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Elks Family,

As we enter the last month of 2020, I'm hopeful that we can look back and count our blessings, even in such turbulent times as these.

Even though the Lodge remain closed, as do all the Lodges across the state, we have been fortunate to receive CARES Act Funds. This will help your Lodge stay in business for a few months in 2021. Please know that NM Elks Association have joined with other fraternal and Veterans groups to lobby the Governor to reopen these groups across the state.

As this year closes out, I encourage all members and their families to give thanks for everything, even in these trying times.

**As a reminder, please send in your second half dues!!
Tim Farrow, Exalted Ruler**

Please connect with the Lodge on Facebook (Tucumcari Elks Lodge #1172) and email (elks1172@hotmail.com). Will try to keep updates coming of any changes in operations.

**LODGE CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE FROM STATE REGARDING
OPENING DATES**

**HOURS
HOURS AT YOUR LODGE—CLOSED MONDAY AND TUESDAY.
WEDNESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY LODGE WILL OPEN AT 3:00 p.m.
HOURS ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS—LODGE WILL OPEN AT 1:00 P.M.**

The Lodge is attempting to reduce costs and make your monthly Bulletin arrive in a more timely fashion by delivering it through e-mail.

If you wish to have your Bulletin delivered by e-mail, please send an e-mail to elks1172@hotmail.com and your name will be added to the mailing list.

You may still receive the mailed bulletin for a time, until we have a chance to remove you from the



Secretary Bulletin December 2020

The mandated shutdown of our Lodge enters the eighth month. All of us will welcome the return to fellowship, normal events, and charitable work. There is a glimmer of light at the end of the tunnel with vaccination, so we must hold on to preserve our Lodge home and membership. Our long history of charity has been interrupted but will return.

**There have been no applications for membership received.
Bill Griffin, PDDGER, Secretary**

ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICE, 2020

Our annual Memorial Service held on the first Sunday in December has been suspended due to Covid gathering restrictions. This program remembers the members lost since the last service. This year's departed members list follows:


Leonard Vourazaris Life Member, Joan Huff, Joyce Simensen, Paul Quintana, Life Member, Rosanne Lopez, Bob Santimays, Karen Foster and Ronald Chavez.

**“The faults of our members we write upon the sand,
their virtues upon the tablets of Love and Memory.”
TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS**

2020 – 2021 DUES

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Tucumcari Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, in conjunction with Wreaths Across America, will again be placing Wreaths on Veteran's graves in Tucumcari Memorial Park Cemetery on December 19 at 10:00 a.m. This national program encourages businesses and individuals to honor our Veterans for their service to our country.

Wreaths are \$15.00 each, made from fresh Balsam Pine, with a nice red bow. For more information, or to order, contact Gi Gi Parker, 575-461-3878, or Susan Taylor, 575-403-6959.

The cut-off date for ordering a wreath is November 30.

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December 2020



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
6 LODGE CLOSED	7 LODGE CLOSED PER MEETING 6:30 p.m.	1 LODGE CLOSED	2 LODGE CLOSED	3 LODGE CLOSED	4 LODGE CLOSED	5 9:00 a.m. LODGE CLEAN UP/FIXUP DAY
13 LODGE CLOSED	14 LODGE CLOSED	8 LODGE CLOSED Governing BODY 7:00 p.m.	9 Lodge meeting 7:00 pm IF PERMITTED	10 LODGE CLOSED	11 LODGE CLOSED	12 9:00 a.m. LODGE CLEAN UP/FIXUP DAY
20 LODGE CLOSED	21 LODGE CLOSED	15 LODGE CLOSED	16 LODGE CLOSED	17 LODGE CLOSED	18 LODGE CLOSED	19 9:00 a.m. LODGE CLEAN UP/FIXUP DAY
27 LODGE CLOSED	28 LODGE CLOSED	22 LODGE CLOSED Governing BODY 7:00 p.m.	23 LODGE CLOSED	24 Christmas Eve LODGE CLOSED	25 Christmas Day LODGE CLOSED 	26 LODGE CLOSED
		29 LODGE CLOSED	30 LODGE CLOSED	31 New Years Eve LODGE CLOSED	