

Brooksville Lodge No. 2582

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## MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

## MARCH, 2022







#### **PHIL RAFFERTY ~ EXALTED RULER**

#### *LODGE OFFICERS* ~ 2021–2022

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## Greetings!

The month of February has been very active. Donavan has begun their clearing and construction project. The grounds around the lodge have been cleared and site work has begun.

The lodge has been completely re-shingled and the soffit has been replaced.

The Board of Directors has approved a new sign and is accepting design ideas and bids.

We also have had very successful dinner-dances this month. A huge thank you to all the volunteers that have made this possible.

I would be remiss if I did not also give a big thank you to the few who have spent countless hours repairing and remodeling the lodge. We now have a new laundry room, a rebuilt pantry and much rewiring and updating of all of our back room area.

The lodge also presented a check to "People Helping People" whose funds go to helping the homeless.

We are all very proud of our lodge and all the great things that are happening.

Sincerely, W. Carr Hussey Leading Knight



Scott MacKeil, Jane Hussey, Carr Hussey, Rich Griffiths, Bob Hein, Diane Hein, Rob Young and presented by Phil Rafferty

## Greetings from your House Committee.

Another month has already flown by. Of course, February is always a short month, but it seemed really short this year.

We had a very good productive month, busy as usual. Our Friday night dinner dances have been a great success. Some of our largest attendances to date. Our Valentines Dinner-Dance was especially nice. Everyone enjoyed getting all dressed up for the prom and had a great time. If you missed it, you missed a great night! Our other dinner dances have been fantastic as well and we hope you will continue to spend your Friday evenings with us.

We have a lot going on around the Lodge. There is new construction going on around us as well as within our Lodge. We were able to get a new roof in February and have plans for a new sign, which we desperately need, and hopefully some other improvements to come.

February is also the month of new officer's being nominated and elected. If you have been considering getting involved with your Lodge now is the time to do it. The beginning of a new year and new ideas. We are also in desperate need of Volunteers especially in the kitchen area. We especially need a person or persons who would love to help prepare the meals for our dinners and sometimes Hall Rentals. We know it is a lot of work, but it is very rewarding especially when everyone tells you how much they enjoyed it and appreciates all the hard work. We have all been doing it for 3 years now and since some are leaving after March, we need some people to step up and help. It would be nice to get a couple of groups so that it doesn't fall on the same people every week to keep it going. Remember, without our volunteers we could not keep going. So, please consider and let me know as soon as possible if you're willing to help.

March is going to be another great month! Since Ash Wednesday is March 2nd, we will be offering fish on each Friday until Easter. We will be preparing bags for our Homeless Veterans with items they desperately need. We owe them so much moré!

Of course Angelo will be with us on Friday the 4th. The Retro's will be here on the 11th. Since St. Patrick's Day falls on Thursday, we decided to move our Friday night dinner dance to Thursday the 17th for our big St. Patrick's Celebration with Corn Beef & Cabbage. DJ Pete is gracious enough to provide the music. Hope you can join us. As always, our 4th Friday of the month is our Trivia night. Always a great time with Paul & Jan, and never a dull moment!!!

The Swearing in of our New Officer's will be held on Saturday, March 26th at 4 p.m. with dinner following at 5 p.m. We hope you will make plans to join us and welcome all the new officers of our Lodge.

Please check the website and our calendar for any changes that may occur during the month and don't forget to make all your dinner reservations early.

God Bless,

Your House Committee,

Cindy Griffiths, Nora Hughson, Sherry Mackeil, Diane Hein, Peter Burna Jane Hussey, Carr Hussey, Bill Rundgren and Phil Rafferty



Please welcome our newest member! Mrs. Nancy Andretta





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MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY CLOSED 12:00-5:00 PM CLOSED 2:00-9:00 PM 3:00-10:00 PM CLOSED 2:00-6:00 PM

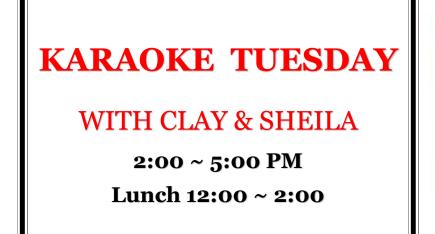
CURRENT LODGE HOURS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

## **MARCH 2022**

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
		1 Karaoke 1-4 pm Lunch 12-2 pm	2 Ash Wednesday	3 Bowling Fun 6-9 pm Golden Elk 7 pm	4 Angelo 6-9 pm Fish or Pork Loin 5 pm.	5 Steak Shoot 3-5 pm
6 Turtles 11-3 pm Line Dancing 3-6 om	7	8 Karaoke 1-4 pm Lunch 12-2 pm	9 Trail Blazers 6:30 pm E. Linden Est. 7 pm	10 Bowling Fun 6-9 pm Golden Elk 7 pm	11 The Retros 6-9 pm Fish or Meatloaf 5 pm	12 Hall Rental 12-3 pm
13 Line Dancing 2-6 om	14 B.O.D. Mtg. 6 pm H.C. Mtg 5:30 pm Lodge Mtg. 7 pm	15 Karaoke 1-4 pm Lunch 12-2 pm	16	17 St. Patrick's Day Corn Beef & Cabbage 5 pm DJ Pete 6 pm	18 No Dinner Dance	19
20 Line Dancing 2-6 om	21	22 Karaoke 1-4 pm Lunch 12-2 pm	23	24 Bowling Fun 6-9 pm Golden Elk 7 pm	25 Trivia 6:30 pm Food Available 5-6 pm Baked Potato Bar	26 New Officers Installation 4 pm Dinner 5 pm
27 Line Dancing 2-6 om	28 H.C. Mtg 5:30 pm Lodge Mtg. 7 pm	29 Karaoke 1-4 pm Lunch 12-2 pm	30	31 Bowling Fun 6-9 pm Golden Elk 7 pm		

## ADVANCED TICKET PURCHASES REQUIRED FOR MAJOR EVENTS! FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED BY THURSDAY PRIOR TO EVENT. TICKETS MAY NOT BE AVAILABLE AT DOOR.

"CALENDAR MAY BE CHANGED OR ADDED TO AS NECESSARY"





# Lunch Menu

Hamburger with Fries	\$7.25
Cheeseburger with Fries	\$7.50
Chicken Tenders with Fries	\$7.50
Philly Cheese Steak with Fries	\$7.50
Crispy Chicken Salad	\$7.50
Quesadilla	\$7.50
Shrimp Basket	\$7.50
Wings with Fries	\$7.50
Hot/Mild/BBQ/Garlic/Blackened	
Side Salad	\$2.50
Basket of Fries	\$2.50
Basket of Onion Rings	\$6.00
Soft Pretzel	\$1.00
Pizza	\$6.00
Pepperoni or Supreme	

\*\* Menu and prices are subject to change\*\*

#### LODGE SECRETARY HOURS:

Please call Rich Leger at the Lodge at 352-799-7148 and press #3 to scheduled an appointment.

Please call our Act. Chaplain John Demas with any information if any one you know is ill, hospitalized or deceased.

Friday Night Dinner Reservations are required by Thursday of that week. Please call (770) 653-2360 for Reservations.

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