

Exalted Ruler's Message

First of all, I'd like to wish everyone a Happy New Year! As this New Year starts, remember in February is nomination for new officers. If you are interested in becoming an officer, please let us know.

Thank you for your donations to Warm Hands, Warm Feet and the Harvest Dinner for Seniors. Also our Children's Christmas party was a complete success.

We will start taking orders in January for pizza sales with the pickup date set for February 10th, just in time for the Super Bowl. Please check the bulletin and online for events that are happening. We've got a lot coming up.

And as always, please pay your dues and try to get your friends and family to become members.

Stay safe and God Bless.

Fraternally yours,

ER Anne M Fleming

January Events

PIZZA SALE



ORDER YOURS AND
GET THEM IN TIME FOR
SUPER BOWL LVII



PICK UP ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10th

Noon—4:00 PM

ORDERS MUST BE PLACED BY FEBRUARY 3rd

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.

BINGO at the BAR

(Activity Committee Event)

Thursday, January 25th at 6:30 PM

FUN & FREE for Members and Guests

Lots of Prizes!!!

Come and have fun!

District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Adam Fuller

PO Box 481, Carthage, NY 13619

Phone: (315) 778-8413

E-mail: DDAdamFuller@gmail.com (official business)

New Year's Day

Open Noon to 6:00 PM Bloody Mary—\$1.50
Happy Hour Prices All Day
Kitchen Closed
HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!



Trivia NIGHT

(Activity Committee Event)

Friday, January 12th at 7:00 PM

Open to Members & Sponsored Guests

NO Cost

Teams of up to 4 people

FOUR Rounds, TEN Questions each

NO Cell Phone use for answers

Come for fun and support your Elks Lodge!

Your Host Trivia Master: David Clement



Cornhole Tournament

(Activity Committee Event)

Saturday, January 27th

Doors open at 11:00 AM

Competition opens at 12:00 NOON

Entry—\$20 per player

Black River Baggers Officiating

Switcholio Format

Everyone has a chance!

Open to the PUBLIC!



BELL JAR REPORT

November 2023

Total Income:	\$14,144.00
Total Expenses:	\$5,027.57
Worthy Causes:	\$190.00
Net Income:	\$8,926.43

Del Leween Funday Bowling League

League begins Sunday, January 7th at 1:00 PM. Be there around noonish to complete your USBC's!!

Major Project

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

FUN Winter Bash

is coming!!!

It'll take place at our Lodge on

Saturday, February 24th.

Cocktails will start at 5 PM with Dancing with

Ben Wisner's Full Circle to follow at 6 PM!

Limited number of tickets and more info to come after the

New Year.

Fun, Food and Raffles!!

All proceeds will to go Major Project.

Events for January/February

The events for the month of December and January will be posted at the Lodge, on our Facebook page and on our website. Please check back on these sites as more information will become available and updated. At the time of printing this monthly bulletin, we were working on and finalizing arrangements for each event.

January Meetings...

January 2nd—Activity Committee Meeting 6:30 PM

January 3rd—PER Association Meeting 6:00 PM

January 4th—Trustees Meeting 6:30 PM

January 4th—Lodge Session 7:30 PM

January 8th—House Committee Meeting 6:30 PM

January 18th—Lodge Session 7:30 PM

January 21st—District Deputy Clinic 10:00 AM

January 22nd—House Committee Meeting 6:30 PM

January 24th—Board of Directors Meeting 6:30 PM

February Meetings...

February 1st—Trustees Meeting 6:30 PM

February 1st—PER Night/Lodge Session/Nomination of Officers
7:30 PM

All information for next month's bulletin must be submitted by the **15th** of every month. Thank you for your cooperation.
PER Dennis J Brady, Editor

MEMBERS ON THE SICK BOARD

Terry Scee Jr

HLM John A Schneider

George Grappotte

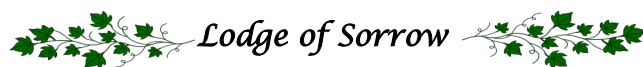
Scott Hirst

Toni LaFex

William P Coty

Ron Netto SR

James VanDusen



Darwin A Danks # 8153

James L Coullier LM # 6099

James P DiStefano Jr # 6942

Joseph A Sylvester Jr LM # 5586

From the secretary's desk:

If you have not paid your dues for 2023-2024, the Regular Dues are \$94.00 and Life Member Dues are \$64.00. Payments can be made at the Lodge with cash or credit card or a check can be mailed to the address shown below. Also, dues can be paid online at:

<https://search.revopay.com/elkslodge>.

Changes to LIFE MEMBER status is as follows: You must be a paid 30-year member. The age requirement has been dropped. No refunds for the current year. The status will take effect the next lodge year. To apply, send a written request with your member number and contact information to the Lodge Secretary.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Heather Sullivan

Watertown Elks Lodge 496

PO Box 6008

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Email: elks496secretary@gmail.com

FRIDAY NIGHT DINNERS

January 5th—New Year's Good Luck Chicken, Sausage & Shrimp Jambalaya

January 12th—Yankee Pot Roast w/ mashed potatoes and seasonal vegetables

January 19th—Chicken Parm w/ spaghetti. Also Prime Rib 15-serving special w/ choice of 2 sides

January 26th—Baked Sea Scallops w/ Butter Garlic rice & seasonal vegetables

Prime Rib: 15-servings special every 3rd scheduled Friday of the month. First come, first serve until 15 prime ribs are gone!

Reminder: Lodge sessions, Trustees Meetings, House Committee meetings and Board of Directors meetings are open to ALL members!! Any questions or concerns, PLEASE ATTEND!!!

To book an event at the lodge, call:

Event Phone Number: (315) 816-8010 or

Lodge Phone Number: (315) 788-1270

Fax: (315) 788-1681

Email: elks496@centralny.twcbc.com

Activity Committee

Volunteers and new committee members always welcome!
Committee members meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 PM. Come join us!

January 2024

MSPE = Member Sponsored Private Event

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!</p>	<p>1 New Year's Day Open noon to 6 PM Bloody Mary—\$1.50 Happy Hour Prices All Day Kitchen Closed</p>	<p>2 Steak Night Tuesday 5-7:30 PM \$17.00 Queen of Hearts 7PM Activity Comm.—6:30 PM</p>	<p>3 Wednesday Night Burgers 5-7:30 PM MSPE 6—8 PM PER Mtg—6:00 PM</p>	<p>4 Lodge Session 7:30 PM Trustees 6:30 PM</p>	<p>5 Friday Night Dinner New Year's Good Luck Chicken, Sausage, Shrimp Jambalaya 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>6 MSPE</p>
<p>7 Del Leween Funday Bowling League 1 PM</p>	<p>8 Monday Night Wings 5-7:30 PM House Committee Meeting 6:30 PM</p>	<p>9 Steak Night Tuesday 5-7:30 PM \$17.00 Queen of Hearts 7PM</p>	<p>10 Wednesday Night Burgers 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>11</p>	<p>12 Friday Night Dinner Yankee Pot Roast 5-7:30 PM Trivia Night 7:00 PM (Activity Comm. Event)</p>	<p>13 MSPE 5—8 PM</p>
<p>14 Del Leween Funday Bowling League 1 PM</p>	<p>15 Monday Night Wings 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>16 Steak Night Tuesday 5-7:30 PM \$17.00 Queen of Hearts 7PM</p>	<p>17 Wednesday Night Burgers 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>18 Lodge Session 7:30 PM</p>	<p>19 Friday Night Dinner Chicken Parm w/ Spaghetti Also Prime Rib Special 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>20 MSPE 4—8 PM</p>
<p>21 District Deputy Clinic 9AM—2 PM Del Leween Funday Bowling League 1 PM</p>	<p>22 Monday Night Wings 5-7:30 PM House Committee Meeting 6:30 PM</p>	<p>23 Steak Night Tuesday 5-7:30 PM \$17.00 Queen of Hearts 7PM</p>	<p>24 Wednesday Night Burgers 5-7:30 PM Board of Directors 6:30 PM</p>	<p>25 Bingo at the Bar - (Activity Comm. Event) 6:30 PM</p>	<p>26 Friday Night Dinner Baked Sea Scallops 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>27 Cornhole Tournament Doors open at 11 AM</p>
<p>28 Del Leween Funday Bowling League 1 PM</p>	<p>29 Monday Night Wings 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>30 Steak Night Tuesday 5-7:30 PM \$17.00 Queen of Hearts 7PM</p>	<p>31 Wednesday Night Burgers 5-7:30 PM</p>	<p>Monday Night Wings: 10 bone-in \$10.95 10 boneless \$9.95 5 chicken tenders \$9.95</p>	<p>Wednesdays Burgers & Fries: all burgers \$10.95 plus tax. Deep fried cheese curds w/ gravy—\$6.95 plus tax.</p>	<p>Tuesday—Friday Lunches: sandwiches, Wraps, salads, soups of the day, daily specials. 11:30 AM—2 PM</p>



Watertown

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LODGE HOURS

Monday	2:00PM—9:00PM
Tuesday-Wednesday	11:00AM—9:00PM
Thursday	11:00AM—9:00PM *
*Except on Meeting Nights	
Friday	11:00AM—11:00PM
Saturday	11:00AM—11:00PM
Sunday	12:00PM— 7:00PM

Home of PSP Francis Hart, PSP Nelson Navarra & PSP Timothy E. Kelly
 Home of 2023-2024 North Central District SVP Joan Carlo

January 2024

Officers 2023—2024

Exalted Ruler	Anne M. Fleming
Est. Leading Knight	Michael Cummings
Est. Loyal Knight	Philip K Nuffer
Est. Lecturing Knight	Margaret "Peg" Bootie
Secretary	Heather Sullivan
Treasurer	Beth A. Bennett
Esquire	Karen Miller
Tiler	Vacant
Chaplain	PER Dennis J. Brady
Inner Guard	Linda Lepper

Trustees:

PER Anthony J. Verne—chair	Presiding Justice—Matt Doheny
Linda Knight	Mediator: Vic James
Mary Hughes-Hoiston	House Committee: Don Boshart
Jay Miller	Bar Manager: Geoff Mattraw
PER Edward C. Massa	Kitchen Manager: Chris McCauley



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Watertown, New York 13601-6008

January Birthday Happy Birthday to all who have birthdays this month! Stop into the Lodge on your special day.

Mark Decilles	1 Paul E Heckmann	8 Bonnie M Herman	14 Gary Stinson	18 George J Eassa	24 George H Lafex II	30
Thomas G Compo	2 Scott W Kolb	8 John H Keegan	14 Ian Voodre	18 Linda Harter	24 Deborah J Patchen	30
Brenna Ginger	2 Bruce MacKenzie	9 Lawrence M Lafave	14 Gordon E Greene	19 Donald E Godfrey	25 Michael A Pierce	30
David A Renzi	2 Robin Scordo	9 Leo R Coleman Jr	15 Todd Knight	19 Jody Hewitt	25 Joan C Roach	30
Damita J Smith	2 David A Gebo	10 Donna Oakes	15 Edward Thomas	19 Judy Motter	25 Joseph H Gravelle	31
Charles G Caprara	3 James Miller	10 Christopher S Boulio	16 David N Butler	20 Raymond Shelmidine	25 Charles L Schweinsberg	31
Patrick F Merritt	3 Alexander F Ritz Jr	10 Suzanne Davis	16 Douglas S Clement	20 George Morley Jr	26 Steve Smith	31
Darren W Smith	3 Mark A Capone	11 Nicolas Kammeyer	16 Kristine Frederick	20 C William Stoodley Jr	26	
Michael Barker	4 Ronald E Chisamore	11 Jack P McIlroy	16 Eric Hoiston	20 Loren W Walts	26	
Joelle Decillis	4 Timothy M Esposito	11 Connie Riordan	16 Arthur H Parker	20 James P Distefano Jr	26	
Thomas E Gee	4 Dr Frank J Schepis	11 Leo K Thompson	16 Peter J Phillips	20 Cindy L Eiss	27	
Robin Smith	4 Stephanie Shorkey	11 Steven N Adams	17 Denise Deline	21 Jeffrey L Wiley	27	
Sandra L Bruno	5 Frank Marzano V	12 Craig Frederick	17 Patrick E O'Donnell	21 Cynthia Woolf Mason	27	
Scott E Clark	5 Paul M Bouchard	13 Walter M Gallo	17 Steven C Wood	21 Leo S McNulty	28	
Nicholas O'Brien	5 Brian L Cowan	13 Bonnie M Peck	17 Cindy Fitzpatrick	22 James Scordo	28	
Joseph A Fiorentino	6 Dina L Kelly	13 John J Morgia Sr	18 Michael J Hanson	22 Griffin DeForest	28	
Ronald D Horning	6 Timothy D Tallmadge	13 Victor Natali	18 Melissa Kampnich	22 Scott Scee	29	
Chuck Capone	8 Elwyn J Bodley	14 John Parks	18 Amanda Jo Mayne	22 John J Clement	29	
William J Dowdle	8 Nicholas A D'Argenio	14 Danny Roberts Jr	18 Lloyd Damon	24 Michael J Fortunato	30	
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