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RAILWAY CRAFTSMEN NEWS

Newsletter of the Railway Craftmen's Association
of New Zealand

2014 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 2014 AGM of the Railway Craftmen's Association of New Zealand will be held at the Johnsonville **Masonic Centre, 25 Phillip Street, Johnsonville, Wellington at 11:00am on Saturday 4 October 2014.**

MEETING AGENDA

- ⇒ Confirm minutes of the 2012 AGM
- ⇒ Presentation of the Annual Report
- ⇒ Treasurer's Report and Statement of Accounts
- ⇒ Notice's of Motion - Discussion about the Association's Future
- ⇒ Election of Officers
- ⇒ General Business

NOTICES OF MOTION

Notices of motion to be considered at the AGM should be in the hands of the Secretary/Treasurer by **10 September 2014**

PROPOSED EVENT SCHEDULE:

Friday 3rd October

6:00pm Welcoming Drinks at the Johnsonville Club, 1 Norman Lane, Johnsonville. Restaurant Open - Attendees own cost. Sign in as Railway Craftsmen Association Members.

Saturday 4th October

9:00 am Practice for 2nd Degree Working - Meet at Johnsonville Lodge Rooms.
11.00 am Railway Craftsmen's Association - AGM Meeting
12:30 pm Lunch with The Coronation Lodge
1:30 pm The Coronation Lodge No.127 Tyles
2:00 pm Visitors Received
2:05 pm Railway Craftsmen Association Received
2:10 pm 2nd Degree Ceremony performed by Railway Craftsmen Association
4:10 pm Lodge Closes – Toasts at Lodge Room
6:00 pm Meal - Johnsonville Club, 1 Norman Lane, Johnsonville. Buy your own meal and drinks from the restaurant. Sign in as Railway Craftsmen Association Members.

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WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THE AGM

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RAILWAY CRAFTSMEN APRONS

Aprons are available for Railway Craftsmen Association members who are being installed in to the chair of King Solomon. Please advise the Secretary/Treasurer if you know if any members who are to be installed. This will allow the presentation plaque and presentation of the apron to be arranged. It will also allow for wide distribution of the installation date amongst our members. Your assistance with this is appreciated.

RAILWAY CRAFTSMAN MERCHANDISE - NOW AVAILABLE!



Merchandise is now available for purchase from the Secretary/Treasurer. There are only a few left - so be in quick to secure your order using the order form below. We will order more merchandise from the supplier if necessary. An order form appears below.



RCA MERCHANDISE ORDER FORM

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Item	No.	Price	Total
Railway Craftsmen Tie	___	\$21.00	_____
Railway Craftsmen Cap	___	\$13	_____
Railway Craftsmen Lapel Badge	___	\$15.00	_____
Postage		\$5.50	
		Total	_____

Send (with payment) to: Adrian Douglas, Secretary/Treasurer, Railway Craftsmen's Association. C/- 57 Meadowcroft Grove, Johnsonville, WELLINGTON 6037. Please make cheques out to the Railway Craftsmen's Association.

Johnsonville 2014 AGM Accommodation Options (AGM Attendees to arrange own accommodation)

Best Western Wellington (Closest)

Address: 17-19 Burgess Road

Phone: 04 939 0039

Email stay@bestwesternwellington.co.nz

Capital Gateway Motor Inn

Address: 1 Newlands Road

Free Phone: 0800 422 748

Or Feel Free To Google!

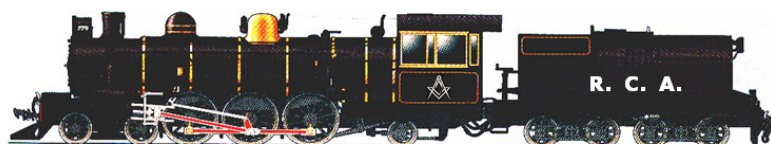
UPCOMING EVENTS

2014

5 August	Installation of WBro Mick Maru	Lodge Rangitane No 369 (P. Nth)
12 August	Initiation Of Mr Kelvin Williams (ex LE)	Lodge Te Awahou No. 133 (Foxton)
20 August	Installation of WBro John Lockyer	Lodge Rongotea (Rongotea)
4 October	AGM and 2nd Degree Working	The Coronation lodge No.127 (Wgtn)
8 Nov 2014	RCA Installation of Bro. James Clifford-Marsh SW	Lodge Tawhiri No. 166 (Hamilton)
TBA	2nd Degree of Bro. Kelvin Williams	Lodge Te Awahou No. 133 (Foxton)

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TBC April	Installation Of WBro. Warren (Rowdy) Robertson	Lodge Waitohi No. 111 (Picton)
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Contributions to this newsletter are very welcome. Please contact the Secretary/Treasurer

Railway Craftsmen Association 2014 AGM Attendance Form

Names of Attendee: _____ Partner _____

Address: _____

Phone: Home: _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____

I will be attending the following:

	Number Attending	Cost	Total
Friday Night Drinks	_____	Own	Nil
Saturday Lunch	_____	\$15	_____
AGM Meeting	_____	Nil	Nil
Saturday Dinner	_____	Own	_____

Total Enclosed: _____

Internet Banking payment can be made in to the following Account:

01-0527-0007014-00 ANZ Bank Marlborough Branch - Railway Craftsmen's Association.

Please include surname and AGM as reference and advise Secretary/Treasurer when payment made.

2nd Degree Working

I would be interested in doing one of the following offices and/or charges:

Please return this form to:

Adrian Douglas
Secretary/Treasurer
Railway Craftsmen Association
57 Meadowcroft Grove
Johnsonville
WELLINGTON 6037

THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED BY 10 SEPTEMBER 2014