

*Antler Alert*  
Nampa B.P.O.E. #1389  
1116 First Street South  
Nampa, Idaho 83651



*What's Old....  
Is New Again*  
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### Exalted Ruler's Message

Welcome to Summer...Summer is here, and it's about to get HOT.... So please take care, stay hydrated, use plenty of sunscreen and stay cool!

I want to start by thanking the Members and their families, the Officers and Trustees of Nampa Lodge for a JOB WELL DONE hosting the ISEA Summer Convention! I heard so many compliments on the performance of our lodge during convention, and that is all because of YOU. Volunteering, donations, and lots of hard work went into making Summer Convention a great success. You all made me so proud of what you bring to our Lodge. Please accept my heartfelt thanks for all you do in the name of our Great Brotherhood!!!

Several of our Lodge Members, Cathy and myself, will be heading to Grand Lodge in Austin, Texas for several fun-filled days of sweltering heat and humidity. All humor aside - it is our privilege to represent our Lodge at Grand Lodge Convention, and we intend to do so with pride. Grand Lodge is an amazing gathering of Elks from across our great country, and it is quite a spectacle to behold.

In closing, let me remind you all to keep an eye on your Antler Alert for upcoming events as summer unfolds. Come join your fellow Elks for dances, BBQs and other events. We look forward to seeing you there.

God Bless You All and God Bless America!  
ER Terry

**Members, please read the Proposed Changes to By-Laws and House Rules  
in this Antler Alert.**

**We will vote on this at the Tuesday, July 9th lodge meeting.**

My sincere THANKS to all members, spouses, children, friends and employees who contributed to making the State Elks Summer Convention a huge success. Compliments are coming from all over the state for the way we handled this convention. I am so proud of Nampa Lodge and all those who participated.

Carol Westphal, Co-Chairman

#### **Welcome our new members**

By Initiation

Kathleen Parson, Rick Morrill, Kari Child

By Transfer

Diane Miller, Lorraine Cuevos

By Reinstatement

Margaret Mendiola

New Associate Member

Jan Paige from Honolulu Lodge #616

*Summer is upon us and so are the  
Annual Western Dance/Fundraiser and  
The Summer Family Picnic.  
Help is needed for both events.*

*Contact Susan Beale by email at  
susanwb84@gmail.com  
or phone 208-250-4155 for more details.*

**We don't have a post office box anymore.**

**Please address ALL mail to  
1116 First Street South Nampa, ID 83651**



**SAVE THE DATE  
PER BBQ**

**August 16th**

**Brisket, corn on the cob,  
Beans, cole slaw &  
Cornbread muffins**

## NAMPA ELKS LODGE

For School Supplies and Elks Building Fund

**\$10  
Donation  
at the  
Door**

The **2<sup>nd</sup>** Annual

# COUNTRY WESTERN DANCE & FUNDRAISER

Featuring



Runnin' for Cover Band



**50/50 raffle, Door Prizes  
Food for Purchase**

**Sat. July 13, 2024**

Doors open 5pm - Music starts 7pm

For more info call 208-466-1389

Bring school supplies and help us fill the bus.

School starts in August, and your donations will help the local school kids.

### Nampa Elks Lodge Summer Family Picnic & BBQ

**Saturday August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2:00 p.m.  
Welcome any time after 12:00 noon**

Andy and Liz Newby's home  
11801 Good Day Road, Melba

Hamburgers and Hotdogs Provided  
**Please bring**

side dish to share, beverage of your choice, lawn chairs, shade pop-ups, games

**Signup sheet at the bar**



### ELKS ROAMING PASSPORTS ON SALE NOW!!

Get one before you travel to other Idaho Elks Lodges.

When planning your summer trips don't forget to include visiting the area Elks lodges.

If your trips are within the State of Idaho remember to purchase an

*Elk's Roaming Passport* for a chance to win prizes.

The passports cost \$10 each and are available at the bar.

Half of the money raised will go into one of three different prize pots and the other half will go to the Support Our Lodge Fund. The rules are included in the passport.

If you have questions contact Susie Mittleider at the lodge or on her cell phone 208-830-7853.

**Proposed changes to the By-Laws and House Rules**  
(Proposed at BOD meeting on June 11, 2024; Vote at Lodge meeting on July 9, 2024)

**ARTICLE X: FEES AND DUES Section 2**

**Currently reads:** (b) REGULAR LODGE DUES - All Lodge dues hereafter specified shall be payable: semi-annually, in advance, on the first days of April and October in each year, unless the Member chooses to pay the full year's Lodge dues on or before April 1<sup>st</sup>. The regular Lodge dues shall be \$75.00 per year, which shall not include the Grand Lodge per capita fee, the Grand Lodge per capita insurance assessment, and State Association dues.

**Proposed change:** (b) REGULAR LODGE DUES - All Lodge dues here after specified shall be payable: ~~semi~~-annually, in advance, on or before April 1<sup>st</sup> of each year. The regular Lodge dues shall be ~~\$75.00~~ as listed below, which shall not include the Grand Lodge per capita fee, the Grand Lodge per capita insurance assessment, and State Association dues.  
2025 – 2026 \$80.00, 2026 – 2027 \$85.00, 2027 – 2028 \$90.00

**Currently reads:** (c) LIFE MEMBERSHIP – In addition to the amounts set forth under (a) above, each Life Member and/or Honorary Life Member shall pay annually \$31.00 towards Lodge administration expense.

**Proposed change:** (c) LIFE MEMBERSHIP - In addition to the amounts set forth under (a) above, each Life Member and/or Honorary Life Member shall pay annually ~~\$34.00~~ \$40.00 towards Lodge administration expense.

**Currently reads:** (d) ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP - Each Associate Member shall pay an annual fee in the amount of \$15.00 in advance.

**Proposed change:** (d) ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP - Each Associate Member shall pay an annual fee in the amount of ~~\$15.00~~ \$25.00 in advance.

**House Rules**

**Currently reads:** The Board of Trustees shall have management and control of the Club Rooms and full power to enforce all the rules. (Art. IX C Sec. 1)

**Proposed change:** The Board of ~~Trustees~~ Directors shall have management and control of the Club Rooms and full power to enforce all the rules. (Art. IX C Sec. 1)

**Currently reads:** 1. The Club Operating body is required to notify all persons of any violation of these rules.

**Proposed change:** 1. The ~~Club Operating body~~ Board of Directors is required to notify all persons of any violation of these rules.

**Currently reads:** 2. The Board of Trustees will determine club room hours.

**Proposed change:** 2. The Board of ~~Trustees~~ Directors will determine club room hours.

**Currently reads:** 5. No Member or guest shall be permitted to remain in the Club or Lodge room without removing his/her hat.

**Proposed change:** 5. No Member or guest shall be permitted to remain in the ~~Club or Lodge room~~ building without removing his/her hat.

**Currently reads:** 6. Non-members shall not be permitted in the Lodge building after 7:00 PM on Lodge nights, except on special occasions designated by the Exalted Ruler. Non-members shall not be permitted in the Card Room at any time, except when the room is being used for meetings or conferences.

**Proposed change:** 6. Non-members shall not be permitted in the Lodge building after 7:00 PM on Lodge nights, except on special occasions designated by the Exalted Ruler. ~~Non-members shall not be permitted in the Card Room at any time, except when the room is being used for meetings or conferences.~~

**Currently reads:** 11. The person or persons responsible for doing the damage shall pay for any destruction of, or injury to, the property of the Lodge.

**Proposed change:** 11. ~~The~~ Any person or persons responsible for doing ~~the~~ any damage shall pay for any destruction of, or injury to, the property of the Lodge.

**Currently reads:** 13. Any inattention to duty on the part of any employee of the Club should be reported, promptly, to the Board of Trustees.

**Proposed change:** 13. Any inattention to duty on the part of any employee of the Club should be reported, promptly, to the Board of ~~Trustees~~ Directors.

**SICKNESS AND DISTRESS**

Ruth Johns, widow of deceased Member Walt Johns was in the hospital and is now home.

Weiser Lodge Member Bill Nicks passed away recently. He was a Past State President and Past DDGER.

Louise Croy, widow of deceased Member Harold Croy, passed away June 3, 2024.

Associate Member Lee Martin passed away June 3, 2024.

Pat Martin, widow of Lee Martin, fell and broke her hip on June 19th.

Please contact the Secretary at 208-466-1389 if you or someone you know has been ill or passed away.

**NOTES FROM THE LODGE SECRETARY**

**LIFE MEMBERSHIP** - to become a Life Member, you must have 30 years of membership, with the last 10 of those years as a Nampa Elks Member. You must be on the WAITING LIST for Life Membership. If you are eligible and would like to add your name to the WAITING LIST, call Secretary Carol Westphal at the Lodge (208-466-1389). Life Memberships are granted once each year based on the membership count on April 1st.

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The Antler Alert is emailed to our members as soon as it is printed. This saves the lodge postage money \$\$.

\*\*\***Email - elks1389@gmail.com Please update your mailing info so our roster is correct.**\*\*\*

**HAPPY JULY BIRTHDAYS**

- 1) Joseph Conley, Jr., Roger Hart, Ernest Smith
- 3) Ric Bobier, Lynda Kinney 4) Dennis Budell
- 5) James Kile
- 6) Robert Huff, Matthew Watson, Susan Westphal-Beale
- 8) Scott Brown, Craig Lindquist 9) Lorraine Cuevas
- 10) William Dowden, Donna Gardner, Kenneth Jessen, Lamont Osti
- 11) Kaye Christofferson, Michael Hoffman, Dale Nordstrom, Sr.
- 12) Robert Mickelson
- 13) Donald Romer, Larry Stewart
- 14) Kimberly Brophy, Santos Rodriguez, C. Ronald Streng, Ronald Thompson
- 15) Michelle Beck, Darla Curtis, Carolyn Reader
- 17) Daniel Kramer, Rocky Lopez, Clint Sigman
- 19), Michael Heikkola, David Pywell
- 20) Ronn Dominici
- 21) Michael Alexander, Annette Atkinson, Clyde Colbert
- 22) Ronald Blickenstaff, Marvin Huter, Gianni Ramani, Gary Schneider, James Simmons
- 24) Chris Brown, Johnny Frank, Steven Matkins
- 25) Charles Cooley
- 26) Scott Beale, Thomas Craig
- 28) Elizabeth Newby, Dan Perry, Allan Seher
- 29) John Courtney
- 30) William Moad II, Thomas Mudd, Lonnie Portenier
- 31) Carrie Homburg

***Do you want to help with funeral dinners?***

Contact Ruth Johns (208-466-0708), Jackie Doherty (208-283-9893) or Pat Morf (208-249-4728).

Thank you.

**Lodge Drawings Must be Present To Win**

\$280 – May 28, 2024 – Jerry Simonson was not present  
\$290 – June 11, 2024 – Allyn Palmer was not present

**Elks Summer Convention Golf Scramble**

First Place Team (Nampa Elks #1389)

Terry Dillehay, Bruce Belliston,  
Lynda Kinney, Ellen Busnardo



Closest to the Pin

- # 4 Shelly Anderson (Moscow #249)
- # 7 Terry Dillehay (Nampa Lodge #1389)
- #12 Josh Anderson (Preston Lodge #1670)
- #16 Kyle Sexton (St. Maries Lodge #1418)

Also a big THANK YOU to Lynda Kinney for making and donating all the golf towels for everyone who participated.

Thank you to the Ridgevue High School Dance Team for serving at the Thursday and Friday night convention dinners. Your generous tips went towards their dance team expenses.

Saturday dinner helpers were three students from Empty Hand Combat, next door to our lodge. Their tips went toward summer camp. They also helped take down all the tables and stack chairs so the lodge room could be cleaned after convention.

Thanks to all who bought tickets for the Gun Safe. Jantzen Woodward was the lucky winner. All proceeds go to Elks National Foundation.

To all who volunteered in the dining room and kitchen, your help is greatly appreciated.

Thanks, Loretta and Lucile

### Fun times planned

**July** 13 Western Dance fundraiser

**August** 10 Summer Picnic

16 PER BBQ

24 River Raft Trip

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**OR CURRENT RESIDENT**

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Nampa, ID  
Permit No. 162

**VOLUNTEERS** needed for the dining room and kitchen for Friday night dinners.

Leave a message at the lodge or talk with Lucile or Loretta on Friday nights.

We can spread the work around with more volunteers — servers, bussers, cashier, dishwasher, fry cook, plating food for serving.

Check us out on Facebook at Nampa Elks Lodge #1389. We post happenings at the lodge so you can be up-to-date on everything.

Elks.org is the national website for all Elks lodges in America. Learn about all the great programs the Elks have for our communities.

**DID YOU KNOW?** When you travel, be sure to carry your Elks membership card so you can visit other Elks lodges. When you get home, let our secretary know and she will record your mileage - we get credit at Grand Lodge!!

**VOLUNTEER HOURS** - be sure to keep track of your round trip mileage and volunteer hours because we get credit for those at Grand Lodge.

If you volunteer for veterans activities, both Elk and non-Elk, let our secretary know your hours and mileage.

Dining room and kitchen volunteers - be sure to sign in and record your total hours and mileage. The same applies for any of our activities, such as helping with our Christmas activities.

**VOLUNTEERS ARE THE HEART OF ELKDOM**

### **Nampa Elks Lodge #1389 Officers 2024 - 2025**

Exalted Ruler	Board of Trustees
Terry Dillehay	1-Year Diana Wright
Leading Knight	2-Year Steve Johnson
	3-Year Matt Graves
Loyal Knight	4-Year Janet Rasmussen
Ron Estep	5-Year Scott Beale
Lecturing Knight	Presiding Justice Subforum
John Hartley	Jim Kile
Esquire	Grand Lodge Alternate
Lucile Summerlin	Ed Willson
Chaplain	PER President
Susan Westphal-Beale	Wayne Shroll
Inner Guard	Webmaster
Susan Mittleider	Jennifer Babione
Tiler	Photographers
Lindsay Nowotny	Lawrence Manning
Secretary	Betty Mallorca
Carol Westphal	John Ptacek
Treasurer	Officer of the Year
Robin Hartley	Susan Westphal-Beale
Antler Alert	Elk of the Year
Lucile Summerlin	Scott Beale