



**B.P.O. ELKS     MADERA LODGE # 1918**  
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**OFFICERS:**

**June 2018**

**Exalted Ruler:** Mark Meyers

**Leading Knight:** Irving Del Mercado

**Loyal Knight:** Ann Rodriquez

**Lecturing Knight:** Gary Gregory

**Secretary:** George Gomez

**Treasurer:** Jim McNaughton

**Tiler:** Robert Greening

**Esquire:** Tom Gonzales

**Inner Guard:** Rudy Garibay

**Chaplain:** Mildred S Wright Pearson

**Organist:** Mokey Cowger

**HOUSE COMMITTEE:**

**Chairman:** David Mattrocce

**Members:** Tom Gonzales   Cliff Romano   Roy Yonemura  
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**TRUSTEES:**

**1 Year:** David Opfergelt   **2 Year:** Danny Garcia   **3 Year:** Denise Holdcroft  
**4 Year:** Virgie Chavira   **5 Year:** Mark Stegall

**COMMITTEE CHAIRS:**

**Accident Prevention:** Virgie Chavira

**Activities:** Tom Gonzales

**Americanism:** David Opfergelt

**Auditing & Accounting:** John Bliss

**Drug Awareness:** Mark Stegall

**Elks National Foundation:** Doug Row

**Fraternal:** Doug Row

**Government Relations:** Michael Hegenroether

**Hoop Shoot:** Gary Gregory

**Law Enforcement:** Mokey Cowger

**PER Association:** John Bliss

**Ritualistic:** Denise Holdcroft

**Standing Relief:** Mark Meyers

**State Major Project:** Cliff Romano

**Veterans Services:** Mildred Pearson

**Youth Activities:** Mark Stegall

**Public Relations:** David Opfergelt

## **Past Exalted Rulers:**

**1954-1955** Frank Bergon\*  
**1956-1957** Cliff Plumley\*  
**1958-1959** Lester Milligan\*  
**1960-1961** Lorino Tordini\*  
**1962-1963** Dr. Harvey Hood\*  
**1964-1965** Leonard Reiring\*  
**1966-1967** Edward Bates  
**1968-1969** Demos A. Gamble Sr.\*  
**1970-1971** Eugene Gannon\*  
**1972-1973** David Sesock\*  
**1974-1975** Gordon Kennedy  
**1976-1977** Salvatore Perlongo\*  
**1978-1979** Richard Waldron\*  
**1980-1981** Kenneth Martin\*  
**1982-1983** Lloyd Whitaker\*  
**1984-1985** Earl Cole\*  
**1986-1987** Gilbert Gonzales  
**1988-1989** Paul Kelly\*  
**1990-1991** C.D. Johnson  
**1992-1993** Demos A. Gamble Sr.\*  
**1994-1995/1995-1996** Michael Nella  
**1997-1998** Steven Barsotti  
**1999-2000** Roger Toschi  
**2001-2002** Larry Faust  
**2003-2004/2004-2005** Larry Faust  
**2006-2007** Mike Todd  
**2008-2009** Douglas Nelson  
**2011-2012** Doug Row  
**2013-2014** Hendrik Block  
**2016-2017** Denise Holdcroft

**\*DECEASED**

**1955-1956** Monte Pearson\*  
**1957-1958** Francis J. Riley\*  
**1959-1960** David Holmes\*  
**1961-1962** Gail B. Hillhouse\*  
**1963-1964** Dr. Lester J. Gendron\*  
**1965-1966** Robert Schwartz\*  
**1967-1968** William S. Berryhill\*  
**1969-1970** Al Peart\*  
**1971-1972** Bradford Gould  
**1973-1974** Richard N. Jensen\*  
**1975-1976** Jerry Thorn  
**1977-1978** Mel York\*  
**1979-1980** Paul Bohard  
**1981-1982** James Myers  
**1983-1984** Ray Sesock\*  
**1985-1986** Dr. Talmadge Carter\*  
**1987-1988** Richard N. Jensen\*  
**1989-1990** Walt Lovelady  
**1991-1992** Stewart MacKinnon\*  
**1993-1994** Douglas Nelson  
**1996-1997** Jeffery Myers \*  
**1998-1999** Michael Diebert  
**2000-2001** Douglas Nelson  
**2002-2003** Mike Todd  
**2005-2006** Kurt Dietrich  
**2007-2008** Doug Row  
**2009-2010/2010-2011** Harold Johnson  
**2012-2013** Adam Thomas  
**2014-2015/2015-2016** John Bliss  
**2017-2018** Mark Meyers

**PER:** Don Hall (Barstow)

Richard R Ferguson (Los Banos)

June 2018

From the Exalted Ruler

It is June the summer is under way and there lots going on over the busy summer season. Most importantly we have the Lodge biggest fund raiser the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Fireworks Stand please come down and join in on the fun of running the booth and or getting your fireworks from the lodge fireworks stand.

We will be voting on the scene for the window applique during the meeting on the 14<sup>th</sup> of June and we have the District Deputies visiting that night so please come down have dinner and show support for your lodge and its officers, your attendance is appreciated. I have been told we will have both chicken and tri-tip that night.

We are continuing to have good attendance from the public for Bingo and would like to see more members involved so that it can be done on a rotational basis as we do not want to burn out our volunteers as we have in the past, it is fun and we have a good time, so come on down and join in.

Regular meeting this month are on the 14<sup>th</sup> and the 28<sup>th</sup> we would love to see you here for the meeting and get your participation in the lodge activities, please look over the calendar and see what is going on there is something for everyone.

I will be going to San Antonio Texas the end of the month for the Grand Lodge Convention and as such will not be able to help the Fireworks Committee with the fireworks booth so please let the committee know if you could help everyone's help is needed and appreciated.

Thank you for your participation and I hope to see every one of you at one or all of the upcoming events. - Mark Exalted Ruler

## *Secretary Notes*

*Hello Members,*

New members read on the floor listed below:

1. Bruno Barboza - Proposer Rodney Lopez 2. Phylisha Gomez - Proposer Eddie Block 3. Justin Baker - Proposer Eddie Block 4. Annette Arellanes - Proposer Art Arellanes 5. Aaron Wallis - Proposer John Lawson

FIREWORKS BOOTH NEEDS VOLUNTEERS!!

I heard Saturdays lunch put on by Virgie and Mary Ann was outstanding, keep up the good work.

**REMINDER DUES ARE NOW PAST DUE, IF YOU HAVE NOT PLEASE DO SO**

If you would like to receive your bulletin via email send in your email address.

Thanks,

*George Gomez,*

*Lodge Secretary*

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Email [madelks@yahoo.com](mailto:madelks@yahoo.com)

Office hours 10:00 am to 2:00 pm Monday thru Friday

## **JUNE 2018**

## **Happy Birthday!**

01 Ronald Jones  
04 Virgie Chavira  
04 Michael Hardy  
06 Jack Jeangerard  
09 Ted Pistoiresi  
11 David Mattrocce  
12 Russ Pope  
13 Gary Gregory  
14 Richard Avila  
14 Stacey Manriquez  
17 Alexander Contreras  
20 Rodney Lopez  
21 Michael Pistoiresi  
24 Tim Neal  
26 Jon Holmquist  
27 Larry Pietrowski  
29 David Brown

02 George Gomez  
04 Craig Diebert  
05 Myron Roberts  
06 Walter Lovelady  
10 Harold Johnson  
12 Donald Criss Abshire  
13 John Copland  
13 Charles Johnson  
14 Coutney Forte  
16 Kenny Schoettler  
20 John Kascht  
20 Debra VerSteegh  
21 Bryant Torres  
25 George Crafton  
27 James Bardini  
28 Brian Austin

## *“News & Notices”*

### June 14th Meeting Night Agenda

Dinner will be served 6:30 pm. Meeting starts at 7:30 pm.

Vice President Visitation - Susan Good

Menu: Tri Tip & Chicken, rice pilaf, green beans, salad & roll

Cost - Early bird sign -up \$13.00 Meeting night \$ 15.00

### June 28nd Meeting Night Agenda

Dinner will be served 6:30 pm. Meeting starts at 7:30 pm.

### Potluck Family Night, Student of the Month,

Friday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 6:00 pm. Sign-up sheet at the Lodge

### Sickness & Distress

Prayers go out to member Richard Martinez and family for their recent loss. His brother passed away last week.

Please remember to keep all members that are battling sickness and grief in your thoughts and prayers.

### **Texas Hold'em Winners 5/19/18 1<sup>st</sup> Frankie 2<sup>nd</sup> Bob 3<sup>rd</sup> John**

### **Popcorn Donation**

**Thank You to Nester & Mary Chavira for the purchase of popcorn. We are still in need of others to continue to donate for this. Thanks**

**Join us at the Elks lodge for Father's Day  
Mexican Breakfast**



**8:00 AM to 12:00 PM**

**Menu includes**

**Chile Verde, eggs, beans, potatoes & tortillas**

**Coffee, orange juice & Bloody Mary**

**Adults - \$12.00**

**Children 10 and under - \$5.00**

# **JUNE 2018**

<b>SUN</b>	<b>MON</b>	<b>TUE</b>	<b>WED</b>	<b>THU</b>	<b>FRI</b>	<b>SAT</b>
					<b>1</b> Short Orders	<b>2</b> Lunch /Check Hall Menu
<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Taco Night	<b>5</b> Bingo	<b>6</b> Pasta Night	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Short Orders	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Taco Night	<b>12</b> Directors Meeting	<b>13</b> Pasta Night	<b>14</b> Meeting Night/Dinner	<b>15</b> Family Night Potluck	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Taco Night House Meeting	<b>19</b> Bingo	<b>20</b> Pasta Night	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> Short Orders	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> Taco Night	<b>26</b> Directors Meeting	<b>27</b> Pasta Night	<b>28</b> Meeting Night/Dinner	<b>29</b> Short Orders	<b>30</b>



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### **Catering Also Available**

**Pricing is per person and includes downstairs dining room, dining tables and chairs, choice of Protein, Starch, Vegetable, Salad, Bread, Dinnerware, & pitchers of iced water at the tables.**

**For more information and pricing, please call the Lodge Office at (559) 673-1918.**



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