

A Fraternal Organization
Denison Elks Lodge #238
301 W. Gandy Street
Denison, Texas 75020

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Elks Brief

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Campground Notice

The Elks Lakesite campground will continue to stay closed till March 1st per Board of directors. The water and electricity will be off during this time frame. This will give us time to do some much needed repairs to utilities and campsites without RV's onsite.

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The Lodge meets the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month with the exception of July, August, November, and December when the Lodge meets on the 2nd Wednesday only. The Lodge is located at:

301 W. Gandy Street
Denison, Texas 75020
903-465-9610

Exalted Ruler..... Michael Taylor, PER
Esteemed Leading Knight..... Gene Handeland, PER
Esteemed Loyal Knight Matt Thompson
Esteemed Lecturing Knight Philip Templeton
Secretary Nancy Dooley
Treasurer Shellie White
Esquire Ron Engelke
Tiler DeQuita Engelke
Inner Guard Janet Templeton
Chaplain Fred Brown
5-Yr Trustee John Dooley
4-Yr Trustee James Kirkpatrick
3-Yr Trustee Doug Slatton
2-Yr Trustee Steve McFarland
1-Yr Trustee Jim Moore
Alternate to Grand Lodge Kathy Nelson, PER
Interlodge Janet Templeton
House Committee Lulu Murillo,
Jesica Thompson, Kacey Newsom
Membership Committee Steve McFarland,
Michael Taylor ER, Ron Engelke,
Dequita Engelke, Stan Shipman
Auditing & Accounting Kathy Nelson, PER,
Bob Kissel
Elks Nat'l Foundation Steve McFarland Chair,
..... Ron Engelke
National Service-VA Gordon Stellpflug
Drug Awareness..... Steve McFarland
Publicity Ron Engelke
Scholarships Michael Taylor, ER, Brenda Taylor
Sweetheart DeQuita Engelke

Investigation and Balloting

Investigation will be Wednesday, December 1st at 6:00 pm.

Proposed for Membership

Reinstate-Carl Fleming by Beverly Bennett
Reinstate-Mark Rowland proposed by Kathy Nelson
Reinstate-Dennis Greenway proposed by Michael Beck
New-Morris Salerno III proposed by Carlos Murillo

From the Exalted Ruler

Happy holidays to all the Denison Elks members. I hope everyone has a good Christmas holiday. We still have some delinquent members on the list as the year is coming to a close. Please get your dues up to date to avoid being dropped from the roll. Gail Emberling was in a pedestrian/auto accident and has a long road to recovery so please keep her in your prayers. Toys for Tots will be Saturday December 11th. Gene will be cooking his famous fried chicken dinner; bring an unwrapped new toy (\$10.00 value or more) for a supper ticket or you can purchase your meal separate. New Year's Eve Party is approaching with the Red Clay Gypsy's playing. Come dance out the old, and into the new year. Happy Holidays and Remember Elks Cares Elks Shares.

Fraternally yours,
Michael Taylor
Exalted Ruler

From the Secretary

Letters will be going out this month for those who have Lot Lease payments due January 1st. Lot Lease payments are due January 1st and considered late after the 15th of the month. Please allow for mail delivery time if sending in by mail. Those payments received after the 15th will be assessed a late fee. Payments can also be made at either Social Quarters. The Toys for Tots boxes are now located at both social quarters. Please stop by and bring in an unwrapped toy to help the less than fortunate children have a wonderful Christmas this year. Santa will be present at the downtown lodge on Saturday, December 11th so come on down and have pictures taken with Santa from 6:00-7:00pm. **Happy Holiday Season** to all our members, families and friends!

Fraternally Yours,
Nancy Dooley
Lodge Secretary

Denison Elks #238 Bulletin Board

From the Board of Directors

All Elk's members that have Lots leases located at the Denison Elks Lodge #238 Lakesite, should read their Lot Lease Rules and Regulations. Here are a few of the rules: 1) All lot/ entity property boundaries are an estimate and come as is. It is up to the new lessees to have the property surveyed before leasing if desired and at the lessee's expense. In all property disputes, the final decision and authority rest with the Denison Elks Lodge Board of Directors. 2) Any lot/entity that currently share a septic system, shall share the cost of any repairs and maintenance to the septic system to which they are connected. 3) Mobile homes must be of modern construction and design and stationary homes must be of material approved by the lessor. All waste facilities must be properly connected to a septic system that is in working order. 4) No building or addition shall be erected without prior approval of the lessor. All plans for construction must be approved by the lessor in advance. CONSTRUCTION NOT APPROVED MUST BE DISMANTLED AT THE LESSEE'S EXPENSE. Trees and bushes must be approved before removal also.

The Board of Directors meets every month on the Monday before the second Wednesday of the month at the Denison Elks Lodge in Denison. You can attend the meeting and bring a letter of description and diagram detailing what you wish to erect or remove. Or you can send copy to the Denison Elks Lodge #238 at 301 W Gandy, Denison, TX 75020 for approval.

Fraternally,

Board of Directors

From the House Committee

Elk Family,

The holidays are upon us, and we are ready to celebrate! We have some great things happening at both the lakesite and downtown this month. Come out and join us! Both locations will be having a toy drive for Toys for Tots on Saturday the 11th. Bring any unwrapped gift of \$10 or more value and get a free dinner. If you cannot make it to the dinner, there are drop-off boxes set up in the social quarters for donations. There are fun New Year's Eve parties planned for both locations as well. Lakesite will have a cover charge of \$15 per person for New Years. Please see your bartenders to purchase tickets early. We hope everyone has happy and healthy Holiday Season.

Merry Christmas!

Your devoted House Committee

Lakesite Improvements for Sale

- 1) 258 Elks Blvd - 2BR, 2 Bath and other amenities - Contact Paul Bailey at 903-814-5021
- 2) Lot Lease with mobile home for sale located at 44 Red Almon Dr. 2 BR, 2 Bath, 960 sq. ft, sold as is. Call 214-277-4980 if interested.

ENF News

Thank you for your support in helping us achieve our ENF quota for the year, but we are still just a bit short. If you could see it in your heart to donate an extra \$5.00, it would be very much appreciated.

Membership News

With the delinquent members posted in this month's bulletin, the membership committee could use your help in contacting any one of these individuals if you know someone on the list. Thank you.

Sweetheart News

Thank you to all those who have brought in the Red Pigs so far. Keep them coming. I have something special for the person who raises the most money. Dequita Engelke, Lodge Sweetheart

Birthdays

Dec 1st John Brett
Clarice Driggs
Robert Yantes

Dec 2nd Imogene Williamson

Dec 3rd Henry Salisbury

Dec 4th Joe Rowland

Dec 8th Michael Brawley
Susan Grant

Dec 9th Jerry Lema
James Nash

Dec 10th Norman Erkie
Diane Grote

Dec 12th Glen Grote
Charles Turner

Dec 13th Brandon McMahan

Dec 14th Christine Beardsley
Anthony Owens

Dec 15th Anthony Auberry

Dec 16th Sherry Boswell

Dec 17th David Barnett

Dec 18th Matthew Thompson

Dec 19th Chester Thomas

Dec 20th Paul Bailey
Laurie Kimmell

Dec 21st Andreen Jackson
David Prechtl
James Schnitker
Heather Smith

Dec 22nd Frances Brown
Larna Millican

Dec 23rd Frances Bradshaw
John Pankratz

Dec 25th George Snyder

Dec 26th Tommy Gill

Dec 27th Brenda Taylor

Dec 28th Richard Wilkinson
Charles Wilson

Dec 29th Cecil Miller
Lurdes Murillo

Dec 30th Larry Riley

Anniversaries

Dec 14th W.B. & Imogene
Williamson



Delinquent Members

Aday, Jordan
Backest, Chance
Bailey, James A
Bedell, Don
Blankenship, Alan
Brown, Mykel
Buban, James C
Burfield, Jimmy
Carter, Lewis
Cavanaugh, Bert
Colucci, Michael
Crawford, Evelyn
Dickerson, Billy
Dolezalek, James
Dorsey, Jerry Dwayne
Fahey, Robert J
Fisher, Mark
Gawrych, Anthony
Green, Betty Lou
Harms, Lorie Ellan
Lamb, Charles
Lansford Jr., Jeff
Lester, Charles
Loftis, Bob L
Madden, Thomas J
Maine, Ray
McCrary, Jennifer Nacole
McCrary, Michael
McFarlin, Linda Darlene
Parker, John P
Parsons, Billy
Philips, David F
Poe, James F
Rankin, Mark H
Silva Sr, Sergio
Wilson, Jerry Ray
Winter, Roger
Winter, Ronda

Downtown Social Quarters - (903) 465-9610

December 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Hours : Closed Sun Mon-Wed 4p to 10p Thur - Sat 4p to 11p	Happy Hour Mon to Thu 4p to 7p		1 Investigation D/T 6:00pm	2 Game Night 6:00pm	3 Burger Night 6:00pm	4 ENF Dinner Beef tips & Noodles
5 Closed	6 Meetings D/T: PER 5:30 House Comm 6:30 BoD 6:30	7 Membership Committee Meeting D/T 6:00 pm	8 Lodge Meeting D/T 7:00pm	9 Game Night 6:00pm	10 Burger Night 6:00pm	11 Toys for Tots Chili dog dinner Santa 6p- 7p
12 Closed	13	14 Taco Dinner 6:00pm	15	16 Game Night 6:00pm	17 Burger Night 6:00pm	18 Doc Karaoke 7p-11p Dinner by Gordon 6p
19 Closed	20	21	22 Member Gift Exchange \$10/wrapped	23 Game Night 6:00pm	24 Closed Christmas Eve	25 Closed Christmas Day
26 Closed	27	28 Taco Night 6:00pm	29	30 Game Night 6:00pm	31 NYE Party 6p-11:30p Band 7p- 11p Dinner 6p *No cover charge	

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Hours : Sun-Wed 4p to 10p Thurs-Fri 4p to 12a Sat 4p-1a	Happy Hour Mon to Thu 4p to 7p		1 Investigation D/T 6:00pm	2 Game Night 6:00pm	3 BINGO Taco Dinner 6:00pm	4
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12	13	14	15	16 Game Night 6:00pm	17 BINGO Chicken Fried Steak Dinner 6:00pm	18 Lodge Christmas Party Dinner by Gail M. 6:00pm Dec Bdays
19	20	21	22	23 Game Night 6:00pm	24 Christmas Eve	25 Closed Christmas Day
26	27	28	29	30 Game Night 6:00pm	31 NYE Party Red Clay Gypsies \$15 cover Pot Luck Dinner	

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