



# Staghorn III

Benevolent and Protective Order Of Elks  
Lodge 1352 West Palm Beach, Florida

105 Years Old Chartered 1918

July 2024

## Exalted Ruler's Message

June is gone and now we're heading into the heart of the summer.

We started off last month with the Riders steak dinner, which was a fantastic, hearty meal, as usual. Thanks, Elks Riders! Also, the Ladies Auxiliary put on a Country/Western Wild West dinner dance to benefit ALS. To be truly honest, not being a fan of most anything Country/Western, I went into that night not expecting too much. However, I ended up having one of the best times of the year at the lodge! What a blast it was! Wendy and the rest pulled off a very fun evening. Thanks a bunch! (Although I wasn't too fond of being thrown in jail, I'm willing to forgive and forget).

We had a special Flag Day ceremony at the lodge which included, as always, our current Elk of the Year, Marty Williams and the Boy Scouts of Troop 199 and members of the City of West Palm Beach, including City Commissioner Cathleen Ward.

Commissioner Ward spoke of the collaboration of our lodge and the City of WPB's effort to promote and educate the public on proper etiquette, folding, and retirement of our Nation's Flag. On July 4th, we will be downtown WPB for their annual 4th on Flagler event with this flag program along with some of our own veterans from the lodge as they are being honored that day, as well. Also, every Thursday throughout the summer, we will have a tent and booth at Clematis by Night in downtown WPB to promote this effort. These will also serve as good promotional and marketing events for our lodge and the Elks in general. So, if any member is willing to help for a couple of hours on any Thursday night this summer, please reach out to me or our Lodge Secretary Carol Blair. It'll be a fun time!

In closing, we are also having a Luau dinner/dance on the 6th. Pineapple chicken is being served along with entertainment by Arnie! Please see your July calendar for more lodge events.

See you at the Lodge!

Jack DiCampli

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## Happy Birthday America

*Land of the free - home of the brave.*

We celebrate the birth of the greatest nation on earth on the fourth day of this month. It is a time to reflect on all the freedoms we have enjoyed because of the vision of a small group of men and women committed to a cause.

People in this country still enjoy those same freedoms 248 years later. The enthusiasm for the cause of liberty has never been stronger. As Elks our commitment to our nation has never been stronger.

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Sickness and Distress

Please keep these members Gary Griffin, Kay Troy, Lisa Mongiovi, Judy Fournier, and Lori Hall, in your thoughts and pray for a speedy recovery from their illnesses.

From the Secretary's Desk

Members All

We have an exciting opportunity this summer. We are grateful to the City of West Palm Beach for their partnership in raising awareness about the US Flag. We will be participating in several events over the summer, the first being 4th on Flagler – I hope to see you at the booth. See you at the Lodge.

Fraternally yours, Carol Blair Lodge Secretary

ELKS of the Month - July

This month, I decided not to award anyone Elk of the Month.....That's because I am awarding 2 members Elks of the Month! Sisters Ruth Youngbar and Alice Sponaugle! These 2 ladies are wonderful Elks. Every week they perform kitchen duties, such as cashiering, running food, or prepping food. They are always moving about the lodge doing something. Ruth and Alice also serve on the Ladies Auxillary, selling the baked goods along with the other Ladies. You'll see them decorating for upcoming dinners . These ladies are always coming to me with a lot of great ideas for the lodge. We are very appreciative and lucky to have you at our lodge! Thank you, Ruth & Alice



## BULLETIN BOOSTERS

ULTIMATE \$250

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Jonathan Proulx  
Connor remembers Ruth Wills  
Esther Pulver-Zocchi

CONTACT THE LODGE SECRETARY  
TO PLACE A BOOSTER  
Boosters renew April 1st each year

## Past Exalted Rulers Report

Hello All

July is upon us, the Fourth of July please enjoy an be safe. Not much happening for the PER Association this month, but the lodge has many activities coming up so let support them. We have two meetings coming up in July with the county for our new building and it has been a long-drawn-out affair but I feel are nearing the end.

Coming soon, the State President will be visiting the Southeast District on August 2-3 with the big dinner to be held on August 3rd at our lodge. Lets make this a big weekend. The Elk Riders will be grilling their great steaks but not quite as big as their normal ones but just as delicious, as always. More information will be coming via Constant Contact and our Visual TV in Lodge. Thank You for all you do for Elkdom.

Elkdom Forever  
Ed Morey Jr PDD  
PER Chair

## Grand Lodge News

Finalists announced for All American Lodge Contest Division IV. Congratulations FSEA lodges, Gainesville, FL No. 990 and Tampa, FL No. 708. It takes a lot of hard work and dedication to be even considered for this award. Best of Luck. We're rooting for you.



**L-C-R w/  
Larry on  
Sat.  
JULY 13th  
@ 7:00 PM**



**Meeting  
July 11th  
@ 7 PM**

**Music Trivia**  
"name that tune"  
**Sat. JULY 27 7PM**  
FOOD: BURGER NIGHT



# WPB Ladies Auxiliary



Ladies and Gents

Well summer has arrived. Hard to believe it's July already.

On June 22nd we had our Wild Wild West Dinner Dance. Pauline Talbot our State FLOE President was our special guest of honor along with husband Dan. They

traveled down from Sebastian along with a few of their fiends to spend the evening with us. Eric played Sheriff and Bobby J was our Jailer. Eric was able to arrest many outlaws that were traveling through ELK TOWN and locked them up in our ELK TOWN JAIL. As mentioned, it was a charity event for A.L.S. and we raised funds that will be sent to the A.L.S. Association in Arlington, VA. We want to Thank everyone for attending and their generous contributions. A check will be issued in Eduardo Trotman's name (Renee's Boyfriend) who recently passed away from this awful disease.

Also, want to Thank Gordie and Di for entertaining us. They did an amazing job in keeping the dance floor full and for learning many new songs to keep within our theme.

Vickie, our bartender won the \$25.00 gift card for the best costume. She was dressed as a very fashionable saloon girl. Congrats Vickie. Our 3 mystery judges were in complete agreement as to who the winner should be.

Thanks to all the workers in the kitchen, Marty, Alice, Ruth, Renee, Libby, Margret, Dennis, Joe and Larry. Thanks to Joe and Barbara for working on the check-in table.

This month, we will continue to have our Ice Cream Social every Tuesday night. Please stop by to check out homemade baked goods and assorted ice cream flavors. Especially with it so hot outside, a bowl of ice cream will taste good.

We want to welcome our newest Ladies, Angie, Beverly, Gwen, Margret, and Renee.

Our next Ladies meeting will be held on Monday July 15th at 6 pm. Anyone is welcome to join us.

Thanks for Supporting the Ladies Auxiliary  
Wendy Lombard...President

## Ladies Auxiliary

### 2022-2023 Officers

President.....	Wendy Lombard
Vice President .....	Patti Phillips PDD
Secretary .....	Clair Ainsworth
Treasurer .....	Carol Limbaugh
Sunshine Ladies .....	Lil Scammacca
.....	Barbara L'lorens

Be in  
the know  
attend the  
Lodge Meetings



**ELK RACES ! &  
set up for  
dinner/dance**

Friday  
July 5th  
7:00 PM





# BULLETIN BOARD



BULLETIN BOARD Donations directly fund this publication.

TUESDAYS  
8PM

**QUEEN  
OF  
HEARTS**



Having a PARTY?  
The ELKS Lodge  
is the place

Contact Wendy Lombard 561 232 0870

WEST PALM BEACH ELKS LODGE

**KARAOKE**

*Thursday Nights*

**BINGO**

Every Tuesday Night @ 7:00 pm  
Join us at the WPB Elks Lodge # 1352

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## House Committee

A huge shout out to the WPB Elks Riders for a wonderful steak dinner last month, it was truly delicious and becoming a favorite with our members. The Ladies Auxiliary also held a Wild West dinner dance last month and we hope everyone came out and had a great time at their fundraiser for ALS. This month the House Committee will be throwing a summer Luau dinner party on July 6th. We'll be serving a Hawaiian baked chicken or pork with fried rice and veggies with music by Arnie. Come out and join us and don't forget to wear your Hawaiian best!

The lodge will be closed in observance of the July 4th holiday but will reopen on Friday, July 5th and we will be playing bar card bingo at 7pm. We will be setting up for the summer luau dinner prior to bar card bingo if you are available to come out and help we would really appreciate the extra hands.

Karaoke this month will be hosted by Brett Hand please come out and support our lodge and show us what you've got! The kitchen is open on karaoke nights from 6-7:30p serving our full pub menu. LCR is back this month as well, hosted by Larry Quick on Saturday, July 13th. And a new fan favorite, music trivia-name that tune, will be back on Saturday, July 27th. The kitchen will be open for burger night from 6-7pm before music trivia starts. Last but not least our monthly general trivia will be on Friday, July 19th. Let's see if team Toast has what it takes to win a fourth month in a row or if they will finally be dethroned.

Can't wait to see everyone at the lodge!

Katie and Rick

## Florida Ladies of Elks.

The 2nd Annual FLOE RV Rally "Camping for the Kids" benefiting the Florida Elks Youth Camp was a huge success. We had 19 RV families in attendance. A great time was had by all. Save the date for the 3rd Annual RV Rally May30-June 1, 2025. More information will be forthcoming. The FLOE Angel Reverse Draw tickets benefiting the Florida Elks Childrens Therapy Services are now on sale. There will be 300 tickets sold at a donation of \$20 each. We are pleased to say we have sold more than half the tickets as of the time of this article. Tickets are also available for our Annual Conference Raffle with three great prizes. 1st prize is a 2-night hotel stay at Shores Resort and Spa in Daytona Shores with a \$600 Visa gift card, 2nd prize is a Northern Tool quiet generator with \$150 Visa gift card and 3rd prize is a Yeti 18 soft sided cooler w/adult beverage and a \$100 Visa gift card. Tickets are 6 for \$5. All proceeds benefit FECTS and FEYC. If you would like tickets, please email floeinformation@gmail.com or contact one of our officers. Contact information is available on floridaelks.org.

Registration for the 61st Annual FLOE Conference being held at the beautiful Shores Resort & Spa in Daytona Shores, September 19-20, 2024, is now open. The Deep Creek Ladies of Elks will provide Friday night entertainment. A Friday golf outing is planned for those interested. Visit <https://www.floridaelks.org/floe/conference> for more information and to make your reservations. We look forward to seeing you there.

On Monday July 1, 2024, at 12:30 pm during the Grand Lodge Convention in Austin Texas there will be a workshop for all ladies of the Elks across the country to share ideas for fundraising and other activities from their lodges. This is the first time anything like this has been offered and we are extremely proud that Florida will be the host of the workshop. Ladies, if you will be in Austin, please stop by the workshop. More information can be found on [elks.org](https://elks.org) or by reading page 30 in the recent Elks Magazine.

Please check <https://floridaelks.org/floe> for more information relating to FLOE or email floeinformation@gmail.com with any questions or ideas. Together we can make a difference in the lives of children throughout Florida.

Just a reminder, EVERY lady Elk, wife of an Elk and widow of an Elk are members of FLOE. There are no applications to complete nor dues to pay. How active a lady chooses to be is at her discretion, but she remains a member.

We would like to say "Thank You" for your continued support, and we look forward to seeing you.





# West Palm Beach Elks Event Calendar July 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>1</b> LODGE CLOSED Boy Scouts 7 P Grand Lodge Convention	<b>2</b> Cards 6:30 P Bingo 7 P Queen 8 P Kitchen Open 6 to 8 P Grand Lodge Convention	<b>3</b> <b>NO LODGE MEETING</b> Grand Lodge Convention	<b>4</b> <b>LODGE CLOSED</b> <b>HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY</b>	<b>5</b> Setup for dinner 6 PM Elk Races 7 P	<b>6</b> <b>Summer Luau Dinner</b> <b>6 P \$18</b> Hawaiian Chicken or Pork <b>Arnie Entertains</b>
<b>7</b> LODGE CLOSED	<b>8</b> LODGE CLOSED Boy Scouts 7 P	<b>9</b> Cards 6:30 P Bingo 7 P Queen 8 P Kitchen Open 6 to 8 P	<b>10</b> Orientation 7 P	<b>11</b> Karaoke 6:30 - 10 P Brett Hand Kitchen Open 6 to 7:30 P Elk Riders 7 P	<b>12</b> <b>Bar Card Bingo</b> <b>7 P</b>	<b>13</b> <b>LCR w/ Larry Quick</b> <b>7 PM</b>
<b>14</b> LODGE CLOSED	<b>15</b> LODGE CLOSED Ladies Aux 6 P Boy Scouts 7 P Veterans 7 P Board Meeting 6:15 P	<b>16</b> Cards 6:30 P Bingo 7 P Queen 8 P Kitchen Open 6 to 8 P	<b>17</b> Lodge Meeting 7:30P 2nd Chance Drawing	<b>18</b> Karaoke 6:30 - 10 P Brett Hand Kitchen Open 6 to 7:30 P	<b>19</b> <b>Trivia W/Rick</b> <b>7:30 P</b> <b>Greek Gyros &amp; Fries</b> <b>6 - 7 P</b>	<b>20</b> Yard Sale 8 A - 1 P
<b>21</b> LODGE CLOSED	<b>22</b> LODGE CLOSED Boy Scouts 7 P	<b>23</b> Cards 6:30 P Bingo 7 P Queen 8 P Kitchen Open 6 to 8 P	<b>24</b> PER Association Meeting 7 P	<b>25</b> Karaoke 6:30 - 10 P Brett Hand Kitchen Open 6 to 7:30 P	<b>26</b> <b>Jack's Hour</b> <b>Happy Hour with The ER</b> <b>6 - 7:30 P</b>	<b>27</b> <b>Music Trivia W/Rick</b> <b>7 P</b> <b>Burger Night</b> <b>6 - 7 P</b>
<b>28</b> LODGE CLOSED	<b>29</b> LODGE CLOSED Boy Scouts 7 P	<b>30</b> Cards 6:30 P Bingo 7 P Queen 8 P Kitchen Open 6 to 8 P	<b>31</b> House Committee 6 P			





## Elk Riders

Elk Riders would like to welcome new members Suzanne Padst, Wendy Buhrman and Andrew Echmanel. WPB Elk Lodge #1352 members attended May 23rd-26th State Convention in Orlando along with Elk Riders members, President Bob Miller with wife Doreen Miller, Vice President Jeff Buhrman with wife Wendy Buhrman, Road Captain Brad Quick with wife Angela Quick Secretary we had a great time. Brad Quick DJ'd, entertained guests in the hospitality room. Jeff Buhrman would like to thank all riders members for attending on Sunday, May 26th riders to put flags up for our fallen soldiers at the South Florida National Cemetery for Memorial Day and then returned a week later to remove them. He is also very appreciative of Mike Hunter, Brad and Angela Quick, Tom/Angela Westhouse, Robert Demarest and Shannon McWilliams for cleaning and storing the flags for next year.

June 1st, Rider's had another Steak Dinner and had a great turn out from riders and family members and Elk members. Thank you to everyone that attended and volunteered. We are very grateful for Jameson Brackett



OLLIE



from the Boy Scouts for cleaning all those dishes. June 29th Patch in Ceremony for new Elk Riders members, 10 for Jupiter and 8 for WPB will be held at Jupiter Elk Lodge#2469.

July waiting for the arrival of Ollie Plush Toy that will be available to adopt to give to your kids or grandkids as a gift. You can also donate them back to the riders who will donate to a charity of their choice. We are collecting supplies to make, Blessing Bags for the Homeless, working with the PBSO Homeless Outreach Department and Operation Shoebox. Supplies: See list with hard candies, snacks, playing cards, socks, chap sticks, wash clothes, laundry detergent, toiletry (travel size toothbrushes, tooth paste, mouth wash, deodorant, bar soap, shampoo, conditioner, hand sanitizer, hand wipes). Please turn in items to any the riders members.

Angela Quick, Financial Secretary

"There can be no keener revelation of a society's soul than the way in which it treats its children."

- Nelson Mandela

## July Birthdays

- |                     |                        |                       |                         |
|---------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| 01 Gary Carpenter   | 11 Walter Frey         | 18 William Riley      | 28 John Dillingham      |
| 02 Carmen Vitanza   | 12 Michael Graham      | 20 Joyce Woodbine     | 28 James Fox            |
| 03 George Rayner    | 12 Larry Cannizzaro    | 21 John Dickenson     | Lauren Zocchi - Gardner |
| 03 Vivian Gutierrez | Althea Weatherspoon    | David Frank           | Jeffery Knepley         |
| Adelina Springer    | 13 James Scott Daniels | Joseph Sleek          | Theresa Wesley          |
| Angela Westhouse    | James Peeples          | William Slansky       | 29 Tamara McAllister    |
| 04 Kimberly Cooper  | David Duane Smmith     | Barbi Rizzo           | William Tulacro         |
| Neil Davanzo        | 14 Leslie Clavir       | 23 Marshall Fleury    | Garrett James Weimer    |
| Jennie Peeples      | Hector Gegenheimer     | Judith Fournier       | Alane Avallone          |
| 05 Clair Ainsworth  | Edward Morey, Jr       | Adam Laing            | William James Curtis    |
| Johnny Smith        | 15 Ronald Alicandri    | Adan Nesmachnov       | David Deuschle          |
| 06 William Killips  | Helga Mesmer           | 24 Keith Martlew      | Gordon Patrie           |
| 07 Bert Hand        | Stephen Newman         | 25 John Kurczewski    | 31 Amy Cosmoglos        |
| Jamie Roussel       | John Wilde             | 26 Robert Graham      |                         |
| William Tulacro     | 17 Jory Berstein       | Aminta Oms            |                         |
| 08 Ronald Reardon   | Joan Jaquette          | Kelly Whalen - Graham |                         |
| 10 Bruce Hannan     | 18 Sarah Grupp         | 27 Christine Pope     |                         |