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**Dear Members,**

*I hope your holiday season is going well. I would like to thank everyone who contributed to the Fire Victim Fund. You helped make a family very thankful and happy.*

*Please check out the whole bulletin as there is much information from the House Committee and Veterans Committee for the upcoming winter season. They have lots of interesting activities planned.*

*Our Children's Christmas Party was a great success. Michelle and her committee did a great job. Hopefully this Covid thing will pass and we can do a bigger party next year.*

*February brings the nominations and elections of the officers for 2022-2023 Elk year. Those are two business meetings you don't want to miss.*

*The business meetings are the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month and ALL officers are expected to attend.*

*More information will be coming soon on the State and National Conventions. So stay tuned for them. These conventions are a lot of fun to attend and they do have meetings where a wealth of information is given out as well as awards. It is great to support your State Elks Association at them and during the down time you can just socialize or go visit the area we are in.*

*Stay safe, healthy, and have a very prosperous Happy New Year.*

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**Meetings:**

**Board of Director: 1st Monday of the month at 7 pm**

**Business Meetings: 2nd and 4th Monday of the month. All Officers are expected to attend**

**House Committee: 3rd Monday of the month at 6 pm**

**Indoctrination: 3rd Monday of the month at 7 pm**

**Check the bulletin for the time and dates of all other committee meetings.**

**Sunday, January 9th – Investigation 11am**

**Monday, January 10th – Meeting 7pm**

**Monday, January 17th – Orientation 7pm**

**Monday, January 24th – Business Meeting 7pm**

# Secretary's Message – January

Secretary's email: bpoe1860@aol.com

Fellow Elks,

Happy NEW YEAR members all!! Very shortly the Lodge will be sending out notices to all members for your 2022-2023 membership dues. The Elks fraternal year begins on APRIL 1<sup>st</sup> and dues must be paid in advance of that date.

I urge you to wait until you receive your notice before sending in any money, as we are still handling some current year dues. The process of sending out dues notices, receiving and recording funds, printing and assembling membership cards and mailing out the membership cards is an enormous task for a Lodge of over 1,900 members. Help will be needed in the secretary's office on Sunday mornings beginning in February to assemble the membership cards and prepare for mailing out to the membership.

Fraternally,  
Jeff Brackett, PER, Lodge Secretary

## APPLICATIONS ON HAND

The following applications for membership will be referred to the Investigating Committee and will be balloted upon at the January 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting

Name	Occupation	Sponsor
Francis Arruda	retired	Donald Canuel
Patricia Babbitt	Nurse	Brian Joinson
Kristine Caton	Bus Monitor	Cathy Keighly
Cynthia Coyne	retired	Mark Stephens
George Desaulniers	retired	Tina Mauck
Craig Fernandes	Truck Driver	Joshua Mota
Diane Fuguerado	retired	Cathy Lazzaro
Tania Francisco	CAN Med	Tech Peter Fucito
Laura Jacobs	Human Resources	Alison Pardee
John Kummailil	Director of Operations	Deborah Hamilton
Roxanne Lavoie	Shop Owner	John Kerwin
Brendan Martin	Paramedic	Roger St Martin
Avery Merritt	Postal Worker	Lauren Merritt
John Philips	IT Consultant	Tina Mauck
Christopher Ponder	Senior Manager	Raymond Cordeiro
Douglas Popovich	retired	Pamela Romano
Pamela Strecker	retired	Anna Maria Conley
Stephen Walsh	retired	Cathy Winston
Samuel Weathers	Law Student	Jeff Brackett

## NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

### DUES INCREASE FOR 2022-2023 MEMBERSHIP DUES

Regular Member Dues - \$105

Life Member Dues - \$50

*Please wait to receive billing notice before sending in dues payments*

**We will continue to use the new billing system that will allow members to pay their dues online with a credit card. A small convenience fee will be charged by the third party collection agency that will be accepting your credit card payment. Members can continue to mail in a check for their dues or stop in the lodge and pay by cash or check. We will not be accepting credit card payments at the Lodge for dues.**



# **BBQ**

**TO FIGHT HUNGER**

**Proceeds Benefit East Bay Cares**

## **SUPER BOWL EDITION**

**All You Can Eat Barbecue Buffet  
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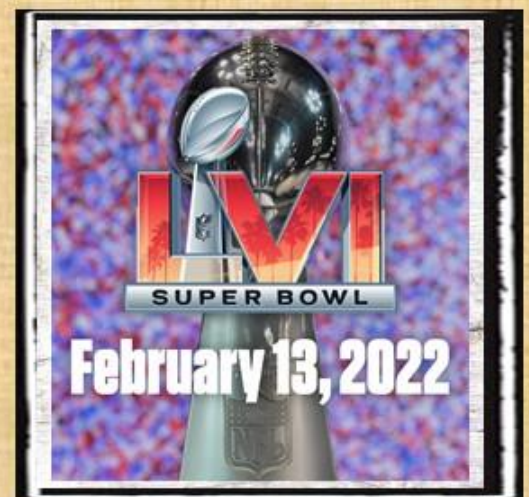
**Homemade Baked Beans**

**Homemade Slaw**

**Homemade Pickles**

**Homemade Corn Bread**

**\*Tell Your Friends - This fundraiser is open to members and  
the general public**





### ***YOUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS***

The Board of Directors next meeting is scheduled to be on Monday, January 3rd 2022 at 7:00 pm.

The meeting will be by Zoom. If you want a Zoom connection please contact me for the details and for an agenda.

Rick Baccus, rickbaccus@cox.net cell 401.413.6281



## **WINE AND CHEESE TASTING**

All proceeds to support Elks National Foundation charities.

Bring your palate and enjoy this night out

DATE: Saturday, January 29<sup>th</sup> 2022

TIME: 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

DONATION: \$10.00 per person

**A Unique Selection of Wines and Cheeses  
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For information, contact Rick Baccus (413-6281)

Tickets will also be available at the bar.

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On Sunday November 21<sup>st</sup> The Veterans Appreciation Committee held a Pub Crawl/Auction to benefit veterans and their families. We are proud to announce we raised \$5,644.00. We were able to donate to many worthy organizations. The recipients were The Bristol Elks Lodge #1860 Veterans Committee, The Providence Vet Center-Veteran Outreach Program, K9's for Warriors, Guitars for Vets Providence, The Unquiet Professional in Wakefield RI, and many veterans and their families.

A special Thank You goes out to The North End Pizzeria in Portsmouth, and Papa Joe's Wrap Shack for feeding 120 of us after the Pub Crawl. Also Our Sponsors, Common Pub & Grille, CP's Catering & Sandwiches, Judge Roy Bean Saloon, Portside Tavern, Thames Waterside Bar & Grill & Wood Street Café. Thank you all for your hospitality.

Gift Certificates and items donated to our auction by, Green Valley Country Club, Montaup Country Club, Boston Red Sox, New England Patriots, Custom Coffee House, Café Nuovo, La Gondola, Wink, Market Street Pub, Balascos's, CJ's Pub Portsmouth, Domino's Pizza, Singha Liquors, The Great Escape Providence, and the Midtown Oyster Bar. Thanks again to all the businesses, members, and friends who helped make our event a success. We couldn't do it without you!

Please Support Businesses who support us. Elks Care, Elks Share Co-chairs, Karen Westcott & Mattie Bolus Committee: Mary Acciardo, Leanne Craven, Anne Marie Higgins, Kim Morse, Tricia Pires & Auctioneer Steve Lagarto.

**To our valued members -**

**After carefully analyzing increasing product and operating costs, we want to inform you of necessary price increases on beer, wine, and liquor effective January 1st, 2022.**

**Please be assured that the lodge has made every effort to keep this increase to a minimum and will continue to honor current pricing through the end of the 2021 calendar year.**

**Thank you for your continued support**

**Hi-Low-Jack League will begin February 2nd at 6:30 pm. The League will run through June 8th 2022**

## **Legacy Scholarship**

**\$4000 Scholarship for current High School Seniors College Bound in 2022.**

**Members do you have a child or grandchild (or step-child, or legal ward who plans to attend college in the Fall. Would \$4000 help the cost? Did you join on or before April 1, 2019? If so encourage student to check out Legacy Scholarship details at:**

**<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm#WhoIsEligible>**

**Or call Dick Devault at 401-573-9453 for details Deadline for Submission is February 7, 2022**

**Elks Most Valuable Student College Scholarship opportunity closed.**

**13 Applications submitted online via Bristol Lodge**

**Applications from three girls and three boys have advanced to District Level Scoring**

**Thanks to Margaret Church, Donna Bettencourt and Patti Nenna for scoring the applications online along with myself to identify the six students that moved to District level.**

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Elks Care, Elks Share.

Co-chairs: Karen Westcott & Mattie Bolus

Committee:

Mary Acciardo, Leanne Craven, Anne Marie Higgins, Kim Morse, Tricia Pires & Auctioneer Steve Lagarto.

Message from the Veterans Committee: The next meeting will not be until February. Thank you to all for making "Adopt a Veterans Family" a happy one for many families. We helped six families. Oh what a wonderful holiday it will be for them!

Respectfully,  
Ginny Hanson, Chair & Mike Rodriques, Vice Chair.

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**Weekly Schedule**

MON	Closed for Lodge Meetings	
TUE	1 - 9 pm	Free Pool Night
WED	1 - 10 pm	Hi Low Jack Games
THU	1 - 10 pm	Team Trivia Night
FRI	1 - 11 pm	Queen of Hearts...Coming Soon
SAT	12 - 11 pm	Check for Entertainment Nights
SUN	12 - 8 pm	Football Potluck ALL DAY

## *Sickness and Distress*

*Our Sympathies to the families of member Gerald O'Connell and Gerald Furtado*

*Sometimes we fail to mention someone who is in the hospital or sick.  
To keep all our of members updated, please call me at 401-935-5966 or email me at [ahozempa@gmail.com](mailto:ahozempa@gmail.com). Thank you! Aggie Hozempa*



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