



Lodge Chartered 9/12/1999

2021-2022 OFFICERS

Exalted Ruler Kris Weiland
 Leading Knight Eddie Lopez
 Loyal Knight Greg Sula
 Lecturing Knight Scott Nassetta
 Secretary Terry Rothenberger
 Treasurer Linda Harris
 Tiler Sally Piper
 Esquire Bill Oskin, PER
 Chaplain Linda Josephson
 Inner Guard Harold Straley, PER

TRUSTEES

3 Year Trustee Monty Dibble
 2 Year Trustee Wade Bevans
 1 Year Trustee Robert Kaplan

PAST EXALTED RULERS

*Allen Webb 2000—2001
 *Tom Cleminson 2001—2002
 Howard Koontz 2002—2003
 Ray Reimer 2003—2004
 *Charlie Cape 2004—2005
 *Mike Wilcox 2005—2006
 Lou Martin 2006—2008
 Bill Nicholes 2008—2009
 Bill Inman 2009—2010
 *Jerry Barton 2010—2110
 Bill Heiter 2011—2012
 Lou Martin 2012—2013
 Charlie Lum Kee 2013—2014
 Debbie Oskin 2014—2015
 Rick McDonald 2015—2016
 Bill Oskin 2016—2017
 Harold Straley 2017—2018
 Debbie Oskin 2018—2019
 Rick McDonald 2019—2020
 Jim Garner 2020—2021
 *Departed PERs

PER TRANSFERS

Don Coleman *Jerry Cole
 Howard "Butch" Shraft

PAST DISTRICT DEPUTIES

Charlie Lum Kee 2016-2017
 Lou Martin 2017-2018
 Debbie Oskin 2019-2020

NOTEWORTHY INFORMATION

Club Phone 702-345-2811
 Fax 702-345-2812
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 Location 545 Riverside Road

Sickness & Distress

Harold Straley (702) 218-7383
 Wendy Kaplan (702) 345-2811

Mailing Address

Mesquite Elks Lodge #2811
 545 Riverside Road
 Mesquite, NV 89027

LODGE HOURS

Sun 10:00 am to 8:00 pm
 Mon - Thurs, Sat 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm
 Fri 1:00 am - 8:00 pm



Mesquito Bytes

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My Brothers and Sisters,

Busy time now with lodge events and gatherings.

Elections for our next Lodge year are coming up starting with nominations and election of the Lodge leaders for the year. If you are interested in being part of the caretakers of the Lodge here is your chance to get involved and engaged. If your interest is more in helping on a committee there are many positions of which you can be a part. You can contact me, and I will get you to the right person.

Recently I sent out a letter via email regarding our status on donations to Elks National Foundation (ENF). We are short in meeting the goal of \$4.80 per member. It is very important that our Lodge meet that goal. ENF provides grants for many of the charity organizations in our communities. Little League baseball, Veterans, Food Banks, and the Dictionary program. Several other programs like Drug Awareness and Hoop Shoot are funded by ENF. If we do not meet the goal, we will not be qualified to apply for grants next year. Our Lodge has until March 15th to meet the \$4.80 per member goal. ENF is a great program and I have only covered a very small part of the programs. Please if you can make a donation it would help in so many ways. Our annual dues statement should have arrived or will shortly. You can make a donation with your dues payment if you prefer.

Our key card system is in place and ready to go live if it is not already as of this writing. Once you have your key card it is yours to keep. The Lodge will NOT be issuing key cards every year. Your key card is good as long as your dues are current.

Have you noticed the HUGE screen TV mounted in the lodge room? It was DONATED by a group of members who saw a need and filled it. Thank you to all who were part of the TV donation. Great members doing good things.

If you have questions about anything please contact me, my email is below.

We have a great Lodge because we have great members!

Fraternally,

Kris K. Weiland
 Exalted Ruler
 kweiland.kw@gmail.com



MESQUITO BYTES
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Mesquito Bytes is the official publication of B.P.O.E. No. 2811, published monthly. The purpose of the publication is to provide a ready means of communication within the Lodge. Contributions of interesting and pertinent reading material and photographs are welcomed. The deadline for receiving material is the 20th of each month.

All communications may be emailed in Microsoft WORD to Yvonne Lum Kee at ylumkee@gmail.com or Charlie Lum Kee at clumkee@gmail.com.

Eleven O'Clock Toast

You have heard the tolling of eleven strokes. This is to impress upon you that with us the hour of eleven has a tender significance. Wherever Elks may roam, whatever their lot in life may be, when this hour falls upon the dial of night, the great heart of Elkdom swells and throbs. It is the golden hour of recollection, the homecoming of those who wander, the mystic roll call of those who will come no more. Living or dead, Elks are never forgotten, never forsaken. Morning and noon may pass them by, the light of day sink heedlessly in the West, but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall, the chimes of memory will be pealing forth the friendly message: "To Our Absent Members."

To Our Absent Members

Jerry Cole, PER
 Born 07/25/1938
 Died 01/08/22
 Elk years: 63

Leonard Dumph
 Born 11/08/1944
 Died 01/10/2022
 Elk years: 20

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS



Keep the following members in your prayers

Gary Harris is home from SLC hospital.
 Lou Martin is home recovering from Covid.
 Gary Arnold is home in Hospice Care.
 Howie and Phyllis Koontz are receiving home care.
 Greg Sula's mother is home from the hospital.
 Brandy Templeton is healing from her surgery.
 Wade and Sharon Bevans are recovering from Covid.
 Sandi Sorenson is ill.

Our Deepest Sympathy

Jerry Cole, PER, passed away 01/08/2022
 Leonard Dumph passed away 01/10/2022

Please contact Harold Straley at (702) 218-7383 and/or Wendy Kaplan at (702) 345-2811 to report Sickness/Distress.

If by any chance, you hear of anyone that is under sickness and distress we would like to send them a get well card, visit or call them.

There is an erasable board in the lounge towards the back door that can be used to notify the members who is under the weather.

If we have missed anyone who is not doing well, we will keep our fellow Elks in our prayers.

Applications for Membership

Candidate

James Weber
 Leo Homolka
 William Chilson
 Richard Crain
 Joanne Bernasek
 Carl Dean Toupin, Jr.
 Gregory Allyn Hewitt
 Norm Stoner
 Mary Anne Watson

Proposer

Robert Kaplan
 Dan Lampert
 John Comfort
 Bill Jones
 William Funk
 Frank Chadwick
 Gary Gish of Lodge #1743, St. George, Utah
 Steve Aaron of Lodge #1055, Longmont, CO
 Shelly Piper

All candidates balloted successfully.

Welcome
 New
 Members



Front Row Right to Left: Greg Hewitt, Bill Chilson, Norm Stoner, Joanne Bernasek, Jim Weber; Back Row Right to Left: Donald Gray, Carl Toubin, Richard Crain, L.J. Homolka



Editor Position Opening

This position is open April 1, 2022. I have had the privilege of serving our lodge in this position for many years and it is time for me to retire.

These skills you need for this position: know how to use a computer, Word, Excel, and Publisher (if you have it on your computer). You will need to be flexible for any last-minute changes and to be creative.

If anyone is interested in this position, please contact Kris Weiland, ER, or the incoming ER.

Sincerely,

Yvonne Lum Kee
Editor

PER NURSING SCHOLARSHIP RAFFLE

Each year the NV State Elks Past Exalted Rulers Association presents scholarships to deserving NV nursing students. The PERS sell raffle tickets to finance the scholarships. See Bill Oskin at lunch on Fridays to purchase raffle tickets (\$1 each or 6 for \$5). Cash prizes are \$1,000, \$500, and \$250. Winners will be selected at the Annual State Convention in April. Four members of Mesquite Lodge have won this raffle in past years!



The drawing was held for an Elk member who would receive paid dues for 2022-2023 by the Lodge. The member must be present at the meeting to win. The name drawn was Mark McAsey at the

01/06/2022 meeting and Scott Willardson at the 01/20/2022 meeting.



- 1) What is the color of the jewels that the Tiler wears?
- 2) Our Lodge has donated what amount back into our community since September 1999 with grants and fundraising/donations.



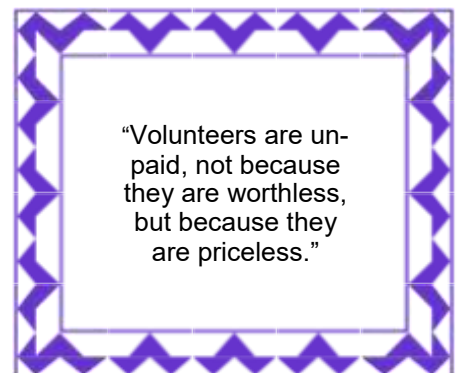
I would like to send out a HUGE thank you to each and every one of you that made my milestone birthday one of the best birthdays I EVER remember having. To each and every one of my Elks brothers and sisters that help celebrate, the cards, the food, the music, the surprise (I cannot believe that you all kept it a secret from me!) my family for making the trip, and to my soul mate Dennis, I am overwhelmed, and my heart is full! Thank you, Wendy, Teri, Terri, Carla, Dawn, Teddy and Louann and all who helped, I can't express how much you helped this ol' lady embrace another trip around the sun. I am so blessed!! This weekend will be filed under my "Happy spot" memories! Love you all,

Kathy



Cars and Coffee Event

We meet at the Lodge on Saturday mornings from 8-10 am the first and third Saturday of the month. If you have a car and like to hang out with people who have cars come and have a coffee and donut and visit.



"Volunteers are unpaid, not because they are worthless, but because they are priceless."



Secretary's Job Opening

Terry Taylor-Rothenberger is giving up this most important job in our lodge. Terry has been very good at the duties she is faced with on a daily basis. She is a valuable asset to everyone in the lodge and we are sorry to have her leave. She would like to travel and spend more time golfing and a lot more time with her new husband, Murray, and family.

Terry is looking for someone to take over April 1, 2022 with computer skills along with excel, word, taking care of correspondence from Grand Lodge and other lodges just to name a few. Terry will expand on her duties in detail to anyone who is interested in this position.

The best part of this job, you meet a lot of experienced and new members from our lodge and other lodges in our state and surrounding states.

If interested, please come by the lodge and ask to see her or call (702) 345-2811.

Lifetime Membership

Richard Nayman petitioned for Lifetime Membership. He met all requirements for Lodge #2811. He was balloted successfully.

MESQUITE ELKS LODGE TREASURE OPENING

TREASURER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RECEIPT OF ALL LODGE MONEYS FROM ALL COMMITTEES, ACTIVITIES, BAR AND DINING ROOM. ATTEND ALL COMMITTEE MEETINGS, MONTHLY BUSINESS AND INITIATION MEETINGS, ORIENTATION AND DISTRICT DEPUTY MEETINGS. VOUCHER ALL BILLS AGAINST THE LODGE FOR PAYMENT. PRESENT FINANCIAL REPORTS AT MEETINGS..



The Mesquite Elks Lodge is looking for a KITCHEN MANAGER
IF YOU LOVE WORKING WITH FOOD, THIS IS FOR YOU!
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CLEAN,
SUPPLIES ARE AVAILABLE AND UP TO DATE,
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AND LUNCH TEAMS.
PLEASE VISIT WITH LINDA HARRIS OR NEIL WATKINS
FOR MORE DETAILS IF YOU ARE INTERESTED!!!!



Birthday Drink Coupon

This coupon entitles this month's birthday Elk to a free drink of your choice. Cut this out and fill it out and give to the bartender on duty.

PRINT YOUR NAME _____

DATE: _____

Check us out on

FACEBOOK

at **Elks Lodge #2811**

Mesquite, NV

for the most up to date news of the Events and happenings at the Lodge.

REMINDER

If by any chance you have heard that a member is not receiving his or her monthly newsletter, you need to inform them to call the Lodge Secretary at (702) 345-2811 with a current mailing address, phone no. and/or email address. If you want to receive your newsletters via EMAIL, stop by the Lodge and fill out the form. They come in color and save the Lodge postage.

BUSINESS CARD ADS

If anyone knows of a business person who would like to advertise in the monthly newsletter, please contact Yvonne Lum Kee (808) 284-3468 or Terry Rothenberger (702) 345-2811.

Please support the people who support us with their ads.



- 01 Don Lampert
- 02 Donald Ackerman
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- 02 Rosealee Lee
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- 05 James Gray
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- 07 Richard Anderson
- 07 Steven Balek
- 07 Wade Young
- 08 Carol Rykovich
- 09 Jeffrey Bird
- 10 Tallia Cochrane
- 10 Mark Guertin
- 10 Cecil Sewell
- 12 Amanda Butehorn
- 14 Bettie Rice
- 14 William Warner
- 15 Lyle Scovill
- 16 Douglas Anderson
- 16 Sandra Kissane
- 17 Brandy Templeton
- 17 Paulette Tolman
- 18 Gary Hartman
- 19 Ann Raymond
- 20 Michael Saldivar
- 22 Gene Gipson
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What is a Dimit and Why Would I Use One?

If you will not be renewing your membership in Mesquite Lodge #2811 this year, please request an Absolute Dimit from the Lodge Secretary prior to March 31, 2022. An Absolute Dimit benefits you in the future and benefits the Lodge now. Your benefit: If you allow your dues to lapse for whatever reason, then by the end of the year you will be dropped from the membership rolls. At such time as you wish to reinstate, a \$25.00 reinstatement fee will be assessed. Think of an Absolute Dimit as a temporary leave of absence. Lodge benefit: If you take an Absolute Dimit prior to March 31, 2022 your membership is essentially put on hold and the Lodge is not assessed a per capita fee which must be paid for every member on the rolls as of April 1. Without the Absolute Dimit, the Lodge will pay a per capita of \$24.00 on your behalf with no revenue to cover this expense. So, if you are not going to renew this year, please secure a savings for your future return to Elksdom, and help reduce the loss of Lodge revenue, by requesting an Absolute Dimit. Contact the Lodge at (702) 345-2811.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL *Annual Dues*

The dues 2022-2023 are \$105.00.
The \$5.00 increase is from the Grand Lodge.

Spouse card is \$25.00

Application fee is \$30.00

Reinstatement fee is \$25.00

Your statement will be sent directly to you from the Grand Lodge.

Please pay your dues by March 31, 2022, you are delinquent on April 1, 2022.

Greetings!

Beaver Dam Elementary school is in need of hoodies, sweatshirts and sweatpants in kids sizes small, medium & large. Or sizes 6-14.

The clothes can be new, or gently used! These donations will be accepted till the end of the school year.

For more information, please call:

Debbie Ott
435-613-9790

There will be a tub for these donations inside the Elks Lodge.

Thank you and
God Bless
Debbie Ott

February "Special Sandwich"

February 4, 2022

Come join us for Lunch

We're having

Grilled Meatloaf w/provolone

\$9.00



~Cheers from the bar,

Our lounge area of the lodge has been extremely busy lately! Welcome to all of our newer members who have been stopping by to enjoy the fellowship and join in on the comradery! Our Queen of Hearts drawing and music (THANK you Teddy!) on Friday evenings continues to be popular as the \$\$\$ amount continues to rise! We now offer Monday night Bar Bites which is gaining popularity and I have had excellent reports on the very tasty food! So, if you do not feel like cooking, make Monday nights your night out of the kitchen and come on down to enjoy food and fellowship! Finally, Wednesday cornhole tournament is a great way to meet and compete! You do not have to be good at it, just a good attitude and like to have a bit of fun!

A friendly reminder: we love to bring our besties down to enjoy our lodge, but hopefully they love it enough to commit after a few visits to jumping on board! Please encourage your friends to fill out an application and join a nationwide Brotherhood that we are all so proud of!

Of course, our football season finale: Super Bowl!! We will have a potluck Watch Party as usual, with raffles, food, and fun for all. Mark February 13th on your calendar and help support the lodge! Hope to see you there!

~Health and Happiness always,
Kathy

NEWS FROM THE ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

The time has come to change the format of this article. The purpose of the Activities Committee is to encourage volunteerism to provide fundraising efforts for this Lodge. We have failed miserably, so I am going to a bullet format. Volunteers are needed in order to staff the following events. No volunteers...no events.

- Bar Bites Mondays and Wednesdays, five member teams from 3:00 to 7:00. Five teams would be ideal. This event has really met with a lot of success in the first 3 weeks.
- Substitutes to help with Friday burger teams. Positions available are griller, chicken wings and fries cooker, chicken patty and fries cooker; runners; and cashiers.
- Volunteers to help with the Ackerman Spaghetti Dinner on Saturday, February 26th
- Volunteers to help with the Blue Pig Brunch on Saturday, March 5th
- Volunteers to help with St. Patrick's Dinner on Saturday, March 12th
- Volunteers to help with the Bingo Bash on Saturday, March 26th

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer for any of the above events, please call me at the number listed below.

If you are interested in learning how important volunteer help is to keeping this Lodge open and the fun going forward, please come to the next Activities Committee Meeting on February 8th in the Lodge room at 2:30 pm.

***"VOLUNTEERS DO NOT NECESSARILY HAVE THE TIME;
THEY JUST HAVE THE HEART."***

Thank you!

Deby Burton
801.791.1900



My Brothers and Sisters,

Your Lodge needs you and the community does also.

Elks National Foundation (ENF) is the Elks Charity program that provides funds to the local Lodges in the form of grants. ENF supports scholarship programs, Veterans Programs and Community Improvement Programs along with several other programs.

Our Lodge is falling short of the Grand Exalted Rulers Elks National Foundation (ENF) donation goal of \$4.80 per member. Our Lodge donation per member is at \$3.15 per member. It is important that our Lodge meet the \$4.80 ENF goal for several reasons. This year we received grants from ENF that funded a \$3,500.00 donation to Mesquite Veterans Center, \$2,500.00 grant to Virgin Valley Food Bank, \$1,500.00 to pay for the Dictionaries that were provided to each 3rd grade student in our service area.

A requirement to obtain an ENF Grant is that the Lodge meet the \$4.80 per member goal. If our Lodge fails to meet the goal, we will NOT qualify to obtain grants next year. Failure will result in less funds to support the dictionary program and other donations to the community like the Veterans Center and the Food Bank.

With the ups and downs of the Covid over the last few years it has been difficult to keep up with many things. This is one that needs our attention.

In the coming weeks you will see events and drawings focused on increasing our donations to ENF. We need your support to meet the \$4.80 goal.

Please support the Lodge by attending events and taking part in the drawings. You can make a direct donation to ENF at the Lodge. Every bit helps!

We have until March 15th to raise our per member goal, so time is limited.

Questions, my email is below.

Thank you,

Kris K. Weiland

Exalted Ruler

Mesquite Elks #2811

kweiland.kw@gmail.com

2022 MESQUITE ELKS GOLF CLASSIC FEBRUARY 17-18-19, 2022

Supporting Our Local Scholarship Program &
St. Jude's Ranch-Nevada Elks State Major Project

Open to all Players; Do not need to be an Elk to participate

****PLAY 1, 2, OR 3 DAYS****

Thursday, February 17

Horseshoe @ Coyote Willows Golf Club

2 Person Teams-**\$35** Entry per Player

12:00 Registration-1:00 Start Cash Prizes

Friday, February 18

Falcon Ridge Golf Course

2 Person Teams-**\$125** per Player

7:30 Registration-8:30 Shotgun

6 holes Shamble-6 holes Scramble-6 holes Alternate Shot

Lunch & Prizes at Lodge following play

Saturday, February 19

Palmer Course @ Oasis Golf Club

2 Person Teams-**\$130** per Player

8:30 Registration-9:45 Shotgun

9 Holes Scramble-9 Holes Alter-

nate Shot Lunch & Prizes at

Lodge following play

Player 1: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

Player 2: _____ Email: _____ Phone: _____

Payment: Check day(s) participating

Thursday only \$35 _____

Friday only \$125 _____

Saturday only \$130 _____

Both Fri & Sat \$240 _____

Thurs-Fri-Sat \$275 _____

Extra Meals \$10 ea. _____

Hole Sponsor \$100 _____ Total _____

Make checks payable to: Mesquite Elks #2811; Mail to: 545 Riverside Rd, Mesquite, NV 89027

More information: Dennis Baylor, co-chair 845/321-2193 or ElksClassic2022@yahoo.com

HOORAY!!!!

DON AND CAROL'S SPAGHETTI DINNER IS BACK!!!!



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2022

COCKTAILS AT 4:00 PM

DINNER AT 5:00 PM - \$15/PERSON

**80 TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE BARTENDER
STARTING FEBRUARY 1ST**

ENTERTAINMENT PROVIDED



FEED THE PIGS!!!!

**Make sure you are feeding your Blue Pigs
for the**

Nevada Elks State Major Project

**Your change will change the lives of kids re-
building their lives at St. Jude's Ranch
We will have a Hog Call March 5, 2022**

More Details to come!

BINGO IS HERE
SATURDAY, MARCH 26TH
50 PLAYERS MINIMUM - 90 PLAYERS MAXIMUM
\$20 BUY-IN FOR 1 CARD;
EXTRA CARDS \$2/EACH OR 3 FOR \$5
RAFFELS, 50/50 AND CASH PRIZES



THIS IS A FUNDRAISER FOR THE KITCHEN FUND
WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR THIS ACTIVITY
CALL WENDY LAUER, 801.413.6225 OR
MARIE RASMUSSEN, 702.343.3226
FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO HELP!



Winners of the Nevada District South Hoop Shoot in Boulder City on 1/22/2022 with Al Babb, Director.



Left to Right: Hannah Waite, Corban Waite, Kaitlyn Waite, Runner-up Tazden Dalton, and Lexington Allen

Mesquite Lodge Winners of the Nevada South District Hoop Shoot in Boulder City on 1/22/2022. They will continue to compete in the Nevada State Hoop Shoot in Hawthorne on 2/12/2022. Congratulations!



Kris Weiland, ER presented Jennifer Jenson with a Certificate for being Elk of the Month. Jennifer was selected for her continued support of the Lodge, fund raising and assisting with the Queen of Hearts game. Kudos to you!!



Message from the GER, T. Keith Mills

Work still needs to be done, even in birthday month

Our Elks' birthday this year falls on Wednesday, February 16. Hold an event to celebrate the occasion. One more important reminder: Do not forget Valentine's Day. I can honestly say I have never forgotten this day, but I have needed to run to the store early to get a few things before someone wakes up.

February is a very important month for us. Only a few weeks remain in this Elks' year and a lot of work still needs to be done. For example, new officer elections should be held at your last regular monthly meeting this month. Do not look at February as only having a few weeks left to serve, but as the opportunity to finish the year strong. Do your best to make your Lodge more successful than you started for the Members and community to continue "Meeting the Challenge."


Current Exalted Rulers, there are many programs and awards at your disposal. Any Member who has a combination of sponsoring or reinstating three Members is eligible to receive the Grand Exalted Ruler Award Pin. Exalted Rulers can also submit two Members for the Grand Exalted Ruler's Outstanding Service Commendation. There are also two Making A Difference Special Citation awards, one for the Exalted Ruler and another for the Lodge. You can find this information in the Lodge Activities Program supported by the Grand Lodge Fraternal Committee.

The Elks Legacy Scholarships deadline is also this month. Remember, this scholarship is for any Elks Member's children and grandchildren. Make sure your Members are aware of this program.

Finally, new officers need to start having meetings to plan for the next year. Start developing your yearly budgets and, if possible, set your yearly calendar of events. Be realistic when developing your budget. This is a working document that can and should be amended as your year moves forward. The work and effort you put in now will show throughout the year in your operations. Your year will still have some bumps and curves, but you will be better prepared to handle any situation that will arise. All officers should act as one. Having monthly meetings better prepares you for your upcoming activities and will help you to continue "Meeting the Challenge."



FEBRUARY 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<div>Silver</div> <div> Scheduled Burger Teams for February Feb 04 - Robinson's Team Feb 11 - Burton's Team Feb 18 - Foust's Team Feb 25 - Straley's Team </div>		1 Expansion Fundraising Committee Mtg 5:00 pm	2 Cornhole Toss 4:00 pm	3 Elks Bus Mtg 6:00 pm Nominations of 2022-2023 Officers	4 Bldg Expansion/ Capitol Facilities Mtg, 9:30 am Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Crispy Chicken Sand, Chicken Wings, French Fries 11:00 am - 1:00 pm	5 Car and Coffee 8:00 - 10:00 am
6 2022 Pro Bowl	7 "BAR BITES" 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Darts 4:00 pm 	8 Membership Comm Mtg 1:00 pm Activities Comm Mtg 2:30 pm House Comm Mtg, 3:30 pm BOD Mtg 5:00 pm	9 Cornhole Toss 4:00 pm 	10 Elks Orientation Mtg 5:00 pm	11 Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Crispy Chicken Sand, Chicken Wings, French Fries 11:00 am - 1:00 pm	12 State Hoop Shoot Hawthorne 10:00 am
13 2022 Super Bowl LVI 	14 Valentine's Day "BAR BITES" 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Darts 4:00 pm	15 Expansion Fundraising Committee Mtg 5:00 pm	16 Cornhole Toss 4:00 pm 	17 DAV Van Drivers Mtg 3:00 pm Elks Initiation Mtg, 6:00 pm Elections of 2022-2023 Officers	18 Bldg Expansion/ Capitol Facilities Mtg, 9:30 am Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Crispy Chicken Sand, Chicken Wings, French Fries 11:00 am - 1:00 pm	19 Car and Coffee 8:00 - 10:00 am
20 Cornhole Toss 2:00 pm Articles Due for March 2022 Newsletter	21 Presidents' Day "BAR BITES" 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Darts 4:00 pm 	22 WELCOME TO ELKDOM at 4:00 pm Expansion Fundraising Committee Mtg 5:00 pm	23 Cornhole Toss 4:00 pm 	24 PER Meeting 4:00 pm <div>Regional Hoop Shoot</div>	25 Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Crispy Chicken Sand, Chicken Wings, French Fries 11:00 am - 1:00 pm	26 Ackerman's Spaghetti Dinner \$15.00 pp Cocktails 4:00 pm Dinner 5:00 pm Entertainment Provided
27 Cornhole Toss 2:00 pm 	28 "BAR BITES" 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm Darts 4:00 pm					



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Scholarships Jyll Okelberry
Drug Awareness Greg Sula
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ENF..... Kathy Devore
State Major Debi Olmstead
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Flag DayHarold Straley, PER
Elks MemorialJim Garner, PER
Membership Lola Pointer
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Standing Relief.....Kris Weiland
Lapsation..... Terry Taylor
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Mediator.....Bill Oskin, PER

Slogan of Grand Exalted Ruler T. Keith Mills:

“Meeting the Challenge”