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WINTER PARK ELKS LODGE #1830



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Exalted Ruler's Message

Members and Friends,

I hope everyone in "Elkdom" is doing well. One of the greatest rewards of being an Elk is the caring and protective feelings that we have for each other. Thank goodness we have our "Elk Family" with so many members who care and help each other!

Don't forget that this month we will host our **North Central District**

Visitation on Sunday, October 20th. Our lodge will be welcoming many visiting Elks from other lodges in our district. This year we have also made the visitation a "Halloween Costume" Party! Our terrific decorating team will have our Lodge all decked out for Halloween. We would love for all of our members to attend in their favorite costumes! We have asked our invited guests to come dressed in their favorite Halloween Costumes too! This will be lots of fun!! The Cocktail Hour with yummy appetizers starts at 4:00pm and is followed by a delicious Dinner & Dessert at 5:00pm. It only costs \$12.00 per/person and we hope that ALL of our Members will make a special effort to help us set an all time attendance record! Not only will there be a 50/50 but Jan Zorian and Debbie Quisenberry have made a very "Special Visitation Raffle Basket" for this event! Please get your Dinner Tickets & the "Special Raffle Basket" tickets early, come out and enjoy the festivities!!

We will be having our **Annual Halloween Night Dinner Dance** on Friday, October 25! So, you get a chance to dress up AGAIN in your favorite costume as there will be a Costume Contest with 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes! This is always such a fun night at our Lodge with a 50/50 and another fantastic Raffle Basket!

As you know the Winter Park Elks are strong supporters of the **Harry-Anna Trust Fund** which funds the Children's Mobile Therapy Services throughout Florida and the Elk's Youth Camp in Umatilla, Florida. We are very fortunate that two very important Harry-Anna officials are Members right here at our Lodge! Colleen Gallant, PDDGER is the Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services Director and Dick Bardsley, PDDGER is on the Therapy Services Board of Directors! Dick also serves as our Lodge Advisor! Please become a Harry-Anna Sustaining Donor to help children across our state!! I include a link to FloridaElks.org in each of my weekly emails. Sustaining Donors receive a free well beverage on the ER's tab every month.

Much of our Lodge's income is derived from our **kitchen menus** that are prepared by our Chef, her staff and many of our great member volunteers! They all keep our facility humming



through the week ... including the Wednesday and Sunday Café food, Thursday Night Bingo snacks, Tuesday Fellowship Nights, Saturday Burgers & Brats and all of our other events which makes our Lodge the wonderful place that we all love so very much! If you would like to "**volunteer to help**" please see me, as we have many events throughout the upcoming "Holiday Season"! Thank you again to Chef Christin and staff for always providing such delicious meals every Friday night, at our many events and for helping in every facet of the Lodge's kitchen operation!

We have many FUN events planned for the next few months so make plans to attend:

- Oct. 1 - Lodge Fellowship Night
- Oct. 20 - Winter Park Lodge Visitation & Dinner
- Oct. 25 - Halloween Costume Contest, Dinner & Dance
- Nov. 2 - Visitation at Winter Garden Lodge
- Nov. 10 - Veterans Day Celebration and Dinner
- Nov. 14-16 - Elks Mid-Year Convention
- Nov. 16 - Visitation at Apopka Lodge
- Nov. 24 - Does Cake, Pie & Cookie Auction
- Nov. 28 - Thanksgiving Day Dinner

*Make a difference in the world today,
that will last long after you are gone.*

Fraternally,

Kay

Kay Kane, PER, Exalted Ruler
Winter Park Elks #1830



Elk of the Month

Elk of the month for October is **Dan Mazurek**.

Dan has been an Elk member for over 15 years. His team has been using their talents and time cooking for Thursday night Bingo for many years. One of my favorites is his meatballs, which he makes at home to make them extra special. He also volunteers when we are short staffed on the floor for Bingo. He is always willing to help out around the lodge when asked.



Thank you Dan for everything you do to support our Lodge. "As Elk of the Month" for October we hope that you will enjoy your reserved parking spot.

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks (B.P.O.E.) Winter Park Lodge #1830

4755 Howell Branch Rd
Winter Park, FL 32792-7315

Secretary Office Hours for Member Needs
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 10:00am-2:00pm

Visit us online
www.elks.org

Elks Lodge 1830 Officers

Exalted Ruler	Kay Kane, PER
Esteemed Leading Knight	Gary Bergenske
Esteemed Loyal Knight	Ron Goluba, PER
Esteemed Lecturing Knight	Ken Doster
Secretary	Ginger Sweatt (pro tem)
Treasurer	Sandy Wirth
1 Year Trustee	David Zorian
2 Year Trustee	Jim Judovits
3 Year Trustee	Jerry Polk
4 Year Trustee	William Belcher, PER
5 Year Trustee	< vacant >
Esquire	Pam Martin
Chaplain	Sandra Judovits
Inner Guard	< vacant >
Organist	Tom Horrobin
Tiler	Barbara Burdge

Food & Beverage Manager, Christin Butler	407-671-0010
Lounge Manager, Mary Doyle	407-671-0010
Elks Secretary, Ginger Sweatt (pro tem)	407-678-3181
Does Secretary, Candy Nadeau	407-256-8407

Board of Directors

Chairman: Gary Bergenske | Secretary: <vacant>
Board Members: Kay Kane ER, Ken Doster, Ron Goluba PER,
David Zorian, Jim Judovits, Jerry Polk, and William Belcher

Meetings: The Wednesday prior to the Lodge meeting at 7:00pm

PER Association Officers

President	Bill Jacobs
Vice President	Kay Kane
Secretary	Randy Martin
Chaplain	William Belcher

Meetings: 1st Tuesday at 7:00 pm. All PER's are invited to attend.

COMMITTEES & CHAIRS

Activities Committees (Statutes 13.021)	
• Drug Awareness	Selina Cudebec
• Hoop Shoot/Soccer Shoot	< vacant >
• Community Activities	< vacant >
• Youth Activities & Camp	Kay Kane, PER
Fraternal Committees (Statutes 13.022)	
• Americanism	< vacant >
• Flag Day Services	Jim Judovits
• Orientation / Investigating	Ron Goluba, PER
• Membership / Lapsation	Dick Bardsley, PDDGER
• Lodge Activities Program	Alyssa Jappy
• Memorial Day Program	Lodge Activities Committee
• National Foundation	< vacant >
• Veterans Services	< vacant >
Local & Special Committees	
• Accident Prevention	Bill Belcher, PER
• Auditing & Accounting	< vacant >
• Bell Ringer Newsletter	Paul Neumann
• Bingo	Ed Eldridge
• By-Laws	Ralph Rankin
• Elk Training	Denise Smith, DDGER
• Entertainment	Stan Recob
• Fellowship	Jerry Polk
• Government Relations	Colleen Gallant, PDDGER
• Harry Anna Trust Fund	< vacant >
• Hospitalization / Visiting	Jim Douglas
• Lodge Advisor	Dick Bardsley, PDDGER
• Mediator	Fred Kortum, PER
• Presiding Justice Sub Forum	Mary Ibrahim, Esq.
• Public Relations	William Belcher, PER
• Ritualistic Training	Pam Martin
• Safe Visit	Vivian Thomas, PER
• Scholarship	Ralph Rankin
• Standing Relief	ER, Chairs, Secretary & Treasurer
• Webmaster	Dick Bardsley, PDDGER
• Visitations	Kay Kane, PER

PAST EXALTED RULERS

Kay Kane	2023-2024	Adam B. Van Sycle	D	1987-1988
William Belcher	2022-2023	Bob Snedeker	D	1986-1987
William Belcher	2021-2022	Pete Damon, PDDGER		1985-1986
William Belcher	2020-2021	John Croce, PDDGER	D	1984-1985
Ron Goluba	2019-2020	Kenneth Baker	D	1983-1984
Patricia Kortum	D 2018-2019	Patrick Grant	D	1982-1983
Vivian Thomas	2017-2018	Jack Garrabrant		1981-1982
Ron Goluba	2016-2017	Tim Nichols		1980-1981
Deborah Edmiston	2015-2016	Buddy Hobson	D	1979-1980
Vivian Thomas	2014-2015	Vince Siebern	D	1978-1979
Rick Wirth	2013-2014	Lyle Majors	D	1977-1978
Ken Keifer	2012-2013	Burt French	D	1976-1977
Colleen Gallant, PDDGER	2011-2012	Henry B. Watkins	D	1975-1976
John "Bill" Jacobs	2010-2011	Henry S. Balicki	D	1974-1975
Randy Martin	2009-2010	Martin Barwick	D	1973-1974
Al Gallant	D 2008-2009	Chester Cornwall	D	1972-1973
Pat Fuehrer	2007-2008	Earle Christman	D	1971-1972
Fred Kortum	2006-2007	Nick Foreso, PDDGER	D	1970-1971
Lynn Alexander	2005-2006	Samuel P. Moore	D	1969-1970
Dick Bardsley, PDDGER	2004-2005	Martin M. Rudick	D	1968-1969
Edward Lusardi	2003-2004	Fred Kane	D	1967-1968
Kenneth Baker	D 2002-2003	Carlton Remfuss	D	1966-1967
Bob Hicks	D 2001-2002	Jimmie R. Neal	D	1965-1966
Pete Vaphiades	2000-2001	Dudley F. Prasek	D	1964-1965
Edward Lusardi	1999-2000	Thomas E. Collins	D	1963-1964
August King	D 1998-1999	William C. Baker	D	1962-1963
Hans Fuehrer	D 1997-1998	Fred C. Kane	D	1961-1962
Joel Tate	D 1996-1997	Sidney Hiers	D	1960-1961
Fred Kortum	1995-1996	Henry J. LaCroix	D	1959-1960
Charles Trinowski, PSP	1994-1995	Clayton J. McCarty	D	1958-1959
Larry Bowdren, PDDGER	D 1993-1994	Jules A. Morris	D	1957-1958
Ray Powell	D 1992-1993	Fred N. Sanford	D	1956-1957
Ivan Kimpling	D 1991-1992	Edward Simon	D	1955-1956
Fred Roberts	D 1990-1991	Carl D. Buchanan	D	1954-1955
Fred Biallas	D 1989-1990	Vaughn F. Martin	D	1953-1954
Kenneth Baker	D 1988-1989	James E. Keezel	D	1952-1953
		Harrison Steward	D	1951-1952

D = Deceased PER's

Does' Corner

Dear Does,

I am hoping October will be bringing us cooler weather with some nice evenings to sit outside and enjoy.

Our **"5 O'clock Somewhere"** Party was a great success and a lot of fun. A big thank you goes to Candy Nadeau for chairing the event. She did an outstanding job! Thanks to all the Does who took their time to make this event happen. The proceeds went to Jonathan's Landing for Autistic Adults.

The **Fall Fashion Show** was a lot of fun for all. We really appreciate The Loft in the Winter Park Village for supplying all the fashions. Shirley Anderson, Candy Nadeau and Demi Wilson provided a wonderful luncheon. Karen Boardman made the beautiful centerpieces. Our models: Judy Kennedy, Barb Tierney, Selina Cudebec, Debbie Sanchez and Jean French did an outstanding job. It certainly took many hands to make this event a success. Thanks to everyone who attended and especially those who helped set up and clean up.

Please plan to attend our October 9th Drove meeting where we will be accepting **nominations for our 2025 officers**. This will be followed by elections (voting) at the November 13th meeting. These new officers will be the leadership team that will be guiding our organization next year.

Plan to attend our **"Chill your Tail" Chili Cookoff and Tailgate Party** on October 19th. The party will be in the dining room where we plan to have a big screen TV showing football games. There will be fun games, tailgate food and especially a Chili competition. Prizes will be awarded to the best chili master. Your \$15 ticket gets you 2 hotdogs, sides and a chance to sample all the chili entries and vote for your favorite. There will be no Meat Bingo that night.

Save the Date

- November 9th for the **Presidents Tea** "no tea involved" at my home from 2:00-5:00pm. This is my opportunity to thank everyone for a great year and to get together as a Drove for a little social time. Look for more information in Barbee's regular emails.
- November 24th for a **Cake, Pie & Cookie Auction** to benefit Variety the Children's Charity. Please contact Patty Hanson if you can donate a homemade cake, pie or cookies for the auction.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the Lodge and at our wonderful events.

Ginger

Ginger Sweatt,
President, Does Drove #86



Does Drove #86 Officers	
Elected Officers	
Drove President	Ginger Sweatt
First Counselor	Barbara Moore
Senior Counselor	Selina Cudebec
Junior Counselor	Shirley Anderson
Secretary	Candy Nadeau
Treasurer	Patti Scheschuk
Inner Guard	Jeff Cromer
Outer Guard	Jill Cromer
Conductor	Karen Boardman
Chaplain	Susan Mueller
Musician	Tom Horrobin
Three Year Trustee	Jean French
Two Year Trustee	Patty Hanson
One Year Trustee	Karen Boardman
Appointed Officers	
Color Bearer #1	G. Rocky
Color Bearer #2	Sandra Judovits
Color Bearer #3	Rosetta Brogneri
Color Bearer #4	<< Open >>
Attendant #1	Marilyn Pafford
Attendant #2	<< Open >>
Attendant #3	<< Open >>
Attendant #4	Terri Bentley



Drove #86 Donates to Jonathan's Landing

Winter Park Does Drove #86 donated \$3,000 to Johnathan's Landing to help them build a comprehensive residential community for adults with autism. Funds were raised during the **"It's 5 o'clock Somewhere Party"** held in August.

Pictured (left-right) are Kimberly McCarten, Operations Manager and Jason Eichenholtz, Executive Director of Johnathan's Landing along with Ginger Sweatt, President and Candy Nadeau, Secretary of Does Drove #86.

Thank you members for supporting another meaningful community initiative.

Does Calendar	
1	Ladies Afternoon Out - 3:00pm
9	DOES Meeting - 7:00pm (Nominations for New Officers)
19	"Chill Your Tail" Chili Cookoff / Tailgate Party - 4:00pm
23	Ways & Means Meeting - 6:00pm

Doe Birthdays			
7	Susan Mueller	22	Fern Goodman
12	Jeff Cromer	26	Candy Nadeau
13	Anne Bergenske	29	Tom Horrobin
22	Cynthia Krakosky		

Does

Patriotism, Charity, Loyalty, and Love

From the "Entertainment Guy"

October opportunities to dine and dance with live bands.

- **October 4th** will be Feels so Right with John Deep. Thanks John for filling in with Jody for the Labor Day Barbeque in September.
- **October 11th** will be Mike Kohn. Always very popular.
- **October 18th** will bring us Bangers and Mash. Jerry Polk returns from a mild bout with Covid and was not able to play in August. Stay healthy my friend and we are glad to have you back!!
- **October 25th** returns Allan Coffin who did a real good job in his August debut.

Very Sad News - Wally Murphy with Steel has passed away. He and I talked just a few weeks ago and he pulled all remaining gigs. Fought cancer which he previously fought a couple years ago. I have known him for about 20 years and consider him a friend. Very talented on his Steel guitar, tenor saxophone and vocals. He was a true entertainer and will be missed. RIP my friend.

Upcoming

I received many compliments on Smooth Play and most who attended want them back. Many said they were the best we have heard. Bobbie and I went to Melbourne and a place called Stu's Blues to hear them. Unique place to visit if you are ever close!!! I have them booked in Dec and a couple times next year.

We had a great Country Night with Copper Canyon in September. Again, they play a lot of Rock and Roll and are very popular around central Florida. I am seeing more cowboy/cowgirl hats, boots and attire each Country Night!! Love it!!

Keep both positive and negative feedback flowing. I need to hear both! See you at the Lodge



Fraternally,
Stan Recob
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 stanrecob@gmail.com



Our man "Cu" (Xuan Cole) brightening up our lodge kitchen.

Cu is one of our hard working employees. From cleaning up and repairing things around the lodge to setting up the dining room for all our events including Bingo, formal ceremonies and various rental parties. Cu takes the lead to get it done.



Thank you for all you do!

New Drink Receipt

Many of you have by now noticed that the tax levied on your drinks has been broken out on your point of sale receipt. The total price of your drink hasn't changed just the purchase and the taxes are now printed separately.

This change was mandated by the Florida State Elks Association to all Lodges within the state. It doesn't impact the taxes we pay or the price of the drinks. It only changes the way the receipts are printed.



Welcome New Members



Paul Smeby



Matthew McDaniel



Elk Birthdays

Ask the Bartender for your Free Birthday Drink

01	Ralph Lincoln	18	Beau Armstrong
01	Harry Rinker	18	Steven Bardsley
01	Linda Teeter	18	Stephanie Keller
02	Michael Beebe	18	William Panacek
02	Thomas Krakosky	19	James Johnson
02	Aldo Sicuso	19	Patricia Sanna
03	Virginia Saunders	20	Peter Damon
07	Linda Kelly	20	Peter Hayden
07	Susan Mueller	20	Jose Molina
08	Laureen Crowley	21	Albert Oler
09	Jack Munteer	21	James Rawlins
11	Paul Plaughter	21	Paul Tierney
11	Christopher Rankin	22	Lyle Cummings
12	Jeffrey Cromer	22	Steven King
13	Anne Bergenske	23	James Gaudet
13	Lorrie Clark	23	Harry Mervis
13	Angel Colon	23	Robert Weatherly
13	Gordon Jepson	25	Joseph Scallin
14	Michael Buchanan	26	Andrew Johnston
14	Suzette Ringle	27	John Giurato
16	Bob Kaminski	27	Thomas Norton
16	Truman Kocher	27	Arvin Oberai
16	Joseph Moltz	27	Donald Stroup
16	Mark Sandahl	28	Gregory Whipple
16	Bobbie Santos	29	Thomas Horrobin
16	Tyson Wells	31	Teri Cruz
17	Jackie Self	31	Glynn Jefferson

Past Elks of the Month

Sep 2024	William Belcher	Mar 2024	Jerry Polk
Aug 2024	Debbie Quisenberry	Feb 2024	Brian Staudinger
Jul 2024	Jan Zorian	Jan 2024	Bill Belcher
Jun 2024	Mary Bassler	Dec 2023	Gary Bergenske
May 2024	John Laudani	Nov 2023	Jim Judovits
Apr 2024	David Zorian	Oct 2023	Ken Doster

Elks Winter Park Lodge #1830

October 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>North Central District Visitation Sunday, October 20th</p> 		<p>1</p> <p>Ladies Afternoon Out 3:00pm</p> <p>Fellowship Night 6:00pm</p> <p>Texas Hold'em 6:30pm</p> <p>PER Meeting 7:00pm</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Where's George? 6:45pm</p> <p>BOD Meeting 7:00pm</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Bingo Doors Open 4:00pm</p> <p>Snack Bar 5:00-7:00pm</p> <p>Cribbage 6:30pm</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Afternoon Bar Snacks</p> <p>Dinner 6:00-7:30pm</p> <p>Band 7:00-10:00pm Feels So Right</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Burgers & Brats 12:00-2:00pm</p> <p>Potluck & Elks Bar Bingo 5:00pm</p> <p>Line Dancing 6:00pm</p>
<p>6</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Beach Boppers 6:00-8:30pm</p>	<p>7</p> <p><i>Lodge Closed</i></p>	<p>8</p> <p>Elks Meeting 7:00pm</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Where's George? 6:45pm</p> <p>DOES Meeting (Nominations for New Officers) 7:00pm</p> <p>Speed Trivia 7:00pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Bingo Doors Open 4:00pm</p> <p>Snack Bar 5:00-7:00pm</p> <p>Cribbage 6:30pm</p>	<p>11</p> <p>Afternoon Bar Snacks</p> <p>Dinner 6:00-7:30pm</p> <p>Band 7:00-10:00pm Mike Kohn</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Burgers & Brats 12:00-2:00pm</p> <p>Music Bingo 5:00pm</p> <p>Karaoke 7:00pm</p>
<p>13</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Beach Boppers 6:00-8:30pm</p>	<p>14</p> <p><i>Lodge Closed</i></p> <p>Newsletter Inputs Due</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Potluck 6:00pm</p> <p>Texas Hold'em 6:30pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Where's George? 6:45pm</p> <p>BOD Meeting 7:00pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Bingo Doors Open 4:00pm</p> <p>Snack Bar 5:00-7:00pm</p> <p>Elks New Member Orientation 7:00pm (Card Room)</p> <p>Cribbage 6:30pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Afternoon Bar Snacks</p> <p>Dinner 6:00-7:30pm</p> <p>Band 7:00-10:00pm Bangers & Mash</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Burgers & Brats 12:00-2:00pm</p> <p>Does Chili Cookoff & Tailgate Party 4:00pm</p> <p>NO Meat Bingo</p> <p>NO Dancers Night</p>
<p>20</p> <p>NCD Visitation 4:00pm Social 5:00pm Dinner</p> <p>NO Café Food</p> <p>NO Beach Boppers</p>	<p>21</p> <p><i>Lodge Closed</i></p>	<p>22</p> <p>Elks Meeting (Initiation) 7:00pm <i>[Nominations for Secretary & 5-Yr Trustee Positions]</i></p>	<p>23</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Does Ways & Means 6:00pm</p> <p>Where's George? 6:45pm</p> <p>Speed Trivia 7:00pm</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Bingo Doors Open 4:00pm</p> <p>Snack Bar 5:00-7:00pm</p> <p>Cribbage 6:30pm</p>	<p>25</p> <p>Afternoon Bar Snacks</p> <p>Halloween Party & Dinner 6:00-7:30pm</p> <p>Band 7:00-10:00pm Allan Coffin</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Burgers & Brats 12:00-2:00pm</p> <p>Potluck & Elks Bar Bingo 5:00pm</p>
<p>27</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Beach Boppers 6:00-8:30pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p><i>Lodge Closed</i></p>	<p>29</p> <p>Potluck 6:00pm</p> <p>Texas Hold'em 6:30pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Café Food 5:00-7:00</p> <p>Where's George? 6:45pm</p>	<p>31</p> <p>Bingo Doors Open 4:00pm</p> <p>Snack Bar 5:00-7:00pm</p> <p>Cribbage 6:30pm</p>	<p>Halloween Party & Dinner Friday, October 25th</p> 	

Upcoming Events - Mark Your Calendar

“Chill Your Tail” Chili Cookoff & Tailgate Party

Saturday, October 19th | 4:00-7:00pm



<p>\$15.00 Per/Person Event Ticket Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 Hotdogs • Homemade Sides • Dessert • Chili Tasting & Vote 	<p>\$10.00 Chili Contest Fee (In the Dining Room) Fee Includes 1 Event Ticket</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1st Prize - The Entry Fee Pot • 2nd Prize - \$25.00 • 3rd Prize - Bucket of Beer
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Wear your Favorite Football Team Colors

North Central District Visitation

Sunday, October 20th | Halloween Theme

2:00pm - Audit/Inspection

- Required: ER, Leading Knight, Secretary, Treasurer, Board Chairman, Lodge Advisor
- Invited: All Officers

4:00pm - Social Hour

- Fellowship & Appetizers

5:00pm - Dinner **\$12.00 Per/Person**

- Caesar Salad and Garlic Knots
- Chicken Parmesan
- Pasta with Marinara Sauce
- Tiramisu



Halloween Party

Friday, October 25th | 6:00pm
“Costumes Encouraged”
Costume Contest & Prizes



Prizes for:
1st, 2nd &
3rd Place
Costumes

DOES President’s Tea

Saturday, November 9th | 2:00-5:00pm



Watch Barbee’s e-Mails
for more details.



Veterans Day

Sunday, November 10th



THANK YOU VETERANS
FOR YOUR SERVICE

Planning Still In Work

Watch for more information in next months newsletter, flyers and ER email messages

Florida Elks Midyear Convention

November 14-16th

It is time to make your plans to attend the Florida State Elks Association Midyear Convention.

The convention is being held at:

Hilton St. Petersburg Bayfront
333 1st St SE
St. Petersburg, FL 33701



The dress for all activities is business.
Gentlemen are urged to wear jackets, ties optional.

DOES Cake, Pie & Cookie Auction

Sunday, November 24th | 3:00-5:00pm
Auction Paddles Sold for \$10.00 Each

Fundraiser for: Variety the Children's Charity




Please Contact
Patty Hanson for
more information

Thanksgiving Dinner

Thursday, November 28th

Watch for more information in next months newsletter, flyers and ER email messages

Turkey and all the fixings!!

Tickets will be available at the Bar in early November



Friday Night Dinner Menu

Oct 4	Oct 11	Oct 18	Oct 25
<p>House Salad Dinner Roll</p> <p>Marinated Grilled Pork Chops \$19.00 - or - Grilled Mahi-Mahi w/Mango Salsa \$19.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">with Wild Rice Mixed Vegetables and Carrot Cake</p> <p><u>Alternate</u> Grilled Chicken Salad \$15.00</p>	<p>House Salad Dinner Roll</p> <p>BBQ Ribs \$20.00 - or - Roasted Half Chicken \$20.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">with Baked Potato Succotash and Pecan Pie</p> <p><u>Alternate</u> Grilled Salmon Caesar Salad \$17.00</p>	<p>House Salad Dinner Roll</p> <p>Chicken Cordon Bleu \$19.00 - or - NY Strip Steak \$21.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">with Potato Au gratin Broccoli Spears and Chocolate Cake</p> <p><u>Alternate</u> Chicken House Salad \$15.00</p>	<p>Caesar Salad Garlic Knots</p> <p>Mesquite BBQ Grilled Salmon \$19.00 - or - NY Strip Steak \$21.00</p> <p style="text-align: center;">with Mashed Potatoes Broccoli & Cauliflower and Rice Pudding</p> <p><u>Alternate</u> Chicken House Salad \$15.00</p>

For reservations please call the Lodge at 407-671-0010, Tuesday-Thursday after 3:00pm

Red Nose Florida Lotto

Congratulations to our winners:

- 1st Place (\$500 worth of scratch-offs) Dawn Vinson
- 2nd Place (\$300 worth of scratch-offs) Howard Wiedman
- 3rd Place (\$200 worth of scratch-offs) Dick Bardsley

Let's wish them all luck in maybe scratching off a Million Dollar winner!

September Fellowship Night



ER Kay Kane was the Loser Basket Winner.



Nilda was working hard out front while Jerry was in the kitchen cooking

Elks Bar Bingo



Bingo Caller Phil Finley keeps the crowd going with his special games and fun commentary.



Winter Park Elks Lodge Members

Supporting Lake Mary Little League

Congratulations Team!



Volunteers Are Always Needed!

MAKE A POSITIVE DIFFERENCE
MEET FELLOW MEMBERS
BE A PART OF THE LODGE
CONTRIBUTE TO OUR FUTURE

Please Help Out and Show Your Support
by Joining our Volunteer Team

"No Effort or Contribution is too Small"
Contact ER Kay Kane

Share Your Pictures and Stories

We love showing our Lodge events and promoting what our Elks do to support the community. Send me a picture and less than 50 words describing the event.



Around the Lodge

Labor Day BBQ



Labor Day Basket Raffle

ER Kay Kane (left) is pictured with Sandy Wirth (right).

Rick & Sandy Wirth won the Labor Day Raffle Basket.

Congratulations!

DOES Fashion Show



Wandering Elks

Winter Park Elk Francine "Fran" Burns visited Summit County Elks Lodge #2561 in Silverthorne, Colorado. She has a condo there and visits a couple of times a year to see family.

Lodge #2561 is the perfect location for visiting Elks to meet as it is located just minutes off the Interstate 70 in the center of the Colorado High Country.

They provide fellowship by their Community Dinners, Bingo, Fundraising Breakfasts and numerous patriotic ceremonies.

The Weather looks Beautiful !!



Elks Care - Elks Share

Typical Weekly Events - Check Calendar & Bulletin Boards for Changes



Elks Bingo
Every Thursday Night
Three Large Jackpots

Doors Open 4:00pm | Early Bird Bingo 6:15pm | Bingo 7:00pm
 Food, Snacks & Soft Drinks Available 5:00-7:00pm
 BINGO player packets are \$15, \$20 or \$25

Bring a new first-time player — the new player will receive a free dauber and a free bonanza ticket for a jackpot game.

Bingo Supports All Elk Charities

Elks Fellowship Night
1st Tuesday of Month
Reservations Required | Food Served at 6:00pm



A Great Night to Invite a Prospective Member
 Salad, Steak & Fries: \$15.00
 Salad, Chicken & Fries: \$10.00
 Fellowship: \$ Priceless

Reservations are required no later than the Sunday before the dinner. Call the Bar at **407-678-3181** to get your name on the reservation list.



ELKS BAR BINGO

1st Saturday of Month at 5:00pm

Quick and fun game with your Friends

MUSIC BINGO
2nd Saturday of Month at 5:00pm




Hosted by Ken Doster
Come out and enjoy the fun ...


DOES 3-CARD MEAT BINGO
3rd Saturday of Month at 5:00pm



Quick and fun game to win packages of meat.

Oink-Oink | Cluck-Cluck | Moo-Moo
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Karaoke
2nd Saturday of Month at 7:00pm



Hosted by "Dancing DJ" Ken Doster

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Dancers Night Out (\$5 Cover)
3rd Saturday at 7:00 - 10:00pm


- ◆ You haven't danced in a while and would like to know where to go?
- ◆ Join us for "dancers night out" and Dance to your favorite tunes.
- ◆ Invite your friends for a fun night Out!



Cha-Cha Shag
Salsa Swing
Hussle Two Step

For more info contact Ken Doster at dancingdj@cfl.r.com or text 407-480-0716
 Winter Park Elks Lodge & Dancing DJ Entertainment


Where's George?
 Raffle Drawing is every **Wednesday Night at 6:45 pm**



If your entry is drawn you win a prize. Find President Washington or any President that was an Elk member and win a bigger prize.

Tickets can be purchased at the bar during operating hours

Funday-Sunday Brunch
Restarting Soon - Watch the Calendar



Check advertisements at the lodge for monthly specials
\$8.00-\$9.00 Per/Meal
Bring the family!

Speed Trivia



2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:00pm

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- In Memory of Maureen Bardsley..... (02/25)
- Ron Goluba & Sue Jovi..... (03/25)
- Chuck Konsler (05/25)
- Jerry Polk..... (05/25)

Booster Rates

One Name - \$5.00 a month / \$60.00 a year
 Two Names - \$10.00 a month / \$120.00 a year



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<http://www.elks.org>
 Keyword search = 1830
 Checkout the "News" tab it contains our current color Bell Ringer newsletter.



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 1/8 page ad for 12 months \$130.00
 1/4 page ad for 12 months \$250.00

For more information call the Lodge Secretary at 407 678-3181

Lounge Hours of Operation

Day	Open	Close
Monday	Closed All Day	
Tuesday	3:00 pm	10:00 pm
Wednesday	3:00 pm	10:00 pm
Thursday	3:00 pm	10:00 pm
Friday	11:00 am	11:00 pm
Saturday	Noon	10:00 pm
Sunday	2:00 pm	10:00 pm

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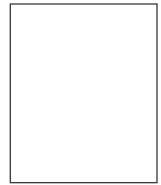
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