

Burien Elks Bulletin !!

June / July 2023



Burien Elks Lodge #2143

14006 1st Ave S., Burien, WA 98166-0564

206-243-2143



Missy Wheat – Exalted Ruler

Can you believe we are already 2 months into the New Elks year? Have you paid your dues? If not, remember you cannot come into the lodge until you do. You can always pay your dues on our website burienelks.com, call the lodge, come in and pay at the office or with the bartender.

Some have asked why is the newsletter not sent out earlier than it is... Well, we are all volunteers who not only write the articles, but also assemble the layout, fold, label and get it to the post office. The best way to get it earlier is to sign up to receive it by email. The costs of sending it out is getting too expensive to continue, and with that, we will be making some changes. In the next Elks year, you will be asked to pay an additional \$30.00 when paying your dues should you want it mailed to you. We will continue to have them available in the lodge for you to pick up. Our volunteers work hard to post all upcoming events and news on our website, social media and the MyElks app, so make sure to follow all. I'm going to sound like a broken record but....

We need YOU to come and support your lodge! Your officers work hard putting together special rituals, lodge meetings and events with very poor attendance. Ask yourself why did you become an Elk? Do you want to volunteer, help with our programs, help our lodge grow, have the restaurant to continue to be open? We can only succeed by participation and attendance. Summer Washington Elks Convention is June 15-18th in Pasco Washington, we would like to see you attend. You can view and register on the Washington State Elks Association website.

We know that with the weather getting nicer it can be difficult to come inside to a Lodge with no windows, but did you know we have been fundraising to build two outside decks? We now have a raffle for our deck building fund. We are selling 650 tickets at \$25 per ticket, with prizes of 3rd place \$1000, 2nd place \$2000 and 1st place \$3000! That means with buying 1 ticket you have a 1 in 650 chances to win!

Also, did you know our next Washington State Elks President is from our lodge?? Bob Walker is a Past Exalted Ruler and current Gambling Chairman. We are selling \$10 raffle tickets to win a wine cooler, donated by PER Byron Saunders, to help with Bob's traveling expenses. And another new item, did you see our new officer lodge shirts? We've decided to go Hawaiian! If you'd like to purchase a shirt, they are \$75 and orders can be taken at the lodge or by calling the office at 206 243-2143. Remember it's time to Be The Change.... Get involved and let's make Burien Elks #2143 the best lodge in Washington! We've got this! If you have any questions or concerns, please email me at sodomojomissy68@gmail.com. Have a great June and July, we so look forward to seeing all of you soon!!

Tammy Gray Campbell – Esteemed Leading Knight

Summer is finally here. We are selling raffle tickets for the deck project. Hopefully we can get this done soon so we can enjoy the summer on our new deck.

I want to thank everyone who came out for Mother's Day. The ritual for Mothers is very special.

Don't forget the summer convention is coming up in June, hopeful our lodge will have a great showing.

June Events

Longtime Member Celebration

**WE WANT
TO CELEBRATE
YOU!!**

**SATURDAY JUNE 3RD 4-6PM SPAGHETTI
FEED SERVED BY YOUR PER'S NO CHARGE
FOR LONGTIME MEMBERS GUESTS FILL A
COIN BOX AND JUST PAY \$10PP RSVP BY
MAY 31ST 206 243-2143**



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**Join Burien Elks #2143
Sunday June 11th 10am
for 2 very special Rituals
Brunch to follow \$13pp**

JUNE 11TH

**FLAG DAY
&
FATHERS'S DAY
RITUALS**

14006 1st Ave So Burien 98166 206 243-2143





**JOIN US JUNE 28TH
5-9PM BEER TASTING
FEATURING**

**LOGAN
BREWING
COMPANY**

\$20pp for 4 tastings



RENTON-BURIEN EMBLEM CLUB #185

ALONG WITH

BURIEN ELKS LODGE #2143

PRESENT A SIP AND PAINT PARTY

JUNE 10TH AT 5:00 PM

THE LOUNGE WILL BE OPEN AT 4:00 AND A NO HOST DINNER

FROM THE MENU WILL BE AVAILABLE BEFORE THE EVENT

DINNER AND SIPPING PROCEEDS WILL GO TO THE BURIEN ELKS CHARITIES
LODGE #2143

CANVAS, EASEL, BRUSHES, STENCILS, ETC WILL BE PROVIDED

PAINTING PROCEEDS GOES TO RENTON-BURIEN EMBLEM CLUB #185
CHARITIES

BURIEN ELKS LODGE

14006 1ST AVENUE SOUTH

BURIEN WA 98146

PRE-SALE TICKETS \$40.00

CONTACT MARY GRENNAN (mgrennan206@gmail.com)

OR KATHIE ROBINSON (robinsoncampers@comcast.net)

COME ENJOY AN EVENING OF FUN AND LAUGHTER

June & July Events



JOIN BURIEN ELKS
#2143

WINE
TASTING
WEDNESDAY
JUNE 7TH
&
JULY 5TH
5-9PM \$20PP

RESERVATIONS 206 243-2143
14006 1ST AVE. SO 98166

Burien Elks #2143 Presents



**STAND UP
COMEDY**
For a cause

with
Your Host Brenda Bray

June 30th \$3.00 cover charge goes
July 21st directly to the cause of the
month showtime 6:30pm

Enjoy top Comedians
with your friends PG-13

Dinner served 5-8pm Reservations
highly recommended 206 243 2143



Washington Elks Therapy Program for Children, Inc.
14th Annual Garland Family

 **GOLF** 

CHARITY FUNDRAISER
SATURDAY JULY 29, 2023

Allenmore Golf Course	7:30 am registration
2013 S Cedar St.	9:00 am start
Tacoma, WA 98405	4 Player Scramble
Contact Info: 253-272-	Lunch and Awards
1117 or 253-472-6223	Website: waelks.org

Raffles!!

BURIEN ELKS #2143 DECK FUND RAFFLE



HOW YOU CAN HELP:

We are selling 650 raffle tickets for \$25 each

1 place prize \$3000.00

2nd place prize \$2000.00

3rd place prize \$1000.00

Note: if we do not sell 650 tickets by June 25th
prizes will be adjusted



Help us raise funds for
Wa. State President Bob
Walker for his traveling
expenses

We are selling \$10 raffle
tickets

You could win a
\$300.00 Wine Cooler

Winner will be drawn at summer convention

And don't forget Ace of Spades and the 50/50 every Saturday!

Monthly Events

Burien Elks #2143

KIDS CORNER

ICE CREAM BAR
AND ACTIVITIES



5:00-9:00PM


Available
1 Saturday a Month
No charge



Your hosts will be
Tammy Campbell and Connie Martin

QUIRKY QUIZ PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS

**THE NOVA KNOWLEDGE
GAME SHOW**

2ND & 4TH FRIDAYS
6:30PM @ BURIE ELKS
TRIVIA, GAMES, BINGO & COMEDY

Win great prize\$\$\$!
Food & Drink Specials
Laughs for FREE!

**1ST THURSDAY & 3RD
WEDNESDAY OF THE
MONTH @6:30PM**

**FREE
BINGO**

**AND
FREE PIE**



**IT'S BACK
KARAOKE
NIGHT**



7:00
10PM

**1ST FRIDAY EVERY
MONTH**

Burien Elks #2143

MUSIC
With Marty

Every Saturday night 6-9pm



Ace of Spades
tickets on sale 6pm
Drawing at 7pm



MEETING NIGHT

Join us the 2nd and
4th Thursday every
month 7pm





Reminder

YOU MUST SHOW YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD TO THE BARTENDER

We have all gotten out of practice when showing our Membership cards and signing in Guests. It's time to get back to it...

*It is **Washington State Liquor Law** that we sign in Guests and show our Membership card **EVERY** time we are at the Lodge. This is nothing new, but let's just say we're getting "back to basics". Please be respectful and kind to those at the Lodge. If someone inquires for your card, long-time member or brand new to the Elks family, be proud and show that card off happily!*

Reminder, this is not new policy. If you have any questions, please reach out to one of your Officers

Summer Convention!!!

STATE SUMMER CONVENTION



June 15th-18th

**YOU ARE INVITED TO
JOIN BURIEN ELKS
ALONG WITH ALL
WASHINGTON STATE
ELK LODGES**

**YOU WILL LEARN ALL
ABOUT OUR
PROGRAMS, BUSINESS
SESSIONS AND MEET
OTHER ELK MEMBERS.**

**TO REGISTER GO TO
WASHINGTON
STATE ELKS
ASSOCIATION
WEBSITE**



**Washington State Elks Association
Presents**

CORNHOLE

Tournament



Thursday, June 15th

5:00pm

Red Lion Hotel

2525 N 20th Ave Pasco WA 99301

\$40 PER TEAM

**Required to be an Elk member or Spouse of an Elk
Member and registered for Convention**

**Must be Signed up by 4:00pm
June 15th**

**Proceeds go to WA State Elks Association
Charitable Trust**

**TO REGISTER GO TO
Powered by**



**Look for: WA State
Elks Tourney**

Email:

stevespencereelks317@gmail.com

Committee News!!!!

House Committee Chair

The House Committee proudly presents a revised menu to reflect better what has been the ordering trend. However, we have found that due to the higher cost of living we all are facing. We unfortunately need to increase our prices. We hope that you find the items to your liking and support our efforts to give you a good experience. We are also open to any new ideas for our menu. If you have an idea that might fit with our menu, please let us know. This price increase will be implemented starting June 1st .



Cornhole

FUN! Get in the Game

Are you ready for tournaments? We need volunteers....sign up today!



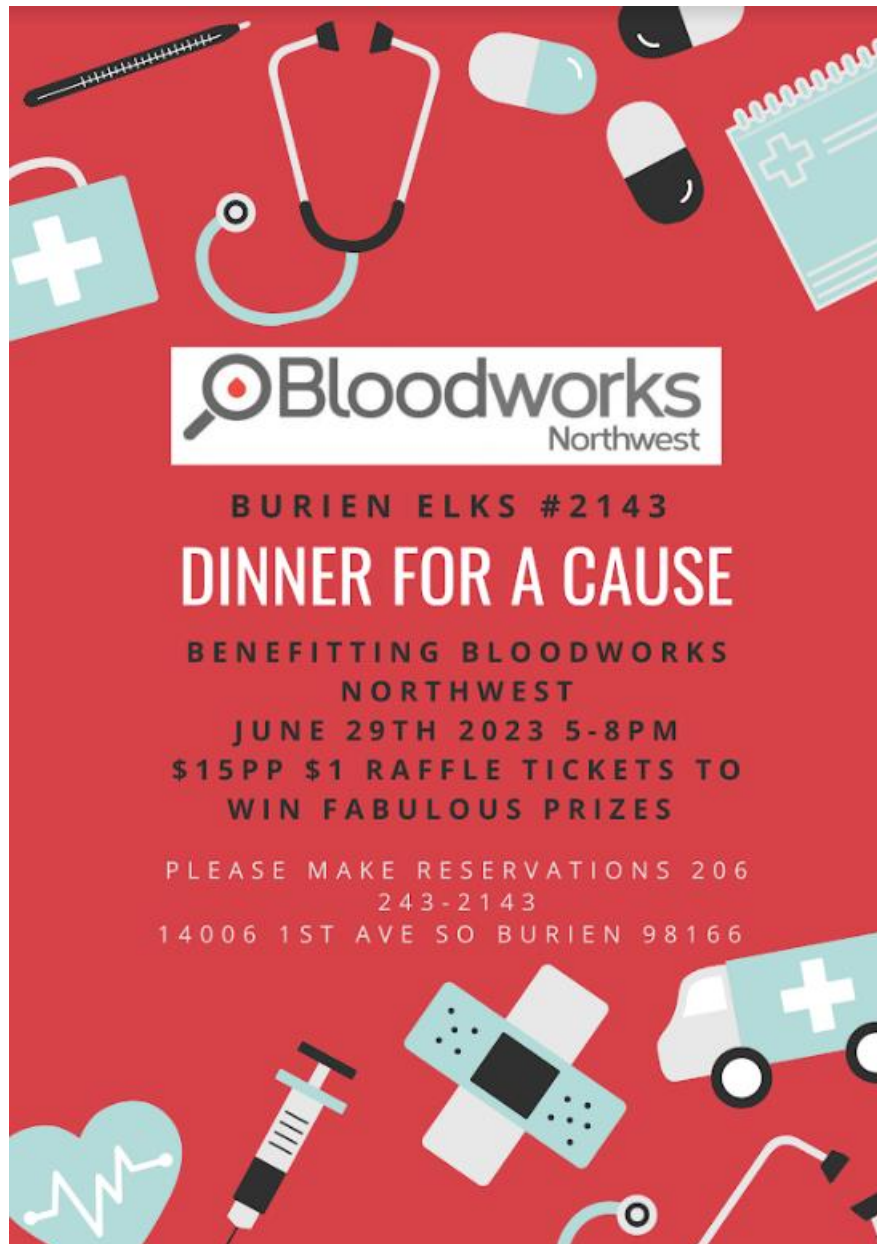
GAME NIGHT

Coming soon every Saturday following Ace of Spades

We need game ideas and volunteers.. Are you in?? Call today 206 243-2143

Dinner For A Cause (DFaC)

June / July



Thursday, June 29th
5-8pm, \$15/pp

Raffle prizes –
always in need!
Raffle prizes = the
more tickets sold =
more donated \$\$



Thursday, July 20th
from 5-8pm, \$15/pp

We are on....

Facebook: (<https://www.facebook.com/burienelks2143>)

Instagram: (burienelks2143)

Twitter: (@BurienElks2143)

“Like” and check back often for Lodge updates!



Dear Member,

Burien Elks #2143 would like to Celebrate You our Longtime Member in a special celebratory dinner on June 3rd from 4:00-6:00pm. Please invite your family and friends the more the merrier. We will be having a spaghetti feed served by your Past Exalted Rulers. There will be no charge for our Longtime members, your family and friends will pay \$15.00pp. If they fill a coin box for our Washington State Children's Therapy Program the cost will be \$10pp.

We will be presenting you a very special Elks Pin with how many years you have been an Elk Member. We appreciate your dedication to the BPOE Benevolent and Protection Order of Elks our as we like to say Best People On Earth. We can't wait to celebrate with you!! Please RSVP by May 31st with the total number of your party. Please call the office 206 243-2143. After dinner enjoy your time in the lodge with live music and our Ace of Spades.

We look forward to seeing all of you.

Fraternally yours,

Missy Wheat
Exalted Ruler
Burien Elks #2143

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Washington Elks Therapy Program for Children, Inc.

State Major Project since 1954



Living in rural Washington State with a child who has complex medical needs is extremely challenging. Just accessing their needed specialized healthcare services in Spokane or Seattle, sometimes located five or more hours away, is an arduous journey for families. For example, a monthly visit to a child's heart doctor may require two adults to take off an entire day of work to travel, which can take a significant physical, emotional, and financial toll on families. And traveling is just one of the many burdens that are daily for these families. Did you know that only 9, out of 39, Washington counties are considered urban by the Washington State Department of Health?

My name is Renee Monson, I am a physical therapist working as an Elk's therapist in Chelan, Douglas, and Grant counties. I began my career in 1994 in St. Louis, MO at an urban children's hospital. In 1997, I moved to Seattle, WA and worked in pediatrics there for 7 years. My husband's job as a physician then moved us to North Central WA. Wow, was I in for a change in perspective in terms of what is available for children with disabilities in rural communities compared to the urban communities I had worked in.

Over the past 19 years of living in North Central Washington, several factors that make it harder for children with disabilities in rural communities to access and receive their needed healthcare have become very clear to me. Just some of the challenges for families include extremely limited healthcare resources such as finding and accessing wheelchair and orthotic vendors, lack of public and private transportation to get to appointments or to simply attend community events, no local specialized healthcare providers, and more individuals without insurance coverage. Something I would not have thought about when living in an urban area is how difficult it would be for a child who is in a wheelchair to navigate a rural community without wheelchair accessible sidewalks to be able to leave their home.

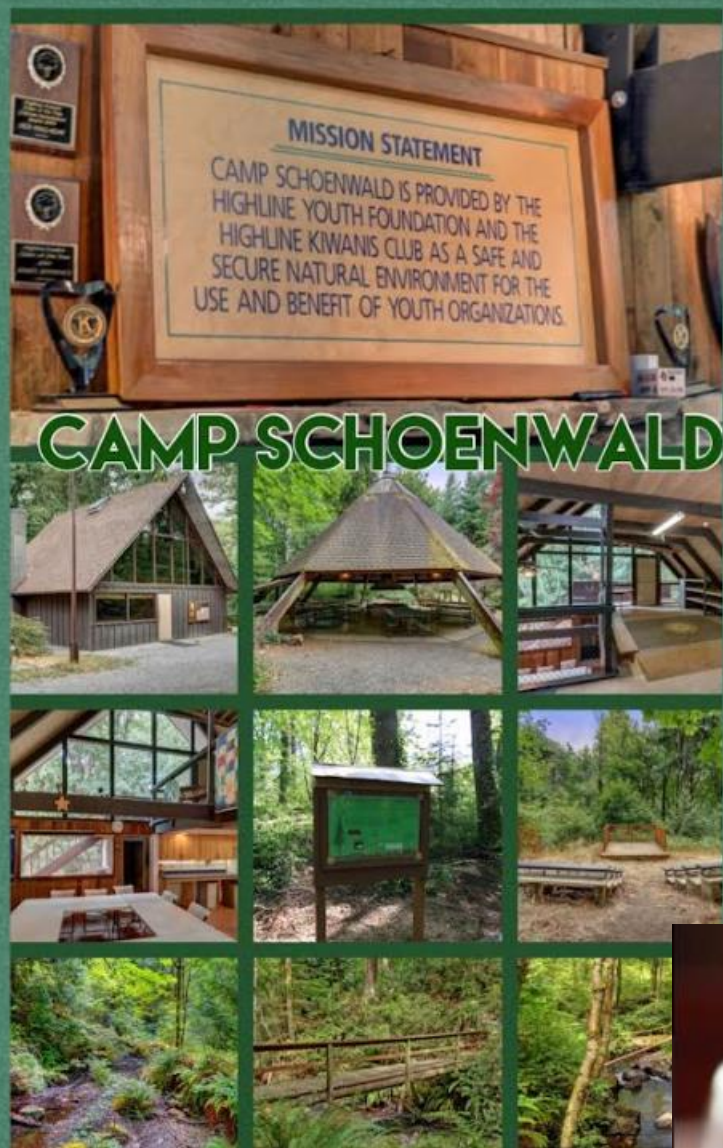
I take pride in being an Elk's therapist in Central Washington because this program provides a much-needed lifeline for families in rural communities who face significant challenges in accessing healthcare services. By offering home services, the Elks Therapy Program for Children brings specialized care closer to rural families, reducing the burden of transportation and providing crucial support to children with complex medical needs. I enjoy the challenge of searching for solutions to the complicated problems that these families experience, and my Elk's job allows me the time and resources to put into these challenges. As a therapist, I have seen firsthand the difference that this program can make in the lives of families, and I am very proud and grateful to be part of it.



Plan Ahead

**Dinner
For
A
Cause**

**BENEFITING
CAMP
SCHOENWALD
THURSDAY
AUGUST 17TH
5-8:00PM**



Stag Room Rules

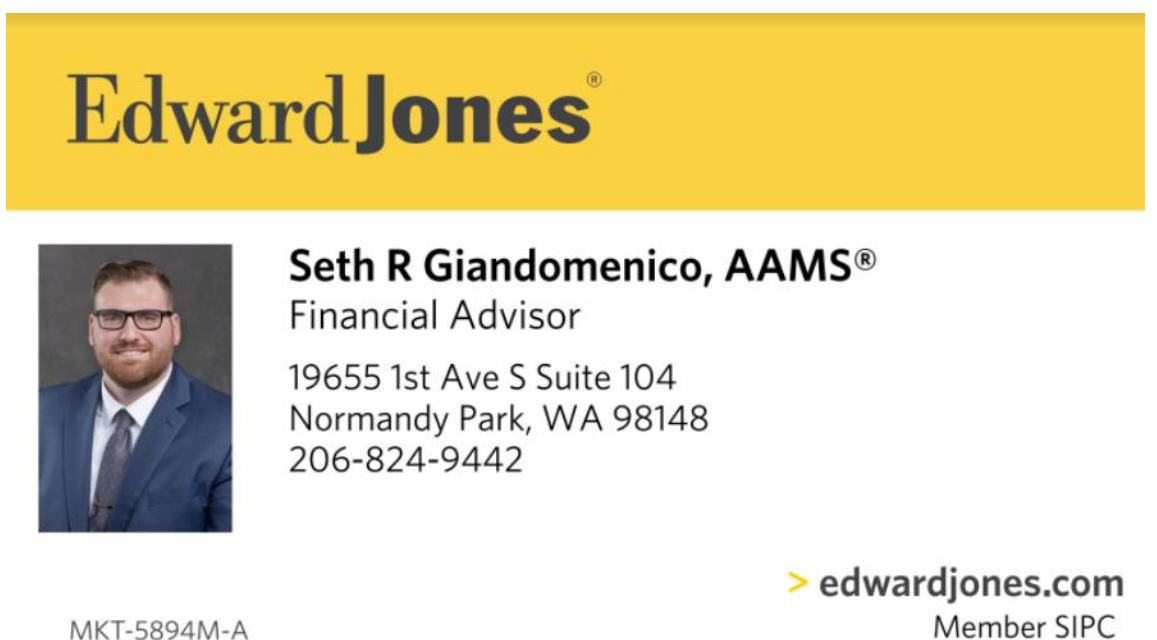
Failure to follow the rules will result in a loss of privileges to the stag room

- Children under 13 not allowed without a parent present
- Pool Tables may only be used by adults
- Shuffleboard pucks are not to be thrown they are meant to drift
- Pool table covers must be folded when not in use and replaced after play



**Make sure you download the
MyElks App and visit our
website burienelks.com
for updated events**

Advertising !!!



For just \$50, you can submit your business card, or business card-sized ad, at any time and have a year of advertising in the monthly newsletter. Timeline is based off of Ad submittal, NOT calendar year. Submit your business card or Ad details to the Lodge Secretary



2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 BINGO – 6:30pm DO: Leading	2 Prime Rib Dinner DO: 2 yr trustee	3 Long-time Member Celebration Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO: Loyal
4	5 BoD – 5pm	6	7 Wine Tasting 5-8pm DO: 3 yr trustee	8 Lodge Meeting 7:00pm DO: ER	9 Prime Rib Dinner Trivia/Bingo DO: Chaplain	10 Paint & Sip 5pm Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO: Lecturing
11 Flag day & Father's Day Rituals 10 am	12	13	14 Summer Convention Lodge Closed DO: n/a	15 DO: n/a	16 Prime Rib Dinner DO: Tyler	17 Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO:
18 Summer Convention	19 BoD – 5pm	20	21 DO: Asst Esquire	22 Lodge Meeting 7:00pm DO: ER	23 Prime Rib Dinner Trivia/Bingo DO: Esquire	24 Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO: Treasurer
25	26	27	28 Bingo/ Tasting DO: Leading	29 Dinner for a Cause 5-8pm DO: 2 yr trustee	30 Honor Guard – Tahoma NC Prime Rib Dinner Comedy for a Cause DO: Loyal	



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						1 Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO: Tyler
2	3 BoD – 5pm	4	5 DO: 1 yr trustee	6 BINGO – 6:30pm DO: Treasurer	7 Prime Rib Dinner (reservations) Karaoke Night 6:30pm DO: 3 yr trustee	8 Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO: Esquire
9	10	11	12 Wine Tasting 5-8pm DO: 2 yr trustee	13 Lodge Meeting 7:00pm DO: ER	14 Prime Rib Dinner (reservations) Trivia / Bingo 6:30pm DO: Leading	15 Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO:
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23 / 30	24 / 31	25	26 DO: Lecturing	27 Lodge Meeting 7:00pm DO: ER	28 Prime Rib Dinner (reservations) Trivia / Bingo 6:30pm DO: Tyler	29 Garland Golf Fundraiser Live Music – 6pm Ace of Spades – 7pm DO: Esquire

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

BPOE Burien Lodge 2143
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P.O. Box 66564
Burien, WA 98166

LODGE OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY – FRIDAY: See Interior

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CLUB HOURS

WEDNESDAY
4:00PM – 9:00PM
THURSDAY
4:00PM – 9:00PM
FRIDAY
12:00PM – 9:00PM
SATURDAY
4:00PM – 9:00PM

KITCHEN HOURS

WEDNESDAY
4:00PM – 9:00PM
THURSDAY
5:00OM – 8:00PM
FRIDAY
5:00PM – 8:00PM (LUNCH AVAILABLE)
SATURDAY
5:00PM – 8:00PM

OFFICERS FOR 2022 - 2023

Exalted Ruler Missy Wheat	Trustees 1 yr – Glenda Ester
Leading Knight Tammy Gray-Campbell	2 yr – Dave Banghart
Loyal Knight John Gaston	3 yr – John Ester
Lecturing Knight Bill Burcham	
Secretary George Harper, PER	
Treasurer Michelle MacKenzie	
Asst Esquire Melinda Anderson, PER	
Chaplain Beorn Edmonds	
Inner Guard John Wheat	
Tiler Jared	