



“The Greenfield Elk”

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Exalted Rulers Message;

Hi all, The summer is coming to an end. We are going to have more events during the winter month's. There is a bus trip going to Mohegan Sun on Oct. 15, 2016. \$30.00 p/p. This is an afternoon into evening trip. We will get back to the lodge at 1am on Sunday morning. More information is at the club. Also, Back Track will be playing at the lodge on Nov. 12, 2016 from 7pm – 11pm. No dinner, just dancing. Bring your family and friends. A Halloween party has been scheduled for October 29 and a New Year's Eve party is in the works.

If you can think of an event or something that you think we should try. Let me know. I'm open for any and all ideas. It's time to party and have fun.

Do you know of someone that wants to become a member? Bring them down to the lodge. We are always looking for new members.

Mark Lavin ER



E.R. Mark Lavin

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1960-2016

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1973-2016

*...” A while ago we gathered,
Friendship beaming in each eye, Now
the golden cord is severed,
They have passed to realms on high”*

Upcoming Events

September October

Sept. 13 Lodge Meeting
15 Montague DD Visitation
16 Golf Tournament
17 Vets Leeds Pizza
20 DD Visit Athol-Orange
27 DD Visit Greenfield
Oct. 1 GER Mike Zellen
Reception Dinner
11 Lodge Meeting
15 Vets Leeds Pizza
25 Lodge Meeting

The next scheduled initiation is scheduled for the District Deputy visitation September 27.

Applications must be in the office before September 10 so as they can be voted on at the September 13 meeting.

The criteria for initiations have changed. We now can hold the service whenever we have candidates that have been processed. No waiting time.



Tip of the Antlers...

Hi all, I need to send out a HUGE thank you to everyone that was involved with the Greenfield Elks Scholarship Golf Tournament. I think an awesome job was done by all involved. There are many components to having such an event as this. Stanley Maynard has been doing a great job with heading this event. The past two years more people have been jumping in to help. There was an entirely new kitchen crew this year. Congrats to Fran & Linda for your retirement (only from this event). You also have the people on the “front porch” at the CC of Greenfield for registration and ticket raffle sales. The two lovely ladies on hole # 11 for the tee shot onto the green challenge. The hotdog tent crew. And last but not least, The Emblem Club. Thank you. I’m sure I missed someone. Mark Lavin E.R.

Thank you to Scott Greaves, Dave Sprague, Peter Sprague and Sharon Rawson for the great hotdogs and french fries during the Franklin County Fair Parade

Again, thank you to Scott Greaves for painting the back door to the parking lot

The Fish Fry kitchen staff for donating their tips for the purchase of a new microwave, heat lamps & popcorn machine for the Lodge

John Williams for fixing the leaking faucet in the kitchen

Gary Gadreault for being the “handy man” fixing whatever is needed in the lodge rooms

DD Pre-visit meal – Linda Gorey, Fran Sirum, Scott Greaves, Loretta Chappelle, Gordy Hardy.

Kitchen Crew Wait staff – Nancy Beckwith, Linda Baker, Debra Duprey & Loretta Chappelle

October Birthdays

10-1 Dan Majewski, Bunny Rosewarne
10-2 Steve Garanin, Dick Golosh, Linda Gorey PER
Jason Kelton, Steve Kennedy
10-3 Helen O'Gorman
10-5 Audrey Labonte, John O'Connell PER
10-6 James Burke, Armand Clavette
10-8 Bob Bagdon, Tim Markowski
10-9 Paul McDonald
10-10 Greg Jurek, Peter McIver
10-12 John Kaczinski, Rich Rowell
10-13 Shirley Smith, Ed Czuj
10-15 Linda Baker, Adam Provost
10-16 David Sprague PER
10-17 Corey O'Connell, Deb Roselund
10-18 Greg Call
10-20 Robert Killay PER, Jackie Boyden, Don Roy,
Tim Snow
10-22 Bob Chernick
10-23 Shaun Coughlin, Eric Schatz
10-25 Roger Kennedy
10-26 Stephen Jurek, Matt Poston
10-27 Bill Melnik
10-28 Loyal Knight Gary Gadreault, Alan Bolton,
Kyle Gaines, Ed Fleming, John Stacy
10-29 Lesley Pratt-Stacy
10-30 Matt Zraunig
10-31 Doug Houle
Stop in for a sip on us, and enjoy your friends

Do you know someone that use to be a member, but no longer is? Let's get them back. December and January are \$1.00 re-instatement fee months. They only have to pay \$1.00 plus this years pro-rated dues. We have many events coming up. Plus, it's always good to bring in more people.

District Deputy Visitation Schedule

Tuesday October 4 6:30 dinner / 7:30 Meeting Gardner
Wednesday October 19 6:30 Dinner / 7:30 Meeting Leominster-Fitchburg

Saturday October 29 3:30 Cocktails / 5:00 Meeting / Dinner to follow

Auburn/Webster homecoming

We are adding a new television over the bar. This will hopefully be in place the last week of September.

We are selling pizza down at the Lodge again. Come down and try it. I'm sure you will enjoy it.

The 1296 Club has started. If you have not paid, please come down and pay the bartender. If you no longer want to be in this, please let us know.

Do you know someone looking to rent the hall? If yes, please have them call the Lodge during normal business hours and ask for Kelli

\$10,000 Drawing tickets are available behind the bar.

Friday Night Fish Fry
will be starting Fri Nov 4, 2016.
Watch your email for Linda soliciting volunteers.

Book Fair Sun, Nov 20
1pm – 3:30pm
Pending there is an open date & we get grant approval. Students Pre-K – 12 will receive a \$10.00 voucher to use toward a purchase.

Fran Sirum & Linda Gorey would like to thank the membership for the gift certificate (\$100.00 from Terrazza at the CC of Greenfield) and for recognizing the work they do at the Lodge.

Thank you again, Fran & Linda

Halloween Party

Saturday Oct. 22nd

7:30 PM till 11:30 PM



\$5.00 Cover



Dancing to Hard Drive



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Raffles



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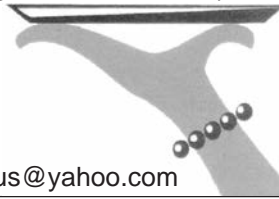
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Calendar of Events

October 2016						
Prev						Next
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 + GER Michael Zellen Reception Dinner
2 + PER Linda Gorey Birthday Patriots vs Buffalo	3 +	4 +	5 + PER John O'Connell Birthday Pitch League	6 +	7 +	8 +
9 + Patriots at Cleveland	10 +	11 + Lodge Meeting	12 + Pitch League	13 +	14 +	15 + Pizza Party Leeds
16 + PER David Sprague Birthday Patriots vs Cincinnati	17 +	18 +	19 + Pitch League	20 + PER Bobby Killay Birthday	21 +	22 +
23 + Patriots at Pittsburgh	24 +	25 + Lodge Meeting	26 + Pitch league	27 +	28 + Loyal Knight Gary Gadreaault Birthday	29 +
30 + Patriots at Buffalo	31 +					