

Past Masters of Western Star Lodge A.F.&A.M. No. 50 Westville, NS

† 1868/69 James Roy
 † 1869/70 James Johnson (1889-92)
 † 1870/71 Wm. Lorrimer
 † 1871/72 David Monroe
 † 1872/73 T. Johnstone, Jr.
 † 1873/74 Robert Gray
 † 1874/75 Wm. W. Gray
 † 1875/76 James MacNutt
 † 1876/77 John MacDougald
 † 1877-78 David Carruthers
 † 1878-79 James Wilkes
 † 1879-80 James Roy Jr.
 † 1880-81 George Saunders
 † 1881-82 A. W. MacLeod
 † 1882-83 Mark Connors (1894-96)
 † 1883-84 Rod Fraser
 † 1884-85 Chas.L. Sullivan
 † 1885-86 A. W. H. MacLeod
 † 1886-87 John Gray Sr.
 † 1887-88 James H. Reid
 † 1888-89 Duncan MacGregor
 † 1889-90 Hugh Matheson
 † 1890-91 David Conn
 † 1891-92 James White
 † 1892-93 William Conn
 † 1893-94 John W. Burney
 † 1894-95 Dan K. MacIntosh
 † 1895-96 James MacLaren
 † 1896-97 William Maddin
 † 1897-98 Edward Burrows
 † 1898-99 S. L. Wilson
 † 1899-00 James Marshall
 † 1900-01 Graham Calhoun
 † 1901-02 R. H. MacKay (1907-09)
 † 1902-03 James Workman
 † 1903-04 John Gray Jr.
 † 1904-05 William Lorrimer
 † 1905-06 Wm. K. Denoon
 † 1906-07 Thomas Floyd
 † 1907-08 A. H. Denoon
 † 1908-09 Robert Lorrimer
 † 1909-10 M. S. Gray
 † 1910-11 Josiah Cunningham
 † 1911-12 Robert Lauchlin
 † 1912-13 Andrew Roy
 † 1913-14 J. W.. Sutherland
 † 1914-15 Alex D. Connors
 † 1915-16 Wm. Morgan
 † 1916-17 P. A. Doyle
 † 1917-18 Martin MacKay

† 1918-19 Thomas Ross
 † 1919-20 A. A. Sutherland
 † 1920-21 James B. Grant (1926-28)
 ✱ 1921-22 G. Percy Gordon
 † 1922-23 James D. Ross
 † 1923-24 John A. Murray (1942-44)
 † 1924-25 Mert. MacKenzie
 † 1925-26 Fraser Oliver
 † 1926-27 Wm. E. MacDonald
 † 1927-28 L. G. Ferguson
 † 1928-29 F. I. Lent
 † 1929-30 Emerson Wilson
 † 1930-31 Tupper Hale
 † 1931-32 Fraser Reeves
 † 1932-33 Harry Russel
 ✱ 1933-34 George E. Munro
 † 1934-35 John R. Campbell
 † 1935-36 Thomas D. Fraser
 † 1936-37 Stuart MacLeod
 † 1937-38 Francis Boyd
 † 1938-39 John D. Matheson
 † 1939-40 David H. Holland
 † 1940-41 Josiah Rundle
 † 1941-42 Thomas Harris
 † 1942-43 Frank Salter
 † 1943-44 John J. Darroch
 † 1944-45 John Geo. MacKenzie
 † 1945-46 Stewart Murdoch
 † 1946-47 Andrew Patterson
 † 1947-48 Francis Moss (1953-54)
 † 1948-49 Robert Hale
 † 1949-50 John Carter
 † 1950-51 James Smith
 † 1951-52 Lauchie Johnson
 † 1952-53 James Higgins
 † 1953-54 J. Roy Hale (1960-61)[1987-88]
 † 1954-55 Donald D. Cameron
 † 1955-56 Howard Gordon
 † 1956-57 Wm. M. Thompson(1984-85)
 1957-58 Daniel Thompson
 † 1958-59 John M. MacLean (1968-69)
 1959-60 Herbert Muir
 † 1960-61 Willard Logan
 1961-62 Brundage MacDonald
 † 1962-63 Earl Morrell
 † 1963-64 H. A. Thompson
 † 1964-65 Edward M. Wadden
 1965-66 Granville Miller (1976-77)
 † 1966-67 Andrew White
 † 1967-68 Donald Polley

† 1968-69 Ian Ross (1992-93)
 † 1969-70 J. Albert Munroe
 † 1970-71 Wm. G. MacGregor
 † 1971-72 Allan B. Connors
 † 1972-73 Henry D. W. Marshall
 † 1973-74 C. Allen Gordon
 † 1974-75 George McLean
 † 1975-76 Ralph Graham
 † 1976-77 Warren G. Oliver
 † 1977-78 C. Edwin Fraser
 † 1978-79 J. Thompson Allen
 1979-80 Wm. A. Thompson Jr.(2000-01)
 † 1980-81 Robert MacNaughton
 1981-82 William F. Clark
 1982-83 Robert H. Meyer (2008-2009)
 1983-84 Terrence S. Read
 1984-85 Alexander F. Polley
 1985-86 William Gordon
 † 1986-87 Andrew Duncan
 1987-88 William Stevens
 1988-89 Reginald Darroch
 ✱ 1989-90 Fred Polley
 † 1990-91 Lloyd O. MacLean
 † 1991-92 Peter Prokaska
 1992-93 Wilson Hayter
 1993-94 Alan R. Graham
 1994-95 David K. Parker
 † 1995-96 Sheldon Hayter
 1996-97 Orville Hines
 1997-98 Robert Cameron
 1998-99 Kirby A. Coolen
 1999-00 Peter D. Kay
 2000-01 Randy Hubley
 2001-02 James S. Parker
 s 2002-03 Donald A. Brown
 2003-04 Bruce E. Fraser
 2004-05 J. Hugh Palmer
 † 2005 Gordon O. Cameron, Hon.
 † 2005 John G. Palmer, Hon.
 2005-06 John P. L. Lannon
 s 2006-07 Garry Greene
 2007-08 Alvin P. Sinclair
 2008-09 Frank A. Gammell
 2009-10 G. Parker Morris
 2010-11 Garry P. Hope
 2011-12 Greer A. Turner

(DDGM – Year)
 [MWGM – Year]

† Deceased ✱ Demitted
 s Suspended

Committees for 2012-2013

Sick & Visiting

Wor. Master Harvey Ford – 755-0373
 Bro. Bill Allen – 396-5332
 V.W.Bro. Reg Darroch – 755-1811
 V.W.Bro. Orville Hines – 396-3890
 V.W.Bro. John Roy – 752-7321

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Bro. Bill Jackson – 752-5642
 Jr. Warden Hugh Palmer – 396-4940
 V.W.Bro. Terry Read – 396-1738

Masonic Education

V.W.Bro. Kirby Coolen – 755-2670
 R.W.Bro. Robert Meyer – 396-4642
 W.Bro. Frank Gammell – 925-2440

Mentor Instruction Program

V.W.Bro. Reg Darroch – 755-1811W. Bro.
 V.W.Bro. Kirby Coolen – 755-2670
 W.Bro. Peter Kay – 755-5363

Refreshment & Entertainment

Jr. Warden Hugh Palmer – 396-4940

Building Association

Pres.– R.W.Bro. Hugh Palmer – 396-4940
 Sect. – W.Bro. Peter Kay – 755-5363
 Treas. –Bro. John Lorimer – 752-7790

Publicity

W.Bro. Peter Kay – 755-5363
 R.W.Bro. Robert Meyer – 396-4642

Trustees

W.Bro. Bill Stevens- 396-4020
 V.W.Bro. Terry Read – 396-1738

Drama Team

W.Bro. Bill Stevens- 396-4020

145 Years



Western Star Lodge #50

A.F.& A.M.
 G.L.N.S.

Meets at 7:30 p.m.
SECOND TUESDAY
 Of each Month except July / August

Masonic Temple
 2187 South Main St. Westville, NS
 Officers 2012 – 2013

W.M. R.W.Bro. Harvey Ford
 I.P.M. W.Bro. Greer Turner
 S.W. Bro. Nathan Pitman
 J.W. R.W.Bro. Hugh Palmer
 Treas. Bro. John Lorimer
 Sec't. W.Bro. Frank Gammell
 Historian R.W.Bro. Bill Thompson
 Dir.of C. W. Bro. Garry Hope
 Chaplain V.W. Bro. Orville Hines
 S.D. W.Bro. Duncan MacDonald
 J.D. Bro. Jerry Best
 S.S. Bro. Francois Rochon
 J.S. Bro. David Mason
 I.G. Bro. Bill Jackson
 Organist W.B. John Roy
 Tyler W.Bro. Bill Stevens
 Marshall W.Bro. Parker Morris

Visitors Always
 Welcome

**Western Star Lodge
A.F. & A.M. No.50 G.R.N.S.**

Practice will be held on Sunday, Apr. 7th at 7:00 p.m.

Masonic Ladies Night

Due guard and sign

(open to all Masons & their lady)
When: April 27, 2013
Where: Celtic Circle
195 Forbes Street, New Glasgow
Time: 6:00 for 6:30
Meal: Chicken or Salmon Dinner

Nothing has changed with the due guard and penalty sign since our initiating, passing and raising. After the obligation in each degree the WM told us that **“this due guard and sign are always to be given as a salutation to the W.M. on entering or retiring from a (.....) Lodge, or on rising to address the Worshipful Master in a (.....) Lodge.”**

Price \$55.00 per couple
\$30.00 per person

One does not give the due guard and sign every time one attends at the Altar unless specified in the Ritual.

Contact: Your Lodge Secretary for tickets.

There is a separate and distinct movement for the due guard and sign of each degree. **They are not done together as one movement.**

Master’s Message

This due guard and sign is part of how we communicate in Masonry, a sign language. It is a silent but very visible message telling the brother in King Solomon’s chair and all brethren present that we remember our obligation of that degree.

I wish to congratulate Brethren Nathan Pitman (Worshipful Master–elect), John Roy (Senior Warden –elect), Hugh Palmer (Junior Warden –elect), John Lorimer (Treasurer–elect) and Frank Gammell (Secretary–elect) for the coming year. The remaining Officers will be appointed and our Installation of Officers will take place at our meeting on May 14th.

Addressing the East

This act is always prefaced by the dg and s, never the sign of fidelity unless firstly addressed by the East. (Except Open installation or Lodge at ease with profane present) The brother seated in King Solomon’s chair is **always** addressed first. **There are no exceptions.**

I also want to inform the Brethren that Western Star Lodge will be presenting three \$500.00 Academic Bursaries to students at Northumberland Regional High School in June. Donations to this project will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks are extended to W.Bro. Robert Cameron for his donation to cover the cost of our new flagpole and stand for our Masonic flag.

Please come out & join us. If you need a drive to Lodge, please get in touch with a Brother.

Wor. Master Harvey Ford

Trestle Board

(Note change in meeting time – 7p.m.)

Regular Business

Fellow Craft Degree examination

Conferring Master Mason Degree

Dues for 2012 are now due :

Dues are payable on January 1, 2012. Yearly dues are \$75.00 for all members.

Please note **DUES** OWING are: _____

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www.grandlodgens.org

Lodge Meetings in Pictou County

Keith No.23	1 st Monday
Euclid No.92	1 st Wednesday
Doric No.91	2 nd Monday
Western Star No.50	2 nd Tuesday
Albion No.5	2 nd Wednesday
New Caledonia No.11	4 th Monday
Hudson No.77	4 th Thursday

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Dear Sir and Brother;

By order of the Worshipful Master, I beg to inform you that a regular communication of Western Star Lodge No. 50 will be held in the Masonic Temple at Westville, on:

Tuesday – April 09th, 2013 at 7:00 p.m.

Your presence and assistance is requested for the transaction of such business as may regularly be presented. Visiting brethren are always welcome.

Frank Gammell, Secretary