



Hoof Beats

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Official Newsletter of Jackson Elks Lodge #192

2025 – 2026 Officers

Exalted Ruler	Carton Haywood
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Lecturing Knight	Cathy Jarvis
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3 yr. Trustee	Joe Ross

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Social Club Liaison	Tammy Haywood
Membership Chair	Cindy Lamberth
Social Chair	Dawn Phipps
Veterans Chair	Lori Nally

Eleven O'clock Toast

YOU HAVE HEARD THE TOLLING OF 11 STROKES.
THIS IS TO REMIND US THAT WITH ELKS, THE HOUR
OF 11 HAS A TENDER SIGNIFICANCE.
WHEREVER ELKS MAY ROAM, WHATEVER THEIR
LOT IN LIFE MAY BE, WHEN THIS HOUR FALLS UPON
THE DIAL OF NIGHT, THE GREAT HEART OF ELKDOM
SWELLS AND THROBS.

IT IS THE GOLDEN HOUR OF RECOLLECTION, THE
HOMECOMING OF THOSE WHO WANDER, THE
MYSTIC ROLL CALL OF THOSE WHO WILL COME NO
MORE.

LIVING OR DEAD, ELKS ARE NEVER FORGOTTEN,
NEVER FORSAKEN.

MORNING AND NOON MAY PASS THEM BY, THE
LIGHT OF DAY SINK HEEDLESSLY IN THE WEST, BUT
ERE THE SHADOWS OF MIDNIGHT SHALL FALL, THE
CHIMES OF MEMORY WILL BE PEALING FORTH THE
FRIENDLY MESSAGE.

"TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS"

Meeting Dates

Regular Lodge Meetings

6/10 & 6/24 7:00 PM

Governing Body and Board of Directors

6/10 & 6/24
6pm



Lounge Hours of Operation

Wednesday Thursday & Friday 5:00 pm – 10:00pm**

Saturday 5:00pm – 10:00pm ***



To cut expenses, if there is no one at the Lodge, the bartender may close at 9:00 PM. If you plan to come late, you may want to call first.

** Hours will be extended when necessary
*** Hours may vary for ballgames



All-American Lodge

192

Top Ten Finalist-Division III



Support Our Troops, Wear Red on Friday

Message from the Exalted Ruler



Dear fellow Elks,

I hope you are all doing well. My second month is behind me now. While each day is a challenge, the BOD's and I are seeing things move in a positive direction.

May was a good month. Mayor Conger Proclaimed May 1st through the 7th as Youth Week. Snacks were taken to the Boys and Girls Club in Jackson and Brownsville. Thank you, Cathy Jarvis, Jackie and Reid Edwards. We held the Elky Derby and raised \$1500 for Healing Horses. Thank you Flipper Burke and Charles Arnold for hosting this.

We had a Cornhole Tournament for Scarlet Rope, Thank you Shreen Burroughs, Hamilton Moore and Phil Templeton. Ladies Night Out, Bunko Tournament hosted by Dawn Phipps. Thank you, Dawn. Armed Forces Day Ceremony chaired by Lori Nally, A Special Thank You from all the Military Branches. We also had The Dueling Pianos; it was a great night. Thank you, Lori Walker and Crystal Shoestrand, for setting the room up. And a Shout out to Wayne Woods for setting the Event up. And I don't want to forget Joe Ross for the meal that was served. The crowd loved it.

June will be a busy and good month to come out to the lodge and visit. We have Flag Day, First Responders Day, The Camden Elks Lodge Cook Off, Supporting Wreaths Across America is June 7th. Our lodge has put together a team. So come out to the Camden Lodge and show your support for the ELKS! We will also be cooking 55 Gallon Barrel Chicken for the Veterans in Humbolt. Be sure to check the calendar for updates. The National Convention will be held in Kansas. All Elks are encouraged to attend. Please see Lori, Wayne or myself if you are interested in going.

If you haven't paid your membership dues, please get this done soon. I would like to ask for as many of you to attend the lodge meetings as can. We will be deciding on some important things. I would like to have all the members buy in when we have discussions and vote. We have a great team are expecting good things to come. Your help and support are needed. It takes a team of Elks working together to get the results we all want and desire. Together We Can Do It!

*Fraternally yours,
Carlton Haywood
Exalted Ruler*

Adren Crawford 01	Bill Roberts 13	Hamilton Moore 29
Jennifer Evans 01	Shirley Perdue 15	AB Beasley 30
Anthony Simpson Jr 01	Danny Terry 15	
Vernon S Smith Jr 03	Anthony Faraco 19	
Beth A Baligrosky 04	Cyndee Tyson 19	
Pamela Lane 05	Russell Ross 21	
Scott Taylor 07	Marilyn Elizabeth Seramur-Maxwell 22	
Kay Harrington 10	Robert Jones 24	
Maize Cowden 11	Glenn Cooper 25	
Jeff Jackson 11	Deanna M Day 26	
Carlton Haywood 12	Amy Graves 26	
Greg Hilton 12	Randall Moody 27	
Mark Younger 12	Paul McKinney 28	
Craig Gunion 13	Pamela Deming 29	


*Birthdays
of the Month*



Golf News
Jackson Elks Lodge 192
28 Executive Dr
Jackson TN 38305
731 668 9020

June 8	Persimmon Hills GC
July 13	Shiloh GC
August 10	TN River GC
September 6	Ledbetter Scramble
September 28	The Farms GC
October 12	Humboldt GC
November 2	Bent Tree GC

Sign-up before 9:30 Tee off at 10:00
Cost is Green Fee's + \$15
2025

2025 – 2026 DUES

IT IS NOW TIME TO PAY YOUR DUES PLEASE STOP BY THE LODGE OR MAIL TO

ELKS LODGE 0192
28 EXECUTIVE DR
JACKSON, TN 38305

AS OF 4/1/2025 YOUR BLUE CARD WILL NO LONGER BE VALID NEW CARDS ARE YELLOW & IF YOU HAVE NOT PAID YOUR 2025-2026 DUES

PLEASE STOP BY THE LODGE & PICK UP YOUR NEW CARD

We are improving our Friday night meals with better quality food selection. They will be \$20. This money will go towards to our lodge improvement needs: bathroom repairs, kitchen upgrades, flooring, parking lot repair etc.

THIS IS YOUR LODGE

PLEASE REMEMBER TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELVES, WE ARE MEMBERS OF A BIG FAMILY AND NEED EVERYONE TO HELP.

IF YOU DON'T KNOW WHERE TO GO TO FIND CLEANING SUPPLIES, PLEASE ASK YOUR SERVERS OR AN OFFICER OR ANOTHER MEMBER OUR CLEANILNESS OF THE INSIDE & OUTSIDE OF OUR LODGE DEPENDS ON EACH OF US MEMBERS TO HELP OUT.

Sickness and Distress



Please Pray for those recovering from
Sickness...Surgery, Passing Family
Member or just need our Prayers

SICKNESS & DISTRESS

Chris Webster, Kristie Wright, Katie Landrum's sister Marion Kibbons.

Ken Tuten's, aunt passed away, AJ Godin's son Tony passed away, Donnie Nalley's brother-in-law Everett Stone passed away.

Upcoming Events

Elks #192 hosts
TEXAS HOLD'EM
Thursday, June 12, 2025
6:00 PM
 A donation of \$65 ensures you a seat, food, and starting chips!
 An opportunity to donate \$25 for add-on chips during The first hour of play!
 BBQ Buffet
 Tournament Prizes and Door Prizes!
 Tickets will be sold in the social club soon to reserve your seat!
 Net Proceeds to benefit Elks Charities
 28 Executive Drive
 Jackson, TN 38305
 731-668-9020
 elks.org/0192
 elkslodge192@elks.net

Lunch for Police, Fire, Sheriff, and First Responders
Saturday, June 21, 2025
10 AM - 3 PM
Burgers and Hot Dogs with all the Trimmings
 Elks Lodge #192
 28 Executive Drive
 Jackson, TN 38305
 731-668-9020
 elks.org/0192
 elkslodge192@elks.net

Elks #192 will Honor the Star Spangled Banner with a
Flag Day
Ceremony
Friday, 6/13/2025
at 6:30 PM
 Kenneth Tuten, Chairman
 28 Executive Drive
 Jackson Square Office Park
 Jackson, TN
 Information Hotline 731-668-9020
 elks.org/0192
 elkslodge192@elks.net

Hello June

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Coming to The West Tennessee Veterans Home
2865 East Main St
Humboldt, TN 38343
Thursday June 19, 2025
11:00 AM
55-Gallon Drum Chicken Sides and Dessert
 Volunteers need to arrive at 10:00 AM to interact with the Veterans
 Co-chairs: Tim Duckins and David Ray
 28 Executive Drive
 Jackson Square Office Park Jackson, TN
 Information Hotline 731-668-9020
 elks.org/0192
 elkslodge192@elks.net

Girls' NIGHT OUT
Bunco night at Elks Lodge
Thursday June 19th
6pm-9pm
Invite your friends bring an appetizer to share
\$10 Holding Food
Big Bunco Low Score High Score
Girlfriend time Fun

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
June
Birthday Bash
Saturday June 21 2025 6pm
 Address Crawford
 Jennifer Evans
 Anthony Simpson Jr
 Vernon S Smith Jr
 Beth A Ballgrosky
 Pamela Lane
 Scott Taylor
 Kay Harrington
 Maize Cowden
 Jeff Jackson
 Carlson Haywood
 Greg Ellison
 Mark Younger
 Craig Gensom
 Bill Roberts
 Shirley Pordue
 Danny Terry
 Anthony Farnes
 Cyndee Tyson
 Russell Ross
 Marilyn Elizabeth Scramm-Maxwell
 Robert Jones
 Glenn Cooper
 Duanna M Day
 Amy Graves
 Randall Moody
 Paul McKinney
 Pamela Deming
 Hamilton Moore
 AB Bosley

Coming to Elks Lodge #192
Saturday, June 21, 2025
6:00 PM
FFF
(Fabulous Fundraiser Fun)
\$10 per Entry
Donations Are Welcome
 Net proceeds to:
Lodge Improvement Fund (FFF Equipment)
 Members and Guests Only
 28 Executive Drive
 Jackson Square Office Park
 Jackson, TN 38305
 Information Hotline 731-668-9020
 elks.org/0192
 elkslodge192@elks.net

EVERYONE'S SUMMER VIBES

It is my sad duty to announce the passing of PER Jerry Griggs, who was a member of Elks Lodge #192 for 65yrs



Jerry Griggs, age 88, beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and brother, passed away peacefully on Saturday May 17, 2025, at Jackson-Madison County General Hospital. Born on August 12, 1936, in Spring Creek, TN, he was the son of the late Thomas Frank and Ruby Sikes Griggs.

Jerry's dedication to service was evident throughout his life. He graduated from Northside High School in 1955 and furthered his education at the Continental School of Insurance, where he developed a passion for the insurance industry. His career began at First National Bank, but he soon found his calling in 1964, managing Caldwell & Hicks Insurance Agency. In 1990, he transitioned to Jackson Insurance Agency, where he continued to work until his retirement in 2007.

With a strong commitment to serving others, Jerry was known for being positive, helpful, joyful, and encouraging. He carried these values into his personal life, where he was not only a proud Deacon and Sunday School teacher but also the longest serving member of North Jackson Baptist Church. Jerry's deep Christian faith guided him in all aspects of his life, reflecting his belief in caring for others more than himself.

In addition to his professional work, Jerry was actively involved in the West Tennessee Antique Car Club, where he served as President and Chairman of the Car Show. His leadership extended beyond the club to significant roles in the community, including the American Heart Association, two terms as President of Insurers of Jackson, and a position on the Board of Directors of Insurers of Tennessee. Additionally, he was honored to serve as the Exalted Ruler of Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks #192 of Jackson, where he was a member for 65 years and was a valued partner and board member of Arrington Funeral Directors.

He is survived by his devoted wife of almost 70 years, Carlise Helm Griggs; his children Kenny Griggs (Cyndie) and Lynn Griffis (Phil), both of Jackson, TN; his cherished grandchildren Tricia Burton (Cuthbert), P.J. Griffis, Jessica Griggs Holder (Brian), Jacob Griggs (Stephanie), and great-grandchildren Ryker Burton and Madie Holder. He is further survived by his sister Judy Barnhill (Bruce), niece Debra Barnhill Lindkvist, and her daughter Nikkole Lindkvist.

Though preceded in death by his nephew Dennis Barnhill, Jerry's legacy continues through the many beloved family members and friends who were blessed to know him.



SERVICE: The funeral service for Jerry will be held on Friday, May 23, 2025, at 2:00 p.m. at North Jackson Baptist Church with Rev. Randy Latch, Rev. Bryant Newell and Jeff Wall officiating. Burial will follow at Browns Cemetery. The family will be receiving friends on Friday from 12:00 p.m. until the service begins at 2:00 p.m.

The family has requested that memorial contributions be directed to North Jackson Baptist Church, 3768 Hwy 45 By-Pass, Jackson, TN 38305, or online at www.northjacksonbaptistchurch.com.

Jerry Griggs will be remembered for his unwavering spirit and dedication to family, friends, and the community. His legacy of kindness, leadership, and service will continue to inspire all who knew him.

You have heard the tolling of 11 strokes. This is to remind us that with Elks, the hour of 11 has a tender significance. Wherever Elks may roam, whatever their lot in life may be, when this hour falls upon the dial of night, the great heart of Elkdom swells and throbs. It is the golden hour of recollection, the homecoming of those who wander, the mystic roll call of those who will come no more. Living or dead, Elks are never forgotten, never forsaken. Morning and noon may pass them by, the light of day sink heedlessly in the West, but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall, the chimes of memory will be pealing forth the friendly message, "To our absent members."

June 2025

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
1	2 Monday Redbones for the Elks Veterans Fund	3	4 Wed Night Meal 6pm 9-ball pool tournament 630pm	5 Mixtape Music Bingo 5pm	6 Friday Night Meal 6 pm LMF 8pm- Karaoke- Marty Harvey	7 10 AM BBQ Cookoff for Wreaths across America- Camden Elks Lodge
8 Golf Outing- Persimmon Hills- Sharon	9 Monday Redbones for the Elks Veterans Fund	10 Elks Meeting GB & BOD 6pm Initiation Regular Lodge Meeting 7pm	11 Wed Night Meal 6pm 9-ball pool tournament 630pm	12 Thursday- Texas Hold Em Tournament 	13 Friday Night Meal 6pm Flag Day Service 6pm LMF-Hunt Pipkin Solo	14
15 	16 Monday Redbones for the Elks Veterans Fund	17	18 Wed Night Meal 6pm 9-ball pool tournament 630pm	19 Ladies Night Out Bunko 6pm	20 Friday Night Meal 6pm LMF 8 pm LMF-Rev Jessie and the Holy Smokes.	21 First Responders Lunch 10-3 June Birthday Bash 6pm FFF 5pm
22	23 Monday Redbones for the Elks Veterans Fund	24 Elks Meeting GB & BOD 6pm Regular Lodge Meeting 7pm	25 Wed Night Meal 6pm 9-ball pool tournament 630pm	26 Social Club Trivia	27 Friday Night Meal 6pm LMF-Kimberlie Helton Solo 8pm .	28 Saturday- Cards and Dominos
29	30 Monday Redbones for the Elks Veterans Fund					

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