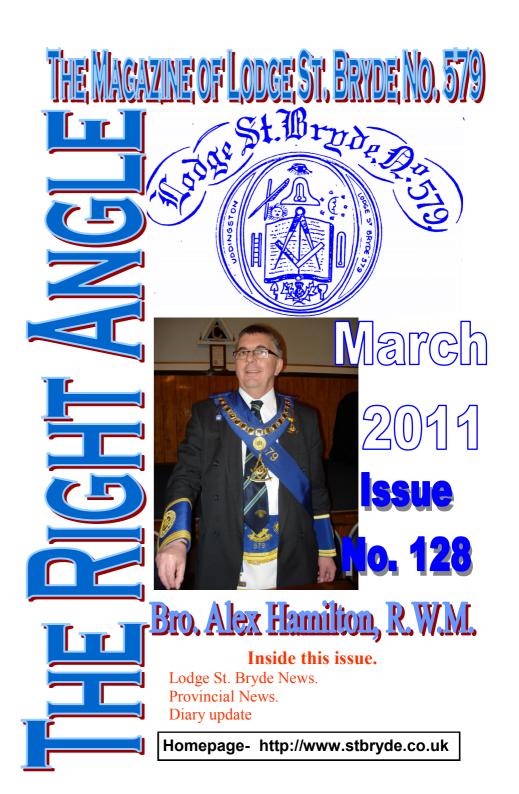
Provincial Grand Lodge News.

Installation of Provincial Grand Master.

The Installation of Bro. Tom Davidson as Provincial Grand Master and the Commissioned Office-bearers will take place on Saturday 1st. October 2011 at 1 p.m. in Motherwell Civic Centre. Usually the Installation is planned as soon as possible after the Commission starts, but due to Motherwell Civic Centre being completely renovated and no other suitable venue being available it was decided wait until the Civic Centre reopened. As a large attendance is expected it means that all can be accommodated.

Darts.

The 579 World Darts Competition draw has now been made with the holder Alasdair Dunlop drawn against the dark horse of the competition Andy Jack. The draw also threw up another local derby – James L. Jack against Stuart Jack. Keep an eye on the Notice Board for progress of these and other matches.





Wed. 2nd. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Enquiry Committee Meeting at 7.30 p.m.

Wed. 9th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579. Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. E.A. Degree by Lodge Tollcross No. 1194.

Mon. 14th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Deputation to Lodge St. Kentigern No. 429, Penicuik. F.C. by Bro. David Shaw, W.S.W.

Wed. 23rd. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. Annual Visit by Provincial Grand Lodge. F.C. Degree by Bro. David Shaw, W.S.W.

Digitalised Lodge Minutes.

Last month our Lodge became the first in Scotland to start a process which would publish our minutes on our Lodge Homepage. Over a period of time the digitalised minutes on the Homepage will be increased so that we should have a complete minute from 1875 to 1948 available by the end of the year.

Provincial Grand Lodge News

Provincial Grand Lodge Annual Divine Service. The Annual Divine Service of Provincial Grand Lodge will take place on **Sunday 15th. May 2011 at 6 for 6.30 p.m.** in Uddingston Old Parish Church. The Service will be conducted by Rev. Fiona McKibbin, the New Minister of The Old Parish and Rev. Peter Price, Provincial Grand Chaplain.

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New Provincial Grand Master.

At the Regular Communication of Grand Lodge on 3rd. February, Bro. Tom Davidson's

Commission as Provincial Grand Master was approve, with effect from 9th. June 2011.

The New Commissioned Office-bearers were also announced by the Provincial Grand Master Designate, they are

Depute Provincial Grand Master Bro. William Perry (Lodge 440) Substitute Provincial Grand Masters Bro. Andrew Miller (Lodge 1230)

Bro. James Ferguson (Lodge 166)

Bro. Norman Carnegy (Lodge 31)

Bro. Stephen Campbell (Lodge 1288)

Provincial Grand Secretary Bro. William Craig (Lodge 1499)

Provincial Grand Senior Chaplain Bro. Rev. Peter Price (Lodge 1779)

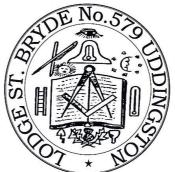
Provincial Grand Junior Chaplain Bro. Peter Ball (Lodge 668)

The above Commissions will commence on 9th. June 2011.

Congratulations.

A large Deputation of Brethren from Lodges within our Province attended the Installation at Mount Lodge No.6654 in Fleetwood on Saturday 19th. February 2011. Included in the Deputation were Bro. James L. Jack, Provincial Grand Master, Bro. Bill Perry, Substitute Provincial Grand Master and Bro. Bill Craig, Provincial Grand Secretary. Bro. Alex Hamilton. R.W.M. of Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 was accompanied by three other Reigning Masters. The purpose of the visit was to support Bro. Alasdair Dunlop, P.M. 579 who was Installed as Worthy Master of Mount Lodge No. 6654. Bro. Dunlop has been a member of Mount Lodge for fifteen years and this was the fifth time that he had been Installed as Master of various Lodges.





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The Third International Conference on the History of Freemasonry will be held in The George Washington Masonic National Memorial, Alexandria, Virginia from 27 to 29th. May 2011. This is indeed the premier Conference in Masonic Research and we

delighted that Bro. James L. Jack, P.M. Provincial Grand Master has had a Paper accepted by the Academic Committee for Presentation at the Conference, Bro. Jack's Paper is titled "Free Gardeners and Freemasons - a Comparison" will be delivered by Bro. Jack at the Conference on Saturday 28th. May. This is a fantastic achievement in that top researchers from all over the world will be presenting Lectures on all

aspects of Freemasonry and to

have a Brother from our Lodge involved is truly remarkable.



George Washington Masonic Memorial



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275TH. Anniversary.

This year Grand Lodge celebrate the 275th. Anniversary of the formation of Grand Lodge and the Centenary of the laying of the Foundation Stone of Freemasons Hall. The celebrations are as follows; A Ceremony of

Rededication of Freemasons Hall will take place on Saturday 9th. April at 11.00 a.m. to be followed by a buffet lunch at Murray-field Stadium. On the e3vening of Friday 8th. April a formal Dinner Dance will be held in Freemasons Hall and on Sunday 10th. April a Ceremony of Thanksgiving will take place in Freemasons Hall.

The Buffet Lunch will be £25 per person and price of the tickets for the Dinner Dance is £75 each.

Grand Lodge Open Day.

Grand Lodge plan to have two open days per year on a Saturday. This will be an opportunity for Brethren and Friends to visit Grand Lodge the open day will include a conducted tour of Freemasons Hall, including the Museum and Library. The next open day will be on Sat. 12th. March. 2011 from 12 noon to 4 p.m.

Parking.

Recently we have had difficulty with Parking in Gardenside Street. Although the resident concerned lives at No. 28 which is a considerable distance from our Hall, he has complained to us directly about parking on what he deems to be his property. Unfortunately, he has also contacted the Police regarding Parking in this area which is the road beyond the property at No. 28 (the same side as our Hall – last house). In view of this we have posted Notices to draw to the attention to visitors to our Hall that Parking on the road beyond No. 28 is not recommended and car owners are reminded that parking in this area is at the owner's risk.

Lodge Meridian No. 1779.

At the Regular Meeting of the Lodge held on Wednesday 9th. February 2011, the members of Lodge St. Bryde unanimously approved a request from Lodge Meridian No. 1779 to meet in our premises. The Lodge meet during the summer months on the Second Tuesday at 1 p.m. from April to August. The Installation is at 1 p.m. on the third Tuesday in September. The Lodge was Chartered on 4th. May 1989 with the specific reference to meet the needs of shift workers and Brethren who have retired. Last year Provincial Grand Lodge conducted a re-dedication Ceremony to mark the 21st. Anniversary.

Lodge Meridian meetings will appear on the Lodge St. Bryde Calendar which is available on our Homepage at www.stbryde.co.uk