

FUND RAISING.

At the Annual General Meeting on 12th. October 2016, the Lodge decided to embark on a major Fund Raising campaign to raise funds for the refurbishment of the exterior fabric of the building. This is a huge undertaking, but one which the Brethren felt was necessary if the Masonic Hall in Uddingston is to survive well into the future. Our Hall has been the focus of many Masonic and Community functions and Fund Raising activities since its construction in 1924. It is imperative that this asset be preserved not only for our Lodge in particular, but the Community in general. If you can assist in any way,

organising a fund raising event, making a donation, even come up with a good fund raising idea, contact our Right Worshipful Master, Bro. Stuart Jack. **WE NEED YOU TO HELP WITH THIS PROJECT.**



Fundraising
**SUPER HEROES
WANTED.**

Research Update.

Astonishing ! That's how our Right Worshipful Master reacted to the news that the Secretary had received an E mail from Bro. Ord Meikle's Grandson. Ord Meikle was one of the first Members that the RWM had identified as being killed in action in WW1. Scott Meikle, Grandson of our Member has information on his Grandfather which will be invaluable in our Lodge research.

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Thurs. 3rd. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 visit Lodge St. Thomas No. 306. M.M.M. Degree by Bro. James Vasey, RWMM.

Wed. 9th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. Dedication of Lodge War Memorial.

Wed. 23rd. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. F.C. Degree by Lodge St. Enoch No. 1288.

Thurs. 24th. The Grand Lodge of Scotland Installation of Office-bearers and Festival of St. Andrew. Freemasons Hall, Edinburgh at 12 noon.

Sat. 26th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Installation of Office-bearers at 4 p.m.

579 CABARET NIGHT
FEATURING
TIME OF YOUR LIFE
 Sat-
urday 5th. November at 7.30
p.m.
Tickets £8

War Memorial Dedication.

The Dedication of the War Memorial will take place at our Regular Meeting on Wednesday 9th. November 2016. There will be no Degree on that occasion and the Service will be conducted by Bro. Rev. Peter Price, Past Grand Chaplain.
 Visitors will be most welcome to attend this historic occasion.

The research that has been undertaken by myself over the last 3 years resulted in 8 Brethren from the Lodge visiting the grave of one of our fallen Brethren and the Battlefields of WW1. The trip to France was one of many emotions and I don't think I will ever forget it.

To stand at the last post service at the Menin Gate in Ypres, only minutes before to see for the first time a picture of Thomas Robertson who I had spent so much time researching was such an overwhelming experience. I only hope that the research and our trip there to not only remember Thomas but all the Brethren from Lodge St Bryde during those terrible years will go a little way in repaying our Brethren from that time for their sacrifices. Such a busy year but every member of the lodge has played a huge part in making it not only successful for myself but the lodge. I can only thank everyone for there efforts whether it be with degree work, cleaning up the hall, setting up the hall, opening and closing along with all the other work we have undertaken. To everyone who has supported the lodge either in an official deputation or just getting out and about and visiting friends has been great to see. So many great highlights but without doubt the highlight is every time you put on the RWM chain of office and to see so many of your own Brethren enjoying there Freemasonry as much as I do.

Stuart J. Jack, Right Worshipful Master.

Important Information Wanted.

Bro. Stuart Jack, Right Worshipful Master has been carrying out extensive research into Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Members who served in The Great War 1914 - 1918. It is important that confirmation from more than one source is obtained to verify the information. To date thirty five Brethren have been confirmed as having served and five confirmed killed.

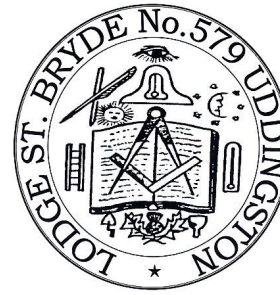
We would now invite anyone who had a relative who was a member of Lodge St. Bryde and served in the World War 1 to forward details (name, regiment etc.) to the Lodge Secretary, Jim Jack at jamesljack@btinternet.com or text 07718233593. Any information will be invaluable in our researches.

A message from The Right Worshipful Master.

Being asked to put into words the highlight of your term in office as RWM is a pretty tough task. Being Installed as RWM of your Mother Lodge will certainly take a lot of beating however being installed as RWM on the Saturday by your father then on the Sunday morning telling him and my mum that my wife was 5 weeks pregnant certainly set the standard for what has been an unbelievable year.



The Installation period between November and January is always a busy period in the Masonic calendar. Even more so in Lodge St Bryde with the hall so regularly used for installations of Sister lodges. The support received from many of the Office bearers and Brethren that I received in setting up the hall, tidying up and attending meetings I will be forever grateful and very quickly in my term I realised that I had amazing support from the Brethren. Deputations and visitations are vital in Freemasonry and I throughout my Masonic career have always enjoyed visiting lodges. To get “out and about” as they say so early, again with the support of the Brethren and to visit so many Lodges and represent the Lodge in deputations has been a great highlight. Our visit to my Grandfather's Mother Lodge 1288 to confer a 1st degree was one I had been looking forward to. To enter the old church hall with a deputation of 23 of my Brethren really did give me a great feeling and I was so proud. The deputation to Emblem lodge in Blackpool was a great success quickly followed by another 23 man deputation to our good friends at Bothwell Brig to work an excellent 2nd degree. Undoubtedly the highlight in the Lodge St Bryde calendar is our annual trip away. A special day for myself as I chose to visit the Lodge where my Grandfather received his 2nd and 3rd degrees as a favour during WW2. It was a perfect weekend in Arbroath and to visit the old Lodge No. 40 with a deputation of so many great friends and have our instruction class work a perfect 2nd degree will be remembered so fondly



Lodge St. Bryde News.

Election of Office-bearers .

At the Annual General Meeting on 12th. October the following Office-bearers were Elected for the Session 2016-17.

Right Worshipful Master
Immediate Past Master
Depute Master
Substitute Master
Senior Warden
Junior Warden
Secretary
Treasurer
Almoner
Director of Ceremonies
Senior Deacon
Junior Deacon
Inner Guard
Chaplain
Bible-bearer
Architect
Jeweller
Marshall
Director of Music
Organist
Senior Steward
Junior Steward
Third Steward
Tyler

Bro. Bryce W. Morrison
Bro. Stuart J. Jack, P.M.
Bro. Norman Telfer, D.S.M.
Bro. Robert J. Edgar, P.M.
Bro. Duncan Mulholland
Bro. Russell D. Parsons
Bro. James L. Jack, P.M.
Bro. David F. Shaw, P.M.
Bro. John McLean
Bro. Robert Abercrombie, P.M.
Bro. James S. Muircroft
Bro. Graeme Wardrope
Bro. Douglas Johnston
Bro. Mark R. Young
Bro. Ian Cowan
Bro. Iain Charlton
Bro. Andrew S. McAlpine, P.M.
Bro. Andrew J. Jack
Bro. James Vasey, P.M.
Bro. Thomas S. Lynch, P.M.
Bro. Anthony M. Hilton
Bro. Ian Liddell
Bro. Ross J. Liddell
Bro. Patrick C. Clarke, P.M.

England v. Scotland

**Watch the game *live* in the Lounge on
Friday 11th. November k.o. 7.45 p.m.**

Come and support your Lodge

***Pies, beer and Scotland !!
Admission Free !!***





Grand Lodge News.

The Installation of Bro. Charles Iain Robert Wolrige Gordon of Esslemont as Grand Master Mason of Scotland will take place on Thursday 24th. November at 2 p.m. followed by the Festival of St. Andrew Dinner in the Corn Exchange.

Tickets priced £60 . Applications via the Lodge Secretary are now closed. If you would like to attend , contact Grand

Secretary's Office.



Family ties maintained. Bro. Ian Liddell is warmly welcomed by Bro. David Johnston, R.W.M. of Lodge Bothwell Brig No. 1229 (Ian's late fathers Lodge) and Bro. Calum Bennett is warmly received by his father to Lodge Tollcross No. 1194. (his Mother Lodge)

The Lodge Homepage has just passed the 8,000 visitor mark.



Provincial Grand Lodge News.

Provincial Grand Master, Bro. William A. Perry and a large Deputation from Provincial Grand Lodge attended the Regular Meeting of Lodge St. Enoch No. 1288 which was held in our Hall on 5th. October. The reason for the visit was to present Bro. David Greenshields, P.M., Secretary with his Diamond Jubilee Certificate to mark 60

years a member of our Craft. Bro. Greenshields has worked tirelessly for his Mother Lodge, having served 39 years as Lodge Secretary. He has been a great friend to Lodge St. Bryde and is one of our few Honorary



Bro. Albert Loughran, RWM and Bro. William Perry, PGM congratulate Bro. David Greenshields, P.M.

