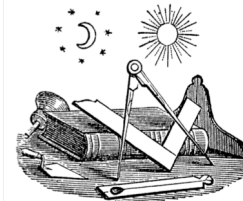


LODGE OFFICERS 2017-2018

Worshipful Master	RtWBro Stewart Grant
Immediate Past Master	VWBro Alan Gale
Senior Warden	VWBro David Slater
Junior Warden	WBro Phillip Lye
Chaplain	RtWBro Samuel Tov-Lev
Treasurer	VWBro Neil Morse
Secretary	VWBro Ian Shanley
Director of Ceremonies	RtWBro Geoff Ludowyk
Senior Deacon	WBro Stephen Hodgson
Junior Deacon	RtWBro Stephen Hayne
Steward	VWBro Tom Hall
Inner Guard	WBr Justin Patey
Tyler	On Rotation

Toasts

Queen	WM
GM	WM
WM and Officers	MW Bro Greg Levenston
Installing Master	WBr Justin Patey
Visitors	WBr Joseph Fairchild
Final Toast	Junior Warden



Lodge Secretary

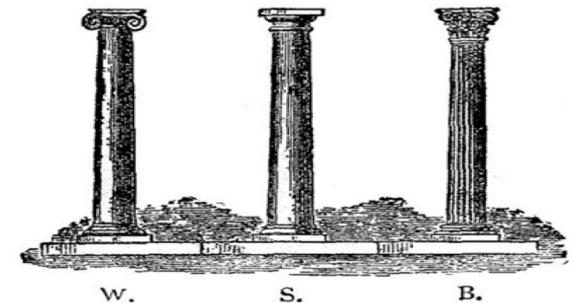
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DISCOVERY LODGE OF RESEARCH

#971 UNITED GRAND LODGE OF NSW & ACT



Dear Bro

The Worshipful Master

RtWor Bro Stewart Grant

kindly requests your presence for the Discovery Lodge of Research **Installation Meeting**.

Tying at **6:30 pm** on **Thursday** the **1st March 2018**, at the Sydney Masonic Centre.

Fraternally,
VW Bro Ian Shanley

Dues for 2018 are now payable to the account below

Name: The Discovery Lodge of Research No. 971

BSB : 062 - 475

Acct : 1018 3809

AGENDA

1. Open the Lodge
2. Minutes & Correspondence
3. Treasurers Report
4. Admission of Visitors
5. Re-Installation of WBro. Wayne McPhee for the 2018-2019 year
6. Sponsors: RtWBro Brian Lowder and VWBro Neil Morse
7. Board of Installed Masters
 - SW: VWBro David Slater
 - JW: WBro Philip Lye
 - IG: WBro Justin Patey
 - Third WT: WBro Stephen Hodgson
 - Second WT: Bro Ben Wharton
 - First WT: WBr Paulo Respicio
 - Address to WM: RtWBro Brian Lowder
 - Address to Wardens: WBro Patrick Spicer
 - Address to Brethren: RtWBro Geoff Ludowyk
8. Apologies
9. General Business
10. Close the Lodge

2018 CALENDAR

- June Meeting (Thurs, 7th Jun) – David Slater - The re-decoding of GLE ritual at the turn of the 19th Cent
- August Meeting (Thurs, 2nd Aug) – TBC
- ANZMRC Conference Melbourne (23 – 26 Aug)
- November Meeting (Thurs, 1st Nov) – Election of Officers

INSTALLATION BANQUET

Our Installation Banquet will have a dining fee of \$55 per person. Please advise the Secretary if you will be attending.

REHEARSAL

We have a rehearsal this month for the installation.

Where: Lodge Room 2 in the Sydney Masonic Centre

When: Monday 19th February 7:00pm

RESEARCH OUTREACH

RtWBro Richard Dawes has been working hard on a process for alerting newly Installed Masters to the resources of the Discovery Lodge. We will be launching this in March for a 3 month trial. Below is a sample of the form letter he has produced. Thankyou Br Dawes!

Dear Wor Bro Smith,

Congratulations on being selected to lead your lodge for the next twelve months.

Each lodge night you will hear the IPM tell you that your duties include ‘employing and instructing the brethren in Freemasonry’. Sometimes the ‘instructing’ can get lost in the pressure of organising the ritual side of the Masonic Year!

The Discovery Lodge of Research can help fill the gap. We can provide:

- Access to the wide world of Masonic Knowledge.
- A speaker who can discuss how to set about Masonic Research.

Discovery Lodge of Research does not Initiate, Pass or Raise candidates so is not competition for your lodge. But we do provide a ‘second’ lodge experience for young, keen Masons who are enthusiastic about the concepts of Masonic Knowledge and Research. You may well consider pointing such Masons in our direction rather than have them ‘drift away into the seldom seen’ category’.

Our lodge has a traveling charter and we are planning our regional meetings right now. We invite you to contact us and discuss what we can do for your lodge – and the general concepts of Masonic Research as they affect the average Mason.

Of course, we can come to you - or you are welcome to visit us! Let’s talk and see how we can support each other.

Fraternally,