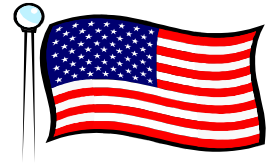




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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

By Steven Asp



Happy New Year Fellow Elks! I hope this finds you all healthy, prosperous and looking forward to another good year in 2018. December had some busy times for the Lodge, but I must admit, I missed a lot of them. Along with Elks Ken Greene, Linda Griggs, Jim Springer and his wife Jan, Alane and I were gone almost half of the month on a cruise celebrating Alane's birthday. We left on the 6th from Los Angeles and came home on the 21st from Fort Lauderdale which included a trip through the Panama Canal. It was quite a trip and I would encourage anyone pondering such a deal to do it!

There are some December accolades to talk about. For as long as I can remember being associated with our Lodge, we have had a dictionary program wherein 3rd graders in several local schools are presented with dictionaries. Also for as long as I can remember, one person has been responsible for not only providing those dictionaries, but presenting them to the students at the schools. That Elk is Joyce Garcia and I was fortunate to be able to attend a couple of her presentations and she does a wonderful job interacting with the students. It was quite fun to participate in. A big thank you Joyce, for your continued support of this great Elk program.

But Joyce doesn't stop there; she has also been responsible for organizing the annual Clothe-a-Child program which the Lodge does every December. She sent out letters to all members publicizing the event which brought in considerable monetary donations in support of the program. Huge donations combined with a Gratitude Grant we received, provided enough to do the shopping, plus buy art supplies for the school. She organized all the Elk shoppers, coordinating with the Roadrunner Elementary School to get 34 needy children to the Wal-Mart at Oro Valley Marketplace for a shopping experience. We were able to spend \$140 per student thanks to all the generous donations to the effort. Joyce, and her able helper Bridgette Lach, were on hand at the store to make sure all the kids got paired up with shoppers. And of course, after the shopping, the kids came to the Lodge for lunch, Santa and more presents provided by Jack and Gail Baillargeon. Huge Thank You again to Joyce for all she does in promotion of this another great Elk program and thanks to all the Elk shoppers and helpers who helped make the day a success!

Another big Thank You goes to Jan Trudeau for the work she did on the Adopt a Family program where kids in needy families get Christmas presents that they might not have gotten. She said that she and Leading Knight Bob Keilsa delivered enough presents to make a Merry Christmas to nine more kids who might have otherwise not had one. Thank you Jan, for your continued support of this annual program. And thanks to you all who donated the money to make this program happen.

Sorry we missed the Christmas Party on the 9th; I heard that a small crowd enjoyed a great dinner that Cindy Ohmstead, our wonderful head chef, plated and served. And the Night Hart Group, Craig and Julie, did a great job of providing music which I also heard kept the dance floor full. At the time you were enjoying the night, we had just left Puerta Vallarta heading for Hualtuco, Oh well....

2017-2018

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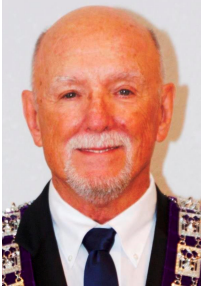
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James Gillis	1982-1983
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Jodi Patterson	2006-2007

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LEADING KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

By Bob Kielsa



Charitable Events Completed and on the Calendar:

For the of our lodge year we will be working to support our First Lady of the Arizona Elks Janet Casacchia's project "Undies for the Veterans". We can help by donating new underwear, socks, t-shirts and athletic shirts for our veterans. All donations can be made in the lounge using the green barrel.

Eighteen lodge members helped stuff 226 bags of Thanksgiving food for the Impact group in Catalina.

Our Veterans committee conducted a Free Veterans luncheon for local vets on Veterans Day, November 11th. Thank you to all the volunteers who helped on this event.

We were able to provide a free tour to Biosphere 2 for 10 veterans as well a McDonalds lunch.

As we enter into the "Season of Giving" we would like to remind you of possible lodge "giving" opportunities. (1) ENF the Elks Nation Foundation, (2) AEMP, Arizona Elks Major Project, (3) Our Children's Shopping Spree needs help and (4) Our Adopt a Family event needs help, you can call Jan Trudeau at 520- 818-0742 for more info.

Our annual Christmas Shopping event took 35 children to the Oro Valley Walmart for clothes. When the shopping was done there was pizza luncheon, Santa arrived via the Golder Ranch Fire Department, and Santa passed out two gifts to each child. Being one of the many many Elks who helped in this event it was one of the most personally satisfying event in which I have ever had the chance to take part. Thank you Joyce Garcia for heading up this very rewarding event, and thank you to all the volunteers who helped to make it so successful. The event was financed by a national grant and many generous contributions from our membership!

Another wonderful event, the Adopt A Child was run in conjunction with Impact of Southern Arizona. Jan Trudeau shopped and wrapped presents for 12 children in our community. The \$900 used for this wonderful event was provided through very generous donations from our members to Jan's Community Activities Committee.

Our lodge also donated \$300 to help feed and clothe a family who lost their furniture and clothing before Thanksgiving.

We have a family needing a single bed and box-spring as well as a full size mattress and box spring for their two children. A queen or king size will not work. I have talked to the mother, a day bed would do just fine for either size. If you have something to donate please give me a call at 520-825-0240.



ELKS OF THE MONTH

AS the 2017 year ends with some remarkable statistics for our Lodge Social quarters, I would like to recognize those who made that happen. The Treasurer told me the bar sales were up 21% over last year with a total profit of \$25,000, which is up 35% from last year. I believe, and several others concur with me, that is due in total to our current House Committee Chair Judy Humitz and her staff of Bar Stewards, Ricky Etzel, Kathy Mikitish and Mandy Wittenborn. Through their diligence in managing inventory and creating a welcoming atmosphere in the Lodge, we have seen this remarkable success. I am pleased to name Judy, Ricky, Kathy and Mandy, January Elks of the Month.



OUR POET LAUREATE

Jim Cox PER

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January 2018

**Best rest, my friends, and breathe in deep.
The new year's here and time to reap
all the good seeds we have sowed,
and pledge, once more, our vows to keep.**

PER ASSOCIATION

By Sig Danielson PER



The PERA is teaming with the House Committee for a Steak Fry on January 20, 2018. Come down and join us at 6:00pm for a ribeye steak, baked potato, green beans, Caesar salad and a roll all for only \$22.00. Proceeds will benefit PERA Charities and the Lodge General Fund. Please sign up in the Lounge.

The PERA is assisting next year's ER Bob Kielsa in preparing for his year. If you are willing to become an officer, a committee chair or a committee member please see Bob or any PER for further information.

Why not make a New Year's Resolution to give the gift of life by becoming an Organ Donor! This act would allow for your legacy to continue after you are gone. For more information and to sign up please see donatelifenz.org. If you are a current donor or become a donor please let me know at 520 825-3300 or RDanie4344@aol.com.

January Birthdays

01 Arnold Kirbyson, Jack Macy, Paul Schmidt, Philip Silensky, Dorothy Varian, **02** David Broadfoot, Joseph Holden, **03** Joseph Frank, **04** Stephen Dennison, William Frahm, John Wohner, **05** Edward Clark, Jim Hagedon, James Martens, Cayetano Ronquillo, **07** Frank Fenton, Keith Pierpont, Debra Thienes, **09** John Nanosky, Susan Smith, William Wendreski **10** Sergio Salazar, **12** Ronald Anderson, **13** Nick Giodana, **14** Ralph Haberski, **16** Rob Weiss, **17** Lamont McConnell, **18** Cheryl Anderson, Larry Nelson, **19** Albert Peterson, Dustin Roberts, **21** Walter Saczawa, Charles West, Bob Willing, **22** Theodore Lafleur, James Powers, **24** Ronald Makinen, **25** Jorden Grimm, Justen Grimm, Karen Hop, Katherine Starjnski, William Wyllie, **27** Patrice Ross, **29** John Hunsperger, Raymond Martinez, Roger Plum, **30** Robert Holzapfel, Lisa Marie Jelderks, Joseph Willis.



SECRETARY'S CORNER

By Robin Danielson PER



Happy New Year from the Secretary's office. Hope everyone had a wonderful and healthy Christmas and that Santa was good to each and everyone of you.

There is still time for a former Elk to get a lower rate to be re-instated back into the Lodge. If anyone knows of such a person, encourage them to get a hold of me by the 31st of January and I can start the process of reinstatement, for only \$1.00 (plus the pro-rated dues from April 1, 2016) normal cost for re-instatement fees are \$25.00

Membership Stats as of December 21, 2017

Active Members: 528
Candidates: 5
Initiated: 16
Affiliated: 7
Reinstated: 7
Transferred out: 4
Deaths: 5
Delinquency: 51 (10.02%)
Average Age: 70.05

Reminder: If you move or are out of town for an extended period of time, please let me know so I can update your address in your file, so your monthly newsletter will follow you.

If you have not paid your dues for this Lodge year, Please do so as soon as possible, as the time is fast approaching for the new Lodge year to begin and anyone who has not been paid will be dropped for non-payment **don't let that happen to you.**

On a weekly basis I update our Charity Book. If you are a chairman of a committee and have had an event, please get an event report (you can get one from me or there are always some available in the lounge) to me as soon as you can afterwards, so I can keep on top of it and I don't miss any important events, that should be put in our charity book that gets reported to Grand Lodge.



HOUSE COMMITTEE

By Judith Humitz



Fellow Elk's

I hope you all having a great holiday. It's been a lot of fun at the Elk's this month with our Clothe a Child, Hoop Shoot, Christmas Party, Bar Bingo, NFL football and Texas Hold'Em.

It was my first Clothe a Child with the Elk's and it was an experience I'll remember for a long time. Hearing the volunteers telling their stories about the buying clothes experience was both heart breaking and/or funny. Seeing these children gobble up the pizza donated by Jack at Mario's Pizza and cookies donated by Cakes for Causes was wonderful. One little guy explained to me that he hadn't eaten since school lunch the day before. If you haven't experienced the feelings you get when dealing with these children, please join in for our next event. As a somewhat new member I'm really starting to understand what the Elk's is about. A big thank you to Joyce and all her volunteers.



Santa, Joyce & Elroy the antidrug dog.



Gloria getting ready for her part!

January brings in a lot more of fun doings. Don't forget the bar is open from 1 to 7 most days and you can always catch a hamburger, hotdog, pizza or popcorn.

Tuesdays still feature tacos, Wednesday's the Dinner night and Friday's Queen of Hearts featuring brats, hotdogs and hamburgers.

Karaoke is February 12 in the bar area. If you haven't joined in come on down and hear our great singers. We have some regulars that will entertain you with their great voices like Jan T., Pam, Jamie, Jim, Tom, Doug and we can't forget Harry!

Saturday January 20th. at 6:00 PM will be a steak Dinner Night sponsored by the PER Association. The menu is ribeye steak, baked potato, green beans, Caesar salad and rolls. All this for \$22.00 each. The proceeds will go to the PERA Charity fund and Lodge fund so please come join us for a great meal.

LODGE ACTIVITIES

By Jan Trudeau



Happy New Year, and welcome to 2018. It's amazing how fast the years seem to pass now. January has some fun events scheduled.

First, we have Bar Bingo on Saturday January 6th. It runs from 2-4 PM. Come on down, have some and hopefully you can yell out-BINGO.

Next, we have Karaoke scheduled for Friday January 12th. It starts at 6:30-just after the Queen of hearts drawing. Please join us for some fun and laughs. It really is a hoot. Sometimes, there's even dancing in the aisles. The next day, Saturday January 13th, it's our monthly Texas Hold 'Em tourney. The fun starts at 1:30. Please sign up in the lounge so we know how tables to set up.

On Saturday January 20th the PER'S are planning a steak night. Come on down for drinks at 5 or so, and dinner at 6 PM. The cost for this event is \$22.00 per person, and is being sponsored by the PER'S. It should be a really fun night. Please sign up and pay in the lounge.

There's still about a month left of football. Come on down on Sunday's starting at 11 AM for football, food, and fun. Since football is almost over, we're looking for some new ideas for small events to hold on Sunday's. We're considering ideas like a trivia tournament, a chili cook-off, or a dessert bake-off. Is there any interest? Please contact me at the Elks and give me your thoughts. Any and all ideas will be considered. Thank you.

SAVE THE DATE : On Saturday March 10th, we are having a fund raising event to benefit "The Wall that Heals" which is a Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund project. We're planning on having a spaghetti western themed night. Please mark your calendars and attend this fun event. The proceeds are to help fund the Bring The Wall project. Detail to follow.

Community Activities

I want to thank everyone who helped with the "Adopt a Child" program. This year our lodge "adopted" 12 local kids through Impact of So. AZ. We shopped, wrapped and delivered presents of clothes, toys and art supplies to needy families right here in Catalina. I know we helped make their Christmases a little merrier. Here is a photo of me, Bob Kielsa-Leading Knight delivering the bags of toys and goodies to Brenda Garcia, program director at Impact.



CATALINA MOUNTAIN SPONSORS KIDS SHOPPING SPREE
By Pat Cox

Christmas came early for students from Roadrunner Elementary School in the Marana Unified School District. On Saturday, December 2, thirty-five students had the unique opportunity to be treated to a shopping spree and holiday luncheon sponsored by Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge #2815.

Lodge members and community volunteers greeted the students, grades K-6, and personally assisted each child with their clothing and shoe purchases at Oro Valley Marketplace Walmart Supercenter. The students were allowed to spend \$140 each.

Following the shopping spree, Roadrunner students attended a holiday luncheon party at the Lodge. During the luncheon, students were visited by Santa and Mrs. Claus, who arrived in a Golder Ranch Fire District fire truck. Each child received a toy from Santa and a stocking full of school supplies. Elroy the Elk also visited the lodge and distributed drug awareness literature to each student.

Catalina Mountain Elks Chairperson Joyce Garcia said, "This is one of my favorite times of the year. It is heart-warming to see what a difference the day makes for these wonderful children."



Lodge members having all the fun at Walmart



The children from Roadrunner Elementary

VETERANS COMMITTEE

By Co-Chairs, Belinda Waller and Bob Kielsa

As of December 31st, our lodge has generated \$30,847 in men's and women's clothing, books, meals, athletic equipment, travel and lodging assistance, as well as miscellaneous (small travel size) toiletries for the Southern Arizona VA Health Care.

We report our collection results using our Elks April 1st through March 31st calendar year. The Veterans's committee has set a goal of \$50,000 in donations for the 2017 - 2018 year. With three months remaining we would like to ask our members to look through their closets for clothes that they no longer need/use and lets see if we can hit that \$50,000 goal! As a reminder, warm clothing is specially needed at this time of year. Backpacks, underwear and socks are always in demand.

Our next collection date is Wednesday, January 10th at 1 PM on the back patio.

In the back of the parking lot, close to the dumpster, you will see our Vets POD. You may drop off all your vet donations in that unit. There will not be a lock on the door so any time the lot is open you may easily roll the door up and down when making your donation.

We would like to remind all of our holiday travelers, staying at motels while on their journeys, to bring in all their unused mini toiletries for our homeless veterans.

Janet Casacchia is the Arizona Elks Association First Lady and her project for the year is "Undies for the Veterans". Janet asked for all lodges to bring new underwear, socks, and t- shirts for our veterans to our October 2017 and May 2018 meetings. I'm happy to report that your lodge brought 235 undershorts as well as 9 t-shirts to our October meeting! Thank you to all who helped us in this very worthwhile clothing drive!

We will continue, throughout the remainder of our Elk year, to collect underwear, t-shirts and socks for our veterans for our May meeting.

I have to admit, our next contribution to a section of the Southern Arizona was a total unknown entity to me. Right in the middle of the Federal VA grounds the Arizona Veterans Home exists. The buildings are staffed by Arizona employees and one wing of the facility is sponsored by the Elks! Four of us, Jack , Gail, Joyce and Bob toured the buildings and we were thoroughly impressed with the facility and personal.

Finally we contributed generously to our veterans who are stuck in this Southern Arizona Hospital. A BIG thank you to Betty and Lee for delivering the gifts to our hospitalized **veterans.**

Catalina Mountain Lodge #2815's
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Saturday January 20th

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January 10th	Hard Rock BBQ Ribs
January 17th	Chicken Piccata
January 24th	Meat Loaf
January 31st	Pork Tenderloin In Bourbon Sauce

AT THE BEGINNING OF EVERY MONTH WE WILL DRAW A NAME FROM OUR MEMBERSHIP LIST FOR EVERY WEDNESDAY IN THE MONTH FOR A FREE DINNER. CHECK IT OUT.

C'mon Down For Your Free Dinner

In January

January 3rd	Jody Patterson
January 10th	Peter Williams
January 17th	Bob Wortman
January 24th	Irwin Rosener
January 31st	James Powers

Arizona Elks Major Project News – January 2018

HELP WANTED!

Arizona Elks Major Projects is looking for a new Executive Director beginning in May of this Year (2018). The office is in Tucson and open 4 days per week. This is a full time paid position, however, there are no benefits or health insurance attached to this position.

The Executive Director is required to attend State and Mid-Year Conventions, as well as the Elks National Convention. Many weekend events promoting AEMP are also required. Strong management and computer skills are required. Salary is negotiable based on knowledge, skill and ability. To apply submit a resume to AEMP Board of Directors, 4545 E 5th St, Tucson, AZ 85711, by February 21st, 2018. Questions? – Call (520) 326-0556.

THE NEW RAFFLE IS AFOOT!

2018 Mid-Year Raffle is a brand spankin' new John Deere Gator with a 14' Big Tex trailer! This American Made beauty has a 586 liquid cooled engine, 26" tires, power steering, digital instruments, brush guard, winch package and cup holders.



Tickets are available at your lodge or on-line at elks4kids.org. \$5 each or 3 for \$10. Thanks to Stotz Equipment in Willcox, AZ who gave us a great deal on this raffle prize. All proceeds benefit children, both at our Youth Camp and the UA Steele Children's Research Center

Elks Spread Christmas Cheer to Children and Veterans

Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge #2815 spread a little Christmas cheer at the Arizona Elks Pediatric Clinic at Banner University Medical Center and the Arizona State Veterans Home. Committee Chairperson Joyce Garcia, accompanied by PDDGER Jack Baillargeon, Gail Baillargeon, and Leading Knight Bob Kielsa, delivered gifts to the veterans and a Christmas tree decorated with snowbabies ornaments to the Pediatric Clinic. The children also received stuffed animals, music boxes, and 75 books, which were donated by a secret Santa and Mrs. Claus.



Pictured are (from left) Pediatric Clinic staff, Joyce Garcia, Gail and Jack Baillargeon.



Pictured are (from left) Bob, Kielsa, Gail Baillargeon, Joyce Garcia, and Jack Baillargeon.



Catalina Mountain Sponsors Hoop Shoot

Pat Cox

Catalina Mountain held its annual Elks National Hoop Shoot Free Throw Contest at Coronado Middle School in Catalina on Saturday, December 9 under the leadership of Hoop Shoot Chairperson Gloria Cisneros.

Michael Jewkes was a first place winner in the age 8-9 division, and Charlie Allard won first place in the 12-13 age division. Both boys will advance to the district competition.



Pictured (from left) are volunteers Larry Wittenborn, Bob Kielsa, Gloria Cisneros, Jan Trudeau, Neal Patronsky, Lisa Chavez, (not pictured Jack Baillargeon, Dan Bradshaw). Photo by Jim Cox

ELKS FAMILY LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

ELIGIBILITY FOR LEGACY AWARDS:

College bound high school seniors who are the

CHILDREN or GRANDCHILDREN

of dues – paying Elks are welcome to apply. Applicants compete against other children or grandchildren from the state of their sponsoring Elks Lodge. They are judged on the core values of the Elks National Foundation:

Knowledge - Charity - Community Service - Integrity

The ENF Legacy Scholarship Awards offer 300 college scholarships worth \$4,000. each to the children and grandchildren of Elks members. For more information about eligibility requirements and to obtain the online application visit: enf.elks.org/leg Applications must be submitted online on or before February 2, 2018, at 11:59 am central time.

EMERGENCY EDUCATIONAL GRANTS

Emergency Educational Grants provide undergraduate college financial assistance to children of deceased or totally disabled Elks in the form of renewable one year grants up to \$4,000. This grant is for educational assistance only.

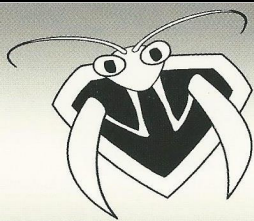
ELIGIBILITY: Eligible applicants must:

1. Attend an accredited U.S. college or university as a full time student: (12 semester hours)
2. Demonstrate financial need.
3. Be unmarried and under the age of 23 as of December 31 in the year of the application. Applications available by request between May 1 and October 31 of the academic year for which assistance is desired. To obtain an application: CONTACT the ENF office at: (773) 755 4732 or: scholarship@elks.org or enf.elks.org/eeg

Roger Mastro – Lodge Scholarship Chair
(520) 818 2259 rogmast@gmail.com

An advertisement for the Texas Hold'em PC CD ROM software. The background is red with a yellow outline of the state of Texas. Inside the outline, the words "TEXAS HOLD'EM" are written in large, bold, black letters. Above the text, there are several playing cards (aces, kings, queens, jacks, and a spade). Below the text, there are four cartoon characters sitting at a poker table. The characters are stylized and colorful. In the bottom left corner, there is a logo for "EVERYONE PC CD ROM SOFTWARE". In the bottom right corner, there is a logo for "BOLD".

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