

ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

Punthill Apartment Hotels

157-163 Lonsdale Street, Dandenong VIC 3175

Options include hotel rooms, as well as one- and two-bedroom apartments. If booking, please ensure you advise them of the group booking to obtain a concession rate for your accommodation. Bookings to be made by **25th June** to guarantee group rate and deposit may be required by Hotel. Tel: (+61) 03 9916 8888

Reservations: groups@punthill.com.au

Info: www.punthill.com.au/hotels/dandenong/

Quest Dandenong Central

2-10 Walker Street, Dandenong VIC 3175

Tel: (+61) 03 8710 5700

Reservations and information:

dandenongcentral@questapartments.com.au

TRANSPORT: Tullamarine <-> Dandenong

Airport Bus Dandenong

Fare: \$45 pp Tel: (+61) 03 9782 6766

Email: bookings@airportbusdandenong.com.au

(Punthill drop off & pickup available; Quest at station opposite hotel)

Please refer to website for precise details of rates, bookings and information: www.airportbusdandenong.com.au

Bookings prior to date of travel are essential to ensure seats.

Other pick-up and drop-off locations at bottom left of their web Pages:

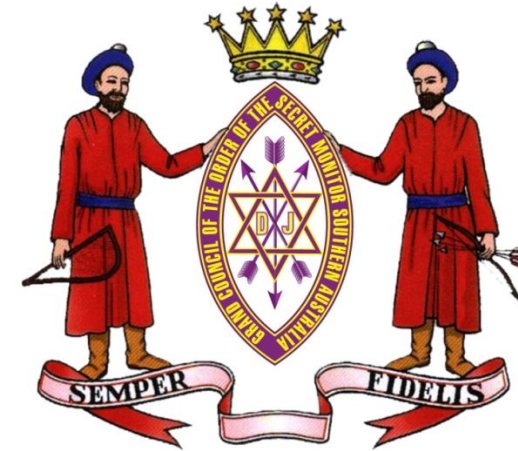
“Special Pick up”. Travel time approximately 1hr 30mins.

WARNING: Public Bus 901 from station can take up to 4 hours!

Taxi

Fares are of the order of \$100 -150 each way. Trip takes about 1.5hours, depending on traffic. Taxis are available from ranks at the airport. On return trip, your hotel will call a taxi for you if required.

Grand Council of the Order of the Secret Monitor for Southern Australia



INVITATION

On Saturday, 24th July 2021, our Order will commence a new year with the Re-Installation of M Wthy Bro. Robert William Pierce, GSR, as Most Worthy Grand Supreme Ruler, together with the Investiture of Grand Officers for the 2021-22 year.

IMPORTANT: Please note that arrangements may be subject to late change due to unforeseen effects of the ongoing COVID pandemic.

Ladies and Brethren,

It is my great pleasure to extend a warm hearty invitation to all Freemasons and members of the Order of the Secret Monitor for Southern Australia. I would also like to extend the same hearty invitation to our interstate Brethren and all those from overseas jurisdictions to be part of our Grand Installation celebrations on the 23rd, 24th and 25th of July.

The weekend will start on Friday with the Conclave of Remembrance, which I believe is one of the most beautiful ceremonies in all of Freemasonry. This will be followed by a relaxed meet-and-greet supper, which will give myself and all members of our Order an opportunity to extend to you the hospitality of Southern Australia. On Saturday will be the Grand Installation, culminating with a sumptuous Banquet.

On Sunday we have organised a bus tour to Phillip Island (of course depending on numbers and Covid restrictions allowing us to be able to celebrate this important occasion).

As we all know, 2020 has been an extremely difficult year for us all, but with a small amount of luck and the continuing down-grading of restrictions I am looking forward to welcoming you at our Installation and once again extending our warmest hospitality to you in Melbourne.

I extend my fraternal regards to you all and greatly look forward to greeting you in July as we resume and celebrate the commencement of a new year in our wonderful Monitor Masonry.

Fondest Regards,

Bob Pierce

Grand Supreme Ruler

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Friday 23rd July 2021

Conclave of Remembrance

All members of the Order and ladies are invited and encouraged to attend. The Conclave will be held at the **South Eastern Masonic Centre**, 270 Hutton Road, Keysborough VIC, commencing at 5pm. Afternoon tea will be available from 4pm.

Buffet Dinner

A 2-course buffet dinner will follow the Conclave of Remembrance at the South Eastern Masonic Centre. Cost \$40 per person.

Saturday 24th July 2021

Annual Meetings

To be held at the **South Eastern Masonic Centre**, 270 Hutton Road, Keysborough VIC. All members of the Order are invited and encouraged to attend the Annual Meeting of Grand Council at 3.15pm, followed by the Grand Installation of Grand Conclave at 3.30pm.

Grand Installation

After the Annual Meetings distinguished guests and ladies will be admitted to the Lodge Room to witness the **Re-Installation of Most Worthy Brother Robert William Pierce, GSR, Grand Supreme Ruler-elect**, for the ensuing year.

Annual Dinner

The Annual Dinner will follow at the **Beletti Restaurant Café Bar and Functions** within the Punthill Apartments Hotel, 159 Lonsdale Street, Dandenong, at approximately 7pm (canapes from 6.30pm). All members and their partners will be very welcome to join the GSR at this function and to relax in the company of friends. Cost \$85* per person, with soft drinks included and other beverages available at bar prices.

* soft drinks included – beer, wine and spirits at bar prices

Sunday 25th July 2021

Bus Trip

Departing from the South East Masonic Centre at 9am we will enjoy a bus trip to the Vietnam Veterans Museum, Newhaven, with morning tea, then back to Phillip Island RSL for lunch, returning to the Masonic Centre around 3.30pm. Cost \$75 per person including bus fare, museum entry, morning tea and lunch.

RSVP, with payment, is to be received no later than 9 July 2021



Grand Council of the Order of the Secret Monitor for Southern Australia 2021 Registration Form

Name:.....

Rank and OSM Constitution, or other Order (if not OSM for Southern Australia):
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Please add name of person(s) accompanying you to functions listed in the booking table underneath and any dietary restrictions:.....
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A cheque payable to 'OSM General Account' is to be sent with this form, duly completed, to:

**CS Wallace
1003 Ripon Street South
Ballarat VIC 3350 Australia**

Alternately, send form as above (or email to OSMStAusGRec@gmail.com) and direct debit to the same NAB account:

BSB: 083-685 Acct No.: 19-819-6407 Reference: Surname & 'install fees'

RSVP with payment is to be received no later than 9 July 2021

Please reserve places, as follows (you will need to make your own transport and accommodation arrangements for this weekend):

| Function | No. Attending | Cost per person (\$A) | Total Amount Payable (\$A) |
|--|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Friday 23 July 2021 : South Eastern Masonic Centre, Keysborough | | | |
| Buffet Dinner (2-course) - Afternoon Tea included | | \$40 pp | \$ |
| Saturday 24 July 2021 : South Eastern Masonic Centre, Keysborough | | | |
| Grand Installation | | nil | |
| Saturday 24 July 2021 : Beletti, Punhill Hotel, 159 Lonsdale Street, Dandenong | | | |
| Annual Dinner (4-course) | | \$85 pp | \$ |
| Sunday 25 July 2021 : Social Outing | | | |
| Bus Trip, Museum entry, Morning Tea & Lunch | | \$75 pp | \$ |
| Total Payment enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> or direct debited <input type="checkbox"/> : <i>(tick payment box as appropriate)</i> | | | \$ |

Directions - Keysborough Masonic Centre to Beletti Restaurant

Directions for car travel from South Eastern Masonic Centre, Keysborough, to Punhill Hotel (Beletti Restaurant Café Bar and Functions), Dandenong, after the Grand Installation on Saturday 24th July 2021:

