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Volume CV - Issue 11 **FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION** November 2019

Exalted Rulers Message: Members All;
November is here, all the leaves have just about dropped. As we move into our winter months, please try to attend the many upcoming events. And as always keep your thoughts with our veterans as we continue to support them not only in the month of November but, forever. This year the veteran's day parade will be on Monday Nov. 11th, starting at the Greenfield middle school & ending at the town plaza. Parade begins at 10am. A small collation will be at the lodge following the ceremony.

The upcoming events are; Vet's Dance 11/9, Turkey Trot 11/21 & night before thanksgiving spread will be out for our members & guest.

Memorial Sunday December 1st, 2019

Fraternally, Michael W. Blanchard ER,PDD,HLM



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Inner Guard Chad Wright

Organist: William Pease

"Veterans Ball"
Saturday Nov. 9
Buffet at 6pm
Dancing to
The 60's Experience
7pm – 11pm
\$15.00
Tickets available @
Lodge
All proceeds benefit
Veteran's Programs

Murder Mystery Dinner "Thank You" to Kathy & Joey Tomaus for cooking the dinner. Also Bob Mott & Scott Greaves for clean-up.

To Dave Sprague & Scott Greaves for chicken wing & fry night. And special "Thanks" to Jan McMahon for doing the meat raffle.

Also to Kathy Tomaus for donating lot's of silverware for our kitchen. "Thanks" to Corey O'connell and Scott Greaves for weekly cleanings.

"Dictionary Project"
"Thank you" for your generous donation to The dictionary Project which was received on October 18, 2019.

Our goal is to reach every third grade student in the United states & we are helping make this possible. So far this school year, we have reached an estimated 1,036,912 students. Cumulatively, we have been able to reach an estimated 32,730,713 students. Of these, 1,824 were sponsored by the Greenfield Elks Lodge #1296.

Tip of the Antlers:

“Elks Golf Tournament held on September 13 was a complete huge success with a full compliment of golfers for the first time in memory. And a picture perfect day for the event. Many “Thanks” are in store for the countless hours put into the planning and executing the play, the meal and the presentation of so many gifts.

Raffles/Porch/Course: Sue smith, Ellen Jenks, Jan McMahon, Janice smith, Fred Ulrich, Mark Lavin, John Cariddi, Lee Winemiller, Stan Maynard, Dave Bonnette, Kelli Snow, Deb Barton-Duprey, Mary Ellen Fuery, Martha Keene.

Cooks: Leigh Jenks, Doug Turner, Bill O’Connell, John Williams, Gary Gadreault, Doug Baker.

Kitchen: Ceal Massey, Bill Massey, Caroline Heiden, Madalyn Phillips, Marsha bonnet, Sandy Herzig.

Emblem Club: Tina Hickey, Terry black, Deb Barton-Duprey, Patti Baker, Sandy Herzig.

Tent workers: Peter Clarke, John Richardson, Simon Behilo, Rick Cadran, Den Moore, john Gilman, Mike Moore, Mark Lavin, Ryan O’Connell, Buzzy Blanchard

Bartenders; Shelly Nicholson, Bobby Killay Jr.

Special “Thanks”

Stan Maynard and Kelli Snow for coordinating the layout of events leading up to the success of the golf day.

November Birthdays

Nov. David Brougham, Kevin Coughlin,
Kathryn Patterson
2. Wes Clark PDD,PER, Bill Harker, Tom Herzig
3. Lance Barton, Craig Underwood
4. Steve Saharceski, Robert Woloss
5. Amber Ortiz
6. Brad Baker, Tom McDonald
7. Sue Smith
9. Paul Keller PER, Mike Koncal, Ed Marvell
11. Peter Ruggeri, Ron Zabco Jr.
12. Dale Andrews, Robert Wells
13. Kevin Bezio
13. James Cadran, Janet Twyon
15. Doug Brown PER
16. Richard Mallory
17. Jeffrey Baker
18. John Wyman Gilman PER, Doug Baker
19. Lester Black
20. Bruce Boutelle PER, Antonio Rubinaccio
21. John MacLeod
22. Michael Clarke
23. Maria Burge
25. Doug Turner
26. Gordon Hardy, Herb Hohengasser
29. Robert Bitzer
30. Ken Miner

Come on down and enjoy a beverage with us.

The following scholarship applications are now available online.

Elks National Foundation "Most Valuable Student"
The 2020 MVP contest is open to any high school senior, who is a U.S. Citizen. Applications and complete details are online at <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm>. The application deadline is November 5, 2019 at 11:59PM.

Elks National Foundation. Legacy Award Scholarships. Legacy Awards are \$4,000 scholarships available to children and grandchildren of Elks members. The deadline for applications is January 31, 2020 at 11:59 a.m. Central Time. Applications and complete details are online at <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarship/Legacy.cfm>.

Massachusetts Elks Scholarship. Applications are available for download at <https://maelks.org>. This scholarship is available to high school seniors and may be reapplied for during the student's term in college. The application must be returned to the Lodge Secretary by January 15, 2020.

"Upcoming Events" Veteran's Casino Night TBA,
Veteran's Ball Sat. Nov. 9, Buffet at 6pm, Dance to "The 60's experience 7-11pm
Nov. 10 Sunday 10:30pm West Central PER Association Meeting. Greenfield
Nov. 15 Friday Meat Raffle 6:30pm Sausage Grinders & Hand cut French Fries
Nov. 17 Sunday Mass Elks Regional Meeting 10:30am Auburn/So. Worcester
Nov. 21 Thursday Annual "Turkey Trot" 6pm \$3 donation at the door.
Nov. 24 Sunday "Book Fair" 1-3pm. Nov. 27, Thanksgiving Buffet 6 – 8pm
Dec. 1 Memorial Sunday 1pm. Honoring our departed Members.
Dec. 7 \$10,000 Drawing Smorg 6:30pm. Music, Dancing 8-12 Draw. 10:30pm.
Dec. 8 Sunday The United "ARC" Christmas Party.
Dec. 15 Sunday Kid's Christmas Party 1 – 4pm age 0-8
Dec. 21 Deliver Christmas Baskets

Veteran's Ball

Saturday

November 9th

Buffet at 6 PM

At the Greenfield Lodge
of Elks

Dancing to

The 60's Experience

7 PM - 11 PM

\$15.00

Tickets Available

at the Bar

Wear your uniform if you'd like

All Proceeds Benefit Our
Veterans Programs

Greenfield Lodge of Elks #1296

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks

Drawing: December 7, 2019

Greenfield, Mass.

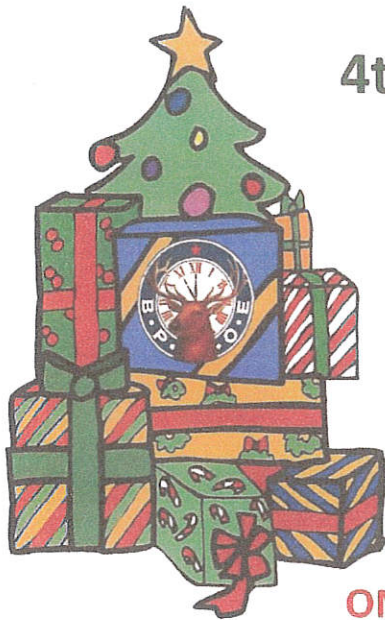
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3rd Prize: \$500.00

4th & 5th Prize: \$250.00



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All prizes are considered "ordinary" income for federal and state income tax purposes - larger winners may be required to pre-pay a portion of the tax liability prior to receiving the prize.

IRS takes the position that no portion of the ticket prize qualifies as a charitable contribution.

The ODDS of Winning are as follows:

When 200 tickets are sold - 1 in 40

When 150 tickets are sold - 1 in 30

December 15th

Age 0-8

A snowman constructed from three stacked marshmallows. The top marshmallow has two small black dots for eyes and a single carrot slice for a nose. The middle marshmallow has three black dots for buttons and a blue fabric scarf tied around its neck. The bottom marshmallow is plain white. Two brown sticks are used for arms, extending from the sides of the middle and bottom marshmallows. The snowman is set against a solid green background.



Deadline to sign up

December 8th

Greenfield Elks Christmas Dance



With



DJ Chase

Saturday, December 21st

Dancing

7:30 - 10:30 PM



*Wear Your
Santa Hat!*

Meat Raffles

Friday, November

15th

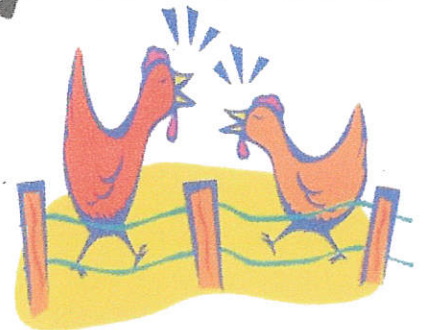
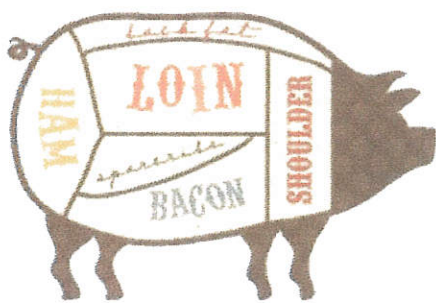
Starting at

6:30 PM

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Handcut French Fries

will be available for purchase



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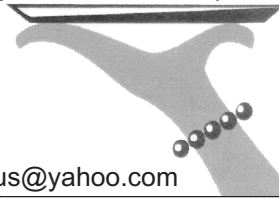
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November 2019

November 2019 Today						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 +	2 + District Deputy Homecoming 12:00 p - 12:30 p Wes Clark PDD
3 + Patriots at Baltimore Ravens 8:00 p - 12:30 p	4 +	5 +	6 + Pitch League 7:00 p - 9:00 p	7 +	8 +	9 + Paul Keller PER Birthday 12:00 p - 12:30 p Veteran's Ball 6:00 p - 11:00 p
10 + West Central PER Assoc. Meeting 10:30 a - 12:30 p Patriots Bye Week 12:00 p - 12:30 p	11 + Veteran's Day Parade 10:00 a - 12:30 p	12 + Lodge Meeting & BOD 6:00 p - 8:00 p	13 + Pitch League 7:00 p - 9:00 p	14 +	15 + Doug Brown PER Birthday 12:00 p - 12:30 p Meat Raffle 6:30 p - 8:00 p	16 +
17 + Mass. Elks Assoc. Regional Maating 10:30 a - 12:30 p Patriots at Philadelphia Eagles 4:00 p - 12:30 p	18 + John Wyman Gilman PER Birthday 12:00 p - 12:30 p	19 +	20 + Bruce Boutelle PER Birthday 12:00 p - 12:30 p Pitch League 7:00 p - 12:30 p	21 + Annual Turkey Trot 6:00 p - 9:00 p	22 +	23 +
24 + Book Fair 1:00 p - 3:00 p Patriots vs Dallas Cowboys 4:00 p - 12:30 p	25 +	26 + Lodge Meeting 7:00 p - 8:00 p	27 +	28 + Thanksgiving 8:00 a - 12:30 p	29 +	30 +