



THE NINETY-EIGHTER



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April

6th-Seafood Boil - 6 pm

13th-ER Ball - 7 pm

27th-Spring Sip 'n Shop - 10 am to 3 pm

Hello Elks and Does,

I would like to start by thanking Darold and LuAnn for a great year. My name is Sharon Andrews, and I am honored to be your new Exalted Ruler. My husband is Rick aka (Ricky Bobby) and we have been coming to the lodge for 32 years. Our children Kayla and John grew up in the lodge and now our grandkids Carter, Avery, and Emelia are continuing that tradition.

This is going to be a great year. I hope to see all of you at the Lodge. I am challenging all Elks to help with a committee function or to make a meal. The ER ball is on Saturday, April 13, come and celebrate all the new officers. The program starts at 7 pm with the meal and entertainment to follow.

Applications are open for scholarships. There are medical, trades, and general scholarships. Go to the website to apply at www.elks.org/scholars/

Let's rise to Elkdom and see what amazing things we can do, if we all work together.

Sincerely,

Sharon Andrews



DOES DROVE



Happy Easter and Spring!

The Does are working up to our annual convention, being held, this year, in Loveland, Colorado, June 2 through June 6. Convention is a great time to meet sister Does from all over the country. It gives us all a chance to hear what the rest of our organization is doing and enjoy new friends and old in a holiday atmosphere.

We are one of the largest droves in the country and it would be wonderful if we could make a large group at convention. The deadline for making a reservation at the Embassy Suites in Loveland is April 28 and the deadline for signing up to attend the convention is May 1.

Heidi and I have the forms and information for the events if you are interested. Please consider it if you can. It's great fun!

April functions coming up... 4/6 the Seafood Boil, 4/13 the ER ball to which we are all invited, 4/27 the Spring Sip 'n Shop... Lots of vendors, lunch, mimosas and bloody marys, and fun. Please join us for one, two, or all.

Does Wednesday night meal will be 4/17 and Sue Vignovich and Mitzie Douglas will be doing the cooking. They didn't give me the menu but they both know how to cook (!) so I expect something very tasty.

Remember, April showers bring May flowers and we need the rain.

Kathy Sievers, Does President, 2024

Contact Sue Vignovich's when an Elk or Doe passes away.

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**Karen Watkins 50 years as
a Doe!**



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2024 MARCH Meeting Does

Praise & Thank You

Jim & Sheila Marlow

Date

8-Mar

April Elks Newsletter

Reason

New Great Grand Baby

Thinking of You

Cathy Jones

14-Feb

Carol Grafton

15-Feb

Frankie Overholser

16-Feb

Jack Hill

20-Feb

Linda Bryant

20-Feb

Donna Kelso

22-Feb

Amanda Trent

22-Feb

Amy Seaman

22-Feb

Brian Strait

28-Feb

Lisa Carpenter

28-Feb

Mark McMurry

7-Mar

Thinking of You

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Sympathy

Regina Glawe

16-Feb

Ryan Hill

7-Mar

Diane Natalie

7-Mar

Family Member Who Passed

Wife of ELK Stan Glawe

Father ELK Jack Hill

Her Brother

Ryan Roy is taking over the 98er newsletters, please make sure to submit all meals, fliers, letters and information no later than the 15th of every month for the next months newsletters. Please email to Elks98dsm@gmail.com Thank you Alicia and Rick for your work the past year on the 98er!

NEW

Veteran's Memorial

Please send **full name, branch, years of service, rank** (optional) to

Dan DeGoey

elks98lectknight@gmail.com

DES MOINES ELKS LODGE #98

GET YOUR BRICK

ONLY 60 BRICKS LEFT



HELP REBUILD OUR REMODEL FUND!

\$100 PER BRICK INCLUDES 3 LINES OF TEXT
13 CHARACTERS INCLUDING SPACES

Your name _____
Line 1 _____
Line 2 _____
Line 3 _____

APRIL

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

	1 TRUSTEE MTG 6:00pm	2 Pool 6:30pm	3 Baked Ziti Salad & French Bread Suzie's Cake By: Homer	4 Bags 6:30pm	5  Elks Lodge #98 Frisky Night Food And more!!	6 Seafood Boil 6 pm 
7 BINGO 1 PM	8 Lodge Meeting 7 pm	9 Pool 6:30pm DOES MEETING 7 PM	10 Pork Loin Steak Cheesy Potatoes Green Beans Suzie's Cake By: Homer	11 Bags 6:30pm	12  Elks Lodge #98 Frisky Night Food And more!!	13 ER BALL 7 pm 
14 BINGO 1 PM	15 BOARD OF TRUSTEE MTG 6:00pm	16 Pool 6:30pm	17 Doe's Meal By: Sue Vignovich and Mitzie Douglas	18 Bags/ Horseshoes 6:30pm	19  Elks Lodge #98 Frisky Night Food And more!!	20
21 BINGO 1 PM	22 Lodge Meeting 7 pm	23 Pool 6:30pm May Baskets & Bunco 6:30 pm	24 Hamburgers Potato Salad Baked Beans Suzie's Cake By: Homer	25 Bags/ Horseshoes 6:30pm	26  Elks Lodge #98 Frisky Night Food And more!!	27 SPRING SIP 'N SHOP 10am -3 pm
28 BINGO	29	30 Pool 6:30pm				

APRIL Birthdays

ELKS

01	Bret	Carlson
02	Mark	Fallis
03	Douglas	Adams
05	Corey	Brant
05	Donald	Bryant
05	Bryan	Carr
08	John	Duden
08	Mark	Steele
09	Gerald	Todahl
09	Craig	Topp
12	Timothy	Jurovich
12	Brian	Strait
13	Dale	Eeling
13	Ed	Mattis
14	Gary	Niehaus
14	Colton	Toney
15	Sean	Wilson
18	Kirk	Worley
19	Notberto	Maldonado
20	Larry	Houston
20	Andrew	Von Ahnen
21	Sean	DeGoey
21	Jerry	Dennis
22	Gary	Gillum
22	Jonny	Lee
23	Harold	Brown
23	William	Geiken
23	Mike	McCoy
23	Jerry	Shedd
24	Jason	Burke
25	Jodi	Breheny
25	Gregg	Edwards
27	Rex	Clendenen
27	Tim	Weber
28	Dennis	Bown

DOES

1	MEGAN	TOPP
3	JODI	HURGON
4	JOANN	PIERICK
6	KARI	ATZEN
9	VICKY	MORGAN
13	BARBARA	DIAL
13	KATHRYN	SIEVERS
13	ELAINE	EVANS
14	JULIE	MITCHELL
15	KATHY	MONGAR
15	MELISSA	HORTON
16	JAMIE	THOMAS
20	MARSHA	MUNOZ
21	MICHELLE	MERTA
25	JODI	BREHENY
25	CHRISTINE	BIRKETT
29	ANGELA	NAUMAN



<https://www.facebook.com/Elks98>



Scholarships

It is Scholarship Season 2024

Here is a list of the 2024 scholarship opportunities available through the Elks lodge.

Keep an eye on the due dates and be mindful that most scholarships must be submitted online or electronically.

Lodge Scholarship Applications will be available on March 1, 2024 and will be due **May 1, 2024** (Lodge)

Emergency Educational Grants provide undergraduate college financial assistance to children of deceased or totally disabled Elks in the form of renewable, one-year grants of up to \$5,000. The grant is for educational assistance only and is not intended to cover the entire cost of a college education. Available upon request starting **May 1, 2024** (ENF)

The Gunther & Lee Weigel Medical School Scholarship. The ENF is pleased to offer an exclusive scholarship opportunity just for Elks scholars pursuing a medical degree or Osteopathic Medicine degree. The deadline for 2024 applications is **May 20, 2024** (ENF)

For ENF information Visit - <https://www.elks.org/scholars/>

This site has Financial Aid information, a scholarship search data base, college and university data base and additional resources for students.

www.elks.org/scholarweb/resources/resourcecenter.cfm

Questions or to request an application please call, text or email
Rob Julander | 515 556 0716 | rjulander@gmail.com

Please consider donating to scholarships or youth programs on your Elk's membership statement or giving a scholarship to Honor a Deceased or Loved One.



May Baskets and Bunco!

Tuesday April 23rd

6:30 Baskets

7:00 Bunco

Before Bunco in April we will prepare May baskets! For those who can help we will start at 6:30 and plan to finish by 7 pm so Bunco can begin as usual. Like always, get your favorite beverage downstairs and bring a snack to share if you'd like. \$5 to play. Friends and family are welcome!



1ST ANNUAL

VETERAN

CRUISE IN



**SATURDAY
JULY 6TH
5PM-9PM**

ELKS LODGE #98
5420 NE 12TH AVE, DES MOINES, IA 50327

- FIRST 100 GET DASH PLAQUE
- TOP 10 AWARDS
- HORSE SHOE TOURNAMENT @6PM
- \$5 MEALS & \$3 BEERS
- HOT DOGS, HAMBURGERS, CHIPS
- 50/50 RAFFLE

• \$20/ CAR & BIKE ENTRY FEE (ALL PROCEEDS GO TO BENEFIT ELKS VETERAN CHARITIES)

Please join us for our Annual Does 25

Girls' day out

'SIP & SHOP'



SATURDAY, APRIL 27, 2024 10 AM - 3 PM

** Lunch available 11 AM - 1:30 PM **

ELK LODGE

5420 N.E. 12 AVENUE

PLEASANT HILL (Behind Fareway)

Please join us for a fun day of **Shopping, Food, & Fun!**

Bring your Friends and Family!

50+ spaces filled with your favorite **Vendors, Crafters** and **Boutiques** on both floors *inside & out!*

Door Prizes * Raffle * Bake Sale



Wine, Bloody Mary, & Mimosa Bar



Sponsored by **BPO DOES #25**

Non-profit organization helping your community

SEAFOOD BOIL

Saturday, April 6th - 6:00pm
Elks #98

\$18/PERSON

DJ Chad playing Mardi Gras Music




Saturday, May 11, 2024

10 am to 12 pm

Cost: \$15

Brunch Teatime includes-

Avocado toast

Chicken salad crescents quiche

Scones

Fresh fruit

Tea sandwiches

Mimosas

Fresh tea

Invite your mother, grandmother, aunt, niece, sister, daughter, granddaughter, or anyone special in your life to Elks #98 for brunch!

See Sharon Andrews to purchase your tickets!



Elks Lodge # 98 – 2024 4 Person Best Shot Golf Outing

Saturday June 15th – 8 AM Shotgun Start at Toad Valley Golf Course

\$80.00 per player and includes:

Golf / Cart / 2 Beverage Tickets / Dinner after golf at lodge / Prizes

Limited to 36 teams – ***First 36 registered teams are IN!***

Registration Deadline – Wednesday June 5th

Your registration form and entry fees must be turned in at the lodge bar.

NO later than Wednesday June 5th.

Make check payable to Elks Lodge # 98

Team Names

Team Captain _____ Email Address _____

Player 2 _____

Player 3 _____

Player 4 _____

**DATE You are turning in
registration form to lodge
bar staff!**



Des Moines Lodge # 98

Dear Local Sponsors,

Is having their Annual Golf Tournament on Saturday June 15th.

This is the lodges major fundraiser of the year, proceeds from the golf outing go to the Elks Lodge Charitable Foundation. This foundation provides support for charitable works, such as, Pleasant Hill Veterans Home, Hospice of Iowa, Christmas baskets for those in need, as well as many others.

Please consider purchasing a hole sponsorship sign - \$50.00

Yes, I would like to purchase a hole sponsorship sign.

Company Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Email Address: _____

Wording on Sign? _____

Please make checks payable to Elks Lodge # 98. DSM Elks Lodge # 98 is a registered nonprofit.
Your sign purchase is tax deductible on your personal tax return or your business return. EIN #

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Des Moines Lodge # 98

Dear Lodge/Doe Member,

Is having their Annual Golf Tournament on Saturday June 15th.

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Please consider purchasing a hole sponsorship sign - \$35.00

Yes, I would like to purchase a hole sponsorship sign.

Name on Sign: _____

Email Address: _____

Lodge/Doe Member Since? _____

Please make checks payable to Elks Lodge # 98.

DSM Elks Lodge # 98 is a registered nonprofit. Your sign purchase is tax deductible on your personal tax return or your business return. EIN # 420136040

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