

Cambridgeshire Freemason

# The Second Rising



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## Widows in Wisbech



On Tuesday 4th October 2022 the Cambridgeshire Widows lunch was held at the Wesley Hall in Wisbech. The event was attended by 45 widows which together with drivers meant there were 60 for lunch by Housdens. Afterwards a presentation about the Suffragette movement was delivered by Dr Eric Somerville.

## Bowled Over

The Cambridgeshire Masonic Bowling Association's final competition of the season was the Rushmore Cup Pairs, held at Whittlesey Manor Bowls Club.

After a light-hearted, sunny and successful afternoon, the victorious team was from St Andrew Lodge No. 4087, based at Whittlesey, represented by WBro. Chris Nicholas and WBro. Roger Kilham (aka 'Bricks & Tates'). They are pictured receiving the Rushmore Cup

from Secretary WBro. David Mason. Post-match refreshments were provided by Ann Mason, Kay Mayor and Averil Cosstick.



The Cambridgeshire Masonic Bowling Association has had a very successful season in raising over £300 for various local charities. To enable this to continue, new members and their supporters would be very welcome.

### **Precious Metal**

At the September meeting of Alma Mater the Festival Chairman, WBro. Paul Gillingwater was delighted to be presented with £2,000 for Festival 2023.

Alma Mater Lodge, through the tenacious fund-raising and donations of the brethren, ably led by WBro. Peter Sutton has now achieved the first ever Festival Titanium Honorific, with a total contribution to the Festival of over £77,000.

WBro Gillingwater thanked the Brethren of Alma Mater Lodge for their generosity - a fantastic and indeed Historic Achievement, throughout All Festival Appeals held in our Province.

WWBro Sutton commented: "The award of the Titanium Honorific has been achieved as a result of the continuous contributions by the brethren of Alma Mater Lodge over the



period since Festival 2023 was launched. They have been very supportive and I offer them my sincere thanks.”

Bro Peter`s tenacity in setting the challenge to the Lodge members of Alma Mater, was unaware he was creating an even massive challenge to my Festival team, to find yet, a further Precious Metal and compute an even higher prestigious level, RHODIUM.

### **Descensus Donation**

At their installation meeting the Installing Master WBro. Wayne Lawrence, on behalf of the Brethren of Descensus Aquarum Lodge 8655, presented a cheque for £500 to our Deputy Provincial Grand Master, VWBro. Pat Kilby for the Province of Cambridgeshire`s Festival 2023.

When thanking the Lodge, VWBro. Kilby informed the brethren that total to date for the Festival currently stood at £800k, which means we have a further £100k to raise in the next year in order to achieve our target, a sum he felt confident the Province will achieve.



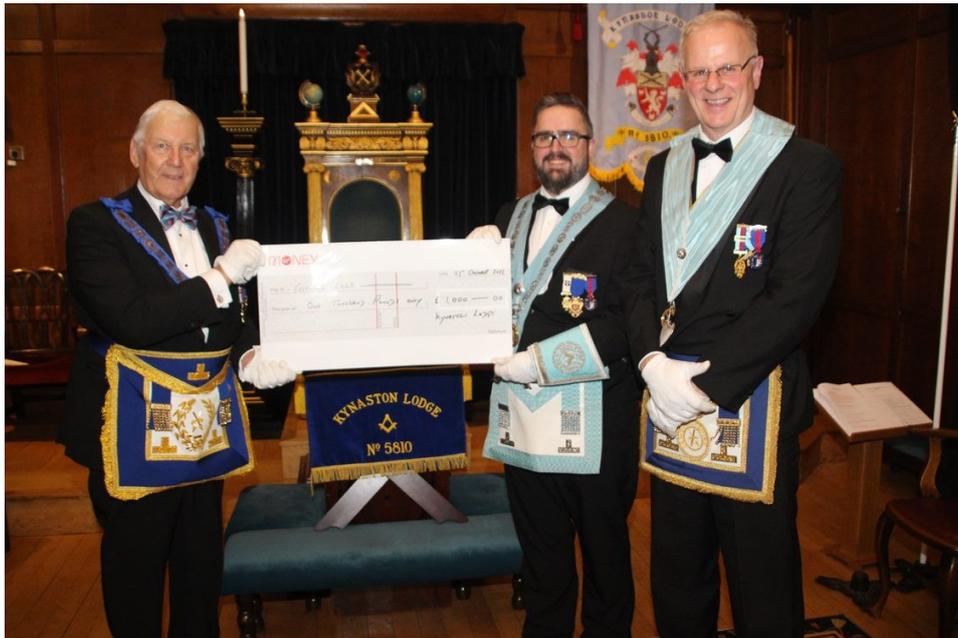
### **Golf Glory**



The recent Provincial Texas Scramble was won by a team from the Gild of St Mary Lodge consisting of David Skilton, John Butler and Andrew Long, with a team from the Wisbech

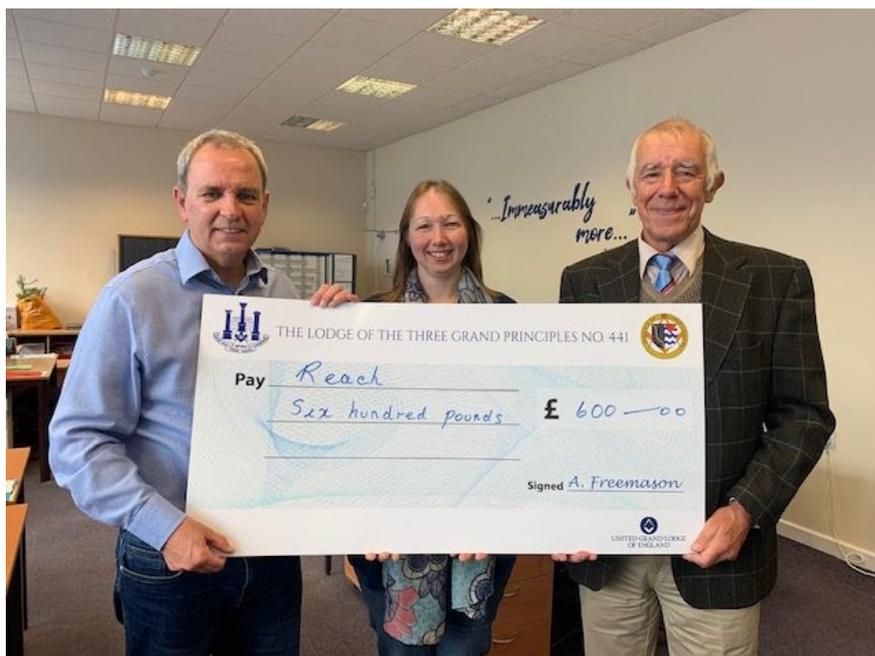
area consisting of Andy MacDonald, Adam French and Matthew Green as runners-up. Nearest the pin was David Skilton and the longest drive belonged to Bill Dastur.

### Kynaston Kindness



At the Kynaston Lodge Installation meeting members of the Lodge were very pleased to be able to make a further contribution to the Masonic Charitable Foundation Festival 2023 by presenting VwBro. Pat Kilby, Deputy Provincial Grand Master, with a cheque for £1000. The cheque was presented on behalf of the Lodge by the Worshipful Master, Richard Brindle, assisted by Mark Upex, the Lodge Charity Steward.

### Reaching Out in Haverhill



The Lodge of Three Grand Principles donated £600 (including matched funding from City & University of Cambridge Masonic Charitable Trust ) to Reach Haverhill Community Projects, who offer help to the local community. Whether it's mental health, bereavement, housing, or

even local or tax issues, they are there to help people with their needs. This donation will go towards the local food bank.

### **Cambridgeshire members in London Lodge Centenary**



Many congratulations to Mercurius Lodge No. 4262 who celebrated their Centenary this week at Freemasons' Hall in London. Several members and many guests are also Cambridgeshire Masons - any you recognise?

## EVENTS

# BANGERS & MASH

Saturday, 19th November

6:30pm for 7pm Start

" THE BIG SAUSAGE TASTE OFF "

### MENU

Sausages | Peas | Mash | Gravy

Apple Pie with Custard

Cheese and Biscuits

Coffee or Tea



**only £12.50  
per person**

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