

St. Alban's Lodge No. 6, F.&A.M.
Trestleboard for October, 2018

Location: 363 Hope Street, Bristol, RI 02809

Stated Communications at 7:00 PM

Correspondence: c/o W. D. Stephens, Sec.
One Leyland Ct., Bristol, RI 02809

Second Wednesday of each month except July & August
Annual Communication: Third Wednesday in January

See www.stalbans6.org for current information

If you did not receive your pass code to the Members Only page on the website, please contact the Secretary.
Notices are also available to members on Facebook (contact the W. D. Master to participate)

Notice of Regular Communication – Wednesday, October 12th – 7:00 PM

The Lodge will open at 7:00 PM for the exemplification of the second and third sections of the Entered Apprentice degree, and the transaction of such business as shall regularly come before it.

Dinner Prior to Meeting – 5:30 pm

We will gather for dinner at Leo's Ristorante before the lodge meeting. In order to plan appropriately, please advise the Secretary of your intent to come for dinner. Ordering is off of the menu with separate checks. As before, family and friends are welcome and encouraged.

The Program for the Evening

The program for the evening will be the Second and Third Sections of the Entered Apprentice Degree. The timing of these lectures is for our new Entered Apprentice, but the information is for the benefit of all. It is a reminder of some of our basics.

Scotch Whisky Tasting - Friday, October 5th , 7 pm

\$45.00 per person gets you whisky samples, finger foods, comradery, and a raffle. A variety of Scotch samplings will be presented by a representative of the brand(s). Friends are welcome and encouraged to attend, but everyone must be 21+ years of age. Contact W. D. Brother Tim Pray at (401) 952-1403 or tapprint@tapprint.com for tickets, or on-line at www.stalbans6.org/events.

Paint Night - Friday, November 16th , 7 pm

The Proud Painter and St. Alban's Lodge are teaming up for a PAINT NIGHT FUNDRAISER where ANYONE can create a masterpiece. Painting starts at 7:00 pm, and your \$40.00 ticket includes:

- A GENEROUS donation to provide funds: for the repair of our historic building and to help support different programs and organizations around the town of Bristol RI.
- An expert artist to guide you step by step & all the art supplies needed to create a 16"x 20" painted canvas!
- And... so that there are not any starving artists, light food, pizza, cheese and meat plate will also be included. There will be a 50/50 raffle and raffle prizes at the event!

There are a limited number of seats available.

For tickets, please contact: MJ Benevides @ 401-573-6056, or on-line at www.stalbans6.org/events.

Sorry, no tickets will be sold at the door.

Candidates in Waiting

On September 21st, Manchester Lodge No. 12 gave us the courtesy of initiating Mr. Benjamin W. Swierk for us. We offer our congratulations to Brother Swierk as our newest Entered Apprentice. His instructor will be Bro. Bob Hopkins.

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Anniversaries

Congratulations to these Brethren who celebrate their Anniversaries in Masonry and in life this month:

Years of LIGHT

As another year passes since you were raised to the degree of Master Mason, we thank you for your service to the cause of good, and wish you well as you continue your quest for light.

48 yrs on the 14th Bro. Bradford S. Booth, Sr. 44 yrs on the 1st R.: W.: Alfred M. Cameron

Years of LIFE

As you celebrate another birthday, we wish you many more, with fraternal love and happiness.

Oct. 5th W.: Stephen J. Curria – Oct. 5th W.: Scott P. Jamieson – Oct. 10th Bro. Bradford S. Booth, Sr.

From the East

Brethren:

Let me first wish you all a happy Fall! I, for one, am extremely excited for the cooler weather. Especially once we finish the 3rd floor and start meeting back up there, we won't be sweating our aprons off! Speaking of aprons, I'd like to invite you all to congratulate and come meet our newest apron holder and "Brother", Ben Sweirk, on the night of our stated meeting and watch our Degree team present him with the 2nd and 3rd sections of the EA degree.

I won't bore you with tons of details, but again we have so many fun upcoming events and we would love to have all the brothers and their families come out to support. Saturday, the 29th was a Glow Ball tournament that our lodge, YOUR lodge, put on to raise money for the Foundation Fighting Blindness. This is a great cause, and even those that don't play enjoy the time with brethren!

Secondly, on October 5th, next Friday, we have a scotch tasting which would be an even better opportunity to come out and see the progression of the lodge both physically as a building and as a brotherhood. If scotch and golf aren't your cup of tea, then November 16th is the night for you and your lady to come out for a night of wine and painting! We will have a professional painter instructing all of us to be the next Bob Ross while enjoying a nice glass (or 5) of wine!

Lastly, all events aside, this year is quickly coming to an end and there are still some brothers who we would all love to share some fellowship with. So, if you haven't been to lodge or an event in a while that's OK! You know once you walk through those doors you'll be welcomed with open arms! Let's all get back to the brotherhood that is so strong with St. Alban's and enjoy each other's company!

Fraternally,

M. J. Benevides

W.: Manuel J. Benevides
Master

Attest,

William D. Stephens

W.: William D. Stephens
Secretary

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Ongoing Events

Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)	5:00 pm, each Sunday (unless otherwise discussed)
Craft Club / Doric Club	8:00 pm, 1 st Friday, Each Month
St. Alban's Assoc., Inc. - Board of Directors	4:00 pm, 1 st Sunday, Each Month (except February)

Upcoming Events

If St. Alban's events are cancelled, email notice will be sent to members, and posted on Facebook.

For a complete calendar of events, see www.stalbans6.org, and for the Jurisdiction, go to: www.rimasons.org.

- Oct. 3rd – 7:00 pm Hope Chapter – Official visit of Most Excellent Grand High Priest, Philip Crawford
- Oct. 5th – **7:00 pm St. Alban's No. 6 – Scotch Tasting Event** – \$45/p, Second Floor Social Hall
- Oct. 7th – 5:00 pm Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)
- Oct. 10th – **7:00 pm St. Alban's No. 6: Regular Communication** –
- Oct. 13th – 10:00 am Washington No. 3: Annual Communication (no meeting on 10/9)
12:00 pm Washington No. 3: Semipublic Installation (reservations required for dinner)
- Oct. 14th – 5:00 pm Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)
- Oct. 20th – Grand Master's Official Visitation to Northern District – Friendship Lodge No. 7
10:00 am – 4:00 pm Masonic Open House at Grand Lodge
- Oct. 21st – 5:00 pm Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)
- Oct. 28th – 5:00 pm Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)
- Nov. 4th – 5:00 pm Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)
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- Nov. 6th – Adelphoi No. 33: Official visitation of R.: W.: DDGM Douglas J. Grant
- Nov. 11th – 5:00 pm Rehearsal & Social Hour (everyone welcome)
- Nov. 14th – **7:00 pm St. Alban's No. 6: Regular Communication** –
- Nov. 16th – **7:00 pm St. Alban's No. 6: Paint Night Event** – \$40/p, Second Floor Social Hall
- Nov. 17th – 1:00 pm Semi-Annual Communication of Grand Lodge of RI at Freemasons Hall, E. Prov.
6:00 pm Fall Festival at Crowne Plaza, Warwick: \$40/p
- Nov. 24th – Grand Master's Official Visitation to Central District – Daylight Lodge No. 48
- Nov. 30th – St. Andrews No. 39: Annual Communication

From the Secretary's Desk

A CURRENT MEMBERSHIP CARD may be required at any time to attend a lodge meeting. We value the friendship of all members and ask those who have not yet paid their dues for this year, or made arrangements with the Master or Secretary, to please do so now. Their addresses and phone numbers are in this notice. It is almost time to send out the notices for 2019 dues. Please don't be in arrears.

Upon hearing of the illness or passing of a member, or in need of assistance, please contact the Master or Secretary as soon as possible. Too often we find out after the fact.

If you or someone you know needs a ride to lodge, please let the Master or Secretary know. We are very happy to arrange transportation, as we all want to see you in lodge.

If you have comments, suggestions, or information to be posted on the website please contact the Secretary.

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Grand Lodge of Masons in the State of Rhode Island & Providence Plantations

M.:W.: Grand Master	Glenn S. Carlson
R.:W.: District Deputy Grand Master for the East Bay	Douglas J. Grant
W.: Grand Master of Ceremonies for the East Bay	Michael R. Barbera
W.: Assistant Grand Lecturer for St. Alban's No. 6	Andrew M. Giovannini

St. Alban's Lodge – Officers for 2018

Elected

Worshipful Master – Manuel J. Benevides mj.benevides69@gmail.com	27 Vernon Ave., Bristol, R.I. 02809-4049	(401) 573-6056
Senior Warden – W.: Timothy A. Pray tapprint@tapprint.com	724 Hope St., Bristol, RI 02809-1931	(401) 253-3004
Junior Warden – W.: Rory A. Hanmer rhanmer@fullchannel.net	130 Sunrise Drive, Bristol, RI 02809-5021	(401) 447-6047
Treasurer – W.: Edward M. Wiacek edwiacek@verizon.net	88 Mulberry Road, Bristol, RI 02809-1347	(401) 253-3068
Secretary – W.: William D. Stephens bllstphns@gmail.com	One Leyland Ct., Bristol, RI 02809-5185	(401) 524-2111

Appointed Officers for 2018

Senior Deacon – W.: José J. DaSilva	Chaplain – R.:W.: Alfred M. Cameron
Junior Deacon – Bro. Robert N. Hopkins, Jr.	Marshall – W.: Jason M. Nystrom
Senior Steward – Brother Danny S. Cordeiro	Tyler – W.: Andrew C. Daigle
Junior Steward – Bro. Roger P. Adolphe	Musical Director – W.: Scott P. Jamieson
Sentinel – W.: Steven M. Mould	Ritual Advisor – W.: Andrew M. Giovannini
Co-Historians – Bro. Albert A. Ferri & – R.:W.: David C. Lavery	

Living Past Masters

Leonard P. Sanford III	1971–1972	Edward C. Boyd Jr.	2005–2007	Andrew M. Giovannini	2014–2015
Edward M Wiacek	1981–1983	Jeffrey R. Howlett	2007–2009	José J. DaSilva	2015–2016
William W. Jaycox	1994–1995	William D. Stephens	2009–2011	R. Andrew Benn	2016–2017
Edwin A. McClure	1996–1997	Scott S. Crawford	2011–2012	Jason M. Nystrom	2017–2018
Raymond C. Sartini	1998–1999	Timothy A. Pray	2012–2013	Manuel J. Benevides	2018-
Leonard P. Sanford III	2002-2005	Rory A. Hanmer	2013–2014		

Committees of St. Alban's Lodge

Special Charities Committee: W.: William W. Jaycox, W.: William D. Stephens, W.: José J. DaSilva

Lodges Named for St. Alban Committee: Master, Wardens, and Past Masters

Visitation Committee: Master and Wardens

Web Master: Danny S. Cordeiro (401) 699-8134; dcordeiro83@gmail.com

St. Alban's Association, Inc. – Directors

Manuel J. Benevides, Pres.	Timothy A. Pray, 1 st VP
Rory A. Hanmer, 2 nd VP	Edward M. Wiacek, Treas.
William D. Stephens, Sec.	José J. DaSilva
Robert N. Hopkins, Jr.	Benjamin J. Murray
Jason M. Nystrom	Leonard P. Sanford III