

Brattleboro Lodge of Elks No. 1499

October 2023

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CLUB HOURS Mon.- Sat. 11-9 / Sun. 11-8



Exalted Ruler's Message

October already. Wow.

October 1st there will be a clean-up at Silver Towers. The water system and shut down of the camp will be on the 21st of this month.

October 7th is the mid-year convention. This year it is in Newport. VT.

On **October 14th** we have the District Deputy visitation at 10am followed by the State President visit at 3pm. There will be a sign-up sheet for dinner in the social room.

The Kids Halloween party will be on the **28th of October**. More information to come on this.

Chasing Zero walk for veterans and first responders for suicide prevention went extremely well. Thanks to all who donated. A special thank you and congratulations goes out to Chase Stanley and Tiffany Stanley for their commitment to this cause. I would also like to say thank you to my wife Nancy for the fundraising she did for this. Not to mention all the raffles Nancy has done for this club. Outstanding job. Keep a lookout on Facebook for more.

Six new members were initiated into our order on September 13th. Welcome.

Make sure you check out the House Committee News for upcoming dinners for October.

Let's keep up the good work and volunteer to help in the kitchen and with any other function the club puts on.

Let's get some new faces involved.

Jeff, ER

Happenings:

Proposed for Membership

Jacqlyn Snow - proposed by Bridget Bokum
Meghan Neumeister - proposed by Mellissa Whitney
Justin Ellsworth - proposed by Eugene Whitney
Larry Kempf - proposed by Alison Marino
Serena Benedict - proposed by David Austin

Welcome to our newest members!

Lyndsey Boyd
Daniel Boyd
Lawrence LaBarge
Alison Marino
Mary Ann Runge
Elias Zumbruski

Note From The House

We are **STILL** looking for people to host a **dinner**. Anyone that is interested can talk to Nancy or anyone of us on the House Committee.

If you have an idea for a **raffle**, bring it to Nancy.

We look forward to serving you in the upcoming months.

Thank you,
Frank

From The House

The new bar stools are in and they look fantastic. Thank you to Mark Campbell and Amy Farnum for getting this done, also thank you to Past State President Henry Diemer for his generous donation for the stools.

Meals:

October 13 Hot dogs and burgers with mac salad by the House Committee

October 20 English Night

October 27 Wings by the House Committee

Raffles:

Nancy continues to run raffles which benefit our Elks Charities and members of our community. Thank you Nancy and all who continue to support our Lodge and the Charities that we support. You have proven that “Elks Care, Elks Share.”

Thank you, Frank

NATIONAL AND STATE ELKS’ SCHOLARSHIPS; AWARDS; AND GRANTS AVAILABLE

For further information:

Visit: www.elks.org/enf/scholars

Email: scholarship@elks.org

For questions, contact: Gene Whitney

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MOST VALUABLE STUDENT Scholarship

This is open to any graduating senior, U.S. citizen, in the country. This application should be completed online. The deadline for this

scholarship is
November 13, 2024.

ENF LEGACY AWARDS

These are available to children or grandchildren of members of the Elks in good standing only. The applications must be completed online. The deadline for this application is **February 5, 2024.**

EMERGENCY EDUCATIONAL GRANTS

These are grants for children of deceased or totally disabled Elks. Applications are available from May 1 to November 2. Access the application online.

ROGER SHERIDAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Awarded to a senior girl and boy who plan to major in physical education or a related field. These scholarships are sponsored through the Vermont Elks Association and applications are due **February 1, 2024** and distributed by request.

BRATTLEBORO ELKS’ SCHOLARSHIP

Criteria: Male or female high school senior who wishes to further his/her education. Applicant must be a student at Brattleboro UHS, Hinsdale HS, Leland & Gray UHS, or Twin Valley UHS. The student should be accepted to a College, Technical School, or University. Deadlines is **April 5, 2024.**

EARL CAVANAGH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Criteria: Male or female student **currently** enrolled in a University, Technical School, or College. The applicant must be a child or grandchild of a member, or is a member, **in good standing**, of Brattleboro Elks’ Lodge #1499. Deadline is **April 5, 2024.**



October 2023 Calendar of Events

Looking for a way to support the lodge? Volunteer at one of the dinners or events.
We are always in need of volunteers.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Silver Towers Clean-up John Frechette Nancy Kerylow Kenneth R Thurber	2 Corey Bauer Stephen P Fecto Stephen N Page	3 Timothy Arsenault Ryan Squires	4	5	6 Fred Cheney	7 Mid-year Convention Newport, VT Joan C Nowill
8 Bernard J Thompson Jr.	9 David Emery Jr Deborah Fisher Beth Wells	10 Stephen Barrett Pennie S Bronson Kirk S Nims Lindsay Spratt	11 Lodge Meeting 7 PM	12 Dennis Baker Christopher D Gouger Peter T Jameson Joseph M Jewett	13 Hot dogs Burgers Mac Salad -House Committee- Paul J Beebe	14 District Deputy Visitation - 10am State President Visit - 3pm with dinner Gary Bogue Henry Scott Marjorie Shield
15 John M Dunham Wayne D Emery Robert L Hamblin David B Ward Andrew T Wisniewski	16	17 Irvin Bruce Suzanne Wells	18	19 William Harlow	20 English Night Hobart F Adams Cheryl Lavalley	21 Bruce P Murray
22	23 Douglas G Bramble Anne Marie Henry Stillman L Vonderhorst	24 Steven G Cutting Ryan Ebbighausen Jessalyn Stockwell	25 Lodge Meeting 7 PM	26 Justin F Howard Carol Lolatte Allen Pike Matthew Poston Hannah L Tustin Kyle Whitworth	27 Wings -House Committee- Sarah Clark John M Meyer	28 Kids Halloween Party Jonathan Barber Jeffrey J Gouger Jeffrey A Houle Heather Pierce Chris Tustin
29 Brian P Frechette	30 George Runge	31				

2023-2024 Elected Officers

EXALTED RULER: JEFFREY KERYLOW
LEADING KNIGHT: MELISSA MCAULIFFE
LOYAL KNIGHT: S. CHASE STANLEY
LECTURING KNIGHT: AMANDA DANIELS
SECRETARY: MARK GOUGER
TREASURER: STEVEN NELSON
STATE TRUSTEE: FRANK LOPEZ
TRUSTEES: KAREN ZELENAKAS, JEFF DIXON,
PETE RANDALL, RALPH BUCHANAN,
BARBARA WALLACE

••• Appointed Officers •••

ESQUIRE: FRANK LOPEZ
CHAPLAIN: JIL MACMENAMIN
TILER: JEAN WILDE
INNER GUARD: LUCIE FORTIER

Send In Your Lodge NEWS



The email to send your lodge news and events to is elks1499newsletter@gmail.com. Please have info to me by the 15th of the month.

Thank you,
Kristin Bratton



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