Welcome South Hillsborough Elks,

I hope everyone is staying healthy. Hope you had a happy Thanksgiving. I know it is difficult to travel and also hard not to be with family.

There are many things going on at the Lodge. Remember Bingo at 5PM on Monday. The jackpot is still growing and very large. Wednesday is Spaghetti night plus a special with music for your entertainment. Friday dinner is fish plus an available special. See the Blast for weekly menus. We also have music on Friday.

We are having a Lodge anniversary/Christmas Dinner on December 12th. The menu includes center cut pork loin roast. The social hour will be 5:00 to 6:00, with dinner at 6:00, and music by Thor Stevens 7:00 to 9:00. The cost is $15 per person.

Due to COVID difficulties, we are helping Foster Angels of Hillsborough County differently this year. The Lodge approved a $1000 donation from our charity fund. Many members have asked how to make individual donations. Personal checks can be made to Foster Angels in any amount you can give. Please mark Elks Lodge 2672 in the memo space on your check. You can also make a contribution using your credit card at the bar. Tell the bartender to allocate the money to Foster Angels. Cash donations are, of course, also welcome. Brian McNeil will come to collect our donations on December 8th, so please make sure you have given what you can before that date. Thanks for keeping this Christmas gift alive during these difficult times.

The Lodge will be holding a Memorial Day Celebration on December 5th at 2:00PM to remember our deceased members who we lost this past year. Please come to honor our deceased members and their families. Elks are never forgotten; never forsaken.

Last January the Lodge held a Town Hall Meeting for members to come to discuss their concerns. We had a lot of great ideas presented. We will hold another Town Hall Meeting on January 9th at 10 AM. Coffee and donuts will be provided. Please come to see how we’ve progressed and with suggestions for improvement in the future.

The PERs are having a Gourmet Meat Raffle on December 4th. Stop by the Lodge to obtain a ticket. The Elks Riders have a 50 inch TV raffle to be drawn on January 29th. The Mighty South West District is holding their Reverse Drawing on January 16th. Tickets are $50 and you could win $2500. I have the available tickets.

I hope everyone has a Merry Holiday Season. Please stop by the Lodge.

Fraternally Yours,

Jerry Ray E.R.
CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 12th
Social Hour 5pm to 6pm
Dinner Served 6pm
Music by "Thor" 7pm to 9pm
$15.00 Per Person
Reservations “REQUIRED”

Sit Down Dinner
Pork Roast
with sides
and a special dessert

RSVP by December 7th * 941-685-1524 * 813-938-1286 or 813-645-2089

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## December 2020

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From the purple pigs

Thanks to all of you from all of us. Lu has emptied our tummies this week, and we are hungry all over again. We understand the monies she collected and the next collection will send one underprivileged child to the Florida Youth Camp for one week, so keep the change flowing.

ISN’T IT GREAT TO BE A FLORIDA ELK

Eleven O’Clock Toast.

You have heard the tolling of eleven strokes. This is to impress upon you that with us, the hour of eleven has a tender significance. Wherever Elks may roam, whatever their lot in life may be, when this hour falls upon the dial of night, the Great Heart of Elkdom swells and throbs. It is the golden hour of recollection, the homecoming of those who wander, the mystic roll-call of those who will come no more. Living or dead, Elks are never forgotten, never forsaken. Morning and noon may pass them by, the light of day sink heedlessly in the West, but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall, the chimes of memory will be pealing forth the friendly message:

“To Our Absent Members.”

DECEMBER Birthdays

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“ENTRY TO THE LODGE”

PLEASE … use your member card to access the lodge and it must be presented for bar services.

The number of members ringing the doorbell has become excessive.

It is a great inconvenience to the bartenders who are here to serve our patrons not answer the door for persons who possess access cards.

There will always be a time when someone loses or forgets their card, however, we have a number of chronic abusers who admittedly have said they are just too lazy to use their card.

Members ringing the bell for entry should be the exception, not the rule.

Please be courteous and respectful of the bartenders and the other 95% of members who follow the rules…… and use your member card.

Lu Smith, PDD Lodge Advisor

Sickness and Distress Notify
Lodge Chaplain:
Sugar Conrad
813-997-8647
sbellew@wans.net

Tuesday, December 8th
6:00 PM Board Meeting
7:30 PM Member Meeting

Tuesday, December 22nd
NO Board Meeting
NO Member Meeting
Board Meeting Starts at 6:00 pm
General Meetings Start at 7:30 pm
South Hillsborough Elks News

December 2020

Lodge Advisor News Updates:

Members All, I wish everyone a Happy and Healthy Holiday season.

The lodge is doing amazingly well financially. Things are moving quickly, and it is hard to keep up with all that is going on. Buckle up and come on down for the ride.

Monday Bingo is in full swing, Nora & Bob have it completely under control. All money raised from Bingo is deposited into our Charity account. Monday evening, light dinners, are also going well. Where can you purchase a meal for $5.00 other than at 2672? We have started Sunday Dinners back up between 4-6 PM. We alternate each Sunday between Spareribs or Shrimp on one Sunday and ½ baked chicken or Shrimp on the next Sunday. Reservations are requested, so call the lodge and leave a message. Wednesday is pasta night along with a Chef's special, & music from 7-9. Friday evenings we have Baked Fish, Beer Battered Fish or Dry Batter Fish plus a Chef’s special along with music for your dancing & listening pleasure. The Ad-Tab machine is back in operation, so if you want to try your luck come on down. Steve & Sugar have volunteered to start the Queen of Hearts back up. It is my understanding that this will start on Friday evenings, so stay tuned. An Anniversary-Holiday Party is scheduled for December 12,2020.

The Draft Beer cooler has been repaired and is in operation. We have a new convection oven and a new ice machine. The reach in freezer, has like wise been repaired. We are in full operation. The best part is we can make our finical obligations.

Anne Ray is busy renting the hall to outside groups. If you are interested in renting either the lodge room or lounge for a gathering give Anne a call. She is a pleasant lady extremely easy to work with.

We are planning a Teacher’s appreciation day on the 3rd Friday of every month. We are also in the talking stages of returning our veterans from Bay Pines for Friday Dinners. The main hold up is transportation.

The Kiwanis, Lions and Girl Scouts are continuing to hold their meetings at the lodge. The Girl Scouts were grateful for the donation to their recently held food drive. Lions Club will put on a show on in March at the lodge. The Kiwanis will hold their annual Christmas party at the lodge on December 10th.

Like I said things are moving quickly, all in the right direction. We would love to have you become a part of our rebuilding effort. We have room for everyone.

We continue to require masks, temperatures are taken upon entry, social distancing is enforced, all volunteers wear mask and food service personnel wear gloves. The tables and chairs are disinfected after each usage.

I am usually at the lodge on Wednesday & Friday nights, feel free to see me or call me with your thoughts & recommendations 941-685-1523, e-mail raybibis@aol.com.

Thank You,

Ray Bibisi
Lodge Advisor
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**FRIDAY DINNER SPECIALS**
Call Lodge by Wednesday for Reservations & Menu Selection 813-645-2089 ————NOTE: SPECIAL MENU CHANGES WEEKLY

CALL LODGE OR VISIT WEB SITE CALENDAR FOR UP TO DATE INFORMATION

http://www.elks.org/ (Search Lodge # 2672)
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How 'bout an Ice Cold Beer
To go with that order

Amanda Cole Kitchen Manager, 813-812-9155

December 2020

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11 Fish & Chips $9.00
Baked Fish-$9.00
Large Salad-$7.00
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Beef Stroganoff $10.00
Music by: John

12 Lodge Anniversary/Christmas Party

13 1/2 Baked Chicken-$10.00
Shrimp Scampi-$10.00
Girl Scouts Christmas Party

14 Bingo
Chicken Potato Bowl

15 Board Meeting Lodge Meeting

16 Line Dancing Pasta-$8.00
Large Salad-$7.00
Small Salad-$1.00
Salisbury Steak-$10.00
Spirit Enterprise
Kiwanim

17 Girl Scouts

18 Fish & Chips $9.00
Baked Fish-$9.00
Large Salad-$7.00
Small Salad-$1.00
Stuffed Peppers-$10.00
Music by: Renee

19 Hawaiian Chicken-$10.00
Music by: John

20 BBQ Ribs-$10.00
Shrimp Scampi-$10.00

21 Bingo
Chili

22 Line Dancing-Christmas Party
Pasta-$8.00
Large Salad-$7.00
Small Salad-$1.00
Chili-$10.00
Music By: Renee

23 Line Dancing-Christmas Party
Pasta-$8.00
Large Salad-$7.00
Small Salad-$1.00
Enchilada-$5.00
Spirit Enterprise

24 Merry Christmas
Lodge Closed

25 Private Party

26 Private Party

27 BBQ Ribs-$10.00
Shrimp Scampi-$10.00

28 Bingo
Chicken Caesar Salad

29 Line Dancing-Christmas Party
Pasta-$8.00
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Spirit Enterprise

30 Line Dancing-Christmas Party
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Spirit Enterprise

31 Girl Scouts
Sunday Dinner Special

Reservation required by 7:00 pm on the Friday before for that Sunday

1st & 3rd Sunday

1/2 Baked Chicken,
Baked Potato & Cole Slaw $10.00

2nd & 4th Sunday

Pork Ribs,
Baked Potato and Cole Slaw $10.00

South Hillsborough
Elks Lodge #2672
1630 US Hwy 41S. Ruskin, FL 33570
Sunday’s 4 to 7pm
CALL: 813-645-2089 for Reservation
Friday Night Menu

Chef Special (when available)  
Price varies with meal offering

Fish & Chips Dinner  $10.00

Hamburger & Fries  $ 7.00

CheeseBurger & Fries  $ 8.00

DELUX Burger & Fries  $ 9.00  
(Lettuce,Tomato,Pickle,Onion,&/or Cheese)

EXTRA’S:

French Fries  $ 4.00

Extra piece of Fish  $ 4.00

FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER SPECIALS
CALL BY WEDNESDAY FOR RESERVATIONS AND MENU SELECTION

To Reserve the Dinner Special  
Please Call the Lodge at 813-645-2089

NOTE: SPECIAL MENU CHANGES WEEK-
PER Association

Gourmet Meat Raffle

From APOLLO MEATS

4 Halves Boneless Chicken Breasts
2 Butterfly Pork Chops
1 Slab Baby Back Ribs
2 Filets (7 to 8 ounces each)
4 Angus Beef Hot Dogs
4 1/2 Pound Angus Patties
1 Pound Applewood Bacon
1 Pound Homemade Italian Sausage
2 Delmonico Steaks (10 to 12 ounces each)

TICKETS $5 for 10

Tickets On Sale
Monday, Wednesday & Friday
Drawing:
Friday December 4, 2020

Sponsored By: South Hillsborough Elks BPOE #2672
1630 us Hwy 41 S Ruskin, Fl 33570 813-645-2089
The ENF Fidelity Club
The Foundation’s Monthly Giving Program
The easiest way to support the ENF all year round!

Do you contribute to the Elks National Foundation often? What if you could donate without having to think about it? Well, you can! Enroll today and become a member of the Fidelity Club—the ENF’s monthly giving program.

Why Join the Fidelity Club?

• **Ease**: The ENF Fidelity Club recognizes automatic, regularly scheduled donations through your bank account or credit card. These donations can occur monthly (minimum $5) or quarterly (minimum $15).
• **Eco-Friendly**: Save a tree and save time with paperless donations!
• **Convenience**: No need to purchase stamps or mail a check. It takes just five minutes to sign up, and you’re good to go!
• **Flexibility**: You can increase, modify or cancel your gift at any time.
• **Security**: It’s safe, reliable and allows the ENF to spend less time on administration and more time on our charitable mission.

Become a Bulletin Booster Club Member.
Your contribution of just $12 or more per year helps defray the costs of production, printing and distribution of the Lodge Bulletin Newsletter.
To become a Bulletin Booster Club Member please fill out the coupon below and give it along with your contribution to our bartender or one of the Lodge officers. You can also mail it to:
South Hillsborough Elks,
PO Box 2672; Ruskin, FL 33575 (Thank You)

**Bulletin Booster Members**

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| NEW BOOSTER: ☐ RENEWAL: ☐ |
Ten percent of the people do 90 percent of the work… And they get to do it for Nuthin’!

And that's not the only perk… They're asked to donate to causes, contribute their cash and their time, Get up early, usually stay late, and always claim they don't mind.

They serve on boards and commissions, participate in the potluck, bring snacks for the kindergarteners, for hayrides they furnish the truck.

They take their turn on the fair board, as deacons or soccer moms, Jury duty or Salvation Army, ringing bells and gathering alms.

They raise funds for endless projects, the food banks, the FFA, Missions in far-away countries, Girl Scouts/Boy Scouts and the PTA, Call on shut-ins, fight cancer or maybe teach others to read, Through Rotary, Lions or Kiwanis, they work to fulfill a need.

The 10 percent you can count on to sign up, to help and belong, always ready and willing, they make our communities strong.

They often don't get the glory or noticed by everyone, But they are easy to find at a party, cleanin' up after it's done.

What causes man to serve his fellow man? At best I discern NOT MONEY. Sometimes 'thanks" is all they earn

And it can't be evolution, where only the toughest survive, Or lessons learned in a classroom…

But it's there in certain people, giving satisfies their needs; You can't find it in a brain scan, but you can see it in their deeds.

No physical exam can spot it; it won't show up on the chart; But if I had to guess what IT is, I'd say it comes from the heart.

So I'll just admit that we're lucky the 10 percent are right here, 'Cause without them nothing would happen, and they do it all "volunteer.'

"Vol" from the Greek meaning "work like a horse"
"Unteer" meaning "without pay"

Sounds a lot like he could have been talking about the Elks, doesn't it?

Contributed By: Ken Maguire ................. Member Elks Lodge #2672
“THE ELKS’ POINT OF VIEW”

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks is a nation wide organization whose membership over 13 decades has consisted of tens of millions of America’s finest citizens. We love our country and desire to preserve its cherished institutions, traditions and values; respect our neighbors and constantly seek to promote their well-being; and love and enjoy life and believe this enjoyment is increased by sharing it with family, friends and all with whom we come in contact.

To Elks, laughter is better than tears, and a kind word more powerful than a frown. The dream of a better world becomes a reality when shaped by enough willing hearts and hands.

We seek to bring into our family only those who delight in wholesome associations with congenial companions, who possess a deep sense of patriotism, fair play and rededication to noble causes—persons who find fulfillment of their existence in service to humanity, feeding the hungry, sheltering the homeless, aiding those in distress and proving themselves to be true friends to all in need.

We question no one’s religion, nor do we exclude anyone because of creed, race, ethnic origin, educational attainment, vocation, material status or physical stature. We measure character by what one is and does, not by titles or position. We do not ask you to change any beliefs, nor interfere with your present life, nor act contrary to the dictates of conscience. In fact, we encourage you to put your personal beliefs into practice more strongly in these areas. Your associates want you to enjoy life more by becoming a better American and humanitarian.

You are now joined with millions of fine and noble American Elks who have helped better the destiny and way of life for countless generations in our country for more than a century and a third. Generosity is without fanfare and often even without the recipient’s knowledge. You may even have been helped at some point along the way. We have always been there, quietly providing help and encouragement. Now it’s your turn as one of America’s quiet humanitarians, a nationwide family of good neighbors, to begin giving your new life new purpose and fulfillment.

SUBMITTED BY: Lucrecia Smith PDD Lodge Advisor
VOLUNTEER JOBS FOR EVERYONE!

DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN YOU WERE SWORN IN AS AN ELK AND SAID YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP THE LODGE?
HERE ARE YOUR CHANCES!

Every member of Lodge 2672 brings some skill, ability, experience, knowledge, profession or knowhow to the table that can be of benefit to our organization. What’s yours?

- **Accountant** – Can the Auditing or Budget Committees count on you?
- **Athlete** – Coach and conduct our Hoop Shoot program.
- **Carpenter, Electrician or Plumber** – Something always needs to be done.
- **Chef or Cook** – Add your flair to Wednesday, Friday and Sunday night dinners.
- **Communicator** – Work with the Lapsation Program to retain our members.
- **Designer** – What should our lodge look like?
- **Dreamer** – Got any new ideas or different activities for the lodge?
- **Fire Fighter** – Make sure our lodge safe and prepared for any emergency!
- **Gardiner** – Help weed and trim to keep our property neat and appealing
- **Military Veteran** – Honor our veterans; create a Purple Heart Day or other event.
- **Mixologist** – Lend your skills as a part-time bartending staff.
- **Patriot** – Flag Day and Scouts Court of Honor is where you will fit in.
- **Police Officer** – Identify security risks, manage event security; conduct background checks for new members.
- **Teacher** – We have scholarships and need you to apply them where needed.
- **Sales Representative** – Raffles, 50/50’s, fund raisers, are these are your bailiwicks?
- **Writer** – Apply your skills with words and help write our grant request and news releases.
- **Waiter or Waitress** – Can you help serve dinners on Wednesdays, Fridays or Sundays?

None of these jobs require a lot of time or energy, but each will result in a Lodge to be proud of.

Did we miss your super power? Let us know what is it is?
For More information, call: Bob Preston 813-404-5507
Many of you already know what the Elks National Foundation is all about, but for those of you who are new or don't really understand about the Elks National Foundation (ENF) it is my pleasure to share just a little with you!

Our Mission:
Our ENF mission is to help Elks build stronger communities. We fulfill this pledge by investing in communities where we all live and work. We help youth of our communities explore and develop lifelong skills, we send students to college, we meet the needs of today's veterans, support the charitable work of our state associations and fund projects that improve the quality of life in our communities. ENF value and appreciate the belief that charity is the greatest of all virtues and that by sharing and giving we can replace someone's sorrow and despair with hope, confidence and dignity.

Your donation(s) to the ENF help us fund programs that correspond with our values of knowledge, integrity and community.

We were able, with the help of our Lodge Grants coordinator, Joyce Dominick-Schaefer, to acquire $11,000 in grant dollars last year. This money was used throughout our community helping children, veterans and community needs.

The ENF awards scholarships to students each year giving more than any other entity besides the US government. YOUR dollars do that!!! This includes Emergency Educational grants for children of deceased or totally disabled Elks. The Elks National Veterans Service Commission provides aid, support and comfort to America’s Veterans in need. YOUR dollars do that!! This grant includes $1.3 million earmarked to fight to end veteran homelessness. YOUR dollars do that!!

I'd like to say THANK YOU to two new 2672 ENF Fidelity Club members! Your monthly recurring gift will help with the grants we gain for our community and the work we do for our community! It is simple to sign up to become an ENF monthly recurring OR one time donor if you choose. If you want to know how, please contact me and we'll sign you up together!!

We have a goal of $4.75 per member to help with all the programs ENF supports. To date we are falling way short of our goal. Won't you consider a one time donation to ENF or perhaps spreading your gift out over a monthly or quarterly donation.

For more information on the Elks National Foundation go to www.elks.org and click on Elks National Foundation. You be glad you did!!

Jan McCleery, PER:
Elks National Foundation Lodge Chairman
September 23, 2020

All Florida Elks:

STARS KEEP SHINING BRIGHTER THROUGHOUT THE HOLIDAYS DUE TO OVERWHELMING REQUESTS! BE A STAR AND SHINE BRIGHT KNOWING YOU ARE HELPING TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE! The "Star Wars Campaign" will continue to shine brightly in all Lodges throughout the holidays!

For a small donation of $5.00 you can purchase a star to help make a difference! You can write your name of the star to show support or the name of child that you wish to honor that has Autism Spectrum Disorder. Every dollar raised goes directly to Florida Elks Children’s Therapy Services and know that you will be making a difference to help raise awareness for children that are within the spectrum! Florida Elks Children’s Therapy Services treat over 500 children per week and 50% of the patients that they are treating are within the spectrum.

This is a way for all Lodges to participate in the statewide 2nd Annual Unmasking Autism Gala- “An Evening Under the Stars” on April 24, 2021 as we know sometimes dates conflict and you cannot attend. All Lodges will receive recognition at the Gala with having a star posted showing your support and will also be mentioned in the Gala Program. The top 3 Lodges will receive bronze, silver, or gold stars. Please send pictures of the creative ways that your Lodge has displayed the stars shining brightly in support of these children.

Thank you for your support and if your Lodge needs more stars to shine through the holidays please contact Dan Masi (dan@floridaelks.org). We will be having a new deadline of March 1, 2021 and at that time lodges will need to submit a check payable to Florida Elks Charities, Attn: Amanda Frosch, P.O. Box 49, Umatilla, FL 32784.

Thank you for your support and we can light up the holidays with your donation to help to make a difference for these children!
The families of Florida active-duty military personnel, military reservists, Coast Guard, National Guard and/or their dependents are eligible. Active-duty members stationed in Florida with their dependents qualify as Florida residents.

Since its inception, the Army of Hope has raised $620,208.29 and distributed $508,591.35 for families of deployed military members. The help you give through the Florida Elks’ Army of Hope allows the military members to safely concentrate on their duties without worrying about their families at home. The Army of Hope also assists returning veterans with costs to re-establish their civilian life after deployment.

Examples of assistance include:

- School lunches
- Medical and dental emergencies not covered by insurance
- Minor home repairs (plumbing, painting, etc.)
- Auto repairs or transportation when needed
- Full-time or backup babysitting
- Phone cards to contact loved ones
- Lawn mowing, landscaping, sprinkler repairs
- A/C and major appliance repairs
- Clothing and shoes

In 2009, the Army of Hope began bringing dependent children of deployed military personnel to the Florida Elks Youth Camp. It has been a great opportunity for the kids to relax with their peers and enjoy the camp.

Individual aid requests may be made by submitting a completed assistance request form to your local Elks lodge. The lodge will review the request and submit it to the District Veterans’ Services Chairman. The District Chairman will then submit the request for final approval to the Army of Hope Committee.

The time to process an application for aid may take as long as four weeks. Emergency requests may be expedited at the request of a local lodge.
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Florida State Elks Association WEB Site WWW.flelks.org

HARRY-ANNA TRUST FUND Donation Form
Benefiting the Florida Elks Youth Camp & Florida Elks Children’s Therapy Services

SAVE A STAMP & PAPER! DONATE ONLINE AT WWW.FLELKS.ORG!

If you prefer to mail in your donation, please choose donation type below:

- New Certificate - choose series below (any certificate series may be paid in full or use the annual installments listed)
  - Series:        Amount:   Recognition (when completed):   Installs:
  - L: $50.00     Current year’s pin
  - D: $100.00    Bronze pin
  - M: $1,000.00  Gold pin
  - V: $5,000.00  Name on Donor Recognition Wall

- Payment on an existing certificate (provide certificate #: ____________)

- One-time donation (amount: $__________)  □ Memorial donation (see back of form - do not fill out this side)

Name: ___________________________ Lodge Name: ___________________________ Lodge #: ___________________________
City: ___________________________ State: ___________ Zip: ___________________________

Credit/Debit Card #: ___________________________ Exp. Date: ___________________________

- Automatically bill my credit/debit card annually

□ Memorial Donation: In Memory of: ___________________________

From: ___________________________ Lodge Name: ___________________________ Lodge #: ___________________________
Address: ___________________________
City: ___________________________ State: ___________________________ Zip: ___________________________

- Please send letter to family member listed below:

Name: ___________________________
Address: ___________________________
City: ___________________________ State: ___________________________ Zip: ___________________________

Credit/Debit Card #: ___________________________ Exp. Date: ___________________________

Make checks payable to: Harry-Anna Trust Fund
Mail to: Harry-Anna Trust Fund - P.O. Box 49 - Umatilla, FL 32784-0049 - 352-669-2241 ext. 237

Elks Care - Elks Share

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“Isn’t it Great to be a Florida Elk!”

“CALLING ALL LODGE MEMBERS”

We are counting on you and your generous contribution’s to help bring South Hillsborough Elks Lodge #2672 back to its former glory.

Any amount pledged will make a significant impact in our ability as your Lodge Board of Directors in getting your “Home Lodge” back to the condition that all lodge members will be proud of. Our pledge to you is that we, your Board Members will use your money wisely.

Please make your contribution payable to “Elks Lodge 2672”

Mail it to: Elks Lodge # 2672, PO Box 1209, Ruskin, FL 33575

Accepted Call: 813-645-2089

The Lodge hall is available for rent to members and member sponsored guests, for weddings, anniversaries, parties, or other special events.

Our members would be glad to host your business and club meetings.

Please call the Lodge at: 716-498-4568, leave your name, phone number, and a brief message regarding the event planning.

Click on Elk for Lodge WEB Page