



Dear Members,

We had a great month of May. Mothers' Day Brunch was a huge success, Rhody Breakfast and Spaghetti Feed went well also. Rounded out the month with Bunco. June events to include: Rock n Roll Bingo, Flag Day, Fathers' Day Brunch, Bunco and Membership Drive Poker Run. Some of the Officers head to Pasco for the Summer Convention on June 13th. On June 29th, I fly to Austin, TX for the Elks National Convention.

We are continuing to work on upcoming events.

Hope to see you around the Lodge. Your Lodge runs on volunteers. Please find some time to give back to the Elks Lodge. Your help and support is always greatly appreciated.

Don't forget:

- 1) As a "Members Only" club you are required to have your Elks Membership Card with you to gain admission to the Lodge. Please show your membership card to the bartender upon your arrival.
- 2) A Membership Incentive Program for this Elk Year has been implemented. Please read more about this in the Echo. It went into effect April 1st, 2024.

Thank You and we look forward to seeing you at the Lodge.

**\*\*ELKS CARE ELKS SHARE\*\***

Fraternally,  
Steve Spencer  
Exalted Ruler

## UPCOMING EVENTS



Every Tuesday	Tuesday Night Dinners	5pm - 6:00pm
Every Thursday	Fish & Chips with Joker's Wild (6:15 drawing) (Must be present to win)	5pm - 6:30pm
Friday, June 7	Rock n Roll Bingo	5pm - 9pm
Thursday, June 13	Flag Day Ritual	5pm
Sunday, June 16	Fathers' Day Brunch	11am - 1pm
Friday, June 28	Bunco	5 pm – 8:30pm
Saturday, June 29	Poker Run Membership Drive	1 pm

# June



<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
Tim Thomas						<b>1</b> Sherry Moch Memorial 1 pm
<b>2</b>  Cornhole Noon - Closing  Bob Kelvy	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>  Tuesday Dinner 5pm - 6:00pm RIBS	<b>5</b>  House Committee /Board Meeting 5:15pm	<b>6</b>  Fish & Chips 5pm - 6:30pm Joker's Wild 6:15 pm  Lodge Meeting 7pm	<b>7</b>  5 pm Rock & Roll Bingo	<b>8</b>  3 pm Pt Townsend Alumni
<b>9</b>  Cornhole Noon - Closing  Grant Clemens	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>  Tuesday Dinner 5pm - 6:00pm TACO TUESDAY	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>  Fish & Chips 5pm - 6:30pm Joker's Wild  Flag Day 5 pm	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>  Alex Mintz Memorial 3—7 pm
<b>16</b>  Fathers Day Brunch 11am—1 pm Cornhole 1 pm - Closing Mark Banks	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>  Tuesday Dinner 5pm - 6:00pm CHICKEN  Indoctrination 7pm	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>  Fish & Chips 5pm - 6:30pm  Joker's Wild 6:15pm  Lodge Meeting 7pm	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b>  Cornhole Noon - Closing  Paul Jacobsen  <b>30</b> Cornhole Noon-Closing Cindy Kobetich	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>  Tuesday Dinner 5pm - 6:00pm SALISBURY STEAK	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>  Fish & Chips 5pm - 6:30pm Joker's Wild 6:15 pm	<b>28</b>  5 pm—Bunco	<b>29</b>  1pm—Poker Run

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*The bar area is always open to members during rental events.*

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## NEW MEMBERS BPOE # 317

John Bartlett  
Bruce Canaday  
Marty Canaday  
Bobbi Carver  
James Davenport  
Renee Hammond  
Alec Jensen  
William Poplin

*Welcome to our Lodge!*

## VACANT CHAIR

**Name:** Don L. Matheson  
**Born:** 1934  
**Initiated:** 6/28/1990  
**Died:** 4/19/2024



**Name:** Donald Hasley  
**Born:** 1934  
**Initiated:** 8/16/2007  
**Died:** 5/15/2024

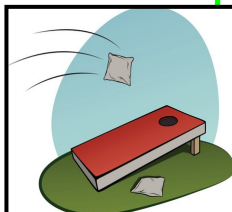
## Shake of the Day! (One shake per day)

Members in good standing from PT Lodge #317 only have 4 shakes to roll 5 of a kind. If you roll 4 of a kind you get an extra shake.

If pot reaches \$500 and hasn't been won, a new pot will be started and the first member to shake 5 of a kind will win the entire first pot!

The pot will be counted daily and posted at the Bar.

**CORNHOLE**  
**Every Sunday**  
**Noon—Closing**  
**Come on out and**  
**Join in the Fun!!**



**Echo Article Deadline:**  
**12th of each month.**

## The Echo Needs You!

The Echo is without an editor and local staff. Without a group of dedicated volunteers, the Echo will cease to be the vital link between our lodge and its members. Please reach out to ER Steve Spencer or our great team of officers for more information.

## MEMBERSHIP INCENTIVE

Port Townsend Elks Lodge

#317

## Goal: Membership Growth

Starting April 1st 2024, there will be a black box with Membership Incentive cards next to it. It will be located by the sign in sheet as you enter the Lodge. Members that bring a guest and fill out the Membership Incentive card will be entered in a monthly drawing for one 2 pc. fish and chips dinner paid for by the Exalted Ruler. Drawings will take place 1st Thursday of every month. (And must be claimed that month.)

1. Fill out all the info required on the Incentive Card  
(Must have Member Contact info to win)
2. Place Card in the black box to Be Eligible



First Incentive Drawing will be May 2nd, 2024

Last Incentive Drawing will be March 7th 2025,  
to be claimed by March 27th, 2025

Membership makes the Lodge successful

**BUNCO Night!**

**POTLUCK 5:00**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 28TH**

**6:00 PM - 8:30 P.M.**

**\$5 DONATION PER PLAYER**

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# JUNE BIRTHDAYS!!

01 Don Thorne	17 Patricia Inman
01 Steven Tolliver	18 Taylor Chaffee
02 Joshua Drake	18 Greg Jacobsen
04 John Smith	18 Richard Spindor
04 William Stephensen	19 Ken Bishop
05 Charles Grace	19 Margaret Merritt
05 Mary Horn	20 Richard Ballard
05 Kathy Ryan	20 Marilyn Brown
06 Dale Kelley	20 James Duede
06 Barbara Jo Vittitoe	20 Bruce Huntingford
07 Gene Cox	20 Jennifer Kroeger
07 James Lopez	20 Alex Morris
07 Gerald Watts	21 Carla VanderVen
08 Vernon Rosbach	22 Connie Matthes
09 Brian Anderson	23 Norma Osten
10 Donald Barrows	23 Aija Thomas
10 William Eldridge	24 Michael Jennings
12 Harold Guard	24 Nick Jones
13 Kristi Arthur	24 Neil VanderVen
13 Jim Franklin	28 Steven Crosby
11 Kenneth Olson	29 Brian Richie
15 Leroy Watts	29 Shane Stevenson
16 Ricky Rezinias	30 Frank Arey
17 Greg Carroll	30 Harold Faust

If your Birthday was missed above, we apologize.  
You can still cut out the coupon and get your  
birthday drink!

This **COUPON** entitles bearer  
to a Complimentary  
House Pour, Beer or Wine  
in the lounge during their **birthday** month.  
Clip this coupon and present at the bar.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Port Townsend #317 Member No.: \_\_\_\_\_



**\$3.00  
SODA  
With FREE  
REFILLS!**

**Elks Care - Elks Share**

**BAR MENU**  
**MAKES A GREAT DINNER!**  
Tuesday - Saturday 3pm - 8:30pm  
Sunday - Noon - 6:00pm

## BAR MENU

Taquitos	5 for \$5.25 or 10 for \$9.50
Mac & Cheese Wedge	6 for \$5.50
Mozzarella Sticks	6 for \$5.25
Burritos	\$4.25
3 PC Chicken Tenders	\$5.00
JoJos or Onion Rings	\$4.50
Fries	\$4.50
Chicken Wings (Honey BBQ or Breaded and fried)	\$6.50
Pizza (as available)	\$10.00
Cheese	
Pepperoni	
Pepperoni & Sausage	
Supreme	
Chicken Wing	
\$6.50	
Poppers (8)	\$5.50
Chips	\$1.25
Hotdog	\$6.00
Chilidog	\$7.00

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# Father's Day Brunch

JUNE 16TH

**\$15**

**11am - 1pm**

555 Otto St. Port Townsend WA



## TUESDAY NIGHT DINNER

**\$16**

**5 pm—6:00 pm**

June 4th	Ribs
June 11th	Taco Tuesday
June 18th	Chicken
June 25th	Salisbury Steak

PORT TOWNSEND ELKS LODGE #317  
**Food Bank Donation = 1 Xtra Card**



**POKER RUN**  
**JUN 29 1 PM**  
**MEMBERSHIP DRIVE**  
**Benefits Tall Elks**  
**\$20 Per Driver/\$5 Per Passenger (who wish to play)**



If you would like to volunteer or be involved,  
Please contact Mark Banks.

## **SURVEY**

**WE WOULD LOVE YOUR INPUT**

Please e-mail your responses

To

[ptbpoe317@yahoo.com](mailto:ptbpoe317@yahoo.com)

Any Interest in Playing Cribbage?

OR

In Favor of Having Queen of Hearts on Tuesdays?

## **FISH & CHIPS**

**Thursdays 5 - 6:30 PM**

2 piece fish & chips	\$12.00
3 piece fish & chips	\$15.00
1 piece baked fish & chips	\$15.00
Shrimp dinner	\$12.00
Combo shrimp & fish	\$19.00
(3 pieces fish, 5 shrimp)	

## ***JOKER'S WILD!***

**THURSDAYS**

**6:15 PM**

Join us at the lodge for Fish & Chips from  
5pm - 6:30pm.

With your membership, in good standing,  
purchase your Joker's Wild tickets at \$1.00 each.  
Drawing @ 6:15 pm. Must be present to win!

**Port Townsend Elks Lodge #317**

**2024 -2025**

## **MEMBERSHIP DUES INCENTIVE WINNERS!**

**Winner** of Fish & Chips for Two

For paying by February 9th:

**WARREN ERICKSON**

**Winner** of Tuesday Dinner for Two

For paying by March 31st:

**MARK MAKAROWSKI**

**Winner** of Taco Tuesday Dinner for Two

For paying dues by April 30th:

**JERRALD WEIDNER**

Port Townsend Elks Lodge #317



**FLAG DAY**  
**JUNE 13TH**  
**5PM**





## WORK ON PARKING LOT

Our Lodge is very fortunate to have Randy Hathaway and Forrest Swanson (New Member Applicant) to donate their machines and time to do the work on the parking lot. They did a great job & plan on doing more parking lot work at a later date.

**THANK YOU RANDY & FORREST!**

**Stapf, Sr**



**CAN BOSS!!**



The cans have all been crushed and taken to Navy Yard Metal. This project has done well financially. The money was originally designated for the neon light, but as luck would have it when we started to finish up on May 14th, some parts were missing. Hopefully it will be up and running by the time you read this Echo.

**THANK YOU TO ALL THE VOLUNTEERS!**

**Stapf, Sr**

The Card Ladies recently had a rummage sale making \$1,511. From this a commercial vacuum was purchased for the Lodge leaving a balance of \$696. They would like to use remainder toward replacement of the curtain between the bar and dance floor but are short the full amount. It has been suggested to use the residual can money to make up the difference and the suggestion has been added to Board's June agenda.

**Stapf, Sr**



## WORK AROUND THE LODGE

In April the old wood from the deck was hauled off. Initially, we were going to burn it, but were unable to due to it being painted. Stapf, Jr's dump trailer rolled in and the group of volunteers loaded it up for hauling to the dump. The cost was around \$540 which came from the deck fund. There were about 10 volunteers showed up to help with this clean up.

**THANKS TO ALL OF YOU!**

**Stapf, Sr**



## DUTY ROSTER

	JUNE	JULY
02-08	Bob Kely	1-6 Cindy Kobetich
09-15	Grant Clemens	7-13 Shari Morrison
16-22	Mark Banks	14-20 PER Steve Spencer
23-29	Paul Jacobsen	21-27 Rachel Cervantes
30-06	Cindy Kobetich	28-3 Lisa Mull

### Facility Rental Rates

	Member	Non-Member
Dining Room	\$200.00	\$275.00
Dance/Bar	\$225.00	\$375.00
Dining Room/ Dance/Bar	\$350.00	\$550.00
Lodge	\$200.00	\$200.00
Dining/Dance/ Lodge	\$550.00	\$775.00
Card Room	\$75	\$125
LOE	\$75	\$125
Kitchen (\$100 re- fund)	\$350.00	\$350.00
Steam Table	\$50	\$50

Rentals also require EVENT Insurance to be purchased by tenant with proof of insurance provided to lodge prior to event.

There is a \$100 refundable fee for the kitchen rental if it is left clean.

## LODGE OFFICERS 2024 - 2025

Exalted Ruler	PER Steve Spencer
Leading Knight	Rachel Cervantes
Loyal Knight	Lisa Mull
Lecturing Knight	Peter Chaffee
Secretary	Rose Ann Carroll
Treasurer	PER Angie Cossell
Esquire	PER Mark Fritts
Tiler	Shari Morrison
Inner Guard	Cindy Kobetich
Chaplain	Greg Carroll

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PER Steve Spencer, Rachel Cervantes, Lisa Mull, Peter Chaffee, PER Angie Cossell, Rose Ann Carroll and the following Trustees:

To April 2024	Paul Jacobsen
To April 2025	Mark Banks
To April 2026	Bob Kely
To April 2027	Grant Clemens
To April 2028	Tim Thomas

## OFFICE STAFF

Bookkeeper - Virginie Bourgue  
Event Coordinator - Renee Hammond  
Lodge Auditor - PER David Harrah

## BAR

Manager: Gretchen VanDerent  
Bartender: Karen Smith  
Bar Volunteers: Grant Clemens, Peggy Ann Carmouche

## PAST GRAND LODGE OFFICERS

98-99 Ron Brantner, PER, PDDGER

## PAST STATE OFFICERS

07-08 Ron Brantner PER, PST  
03-04 Linda De Leo, PER, PDLO

## PER ASSOCIATION

President	James Aman, PER
Vice President	TBD
Sec/Treasurer	TBD

## ECHO CREW

Interim Editor: Shari Morrison  
Proof Readers: PER Jim Bumgarner & Mike Hammers  
Labels: PER Billie Fullerton, Paul Jacobsen, Don Johnston, Lyn Johnston, Jeanne Martin, Lavon Turley, Sharon Young, Norma Van Valkenburg

## RV Reservations

Call the RV HOST 360-301-0728



## ELKS COIN BOX CHILDRENS THERAPY PROGRAM

Please remember our coin boxes for the Washington Elks Therapy Program for Children (Tall Elks).  
Fill a coin box and return it.

# NEWS FROM



## The ECHO

Port Townsend Elks Lodge #317  
555 Otto Street  
Port Townsend, WA. 98368-9710

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Organization

US Postage  
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Permit #42  
Chimacum, WA 98325

## LODGE BAR HOURS

Tuesday - Saturday 3PM - 8:30 PM  
Sunday - Noon - 6pm

## OFFICE HOURS

9:00am-1:00pm Tuesday-Friday  
Rose Ann Carroll, Secretary **email:** ptbpoe317@yahoo.com  
Renee Hammond, Event Coordinator  
**email:** ptelks317@gmail.com  
**phone:** (360) 385-0317

**Please join us for Lodge Meetings  
On the 1st & 3rd  
Thursday of the Month at 7PM**



*Elks* Care - *Elks* Share