

The Elks Profile

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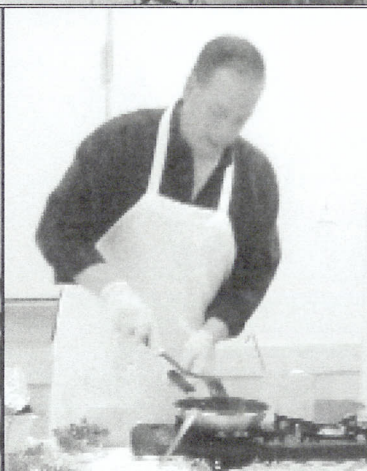
JUNE - 2018

A Message from the Exalted Ruler

JUNE 2018

Our first month of the new "Elks Year" was successful. Our lodge saw an increase in volunteer participation in various events, Rotary Breakfast has been well attended, and Wednesday night suppers have continued to bring in many hungry patrons. The Dart League finished its last evening at our lodge for the time being; but as always, we will be happy to have them return and enjoy fun competition and camaraderie.

Mother's Day Brunch, held on May 13th, was a success. Our volunteers received numerous compliments from diners about the selection and quality of food along with the inviting dining atmosphere. Thanks to the hard work of the volunteers under the direction of Chris Richard, head chef, it turned out to be a wonderful time for all, and mothers were truly honored for their hard work and self-sacrificing spirit.



The Elks State Convention held from May 18th through May 20th at Loon Mountain was a fantastic time for all who attended, not only from our own lodge, but from all of the New Hampshire lodges. Our members enjoyed presenting the M.A.S.H. theme in our hospitality room and received numerous compliments from other members. Getting to know other members, sharing anecdotes and laughs, and building relationships with fellow Elks is what it's all about. It was good to see an increase in

participation. Promoting new membership, volunteerism, and maintaining the high standards of Elkdom were themes that resonated throughout the convention. We were also reminded of the importance of the National Convention which will be held in San Antonio, Texas from June 30th through July 4th.



Please Mark Your Calendars:

Flag Day will be held on June 10th at 10 a.m. at our lodge. Please come support this event and proudly honor our nation and what our flag represents. Members of the Gilford Police and Fire Departments will be in attendance along with Knights of Columbus, local veterans and other patriotic organizations. See Bob Martin to learn of ways to volunteer or participate.

Motorcycle Week will be held from June 9th to June 17th in Weirs Beach. Through the generosity of the owners of Faro's, fellow Elk Members, the Elks will have a prime spot for a booth free of charge. We will be raising funds for the Tilton Veteran's Home, specifically for recreational programs. Volunteers are needed to man the booth in 3 hour increments to collect donations. Please support our loyal retired servicemen and service women who have served our nation. See Lisa Saucedo, Loyal Knight, for further details. A sign up sheet will be on the wall board, so sign up and include a contact phone number or email, so Lisa can contact you to arrange dates and times for you.

Bike Fest will be on June 23rd in the rear parking lot of our lodge. Our lodge is once again coordinating with the Boys and Girls Club of the Lakes Region and WalMart. Volunteers are needed to help deliver new bikes to the lodge and to distribute them to the children in need. It's a wonderful way to make a difference in the lives of our local youth.

Exalted Ruler,
DAVID BROWN

Manager's Corner

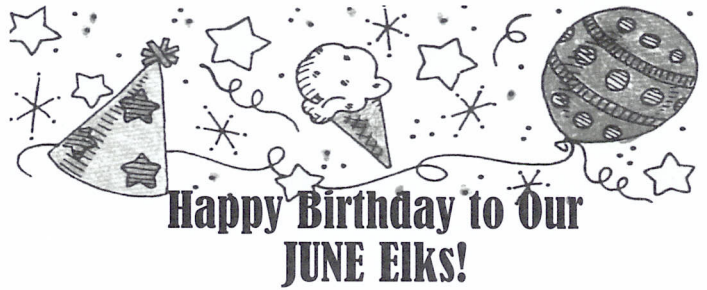
The warm weather has arrived!! The month of May was eventful and wonderful here at the lodge. Mother's Day brunch was wonderful and I want to thank everyone who volunteered to make it a special day! Now that June is upon us, we will be continuing to have Wednesday night kitchen through the month; Meat Raffle has been pushed up a week and is set for June 8th. Fish fry will be held on it's usual day, being the last Friday of the month, June 29th. We are still in need of volunteers for Rotary breakfast on Friday mornings, please contact me if you have any availability to do so.

Katie LeRoy
Lodge Manager

Secretary's Corner



Have you recently retired, and feeling bored at home already? Do you have a trade that the lodge could utilize? Plumbing, electrical, cooking skills? Here at the lodge we are always in need of things to be done and people to cook. If this is something that peaks your interest, please do not hesitate to contact the lodge.



— Secretary's Notes —
Susan Ayers • Secretary
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DAY		DAY	
02	Charlotte Kiesel	18	William Pike
03	Anthony Temmallo	18	Kyle Tibbetts
06	Maurice Munsey	21	Richard Duggan
06	Lawrence Record	22	Harold Denison Jr
07	Robert King	22	Norman Lacoste
09	Thomas Ryan	22	Jennifer Laramie
09	Lisa Tarallo	22	Charles Stewart
10	John Callaghan	22	William Tarallo
10	Edward Grenke	23	Calvin Brown
13	Neil Eastman	24	George Gonyer Jr
13	Alain Tinker	25	Wendy Clark
14	Nila Morrison	25	Daniel Moulton
14	Tracy Richardson	25	David Vaillancourt
14	Patrick Vachon	26	Peter Harris
16	Gerard Breton	26	Rodney Roy
16	Earl Guyer	27	Steven Parsons
17	Robert Roy	29	Jacqueline Derosia
17	Francis Theberge	29	Pamelia O'Day
18	Joann McMillan	30	Alton Herndon
18	Kyle Mignanelli	30	Randall Tillson

Bulletin to be Read through our Website

The monthly bulletin is now available to read on our lodge's website. The monthly bulletin is only mailed to N.H. residents, unless otherwise requested, to the lodge secretary, to continue to receive it by regular mail.

www.laconiaelks876.org

Click on "**Bulletin**" and choose which month you want to read. Any questions contact Susan Ayers at: secretary876@metrocast.net or call the lodge

- Remember -

All Dues are due on April 1, 2018

Dues for 2018-2019 year
DUES FOR 2018 - 2019 HAVE CHANGED

Due to Grand Lodge
Insurance Increase,

Regular Membership is now: **\$60.00**
 * Life Membership is now: **\$25.00**

2018 - 2019 Dues

Remember all Dues are due before April 1, 2018

Lodge of Sorrow



None for the
Month of June

Your Vote Matters!

At our June 21st meeting we will be voting on allowing our monthly bulletin to be printed by the NH State Prison print shop, or to continue to have it printed by a local print shop. Please plan on attending this meeting if this is a matter that is important to you.

Proposition for Membership

Susan Noyes from Gilford, proposed by Linda Cloran
 Cheryl Herbert from Laconia, proposed by Mark Roy
 Devon Yavanovich from Laconia, proposed by Katie LeRoy

Reinstatement:

Linda Sullivan from Bristol, proposed by Susan Ayers

Proposition for Life Membership

None for the month of June

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DUES STATEMENT FOR APRIL 1, 2018 - APRIL 1, 2019

Name: _____

Membership #: _____

Annual Regular Member Dues (\$60.00) Amount Included: _____

Annual Life Member Dues (\$25.00) Amount Included: _____

Optional Donations :

1) Elks National Foundation (ENF) Amount Included: _____

2) State Major Project (Copper Cannon) Amount Included: _____

3) Lodge Scholarship Fund Amount Included: _____

Total Paid for 2018-2019 : \$ _____

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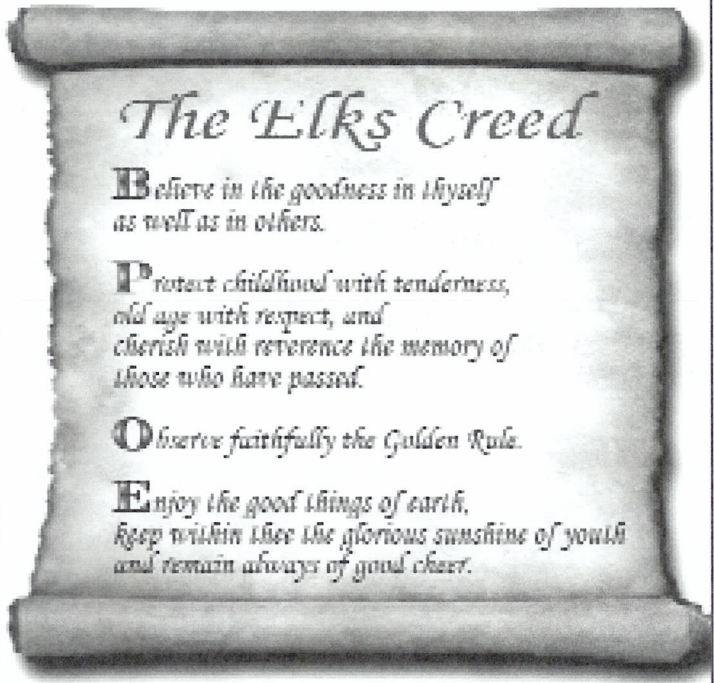


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as well as in others.

Protect childhood with tenderness,
old age with respect, and
cherish with reverence the memory of
those who have passed.

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Grand Exalted Ruler 2017-2018 Malcolm J. McPherson Jr
District Deputy GER Nancy Labonte - Franklin NH
2017-2018 Lodge Officers

Exalted Ruler:David Brown	Treasurer:Nila Morrison	Trustees: 5 yr:Mark Roy
Est. Leading Knight:Sandra Shene	Tiler:William Shene	Trustees: 4 yr:Robert Martin
Est. Loyal Knight:Lisa Saucedo	Esquire:Jim Culpon, PER	Trustees: 3 yr:James D. Roy
Est. Lecturing Knight:Kim Calder	Chaplain:Dorothy Frawley	Trustees: 2 yr:Debbie Bean
Secretary:Susan Ayers	Inner Guard:Laurel Johnson	Trustees: 1 yr:Michael Smith
	Lodge ManagerKatie LeRoy	

2017-2018 House Committee

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 Robert Martin
 Michael Smith

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 Dorothy Frawley

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