ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MOUNT LODGE NO. 14 FOR THE YEAR 2017-18

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MEMBERS OF THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE 2017-18

W.Bro.Arvind Shiva Mahadevan W.Master W.Bro.VenkatNararajan I.P.M.

Bro.Serma Pandian Senior Warden Bro.Neelakantan Kumar Junior Warden

W.Bro.V.S.RamakrishnanW.Bro.R Pari ArasuW.Bro. B.BadrinarayananD. of C.

ELECTED MEMBERS

Permanent Committee

R.W.Bro.S.S.Prasad W.Bro.Meenakshisundaram W.Bro.S.Nandakumar

Audit Committee

R.W.Bro.V.S.Kylas V.W.Bro.K.S.Sreekanth W.Bro.K Rangarajan

Enquiry Committee

W.Bro.L.Ramani W.Bro.D.R.Chandramouli W.Bro.R.S.Rajasekharan Worshipful Masters of the Lodge from 1862 onwards

S.No	Year	W.Bro.	S.No	Year	W.Bro.
1.	1862	J.R.Magreth	36.	1896	D.Kilpatrick
2.	1863	J.R.Magreth	37.	1897	C.Kilpatrick
3.	1864	B.I.Gordon	38.	1898	C.H.M.Hitchens
4.	1865	H.J.Shaw	39.	1899	J.Temole
5.	1866	H.T.Rogers	40.	1900	E.M.Dalma
6.	1866	A.J.Filgate	41.	1901	J.Temole
7.	1867	W.H.Clarke	42.	1902	J.Temole
8.	1868	B.D.Gordon	43.	1903	S.Granshaw
9.	1869	J.H.P.Anderson	44.	1904	N.Chatterjee
10.	1870	R.C.W.Champbell	45.	1905	C.H.Parsons
11.	1871	E.A.Gibbons	46.	1906	C.F.Deane
12.	1872	J.W.Brothistle	47.	1907	C.F.Cavanagh
13.	1873	B.Cunliffee	48.	1908	J.H.Barket
14.	1874	A.M.Rawlins	49.	1909	H.P.Williams
15.	1875	G.Lesile	50.	1910	W.H.Murch
16.	1876	D.P.King	51.	1911	J.Webster
17.	1877	W.P.Carson	52.	1912	M.SrinivasaMudaliar
18.	1878	R.H.Cunliffe	53.	1913	G.Devasahayam
19.	1879	R.W.Bro.O'Gardy	54.	1914	G.E.Farlowe
20.	1880	W.D.Gunn	55.	1915	V.S.Gananprakasam
21.	1881	W.G.Rose	56.	1916	K.R.SeetharamaIyer
22.	1882	C.M.J.Moore	57.	1917	J.Bryant
23.	1883	H.W. Smith	58.	1918	Raja of Venkatagiri
24.	1884	H.W.Smith	59.	1919	S.A.K.Jeelani Sahib
25.	1885	R.R.E.Drake-Brock-man	60.	1920	T.C.AdikesasvaluPillai
26.	1886	G.Blazey	61.	1921	V.ThiruvengadathanChetty
27.	1887	G.Blazey	62.	1922	G.R.Auston
28.	1888	A.Hoise	63.	1923	S.V.Devadasan
29.	1889	J.H.Webster	64.	1924	M.SavarimuthuPillai
30.	1890	J.A.F.Colde	65.	1925	A.H.Chowriyappah
31.	1891	G.E.Hodges	66.	1926	S.K.AbdulRazak Sahib
32.	1892	R.W.Lyons	67.	1927	E.A.Baynes
33.	1893	J.Temole	68.	1928	W.H.Terry
34.	1894	J.Wisken	69.	1929	S.W.Samuel
35.	1895	J.Graham	70.	1930	R.D.Smith

71	1931	V.A.MuthanaThevar	114	1974	N.P.Sarathy
72	1932	G.J.Benjamin	115		Dr.M.S. Ekamabaram
73	1933	N.Rajagopalan	116		S. Ramaswamy
74	1934	V.J.R.Rajagopalan	117		R. Kalidasan
75	1935	T.G.DamodharaMudaliar	118		V.Swaminathan
76	1936	T.S.Varadharajan	119		R. Dwarakanath
77	1937	M.J.santhanakrishna Naidu	120	1980	R.Vaidyanadhan
78	1938	R.V.KrishnaIyer	121		N.Sridhar
79	1939	G.A.Daniel	122	1982	T.K. Ramachandran
80	1940	M.V.Mannasah	123	1983	K.RamaRao
81	1941	T.N.S.Raghavachari	124	1984	Vijay Rangachari
82	1942	T.A.Sreenivasan	125		M.Janakiram
83	1943	S.Soundarajan	126	1986	K.Satyendrakumar
84	1944	V.Krishnamurti	127	1987	S.Krishnan
85	1945	T.M.NarayanasamiPillai	128	1988	P.Madhusudhan
86	1946	K.G.Veeraragavan	129	1989	P.Madhusudhan
87	1947	N.Rangachari	130	1990	S.Mohan
88	1948	V.T.Srinivasaraghavan	131	1991	S.S. Prasad
89	1949	JitenBanerji	132	1992	R.Sivaramkishnan
90	1950	P.N. Sundarajan	133	1993	P.Viswambar
91	1951	P.N.S. Raman	134	1994	G.Sivaramakrishnan
92	1952	R.V.KrishnaIyer	135	1995	M.N. Ramaswamy
93	1953	Dinsha K. Tehrano	136	1996	Abbas M.A. Hajji
94	1954	S.P.S. Rajan	137	1997	Mahendra Shah
95	1955	V. Kunjithapatham	138	1998	V.SKylas
96	1956	S.J. Narasimhan	139	1999	K.S.Sankaran
97	1957	P.A. Krishnaswami	140	2000	K.SSreekanth
98	1958	K.S. Srinivasan	141	2001	R.Krishnan
99	1959	E.W.W. King	142		L.Ramani
100	1960	M.K. Sreedharan	143	2003	V.Subbiah
101	1961	T.S. Chintamani	144	2004	N.Meenakshisundaram
102	1962	M.Rajagopalan	145	2005	K.Kasthuri`
103	1963	A.Sarangapani	146	2006	S.Nandakumar
104	1964	S.K.Ramanujan	147	2007	Lt.Col.C.Venkataraman
105	1965	G.T. Watts	148	2008	R. Pariarasu
106	1966	V.R. Selvaraj	149	2009	V. S. Ramakrishnan
107	1967	K.D. Carter	150	2010	D. R. Chandramouli
108	1968	R.S.D Mont	151	2011	M. Balaganesh
109	1969	T.K. Doraiswami	152		R. S. Rajashekaran
110	1970	C.N. Ramanujam	153		K.Rangarajan
111	1971	V.Somasundaram	154	2014	P.Selvaganesh
112	1972	V.Dorairaj	155		B.Badrinarayanan
113	1973	S.Ramachandran	156	2016	Venkat Natarajan
157	2017	Arvind Shiva M			

List of Officers for the year 2017 - 18

S.No	Office	Name
1	Worshipful Master	W.Bro.Arvind Shiva Mahadevan
2	Immediate Past Master	W.Bro.Venkat Natarajan
3	Senior Warden	Bro.SermaPandiyan
4	Junior Warden	Bro.Neelakandan Kumar
5	Chaplain	Bro.K R Anand
6	Treasurer	W.Bro.V.S.Ramakrishnan
7	Secretary	W.Bro.R.Pariarasu
8	D of C	W.Bro.B.Badrinarayanan
9	Senior Deacon	Bro.MukundanVijayan
10	Junior Deacon	Bro.PPasupathinathan
11	Bearer of V.S.L.	R.W.Bro.V.S.Kylas
12	Bearer of V.S.L.	W.Bro.V.Subbiah
13	Bearer of V.S.L.	W.Bro.D.R.Chandramouli
14	Bearer of V.S.L.	Bro.V K Brijesh
15	Bearer of V.S.L.	Bro.PavanBadrinarayanan
16	Sword Bearer	Bro.SreenivasaNallaperumal
17	Assistant Secretary	W.Bro.K.Rangarajan
18	Assistant D of C	V.W.Bro.Mahendra Shah
19	Almoner	V W Bro S.Somasundaram
20	Organist	Bro Vishwanathan Ramesh Kumar
21	Inner Guard	Bro Natarajan Rajendran
22	Sr.Steward	V.W.Bro.K.S.Sreekanth
23	Steward	W.Bro.L Ramani
24	Steward	Bro.M.H.Raja
25	Steward	Bro. Vishwaraj Natarajan
26	Steward	Bro.Parthiban Sukumar
27	Tyler	W.Bro.R S Rajasekharan

List of Officers Proposed for the year 2018 - 19

S.No	Office	Name
1	Worshipful Master	Bro. KaruppiahSerma Pandian
2	Immediate Past Master	W.Bro.Arvind Shiva Mahadevan
3	Senior Warden	Bro.Neelakandan Kumar
4	Junior Warden	Bro. MukundanVijayan
5	Chaplain	Bro. C.D. Ravishankar
6	Treasurer	W.Bro.K.Rangarajan
7	Secretary	V.W.Bro.K.S.Sankaran
8	D of C	W.Bro.Venkat Natarajan
9	Senior Deacon	Bro.ParanthamanPasupathinathan
10	Junior Deacon	Bro.Natarajan Rajendran
11	Bearer of V.S.L.	W.Bro.N.Meenakshisundaram
12	Bearer of V.S.L.	W.Bro.Mahendra shah
13	Bearer of V.S.L.	R.W.Bro.S.S.Prasad
14	Bearer of V.S.L.	Bro.Poovada Srinivasan
15	Bearer of V.S.L.	Bro.ChinnaiahMadanagopal
16	Sword Bearer	Bro.SampathDurairajan
17	Assistant Secretary	W.Bro.V.S.Ramakrishnan
18	Assistant D of C	V.W.Bro.Kasthuri
19	Almoner	W.Bro.Loganathan Ramani
20	Organist	Bro.SrinivasaNallaperumal
21	Inner Guard	Bro.KaushikM.Ramakrishnan
22	Steward	W.Bro. R.S.Rajashekar
23	Steward	R.W.Bro.V.S.Kylas
24	Steward	W.Bro.D.R.Chandramouli
25	Steward	Bro.Ramanath Lakshmanan
26	Steward	Bro.Balamuruga
27	Tyler	W.Bro.B.Badrinarayanan

156thAnnual Report and Audited Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30thSeptember, 2018.

The Permanent, Audit and Enquiry Committee Members of The Mount Lodge No.14 have pleasure in presenting the 156thAnnual Report and Audited Accounts for the period ended 30th September 2018.

The Committees met jointly 12 times during the year under report and considered all matters relating to the administration in an impressive and excellent manner ingoverning of the Lodge.

1. INSTALLATION:

W.Bro.Arvind Shiva Mahadevan was installed as the 156th Master of the Lodge by W.Bro.Venkat Natarajanat the Regular installation Meeting held on Saturday the 4thNovember 2017 in the August presence of V.W.Bro.P M Anand, P.DyRGM, A.R.G.M., representative of R W The Regional Grand Master of The Regional Grand Lodge of Southern India in an impressive and excellent manner. The Worshipful Master then appointed and invested his officers for the year.

At the Installation meeting, the attendance was about 50 brethren comprising of Ruling Masters of City Lodges and several well-known and distinguished Visitors from other Lodges.

2. MEMBERSHIP:

Subscribing Members:

Members on Rolls at commencement of the year	93
Initiations during the year	7
Joining	3
Resignation:	6
Cessations:	7
Death:	-
Closing Total:	90

3. MEETINGS:

During the year 13 meetings were held–12 Regular meetings, and 1 Emergency Meeting(by dispensation) for Ritual Working Competition 2nd Stage(2017).

In the year under review, the following Ceremonies were performed;

Ceremony	No of Ceremonies	No of Candidates
Initiation	6	7
Passing	6	6
Raising	3	6

The 157th Consecration Day of the Lodge was celebrated as a family night on 21st September 2018. On this day, we honoured 3 Past Masters namely, R W Bro. S S Prasad, V W Bro K S Sankaran and W Bro R S Rajasekharan for their services to the Lodge. This function was attended R W Bro Ramappa Rajendran, ARGM and by a large number of brethren with their families. On this occasion, The Raja of Singampatti, Sri Murugadoss Theerthapathi graced the occasion and addressed the gathering.

4. RITUAL WORKING COMPETITION:

The Lodge participated in the 2^{nd} Stage of the RWC (2017) and Certificates of Merit were awarded to the following brethren:

W Bro Venkat Natarajan	Worshipful Master
W Bro Venkat Natarajan	North East Charge
W Bro Venkat Natarajan	Working Tools
W Bro Venkat Natarajan	Charge After Initiation
W Bro Venkat Natarajan	Tracing Board
W Bro Arvind Shiva Mahadevan	Senior Warden
Bro Mukundan Vijayan	Senior Deacon

5. SUBSCRIPTION ARREARS:

The arrears of subscription as at September 30, 2018 was from 7 brethren aggregating Rs.20,450/= and necessary action has been taken.

6. REGIONAL GRAND LODGE MEETINGS:

The Lodge was well represented at the Annual Investiture meeting of the Regional Grand Lodge of Southern India held in February 2018 at Chennai and Half Yearly Meeting in September 2018 at Bangalore.

7. ATTENDANCE:

The attendance at all the meetings has been satisfactory. The average attendance was 19.

8. CHARITY CONTRIBUTIONS:

At the Installation Meet, the following contributions towards Charity were made:

RGL Charitable Trust	Rs. 3,000
Madras Masonic Charitable Trust	Rs.3,000
KanchiMoodorArchakas Welfare Trust	Rs.2,000
Sri Ramakrishna Mission	Rs.2,000

Disaster Relief:

The brethren of the Lodge contributed a sum of Rs.25,000/- and Rs.50,000 /- respectively towards relief during the Ockhi Cyclone which hit Kanyakumari/Nagercoil and the recent floods in Kerala.

Republic Day and Independence Celebrations 2018:

During the Republic Day Celebrations 2018, the brethren of the Lodge contributed a sum of Rs.19,000/- for Educational assistance of J.Rajathi undergoing Final Year in Nursing

The Lodge contributed a sum of Rs.5000/- for the Joint Charity Project undertaken by the City Lodges on Independence Day celebrations.

Universal Brotherhood Day Celebrations 2018:

On Universal Brotherhood Day, the following charity projects were undertaken.

- a) The Regional Grand Master inaugurated the Lung Screening Camp for traffic policemen. 141 Police personnel were screened out of which 23 persons required further investigation and their Report washandover to the Police Department.
- b) 2 Wheelchairs were donated by W Bro S Nandakumar and W Bro R Pari Arasu to Public Health Centre, West Mambalam.
- c) Donation of 2 Rice Bags to Vedapatashala at Chengalpet

d) Endowment Fund for Girl Child Education

Our W.Bro.Venkat Natarajan has Instituted an Endowment Fund for Education Scholarship for Girl Children with a Corpus Amount of Rs.2,00,000/= under the MERCI Programme of RGLSI Charitable Trust **since April, 2015**.

The Interest Accrued of Rs.13,250/= on this Corpus is available on an Annual Basis.

In this year 2017-18 the Interest was utilized to pay the below named girl child:

Baby Shalini - Class II Rs.13250/=

This was done on Universal Brotherhood day through the hands of the Regional Grand Master.

Other Educational Assistance:

The Lodge offered educational assistance amounting to Rs.30,000/- to various recipients.

The Lodge contributed a sum of Rs.7,500/- towards Asia Pacific Masonic Conference held on 6th and 7th October 2018 at Chandigarh.

As an ongoing project, Vedapatashala at Adambakkam & Chengalpet and Kanchi Mutt were provided with rice bags every month.

W Bro Venkat Natarajan has donated a sum of Rs.1,00,000/- to Lodge Satsang Masonic Charitable Trust towards building of Masonic Temple in the month of September, 2018.

11. GRAND LODGE HONOURS:

The following Brethren were awarded Active / Past Grand Ranks by the Grand Lodge of India:-

Past Ranks:-

R.W.Bro.G.Madhanaraj	P.Dy G M
V W Bro K S Sankaran	P.G.D of C.
V W Bro K S Sreekanth	P.G.D of C.
V W Bro K Kasthuri	P.G.D of C.
W Bro.D.R.Chandramouli	P.A.G.Sec
W.BroR.S.Rajasekharan	P. V Pres G.Std

12. REGIONAL GRAND HONOURS:

The following Brethren were awarded Active and Past Regional Grand Ranks by the Regional Grand Lodge of Southern India:-

Past Ranks:-

W.Bro.PariArasu	P.J.R.G.D
W Bro.D.R.Chandramouli	P.Dy.R.G.M.
W Bro L Ramani	P A.R.G.M
W.BroR.S.Rajasekharan	P.R.G.Sec
W.Bro K M Bindusadhakan	P.R.G.Sec
W.Bro.Venkat Natarajan	P.R.G.Org
W.Bro.R.Krishnan	P.R.G.D.o.C

14. INTRA LODGE TROPHIES AND AWARDS:

The following is the list of the Winners of the Various Trophies of the Lodge for the year 2017-18

Title	Awarded for	Awarded to
W.Bro. Satyendra Kumar	Best Mason – Inside	Bro.P.Pasupathinathan
Trophy	and Outside the Lodge	
W.Bro. R.Dwarakanath	100% Attendance to	W Bro B Badrinarayanan
Memento	Past masters	
W.Bro. S.K.Ramanujan	Best Assisting Master	W.Bro. R Pari Arasu
Memento		
R.W.Bro.M.Rajagopal Trophy	Best Mason	Bro.KaushikM.Ramakrishnan
W.Bro. S.ASubramoney Award	Best Officer	Bro.Neelakandan Kumar
W.Bro. S.ASubramaony Award	Best Non-Officer	Bro.C.D.Ravishankar
W.Bro.G. Sivaramakrishnan	Best Warden	W.Bro.KaruppaiahSerma
Memento		Pandian
V.W.Bro.K.G. VeeraRaghavan	Best Officer among	Bro.MukundanVijayan
Trophy Instituted by	JD/SD/IG/Tyler	
W.Bro.Kylas	(Only Master Mason)	
W.Bro.S.Nandakumar award	100% attendance other	W Bro. Arvind Shiva
	than Past Masters	Mahadevan
W.Bro.Meenakshisundaram	Best Ritualist	W.Bro.Serma Pandian
Award		
Raja of Ramnad –	Promising Ritualist	Bro.Natarajan Rajendran
ShanmugaRajeswaraSethupathy		
Memento		

15. FINANCES:

The Financial position of the Lodge is good and sound and the books of accounts properly maintained and secure. The detailed Statement of Accounts for the year ended 30^{th} September 2018 is appended to this report.

The Balances held in various Fixed Deposits and Bank accounts are:

Project Fund a/c. 175 th year a/c.	4,509 2,89,616
Almoner's a/c.	1,07,946
Stewards Fund a/c.	59,522
Total	5,33,605

16. RECOMMENDATIONS:

The Committee recommends that:

A hearty vote of thanks be accorded to W.Bro.Arvind Shiva Mahadevan, Worshipful Master, for the excellent manner in which he conducted the working of the Lodge and recommends that a Past master's Jewel be presented to him.

A hearty vote of thanks be accorded to W.Bro.V S Ramakrishnan, Treasurer for the discharge of his duties.

A hearty vote of thanks be accorded toBro.R Pari Arasu, Secretary for his zeal and the efficient discharge of his duties.

The Lodge places on records its appreciation, encouragement, support and valuable assistance rendered by the Past Masters of the Lodge as well as by R.W.Bro. N.Pandurangan, Regional Grand & Asst. Regional Grand Secretary of the Regional Grand Lodge of Southern India.

The Committee places on record its appreciation to the Officers and Brethren for their active participation and unstinted support in the working of the Lodge.

The Lodge places on record its appreciation for the support given by the members of the staff of the Regional Grand Lodge of Southern India.

The following contributions be made through the Mount LodgeNo.14. Charitable Trust / Charity Account / Project Fund / General Fund for the year 2017-18

RGL Charitable Trust
Madras Masonic Charitable Trust
Rs.3,000
KachiMoodoorArchakas Welfare Trust
Sri Ramakrishna Mission
Rs.2,000
Rs.2,000

By Order of the Permanent, Audit and Enquiry Committee of The Mount Lodge No.14

Chennai 21st October 2018

		The M	OUNT LODGE NO.14							
			RAL FUND ACCOUNT							
RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1st October, 2017 TO 30th September, 2018.										
Receipts	Amount (Rs.)	Amount (Rs.)	Payments	Amount (Rs.)	Amount (Rs.)					
Opening Balance										
With KVB 1213115000020541										
GENERAL FUND		44,103								
PROJECT FUND		20,656								
ALMONER FUND		1,05,244								
STEWARD FUND		50,822								
CHARITY FUND		12,270								
175TH YEAR FUND		2,80,916								
SUBSCRIPTION FOR 17-18		3,09,615	GLI/RGL Payments including contributions		60,950					
Consecration Day Collections			Meeting Expenses including Hall Rent, LTS		1,85,781					
			Aprons cost		5,825					
DONATIONS & CHARITY COLLECTIONS		36,981	DONATIONS AND CHARITY PAYMENTS		82,400					
ALMONER FUND COLLECTIONS		2,702	Bank Charges		1,180					
			Printing Charges		2,868					
			Closing Balances With KVB 12131150000205	41						
			GENERAL FUND	46,613						
			PROJECT FUND	29,909						
			ALMONER FUND	1,07,946						
			STEWARD FUND	59,522						
			CHARITY FUND	0						
			175TH YEAR FUND	2,89,616	5,33,605					
TOTAL		8,72,609	TOTAL		8,72,609					

R W.BRO.V S KYLAS AUDIT COMMITTEE MEMBER W.BRO.RANGARAJAN AUDIT COMMITTEE MEMBER V.W.BRO.K.S.SREEKANTH AUDIT COMMITTEE MEMBER

W.BRO.ARVIND SHIVA MAHADEVAN WORSHIPFUL MASTER W.BRO.PARIARASU SECRETARY W.BRO.V.S.RAMAKRISHNAN TREASURER

THE	MOUNT LODG	E NO.14 CHA	ARITABLE TRUST ACCOUNT		
RECEIPTS AND I	PAYMENTS ACC	COUNT FOR 1	THE YEAR 01-04-2017 TO 31-03-2018		
RECEIPTS		AMOUNT	PAYMENTS	AMOUNT	
OP. BALANCE			BANK CHARGES		53
FD WITH BANK	1,50,000				
SB ACCOUNT	11,233	1,61,233			
INTEREST REPCO		9,856	CLOSING BALANCE		
SB INTEREST		1,202	FD WITH BANK	1,50,000	
DONATIONS RECEIVED PARI		5,000	SB ACCOUNT	27,238	1,77,238
Total		1,77,291	Total		1,77,291
INCOME AND EXF	 PENDITURE AC	COUNT FOR	THE YEAR 01-04.2017 TO 31-03-2018	<u> </u> 	
EXPENDITURE		AMOUNT	INCOME		AMOUNT
			COLLECTION FROM GENERAL FUND		9,300
BANK CHARGES		53	FD INTEREST		9,856
			SB INTEREST		1,202
EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE		25,305	DONATIONS RECEIVED PARI		5,000
Total		25,358	Total		25,358
	BALANCE S	 HEET AS AT	31ST MARCH 2018		
Liabilities		AMOUNT	Assets		AMOUNT
OP BALANCE 01-04-2017	1,86,633		FD WITH BANK		1,50,000
ADD EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXP	25,305	2,11,938	BALANCE WITH BANK		27,238
			RECEIVABLE FROM GENERAL FUND		34,700
Total		2,11,938	Total		2,11,938