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Elk Volunteer of the Year, Elk of the Year, Elk Officer of the Year

First I want to say that these honors were not easy choices. Many times during the year, someone would stand out in my mind as deserving of one of these awards. If I tried to list and thank everyone, that is all that the Banner would have in it in May. Thank you all for everything you did during 2007-2008.

The Elk Volunteer of the Year was always willing to come to my rescue whenever she could, and believe me, that happened many times. Mostly it was helping in the kitchen for a variety of events and cooking for last minute situations. She always has a smile on her face, and makes everyone she sees feel loved. Congratulations to **Louise Baca** – Elk Volunteer of the Year.

This year's Elk of the Year is a familiar figure at our Lodge. His outgoing personality always puts everyone at ease, and his expression of 'I do what I want' lets us know who is really in charge. He is constantly going out of his way to help with any event, and organized the Wednesday Night Taco Dinners, which has truly helped to keep our doors opened. So congratulations **Alan Gaytan**, Elk of the Year.

Elk Officer of the Year. My choice for this award never told me 'no', whatever I ask him to do. His commitment to his Lodge and his fellow Officers was phenomenal. He is one of only two Bingo Managers, and that would generally be considered enough for one person to do. When his Lodge needed anything, from cooking, to hauling furniture, to hosting more than his share of Friday nights, he took care of it without a complaint. **Troy Young**, congratulations on being Elk Officer of the Year for Northglenn Lodge #2438. Again, thank you all for making my year truly memorable. Nancy Geist, PER

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I would like to thank everyone once again for believing in us. The Inaugural Ball was a great success. I would like to thank everyone for coming out to support our team. I would like to give a special thanks to the Grand Exalted Ruler P.E.R. Bruce Brophy for the wonderful ceremony that he preformed. I would like to share a few special moments about the awards starting with Elk Volunteer of the Year Louise Baca who truly deserved this award for her many hours of hard work. Elk of the Year award was given to Alan Gaytan who does what he wants. Alan also put in many hours of hard work and was always very committed. Elk Officer of the Year was given to Troy Young who stepped up and showed us what a true and dedicated officer is really about. So please thank and congratulate them for doing such a wonderful job. Upcoming events for May, Cinco De Mayo the 3rd, Hard Times Ball the 10th, Mothers Day the 13th and District Ritual Contest the 17th. Review your banner for further information on these events. Come and enjoy these great events.

Exalted Ruler Bill Johnson

From the secretary's Desk

Application For Membership

Kenneth Harms Proposer: James Newell Thomas Swift By Re-instatement

If your dues is not paid for 2008-2009, you can stop By any time to pay. You can slide it through the mail Slot on the Secretaries door and he will mail your card.

From The Secretary

The new Lodge year is upon us. Our New Exalter Ruler is Bill Johnson. A very conscious man and determined to get things done. He will give his all to get them done but he is going to need all of us behind him to support and assist him. He is off to a good start as he invited the entire membership to join him at the Inaugural Ball. Final reminders for dues have been sent out. Please take the time to stop by and pay your dues. I have had to drop those who had not paid 2007 dues.

Edward Stashi Lodge Secretary



Lodge Officers				
Exalted Ruler				
Bill Johnson	303-333-2301			
Leading Knight				
Troy Young	720-266-3339			
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<u>Chaplain</u>				
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Pat Kennedy				
<u>Trustees</u>				
Alan Gaytan				
Jan Chambers	303-451-8663			
Jerry Heger	303-450-9484			
John Cholewinski	303-941-6642			
Rick Huffman	303-913-9837			

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Member's Birthdays

Name	Date
Charles Allard	5/22
Brenda Andry-Shaw	5/31
Edward Baughman	5/20
Richard Beckler	5/13
Darrell Beer	5/11
Miles Bloom	5/29
Roger Camara	5/23
Donald Chase	5/26
Robert Constable	5/18
Thomas Cox	5/3
Pat Davis	5/24
Brandano DiSalle	5/26
Edward Esquibel	5/25
Loyd Fischer	5/22
Dallas Fuller	5/12
Jeffery Heger PER	5/1
Charles Horton	5/8
Walter Kahler Jr.	5/12
Gary McCollum	5/3
Chris McQuown	5/22
Louis Ostdiek	5/19
Jeffery Peterson	5/15
Randolph Pfeifer	5/31
Gilbert Rohde	5/4
Claud Sprinkle	5/17
Gerald Stone	5/11
Eddie Swan	5/1
Chris Tate	5/21
Alex Torres	5/16
James Tuttle	5/5
Roger Wilson	5/27
Christopher Woodman	5/3
Laurie Woodruff	5/9

<u>Spouses Birthdays</u>				
Name	Member	Date		
June	Evan Kirtright	5/27		
Pat	William Gilbert	5/26		
Marjorie	Cecil Smith	5/26		
Joanne	George Rivera	5/30		
Ryan	Laurie Woodruff	5/22		
Jo Ann	Leo Slade	5/8		
Viola	Louis Lobato	5/19		

<u>Happy Anniversary</u>

Name	Date
Wayne & Carol Ashmore	5/28
James & Patricia Campbell	5/4
Ben & Deb Duran	5/10
Ernest & Monika Evanson	5/9
Marvin & Elinor Getz	5/6
Tim & Sandra Lowman	5/26
Stephen & Carolyn Madsen	5/25
Don & Rita Meyer	5/10
Kenneth & Mary Rinkenberger	5/29
James & Carol Schauer	5/7
Allan & Lorraine Taylor	5/29
Brian & Terri Walker`	5/4

Thanks to all who help with the *Monthly Birthday Celebration*

Come celebrate your birthday at the Northglenn Elks May 30th, 2008 starting at 6:00 p.m.

If your name or special day is not listed here, please contact Ed Stashi and give him the information. He will add the information to the list and it will be updated for the Banner.

If you would like to donate a cake one month for our monthly birthday celebration please contact Jan Chambers at 303-451-8663



Sickness and Distress

The welfare of our membership and their families rests deeply in the hearts of each of us. Our thoughts and prayers are extended to those in need. If you have sickness or distress to report, please call the Lodge Chaplain Nancy Geist 303-322-6600

In Memoriam

Our deepest Sympathy goes to **Joe Ann Gaytan** and her family on the death of her Mother Mary R. Vigil.

Always remember to keep our Active Military and our Veterans in your hearts and prayers.

REMEMBER MEMBERS SICKNESS AND DISTRESS ARE ALWAYS IN ORDER SO PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU OR YOUR FAMILY NEEDS OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.

To everyone @ Northglenn Elks Lodge #2438

I personally want to say "Thank You" each and everyone of you for your kind words, prayers, hugs "just don't pat", holding me as you comforted me, cards, food, flowers, silence, "drink" and anything else you did for Alan, my family and me. I understand not everyone could attend the rosary in Denver or go to Capulin, Colorado for the funeral but I know I was in your thoughts, prayers and for this I am very THANKFUL. This has been a hard few months watching my beloved mother slowly fade and suffer from pancreatic cancer. She left for heaven on Sunday, March 30, 2008 at 7:57am. My mother Mary R. "Lupita" Vigil was a very private, proud and religious "Lady". She is now in heaven with her other family that left this earth before her.

Sincerely with Love, Joe Ann CV & Alan G. Gaytan (Mama & Papa) April 2008 <u>alangaytan@msn.com</u>

May Birthday Celebration Friday, May 30th We'll Bring the Cake !!

Members who's Birthday falls in May receive 1 Free Drink Celebrate with us as we wish all of our Members and their Spouses a



Happy Birthday

Once a month we will be hosting a Birthday Celebration for you!! Come on down, let us buy you a drink and celebrate with us!!



Mother's Day at the Northglenn Elks

A Mother's love is something that no one can explain, It is made of deep devotion and of sacrifice and pain, It is endless and unselfish and enduring come what may For nothing can destroy it or take that love away... It is patient and forgiving when all others are forsaking, And it never fails or falters even though the heart is breaking. It believes beyond believing when the world around condemns, And it glows with all the beauty of the rarest, brightest gems. It is far beyond defining, it defies all explanation, And it still remains a secret like the mysteries of creation... A many splendoured miracle man cannot understand And another wondrous evidence of God's tender guiding hand.

- Helen Steiner Rice



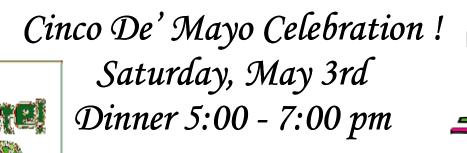
Mother's Day Champaign Brunch

Sunday, May 13th, 2008 9:00 until Noon

Moms Eat Free			
Adults	\$8.00		
Kids 3 to 12 years	\$5.00		
Children under 3	Free		

Let us Share in this special day

As you spend this day with those who are most important in your life, please allow us the opportunity to help make it special.



Tacos and Tostadas

\$1.50 Each

Dance to the music of KBM D.J. Entertainment until Midnight

Мау						
Sun	Mon	Tue Wed		Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Lodge Mtg 7:30	2 Texas Holdem Pool Tournament	3 Cinco D' Mayo
4	5	6	7 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	8 Trustee Mtg 7:00	9 Pool Tournament	10 Hard Times Ball
11 Mothers Day Brunch	12 PER Mtg 6:45	13	14 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	15 Lodge Mtg 7:30	16 Texas Holdem Pool Tournament	17 District Ritual Colo Spgs
18	19	20	21 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	22 Officers Mtg 6:30 Trustee Mtg 7:00	23 Pool Tournament	24
25	26 Memorial Day	27	28 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	29	30 Birthday Party Pool Tournament	31

The Hard Times Ball

Is back again.....

Yes it's time to dust off those duds and Join us for the best of worst times!!

<mark>S</mark>aturday, May 10th

Soups on at 7:00 p.m.

\$6.00 per person or \$12.00 per couple (oh what a bargain that is!!)

> Entertainment provided by Bobbie Bell

Come down to enjoy the best that us simple folk have come to expect

Take me out and pin me up on the Fridge !!

June						
Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat						Sat
1 Lodge Clean up and Prep	2 Indoctrination 7:30	3	4 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	5 Lodge Mtg 7:30	6 Texas Holdem	7 Drug Awareness Dinner 6:00
8	9 PER Mtg 6:45	10	11 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	12 Trustee Mtg 7:00	13	14 ENF Dinner Flag Day at Idaho Springs
15 Fathers Day Brunch	16	17	18 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	19 Lodge Mtg 7:30	20 Texas Holdem	21
22	23	24	25 Dinner 5:45 - 7:00	26 Trustee Mtg 7:00	27	28 Duck Race Pool Party
29	30 Indoctrination 7:30					

WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!!!!!!

Sunday June 1, 2008. Bring your ladder, scrapers, wire brushes your gloves and your Elkdom. We need to get our building ready for a new paint job. Donations for paint and supplies would be greatly appreciated. So come and volunteer

your time and enjoy lunch on the lodge. Exalted Ruler Bill Johnson

Father's Day is coming ...

Join us to Celebrate with a great Breakfast 9:00 a.m. Until Noon

Dads Eat Free Adults \$8.00

Children 12 and under \$5.00

CLUB HOURS

 Sunday
 9:00a.m.- 8:00 p.m.

 Mon - Thur
 11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

 Fri & Sat *
 11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

 *Open till 2:00 a.m. For Lodge Functions

 Phone number:
 303-452-1644

By Popular Demand Belly Dancing is Back !!

If you remember our last performance you know how much fun we had and we are doing it again! If you want to participate, come to the Lodge

May 2nd, 2008,7:00 p.m. For our first meeting.

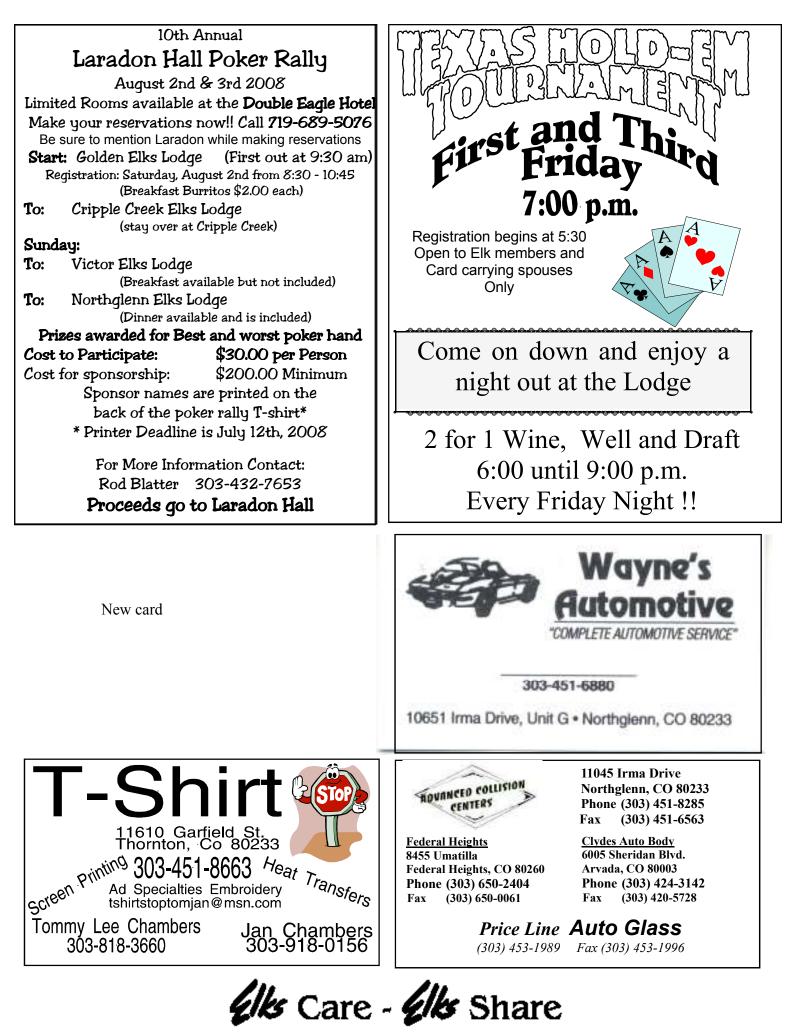
We will be discussing performance dates, costumes, music and solo's.

Hope to see you there!!

Daylene, Zina and Nichole

Happy Hour: Monday - Saturday 11:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. .25 cents off all non-special drinks All Day Every Day Bucket O'Beer (5 each 12 oz bottles) \$10.25 Bucket O'Beer (5 each 16 oz bottles) \$12.50

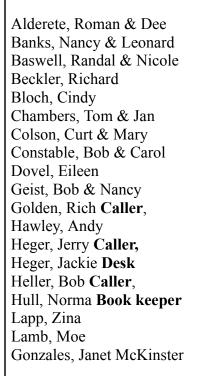
Monthly Club Specials	The St. Patty's Dance
Sunday: \$1.00 Screw drivers, Gray Hounds & Bloody Mary's 9:00 - 1:00	was a smashing success. Congratulations to our newest leprechaun, Dwayne Dawson! Special thanks go to PER's Nancy Giest and Pat Kennedy Who helped decorate for the big event. Also to the Lizzi Breneman family and Linda
Mondays: \$2.00 Well drinks all day	Miller. The place looked so festive! We enjoyed a traditional irish dinner prepared by DDGER Tom Chamber and PER
Tuesdays: \$1.00 Draft Beers \$1.50 Premium Draft Beers	Rick Huffman. But as always we couldn't do anything without the support of our members and my biggest thanks go to those of you who
Wednesdays \$9.00 BUCKETS (5 bottles)	came to our party. So until next year may your shaleigle always remain upright and your pot be filled with gold or at least a nice ale. ;)
\$2.00 Corona's	
Thursday 12 oz Bottle Beer \$2.00 or \$9.00 BUCKETS (5 bottles)	Memory Lane Once again our Lodge has fallen on hard times. So it's time to bring back the old memories and renew the hard
Hours devours 5:00 - 7:00 Friday: 2 fer's wine, well and Draft 5 to 9	times ball. Not to many years ago (about 15 yrs ago) the Lodge fell on really hard times. All the bonds that were
Saturday:	sold years earlier were about to come due. These bonds
\$2.00 12 oz bottle beer (domestic) until 6:00 p.m. \$9.00 BUCKETS (5 bottles) until 6:00 p.m.	were sold to help us get out from under the mortgage we had. Our members all helped out and bought bonds for various amounts. Later the Auxiliary started their bingo (thanks to Terri Huffman and Ruth Bloom) those two
Insert Card Here	ladies put together the Auxiliary Bingo and got the backing to get it going to pay off the notes. Well at the same time the original "hard times ball" came together to help out the Lodge. We had many things going on that night. Hobos a plenty and even a cardboard shanty. Well it's time again for us all to get together and help out our lodge.
	Thanks to all Rick & Terri Huffman Remember anything that you remember can be included in this artical, all you have to do is let us know @ memorylane2438@hotmail.com
Insert Card Here	Lunch at the Lodge
	Every week day until 3:00
	Soup and a Sandwich \$5.00
	Individually \$3.00
	Happy Hour Prices 11:00 a.m. Until 6:30 p.m.
For Your Convenience	Don't forget to
	stop by the Lodge
We now have an ATM located in the Lounge	
area of the club for your convenience.	And get your early bird
There is a \$1.50 charge for each transaction.	Purchase your first drink, 🛛 🦊 🏹
The ATM is available during normal	and get your second one free
operating hours of the Club	Don't have an early bird card? Ask how to get one for next year !!



	Rovin' Corks		
Rovin' Corks	2008 Camping Schedule		
Camping	St. Vrain State Park (Barbour Ponds - North on I-25 just past		
Committee	Longmont)		
	April 25-26. Deadline: ASAP Candy Trimp will be the hostess.		
The finalized 2008 camping schedule is below and we would love to have you join us. Membership to the	Boyd Lake (North on I-25 to Loveland)		
Corks this year remains at \$10.00 or without a	May 16-17. Deadline: ASAP Carole Tritz will be the hostess.		
membership, each camp out is \$5.00 per rig. Guests	Strasburg KOA		
over 21 attending more than 3 camp outs are	June 20-21. Deadline: ASAP		
encouraged to become a member of the Lodge and of the Rovin Corks.	Nancy Hoover will be the hostess. Parrish Ranch (11 Miles West of Berthoud, Colorado) – Flag		
Please sign up for a camp out by calling us or sending	Retirement Ceremony		
us an e-mail. Our names, numbers, and e-mail	July 25, 26. Deadline: July 1 This camp out will be in conjunction with the Lodge's Flag		
addresses are shown below. All the campgrounds have tent sites and some have cabins for those who don't	Retirement Ceremony. Further information will be following as		
have RV's.	we work with Bill Johnson, ER, to develop the plans.		
The hostesses for each camp out are the volunteers	Greeley RV Park (Greeley) August 15-16 Deadline: July 1		
who plan the food and activities for that camp out. Please watch the Bulletin Board and the Banner or call	Judi Passafiume and Sharon Guthrie will be the hostesses.		
for detailed information on each camp out. Typically,	Riverview RV Park (Loveland) – Labor Day August 29-September 1 Deadline: ASAP		
each weekend starts on Friday night and ends on	Colorado Elks Kampers - Fort Collins/Lakeside KOA (Heron		
Sunday by check out time. Everyone is on their own for	Lake), Fort Collins September 19-21		
dinner on Friday night. Saturday morning is a potluck breakfast. Dinner Saturday night is up to the hostess.	Watch the Banner and the bulletin board for additional		
Sunday morning everyone is packing up to leave, so we	information or feel free to call us.		
all eat available leftovers!	Albuquerque Balloon Festival, Rio Rancho Lodge, Rio Rancho, New Mexico		
Cheri Bossio (303) 452-3034	October 3-5		
<u>CheriLB@comcast.net</u>	This is another one to watch the Banner or the bulletin board for further information.		
Sharon Guthrie (303) 451-0573	Riverview Campground, Loveland, Colorado		
sguthrie@tristategt.org	October 17-18 Deadline: September 5 Cheri Bossio is the hostess.		
8739 Sheridan Blvd Male and Female			
Westminster, Co 80003 Therapists Available			
	Please Support Those Who Have Supported Us		
JAN-MASSAGE	G&B's Pro Shop AMF Sonesta Lanes Glenn Blunt Jr.		
"A sensitive touch lets the healing begin"	8800 Grant Street Bill Sheppard		
First hour	Thornton, Co 80229		
\$29.00 First hour New clients only	303-254-4711 888-427-7740 www.gnbproshop.com IBPSIA		
303-426-0747	www.gnbproshop.com IBPSIA		
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Welcome a week	Custom Measuring & Drilling		
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We appreciate the support given to our	AMF NorthglennTracy Thornton310 W. 104th Ave		
BOWLING Siven to our Northglenn Elks Mixed	Northglenn, CO 80234 303-450-7676		
Bowling Tournament			
Please show your support to	Top Fit Pro Shop		
one of these Pro Shops	Brunswick Zone Mike Tabuchi		
Thank you from the	9150 Harlan Street		
Bowling Committee	Westminster, CO 80031 303-426-7882		



Bingo Workers



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Stashi, Ed Mgr	303-451-1613
Schultz, Trudie sub	303-450-7406
Taylor, Jackie	303-452-9483
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Walk, Pat	303-280-9940
Young, Troy Mgr	720-560-1654
Northglenn Elks	303-452-1644
Bingo Mine	400 W South Boulder Rd
Coal Creek	Lafayette, CO 80026
	Phone: (303) 673-9727

Members:

We have updated the Bingo workers list. If you currently work Bingo and are not on this list, please let us know. Also, if you are still on the list and no longer are able to help, please let us know. Thanks for your continued support.

Join us for Bingo!! We now have sessions on Saturday and Monday Afternoons at Noon. We welcome you as players and look forward to seeing at one of our Sessions.

Support Bingo... Support Our Lodge

Join us for Bingo...

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3	18	44	58	61
7	26	33	47	73
15	29	FREE	60	68
8	16	32	51	72
12	22	40	55	75



Workers and Players Welcome

If you like to work or play bingo, we invite you to join us at the Bingo Mine. Support our Lodge and have fun doing it !!

Freedom is Not Free

Maj. Kelley Strong USA

I watched the flag pass by one day, it fluttered in the breeze, A young man in uniform saluted it, and then he stood at ease. I looked at him in uniform so young, so tall, so proud, With hair cut square and eyes alert, he'd stand out in any crowd. I thought how many men like him had fallen through the years? how many died on foreign soil? How many mothers tears? How many pilots' planes shot down? How many died at sea? How many foxholes were soldiers' graves?

No, freedom is not Free. I heard the sound of taps one night, when everything was still, I listened to the bugler play and felt a sudden chill. I wondered just how many times that taps had meant "Amen" When a flag had draped a coffin of a brother or a friend. I thought of all the children, of mothers and the wives Of fathers, sons and husbands, with interrupted lives. I thought about a graveyard at the bottom of the sea, Of unmarked graves in Arlington.

No, freedom is not free



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