

The Temple Chimes



AUGUST 2022

**Boise Elks Lodge #310
Benevolent and Protective order of Elks**

**Come to a Lodge Meeting
Come for the fellowship
Support your Lodge**

Trustees 5pm & House Meeting 7 pm
Wednesday, August 10, 2022

Lodge Meeting Wednesday,
August 17, 2022, 7:30 pm

EXALTED RULERS CORNER

Hot August Nights in Boise means the sound of crickets, tree frogs and the smell of forest fires in the air. August is a time of meeting friends and having some fun at the Boise Elks Lodge.

The August 17th Lodge Meeting will be a departure from business as usual, do not mistake me, we will be having an initiation in our wool tuxes, but afterwards, the Officers and I will be changing into our Hawaiian Shirts to complete the meeting. There will be ice cream bars after the meeting and fun at the meeting. Remember to stay and join us afterwards for a fun evening at the Lodge.

Before we get too far from July, I want to thank all the volunteers that showed up at the Lodge to help get our landscaping back in order. We all worked hard to make our Lodge look its best. If you have not had the chance to come look, come on down and see the difference a small army of dedicated people made at your Lodge.

What is ahead for August at the Lodge? Besides Hawaiian Night...There will be a family barbeque on August 26th, at 5:00 p.m. Bring your favorite protein, fish, steak, pork or Tofu and come grill on the Lodge's Barbeque. The Lodge will provide the salad, the potato and dessert for \$5.00.

The Lodge Breakfast for August will be on August 21, 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Eggs to order, omelets, pancakes, breakfast meats, potatoes (this is Idaho after all), toast, coffee, tea, juice and morning ambiance with your fellow Elk Members, Family and friends.

Officers and Other Notables

Exalted Ruler	Julia Franklin	
Leading Knight	Dennis Hyland	
Loyal Knight	Barbara Martin	
Lecturing Knight	Kim Miller	
Secretary	Jerry Ransom	
Treasurer	Nathan Suckel	
Esquire	Jackie McFalls	
Chaplain	Dave Jones	
Inner Guard	TBA	
Tiler	Edward Coxé	
Trustees	Mike Miller	1 yr
	Michael Knickerbocker	2 yr
Trustee Chairman	Jane Stone	3 yr
	Suzanne Apa	4 yr
	Rick Neathamer	5 yr
G E R	Bruce A Hidley	
DD GER ID South	Traci Roberts Marmon	
PGER Sponsor	T Keith Mills	
I S E A President	Robert (Bob) Shaw	
Lady Elk of the Year	Diane Street	
Elk of the Year	Julie Washam	
Officer of the Year	Gary Hoesing	
PER Assoc. Pres.	Mike Miller	
Member Committee	Julia Franklin	
Elkette President	Sceone Sorneson	
Chimes Editor	Suzanne Apa	robertsue.apa@gmail.com

Boise Elks Lodge #310

6608 West Fairview Ave.
Boise, ID 83704
208-377-2763
Office Hours
Weekdays 1-4 pm

Bar Hours

3 pm to Closing
Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday, Friday
Later with a Crowd

LANDSCAPING PARTY AT BOISE ELKS LODGE #310!

We want to **thank all of you** who joined us on Saturday, July 9th to help clear out and improved the Lodge Landscape. The many hands that trimmed and removed shrubbery and pulled weeds made the area around the Lodge look so much better! Thank you also, Julia Franklin, our E.R., for providing sandwiches, etc. for the workers. We cannot be more blessed with so many helpful members.

Our generous helping hands people are as follows: Julie Franklin (E.R.), Beverly Kloss, Ally Sorenson, Warren Hill, Nate Suekle, Gary & Liz Mill, Gene & Jonita Schofield, Ron & Valerie Cooper, Jeremy & John Verkerk, Jeff Colaric, Pat Truden, Dennis Walton, Ross Chadd, Steve Stertz, Steve Pyle, Emma Helburn, Mrs. Helburn, Barb Martin, Robin Cazan, Bill Washam, Bob & Sue Apa.

If we missed your name on this list than you forgot to sign in but we are so very glad to have all of you! Gratefully, Bill Washam and Bob Apa

ELKETTES MEETING

We are having an Elkettes meeting on Tuesday, August 9, 2022, to start the planning process for our Yard Sale. We will meet at 6 pm. Hope to see all you Elkettes at this meeting. Thank you....

SUNDAY BREAKFAST AT BOISE ELKS LODGE #310!!

We will have a Breakfast at our Lodge on Sunday, August 21, 2022 Buffet line includes hash browns, biscuits & gravy, bacon and sausage, and eggs to order (including omelets). Toast is whole wheat, white and sourdough. We also have pancakes upon request. Coffee, tea and juice included. All prices include sales tax. \$11.00 for adults and \$5.50 for children 4-12 years old. Hours are 9-11 am. Hope to see you at breakfast Sunday, August 21st..

SIDE NOTE: You might have noticed the price has increased \$0.50. Groceries are up everywhere. This has affected all of our lives and our purchases for the Lodge. I hope to still see everybody at breakfast.

SAVE THE DATE!!!!

Save this date! On Saturday, September 10th, the Elkettes/Elks are having their Yard Sale again this year. So, do not get rid of your treasure's yet—save them for the Yard Sale. Unfortunately, we do not have room at the Lodge at this time to store your items so please keep them safe at home until the Yard Sale. We are looking forward to seeing you all there on September 10th. If you have any questions, please call Bugs at 208-343-0049. Thank you.

KARAOKE AT THE LODGE

Calling all singers to join us for an evening of Karaoke at the Lodge on Thursday, August 25, 2022, 7 pm. Our resident D.J., Rick, will be providing the music to your favorite Karaoke classics in the Lodge Room (where the acoustics are great!). Come and see, hear and enjoy an evening of Karaoke at the Boise Elks Lodge #310!! We will have Karaoke the last Thursday of each summer month.

FAMILY BARBEQUE

We will have a family BBQ on Friday, August 26th, 5 pm. Please bring your favorite meat, etc. to cook on the Lodge grill. Lodge will offer a potato, salad and dessert for \$5. Please join us for horseshoes and corn hole on the East side of our Lodge for some fun entertainment or play billiards on our pool table and shuffleboard inside the lodge. Come to your Lodge for fun, food and entertainment.

MONTHLY CARD PARTY WILL RESUME IN OCTOBER.

The Card Party will NOT be meeting in June, July, August or September. Our first Card Party will be held in October. Please plan to get your table together for Bridge, Pinochle, Mah Jong, Dominos or Spite & Malace, for the October Card Party, Saturday, October 8, 2022, at noon. Bring a potluck dish to share. See you in October.

OLD TIMERS

We have started the planning for the Old Timers (20+ year members) event set for Saturday, September 17th. Mark your calendars for that date and plan to attend!

Exalted Ruler's Message Continued....

Tuesday is becoming Game Day, with groups meeting to play pool, shuffleboard or just meet and talk. Please feel free to come on down and join us from 3:00 to around 6:30 every Tuesday. Remember the Corn Hole and Horseshoe Pits are open and ready to play. Talking about Game Day, Wednesday, August 24, at 1:00 is our Potluck Game Day, where we meet to eat great food, play a fun game, and chat. Bring your favorite summer time treat, casserole, hot dish or desert and join in the Fun.

Come, break out those wind pipes, and join us for Karaoke on the last Thursday of the month. Even if you don't sing, if you can say, "TEQUILA" you can participate in the fun.

We acquired a new State Sponsor at National Convention. Keith Mills, PGER is now officially our and Oregon State Sponsor. Keith and Amy will be giving us the benefits of their year experiences, to lead Idaho and Oregon into a new era for the Elks. Welcome back to Idaho, Keith and Amy.

It is hard to hold on to single moments as they are happening, but take the time to come into your Lodge during the month, make new friends, meet old friends and become active in your Lodge. Just remember you get out of Elkdom, what you put into Elkdom.

Exalted Ruler Julia Franklin

Help! The Lodge has several volunteer positions open and needing willing members to fill these positions:

Bar Manager: We are currently looking for a Bar Manager. We would like to see someone with bar experience and preferable would be someone who managed or owned a bar in the past, who knows the ABC Rules (and if you just read that and think it means Kindergarten, it isn't you) and has a current Tips Training Card. This can be time consuming and a little demanding, but our bar is the money generator for the Lodge.

Inner Guard: The Lodge needs an Inner Guard. This position is an introductory position in the Officer's Corp. This is perfect for a new member to learn about being an officer in the Lodge.

For both of these, please contact Julia Franklin at juliaannfranklin@gmail.com

Bar Tenders: We need bar tenders to man the bar. We would like to offer more days for people to come enjoy the bar. Please consider volunteering to tend bar. If you are not currently tip trained, we can get you into a Tips Training Class to obtain your card. Please contact either Sue Apa at robertsue.apa@gmail.com or Gary Hoelsing at kgheosing@earthlink.net if you would like to volunteer to bar tend.

Food Committee Volunteers: We need people to work in the kitchen for events, dinners, and other times when food is offered at the Lodge. Please contact Julie Washam to volunteer for Food Committee. washamjb@gmail.com or phone (208) 283-7764

Drug Awareness, Veterans, Membership, Hoop Shoot and other committees are always looking for help. Contact Julia Franklin at the e-mail address above to be put in contact with the chairs for any Lodge Committee or group needing help.

Remember you can sit home, pay your dues and never set foot in the Lodge, but if you volunteer it is the best way to meet other members and get involved in your Lodge.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS:

It has been reported to us from Terry Hyland that our current Leading Knight, Dennis Hyland, fell and has Broken both his arms and was in surgery for four hours. Also note is that Geri Scaglione has had her foot re-operated on and is in long recovery for healing. Please keep our members in your thoughts and prayers.

Special Lodge Night

Aloha, Please Join us for a special lodge night Wednesday, August 17th. To celebrate summer, we are having a Hawaiian Night and paying homage to the American tradition of the ice cream truck. Members are encouraged to attend the meeting and wear Hawaiian attire- Hawaiian shirts, mumu's, leis, grass skirts etc. After the meeting, we will be serving ice cream bars and ice cream sandwiches and have a visual about the history of the ice cream truck.

Looking forward to seeing everyone on this fun summer Lodge night!



Surf and Turf Lodge Dinner

Save the Date!

Friday September 23rd

Time TBD

Please join us for a delicious lodge dinner and collaboration of cooks.

...Menu...

Jerry Ransom's Salmon

Kim Millers Sirloin Steak

Baked Potato

Seasonal Vegetable side

Dessert

We will have a semi-firm signup sheet posted at the lodge to ensure we have enough for all. Please sign up at the lodge or call 208-377-2763



Fall Kickoff Night

...Save the date...

Saturday, Oct. 1st at 1 pm

Please join us for a fall kick off night at the lodge



Decorate a pumpkin with your lodge friends and share some good food!

We will have a fabric covered pumpkin craft and tutorial

Bring your favorite fall dish to share

More info and sign up sheet to come.

-SAVE THE DATE-

PER Association

SUMMER BBQ

To be held on

Saturday, September 3rd, 2022

At Bill and Julie Washam's Home

1838 S Empire Way

Boise, ID 83709

Hamburgers, hotdogs and drinks

Cost Minimal

More information to come in email and in the September chimes

Fraternally, Mike Miller

PER Association President

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ELKS LOUNGE CORNER:

We are currently looking for a new bar manager. Gary Hoelsing is temporarily stepping into the position. See the HELP article for further information.

The new Kegeator is a nice addition to the bar and being used well for the draft beers we offer. The bar dishwasher will be installed soon. That will be a welcome addition to the Lodge appliances.

We are still looking for new bartenders. Gary Hoelsing, Bar Manager, Sue Apa, Assistant

2022 Old Timers list by years

An Old Timers gathering is being planned for September. This is the list of qualifying Old Timers as known through the Elks Membership database. For details on the gathering, reference other information in the Chimes.

Name	Name	Name	Name
80 Gordon Brookover	54 Emerson Maxson	41 Stanley Herzinger	27 Nick Keaster
75 Charles Blanton PER	54 Randy Megorden	39 Ronald Byron	27 Fred Warren
74 Kenneth Downend PDDGER	53 Alan Fox	38 Jerry Ransom PER	26 Larry Wetzel PER
72 Thomas Troy	53 Ed O'Hara	38 Mike Stagner PER PDDGER	25 Steve Blake
71 William Alfson	53 Lloyd Skogerson	38 Lawrence Thompson PER	25 Michael Chafkin
71 Jonathan Scott	53 William Whitsitt	37 Franklin Benson	25 Connie Duering
69 Charles Williamson	52 Dean Bentley	37 Robert Bourn PER	25 Thomas Schmidt
68 Hal Davis PER	52 Mark Kreizenbeck	37 James Carpenter	25 Sceone Sorneson
67 Robert Kauffman	52 Robert Smith	37 George Neumayer	25 Susan Stertz PER
66 Walter Dunajski	51 Pablo Aramburu	37 William Woods	25 Senior Sucher PER
66 Dave Gould PER	50 John Ewing	36 Danny Jensen	24 Andrea Cinnamond
65 Ronald Siple	48 Robert Apa	36 Charles Lindeen	24 John Evans III
62 Ronald Laursen	48 Ross Chadd	36 Phillip Oberrecht	24 Julia Franklin
61 Glen Stokes	48 Charles Duke	35 Joseph Caroselli	24 Raymond Hancock
61 Donald Wolverton	47 Johnny Johnson	35 James Perkins	24 Jay Miller
60 Ronald Blakeley	47 Ray Martin	35 Bill Washam PER PDDGER	24 Frederick Pepperkorn
60 Fred Freeland	46 Dwain Baxter	34 Fred Tycksen	24 Daniel Stewart
60 Craig Marcus	46 Leonard Lamendola	33 David Branesky	23 Patrick Bronson
59 Melvin Adamson	46 Ed Rankin	33 Robert Donovan	23 Larry Hettinger
59 Orville Hanna	46 Robert Warren	33 George Estes	23 Gary Hoelsing
59 Lynn Sprague	45 Gerald Brekke	33 Donald Hiatt	21 John Hein
59 James Stokes	45 Wayne Seavey	33 Steve Vlassek	21 Michael Klingner
58 Don Copple	44 Dennis Lawson	32 Anthony Chairez	21 Michael Knickerbocker
58 Charles Green	44 Glen Linder	32 Norman Toombs	21 Jerome Stern
58 Daniel Shrum	44 Max Morgan	31 Don Cantrell	21 David Thomas PER
58 Roland Worster	44 Charles Schmoeger	31 Kay Moore	20 William Cozad
56 James Barker	43 John Connors PER PSP	30 Robert Abolafia	20 Mike Foreman
56 William Bienapfl Jr	43 Harvey Fisher	30 Rick Eells	20 Grant Jones
56 Robin McRae	43 Mark Jensen	29 Don Baumberger	20 Jeff Sugai
56 Eugene Stewart	43 Lawrence Marks	28 Robert Bellantyne	
55 Marshall Smithman Jr	42 Keith Raines	28 Edward Coxe	
	41 Dennis Casper	27 Dale Brown	

Boise Lodge #310 History - for those interested

Early in 1894 a group of energetic men conceived the idea of forming an Elks Lodge in Boise City, and they met many times in the law offices of Hawley and Puckett to discuss the issue. After a great deal of planning, selecting candidates and ground work, an application for a new lodge was sent to Grand Lodge.

On October 20, 1894 dispensation was granted to form the CAPITAL CITY LODGE #310, BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS (B.P.O.E.). The first meeting place selected was in rooms above Lemp's Saloon, on Main Street, between 7th and 8th Streets, known as Lemp's Hall. It is reported that a hole had been cut in the floor between the Hall and Lemp's Saloon. When a round of drinks was wanted, a call down through the hole in the floor was made to "Mike" the bartender, who would prepare the drinks and bring them up the stairs to the thirsty Elk brothers.

The Capital City Lodge #310 was instituted by Harry K. Moore of the Moscow Lodge #249, on March 19, 1896, with 50+ charter members. Of the Charter Members there were a few notables:

J.H. Richards became the 1st Exalted Ruler, and R. H. Johnson was the 1st Secretary,

William. J. McConnell (known as Poker Bill, governor at the time, later Senator),

James. H. Hawley, Sr (a PER, became Governor in 1911)

John M. Haines (became Governor in 1913)

William E. Borah (became Senator Borah), and

Other known Charter Members were:

A. R Andola

Thomas Cabalan

B. H. Coleman

R. M. Fairchild

F. W Galbraith

John McMillan

N. S. Nafey

Wm N. Northrop

Morgan A. Regan

C. L. Sweet

L.L. Armsby

A. H. Capwell

J. A. Czizek

D. N. Figgins

E. L. Horrie

Charles A Myer

Benjamin Nillson

William B. Puckett

E. Schmelgel

George H. Stewart PER Portland

F. E. Beal

R. P. Chattin

J. N. Eden

E. J. Frawley

S. B. Kingsbury

J. L. Morgan

B. J. Northrop

F. C. Ramsey

George G. Steen

B. A. Thacker

At the March 1896 meeting of the Lodge, held at the Odd Fellows Hall on Eighth Street in Boise, Harry K. Moore as acting Grand Exalted Ruler was the presiding officer at which the first Trustees were elected: F. E. Beal, Morgan A. Regan, B. H. Coleman. These Trustees were elected to take charge and the management of its property and affairs and to form the Corporation. The Corporation was officially formed on April 29th, 1896 for a term of Fifty (50) years with the Idaho Secretary of State in the pursuance of a Social and Benevolent Corporation known as:

CAPITAL CITY LODGE NUMBER 310, BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS.

This document was officially recorded in Book E of Domestic Incorporations on page 240 on 28th of December of 1896.

At the Grand Lodge Convention of 1909 in Los Angeles, by resolution the name of the Lodge was changed to BOISE LODGE NUMBER 310, BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS. It took until the July 1st 1913 for this process to culminate with J.W Woodworth Exalted Ruler and G. A Latham Secretary to complete the Name Change with the Idaho Secretary of State.

In May 1946, Boise Lodge #310 considered it necessary and desirable to continue such corporate existence by making the same perpetual, and filed such a request with the Idaho Secretary of State.

During July 2022, Steve Terry a Parma resident called the office and asked if we would be interested in a document from 1894, and the answer was a yes. Two gentlemen Stuart Terry and his son Steve Terry came to the Lodge with a Grand Lodge document dated October 20, 1894, which **IS** the Dispensation document from Grand Lodge granting the formation of the Capital City Lodge, which would be holding meetings in Boise ID. As previously stated, the Lodge didn't actually get instituted until 1896, due to the dependance on the Moscow Lodge #249 providing Officers for the Institution of the Lodge, and Installation of the Lodge Officers.

This document when appropriately framed should probably hang in the Lodge room along with the Lodge Charter.

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Deaths Since last report:
James Collins passed on May 22, 2022, at age 84.
He was born 2-28-1938, was a 25 year member.

CRYING TOWEL:

07-20-2022 Senior Sucher crying over the loss of \$250.

NOTES FROM THE SECRETARY:

More than 90% of our members have paid their dues for the 2022-23 Lodge Year. Grand Lodge resets everyone’s status at midnight March 31st and if you have not paid your dues, your status has been changed to delinquent. Not to worry, you can still pay your annual dues.
Secretary—Jerry Ransom

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. For every piece of mail that we send out-that subsequently comes back, it costs the Lodge another \$.58 (which is the first class rate), no matter what the rate was for the outbound item bulk or regular rate. So, when something comes back we hold all further mail to that member, until there is an address update, saving additional returns.

Please send your changes by mail to Boise Elks Lodge #310, 6608 W Fairview Ave, 83704, or email to boiseelkslodge@gmail.com. Please no phone calls for these changes.

For those of you that want to receive the monthly Chimes by email, send an email to the Lodge email address, indicating the email address to which you want the Chimes delivered.

(If you need space, leave this Life Member note out)

Life Membership applicants: For some reason, information about those who had applied for Life Membership has eluded being published in the Chimes. Since there were less than 15 applicants for Life memberships, the process can be somewhat abbreviated from the process that was listed in the March Chimes. The Ballot will still be held in November unless the ER decides to move it to an earlier date. The applicant list is:

58 year member - Charles “Chuck” Green
53 year member - Lloyd Skogerson
46 year member - Robert “Bob” Warren
35 year member - Bill Washam

56 year member - William Bienapfl Jr
48 year member - Charles Duke
38 year member - Jerry Ransom

*“The
Faults of
our
members,
We write
upon
the*



*“Their
Virtues
upon the
tablets of
Love
and
Memory.”*

August Birthdays—HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

01 Nicholas Trent
01 Johannes Verkerk
04 Robert Bourn PER
04 Kenneth Palmer
04 Rick Sailor
05 Wayne Preuett
08 Beverly Kloss
09 Patrick Bronson
09 Mary Marlow

10 Daniel Aulbach
11 Connie Duering
11 Beverly Evans
11 Colin Hudson
13 Syd Viker
19 Rick Brenneman
19 Don Copple
19 Michael Hebert

20 Brian Johansen
22 Carlos Jury Jr
23 James Bean
26 John Hein
28 Raymond Hancock
30 Ronald Manker
31 Jeffery Colaric PER
31 Mike Darr

Boise Elks Lodge #310 AUGUST 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Lodge Open 3pm -Closing TNL Theater Night Live 6:30-9pm	3 Lodge Open 3pm -Closing	4 Lodge Open 3pm-Closing	5 Lodge Open 3 pm -Closing	6 DD Clinic Mt. Home Lodge 10 am
7	8	9 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing Old Timers Luncheon Planning 3 pm Elkettes 6 pm See Articles	10 Lodge Open 3pm -Closing Trustees 5 pm House 7pm	11 Lodge Open 3pm-Closing	12 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing	13
14	15 Red Cross Blood Drive 9-5 Give Blood!	16 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing Gem State Arms 5-9 pm Kitchen Open 5 pm	17 Lodge Open 3pm -Closing Lodge 7:30 pm Initiation then Hawaiian Shirt Night Kitchen Open See E.R. Article	18 Lodge Open 3pm-Closing	19 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing	20
21 Breakfast 9-11 am See Article	22	23 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing	24 Lodge Open 3pm -Closing Game Day 1pm	25 Lodge Open 3pm-Closing Karaoke 7 pm See Article	26 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing Family BBQ 5pm See Article	27
28	29	30 Lodge Open 3pm- Closing	31 Lodge Open 3pm -Closing			
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