



# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026



## Stated Meetings

We are a moon lodge; our meetings are held on the Friday coinciding with or immediately following the full moon

January 09, 2026  
February 06, 2026  
March 06, 2026  
April 03, 2026  
May 01, 2026  
June 05, 2026  
October 02, 2026  
October 30, 2026  
November 27, 2026  
December 04, 2026

Dinner at 6:30pm  
Meeting at 7:30pm

**Masonic  
Education,  
Ritual Practice,  
and Fellowship**

Thursday evenings  
at 6:00pm



## Words from the East

Brethren, the wise and virtuous men who established our fraternity in its present form took great care to set forth a standard of practice and behavior, inspired by holy scripture, that reflect the principles of our craft. In its purest form Masonic knowledge is transmitted from mouth to ear. This is both a reflection of the sacred, secret nature of our relationships as Masons and of the intimate personal connections between us as members of the craft.

It is by hearing that we receive the greatest and most important part of our knowledge. The attentive ear receives the sound from the instructive tongue and thus are transmitted, unimpaired, the most excellent tenets of our institution.

Nevertheless, over the centuries, the best and brightest among us have seen fit to set down in writing those valuable lessons. After a decade of learning and reflecting on these teachings, illuminated by a lifetime spent studying the holy scripture from which they are drawn, I have come to conclude that everything I need to know about governing myself before God and man can be found in the principles of Masonry.

During the long, still nights of this season, let us all, according to his own tradition, reflect on the sacred teachings that inspire the best and noblest aspects of man's character.

My Brothers, we have business to attend to even during this peaceful holiday season. On January 7, 2026 we will be hosting the first District Lodge of Instruction for the 15th Masonic District this year. I will be communicating separately with those whose efforts preparing the repast and readying the Lodge for the reception of visitors will be required. All Master Masons should make an effort to attend, looking and acting in a manner consistent with the occasion and projecting the best qualities of Hightstown Apollo Lodge.

Our first Communication of the year will be on January 9, 2026. All Lodge member should attend. Besides to regular business of the Lodge we will also review and by instruction endeavor to instill excellence in the ritual of all Lodge officers. The program will focus mainly on the organization and operation of the Lodge. Dates for the Chambers of Reflection as well as rehearsal for and conferral of Masonic degrees will also be discussed. Entered Apprentices and Fellow Craft Masons will be admitted to the Lodge after it has been opened and Labor brought down to the appropriate degree. Prospects are welcome to attend the pre-Lodge dinner, but will not be allowed in the Lodge room while we are at Labor.

I wish you all a lifetime of the best of what this holiday promises and look forward to another year of personal growth and Masonic service.

Sincerely and Fraternally,  
Michael Kraus, PM



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## Words from the West

First and foremost, I'd like to wish everyone happy holidays.

As we start the beginning of a new Masonic year, I look forward to it with anticipation. I want to thank the brothers for expressing their faith and trust by putting me in this position. I sit in the West by your good graces and can accomplish nothing without your support.

One of the questions that has always been on my mind is the often asked "why did I become a Mason?" I wanted to become a Mason because my Father was a Mason and member of Hightstown lodge. I feel that joining was one of the best things I have ever done. God bless you all.

Ron Mayer  
Senior Warden



## Words from the South

Dear Brethren,

Greetings from the south. Please accept my sincerest gratitude for your trust and allowing me to serve. Your trust helps me strengthen this core value of mine and improve upon my rough ashlar.

It's been said so many times that Freemasonry is needed now more than ever. This is something that I truly believe. In these times of unresolved differences, stifled thought, and silenced free speech, let us continue our tradition of the universality of men. Let us display the example that "all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights." The very air we breathe connects all men through history, being made of oxygen, carbon, and nitrogen molecules that have cycled through the air from the time of our most ancient ancestors. We inhale these same molecules today. This shows us that we are not so different after all, sustaining life through time. Let's bring this most solemn truth to our community by service done through kindness, and bring honor to our fraternity, lodge, and Worshipful Master. May the Almighty bless you all throughout 2026! Brethren, know this, I will always be here for you, stretching my cable-tow as far as it will allow.

Fraternally,  
Thomas Peter Reynold

**"When the Master governs with wisdom and the Wardens uphold with loyalty, the Lodge stands firm and united"**



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## Your Lodge Officers

Worshipful Master	Michael Kraus PM
Senior Warden	Ronald Mayer PM
Junior Warden	Thomas Reynolds
Treasurer	Ernesto C. Somera PM
Secretary	Christopher Aiello PM
Chaplain	James Hauck PGC
Senior Deacon	Dominique Jennette
Junior Deacon	Conny Svensson
Sr Master of Ceremonies	Brett Scott
Jr Master of Ceremonies	Robert Meier
Senior Steward	Michael Shashoua
Junior Steward	Brian Yuro
Marshal	J. Dennis Cuan GC
Tyler	Earl C Groendyke PM
Historian	Alexander J.C. Bragat PDDGM
Proxy to Grand Lodge	Edgardo Villafuerte PM
Lodge Trustee	Earl Groendyke (2023)
Lodge Trustee (Chairman)	James Hauck PGC (2023)
Lodge Trustee	Matthew Beltran PM (2024)
Lodge Trustee	Alexander J.C. Bragat DDGM (2024)
Lodge Trustee	Ronald Herzog PGC (2025)
Lodge Trustee	Michael Shashoua (2025)

**“Lodge officers are not defined by the titles they hold, but by the service, example, and leadership they give to the Craft”**

## For Initiation or Advancement

### Knocking at the door

To be initiated Entered Apprentice

Christopher Felton  
Robert Yamson  
Sai Ronith Reddy Bongunoori  
Hakeem Bey  
Joseph Ragno III  
Jezreal Nazario  
Michael Deman

To pass to the Degree of Fellowcraft

To be raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason

**“In our efforts to grow the Craft, remember to guard the West gate”**





# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

## Living Past Masters

William Rowles 1972	Ronald Mayer 2006, 2010
Bob Sprout 1973	John Chobrda 2007
Gary Grubb 1976	Barry Cutler 2008
Wayne Hetzell 1976	John Chobrda 2008
Charles Stults III, PGC 1979	Earl Groendyke 2012
Peter McNulty 1980	Denis de Leon 2013
Francis Conway 1981	Robert Sullivan 2014
Wayne Hetzell 1985	Alexander Bragat, PDDGM 2015
Raj Sudarsanam 1988	James Hauck, PGC 2016, 2018
George Smith, PGC 1990	Ernesto Somera 2017
Thomas Estelle 1991,1993	Ronald Herzog PGC 2019
William A. Counterman 1994	Anthony Katawick 2020
James Mount, PGC 1995, 2001	Michael Kraus 2021
Gerald Fabisch 1997, 1998	Edgardo Villafuerte 2022
Mark Megee, PDDGM 1999	Matthew Beltran 2023
Carlos Rodriguez 2000	J. Dennis Cuan 2024 GC
Michael Lakat, PGP 2004	Christopher Aiello 2025

**“A Past Master never ceases to labor; his work may change, but his duty remains  
— to guide with wisdom, support with experience, and inspire by example”**

**2026 Dues have been assessed  
Payment of \$225.00 may be made by check payable to  
Hightstown Apollo Lodge No. 41  
PLEASE PAY YOUR DUES PROMPTLY**



# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

## Masonic Birthdays

William Duffy	January 13,2013
Paul Zeszotarski	January 13,2013

## Chronological Birthdays

Michael Kraus	January 04
Brian Kleman	January 09
Edgardo Villafuerte	January 11
Karl Daupan	January 15
John Hamilton	January 26



**“As the sun marks another year upon your journey, may the Great Architect of the Universe continue to guide your steps with light, wisdom, and brotherly love”**



# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41

## TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

### District Lodges of Instruction

Date	Day	Lodge	Agenda (All DLI's –Dinner at 6:15 pm -7:15pm Gavel)
January 7, 2026	Wed	HA41	Opening, Drop to FC, Close on FC, Ballot
February 4, 2026	Wed	GM270	1st Section of MM Degree – 4 candidates
March 4, 2026	Wed	A12	2nd Section of MM Degree – 5 candidates
March 9, 2026	Mon	TC5	GLI Rehearsal – NO DINNER – start 7pm (casual)
March 24, 2026	Tues	TC5	GLI Rehearsal – NO DINNER – start 7pm (casual)
April 1, 2026	Wed	TC5	Grand Lodge of Instruction
May 6, 2026	Wed	HA41	EA Degree, FC Degree (1st Section)
June 3, 2026	Wed	GM270	OPEN DLI – Gold Token Presentations
July 1, 2026			Dark for the summer
August 1, 2026			Dark for the summer
September 2, 2026	Wed	TC5	Rusty Mason, Lodge Protocol – nominations, elections, NPDs, etc.
October 7, 2026	Wed	A12	PMs only – Qualification Ceremony
November 3–5, 2026		Atlantic City	NJ Grand Lodge Session
December 2, 2026	Wed	TC5	Open, Close and Ballot from Advanced Stations

### Other Important Dates

Wed - Jan 14, 2026 - Amwell #12 Meeting; Dinner 6:15pm; Gavel at 7:15pm

Mon - Jan 19, 2026 - Gothic Mercer #270 Meeting Dinner at 6:00 pm Gavel at 7:15 pm

Wed - Jan 21, 2026 - Trenton Cyrus #5 Meeting Dinner at 6pm Gavel at 7:15pm

Wed - Jan 21, 2026 - Deputy School for Grand Staff

Sat - Jan 24, 2026 - GLI Winter Seminar [HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MRJ6C99D](https://tinyurl.com/mrj6c99d)

Sat - Feb 21, 2026 - Junior Grand Warden Reception - RSVP SOON!

Sun - Mar 15, 2026 - Grand Master's GALA "Remember the Ladies" at 2pm

Sun - May 3, 2026 - Masonic Clay Shoot - Lehigh Valley Sporting Clays - 8:15am



# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

## Grand Lodge Communication

THE **GRAND** MASTER IS PLEASED TO  
ANNOUNCE A NEW  
TRAVELLING MASON AWARD



## Voyager Award



🌐 Discover the Journey. Earn the Voyager Award.  
Experience Freemasonry like never before!

The Voyager Passport invites you to travel, explore, and celebrate the spirit of the Traveling Man — recording your visits, experiences, and milestones along the way.

As you journey, you'll strengthen your Masonic knowledge, build lifelong friendships, and bring new light back to your Lodge.

🦋 Earn Your Recognition:

**Journeyman Voyager Award** – for travels throughout New Jersey

**Master Voyager Award** – for travels within New Jersey and beyond  
Every trip brings you closer to growth, brotherhood, and achievement.

📖 Get your Passport today — start your journey as a Voyager!







# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

## **Grand Master's Festival of Trees Thank You All For Your Support!**

**A LIST OF OUR WINNERS BELOW  
SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!**



### 2025 Festival of Trees Winners

Station 1. It's Electric! – Deadra Petrosilli  
Station 2. Nerf – Mania – Monica Warner  
Station 3. Switch on the Holidays! – Bruce Zielinski  
Station 4. Home for the Holiday – Eulogio Gisma  
Station 5. Le Creuset Starter Set – Kieran McGarry  
Station 6. Arcade Games – Ed Priestly  
Station 7. Point Blank Gift Card & Accessories –  
David Czech  
Station 8. 20 Gun Storage Safe - Ed Priestly  
Station 9. Apple & Beats! – Kelly Wills  
Station 10. Gone Golfing – Stanley Nartowicz  
Station 11. Girly Girl Dream Room – William Stiner  
Station 12. The Chef's Prize – Kim Oneal  
Station 13. Life's a Beach! – David Lane  
Station 14. Light Up Your Journey – Lindsay Pondillo  
Station 15. Tailgating Party! – Mary Beth Fine  
Station 16. Junior Master Chef's Dream Kitchen –  
Victor Beltre  
Station 17. The Backyard Boss! – Jennifer Kafer  
Station 18. All Aboard – John Ballantyne  
Station 19. Tool Time! – Bonnie Layton  
Station 20. It's Showtime! Broadway Show Experience –  
Cathy Fusaro  
Station 21. Merry X-(Box) Mas – Erin Giuliano

Station 22. Gift Cards Galore! – Becky Turetzkin  
Station 23. Laundry Station! – Marjorie Hoffman  
Station 24. Hot Wheels! – Melissa Navarrete  
Station 25. Baby, it's Cold Outside – Resty Rivera  
Station 26. Lego World – Arlene Rhodes  
Station 27. A North Pole Christmas BBQ – Eric Futerman  
Station 28. For the love of Bags! – Jeannine Cali  
Station 29. Trim the Lawn & Tree! – Andrew Donaldson  
Station 30. Sailing Fishing, and Suds – Donna Migliorino  
Station 31. Barbie's Dream House – Lauren Kusznr  
Station 32. Toys, Toys, Toys! – Ann Banks  
Station 33. Virtual Reality & Switch – Tammy Steever  
Station 34. Tree of Learning – Heather Brady  
Station 35. Games and Fun! – Justin Lozano  
Station 36. PS5 Gaming Station – Rachel Thomson  
Station 37. Day at the Beach – Barbara Santamaria  
Station 38. Fireside Retreat – Jessica McCann  
Station 39. Sizzle and Smoke! – Chris Neff

#### Super Cash Raffle:

\$2,000 Winner: Tina Wolff  
\$3,000 Winner: Dawn Payne  
\$5,000 Winner: Nancy Ramos



SQUARE AND COMPASSION  
FOUNDATION

[www.festivaloftreesnj.org](http://www.festivaloftreesnj.org)





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## TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

### Masonic Events

*Celebrate America's 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with  
M.W. Omar S. Morris and the Square and  
Compassion Foundation at the:*

## *Grand Master's* **GALA**

**"REMEMBER THE LADIES"**



*On March 28, 1776, Abigail Adams wrote to her husband, John Adams,  
urging him to "remember the ladies" as our nation was being formed. Join  
us as we honor the past, celebrate the present, and embrace the promise of  
tomorrow.*

**March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 2:00 PM**

**The Liberty House, 76 Audrey Zapp Drive, Jersey City, NJ, 07305**

**Cost: \$125 Per Person + Dress Code: Black Tie**

RSVP Details: Reserve your ticket via electronic form at  
[tinyurl.com/gmgala26](https://tinyurl.com/gmgala26) (QR code below) & make check payable to "Team  
Morris NJ Grand Staff". It should be mailed to: R.W. Chris Roethke, 360  
Central Ave., Woodbury Heights, NJ 08097.

Deadline: Sunday, February 1st, 2025 or until sold out  
(only 300 tickets available)





# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

## 2026 **GRAND** MASTER'S GOLF OUTING Monday, June 1ST 10:00 AM \$175pp

**2026 GRAND MASTER'S GOLF OUTING**

All proceeds go to support the Grand Master's Charities!

Monday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026  
**PEDDIE GOLF CLUB**  
671 OLD YORK RD  
EAST WINDSOR, NJ 08520

Check-in with continental breakfast : 8:30am  
Shotgun start: 10:00am  
BBQ Lunch to follow

**\$175 - Per Player (Limit 80)**  
**\$50 - Lunch Only (Limit 20)**

Register now, space is limited!  
[torval.com/email/2026](https://www.torval.com/email/2026)



**PEDDIE GOLF CLUB**

**2026 GRAND MASTER'S GOLF OUTING**

**ABOUT THE OUTING**

Join us for a day of fellowship, fun, and philanthropy at the Grand Master's Golf Tournament, benefiting the Grand Master's Charities. This special event brings together Masons, friends, and community partners for a memorable day of golf, good food, and great company—all in support of a worthy cause.

**Date & Place**  
**JUNE 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026**  
671 Old York Rd  
East Windsor, NJ 08520

Sign up to be a Sponsor Now!  
<https://torval.com/umpgolf/2026>



**SPONSORSHIP**

Grand Master's Circle of Distinction Sponsors

Sponsor Type	Price	Includes
Gold	\$150	3rd Best Sign on course
Platinum	\$250	Platinum & Awards (2 available), Sponsor sign placed on cart
Silver	\$750	Silver Cart (2 available), Sponsor sign placed on cart
Gold	\$1,000 - \$999	1st Available, Sponsor Sign on cart
Platinum	\$2,500	Platinum on grounds, Includes Golf Postcard
Diamond	\$10,000	1st Available, Name on grounds, Includes Golf Postcard, Sponsor Sign on cart



## 2026 **GRAND** MASTER'S CRUISE JULY 30TH - AUGUST 8TH

*New Jersey*  
**Grand Master Cruise**  
*2026*



**Cruise Details:**

- Dates:** July 30th to August 8th, 2026
- Destinations:**
  - Bermuda
  - Phillipsburg, St. Maarten
  - San Juan, Puerto Rico
  - Lafayette, Haiti
- Departure/Return Port:** Cape Liberty, NJ

**BOOK NOW** *Seaview Travel LLC*  
Tricia Kuhn via phone: (609) 224-2551  
Margie Kuhn via phone: (609) 612-6040  
Email: [seaviewtravel@seaview.com](mailto:seaviewtravel@seaview.com)  
Office Hours: Mon to Fri, 9am to 5pm  
Sat: 10am to 3pm

**RN! Omar Morris and Lady**  
*Stephanie cordially invite you to a Caribbean adventure!*

Join us on Royal Caribbean's Independence of the Seas as we sail through the Caribbean and make lasting memories.

As an added treat, we will be celebrating Omar's 80th birthday to close out the adventure.

Booking through our group site provides access to private group events and gift giveaways—including Omar's birthday party!

*New Jersey*  
**Grand Master Cruise**  
*2026*

**Pricing Options via Seaview Travel LLC's Group Booking**

Please Keep in Mind:

- To take advantage of these rates, it is important to make a reservation and deposit as soon as possible. These rates are locked for a specific amount of rooms per room type and will be filled on a "first come, first served" basis.
- Once we meet our max. amount of rooms for a category, we are not able to add more rooms within that category at this price point. In the interim, the travel agent will explore other room options available to you and its corresponding cost.
- You will have until **May 2026** to cancel with a full refund of your deposit if you are no longer able to attend.
- The prices listed are for 2 people per room.

**Room Type/Price:**

- Promenade View Interior:** \$3,295.00 (20 cabins reserved)
- Connecting Promenade View Interior:** \$3,300.00 (20 cabins reserved)
- Ocean View Balcony:** \$4,541.00 (75 cabins reserved)
- Ocean View:** \$3,715.00 (175 cabins reserved)
- Green View:** \$3,695.00 (20 cabins reserved)
  - These ocean view options are the same type of room—the difference would just be location on the ship (ie closer to higher deck or forward or midships)
- Inside:** \$2,377.00 (175 cabins reserved)





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## SAVE THE DATE

SATURDAY FEB 21, 2026

FELLOWSHIP CENTER  
1114 OXMEAD RD, BURLINGTON, NJ



Masonic Charity Foundation of New Jersey,  
in conjunction with Cincinnati Lodge #3's  
Reception of the new Charity Foundation  
Trustee and Jr. Grand Warden,  
R.W. Glenn T. Visscher.





# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41

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## A NIGHT IN NASHVILLE

featuring music from Nashville

**MARCH 28TH**  
**STARTING AT 6PM**  
**COST: \$36.00**

**BYOB (Bring Your Own Beverage)**

Location: Crescent Shrine 700 Highland Ave. Westampton NJ

To pay via Zelle use  
the QR code or send to  
"NJSGM2026@Gmail.com"

To pay by Check, make payable to  
"Team Golway Staff Account"  
and mail to 1071 Bonnie Blue Cir.  
Williamston, NJ 08094







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**THE ROAST OF**  
SENIOR GRAND WARDEN  
**BERNARD 'BUD'  
MADGEY**

  
**THURSDAY,  
MARCH 26  
6:00 PM**

  
**MASONIC CLUB OF LYNDHURST  
316 RIVERSIDE AVE, LYNDHURST, NJ**

**\$50**



To RSVP & Purchase  
Tickets   
<https://is.gd/DdDQKI>

Price includes  
Food by Chef  
Serafin  
Cash Bar



# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

GRAND LODGE OF NEW JERSEY F&AM  
EDUCATION COMMITTEE



## WINTER SEMINAR



SATURDAY JANUARY 24 2026



**R.W. Joseph Barbara**

Past Aide to the Grand  
Master and Masonic Charity  
Foundation President

### LEADERSHIP

**TOPIC:** "Strategic Planning:  
A Blueprint for Masonic and  
Business Success" To think  
ahead- 1, 5, or 10 years and  
beyond will strengthen your  
lodge and the members in it  
to create long term results



**R.W. Arthur Campbell**

Past Grand Chaplain and  
Masonic Charity Foundation  
Trustee

### MEMBERSHIP

**TOPIC:** "A Freemason? What's  
That?" Ways to explain to  
others what Freemasonry is  
when considering potential  
members to join your lodge  
and how to keep them  
engaged



**Joshua Nay, P.M.**

Grand Commander of Grand  
Commandery of Knights  
Templar of Pennsylvania

### SYMBOLISM

**TOPIC:** "On The Three Lesser  
Lights: Placement, Symbolism  
and Geometry" With this  
deeper understanding of  
Masonic ritual, you will open  
your mind and ability to  
understand and instruct

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED, RSVP BY 1/15/26**  
**REGISTER AT: [HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MRJ6C99D](https://tinyurl.com/mrj6c99d)**

OPEN TO ALL FREEMASONS

8:15AM BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION 9:00AM-12:30PM SEMINAR  
DRESS CODE: BUSINESS CASUAL LOCATION: FELLOWSHIP CENTER  
1114 OXMEAD ROAD, BURLINGTON, NEW JERSEY



QUESTIONS? CONTACT R.W. MOHAMAD YATIM, G.E. AT  
484-995-3337 OR MAYATIM@HOTMAIL.COM







# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41

## TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

DURAND LODGE NO. 179

THE ANCIENT AND NOBLE SOCIETY OF

# STONECUTTERS

## INITIATION FUNDRAISER

**MAY. 16<sup>TH</sup>**  
**@ 1PM**

BE PART OF THE HUMOROUS  
WELCOMING OF PETE  
INTO THE NOBLE ORDER!

- ✓ INCLUDES A CUSTOM ROBE,  
STEIN AND OTHER UNNECESSARY  
BUT AWESOME TRINKETS!
- ✓ A ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME EVENT!  
(UNLESS WE DECIDE TO DO IT AGAIN)

PROCEEDS TO THE DURAND MASONIC CLUB  
(...AND POSSIBLY THERAPY FOR THE CANDIDATE)

**\$75**  
EVENT PRICE

NON-MASONS WELCOME  
21 YRS & OLDER

**INCLUDES:**  
GIFT BOX  
LUNCH  
DUFF BEER  
(OR ACCEPTABLE  
SUBSTITUTE)

**LOCATION:**  
DURAND MASONIC LODGE  
911 RICHMOND AVENUE  
POINT PLEASANT BEACH, NJ 08742  
(COLLATION ROOM)

LOWLY EXEMPLAR  
WM PETE HARRIS

CONTACT NUMBER 1.DURAND179@GMAIL.COM WITH QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS



PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE  
[DURANDLODGE.COM/STONECUTTERS](https://durandlodge.com/stonecutters)



# HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41 TRESTLEBOARD – JANUARY 2026

## In and About the Apartments



A new line of officers installed, continuing our commitment to brotherhood, service, and tradition in the  
Masonic Year 2026





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## Lodges of the 15<sup>th</sup> Masonic District

Lodge	Address	Meeting Schedule
<b>Trenton Cyrus 5</b>	131 Burd Street, Pennington	3rd Wed @ 7:00 PM every month; except Jul, Aug. Dinner at 6:00 PM before all Regular Communications.
<b>Amwell 12</b>	21 Bridge Street, Lambertville	2nd Wed @ 7:30 PM every month. Dinner at 6:30 PM. No meetings in Jul & Aug.
<b>Hightstown-Apollo 41</b>	535 North Main Street, Hightstown	Full Moon Friday or directly after the full moon. Dinner at 6:30 PM; gavel at 7:30 PM.
<b>Horizon Daylight 299</b>	2308 Burlington-Mt Holly Road, Burlington	2nd Wed of the month @ 10:00 AM.
<b>Gothic-Mercer 270</b>	3682 Nottingham Way, Hamilton Sq.	1st & 3rd Mon @ 7:30 PM. Dinner at 6:30 PM every month except Jul & Aug.





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## Welcome to the Hightstown-Apollo Lodge Masonic Legacy Project

The Hightstown-Apollo Lodge Legacy Project aspires to create a living archive, where the voices and experiences of our members resonate through interviews, anecdotes, and reflections. This digital repository will serve as a testament to the enduring principles, camaraderie, and contributions that have shaped our lodge.



Meet the Brethren

**RW Ron Herzog, PGC**

Brotherhood, Hospitality, and a Coyote Hat: A Tribute to Right Worshipful Ron Herzog



Meet the Brethren

**RW James Hauck  
PM, PGC**

Past Master 2016, 2018



Meet the Brethren

**WB Gerald Fabisch PM**

Past Master 1997, 1998



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100 Barrack Street  
Trenton, NJ 08608-2008  
[njglinfo@njmasonic.org](mailto:njglinfo@njmasonic.org)  
609.239.3950

## Grand Lodge of New Jersey

### Mission Statement

*Freemasonry promotes a way of life that binds like-minded men with the principles of Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth in order to serve God, Family, Country, Neighbor and self.*

Most Worshipful Omar S. Morris, Grand Master  
100 Barrack St  
Trenton, NJ 08608  
[omarmorris@gmail.com](mailto:omarmorris@gmail.com)  
Phone (718) 809-7294

Right Worshipful Bruce C. Golway, Deputy Grand Master  
Right Worshipful Bernard J. Madgey, Senior Grand Warden  
Right Worshipful Glenn T. Visscher, Junior Grand Warden  
Most Worshipful Douglas R. Policastro, PGM, Grand Treasurer  
Most Worshipful Larry S. Plasket, PGM, Grand Secretary



Our primary method of communication with members is through our email list. If you are not receiving our emails, please contact our Secretary at [hightstownapollo41@gmail.com](mailto:hightstownapollo41@gmail.com)

We also use the **Signal app** to share time-sensitive updates, such as reminders and information about weekend meetups. If you would like to be added to our Signal group, install the Signal app and scan the QR code



HIGHTSTOWN-APOLLO LODGE NO. 41  
Hightstown, New Jersey 15th Masonic District  
Established 1856 by Charter of the Grand Lodge of New  
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