



The Masonic Province of West Kent



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INFORMATION FOR THE CANDIDATE

A new booklet has been published on the Provincial website, entitled "Information for the Candidate". This is a very helpful guide for prospective freemasons, and gives information on what freemasonry is, what happens at a lodge meeting, the interview process, as well as details about mentoring and charity. Please feel free to print this guide and give it to people who are interested in becoming a freemason.

You can download the guide at:

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/info_new_breteren.php

MENTORING THE NEW MASON

A news article about "Mentoring the new Mason" part of The Way Forward series of seminars, has been published on the Provincial website.

You can read the full story at:

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/new_masons_mentoring.php

PROVINCIAL CHURCH SERVICE

In sunlit Rochester Cathedral, the congregation of 300 Masons and their wives, partners and friends sat spellbound by the words of guest preacher, R.W. Bro. The Rev. Malcolm Lane. The sparkling sermon by RW Bro Lane, Provincial Grand Master for Monmouthshire, at the annual Provincial Church Service, so impressed everyone that it was decided it should be enjoyed by all the Brethren in the Province of West Kent. It can now be viewed and downloaded at the link below:-

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/news_provincial.php

PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE

The address given by the Provincial Grand Master at Provincial Grand Lodge on 5th May can now be viewed and downloaded at the link below:-

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/province_address_provincial_grand_lodge.php

PROVINCIAL GRAND CHAPTER

The address given by The most Excellent Grand Superintendent at Provincial Grand Chapter on 5th June can now be viewed and down loaded at the link below:-

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/province_address_provincial_grand_chapter.php

TREASURERS SEMINAR

Following a very successful Seminar on 11th May, the Provincial Grand Treasurer has published several very useful spreadsheets which can be viewed and downloaded at the link below:-

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/info_treasurers.php

FUTURE EVENTS

Provincial Gala Ball Friday 31st July at Charlton Athletic Football Club

Tickets available from: fredhalligan@aol.com

2015 FESTIVAL – SPONSORED MOTORCYCLE RIDE TO TANZANIA

Details of W. Bro. Doug Holmes forthcoming venture can be viewed, and sponsorship form downloaded on the link below:-

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/news_forthcoming_events_item.php?id=38

FREEMASONRY ON SHOW : KENT COUNTY SHOW

Friday 17th, Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th July 2009

Members of all Lodges are enthusiastically invited to bring friends and family along to the Kent Freemasons stand at this year's Kent Show at Detling. Special interest events are planned for the first 2 days of the County Show. This promises to be the best ever year at the County Show and we hope to see you there to share it with us. For more detailed information on the Kent Freemasons Stand – please click on the link below:-

http://www.freemasons-westkent.org.uk/news_forthcoming_events_item.php?id=39

LAMORBAY LODGE LADIES FESTIVAL

The Lodge Ladies Festival is being held on the 25th 26th and 27th of September at the Hydro Hotel, Eastbourne. For further enquiries please contact the Lodge Festival Secretary, W.Bro. Brian McDonnell via Email:- brian.mcdonnell@btinternet.com

SECRETARIES & FESTIVAL ORGANISERS PLEASE NOTE:

If you wish your Lodge Ladies Festival, or other important event, to be published in the eBULLETIN – details must be provided at least 6 weeks prior to the event.

CONTINUING TO SUPPORT OTHER LODGES

The support team, under the chairmanship of the Deputy Provincial Grand Master, is continuing to support Lodges by visiting them as paying guests. If you can also add your support by attending as a paying guest you will be more than welcome.

Please contact: Chris Ashby by email: chris@sea-systems.co.uk

SUPPORTING OTHER CHAPTERS

The support team, under the chairmanship of the E.Comp. Tony Forwell, is continuing to support Chapters by visiting them as paying guests. If you can also add your support by attending as a paying guest you will be more than welcome. Please contact: E. Comp Tony Forwell by email at: t.forwell@fsmail.net

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