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**Exalted Ruler's
Message**




HOUSE COMMITTEE
Vicki Lloyd, Chairperson
Jan (JR) Roark, Secretary
Joan Bex
Matt Wagemann
Bob Chester
Nancy Macy
Jim Kinsel

House Committee Meetings:
1st Tuesday of the month
at 9:30 a.m.

Welcome to summer!

We have had ongoing issues with the hall flooring. In May, Bob, Steve and Jay met with the owner of Harco Construction, and the owner agreed that the entire floor needs to be redone at no additional cost to us.

I'm not exactly sure what the process is, but I do know that we need a group of people to help remove and cover everything in the hall, and possibly the kitchen, on Tuesday, June 9th. Bob will send an update about what is needed for this project.

It was an absolute mess last time, and since we know what it was like, maybe we can avoid extra work after the project is completed.

June 14th is Flag Day, and we do have an excellent tribute to the flag at 10:00 a.m. on that Sunday. Boy Scout Troop 21 has always come through for us in their dedication to serving the community and honoring our flag! Please make plans to attend and then stay for Bingo! I always try to get a plug in for Sunday Bingo!

On that note, I specifically want to express my sincere appreciation to all the volunteers who make our Lodge so successful.

Just to highlight one of these volunteer teams, Bingo has four teams of seven people each. Whichever team is up, they have a great time socializing, sharing snacks and visiting with our guests. We have initiated several folks from Bingo and look forward to inviting more to join the Elks.

I always worry that I could hurt someone's feelings by leaving out a volunteer group, so each month I'll highlight a group!

LOUNGE HOURS
 Mon-Thurs 2:00 pm - 9:00 pm
 Fri 2:00 pm - 10:00 pm
 Sat 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm
 Sun 12:30 pm - 7:00 pm
 Happy Hour: Mon thru Fri 3-5 pm
 All Day Saturday
 Sunday 3-5 pm
 (hours of operation subject to change)
 Check Newsletter for Specials

Exalted Ruler,
Becky Chester

Let us make this year better than ever!



BAGS RESULTS

- 04/22/26 1st Place Travis VanHooser/Larry Iverson
2nd Place Terry Bailey/Tiffany VanHooser
3rd Place Terry Bailey/Nichole Klinginsmith
- 04/29/26 1st Place Knoxville Newell/Brandon Dziadosz
2nd Place Greg Calow/Bryan Reinke
3rd Place Colleen Hausher/Chad Newell
- 05/06/26 1st Place Bryan Reinke/Pam Hampton
2nd Place Chris Harlan/Ghost, Terry Wells
3rd Place Mary Giers/Terry McKee
- 05/13/26 1st Place Bryan Reinke/Greg Calow
2nd Place Brandon Dziadosz/Knoxville Newell
3rd Place Terry Bailey/Terry McKee

Games start at 6:00 pm. Mary Giers, Coordinator [1586]

TRIVIA

April 28th

We had 4 teams of 3
First Place Winners

Robert Snell/Mellisa Rieger/Judy Curan

Second Place Winners

Onie Morris/Allison Palivoda/Marjettta Atkinson

Lydia 815-814-0640 Coordinator

4th Tuesday of the month!

SHUFFLEBOARD RESULTS

- 04/04/26 1st Place Bill Shaffer/Onie Morris
2nd Place Jay Menard/Dawn Menard

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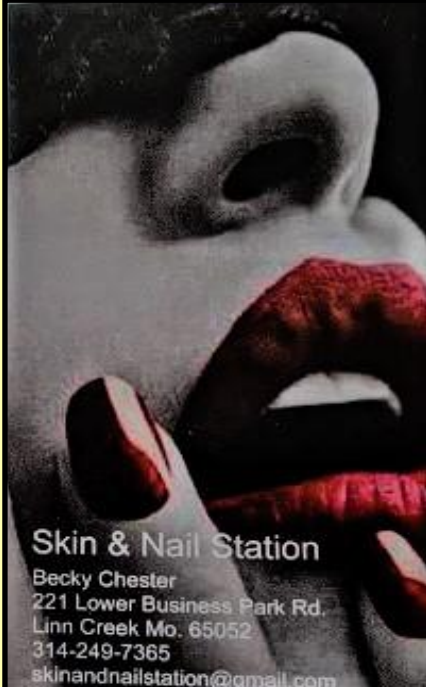


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| 02 | Charles T Isenberg | 21 | Steven M Erickson |
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| 02 | Raymond Foreman | 22 | Paul D Dameron |
| 02 | Robert Carmack | 22 | Traci Kahrs |
| 03 | Judy Curran | 22 | Trudy Pettibone |
| 03 | Kathleen Renner | 24 | Anthony Cicerelli |
| 03 | Ken Schaumburg | 24 | Benjamin O Haskell |
| 03 | Rachel Garmany | 24 | Charlene Carter |
| 03 | Ralph Dyke | 24 | Ew Toedebusch |
| 03 | Shirley Reid | 24 | Kevin N Taylor |
| 04 | Heidi Reed | 24 | Larry Iverson |
| 04 | Linda Wright | 24 | Linda Berberich |
| 05 | Daniel J Hall | 24 | Michael Oslund |
| 05 | Peggy Schmitt | 24 | Pamela Dee Seaton |
| 06 | David A Eyler | 24 | Robert P Rydeen Sr |
| 06 | Elizabeth Riebeling | 25 | Cheryl L Benne |
| 07 | Larry Tice | 25 | Denise Hayes |
| 07 | Larry Ulrich | 25 | Marjetta Atkinson |
| 08 | Eileen Ralston | 25 | Scott Henderson |
| 08 | William Lyon | 26 | James D Oglesby |
| 09 | Bronwyn Townsend | 26 | Teri Guttman |
| 09 | Stephanie Ann Coats | 27 | Janet K Kirby |
| 10 | Tammy Hand | 27 | Pamela Shelton |
| 10 | William S Schaefer | 27 | Tony Caldarello |
| 11 | Joanna Avants | 28 | Cathy Lane |
| 11 | Jolene Hays | 28 | Dale A Franken |
| 11 | Stephen Hays | 28 | Debra Fronk |
| 12 | Tom Spalj | 28 | Frank Stroobant |
| 13 | Eugene Masching | 28 | Jeffrey Albee |
| 13 | Heather Miller | 28 | Kenneth W Greger |
| 13 | Jill Balee | 28 | Vickie Coleman |
| 13 | Joseph Bruce Nolte | 29 | Bentley Krokson |
| 14 | David Marshall | 29 | Bryan L Reinke |
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| 17 | Michelle Hinkle | 30 | Daniel Dean Henry |
| 19 | Joseph R Brandt | 30 | Ed Grimm |
| 19 | Tammie Masching | 30 | John McDonald |
| 19 | Terry Koontz | 30 | Katherine Wright |
| 19 | Trudy Elise Hill | 30 | Mary Rader |
| 20 | Karen A Finke | 30 | Rick Melbourne |
| 20 | Michael Creclius | | |

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| 02 | Michael and Dianne Creclius |
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| 09 | John and Teresa McDonald |
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| 22 | Michael and Sandra Funk |
| 23 | Ronald and Janice Dodge |
| 24 | Janet and Richard Sodemann |
| 24 | Katherine and Ronald Wright |
| 24 | Robert and P Carol Miller |
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HAPPY HOUR
3-7 pm
All day on Sunday

We had the distinct privilege and pleasure of initiating 16 American citizens into the Lodge this past Tuesday, May 19. At the very end of the Initiation the ER always asks new members why they joined. They will give their home town, occupation, etc. but the most rewarding answer we hear is "Because I heard the Elks do so much for this Community and I want to be a part of that".

Pictured in the first row left to right are: Barb McGee, Debbie Basham, Peggy Creach, Marlene Hess, Marty Sooter, Carla Sommerer and DeAnna Kirk.

Second row left to right are: Bill Manire, David Curchy, David Schoenig, Susan Moslander, Kevin Brueseke, Dennis Pyle, Renatta Hedin, Bill Steffan, ER Becky Chester and Shannon Weber



JULY 24
Fillipino Dinner 5-6:30
 Roasted Pig – Cut on Site
 Spring rolls, sides are rice noodles, fried rice and dessert.
 \$20 Cost. \$5 of which goes to our Lodge - Oink, Oink

Added Bonus: Ron Mozier will be entertaining that night. Everything will happen in the Hall.

Calendar of Events

JUNE 2026

JUNE ENTERTAINMENT

June 5th James Brown Lounge
 June 12th Don Akers Lounge
 June 19th Cheryl Lynn Lounge
 June 26th Cindy Lawhorn Lounge



| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|---|---|---|--|--|---|
| | 1 Hamburger Cheeseburger Pork Tenderloin French Fries/Tots/ Onion Petals Chef or Mini Salad <i>Shuffleboard</i> | 2 Veterans Mtg 4pm PER Mtg-5pm Board Mtg-5:30 Membership Meeting 7pm Casual Dress House Committee Meeting 9:30 am | 3 Reuben FF/Tots/Petals Chef Salad BAGS 6pm | 4 Show Me The Money 6pm  | 5 Cheesy Bacon, Ranch Chicken Roasted Broccoli Pasta Salad Roll <i>Entertainment</i> 6:30-9:30 | 6 Orientation 11am Initiation 12 pm Dress Uniform Belmont Race Bring a snack Happy Hr all day |
| 7  DOORS OPEN AT 12:15 BINGO STARTS @ 2 Team 4 works | 8 Hamburger Cheeseburger Pork Tenderloin French Fries/Tots/ Onion Petals Chef or Mini Salad <i>Shuffleboard</i> | 9 | 10 NO MEAL Hall floor being redone Social Quarters is Open/Pizzas NO BAGS | 11 Hall Floor Construction Show Me The Money 6pm  | 12 KITCHEN - To Be Determined Pending Floor Progress <i>Entertainment</i> 6:30-9:30  | 13  ALL DAY! SWING DANCE 6:00-10:00 |
| 14  DOORS OPEN AT 12:15 BINGO STARTS @ 2 Team 1 works | 15 Hamburger Cheeseburger Pork Tenderloin French Fries/Tots/ Onion Petals Chef or Mini Salad <i>Shuffleboard</i> | 16 Membership Meeting 7pm Casual Dress | 17 Turkey Club Turkey/Cheese/ Bacon/Lettuce/ Tomato FF/Onion Rings Chef Salad BAGS 6pm | 18 DEADLINE FOR NEWSLETTER Line Dancing Lessons 4:30-7:30 Show Me The Money 6pm  | 19 Stuffed Pork Chop Green Beans Apple/Lettuce Salad/Roll <i>Entertainment</i> 6:30-9:30  | 20  ALL DAY! |
| 21  DOORS OPEN AT 12:15 BINGO STARTS @ 2 Team 2 works Happy Father's Day | 22 Hamburger Cheeseburger Pork Tenderloin French Fries/Tots/ Onion Petals Chef or Mini Salad <i>Shuffleboard</i> <i>Planning Mtg 5pm</i> | 23 TRIVIA WITH ROBERT AND LYDIA 6pm | 24  Taco Night Hard/Soft Shell Taco Salad Chips/Salsa FF, Petals, Tots BAGS 6pm | 25 Line Dancing Lessons 4:30-7:30 Show Me The Money 6pm  | 26 Lasagna Salad Garlic Bread <i>Entertainment</i> 6:30-9:30  | 27  ALL DAY! ISLAND PARTY 3PM |
| 28  DOORS OPEN AT 12:15 BINGO STARTS @ 2 Team 3 works [3155] | 29 Hamburger Cheeseburger Pork Tenderloin French Fries/Tots/ Onion Petals Chef or Mini Salad <i>Shuffleboard</i> | 30 | SUNDAY, JUNE 14 FLAG DAY CEREMONY 10am In the Hall with Boy Scout Troop 21 Grand Lodge Mandated Event | | | |

| JUNE KITCHEN TEAMS | | |
|--------------------|---------------|-----------|
| MONDAY | WEDNESDAY | FRIDAY |
| 01 Calvert | 03 DeLuca | 05 Sapp |
| 08 Macy | 10 Schaefer | 12 Dodge |
| 15 Carter | 17 Meyerpeter | 19 Onie |
| 22 Wells | 24 Johnson | 26 Menard |
| 29 Open | | |

Please pay attention to your emails that you receive from the Lodge in regards to the progress being made on the floor construction June 10 thru the 12th as it relates to the kitchen. Bob will keep you informed daily on the situation.

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 Monday/Wednesday/Fridays
 5:00 - 6:30pm

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Race Time: 5:57 PM

Sat., May 16th – PREAKNESS 151
 *Wagers w & Racing WINNER: NAPOLEON SOLO

Sat., June 6th – BELMONT STAKES 158
 *Wagers will begin at 4 PM. Drink Specials & Racing
Race Time: 5:35 PM

FROM THE HOUSE COMMITTEE

The email app that we are using now has the capability of spreading the news to every member with the touch of a button by Bob Chester. We encourage all members to please check these emails when you see them, as you will receive the latest up-to-date news and any menu changes there may be.

Due to the hall floor being redone June 9th through the 12th, the kitchen will be unavailable, so there will be no meals on Wednesday, June 10th or Friday, June 12th. If circumstances change for the 12th, the information will be sent out by email.

In other news, we have hired two part-time bartenders. Andrea and Kim have joined the bartending team. With Sara leaving for her annual two months, this will give us more flexibility for time off for Marjetta and Lori during the summer, if needed. We are looking forward to a great summer at the Elks.

Meals are served three days a week. However, we are in need of more volunteers to help in the kitchen. Nancy is very flexible in scheduling. If you can only work once or twice a month, please call to get your name on the list. We will train you, and you are entitled to a meal at half price and a drink.

The hours are normally 4:00 to 7:00 or 7:30. This is for prepping, serving and cleaning up after the kitchen closes. You can text Nancy at 765-418-8900.

Thank you in advance.

Joan, Vicki, Matt, Janice, Bob, Jim, Nancy

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