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SILVERTON ELKS LODGE #2210
A Fraternal Organization

November 2022

SAVE THE DATES!

**Charity Dinner &
Auction
December 3rd**

**Elks Memorial
Service
December 4th**

**Breakfast with
Santa &
Lodge Christmas
Party
December 17th**

**Time Zone
New Years Eve
Party
December 31st**

RESERVATIONS
REQUIRED
CALL 503.873.4567
DEADLINE WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER 9 2022

Military
Honors

Live
Music

- ★ Silverton Elks #2210
- ★ VETERAN'S DAY DINNER
- ★ DINE-IN OR DRIVE-THRU
- ★ VETERANS EAT FREE
- ★ \$12 PER PERSON
- ★ November 12, 2022 at 6pm
- ★ 300 High St, Silverton, OR 97381

The graphic features a background of an American flag with stars and stripes. A large blue star on the left contains reservation information. A white star in the center says "Military Honors". A red star on the right says "Live Music". Below these are five red stars, each followed by a line of text detailing the event.

QUEEN OF HEARTS

We will be drawing 2 tickets
every Saturday in the month of
December, if the Queen is not
drawn in the month of November



BLOOD DRIVE
NOVEMBER 18TH, 10 am - 3 pm
SILVERTON ELKS LODGE

**2021-2022 OFFICERS OF
SILVERTON LODGE #2210**

Exalted Ruler **Frank Bartruff**
Leading Knight **Richard Bowers**
Loyal Knight **Jerry Hogue**
Lecturing Knight **[open]**
Esquire **Steve Armbruster**
Chaplain **Dan Buckholz**
Inner Guard **Kristy Dumond**
Tiler **Vicki Cronin**
Secretary **Steve May**
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Frank Bartruff
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Bob Meissner
Presiding Justice **Wally Lein**

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

1st Yr **Bob Wachter** chairman
2nd Yr **Chuck DeGuire**
3d Yr **Andy Ulven**
4th Yr **Scott May**
5th Yr

**SILVERTON OFFICERS OF
THE GRAND LODGE**

Stephen May –
District Deputy GER, GL District
Advisor/Leader
Steven Armbruster –
Past Dist. Deputy GER
Virgil Toepfer –
Past Dist. Deputy GER
Norman Barnett –
Past Dist. Deputy GER

STATE ASSOCIATION

Stephen May – Past State
President, State Trustee
Dir., Hoop Shoot (State Chairman)
Don Roth – Credentials/
Nominating (State Chairman)

Elkettes Pres. **Sheri Bowers**

**Lodge Office is open
Tuesday-Friday, 9am - 12:30pm
Club is normally open at 4:30 pm
Wednesday - Saturday**
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ER's Message

Greetings, everyone!

Well, the first half of October has been wonderful weather and events wise. Charter Member Night four of our seven charter members came down and had prime rib dinner: **David & Rita Doerfler, Howard & Patricia Klopfenstein, James Palmquist** and **David McColly**. It was wonderful to see you all.

I want to thank **Steve Messman** for cleaning the lodge while I have been recovering from my surgery. Great job, Steve! I would like to also thank **Margaret & Diane** for finishing up the painting in the dining room.

We had seven new members and three reinstatements in September. We also had one transfer in October. Our Coats for Kids is going very well. As of October 17th, we have 53 new coats. A big thank you to all that have made some wonderful donations to the lodge this last month.

Short Order Grill is coming back on some Fridays and Saturdays, when we have no other food planned.

The holidays are upon us. The officers want to wish everyone the best of the holidays. Come on down to the lodge and enjoy some dinner and time with the friends and members.

Hoping this finds everyone well. Wishing you all the best!

Frank Bartruff
Exalted Ruler



Elkettes Corner

Thank you, Diane, for covering my last two meetings. Elkettes dessert night will be the 3rd of November along with Chicken Fried Steak. Come and enjoy some home baked goods and help our charities.

Check your calendars to see if you are able to come out to our Charity Dinner & Auction on December 3rd, 2022. It will benefit two fold, the Elks will benefit from the dinner and Elkettes from the silent auction.

Hidden number for November 3747. Please call the lodge for prize if you see your membership number: 503-873-4567. Looking forward to seeing you, come out for a great dinner and company.

Sheri Bowers
Elkettes President

Lodge in need of an Elk mount

We are currently looking to replace one of our Elk mounts that is showing its age. We are looking for a mount of at least 6 points that may be available. If you know of an Elk mount, please contact the lodge.

Leading Knight

Thanksgiving— pause for effect. Just the thought of it reminds me of many things. The weather, friends, family, leaves, holidays and so on. Americans that made us safe, these we call veterans. Our nation has made a special day to honor these individuals for their service to our country. Elks have always shown appreciation for our past and our future.

Time also to entertain friends and family later in the month as the holiday season approaches. Do we stay so busy that Thanksgiving has become just another day? Without the spirit of giving in our hearts it may come to pass. Charity saved the start of this great nation as the elements turned bad the true native people took care and watched over strangers. How did we become so skeptical, not to trust or appreciate each other?

Silverton Elks could use some leadership in the near future to continue benefiting our local community as Elks care and share. Having just attended fall seminar, we have continued to grow the order. Also noticed that even though this seminar was intended for Leading Knights who intend to become Exalted Ruler, many chair officers attended also. Maybe consider chairing an event this next year. With our Elkettes help, we will be holding a charity dinner and I won't be preparing the meal.

Rich Bowers

Esteemed Leading Knight

Loyal Knight

Hello everyone!

Carol and I welcomed the rain, we needed it. Welcome to the all the new members: reinstatements, transfers and initiates.

Thank you to everyone who helped with our workday on October 22nd. We got a lot done and the lodge looks great.

We had great dinners in October (as usual) and thank you to all who prepared and helped serve these meals. I want to specifically mention the Charter Member Dinner. It was outstanding and had a quite large turnout.

This year's coat drive was an outstanding success. Thanks to all who contributed.

Carol and I had a great time on Halloween. Our church had a Trunk-o-Treat. The kids were fun and the costumes were fantastic.

Well hope you all have a great November and holiday season. Hope to see you at the Lodge! Best wishes, Jerry and Carol.

Jerry Hoque

Esteemed Loyal Knight

THURSDAY DINE IN or TAKE OUT

MUST CALL THE LODGE

WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO 4 pm

TO GET ON THE RESERVATION LIST

503-873-4567

NOV. 3, 5:30 TO 7 PM

CHICKEN FRIED STEAK

DINNER \$9

NOV. 10, 5:30 TO 7 PM

PULLED PORK w/COLESLAW

DINNER \$9

NOV. 17, 5:30 TO 7 PM

SALISBURY STEAK

DINNER \$9

NOV. 18, 5:30 TO 7 PM

TURKEY DINNER w/THE TRIMMINGS

ORDER AND SET UP A TIME!

503-873-4567

Crying Towel

September 21, 2022

Allen Zitzelberger \$ 100
Cynthia Hickman \$ 20

September 28, 2022

Robert Eberle Jr. \$ 100
Ramon Gonzalez \$ 30

October 05, 2022

Richard Kessel \$ 100
Lawrence Meyer \$ 40

October 12, 2022

David Weissenfels \$ 100
Randy Fischer \$ 50

October 19, 2022

Bob Wachter \$ 100 *Was present!*
William Cameron \$ 60



**Be there
when your
name is
called
and WIN!**

Sickness & Distress

- **Gary Glaser** is dealing with back issues
- **Frank Bartruff** had surgery, is doing well
- **Jim Keating's** mother is in hospital with heart issues.

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Flea Market Help Wanted

There has been some interest in bringing back the indoor Flea Market that the lodge held monthly October through March. The time commitment is generally a few hours prior to the flea market for setup and a few hours during the event once per month. If you are interested in helping to host the flea market, please contact the lodge.

WELCOME REINSTATED MEMBERS

Janet Rhode

~ proposed by Becky Ludden

Dustin Baker

~ proposed by Stephen May

Shannon Farrell

~ proposed by Frank Bartruff

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

By Transfer from Oregon City #1189

Scott Bittler

~ proposed by Richard Detherage

BALLOTING

November 9, 2022

BY INITIATION

Richard M. Schmidt

Wife Juliann

proposer Richard L. Schmidt

Andy Bellando

Wife Rhonda

proposer Richard L. Schmidt

ORIENTATION

November 10, 2022

INITIATION

November 16, 2022

TRACKING MEMBERSHIP

As of April 19, 2022

Members as of 4-1-2022 **324**

Increases

INITIATED	18
AFFILIATED	1
REINSTATEMENTS	3

Decreases

TRANSFERRED OUT	0
DEATHS	4
DROPPED	2
ABSOLUTE DIMIT	0
GAIN/LOSS	15
DELINQUENT 6 MO.	23
Lapsation Rate	7.72%
LIFE MEMBERS	43

MEMBERSHIP TOTAL 339

WAITING TO BE READ	1
READY FOR BALLOTING	1
READY FOR ORIENTATION	0
READY FOR INITIATION	0
READY FOR AFFILIATION	0
READY FOR REINSTATEMENT	0



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NOVEMBER 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 LODGE CLOSED	2 LODGE MEETING 7:30 pm	3 Dinner 5:30 - 7 pm CHICKEN FRIED STEAK ELKETTES DESSERT Poker 6-9 pm	4 FIRST FRIDAY LODGE OPEN Bar Food 5 - 7 pm DARTS 7 pm	5 PRIME RIB \$22 5 - 7 pm
<i>Host: FRANK BARTRUFF</i>						
6 LODGE CLOSED	7 LODGE CLOSED	8 LODGE CLOSED BOG 4:30 pm Elkettes Mtg 6:30	9 PER 6:30 LODGE MEETING 7:30 pm	10 Dinner 5:30 - 7 pm PULLED PORK w/COLESLAW (Holly/Curbside Deli) Poker 6-9 pm ORIENTATION 7 pm	11 LODGE OPEN Bar Food 5 - 7 pm DARTS 7 pm	12 Veterans eat FREE RESERVATIONS REQUIRED VETERANS DINNER \$12
<i>Host: BOB WACHTER</i>						
13 LODGE CLOSED	14 LODGE CLOSED	15 LODGE CLOSED	16 LODGE MEETING 7:30 pm Initiation	17 Dinner 5:30 - 7 pm SALISBURY STEAK Poker 6-9 pm	18 Blood Drive 10 - 3 TURKEY DINNER w/TRIMMINGS DARTS 7 pm	19 Past District Deputy dinner LODGE OPEN <i>Birthday Bash!</i> Steak \$14 Chicken \$12
<i>Host: DON ROTH</i>						
20 LODGE CLOSED	21 LODGE CLOSED	22 LODGE CLOSED	23 LODGE MEETING 7:30 pm	24 THANKSGIVING LODGE CLOSED	25 SHORT ORDER GRILL 5 - 7 pm DARTS 7 pm	26 LODGE OPEN
<i>Host: KRISTYIY DUMOND</i>						
27 LODGE CLOSED	28 LODGE CLOSED	29 LODGE CLOSED	30 LODGE MEETING 7:30 pm			



D O N A T I O N D R I V E

RESIDENT NEEDS:

- Bluetooth speakers with USB port input
- USB storage memory stick 8GB
- Non-alcoholic beer
- Electric razors (Norelco Remington, etc.)
- Old Spice Body Wash
- Magnifying glasses
- Adult clothing protectors (bibs)
- \$10 local (Lebanon/Albany) restaurant & Walmart gift cards
- Anti-slip, non-skid socks (prefer non-institutional looking),
- Microwave popcorn/kettle corn
- Body wash (Old Spice)
- Handheld electronic games (e.g. Yahtzee and poker)
- Dove (Gentle Body Wash),
- Newspaper subscriptions Lebanon Express, Oregonian, and Albany Democrat-Herald
- Sensory stimulating items such as soap
- Aroma therapy lotion
- shaving cream
- Diet (Sugar Free) Root Beer
- Keurig Cups - Folgers, Decaf and Hot Cocoa
- Gatorade Regular and Zero (Diabetics),
- Non-Scented & Non-Medicated Lotion
- Non-Caffeinated Root Beer
- Non-Caffeinated Orange Crush
- Diet (Sugar Free) Orange Crush
- Birthday Party Decor - Plates, Cups, Balloons
- Acrylic Paints and Canvas of many different sizes
- Adult Coloring Books that are larger print

DROP OFF LOCATION:

SILVERTON ELKS - 300 HIGH ST

**ACCEPTING DONATIONS
THROUGH SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 12, 2022**

Welcome Basket Needs:

We offer a welcome basket to each new veteran resident that is filled with supplies to make the transition into the OVHL easier. Inside this basket are the items we are in need of:

- Notepads (mini legal pads)
- Pens
- LARGE PRINT Crossword, Word Finds, and Sudoku Books
- Wall calendars
- Back scratchers
- Stress balls
- Playing cards
- Patriotic items (e.g. flags, pins)
- Americana items
- Loofahs (various colors)
- Travel size air fresheners (e.g. Febreze), various scents
- Chapstick, various flavors

MORE INFORMATION

DESKOFMEGHAN@OUTLOOK.COM

NEW ITEMS ONLY & NO TRAVEL-SIZES PLEASE

Happy Birthday!

Nov. 2

William Lowery
Frank (Tyke) Sherwood

Nov. 5

Michelle Philpot

Nov. 7

Lynn DeGuire
Jeanne Marie Hannan

Nov. 8

Douglas Brown
Ray Salter

Nov. 9

Kathryn Backman

Nov. 12

Larry Weiler

Nov. 13

James Rodney

Nov. 17

Bonnie Lester

Nov. 18

Kathy Klopfenstein
Bernie Papenfus

Nov. 19

Larry Tingwall

Nov. 20

Paul Smit

Nov. 22

Debbie Listella



Nov. 23

Vicki Davis

Nov. 24

Lori Schiedler

Nov. 25

Larry Wrolstad
David Zitzelberger

Nov. 26

Alex White

Nov. 28

Jerry Allen

Nov. 29

Rick Haglund

Nov. 30

Denna Coleman

In Memoriam

*The Faults of our Members we write upon the Sands,
their Virtues upon the tablets of love and memory*

Leonard Lawrence Van Valkenberg

April 29, 1938 – September 12, 2022

Membership No. 3467

41-year member, Initiated March 13, 1982

He was a Charter Member of Woodburn Lodge
#2637

He was a Past Trustee of Woodburn Lodge

Affiliated with Silverton Lodge #2210
September 14, 2011

Elks Cruise discussion continues

Next cruise meeting is Saturday, November 26 at 6:30 p.m. The destinations discussed so far are Belize, Costa Rico, Panama Canal, New England in the fall, and the Hawaiian Islands. If you have any suggestions, please come and join in. We will look into cruise lines and get some ideas of price.

LODGE #2210

OFFICE HOURS

SATURDAY, SUNDAY & MONDAY
CLOSED

TUESDAY 9 AM TO 12:30 PM

WEDNESDAY THRU FRIDAY

9 AM TO 4:30 PM

**ELK of the
MONTH**

**MARGARET
TINGWELL**

*For taking on
Chairperson of the
Decorating Committee.*

**OFFICER of the
MONTH**

STEVE MAY

*For his help working
on the budget.*

**VOLUNTEER
of the MONTH**

DIANE ROTH

*For helping with the
painting in the dining
room*