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DISTRICT PROJECT (2606)

This year’s project is *Better Days – Giving those with Dementia a better day*. This project is to help the Kingston Health Sciences Centre Dementia Ward. They are expanding their ability to care for those dealing with dementia by providing more safe rooms necessary for the patients, along with more equipment required to help patients remain calmer. Some of the patients that are admitted have a great deal of stress which can often lead to higher levels of mistrust, agitation and sometimes physical aggression. We are looking at providing activity pillows, robotic pet animals, activity aprons, glider chairs and the programming for the Happiness Projector. These are the items that can help reduce the patients stress and provide them with a better day. Any funds above our target will go to help renovate more rooms for the hospital to help care for those with dementia. Remember, anything we can do to give a person with dementia a better day is the greatest gift they can receive while dealing with dementia.



The District Deputy
Grand Master’s
Trestleboard
2026-2027



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PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS
OF FRONTENAC DISTRICT

Year	Member	Lodge
2010-11	W. Martin	Royal Edward of Cataragui No.92
2011-12	R.A. Morrow	Union Lodge No. 9
2012-13	H. Goldie	The Ancient St. John’s No. 3
2013-14	T. Barber	Maple Leaf Lodge No. 119
2014-15	P. E. Byer	Albion Lodge No. 109
2015-16	W. D. Anderson	Rideau Minden Lodge No. 253
2016-17	J. M. Gatcke	Leeds Lodge No. 201
2017-18	D. W. Holton	Royal Edward of Cataragui No. 92
2018-19	S. R. J. Landry	Queen’s Lodge No. 578
2019-21	B. C. MacLean	Simpson Lodge No. 157
2021-23	I. H. Troyer	Prince of Wales Lodge No. 146
2023-24	D. A. Wright	Templum Fidelis No. 746
2024-25	D.E.O. LaFreniere	Albion Lodge No. 109
2025-26	S. B. Ramey	The Ancient St. John’s No. 3

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER’S MESSAGE

Brethren,
Wow! What an amazing feeling to be the newest District Deputy Grand Master of Frontenac District. I want to thank you for all the faith and support you have given me by asking, and by electing me to be the Grand Master’s representative for the 2026-2027 term. I am truly honored to be given this opportunity, and for Frontenac Lodge and its’ members, for having the confidence in me by nominating me to the MAFD management committee.

Over the last few years, we have seen a revitalization of our Craft and I want to continue to capitalize on this. We will continue to work on promoting what has already been a huge focus of our Past Grand Master’s – Ritual, Education and Mentorship. These are definitely the key points which have helped our brethren become stronger in their abilities and certainly helped build the confidence in ourselves.

We are looking at some new educational processes that have been in development by W. Bro Glenndon Whitaker and I look forward to implementing them. This will help strengthen our education in Freemasonry and our abilities to learn. We continue to focus on protocol & etiquette, as well as helping our newer members in the Craft.

This year the District Project is going to touch back on a disease which I am deeply concerned about – Dementia. There is no cure and I have yet to meet someone that doesn’t know someone with it or had passed because of it. My goal for this project is to help assist with the cost for equipment, programming and renovations needed at the Kingston Health Science Centre Dementia Ward. I want to be able to give a person dealing with this disease a better day and to be able to make the most out of life they have.

I look forward to visiting with all the brethren on the level at every opportunity I can make. May your year be as great as the one I look forward to having with you.

Sincerely and fraternally,
R.W. Bro Daniel J. Kennedy
District Deputy Grand Master
Frontenac District

2026-2027 FRONTENAC DISTRICT OFFICIAL VISITS AND INSTALLATIONS			
Lodge or Event	Date	Day	Time
Three Pillars No. 201 – Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	September 24, 2026	Thursday	7:30 PM
Frontenac No 621 – Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	October 8, 2026	Thursday	7:30 PM
MAFD Semi-Annual Meeting – Harrowsmith	October 26, 2026	Monday	7:30 PM
Three Pillars No. 201 – Ceremony of Installation	November 26, 2026	Thursday	7:30 PM
Prince of Wales No. 146 – Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	December 2, 2026	Wednesday	7:30 PM
Albion No. 109 – Official Visit	December 10, 2026	Thursday	7:30 PM
Frontenac No 621 – Ceremony of Installation	December 11, 2026	Friday	7:30 PM
Templum Fidelis No. 746 – Official Visit – Banquet to follow	December 12, 2026	Saturday	4:00 PM
Maple Leaf No. 119 – Ceremony of Installation	December 14, 2026	Monday	7:30 PM
Prince of Wales No. 146 – Ceremony of Installation	January 6, 2027	Wednesday	7:30 PM
Templum Fidelis No. 746 – Ceremony of Installation	January 23, 2027	Saturday	4:00 PM
Limestone Unity No. 92 – Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	March 9, 2027	Tuesday	7:30 PM
Victoria No. 299 – Official Visit	April 1, 2027	Thursday	7:30 PM
Union No. 9 - Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	April 14, 2027	Wednesday	7:30 PM
District Divine Service – Seeley’s Bay United Church	May 2, 2027	Sunday	10:00 AM
The Ancient St. John’s No. 3 – Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	May 6, 2027	Thursday	7:30 PM
Maple Leaf No. 119 – Official Visit – Banquet 6 pm	May 10, 2027	Monday	7:30 PM
Limestone Unity No. 92 – Ceremony of Installation	May 11, 2027	Tuesday	7:30 PM
MAFD Annual General Meeting – Kingston Masonic Centre	May 31, 2027	Monday	7:30 PM
Union No. 9 – Ceremony of Installation	June 9, 2027	Wednesday	7:30 PM
Albion No. 109 – Ceremony of Installation	June 10, 2027	Thursday	7:30 PM
The Ancient St. John’s No. 3 – Ceremony of Installation	June 24, 2027	Thursday	7:30 PM
Victoria No. 299 – Ceremony of Installation	June 24, 2027	Thursday	7:30 PM
Grand Lodge Annual Communication	July 20-22, 2027	Tues –Thurs	

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R. W. Bro. James O. Wark

Grand Secretary
R. W. Bro. Louis M. Domjan

LODGE REGULAR MEETINGS AND LOCATIONS

Lodge	Day	Location
The Ancient St. John's No. 3	1st Thurs	K.M.C.
Union No. 9	2nd Wed	Napanee
Limestone Unity No. 92	2nd Tues	K.M.C.
Albion No. 109	2nd Thurs	Harrowsmith
Maple Leaf No. 119	2nd Mon	Bath
Prince of Wales No. 146	1st Wed	Harrowsmith
Three Pillars No. 201	4th Thurs	Seeley's Bay
Victoria No. 299	1st Thurs	Napanee
Frontenac No. 621	2nd Fri	Sharbot Lake
Templum Fidelis No. 746	3rd Sat Quarterly 2nd Sat Dec.	Bath

Note: All Lodges meet at 7:30 p.m.
except Templum Fidelis at 4:00 p.m.