

SMITHFIELD, RI LODGE OF ELKS #2359



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E.R. MESSAGE FOR NOVEMBER 2016

SMITHFIELD GIRLS SWEEP RHODE ISLAND ELKS SOCCER SHOOT.

On October 16th the contestants representing Smithfield lodge took first place in all girl age groups. Four champions and their families will be going to Burlington VT as guests of the Rhode Island State Elks Association to compete in the Regional competition. The weekend of November 4, 5, and 6 will be the dates of the shootout. Good Luck to all Smithfield's Winners. Thank you Maureen Tessier for your donation to get the champ T shirts and transfers.

My thanks to the Beautification committee for painting the windows in the hall and hanging the blinds. It looked nice for the 50th anniversary party.

I hope that all who attended the 50th party enjoyed the trip down memory lane and the wonderful dinner prepared for the evening. Thanks go to John Cunningham and his committee for a great evening.

November is a very busy month for Your lodge. November 5th is the 150 Club. November 6th is the Veterans Day Program. November 23 is poor man's night. They all need your continued support.

November 19th is the Turkey Trot. We are going to try a few things differently and I need volunteers to pull it off. We will have a meeting on Thursday November 10 at 7pm for anyone that can help on the 19th. If you cannot be at the meeting on the 10th please call me at 949-0071 and we can discuss what is needed from the volunteers.

The Grand raffle tickets are in the mail. Please return the stubs and donation as soon as possible so that we can order enough Turkeys. There is a mail box in the hallway near the members room for the returns or they can be mailed back if more convenient. You don't have to be present at the Turkey trot to win the grand prize, but we would like to see you and your friends there. If you know of any families that could use a thanksgiving dinner basket, please call Darlene by November 16th at 949-0071 so they can be included this year.

I want to give a special thanks to Beth Saccoia for volunteering this month. Beth is the Elk of the month.

Bless you all

Tim Chilinski, Exalted Ruler

From the Secretary's Desk...

I would like to congratulate and welcome to our new members: Jeanne Verity, Janice Sweet, Winifred Rezendes, Jean Parrillo, Carolyn Menard and Mark Sabetta.

We have one new proposition for membership: Abraham Sleiman proposed by Catherine Anthony and we have one transfer demit request from Anthony Guarino. Also, we have life member requests from Timothy Chilinski and James Ashworth.

I have been informed by Grand Lodge that our dues for the 2017-2018 lodge year will go up 50 cents. So next year, regular member dues will be \$97.00 and life member dues will be \$57.00.

I want to thank everyone who is making an attempt to pay their dues. We are getting closer to our goal of no delinquent members.

I want to take this opportunity to wish each and every one of you a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Cheryl Pimental
Lodge Secretary

150 CLUB DINNER

NOVEMBER 5

All members of the 150 club and their guests are asked to go right to the hall when arriving for the evening. The hall bar will be open for any early arrivals.

The lounge will be used for a birthday party that night and we ask the members of Smithfield lodge to use the Hall bar instead of the lounge bar this night.

Thank you, House Committee

Thank You Beth Saccoia Elk of the Month

Elks Annual

Turkey Trot



Saturday,

November 19,

6 pm

Raffle includes LCD TV, \$300 cash,
Liquor Basket

Proceeds benefit Elks Charities

Volunteers greatly appreciated



**COME TO THE LODGE
WHEN THE PATRIOTS
ARE PLAYING FOR
FOOD AND FUN**



Smithfield Elks #2359
50th Anniversary Celebration



Veteran's Day Ceremony

Sunday, November 6, Noon



Featuring: Turkey Dinner and
Music by the 88th Army Band

Dinner \$12



NOVEMBER 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Last Steak Fry of Season 5 to 8 pm	3 BOD Meeting <u>6:30 pm</u> Lodge Meeting 7:30pm	4 Friday Night Dinner Karaoke 8 pm	5 150 Club Dinner 7 pm
6	7 Hi Low Jack Starts @ 7pm	8 House Committee Meeting Starts @ 6:30 pm	9 Wednesday Light Menu	10	11  Friday Night Dinner	12 Cool Change 7:30 pm
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20	21 Hi Low Jack Starts @ 7pm	22 House Committee Meeting Starts @ 6:30 pm	23 Wednesday Light Menu	24 	25 Friday Night Dinner Karaoke 8 pm	26 Calamari Bros 7:30 pm
27	28 Hi Low Jack Starts @ 7pm	29	30 Wednesday Light Menu			

Come spend an evening with

FATHER MISGIVINGS

The good father regales the audience with anecdotes, jokes and one-liners on growing up

Catholic

Saturday December 3rd

Buffet at 5:30 - Comedy Show to Follow

Music and Dancing after the Show

Donation \$20.00 per person

See

Barbara Hines PER 765-0335

Beth Saccoia

John Moore Jr.

ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION



This is a time for giving and what a better time to give than THANKSGIVING.

Make a donation to ENF and you will help those less fortunate this holiday season.

HAPPY THANKSGIVING

Barbara Hines P.E.R.
Chairwomen