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HAPPY NEW YEAR



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301 51

BAR HOURS

"See Calendar for Hours"

OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Wednesday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

SATURDAY LUNCH

Come join Alex "The Brat" for a Great Lunch!
Burgers (Cheese), Patty Melts,
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"See Calendar"



FRIDAY NIGHT DINNERS

Friday Nights at 7:00 pm

Elk Members & Guests

See Calendar and Flyers for details!



RENTALS

Have your next event with us at our Lodge! Call Our Office: (818) 998-2190 for details. Please leave a message for Bobbie Strelow.

EXALTED RULER Simon Coombs



FIDELITY



Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I'm very late submitting this missive as I've been somewhat busy with the build-up to our Thanksgiving Dinner and then cleaning up afterward!

I started this three years ago and we had sixteen people come for dinner. It's grown a little and this year we hosted a total of FORTY-FIVE! That includes my daughter and one of her school friends who helped with preparing last-minute things like gravy and getting everything from the kitchen to the dining room — thanks guys!

Looking back over the last month, our Veterans' Dinner was an enormous success, and I have to thank everyone who helped, but most of all Randy Lewis who cooked a dozen turkeys to perfection!

Our Variety Show was another huge hit. Thank you to all involved, especially Betsy and Marty.

Looking ahead, our Memorial Service will be done by the time you get this, but we have Ribs and Karaoke (including December Birthdays), Christmas Dinner and the New Year's Ball still to come.

Then there's our Monday Game Nights and all manner of other fun stuff, so do check the calendar!

See you at the Lodge! Yours Fraternally,

Simon



Century Club and Millenium Club Awards

Midge Swoger

with E.R. Coombs



Elk of the Month for April 2024

Tina McConnell

with E.R. Simon Coombs

GOLF SCHEDULE

12/2 Los Robles. 9:00. \$55

12/9 Sterling Hills. 8/00. \$60

12/16 Westlake. 9:20. \$50

12/23 No Golf

12/31 No Golf

CHEA Purple Pig

California Hawaii Elks Association

Donations through December $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ is

\$6,937.30

Our goal for 2023-2024 is

\$20,000.00

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2024-2025Donations: Actual to date:

\$1986.00

2022-2023 Donations: *\$2,780.00* Help Us Make Our Goal!

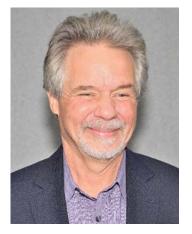


Happy Birthday!

to our DECEMBER babies

Dennis A Cicioni	12	01
Roy Land		01
Troy Lesovsky		01
Ronald Dyer	12	03
Suzan Holmquist		03
Christina L Davis	12	05
Jerry V Burch	12	06
Alan Freas		06
Andre Joyal	12	10
Sandy Williams		10
Yvonne Zellmer		10
Joseph L Fattrusso	12	12
W Duffy	12	14
Brenda Gordon		14
William F Pol	12	18
John H Olip	12	19
Eckwood H Solomon III	12	20
Mark G Zaricki	12	21
Charlotte Scipioni	12	25
Scott Smith	12	28
Hector D Juarez	12	29
Christopher Heard	12	30
Robert H Henke		30

Join me in welcoming our new brothers to our lodge!









Eric Cloud

Daniel Norman

Fred Masino

Scott Smith







Flag Winner Fred Masino

Beatles Tribute Round-up

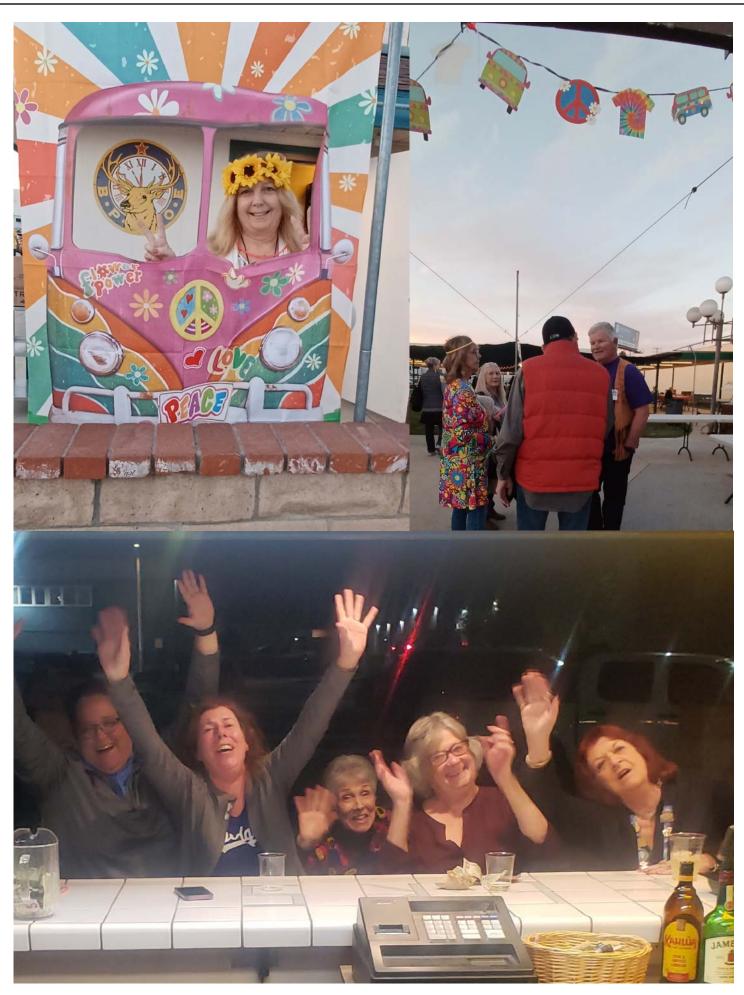
November Friday evening for dinner and to sing and dance to Beatles' music. With 22 volunteers from our lodge making it happen, our guests from Huntington Beach #1989, Elk Grove #2577, Paso Robles #2364, Kona #2616, Porterville #1342, Santa Clara #2379, Redondo Beach #1378, Fresno #439, Modesto #1282, Newport Harbor #1767, Santa Monica #906, Kailua #2230, members from 4 of our district lodges and out own members had a great time. Many in the crowd were decked out in their best 1960's attire!

Did people have a good time? That evening guests came up and said, 'first drink is on us when you visit our lodge- your hospitality, friendliness, everything was just outstanding, hope to see you soon." Gloria from Santa Monica said after taking the lodge tour, when someone says they need a venue in the valley for an event- I will tell them the only place they need to look is the Canoga Park Elks Lodge! The next day at the midterm convention, people came up and said one of the best evenings they ever had at a convention. Third party comments on how an event went are the best!

My thanks to all the volunteers-decorating, set-up, tear down, kitchen, greeters, check-in, parking lot coordination, lodge tour team, raffle & Jell-o shot teams, bartenders, and the buffet line and dessert team- we had a superb group working together!

Photos- Vivian Parcells in the photo booth, table decorations, bar fun with Rochelle, Kathy, Laurene, Gayle, & Bobbie, Toni Najera decked out, dancing all night long, Jell-o shots aptly named-John-Paul-George-Ringo; Rick Parcells with John Smith (Kona Elks) – ENF drawing winner.





Capital Campaign Project

Beginning December 1st, we are conducting a **90 Day Capital Campaign** raising funds to update our Departed Members Board in the front lobby. Our goal is \$1,000. This will cover the nameplates and hardware, an additional mounting board and bring us current through November 30, 2024.

This was last updated in August 2018. We have 60 names to add to the Departed Members Board.

The Veteran's Committee has brought this to the attention of the Board of Trustees. This update is not covered in our current year budget.

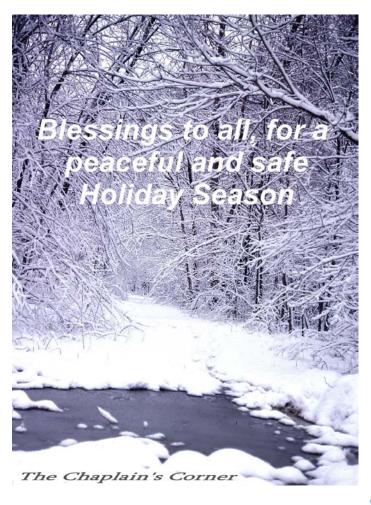
Donations will be separately tracked, and progress will be reported at Thursday Lodge Meetings.

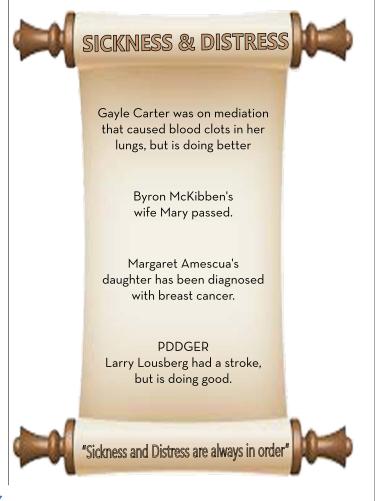
Cash donations can be made in the Building Fund box, mounted on the wall just outside the women's rest room, in the office (office hours are Tues-Wed 9 to 4:00) or by sending in a check to the lodge. Please note on the check "Capital Campaign".











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December 2024	MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT	COLF Lodge Open (See Flyer) Lodge Open (See Flyer) Lodge Open (See Flyer) Lodge Open (See Flyer) Lodge Open (State Flyer) Margaret Rental (State Flyer) Margaret Rental (State Flyer) Investigation Spartans Christmas Balloting Balloting Balloting	GOLF Lodge Open (See Flyer) Lodge Open (See Flyer) Lodge Closed (b to 9 pm (See Flyer)) Lodge Closed (b to 9 pm (See Flyer)) Lodge Closed (b to 9 pm (See Flyer)) Holiday Karaoke (b to 9 pm (b to 9 pm (b to 9 pm (b to 1 pm (b to 1 pm (b to 1 pm (b to 1 pm (b to 2 bm))) Rental (b to 9 pm (b to 9 pm (b to 1 pm	GOLF Lodge Open (See Flyer) Board Meeting (See Flyer) Lodge Open (Standard) Rental (Standard)	NO GOLF Lodge Closed Christmas Chodge Closed Simon's Dinner Christmas Christ	NO GOLF No GOLF New Years Eve Ball (See Flyer) WOW WOW
	MON	2 on rtal	GOLF I MNF (See Flyer) Ugly Sweater Party & Dinner (See Flyer)	16 GOLF I MNF (See Flyer) Game Night & Fill Charity Baskets Orientation	NO GOLF WOW 7 am to Noon	30 NO GOLF MNF & Game Night WOW
	SUN	Annual Elks Memorial Service 12:30 am Brunch 11:00 am (See Flyer)	8 Lodge Closed	15 Lodge Closed	Lodge Closed No Knights Meeting	29 Lodge Closed

	\mathbf{SAT}	4 Lodge Rental	Lodge Open 12 to 2 pm Brat Burgers 12 to 2 pm \$12 to 2 pm \$12.00	18 Lodge Rental	25 Lodge Open 12 to 2 pm Brat Burgers 12 to 2 pm \$12 to 2 pm \$12.00	Pring on the the NEW YEAR
	FRI	January Birthday Dinner \$15.00 (See Flyer)	Ribs & Karaoke \$15.00 (See Flyer)	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Dinner TBD \$15.00	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Dinner TBD \$15.00	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Dinner TBD \$15.00
	THU	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Meeting 7:30 pm Lodge Shirts	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Meeting 7:30 pm Lodge Shirts Balloting	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Meeting 7:30 pm Lodge Shirts	Lodge Open 6 to 10 pm Meeting 7:30 pm Black Tux Initiation	30
January 2025	WED	1 Lodge Closed Happy New Year	8 Lodge Closed	15 Lodge Closed	Lodge Closed Board Meeting 6:30 pm Knights of Pythias	29 Lodge Closed
	TUE	Cmortes	Lodge Open 11 to 2 pm Big Band 11 to 1 pm Spartans	Lodge Open 11 to 2 pm Big Band 11 to 1 pm	21 Lodge Open 11 to 2 pm Big Band 11 to 1 pm	28 Lodge Open 11 to 2 pm Big Band 11 to 1 pm
	MON	DE Cherished Memories	GOLF Game Night Investigation	GOLF MNF & Game Night	20 GOLF Game Night <i>Orientation</i>	COLF Game Night
	SUN	PA P	5 Lodge Closed Jazz Club	Lodge Open 9 to 1 pm PER Breakfast 9 to 11:30 am \$12.00 (See Flyer)	19 Lodge Closed	26 Lodge Closed

WHAT'S AN ELK?



The Order of Elks is an organization of American citizens who love their country and desire to preserve its cherished institutions; who love their fellow man and seek to promote his wellbeing; and who love the joyousness of life and endeavor to contribute to it, as well as to share it.

This Fraternal Order was founded "To promote and practice the four cardinal virtues of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its members; to quicken the spirit of American Patriotism and cultivate good fellowship." God Bless America!

If you're interested in joining our lodge, coming to our events or if you would like to donate to one of our charities please contact our office at **818-998-2193** or email us at **elks2190info@gmail.com**. Your donation will provide services to our charities which help our veterans and disabled children.

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