSH	Niall Michael	ProvGStB	St Hubert Chapter	1373
25	HAWKES	Graham	ProvGStB	Woolmer Forest Chapter	3872
26	NAYLOR	Alan Donald	ProvGStB	Chilworth Chapter	7810
27	TURNER	Mark Simon	ProvGStB	Kings Court Chapter	8441
29	SEALEY	Simon Philip	ProvAGDC	Yarborough Chapter	551
30	CONWAY-HOLLAND	David	ProvAGDC	Farnborough Chapter	2203
31	BAKER	Timothy Nicholas K	ProvAGDC	Norman Gate Chapter	8116
33	BOWYER	Russell Symon	ProvGStwd	Hengist Chapter	195
34	HAYES	Philip Anthony	ProvGStwd	Chapter of Concord	394
35	WHYBROW	Charles Richard	ProvGStwd	Yarborough Chapter	551
37	BARTON	Richard Anthony	ProvGStwd	United Services Chapter	1428
38	ELDRIDGE	Gary	ProvGStwd	Osborne Chapter	2169
39	WOLOHAN	Christopher John	ProvGStwd	Brockenhurst Chapter	7040
40	HILL	Graham David	ProvGStwd	Vale of Itchen Chapter	7816
41	LEWIS	Timothy James	ProvGStwd	Vectensian Chapter	7852
42	NAZARIPOUR	Ali	ProvGStwd	Old Portmuthian Chapter	8285
43	WHITE	Crawford John	ProvGStwd	Kings Court Chapter	8441
44	HUTCHINS	Kevin Terence	ProvGJan	Connaught Chapter	1971

First Appointments

ID	Name	Forenames	Rank	Chapter	No
45	LLOYD	Michael John	PPrGSwdB	Osborne Chapter	2169
46	TURNER	Raymond John	PPrGSwdB	Octa Chapter	4397
47	MILLS	David Arthur	PPrGSwdB	Vale of Itchen Chapter	7816
48	LATTER	Anthony William	PPrGSwdB	Vectensian Chapter	7852

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49	THORNTON	Malcolm John	PPrDepGReg	Royal Gloucester	130
50	HOAD	Stephen Paul	PPrDepGReg	Panmure Chapter	723
51	POWELL	Robert James	PPrDepGReg	Carnarvon Chapter	804
52	SUMMERS	George Frederick	PPrDepGReg	Gosport Chapter	903
53	HIBBERD	Michael James	PPrDepGReg	Ancasta Chapter	1461
54	RATCLIFFE	Neil	PPrDepGReg	Bramston Beach Chapter	2955
55	LOCKWOOD	Christopher Brian	PPrDepGReg	Brockenhurst Chapter	7040
56	WALTHER	Simon Robert	PPrDepGReg	Vyne Chapter	7612
57	SLAWSON	Albert William	PPrDepGReg	Wifrid Attenborough Chapter	7672
58	HANNIGAN	Nicholas Matthew R	PPrDepGReg	Wessex Chapter of Fidelity	8681
59	ATKINSON	Paul Courteney	PPrDepGDC	St Lawrence Chapter	2016
60	DAVEY	Alan	PPrDepGDC	Farnborough Chapter	2203
61	SALTER	Michael Patrick	PPrDepGDC	Needles Chapter	2838
62	VAUGHAN	Christopher Alan	PPrDepGDC	Daintree Chapter	2938
63	METELKO	Raymond	PPrDepGDC	Lee Britten Chapter	5782
64	LAYTON	Michael Alfred E	PPrDepGDC	Richard Taunton Chapter	7050
65	GREEN	Clive Martin	PPrDepGSwdB	East Medina Chapter	175
66	COLLEY	John Martin	PPrDepGSwdB	Chapter of Friendship	257
67	KNOWLES	Andre Stephen	PPrDepGSwdB	New Forest Chapter	319
68	BERRIDGE	Paul Stephen	PPrDepGSwdB	Royal Sussex Chapter	342
69	ADAMS	Stephen Norman	PPrDepGSwdB	Chapter of Concord	394
70	PARKER	Alan John	PPrDepGSwdB	Yarborough Chapter	551
71	LUMSDEN	Stuart Guthrie	PPrDepGSwdB	St Hubert Chapter	1373
72	AMBROSE	Peter Albert	PPrDepGSwdB	Alverstoke Chapter	1705
73	HOLLIS	Geoffrey Stuart	PPrDepGSwdB	Prince Edward Chapter	1903
74	ROWBORY	Michael Alan	PPrDepGSwdB	Connaught Chapter	1971
75	WICKHAM	Michael Anthony	PPrDepGSwdB	St Clair Chapter	2074
76	MALCOLM	James Jasper	PPrDepGSwdB	Hope Chapter	2153
77	RATTLEY	Colin Victor	PPrDepGSwdB	Victory Chapter	3509
78	CLAUSON	Glen Alan	PPrDepGSwdB	Portsdown Chapter	4356
79	REID	John	PPrDepGSwdB	Barton Court Chapter	5468
80	TREWARTHA	David	PPrDepGSwdB	Twynham Chapter	5889
81	BAILEY	Andrew Robert	PPrDepGSwdB	Wolvesey Chapter	6818
82	DIBSDALL	Andrew Charles J	PPrDepGSwdB	Chilworth Chapter	7810
83	JOHNSON	David Ralph	PPrDepGSwdB	Old Portmuthian Chapter	8285
84	ATKINS	Ian Carnegie	PPrDepGSwdB	Brook House Chapter	8606
85	GORING	Roy Joseph	PPrDepGSwdB	Drayton Chapter	8832
86	WARD	Leopold Anthony	PPrDepGSwdB	Horndean Chapter of Harmony	9015
87	MORRIS	Michael Anthony	PPrDepGSwdB	Prytanieon Chapter	9340
88	SMITH	Brian James	PPrDepGSwdB	St Johns Chapter	9395
89	ROBERTSON	David Alexander	PPrGAlm	Asher Barfield Chapter	35
90	STOVELL	John Barry	PPrGAlm	Chapter of Peace	359
91	SMITH	Frederick William	PPrGAlm	United Service Chapter	1428
92	MacDONALD	Ian James	PPrGSoj	Chapter of Economy	76
93	MARLOW	Eric Douglas	PPrGSoj	Mercury Chapter	4581
94	HOBSON	Philip Jeffrey	PPrGSoj	Taverners Chapter	7442
95	BRADBURN	Andrew David	PPrGSoj	The Knole Chapter	8996

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96	HAYNES	Paul David	PPrAGSoj	Woolmer Forest Chapter	3872
97	WADE	Christopher Rex	PPrAGSoj	Wayfarers Chapter	5740
99	RICHARDS	Tony Benjamin	PPrGStB	Chine Chapter	1884
100	GLISTER	Ian Thomas Charles	PPrGStB	Chapter of Emulation	1990
101	SPENCER	Nicolas Stuart	PPrGStB	Test Valley Chapter	6181

Promotions

ID	Name	Forenames	Rank	Chapter	No
102	EDMUNDS	Gary Adrian	PPrGSN	Chapter of Economy	76
103	HEAL	John Morris	PPrGSN	Albany Chapter	151
105	PURVES	Philip John H	PPrGSN	Chapter of Friendship	257
106	COUSINS	Ronald L (Frank)	PPrGSN	Chapter of Peace	359
107	BABISTER	Alan	PPrGSN	Panmure Chapter	723
108	THOMASSON	Keith	PPrGSN	Petersfield Chapter	928
109	MANSELL	Gerald	PPrGSN	Alverstoke Chapter	1705
110	SPENCE	Adrian Maurice	PPrGSN	Chine Chapter	1884
111	AGATE	Arthur Stuart	PPrGSN	Prince Edward Chapter	1903
112	HATCH	Derek Gradin T	PPrGSN	St George's Chapter Hampshire Chapter of Emulation	1958
113	THORNTON	John Harry	PPrGSN	Emulation	1990
114	UNDERWOOD	Gerald Albert	PPrGSN	St Clair Chapter	2074
115	MAGEE	Kenneth Alfred J	PPrGSN	Hope Chapter	2153
116	SMITH	Derek John	PPrGSN	Osborne Chapter	2169
117	ROBSON	Phillip Thomas	PPrGSN	Victory Chapter	3509
118	MackENZIE	Alastair	PPrGSN	Mercury Chapter	4581
119	HARRISON	Frederick Albert	PPrGSN	Test Valley Chapter	6181
120	COOKSON	Alan John	PPrGSN	Wolvesey Chapter	6818
121	NASH	David John	PPrGSN	Wilfrid Attenborough Chapter	7672
122	SHEATH	Peter Charles	PPrGSN	Wilfrid Attenborough Chapter	7672
123	EGERTON	Clive Barry	PPrGSN	Vale of Itchen Chapter	7816
125	WILSON	Roger Clive	PPrGSN	Brook House Chapter	8606
126	WYETH	Paul Victor F	PPrGSN	Chapter of Maturity	9390
127	WARKE	George William	PPrGReg	Asher Barfield Chapter	35
128	FIELDER	Ian Robert	PPrGReg	Royal Gloucester Chapter	130
129	SHEPHERD	Robert	PPrGReg	Royal Gloucester Chapter	130
130	YOUNG	Dennis Stephen	PPrGReg	Royal Gloucester Chapter	130
131	ARKELL	Simon Gerald	PPrGReg	Unity Chapter	132
132	WESTON	Michael John	PPrGReg	Unity Chapter	132
133	GRAY	David John Stuart	PPrGReg	Royal Sussex Chapter	342
134	HARMAN	Charles Edwin	PPrGReg	Royal Sussex Chapter	342
135	HOLLOWAY	Derek Charles	PPrGReg	Royal Sussex Chapter	342
136	McDONALD-MARTIN	Christopher Hugh	PPrGReg	Chapter of Concord	394
137	LEA	Paul William	PPrGReg	William Kingston Chapter	407
138	JOHNSTONE	John Rutherford	PPrGReg	Oakley Chapter	694
139	WOODHEAD	Colin Walter	PPrGReg	Panmure Chapter	723
140	RUSSELL	David	PPrGReg	Gosport Chapter	903
141	PETT	Ian Thomas	PPrGReg	Petersfield Chapter	928
142	ROBINSON	Ronald Stanley	PPrGReg	Petersfield Chapter	928
143	PATIS	Malcolm Stuart	PPrGReg	Alverstoke Chapter	1705

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144	HERITAGE	Duncan Richard	PPrGReg	St Clair Chapter	2074
145	GREENWOOD	Michael Kenneth	PPrGReg	Farnborough Chapter	2203
146	WOODFORD	Michael	PPrGReg	Farnborough Chapter	2203
147	COTTELL	Derek Hilton	PPrGReg	Needles Chapter	2838
148	BOORMAN	Christopher Arthur	PPrGReg	Daintree Chapter	2938
149	MOSS	Samuel John S	PPrGReg	Daintree Chapter	2938
150	ADAMS	Owen William	PPrGReg	Portsdown Chapter	4356
151	KEANE	Patrick Francis	PPrGReg	Portsdown Chapter	4356
152	CHAPLIN	Anthony Ronald	PPrGReg	Mercury Chapter	4581
153	MATTHEWS	Arthur David	PPrGReg	Mercury Chapter	4581
154	LAMBERT	Brian Edward	PPrGReg	St Vincent Chapter	5295
155	SWAIN	Colin Ernest W	PPrGReg	Barton Court Chapter	5468
156	COOLE	David Malcolm	PPrGReg	Semper Fidelis Chapter	6664
157	COX	Richard Jeffery	PPrGReg	Richard Taunton Chapter	7050
158	WHITFIELD	Leon Michael	PPrGReg	Wilfrid Attenborough Chapter	7672
159	BUNN	David Anthony	PPrGReg	Chilworth Chapter	7810
160	HIGGINSON	Douglas Allan	PPrGReg	Vectensian Chapter	7852
161	PARSONS	Martin David	PPrGReg	Vectensian Chapter	7852
162	HUTTON	Gilbert John	PPrGReg	Norman Gate Chapter	8116
163	JACKSON	Christopher M	PPrGReg	Old Portmuthian Chapter	8285
164	HOLLOWAY	Charles Allen	PPrGReg	Knole Chapter	8996
165	SCHOLES	David Bury	PPrGReg	Knole Chapter	8996
166	KINLEY	Charles Peter	PPrGDC	New Forest Chapter	319
168	BARNES	Francis Edward	PPrGDC	United Service Chapter	1428
169	CAWTE	Brian Frederick	PPrGDC	Alverstoke Chapter	1705
170	GORDON	James John	PPrGDC	Albert Edward Chapter	1780
171	PALMER	Stephen Barry	PPrGDC	Chine Chapter	1884
172	ROGERS	Melvyn Edward	PPrGDC	Brockenhurst Chapter	7040
173	CHARLESWORTH	Brian Robert	PPrGSwdB	Asher Barfield Chapter	35
174	PRESTON	David William	PPrGSwdB	Asher Barfield Chapter	35
175	COLE	Alistair Bernard	PPrGSwdB	Chapter of Economy	76
176	MONAHAN	Denis Aubrey F	PPrGSwdB	Chapter of Economy	76
177	NEWMAN	Geoffrey Frank	PPrGSwdB	Unity Chapter	132
178	RANN	David Gordon	PPrGSwdB	East Medina Chapter	175
179	SLADE	Roger James F	PPrGSwdB	New Forest Chapter	319
180	O'NEIL	Hugh Shane	PPrGSwdB	Royal Sussex Chapter	342
181	BATEMAN	Trevor Martin	PPrGSwdB	Yarborough Chapter	551
182	BROWNE	Robert George	PPrGSwdB	Yarborough Chapter	551
183	WESTBROOK	Jeremy Robert	PPrGSwdB	Yarborough Chapter	551
184	WOOD	Richard James T	PPrGSwdB	Oakley Chapter	694
185	STOCK	David George	PPrGSwdB	Gosport Chapter	903
186	BUTLER	David John	PPrGSwdB	Ancasta Chapter	1461
187	FLUX	Alan Roy	PPrGSwdB	Ancasta Chapter	1461
188	LE-VALLEE	Alan Terence	PPrGSwdB	Ancasta Chapter	1461
189	MOORE	Frederick Harold	PPrGSwdB	Connaught Chapter	1971
190	GIBBS	Vernon Charles	PPrGSwdB	Osborne Chapter	2169
191	HICKS	Martin Roland	PPrGSwdB	Beach Chapter	2475
192	MOREY	David John	PPrGSwdB	Needles Chapter	2838

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193	WHEATLEY	William John	PPrGSwdB	Needles Chapter	2838
194	PETERKIN MANDEVILLE-	John Stuart	PPrGSwdB	Daintree Chapter	2938
195	MOTTRAM	Ivan Roy	PPrGSwdB	Bramston Beach Chapter	2955
196	DAUBENY	Brian Raymond	PPrGSwdB	Portsdown Chapter	4356
197	CLARK	Jeffery Michael	PPrGSwdB	Octa Chapter	4397
198	JACKSON	Paul Edwin	PPrGSwdB	Neptune Chapter	5150
199	SPRINGETT	Peter	PPrGSwdB	Neptune Chapter	5150
200	FRYER	John	PPrGSwdB	Domus Dei Chapter	5151
201	WHITE	Derek Ernest	PPrGSwdB	Wayfarers Chapter	5740
202	TALBOT	Kelvin Paul	PPrGSwdB	Twynham Chapter	5889
203	CLEAL	Christopher John	PPrGSwdB	Test Valley Chapter	6181
204	WILLIAMS	Peter Stanley A	PPrGSwdB	Semper Fidelis Chapter	6664
205	GREGORY	Peter Wyn	PPrGSwdB	Richard Taunton Chapter	7050
206	HENWOOD	David Francis	PPrGSwdB	St Mary Chapter	7304
207	SEYMOUR	Graham	PPrGSwdB	Vyne Chapter	7612
208	SHUTTLEWORTH	William Byron	PPrGSwdB	Vyne Chapter	7612
209	THAIN	William George	PPrGSwdB	Vyne Chapter	7612
210	DIXON	Peter John	PPrGSwdB	Vectensian Chapter	7852
211	HARTLAND	Anthony Peter	PPrGSwdB	Norman Gate Chapter	8116
212	REES MBE	David John	PPrGSwdB	Drayton Chapter	8832
213	ACKROYD	David	PPrGSwdB	Chapter of Maturity	9390
214	COLLINS	Stuart James	PPrGSwdB	Chapter of Maturity	9390
215	DAVIS	Christopher William	PPrDepGReg	Gosport Chapter	903
216	O'BRIEN	Terence Anthony	PPrDepGReg	Gosport Chapter	903
217	ROWE	Brian Victor	PPrDepGReg	Gosport Chapter	903
218	CHRISTIAN	John Owen	PPrDepGReg	Petersfield Chapter	928
219	REYNOLDS	Roger Harold	PPrDepGReg	Prince Edward Chapter	1903
220	WHITE	Roderick Kenneth	PPrDepGReg	Beach Chapter	2475
221	MORRIS	Andrew Rhys	PPrDepGReg	Victory Chapter	3509
222	ILLINGSWORTH	Nicholas William	PPrDepGReg	Wolvesey Chapter	6818
224	TAUTZ	Peter Andrew H	PPrDepGDC	East Medina Chapter	175
225	LANCASTER	Simon Paul	PPrDepGDC	Chapter of Concord	394
226	TANN	James Thomas M	PPrDepGDC	Prince Edward Chapter	1903
227	SPRAY	Robin Paul Lionel	PPrDepGDC	St Lawrence Chapter	2016
228	MARSHALL	Timothy John	PPrDepGDC	Kings Court Chapter	8441
229	BANHAM	Simon	PPrDepGSwdB	Panmure Chapter	723
230	LEMM	John Philip	PPrDepGSwdB	Carnarvon Chapter	804
231	STARKEY	William Gilbert	PPrDepGSwdB	Alverstoke Chapter	1705
232	HITCHCOCK	Paul	PPrDepGSwdB	Landport Chapter	1776
233	MATTHEWS	Anthony Robert	PPrDepGSwdB	Chine Chapter	1884
234	SANDERS	Peter John	PPrDepGSwdB	Prince Edward Chapter Hampshire Chapter of	1903
235	EVANS	David Lloyd	PPrDepGSwdB	Emulation	1990
236	GREEN	Rodney Bernard	PPrDepGSwdB	Octa Chapter	4397
237	HARRIS	Michael William	PPrDepGSwdB	Norman Gate Chapter	8116
238	ALEXANDER	Howard Duncan	PPrDepGSwdB	Wessex Chapter of Fidelity	8681
239	CAMBRIDGE	John Martin	PPrDepGSwdB	Drayton Chapter	8832

First Appointments – Companions

ID	Name	Forenames	Rank	Chapter	No
240	CHARTRES	Derek Roy	PPrAGSE	Albany Chapter	151
241	SMITH	Kenneth Boyd	PPrAGDC	Chapter of Emulation	1990
242	TAYLOR	Norman Edwin Brian	PPrAGDC	Barton Court Chapter	5468

Item 14. The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent's Address to the Companions

Companions: for many years Grand Superintendents have had the pleasure of congratulating those appointed and promoted at an Annual Provincial Convocation, also observing that with the privilege of Provincial Office, both acting and past, comes an expectation, and – yes – a responsibility, to seek ways to communicate your love of Royal Arch Masonry, both to the newer members of your Chapters and to those in your Craft Lodges who are yet to complete their journey in Pure Antient Masonry.

These observations hold as true today as they have in the past. Today is about you, what you have achieved and what – I hope – you will go on to achieve. But this is also an unusual year; this time last year we took a decision to reappoint all the Acting Provincial Officers, which means that all new appointments made this year were to Past Rank.

To the reappointed Acting Provincial Officers, I know you will enjoy what I hope will be a full year of masonic activity, I know you will bond and make new friends, but please do not feel that you must attend visits if at any time you feel uncomfortable doing so; we must all ease our way back into masonic meetings at our own pace.

To the newly appointed Past Provincial Officers, I understand that some of you will be disappointed in not having Acting rank this year. Please do be assured that if you are keen on having Acting rank, and worthy of that privilege, then we will make that happen for you. It may take two or three years to fully resolve, but you will not be forgotten.

You may have observed that this year – and I believe for the first time in this Province – we have presented Certificates of Appointment to the Acting Provincial Officers, and that is something that I will continue in future years. An Acting Provincial Rank is something that the Companion receiving the office will remember for years to come, and I want each Companion so appointed to also have a tangible recognition of what should be a very special year.

Companions, the Grand Superintendent's Charity for the past two years has been MacMillan Cancer Support, obviously both the Charity and our fundraising for the Charity have been impacted by the Pandemic; in effect we were only six months into the 2019 Masonic season when official visits to Chapters ceased. However, several individuals and Chapters continued to make significant contributions; I don't want to single anyone out, but you know who you are, and please know you have not only my grateful thanks, but the thanks of those who will ultimately benefit from your charitable giving. Together with Gift Aid you, the Companions of this Province, have helped raise over £28,000, and the Provincial Grand Charity Steward and I will ensure every penny reaches that very worthy Charity.

So now is the moment for me to announce the Grand Superintendent's Charity for the coming year, which is The Guide Dogs for the Blind Association. Having this Charity for this year enables us to make a real difference for a relatively small fundraising target; small because we are all easing our way back, and also because I want us to be able to provide support to both the Craft and Mark, who both have ongoing Festival Appeals. More on that later.

Companions, some of the issues we will encounter in the future I can't deal with alone, you can't deal with alone, but together we have a good chance of overcoming any adversity.

I spent some time as Second Provincial Grand Principal saying that I felt we all had a duty to leave the Royal Arch in a better state than we inherited it in; that doesn't have to mean increased numbers, events such as Pandemics and financial crashes are turbulences that cannot be controlled, but we can ensure the foundations are in place which give us resilience for the future.

I was discussing this a couple of years ago with one Companion who said that he preferred to enjoy the moment and let the future look after itself. And that put me in mind of juggling. At some time in

our lives, we have probably all admired the ability of a juggler, catching, not dropping. Catching reliably is his goal, yet catching is the last thing the juggler worries about. When learning to juggle, a juggler first learns to throw, reliably and consistently.

So, if resilience for the future is my goal for the Royal Arch, that Companion was right, enjoying the moment is the throwing of the ball, it is the first thing we need to ensure happens reliably and consistently; if more of us enjoy our Freemasonry then the future could, and probably will, look after itself.

At my Installation, some five weeks ago, I put enjoyment front and centre of my Address. But not just enjoyment of the Royal Arch, because if a Brother does not enjoy his Craft masonry he is much less likely to stay in masonry and therefore much less likely to join our Order. Enjoyment therefore has to pervade everything we do, both in our Craft Lodges and in our Chapters. For that reason I am very pleased that in this, as in so many matters, the Provincial Grand Master and I are of the same mind.

Enjoy your Freemasonry, Companions, and please don't be shy about communicating that enjoyment to those in your Lodges and Chapters. I would like to think that we now have a window of spiritual opportunity to promote the Royal Arch. When the time feels right for you, try to make one extra visit every year to a Lodge or Chapter that you would not normally visit, and perhaps take someone with you. It would make such a difference to the atmosphere at those meetings, enhancing the enjoyment of all those present. At the same time, Companions, please continue to look after and gently encourage those who may still feel anxious about returning at this time.

As ever, Companions, our thanks are due to all those who have toiled behind the scenes to ensure the success of today's Provincial convocation.

My grateful thanks to the Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra, E Comp Tony Tykocki, the Deputy Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra, E Comp Graham Wisely, the Dining Steward, E Comp Ross Lucas-Young, and all those assisting in the administration of today, together with the Provincial Grand Director of Ceremonies, E Comp Chris Davis, and his team of Deputies for looking after the ceremonial aspects of this slightly different, but – I trust – enjoyable meeting.

Finally, my thanks to the Provincial Grand Janitor, E Comp Kevin Hutchins, assisted by his predecessor E Comp David Taylor and, of course, the Companions of the Provincial Grand Stewards Chapter many of whom have been here since the early hours of the morning and who willingly give their valuable time and assistance every year in preparing this room for the Provincial Convocation and then assist the Novotel staff in transforming this room into somewhere we can dine.

I am grateful for your attention – have a safe homeward journey and may the God of our Fathers be with you.

Item 15. To conduct any further General Business

(a) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent announced that he had re-appointed the following as Group Area Representatives:

Aldershot	EComp Nigel Edwards	PAGDC
Bournemouth	EComp Andrew Weldycz	PGStB
Cosham	EComp John Meaden	PPrGSN
Gosport	EComp Malcolm Stevens	PAGDC
Isle of Wight	EComp Wayne Jones	PAGDC
Portsmouth	EComp Mark Orsmond	AGDC
Southampton	EComp Alex Honeyman	PAGDC

The most Excellent Grand Superintendent has been pleased to appoint the following Companion with effect from the 1st of September 2021.

Winchester	E. Comp. Paul Philp	ProvDEpGSwdB
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(b) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent announced that he had re-appointed the following as Group Area Almoners:

Aldershot	Comp Brian Lawrence	
Bournemouth	E Comp Keith Brookman	PAGDC
Cosham	E Comp Peter Buchanan	PPrGSwdB
Gosport	E Comp David Stevenson	PPrGReg
Isle of Wight	E Comp Michael Fuller	PGStB
Portsmouth	E Comp Bryan James	PAGDC
Winchester	E Comp Malcolm Collier	PPrGReg

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent has been pleased to appoint the following Companion with effect from the 1st of September 2021

Southampton

E Comp John Stovell

PPrGAlm

(c) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent in recognising that Supreme Grand Chapter has made it clear that there is a need for Royal Arch Provincial Communications Officers, has asked the Craft Provincial Communications Officer, E. Comp Roger Maber, to undertake the same role for Chapter. E. Comp. Roger Maber has accepted the position. It is likely that this will become an Office with collar and jewel before too long.

(d) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent invited the Past Grand Superintendent E. Comp. Maj. Dr. Roger Hugh Jago to make a presentation to the Province. E. Comp. Roger Jago spoke about the 'Thomas Harper' Royal Arch Breast jewel which he had purchased some years ago. Original Thomas Harper Jewels are highly prized in Masonic circles. E. Comp. Roger Jago had researched the history of this particular jewel and gave an interesting talk about it's history. (*Note; This talk was edited to be an illustrated magazine article and appeared in 'FMT', issue 57 Spring 2022 pages 56 & 57*).

E. Comp Roger Jago then presented the Jewel to the Province to be worn by the present Grand Superintendent and passed to his successor in perpetuity. The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent warmly thanked E. Comp Roger Jago for his very generous gift to the Province (*prolonged applause*).

(e) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent invited E. Comp. John Donoghue to present a poem to the Companions. He had previously heard the poem from E. Comp. John Donoghue and thought it would be interesting to the Companions. E Comp John Donoghue presented the poem in an excellent manner (*Applause*).

(f) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent spoke about the Chapter of Maturity. When this Chapter closed they gave away their funds to various Charities. £4000 to the Grand Superintendent's Charity, £2000 to the Provincial Almoners fund, £2000 to the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Grand Charity plus numerous other generous donations to Hospices and other worthy causes. As the Chapter was not yet erased from the Register of Supreme Grand Chapter, he was presenting them with the Certificate of Service to Royal Arch Masonry in this Province. This would recognise the contribution the Chapter had made during its existence, and at its closing.

(g) The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent presented a cheque for £1000 to The Provincial Grand Master, R.W.Bro. Jonathan Whittaker for the Festival Appeal. He also presented a cheque for £1000 to the Mark Provincial Grand Master, R.W.Bro. George Deacon for the Mark Festival Appeal. Both R.W.Bro. Jonathan Whittaker and R.W.Bro. George Deacon thanked the The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent for the generous donations. (*Applause*)

(h) The Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra reported that apologies had been received from the Most Excellent Grand Superintendents of other Provinces, together with a number of Official Guests, members of the Province of Hampshire and Isle of Wight, whose names had been recorded, All had expressed their best wishes to the Most Excellent Grand Superintendent and to the Province for an enjoyable and successful day.

(i) The Provincial Grand Scribe Ezra stated that the Annual Convocation next year will be held on **Saturday 11th June 2022 at The Novotel, Southampton.**

Item 15. To collect Alms

Alms were collected, while the closing Hymn "The God of Abraham Praise" was sung.

Item 16. To close Provincial Grand Chapter

The three Principals closed Provincial Grand Chapter in due form, and the first verse of the National Anthem was sung.

The Most Excellent Grand Superintendent then retired in procession, accompanied by the Second and Third Provincial Grand Principals, the Deputy Grand Superintendent, other Officers of Provincial Grand Chapter and the Official Guests.

Signed:

Most Excellent Grand Superintendent

Date: 11th June 2022

A. Tykocki, PAGSoj
Provincial Grand Scribe E