



# THE TYLER



'Letting you in' on N&HNYMC News

## Chairman's Chatter...

By WBro Daniel Cooke

Brethren, it is the time of year when we would normally be dry cleaning our suits, washing our gloves, polishing our shoes and getting ready to start a new season of Freemasonry.

However, this year that isn't to be! Our PGM's advice is quite clear on the resumption of Masonry in the Province but this does not stop us meeting socially. In fact now, more than ever, it is important the club continues in providing social platforms for our members and families to meet.

We, of course, must follow the government guidelines and meet it in a safe manner but already a few of the Light Blue Clubs have found ways to do this by holding outdoor events including walks, treasure hunts and picnics. We will carry on meeting and not be beaten by the Covid-19 virus.

Please keep your eyes open for upcoming events and I hope to see as many of you as possible supporting them. I appreciate these events aren't the same as attending our lodges, and we all miss our Masonry, but, we must stay positive, make the best of a bad situation and before we know it we will be back!

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Dan

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### ICYMI...

**Ask the Exec**

<https://youtu.be/vTzujLN84y8>

**Q&A For the initiates**

[https://youtu.be/\\_GpyHQbH--A](https://youtu.be/_GpyHQbH--A)

**The Future Of Freemasonry**

<https://youtu.be/uHve-OvTC-0>

## Events

**Kettering & Thrapston LBC and Corby Steel Acacias Picnic** - Saturday 5th September 1pm - 3pm at Wickstead Park, Kettering. All Light Blues, their families and prospective initiates welcome.

**Northampton Light Blues' Walk & Talk** - Sunday 13th September, 10am. Venue to be confirmed but it is hoped to be Stanwick Lakes. Light Blues and their families warmly welcomed.

**Northampton Light Blues Grand Prix** - Saturday 26th September, 4pm at Teamworks, Northampton. Open to all Light Blues but limited to 20 spaces. £40 per person which includes races, prizes, food and unlimited soft drinks.



**Calling all Sports Fans** - It's your chance to enter the Province's version of Question Of Sport. Team up with either our PGM or VWBro Wayne Williams as team captains. Contact WBro Mark Constant to register your interest.

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**Further details of all events are on our social media platforms**

# General News



On 12th July Corby Steel Acacias organised a successful Treasure Hunt which was supported by over 30 Brethren and their families.



Wellingborough & Rushden LBC also arranged a Treasure Hunt for their club members on 9th August which was well attended with around 50 participating and all enjoying the occasion



Roman Light Blues hosted a socially distanced meal on 30th July at The Boat Inn, Stoke Bruerne and raised £72 towards the 2024 Festival Appeal.

## Get Fit With Gerry Mac

Be honest now, you've probably had a bit too much to eat and drink during Lockdown.

Have you tried your apron on yet and had to adjust the belt? If so then why not check out these Get Fit videos courtesy of Ex Close Protection Officer Gerry Mac.

<https://youtu.be/TztYF-zE3nA>  
<https://youtu.be/WLmOec13aTM>

You can find more of what Gerry has to offer on the Province YouTube Channel or via Northants & Hunts Masons on Facebook

## Welcome Tom



We are pleased to welcome to N&HNYMC committee Bro Thomas Campbell. Tom has been co-opted on to the committee to help us develop events across the Province. Tom is a member of Old Kimboltonians Lodge No.7204

### Answers to Crossword from Tyler No.2

**Across:** 4. BEAUTY, 5. EAVESDROPPER, 6. CABLETOW, 9. IGNORANT, 10. GEOMETRY

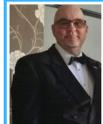
**Down:** 1. HIGHTWELVE, 2. JACOBSLADDER, 3. FRATERNITY, 7. ASHLAR, 8. DORIC

## LBC Spotlight - Northampton Light Blues (NLBs)

In this edition we bring you a spotlight on Northampton Light Blue Club (NLBs) and their committee members. Over the past few months they've been busying themselves organising a club logo and developing events for when we come out of Lockdown. Recently they've held a Walk & Talk event to highlight mental health and are in the process of arranging a Karting event, amongst other events, for their members.



The club held a logo design competition for their members with two designs coming to the fore by Bro John Atkins and Bro Scott Norville. The design incorporates the county rose and Northampton's shoe making industry is captured by a pair of boots around the light blue square and compasses.

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# Membership Messages

A warm welcome to all of our July and August joiners.

The current membership of N&HNYMC stands at **274**. To join go to: <https://nhnymc.co.uk>