

THE CHRONICLE



MARCH 2024

EXALTED RULER MESSAGE



Brother and Sister Elks,

Now that the snow and ice is finally gone and the winter is over, spring is in the air! It is the season of renewal and growth. This simple truth of life is also a part of yearly traditions of your Lodge. New officers have been elected and are ready to take over the helm of our beloved 1463. We are very fortunate to have the talents and energies of a dedicated team to pilot us into the future. This new leadership group has the benefit of a fantastic mix of experience and new ideas that I am certain will take our Lodge to unprecedented heights. I am excited to see

the growth and to work with them in any way possible to make your Lodge one that you are proud to be a part of. Our new leadership deserves and needs all our support as we pull together as a family and a team.

This will be my final message as your Exalted Ruler. Hard for me to believe, as I have truly enjoyed the privilege of chatting with you all every month. Though days sometimes seem long, the years seem to fly by. I appreciate those of you that have taken the time to read my messages and thank you for your patience in allowing me the freedom to express my thoughts and feelings. Hopefully you have enjoyed them as much as I have.

As I reflect over my time as your ER, I think about my successes and my shortcomings. Such is the nature of any endeavor. Some things we do surprisingly well and others that we thought would come easily, didn't meet our expectations. I am at peace with this fact and overall am very proud of what my team and I were able to accomplish over these last two years. Please know that each of us did our very best to provide an outstanding membership experience for our 1463 family, as well as making an impact in our community. I am proud

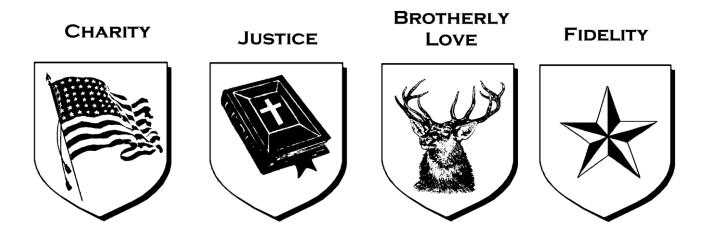
for the health of your Lodge and the open friendly atmosphere we continue to create.

The overriding emotion that I am left with at this point is a profound thankfulness for the people that I have had the pleasure to work with, that have supported me, and those that have challenged me. There are far too many individuals for me to name, however, I hope that those of you that have been by my side know the level of appreciation and love that I have for you. 1463 would not be what it is today without the awe-inspiring dedication and hard work that each of you has given to me, and to you, as part of Deland Lodge 1463. All of us, as members of Deland Lodge, owe them much respect and gratitude for the countless hours that they have given to us all. It has truly been an honor and a privilege for me to serve side by side with you.

The magic of being an Elk, and specifically a Deland Elk, is the fellowship that we share, the memories that we create, the amazing people that we meet, and the lasting effects of our time together. I will forever be a better person because of my time as your Exalted Ruler. I will always cherish the moments together, the friendships made, and love shared. Thank you for allowing me the privilege of being your quarterback on the greatest team on earth!

Now on to the next great season of Deland Lodge 1463!!

Fraternally yours, Scott



DELAND ELKS LODGE #1463 OFFICERS 2023-2024



EXALTER RULER
SCOTT SANDERSFIELD



LEADING KNIGHT
GLEN FANNIN



LOYAL KNIGHT



LECTURING KNIGHT
ROBERT HENNESSEY



SECRETARY
ALICIA VANOPDORP



TREASURER
BARBARA THOMPSON



TILER
SCOTT BROWNING



ESQUIRE SCOTT TUELL



CHAPLIN
ANITA NIXON



INNER GUARD
JEREMY LOCY



ORGANIST
FRANK SCALIA



LODGE ADVISOR

MARK THOMPSON, PVPAL



1 YEAR TRUSTEE
DEAN YEAGER. PER



2 YEAR TRUSTEE
DAN DRAGONETTI



3 YEAR TRUSTEE
BILL GRUMHAUS



4 YEAR TRUSTEE

DAVE McCRANIE, PER



5 YEAR TRUSTEE
BETH GRUMHAUS

COMMITTEE	CHAIRPERSON		
ACCIDENT PREVENTION	DAN DRAGONETTI		
AMERICANISM	LAURA JONES		
AUDIT & ACCOUNTING	DAVE McCRANIE, PER		
BAR MANAGER	DAVE McCRANIE, PER		
BUILDING COMMITTEE	DAVE McCRANIE, PER		
CHRISTMAS PARADE	GARY HAND		
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES	LOREN HOYT		
DECORATING COMMITTEE	JEANNE HOLLINGER		
DRUG AWARENESS	LAURA JONES		
ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION	FRANK SCALIA		
ELKS TRAINING	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
ENF GRANTS COORDINATOR	ROBER HENNESSY		
ENF SCHOLARSHIPS	ROBER HENNESSY		
FLAG DAY	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
GOVERNMENT AWARENESS	DAVE McCRANIE, PER		
HARRY ANN TRUST	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
HOOP SHOOT	ROBER HENNESSY		
HOUSE COMMITTEE	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
INTERLODGE VISITATION	LAURA JONES		
INDOCTRINATION	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
INVESTIGATION	ALICIA VANOPDORP		
KITCHEN MANAGER	CHIP HAVERTY, PER		
LODGE ACTIVITIES	CAROLINE FANNIN		
LODGE BULLENTIN	DEAN YEAGER, PER		
LODGE RENTAL	MISSY ELKINS		
MEMBERSHIP	DAVE McCRANIE, PER		
MEMORIAL DAY	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
MOTHER'S DAY	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
ORIENTATION	GLEN FANNIN		
PER ASSOCIATION	DAVE McCRANIE, PER		
PUBLIC RELATIONS	RACHAEL LOCY		
PUBLICITY	RACHAEL LOCY		
RITUAL	LAURA JONES		
SOCCER SHOOT	ROBER HENNESSY		
STANDING RELIEF	GLEN FANNIN		
VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR	BETH GRUMHAUS		
VETERAN SERVICE	GLEN FANNIN		
VISITING COMMITTEE	SCOTT SANDERSFIELD, PER		
YOUTH ACTIVITIES	ROBERT HENNESSY		

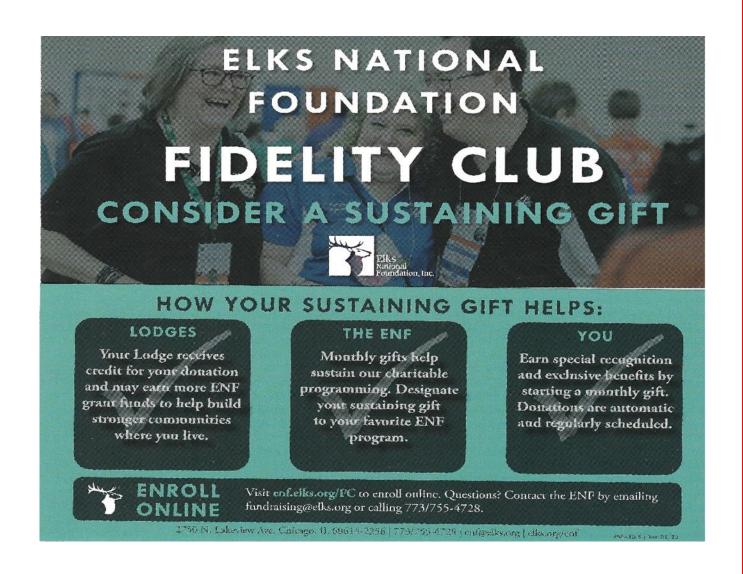
ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION

Here we are again, just at the end of another Fraternal year. I want to thank everyone who participated in donating to the ENF, especially all of our FIDELITY CLUB MEMBERS.

Hopefully we can double or triple our Fidelity Club participation this coming Fraternal year. Thanks Again or YOUR SUPPORT.

Thanks, Fraternally,

Bro. Frank Scalia, ENF Lodge Chairman



SUSTAINING DONORS

HARRY ANNA

- 1 Robert Hennessy
- 2 Scott Sandersfield
- 3 Dean Yeager

ENF

- 1 Glen Fannin
- 2 Alicia VanOpdorp
- 3 David McCranie
- 4 Scott Sandersfield
- 5 Frank Scalia
- 6 Dean Yeager

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

On 2/15/24, we initiated 4 new members !!! Please welcome Benjamin Dahl; Sandra Kessinger; John McLoughlin; and Stephen Serkez, Jr.



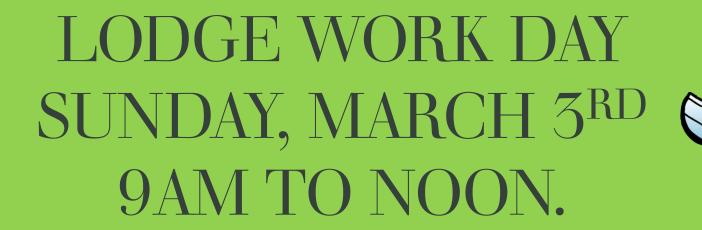
Birthday Celebration

Timothy	Englert	01	Frank	Giumarra	16
Anita	Nixon	01	Jose	Alvarez, Jr.	20
Melany	Baskin	04	Cynthia	Hineman	21
Julian	Long	04	David	Caskey	22
Robert	Hennessy	05	Andrew	Conklin	22
Carey	Crownover	06	Michael	Hall	22
Robert	Knight, Jr.	06	Kevin	Beach	23
Debi	Dunn	09	Connie	Erickson	23
Larry	Grose	10	James	Drumb	25
Bruce	Morehouse	10	Jacqueline	McLaughlin	25
Paul	Dykstra	11	Phil	Smith	26
Carla	Mueller	12	Robert	Travis	26
Diane	West-Criche	12	Tony	Beaty	27
David	Freeman	13	Ryan	Maher	27
Lisa	Ball	14	Johnny	Dixon	29
John	Rogers II	14	Charlene	Heard	29
Ann	Lewis	15	James	Hess	30
Greg	Dasher	16	Billie Jo	Simoneau	31

DELAND ELKS LODGE 1463

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DELAND ELKS #1463 Care - Share



MARCH 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY				
					5P-10P LODGE OPEN 6P-8P WING NIGHT 8P-QUEEN OF HEARTS	2 5 PM LODGE OPEN SPECIAL FFA BINGO EVENT				
3 9 AM – NOON LODGE WORKDAY	6:30p HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 7-8:30p SCOUTS	5 5p-? LODGE OPEN ROTARY 5P-7P	5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P 6:30P-7:30P CUB SCOUTS 6:30P PER MEETING 7:00P LEFT RIGHT CENTER	7 5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P BAR MENU 6:30 P TRIVIA NIGHT	8 5P-10P LODGE OPEN 6PM-8PM ARMY OF HOPE PASTA DINNER WITH MUSIC BY MILES NEWSOM 8P-QUEEN OF HEARTS	9 5 PM LODGE OPEN				
10 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME. TURN YOUR CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR.	7:00p-Trustee meeting 7:30 PM Lodge Meeting- 7-8:30p SCOUTS	12 5p-? LODGE OPEN ROTARY 5P-7P	13 5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P BAR MENU BUNCO 6:30P-7:30P CUB SCOUTS	14 5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P BAR MENU 6:30P BAR BINGO	15 5P-10P LODGE OPEN 6P-8P RIB NIGHT 8P-QUEEN OF HEARTS	16 5 PM LODGE OPEN OFFICER TRAINING				
17st. pats day	18 6:30p HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 7-8:30p SCOUTS	19 5p-? LODGE OPEN ROTARY 5P-7P	5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P FOOD TRUCK 6:30P-7:30P CUB SCOUTS 7:00P LEFT RIGHT CENTER	21 5p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P FOOD TRUCK 6:30 P TRIVIA NIGHT 6:30P INITIATION 9A-11A LODGE RENTAL	5P-10P LODGE OPEN 6P-8P FOOD TRUCK 8P-QUEEN OF HEARTS	23 5 PM LODGE OPEN 6 PM OFFICER INSTALLATION WITH FOOD AFTERWARDS.				
24	7:00p-Trustee meeting 7:30 PM Lodge Meeting 7-8:30p SCOUTS	26 5p-? LODGE OPEN ROTARY 5P-7P	27 5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P BAR MENU 6:30P-7:30P CUB SCOUTS	28 5p-9p LODGE OPEN 6P-8P BAR MENU 6:30P BAR BINGO	5P-10P LODGE OPEN 6P-8P FISH FRY 6:30P-9:30P MUSIC BY DAVY LEATHEWOOD 8P-QUEEN OF HEARTS	30 4:30P LODGE OPEN 5P-9P LODGE RENTAL				
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Deland Lodge 1463 Queen of Hearts

On Friday March 8th Deland Elks 1463 will be supporting the Army of Hope.

On this day Friday March 8, the Queen of Hearts will not have tickets sold and there will be no drawing due to The Army of Hope Events taking place that evening. The Queen will Resume the following Friday March 15.

Please come and join us March 8th as we raise money to support our active Military Member's and their family.



Membership Dues

The Member Dues notices have been sent out for the 2024-2025 year.

New membership cards will be available for pick up in the social quarters from 6-7pm on the following nights. We must have received your payment to receive your card, or you may pay that night.

Wednesday, February 7th

Thursday, February 22nd

Thursday, March 14th

Wednesday, March 20th

A THANK YOU for our Early Birds

Members whose payment is received by February 29th will be entered into a drawing to win one of three \$25.00 lodge gift cards.

(Non-winners are eligible for drawing in March)

Members whose payment is received by March 22nd will be entered into a drawing to win one of three \$25.00 lodge gift cards.

Any paid membership cards not picked up prior to will be mailed out starting the first week in April.

Please be sure we are made aware of any address changes.



Greetings from the Florida Ladies of Elks.

It was great meeting new people and sharing all the great thing FLOE has planned to benefit the FSEA State Major Projects.

It was great seeing everyone at the February Quarterly Meeting at the Florida Elks Youth Camp February 9-10, 2024.. The FLOE Angel Program Reverse Draw tickets, benefiting FECTS, are now available for a donation of \$20. Just a reminder, only 300 tickets will be available so be sure to get yours early. If you would like tickets, please contact FLOE President Pauline Talbott via email: ladyelk2714@gmail.com.

April 12- 14, 2024 to attend the 3rd Annual Ladies Weekend at the Florida Elks Youth Camp. A fun relaxing weekend for all ladies to mingle and make new friends while enjoying the beauty and delicious food prepared by the camp chef. Friday evening meet and greet with music and karaoke. Visit the FSEA website (floridaelks.org) to register. It promises to be a fun time you don't want to miss. Space is filling up quickly so make your reservation today.

The 2nd Annual FLOE RV Rally "Camping for the Kids" benefiting the Florida Elks Youth Camp will be May31-June 2, 2024. Fund, food and friendship. Registration is now open on floridaelks.org. The RV Rally is open to everyone (not just Elks families). We hope to see you there.

Please check https://floridaelks.org/floe for more information relating to FLOE or email floeinformation@gmail.com with any questions.

Just a reminder, **EVERY** lady Elk, wife of an Elk and widow of an Elk are members of FLOE. There are no applications to complete nor dues to pay.

We would like to say "Thank You" for your continued support, and we look forward to seeing you.





funds in memory of our past members for the benefit of Elks Charities.

FLORIDA ELKS YOUTH CAMP



SUMMER CAMP 2024

REGISTRATION IS OPEN! SIGN UP TODAY!



7-Day Sessions - ages 9 through 13

14-Day Sessions - ages 12 & 13



7-Day Session 1: June 9 - June 15 7-Day Session 2: June 16 - June 22

7-Day Session 3: June 23 - June 29

7-Day Session 4: June 30 - July 6

7-Day Session 5: July 7 - July 13

7-Day Session 6: July 14 - July 20

7-Day Session 7: July 21 - July 27

14-Day Session 1: June 16 – June 29 14-Day Session 2: June 30 – July 13

14-Day Session 3: July 14 - July 27

Go to: www.feyc.org for more info & to register