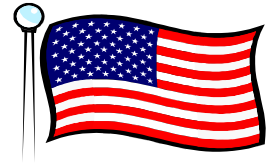




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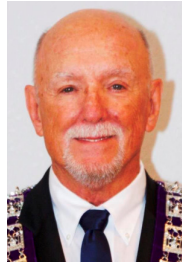
Frank Fieldhouse PDDGER

**Justice of Subordinate Forum**

Tom Sylvester

### **EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE**

**Robert Kielsa**



Wow what a summer! I hope all our members had a happy and healthy summer! Phyllis and I attended the Elks National Convention in San Antonio, Texas. What a turn out, 8466 Elks registered for the event. I did learn that the Arizona Elks are, at least in my mind, the loudest state in attendance. With our red vests, Arizona flags and our extremely loud voices, we were a hard group to miss. We voted on 15 resolutions of which 12 passed. The one resolution that did not pass, which I had hoped would, was "to allow initiations to be held in a special service where non-members can attend as guests". The vote was 1301 for and 1874 against the resolution. Maybe next year it will pass. As I indicated in my June report, I had a personal goal to see the Alamo. I'm happy to report I was able to achieve my goal!

I'm pleased to report that the Night Under the Stars event will be on Saturday, October 27th. Our music will be provided by the Greg Spivey Band. We will again have a raffle which will provide for \$500, \$300 and \$200 prize money. Tickets have been included in this Bugle. You will also be able to purchase more tickets at the lodge and the evening of the event.

What a wild ride, on Friday, August 17th the Queen of Hearts was finally uncovered on the 52nd week of the game. Our winner, Jeffery Osborn won a total of \$25,427.87. A total of \$41,748.85 was given out in winnings to our members throughout the 52 weeks. In addition, \$11,255 was given out to our community, youth activities and our veterans. A new game started on Friday, August 24th with an approximate \$3,000 prize.

Yes you did hear right, the Board of Directors formed an exploratory committee. The committee is working a five "5" year plan in which expansion of our current building is one option. The upfront items are to prepare our property for any eventuality by upgrading the infrastructure. This includes moving the septic tank, installing a hydrant, addressing our parking issues, contracting for a development plan, and becoming well versed with state, county and fire department regulations so we can make informed decisions. Once the plan is set, our members will be solicited for input and ideas as to what our lodge should look like.

**2018–2019**  
**LODGE COMMITTEES**

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**PAST EXALTED RULERS OF CATALINA MTN. NO. 2815**

**Deceased Past Exalted Rulers**

Bill McLane 2000-2001  
Victor Garcia 2001-2002  
Charles Dugas (Affiliated) 1999-2000

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Kathy Anderson 2002-2003  
Neal Patrosky 2003-2004  
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Jim Cox 2005-2006  
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Sig Danielson 2007-2008  
Lee Cook DDGER 2008-2009  
Larry Megahan 2009-2010  
Richard Esparza 2010-2011  
Thomas Wilson 2011-2012  
Earnest Cruce 2012-2013  
Robin Danielson 2013-2014

**Past Exalted Rulers Association cont'd**

Gloria Cisneros 2014-2015  
Doug Harpold 2015-2016  
Sig Danielson PER 2016-2017  
Steven Asp 2017-2018

**Affiliated Past Exalted Rulers**

James Gillis 1982-1983  
Dave Webster 1987-1988  
Ralph Welsh 1989-1990  
Jodi Patterson 2006-2007

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## LEADING KNIGHT

By Gloria Cisneros PER



Hello Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge members. This is my first article since being installed as the 2018-2019 Leading Knight. Unfortunately, I am taking our beloved friend and member Rob Weiss' position after he was not able to continue and passed away recently. He had such a great enthusiasm for the Elks and being an Officer, he will be missed always.

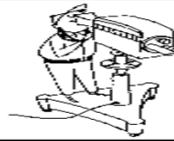
For those of you that don't know me, I would like to bring give you some information. I was initiated into this Lodge in 2011 and became Chaplain that year and Lecturing Knight the following one. I was in the Leading Knight position in the 2013-2014 Lodge year and became Exalted Ruler in 2014. Since then, I have been Loyal Knight and for a few months this year, the Esquire. I am the current Chairman of the Hoop and Soccer Shoots and the Queen of Hearts. I have enjoyed every year that I have had the honor of being an Officer for this Lodge and look forward to serving for many years to come.

I love being able to write about Charity because in truth our Lodge, and Elks in general, make it very easy to see examples of it every day. The charity funds that our Queen of Hearts game provides, is used in many different wonderful ways. This past weekend, we had the honor of hosting the Arizona athletes from the Paralyzed Veterans Association. These amazing individuals just got home from competing at their National Veterans Wheelchair Games in Orlando Florida. For the past several years we have had a going away and return luncheon for them in which the Queen of Hearts Charity fund helps with expenses. The return luncheon is so rewarding due to many reasons. The athletes share their experiences and accomplishments – many medals were brought home - with such honor and pride and we are truly blessed to be a part of it. Another part of this great event is the amazing volunteers that donate their time to make it all happen start to finish. Donating time is such an easy way to be charitable to all mankind. Nothing we do at our Lodge could happen without our volunteers – thank you!

As you go about your daily lives, take a moment to look around you and see the opportunities that are there for you to be charitable – remember – Charity is not always about money.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MESSAGE

Please do not obligate the Lodge to incur expenses without going through the proper procedures. The primary contact for physical property expenditures should be the Chairman of the Board of Directors, Jack Baillargeon. The expenditures are then brought before the Board to discuss and then taken to the Lodge meeting for member voting. If funds are spent by individuals prior to Lodge approval, the individual may be personally liable for that expense. Thank you for your understanding of the diligence needed when dealing with Lodge funds.



## ELK OF THE MONTH



If you haven't had the opportunity to be an officer at the Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge #2815 you probably haven't had the chance to work with this person. If you have questions on legality, finance, past practice, protocol, by-laws, statutes, meeting procedure, ritual, or anything else that crosses a new Exalted Rulers mind. Of course this knowledge is also readily shared with any other officer, director or member who asks for help/info. He is actively involved, almost on a daily basis, helping with various issues in the office, reconciling bar sales and possibly even ordering supplies as needed. Of course I'm talking about Jack Baillargeon. Jack, having served with our state organization, brings exceptional experience and knowledge to our lodge, its officers and membership. A big thank you to Jack and his wife Gail who have been a blessing to Phyllis and me for all the help they provided us over our first five months in office.



## OUR POET LAUREATE

Jim Cox PER

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### Patriot's Day

Those martyred in the towers  
seventeen years today  
were sacrificed by terrorists  
as message they'd convey

They hoped their act of violence  
would prove their power to  
dictate to our nation  
and threaten me and you.

We found that they awakened us  
to that which we hold dear...  
our pride in facing crises  
with fervor and not fear.

And every anniversary  
of this so tragic day  
again let's vow we will not let  
our fidelity e'er decay.

## PER ASSOCIATION

By Steven Asp PER



As I write this, I am amazed that the Queen of Hearts still survives. I was hoping this game would last through July and it sure has. The Queen of Hearts has been very fun and very good for the Lodge. As you know, a portion of the proceeds from the Queen is mandated to be spent on charitable donations and or improvements/maintenance of the Lodge. I thought I would take this opportunity to tell you how some of the money has been spent. Some time ago Tom Miller told us the Elks Youth Camp needed some money to buy sand for a cement patio project. The PERA sent them a check for \$535 to cover the expense. We also bought some sporting equipment the camp needed as well. We did donate \$1000 to Impact of Southern Arizona for their eyeglass for needy children program. There was an unexpected plumbing problem in the lounge recently; a leak and no hot water. The fix was over \$800 and the PERA paid for it. Many of you attended the memorial service for brother Rob Weiss and enjoyed the light meal following the service; we footed the bill for the food. We have supported the wheel chair vets in their quest to the wheel chair games in the past and we recently did so again to the tune of over \$2000. We are still looking for a WWII or Korea Vet to participate in Honor Flight which we will support for \$1000. Queen of Hearts funds were also used for a variety of other projects including taking Special Olympic kids to a movie, materials for the kitchen and bar remodel, a new microwave oven for the kitchen, expenses for stuff a bag and Patriots Day turkeys, hole sponsor donation for DDGER golf tournament, flag pole repair, and a donation in memory of Charlie Serventi. We are using the funds in manners in which they are intended.

### September Birthdays

**01** Jake Jacobson, **02** George Allen, Larry Little, David Loritz, **03** Peter Williams, **06** Debra Fitzgerald, Norman Henderson, Eugene Kelly, James Luke, Louise O'Donald, **07** Margaret Etzel, Donald Hamilton, **08** Elizabeth Armenta, Jo Ann French, **09** John Oliver, Larry Whitt, **10** Glen Hampton, Santo Orlando, **11** Dawn Chivers, Jack Thompson, **13** Rose Adamo, Craig Bennett, Stephen Mikitish, Frank Moss, **14** Richard Alberda, Victor Alvarez, Donald Denman, Susan Howland, Edward Louy, **15** Gary Lippe, **16** Raymond Bruns, Jesse Grimm, **18** Patricia Iverson, Neal Patronskey, Ruth Vredenburgh, **19** Steven Gottlieb, Katherine Mikitish, **20** Collen McKisson, Joseph Torres, **21** Jim Dorman, **22** Billy Tyre, **23** Don Mazanec, Katherine Nanosky, **24** William Griffin, **26** Douglas Stewart, Matt Tombre, **27** Virgil Campbell, **29** Terry Dickerson, **30** Michael Pickering, Larry Whittenborn.

## SECRETARY'S CORNER

By Robin Danielson PER



Dues payments have come to a stand still over the summer months. There are still 43 members who have not paid their membership dues for this Lodge Year.

It is never too late to pay, please remember there are **no penalties** for paying late.

A good time to come down and pay those dues is on our Queen of Hearts Night, on Fridays. The Queen reared her head on August 16<sup>th</sup>, and a new game will start on the 24<sup>th</sup>. There is a new Queen in town. Come on down pay those dues, take a chance to see if it will be you to find the new Queen. Visit with fellow Elks. It is an evening of fun for all.

**AEA Major Projects.** *Have you gotten your Raffle Tickets yet? YOU STILL HAVE TIME* The lucky winner will win a John Deere XUV 5094 S4 Gator. A donation of \$5.00 gets you a chance to win or 3 for \$10.00. There are also 4 cash prizes ranging from \$100.00 to \$500.00. The drawing will be held on Oct 20<sup>th</sup> at the AEA midyear convention. The tickets are behind the bar in the Lounge, so get yours today!!

Doug Harpold can use your help. He is the Lodge's training chairmen. Quiz # 7 is out and available to take on line. Not only could our Lodge get bragging rights for the most members to complete this survey in the District or in the State, you may also learn some new facts about the Elks. It takes just a few minutes to take. You can obtain this quiz by going to AZelks.com

Do you snow birds have your bags packed yet? We all miss you and can't wait to see your smiling faces at the Lodge. Don't forget to let the lodge secretary know you're back and to change your address to your local one so that you can keep in touch with the lodge newsletter and activities.

### Lodge Stats

Current membership: **527**

Initiated: **17**

Affiliated: **6**

Absolute Demits **1**

Deaths **2**

In Process to become members: **8**

Average Age: **70.52**

Delinquents: **43**

I would like to thank The Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge. Thank you for your support and kindness throughout an incredibly difficult time. The passing of my friend and husband Rob Weiss was a devastating loss for all of us. Rob's friends and family were extremely touched by the abundant love and generosity of our Elk Members. I appreciate all your gestures of sympathy from your cards, food, time and hugs. Rob would have been so proud of our Elks and the support extended in his memory. Whatever your part, Thank You for consoling our hearts.  
Cindy Weiss



## HOUSE COMMITTEE

By Judith Humitz



Hi Fellow Elks, Well the Queen is gone for a while. It was a long ride, but she took her time and Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> was the lucky day for a fellow Elk. We need to congratulate our PER's for their Friday night work along with our bar personnel for selling so many tickets. Friday found guest Elks visiting from for several different lodges.



At left PER's hard at work selling tickets for the winning Queen on August 17<sup>th</sup>.

Not only did our Queen get picked but we had one of our largest 50/50 Raffle pots to date. The winner won \$223.00.



Congratulations also needs to go to Pam who hasn't missed a Friday in a very long time. She is our August 50/50 Raffle Queen.



And we can't forget our House Committee Volunteers who cook hamburgers, brats & hotdogs every Friday, two volunteers are pictured at left.

On Saturday August 18<sup>th</sup>. we entertained 50 Elks from Lodge #2532. They were on a bus trip visiting different lodges for the day. The House Committee did an array of appetizers for our visitors which they really appreciated. It was a lot of fun to greet and meet them.

Well, now on to sad news. Our cook Amy has resigned so House Committee volunteers will be filling in for the next few months until we decide exactly how to go forward. We really need to increase our Wednesday night attendance to cover the cost of the dinners, so come on out and join us. September menus, and guest cooks are as follows: September 5, Betty will be cooking her famous Meatloaf, September 12, Kath & Judy will be cooking Swedish Meatballs, September 19, Jack and Gail will serve Lasagna and Italian Sausage and on September 26 Alane and Steve will cook up Salisbury Steak.

September will bring an array of fun events. We'll be having Trivia on Saturday September 15 with drinks and pot luck appetizers at 5 pm followed by Trivia at 6 pm. It's \$5.00 per person to play and teams are welcome. Jamie will be our leader for the night and it promises to be a fun time.

On September 18<sup>th</sup>, we will bring back the Taco Bar in the lounge on Tuesdays. Also, don't forget to check the calendar for Karaoke dates.

Don't forget to put October 27<sup>th</sup>. on your calendar for **Night Under the Stars**. We will be entertained by Greg Spivey, he has been to our lounge before, and everyone seemed to really enjoy his brand of music. Cindy will be our guest cook for the night and we all know how delicious her prime rib is. So, make sure you sign up early.

## LODGE ACTIVITIES

By Jan Trudeau



It's been a long, hot summer with lots of awesome monsoon storms. I'm ready for some cooler weather.

Karaoke has been a blast all summer. We've been having it twice a month for July and August. We are going to go back to once a month starting in September on Friday the 7<sup>th</sup> and again on Friday October 5<sup>th</sup>. Come join us right after the Queen of Hearts drawing at 6:30.

Our beach party was cancelled last month because of lack of interest-we only had 2 people sign up-I guess we all were very busy. We are also cancelling our September party on Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup>, **BUT**, we are retooling the event into a Trivia Happy Hour. We are planning on having a potluck along with the fun and games. Cocktails and food at 5 PM, and Trivia afterward around 6 PM. Please join us for a fun evening, and bring along something to share. There is a sign-up sheet in the lounge.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for our annual Night Under The Stars party on Saturday October 27<sup>th</sup>. It will be a fun night of music, food and fun. The Greg Spivey band will be performing-they are awesome-we've had them here before and we all enjoyed their music and their energy. More details will be posted in the lounge soon.

## COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Patriot's Day is coming right up. We could still use a few more folks to volunteer in making full turkey dinners for the 10 firehouses in our lodge's district. Please contact me, or sign up on the sheet located in the lounge. I can answer any questions you may have. We really appreciate all your support and participation for this very worthy cause.



If you haven't gone to Keurig coffeemakers and still have some coffee filters around, here are a few ways to use them and save money.

Because the filters are lint-free, they are great for cleaning windows and mirrors instead of using expensive paper towels. Use coffee filters for separating dishes, pots and pans, etc. Use them also to soak up bacon grease, French fries, etc.

## Catalina Mountain Donates to Mighty Impact Meals

By Pat Cox

Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge #2815 used a \$2,000 Arizona Elks Major Projects (AEMP) grant to provide special meal kits for families who rely on free and reduced lunch programs through school cafeterias. IMPACT of Southern Arizona provides the Mighty Impact Meals (MIMs) service during the summer months and school breaks. School counselors determine the students who are eligible to participate in the program. This donation is in keeping with the Arizona Elks Major Projects motto of "Cherish a Child."



Pictured are (from left) AEMP President Ira Cohen, IMPACT Executive Director Barbara McClure, Catalina Mountain Exalted Ruler Bob Kielsa, and Catalina Mountain Committee Chair Lisa Chavez.

## Catalina Mountain Blood Drive

By Pat Cox

Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge sponsored a Blood Drive on Saturday, July 28. The American Red Cross provided the Blood Mobile which was located in front of the lodge. Forty-three people participated in this community effort, and 34 pints of blood were donated (four were double red blood cell donors, which is a longer process). Congratulations to Loyal Knight Doug Harpold, PER for another successful blood drive, and thanks to all those who made possible this gift of life!

## VETERANS COMMITTEE

By Belinda Waller



And the months fly by !! Can you believe?? The kids are going back to school and only four months left in 2018 !!!

We have had a busy summer, the lodge total credit for clothing and shoes donations for April –August is \$16,975. We have seven months left in this Elks year to reach our goal of \$50,000!! So bring in all of the clothes that are just hanging in your closet. You can leave

the clothing at the Elks lodge any time. Just place articles in the POD located close to the Elk's Building in the parking area.

I want to thank all of you for the donations!!! And thank all of my volunteers who collect and count every article of clothing, soaps, shampoos, toothpaste, books and shoes. Also a thanks to the volunteers who take everything down to the VA. (Sometimes this is two trips each month to the VA)!

Last month we also had an Elk that donated eight cases of bottled water for the homeless Vet's. Great big Thanks to everyone!!

We accept and count all of the donations on the second Wednesday of each month at 1:00 P.M., September 12 will be our next collection date.

July 21<sup>st</sup> the Elks PER's host a lunch for veterans who will be participating in the Wheelchair Olympics to be held in Orlando Florida.



The PER'S will also provide a lunch on September the 9<sup>th</sup>, when they return from their trip and can show us their new medals.



## SEPT. WED. NIGHT DINNER MENU

Sept.5th	Meat Loaf
Sept.12th	Swedish Meatballs
Sept.19th	Lasagna with Italian Sausage
Sept. 26th	Salisbury Steak

All Wednesday Night Dinners  
will be accompanied by soup and salad

**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 September

Sept. 5th	Dwight Baum
Sept. 12th	Virgil Campbell
Sept. 19th	Scott Chivers
Sept. 26th	Belinda Waller

### **Catalina Mountain Supports Wheelchair Games Athletes**

By Pat Cox

Catalina Mountain Elks Lodge #2815 hosted a send-off luncheon on Saturday, July 21 for six Arizona veterans who attended the 38<sup>th</sup> National Wheelchair Games in Orlando, Florida, July 31-August 4. The Lodge donated \$2,000 and used \$2,500 from an Elks National Foundation Gratitude Grant to help the veterans with their travel expenses.

In addition, the lodge hosted a party on August 19 for the athletes to celebrate their accomplishments at the Wheelchair Games. They received 6 Gold, 5 Silver, and 6 Bronze medals in twenty different wheelchair competitions.

The purpose of the Wheelchair Games is to encourage veterans with physical disabilities to become aware of their potential while promoting a spirit of healthy activity and camaraderie. It was apparent from the stories that the athletes shared that a bond of solidarity was formed from their experiences.



## ARIZONA ELKS MAJOR PROJECTS

Newsletter

### *IMPORTANT DATES*

9/8-9/9: MESA-BUCKHORN ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

9/29: AEMP BOARD MEETING

10/21: ANNUAL KIDS OF STEELE MINI GOLF TOURNAMENT

What a month! I have had the privilege of learning the ins and outs of AEMP as well as the benevolent history of the Elks while attending various events and clinics and meeting everyone along the way.

My Father has been an Elk for 36 years and my Grandfather was an Elk for even longer, so to be initiated into this order as a 3rd generation Elk is truly an honor.

Recently, I was fortunate enough to travel to Wickenburg for their annual baby shower and get my first taste of the generosity of the lodges within Arizona. It was a huge success! Thank you, Wickenburg, for all that you have done and continue to do! That same weekend, I attended the South District DD Clinic where I was able to meet district past and present officers, district deputies and lodge Exalted Rulers, Leading Knights and Secretaries. Thank you all for taking the time to introduce yourselves to me! I have no doubt that we will have yet another successful year!

Lauren Erdelyi from the Steele Center and I were featured on the Morning Blend here in Tucson discussing the raffle, the Steele Center, and how our funds have aided in their successes. One of my goals for the upcoming year is to bring more awareness to all that we do through various media outlets. We will keep you posted on any PSA's we do.

I hope you all have a wonderful month and I look forward to meeting you all next month!

Sincerely,

**Katie Murdoch**, Executive Director

*"Children are the  
world's most valuable  
resource and its best  
hope for the future."*

*-John F. Kennedy  
Lodge #10*

*Popular Demand! Trivia Returns!*



THE  
BEATLES



**Saturday September 15**

**Hors d'oeuvres/Snacks Potluck**  
Food Sign up in Bar

Drinks & Food @5pm  
Trivia @ 6pm

*\$5/Person (pay on Trivia Day)*  
*Teams Welcome*



**Fun! Food!! Prizes!!!**



**Are you ready  
for some football?**



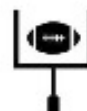
**Draft Day 2018**

**September 1st @ 4:30 PM**



**It's fantasy football time  
at the Lodge!**

**Come on down for draft  
day and have some  
fun with great friends and  
fellow members!**



**Sunday football starts  
September 9th  
Lodge will be open for  
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