

Gainesville Elks 990

Standing behind what we are all about

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May I introduce you to the 990 tree of Seasons and special times for all.



Love is in the air by the kissing tree.



Elks 990 Growth Chart

Applications in process

David A Downer

Michael Harrison

Michael Hetrick

Stephanie Jones

Bruce Konrad

Vera Sodek

Ken Swanson

Cheyenne Garrell

Nick Carter

James H Hall

Derrick Sapp

Anabel Wheeler

John Greek

Home to
Robert Grafton PGER
and the late
C. Valentine Bates PGER

Lodge meeting
February 1st at 7pm
February 15th at 7pm

990 Lodge Officers

Exalted Ruler	Louis Mallory
Est. Leading Knight	Najwa Liscombe
Est. Loyal Knight	Bobby Andreu
Est. Lecturing Knight	Patty McCall
Chaplain	Betty J Sullivan
Esquire	Lynne Meyers
Inner Guard	Jeanette Sexton
Tiler	Susan Senterfitt
Treasurer	Bonnie Mott
Secretary	Linda Califf
Lodge Advisor	Glen Gardner PDD

House Committee

Monty Williams	Chairman
Becky Criswell	Secretary
Jerry Sartain	Bar mgr.
Louise Grimm	Mauri Stalker
Glen Crawford	Stephen Cade
Bobby Andreu	Cory Veley

Trustees

Bill Senterfitt PER	5yr
Becky Spence PER	4yr
Stephen Cade	3yr
Debbie Owen-Pirkle	2yr
Max Danford PER	1yr

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS OF DUES INCREASE FOR NEXT YEAR

Grand Lodge Assessment for the next Elks year 2023/24 (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024.) Please be informed the assessment has gone from \$24 to \$29 per member. Please further be informed that the FL Elks "State" assessment will remain at \$3.00 per member. The lodge will not be increasing the lodge portion of our dues at this time in support of our members. 6-month due is \$62.75. 12-month due is \$125.50 and life members are \$43.50

Class of 2022-2023

Knights of 990 on the Rise

A \$20.00 donation or volunteer work of comparable will earn you the title of a Knight of 990 in support of our lodge endeavors.

Jack Amick	Bobby Andreu	Marvin Ates	Julie Baker	Charles Balanis
Margie Baumann	Billy Baumann	Scott Baumann	Maria Bolanos	Joeshp Bouvier
Charles Bryan	Stephen Cade	Linda Califf	Bill Califf III	Elizabeth Carden
Joe Caswell PER	Peggy Caswell	Leonard Cohen	Crocket Covey	Ed Crapo
Glen Crawford	Becky Criswell	Diantha Dame	Max Dame	James c Davis Jr
Maryann Davis	Mike Fay	Martha Fay	Glen Gardner PDD	Adair Garrett
Jenn Gerrib	Maurice Giunta	Ed Goolsby	Terri Green	Louise Grimm
Lamar Thatcher	Alan Henderson	Debbie Hicks	Max Hicks	Mike Hill Sr.
Mike Hill Jr.	Dink Hudson	John Kjallberg	Steven Kress	John Kruczak
Inez Linton	Najwa Liscombe	Buzz MacLean	Meg Malanaphy	Tommy Merrill PER
Lynne Meyers	Marcus Milam III	Badger Moring	Dick Moss	Bonnie Mott
Tim Myers	Terrie Nielsen	Bob Nielsen	Debbie Owen-Pirkle	Bill Oxendine
Tom Palmer	Gary Parker	Richard Phillips III	Chris Plant	Pat Plant
Bernice Porterfield	Kevin Porterfield	Bill Preston	Sue Priola	Roy Rogalski PER
Jerry Sartain	Ben Scribner II PER	Susan Senterfitt PER	Bill Senterfitt PER	
Jeanette Sexton	Shane Smalley	Steve Smith	Mark Snowden	Larry Snyder
Becky Spence PER	Mauri Stalker	Sandy Stoiber	BJ Sullivan	Mike Tanner
Brenda Taylor	Chuck Taylor	Donna Taylor	Candy Tomlinson	DK Tomlinson
Cory Veley III	Monty Williams	Dave Wilcox	Jimmy Wright	Patti McCall
Kathy Yacovelli	Glenda Dobbs	Gunny Gordan	Sue Gordan	Tony Espetia
Dayna Miller PER	Donna Califf	Bill Califf	Linda Cooper	Johnny Kelly
Larry Croy PDD	Kenny Brigman	Kim Cross	Sue Priola	John Wyckoff

OUR NEWEST ADDITIONS...

Nick Konopka	Peggy Arnold	Alice Roark	Susan Beckett-Young	
Dina Atalig	Buddy Thatcher	Gene Bush	Jeanette Coleman	
Kim Cox	Lucille Detoma	John Everson PER	Roger Hutton	
Glen Crawford	George Ford	Ken Fort	Barbi Gadley	Terry Gadley
Kevin Gutierrez	Michael Gutierrez	Rita Puentes	Tim Hay	Sandra Kimball
Tom Kimball	Llyod Koser	David Kinder	Jason Klein	Jana Kowitz

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Ask and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock and the door will be opened for you. –Jesus

Knights of 990 continued

Elizabeth Lee	Steve Linton PER	Bob Grafton PGER	Barbara Luckhardt
Rick Luckhardt	Louis Mallory	Curtis Myers	Joe Teague
Joe Mauro	Debbie Mauro	Jason Neiss	Corbin Petty
Crawford Price	Tim Queen	Vann Ramsey	Mike Ridlon
Darrin Roberts	Kerstin Roberts	John Schiffli	Hobbi Tindall
Debbie Veley	Jerry Woodward	Rosa Woodward	Louie Yontz



Important notice on the Queen of Hearts for February!

Due to the absence of the QOH's committee on
February 3rd and February 17th

**THE DRAWING WILL NOT BE HELD ON THE ABOVE
DATES**

Only 6 cards left on the board with a current pot of \$5635

Thank you to everyone who participates in this great
program which helps our lodge in its growth and ability to
support those in need.

Nominations of officers will be made at the February 1st, 2023, meeting at 7pm

Elections will be made at the February 15th, 2023, meeting at 7pm

Per Grand Lodge statutes 3.080 and 3.090

Greetings Members all,

This week on Wednesday, February 1st is our Lodge meeting. This meeting is a little different from past meetings as it will be conducted by Past Exalted Rules (PER). In addition, during this meeting, nominations for 2023-24 officers will take place. Should there be more than one person nominated for an office, the run-off balloting will take place during our next Lodge meeting on Wednesday, February 16th.

Officer Nominated Positions:

Exalted Ruler Esteemed Lecturing Knight Esteemed Leading Knight
Esteemed Loyal Knight Tiler Secretary Treasurer

Appointed by the Exalted Ruler

Esquire Chaplain Inner Guard

Officer installation will take place Saturday, April 1st. I encourage our members to attend these meetings as this will be your input for the leadership for 2023-24. The Florida State Elks Association President's visit will be this weekend, February 3rd (in Alachua) and 4th (Gainesville).

The President's group will visit the Gainesville Elks Lodge Saturday morning at 10:00 AM with presentations by local Veteran and Military Associations. Lunch will be at 11:45 AM (Pulled Chicken or Sloppy Joes). Please RSVP to Dayna Miller ASAP for lunch.

Finally, our Gainesville Elks Lodge 42nd Annual Golf Tournament is Sunday, March 5th in Gainesville. Lots of fun and prizes. Please sign up today. In addition, the 2023 Annual Bozard / Elks Northeast District Golf Tournament will be Sunday, March 26th in Green Cove Springs.

Fraternally,

Louis Mallory, Exalted Ruler

The Celebration of Life for Larry Dupree is being scheduled to be held Sharron Dupree and the family.

Saturday Feb. 25th at 4pm

State Regional Hoop Shoot Competition Results

Held Jan. 28th, 2023
Lake City

Reece Taliman age 9 shot a score of 21-25 free throw shots to advance to the State competition in Umatilla on Feb. 18, 2023. Please come watch his performance as he strives to make it to National's this year.

In the Mighty Northeast District, we also have 10-11 years of age **Hayden Heavener** from *Jacksonville, FL Lodge No. 221* who advanced to the state finals.



Meet Reece a young man on a mission.

Plan to go to Umatilla and watch as he competes against last year's National winner.

Saturday Feb 18th is State Competition

Life isn't about getting and having, it's about giving and being. –Kevin Kruse

Gainesville Elks Lodge #990 ANNUAL CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT Held at

Ironwood Golf Course on Sunday March 5th, 2023

We are looking for donations and/or sponsorships. Each year we use the contributions to provide sponsorships and financial support for the Elks Youth Camp in Umatilla, FL. If you would like to sponsor, donate or have any questions please contact Bill Senterfitt: (352) 672-3428 or bsenterfit@gmail.com

DIAMOND - \$2,500 - Tournament will bear sponsor's name and will be mentioned in ALL advertisements. - A large banner will be placed by the putting green and will receive recognition. - Prior to the start of the tournament, a plaque will be presented in the sponsor's name. - Scholarship provided for two youths to experience The Elks Youth Camp for one week. - Four representatives of the sponsor are welcome to play in the tournament as a team. Each will receive a bag of goods.

PLATINUM - \$1,000 - Sponsor's name will be mentioned in ALL advertisements. - A large banner will be placed by putting green and will receive recognition. - Scholarship provided for one youth to experience The Elks Youth Camp for one week. - Four representatives of the sponsor are welcome to play in the tournament as a team. Each will receive a bag of goods.

GOLD - \$500 - A large sign will be displayed by the putting green and will receive recognition. - Scholarship provided for one youth to experience The Elks Youth Camp for one week. - Four representatives of the sponsor are welcome to play in the tournament as a team. Each will receive a bag of goods.

SILVER - \$350 - Sponsor will be promoted on a sign placed at a tee box and will receive recognition. - Scholarship provided for one youth to experience The Elks Youth Camp. - One representative of the sponsor is welcome to play in the tournament and will receive a bag of goods.

BRONZE - \$200 - Sponsor will be promoted on a sign placed at a tee box and-will receive recognition. - Scholarship provided for one youth to experience The Elks Youth Camp for one week. -

CORPORATE HOLE SPONSOR - \$100 - Sponsor sign will be placed at a tee box and will receive recognition.

CLOSEST TO PIN (2 PRIZES) - \$50/\$150 - Prizes given in the name of the sponsor.

LONGEST DRIVE (2 PRIZES) - \$50/\$150 - Prizes given in the name of the sponsor.

CHINESE RAFFLE PRIZES - Gift certificates or product to be raffled away

If you know a company that will donate to our tournament, please reach out to them. We should have at least 20 banners. All banners and hole sponsor signs will be turned in for production by Feb. 26th.

Do you want to donate \$50.00 for a hole sponsor? You will have a sign made on your behalf that will be placed on the course.

Names, statements slogans etc. can be used so long as they are appropriate.

Just send or drop off \$50.00 and what you want on your sign before February 26th



February 2023

01 Bernice Porterfield	08 Frank Sodek	23 Richard Shiver
03 Joe Lentz	09 Melissa Cain	23 Jessica Steinmetz
03 Ben Scibner	09 Kim Cross	23 John Wyckoff
04 Mike Chism	11 Nick Konopka	25 Vinny Cruz
04 Betsy Dubin	12 Jeffrey Doan	25 Tom Palmer
04 Bennett Leff	13 Don Hobbs	27 Russ Pendleton
04 Marty Morrison	13 Austin Roper	28 Guy Dennis
06 Don Benson	14 Rich Myers	28 Dennis Murphy
06 Peggy Caswell	15 Bruce Hudson	28 Jason Oxendine
06 Dave Stonecypher	17 Doug Smith	
07 Jana Dausch Green	18 Keith Miller	
07 Dayna Miller	18 Mark Proefrock	
07 Maxie Owens	22 Steve Briede	
08 David Kaufman	22 Donna Foster	

Strive not to be a success, but rather to be of value. –
Albert Einstein

Left Right Center is Tuesday at 6:30 funds go to our lodge youth activities.

If you have not played you need to try it out. It is s blast.

Trivia every Thursday night at 6:30

Trivia crowd is growing every week.

Queen of Hearts drawing is every Friday night at 7:00pm

Exception on Feb 3 and 17 no drawing to be held.

Around the State

Ritual Clinic in Umatilla February 4th

State President visit to NE District: February 3-4 (Gainesville)

February Quarterly: February 9-11 (Youth Camp, Umatilla)

District Golf Tournament: moved to Sunday March 26th

State Golf Tournament April 1-2

Dayna Miller, PER

Gainesville #990

NE District Vice President, 2022/23

DD Clinic Saturday April 15th, 2023, 10am

Green Cove Springs Lodge #189

I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel.

–Maya Angelou

DISTRICT LEADERS ARE ALWAYS AVAILABLE TO US ALL IF WE NEED THEM

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IDENTIFICATION STATEMENT

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Sub Committees

Auditing/Acct	Crocket Covey
Americanism	B.J. Sullivan
Community	Susan Senterfitt PER
Drug Awareness	Rita Puentes
Eco. Grounds	Rita Puentes
Elks Memorial	Becky Spence, PER
Flag Day	Susan Senterfitt, PER
Government Relation	Dayna Miller, PER
Harry-anna Trust	Bill Senterfitt PER
Hoop Shoot	Bill Senterfitt PER
Indoctrination	Najwa Liscombe
Investigation	Najwa Liscombe
Lapsation	Linda Califf
Membership	Najwa Liscombe
ENF	Bill Senterfitt PER
National Veterans Service NE District	Jerry Sartain
PER Assoc.	Glen Gardner PER
Public Relations	Dayna Miller, PER
Ritual	Becky Spence PER
Youth Activities	Margie Baumann
Newsletter	Bill Senterfitt PER
Web Site	Satya Heilig