



# OCEAN SHORES

## NORTH BEACH LODGE

#2581

JUNE 2017 ISSUE

# CLAM DIGGER



**MARK SWANSON'S FINAL YEAR AS THE FISHING DERBY COORDINATOR WAS A SUCCESS!!**

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE FROM THE PAPER PUSHERS, BOAT CAPTAINS, FOOD PREPARERS, FISH HAULERS, FISH CLEANERS, PHOTOGRAPHERS, TO THE PIRATES. \* AND EVERYONE IN BETWEEN\*

**THANK YOU**

WITHOUT ALL OF YOU, IT WOULDN'T BE POSSIBLE.

**THE KIDS HAD A GREAT DAY!**



## EXALTED RULER – KAREN WOODBECK



May was incredibly busy at your Lodge! Thank You to all of our Volunteers. Without you we wouldn't be successful. A special thank you goes to those that showed up for the Cabana Cleaning Party! We are ready for summer use.

Please join us this coming month. The Elks will be in the Flag Day Parade on June 10th. If you wish to have a car or float in the parade with us please contact the office by Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup>. Afterwards is the Flag Retirement Ceremony in our Cabana at 3 PM. The Elks and the VFW team up for this ceremony and it is very moving. It is open to the public. At 5:30 that night we will be serving a free dinner to our Veterans, their spouses, widows and widowers of Veterans and Active Duty personnel. Supporters are \$10 for an adult and \$5 for a child. Dan Fajardo will be cooking Ribs, Baked Beans, Cornbread and Coleslaw.

Many of your officers will be attending the Summer Conference in Pasco, WA on June 15<sup>th</sup> thru June 19<sup>th</sup>.

Havana Nights will be held on June 24<sup>th</sup>. Dan Fajardo will cook his famous Cuban Cuisine. There will be music and an auction. Don't miss out on the fun. \$20 per person.

We are still looking for guest chefs, please contact the office if you are interested!

Thank you for all of your support!

Sincerely

*Karen Woodbeck*



Congratulations to the

Elk Volunteer of the Month

*Joan Hill*



Joan has volunteer bartended for many years at our Lodge. Although she is no longer the Bar Manager this year (she needed a break), she is still behind the bar creating special cocktails for our events. She has recently volunteered (with Diana Raines) to head up a Lodge Decorating Committee. As many of you remember what a fantastic job was done last Christmas, I am excited to see what they come up with this year! Thank you Joan!

Our Elk Volunteer of the Month receives reserved parking at the front of the building. Look in the Clamdiaaer or attend the June Lodge meeting to find out who is next!



## ESTEEMED LOYAL KNIGHT - VICKY ROBERTS

Summer is coming fast and our weather is improving! I hope that you have been getting the e-mails about our regular and upcoming special events going on in the lodge. We are also starting Thursday night dinners again and there is quite a variety. Please come check it out.

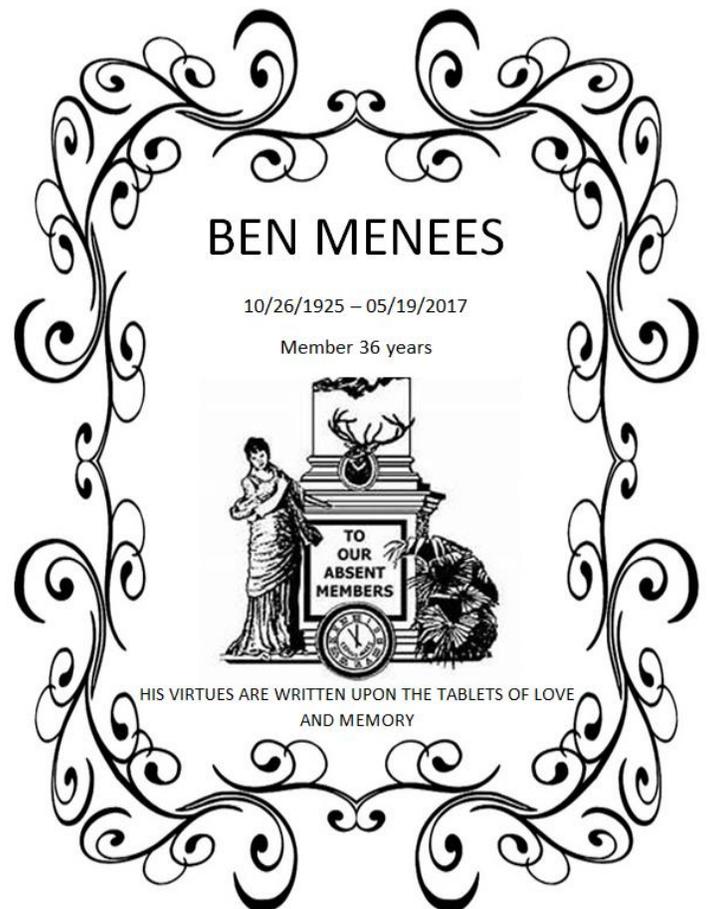
Lodge activities means that we really can use your expertise. We have a lot of members that are quite talented in the kitchen and organizational skills that we can really utilize. As you enter the lodge, you will see our volunteer sign-up sheets for our upcoming events. There is always room for more volunteers if you have the time. We really appreciated our volunteers that took time out of their busy schedules to help us clean up the inside of the cabana. Wow! What a huge difference. THANK YOU. Our volunteers also just cleaned up the outside of the cabana as well and put up our fence around the perimeter. It looks wonderful.

Also, I want to remind everyone about our regular lodge meetings. If you can possible come, I invite you to come and listen. You really learn so much about the upcoming events and the business of the lodge. But, the actual success is YOU. Come to the meetings, listen and please ask questions. We are in the process of constantly improving the lodge for you and our guests. We need your input.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the dinners and the upcoming events. Let me know if there is anything I can do for you. It is truly my honor to serve the lodge for YOU.

God, Bless You Always,

Vicky Roberts, Loyal Knight



## *"Our Kids"*



### Washington Elks Therapy Program for Children, Inc.

#### Our State Major Project

I would like for you to meet Collin!

Collin is 9 years old and in third grade. He is a busy, smart, outgoing, and very kind boy. He loves a lot about his life. He loves his mom and his new cat, Simon! He loves to be outside and moving! A couple things you will find Collin doing outside include helping his Mom with chores and playing tackle football with his team. He is a great kid who loves life, however, Collin has some struggles that you may not see right away.

With the help of WA Elks Therapy Program Collin has been working on his struggles. It is difficult for Collin to hold still, and at times his hands shake. He has frequent ear infections and has had tubes placed in his ears 7 times. Collin struggles to use his hands for tasks that require small precise movements. He struggles in environments where he needs to hold still and focus. There are times he struggles to hear

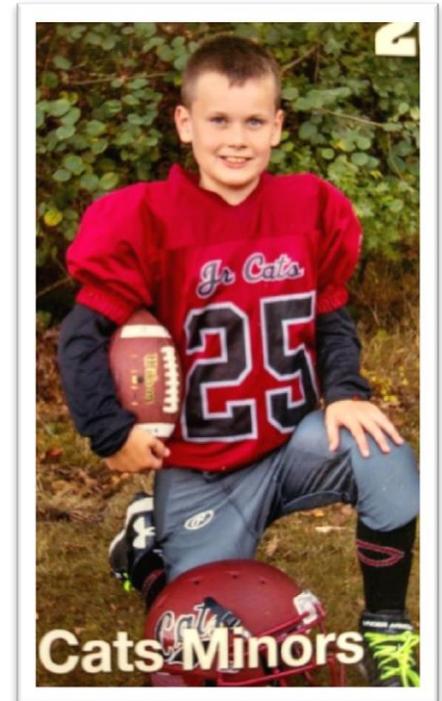
especially in noisy environments. Focusing on one voice and listening to it instead of all the other noises is particularly difficult. All of this gets very frustrating for Collin, and he often avoids tasks that are challenging.

Collin has worked very hard in therapy to learn ways to regulate his energy level, so that it is a good match for the current activity. He has worked hard in therapy to learn ways to cope with his frustration. He has worked hard in therapy to learn to use his hands for precision tasks and improve the legibility of his handwriting. Earlier in school, Collin received special assistance for his studies, but last year he tested at a level which was increased enough

that he would not need the continued help.

Without the WA Elks Therapy Program, Collin would not be receiving occupational therapy services. Collin and his family say,

**"Thank you, WA Elks!"**



**YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE 6<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
HAVANA NIGHTS DINNER DANCE**

*Havana Nights*  
HOT



**Saturday June 24, 2017**

**ENJOY ORIGINAL CUBAN FOOD**

**PUERCO ASADO, ARROZ Y FRIJOLES, PLATANOS FRITO**

(Roasted Pork, Rice, Beans, and Fried Plantains)

**\$20.00 PER PERSON**

DINNER 6:00PM – 7:30PM

MUSIC STARTS AT 7:30PM

DANCE ONLY \$10.00 PER PERSON

BEGINNING AT 7:30PM

**DANCE TO THE RHYTHM OF LATIN  
MUSIC BY**



**JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF GREAT FOOD, FANTASTIC  
MUSIC AND LOTS OF FUN**



**FREE** – Donation welcome. All donations will benefit Tall Elks.



*Come in and join the fun!!*

*Tuesday 3:00pm – 5:00pm*

## **Dancing Dates**

**June 6<sup>th</sup>**

**June 13<sup>th</sup>**

**June 2<sup>th</sup>**

**All Tuesdays in July**

**All Tuesdays in August**

**September 5<sup>th</sup>**

**September 19<sup>th</sup>**

**September 26<sup>th</sup>**



TOM SMITH



ZARA BOLSTAD

**WELCOME  
NEW MEMBERS**



JOHN LACOSS AND JASON EASTMAN



# Thursday Night Joker's Wild

## New Rules of the Game

- Open to Ocean Shores Lodge members in good standing and their spouses.
- \$1.00 per tickets. Tickets available for purchase at the bar. Tickets for the next drawing will begin Friday and will continue until Thursday's 7:00 pm.
- Ticket drawings will be held every Thursday at 7:00 PM.
- All tickets must have first and last name on the ticket. Only one name on the ticket.
- One ticket will be drawn. The winner need not be present. A present winner will receive 70% of the pot and the lodge will receive 30%.
- If the winner is not present. A lodge officer will choose an envelope. If the envelope contains a money winning card the winner will receive 50% of the pot and the lodge will donate 50% to a lodge charity. If the card is the joker the payout will reverse to 30% for the member and 70% to the lodge.
- All remaining tickets will be discarded after each drawing. The next week will begin with an empty drum. The pot will continue to build from the previous week.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US IN A DAY OF HONORING OUR FLAG



**FLAG DAY**  
**SATURDAY JUNE 10<sup>TH</sup>**

**The Flag Day Parade**

Celebrate our Country's Heritage by attending the parade that winds through the streets of Ocean Shores.

Parade begins at 11:00am

If you would like to join us on the float call the office.  
(Limited space)



**Flag Retirement Ceremony**

VFW #8936 and Elk's Lodge #2581 members will perform the moving tribute to our flag and country.

3:00pm in the Elk's Lodge Cabana



**Dinner**

Ribs, Beans, and Corn Bread

Join us for a meal in celebration of our Veteran's and their contribution to our country.

Dinner free to Veteran's and Spouse  
\$10.00 for Supporters \$5.00 for Children



5:30pm Elk's Lodge

**TEXAS HOLD'EM**



NON- LODGE MEETING  
WEDNESDAYS  
6:00PM  
BRING A SNACK TO SHARE



**BINGO**

4	27	32	55	73
15	25	41	58	75
8	26	0	58	75
7	22	2	58	75

**BAR BINGO AND \$2.00 HOT DOGS ON SOME SATURDAYS. CHECK CALENDAR FOR DATES.**

## ALTERNATING THURSDAY DINNER

**PIZZA - \$3.00 A SLICE AND \$1.50 BEER SPECIAL**

**OR**

**GUEST CHEF WITH A SPECIAL DISH  
CHECK CALENDAR FOR DATES AND MENU**

**JOKER'S WILD EVERY THURSDAY**

**FOLLOWED BY A SPIRITED GAME OF LEFT RIGHT CENTER**

**WE ALSO HAVE DARTS AND POOL TABLE**





# CLAM DIGGER ROD RUN

WE HAD A PARKING LOT FULL OF BEAUTIFUL CARS.  
WE HAD A LOT OF PEOPLE  
THAT MADE THE DAY SPECIAL.



You are invited to break out the Brill Cream and Poodle Skirts and join us for a

**July 22, 2017**

# SOCK HOP

Lounge Opens at 4:00PM

Dinner Served at 5:30pm

**\$15.00**

Menu

Hamburgers & Hot Dogs  
with

French Fries

Enjoy our favorite  
Music Man

Charlie Baer



Root Beer Floats .50 Cents

Milk Shakes \$2.00



# June Birthdays

Gary Kimberly	Earl Kuhl	Douglas Bellamy	Robin Johnson
Barbara Torres	Alan Gamble	Wesley Gott	John LaCoss
Stuart Herrick	Forrest Adams	Josephine Canales	Jay Johnston
Kathy Sullivent	Kathleen Gustafson	Michael Schmalz	Betsy Sterrenburg
Lynne Igoe	Terri Jones	Carole Davis	James Chastain
Ben Zumkeller, PER	Stephen Buck	Sammy David	Jennifer Cate
Ronald Pyeatt	Robert Clayton	Lattie Metcalf	Jackie Farra
James Matoza	Douglas Ward	George Barth	Jonathan Nygaard
Steven Pippin	Diane Kotila	Mark Espinoza	Linda Micus



Come in and have a piece of cake.

We will be celebrating our June  
Birthdays on Wednesday June 21st at  
6.00pm



OCEAN SHORES ELKS LODGE #2581

EXHALTED RULER	KAREN WOODBECK
LEADING KNIGHT	NANCY OAKES
LOYAL KNIGHT	VICKY ROBERTS
LECTURING KNIGHT	JACKIE FARRA
SECRETARY	TERRY SMITH
TREASURER	VICKIE STORMENT
TILER	KATHY SULLIVENT
ESQUIRE	HAL GUNN, PER
CHAPLAIN	LYNDA DEVORE
INNER GUARD	DONNA LASHANCE
DIRECTORS	
1 YEAR	BOB HOWE, PER
2 YEAR	GARY FRAZIER
3 YEAR	DAVID BRANDT
4 YEAR	CURTIS ROMAN
5 YEAR	JIM ROBERTS

There is a Washington State Liquor Control Board resolution change in Olympia for changing the amount of maximum fund raisers for Fraternal Organizations from 2 to 12 per year.

We could use your help getting the word out regarding the proposed WSLCB rule change suggested by the Aberdeen Lodge 593, to increase the number of Club Membership Drives from 2 per year to 12 per year.

Go to WSLCB, then to Rule Making and scroll down to comment section. It says "interested parties can participate in the decision to adopt the new rule..." by contacting the following person; Karen McCall, Rules Coordinator PO Box 43080 Olympia, WA 98504

360-664-1631

360-664-9689

Or

[Karen.mccall@lcb.wa.gov](mailto:Karen.mccall@lcb.wa.gov)

Just e-mail comments to her.

Thanks,

Harry Paul ER Aberdeen Washington

JOLLY CORKS LOUNGE OPEN 4:00PM  
TUESDAY - SATURDAY

# JUNE

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1 PIZZA \$3.00 A SLICE. \$1.50 BEER SPECIAL JOKER'S WILD 7:00PM GAMES	2 STEAK DINNER 2nd ENTRÉE TO BE ANNOUNCED ARLEY & LINDA	3 BAR BINGO \$2.00 HOT DOGS
4 LUNCH OPEN AT NOON BINGO AT 1:30 	5 Veteran's Lunch 12:00pm 	6 LINE DANCING 3:00 FISH & CHIPS 	7 LODGE MEETING 7:00PM 	8 DINNER AT 6:15PM CHICKEN PARMESAN SANDWICHES \$7.00 JOKER'S WILD 7:00PM 	9 STEAK DINNER 2nd ENTRÉE TO BE ANNOUNCED CHARLIE BAER	10 FLAG DAY PARADE AND FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY AND DINNER 
11 LUNCH OPEN AT NOON BINGO AT 1:30 	12	13 LINE DANCING 3:00 TACO TUESDAY 	14 POKER NIGHT 6:00PM BRING A SNACK TO SHARE 	15 PIZZA \$3.00 A SLICE. \$1.50 BEER SPECIAL JOKER'S WILD 7:00PM GAMES		17 BAR BINGO \$2.00 HOT DOGS
18 LUNCH OPEN AT NOON BINGO AT 1:30 	19	20 FISH & CHIPS 	21 JUNE BIRTHDAY'S CAKE 6:00PM LODGE MEETING 7:00PM 	22 BEEF STROGANOFF \$7.00 JOKER'S WILD 7:00PM GAMES	23 STEAK DINNER 2nd ENTRÉE TO BE ANNOUNCED CHARLIE BAER	24 HAVANA NIGHTS CUBAN DINNER AND MUSIC \$20.00 SEE FLYER FOR DETAILS 
25 LUNCH OPEN AT NOON BINGO AT 1:30 	26	27 LINE DANCING 3:00 TACO TUESDAY 	28 POKER NIGHT 6:00PM BRING A SNACK TO SHARE 	29 PIZZA \$3.00 A SLICE. \$1.50 BEER SPECIAL JOKER'S WILD 7:00PM GAMES	30 STEAK DINNER 2nd ENTRÉE TO BE ANNOUNCED	JULY BAR BINGO \$2.00 HOT DOGS
2 LUNCH OPEN AT NOON BINGO AT 1:30 	3	4 FISH & CHIPS 	5 LODGE MEETING 7:00PM 	6 JOKER'S WILD 7:00PM GAMES	7 STEAK DINNER 2nd ENTRÉE TO BE ANNOUNCED	8 ELK MEMBER PICNIC 

DINNER SERVING BEGINS AT 5:30 UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

SEE FLYERS FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

# DID YOU RECEIVE YOUR EMAIL OR LODGE NOTICES?

[Lodge Website/Email Links:](#)

[ELKS.ORG \(2581\)](#)

Web Site: [www.bpoe2581.com](http://www.bpoe2581.com)

Calendar: [www.bpoe2581.com/calendar](http://www.bpoe2581.com/calendar)

Lodge Store: [www.bpoe2581.com/storefront](http://www.bpoe2581.com/storefront)

Lodge Document/Photo Gallery: [www.bpoe2581.com/gallery](http://www.bpoe2581.com/gallery)

Also register with ELKS.ORG

Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/oceanshoreselkslodge>



Ocean Shores/North Beach Elks Lodge #2581

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Our Motto:

*"The faults of our members we write upon the sand, their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory."*

***"Elks Can Make a Difference"*** JUNE 2017 Newsletter



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