

Lodge Adelphi Bluebell No.4. Regular Meeting 19th. October 2016.
Masonic Hall, Uddingston.

The Regular Meeting of the Lodge was held on the above date Bro. Douglas Welsh, Worthy Master in the Chair.

1. Lodge opened. Bro. Douglas Welsh, Worthy Master opened the Lodge and Welcomed the Brethren. The Worthy Master invited Bros. H. Sanders and A. Campbell of Ayrshire Bluebell No. 8 to join him in the East.
2. Apologies. Apologies were read on behalf of, Bros. W. Perry, A. Millar, D. Greenshields, D. Curtis, R. McGibney, A. Laughran, A. Burns, R. Kennedy, R. McPhee, S. Jack, A. Jack, R. Laird , A. Chalmers, N. Cameron.
3. Death. Bro. James L. Jack reported on the deaths of two of our Brethren, Bro. James Gold, Roll No. 50 was Initiated on 23rd. Nov. 2004 and Bro. Andrew McAllister, Roll No. 65 Initiated on 30th. Nov. 2005. Both Brethren were regular attenders at our meetings for many years and will be sadly missed. The Brethren were upstanding in silent tribute.
4. Illnesses. There were no illnesses to report.
5. Correspondence. The Secretary reported that there was no correspondence.
6. Initiation. Two Gentlemen, William McGilvary and Stewart Muircroft were Initiated into the Order and received the Journeymen and Master Gardener Degrees from the Worthy Master.
3. Minutes. The minutes of the Regular Meeting of 31st. March 2016 were read and approved.
4. Collection. The Collection was £44.16p.
5. Presentation of Balance Sheet. Bro. James L. Jack explained the contents of the Balance Sheet to the satisfaction of the Brethren. The Balance sheet was unanimously approved.
6. Election of Worthy Master. Bro. Douglas Welsh was unanimously Re-elected as Worthy Master.
7. A.O.C.B.
 - a. 3 items were presented to the Lodge, 2 sashes and a Baillieston Apron dated 1900. The Worthy Master thanked the Brethren for the donations and also thanked Bro. Robert Edgar for the presentation of a Free Gardeners jewel.
 - b. Lodge aprons were urgently required as the former supplier had gone out of business. Bro. Hugh Sanders was trying to source a new supplier.
8. Closed. The Lodge was closed in due form.
9. Next meeting. The Worthy Master would call the next meeting in the spring of 2017.
Attendance. 21.