

The Temple Chimes

Boise Elks Lodge #310
Benevolent and Protective order of Elks

April

- April 3rd

Come to a Lodge Meeting,

Support your lodge

- April 5th

Youth Fund Raiser

Dinner 6pm

- April 9th

Vet Home Bingo 7:15

Come out and volunteer

- April 13

Card Party and Craft 12pm

- April 20th

Easter Egg Hunt 9 am

- April 21

Easter Breakfast 9 am

Reservations accepted

Come on down and enjoy

- April 28

Youth BBQ 4pm



Exalted Rulers Dinner

Perceptions!

We are measured Not by what we are; But by what we seem to be; Not by what we say, but how we are heard; Not by what we do, but how we appear to do it.

April 26, 2019 @ 6:30 pm

Join us for our Exalted Rulers outgoing and incoming dinner.

A Salmon delight meal prepared by Chef Jerry paired with the best Vegetables available at market

All for a low cost \$12.00 a plate (it is a fundraiser).

So, load up your hunting gear pull out those Elk calls and maybe some Duck calls and get dressed in the best camouflage and joins us for an early Hunting Camp. Have a few words to say we might even have a roast to cook!

YOUTH BBQ

The Youth BBQ for the winners of the Hoop Shoot, Elk's Americanism Essay contest and Most Valuable Student Scholarship winners will be April 28, 2019 at 4PM. We congratulate all Elk Chairpersons on a fine job this year with selections and program planning. We want to thank all Elk members who have supported our youth programs. We had another successful year.

Thanks – from all the Youth Chairpersons.



Easter Egg Hunt

It is that time again for Boise Elks Lodge Annual Easter Egg Hunt. Hiders will meet Saturday, April 20th at 9:00 A.M. in front of the Elks rehab Hospital. The egg hunt will start at 10:00 A.M. So gather up your kids, grandkids, nieces and nephews and any child that you think would enjoy it. There will be special needs kids there as well. The lodge has been putting this on for over 35 years that we know of. Julie Washam is in charge and there will be plenty of eggs to go around. We always need as much help as we can get.

Exalted Ruler's Corner

HAPPY 2019/2020 Elk year. I look forward to another year as your Exalted Ruler and trying new ideas on expanding our membership numbers. I could not do any of this without the great support from my wife Kim and all of our great lodge members and their families. I would ask that if you have any ideas on how to improve our great lodge, please bring them to myself or any chair officer or trustee. I would also like to ask that each and everyone of us tries to do a little more for the lodge. Volunteer, or just come to more events that are put on each month.

Fraternally and Sincerely,
Michael Miller
Exalted Ruler

Hello fellow Elks,

For my first, First Lady article, I will keep it short and sweet much like our last year together. I feel like we accomplished so much, and time certainly flies by when you are having fun! When I speak to others about the Boise Elks Lodge, I often hear the same thing, "We are the friendliest lodge." My husband, Mike, and I intend to keep this "friendly" theme going. I would like to encourage you all to do the same by attending more lodge activities and getting involved. As summer approaches, I look forward to seeing our friends return from their winter homes. While our lodge has so much to offer, the greatest things offered are the lasting friendships built with fellow elks. Let's have another great year together!

Sincerely,

First Lady, Kim Miller

Sickness and Distress

Shelly Bourn is in recovery mode for a few more weeks.

Barney Skogerson is recovering from heart surgery.

To Our Absent Members In Memoriam

*"The
Faults of
our
members,
We write
upon
the
sand,"*



*"Their
Virtues
upon the
tablets of
Love
and
Memory."*

John A O'Rorke 92
James M Rees 79

Officers and other Notables

Exalted Ruler	Michael Miller
Leading Knight	Rob France
Loyal Knight	Byron Ely
Lecturing Knight	Jon Burke
Secretary/Bookkeeper	Jerry Ransom
Treasurer	Nathan Suekel
Tiler	Dennis Hyland
Chaplain	John Connors
Esquire	Susie Stertz
Inner Guard	John Dahl

Trustees	Robert "Bob" Apa Chairman
	Michael Knickerbocker Gary Hoelsing
	Geri Scaglione Carlos Jury
	Michael T. Luhr From Alaska
	Thomas James Marmon
	James Damon
	Steve Johnson
	Virginia Stagner
	Bob Warren
	Geri Scaglione
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	Scone Sorneson
	Mike Stagner chimes@boiseelks.org

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Office - Weekdays
11 AM to 3 PM

Bar Hours
3 PM to 8 PM
Later with a crowd

Elkette News

Meeting Monday, April 8, 2019

President's Appreciation Dinner

Bring your favorite Potluck & a Friend. Spouses welcomed

Dinner 6:00pm Meeting 7:00pm

(Also wear a hat or that special hat or a Spring Easter hat to the dinner/meeting)

New Officers :

President Bugs Sorneson

Vice President Julie Washam

Secretary Kim Miller

Treasurer Diane Knickerbocker

Future Dates

Yard Sale is set for June 1st

Fashion Show is being planned for September 21th
more details to come.

Holiday Bazaar set for November 3rd

Spring Fling is in Mountain Home this year the dates are Friday Evening May 3rd and Saturday All Day May 4th look for the registration form at the lodge.



April Craft Project

At the Lodge
Come For Some
Fun

Saturday April 13,
2019 12:00pm

Cost \$8.00 (includes lunch)

Or \$5.00 (no lunch)

A sign up sheet is at the lodge or call the lodge to get your name on the sheet so we can save you a seat.

Anyone *can* do this craft.

SPRING SWING INTO THE 30'S & 40'S

MUSIC, DINNER & DANCE

Kim and Mike Miller and Sue and Bob Apa invite everyone to enjoy 30's & 40's swing music with dinner and dance. This "Spring Swing" will be on Saturday, MAY 18th, 2019. Bring your dancing shoes, it is time to jitterbug to great music. Please mark your MAY calendar for this fun time to be had by all! More detailed information will be in your MAY CHIMES bulletin so let's really SWING into SPRING!!!



01	Chris	Pilayo	10	Robert	Kauffman	17	Steve	Blake	22	John	Klassen
01	Susan	Stertz	11	William	Bienapfl Jr	18	Rick	Emerson	23	Tom	Langley
02	Robert	Harder	13	David	Driscoll	19	Adelle	Adams	24	Ronald	Hall
04	Glenn	Abbate	13	George	Neumayer	20	Robert	Green	25	Michael	Chafkin
06	Charles	Duke	15	Donald	Wolverton	20	Thomas	Troy	27	Kathy	Brown
07	Terry	Parker	16	Ronald	Siple	21	Rene	LaPrevotte	28	Charles	O'Hara

GRANT COMMITTEE

We have had a very successful year with our ENF Grants!

Starting in June we provided support to the Idaho Youth Adaptive Sports Camp with our \$2000. Beacon Grant. These kids are so much fun and so appreciative of the smallest gestures.

The Freedom Grant was next. For the first time since I have been involved in Veterans, we were able to use the \$2000. Freedom Grant to help support the Stand Down at the Veteran's Hospital. What a great program for the homeless and less fortunate veteran's!

The Gratitude and Anniversary Grants were combined for \$3500. With these grants we were able to support many projects. Borah High School received \$300. purchase sheet music for the Orchestra. Boise Valley School District was in need of winter clothing so we were able to get them snow suits, gloves, hats, socks etc.... The veterans were also recipients with hygiene bags filled with treats, McDonald's gift certificates, scarves, hats and much more. Boise's very first Safe House for Human Trafficked victims was also on the list. They received linens, towels and mattress covers for their ten bed home. The Veteran's U.S. Military Survivor/Executor Guide was paid for with this grant as well.

Due to the change in grant schedules at ENF we were eligible for the \$2000. Beacon Grant again. Staying with the same project requirement we gave support to the Idaho Youth Adaptive Sports Clinic in January. They received new equipment to be accessible by wheelchairs. The Floor Curling equipment was a huge hit! They had never played it before!

We received a total of \$9500. From ENF in Grants, as you can see our donations to ENF net us a huge return!

Thank You to ALL who participated this past year. If anyone is interested in getting involved with these projects please come to the Grant Committee meetings or call me, Susie 208-861-8386. It's such a wonderful way to let our community know ELKS CARE ELKS SHARE.

The Grant Committee 2018-2019

LEGISLATIVE DAY AT THE CAPITOL

We had a great turnout at the Capitol on March 7th. Governor Little and Lt. Governor McGeachin came down and had rootbeer floats with us and stayed for awhile to chat! We had one young man, an exchange student from Norway that had a float. He had NEVER seen or tasted one! His excitement was sight to behold!

I look forward to next year!

Government Relations, Susie Stertz

On Saturday, April 27th, there will be a STAND DOWN for Homeless Veterans at the Veterans Memorial Hall on 1101 Cleveland Blvd. in Caldwell. From 8:00am-2:00pm. There will be medical services, supplies and a meal for Veterans. If you know of any Veteran in need (they do NOT have to be homeless), please reach out to them.

Our next Veterans Service Committee meeting will be on Tuesday, April 2nd at 7:00pm. Please mark your calendars. You do not have to be a member to come and share your ideas. We have many upcoming projects needing sup-

"Celebrations of Life for Donald Burns"

Donald G Burns PER was born Sept 6th, 1935

and passed on Sept 16th, 2018. He was 83 years of age, and was a 40 year member of the Elks, in

California and Boise. Pat Burns and family have organized a Celebration of Life, to take place on

July 20th, 2019, starting at 1:00 PM, at the Sacajawea Center in Salmon, Idaho. All Elks and Don's friends are welcome, however, you need to R.S.V.P. to Pat Burns at 208-901-5174 or by email at pattiburns@yahoo.com.

DRUG AWARENESS

The Reality Party is going to be Saturday, April 13th at the Forward Movement Training Center, 125 W Taylor Ave., #600, Meridian. To reserve a spot in one of the three tours go to www.drugfreeidaho.org and enter your information.

Take Back and Shred It Day will be held Saturday, April 27th, at 7200 Barrister (Ada County Sheriffs office) from 10am to 2pm. Bring all of your drugs and documents for disposal! No charge but donations are taken to support the Boise Police Community Programs.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Applegate, DAP Chairwoman

Purchase a memorial brick for Elk members, family and friends.

PRINT the name of the person for whom it is dedicated. You are allowed up to three lines. As stated, the plaques are 1.5” x 5.5”.

PRINT your name as the purchaser.

Fill in phone # in case we have questions and the amount enclosed. Only 1 person per form but if you desire to purchase more than one brick you only need to write one check. Only \$40.00 per brick!!

Date submitted will help us to get them taken care of in a timely fashion. We would prefer to order at least 5 at a time. We will notify you when these plaques will be placed so you can come down and be present at that time if you desire.

PURCHASE A MEMORIAL BRICK

BRICK IS DEDICATED TO: (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

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PURCHASED BY: _____

PHONE # _____ AMOUNT ENCLOSED:

\$ _____

DATE SUBMITTED: _____

BRICKS MAY BE PURCHASED FOR YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

PLAQUES WILL BE PLACED ON THE BRICKS IN FRONT OF THE LODGE AND MAINTAINED BY LODGE MEMBERS. EACH BRICK IS \$40.00 AND ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE BOISE LODGE GENERAL FUND TO HELP US MAINTAIN OUR BUILDING. PLAQUES ARE 1.5” X 5.5” AND UP TO 3 LINES ALLOWABLE.

Boise Elks Lodge #310 April 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 6:00 pm Open Kitchen 7:00 pm Actors Forum 7:00 pm Veteran Service Committee	3 5:30 pm Kitchen open 6:30 pm PER Meeting 7:30 pm Lodge Meeting	4 7:00 pm Bingo Vets Hospital	5 6:00 pm Youth Fundraiser Dinner	6
7	8 6:00pm Elkette Meeting (President Dinneer)	9 7:15 pm Vet's Home Bingo	10 2:00pm Game Group 5:30 pm Trustees Meeting 6:30 pm House Committee Meeting	11 6pm Lodge Burger Night 7 pm Fisherman meeting	12	13 12:00 pm Lunch Card Party and Crafts
14	15 7:00 pm LEOY & EOY Meeting	16 6:00 pm Open Kitchen 7:00 pm Old Arms	17 5:30 pm Kitchen open 6:30 Trustees Meeting 7:30 pm Lodge Meeting	18	19	20 Easter Egg Hunt 9:00 am Hide 10:00 pm Hunt
21 Easter Breakfast 9am-11:30am Reservation accepted	22 7:00 pm VFW/ VFW Auxiliary Meeting	23	24 6:00 pm Pizza Night \$5	25	26 6:00 pm ER Dinner	27 STAND DOWN Caldwell. From 8:00am-2:00pm 10:00 am Take Back and Shred
28 4:00 pm Youth BBQ	29	30	May 1 5:30 pm Kitchen open 6:30 pm PER Meeting 7:30 pm Lodge Meeting	May 2 7:00 pm Bingo Vets Hospital	May 3	May 4

Cinco De Mayo Dinner

Sunday, May 5th at 5:30 pm

\$10



For most folks this day means going out and getting some good Mexican food so stop by the lodge for just that!

Enchiladas, Rice and Beans

Tres Leches Cake

Call Kim Miller 208-991-8888 with any questions.

Sign up sheet soon to be at the lodge.

Please RSVP,

but the door is open for last minute patrons.

REMINDER

If you have **CHANGED** your address, telephone numbers or email addresses please send these changes to us so that we may make the appropriate changes in the lodge records.

You may call the Secretary at [208-377-2763](tel:208-377-2763), or send your changes by mail to 6608 W Fairview Ave, 83704, or email to boiseelkslodge@gmail.com.

For those of you that want to receive the monthly Chimes by email, be sure to sign on to the website www.boiseelks.org and sign up for the electronic Chimes delivery.

Dues Notices for the 2019-2020 Lodge Year went out in mid February, and if the notice is returned, we will have to wait for you to contact us before your notice will be resent. Thank you Lodge Secretary