



CALLING ALL

Elks

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FROM YOUR EXALTED RULER

Greetings Elkdom,

As many of you know, we recently experienced a small kitchen fire that has temporarily impacted our kitchen operations. While the damage was limited and no one was injured, it has required us to suspend normal cooking until the necessary repairs can be completed.

First and foremost, we want to thank everyone for their understanding, patience, and words of encouragement. Your support means more than you know.

Although our kitchen is not operating at full capacity, we are committed to continuing to serve our members and guests. Thanks to our outdoor grill and the dedication of our incredible volunteers, we will continue offering meals whenever possible. Our menus will be more limited than usual, and some of your favorite dinners may have to wait until our kitchen is fully restored. We also have outdoor ovens that we hope to have repaired soon, which will allow us to expand our menu options during this temporary period.

Challenges like these remind us that our lodge isn't just a building. It's the people who make it special. Our volunteers and kitchen staff have stepped up in a big way, adapting to the circumstances and finding creative ways to keep our dining traditions alive.

We appreciate your patience as we work through this unexpected setback. Please continue to come down to the lodge, enjoy a meal off the grill, support our events, and spend time with your fellow members. Every visit helps keep our lodge strong while we get things back to normal.

We look forward to the day we can once again fill the kitchen with the aroma of home-cooked meals. Until then, thank you for sticking with us and for being part of what makes Riverside Elks Lodge #643 such a special place.

Together, we'll get through this and come back even stronger.

With Gratitude,

Julie

Julie Greenberg
Exalted Ruler



Officer's for 2026—2027

Exalted Ruler.....	Julie Greenberg
Leading Knight	Elizabeth Prince
Loyal Knight	Tina Sydow
Lecturing Knight	Pam Elias
Secretary	Jennine Barrett
Treasurer	Bonnie Wadley
Tiler	Logan Casem
Esquire	Mona Perez
Chaplain	Steve Gilson
Inner Guard	Jackson Mares
Organist	Vacant

Trustees for 2026—2027

One Year, COB.....	Rob Maldonado
Two Year	Rich Barr
Three Year	James Skaggs
Four Year	Jacob Drake
Five Year	Erik Perry

Committee Chairpersons for 2026—2027

EXALTED RULER	Julie Greenberg
Americanism.....	Mike Van Gorder
Auditing.....	Frances Rojas
	Liz Brown
Bulletin	Rose Barr
Lodge Activities.....	Julie Greenberg
Members Memorial.....	Lodge Officers
Membership	Linda Herrera
Safety Officer	James Skaggs
LEADING KNIGHT	Elizabeth Prince
Bingo	Josie White
Charity	Elizabeth Prince
Christmas Baskets	Gerrie Brewington
ENF	Mona Perez, PER
Purple Pig/Piggy Bank	Kristina Wendt
Scholarship	Susan Straight
Sickness & Distress	Elizabeth Prince
Youth Activities/Awards.....	Evelyn Eckroth
LOYAL KNIGHT	Tina Sydow
Drug Awareness.....	Rose Smith
Hoop Shoot	Tina Sydow
Public Relations	Pam Elias
Veteran's Committee.....	Erik Perry
	Kim Perry
LECTURING KNIGHT	Pam Elias
Flag Day.....	Erik & Kimberly Perry
New Member Orientation.....	Larry Perez
Old Timers Night	Tom Leslie, PER
Dart League.....	Jenna Drake
Elks of the Year	Evelyn Eckroth
Facebook Admin.....	Julie Greenberg
	Pam Elias
Golf Club.....	Terri Russell
Grants.....	Mona Perez, PER
Kamper Klub.....	Chip Davies
P.E.R. Association.....	Diana Reveles, PER
Pistol Team	Pat Olagues
Web Master	James Skaggs

Office Staff 2026—2027

Bookkeeper.....	Kristina Wendt
Club Manager.....	Vacant
Office Assistant.....	Rose Barr
Rental Coordinator.....	Gerrie Brewington



FROM YOUR LEADING KNIGHT

The Choices Are Ours

During our recent Flag Day Ceremony, one line particularly resonated with me:

"It has no other character than that which we give it from generation to generation. The choices are ours."

Those words were spoken about our American flag, but they also made me think about Riverside Elks Lodge #643.

Our Lodge has no character beyond the one we give it. Every welcoming smile, every volunteer who lends a hand, every new member we encourage, every act of charity, and every time we wear our Lodge shirt in the community adds to our reputation. We choose whether to complain or to champion. We choose whether to sit on the sidelines or become involved. Simply put, the choices are ours.

Last month I encouraged everyone to attend our Association Vice President's visitations throughout the Southeast District. We have just two remaining opportunities. On **Monday, July 13**, join us at **San Bernardino Elks #836**. The theme is **Star Trek**, so wear your Lodge shirt or your favorite Star Trek attire! Please RSVP to **(909) 882-2090**. Then, on **Wednesday, July 15**, visit **Moreno Valley Elks #2697** wearing business casual or your Lodge shirt. RSVP to **(951) 683-4031**. Social hour begins at **5:00 p.m.**, dinner is served at **6:00 p.m.**, followed by raffles and auctions at **7:00 p.m.** If you make a reservation, please honor it. Our host lodges work hard to prepare these events and must be able to plan and budget appropriately for everyone's meals.

While we're supporting our neighboring lodges, let's also remember to support our own. We have something happening **every Friday in July**, so come out and enjoy your Lodge! Invite your friends to experience what makes Elkdom special. Just remember that our lounge is a private club. Bringing guests is one of the **privileges of membership**, so please be sure to sign in each of your guests when they visit.

Finally, don't be shy about telling people what we do. Brag about the incredible work of our Bingo and Veterans Committees. Invite friends and family to our Blood Drive on **Saturday, August 15, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.** Tell them about our Golf Club, Pistol Club, and Kamper Klub. Every conversation is an opportunity to share who we are and what we stand for.

The reputation of Riverside Elks Lodge #643 isn't built by one officer or one committee. It's built by every member, every day. Choose to be ambassadors for our Lodge, for our community, and for Elkdom.

After all, the choices are ours.

Yours in service,

Saturday Prince

Esteemed Lecturing Knight



FROM YOUR LOYAL KNIGHT

Greetings Fellow Elks,

Our recent Flag Day Ceremony was a wonderful reminder of why I am proud to be a member of our lodge.

As I sat and watched the presentation, I was reminded that our flag represents much more than a beautiful piece of cloth. It represents our freedoms, our history, and the sacrifices made by so many to protect the way of life we enjoy today.

I was especially pleased to see members, guests, and families come together to learn more about the history of our flag. Watching the Civil Air Patrol Cadets present the colors added a special touch and helped make the ceremony meaningful for everyone in attendance.

One of the things I appreciate most about our lodge is the way members step forward to support events like this. Whether you helped organize, volunteered behind the scenes, provided refreshments, or simply attended, you helped make the day a success.

I often look for examples of what makes our lodge strong and Flag Day is one of them. It brings people together, reminds us of our shared values, and gives us an opportunity to reflect on the freedoms we sometimes take for granted. Seeing members and guests gather to honor our flag reminded me that some of our most meaningful traditions are also our simplest. Taking time to learn, reflect and share in these moments together helps strengthen the sense of community that makes our lodge strong.

Thank you to everyone who helped make this year's ceremony a success. I hope we continue to support the traditions that honor our country, strengthen our community, and remind us of the principles we share as Elks.

Fraternally,

Tina Sydow

Loyal Knight



FROM YOUR LECTURING KNIGHT BROTHERLY LOVE

Many Hands, One Purpose

As we celebrate Independence Day and the 250th Anniversary of America's founding, let's reflect on the values that have shaped both our nation and our Order of Elks—patriotism, compassion, service, and brotherly love.

Our country has overcome countless challenges because people have been willing to step forward and make a difference. I see that same spirit right here at Riverside Elks Lodge #643.

Over the past several months, I have watched members generously give their time, talents, and resources to improve our Lodge. Recently, volunteers cleaned and organized our Lodge room, members donated two new air conditioning units, and our Trustees and volunteers worked hard to install the first of the two units.

Members continue to serve behind the scenes—planning events, cooking, serving meals, cleaning up, and supporting programs that benefit veterans, youth, scholarships, and our local community. Many of these acts happen without recognition, yet they are the heartbeat of our Lodge and a reminder that no act of service is too small.

Brotherly Love means more than friendship. It means showing compassion, lending a helping hand, encouraging one another, and recognizing that every member has something valuable to contribute. Whether you volunteer for an hour, serve on a committee, help at an event, or simply welcome someone with a smile, you help make our Lodge stronger.

As we celebrate America's Semiquincentennial, let us also celebrate the spirit of volunteerism that has always made our nation—and our Lodge—great. Thank you to everyone who gives so generously of yourselves. Your dedication truly makes a difference.

If you've ever wondered how you can help, I encourage you to take that first step and ask an officer or committee chairperson. There is a place for everyone to serve. Together, we will continue building a Lodge we can all be proud to call home.

Wishing you and your families a safe, happy, and patriotic Fourth of July!

Fraternally,

Pam Elias

Lecturing Knight (Brotherly Love)

Riverside Elks Lodge #643

Lodge Meetings



**Thursday July 2nd
Meeting - 7:00 pm
Balloting**

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**Thursday July 16th  
Meeting - 7:00pm  
Initiation**  
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*Please
welcome our
Newest Members!*



HAPPY BIRTHDAY JULY

Jason	Dolphin	01	Michael	Morrissey	11	Richard	Aceves	22
Rachel	Hendershot	01	Sean	Morrissey	11	George	Blanton	22
Salvador	Trujillo, Jr.	01	Steven	Kelley	12	James	Rhodes	22
Mariah	Foglietta	02	Jerry	Wilkins	12	Brenda	Waterman	22
David	Hanson	02	Richard	Avila	13	John	Ennis	23
Sandra	McNiel	03	Theodore	Beckwith	13	Alex	Escamillo	23
Joan	Gates	04	Justin	Bruins	13	Richard	Estorga	24
Corey	Iverson	04	Judith	Horrigan	13	Alan	Freilich	24
Ronald	Mowry	04	Frederick	Kuhr	13	Kristen	Nunez	24
Linda	Powers	04	Mark	Denney	14	Rochelle	Paguirigan	25
Nick	Baldassano	05	Sandra	Ruyle	14	Robbie	Roberts	25
Glenn	DeLoss	06	Paul	Skates	14	Kathleen	Schulz	25
Jeffrey	Garcia	06	Arthur	Tapia	14	Raymond	Allala	26
Jess	Gutierrez	06	Peter	Ali	15	Arnold	Arias	26
Michael	Heckenlaible	06	Thomas	Carr	15	David	Martinez	26
Marcell	Bernal, Jr.	07	Cindy	Williams	15	Jane	Pugh	26
Bruce	Chapman	07	Stacy	Reid	16	William	Romero	26
Linda	Deharo	07	Patricia	Wilson	16	Susan	Owen	27
Gary	Gumbleton	07	Albert	Bartos	17	Tracy	Fedele	28
Diane	Howard	07	Eugene	Muro	17	Jim	Nichols	29
Giuseppe	Pitruzzello	07	Dean	Smith	17	Olga	Piedra	29
Mark	Smith	07	Kristina	Wendt	18	Pascale	Scoggins	29
Paul	Avalos	08	Tina	Clarke	19	Arthur	Henderson	30
Jenny	Cisneros	08	George	Perches	19	Carlina	Howard	30
Mark	Herbert	08	Stephanie	Dean	20	Leonard	Lavergne	30
Morris	Davies	09	John	Flores	20	Gail	Scott	30
Stephen	Wallace	09	Wes	Jacobsen	20	Daniel	Thomas	30
Kathryn	Buttaccio	10	Jack	Linder	20	Kenneth	White	30
Tammy	Corea	10	Michelle	Rivera	20	Jaime	Hernandez	31
Robert	Mountain	10	Gerald	Bronkar	21	Scott	Stewart	31
Michael	Pendergest	10	John	Hanna	21			
Lizett	Ramirez	10	Jennifer	Kesterson	21			



Happy Birthday Member! Bring this with you on the 1st Friday of the month for **HALF OFF** your birthday dinner!



Member's Name _____
 Birth Date _____
 Elks Card # _____

Redeemable on Birthday Friday Night Only

Good For Birthday Drink!

Present this filled out coupon to the bar for a "Free Well Drink."



Member's Name _____
 Birth Date _____
 Elks Card # _____

Redeemable During Birthday Month Only

BIRTHDAY

FRIDAY

★ ★ JOIN US AS WE CELEBRATE ★ ★

JULY BIRTHDAYS

★ ★ FRIDAY ★ ★

7/3/26

★ DINNER STARTS ★

5:30 PM

★ VAGABOND SINNERZ ★

take the stage at

7:00 PM

— • — CHOICE OF — • —

STEAK • CHICKEN • FISH

★ **RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643** ★
6166 BROCKTON AVE, RIVERSIDE



Vagabond
SINNERZ



Honoring Service - Building Community

Summer is off to a great start for the Veterans Committee, and we have several exciting projects and opportunities on the horizon as we continue our mission of honoring and supporting those who have served.

A recent highlight for the Veterans Committee was the presentation of a generous \$10,000 donation during the June 4 Lodge Meeting by the Golf Committee. The funds were raised through the success of the Golf Committee's Annual Charity Golf Tournament and will help support programs and services benefiting veterans in our community.

The Veterans Committee extends its sincere appreciation to the Golf Committee and all who participated. Their generosity and commitment make it possible for our Lodge to continue providing meaningful assistance to local veterans and their families. We are truly grateful for their support and dedication to those who have served.



Thank You for Making a Difference!

"Veteran's Wall of Honor" Project Update

We are also excited to share that progress is being made on our Veterans Wall of Honor. The first photo shows the newly installed display cabinets that will serve as the foundation of this special tribute to the Veterans of Riverside Elks Lodge #643. The second image provides a rendering of how the completed project is envisioned to look, which will include a TV mounted between the two cabinets on the large wall.

While the final design is still being developed, the rendering offers a glimpse of our vision to honor both living and deceased veterans through photographs and memorabilia. Our goal is to create a place of remembrance, pride and appreciation that will honor our veterans today and preserve their legacy for generations to come.



PURPLE PIG DONATIONS

Carolyn Cunnison, Toni Hernandez, Carl Landry, Janna Prewitt, and Bingo



Recurring Donors: Rich Barr, Rose Barr, Michelle Eckroth, Pam Elias, Julie Greenberg, Chuck Hall, Theresa Kokot, Saturday Prince, James Skaggs, Rose Smith, Tina Sydow, and Cliff Wadley

PROPOSITONS FOR MEMBERSHIP

An invitation to join the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Riverside Lodge #643, has been extended to the following:

NAME	PROPOSER NAME
James Beckham	Alex Burt
Maya Brewer	Robert Mountain
Joseph Ekstrom	Linda Herrera
Michael Finnel	Kaitlyn Van Buren
Brian Freeland	Brian Fountain
Daniel Hernandez Naranjo	Kelly Hawkins
Aurora Johnson	Sal Trujillo, Jr.
Colleen Lovelace	Steve Plaxco
Joshua Lovelace	Judy Plaxco
Lane McArdell	Sal Trujillo, Jr.
Albert Mendoza, Jr.	Sal Trujillo, Jr.
Ryan Myers	Sal Trujillo, Jr.
Cliff Reidhead	Kimberly Perry
Jerry Rodriguez	Anthony Tasca
Fabio Silveira	Linda Herrera
Michael Tinder	Kimberly Perry
Mike Vitatoe	Larry Raven
Randall Webb	Sandra Ruyle
Karley Ann Wendt	Craig Morff
Ali Reza Zolfaghari	

REINSTATEMENT

Stephen Chipkar
Claudrina Suazo

TRANSFER

Vincent Gonzalez - Tulare
Vincent Morales - Santa Clarita

Do you know someone who would be a great Elk? Register on-line at [elks.org](https://www.elks.org), then invite them to apply on-line using this link: <https://www.elks.org/emas/prosper.cfm>

SPONSOR A VET FOR TUESDAY STEAK DINNER

Member's Name _____

Elks Card # _____

Donation amount _____ Date _____



Veteran Dinner Donations

Steve Borden, Hubie Shipley, Henry Tong

THANK YOU!

CONGRATULATIONS



LEFT: Congratulations to Secretary, Jennine Barrett, our Officer of the Month for May and Greg Barrett our Elk of the Month for May.



ABOVE: Jr. PER, Amy Torgersen is presented with her Jewels from PERs Kathy Pendergest, Leslie Fisher, Bonnie Wadley, Mona Perez and Dan Orvananos



LEFT: Congratulations to Kimberly Perry, our Citizen of the Year for 2025-2026



ABOVE AND RIGHT: Riverside Elks Golf Club Committee, Terri Russell, Scott Stewart and Dan Orvananos, presented the Veteran's Committee with a donation of \$10,000 from the Golf Fundraiser.



FRIDAY,
7/10/26
taste of
the DECADE
DISCO
NIGHT



DINNER
AT 6 PM



QUIRKY
COUNTRY
NIGHT



JULY
17TH
DJ R2R0
AT 7 PM
DINNER AT 6 PM



FAMILY FEUD

BLIND DRAW
BE PART OF THE FUN!

JOIN YOUR FRIENDS!

MEET NEW ONES!

DINNER
at 6:00

FAMILY FEUD
at 7:30

★ WITH YOUR HOSTS ★

LOGAN **PATRICK** **JAMES**

Friday,
JULY 24TH

RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643
6166 BROCKTON AVE. RIVERSIDE, CA



Friday,
JULY 31ST

LUAAU
Night!

DINNER AT 6

RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643
6166 BROCKTON AVE.
RIVERSIDE, CA



ELKETTES
DESSERTS

Continuing a Sweet Tradition
Making Our Building Sweeter
One Dessert at a Time!

WATCH FOR THE PINK CART!

The Elkettes Desserts Team is proud to continue a Riverside Elks Lodge tradition that helps support Lodge building improvements and beautification projects.

Each week, members can enjoy a rotating selection of homemade desserts prepared with care by our volunteers and supporters.

MEET THE ELKETTES

Kim Tina Barbara

Together, the Elkettes are carrying on a tradition of fellowship, fundraising, and fun one dessert at a time.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

There are many ways to become involved:

- Bake desserts
- Donate baking ingredients or supplies
- Purchase desserts from the Pink Cart
- Help spread the word

Every contribution helps support Lodge improvements and beautification projects and strengthens the spirit of our Lodge community.

RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643

Making Our Building Sweeter – One Dessert at a Time

All proceeds support Lodge building improvements and beautification projects.

PLEASE JOIN US!

Ask Kim, Tina, or Barbara how you can become part of this wonderful tradition.

Join the Sweet Tradition

One Dessert at a Time!

Elkettes
DESSERTS

HELPING HANDS • BAKING JOY
THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO

Helping Hands • Baking Joy

Dear Friends, Supporters, and Community,

A Sweet Success – Thank You!

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who supported our Elkettes Desserts Cart during its first month!

Whether you purchased a dessert, generously made a donation, baked one of our delicious treats, or helped in any way, your support made a tremendous difference.

Because of your generosity, dedication, and enthusiasm, our first month has been a **wonderful success**. Together, you helped turn a simple idea into something special for our lodge.

We are grateful for every baker, volunteer, donor, and member who contributed to this **sweet success**.

Thank You for All You Do!

With appreciation,
The Elkettes Desserts Team

BLOOD DRIVE

Scan the code to make your next appointment!

SCAN ME

PROUDLY HOSTED BY

Riverside Elks Lodge

Saturday, August 15

9:00 am to 2:00 pm

6166 Brockton Ave., Riverside
in the Banquet Hall

Walk-ins Welcome! For appointments, call 800.879.4484, visit lstream.org/cityriverside, or scan the QR code above.

Donate at a participating blood drive and receive our limited-edition Riverside County shirt, while supplies last!

LifeStream Blood Bank
GIVE HOPE | GIVE LIFE | GIVE BLOOD

HOT AUGUST Nights

Classic Car Meet

FREE ADMISSION

FRIDAY 8/14

GATES OPEN 4:00 PM

ALL CLASSIC CARS, TRUCKS & HOT RODS WELCOME!

BURGERS & HOT DOGS

Available for Purchase!

LIVE MUSIC AT 7:00 PM

Kings of Rhythm

CLASSIC HITS! GREAT VIBES!

SPECIAL GUEST

Riverside's Own

TOM "THE BLADE" HALL

THE BLADE BRINGS THE HEAT!

Bring Your Ride or Come Enjoy the Show!

RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643
6166 BROCKTON AVENUE • RIVERSIDE, CA 92506

DRUG AWARENESS

*Our Lodge Drug Awareness Program's Mission is to inspire, to educate,
to support and to assist our schools and community.*

Elks National Drug Awareness Program - the largest volunteer drug awareness program in the United States. We are proud of our dedicated army of volunteers who freely give their time and talents to this noble cause. The Elks are committed to eliminating the use and abuse of illegal drugs by all members of society and believe that to ensure a bright future for our country, it is essential that our children be raised in a drug-free environment. **Our Mission:** To Inspire, educate, support, and assist. **What We Do:** Dictionary Project; Promote School Attendance; National Night Out; Poster, Essay & Video Contest; Red Ribbon Week. **What You Can Do:** Ask questions; Get Involved; Join a DAP Committee. **Future Projects include Red Ribbon Week Activities, Supporting our local schools, Student of the Month Programs and awards, and a Dictionary Giveaway Project.** **For more information and to join the DAP Committee, please contact Rose Smith @ 951-892-5373.**

July is a critical month for drug awareness because adolescent substance initiation historically peaks during the summer months. Reviewing articles and resources on youth prevention, counterfeit fentanyl pills, and local overdose support can help communities stay proactive during this high-risk season.

Top Resources & Articles for July Awareness

- **Youth Prevention Focus:** Since June and July see a spike in first-time alcohol and drug use among adolescents, review SAMHSA's guide to [Substance Use & Misuse Prevention Month](#) for toolkits and community outreach strategies.
- **Fentanyl Awareness:** Synthetic opioids remain the leading cause of overdose deaths. Read the [National Fentanyl Awareness Day Toolkit](#) via the CDC to learn about protecting young people from illegally made fentanyl disguised in counterfeit pills.
- **Teen Mental Health & Drugs:** Explore the CDC's [Free Mind Campaign](#) for actionable advice on how mental health and stress management connect to youth substance use.
- **Overdose Education:** Learn how to spot and reverse a drug overdose using guides and resources provided by the [CDC Overdose Prevention](#) portal.

Did you know that Drug Awareness/Substance Abuse and Mental Health are closely related? Millions of Americans are touched by substance use and mental health issues daily. People in the throes of conditions like depression, anxiety, bipolar disorder, post-traumatic stress disorder, addiction, and many others are often in great pain and see no way out of their situation. Each month, I would like to share Drug Awareness, Substance Abuse, and Mental Health Awareness tips that can provide useful information and tools so everyone can live a healthier life.

No Upcoming Events For July and August

Submitted By: Rose Smith, DAP Chair, rosemariesmith1960@gmail.com or 951-892-5373



★ RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643 ★

Calling All Line Dancers!

Dancing with Dawna



4TH WEDNESDAY

of
THE MONTH

6:30 – 8:30 PM

\$5 PER PERSON

ALL PROCEEDS DONATED TO ENTERTAINMENT

BAR FOOD AVAILABLE
FOR PURCHASE

ELKS HOOP SHOOT

ELKS HOOP SHOOT

HOOP SHOOT

A BASKETBALL FREE THROW CONTEST
FOR BOYS & GIRLS AGES 8-13
AS OF APRIL 1, 2027

SUMMER IS THE TIME TO
PRACTICE
YOUR
FREE THROWS!

Set goals. Practice daily.
Build confidence. Be ready.
We can't wait to see you on the court!

THE CONTEST WILL BE HELD
IN THE FALL!

BUILD CONFIDENCE
One shot at a time!

WIN AWARDS
Top shooters recognized!

BUILDS GRIT

FUN & ENCOURAGING ATMOSPHERE
• Good sportsmanship
• New friends
• Great memories!

INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING?

Text or leave a message with your child's name and age to
Tina at (951) 992-9432
to receive contest updates.

DETAILS COMING SOON!

DATE: TO BE ANNOUNCED
TIME: TO BE ANNOUNCED
LOCATION: TO BE ANNOUNCED
Stay tuned for more information!

Scan me!

★★★ SPONSORED BY ★★★
RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643
Building Stronger Kids. Stronger Community.

★ MORE THAN A CONTEST—IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY! ★

ONE SHOT CAN BUILD CONFIDENCE FOR LIFE!

★ RIVERSIDE ELKS GOLF CLUB ★

CASINO BUS TRIP!

INCLUDES BINGO! PLUS... RAFFLES!

DESTINATION:
HARRAH'S
RESORT SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

★ SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 2026 ★

DEPARTURE LOCATION:
Riverside Elks Lodge #643
6166 Brockton Avenue
Riverside, CA 92506

DEPARTURE TIME:
10:00 AM
SHARP!

RETURN DEPARTURE FROM CASINO:
5:00 PM

COST:
\$35
PER PERSON

INCLUDES BINGO! PLUS... RAFFLES!

13	28	32	49	73
3	22	41	55	68
7	27	40	60	75
12	23	38	54	61

GET ON BOARD FOR A GREAT DAY OF FUN!

FOR RESERVATIONS OR INFORMATION, CONTACT:
MIKE SEPULVEDA
(909) 489-9700
PLEASE SEND A TEXT MESSAGE OR LEAVE A VOICEMAIL

Destination subject to change by operator. This trip is independently organized by the Riverside Elks Golf Club and is not sponsored or endorsed by the casino or its affiliates.

★ SPONSORED BY THE RIVERSIDE ELKS GOLF CLUB ★

Riverside Elks Kamper Klub

Meetings 2nd Tuesday of the month @ 7:30 pm

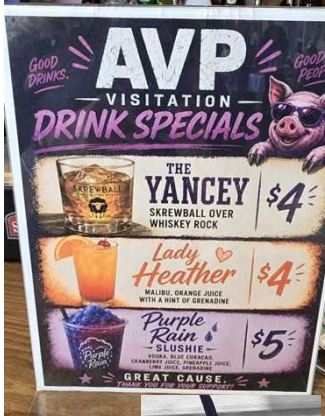
FUTURE TRIPS

Summer Party - July 11, 2026
Elks Rally - Golden Village Palms - October 8-11, 2026
Bonelli Bluffs - November 19-23, 2026
Christmas Party - December 8, 2026
Pechanga RV Resort - January 14-17, 2026

If you are interested in joining the Kamper Klub,
Contact
Chip Davies
(951) 733-5195

AVP DINNER

MAY/JUNE IN PICTURES



BIRTHDAY FRIDAY



LODGE CLEAN UP



AC DONATION



WANTED

58th Annual
Western Themed
Elks Rally!
Oct 8-11, 2026



GAMES RAFFLES FOOD FUN

Hosted by:

Golden Village Palms RV Resort
3600 W. Florida Ave Hemet, CA



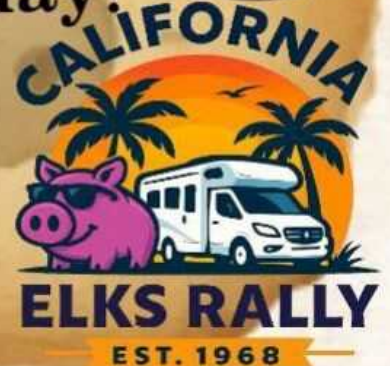
**Fundraising weekend for
the Purple Pig**



RV camping, hotel options
or just come for the day!



Scan QR code or visit
ElksRally.org to learn
more about the Rally



Instructions on Page 2

58th Annual California Elks Rally

www.ElksRally.org

October 8 - 11, 2026

Golden Village Palms RV Resort Hemet, CA

Registration Form – Due ASAP 6/1 to 8/14



Name			
Address, City, St, Zip			
Cell Phone		Number of Campers:	
Email Address			
Your Lodge Name		Lodge Number:	
Name of your Group			
Wagonmaster Name		Phone:	

Rig Information

Type: <i>Circle one below</i>	Brand	Length	Slide/s: <i>Circle one below</i>			RV Year
5 th Whl. MH Toy Hauler TT			Driver	Passenger	Both	
SITES			Cost	Qty	Total \$	
Full Hook Up RV Site: 3-night. Min. (Thurs-Sat) (includes 2 people & 2 vehicles)						
Late registration after 8/14/26 \$255.00			\$240.00	1	\$	
PLEASE READ, PRINT & Bring INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGE 2						
Early Arrival/Late Departure (Total Days before/after event) \$80/day			\$80.00		\$	
Additional people: \$5.00 per day per extra adult (Max. 6 people/site)			\$5.00		\$	
Check in date: _____ Check out date: _____			NA	NA	NA	
Cottage for 3 nights MUST be approved in advance by Rally Wagonmaster			\$555.00	1	\$	
Pet Fee – One flat fee for all Pets, NO AGGRESSIVE BREEDS			\$10.00		\$	
Pets must remain on leash and are Not permitted in food areas						
MEALS - Prepaid						
Price will increase by \$3.00 each if purchased at the Rally Bar						
Breakfast: Eggs, Sausage, Potatoes, Biscuits/gravy, Fruit, Juice, Coffee						
Friday Breakfast # _____			\$15.00		\$	
Saturday Breakfast # _____			ea.			
Lunch: Food truck available on Thursday			Pay at	NA	NA	
Food available for purchase on the patio Friday & Saturday			Rally			
Thursday Dinner – Pasta: Chicken Alfredo & Meat Sauce, Salad, Bread & Dessert. Catered by Golden Village Palms			\$20.00		\$	
Opening Ceremony 5:00 pm						
Friday Dinner – Chicken Enchilada/Beans/Rice and Nacho Bar & Dessert			\$20.00		\$	
Catered by Golden Village Palms						
Saturday Dinner – BBQ Ribs or BBQ Chicken (Circle meat choice), Baked Beans, Coleslaw, Macaroni Salad, Cornbread & Dessert			\$30.00		\$	
Catered by Golden Village Palms						
Raffle & Variety Show						
Your lodge gets purple pig credit for your donation.			Donation amount		\$	
Make Check Payable To: “Elks Rally” or “CHEMPI”			Total		\$	

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

If you have not paid your dues before April 1st, you will not be able to enjoy our lodge facilities. Please pay your dues at the bar or come in to the office. You can also pay on-line. The bartenders will be making sure everyone is current for their 2026-2027 dues.

Thank you.

Riverside Elks Golf Club

Golf once or twice a month with our club and once a month with the District Golf Club

If you have any questions, contact Terri (951) 205-4725

Golf Club Meeting
First Wednesday of each month
6:00 PM in the lounge

Meeting
Wednesday
July 1, 2026

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GOLF ASSOCIATION

Instructions to join the SCGA:

1. Sign on to SCGA.ORG
2. Scroll down to: "Find a Golf Group that plays near you"
3. Type in "Riverside" then click on the "Search button"
4. Scroll down to the names of the clubs
5. Click on "Riverside Elks Golf Club" and join, easy.



CALSO ELKS PISTOL CLUB

CalSo Elks Pistol Match Results for May, 2026:

Ed Weese Trophy	Chaun Goldberg	Redlands	288
Chuck Grano Trophy	Chris Phelps	Riverside	281
Judy Thomas Trophy	Shari Paisley	Riverside	284
Judy Thomas Trophy 2 nd	None		
Sharpshooter	Millie Olagues	Riverside	253
Marksman A	Pat Olagues	Riverside	260
Marksman A 2nd	Larry Aveling	Riverside	231
Marksman B	Rob Bennett	Riverside	227

May Team Scores and Cudy Human Trophy Team Points:

Redlands/Riverside Lodges	1158	10	5
Yucaipa Lodge	843	8	4
Ontario Lodge	0	0	0
Fontana-Rialto/San Bernardino Lodges	0	0	0

For the May matches, there were 14 Elks, spouses, and guests that participated at a Private Gun Club.

WE ARE LOOKING FOR NEW CLUB MEMBERS, please call Pat Olagues at 909-997-1203. Please leave a message and phone number.

The May and June, 2026 monthly awards will be presented at the July Monthly meeting. The next meeting will be on July 11, 2026 at 11:00 am at the Mi Cocina Restaurant in Highland.

Chaun Goldberg, Range Master: Redlands Lodge
Dani Goldberg, Club President: Redlands Lodge
Steve Arbelbide, SED Pistol Shoot Chairman and CEPC Publisher: Yucaipa Lodge

Calling All Riverside Elks Members!

The Riverside Mid-Term Convention is coming to Downtown Riverside in November 2027, and it's time to begin planning for this exciting event!

This convention will bring together Elks from lodges throughout California and Hawaii, providing Riverside Lodge with a wonderful opportunity to showcase our hospitality, pride, and commitment to Elkdom. To make this event a success, we will be forming committees and are seeking volunteers who are willing to help our lodge shine.

There are many ways to contribute, and we welcome members with all talents and interests. We hope we can count on your support as we prepare to welcome our fellow Elks to Riverside in 2027. Together, we can make this a memorable and successful convention for all!

If you are interested in serving on a committee or volunteering in any capacity, please contact us.

Fraternally,

Larry Perez, PDDGER
Mid-Term Convention Chairman
(951) 288-2432

Mona Perez, PER
Co-Mid-Term Convention Chairman
(951) 640-4178



MARGARITA MONDAYS

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\$5 Cadillac Margarita



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Thursday - 7/9 @ 6:00 (Felipe)
Tuesday - 7/28 @ 6:00 (Chris & Rob)



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SPECIAL HOTDOG

Hot Dog	\$5.00
Hot Dog with Chips	\$6.00
Add Cheese	\$0.50
Add Chilli	\$0.75

Special

Hotdogs will be available on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Monday of the month



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AT
RIVERSIDE ELKS LODGE #643
THIRD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH!

MONDAY
JUNE 15, 2026

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6:00 PM GAMES

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LOUNGE HOURS MONDAY - FRIDAY 4:00 PM - 10:00 PM SUNDAY 11:00 AM - 9:00 PM CLOSING HOURS SUBJECT TO CHANGE			1 BINGO Bingo Menu Available 4:30—7:30 Golf Club Meeting 6:00 pm	2 LODGE MEETING Balloting 7:00 PM LOUNGE CLOSED DURING MEETING	3 Birthday Dinner 6:00 - 7:00 PM ENTERTAINMENT BY VAGABOND SINNERZ OFFICE CLOSED LOUNGE OPEN 4 - 10	4 HAPPY 4TH OF JULY
5 Potluck Sunday LOUNGE OPEN 11 - 9	6 Activities Meeting 6:00 pm DAP Meeting 5:30 WING NIGHT Margarita Monday Hot Dogs Available Food Available 5-7 LOUNGE OPEN 4-10	7 Tuesday Nitors 6:00 PM Vets Dinner 5:30 PER Meeting 6:30 LOUNGE OPEN 4-10	8 BINGO Bingo Menu Available 4:30—7:30 LOUNGE OPEN 4 - 10	9 Taco Night (Felipe) 6:00 PM KARAOKE  LOUNGE OPEN 4 - 10	10 Decade of Disco Dinner 6:00 - 7:00 PM LOUNGE OPEN 4 - 10	11 Lounge Closed Rental
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HOW ARE WE DOING?

Membership Monthly Report:

We have 958 members

**We are NUMBER ONE in
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**Deadline for August Bulletin is
July 15th.**

ACTIVITIES MEETING

Conducted the 1st Monday of the month in the member room at 6:00 pm

PER MEETING

Conducted the 1st Tuesday of the month in the member room at 6:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Birthday Friday - 7/3/26
Taco Thursday - 7/9/26
Decade Disco Night - 7/11/26
Quirky Country Night - 7/17/26
Game Night - 7/20/26
Family Feud Night - 7/24/26
Paint Night - 7/27/26
Taco Tuesday - 7/28/26
Luau Night - 7/31/26
Casino Bus Trip - 8/1/26
Hot August Nights - 8/14/26
Blood Drive - 8/15/26
Elks Rally - 10/8 to 10/11/26

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