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## Lodge Hours:

Sunday & Monday  
Closed

Saturday  
12:00 pm to 6:00 pm

Tuesday to Friday  
1 pm to 9 pm  
For info. Call the lodge at  
**565-9959**

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www.bpoe2802.org

## Greetings From Your Exalted Ruler John Stevens, PER



Mothers Day was a success with a nice turn out and the personal comments from Lecturing Knight Leslie Smith added some beautiful emotion to the ceremony. Thank You Dona for the beautiful flowers – they were perfect. Also Thank You to our few PERs who cooked and served the breakfast.

Our next big event will be Flag Day which we will celebrate on Friday 11 June. The flag ceremony will start at 6:00 PM with the cub scouts presenting the flags. This will be followed by a prime rib dinner so please call in your reservations. Following dinner we will honor some firemen and police officers from Henderson. We are combining Law and Order Night with the Flag Day as we feel that it's a great time to honor the first responders who protect our community on a daily basis. I would really like to see a great turn out for this evening!!

On June 18 we are having the monthly PER Steak Night. The time for serving dinner will be moved up one hour to 5:30 for this night only. At 6:30 PM we are very lucky to have a free show for Elks and their guests. This will feature performers from the strip who will bring you back to the Rat Pack days in Vegas. This promises to be a GREAT Evening and it is all free and will last between 2 and 2 ½ hours!! Please plan to come out and enjoy what has to be a very enjoyable evening. Mark your calendars and let us know if you are coming for dinner or just the show.

As of this writing I have two volunteers for Saturday bartending duty and I filled in on the third Friday. I need at least two more volunteers and three would be even better to man the bar from 12:00 noon to 6:00PM. This is very simple and will teach anyone the basic details. We really need volunteers to keep the Lounge open every Saturday as I feel it is very important for the Lodge success.

We have seen an increase in attendance in our breakfasts and Friday Night dinners but would really like to see more members come to these events. The food is great and it is a great time to meet with other members and build new friendships. The meals have been better than ever and there is no better deal in town.

There remain several committee chairs open and several of our committees could use additional help. These include Membership, Veterans, Adopt a Vet, scouting coordinator, and Drug Awareness. Each of these is essential to the function of our Lodge and the Order. Please contact me if you would like to work with any of these I have listed or any other committee. A small few can not do it all and we need your help.

Finally what do you want to see in the Lodge? What activities do you want and what ideas do you have? Lets' make this a fun place to be and we can do that if we know what YOU want.

### Lets have FUN in our Lodge!!!

Fraternally,  
John Stevens, PER  
Exalted Ruler



**WHO'S WHO IN THE ELKS**

Grand Exalted Ruler	James L. Nicholson, GER
Nevada State Sponsor	Don Dapelo, PGER
Nevada South DDGER	Bob Waits, DDGER
State President	Gary Ferguson, PDDGER
Nevada South District Leader	Larry O'Laughlin, PSP
Nevada South District Leader	Robert Morwick, PSP

**LODGE OFFICERS FOR 2007-2008**

Exalted Ruler	John Stevens, PER	301-4927
Leading Knight	Dona Hoesly	379-7863
Loyal Knight	James Matthews (Sandy)	837-9976
Lecturing Knight	Leslie Smith	385-1515
Esquire	Patrick Bleakley	566-9613
Chaplain	Marty Lange (Jim*)	564-4904
Inner Guard	Ron Gesell (Candy)	280-0562
Tiler	Bob Mathews, PER (Phyllis*)	435-9592
Secretary	Bill Wiseman, PER (Mela)	523-2278
Treasurer	Richard Letendre (Sunny)	236-9061

**TRUSTEES FOR 2007-2008**

Three Year	Richard DuPont (Ann)	436-5581
Two Year	Jack Waldock	454-3315
One Year	Frank Vining	568-9464

**LODGE HONOR ROLL**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Elk of the Year</u>	<u>Officer of the Year</u>
2009-2010	Patrick Bleakley	Dona Hoesly
2008-2009	Jack Waldock	Ron Gesell
2007-2008	Joan Wodjenski	Ken Bazar
2006-2007	Delbert Winkle	Bill Wiseman
2005-2006	Marty Lange	Richard Letendre
2004-2005	Clint Courtney	Bill Wiseman
2003-2004	Karen MeChek	Ken Bazar
2002-2003	Barbara Adams	Charlie Hannold
2001-2002	Ann DuPont	Robert Miller
2000-2001	Marty Lange	Jay Ashford
1999-2000	Shirley Gulick	Jean Allen
1998-1999	Jean Allen	John Stevens
1997-1998	Jim Ray	John Stevens

**ELK OF THE MONTH**

Mar 2011	TBD	Sep 2010	TBD
Feb 2011	TBD	Aug 2010	TBD
Jan 2011	TBD	Jul 2010	TBD
Dec 2010	TBD	Jun 2010	TBD
Nov 2010	TBD	May 2010	Evalyn Sherwood
Oct 2010	TBD	Apr 2010	TBD

*Elks* Care - *Elks* Share

**COMMITTEE CHAIRS FOR 2007-2008**

Accident Prevention	Richard DuPont	436-5581
Americanism	Leslie Smith	385-1515
Auditing	Evalyn Sherwood	454-4389
Blue Pig	Richard Letendre	236-9061
Bulletin	Bill Wiseman, PER	523-2278
Bowling	Betty Courtney	433-9306
Community Activities	James Matthews	837-9976
Drug Awareness	Dan Rivers	563-8663
Elks Training	John Stevens, PER	301-4927
Government. Relations	Bill Wiseman, PER	523-2278
Hides	John Stevens, PER	301-4927
Hoop Shoot	Patrick Bleakley	566-9613
Insurance Risk	Frank Vining	568-9464
Investigation	Gloria Mason	202-2264
Lapsation	Gloria Mason	202-2264
Lodge Activities	Therese Sommers	N/A
Membership	Gloria Mason	202-2264
ENF	Marty Lange	564-4904
Public Relations	James Matthews	837-9976
Scholarship	Bill Wiseman, PER	523-2278
Scouting Coordinator	Vacant	Vacant
Soccer Shoot	Patrick Bleakley	566-9613
Veterans	Vacant	Vacant
Adopt-A-Vet	Vacant	Vacant
Youth Activities	Dona Hoesly	221-9576
Web Master	Bill Wiseman, PER	523-2278

**PER ASSOCIATION CONTACT**

Dick DuPont, Pres. - 436-5581      Bill Wiseman, Sec. - 523-2278

**PAST EXALTED RULERS ROLL**

2009-2010	John Stevens	1997-1998	Mike Owens*
2008-2009	Larry Mund	By Affiliation	William Young*
2007-2008	William Wiseman	By Affiliation	James Lange*
2006-2007	William Wiseman	By Affiliation	Bud Chaplin*
2005-2006	Bill Obszanski	By Affiliation	Russell Fortini
2004-2005	Norma DeLibertis	By Affiliation	Don Rogers
2002-2004	Dick DuPont	By Affiliation	Frank Vining
2002-2003	John Stevens	By Affiliation	Frank Opdyke
2001-2002	Larry Ucovich	By Affiliation	Robert Mathews
2000-2001	Faye Ashford	By Affiliation	James Kudenov*
1998-1999	George Adams*	By Affiliation	Kevin P. Swift

\* Deceased



**ELKS NATIONAL HOME**

For information, contact:  
Bob Morwick NSEA National Home Coordinator



## From Your Leading Knight Dona Hoesly



Hi all you Elks,  
Your Leading Knight and Lecturing Knight are hoping that all of you will watch the Elk Calendar for June in the bulletin or on our Web Site and come join in the fun activities lined up.

Dona Hoesly, Leading Knight  
Leslie Smith, Lecturing Knight

## Community Activities James Matthews, Loyal Knight



Summer is almost here if the wind will stop!  
I was unable to make the Mothers Day Celebration, but I understand it went well. We served 28 breakfasts and everybody enjoyed it.  
Coming up we will have our Flag Day Ceremony on June 11<sup>th</sup>. We will again be honoring our Police and Fire Fighters.

Our menu will be Prime Rib with all the fixings. Tickets are \$9.00 per person.

**Breaking News!!** Our PER Bill Wiseman is also the Nevada State Elks Association Webmaster and just received the coveted 5 Star Award for his efforts from Grand Lodge. Congrats Bill!!!

I am working on some community events that will draw attention to our lodge and bring in new members. If you have any ideas please email me at [sales@aviationservicesdirectory.com](mailto:sales@aviationservicesdirectory.com) or call 987-3226.

Please do not fill my email box with jokes only lodge business.....

See you at the meeting.

James Matthews, Loyal Knight



Our Cub Scout Pack is doing great. Michael Ferriolo has taken the position of leadership for the Pack. With Ken Bazar's help and **your attendance** to the planned Scouting functions to be held at the Lodge I expect this to be a great year for Pack 304.

We are still in need of a Scouting Coordinator. Ken has agreed to help with your training. Please step up and help with this very important responsibility.

Yours in Scouting,  
Vacant (Article by Bill Wiseman)



## Greetings From the Secretary Bill Wiseman, PER



May has been another busy month in the Secretary's office. As of 31 May we have 214 members with 31 delinquent. We will be bringing in six new members for the months of June and July. For those of you that have not paid your 2010-2011 dues, please get them in as soon as possible. Remember your dues are part of our budget and are needed to help keep the Lodge healthy and growing. If it has just slipped your mind please send your dues. If you have a problem or an issue with the Lodge, its Officers or its Members that is preventing you from paying your dues, please come talk to us so we may resolve the issues and get on with the great work of Elkdom. I will be sending out second notices mid June. Sponsors look at the list of delinquents if you see an individual on the list you sponsored, please contact the individual and encourage them to bring their dues current.

Once again I ask all committees to get your reports in to me. In order to make my job easier please keep records of any hours that you may volunteer or mileage driven and turn into myself or Exalted Ruler John Stevens so that we may get credit for them.

We need your help, see if there is a committee you would feel comfortable with lending a hand. The biggest contributions you can make towards the betterment of the Lodge is to step-up and participate. Remember this is your Lodge; it is imperative that each and everyone of you become active in **your** Lodge to keep it growing and stable. As I have stated over the past five years **"One Member Can Make a Difference"** - please be that member. **We need your involvement and help to keep this Lodge and the Order viable and growing!**

As a side note Special Rep Lee Butts, PDD has sent a letter to Grand Lodge recommending the Executive Order and sanctions be lifted. I thank all of you for the time and effort that has been put in to assist in turning the situation around. We continue to need your help to keep the lodge going forward in a positive direction.

Fraternally  
Bill Wiseman, PER

**Elks Care - Elks Share**



## Membership Committee News, Gloria Mason

The following members are delinquent with payment of their dues. If this is and oversight please send your dues to the Secretary as soon as possible. If there is a problem or and issue with the Lodge we urge you to come talks to is or send us a note explaining your concerns. We will do what we can to resolve the concern.

<u>No.</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
315	Bruce Austin	Robert Miller	501	Michael S. Potter	Roy Bell
397	Keith P. Bengtson	Affiliated	346	Garrett T. Rippon	Affiliated
199	Michael J. Beringhele	Affiliated	443	John L Russ IV	Tom Hartnett
627	Janine Cosio	Tony Gallegos	197	John G. Schommer	Affiliated
240	Howard L. Courtney, III	Transfer In	589	Michael S. Shealy	William Burton
488	Rudy Grube	Tom Hartnett	546	Robert D. Simmons	Garrett Rippo
593	Rick L. Jackson	Donald Williams	227	James H. Tharp	Certificate of Status
586	Gerald "Gerry" W. LaFavor	John Stevens	618	Jay Alan Thomas	Tena Bleakley
67	Hank Lambert	Certificate of Status	336	Gary E. Thompson	Affiliated
243	David Lieberman	Robert Owen	591	June E. Trissel	John Stevens
417	Clifford A. Louaillier	Allan Steward	597	William S. Warner	Affiliated
213	Marilynn S. McDougal	Fred Knap	624	Jerry E. Watson	Walter Fonesca
350	Kenneth Mulcan	Ken Bazar	491	Genevieve L. White	Gene Wiley
183	Robert J. Owen	Affiliated	328	Nuel R. Williams	Affiliated
583	Don W. Parr	George Tom Tadevic	407	Ester Woolford	Shirley Gulick
614	Pat Porter	William Wiseman	408	Andrew J. Woolford	Shirley Gulick

Fraternally,  
Chair Gloria Mason

## Membership Propositions

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Profession</u>	<u>Proposer</u>
Louis Goudie	227 Lilac Bud St. Henderson, NV 89074	Retired	Thomas Rowland
Randall Kasamoto	4 Via Verso Lago Henderson, NV 89014	Unknown	Patrick Bleakley
Thomas Rowland	2305 Little Bighorn Dr. Henderson, NV 89052	Transfer Dimit from	Mesa Buckhorn AZ 2656

Any member having information which would make any of the above ineligible for membership in our Lodge should immediately give such information to Gloria Mason, chairman of the Membership Committee, at (702) 202-2264.

\*Sponsors are expected to be present when their candidates are being balloted upon.\*

## Treasurer's Report Richard Letendre



June is nearly upon us and the Lodges finances continue to hold their own. We can use your participation!

Please remember to come visit the lodge from time to time, the Friday night dinners have been exceptional as well as the Officers breakfasts, the first Sunday of each month.

A reminder to everyone if you do not have a Blue Pig at home please come by the lodge and pick one up. With your hard work and participation I know 2010-2011 will be a banner year. Come join us for the pig roast is always a fun event.



Fraternally,  
Richard Letendre

## Trustee's Report Jack Waldock, Chairman



Just a reminder, all expenditures even if included in the budget MUST be presented and approved on the Lodge floor before money can be expended. We are also looking at some improvements to the Lodge and the club such as a new bar top and less direct lighting in the Lounge. We are will be seeking any good ideas and handymen to do some of this work. The members approved the expenditure of \$1,500 to rebuild the stoves and ovens. This has been a much needed repair. We have been struggling with the wall units for over a year now. Come join us for some fantastic Friday night meals. Jessie Grant will be preparing ribs in the near future.

The Trustees meet the forth Tuesday of each Month.

Fraternally,  
Jack Waldock  
Chairman



# Remembering Veterans is basic to our Order

I do not claim to know all there is to know about attracting new Members and holding on to them. However, I offer some thoughts on the subject.

In my book, membership boils down to what we do, how well we do it, and how what we do is perceived in the community. An active Lodge, working relevant projects, will draw interest. We then need to be geared to ask, "Are you an Elk? Would you like to be one?"

We are all busy people. We spend much time working and child-rearing. We seem to have little time to do volunteer service activities. Yet, with all of that, there are some folks who would want to participate in a family-oriented Elks Lodge that has a Hoop Shoot Free Throw Contest, a Drug Awareness Pool Party, a Veterans' Picnic, the Antlers, and so on. Why can't we find these people?



## Message from The Grand Exalted Ruler

Hon. James L. Nichelson

I am firmly convinced they are right there in front of us and (just) need to be asked. The problem is, some of us are older and do not have association with younger people. Some of us are burnt out and do not bother, even when a likely prospect is known to us. And some of us are social people and not Lodge people. So, what do we do?

The people who do all the work and are too busy to brainstorm membership must step

back and realize if we do not do this membership thing we will soon not have a Lodge. I suggest the Exalted Ruler enlist the Past Exalted Rulers Association to form and man a Membership/Retention/Reinstatement Project. Make it the highest priority of the Lodge. Call it a Membership Drive.

However, do not neglect to integrate all new Members into the life of the Lodge. A new Member is fine, but we must actively work to keep that Member.

Organizations that grow are organizations that strike a responsive chord in the community. I believe our Order and your Lodge have lots of wonderful programs and are poised to do just that. Work your programs with enthusiasm. Tell your story. Membership will follow, so long as an Elk steps up and says, "Would you like to be an Elk?"

## ENF Marty Lange, Chair



Established in 1928, the Elks National Foundation is the charitable arm of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Our mission is to help Elks build stronger communities. The Foundation is supported through contributions from Elks, their families and friends, which are all deposited into a permanent endowment fund. We only spend the income earned by this fund. The influence of a good deed will continue forever. Elks believe that our influence in life is determined by the good deeds we do. The Elks have a strong tradition of helping those in need, and our communities need us now more than ever.

The Grand Lodge established the Elks National Foundation with this creed in mind. With your help we can make the Elk's name synonymous with philanthropy and community.

Fraternally,  
Mary Lange



## PER News Dick DuPont, PER



The PER's did it again! Our breakfast after the Mother's Day program was enjoyed by all. I want to thank the PER's that helped PER Bill Wiseman prepare the breakfast.

We will be having a "CRAB CRACK" and is scheduled for September 18. We will keep you informed through the ChronELKle as more develops. So,

please mark your calendars.

Let us remind our members, this is your Lodge. We need your input on lodge committees, lodge functions and your help in completing all events required by Grand Lodge.

Check out our Friday night dinners. Only \$7.00 for a complete meal from Salad to Desert.

Also, The 3rd Friday of each month our PER Steak Dinner. Best steak in town cooked to perfection, by you.

Fraternally,  
Dick DuPont, PER  
PER Association President



## Sickness and Distress Leslie Smith, Lecturing Knight

We send our sincere condolences to Mike Quadlin and his family for the loss of his father. Jack Waldock continues to recover from his gall bladder. We are glad to see him around the Lodge again.

Fraternally yours,  
Leslie Smith



### ENF Per-Capita Contest winners April 1, 2009 through March 31, 2010

State winners	Members	Donations	Per Member
1. Nevada	4,807	67,857.60	14.116
2. Texas	16,664	190,331.20	11.422
3. New Jersey	41,820	444,442.40	10.627
4. Mississippi	3,059	32,193.77	10.524
5. Rhode Island	6,071	56,718.54	9.343

**Summary and summer time**  
**By Lee O. Young, Committee Member**

According to the Government Relations Manual, June is for sending a summary of Volunteer, Youth, Charitable and Community Service programs to legislators, local government officials and your newspaper for publicity. You have read it, have you not? This should prove to be easy for those of you who have been regularly laboring in the vineyards. Thank you for your labors. Now is the time to reap the rewards!

Included in June is Flag Day, an annual event promoted by all Elks Lodges for displaying our nation's flag. Lodges nationwide hold observances in their communities on this day. These events often include participation by military organizations, Scouts, schools, local dignitaries and politicians. One is only limited by one's imagination. Please understand that many of these planned Flag Day observances do not happen overnight and involve a lot of preparation if done right. Remember without the Elks, there would be no Flag Day celebration!

So you see, as Elks we must stand for something and make a difference. If you do not stand for something, you stand for nothing! We should stick together, united in various deeds by being as attentive and compassionate as humanly possible. Those around you also will be affected. Compassion is contagious and you do not have to get an H1N1 injection.

What else happens in June? By golly, summer begins and all that it brings! School ends and vacations begin. And don't forget – Father's Day for honoring all Dads! Are you aware that many Elks Lodges have Father's Day functions to honor our Fathers

This summer, why not invite some veterans from the homes for a cookout or fishing trip! Whatever summer activities your Lodge engages in, don't forget to record the data in your Charitable Report! Wow! It just does not get any better than this. Life is good!

June, as is any month, is an excellent time for evaluating your Government Relations Program. One way is to use the Program Evaluation and Review Technique system. Simply plot out your years' program, month by month, plug in everything needed to accomplish the task, assign time lines and go to it! Don't forget to send "thank-you" notes or letters. Review the process periodically, make changes and update as needed. Thank you for all you do! (Reprinted from GL Newsletter - W. M. Wiseman)

**HOUSE COMMITTEE**

Effective 1 May 2010 the price of beer, wine and well drinks will increase by \$0.25 per drink to \$2.50. The happy hour prices will also increase to \$1.75. Drinks served to renters at the back bar will increase to \$2.75. We regret that this price increase is necessary but have to maintain the required percentages.

In addition, effective 1 May 2010 the bar will not be manned by a paid bar tender on Saturdays. The sales volume has not been sufficient over the past year to support a paid bartender on this day. We would still like to keep the bar open on Saturdays and man it with volunteer bartenders. Please contact the Exalted Ruler or any officer if you can volunteer to man the bar on Saturdays.

John Stevens, PER  
 Chairman



**2010-2011 SCHEDULED EVENTS**

The following is a list of Functions/Events scheduled for lodge year 2010-2011. We need your participation and help to make this a successful year for our lodge. We can always use help with decorating, cooking, cleanup, ticket sales, etc. Of course your attendance is always appreciated, this shows your true appreciate for all the hard work that goes into these events by the volunteers.

DD Clinic .....	7 Apr
State Convention @ Boulder City .....	5-19 Apr
Youth Appreciation Week .....	2-8 May
Youth Appreciation Dinner .....	None
Mother's Day ( <i>Mandatory</i> ) .....	9 May
Flag Day (14 Jun) ( <i>Mandatory</i> ) .....	11 Jun
Father's Day .....	20 Jun
Grand Lodge Convention.....	4-8 Jul
Cub Scout Rain Gutter Regatta .....	17 Jul
DD Clinic (10:00 AM) .....	14 Aug
DDGER Visit .....	7 Sep
Patriot Week .....	5-11 Sep
Flag Retirement Ceremony .....	11 Sep
Crab Crack .....	18 Sep
ENF Silent Auction ( <i>ENF Fund Raiser</i> ).....	1 Oct
Pig Roast ( <i>Blue Pig Fund Raiser</i> ) .....	16 Oct
Stray Elks .....	TBD Oct
Cub Scout Pinewood Derby .....	TBD Oct
State President's Visit .....	22 Oct
Halloween Party (31 Oct) .....	30 Oct
Veterans Day Dinner .....	12 Nov
Mid-Term Convention .....	18-21 Nov
Thanksgiving Baskets .....	22 Nov
Old Timers Night .....	26 Nov
Hoop Shoot .....	4 Dec
Elks Memorial Service ( <i>Mandatory</i> ) .....	5 Dec
Decorate for Christmas .....	9-11 Dec
Kids Christmas Party .....	18 Dec
Christmas Baskets .....	20 Dec
Christmas Eve Gathering .....	24 Dec
New Years Eve Party .....	31 Dec
Parrot Head Party ( <i>Multi Fund Raiser</i> ).....	15 Jan
DD Clinic (10:00 AM).....	15 Jan
Lodge PER Night .....	1 Feb
Super Bowl XLV Party .....	6 Feb
Valentines Dance ( <i>Charity Fund Raiser</i> ) .....	12 Feb
Scouts Blue and Gold Dinner .....	TBD Feb
St. Patrick's Day / Hail & Farewell .....	11 Mar
Cub Scout Space Derby .....	TBD Mar

*These dates may change as the year goes on.*

## June 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>31 May</b> Memorial Day Indoctrination 5:00 PM 	<b>1</b> Lodge Meeting 7:30 Initiation 	<b>2</b> RSVP Fri. Dinner	<b>3</b> Thirsty Thursday 5-8 PM 	<b>4</b> Happy Hour 4-6 Dinner 6:30 PM Jesse Grant 	<b>5</b> Happy Hour 3-6 
<b>6</b> Officers Brunch 9-11 AM Easter 	<b>7</b> 	<b>8</b> HC Meeting 6:00 PER Meeting 7:00	<b>9</b> RSVP Fri. Dinner	<b>10</b> Thirsty Thursday 5-8 PM 	<b>11</b> Happy Hour 4-6 Law & Order and Flag Day Dinner Prime Rib - \$9.00	<b>12</b> Happy Hour 3-6 
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Flag Day 	<b>15</b> Lodge Meeting 7:30 	<b>16</b> RSVP Fri. Dinner	<b>17</b> Thirsty Thursday 5-8 PM 	<b>18</b> Happy Hour 4-6 Dinner 5:30 PM PER Steak Night 	<b>19</b> Happy Hour 3-6 
<b>20</b> 	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Lodge Meeting 7:30	<b>23</b> RSVP Fri. Dinner	<b>24</b> Thirsty Thursday 5-8 PM 	<b>25</b> Happy Hour 4-6 Dinner 6:30 PM Jesse Grant 	<b>26</b> Happy Hour 3-6 
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> No Meetings	<b>30</b> RSVP Fri. Dinner			

## July 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				<b>1</b> Thirsty Thursday 5-8 PM 	<b>2</b> Happy Hour 4-6 Dinner 6:30 PM 	<b>3</b> Happy Hour 3-6 
<b>4</b> Independence Day Brunch 9-11 AM GL Conv.  	<b>5</b> GL Convention	<b>6</b> No Lodge Meeting GL Convention	<b>7</b> RSVP Fri. Dinner GL Convention	<b>8</b> Thirsty Thursday 5-8 PM GL Conv. 	<b>9</b> Happy Hour 4-6 Dinner 6:30 PM Jesse Grant 	<b>10</b> Happy Hour 3-6 
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# Bulletin Blips

## Bill Wiseman, Editor

Would you like to be a bulletin benefactor? As a benefactor you would make a donation of \$10.00 per year which would be used to help offset the cost of the bulletin. If you are interested, please send payment to the Lodge and mark the outside of the envelope "For Bulletin Benefactors".

### Bulletin Benefactors

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|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Bill & Mela Wiseman      | Delbert & Vera Winkle |
| Dick & Ann DuPont        | Jack Waldock          |
| Richard & Sunny Letendre | Ron Girard            |
| James D. Smith           | David Angel           |
| Llewelyn Stoddard        | Dennis Jarworski      |
| Tena Bleakley            | Dave C. Smith         |
| John Stevens             | Ben & Bernie Olson    |
| John E. Barnes           | Don Koppenhaver       |

If I have neglected to add a Benefactor, please let me know.

Are you interested in advertising in our Bulletin? Call for rates and information. Our Bulletin reaches approximately 275 to 300 people directly.

If there are any changes or suggestions you like to add to the bulletin, please contact Bill Wiseman. All input is welcome.

To submit news, place in the bulletin mail box in the conference room or send an email to bill.wiseman@earthlink.net. News must be submitted by the 15th of the month and be within one month of the event. All input is welcome.

The bulletin is now posted to our local web site:  
<http://www.elks.org/lodges/home.cfm?LodgeNumber=2802>

State information can be found on the state web site:  
<http://www.nsea-elks.org>



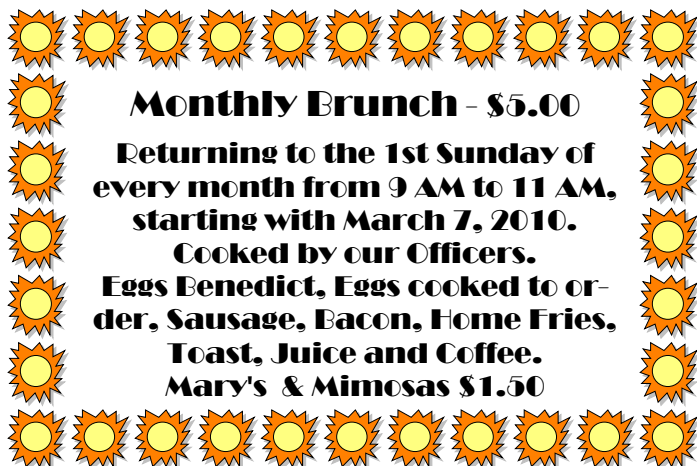
## Club News



Club Hours: Tuesday - Friday 1 - 9 pm, Saturday 12 - 6 pm

<p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">Drink Prices</p> <p>Starting 1 May all domestic beer, wine and well drinks will increase by \$0.25 per drink to \$2.50 due to the rising cost from our vendors.</p> <p>We will no longer have a paid bartender on Saturdays. We need volunteers.</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="font-weight: bold; color: red;">Cheers!</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; color: red;">Thirsty Thursday</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-style: italic;">All well drinks, Domestic Beer, &amp; Wine \$1.75, Soda \$1.00 5pm to 8pm</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="font-weight: bold; color: red;">Shake of the Day</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center; font-style: italic;">Play "Shake of the Day" once a day. (2 shakes for \$1.00) Five of a kind wins the 70% of the pot with 30% going to the charity fund. Four of a kind wins a free drink. Three of a kind wins a free roll. The pot is now at \$500 plus. Come in and try your luck!</p>
<div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="font-weight: bold; color: red;">Happy Hour</p> </div> <p style="text-align: center; font-style: italic;">well drinks, Domestic Beer and Wine for \$1.75 4-5 every Friday Domestic Beer for \$2.00 from 3-6 every Saturday.</p>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; color: red;">Join Us For Some Old Fashioned Camaraderie In Your Remodeled Club Room</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">We have added a 50 inch flat panel TV for your enjoyment!</p> <hr style="width: 30%; margin: auto;"/> <p style="text-align: center; color: blue; font-weight: bold;">For any of you interested in joining, we are in the process of organizing a Dart League We need team!</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: center; align-items: center; gap: 20px;">   </div>	
<p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">Electronic Entertainment</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Come checkout our new arcade games</p> <p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">Pinball Video Golf two Soft-tip Dart Machines and a Jukebox</p>		

Come meet Patrick, our new fulltime bartender/bar manager. He is working Tuesday through Friday.



## Monthly Brunch - \$5.00

Returning to the 1st Sunday of every month from 9 AM to 11 AM, starting with March 7, 2010.

Cooked by our Officers.

Eggs Benedict, Eggs cooked to order, Sausage, Bacon, Home Fries, Toast, Juice and Coffee.

Mary's & Mimosas \$1.50

### \*\*\* Help Wanted \*\*\*

**Veterans Chairperson** needed: We are looking for someone to fill this very important position. The Veterans Program is very important part of our Order. You will be interfacing with the local Veterans Organizations.

**Committee Members** needed: We are looking for interested members to participate on all committees for Lodge year 2010-2011. We need your help to make your Lodge a success.

**Part Time Bartenders** needed: Hours 1-9 PM Tuesday through Friday and 12-6 PM Saturday.

**Friday Night Dinners:** We are always looking for help with Friday Night Dinners. If you have a favorite meal you would like to share with the membership, please come volunteer to prepare it for the Lodge. This can be a very rewarding experience.

## PER Steak Night

Will be served at 5:30 PM

18 June 2010

Join us for a free 2 hour show

Starting at 6:30 PM

### Birthday Coupons

Members of Lodge 2802 in Good Standing.

You are entitled to **One Friday night Dinner or Two Drinks of your choice**, not to exceed \$9 in total value.

Birthday coupons are available from the bartender

## Recipe of the Month

### Classic Meat Loaf



Why do I love meatloaf? It reminds me of being a kid. Where else does one get meatloaf other than at home or a school cafeteria? You can often buy it already mixed at your local butcher. So all you have to do is add an egg and put it in a baking pan and plop it in the oven for an hour. But what if your butcher hasn't made up a batch? It's easy enough to make. Here's a recipe I use for traditional meat loaf. The ingredient that makes this meat loaf extra delicious is the spicy ground pork sausage. We once substituted this sausage for regular ground pork and have never looked back.

#### Ingredients

- 5 cup of finely chopped onion
  - 5 celery rib, chopped fine
  - 5 Tbsp minced garlic
  - 5 carrot, chopped fine or grated
  - 2 ½ cup of finely chopped scallion (can substitute onion)
  - 10 Tbsp unsalted butter
  - 10 tsp salt (use 9 tsp if using Italian sausage)
  - 7 ½ tsp freshly ground pepper
  - 10 tsp Worcestershire sauce
  - 3 ¼ cup ketchup
  - 7 ½ pounds of ground chuck
  - 3 ¾ pound of spicy ground pork sausage (or use Italian sausage - 5 sweet, 5 hot)
- (NOTE: many versions of meatloaf call for ground veal as well. I would experiment with a third each of beef, pork, and veal.)
- 5 cup fresh bread crumbs
  - 8 large eggs, beaten slightly
  - 1 ½ cup minced fresh parsley leaves

#### Preparation

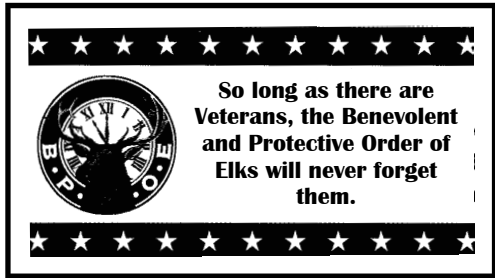
- Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.
- In a large heavy skillet cook the onion, garlic, celery, carrot, and scallion in butter, over moderate heat, stirring, for about 5 minutes. Cover and stir occasionally until the carrots are tender, about 5 more minutes. Stir in salt and pepper, Worcestershire sauce, and 1/3 a cup of ketchup. Cook for 1 more minute.
- In a large bowl, combine the meats, eggs, bread crumbs, vegetables, and parsley. Form into a loaf and put into a rectangular baking pan with 2 inch high sides. Cover loaf with remaining ketchup.
- Bake meat loaf in oven for approximately 1 hour.

Serves 20 to 30.

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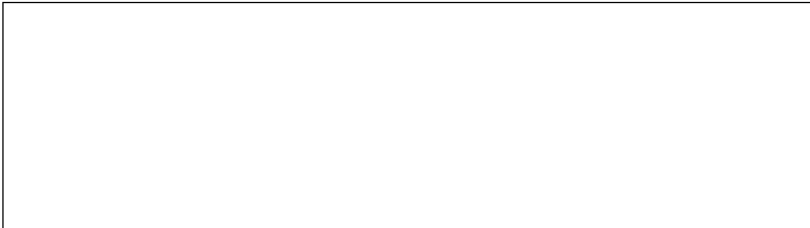
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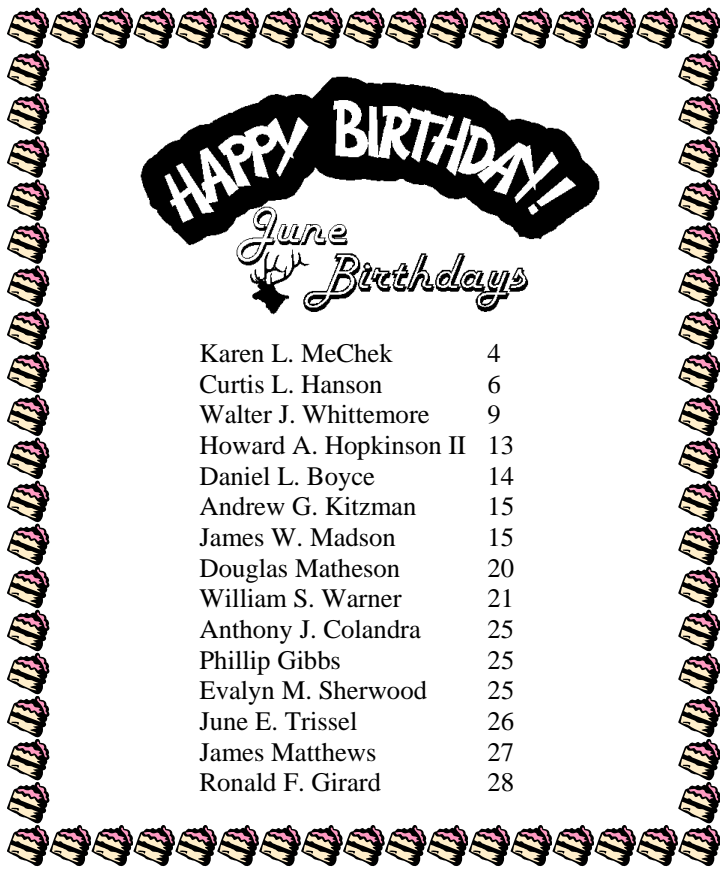


### RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

*Addressed to a Very Important Elk!*



## Elks Care - Elks Share



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

## June Birthdays

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|------------------------|----|
| Karen L. MeChek        | 4  |
| Curtis L. Hanson       | 6  |
| Walter J. Whittemore   | 9  |
| Howard A. Hopkinson II | 13 |
| Daniel L. Boyce        | 14 |
| Andrew G. Kitzman      | 15 |
| James W. Madson        | 15 |
| Douglas Matheson       | 20 |
| William S. Warner      | 21 |
| Anthony J. Colandra    | 25 |
| Phillip Gibbs          | 25 |
| Evalyn M. Sherwood     | 25 |
| June E. Trissel        | 26 |
| James Matthews         | 27 |
| Ronald F. Girard       | 28 |

**CRYING TOWEL**

4 May - \$70; Donald Gamboni #220 not present  
18 May - \$80; Michael Beringhele #199 not present

- 50/50 Drawing**
- 4 May 2010, \$28 SMP \$28 Ron Gesell  
18 May 2010, \$26 Standing Relief, \$26 John Stevens

