

## A busy afternoon for Hill of Zion

The Installation meeting of Hill of Zion Consistory No 52 T.I.134 took place on Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> April 2022 at Croydon. Present was our Provincial Grand Summus, R.Dist.Comp. Arnold Long, and our Grand Summus, M.Dist.Comp. Ian S Currans, a member of the Consistory. Also present, attending the Conclave meeting that followed, was the Provincial Grand Supreme Ruler of the OSM Province of Surrey, R.Wy.Bro. Colin Beerling.

The Consistory was opened in the First Grade of the Order by the President, Dist.Comp. Mark Currans, who welcomed all the guests and visitors, with a special welcome to his dad, the M.Dist. Grand Summus; and our Provincial Grand Summus.

The main item on the agenda was to Install Em.Comp. James L Smith as President. This was done in a most excellent manner by Dist.Comp. Mark Currans. The Address to the President was given by M.Dist.Comp. Ian S Currans.



After the appointment and investiture of the remaining officers, Dist.Comp. James was congratulated by the Grand Summus and the Provincial Grand Summus, who also congratulated Dist.Comp. Mark on an excellent ceremony.



At the Conclave meeting the Provincial Grand Supreme Ruler, R.Wy.Bro. Colin Beerling, and the Provincial Grand Visitor, Wy.Bro. Len Hillier, were present to see three Brethren Inducted into the Order.

This means that at the next meeting of the Hill of Zion Consistory on the 15<sup>th</sup> of September they will have seven Candidates taking their First Grade. This will be a meeting not to be missed.

The Companions then voted to donate the sum of £150 to the Ukraine appeal.

After the regular business of the Consistory had been completed the Consistory was closed, and everyone got together for the usual photographs before re-arranging the Temple for the Conclave meeting.





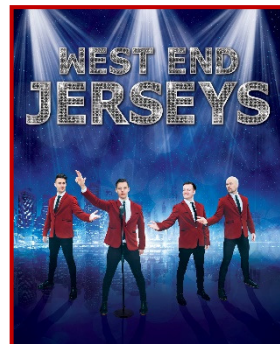
# Wishing the Provincial Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons of Surrey every success for the Surrey Mark 2022 MBF Festival



At the Provincial Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons of Surrey Annual Meeting in March the Provincial Grand Senatus of Surrey gave a further donation towards the Surrey Mark 2022 MBF Festival. We are all looking forward to the Festival Gala Dinner which will be held on Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of July 2022 at the Hilton Metropole Hotel on the Brighton seafront.



There will be a drinks reception at 6:00 pm, followed by a sumptuous 5 course banquet, entertainment, and dancing to the West End Jerseys through till midnight. All for just £80.00 per person. For information visit the web site <http://www.surrey2022mbf.org.uk/>



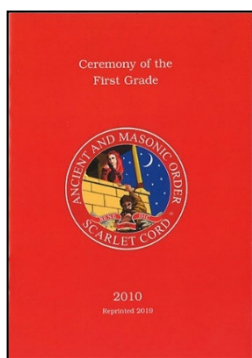
Attending the Mark Annual Meeting were our Provincial Grand Summus, the two Past Provincial Grand Summi, our Provincial Grand Recorder, and the Recorder of the Hill of Zion Consistory.

## What's Happening Next?

The **Annual Convocation of Grand Senatus** will be held on **Thursday, 5 May 2022**, at 12.30p.m. in the Grand Temple, Mark Masons' Hall, 86 St James's Street, London, SW1A 1PL. All Companions of the Order were invited to attend

Congratulations to R.Dist.Comp. Trevor Currans, reappointed as President of the Executive Committee; V.Dist.Comp. Ian Smith, reappointed for the third year as Grand Lecturer; Dist.Comp. Ian Clark who will receive appointment to Past Grand Sword Bearer and Dist.Comp. Len Hillier to Past Grand Standard Bearer; plus of course our Most Distinguished Grand Summus, M.Dist.Comp. Ian S Currans.

*Photos and an article will be in the next Surrey Cord....*



The next meeting of **Guildford Consistory** will be held on **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2022** at Guildford. They will be **Admitting to the First Grade of the Order Brothers Andrew Sales, JP., and Norman Woodfin.**

If anyone would like to attend, please let Ian Parsons know on [secretary53ti@ianparsons.net](mailto:secretary53ti@ianparsons.net)

On **Thursday the 14<sup>th</sup> of July 2022** at Mark Masons' Hall a number of brethren from Paraguay, Bolivia and France (and possibly Greece) are coming to MMH to join Scarlet Cord, as a first step towards spreading the Order to those countries.

On the day it is planned to confer the first three Grades. A team from Surrey will confer the 1st Grade, a team from London will confer the 2nd Grade while a Grand Senatus team will confer the 3rd Grade. The 1st Grade Ceremony will commence at 11 a.m. followed by the 2nd Grade. The 3rd Grade ceremony will take place after a buffet lunch. Possible Grade start times 11.00, 12.00, 15.00.

The Annual Meeting of the **Provincial Grand Conclave of Surrey** will be held on a new date of **Saturday the 11<sup>th</sup> of June 2022** at Surbiton at 11.00 a.m. Details will be on the web site <http://www.orderofthesecretmonitor.co.uk/>



The **Annual Meeting of the Provincial Grand Senatus of Surrey** will be held on **Thursday the 21<sup>st</sup> of July 2022** at Surbiton at 11.15 a.m.

The Annual Meeting will be preceded by the Installation meeting of Surrey Consistory No 4 T.I. Details of the Annual Meeting will be on the web site soon.

The **2022 Preparation Ceremony** will be conducted at an Emergency Meeting of the Provincial Grand Senatus of Surrey at Guildford on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2022.**

Consistory Recorders are asked to send details of prospective Candidates to the Provincial Grand Recorder.

