



"The Greenfield Elk"

ELKS CARE – ELKS SHARE



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Dear Members:

As we close out 2022, I would like to recognize some members who planned & coordinated some important events this past month. Scott Greaves & Kelli Snow for Trivia Night: Mark Lavin for the \$10,000 drawing & Tim Herzig for the Christmas Baskets & all of the members who helped make these events successful. Thanks.

Our Lodge is very close to the Grand Exalted Ruler (GER) Elks National Foundation (ENF) goal of \$4.80/member. We are currently at \$4.30 per member. Meeting this opens up the lodge to more grant money to help our local communities. If you have ideas or organizations in our area who need help, please bring it forward to the board of directors. If you haven't had the opportunity to make a donation, please help by making a \$5.00 donation. You can make the donation either by logging on www.elk.org or by filling out as card located at the bar with your name, member # & dollar amount. You can give the donation either to Fred Ulrich or the bartender.

With the new year upon us, we are looking toward our members to run events that raise money & help bring us all together .

Elks Care. Elks Share

Happy New Year!

Neal Jennison, Exalted Ruler



E.R. Neal Jennison

E.L.K. Chad Wright

E.L.K. Mark Lavin PER

E.L.K. Michelle Kelleher

Sec. Fred Ulrich PER

Treas. Timothy Herzig

Tiler Robert Mott PER, PDD

Trustees:

1 yr. John M. Williams

2 yr. Gary Gadreault PER

3 yr. Scott Greaves PER

4 yr. Dave Sprague PER

Syr. Mike Blanchard PDD, PER

Esq. William Pease

Chaplain Jean Raymond

Inner Guard

Organist:

"Congratulations"

New Elk Members December 13, 2022

Matthew Abbey

Erin Gendreau

Gracie Burdick

Suzanne Herzig

Thea Leh

Shelley Nicholson

Erin quintana

Andrea Zimmerman

"ELK OF YEAR"

All members are asked to Submit a ballot for their choice of ELK OF YEAR. Forms are available at the Lodge as well as in this bulletin. Please state your name and reason behind your choice. This is a prestigious award that is bestowed upon a worthy candidate for their support during this past year. Two basic rules, they cannot be an Officer and only one is selected.

Please submit that name by
February 15, 2023

"IN MEMORIUM"

Dennis G. Moore

1972 – 2022

... "a while ago we gathered
Friendship beaming in each eye,
Now the golden cord is severed,
He has passed on realms on high."

January Birthdays

Jan. 2 Kelli Snow
3. Maurice Chamberland
7. William Ermin
8. Ed Croteau, Joe Fistes
10. Marylou Scott
13. Richard Herzig
14. Marlo Warner
16. Brett Saharceski, Peter Weis
17. Amanda Sumner
20. Bob Bassett, Mike Morowski Jr.
21. Marsha Bonnett, Cheryl Broughan
Jeffrey Baker, Kelly Wunsch
22. Mark Lavin PER
23. Jordan Celino
25. David Lewandowski, Robert Wood Jr.
26. Todd Berger, William Martin PER
27. Sean Mason, Elizabeth Moore
28. Richard Cadran, Tom Peabody
29. Gary Selanis
30. William Clark
31. Paul Doran, David Norman

Computation of Grand Lodge Dues:

Under Sections 4.231, 14.150 & 14.300 *Laws of the Order*, in addition to their annual dues, it is now mandatory for the collection of the Grand lodge Per Capita and Assessments from each member, including Life Members. *The total Per Capita for Grand Lodge, Elks Magazine and Insurance is \$29.00 per Member.* The breakdown of the total Grand Lodge Per Capita and Assessments for the 2023-2024 fraternal year is as follows:

For Grand Lodge expenses & operations	\$6.50
For subscription to Elks Magazine	\$5.50
For General Liability Insurance Assess.	\$17.00
	\$29.00
Mass. State Association	\$2.25

Regular Lodge Dues	\$60.00 + \$31.25	\$91.25
Life Members	\$30.00 + \$31.25	\$61.25

LODGE BYLAWS

Greenfield Lodge Bylaws are available on line at

<http://www.elks.org/lodges/bylaws.cfm?lodgeNumber=1296>

A user name and password are required, and access through this link is restricted to Lodge members only. Members who don't have a password may register by giving their membership number and name to Grand Lodge online at:

<http://www.elks.org/members/registration.cfm>

LODGE DUES 2023-2024

NAME: _____ Greenfield Elks #1296
ADDRESS:- _____ 3 Church St.
_____ Greenfield, Ma 01301
_____ Date: _____

Are you a Veteran? Yes No E-Mail

Regular Dues \$60.00 Grand Lodge assessments \$31.25 Due **\$91.25**

Life Member \$30.00 Grand Lodge assessments \$31.25 Due **\$61.25**

Phone #

Cell #

E-Mail

New Door Access will be installed & should be in place early 2023

Tip of the Antlers:

2022

STATUTORY AMENDMENTS

Approved at Grand Lodge Convention

In Atlanta, Georgia

Tuesday, July 5, 2022

Resolution 2022-03

Amended Section 14.260 of the Laws of the Order to read as follows:

Section 14.260.

By an affirmative secret ballot of two-thirds of those present at a regular Lodge meeting

A Member in good standing may be elected to a Life Membership when he has:

Paid to a Lodge or Lodges required annual dues for a period of not less than thirty (30) years, preceding his election

The following members are eligible for Life Membership:

You must apply for Life Membership:

Balloting will be Feb.14, 2022

**James Baker
Jeffrey D. Baker
Todd R. Berger
Stephen A. Bresciano
William P. Butynski
Michael M. Duclos
James M. Elwell
Jerry A. Gaimari
Jay B. Gilbert
Timothy E. Herzig
Jason M. Kelton
Edward Marvell
Vincent Milendez
Michael R. Morawski
Steven S. O'Connell
William H. O'Connell
Gary B. Russell
David J. Snow
John Stacy
Jon S. Tirrell
John M. Williams
Ronald J. Zabko Jr.
Bruce P. Zimmerman**

“Thank You”

**To the following members who
participated in the Christmas Basket
Delivery Saturday December 17, 2022**

**Tim Herzig, Fred Ulrich, Dave
Bonnett, Marsha Bonnett, Camden
Bonnett, Bill O’Connell, Buzz Blanchard,
John Williams, Lee Jenks, Neil Black,
Corey O’Connell, Jim Cadran, Jerry
Gaimari, Bob Mott, Ed Underwood,
Doug Turner, Ron Zabko, Connor Zabko,
Tom Herzig, Krista Campbell Westfield
Elks.**

“Hoop Shoot Program”

**E. R. Neal Jennison Bob Mott,
Gary Gadreault, Matt Sheridan,
Shelly Kelleher, Corey O’Connell,**

JANUARY 2023

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Patriots vs Miami Dolphins			6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Pitch League			12:00 pm - 12:30 pm Private Party
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
		6:00 pm - 8:00 pm BOD & Lodge Meeting	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Pitch League			12:00 pm - 12:30 pm Private Party
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	8:00 am - 3:00 pm LifeLine Screening		6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Pitch League			12:00 pm - 12:30 pm Private Party
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
12:00 pm - 12:30 pm Nark Lavin PER Birthday		6:00 pm - 8:00 pm BOD & Lodge Meeting	6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Pitch League	12:00 pm - 12:30 pm Bill Martin PER Birthday		
29	30	31				