

PAST PRESIDENTS

William Eammons PM	1954-1958
George Easdale PGC	1958-1960
William Aitken PSGD	1960-1962
William Cochran PGC	1962-1964
Robert Stewart	1964-1966
William Aitken PSGD	1966-1968
Peter Gray Jr PGC	1968-1970
John H MacQuaide PDDGM	1970-1972
John Gibb PM	Nov. 3-15, 1972
Andrew Ferguson PGC	1972-1975
Kenneth Baird PM	1975-1977
Robert Baird PM	1977-1978
Claude Van Stone PGM	1978-1980
Alexander V Gibson PGC	1980-1982
Robert J Rankin PGC	1982-1984
Herbert N Boyd PGM	1984-1986
Michael E Porter Sr GC	1986-1988
David V McQueen PGC	1988-1990
Walter S Elliott PDDGM	1990-1992
Robert P Barnicoat PGC	1992-1994
Stanley Reeck PGC	1994-1996
Charles Lawson PGC	1996-1998
Frederick I Waldron PDDGM	1998-2000
Richard C Petermann PDDGM	2000-2002
Scott D Porter PM	2002-2004
Neal A McCarthy PSGD	2004-2006
Kevin A DeFeo PM	2006-2007
George A Olsen PDDGM	2007-2009
John G McComb	2009-2012
David R Tweed Sr SGM	2012-2014
J. Eugene Margroff GMar	2015-2016

HONOURARY MEMBERS

MW Kenneth L Larson	PGM 1978
MW Raymond P Bellini	PGM 1988
MW Francis R Mitchell	PGM 1993
MW Daniel M Wilson	PGM 2004
MW John S Ryan	PGM 2007
MW Joseph H Rival Jr *	PGM 2010
MW Glenn R Trautmann	PGM 2011
MW Anthony W Montuori	MWGM 2015

There are also Honourary Members in Scotland

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— Founded 1914 —

Business Meetings (8:00 pm)

The Fourth Friday in February

The Visitation closest to the
Second Friday in September

The Visitation closest to the
Second Friday in November

Boiling Spring Lodge

169 Park Avenue
Rutherford, NJ 07070

Grand Master of Masons
MW Anthony W Montuori
Honourary Kiltie

**This Trestle Board is dedicated
to all our Departed Brethren**

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<http://masonickilties.org>

President's Message

Brother Kiltie;

Spring will soon be upon us, birds chirping, a warm in the air, plants will sprout and flowers will bloom. This cycle has been going on for thousands of years, and is outlined in Ecclesiastes 3. There is much more in that Biblical reading which may pertain. But a month and a half ago we were inundated with a storm that covered a great part of our state and forced the cancellation of our annual celebration of Robert Burns. Though there were efforts to reschedule, those efforts did not come to fruition, as there were numerous conflicts. As that would have been a time for celebration, now is the time for work. The good news is everyone was safe, but we lost a total of \$500 in miscellaneous funds related to that evening that could not be recouped. We are financially stable and OK, however a couple of the customary donations we make as a group might be in jeopardy. How can I help, you say? Though I was really looking forward to greeting all of you at our Burns' Night, I will have to wait until our Visitations to do so. In a manner of speaking, attending is the best way, but as you can see we currently have only 2 events scheduled in the spring. So talking us up in your lodges and districts will hopefully bring more invitations. Since we work on a donation basis this will certainly help. I do look forward to seeing all of you soon. We also have a pending request to serve as the color guard for our Brother Kiltie MW Anthony W Montuori GM on Wednesday April 27, 2016 at the Opening of the Grand Lodge Communication.

Fraternally, *Gene*

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<https://www.facebook.com/groups/MasonicKilties>

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Kilties' Kalendar

Spring 2016

Wednesday, February 16, 2016 6:00 pm

- **Spring Business Meeting** at Essex Lodge #7, 8 Small Avenue, Caldwell
- Voting on Visitations and Petitions for Membership
- Such other Business as may properly come before us
- **DRESS SMART CASUAL**

Friday, March 4, 2016 4:00 pm

- **Open Installation** of the Grand Council R&SM of NJ, Somerset Holiday Inn, 195 Davidson Avenue, Somerset
- The incoming Grand Master is a Kiltie
- You do NOT need to be a member of the Council
- **WEAR THE KILT!**

Thursday, April 21 16, 2016 8:30 pm

- **Visitation** to Copestone-Ophir Lodge #108, 225 Kearny Avenue, Kearny
- The Kilties will confer the Second Section of the MM Degree upon Candidates in Waiting
- Dinner will be served at 6:30 pm
- **WEAR THE KILT!**

Wednesday, April 27 16, 2016 8:45 am

- **Honor Guard and Piper Escort** at the Opening of Grand Lodge, Bally's, Atlantic City
- Contact Mel Russen for more details
- **WEAR THE KILT!**

Wednesday, June 29 16, 2016 8:30 pm

- **Visitation** to Raritan Valley Lodge #46, 345 River Road, Montgomery Township
- The Kilties will confer the Second Section of the MM Degree upon Candidates in Waiting
- Dinner will be served at 6:30 pm
- **WEAR THE KILT!**

Check the Web Site for the latest updates:
<http://visitations.masonickilties.org>

Secretary's Corner

Brother Kiltie;

More and more, we are relying on email to communicate schedule changes and conduct straw polls. If you have access to email and are NOT getting email from the Masonic Kilties Yahoo Group, then you are missing out!

If you have a Yahoo account, you can join here:
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/MasonicKilties/join>

If not, please send an email to:

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Please note that Yahoo no longer permits Group Moderators to add new members directly, so this is the only way you can get in on the fun, and receive the latest updates in a timely manner.

If you are comfortable getting the Kilties' Trestle Boards by email ONLY, no hard copy in the mail, please let me know by sending an email to me at the address below. You will still receive at least one paper copy a year (the summons for the Annual General Meeting).

Please take a moment to check the date of your Kilties' Dues Card carefully (or the date following your name on the envelope this Trestle Board came in). If it is 2014 or earlier, then you are now in Arrears of Dues, and subject to Suspension — so please send me your Dues (and Arrears, if any): only \$2 per year (you may pay ahead as many years as you wish) payable to "The Masonic Kilties of N.J."

If you would like to upgrade to LIFE Membership, if you have a question about your Dues status, or feel that you have paid up to a later year than the one shown, please let me know as soon as possible.

Fraternally,

Frederick I Waldron

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Call me, or download one from the Web Site:

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