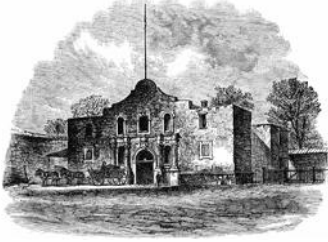


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Message From The Exalted Ruler



Greetings Brother and Sister Elks

I hope this letter finds you in good health.



Great news, we are open on Wednesdays for Burger night is back, come by and say hello and enjoy our great tasting burgers and have a cool drink.

In August Frank Arechiga is planning a Friday steak night, stay tuned for date and price.

We are still getting bids to fix and or replace our A/C units. Next month I will be sharing information from Grand Lodge National Convention.

Albert Estrada
Exalted Ruler
San Antonio Lodge 216



Elks National Foundation



The San Antonio Elks #216 are off to a strong start with our contributions to the Elks National Foundation for the Lodge year 2021-2022.

We have contributed \$1,399.50. That comes out to \$14.43 per member. The San Antonio Elks are currently #5 in the Texas State Elks Association.

To make your contribution contact the Lodge Secretary
email secretary@sanantoniobelks.com phone 210.697.3331 please leave a message.

A little bit can go a very long way



FROM THE LODGE SECRETARY

The regular membership meeting for August 2021 are Tuesday, 3rd & 17th, 7:30 p.m. at the Elks Facility.

Our current membership is 98

We currently have 15 members that have not paid their dues for this year. If you need assistance please contact the Lodge Secretary..

PROPOSITIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

Alex Gonzalez - Proposed by Jack Huggins

UPCOMING EVENTS

- *August 28-29 - DD/VP Clinic Del Rio Elks #837
- *September 7th - DD/VP Official Visit to San Antonio Elks #216
- *September 16 - 18 - Homecoming Ottine
- *October 29 - 31 - TESA Fall Conference - Dallas

Help us keep our records up to date. If you have a change of your mailing or email address or get a new phone number please notify the Lodge Secretary.

The Lodge Secretary is in the office one hour prior to Lodge meetings for any Lodge business.

Stay Safe! See you at the Lodge

Jack Huggins, PER, Secretary
Office Phone # (210) 697.3331
email: secretary@sanantonioelks.com



Veteran's Activities August 2021



With the increase in the COVID positivity rate we are at present not going back to the Audie Murphy V A Hospital for our monthly activities for the patients. Hopefully, things will settle down soon and we will be returning to serve our Veterans. We will keep you informed.
Stay tuned.

Even though we are not able to do any in person activities at the Audie Murphy V A Hospital we continue to support the patients and staff in the G L - A & B Units.

“As long as there are Veteran's in our hospitals they will never be forgotten”

Jack Huggins, PER

**Wednesday night
Hamburgers served
6:00 - 8:00 p.m.**



**Please RSVP - 210-697-3331
Check the Facebook page for more
Information - facebook.com/saelks
The Members Lounge is OPEN**

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
August

- 3 Keith Cooper
- 10 John Johnson
- 10 Patricia Tracy
- 11 Angela Mann
- 12 David Bacon
- 12 Tom McNeill
- 14 Houston Smith
- 17 Russell Elliott
- 20 Edward Jones
- 21 Socorro Castano
- 22 Rick Owens
- 27 Jack Pullen
- 30 Ronald Jones



T. Keith Mills was installed as the Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks of the USA at the Grand Lodge Convention in Tampa, Florida on July 5th, 2021.

Elks Care - Elks Share

United States Coast Guard



Established
August 4, 1790



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Facebook

For the latest information about
the goings on at the
San Antonio Elks #216
go to our Face Book page
[facebook.com/saelks](https://www.facebook.com/saelks)

**Homecoming at Ottine
Texas Elks State Association
September 16-18, 2021
Mark Your Calendars**

LODGE OFFICERS 2021-2022

Exalted Ruler	Albert Estrada, PER
Esteemed Leading Knight	Paula Albert
Esteemed Loyal Knight	Ron Arteaga
Esteemed Lecturing Knight	
Esquire	Lawrence Brown, PER
Chaplain	Joyce Habina
Secretary	Jack Huggins, PER
Treasurer	Frank Archiga, PDDGER
Inner Guard	Hank Newkirk
Tiler	
Trustee 1 year	Lee Hincer, PDDGER
Trustee 2 year	Albert Flores
Trustee 3 year	Tommy Hernandez
Board of Directors	Chair Officers & Trustees
Mediator	Tommy Hernandez

Your officers are here to serve you. They will keep you advised of the functions and activities of the Lodge. If you have questions or comments they are the ones who can help you.

Happy to serve the members of Elks #216

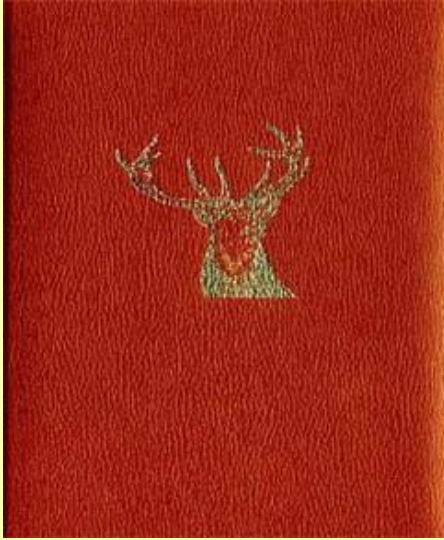
School is starting



Drive safely

**Southwest District Deputy
Vice-President Clinics
August 28 - 29, 2021
Del Rio Elks #837**

Texas Elks Children's Services Texas Elks Endowment, Inc.



GIVE THE GIFT THAT KEEPS ON GIVING

Memorials, honor gifts and special occasion gifts in amounts of \$35 or more offering condolences or recognizing birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, and for special occasions such as Valentine's Day, Christmas, Easter or any special occasion.

A leather bound booklet with the appropriate insert will be sent to the honoree or family. For Memorial or honor gifts under \$35, a card will be sent to the honoree or family.



Contact the Lodge Secretary for more information.

Texas Elks State Association

Kelly McDermott, President
Jim Stansbury, President Elect
Orville Weiss, Secretary
Steve Weatherly, Treasurer

Southwest District Officers

Chris Stansbury
District Deputy Grand Exalter Ruler
Ron Holm
Southwest District Vice-President

MOST VALUABLE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

The 2022 Most Valuable Student application will open on August 2, 2021.

The 2022 application deadline will be November 15, 2021 at 11:59 p.m., Pacific Time

Applicants will be judged on scholarship, leadership, and financial need.

Eligibility:

- J Current high school seniors, or the equivalent, who are citizens of the United States are eligible to apply.
- J Applicants **do not** need to be related to a member of the Elks.
- J High school graduates are not eligible to apply.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are submitted; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.

Go to elks.org for more information

Newsletter Articles due by the 20th of the month

