



GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER
Grand Council of Royal and Select Master Masons of the
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND & PROVIDENCE
PLANTATIONS



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NOTICE OF ANNUAL GRAND CONVOCATION AND GRAND ASSEMBLY

You are hereby notified that the 163rd Annual Grand Assembly of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Master Masons of the State of Rhode Island & Providence Plantations and the 225th Annual Grand Convocation of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of the State of Rhode Island & Providence Plantations will be held at Scottish Rite 2115 Broad St, Cranston, RI on Saturday, April 1st 2023 at 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM respectively with banquet on the night before. There will also be the Semi Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar and Appendant Order of Massachusetts and Rhode Island that Friday March 31st 2023 the call for that meeting will come from that office.

Enclosed are a Joint Reservation Form and a Program Outline. Kindly return the reservation form with payment by March 17th 2023 to:

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THE RECOMMENDED HOTEL FOR OUT OF STATE GUEST

Radisson Hotel Providence Airport 2081 Post Rd, Warwick, RI 02886
Phone: (401) 298-2294.

The appropriate dress for Grand Council Officers at the Annual Grand Assembly is tuxedos, jewels, and aprons. The appropriate dress for Grand Chapter Officers at the Annual Grand Convocation including jewels and aprons is tuxedos or tails depending on office according to the Grand High Priest's protocol. The dress for other Companions is business suits, jewels, and aprons.

Most Excellent Grand High Priest Robert J. Fish looks forward to greeting you at the Annual Grand Convocation and Most Illustrious Grand Master Russell J. Lorensen looks forward to greeting you at the Annual Grand Assembly and they send their warm fraternal regards.

John A. Lawson III, Grand Sec/Rec