THE BULLETIN

NOVEMBER 2022

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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

Hello Fellow Elk Members,

I would like to start by thanking the Bingo Committee. With 80-100 players every Tuesday in October, and a jackpot of around \$5000, our volunteers have kept bingo running smoothly!

Be sure to send congratulations to our newest Elk of the Month, Vira Jaskir! Like many of us, Vira has been volunteering her time around the lodge long before she became a member — which was very recently, I might add. Vira is always selling 50/50s on Sandwich Nights and is consistently present at our committee functions. Thank you for all that you do, Vira!

Our ENF Committee did it again! Heather, Stephanie and Jessica hosted another great HalloQueen Drag Show fundraiser. Rumor has it Dave Rooney is a Bordentown Legend!

Highlighting upcoming events, but keep reading the bulletin to see what is in store.

November 5th – Baby PER Dinner celebrating Grason Jones and Jody Turner

November 11th – Convention Steak Dinner November 19th – Women's Auxiliary Craft/Vendor Show

November 20th – SCC Breakfast

As always, thank you to all of our volunteers. What you do does not go unnoticed.

Fraternally. Jesse Smith

"Respect, Honor and Gratitude"





Women's Auxiliary



Come prepared with your BEST deviled eggs recipe. Please make at least 1 Dozen (24 deviled eggs) Eggs.

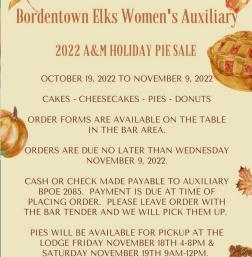
Please reach out to Kevin "Skippy" Marosovitz at 609-658-5628 or broadstautosales@aol.com with any questons.

Presented by the Float Comittee



LODGE FRIDAY NOVEMBER 18TH 4-8PM & SATURDAY NOVEMBER 19TH 9AM-12PM







President Heather Cheesman 609-298-7828

Vice President Nancy Debnarik 609-870-2048

Secretary Christina Heineman 609-954-2302

Treasurer Patty Marosovitz 609-658-6936

Conductress Linda Delucia 609-529-5844

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Three Year Carole Moore 609-433-7979

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One Year Rosemary Becker 609-915-6754



BORDENTOWN ELKS 2085 WOMEN'S AUXILIAR'

LANCASTER BUS TRIP- AMERICAN MUSIC THEATER

CHRISTMAS SHOW 2022- HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2022- INCLUDES BUS, LUNCH BUFFET AT MILLER'S, AMT CHRISTMAS SHOW, TIPS, & TAXES. COST: \$115

DEPART FROM BORDENTOWN FLKS LODGE AT 9:30 AM SHARP, ARRIVE AT MILLER'S 11:30-11:45 A.M. FOR THE 12 NOON SMORGASBORD BUFFET. SHOPPING AVAILABLE AT GIFT, FOOD & QUILT SHOPPES, BAKERY & WINERY, BUS DEPARTS AT 2 PM FOR THE BPM AMT SHOW. GIFT SHOP ON SITE. RETURN TO LODGE APPROXIMATELY AT 7:30 PM.

NOW TAKING RESERVATIONS & PAYMENT- SEE CHARLOTTE ELMER- CALL OR TEXT @ 09-610-6779 OR EMAIL: SHOPPERCHAR@OPTONLINE.NET

2425 Lincoln Hwy E, Lancaster, PA | 800-648-4102 | www.AMTshows.com



PLACE: **BORDENTOWN ELKS**

11 AMBOY ROAD

BORDENTOWN, NJ 08022

DATE: SATURDAY NOVEMBER 19,2022

TIME: 9 AM TO 3 PM

FOOD

(Available for purchase)

(OVER 75 PARTICIPANTS)







For more information contact:

elkscraftshow@gmail.com Rosemary Becker 609-915-6754





Sandwich Night Menus 6pm-7pm \$10

November 2, 2022 November 9, 2022 November 16, 2022 November 23, 2022 ENF - Chili, Loaded Baked Potato, Homemade Cornbread

House - Pork Roll or Cheesesteak, Salad, Dessert

Convention - Crispy Chicken Sandwich, Regular, Big Dog or Buffalo Style

Women's Auxiliary- Homemade Meatball Sub, Fries, Salad, Soup

PER - Jack Becker's Grandmother's Famous Meatloaf November 30, 2022



Secretary Notes

Hello Members!

It's November? Already? Don't wait until the fourth Thursday in November to sit with family and friends to give thanks. Make every day a day of thanks and giving.

Reminder: Daylight Savings Ends on November 6th. Falling back one hour means the sun will rise earlier and you can enjoy the rays of the morning when you wake up early. If you like that kind of early morning stuff – where's my coffee?!

Balloting of Life Membership candidate Vincent Rust, PER will be held at the November 21st, 2022 meeting.

Jessica Waite
Lodge Secretary



Leading Knight's Message

Remember the lodge is open every Sunday with all the NFL games on. So please come out and support the lodge and you're favorite teams.

Bill Cranmer Leading Knight



Membership

PROUD TO BE AN ELK

The lodge grows when members propose new candidates to become an elk. Be an Ambassador for the lodge. Bring a family member and/or friend to one of our functions and promote the lodge.

Dropped members can be reinstated for a \$30 application fee. Also, a 2/3rd vote at a general Lodge meeting is required. Once this is accomplished, you will need to pay the prorated dues. No back dues are assessed.

Jack Becker, PER

Chairperson



Entertainment

The Food Vendor truck event has been postponed until Spring. Sausage, Peppers and Onions Night is November 4th from 6-8pm. Wing Night is November 18th from 6-8pm. Karaoke is November 18th from 7-11pm. The Christmas Social will be on December 17th. Attached is the flyer. Also, please see the Giving Tree flyer in the bulletin and if you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

Melissa Sprague Chairperson



Student of the Month

Ellen Benowitz will head up this committee as she did an excellent job for us last year. Ellen is a former teacher with 45 years' experience and winning numerous awards. Ellen will be awarding our September Students of the Month on Wednesday, October 26th.

Grason Jones, PER Chairperson

Lodge Activities

There are no scheduled Lodge Activities meeting in November and December 2022 due to the Winter holidays. The next scheduled Lodge Activities meeting will be on Friday, January 27, 2023 with location to be determined.

The monthly meetings are held on the fourth Friday of each month, as scheduled and the location is rotated throughout the district lodges.

The district encourages all Exalted Rulers, Leading Knights, and any officers to attend and participate. The meetings are very informative and usually review the Statutes and have training sessions. All are welcome!

Hank Elmer, PDD Chairperson

Army of Hope

The State Army of Hope Committee continues to remember/assist the families of our New Jersey fallen heroes, the severely wounded soldiers/veterans and those with severe post-traumatic stress disorder and their families.

Hank Elmer, PDD

Chairperson



ENF

Thank you to everyone who helped out and attended our HalloQween Drag Show on October 14th! Stay tuned for more events coming from the ENF committee. ENF sandwich night is November 2nd. We are changing things up for the colder weather! Come out and try our Loaded Chili, Baked Potato and Cornbread, you won't be disappointed. The Elks National Foundation helps Elks build stronger communities through programs that support youth, meet the needs of veterans, and invest in the communities where Elks live and work. The ENF has a scholarship program, the Community Investments Program, the Hoop Shoot and the Drug Awareness Program, plus it supports the Elks National Veterans Service Commission. You can learn more at elks.org/enf, or by talking to me! I can also tell you more about the ways to support ENF's work.

Our 2022-2023 Per-Member-Giving Goal: \$4.80, we are currently at \$3.12, so please send in your donations or give here: DONATE

A 501(c)(3) public charity, the Elks National Foundation helps Elks build stronger communities through programs that support youth, serve veterans and meet needs in areas where Elks live and work. For more information on the ENF, visit elks.org/enf. Review the 2022-20223 grants and appropriations at enf.elks.org/appropriations.

Stephanie Kowalski

Chairperson

Special Youth

Thank you all who attended our \$10,000 Dinner on October 6, 2022. We had an excellent dinner menu provided by Toscano. We had a three way split between Frank Miller, Bobby Daddona and George Zervos. I'd like to thank my committee crew of Mike Kobylinski, Jeannie Johnson, John Tyrell and this year's spinner Carmen Adonizio. See you all April 6, 2023.

Grason Jones, PER

Chairperson

Convention 2023

Don't forget about Steak Night hosted by Don Wirth on November 11th with two seating's at 6pm and 7pm.

Patty Marosovitz Chrissy Heineman
Co-Chairperson Co-Chairperson

Trustees

I would like to thank the Can-Do committee for getting projects done around the lodge. We are currently getting pricing to redo the men's bathrooms outside of the bar area and upper ballroom. Those proposals will be brought to the lodge floor as soon as we have them in hand. I would also like to thank all the officers for their hard work in getting issues resolved quickly in the lodge. And as always if you see something that needs to be done in the lodge please feel free to reach out to me or any of the officers.

Bruce Smith

Chairperson



PER

Our next PER Meeting will be on November 23, at 7:30. We will meet with the ER and his Officers at 7:30pm as discussed at the last PER Meeting. The regular PER Meeting will start a 8:00 SHARP. Main topic will be an update on the Memorial Service and Wednesday Dinner.

Our next Sandwich Night will be on November 30th. Volunteers are needed. If you would like to assist with the serving of the dinner, please let either Grason Jones or myself know. The menu for this

dinner is "Jack Becker's Grandmother's Famous Meatloaf". Hope to see you there!

Edward Taddei Jr., PER Chairperson



Shuffleboard

On September 30th we had our annual year end awards dinner. Excellent food catered by La Galleria. First place team honors went to Melissa Sprague's team with Bob "Undertaker" Faber and Bob McVicker. Leading hanger winner was Antonia Smith with 3.

Grason Jones, PER Chairperson

Charities

It's that time of year again, when our Charities Committee hosts our Holiday Food Baskets events to support in-need families. If you know a family in need please contact Dave Rooney! Thanksgiving Baskets: Cut off November 14th; Pick up November 21st after 4pm. Christmas Baskets: Cut off December 12th, Pick up December 19th after 4pm.

Veterans/America

Friday, November 11 marks the day set aside to honor all those veterans that have served in our armed service. The "war to end all wars", World War 1 was declared officially over November 11, 1918 at 11:00am. so it was proclaimed that November 11 would be a national holiday and would be called Armistice Day to honor the veterans of World War 1.

In 1958 Armistice Day was changed to Veterans Day to honor American veterans of all wars for their willingness to serve and sacrifice for this country.

All veterans whether having served in combat or in a support position stood up and recited the "Oath of Enlistment". At that time we said we wrote a check to the Government payable up to, and including our lives, we became government property. Take some time and thank a veteran for sacrificing the years of their life to preserve our democracy.

Jim Turner, US Navy Chairperson



Special Children's Committee

We had a great last month. Our next Sunday breakfast is set for November 20th. See you all there. As a reminder, the price of breakfast is \$10. The menu has not changed and we hope to bring you our good hot breakfast as always.

P.S. SCC needs your help. We have been very successful in raising money for activities for kids, I thank you all for your help. We are running out of kids. We need kids to enjoy our bowling events, our baseball games, and going to Camp Moore. If anyone knows of special children in our area who would like this, please send them our way. We are also in need of members to come and help out at our activities. Extra hands are always needed and appreciated.

You can always contact me at 609-731-8616 or kyle.wisn@gmail.com

Kyle Wisn

Chairperson

Chaplain

Member Sick List

Chuck Betros

Dave Wriggins

Lester "Chip" Maisto

Leigh Christ

Heavenly Father, we ask that you grant these special people a speedy recovery and a future full of good health. Amen.

Departed Members

James Tobin

May Almighty God grant our brothers the rewards of good life and offer comfort and solace to their bereaved families. To our absent members. Amen.

If you are aware of anyone who is sick, hospitalized or has unfortunately passed away, notify **Chaplain Stephanie Kowalski (609)227-1738 or <u>StephKowalski3@outlook.com</u>. It is important to us that we show respect to our Members at all times, most importantly in death. As we no longer call their names on the Roll, let us honor them one last time.**

Stephanie Kowalski

Chairperson

ELK OF THE MONTH

APRIL 2022 - Patty Marosovitz OCTOBER 2022 - Vira Jaskir

MAY 2022 - Libby McAleavy NOVEMBER 2021 -

JUNE 2022 - Darlene DeLuca-Campbell DECEMBER 2021 - Melissa Sprague

JULY 2022 - Tara Woodcock JANUARY 2022 - Ken Jewell

AUGUST 2022 - Larry Hannawacker FEBRUARY 2022 - Heather Cheesman

SEPTEMBER 2022 - Ralph Cianfrano MARCH 2022 - Chrissy Heineman









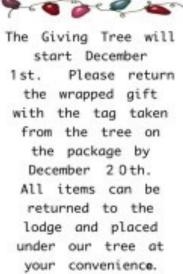








The Bodentown Elks is doing a giving tree this year The lodge tree will have tags with specific items to purchase for families in need this season Please stop in the lodge and take 1 or 2 and help us give less fortunate families a memorable holiday season







2023 Convention Committee Steak Dinner

Friday, November 11, 2022

Two Seatings

6:00 pm Seating: Upper Ballroom

7:00 pm Seating: Bar Area (First Come First Serve)

Tickets & Reservations

Tickets are \$25.00 per person

Reservation required by Nov. 5, 2022

Contact:

Don Wirth (609) 273-7189 donwirth@comcast.net

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2022-2023 Committees and Chairpersons

AMERICANISM	Jim Turner	609-203-6696	MEMBERSHIP	Jack Becker, PER	609-915-6815
ARMY OF HOPE	Hank Elmer, PDD	609-610-6780	INVESTIGATION INDOCTRINATION	Grason Jones, PER Danny Sholes, PDD	609-306-2943 609-870-7216
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AUDITING	Michael Grant, Jr	609-744-9911	WEMORIAL SERVICE	·	
Bar	Barry Mollis	609-954-4902	MOTORCYCLE	Jack Becker Jr.	609-947-4615
Bingo	Chuck Betros	609-510-6030	Parliamentarian	Rich Groth	609-203-5718
BLOOD DRIVE	Patty Marosovitz Dave Rooney, PER	609-658-6936 609-610-2385	PER Association	Ed Taddei, PER	609-280-3364
BULLETIN	Jason Campbell	609-668-5167	PUBLIC RELATIONS		
CAMERA CLUB	Kevin Marosovitz	609-658-5628	QUOITS LEAGUE		
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CAN DO	Dan Parrotta	609-588-0807		·	
CHARITIES	Erin Derrico		RENTAL AGENT	Melissa Sprague	609-470-7631
COMMUNITY WELFARE	David Rooney, PER	609-610-2385	SAFETY	Don Burns	609-477-8615
CONVENTION	Kevin Marosovitz	609-658-5628	SCHOLARSHIPS	Ellen Benowitz	609-847-2622
FLOAT	Patty Marosovitz Christina Heineman	609-658-6936	SECURITY CAMERAS	Rill Perna	609-529-6811
PARADES (DISTRICT)		609-954-2302	SICKNESS AND	Stephanie Kowalski	609-227-1738
PARADES (DISTRICT)	Robert McVicker PDD, PST, PVP, PER	609-731-1225	DISTRESS		
DRUG AWARENESS	Rosemarie Weaver	858-414-5341	SHUFFLEBOARD	Grason Jones, PER	609-306-2943
ELKS NAT'L FUND	Stephanie Kowalski	609-227-1738	SPECIAL CHILDREN	Kyle Wisn	609-731-8616
ENTERTAINMENT	Melissa Sprague	609-209-7232	SPECIAL YOUTH & CHARITIES	Grason Jones, PER	609-306-2943
FLAG RETIREMENT			STUDENT OF MONTH	Ellan Ranawitz	600 047 0600
GOVERNMENT RELATIONS	Sandy Schemelia	609-213-0068			609-847-2622
	Kevin Marosovitz		TRUSTEES	Bruce Smith	609-558-1306
GOLF GOURMET – LADIES	Shelley Nelson	609-658-5628 609-203-1732	VETERANS	Jim Turner	609-203-6696
GOURMEI - LADIES	•	009-203-1732			
Gourmet – Men	Ed Taddei, PER	609-280-3364	WHEELCHAIRS & EQUIPMENT	Jason Ispanky	215-630-3229
SPECIAL CHILDREN'S BOWLING	Sue Giancola	609-324-9010	Women's Auxiliary	Heather Cheesman, PER	609-298-7828
House Governing Body	Bill Cranmer	609-658-7459	Youth Activities		
INSTANT RAFFLE	Don Swanson, PER	609-217-6461			
LODGE ACTIVITIES	Hank Elmer, PDD	609-610-6780			

Committee Chairs,

See the officer that is assigned to your committee below. If there is a district meeting that you cannot attend, please notify the officer that is assigned or the Exalted Ruler.

Bill Cranmer Better Parades (Float), Entertainment, Charity, Can-Do Bob Faber Bingo, Youth Activities, Drug Awareness

Joe Ratajczak Membership, Americanism, Special Children, ENF



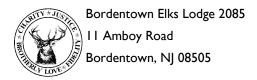


November 2022



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 BINGO 7:00	2 SANDWICH NIGHT	3	4 SAUSAGE, PEPPERS, ONIONS SANDWICH 6-8	5 BABY PER DINNER
6	7 LODGE MTG	8 BINGO 7:00	9 SANDWICH NIGHT	MEN'S GOURMET	11 STEAK DINNER	12
CHRISTMAS SHOW BUS TRIP	14	15 BINGO 7:00	16 SANDWICH NIGHT	17	18 WING NIGHT 6-8 KARAOKE 7-11	19 CRAFT/ VENDOR SHOW 9-3
20 SCC BREAKFAST	21 LODGE MTG	22 BINGO 7:00	23 SANDWICH NIGHT	24 THANKSGIVING	25	26
27 DEVILED EGGS CONTEST	28	29 BINGO 7:00	30 SANDWICH NIGHT			

LODGE COMMITTEE MEETINGS				
LODGE MEETINGS - 1ST AND 3RD MONDAY 7:30PM	HOUSE COM - 4TH MONDAY 7:30PM			
BOARD OF DIRECTORS- 2ND MONDAY 7:30PM	YOUTH ACTIVITIES - 1ST WEDNESDAY 7:30PM			
SPECIAL CHILDREN'S COM - 4TH MONDAY 7:00PM	VETERANS COM - 3RD WEDNESDAY 7:15PM			
MEN'S GOURMET - 2ND THURSDAY 6:30PM	WOMEN'S GOURMET - 4TH THURSDAY 6:30PM			
SHUFFLEBOARD—1ST & 3RD MONDAYS POST MTG	MOTORCYCLE COM - 2ND TUESDAY 7:00PM			
AUXILIARY GEN. MTG - 2ND WEDNESDAY 7:30PM	PER ASSN - 4TH WEDNESDAY 7:30PM			
AUXILIARY BOARD MTG - 1ST WEDNESDAY 7:30PM	MEMBERSHIP - 3RD WEDNESDAY 7:30PM			
CONVENTION COM 1ST TUESDAY 7:30PM	AUDIO/VIDEO COM - 2ND TUESDAY 7:30PM			





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Darlene and Jason Campbell **Editors**



NOVEMBER

Please join us and say Happy Birthday to our November Birthday Elks! Birthday Elks, please come to the lodge within the month of November and receive your free gift.

Brian Aaronson Walter Antosiewicz Dean Appleby Leonard Bainbridge Steven Bancroft Sr Frank Bell III Ellen Benowitz Ralph Biscardi Lynn Bolz Kathrvn Caballero Phillip Carnasale Daniel Cavallaro Vincent Cestare Jr John Colligan William Cooper Robert Costanzo Robert Cranmer Michael Davis Giuseppe DeChiara Gabriel Dibaczy James Dickson **Edward Downs** William Drapczak

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