

Nevada Elks Lodge No. 564

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Officers for the 2023-2024 lodge year are: Jeff Bond (Exalted Ruler), Blake Salkil (Lecturing Knight), Karen Gordon (Loyal Knight), Troy Denney (Leading Knight), Mike Bessey (Esquire), Stacy Bond (Chaplain), Linda Spencer (Secretary), Pat Renwick (Treasurer), Dennis Bowling (Trustee), Kyle Bond (Trustee), Klay Beisly (Trustee), Colby Beisly (Tiler) and Mark Mendenhall (Inner Guard).

FROM OUR EXALTED RULER

Just like in the Merle Haggard song, "If we make it through December", I always tell my wife, if we can make it through August, cooler weather is just around the corner. Coming into 4602 the lodge and having a cold beer on a hot day sure helps break the monotony.

Tim homes and Jason Meisenheimer have some really nice Friday need night feeds scheduled for the month of August. They may be needing some help so get with them and let's finish out the month on a strong note.

This year's gun raffle is going on again as well. Get your tickets from myself or one of the other officers and get yourself in the raffle. They draw these all year long. I was 4796 fortunate enough to win one last year, so don't be scared of the price.

Saturday, August 19th is a District Deputy meeting in Clinton Missouri if anyone would like to go.

In closing, I wish to thank everyone who came out in support of the lodge in July with either corn picking, working on the Friday night feed, cleaning up or just keeping the lodge in good shape. Always remember Elk's care and Elk's share. Thank you everyone. Looking 5075 forward to seeing you in August. Jeff Bond Exalted Ruler

NOTICES

The lodge is still <u>IN NEED</u> of help with Thursday night bingo. We need help starting around 5ish. Maybe you can donate even a couple hours, any time from 4:30 – 9:00. We would appreciate any and all help. <u>HOWEVER, IF YOU DON'T WANT</u> <u>TO HELP, YOU COULD ASK A FRIEND/FRIENDS</u> <u>AND COME OUT AND PLAY. IT IS A 5192 LOT</u> <u>OF FUN AND YOU HAVE A CHANCE TO WIN</u> <u>SOME \$\$\$.</u> Please contact Linda Spencer or Stacy Bond if you are interested.

<u>JUST A REMINDER</u>: The Lodge still has "Challenge Coins" for sale. They are available at a price of \$10.00 for Veterans and \$15.00 for non-Veterans.

Help our Lodge help our community! Open up your browser on your mobile device. 4876 Type in <u>www.elks.org</u>. Scroll down the page and click the red button that says "Donate to the Elks National Foundation". Whether you choose to become a Legacy Member and make a recurring donation of a minimum \$5.00 a month or a onetime annual donation of \$10.00; your support will help us reach our ENF per capita. Your support will allow us to do more to help our community. Please consider today! Jason Meisenheimer

Check out our crisis prevention table in the lobby. Take anything you need from the table. Check out the friendship rocks, give one to a friend 2593 that needs to know someone cares. I will be putting up a signup sheet at the lodge if anyone is interested in buying one of our new shirts that features the crisis hotline. They are \$10 each. When I get enough signed up for an order, I will get them made. Help us get the word out that there is hope. Have a great month. Phil Thompson

Veteran's Committee

In an effort to cut back on expenses, I would like you to send your e-mail address to <u>bpoe564@yahoo.com</u> so that the 5414 monthly newsletters can be e-mailed to you, instead of receiving it by mail. This will save on printing, cost of mailing and time, (with the requirements of the postal service). If you are already getting it by email, you do not need to send your e-mail address. Thank you in advance for helping your lodge with expenses. Linda Spencer/Secretary

When you pay your dues, PLEASE, PLEASE make sure the Secretary has your current 4202 address. Thank you! We still have 108 delinquent members for the 2023-2024 lodge year. The DUES were due by April 1st. Please pay your dues next time you are in the lodge. THANK YOU! Linda Spencer

If you have recently received a <u>DELINQUENT</u> notice from Grand Lodge and have paid your 2023-2024 dues<u>, PLEASE DISREGARD THE NOTICE</u>. Regular members' dues are \$91.50, Life Members' dues are \$36.50, Associate 2842 members' dues are \$10.00. Please make sure you pay the FULL \$91.50 if you are a regular member. Thanks in advance. If you need to send an e-mail to the lodge, please use the <u>bpoe564@yahoo.com</u> address. I only use the Gmail account to send out newsletters. Thanks Linda Spencer

FRIDAY NIGHT FEEDS

<u>Aug. 4th -</u> Stuffed Peppers - YUMMY <u>Aug. 11th</u> - Ham, Green Beans & Potatoes <u>Aug. 18th -</u> Need a Cook <u>Aug. 25th</u> - Steak Feed Eat @ 6:30 p.m.

The steak feed is on Friday, July 28th. Cut- off time to call in to get a steak is 4:00 on Friday. Call the lodge @ 417-667-757 1 and have the bartender sign you up. The earlier 4213 you reserve your steak, the better chance of you getting a steak. It also makes it so much easier for the help, as it takes a lot of people to work the steak feed. <u>SO, REMEMBER CUT-OFF TIME</u> <u>IS 4:00.</u>

MEMBERSHIP STATUS

Total Membership	802	
Lifetime Members	103	
Delinquent Members	108	
Candidates for Initiation	20	

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3 BINGO	4	5
					Jamie Fletcher	Amber Jenkins
			HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING - 6:00pm		STUFFED PEPPERS	
6	7 Meeting @ 7	8	9	10 BINGO	11	12
Neil Barnes James Chandler Karl Noel	John Haney Mark Lee Dale Lipe Mike McCullough Denver Westerhold	Frank Arnold Clark Leonard II			Alex Christensen Lauren Klinksick Sandra Norcross Kyla Patterson Ralph Underwood Ham, Potatoes & Green Beans	Dennis Keeler Anthony Miller John Sullivan Jr Richard Webb Susan Webb
13	14	15	16	17 BINGO	18	19
	Randy Bear	Kevin Cartwright Mitchell Earll Todd Fine Kermit Hammergren Claire Hooe Brett Meisenheimer	Bradley Majors Larry Rose	Jeff Hewitt Karren Smith	Adrian Bond Hayden Buck Scott Byers Don Meisenheimer Lynn Seaver Rosemary Thompson NEED A COOK	Pudge Butler Mike Wyant
20	21 Meeting @ 7	22	23	24 BINGO	25	26
DON HAMMONTREE ROBIN MCHUGH JOHN RUNIONS	INDOC/INITIAT	Corey Johnson Linda Shankel Nancy Stork	Erica Diehl Lexi Strickler	Wm Kevin Frame Christina Garrett Brent Leonard Ron Thompson	Jacob Faibian <u>Steak Feed</u> <u>Steak - \$18.00</u> <u>Hamburger Steak</u> <u>\$10.00</u> <u>Salad bar - \$8.00</u>	Michael Galimberto Chadd Jones Nate Lewis
27 Dane Diehl Paul Garren Mark Henry Fodorick Doblem	28 Bob Bowen Gary Marquardt	29 Frank Lambrecht	30 Matthew Branham Jeff Greer	31 BINGO Joe Villamaria		
Federick Rehkow Robert Gohalasky Foseph Sewell Estil Thompson			Joe Koehn Bryton M. Montz Bill Rainey Jimmy D. Smith Jeffery Tourtillott			

JULY WINNERS OF OUR BULLETIN CONTEST:

Jacob Duncan (4958), Larry Garren (5411), Doug Nall (4838), Andrew Remington (4236), Wyatt Smith (5263),

Tony Becker (4773), Ed Post (2991), Mike Compton (4035), Charles Simpson (3822) & David Ferry (3611).

These members won a free drink (if they saw their membership number in the July bulletin and let the bartender know).