

# Provincial Communications News Digest – September 2021

## NEWS & EVENTS

### **An evening with Professor John Dickie, author of ‘The Craft’**

8 November 2021, starting at 7:00 pm at Cardiff Masonic Hall (and online via live stream).

A unique chance to spend an evening with author, historian and academic Professor John Dickie and discuss his insights into the Craft.

[Click here for more information and to register](#)

### **Baglan Lodge ‘curry night’ raises £750 for the RMBI 2021 Festival**

Baglan Lodge No. 6079 decided to hold its annual summer curry night event following the continued easing of government COVID-19 restrictions. The evening was held again this year at the Cinnamon Kitchen restaurant on the Aberavon beach front.

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### **UGLE Universities Scheme Freemasons’ challenge – the ‘Loving Cup’ hike**

This summer, the Universities Scheme committee set a challenge to its members to carry the cup across all scheme lodges in England and Wales, encouraging Brethren to undertake a hike with the cup in their possession. Read how both Universities Lodge, Cardiff and Singleton Lodge, Swansea rose to the challenge.

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### **Caerphilly Lodge completes its 50th anniversary charity challenge**

Hamlet of Van Lodge of Freemasons, based in Caerphilly, has completed its self-set 50:50 challenge.

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## CHARITY NEWS

### **Freemasons supporting over a million people with mental health issues**

To help more than 1.4 million people experiencing mental health issues, Freemasons are donating more than £550,000 to help citizens across the UK.

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## **Delivery of the new vehicle to the Huggard Centre, Cardiff**

The Provincial Grand Master and Provincial Charity Steward recently visited Huggard Centre to officially hand over a new support vehicle to their Outreach team.

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## **RMBI 2021 FESTIVAL NEWS**

### **The 'Big Week' update**

RMBI 2021 Festival, Area Chair West, W. Bro. Phil Osborne, gives us an update on the 'Big Week'

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### **September update from RMBI 2021 Festival Chair, R. W. Bro. Sir Paul Williams**

Watch and read the RMBI 2021 Festival Chair's September update on the Festival activities.

[Click here for the update](#)

### **RMBI 2021 Festival Big Week off to a winning start**

The RMBI 2021 Festival Big Week got off to a winning start at Swansea Masonic Hall on Saturday, August 28th where Phil Osborne hosted the RMBI 2021 Festival Big Week Race Night.

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## **ORATOR'S BLOG**

### **A troubled existence**

Last month we recounted the stories of a secret vault below the Holy of Holies. But is there any historic evidence for this secret vault?

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## **ROYAL ARCH NEWS**

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