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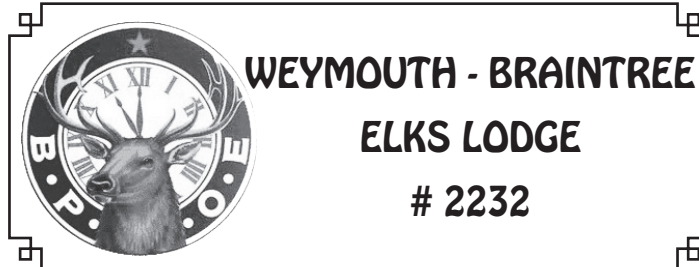
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Instituted June 25, 1961

EXALTED RULER - Donna Hynson

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LODGE HOURS

SUNDAY: NOON ~ 7 PM
WED - THURS - FRI: 3 ~ 11 PM
SATURDAY: 3 PM TIL CLOSING

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The 1301st Meeting of the Weymouth-Braintree Lodge No. 2232 - 7:00 pm - Tuesday, May 3, 2022

The 1302nd Meeting of the Weymouth-Braintree Lodge No. 2232 - 7:00 pm - Tuesday, May 17, 2022



MAY 2022



ENF & OUR LODGE

Members All:

As we move into our new fraternal year, I am happy to say we made our 2021/2022 per capita. Thank you to everyone that helped make this happen. This being a new fraternal year, hopefully we can do it again.

As you know, your donations to ENF helps many programs such as Drug Awareness, Scholarships and Veterans. The amount needed to meet the per capita is based on our membership number multiplied by the amount of \$4.80 as set by the Grand Exalted Ruler. The amount needed for 2022/2023, is \$5904.00. We have a slight start on this amount from the monies that people donate with their dues. I will give a better update on that when I have a total of those monies.

I also want to let everyone know that because we met our per capita, we were able to apply for a couple of more grants to aid our communities. I have applied for the Freedom Grant - which will aid Veterans, and the Spotlight/Beacon Grant which will again help our local food pantries to continue their much-needed work within our communities. The total monies from just these two Grants is over \$8000.00. I also have 1 more to apply for that will be an additional amount for the project that is chosen.

I have been proud to be Chairperson of ENF and will continue to serve our Lodge. I have people that are on this committee ready to help once the new grants have been approved.

Once again, thank you for all of your donations they help in so many ways. As always if anyone has any questions with regard to donating, or what ENF is all about please see either myself or our Lodge Secretary Jerry and we would be more than happy to help.

Fraternally
Donna Hynson, Chairperson ENF Weymouth Braintree Elks #2232



**WEYMOUTH - BRAINTREE
LODGE of ELKS #2232**

ANNUAL MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY HONORING ALL VETERANS

SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2022 ~ 10:00 AM

**Weymouth / Braintree Elks Veterans Memorial Site
Plain Street Cemetery, Braintree**

ALL ARE WELCOME!!

OFFICERS ATTENDING TUXEDO PLEASE

(781) 843-1466 or Cell (617) 639-6454
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SUSAN SINGLER DD CLINIC WEYMOUTH-BRAINTREE #2232

On April 20th our DD's last clinic was held at our lodge. It was a splendid turnout from all the lodges in the Circle District.

Sue was humbled by the number of Elks that came out to show how much we love and support her for all she does for Elksdom.



And towards the end of the evening there was a surprise presentation of a 50 Year Pin to Donald R Webber PER, PDDGER



**FROM
ALL OF US
TO ALL OF
YOU!**



EXALTED RULER

Members All:

It seems that Spring is here at last. The weather is getting better and the flowers are blooming. Spring is a time for new things and as a new Exalted Ruler, I am and I will be trying to bring new thing to the Lodge for our members.

We will be having a Family Feud event on Sunday, May 1st from 1-4pm in the members' quarters. It should be interesting to see how the teams do. There will be Derby Day at the races on Saturday, May 7th with a raffle basket prize. Come down and bet on a few races. Ladies wear your best hat. We will be having our 2nd meat raffle on Sunday, May 22nd from 1-4 pm. Hopefully it is as successful as the first 1. I would love to see more members there.

While we are all having a good time, we are also working hard to keep up the cleaning and maintenance of the Lodge. If anyone would like to volunteer to assist in the weekly cleaning of the Lodge, please see me. The volunteers that clean do it every Tuesday morning--so if you have an hour to spare- perhaps you could join us.

We had a very successful Fish Fry on Good Friday, April 15th. It was wonderful to see so many faces we have not seen in awhile enjoying this event.

We brought in 5 new members to the Lodge at our April 19th meeting. If you happen to see them around the Lodge, bid them welcome.

We will be having a Memorial Day Service @ Plain Street Cemetery in Braintree at 10 am. Saturday May 28th. Our officers will be in their tuxedo's. It is a brief ceremony, and all are welcome to attend. We will be marching in the town's Memorial Day parade on Monday May 30th at 10am.

As always, if any member has any questions, please see me or any of the officers and we would be more than happy to answer what we can

Fraternally Yours, Donna Hynson, *Exalted Ruler*



LEADING KNIGHT

Fellow Elks,

The weather is getting warmer and we will be glad to get out and get back to a normal life. As you get out, come to the lodge and reconnect with friends.

We had an Election at the Members Meeting on April 19th that was well attended. Congratulations to Bill McFarland '2' for election to the 2 Year Board of Trustees position.

There was a ceremony for Americanism at the hall on April 13. We have one First Place recipient going to the National Competition. Congratulations and *Good Luck* to her.

I want to remind everyone about the donation box in the Members Lounge. May donations are for "Youth Activities".

Fraternally
Mark Good, *Leading Knight*



DESK OF THE SECRETARY

The following Candidates will be voted on
at an upcoming Lodge meeting

CHARLES J OLIVER, Retired, Hull / Prop: Denise Menz #5336
PATRICIA L WEST, Retired, Weymouth/ Prop: Paul Lukis #5009

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Initiated April 19, 2021



Make sure to say "hello" if you see them in our
newly renovated members lounge

LOYAL KNIGHT

Hello members all.

Spring is here, I'm looking forward to the warmer weather. I'm looking forward to seeing the member's wearing their Kentucky Derby Hats on May 7th.

Fraternally yours,
Lisa Scavo, *Loyal Knight*



REMINDER

Your 2022 - 2023 membership dues must be paid in advance if you plan to attend Lodge Meetings on May 1 or May 17. Membership cards will be checked as the Statutes require.

WEYMOUTH - BRAINTREE LODGE OF ELKS NO. 2232 - ANNUAL DUES STATEMENT 2022 - 2023 Lodge Year Beginning April 1, 2022

Member Name: _____

Member No. _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Tel: _____ Email: _____

Please report any changes promptly to the Secretary's Office.

Regular Member Dues: \$107.00

Life Member Dues: \$62.00

ADD A DONATION:

Elks National Foundation _____

Charity Baskets _____

Dream Come True Fund _____

Hospitalized Veterans Fund _____

PER Scholarship Fund _____

Please fill out and send this slip along
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Please note that dues are **not**
deductible as a charitable contribution

____ Please mail my membership card

____ Please leave my card at the bar

OR drop in the Secretary's mail slot

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MAY

2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
MAY 1 FAMILY FEUD with CRAZY HARRY 1 ~ 3 PM	MAY 2	MAY 3 Membership Meeting - 7 PM	MAY 4 POOR MAN'S POLKA 7:30 PM	MAY 5 DART TARTS 7 PM	MAY 6 6:30-8:30 PM SINGO	MAY 7  A Day At The Races! 1 ~ 5 PM MUSIC 7 ~ 11 PM JOHN KELLY JR
MAY 8  happy Mother's Day	MAY 9	MAY 10 Board of Directors Meeting - 6:30 PM	MAY 11 POOR MAN'S POLKA 7:30 PM	MAY 12 DART TARTS 7 PM	MAY 13 7 ~ 10 PM PAUL Q KAREOKE	MAY 14 MUSIC 7 ~ 11 PM CHUCK PALMER
MAY 15 REGIONAL WAREHAM / NEW BEDFORD 10:30 AM	MAY 16	MAY 17 Membership Meeting - 7 PM	MAY 18 POOR MAN'S POLKA 7:30 PM	MAY 19 DART TARTS 7 PM	MAY 20	MAY 21  State President's Testimonial Dinner Manard/Clinton MUSIC 7 ~ 11 PM DJ JOHN COOLY
MAY 22	MAY 23	MAY 24 Board of Directors Meeting - 6:30 PM	MAY 25 POOR MAN'S POLKA 7:30 PM	MAY 26 DART TARTS 7 PM	MAY 27	MAY 28 MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY 10 AM MUSIC 7 ~ 11 PM CLASSIC REWIND
MAY 29	MAY 30  Memorial Day	MAY 31	JUNE 1 POOR MAN'S POLKA 7:30 PM	JUNE 2 DART TARTS 7 PM	JUNE 3 7 ~ 10 PM PAUL Q KAREOKE	JUNE 4 MUSIC 7 ~ 11 PM DJ JOHN COOLY



VISIT OUR MEMBERS KITCHEN
FOR GREAT FRESH MEALS,
SOUPS & PIZZA





Here's our lineup ~ 7 PM ~ 11 PM

MAY ENTERTAINMENT



*** May 1.....Family Feud ~ with Crazy Harry (Sunday 1 ~ 3) ***
** Saturday, May 7 ~ Day At The Races ~ 1 - 5 PM ** A Lot of Fun for ALL **

May 6.....Singo (Friday 6:30 ~ 8:30) May 7.....John Kelly Jr
May 13.....Paul Q~Kareoke (Friday 7 ~ 10) May 14.....Chuck Palmer
May 21.....DJ John Cooly May 28.....Classic Rewind

June 3.....Paul Q~Kareoke (Friday 7 ~ 10) June 4.....DJ John Cooly



DAY AT THE RACES SATURDAY MAY 7TH 1PM TO 5PM



TO BENEFIT PER SCHOLARSHIPS
& LODGE CHARITIES

COME DOWN FOR AN AFTERNOON OF FUN!

Don't forget to wear your best Derby Hat!

DONATION BOX

We have created a monthly rotating donation box schedule to collect donations for local charities and lodge programs. The box and the list is located on the bulletin board. If you have suggestions to add other charities, please see Joyce Dozois or Donna Hynson.



MAY donations are for
YOUTH ACTIVITIES



SICKNESS AND VISITING COMMITTEE REPORT

CHAIRMAN: DONNA HYNSON, LEADING KNIGHT

Hospital:

Rehab: Visitors Welcome!

Atrium	Jim Cicchese
Wind Rose	John "Jack" McKenna
Braintree	Mike Crehan
Duxbury	Walter Ryerson

At Home:

Maryellen Hall

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

If anyone can donate an hour or so once or twice a week in the morning to assist in Lodge cleaning, please see Donna Hynson for days, times, and duties. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Please consider getting your Bulletin via email. Just send a note to: secretary@bpoe2232.org from your email address with your name & membership #



QUEEN OF HEARTS DRAWN SATURDAY NIGHTS COME SEE IF IT'S YOUR LUCKY NIGHT

MEMBERS LOUNGE

winners responsible for all taxes

Weymouth-Braintree Lodge No. 2232, BPOE Lodge of Sorrow

The Clock Of Their Day Has Stopped And Across Its Dial The Motionless Shadows Aprk The Hour Of Eleven.
In Appreciation Of The Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love And Fidelity Of Our Members

JOSEPH G YOUT - LM #636

Initiated: February 10, 1970 Died: March 22, 2022

JOHN A CHIAVAROLI JR - LM PER #815

Initiated: November 24, 1970 Died: April 2, 2022

RICHARD F GRAFTON JR - LM #2412

Initiated: March 24, 1981 Died: April 13, 2022

THOMAS M FERRIS - LM #2820

Initiated: June 21, 1986 Died: April 16, 2022

JAMES P O'ROURKE - #4998

Initiated: June 19, 2005 Died: December 20, 2021

"Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them O Lord And Let Perpetual Light Shine Upon Them."

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