

# Downshire Lodge No. 594

## Newsletter—November 2018

October 2018 will be well remembered.

The passing of our Lodge D.C. W.Bro. Alan Riddell, whilst away on holiday with his wife Val. Alan was a tireless supporter of both Downshire Lodge and the Freshfield Greyhound Rescue to both of which he gave most of his spare time.

The words “Well respected, dies regretted” are very apt for such a kind man



November brought us up to Remembrance Day with the Annual Service taking place in Hope Street at the War Memorial Plaque. Members old and new took place in this moving Ceremony which we hope will continue for many years to come.

Later in October we had the New Team Installed. W.Bro. Adrian McLoughlin, recently retired and full of Vigour, stepped into the Limelight as our New W.M. in the presence of the Assistant Provincial Grand Master W.Bro. Derek J. Parkinson.



Pictured l to r are

WBros, Phil Clements, Adrian McLoughlin, Colin Harrop and Oliver Winder following the Ceremony

### ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY—2018



### BLenheim, CHILDWALL & DOWNSHIRE LODGES

Following on from the success of last years Party our W.M. has asked that we once again share the Festivities with Blenheim & Childwall Lodges. This year we shall be entertained by none other than **Frank Sinatra !!**

Well a Tribute Act really.....

The Date Saturday 1st December at 6.30 pm and only £27 pp. Here in the newly refurbished Top Banqueting Suite in Hope Street.

Contact Len Farrell ASAP !! 07590895402 or len\_farrell@downshiredodge594.co.uk



Liverpool Masonic Hall has been changing over the years to keep up with the world outside. There have been rumour and speculation over its future. The Hall Management Committee have been working hard over the Summer break to continue the progress and have now started issuing Newsletters to mark the steps forward being achieved.

The Top Banqueting Suite has recently been refurbished by the Management Group along with a number of Volunteers Including our own multi talented W.Bro. Terry Longworth.

Toilet facilities have now been completed alongside the Corinthian Suite and the Original Lift to the Top Floor is now freely available.

A vote of thanks should be given to all those involved in helping to



Whilst on the subject of the Hall improvements one of the main restraints is lack of Cash.

This is raised on our behalf by way of the Liverpool Masonic Hall Building Fund, who I am sure will always be willing to accept donations of any kind in support of its aims.



*Brethren & Companions of  
Woolton/Everton Lodge & Liverpool Epworth Chapter  
Invite all Brethren, wives, partners, & friends  
to a*

*Burns Supper*

*Saturday 19th January 2019*

*6.30pm for reception drinks at 7.00pm*

*Supper 7.45pm Carriages 11.45pm*

*Liverpool Masonic Hall*

*Dress code: Kilts, Smart or Formal attire*

*with a hint of tartan or heather*

*All proceeds to the  
'Liverpool Masonic Hall Building Fund'*

*Tickets: £30.00 pp*

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