

# Elks Round-Up

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**BPOE Kingsville Elks Lodge 1926, 1404 S. 6th St., Kingsville TX**



**Exalted Ruler**

**Krystal Peterson**

Hello to all of my Elks Family,

I am honored to be this year's Exalted Ruler. My promise is that I will do my best in all of my Elk duties. I would also like to congratulate the rest of the officers both new and returning.

To let you know a little bit about myself (for the ones that don't know) I've been a barber for over 20 years and now I have my own cleaning business. I have always enjoyed doing for the community and making people happy. The reason I became an Elk is because I believe in what this organization



**Kingsville Elks Lodge**

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*Kingsville Elks Lodge #1926*

## Sweetheart Message...

Hello Fellow Elks,

I am so happy and excited to be this year's lodge sweetheart. I have some great fundraising ideas that have already been coming to life, with of course the help and never ending generosity of my fellow members. We have already laid plans to bring back the weekly QUEEN OF HEARTS. I know we have missed it this past year as it has always been a fun past time of our lodge. I have also started the rough draft on what I hope to be an annually continued sweetheart fundraiser and that is a... drumroll... A Haunted House. Many members have stepped up and thrown their hat in, to be apart of it, fueling everyone's excitement. So many wonderful ideas and helping hands gives me hope that we will bring back the crown of District Sweetheart to Kingsville. Don't forget there are still truck tickets

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*Queen of Hearts*  
**FRIDAYS AT 6:30PM**

**Tickets 1-\$1, 6-\$5, 15-\$10**

**LODGE MEETINGS SCHEDULES**

**LODGE MEETINGS**

1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM.

**HOUSE COMMITTEE**

2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Last Wednesday of each month at 6:30 PM.

**PER ASSOCIATION**

Quarterly on the fourth Tuesday at 6:00 PM. January, April, July, and October.

**ALL MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND**

**LOUNGE HOURS**

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>3 - 9 PM</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>3 - 9 PM</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>3 - 9 PM</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>3 - 9 PM</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>3 - 10 PM</b>
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>3 - 7 PM</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>CLOSED</b>

**2023/2024 Officers**

- Exalted Ruler.....Krystal Peterson
- Leading Knight.....Jesse Battle
- Loyal Knight.....Ted Figueroa
- Lecturing Knight.....Roxanne Barrera-Salinas
- Secretary.....Idotha Battle
- Treasurer.....Stacey Core
- Tiler.....Thomas Morgan
- Esquire.....Al Lewis
- Chaplain.....Mary Malone
- Inner Guard.....Zola Johnson
- Presiding Justice.....Nathan Fugate

**Board of Director**

- Exalted Ruler.....Krystal Peterson
- Leading Knight.....Jesse Battle
- Loyal Knight.....Ted Figueroa
- Lecturing Knight.....Roxanne Barrera-Salinas
- 5 Year Trustee.....Lena Core
- 4 Year Trustee.....Jessica "Red" Myers
- 3 Year Trustee.....Sara Robertson
- 2 Year Trustee.....J. Dean Craig
- 1 Year Trustee.....Sam Fugate

Have an announcement, picture, article, etc.? Submit by the 20th to bpoe1926bulletin@gmail.com

**COMMITTEES**

Accident Prevention	J Dean Craig, PER
Americanism	Sam Fugate, PER
Auditing	Ken Moses, PDDGER
Bulletin	Sara Robertson, PER
Cyber Assistant	Tony Deel
Drug Awareness	Zola Johnson
ENF	Jessica Myers, PER
Flag Day	Mike Klepac, PDDGER
Hoop Shoot	Ken Moses, PDDGER
House Committee	Kaleb Carrillo
Membership	Ken Moses, PDDGER
Memorial Service	Mike Klepac, PDDGER
PER Association	Sara Robertson, PER
Public Relations	Kevin Clarke
Veteran Services	Bucho Ruiz
Youth Activities	Ken Moses, PDDGER



- 01 Carl Booth
- 02 Cindi Ray
- 07 Raul Medina
- 09 Carl Russell
- 11 Michael Wright
- 13 Dwight Holden
- 14 Dennis Yaklin
- 18 Earl Chesser
- 18 Clinton Gunter
- 18 Juan Saenz
- 24 Wallace Glasgow
- 26 Michael Hoffman
- 27 Sara Robertson
- 28 Susan Harper
- 28 Pedro Vasquez
- 30 Joe Flores
- 30 Rebecca Gutierrez

**SICKNESS & DISTRESS**

Please keep your fellow Elks and Elk Family in your thoughts and prayers.

**Mary Malone**

**Warren Ray**

If you know or hear of an Elk or family member who is ill or has passed away, please notify us by leaving a note with the Lodge Attendant or emailing [bpoe1926bulletin@gmail.com](mailto:bpoe1926bulletin@gmail.com).



20 Gary Rankin & Pamela Albright



**Current Membership:**  
**189**

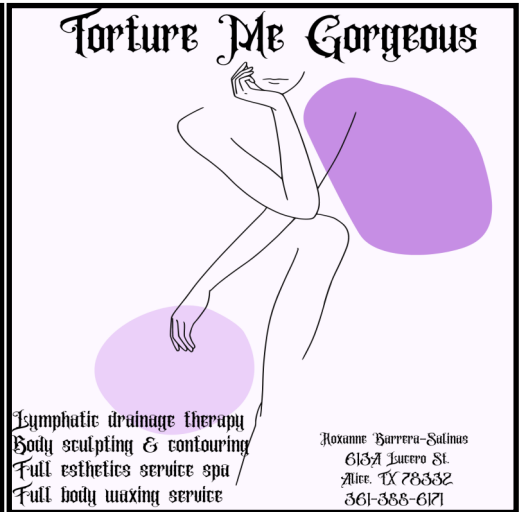


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**Hoppy April!**  
 From J. Dean & Michelle Craig

**THANK YOU!**

**DRUG AWARENESS PROGRAM**

**Take Back unneeded meds this month**

By WILLIAM J. BRYAN Elks DAP Assistant National Director

National Prescription Drug Take Back Day is scheduled for April 22 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information and to find a drop-off location, go to [dea.gov/takebackday](http://dea.gov/takebackday).

The goal of the program is to provide a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs, while also

educating the general public about the potential for abuse of medications.

If you miss this one-day event this month, don't worry. The DEA provides a search engine to seek out year-round disposal locations near your Lodge. You can search by zip code or simply by typing in your city and state.

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# New leadership pushing forward with positivity

April begins with the changing of the guard. It is extremely important that the new Officers, Board of Directors, and Trustees work hand in hand to accomplish the important programs in each of your Lodges.

It is crucial to develop a budget for your Lodge that each committee can work with. You must develop a budget that will keep your Lodge financially sound throughout the new Lodge year. Pick out a night and invite all the Officers, Board



Message from the Grand Exalted Ruler

**BRUCE A. HIDLEY**

of Directors, and your committee members and take this opportunity to review your Lodge budget. Discuss ideas to make your Lodge programs even better. Discuss your goals for the Elks National Foundation, your state's Major Project, and any other community activi-

ties that your Lodge may be involved with. Listen to what your Members have to say. Always consider their input and be open and flexible to new ideas. Perhaps say, "OK, let's try it."

Another area of critical focus at the onset of a new Elks year is membership. Work with your appointed Membership/ Membership Retention Chair as a team. All of your Lodge Members are a part of your membership committee. It is im-

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## New Member Initiation March 21, 2023

Stacey Core, Lena Core, Krystal Peterson, Juan Delgado, Zola Johnson Idotha Battle, Sara Robertson, PER, Roy Medina, Al Lewis, Ken Moses, PDDGER, PER, Thomas Morgan, Ted Figueroa



ER, FROM PG 1

stands for. We pledge to love and care for each other, to be fair and just and always be loyal to the order and each other, last but not least to be charitable and kind.

I have many ideas to improve our Lodge activities, However, volunteers are the keys to these events being successful. We always need volunteer chefs as well. I myself have only done it once, but really enjoyed it. Terry

and I will be doing it again very soon. Kaleb, our new House Committee Chair, can sign you up, so we can try out some of your yummy food.

I am excited to say that we will have a Sweetheart this year, Jessica (RED) Myers. All funds the Elks Sweetheart raises and the Red Piggy banks go to the Texas Elks Children's Services. This money is used for free summer camp for special needs children as well as free med-

ical devices that help enrich the lives of those who need it most. So be ready for lots of event fundraisers.

Feel free to reach out to me anytime and I encourage you to get involved to help make a difference. I look forward to seeing you around the Lodge, and everyone have a Happy Easter.

Fraternally yours,  
E.R. Krystal Peterson



**Baked Potato Bar with mac 'n cheese**  
Thursday, April 6th  
Guest Chef: Jessica "Red"

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**Elks**  
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**LASAGNA DINNER**  
THURSDAY, APRIL 13TH  
GUEST CHEFS: JACKI & MARK

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KINGSVILLE ELKS #1926

THURS., APRIL 27TH

**Meatloaf Dinner**

MEATLOAF, REAL CHEESY MASH POTATOES, GREEN BEANS, AND A ROLL

**GUEST CHEF: YVONNE**

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HOUSE RULES :

1. Hours of operation: Published in the bulletin
2. The lounge is nonsmoking.
3. The Lounge rooms are closed to everyone during regular Lodge Sessions, except for the Elks Auxiliary, for their meetings only, during the funeral Services for a member, or during Special Ritual Services such As Flag Day or Memorial Day



**I AM AN ELK: WHAT I SEE HERE, WHAT I HEAR HERE, STAYS HERE, WHEN I LEAVE HERE**

GER, FROM PG 5

portant to reach out to delinquent Members in order to bring them back into your Lodge. It may only take one phone call. There is a chance that by speaking with the delinquent Member, you may get them to renew their dues and become an active Member again.

Your Lodge Secretary plays a very important role for Members who were dropped for nonpayment of dues. I encourage you to re-

view Statute 14.180. This Statute is very clear that your Lodge Secretary shall advise the unaffiliated of his/her rights to reaffiliate within 60 days.

Make +1 in membership a priority during your term. I know our Grand Lodge Membership Marketing Manager Rick Gathen would be very proud to say your Lodge achieved a +1 in membership. With the leadership team you have put together, I know how hard you will be working on

**"Promoting Elkdom With Enthusiasm."** April also is the month when families get together for Passover and Easter. Helen and I want to wish you and your families a wonderful holiday celebration. In closing, thank you for your continued leadership this year by working hard within your communities to show that **"Elks Care — Elks Share."** God bless each of you. God bless our troops, past and present. And most of all, God bless America.

**2023 Lenten Fish Fries  
Elk volunteers make it happen!**





DAP, FROM PG 4



The search engine allows you to search a 5-, 10-, 20-, or 50-mile radius from your Lodge. Go to [deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug\\_disposal](https://deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug_disposal) to find disposal locations.

April is also the deadline for the three youth contests conducted by the Elks DAP. There are three categories for the video contest (elementary schools, secondary schools, and post-secondary schools) and there

is an essay contest Take Back unneeded meds this month and poster contest. Contact your State Chair for details.

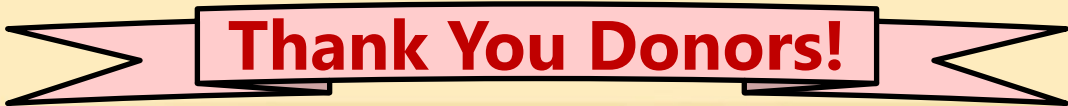
The theme for all contests is: One Pill Can Kill. This is a great opportunity to get positive press for your Lodge. Information for our youth contests can also be found at our various DAP websites.

Plans are underway for our annual training, which takes place for State Chairs at the Grand Lodge convention. We will also be holding our annual workshop for the general membership to come and hear about what your Drug Awareness Program is doing. Hope to see many of you in Minneapolis.

HEART, FROM PG 1

available at the lodge that benefit the lodge year 2022-23 sweetheart program. These tickets are available before June 15th 2023, we have had 3 previous winners so there is definitely a chance you could be the next. If anyone has any ideas, time, donations please do not hesitate to get with me, all help is accepted in whatever way you can. All funds raised by the sweetheart go directly to our State major project, which is our Texas Elks Children's Camp. Do it for the kids. Elks Care, Elks Share.

Fraternally,  
Jessica Myers, PER



**ENF Mission:  
Helping Elks Build Stronger Communities**

The mission of the Elks National Foundation is to help Elks build stronger communities. We fulfill this pledge by investing in communities where Elks live and work. We help youth develop lifelong skills, send students to college, meet the needs of today's veterans, support the charitable work of the state Elks associations, and fund projects that improve the quality of life in local Elks communities.



Like all Elks, the Foundation values the belief that charity is the greatest of all virtues and that by sharing and giving, we have the power to replace sorrow and despair with hope and confidence. Donations to the Foundation help us fund programs that match our cornerstone values of knowledge, integrity and community.

(<https://www.elks.org/ENF/mission.cfm>)



# April 2023



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4 Lodge Mtg @ 7pm Taco Tues.	5	6 Baked Potato Bar - Red	7 <b>Queen of Hearts</b> Blackened Steak & Fish LaWayne "Lala"	8
9	10	11 House Committee Meeting @ 6:30pm	12	13 Lasagna Jacki & Mark	14 <b>Queen of Hearts</b> Chicken Fried Steak Rodney	15 <b>South District Clinic - Weslaco</b>
16	17	18 Lodge Mtg @ 7pm Potluck: Soup, Salad, Bread	19	20 Burger Night Roy & Dianne	21 <b>Queen of Hearts</b> Birthday Steaks AI	22
23	24	25 PER Association Meeting @ 6:30pm	26 Board of Director's Meeting @ 6:30pm	27 Meatloaf Yvonne	28 <b>Queen of Hearts</b> Bring Your Own Steak Night AI	29
30	1	Notes		 <b>Happy Birthday Kingsville Elks April 13th!</b> 		

Kingsville Elks Lodge

## BLACKENED STEAK & FISH

Guest Chef: Lala

Friday  
April 7th




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Hand Breaded

## Chicken Fried Steak

Friday, April 14th



Guest Chef: Rodney

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Kingsville Elks  
JOIN US FOR

## BRING YOUR OWN STEAK NIGHT

Guest Chef: AI

FRIDAY, APRIL 28TH



Bring in your choice of steak and we will do the cooking and provide the sides.

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