WATERTOWN ELKS LODGE #496

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Exalted Ruler's Message

Happy New Year!! Hope everyone had a Merry Christmas. Here's to hoping for a better year.

I have received several "job well done" by the people, but credit should go to the officers and members of our Lodge for making my job easy, which is a true testament to the members for showing strength and resiliency during an extremely difficult time.

I am extremely proud of how Memorial Sunday turned out. My heartfelt gratitude goes out to PER/Memorial Sunday chairperson Jill Bruce Wiley for finding ways to be able to continue our annual BEAUTIFUL service despite the pandemic we are facing.

Thank you to those who donated to the "Operation Warm Feet" Appeal and Senior Citizens' Harvest Dinner. I am amazed at how much has been donated so far and it further enhanced my belief in Christmas miracles!

Thanks to the members and guests for continuing to comply with guidelines in the Lodge. It is the reason we are able to remain open.

Fraternally yours, ER Dennis J Brady

January 2021

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
		Lunch Tu	unch Tuesday-Friday 12-2		1 Bloody Mary Specials scroll down	2	
					Kitchen Closed		
3 Bowling 11 & 2	4 Wings, Hot Dogs & Fries 5-7	5 Steak 5-7 QOH 7:00	6 Burgers 5-7 Bell Jar 5:00	7 Lodge Session 7:30 Trustees 7:00	8 Dinner 5-7	9	
10 Bowling 11 & 2	11 Wings, Hot Dogs & Fries 5-7 House Committee 6:30	12 Steak 5-7 QOH 7:00	13 Burgers 5-7 Bell Jar 5:00	14	15 Dinner 5-7	16	
17 Bowling 11 & 2	18 Wings, Hot Dogs & Fries 5-7	19 Steak 5-7 QOH 7:00	20 Burgers 5-7 Bell Jar 5:00	21 Lodge Session & Initiation 7:30 No dinner	22 Dinner 5-7	23	
24 Bowling 11 & 2	25 Wings, Hot Dogs & Fries 5-7	26 Steak 5-7 QOH 7:00	27 Burgers 5-7 Bell Jar 5:00 Board of Direc- tors 6:30	28	29 Dinner 5-7	30	
31 Bowling 11 & 2 Last day to order pizzas						Feb. 6 Pizza Pickup Noon-4	

The information presented here is up-to-date as of this mailing. You can find additions and changes on our website www.elks496.com or our Facebook page.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES



The monthly Board of Trustees meeting is set for Thursday, January 7th, starting at 7:00 p.m. This meeting is open to all members.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors will be on Wednesday, January 27th, starting at 6:30 p.m. This meeting is open to all members.

Lodge Hours					
Sunday	1:00-7:00				
Monday	2:00-8:00				
Tuesday	12:00-9:00				
Wednesday	12:00-9:00				
Thursday	12:00-9:00				
Friday	12:00-9:00				
Saturday	12:00-9:00				

Lodge Information

Lodge: 315-788-1270 Fax: 315-788-1681

Lodge email: elks496@centralny.twcbc.com

Website: www.elks496.com
Facebook: Watertown Elks 496

DDGER Arthur Joe Spriggs, DODGER, PSVP, 1220 Knox Street, Ogdensburg, NY 13669 315-262-4227 email gspriggs22@aol.com

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

Thank you to all of our members who have returned our request for email addresses so we could start emailing the monthly bulletin.

The bulletin will continue to be available on our website at www.elks496.com, where the monthly calendar and events are updated regularly. If you do not have access to a computer or smartphone, copies of the bulletin will be available at the Lodge.

If your 2020-2021 dues have not been paid, your door key privileges were suspended September 10th. Please pay your dues as soon as possible and we can reactivate your card/fob.

There are many cards and fobs behind the bar that need to be picked up. Please do so as soon as possible. Cards/Fobs will not be mailed.

PLEASE NOTE: If you have a plastic card or fob for door entry, this is permanent and you will not receive a new one each year.

PLEASE NOTE: Dues statements for 2021-2022 will be printed shortly and mailed out after the $1^{\rm st}$ of the year. If you have not paid your 2020-2021 dues, please do so as soon as possible. Thank you.

Contact Information: Leave a message with a bartender (I have an envelope behind the bar which I check on a regular basis); Email Address: melissamvanbrocklin0496@gmail.com

Fraternally,

Melissa M VanBrocklin, OOY, Lodge Secretary Watertown Elks Lodge #496 PO Box 6008 Watertown, NY 13601 315-788-1270



Dues For 2020-2021 Lodge Year Regular Dues: \$82.00 Life Member Dues: \$52.00 Membership as of December 30, 2020 -- 1,492

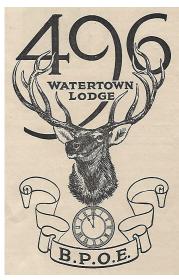
"To Our Absent Members"
...upon our tablets of love and memory their
names shall endure forever.

Delbert E. Leween









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Gift certificates are available to purchase for your fellow Elks. The minimum amount is \$10 and the maximum is \$100 each with no expiration date. If you wish to spend more than \$100 just buy more than one!



To book an event at the Lodge call Stephanie at 315-816-8010 OR 315-788-1270 (Lodge phone)





MONDAY WINGS, HOT DOGS & FRIES

5:00-7:00

10 Bone-in or Boneless Wings \$7.95 Mild, Hot, Butter Garlic, Tangy Honey Mustard

Hot Dog \$3.00

Basket of Fries \$3.95









STEAK NIGHT TUESDAY

5:00-7:00 \$13.00

WEDNESDAY BURGERS, BASKET & BEER

DINE IN OR TAKE OUT ~ 5:00-7:00

Each burger comes with a basket of fries plus a beer, well drink or soda.

ER Burger (plain burger) \$9.00 inc. tax **ER Burger with cheese** \$9.00 inc. tax \$9.50 inc. tax **ER Deluxe Bacon Burger**

(lettuce, tomato, onion, cheese, bacon)



Friday Dinners

Jan 8 Chicken & Sausage Jambalaya, cornbread, veggies \$12.95 Jan 15 Baby Back Ribs, mac & cheese, veggies 1/2 rack \$13.95

\$16.95 \$15.95

Jan 22 Baked Sea Scallops, butter garlic mashed, veggies Jan 29 Grilled Steak Tips, balsamic glaze, wild rice, veggies

Every Friday Prime Rib \$17.95

Fish Fry \$10.95



\$13.95



New Year's Day Open Noon to 6:00 **Bloody Mary Specials Kitchen Closed**

PIZZA SALE

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6th

PICKUP Noon - 4:00 pm

ORDERS MUST BE PLACED BY JANUARY 31st ALL PIZZAS ARE UNCOOKED

Plain cheese \$12

Butter garlic \$12

Cheese & pepperoni \$13

Cheese & sausage \$13 **Deluxe** \$15

(cheese, sausage, pepperoni, peppers, onions)

Buffalo Chicken \$15

TOTAL TO BE PAID WHEN ORDERING

Order forms available at the bar and on the website www.elks496.com

SCHOLARSHIP

Elks National Foundation Legacy Award

This is open to all seniors who are children and grandchildren of an Elk member in any Lodge - Deadline February 5, 2021. Applications are at Elks.org :: Legacy Awards Application Rules

For more information contact Peg Bootie at 315-788-0298 or by email at abigail18932@verizon.net

From the Editor

I will try to include as much information as possible every month. There are bound to be changes, corrections or additions after you receive this bulletin. Those will be found on our website www.elks496.com or our Facebook page.

If you have any suggestions for content that you would like to see in the future, please feel free to email me. They will be considered and included if appropriate.

Joan Soderquist, Editor joansode496@gmail.com



Printing This Bulletin



It has come to my attention that some members wish to print this bulletin. Although it is designed to be viewed on a phone or computer, it can be printed on 8.5 x 11 paper. This should work for most home printers but there may be differences in terminology between brands. Contact me by email if you have a problem and I will try to help.

Double click on the printer symbol in the upper right
Paper size should be automatically set to letter
Click on "more settings" or something similar
Click on "fit to printable area" or "fit to page" or similar
Click on "print on both sides" if it is an option and you want to save paper

Joan Soderquist, Editor joansode496@gmail.com

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Jeffrey J. Turner	1	Ronald E. Chisamore	11	Gary Stinson	18	Raymond Shelmidine	25	
Thomas G. Compo	2	Timothy M. Esposito	11	lan Voodre	18	Edward C. Banach	26	
David A. Renzi	2	Virginia Fleming	11	Gordon E. Greene	19	George Morley Jr.	26	
Charles G. Caprara	3	Frank J. Schepis	11	Tara Hess	19	C. William Stoodley Jr.	26	
Lisa A. Davoy	3	Stephanie Shorkey	11	Todd Knight	19	Loren W. Walts	26	
Patrick E. Hayes	3	Frank Marzano V	12	Cathryn A. Phillips	19	James P. DiStefano Jr.	27	
Patrick F. Merritt	3	lan E. Olley	12	Edward Thomas	19	Cindy L. Eiss	27	
Darren W. Smith	3	Paul M. Bouchard	13	David N. Butler	20	Jeffrey L. Wiley	27	
Michael Barker	4	Brian L. Cowan	13	Douglas S. Clement	20	Cynthia Woolf Mason	28	
Joelle Decillis	4	Dina L. Kelly	13	Eric Hoistion	20	Mary McClure	28	
Thomas E. Gee	4	Timothy D. Tallmadge	13	Arthur H. Parker	20	Leo S. McNulty	28	
Robin Smith	4	Elwyn J. Bodley	14	Peter J. Phillips	20	Justina Neddo	28	
Sandra L. Bruno	5	Nicholas A. D'Argenio	14	Denise Deline	21		28	
Scott E. Clark	5	Bonnie M. Herman	14		21		29	
Michael Dailey	5	John H. Keegan	14		21	Edward C. Lanning	29	
Connie Mulcahy	5	Lawrence M. LaFave	14		21		29	
Edward J. Eassa	6	Leo R. Coleman Jr.	15		21	James L. Becker	30	
Joseph A. Fiorentino	6	Charles H. Holland	15	Steven C. Wood	21		30	
Ronald D. Horning	6	Donald G. Smith	15	The state of the s	22		30	
Francis J. Jenness	7	Christopher S. Boulio		Patrick C. Frier	22		30	
Chuck Capone	8	Jack P. McIlroy	16		22		30	
William J. Dowdle	8	Leo K. Thompson			22		30	
Paul E. Heckmann	8	Steven N. Adams	17		:	John P. Burns	31	
Scott W. Kolb	8		17	Lloyd Damon	24		31	
Bruce MacKenzie	9	Craig Frederick	17		24		31	
Robin Scordo	9	Walter M. Gallo	17	Linda Harter	24	Joseph H. Gravelle	31	
David A. Gebo	10			Walter G. Jones	24		31	
Derek Oliver	10			Donald E. Godfrey		Steve Smith	31	
Alexander F. Ritz Jr.	10		18	,	25			
Mark A. Capone	11	John Parks	18	Judy Motter	25			

Officers 2020-2021

Exalted Ruler
Esteemed Leading Knight
Esteemed Loyal Knight
Esteemed Lecturing Knight
Secretary
Treasurer
Esquire
Tiler

Edward C. Massa Anne M. Fleming Victor A. James Melissa M. VanBrocklin Ernest K. Mustizer Margaret L. Bootie Linda A. Lepper Bill Martin Linda S. James

Dennis J. Brady

Inner Guard Trustees:

Chaplain

PER John M. Navarra, Chair Linda Knight PER Cheryl A. Clark PER Anthony J. Verne PER Kathy M. Converse

Presiding Justice: Matt Doheny Mediator: PER Cheryl A. Clark

House Committee Chair: PER Joseph Navarra

Lodge Manager: Ernie Mustizer

