

William L. Elkins Lodge



F. & A. M. No. 271

Keystone Lodge No. 271, Constituted May 4, 1853
Covenant Lodge No. 456, Constituted January 12, 1870
Excelsior Lodge No. 491, Constituted March 18, 1871
William C. Hamilton Lodge No. 500, Constituted October 12, 1871
William L. Elkins Lodge No. 646, Constituted June 26, 1906
Matthias H. Henderson Lodge No. 661, Constituted September 17, 1909
Merged June 30, 2004



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Dear Brother:

A Stated Meeting of William L. Elkins Lodge, No. 271 Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in the Masonic Temple, One North Broad Street, Philadelphia on **Thursday evening, October 5, 2017 in Norman Hall at 7:00 o'clock PM**

Please RSVP no later than Sept. 28th if you plan to attend dinner at 6:30 pm

PROGRAM



The Northeast DeMolay will be presenting "The Shield Talk," an educational tool explaining the symbolism of the Emblem of the Order of DeMolay.

Agenda

Vote to reinstate Brother Walter J. Maylie, Jr., who was previously suspended and wishes to renew his membership

FREE PARKING IS AVAILABLE TO MEMBERS AND GUESTS AT THESE TWO LOCATIONS:

Parkway Garage at 12th and Filbert Streets (1201 Filbert Street).

Convention Center Parking Facility located at 1324 Arch Street.

PLEASE SEE THE SENIOR WARDEN FOR YOUR PAYMENT TICKET

COMMITTEE ON INSTRUCTION

Committee on Instruction will meet at 7:00 PM
on **Monday, October 16th, 2017** at the Tacony Masonic Temple,
4400 Magee Avenue, Philadelphia PA

All elective and appointed officers should attend; members are invited and encouraged to participate and become more active in Lodge. If you have ambitions to become an Elective or Appointed Officer, please attend and learn the work of the chairs.



Brother:

It is time to begin paying dues for 2018.

If you still owe your 2017 dues, please pay immediately to avoid possible suspension. Send a **\$75.00** check or money order made payable to: **William L. Elkins Lodge # 271** and mail to:

Justin Becker, Secretary
1134 Tree Street
Philadelphia, PA 19148

Fifty year and Life members are exempt from dues. Members may also use PayPal, but please be aware of an additional \$3 fee. If you are currently experiencing financial difficulty, please notify the Secretary, and the Lodge will do what it can to help you avoid suspension.

Applicants for Almoner's Fund

The Lodge Almoner's fund is available to aid and assist all worthy and distressed members and their families. Please notify **Richard K. Schoeniger**, Chairman, at **215-342-4372**, if you are aware of any qualified applicants who may need assistance. All inquiries will be handled on a confidential basis. Use of Almoner's funds must be approved by Lodge vote.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Philadelphia Regional Instructor –S. Curtis Barrett, PM

Tacony School

Tacony Masonic Temple
4400 Magee Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19135
Meets 3rd Monday at 7:30 PM

Temple School

Masonic Temple
One North Broad Street
Philadelphia, PA 19107
Meets 4th Tuesday at 7:30 PM



Jenkintown School

Jenkintown Masonic Temple
443 Old York Road (Rt. 611)
Jenkintown, PA 19046
Meets 1st & 3rd Tues at 7:30

COMING EVENTS

"Harvest Fest" District Picnic, October 7th, 12-6 PM, Alverthorpe Park, Jenkintown

Tacony School of Instruction, October 16th at 7:30 PM

Extra Meeting, October 18th at 7:00 PM

Autumn Day, October 21st, 10 AM – 3 PM, Masonic Village, Elizabethtown

EXTRA MEETING

An Extra Meeting will be held **Wednesday, October 18th at 7:00 PM in Oriental Hall.**

Brother Jonathan S. Lomonico will be **passed** from Entered Apprentice to **Fellowcraft Mason.**

Refreshments in Temple Dining Room, 6:30 PM

Please RSVP if you plan to attend dinner

**LIVING PAST MASTERS
WILLIAM L. ELKINS LODGE No. 271**



Richard H. Wilson, 1957
Rudolph B. Smith, III, 1962, 1981
William E. Fischer, 1965
Donald W. Bubeck, Sr., 1968
Samuel A. Schafer, 1968
William J. Eichelberger, 1969, 1971, 1972, 1993, 1995
John A. Roth, Jr., 1970
John J. Morrison, 1971
Frank W. Podrebarac, PDDGM, 1972, 1979, 1980
John H. Wilson, Jr., 1973
Charles E. Entrekin, 1974, 1996
A. Mercer Quinby, III, 1975
W. Daniel Joseph, 1976
John B. Leister, 1977
Steven W. Rose, 1979
Donald W. Ewing, 1980
Theodore F. Hassell, 1980
David Milliken, 1980
R. Robert McElwee, 1981
Daniel J. Hinds, 1982, 1983^
Thomas J. Miller, Jr., PDDGM, 1983, 1994
Frank A. Aitken, III, 1984

Richard A. Booth, 1986
Charles A. Bowers, 1986, 1987
John V. D'Ascenzo, 1987
James A. DeFrates, 1988, 1989#
Paul A. Little, 1990, 1999
William J. McGonigle, 1992, 1993^
Thomas J. Penn, 1992
Stephen J. Craiter, 1993
Donald G. MacDonald, 1994, 1995, 1998
Roger W. Hallowell, 1996, 1997#
Patrick M. Lampley, 1996
Timothy M. Radtke, 1997, 1998
James F. Johnson, 2000
J. Norman Welsh, Jr., 2002, 2008, 2009**, 2016**
Emory H. Merryman, Jr., 2000, 2003, 2010*
Robert H. Henriksson, 2001, 2002
Bekir Karabucak, 2002
Robert F. Hettinger, 2003, 2004
R. David Cowen, 2005, 2006
Robert L. Strickland, 2007, 2008, 2010
Thomas C. Tennesen, 2009
Patrick F. Kennedy, 2011, 2012
Jeffrey S. Henley, 2013, 2014
James F. Elgert, 2015, 2016

* Elkton Lodge No. 74, Virginia
 ** Joseph H. Brown Lodge No. 751
 # Suspended
 ^ Transferred

MEMBERSHIP

Membership September 2017	Petitions	Reinstated, Admitted, or Entered	Resignations or Suspensions	Deaths	Membership Today
239	1	1	1	1	238

October Masonic Birthdays

Harold N. Williams, 75 years	Howard L. Hausher, 69 years
Harry K. Myers, 61 years	Edmund R. Shiffer, 61 years
James M. Sands, 55 years	John H. Wilson, Jr., 49 years
William D. Joseph, 49 years	Luther R. Royds, 48 years
Samuel R. Jacobson, 42 years	Robert Kochersperger, Jr., 40 years
Donald R. Poole, 32 years	Thomas J. Penn, 30 years
Harry B. Rutter, Jr., 27 years	Richard J. Zambino, 20 years
Bryan D. Beyer, 7 years	Manfred Brenes, 7 years
Timothy N. Jadczyk, 7 years	Steven J. Mackay, 7 years
Jon P. McCann, 7 years	Patrick Q. O'Kane, 7 years
Jason M. Rafferty, 7 years	Bryan M. Urbanski, 7 years
Jason P. Wall, 7 years	Wayne J. Warren, 7 years
Kyle D. Stanley, 6 years	Jeffrey J. George, 5 years
Kevin M. Moriarty, 5 years	Jason L. Sweeney, 5 years
Sean M. Northrop, 4 years	Justin A. Becker, 2 years
Eric M. Weaver, 2 years	Sean M. Toy, 2 years
Owen T. Radtke, 1 year	Joseph T. Viola, 1 year

In Memoriam

Brother George J. Hahn, Past Master
Entered June 20, 1984, passed away August 19, 2017





**Districts
A & D
Grand
Harvest Fest
October 7th 12 to 6 pm**

Alverthorpe Park
Jenkintown Rd & Forrest Ave.
Jenkintown PA 19046
RSVP to : The Secretary of your Lodge
Please RSVP by September 22nd

Enjoy a day of food &
fun with your brothers
and family members.

Par 3 Golf
Fishing
Boat house
Washers
Play Ground
Badminton
Or bring your favorite
Lawn game

