

Halloween Dance

Saturday 31st. October at 7.30 p.m.

Tickets Price £15 from Duncan Mulholland

DANCE TO THE FANTASTIC
HOT LOVE

Deputations 2026/27

Wed. 18th. Nov. 579 visit Lodge Cambuslang Royal Arch No. 114 E.A.

Mon. 1st March 2027. 579 visit Lodge Buchanan No.1499

Hall Lets and Social Functions **2026**

Sat. 31st. Oct. Lodge Dance 8 p.m.

Sat. 28th. Nov. Lodge St. Bryde Installation at 4 p.m.
2027

Fri. 8th. Provincial G.L. Installation 7.30 p.m.

Sat. 9th. Jan. Lodge Bothwell Brig No. 1229 Installation.

Sat. 30th. Jan. Lodge Burns Immortal No. 1730 Installation

Sat. 6th. Feb. Lodge Livingstone No. 599 150th.

Rededication by Grand Lodge at 1 p.m.

Sat. 13th.Feb. Uddingston Masonic Burns Club Burns Supper.

Fri. 19th. Feb. Tannochside RSC Sportsmans Dinner

Sat. 20th. Feb. Lodge Cabaret

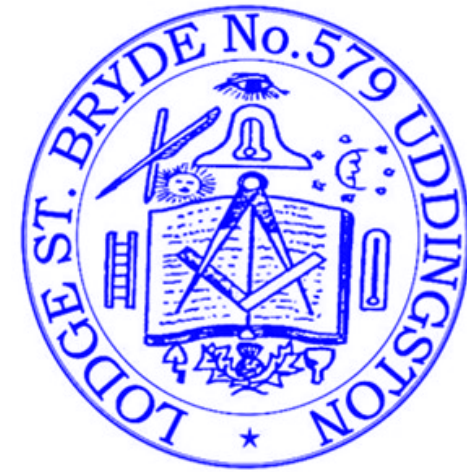
Sat. 20th. Mar. Bothwell Royal Arch No. 170. 150th.

Anniversary Rededication and Dinner.

Sat. 7th. May. 579 Sportsmans Dinner.

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Bro. James Vasey, R.W.M.

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Fri. 2nd. Provincial Grand Lodge of Lanarkshire Middle Ward Communication at Wishaw (No. 31) 7.30 p.m.

Wed. 14th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Annual General Meeting and Election of Office-bearers at 7.30 p.m.

Wed. 28th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Regular Meeting at 7.30 p.m. M.M.M. Degree by J. Vasey, RWM.

Thurs. 29th. Grand Lodge of Scotland Regular Communication, Freemasons Hall, Edinburgh. 2 p.m.

November.

Wed. 11th. Lodge St. Bryde No. 579 Regular Meeting (Memorial Meeting) 7.30 p.m.

Lanarkshire New and Young Masons Group News.

The Group has been growing over the last few months and we are delighted that several 579 Brethren have been involved. Brother Jack Oliver, WSW of 557 reported on the recent social night out, The Young Masons had their first social at the Golf Bar in Glasgow. Ten Brethren from across the Province came together for an evening of food, drinks and some healthy competition at the golf simulator. A dinner at Bucks Bar followed and refreshments at Angels Uddingston.

“Over dinner the Brethren discussed ideas for the following year including visitations, lapel pins, recruitment and more social events.

Chairman, Jack Oliver WSW 557 would like to thank every Brother who attended and put their ideas forward for the future. We would hope everyone had a great recess as we look forward to the new season ahead.

Test Fees

As the Grand Lodge Capitation Fees are due to increase to £60 this month, our Lodge Annual Test Fee will rise to £60.

TEST FEES ARE NOW DUE.

Sunday 30th August 2026

PGL Annual Golf Competition

Bro. Robert Ede represented Lodge St. Bryde at the Annual Golf Day.

Over 40 of Lanarkshire Middle Wards finest golfers competed for the chance to win the prizes at Airdrie Golf Club in the annual golf competition.

After a days golfing the PGL Champion Scratch Golfer 2026 receiving the Amicol Cup was John Greenshields - Lodge St Andrew Coatbridge No. 544

In the Stableford Competition the Winner reviving the James L Jack Trophy was Ian Douglas - Lodge Murdostoun Castle No. 1096

with Runner Up receiving the Inner Guard Shield was Stewart Mein - Lodge Livingstone Stonefield No. 599

The Teams Prizes were keenly fought with only 1 point splitting the teams with the Winners of the Masters Trophy - Murdostoun Castle No. 1096

Runners up receiving the Tunnocks Trophy - Lodge St Andrew Coatbridge No. 543

The Seniors, Over 55's seen the

Winner receiving the Tunnock Cup - and was Ian Douglas - Murdostoun Castle No. 1096 with Runner up receiving the Challenge Cup - Stewart Mein - Lodge Livingstone Stonefield No. 599

Kenny Dalzell PG Golf Convenor had great delight presenting to PGM Norman Carnegie £450 to kick start his Nominated Charity appeal for Calum's Cabin, a great start.

579 WHISKY NIGHT

Friday 11th. December 2026 at 7.30 p.m.
in the Lounge

20 places are available, please put your name on the Notice Board if you would like to attend.

(20 names only)

Further details to follow.



Retirement. On the completion of his Commission as Right Worshipful Substitute Grand Master, Bro. James L. Jack will retire from Grand Lodge. It is not his intention to stand for any of the Grand Committees of which he has been a member since 1993.

Provincial Grand Lodge Quiz

The Annual Provincial Quiz will take place on
Fri. 6th. November at 7.30 p.m.
In The Operative Lodge of Airdre No. 203.
Lodge St. Bryde members wishing to attend contact the
Secretary who has Team entry forms.

Grand Lodge of Virginia 1778 Society.
The 1778 Society was established last year as the primary fund raiser for the Grand

Lodge of Virginia 250th. Anniversary in 2028. There are 4 levels of Membership, Bronze \$250, Silver \$500, Gold \$1000 and Platinum \$2500. I attended Lodge Mother Kilwinning recently to meet a party of Virginia Masons who were visiting Scotland.

I was astonished and highly honoured when MW Bro. Allan Adkins, Past Grand Master presented me with a Gold Award for services to the Grand Lodge of Virginia.
Jim Jack.



Provincial Grand Masters Charity

Provincial Grand Masters Nominated Charity 2026/27
Provincial Grand Master Norman Carnegie has selected Calum's Cabin as his Nominated Charity for the first year of his Commission. Calum's Cabin provides holidays to families affected by childhood cancer across the UK. They have four beautiful properties on the Isle of Bute, one at Dumfries House, One in Anstruther (near St Andrews) and one in Aviemore. They also support over 50 families per year in their 12 "home from home" Glasgow flats. These are for Families who relocate to Glasgow, from all over the UK and Ireland, when their child requires intensive treatment or clinical trials. But, it's not just about the holiday homes and flats. They provide travel tickets, welcome gifts, vouchers and spending money for families staying, deliver over 600 Christmas presents in December, supply over 600 Easter Eggs and gifts to children's oncology wards in Scotland. They also provide 2400 Fairy Box items, small toys for children attending day care in Glasgow's Cancer ward (Schiehallion) per year, support Glasgow Children's hospital MIBG (Molecular radiotherapy) room with clothing and toys for the patients, deliver monthly snacks (over 3000 per year), supply welfare vouchers to those who are in need supporting Glasgow, Aberdeen and Edinburgh Children's oncology wards Calum's cabin collectively transform lives and bring hope to those facing difficult journeys. Together, they and our organisation can continue to Make a Difference.

Recommendations for Office 2026-27.

The following Brethren were recommended for office 2026-27 the Election will be held at the AGM on 14th. October.

R.W. Master	Russell D. Parsons
I. Past Master	James Vasey
Depute Master	
Sub. Master	
Senior Warden	Thomas S. Lynch
Junior Warden	Robert Ede
Secretary	James L. Jack
Treasurer	David F. Shaw
Almoner	John McLean
Dir. of Ceremonies	Stuart J. Jack
Senior Deacon	Duncan Mulholland
Junior Deacon	Scott Grant
Inner Guard	Andrew J. Jack
Chaplain	Ian Cowan
Bible-bearer	Iain Charlton
Architect	Alex Hamilton
Jeweller	Gary Burns
Marshall	Neil Carlton
Dir. of Music	Alain Cabrie
Organist	Andrew Nisbet
Senior Steward	Graeme Wardrope
Junior Steward	Ewan Paton
3rd. Steward	Charles Nelson
4th. Steward	Colin Robertson
Tyler	Robert Gibb
Instruction Master	Andrew McAlpine



M.W. Brother
Alexander Moncrieff
Grand Master Mason

Grand Lodge News.

MW Bro. Alexander Moncrieff , Grand Master Mason.

August was a busy month for the GMM with visitations to Whitburn for the 150th. Re-dedication of Lodge St. James No. 590, Lodge St. Clement No. 1353, Tarbert, Harris Centenary Re-dedication, Forfar for the Installation of the new Provincial Grand Master of Forfarshire and finally, Strathpeffer for the Installation of the new Provincial Grand Master of Ross and Cromarty. The GMM was supported by the RWSGM at these visitations.

Visit to Lodge St. Clement's No. 1353, Tarbert, Harris.

On the 15th. August Bro. Stuart Jack, P.M. attended the Centenary Rededication of the Lodge St. Clement's with Grand Lodge who were carrying out the ceremonial. Eighty Five Brethren attended the meeting including visitors from Canada, Cyprus and England. The Lodge which because of its remote location, usually has an attendance of around 12, were delighted to receive so many visitors. The Lodge put on a fantastic meal and afterwards refreshments in the Masonic Hall.



Right
Centenary jewel
Jack Drummond
Grand D of M
Stuart Jack
P.M. 579
James L. Jack
R.W.S.G.M.

