

"The Greenfield Elk"

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Exalted Rulers Message:

To My Members All; Happy New Year!

Before we look forward into the next year, let me give recognition to all Officers and active members in our Lodge who gave their time this past year. Due to your efforts, our Lodge had many successful functions and events. 2015 and in the years to come, The Lodge will continue to support American citizens & veterans. If we all do one thing, encourage a friend or relative to join our Lodge. Why not? They too can show their support to America. Fraternally,

Scott Greaves



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IN MEMORIUM

ALBERT E. MAGDYCZ

"... a while ago we gathered,

Friendship beaming in each eye,

Now the golden cord is severed,

He has passed to realms on high."

Upcoming Events

Fish Fry's; Jan.9,16,23,30 Private Party's Jan 10,17,24 Lodge Meeting Jan. 13,27

Jan. 11 Game Dinner (Big Bad hunters

Jan. 17 Vets Pizza Party, Leeds

Jan. 18 Book Fair 1-5pm

Jan. 18 Texas Hold-um

Jan. 22 PER Dinner

Feb. 1, SUPER BOWL, Chili cook-off

Feb. 3 Meeting, Initiation,

Nomination of Officers, Scholarship

Recipients Awards

Feb. 21 St. Jude's Dinner

Feb 24 Election Officers

Mar. 14 Irish Night

ELK OF THE YEAR

All Members are asked to submit a ballot for their choice of ELK OF THE YEAR.

Forms are available at the Lodge and should be placed in the ballot box at the end of the bar. Please state your name and reason behind your choice.

This is a prestigious award that is bestowed upon a worthy candidate for their support of the Lodge.

Two basic rules, they cannot be an Officer and only one is selected.

Please submit that name by February 15, 2015

Tip of the Antlers...

Turkey Trot Nov. 20..- Fran Sirum, Linda Gorey, Phil Stevens, Dave Sprague, Kim Franks, Linda Baker(leyden), Donna Kilgour. Bob Mott, Charlie Kestyn, Fred Ulrich, Wes Clark.

Thanksgiving Buffett, Nov. 26: Linda & Fran, Phil Stevens, Eric Schatz, bob Mott. \$10,000 Drawing. Dec. 6..A huge "Thank You" Bill & Jason Kilgour... All Tickets were sold. A fine time was had by all in attendance. The following sellers: Bill & Jason Kilgour, Rick Hartshorn, Joe LaChance, Bob Mott, Stan Maynard, Scott Greaves, Elks Bartenders. Kitchen Crew & clean-up . Fran & Linda, Bob Mott, Phil Stevens, Donna Kilgour, Audrey LaBonte, Scott Greaves. Noreen Onorato (delicious dessert).

Memorial Sunday, Dec. 7: All Officers in attendance. Linda & Fran, Bob Mott, Mark Lavin.

United ARC Christmas Dinner Dec. 14.. Charlie Kestyn & Fred Ulrich "Thank" all that helped in making the United ARC members dinner a success. Over 125 dinners were served and Santa made his usual appearance much to the delight of all present. The following Elk & Emblem Members who helped; Fran Sirum, Linda Gorey, Mike Moore, Den Moore, Matt Sheridan, John Richardson, Pete & Cheryl Broughan, Scott & Janine Greaves, Brian Deery, Linda Merritt, Jean KEmpf, Pat Baker, Sue Breite, Dottie Miemec.

Christmas Basket delivery, Dec. 20.. Tim & George Herzig, Fred Ulrich, Den Moore, Bob Mott, Nick Salustri, Simon Behilo, George Hall, John Williams, Larry Jubb, Jim Cadran, Wes Clark, Vinnie Melendez, Doug Houle, Bob Wood, Eric & Bwernie Schatz, Doug turner, Jean Rewa, Dave Bonnett. Phil Stevens for donating potatoes & Ken Kurtyka for picking them up.

Ring Bell Salvation Army Dec. 16 & 23..Pete Clark "Thank You" for the help in ringing bells; Mark Lavin, Bob Ferris, Gary Clough, Wes Clark, Vin Melendez, Ed Reagey, Bill Luippold, Rick Cadran, Deb Cadran,

Sharon Rawson, Bill Devino, Dee & Ed fleming. Bob Mott, Sid Jensen, Scott & Janine Greaves, The Barton sisters, Matt Sheridam, Rob Muzzy, Larry Jubb, Joe LaChance, Jean Raymond. Bev Reid & Shirley Kennedy.

"BIG THANKS" JOHN WILLIAMS. For repairing the crash bar on back entrance & replacing emergency lights. JASON KILGOUR. And print shop fellows at Sheriff's Dept for doing all the Book Fair posters & fliers. CHERYL BROUGHAN for bringing in flowers for the ladies room and cleaning the "cubby" & organizing the vases & flowers. MARY ELLEN. For donating lights for the Lodge Christmas Tree.

DENNIS MOORE. Marine Corp Veteran who has served as Chairman of the Veterans Committee for thirty years, was present at the VA chapel Service December 14. A choral group from Amherst College was present to serenade the Vets during the lighting of the Christmas Tree.

PHYLLIS PIERCE. Has been diligently cleaning & organizing our library area, Also, she is requesting that members bring books in and DVDs to add to the collection.

Fish Fry Volunteers: David Sprague, Peter Sprague, Bob Mott, Loretta Chattelle, Gordy Hardy, Kim Franks, Kevin Gladu, Loren Franks, Eric Schatz, Dennis Moore, Mike Hisz, Budd Deery. Raffle Volunteers; Linda & George Hall, Janice Smith, Buzzy Blanchard, Jan McMahan.

BOOK FAIR: Just a Reminder that there is a \$10.00 voucher for all Elk Members & Emblem Members, children, extended family & grandchildren to use toward a purchase. The World Eye bookstore gives the Lodge a 10% return on the total sales for the day. The first 100 will receive a voucher. There is also another Book fair scheduled in May.





NEW YEAR, NEW BOOKS!! BOOK FAIR

Sunday, January 18, 2015 1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Greenfield Lodge of Elks Federal Street Greenfield, Massachusetts

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*Special Voucher: All attending for use in making a purchase, Pre-K to 12.



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"JANUARY BIRTHDAYS"

3. Maurice Chamberland,

Arnold Egloff

5. Richard LaCross

8. Edward Croteau

11. Charlie Murdock

12. Scott George

13. Richard Herzig

14. Bob Benedetti

16. Peter Weiss

17. Carroll (Bama) Bowen,

Mandy Sumner,

Ed Wykowski

20. Bob Bassett,

Mike Morawski Jr,

21. Jeffrey C. Baker,

Marsha Bonnett,

Cheryl Broughan

22. Matk Lavin,

Mike (Chopper) smnith

24. Charles Bohonowicz,

Dennis (M.C.) Moore

25. Dave Lewandowski,

Don Pierce,

Rober A. wood

26. Todd Berger,

William (Hizonner) Martin PER

27. Elizabeth Moore

28. Richard (Rick) Cadran

Thomas Peabody

29. Gary Selanis

30. Bill (The Butler) Clark

31. Paul Doran

Dave Norman Come on down and enjoy a touch

With your friend, & a drink on us.

SCHOLARSHIPS: LINDA GOREY, CHAIR. fsirum@comcast.net

LEGACY AWARDS:ENF (elks National Foundation) will award 250 \$4,000 Scholarships.

Massachusetts will award 9 for 201402015 academic years. Eligibility: child, grandchild, stepchild, step-grandchild, or (legal ward) of an Elk who has been a member in good standing. Great-grandchildren are not eligible. Must be a high school senior. Must apply through a related Lodge member. Only applies to accredited US American schools, college, universities. STUDENT MUST COMPLETE APPLICATIONS & RETURN IT ONLINE NO LATER THAN FEB. 1, 2015 www.elks.org/enf/legacy.cfm

MASS. ELKS SCHOLARSHIP, INC. ---Applications available at Lodge and guidance officers of Greenfield High School, Frontier Regional High School and Mohawk Regional High School. Those seeking renewal must also fill out an application in order to be considered. Available: Oct. 1, 2014 at Lodge. <u>DUE</u>; <u>FEB. 1, 2015</u>

MASS. ELKS-VOCATIONAL GRANT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM- With funds from the ENF, Mass. Will award 30 1-yr. scholarships of \$1,000.00 ELIGIBILITY: high school students intending to attend a 2 yr. vocational technical course in a school or college leading to a Terminal Associates Degree, Certificate or Diploma, but less than a Bachelor's Degree, not part time or night school. No age limit

Applications available @ Franklin Tech School. Oct. 1, 2014. Due at Lodge: March 1, 2015

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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

HELP OUR MEMBERSHIP BY PROPOSING A NEW MEMBER

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