



OAKVILLE 2726 ELKS TRACKS

June 2026



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CLUB ROOM HOURS

Monday 2pm - 1:30am
 Tuesday 2pm - 1:30am
 Wednesday 2pm - 1:30am
 Thursday 2pm - 1:30am
 Friday 2pm - 1:30am
 Saturday 2pm - 1:30am
 Sunday 2pm - 12am
 Club room can close at the
 bartenders discretion

LODGE OFFICERS

April 1 2026 through March 31 2027

Exalted Ruler- Bryan Crawford 314-368-436
 Leading Knight- Guy Gastreich 314-732-5657
 Loyal Knight- Niedra Hutchison 314-578-6966
 Lecturing Knight- Andy Westermann 314-323-5633

APPOINTED OFFICERS:

Esquire- Mark A Pendergrass 314-393-7387
 Chaplin- Richard Cusumano 314-996-9389
 Vocalist- not appointed
 Inner Guard- Barbara Pendergrass 314-223-5664
 Tiler- Emily Westermann 314-341- 2574

TRUSTEES:

5 year Trustee- Jerry Aulbach 314-537-2688
 4 Year Trustee- Richard Graft 314-412-6879
 3 Year Trustee- Bob Eckelkamp 314-614-2544
 2 Year Trustee- Karen Yeager 314-518-4274
 1 Year Trustee- Jeffrey Johnson 314-629-6647

Secretary- Mary Corso 314-221-6200
 Treasurer- Linda Dierker 314-602-8219
 Newsletter- Donna Kholer 314-606-5212

LADIES AUXILIARY:

President- Melodie Hutson 314-917-2527



A Message From Our Exalted Ruler Bryan Crawford

Well, May got off to a fast start with some fun activities! The Derby Day/Bud Hunt and the Cinco De Mayo parties were a lot of fun for all who participated!

I would like to thank all of the officers and mothers that participated in our Mother's Day Service!

Looking forward to this month, we have a lot of things going on. The Elks Flag Day Ceremony is a very moving event and I encourage all that can make it on 6/13 at Meramec Arnold to attend. We also have the ECD Golf Tournament on 6/6 and our annual Father's Day Ceremony on 6/21, along with all of our regular meals and activities. Join our lodge Facebook page to stay informed!

As always, I look forward to spending another great month with everyone!

Sincerely, Bryan Crawford



Ladies Auxiliary June 2026 President Melodie Hutson

We had a great day for the Bud Hunt and Derby Day celebration at the lodge. A lot of activities were going on that day so for some follow up, here goes. The Bud Hunt was won by Chris Carl finding 42 beers out in the field. The hat contest was won by Curt Spurr with Diann Spurr coming in second followed by Nancy Webb and then Tracy Franks. Melodie Hutson was the lucky winner on the Derby being the only person to select Horse 19 Golden Tempo. And the final drawing of the night was our Fat Wallet – 1st place went to Bart Castelli Jr, 2nd place was Sherry Benton and 3rd place was Barb Zeller. Many thanks to Rich Graft, Bob Eckelkamp and Jean Watts for cooking the burgers, brats and hot dogs for us, to Bryan Crawford and Guy Gastreich for making the mint julips and to Drew Hohmeier who emceed the event for us. Also, thanks to everyone who came out and participated in the events of the day – it was a very successful day with the proceeds benefitting our Christmas Family program.

Don't forget to get your chances on the the Ladies Patriotic Basket which contains a beautiful wreath and quilt – both items made by members of the Auxiliary. Chances will be \$1 each or 6 for \$5. We'll be selling on Friday nights and drawing on Friday, June 12, right after the Pork Steak Dinner.

Please mark your calendars for Friday, August 28, 2026 for the Ladies Dessert Auction. It's immediately following the best chicken dinner in the world.

Reminder – no Auxiliary meeting in July. We will have our ladies luncheon instead at 11:30 am on July 11th at Helen Fitzgerald's. Please let Shirley Robinson know if you will be attending.

June birthdays: June 22 – Donna Kholer and June 29 – Sherry Benton.

Sincerely, Melodie Hutson, Auxiliary President

Elks CARE - Elks SHARE



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

01 Mike Lamprecht
01 Janet Meister
02 Kerry Garcia
02 Seth Hagen
03 Karen Miller
05 Robin Ford
07 Darlene Knight
08 Douglas Beermann
08 Kurt Viglasky
09 Mark Kiefer
10 Nicholas Steska
13 James Bruggeman
14 Steve Antalick
15 Kathleen Fenlon
16 Amanda Tuholske
18 Randolph Brannon
21 Richard Cusumano
21 Neil Rogers
22 Nick Berring
22 Donna Kholer
23 Charles Roedel
24 Susan Davis
24 Claude Lynch
25 Paul Kleissle
26 George Spurr
26 Lewis Sweeney Jr
27 Michael Biggs
29 Brian Scherrer
29 John Verderber
29 Terry Wilkerson
30 Marge Mathus
30 Gregory Tuholske
30 Andy Westerman

2025-2026 ELKS of the MONTH

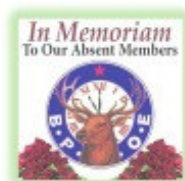
July 25 - Mark Pendergrass
August 25 - Bob Mathus
September 25- Bill Hassler
October 25- Sue Parrish
November 25- Bryan Crawford
December 25- Andy Westermann
January 26- Paula Palmer
February 26- Mary Corso
March 26- Debbie Auer
April 26- Jeff Johnson
May 26- John Hezel
June 26- Jeff Wahl



Welcome New Members!

Want to help our veterans? Cindy is looking for volunteers. See the info on the picture page.

Elks Care - Elks Share



*Their time has passed, their faults forgotten,
May they rest in peace.
An Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken.*

For the latest news and event updates, subscribe to the Oakville Elks emailed newsletter, The Bridge.

**Contact
ronhoward2726@gmail.com**

Join our Facebook page, Oakville Elks Lodge #2726. Tracey, our social media liason, will approve you ONLY if you answer the question you are given.

From Your Secretary Members, if you have recently changed addresses or phone numbers, please leave a note with the bartender so I can update our records.

2025 - 2026

Richard Sambo (4/29/2026)

Larry Siebermorgan (3/06/2026)

Bill Dumeyer (2/05/2026)

Lawrence Schuble (3/01/2025)

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CALENDAR

JUNE 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31	1 Mel's Diner 5:30 - 7 Margaritas-\$2 Bowling 6:00	2 Cards with Nan 3:15 Bowling 6:00	3 Ladies Aux Meeting- 6:30pm	4 Cards with Nan 3:15 Washer League 6:30	5 Pork Chop Dinner - \$14 5 pm	6 ECD Golf at St. Genevieve
7	8 Mel's Diner 5:30 - 7 Bowling 6:00 Bd Meeting-6:30	9 Cards with Nan 3:15 Bowling 6:00	10 Members Meeting- 7	11 Cards with Nan 3:15 Riders Meet 6-9 Washer League 6:30	12 Pork Steak Dinner \$10 5pm SMTM \$20 7pm	13 Flag Day ceremony at Meramec
14	15 Mel's Diner 5:30 - 7 Margaritas-\$2 Bowling 6:00	16 Cards with Nan 3:15 Bowling 6:00	17 P.E.R. Meeting 7 pm	18 Cards with Nan 3:15 Washer League 6:30	19 AYCE Fish Dinner-\$15 5pm Bango-\$20 7 pm	20
21 Fathers Day service- 11am Food provided Poker-\$30 2pm	22 Mel's Diner 5:30 - 7 Margaritas-\$2 Bowling 6:00	23 Cards with Nan 3:15 Blood Drive- 2 pm Bowling 6:00	24 Members Meeting- 7	25 Cards with Nan 3:15 Washer League 6:30	26 AYCE Chicken Dinner-\$13 5 pm	27
28	29 Mel's Diner 5:30 - 7 Margaritas-\$2 Bowling 6:00	30 Cards with Nan 3:15 Bowling 6:00	1	2	3	4

MISSOURI ELKS EAST CENTRAL DISTRICT
Presents
FLAG DAY CELEBRATION
SATURDAY, JUNE 13, 2026
MERAMEC (ARNOLD) ELKS LODGE #2372
1515 MILLER RD. - IMPERIAL, MO 63026

11:00 A.M. MILITARY HELICOPTER LANDING
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1:00 P.M. FLAG DAY CEREMONY & AWARDS PRESENTATION

Event Features:
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★ GROUNDS OPEN AT 10:30 A.M. ★

WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!
Help make this special event a success! We need volunteers for setup, activities, food service, parade coordination, and general event support. Contact your local Elks Lodge or message us to get involved.
Thank you for supporting our community!

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CALENDAR

JULY 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28	29	30	1	2 Cards with Nan 3:15 Washer League 6:30 pm	3 Pork Chop Dinner - \$14 5 pm	4  ***OPEN***
5	6 Mel's Diner 5:30 - 7 Margaritas-\$2 Bowling 6:00 ##### GRAND LODGE CONVENTION - CHICAGO #####	7 Cards with Nan 3:15 Bowling 6:00	8 NO Members Meeting	9 Cards with Nan 3:15 Washer League 6:30 pm Riders meet 6-9	10 Pork Steak Dinner \$10 5pm SMTM \$20 7pm	11 Ladies Auxiliary Lunch- 11:30 Helen Fitzgeralds
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Cinco de Mayo Fun



Bowling Fun



Mel's DINER

MONDAY NIGHT SPECIAL

Served 5:30 - 7 pm \$7 PER plate- this is not AYCE
Please be considerate so we don't have to raise the price

June 1 Sloppy Joes, pasta salad & spicy corn	June 15 Guest Chef Drew's Surprise	June 8 Smoked Sausage, mac n cheese & green beans
June 22 Burgers or Brats, cowboy beans & chips	June 29 Pasta Con Broccoli w/chicken, salad & garlic cheese bread	

Margaritas - \$2 Every Monday

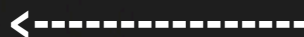
I would like to form a Veterans committee. We will meet once a month at the lodge and decide on veterans activities for our lodge.

If you are interested, please contact me at (314)757-1952 or by email at 7mamalucy@gmail.com

Let's celebrate our veterans and have fun.
Thanks
Cindy Linsday
Veterans chairman



Derby Day Hat Winners



IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR...

WASHERO LEAGUE!

Get ready for some fun and friendly competition!

Thursday Nights
At the Lodge

Sign-up sheet is in the clubroom

Pick Teams: **MAY 14** League Starts: **MAY 21**

Don't miss out—get signed up!

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