

# SUNRISE ELKS BULLETIN

## LODGE 2273

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### LETTER FROM EXALTED RULER

OFFICE HOURS  
MONDAY—FRIDAY  
9:00 AM—1:00 PM

#### LODGE SPECIAL EVENTS

#### August 2013

August 13  
Life Screening  
Health Testing

August 17  
Elkettes  
Vintage Tea

#### SEPTEMBER 2013

September 19-21  
Annual FLOE  
Conference

September 28  
Murder Mystery  
Night

August is here and we are rapidly approaching the middle of the Lodge year. State President Bryan Burns will be in our district early in the month for his official visit to the SSE. District vice-President Howard Greenstein will be hosting the President's visit at Delray Beach Lodge on the 3rd of the month.

A big "thank you" goes out to all the officers and members. As we approach the fifth month of the Lodge year, we continue to look good financially. We may not be setting the world on fire, but, so far, we are not going down in flames. The support you provide by attending Lodge meetings, Wednesday night dinners, and Friday night functions shows that we can make it work if



**Gerald Carter ER**

we all work together. Speaking of working together, there are still a few positions available to help with building maintenance. They aren't big jobs, but if a couple of people team-up, the work goes faster and it's always more fun working with a friend.

I guess I had better go now and get my report together for the Lodge on our Grand lodge convention. There were more than 6000 members and guests in

Reno, Nevada, in mid-July for our 149th national get-together. Next year, our 150th Grand Lodge convention will be New Orleans, Louisiana. The "Big Easy" should be a great place to get away from south Florida, do a little Elks business, and meet a lot of great Elk friends.

Thanks to Steve, Linda, Richard, and Pat for the great evening of "Christmas in July". This is our kick-off for the second half of the calendar year leading up to "Christmas for Kids". Sound Relations did a great job with their music, everyone enjoyed the "Christmas" feast, and the Christmas spirit prevailed throughout most of the evening. If you missed it--- shame on you. Maybe we'll see you next year.

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#### ARMY OF HOPE

**The Army of Hope is a program of the Florida State Elks Association established in 2007. Its mission is to provide aid assistance to the families of deceased, disabled, and deployed members of the military.**

**The families of Florida active duty military personnel, military reservists, Coast Guard, the National Guard, and/or their dependents are eligible. An active duty member stationed in Florida with his/her dependents would qualify as a Florida resident.**

**Since its inception, the Army of Hope has raised \$242,784 for deployed military families. The help you give through the Army of Hope allows the military member to safely concentrate on his/her duties without worrying about the family at home. The Army of Hope also assist returning veterans with cost to re-establish their civilian Life after deployment**

**From the Secretary's desk** **Carole Ruiz**

So far it has been a very busy summer. Several of our members along with Daisy Troop #11089 joined in the City of Sunrise 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade. Everyone had fun and due to our spirited sound (???) we were awarded the Community Spirit Award. Job well done!!! Watch for more exciting events to take place this summer and don't forget to stop by for food and cool refreshments.

**REMEMBER:**

*"I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."*

— Maya Angelou

**LODGE EVENTS FOR AUGUST 2013**

**LIFE LINE SCREENING HEALTH EVENT**

Sunrise Elks Lodge #2273 is pleased to offer a preventive health event. Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screening, will host their affordable, non invasive and painless health screening on August 13, 2013. Five screening will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis.

Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$159.00 (\$149.99 with our member discount). All five screening take 60-90 minutes to complete. In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10.00 discount of any package priced above \$129.00, please call or visit [www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners](http://www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners).

**SUNRISE LODGE OFFICERS  
2012 TO 2013**

Exalted Ruler	Gerald Carter	5 Year Trustee	Steve Woinicki
Leading Knight	Ray Heller	4 Year Trustee	John Aiello
Loyal Knight	Stan Bross	3 Year Trustee	Dennis Cahill
Lecturing Knight	Raquel Ballinger	2 Year Trustee	Pandora Miller
Secretary	Carole Ruiz	1 Year Trustee	Pete Ruiz
Treasurer	Judy Mallett		
Chaplin	Melody Mooney		
Justice	John Moppert		
Esquire	Pete Eckert		
Inner Guard	Gerard Mooney		
Tiler	Richard Lind		

Contact e-mail address for all officers is [elksbpoe2273@bellsouth.net](mailto:elksbpoe2273@bellsouth.net)

**Club Hours***House Committee Report***Sunday  
CLOSED****Mon –Thur  
5:00 PM–10****Friday  
4:00 PM–12****Saturday  
Closed**

We want to thank each and everyone for your continuous support to the Lodge for the Wednesday and Friday's night's dinners. The House Committee would like to extend the invitation to all members to come out and support the Lodge. We have entertainment each Friday, come join us at the Lodge.

**HOUSE WEEKLY SCHEDULES****SATURDAY & SUNDAY'S**

Lodge closed unless there is a special function.

Bar Bingo is being moved to Monday Nights

**MONDAY**

Game Night; Poker, Bar Bingo, Bunco and any table game you would like to bring to the Lodge

Pasta Dinners for \$5.00 starting at 6:30 PM and bar food will also be available

**WEDNESDAY**

Wednesday Night Dinner for the month will be \$7.50

**FRIDAY**

Friday Night Dinner for the month, with the exception of steak night dinner, will cost \$8.50, which includes salad, main course with coffee and desert and entertainment

On dinner nights, you always have a choice of chicken or fish, but the key is you must sign up or call the Lodge office and give your preferences prior to arrival.

# Elkettes Corner

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Elkettes,

Will give a report on the Vintage Tea next month. No meeting in July, however, if any of you ladies wish to join our ELKETTE organization, please read this.



Amy Lixie  
President

*When you join the Elkettes, you become a part of an organization with many years (46) of history in supporting the Elks and the community, (Plantation then Sunrise).*

*As you begin your membership, we hope that new friendship will grow and your knowledge of the Elkettes will increase and you will find new opportunities for service that will benefit the lives of others while providing you with personal growth and satisfaction.*

*Let me remind each of you that in your membership, as in so many things in life, the more you give, the more you will receive. Become involved! Find your niche and participate. Each of us has our own talents that we can share, remember, by working together, everyone achieves more!*

JOIN US AND BE AN ELKETTE

God Bless!

WE'RE DELIGHTED TO INVITE  
YOU...  
TO THE ANNUAL "VINTAGE TEA"  
AUGUST 17, 2013  
\$20.00 PP  
TICKETS AVAILABLE  
CALL AMY LIXIE OR  
JOAN MENEGHELLI  
FOR RESERVATIONS

AUGUST  
BIRTHDAYS  
  
Maria Zangari  
Rosemary Arena  
Pat McKinney  
Pauline Amodeo  
Kathleen Glotfelter

OFFICERS 2013-2014	
President	Amy Lixie
V President	Joan Meneghelli
Secretary	Kathleen Clotfelter
Treasurer	Ann Placzek
Trustee	Heidi Stein
Parliamentarian	Isabelle Roehling
Chaplan	Florence Tenser
Guard	Mary Jo Hunter

### MEETING DATE *Wednesday August 14*

Sunrise Lodge 2273  
& Gerald Carter ER  
Wishes our members a  
Happy Birthday  
And invite you to have a  
COMPLIMENTARY DRINK  
Please clip out and present  
On your Birthday Month  
(Members Only)  
  
Name \_\_\_\_\_


LODGE BIRTHDAYS			
8-01	Paul Dobrow	8-20	John Depp
8-01	Robert Dom	8-21	Robert Dorn
8-01	Steven Lucio	8-22	Hazel Canedy
8-01	Dorothy Slazyk	8-22	Raymond Enos
8-02	Craig Chapter	8-22	Mary Orfino
8-03	Kathy S. Holliday	8-22	Donald Rosen
8-04	Euler Self Jr	8-24	Emerson Allsworth
8-05	Ronald Cipriano	8-25	Sandra Renshaw
8-06	James Miller	8-26	John Rebesch
8-07	Robert Frank	8-28	Dominick Dinatali
8-08	Kathleen Haywood	8-29	Peter Blanchette
8-09	Francis Lixie	8-29	Irving Cohen
8-11	Tracy Favreau	8-30	Russ Gagliano
8-12	Sandra Chaperon	8-31	Richard Holliday
8-13	Michael Martorana	8-31	Bill Sheehan
8-19	Raquel Ballinger		

# August 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>ELKETTES ANNUAL VINTAGE TEA</b> <b>AUGUST 17, 2013</b> <b>\$20.00 PP</b> <b>Contact Amy Lixie or Joan Meneghelli</b>						
4 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>	5 5:00 PM LOUNGE OPEN  6:00 PM CARD GAMES	6 MEETING 6:00 PM HOUSE 6:30 BOARD 7:30 PM BUNCO	7 6:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER Stuffed Meatball By Bob	1 7:00 PM BAR BINGO IN LOUNGE	2 6:30 PM BAR FOOD NO ENTERTAINER	3 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>
11 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>	12 5:00 PM LOUNGE OPEN  6:00 PM CARD GAMES	13 MEETING 6:00 PM HOUSE 6:30 PM BOARD 7:30 PM LODGE	14 6:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER Pork & Noodle by Richard Yeaton	15 7:00 PM BAR BINGO IN LOUNGE	16 6:30 PM Swiss Chicken by Ted & Brenda Entertainment Rick Cafaro	17 <b>ELKETTES</b> <b>VINAGE TEA</b>
18 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>	19 5:00 PM LOUNGE OPEN  6:00 PM CARD GAMES	20 MEETING 6:00 PM HOUSE 6:30 BOARD 7:30 PM BUNCO	21 6:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER Ravioli by John & Maryann	22 7:00 PM BAR BINGO IN LOUNGE	23 6:30 PM Beef Stew ENTERTAINER T B A	24 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>
25 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>	26 5:00 PM LOUNGE OPEN  6:00 PM CARD GAMES	27 MEETING 6:00 PM HOUSE 6:30 PM BOARD 7:30 PM LODGE	28 6:30 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER Roast Chicken	29 7:00 PM BAR BINGO IN LOUNGE	30 6:30 PM Chicken Stir Fry By Pete Ruiz ENTERTAINER T B A	31 <b>LODGE CLOSED</b>

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**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print my/our name as follows:**  
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### BULLETIN BOOSTERS

In Loving Memory of <b>Robert Colini</b>	August 2013
<b>A Carney</b>	Oct. 2013
In Loving Memory <b>Joe Lomma</b>	Dec. 2013
<b>Marie Zagari</b>	Jan. 2014
<b>Angela Meir Pear</b>	Feb. 2014
<b>Chuck &amp; Barb Plante</b>	April 2014



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