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The DELANO KINDRED is a Society, incorporated in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, organized exclusively for educational and charitable purposes to perpetuate the memory and genealogy of the ancestors and descendants of Philippe de Lanoy, the progenitor of most DELANOs in the Americas, who arrived at Plymouth in 1621 on the FORTUNE.

Presidents Message – Tom Delano

I hope your 2024 has started off very well! In this Delano Kindred newsletter, we start with the third and final article on the Delano Kindred European Family History tour. For those of you on Facebook, we have good news on the new Delano Kindred Facebook page. Next, there will be a one-hour presentation on Feb. 4th on “The Mayflower and its European Context” put on by the European Chapter of the

GSMD. And last, another reminder to save the date for the Delano Kindred Annual Meeting/Reunion in September.

Enjoy this issue of the newsletter!

Delano Kindred European Family History Tour *Part 3 Scrooby/Austerfield and London, England*

The third, and final article, on the Delano Kindred European Family History Tour begins at Westbery Manor. Westbery Manor is just west of Maidstone in Wateringbury in Kent, and it has been in the family of Cousin William English CBE, for over 300 years. William gave us a delightful tour of the manor, the gardens, and the farm buildings, and then kindly served the group tea and cakes. William is the fellow in the blue plaid shirt offering honey to Connie Delano for her tea.



After our mid-morning tea break, we then headed north to the Pilgrim towns of Scrooby and Austerfield. Our first stop was at Scrooby. In the first photo (below) we are visiting the Brewster Manor, home of William Brewster, one of the religious leaders of the Pilgrims. Standing in front of the manor are 4 Delano descendants who also descend from William Brewster. Left to right they are Sue Thorson, Carolyn Marcinkowski, Mary Kinzey, and Connie Delano. After the Brewster Manor visit, we visited St. Wilfred Church and cemetery to look for any Pilgrim ancestors. We then headed to nearby Austerfield to view the birthplace of William Bradford. On our way, we passed the Pilgrim Fathers pub as you can see in the third photo.



Our brief time at Austerfield was spent at St. Helena Churchyard (first photo below) searching for links to William Bradford. We found a small memorial to William Bradford and that was about all. Once our search was over, we headed a short distance north to our hotel in Doncaster.



After breakfast the next morning, we again boarded the bus for a half-day trip to our last stop on the tour, London! After we checked into our hotel just off High Street in Kensington, we again boarded our bus for a 3-hour bus tour of London. One of the stops was at Westminster Abbey and Parliament Square Garden. Later we stopped outside of Buckingham Palace.

The next morning, our last day on the tour, we began with a visit to the Tower of London, and we then took another group photo in front of the Tower Bridge. We then took a short bus ride across the Thames River to tour Shakespeare's Globe Theatre.



After several hours to rest and relax, we met for our Farewell Dinner at The Cavalry and Guards Club on Piccadilly just across from Green Park. William English CBE is a

member of this club, and he graciously hosted us beginning with a reception and then dinner. The dinner was held in the gorgeous dining room shown below. Our after-dinner speaker, Mr. Murray Craig, was for many years Clerk of the Chamberlain's Court and is also a Red Badge City of London Guide. Mr. Craig gave an excellent talk on the 17th-century history of London. In the last photo below, many of the tour members are standing outside of The Cavalry Club saying goodbye to one another after a very memorable 10-day Delano family history tour of the Netherlands, Belgium, France, and England.

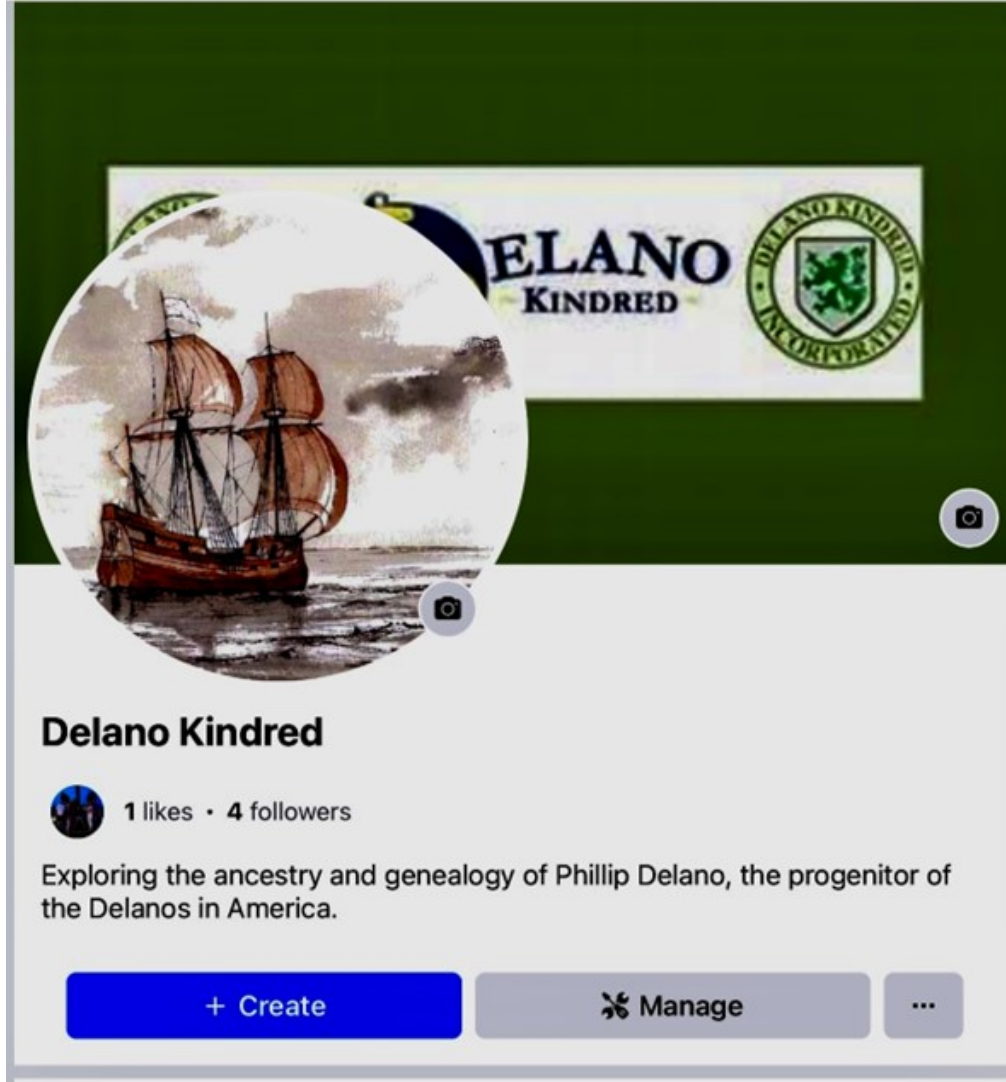
One last thank you to the following Delano Kindred members for their valuable assistance in making this tour such a success: Wendy Cushing, Cruise Planners, for handling all of the tour bookings and payments; Terri Sorensen, Delano Kindred board member, for her help in planning the tour; George English, Delano Kindred member in the UK, for arranging many of the local guides, and setting up visits to several local archives; and lastly, William English CBE, for hosting the tour at both his Westbery Manor and his London club, The Cavalry Club.

We surveyed the tour members to get their feedback on the tour. The tour members were unanimous in their enjoyment of the tour with many excellent suggestions offered on ways to improve a possible future Delano Family European History tour.



The Delano Kindred Facebook Page - Is Now Back!

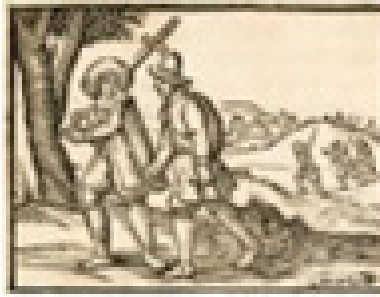
The new Delano Kindred is up and fully operational. I am pleased to say that Pam Pettengell is the administrator and has been busy posting some very interesting points about Delano family history. If you are a Facebook user, then please like and follow this page. Please also let any Delano descendants know about this page. See you on Facebook!



Presentation – The Mayflower and its European Context

February 4, 2024 – 2:00 PM UK/9 AM EST/6 AM PST

Delano Kindred member, George English, is giving a presentation to the European chapter of the Society of Mayflower Descendants on Feb. 4, 2024. You need not be a member of the GSMD or the European chapter SMD(E) to attend this presentation or Social Gathering/Q&A. The Zoom links and times to the presentation and the Social Gathering/Q&A are found below.



We are pleased to invite you to join
**The Officers and General Membership of the
Society of Mayflower Descendants in Europe**

for a fine pair of online social gatherings via Zoom
(of which you may avail yourself of only one, or both, to your taste)

On Sunday, 4 February 2024



At 2.00 pm Greenwich Mean Time (London)

Hosted by Governor Carmen Kew

The Mayflower and its European Context

A talk by George English

Q&A to follow

Zoom meeting ID: 839 7395 1141 Passcode: 409455



To follow, at 5.00 pm Greenwich Mean Time

Hosted by Governor Carmen Kew

SMD(E) General Social Gathering

with a chance to Meet Our Speaker

Zoom meeting ID: 845 2446 4303 Passcode: 954993

Part One: George English – The Mayflower and its European Context
Time: Feb 4, 2024, 2:00 PM London/9:00 AM East Coast/6:00 AM West Coast

Zoom meeting link: [https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83973951141?](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83973951141?pwd=p7Cs5huw8ZSKu0Buybsnin5fRTQ80j.1)

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Meeting ID: 839 7395 1141 Passcode: 409455

Part Two: Mayflower Society Social Gathering (and meet our speaker!)
Time: Feb 4, 2024, 5:00 PM London/12:00 PM East Coast/9:00 AM West Coast
Zoom meeting link: [https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84524464303?](https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84524464303?pwd=unvxkXcNSxaaeB1Srej2waCAuHNgzl.1)
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2024 Delano Annual Meeting and Reunion – *Save the Date*

The 2024 Delano Kindred Annual Meeting and Reunion will be held in **Maggie Valley, North Carolina** in conjunction with the Soule Kindred. The meeting dates are September 13, 14, and 15, 2024 with an optional visit to Delano, TN on Thursday, Sept. 12th.

The tentative events will be:

Thursday, Sept. 12, - **Visit Delano, TN, and stop by the Winery (optional)**

Friday, Sept. 13, - Visit and tour the Biltmore in Asheville, NC

Saturday, Sept. 14, - Annual Meeting and a visit to the nearby Great Smoky Mountains National Park

Sunday, Sept. 15, - Morning church service, followed by brunch

More details on the 2024 meeting will appear in upcoming newsletters. We hope you will circle these dates on your calendar and join us for what looks like another exciting and interesting Delano Kindred Annual Meeting and Reunion!

Board of Directors Meetings (All Times at 12:00PM Eastern Unless Noted)

2024 Key Delano Kindred Meeting Dates

Board of Director's Meetings (All Times at 2:00PM Eastern Unless Noted)

January 23 February 29 April 11 May 23 July 11

September 13 & 15 November 7 December 19

Dates for the 2024 Annual Meeting and Reunion

September 12-15, 2024

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HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!!!

Start the New Year off right by showing your Delano Kindred spirit in some new, rather stylish, Delano Kindred clothing and accessories!



DELANO KINDRED 2023-2024

Elected Officers and Directors, Appointed Committee Chairs and Members, and Other Appointees

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