Jefferson City

Lodge 513

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The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks

September 2024

**Exalted Ruler Message** 

#### 2024-2025 LODGE OFFICERS

Steven Green
Exalted Ruler
Jimmy Reed
Leading Knight
Jill Herigon
Loyal Knight
Amy Wulff
Lecturing Knight

Chris DeBroeck

Justin Dunn Inner Guard

Mike Heisler Esquire

Randy Hughes

Chaplain

Betsy Crawford Secretary

Julia Johnson
Treasurer

Steve Lochhead Crystal Troesser Jason Turner Wanda Stayton Eileen Scrivner

Mandy Foreman

Club Manager

Greetings to all Lodge Members,

With summer almost over and fall right around the corner, the lodge pool will be closing September 15th.

On August 17th, the Elks Motor Rally for the Veterans was held and once again it was a big success. I want to thank everyone who worked so hard for this event. I also want to thank everyone who donated items for the auction. The money raised shows how much this lodge supports our Veterans.

Starting in September, we will be back to the regular meeting schedule of the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays starting at 6:30.

Northeast District Deputy Paul Love will make his official visit to our lodge September 10th, come out and show your support.

Our lodge will once again host the State Soccer Shoot at the Special Olympics Soccer field on Saturday September 28th. We will need volunteers for this event, if you can help. Mandy will have a signup sheet.

Elks State Fall Convention in Jefferson City will start Thursday October 3rd thru Sunday October 6th.

In closing, something is always going on at the lodge, so don't miss out. Check our Facebook group JC Elks 513, the Bulletin Board at the lodge and the newsletter calendar for upcoming events.

Respectfully, Steven Green, ER



## Veterans Activities

September 10th or 11th — Catered Lunch; Leave the Lodge at 11am September 21st — Bingo; Leave the Lodge at 12:15pm

We provided a catered lunch for the CLC veterans, Rehabilitation unit and the Psychiatric Unit on August 14th. We ordered Chinese from a locally owned restaurant in Columbia. Several dishes were enjoyed by the veterans and staff. Stir fried vegetables, orange chicken, beef and broccoli, Szechwan beef and broccoli, Low Mein, rice and egg rolls with fortune cookies for dessert. The veterans really enjoyed the food and of course, the company of the Elks. We played bingo with cash prizes on the 31st. The veterans had a great time with the bingo game and enjoyed snacks and drinks. Many thanks to all of the Elks who volunteer with our VA activities. I appreciate the giving of precious time by our dedicated members. We welcome all of our members to volunteer whenever they have the time. Reminder that we always do Bingo on the third Saturday of the month unless there is a conflict with another Elks event. The lunch dates are set up month by month, usually on different dates each month. Be sure to check the newsletter for the date and time for the catered lunches. Don't hesitate to call me for information. 573-644-2194.

The veterans committee would like to thank everyone who contributed to the success of the 17th Annual Motor Rally. The committee, the cooks, the participants, Father Medina for blessing the bikes and vehicles, Bill Farr for the music, the kitchen workers and Pam Gilligan for her outstanding work on the veteran slide show. The event was a huge success and we raised a lot of money to support our veterans' projects.

#### **Military Observances:**

<u>September 11th</u> — Patriot Day: An annual observance to remember and honor those who were injured or killed during the 9-11-01 terrorist attacks.

September 18th — Airforce Birthday

<u>September 20th</u> — POW/MIA Recognition Day

<u>September 29th</u> — Gold Star Mother's and Family's Day: A day to honor the families of fallen service members.

Respectfully submitted,

#### Lodge Veteran Chairs



Eileen Scrivner VAVS Rep.



Wanda Stayton Deputy



Donna Otto Deputy



## Scholarship District Chair Report

#### Most Valuable Student Scholarship

MVS scholarship opened August 1st 2024 and the deadline for applications is November 12th 2024. The MVS scholarship is open to all high school seniors and the application is online at enf.elks.org/MVS. Often, students are unaware of the availability of the Elks Scholarships. Students' parents do not have to be Elks members and it's very important that they have this information. Students are given a list of lodges in their area and they can choose which lodge they want to score their application. The judging will be based on leadership, service, academics and financial needs. The top 20 applicants across the country will receive \$30,000 scholarships. The 480 runners-up will receive \$4,000. After the applications are completed, they are scored by the local lodge and then send to the district level. I will be looking for Elks to assist with the district scoring sometime in early December. The State scoring is in February and all district chairs are invited to participate in this scoring process.

#### Legacy Scholarship

The 2025 contest and application will open on September 1st, 2024 and the deadline for applications is February 3, 2025. For the 2025 contest, any child or grandchild (or step-child, step-grandchild, or legal ward) of a living Elk who joined the Order on or before April 1st, 2022, or a charter member of a lodge that was instituted on or before April 1st, 2022 is eligible to apply. The Elk must be a paid-up member through March 31st, 2025. Great-grandchildren are not eligible. The standardized test requirement for the 202 Legacy contest has been waived so students do not need to submit an ACT and/or SAT scores. If a student is selected for a Legacy Awards recipient, they will be required to perform three instances of services with an Elks Lodge during the four years they receive the scholarship. Legacy awards are \$4,000.

Eileen Scrivner, Lodge Scholarship Chair

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## Annual "Run for the Vets"

This year's Motor Rally was held on August 17th. We had another great turnout! We were able to raise approximately \$11,000, which will go into our fund for the Veterans that is overseen by Eileen Scrivner, Wanda Stayton and Donna Otto. The committee would like to thank each and every volunteer and participant. Without the volunteers and the riders, we would not be able to have such an event. There is a lot of work that goes into this event and so many to thank.

Thank you to Dexter Wilson and Bill Beasley for picking up a truck full of donations from the Jefferson City Correctional Centers across Missouri. Thank you to Jennifer Liebi for spearheading these donations. Thank you to Bill Farr for firing us up with his awesome music during the registration process. Thank you to Father Medina for giving a special blessing over the participants. We would also like to thank Rich & Wendy Dunn, Fred & Brenda Rolling, Loren & Pam Luebbert, Randy & Barb Hughes, Phyllis Hughes & Tamra Sellars for working the stops. Thank you to the Jefferson City Police Department for blocking the road for the start of the rally. The stops were amazing...thanks to KD's Bar & Grill in St. Elizabeth, BJ's Bar & Grill in St. Anthony, Arygle Pub & Grill in Argyle and The Office Bar for having us. Thank you, Kenny Moses, Dan Orf, Rick Countryman, Manuel Ochoa, Eileen Scrivner, Judy Mason, Megan Stephenson and Donna Otto, for preparing and serving the fabulous meal. And to Trent Backues for contacting Kingsford to donate the charcoal! Meal ticket sellers Ed Kempker, Annette Cook, Stacy Armstrong and Chester Dougherty. Thank you, Pam Gilligan for working so diligently to update the awesome slide show featuring veterans that we honor. Leslie Franklin, Debbie Schaefer, Phil Vetter, Janice Walker and Troy Flickinger for staffing the registration table and selling 50/50 tickets and pins. To our club manager, Mandy Foreman for making sure we had everything we needed to provide the meals. Thank you to Christina Rogers for bartending all day and night! Connor Ahlers for coming in from retirement to help bartend during the busiest times. Lana Temmen for jumping in to help! Thank you, Mark Johnson for helping move tables the morning of the rally. Special thanks to Julia Johnson for helping put together the auction items, being our own Vanna White during the auction and throughout the day doing whatever was needed. And being a fabulous banker. And thank you to Steve Loethen for donating his autioneering services!

To the members, we cannot thank you enough for your contributions, whether it was purchasing dinner tickets, registering for the ride, making an amazing dessert (brought \$805 on auction!!!), making a donation, recruiting donations from the community or purchasing an auction item or raffle tickets. Your generosity is outstanding. We are proud to be members of this lodge for this very reason, our lodge has the BEST volunteerism thorughout the lodges in Missouri. Give yourselves a round of applause!

A special thanks to Chris Caudle for setting up tables whenever he was asked to in the weeks prior to the rally and cleaning up after us the next day!

We hope we did not leave anyone out, if we did, it is simply an oversight, and we <u>apologize</u>.

Mark your calendars for the 3rd weekend in August again next year!

Thanks again!

2024 Motor Rally Committee

Linda Adrian (Chairperson), Brian Trudell, Sherry Moses, Rick Derks



























# September 9 Sirthologys

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Jeanine Caudle	09/01	Marilyn Umstattd	09/15	Thomas Link
Jodie Helming	09/01	Darryl Woods	09/15	Jerry Neeley
Brian Miller	09/01	Dawn Bryan	09/16	Manuel Ochoa
Cody Heimricks	09/01	Brian Bloomer	09/10	Mariuel Ochoa
Donald Jones	09/02	Debra Boeckman	09/17	
Jennifer Zamkus	09/02	Judith Evans	09/17	
Melanie Barlow	09/03	James Hudson	09/17	
John Hennessy	09/03	Jerry O'Banion	09/17	
C Weaver Jr	09/03	Carrie Wilson	09/17	
Steve Collins	09/04	Tanya Harrel	09/18	
Darlene Green	09/04	Roger Steinmetz	09/18	
Roy Clevenger	09/05	Denise Cantrell	09/20	
Tiffany Drake	09/05	James Claus	09/20	
Linda Adrian	09/06	Penny Little	09/20	
Jennifer Scott	09/06	Michael Troesser	09/20	
Connie Windsor	09/07	Randall Bullington	09/21	
Judy Redel	09/08	William Reider	09/21	
Jay Bond	09/09	Mike Hoffman Jr	09/22	
Lynda Johnson	09/09	Rosemarie Nichols	09/23	
Denis Potter	09/09	Thomas Turnbaugh	09/23	
Dana Bax	09/10	Steven Adams	09/24	
Deborah Cheshire	09/10	Kevin Cook	09/24	
Ellen Pringer	09/10	Karen Mantle	09/24	
Thomas Greene	09/11	Megan Stephenson	09/24	
Betsy Crawford	09/13	Stacy Armstrong	09/25	
Dan Haney	09/13	Coy Bond	09/25	
David Gretlein	09/14	Mark Schwartz	09/25	
Deric Heislen	09/14	Steven Green	09/26	
Glenn Luebbert	09/14	Jennifer Kutscher	09/27	
Carol Norman	09/14	Daniel Zaiger Jr	09/27	
Gary Peneston	09/14	Melissa Pope	09/29	
Kevin Zumwalt	09/14	Kendall Jobe	09/30	

## Elks Mobile Dental Program

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University Health, Lakewood Medical Center 7900 Lee's Summit Rd. Kansas City, MO. 64139 Marisol Lewis, RDH, Director of Dental Operations Home Office #816/404-6904 Fax #816/404-7783

https://www.universityhealthkc.org/services/dental-care/elks-mobile-dental-program/

### **Promoting A Better Understanding**



Specialty Industries, in St. Joseph, Missouri, was added this year as a New Sponsor. They provide employment for more than 100 individuals, offering contract packaging services. Additionally promoting a better understanding of the capabilities and employability of individuals with disabilities.

Jay Martin, Employee Relations Manager, reports that the Mobile Dental Unit visit was a life changing event for more that one of their Employees who really needed dental care.

Visit <u>www.youtube.com</u> for an official Elks video Search: <u>Missouri Elks Mobile Dental Program</u> Statistics 5/13/24—5/30/24

Specialty Industries
St. Joseph

Patient Visits Procedures Estimated Value

457 \$26,272.00

Upcoming Location

For appointment information call #816/404-6904.

Location Counties Served Start Date End Date Site

Joplin Barton, Dade, Jasper, Lawrence, Newton 9/9/24 9/19/24 Joplin Elks Lodge

SEPTEMBER 2024								
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat		
1	2	3	4 Seafood Sweeties 6:00 - 7:30 PM	5 Pork Steak 6:00 8:00 PM	6 Dinner Menu 6:00 - 8:00 PM	7		
8 Show Me the Money 2 PM	9 BUNCO 6 - 8 PM	Meeting Night 6:30 PM	11 Burgers 6:00 - 7:30 PM	12 Shrimp Scampi 6:00 - 8:00 PM	13 Dinner Menu 6:00 - 8:00 PM	14		
Pool Closes	16	17 Investigation Meeting House Committee Mtg. 6 PM	18 Seafood 6:00 - 7:30 PM	19 Wings & Tots 6:00-8:00 PM	20 Dinner Menu 6:00 - 8:00 PM	Cole Bros. TBD		
22	23	Meeting Night 6:30 PM	25 TBD 6:00 - 7:30 PM	26 Fried Chicken 6:00 - 8:00 PM	27 Dinner Menu 6:00 - 8:00 PM	Soccer Shoot		
29	30 Hand & Foot 2:30 - 5 PM							



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Have a question or something to include in the newsletter?

Let me know!

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Thanks, Cierra Distler



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Get Always check the BULLETIN BOARD

In the lobby for the latest news and events happening at your

Elks Lodge 513.

#### Lodge 513 Committees



If you see a committee that interests you, please contact a member of the committee or an officer for more information on how to get involved.

**Accident Prevention** 

Mark Johnson

**Activities Committee** 

Cierra Distler

Dana Bax

Pam Gilligan

Julia Johnson

Karen Green

Roger Martin

Janeese Porritt

**Americanism** 

Eileen Scrivner

**Drug Awareness** 

**Brett Roberts** 

**Elks National Foundation** 

Eileen Scrivner

Flag Day

Jimmy Reed

**Fraternal Committee** 

Eileen Scrivner

**Government Relations** 

Mike Michelson

**Hoop Shoot** 

Steve Green

Jimmy Reed

Mandy Foreman

**Kids Christmas** 

Steve Green

**Lodge Bulletin** 

Cierra Distler

Membership

Dave Williams
Brett Roberts

Rob Davis

Ed Savage

**Memorial Service** 

Steve Green

Jimmy Reed

**PER Association** 

Brian Crawford

Randy Pringer

**Public Relations** 

Cierra Distler

**Betsy Crawford** 

Ritualistic

**Dave Williams** 

**Scholarships** 

Brian Crawford

**Betsy Crawford** 

Eileen Scrivner

**Soccer Shoot** 

Steve Green

**State Major Project** 

**Brian Crawford** 

**Betsy Crawford** 

**Youth Activities** 

Steve Green

Veterans

Eileen Scrivner Wanda Stayton

Jim Logan

**Robert Aegerter**