

Brattleboro Lodge of Elks No. 1499 February 2023

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Exalted Ruler's Message

Our lodge was bustling with activity during the Southern District Interlodge competition held on Saturday, January

7. Thanks to all who participated or worked at the lodge to ensure the day went smoothly. (Results are elsewhere in the newsletter.)

The Southern District Hoop Shoot competition was held in Springfield on Saturday, January 14. Olivia Rogers took first place in the Girls aged 11 - 12 bracket and Briar Cutting placed second in the Boys aged 11 - 12 bracket. Olivia will go on to Barre to compete in the State competition on Saturday, January 28. We wish her the very best of luck and hope she repeats as Vermont State Champion in her division!

Thank you to Kyle Henry for running the Hoop Shoot events.

Between the Friday night dinners and Nationality Nights, our lodge is continuing to have a steady stream of diners, both coming into the lodge and ordering take outs. Thanks to all who have made or worked on meals.

The first session of Pitch ended on December 19 with Chris Millerick taking home the crown. Jamie McAuliffe placed 2nd, Bob Houle was third and Doug Emery, who also runs the league, came in fourth. Many thanks to Doug for keeping the Pitch league going strong. The second session of Pitch began on Monday, January 2 and will run until March 20.

A special thank you to Frank Lopez for cooking his famous hamburgers, hot dogs and fries for the Pitch players each Monday night.

The state scholarship judging will take place on Saturday, February 4 at Springfield Lodge #1560 and our Super Bowl celebration will be held on Sunday, February 12.

We have reserved the Vermont State Elks Drug Awareness trailer for the weekend of February 18-19.

It will be parked at the Harris Hill Ski Jump, during which we hope to reach out to many with our message. Ryan Squires, and some of his Inspire School students will be manning the trailer.

Vermont State Ritual Contest will be held on Sunday, February 25. Also, please mark your calendars for PER/Old Timers Day to be held on Sunday, March 5. The PERs will be performing the ritual for incoming members and long-timers will be receiving their pins.

Happy February!

Barbara Wallace

Happenings:

Southern District

Interlodge Competition Results

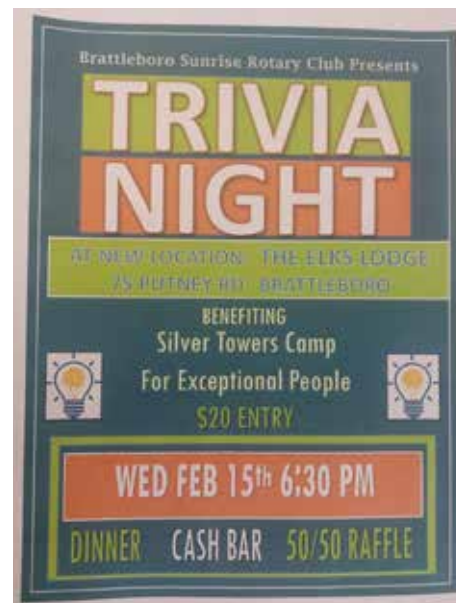
The following teams will compete at the State competition in Springfield on Saturday, February 25.

- Bowling - Rutland 1st, Bennington 2nd
- Cornhold - Springfield 1st, Brattleboro 2nd
- Cribbage - Windsor 1st, Bellows Falls 2nd
- Darts - Brattleboro 1st, Rutland 2nd
- Pool - Brattleboro 1st, Springfield 2nd
- Shuffleboard - Brattleboro 1st, Rutland 2nd

Recent Donations

Brattleboro Hockey	\$ 250
The Gathering Place	\$ 250
David's House	\$ 450
Harris Hill Ski Jump	\$1,000
Project Feed the Thousands	\$1,000

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Donations
Total:
\$2,950⁰⁰



Proposed for Membership

Cassie Sailsman proposed by Courtney Millerick
Winston Sailsman proposed by Chris Millerick
Jacqueline Buchanan proposed by Nancy Kerylow
Gregg Thompson proposed by Nathan Daniels
Michael Mialkowski proposed by Philip Bond
William Hill proposed by Duane Brown
Justine Murphy proposed by Heather Brown
Elizabeth Bassett by reinstatement.

Awaiting Initiation

Jeff Clark proposed by Sparkie Robinson
Chris Farnsworth proposed by Andre Smith
Gregg Thompson proposed by Nathan Daniels
Jacqueline Buchanan proposed by Nancy Kerylow
Winston Sailsman proposed by Chris Millerick
Cassie Sailsman proposed by Courtney Millerick
George Runge proposed by David Nadeau
Carmen Willson proposed by Kelly Dias
Michael Mialkowski proposed by Philip Bond
William Hill proposed by Duane Brown
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From The House

A reminder that beginning on February 15th the Brattleboro Rotary Club will be holding a Trivia Night at our lodge. Proceeds from that night are earmarked for certain charities. The first night's proceeds will be donated to our state project Silver Towers! This is open to our members as well. The cost is \$20.00 per person and will include a meal. Please come down and support our state project and have some fun in the process. This event will be held on the third Wednesday of each month thru May of 2023.

Meals:

February 3 Wings
February 10 Fish Fry
February 17 Mexican Night
February 24 Beef Stroganoff over noodles

Thank you.

NATIONAL AND STATE ELKS' SCHOLARSHIPS; AWARDS; AND GRANTS AVAILABLE

For further information:
Visit: www.elks.org/enf/scholars
Email: scholarship@elks.org

For questions, contact: Gene Whitney
P: (802) 380 - 2660
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EMERGENCY EDUCATIONAL GRANTS

These are grants for children of deceased or totally disabled Elks. Applications are available from May 1 through November 2nd of the year for which the assistance is needed.

BRATTLEBORO ELKS' SCHOLARSHIP

Criteria: Male or female high school senior who wishes to further his/her education. Applicant must be a student at Brattleboro UHS, Hinsdale HS, Leland & Gray UHS, Saint Michael's High School, or Twin Valley UHS. The student should have proof of acceptance to a College, Technical School, or University. Deadlines is **April 7, 2023**.

EARL CAVANAGH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Criteria: Male or female student **currently** enrolled in a University, Technical School, or College. The applicant must be a child or grandchild of a member, or is a member, **in good standing**, of Brattleboro Elks' Lodge #1499. Deadline is **April 7, 2023**.

ENF LEGACY AWARDS

These are available to children or grandchildren of members of the Elks in good standing only. The applications must be completed online. The deadline for this award is February 6, 2023.



February 2023 Calendar of Events

Looking for a way to support the lodge? Volunteer at one of the dinners or events.
We are always in need of volunteers.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 James Freeman Timothy Kerylow Kerri Machado Dana C Zelenakas	2 Charles A Sherwin	3 Wings John H Babbitt Randy Clark Nancy G Whelan	4 Donald W Fletcher
5 Michael Paul Ronald H Zumburski	6	7 Jeffrey Dixon Steven C Lafreniere Teri Lynn Sherman	8 Lodge Meeting 7 PM Robert Cornellier Eugene R Frost III Kenneth F Guthrie Elaine H Lane Kenneth R Swanger	9 John P MacDonald David J Manch Russell D Pritting Alyson Squires	10 Fish Fry Jason Macie Lori Macie Timothy A Martel	11 Kris H Bishop Andrea Freeman
12 Doreen Boyer Ryan Boyle Lucie Fortier Kimberly Price	13 Michael E Scott Adam Smith	14	15 Rotary Club Trivia Night Allan Dacey Nathan S Rupard	16 Douglas W Howard Casandra Martin Steven Moore Sr.	17 Mexican Night David Albert Larry Palumbo John P Wells	18 Robert J Henry
19 Philip Rancourt	20 Brian Casey Tara Cheney Richard K Davenport Erin George Arnold P Williams	21 Raymond J Doyle Richard E Michelman	22 Lodge Meeting 7 PM Peter A Fletcher Catherine Kaufmann	23 Chelsea Corbeil Michael Dixon Douglas Taylor	24 Beef Stroganoff over noodles Peter Lynch Robert P McCarthy Dana Nelson	25 State Interlodge Competition Elizabeth Hastings
26 Marilyn Buzzell Robert D Gammon Jack Millerick Mark A Snow Shannon M Tracy	27 Raphael U Corbeil Jadi Flynn Jack Gouger David P Lavalley Jeffrey G Morse Martin Sarsfield Robert L Vivian Sr	28 Patricia A Boyd Matt Fletcher Joseph Garofalo Jr				

2022-2023 Elected Officers

EXALTED RULER: Barbara Wallace
LEADING KNIGHT: Jeffrey Kerylow
LOYAL KNIGHT: Dana Zelenakas
LECTURING KNIGHT: Amanda Daniels
SECRETARY: Mark Gouger
TREASURER: Steven Nelson
STATE TRUSTEE: Frank Lopez
5 YEAR TRUSTEE: Pete Randall
••• Appointed Officers •••
ESQUIRE: William Wallace
CHAPLAIN: Jil MacMenamin
TILER: Adam Smith
INNER GUARD: Melissa McAuliffe

Send In Your Lodge NEWS



The email to send your lodge news and events to is elks1499newsletter@gmail.com. Please have info to me by the 15th of the month.

Thank you,
Kristin Bratton



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