



SANFORD ELKS

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Hello Members:

Well a new year has begun. I would like to thank Sheri for a great year she had. Even though she had surgeries and hospitalization to contend with, she held the lodge together and herself. Good luck Sheri!

Coming events include a Comedy Show on April 13, 2024. See Marise or the bartenders for tickets. They are \$25.00 each. Doors open at 6:00 pm, the show is at 7: pm.

State Convention is at the Augusta Elks Lodge May 3rd - 5 th. Convention forms are at the lodge. The Youth Banquet will be held on Wednesday May 8th, where we will celebrate the accomplishments of the youth in Sanford and surrounding areas.

Also the top 50 Students from Sanford High will be recognized.

We still need new officers, Inner Guard, Esquire, Lecturing and Loyal Knight. We need your help in filling these vacancies and other lodge chair positions to keep our lodge prospering. Contact any officer or myself for more info.

We still need help in the kitchen on Pub Nights. We would like to have a couple of crews to split up the load. See Rob or myself for more info.

As you know we have repaved the parking lot and made a motorcycle parking pad. Please do not park 4 wheel vehicles on the pad, as it's for the safety of the motorcycles.

Don't forget to check out the new sign. This will allow us to get more information out about ongoing and current activities.

That's all for now. Enjoy the month. More to come

Fraternally,

Andy

J. Andrew Bolz

MANY OF YOU SAY ALL THE TIME ABOUT RECEIVING YOUR NEWSLETTER AFTER EVERYTHING IS COMPLETED. WE HAVE FOUND A SOLUTION AND THAT IS THE: MYELKS MOBILE APP

SCAN THE QR CODE in the MyElks app promotion and you will be taken to the download area for your phone. [Download](#) it on your phone. [Open it and register](#) (need email address & to create a password) enable notifications. [Search for Sanford #1470](#) and [favorite it](#). Tap on the picture of the lodge and you will have access to all the things going on at the lodge through the calendar and the scrolling windows. You can even sign up to help at the events. We are trying to keep everyone up to date so please do your part and download the app. It will only work if as many of us as can download and use the app. It also provides for communications to the lodge and you can find lodges when you are out traveling. If you are a business owner or know one advertising opportunities are available (info is in the app itself or ask the secretary)

BEST COMMUNICATIONS TOOL EVER IF WE ALL USE IT!!!



**EVERY TUESDAY
DOORS OPEN AT 4:00
GAMES START AT 6:00 PM**

COMING EVENTS

APRIL

- 8th Regular Session 7:30 p.m.
Trustees meet at 6:30
- 13th Comedy Night at the lodge
- 17th Special session 8 p.m.
Initiation of new members.
Orientation 6 PM & Dinner at 7 pm
- 21st DDGER Clinic 10 am Rockland
- 22nd Regular Session 7:30 p.m.
Trustees meet at 6:30

MAY

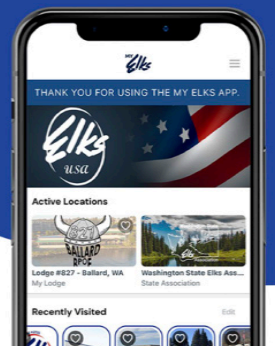
- 3rd Maine Elks Convention begins
- 12th Mother's Day Breakfast
- 13th Regular Session 7:30 p.m. Trustees meet at 6:30
- 20th Special session 8 p.m. Initiation of new members. Orientation 6 PM & Dinner at 7 pm
- 27th Memorial Day (no meeting)



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OFFICERS 2024-2025Exalted Ruler: **J ANDREW BOLZ PSP, PDDGER**Esteemed Leading Knight: **MARISE ANAGNOST**Esteemed Loyal Knight: **VACANT**Esteemed Lecturing Knight: **VACANT**Esquire: **VACANT**Chaplain: **FRED DANIELS**Inner Guard: **VACANT**Tiler: **MICHELLE HULKER**Secretary: **FRANK L RICKER, PSP, PDDGER**Treasurer: **PATRICIA BOLZ**Trustee 1 years: **ADAM BROCK, PER**Trustee 2 years: **ROBERT WILKINS, PER**Trustee 3 years: **LISA VERONEAU**Trustee 4 year: **MARGARET MOODY**Trustee 5 years: **COREY DEWITT, PDDGER, VP****SAVE TIME SPONSOR
ON-LINE!!!**

Online Membership Application System. No membership application? No problem!

Use our Online Membership Application System to send a membership invitation via email.

<https://www.elks.org/emas/proposer.cfm?source=toolkit>**KNOW A FORMER MEMBER
THAT WANTS TO REINSTATE?**

The reinstatement fee for someone who has dropped their membership is only **\$15.00!** That plus the dues for the rest of the year will start the process. Please contact the secretary to get that member back on the rolls and enjoying their membership again.

**OBTAINED A
NEW MEMBER***From The Secretary***NOTICE!!!****DUES FOR NEXT YEAR****April 1, 2024-March 31, 2025****Regular membership \$77.50 | Life membership \$38.00****PLEASE REMEMBER, THE LODGE MUST PAY YOUR GRAND LODGE & STATE ASSOCIATION DUES ON APRIL 1ST EVEN IF YOU HAVEN'T PAID YET.****APRIL SESSIONS****MONDAY, 8 & 22, 2024**

The 2053rd & 2054th regular sessions of the Sanford, Maine Lodge #1470 of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will be held on Monday, April 8 & 22, 2024 at 7:30 P.M. Trustees meet at 6:30 p.m. **Officer Dress is Lodge Attire.**

Bad news As of April 1st, we still have 264 unpaid members for 2024-25; good news we had 724

Early Birds Thank you!!!!

Send in your dues today or go online at:**search.revopay.com/elkslodge OR Sanfordelks1470.org and pay today.**

When paying at the Lodge website, depending on the device you are using, click on "pay dues here" or the 3 lines in the right hand corner for a drop-down menu which will show that option (is usually found on phones and tablets) When proposing a new member, **please** make sure that all the items have been filled in correctly. As the sponsor you need to fill in the upper part of the application as well as part of the back. Your candidate needs to fill out the front **completely**, as well as the back questionnaire. Blanks only slow down the process and make extra work for the secretary and the Investigating committee. **Also, remember as their sponsor it is your responsibility accompany them and see that they are present for their Investigating Committee interview, their Orientation and their Initiation.**

Address corrections should always be sent to the Secretary as soon as possible. The post office will not forward your newsletter or Elks magazine. It is my responsibility to keep the magazine list up to date and I need your help to do so. Every newsletter or magazine returned costs the lodge money that cannot be used for programs or other worthwhile causes.

Snow Birds if you have a permanent winter address please give it to the secretary for the same reasons as well as during the past season many new membership cards were late due to forwarding services. We have the ability to change from summer and winter addresses with one click!!

The Secretary's office is always available to help you get the best out of your membership. Please feel free to stop by or call if you have any questions or need assistance.

Sickness & Distress - If you know of a member that is not well or in distress, please let the secretary, one of the other officers or an employee know so that we can see that take care of reaching them. Also, when you visit the lodge if a card is out for a member please take a moment to sign it, you may not know them personally but its there because they are one of us!!

Frank

Frank Ricker, Secretary

April Membership Report

Membership/Lapsation Report Sanford, ME Lodge 1470	
Beginning Membership Total 4/1/2024:	988
Increases	
Initiated:	0
Affiliated:	0
Reinstated:	0
Subtotal:	0
Decreases	
Dropped:	0
Transferred Out:	0
Absolute Dimit:	0
Deaths:	0
Expelled:	0
Subtotal:	0
Calculated Membership Total:	988
CLMS Active Members:	988
Average Age:	61.00
Gain/Loss:	0
Delinquency	
Six Months:	0
One Year:	264
Over One Year:	0
Total:	264
Lapsation Rate:	26.72%

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

NAME

Brian C Bently
Corey Creeger
Nicole Dagle
Curtis Landry
Matthew Pettine
Nathan Steves
Michelle Veilleux

OCCUPATION

Northeast Landcare
Chief Marine Engineer
Sweetser
PNSY
IT Consultant
Pratt & Whitney
Partner's Bank

SPONSOR

Dana Woodworth
Dana Woodworth
Marise Anagnost
Christopher Palmer
Richard W Smith
Dana Woodworth
Karen Jalbert

BALLOTING ON CANDIDATES

NAME

Brian C Bently
Corey Creeger
Nicole Dagle
Curtis Landry
Matthew Pettine
Nathan Steves
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**NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING FOR INITIATION ON
MONDAY APRIL 15, 2024, AT 8 P.M.**

*A special meeting of the Sanford Lodge of Elks #1470 will be held on Monday April 15, 2024, at 8:00 p.m. Officers will wear formal attire. The purpose of this session will be initiation of new members. Orientation will be held at 6 p.m. Candidates are required to attend the Orientation prior to their initiation. Sponsors should be in attendance with their candidates at the Orientation and the initiation. Sponsors should be in attendance with their candidates at the indoctrination and the initiation. **All eligible for Initiation and their sponsors will be notified by 1st class mail!** The following candidates will be initiated at this special session provided they have been elected and have attended the Orientation program:*

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Corey Creeger
Nicole Dagle
Curtis Landry
Matthew Pettine
Nathan Steves
Michelle Veilleux

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CONGRATULATIONS
TO THE ALL NEWLY INSTALLED
2024-2025 SANFORD ELKS LODGE #1470 OFFICERS!
MAY YOU HAVE A SUCCESSFUL YEAR!



MAKE GIVING EASY & JOIN THE CLUB!

Sign up for our monthly, sustaining giving program—the ENF Fidelity Club!

- Give automatic, regularly scheduled donations each month from your credit card or bank account.
- Receive special membership benefits and recognition pieces.
- Update, adjust or modify your gift any time online or by calling us.
- Sign up by scanning the QR code and make a sustaining difference in Elks communities today!



Use the QR code to sign up today.



WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS COOKS

**For Pub Night
And Other Meals**

If Interested
Please Contact Andy Bolz
Ph# 604-0444

Or Leave Name And Number At The Bar

Looking To Have A Crew To Rotate Events



SAVE THE DATE

Mother's Day Breakfast

Sunday May 12th
More info to come

Ray's Day

Saturday July 13th
More info to come!

Thinking About Becoming An Officer?

We have vacancies that need to be filled and need your help to keep our lodge prospering. Contact any officer or myself for more info.

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PAST EXALTED RULERS OF SANFORD, MAINE LODGE #1470

1923-24	HIRAM WILLARD	1950-51	ALBERT L GENDRON	1977-78	YVON BOURQUE	2001-02	IRVIN E PILLSBURY, JR
1924-25	CECIL J SIDDAL	1951-52	ROSCOE K BERRY	1978-79	WILLIAM A RAMSEY	2002-03	PETER FAULKNER
1925-26	ERMONT G FROST	1952-53	ALFRED A POWNALL	1979-80	MICHAEL RALSTON	2003-04	THOMAS SPELLMAN
1926-27	CHARLES H AUTHIER	1953-54	WALTER F HANSON	1980-81	MICHAEL F ALLAIRE	2004-05	SHARON G PRAY
1927-28	NARCISSE LAUZIER	1954-55	ROBERT C BACHAND	1981-82	FRANK L RICKER	2005-06	SYLVIE GOSSELIN
1928-29	DR. STEPHEN A COBB	1955-56	RONEL J DUBOIS	1982-83	GEORGE W MILNE, SR	2006-07	PAUL R NORMAND
1929-30	CHARENCE H THYNG	1956-57	J. WOODROW VALLELY	1983-84	RENALD R BERARD	2007-08	RICHARD SIMPSON
1930-31	STANLEY F ROBERTS	1957-58	ARMAND F ROBERGE	1984-85	ABEL R SAUCIER	2008-09	CAROL SPELLMAN
1931-32	CHARLES BOOTHBY	1958-59	LOUVILLE E BODWELL	1985-86	DANIEL A DAUDELIN	2009-10	JOHN CARON
1932-33	LINWOOD J EMERY	1959-60	SYDNEY R WATERHOUSE	1986-87	HENRY PETERS, JR	2010-11	PETER BAKER
1933-34	BERTRAM F STRITCH	1960-61	ALDAS E BEAUDOIN	1987-88	ERIC L ELLIOTT JR	2010-11	COREY DEWITT <small>Lodge 2738</small>
1934-35	JOHN V TUCKER	1961-62	ANDRE G CHABOT	1988-89	JAMES JOHNSON	2011-12	GARY BROWN
1935-36	RALPH B EMERY	1962-63	ROGER D CHADBOURNE	1989-90	ROGER GRONDIN	2012-13	IRVIN PILLSBURY, JR
1936-37	DR. JOSEPH L BROWN	1963-64	ROLAND MUCCI	1990-91	ROBERT A MITCHELL	2013-14	BECKY CONLEY
1937-38	ULIE E GOWEN	1964-65	ROY E BUTLER	1991-92	CONRAD E GRENIER	2014-15	SHELLY GOODWIN
1938-39	BLAIR J MELANSON	1965-66	RONALD F BERNARD	1991-92	PAUL TUFTS <small>Lodge 2738</small>	2015-16	MATTHEW COLTON
1939-40	JOHN MC COMB, JR	1966-67	ROWLAND MORGAN	1992-93	RICHARD P DROUIN	2016-17	SANDRA STILLWAGON
1940-41	KENNETH W WILEY	1967-68	CLEMENT R TANGUAY	1992-93	MATTHEW COOK <small>Lodge 188</small>	2017-18	ROBERT WILKINS
1941-42	JAMES M WESCOTT	1968-69	ERNEST W DROUIN	1993-94	MICHAEL DUPUIS	2018-19	DENISE LABBE
1942-43	CHARLES F HARLOW	1969-70	REYNOLD R PARE	1994-95	RICHARD L EMERSON	2019-20	ADAM BROCK
1943-44	ALBERT C BOUDREAU	1970-71	GEORGE R ANDREWS	1995-96	GORDON W FRASER	2020-21	DAWNA LEGERE
1944-45	CARL J BROGGI	1971-72	JOSEPH D'OLLIVIER	1996-97	BRIAN K BEAUPRE	2021-22	SHEILA PILLSBURY
1945-46	ALBERT L SPENCE	1972-73	RICHARD SHEPARD	1997-98	BRUCE BRUNELLE	2022-23	ROBERT SHAW
1946-47	CLEMENT J PHILBRICK	1973-74	CHARLES N PIERCE	1998-99	STEPHEN A DALEY	2023-24	SHERI FRECHETTE
1947-48	HARRY A MAPES	1974-75	RICHARD SHEPARD	1999-2000	ROGER NORMANDEAU		
1948-49	J. ARMAND GENDRON	1975-76	ALFRED A GOODWIN	1999-2000	DARRYL BOYD <small>Lodge 2773</small>		
1949-50	JOHN G SMITH	1976-77	ADRIEN MICHAUD	2000-01	JOHN A BOLZ		

April 2024

SANFORD ELKS CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND MEETINGS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 BINGO Doors Open At 4:00 PM Games Start At 6:00 PM	3 HOUSECOMMITTEE At the Lodge 6:30 PM	4	5	6
7	8 LODGE MEETING & NOMINATION OF OFFICERS Trustee Meeting 6:00 PM Regular Session 7:30 PM <i>(Lounge closes during meeting from approx. 7:30 PM to 8:15 PM)</i>	9 BINGO Doors Open At 4:00 PM Games Start At 6:00 PM	10	11	12	13 COMEDY NIGHT
14	15 INITIATION OF MEMBERS Orientation 6:00 PM Dinner 7:00 PM Initiation 8:00 PM <i>(Lounge closes during meeting from approx. 8:00 PM to 9:00 PM)</i>	16 BINGO Doors Open At 4:00 PM Games Start At 6:00 PM	17	18	19	20
21 DDGER CLINIC 10:00 AM ROCKLAND LODGE	22 LODGE MEETING & ELECTION OF OFFICERS Trustee Meeting 6:00 PM Regular Session 7:30 PM <i>(Lounge closes during meeting from approx. 7:30 PM to 8:15 PM)</i>	23 BINGO Doors Open At 4:00 PM Games Start At 6:00 PM	24	25	26	27
28	29	30 BINGO Doors Open At 4:00 PM Games Start At 6:00 PM				

BINGO IS BACK AND WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Paper sellers from 4:00 pm -6:00 pm | Pull Tab Sellers from 4:00 pm -6:00 pm | Concession help from 4:00 pm -8:00 pm

Check writers from 4:00 pm -6:00 pm | Floor runners from 4:00 pm -6:00 pm

Come down On Tuesday and we will train you!

PLEASE CONSIDER DONATING YOUR TIME: 1 Tuesday per month