

Masonic Hall, Uddingston, Wednesday 30th. May 2007.

A meeting of Lodge Adelpi Bluebell No.4 of Free Gardeners took place here on the above date, Bro. Ronald McCarney, Worthy Master in the Chair.

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2. Apologies. Apologies were read on behalf of Bro. Archie Chalmers, Bob Stirling, Hugh Glen, Robert Laird, William Boe, Jim Gold, Adam McPhail, John Furlong, Archie Hoey.

3. Sick Report. Bro. James L. Jack, P.W.M. welcomed Bro. Ronnie McCarney and Bill Perry back into the Lodge after serious illness.

4. Visitors welcomed. W.M. Bro. Ronald McCarney, welcomed Bro. Hugh Sanders W.M., No.7,

5. Degrees. The Lodge was adjourned and thereafter 5 candidates, John MacLeod, Ronald McKibbin, Neil MacLeod, Andrew Nelson, Charles Archibald were admitted into the Order.
6. Diplomas. Bro. Ronald McCarney, W.M. presented the Diplomas and the Aprons. Bro. Neil MacLeod was presented with a beautiful apron which belonged to his late father in law who was a member of the Lodge in Kilbirnie.
7. Minutes. Minutes of the meeting of 13th. October 2006 were read and approved. The Secretary thanked Bro. Bobby Abercrombie for his good work as acting Secretary at the last meeting.
8. Business. The Worthy Secretary outlined the proper procedure for Gentlemen making Application to join the Lodge. Ie. Application Forms to be completed and returned to the Secretary, Applications to be read and approved, Applicants to be notified in writing by the Secretary of the date and place of their Initiation. The Worthy Master emphasised that this procedure must be adhered to.
9. Reports. Bro. James L. Jack reported on a visit to Virginia Bluebell Lodge No. 8 in April. The Lodge was progressing well and the Brethren were delighted that Bro. Jack was visiting the Lodge for the second time. A letter was read from Ayrshire Bluebell Lodge No. 8 inviting members to their meeting on 9th. June 2007 in Ardrossan.

10. Collection. The collection amounted to £76.
11. The next meeting would be called by the W.M. and all Brethren would be notified.
12. Closing. The Lodge was closed in due form.

