

" The Eleventh Hour "

Newsletter of the Brunswick Lodge of Elks # 2043

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NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS!!



- 1 JOHN VIGUE
- 3 ROBERT JOHNSON
- 5 JOHAN HANSEN
DAVID HUNTINGTON
- 7 RODNEY OWEN
- 8 ADONIS HILL
- 9 MARC BOISSONNEAULT
RICHARD LEWIS
- 10 MARYELLEN WRIGHT
- 11 BRIAN BARLAG
GAYLENE MCHALE
DANA OSNOE
- 12 STANLEY D'ORIO
- 16 WILLIAM WAITE
- 17 LARRY WILLIAMS
- 18 KURT SCARPONI
- 19 ROBIN HILL
- 21 MICHAEL HORY
- 22 SCOTT GUSTAFSON
- 24 TERINA RENO
- 25 RYAN LEMIEUX
RICK LEWIS
- 26 VICTOR COFFIN
OTTO KILDE
- 27 DONNA LOWERY
- 28 ROBERT BAKER
NANCY BROWN
- 29 LINDA BAUER
- 30 SANDY DAIGLE
RONALD LEWIS
ROBERT WHITMORE

Exalted Ruler's Notes

I would like again to thank Brigitte Moler, Debra Murphy for the great job they did on the basket and meal for the State President and First Lady visit, and a special thanks to Susan O'Conner for the room and courtesy extended to them during their stay at the Fairfield Inn.

If you haven't been to the Lodge lately, you need to come and see the renovated deck. Dwight Bessmer and Mike Murphy did a great job designing and putting it together, with the help of all the great carpenters we have. Of course this would not have been possible without all the many raffles run by Deb Murphy and others. Great work to all.

By the time you receive this newsletter we will have had our visit from the District Deputy and will pass on the results in next month's notes.

American Legion Post 20 of Brunswick is in the process of becoming active again and will be meeting at the Lodge until they can acquire their own facilities. Their meeting night will be posted for anyone who cares to become a member.

November 11 there will be a Veteran's Day Luncheon; if you would like to help contact Buzz Wilder at the Lodge.

November 24th will be the date for the next Trustee and Governing Board meeting as the normal day falls on Thanksgiving.

In closing, hope everyone has a great holiday and can spend it with loved ones or at least good friends.

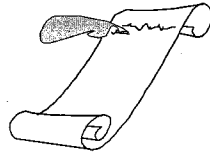
Rod Bauer
Exalted Ruler

(If we have inadvertently omitted any member's birthday, please notify the secretary so that we can correct our records.)

From the Secretary



Mike



REGULAR MEMBERS DUES \$67.00.....LIFE MEMBERS DUES \$32.00

Our current membership is 435

Right now we have 38 members who have not paid their dues for the current Lodge year. Remember it only costs you \$1.29 per week or .1835 cents a day to be one of the **Best People On Earth**. So please pay your dues, and help our Lodge, your Lodge support our programs. The names of the members who have not paid their dues will be published in upcoming months.

For those members who were dropped for non-payment of dues, it is easy to be re-instated, just call me, send me an email, or ask any member to help you, they will be more than happy.

At the October 15th meeting, Chris Gleason, Bernard McKnight, and Jacob Eastman, were elected to membership. Stanley D'Orio was re-instated and William Conlin was accepted on a transfer from the Lewiston Lodge.

John Bergren missed winning \$258.00 at the October 1st meeting, and Craig Long lost \$299.00 at the October 15th meeting, because they were not at the meeting.

All members, please remember keep me informed when your address changes!!

I realize that it is getting closer to the time that our "Snow Birds" start heading to the warmer climates of the country....with that in mind, if you want to receive mail, please make sure I have both your winter and summer addresses....Thanks

~ Mike

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OCTOBER 2009

Dudley H. Leavitt, Sr.

NOVEMBER 2009

Joe Sheehan
Mort Hamlin
Edmund "Dutch" Duchesneau
Joseph Duchesneau
In Memory of
Charles McGuire

DECEMBER 2008

David Huntington
Conrad Thibeault
Ronald Lewis

JANUARY 2009

Thomas Elliott, PDDGER
In Memory of Ken Libby
Francis Giroux

FEBRUARY 2009

MARCH 2009

Regis Fortin PDDGER
Mamie Fortin SPP MSAEC
Leopold Despres
Larry Caron
Kent Long

APRIL 2009

Dominic Boucher
Kenneth Burton
Joseph Burton
Alden Woodbury
"Doc" Slocum
Charles Puterbaugh
Winfred Dodge
James Crocker
In Memory of Richard Brown
P.D. Clark USN RET

MAY 2009

JUNE 2009

Veda Wyman 2009-2010
Ken Morgan

JULY 2009

Matthew Tribou

AUGUST 2009

William May Sr., PDDGER, PER
Ernest L. Brilliant
Joyce Brillany
Mike Toman, PDDGER, PER

SEPTEMBER 2009

Irving Stetson
Dorothy Stetson
Capt. Ret. Jerry Bozeman
In memory of
Lawrence "Larry" Roy

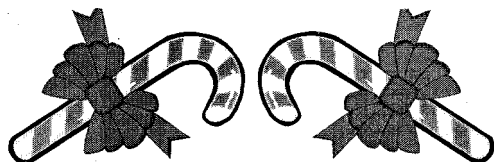
Name _____ Membership No. _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mail to:

Brunswick Elks Lodge #2043, 179 Park Row, Brunswick, ME 04011
Attn: Secretary



It's hard to believe it's that time of year already

The Brunswick Elks'

Children's Christmas Party

will be held on

Sunday, Dec.13th at 12 noon

*If anyone would like to donate baked goods for the Party,
please drop them off on Saturday if possible.*

*The wrapping will be done Friday night during Happy Hour
Your help is more than welcome.*

Entertainment: Dick Coffin's

Dum Dum Silly Silly Willy

Puppet Show

SANTA to follow

Children's Christmas Party Sign up:

Attn: Ginny Boucher PER

Name of Child _____

Age: _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Mail in or drop off at Lodge

Cut off Date: DECEMBER 7th



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 SUNDAY LUNCH <i>Baked Stuffed Haddock</i>	2	3 DAV Mtg.	4	5 LODGE MTG. 7:00 PM	6 SOCIAL HOUR 4 - 7	7 SATURDAY LUNCH 11:30 - 1:30
8 SUNDAY LUNCH <i>Gil's Supreme Chicken Breast</i>	9	10 VFW Mtg.	11 <i>Veteran's Lunch</i> 	12	13 SOCIAL HOUR 4 - 7	14 SATURDAY LUNCH 11:30 - 1:30 Pre Holiday Party Music: "Phoenix"
15 SUNDAY LUNCH <i>Stuffed Pork Loin</i>	16	17 Emblem Club Meeting 7:00 p.m.	18	19 LODGE MTG. 7:00 PM	20 SOCIAL HOUR 4 - 7	21 SATURDAY LUNCH 11:30 - 1:30
22 SUNDAY LUNCH <i>Brunch</i>	23	24 Trustee Mtg., 6:00 pm Gov. Board Mtg., 6:30 pm	25	26 	27 SOCIAL HOUR 4 - 7	28 SATURDAY LUNCH 11:30 - 1:30
29 SUNDAY LUNCH <i>Seafood Lasagna</i>	30	COMING EVENTS NOV. 11th - VETERAN'S LUNCH Nov. 14th - PRE-HOLIDAY PARTY • MUSIC BY "PHOENIX" NOV. 8 - 12 • GER VISIT TO MAINE Dec. 13, 12:00 pm - CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY • Sign up by Dec. 7th				

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 Building.....Tony Trippi.....
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 Santa Fund.....David Desjardins, PER.....729-6014
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 Games of Chance.....Colette Cullen.....725-5353
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 Hoop-Shoot.....Kevin Leeman, PER.....729-8811
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 Lapsation.....Michael Toman, PDDGER.....319-8712
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 Memorial Sunday.....Lodge Officers.....729-9572
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 Public Relations.....Darlene Bertoni.....251-2891
 Relief.....Lodge Officers.....729-9572
 Soc. & Comm. Welfare.....Mark Svien.....443-6905
 State Trustee...Thomas Elliott, PDDGER.....442-8075

Lodge Activities.....Linda Bauer.....725-1062
 Christmas Party.....Ginny Boucher, PER.....443-3417
 Entertainment.....Debra Murphy.....375-4928
 Family Picnic.....Kevin Leeman, PER.....729-8811
 Youth Activities.....Jackie Manton.....725-4558
 Soccer Shoot.....Dan Daigle.....837-9955



MEETINGS

Lodge.....1st & 3rd Thursday.....7:00 pm
 PER Mtg.....2nd Thursday.....7:00 pm
 Trustees.....4th Thursday.....6:00 pm
 Governing Board.....4th Thursday.....6:30 pm

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LODGE OFFICERS 2009 - 2010

EXALTED RULER*Rodney Bauer (725-1062)*
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 ESTEEMED LOYAL KNIGHT*Mark Svien (443-6905)*
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 TRUSTEE 2 YEAR*Anthony Trippi (725-5353)*
 TRUSTEE 3 YEAR*Linda Bauer (725-1062)*
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 STATE TRUSTEE*Thomas Elliott, PDDGER (442-8075)*