



WBro. Dave Roberts

The Prince Of Wales Lodge No.1338 EC



Dave was born in Blackpool (which was being bombed by the Germans at the time) and has three brothers and one sister.

He went to school there, mainly Church of England schools and was at boarding school until the age of 15.

Dave trained as a toolmaker and worked for many companies until he started his own company in 1975.

Dave's parents emigrated to New Zealand in 1961 and Dave and his wife Di followed them in 1966.

Dave and Di have two sons, both of whom are Lewis masons and members of the Prince of Wales Lodge.

Dave joined the Roskill Lodge No. 317 (N.Z.C.) in 1980, being initiated 23 April 1980, passed 26 November 1980 and raised 24 June 1981.

Dave joined the Prince of Wales in 1983, rising to serve as Master in 1993 and again in 1994. He also served as Preceptor for many years.

Dave also joined the Northern Light Lodge No. 1878 and served as master in 2007.

In District, Dave was appointed DGPurs in 1996 and 1997, DDGDC in 1998, DGDC in 1999 and 2000 and DSGW in 2001. He served on DBGP from 1996 to 2000 and as PresDBGP from 2003 to 2005.

Dave was granted Grand Rank in 2007, being appointed PAGDC.

Dave also joined Auckland Royal Arch Chapter No. 1338 in 1985, rising to First Principal in 2000. He was appointed DGSoj in 2003 and DGTreas in 2006.

Dave is also a Mark Master Mason in Union Mark Lodge No. 154 since 1997 and a Perfect Prince in Te Awamutu Rose Croix Chapter No. 471 since 1998.

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The Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 1338, under the United Grand Lodge of England, was founded on the 18th day of December, 1869, and consecrated on Thursday, the 28th day of September, 1871, at the Masonic Hotel, Princes Street, Auckland, by Bro. J.J. Fitzgibbon, Past Master of the Waitemata Lodge, No. 689, E.C.



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