

The Temple Chimes

November 2023

Boise Elks Lodge #310
Benevolent and Protective order of Elks

Elkette Bazaar Saturday, November 4th from 9am to 4pm.

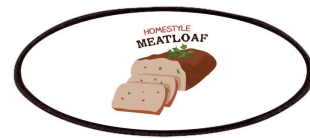
Handmade items, homemade soaps, woodworking items, decorative items, stocking stuffers, and of course all those delicious baked goods.



Meatloaf Dinner Thursday November 9th 5:30 pm

Some of the best home made meatloaf with all the trimmings

\$9.00 Join in on a great meal and fun with friends.



VETERANS APPRECIATION CELEBRATION

Please join us at the Lodge on Friday, November 10th for our Veterans Appreciation Celebration. The Knickerbockers will be preparing a delicious meal of Roast Beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, veggies, and rolls. Sue Apa will be providing a scrumptious dessert. The festivities will start with a cocktail hour from 5:00pm until 5:45pm. The program will start at 6:00pm with the Flag presentation, prayer, pledge, and dinner. We are hoping to have folks from the VA Medical Center and Veterans Home along with Vets from a local Senior Center. There will be great door prizes. There is a sign-up sheet at the Lodge or call in for a reservation. PLEASE make a reservation so that we have enough food for all. Hope to see you there!



Clam Chowder Dinner Friday November 17th.

There will be Clam Chowder, salad and dessert. The cost of the dinner is \$12.00. This dinner is to benefit all of our youth activities (American Essay, Scholarship and Hoop Shoot). Dinner will be served at 5PM. There will be a 50/50 drawing. Signup sheet is on the board or make reservations by calling the Lodge (208-377-2763). Last time we held this we ran out of chowder - so please sign up. Signups receive first service.



THANKSGIVING BREAKFAST!! Sunday November 19th

Will include Champagne or Bloody Mary's or a Soda. Breakfast line includes hash browns, biscuits & gravy, bacon, sausage and eggs to order, including omelets. Toast is whole wheat, white or sourdough. We will serve Chocolate Chip pancakes upon request. Coffee and juice included. Adults \$14.00, Children 4-12 years old \$5.00. 9-11 AM



ELKETTE NEWS

Quilt Tickets are still for sale at the lodge. See the bartender or an Elkette. Tickets are \$5.00 for 1 or 5 for \$20.

The Bazaar will be held on Saturday, November 4th from 9am to 4pm. Handmade items, home-made soaps, woodworking items, decorative items, stocking stuffers, and of course all those delicious baked goods. Tables and space are available, so give Bugs a call to reserve a spot. (208-343-0049)

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, November 14th starting at 6:00pm.

Virginia Stagner - Elkette President



We have a box for used glasses at the Lodge . Our friends from the Lions have ask for some help collecting . The glasses are sorted to determine those that are usable or unusable, processed, and placed in inventory for distribution to optical missions around the world

There will be a Grant meeting on Thursday, November 2nd at 6:00pm. It would be genuinely nice to see more faces at the meeting!

Thank you to all that attended and helped with the pasta dinner on October 20. We had a nice turn out and everyone had a great time.

Idaho State Elks Association President Michael Marvin, Secretary / Treasurer Linda Tatlock, Historian Steve Johnson and PGER Keith Mills and their spouses joined us for this event.

Thank you to all who helped make the Soup/Chili night a success. From cooks to condiment providers to bartender to servers. The turn out was great and the fellowship even better.

Volunteer? Check with any Lodge Officer. Great way to meet new friends and help with our community programs. Elks care and Elks share.

**To Our Absent Members
In Memoriam**

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



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

Ronald E Byron Passed September 4, 2023, member for 40 years

Elks Memorial Service December 3, 2023

Officers and other Notables

Exalted Ruler	Kim Miller	
Leading Knight	Geri Scaglione	
Loyal Knight	James Bovet	
Lecturing Knight	Rick Emerson	
Secretary/Bookkeeper	Mike Stagner	
Treasurer	Robin Saavedra	
Tiler	Lloyd Skogerson	
Chaplain	Jeremy Verkerk	
Esquire	Open	
Inner Guard	Bob Warren	
Trustees	Ross Chadd	1 yr
	Jane Stone	2 yr
	Suzanne Apa	3 yr
	Open	4 yr
Chairman	Bob Apa	5 yr
G E R	Bruce A. Hidley	
DDGER ID South	Traci Roberts-Marmon	
PGER Sponsor	T Keith Milles PGER	
I S E A President	Robert (Bob) Shaw	
Lady Elk of the Year	Kate Hoelsing	
Elk of the Year	Jeffery R Colaric PER	
Officer of the Year	Jane Stone	
PER Association Pres.	Jeffery R Colaric PER	
Elkette President	Virginia Stagner	
Chimes Editor	Mike Stagner	chimes@boiseelks.org

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Office - Note: Secretary Hours
Tuesday through Friday from 1 pm to 3 pm.
Lounge Hours
Tuesday- Friday
3 PM to 7 PM
Later with a crowd

Hello members,

As we enter into November, I want to ask you all to please join me in recognizing the men and women who have proudly served our country in the armed forces.

If you are a veteran, let me personally say thank you for your service.

November 11th marks Veterans Day, a day that we traditionally set aside for the recognition of veterans and the sacrifices they have made. However, I am proud to say that the Elks practice a year-round service to help our Veterans.

While our local Lodge and the Lodges around the country reach out to Veterans in so many ways throughout the year, we choose November as a month to focus on giving back.

Please join us at the Lodge on Friday, November 10th for our Veterans Appreciation Celebration. This roast beef meal will be free to all Veterans! Thank you to our Leading Knight and Veterans Services Committee Chair, Geri Scaglione, cooks Michael and Diane Knickerbocker and the Veterans services committee for all that you have done and continue to do for our Veterans!

The Veterans service committee is a dynamic group of Lodge members who have put together numerous Welcome Home Kits to help furnish homes to homeless veterans and have spent countless hours volunteering at the VA and much more.

Keep up the great work to help our Veterans, Boise Elks Lodge!

Fraternally, Kim Miller Exalted Ruler

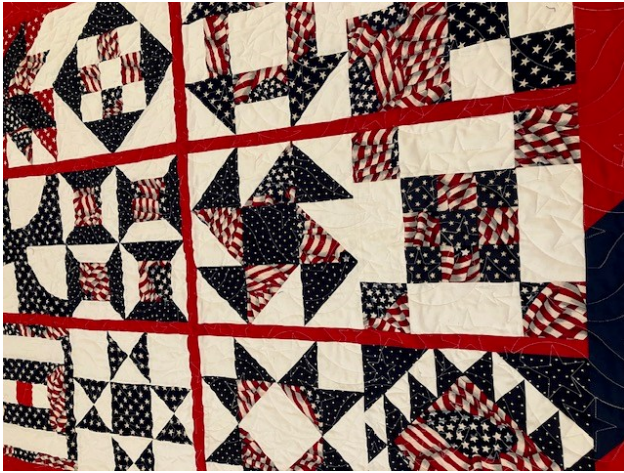
Our Welcome Home initiative gives veterans experiencing homelessness a hand up by providing them with emergency assistance, home supplies and an ongoing connection to the Elks community.

The Boise Lodge has help with 54 Welcome Home Kits since the start of the program.



BIRTHDAYS THIS MONTH

01	Mark	Jensen	08	Barbara Martin	16	Charles Lindeen	27	Suzanne Dewey
01	Jerry	Jones	12	Robert Fowler	16	Roland Worster	29	Dwain Baxter
02	Jeremy	VerKerk	12	Constantina Kortopattis	19	Roberta Gallor		
04	Stanley	Herzinger			22	William Froberg		
05	Aaron	Nadal	12	Nate Suekel	22	Max Morgan		
06	Nathan	Galvin	14	Maynard Davis	23	Dale Brown		
06	Jeff	Sugai	15	Franklin Benson	23	Jacquelyn McFalls		
08	Jack	Haynes	15	Karen Hagel	25	Daniel Ukkestad		



48" x 60"

QUILT RAFFLE

Sponsored by the Elkettes

Value of the quilt \$200 (material)

Tickets will be at the Bar or through an Elquette

Tickets on sale September 1, 2023

Cost: \$5.00 per ticket or \$20 for 5

Aiming for the drawing November 10th

Proceeds will benefit our local community project and Elquette Projects

Contributions by Diane Street, Sue Megran, and Bugs Sorneson

Boise Elks to be in Festival of Trees

Boise Elks Lodge will be participating in a tree decorating fundraiser at the Boise Centre in Downtown Boise, an event to raise funds for the St. Alphonsus Cancer Institute.

Calling All Helping Hands

We are forming a decorating committee to create a fabulous tree and we are needing 3-4 volunteers. Lodge members and spouses are welcome.

Chicken Parmesan Dinner Fundraiser For Our Tree

Thursday, November 30th 5 pm \$10

Menu

Breaded chicken breast on a marinara topped bed of spaghetti.
Garlic bread, salad and dessert.

A great community outreach project and opportunity for some great Lodge fellowship.
More information or to volunteer on the tree decorating committee, please call

ER Kim Miller at 208-991-8888



CHARITY BALL

Please join us at the Lodge on Saturday, December 9th for our Annual Charity Ball. The meal has not been set yet; however, Kim Miller is hard at work collecting items for the silent auction. This event is the major fundraiser for our Charity programs. If you have any donations for the silent auction, please contact ER Kim at kim.miller.elk@gmail.com or 208-991-8888. The evening is shaping up to be a wonderful time for all! More details will be in the December Chimes but SAVE the date and plan to attend.

Christmas Baskets 2023

As we are enjoying our beautiful fall weather, please take a moment to start thinking about our funds for our annual Christmas Baskets. The delivery date for the baskets this year will be December 16th, 2023. There will be more information about this annual event in the December Chimes. Make your donations to the Lodge and mark them Christmas Baskets.

This event means so much to the families that we help so please mark your calendar and if you have any questions or ideas feel free to call me at 208-343-0049. Thank you, Bugs Sorneson

Thanks to all the great volunteers that make the Boise Lodge great. We are in need of a few more Bartenders that can fill in from time to time. Boise City requires that New Bartenders attend our Alcohol Server Training on Monday November 6, 2020, at 6:30 pm.

Please let Susie Stertz know at 208-861-8386.

Fantastic way to get to meet and make lots of new friends and help keep our Lodge great.

As the air starts to cool and the leaves begin to turn, the ENF is knee-deep in fall programming. The Most Valuable Student scholarship and Legacy Awards applications are open, Lodges are starting to host Hoop Shoot contests, and Community Investments Program grants are helping schools with supplies and safe spaces. Check out what we accomplished in the past year, then look forward to everything we're going to do in 2024!

Boise Lodge has put in over 2600 hour in community hours and donated over \$7000.00 in community programs so far this year.

Learn more how our Lodge helps our community on line at <https://www.elks.org/cip/>

Help with the many great community programs and join the Fidelity Club with a monthly donation as little as \$5.00 per month.

JOIN THE CLUB

Scan the QR code to join the Fidelity Club with a monthly donation to the Elks National Foundation through your credit card or bank account. It is an easy and secure way to support your Foundation!

Learn more at enf.elks.org/FC



Helping Elks Build Stronger Communities

Boise Elks Lodge #310 November 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm PER Meeting 6:30pm Lodge Night 7:30 pm Kitchen Open 5:30 Hamburger	2 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Grant Meeting 6pm	3 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm	4 Elkettes Bazaar 9am-4pm
	5	6 Alcohol Server Training 5pm Please sign up	7 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm	8 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Trustees-5 pm House 6pm	9 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Meatloaf Dinner 5:30 pm Fly Fishermen 6-9 pm	10 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm VETERANS APPRECIATION CELEBRATION 6pm
12	13 Meeting 6pm	14 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Elkettes Meeting 6pm	15 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Lodge Night 7:30 pm Kitchen Open 5:30 Hamburger	16 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm	17 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Clam Chowder Dinner 5 pm \$12.00 	18
19 Thanksging Breakfast 9-11am 	20 Red Cross Blood Drive 9-5	21 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Gem State Arms 5-9 pm	22 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Game Day	23 Closed Happy Thanksgiving	24 Closed Happy Thanksgiving	25
26	27	28 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm	29 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm	30 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm Chicken Parmesan Dinner 5pm	December 1 Lodge Open 3pm-7pm	December 2

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 \$.63 (which is the first-class 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 send an email to secretary@boiseelks.org . 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.

Thank you, Lodge Secretary, - Mike Stagner, PDDGER, PER

