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Arlington Lodge No. 1435

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks
Instituted February 8, 1922
On the Shores of Spy Pond at 56 Pond Lane
Arlington, Massachusetts 02474-6527



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October 2008

Message from the ER

Dear Members,

Happy Autumn! I hope this newsletter finds you and your loved ones doing well, minus the obvious pain of waving goodbye to the warm summer months. September turned out to be one of the most exciting months on record for us down at our beloved lodge. The golf tournament was a tremendous success, and I would be remiss in my duties if I failed to give a "tip of the cap" to John Williams who scored a Hole-in-one! Not only did this earn him bragging rights forever, but \$2,500 was donated in his name to the Susan G Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, by Rally for the Cure Foundation as well as all of the money our resident "gophers" raised towards supporting the fight against breast cancer. Special thanks are due to Joseph Schanda, Jr. for the great job he did behind the grill to feed all of our hungry golfers, and to everyone that helped out in the kitchen that day & night. We all owe Leah and Joe Schanda, and all the organizers of the tournament our gratitude for a fantastic job.

Gratitude seems to be the theme of my letter to you this month, as I can't properly begin to express all of the thanks necessary to cover all of the hard work from everyone that came down to help us out with Town Day!! To name everyone that showed up to pitch in, would require a much bigger newsletter than we can send out, but I need to thank John O'Connell and Peter Corwin for the hours they spent behind the grill without taking a break. I was overwhelmed and touched by the absolute team effort that was put in to make this night wildly successful. Special thanks, also, to my father, Tony Sr., and to Butch Edgecomb for doing the shopping beforehand!

October is shaping up to be another busy month, and I expect I will be in low demand for a repeat performance of "singing" when we host our next karaoke night (or "Elks Idol" as I like to call it) on October 3rd. This should allow plenty of time to recover before "Bill's Annual Halloween Bash" on October 25th. Expect to see me at both and I hope to run into you there!

Fraternally Yours,
Anthony Melius, Jr. ER

The 1815th meeting of The Arlington Lodge will be held on Oct. 1st @7:30
The 1816th meeting of The Arlington Lodge will be held on Oct.15th @7:30
Trustee's meet at 6:30 prior to the first meeting of the month
House Committee meets the 2nd Thursday at 7:00 each month

Secretary's Message:
Application Fee for Arlington is \$60.00 half of which must
accompany the form.
The Remainder is due before initiation.
Secretary Phone # 781-646-7152 from 2pm-4pm daily

1	Francis Conole	10	Joseph Harrigan III	22	Ralph McManus	26	John Williams
1	Mark Rosa	10	Karen Stotik	22	Joanne Dempsey	27	Joseph Cavalla
2	Robert Tosi	12	Joseph Kovelski	24	Carl Kazanjian	28	Dan Taylor, PER
3	Joseph Shimkas	14	James Flett	24	Charles Xenos	28	Maureen Duggan
6	Richard Cullinane	18	David Cummings	25	James Carroll	28	Stephen Beirne
8	David Sacca	19	Joseph Lonergan	25	Michael Sacca	30	Frank Hurd
8	John Caulfield	19	Ronald Cunha	25	Stephen Kelly	31	John W. O'Neill
9	Ed McDonnell	21	Bill Cooke	26	Christopher Hawkins		

Arlington Lodge Activities

Nintendo Wii Raffle
Proceeds for the Children's Christmas Party.
Sept. - Oct.

Ambulatory Teddy Bear Drive
Donations Needed

October 3rd Karaoke Night 8:00

Hoop Shoot
October 19th
1:00-3:00 at Boys and Girls Club
Volunteers Needed

Wednesdays @ 5:30 LRC

October 25th "Circus Gone Bad" Halloween Party 7:00 -12:00

Thanks are due to everyone who helped to make the golf tournament a success. It was a beautiful day out on the course, and the Wayland country club staff did an excellent job, considering they had to spend a day with all us crazy Elks, and their friends and family. We would like to thank to all our wonderful cart girls (Julie Brucia, Katie Schanda, Christine Sullivan and Barbra Lynch), and our amazing cart boy (Bryce), for donating their time handing out sandwiches, taking pictures, and creating plenty of laughs. We would also like to thank Billy Smith for making all those delicious sandwiches! Congratulations are due to a Mr. John Williams for getting the only hole-in-one that day! Also congratulations are due to the first place team George McCarthy, Lenny Riley, Billy Smith, and John Williams, they finished nine under par! Great job guys!

We can not forget about the great meal everyone got back at the club. Even though golf ran a little behind, the cooks managed to pull off an amazing meal. Joseph Schanda Jr., Tony Melius, Sr., Donna Hubbard, Theresa Schanda, Joanne Dempsey, thank you all for the hard work and dedication you put in to making a fabulous meal.

Due to the amazing generosity of the golfers, hole sponsors, vendors, and donators, we were able to raise over \$2,000 for our charities. Thanks are due to Susan G Komen Rally for the Cure, Morse Tree Service, Sonny White, Dan Textiera, Kathy Henkel, Sue Fields, Buono Pest Control, Paul Revere Restaurant, The Cooke brothers, Bernie Scannell, Kerry Tahmosh, Bob Ellefsen, Metropolitan Home Health Services, Sweeney & O'connell Real Estate, Butch and Maureen Edgecomb, Mary Jo Mangan, Betty Fitzgerald, Steve Buono, Jim Sullivan, Joseph Schanda Sr., Frankie Russo, Steve Kelly Jr., Kim Schanda, Nizzy, Anne & John from West Coast Swing, Extended Stay Hotels, Cerelli Foods, and all the beer vendors.

Thanks again to everyone! Next year can only mean bigger and better things. Hope to see all of you back next year!



December will be here before we know it. Look for details about the upcoming events for December including the Members, Children's and Seniors Christmas parties.

NEW- Restaurant review by the Phantom Elks (we all know who they are) ☺

~ Review is based upon a 7 point scoring system (7 being best) ~

Scupper Jack's Restaurant and Bar Located 3 Nagog Park, Route 2A, Acton

Dinner. Teriyaki Shrimp w/ 1/2 rack of BBQ Ribs Combo with salad bar. -Ribs were extremely tender and the meat fell off the bone 7

Lobster Pie and Filet Mignon Combo with salad bar. Lots of lobster in pie, steak was great 7

Overall score is a 7. The meals are fairly priced with the total around \$60, including 2 beverages and tip. The place is very clean and great service. The salad bar was not jam packed with items to choose from, but the meals made up for that.

Reviews are performed by members at their own cost

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