



Acacia Lodge #49

on the Registry of the
Antient and Honorable Fraternity
Of Free & Accepted Masons
of
the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick
115 Queen Street
Moncton, New Brunswick, Canada

Summons for Monday March 23rd , 2026

Dear Sir and Brother,

Worshipful Master John Roberts has summoned you to attend the next regular communication of Acacia Lodge #49 to be held at the Moncton Masonic Temple on:

Monday March 23rd 2026, at 7:30 pm

**practice to be held Sunday Mar 22 7:30pm at Moncton Masonic Temple*

Regards,

WB Brian Rich
Secretary Acacia Lodge #49

Message From The East

Brethren,

Welcome to March! As the last of winter begins to loosen its grip, we stand on the cusp of melting snow and dissolving ice. Soon we will hear the first birds returning and see the gentle re-emergence of flowers pushing through the soil and reaching toward the sky. Spring is just around the corner.

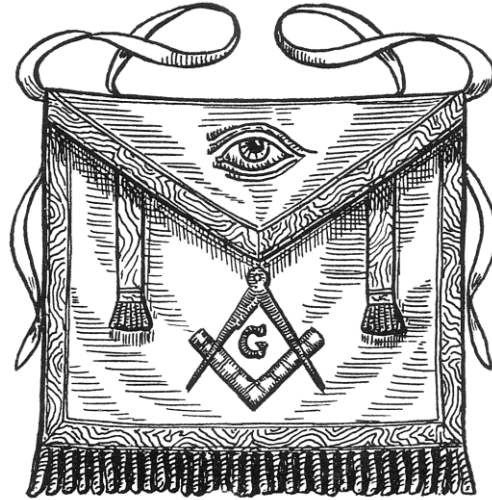
This month promises to be an especially meaningful one for our Lodge. We look forward to witnessing our newest Master Masons take their final step and, upon completion, be seated in their respective offices. It is truly a wonderful time to be installed, and an exciting moment in the life and growth of our Lodge.

As always, our time together will include a brief moment of Masonic education. This month we will draw an unexpected lesson from the golden age of silent and early black-and-white cinema. One half of the legendary comedy duo Laurel and Hardy offers us a thoughtful reflection on dignity in the face of humility. The life and character of Oliver Hardy reminds us that wisdom can be found in the most unexpected places, and that such lessons can guide us each and every day.

I look forward to our time together in fellowship and labour.

Fraternally.

WB John Roberts
Acacia Lodge #49



Regular Agenda

7:30pm : Open Lodge

Drape Charter for Larry McLaughlin

Agenda

Reports

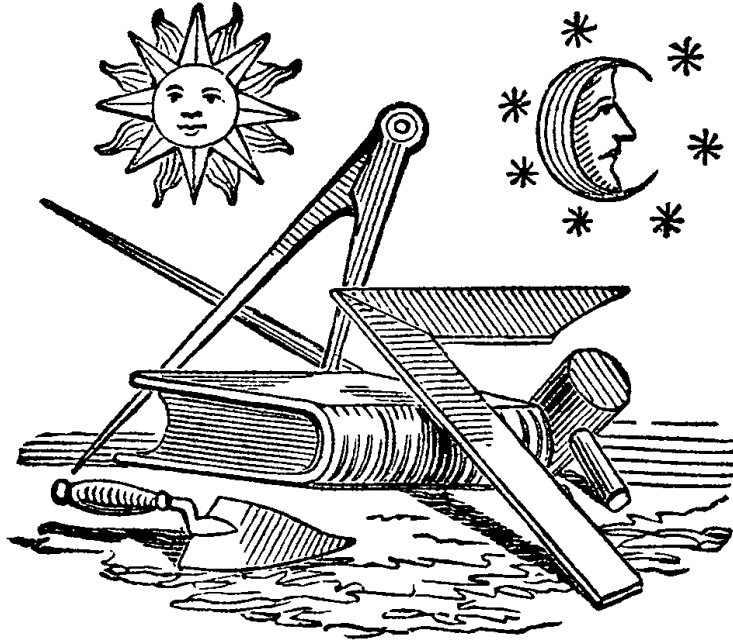
Degree Work

Installations

Education 'Dignity in Black and White'

Closing of Lodge

Refreshments



Officers of Acacia Lodge:

Worshipful Master : W. Bro. John Roberts

Immediate Past Master: W. Bro. Alexander Madsen

Senior Warden: Bro. Charles Losier

Junior Warden: W. Bro. Jeremy Reid

Chaplain: RW. Bro. George Bowness

Treasurer: W. Bro. Harry A. Grant

Secretary: W. Bro. Brian Rich

Senior Deacon: Bro. Von Manuel

Junior Deacon: Bro. Serge Bourdreau

Senior Steward: Bro. David Robichaud

Junior Steward: open

Director of Ceremonies: Bro. Nigel Fearon

Inner Guard: Bro. Paul Marcayda

Tyler: Bro. Francis Santos



Active Past Masters of Acacia Lodge

Baird, D.G., 1998
Sellars, J.E., 1999
Bowness, G.A., 2001/07 Salisbury #20, Harmony #20**
PDDGM Derrington, A.F., 2011
Simpson, S.A., 2014
Millett, W.D., 2015
Raffy, T., 2016
Grant, H.A., 2018
Perks T. 2020/21
Holton, T.R., 2022
Lamey J. 2023
Rich, B.D., 2019/2024
Madsen, A 2025
Buchanan, J.A.*
Brown, L.B.*
MacPherson, J.D.**
Steeves, H.G., Tweedie #41* O'Grady, D. Howard #15**
*Affiliated Past Masters
**Members who are Past Masters of Other Lodges

Other Lodges in Districts 2

1st Wednesday of the month @ 7:30 PM – Keith #23 except July and August. 115 Queen Street, Moncton.
2nd Monday of the month @ 7:30 PM – Howard #15 except July and August. 36 Bradford Street, Riverview.
2nd Thursday of the month @ 7:30 PM – Zetland #24 except February and March. 110 Hannington Road, Shediac Cape.
3rd Monday of the month @ 7:30 PM – Coverdale #52 except July and August. 36 Bradford Street, Riverview.
4th Wednesday of the month @ 8 PM – Westmorland #44 except July and August. 3 Church Street, Port Elgin.
4th Saturday @ 10am - Cornerstone Lodge #58 Jan, Mar, May, Sept and Nov, Mountain View Church, MacBeath Ave, Moncton.

Acacia Lodge #49 Dues
Payable by Credit Card at Acacialodge49.ca

Dues for 2026 were due on January 1st. Thank you to those brethren who have already tended to this matter. Please square your 2026 dues. Credit card at website above, or by cheque or cash in lodge, or mail cheque to secretary's home address is the best for our records. Dues for 2026 are \$197. However, if you were 65 years of age or older on January 1st, your dues are \$167. Age has its advantages.