



Hollywood West Elks Lodge

BPOE #2365

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Jesse Clemence —Exalted Ruler

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Exalted Rulers Message

Hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving with family and friends! Just a few words about our Halloween parties. The Children's had a great turnout of 57 kids, 17 from the Susan B Anthony shelter in Pembroke Pines. We had plenty of prizes, candy bags and drug awareness info for the kids and parents. Fed them well and sent them on their way. The adult party was extremely well put together and attended. I want to thank Sal & Lydia Grilli and David Ryan's group for doing such a great job.

Friday evening, Nov 14th, Dale Lueck along with some members of American Legion post #86 will dedicate our new Veterans monument, built in front of our flagpole. This is our Friday rib night and we have invited six veterans from the Sandy Nininger nursing home to attend this ceremony (and dine with us). The members and I want to thank Jim (Griz) Scanlon and Pat McPartland for the construction and any members who donated time and funds to this beautiful tribute to all USA veterans. Job well done guys!

Our chickee hut has been built and we're now working on the inside of it. Between Eddie Scanlon, Dennis Cannon, Chuck Kelly, Andy Young, Sal Grilli and myself, we got the pad poured and the electric piped. It may not be perfect but for old timers and cripples we did pretty good. Got-R-Done (almost), come see it.

Went to mid-year meeting on 11/14-15th at Orlando. The big concern amongst state and national is our declining membership. We need new blood and to keep the old members interested. Any suggestions are welcome. The state is also in the process of challenging certain gambling issues. They will keep us posted on the www.felks.org website.

Please remember that our annual Dinty Moore is on Friday night, Dec 5th to raise monies for our kids Christmas gifts and party. We are filling wish lists for the kids at Susan B Anthony center this year, so please support this function.

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*** NEW YEARS EVE ***

RESERVE YOUR TICKET NOW

Bill Ballew and The New River Boys for dancing & entertainment.

OPEN BAR FROM 6PM- 11:45 PM \$35 A PERSON

WE ARE PLANNING A CASUAL NITE WITH A BUFFET DINNER OF ROAST PORK AND FRESH TURKEY BREAST WITH ALL TRIMMINGS, APPETIZERS 6:15—6:45 P.M. — DINNER SERVED AT 7—8 PM..... CHAMPAGNE SPLITS, included, will be served at 11:30pm. This will be a CLOSED LODGE function, therefore, the Lodge will close at 5 PM and re-open at 6 PM for ticket holders ONLY. If you have any suggestions call the lodge and ask for Jesse.

Elks Of The Month

December

I could not make a choice this month, as I had so many volunteers to help with the Chickee Hut, building maintenance, construction of our Vets Memorial, grocery shopping, cooking, and the Halloween parties, filling in wherever, to keep things running smooth. How do you single one person out? So, I'm making all of you (you know who you are) Elks of the Month.

Thank you all..

Jesse Clemence, ER



Barbara Henry's famous..

Pork Loin Dinner

Monday Night - December 8

6:30-8 pm Cost: \$ 7

Please RSVP at the Lodge.



The current rolls indicate that we still have members who are in arrears with their dues. If any member recognizes these individuals, would you please check with them?

All Delinquent members, not paid by January 15th, 2009, **will be dropped from the rolls. After being**

dropped, a reinstatement fee will be applied for rejoining the Lodge.

2216 Alan Ashcroft	2027 Carole E Czvekus
1957 Robert H Banks	2221 George Mallett
2243 Ruth C Fletcher	2017 Harry H Danforth
1476 Richard Bauer	1895 Frank Mastrarrigo
2260 Edward L Garron	0033 William Deffo, Sr.
2264 Regina Bohlen	1652 Mark May, PER
2262 Beverly Hill	1991 Robert Montgomery
2270 Wayne Bohlen	1518 Thomas Moore, Sr
2263 Gregory Hill	1993 Richard J Murphy
2206 Brenda Brush	2179 John H O'Brien
1363 Steven C Jacques	2268 Kenneth O'Brien, Jr.
2296 James P Burnette	2186 Joseph M Ombrello
2247 Sherry Lee Keeney	2128 Robert T Perry
2058 Sidney Konburg	0619 Jack T Raynor
1752 Robert C Pinson	1970 Vernon W Rigsbee, PER
0831 Douglas Carignan	1593 James Roberts
1600 Allan P Libero	1784 Charles Stankiewicz
2282 Tom Contreras	2127 Jerry Sterzinger
2212 Richard E Lynn	0911 Harold W Warren
	2003 Robert Tullio
	0032 Willard Wiechman



Birthdays for December

1 Robert Thomas, Jr	15 James Shields, Jr
3 Dale Tarpinning	17 Richard C Fogey
4 Steven C Jacques	18 Kenneth Butcher
5 Edward J McCarr	20 Albert F Lex
7 Richard L Burns	Eugene McDermott
John H O'Brien	23 Francis X Duffy
8 Wanda Stirling	24 Frank Merlino
9 Thomas Habbershaw	25 David P Campbell
12 James D Burns	26 Edward Kaplan
Robert Montgomery	27 Charles D Wick
David R Ryan	31 Robert Gregory
13 Larry Hill	Michelle O'Brien
Heidi J Iovino	

Birthday Drink: _____

Name: _____

DOB: _____

Free Drink on your Birthday. Bring this coupon.

Memorial Service

TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS

You may be gone, but you are never forgotten. We will pay

Tribute to our absent Members on BPO Elks Memorial

Sunday,

December 7, 2008.

All members are invited to join us at 11:00 A.M. for the Memorial Service. After the Service we will have a collation.

All Officers and PER'S, please remember that this is a mandatory service, please be sure to participate.

Jesse Clemence, ER

BOOSTERS 2008 - 2009

MEMORIAL BOOSTER (indicated by *)

Fred Baldassaro	Thomas Dean	Paul & Kathy Houser	David & Chris Ryan
Esther Barnes	Ed & Eleanor Dombrowski	Jackie Hughes	James "Griz" Scanlon
Terry & Kelly Batzley	*Hollywood West for	Chuck Kelly, PDDGER	Duane Schultz
Don & Mary Belanger	Bernard F. Dolan PDDGER,	Robert & Lynn Kennedy	Barbara & Peter Scott
Jim & Barbara Blanchard	Hon L/M	Judith Kroeger	Wayne Shastas
Marjorie Broda	Ella Mae Van Eyk	Bob & Judy Krueger	Jim & Betty Slade
Bobby & Joan Brown	Milton "Pete" &	Jeanne Lagois	Jackie Smythe
Dick & Delores Burns	Elaine Feakins	*Jeanne Lagois for	*Jackie Smythe for
Dave Campbell	David Felt, PER &	George Lagois	Ed Smythe
Anna & Thomas Carr	Linda Felt	Dave & Edie Lawton, PER	John Tarbay
Jesse Clemence &	Larry Galvin	Pete & Helen Lynn	*John Tarbay for
Jeanne Coffey, PER	Emilio (Moe) Genovese	Frank & Carolyn Martorella	Katherine Tarbay
Don & Kathy Cote'	Ken Gilstrap, PER &	Jim Mayors	Jim & Linda Turner
Joe & Lori Covino	Rusty Gilstrap	Ed & Sharron McCarr	Dominic & Marie Venturella
Margaret Craig	Frank Gomez, PER &	Mel Meyer & Jean Taylor	CMSGT Joseph Vieira
*Margaret Craig for	Trudy Gomez	Pete & Sharyn Mosher	Jim & Joan Whyte
Chuck Craig	Bruce Greenawalt	Ken Morsch	*John R Williams Jr. for
Vicki Crosby	Bob & Jackie Griffin	Ted & Ginny Parsons	Ray Williams
Audrey & Joe Daniels	*Nancy Grimm for	Charlie & Donna Powers	Richard & Rosemarie Wilke
Mary Danver	David Grimm	Barbara Pullen	Ed Zablocki &
*Mary Danver for	Elise Hibdon	*Barbara Pullen for	Barbara Stanley
Bill Danver	*Elise Hibdon for	Gary Pullen	
Geraldine Davis	Wendall Hibdon, PER	Gerard Rastedt	
Dana & Maison Day	*Arthur Hill III for	Skeet Robinson	
	Arthur Hill, Jr PER/Trustee		

Boosters for 2008/2009. Please sign up now.

SPECIAL NOTE TO BOOSTER PAGE MEMBERS

IT'S TIME AGAIN TO RENEW THE BOOSTER PAGE.

Please make your checks payable to Hollywood West. BPOE #2365 and see or send your payment of 10.00 per family per year to:

Hollywood West Elks, Lodge #2365
7190 Davie Road Ext., Hollywood, FL 33024

Thanks go to all who have made this page so successful.

NAME: _____ ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PRINT MY/OUR NAME AS FOLLOWS _____

PHONE:() _____

10.00 CASH or CHECK ENCLOSED

Type of Booster: Regular or Memorial

EDITOR'S NOTE: Booster Fee is less than 1.00 a month. This fee is so that we can continue to give you the quality bulletin that we have had in the past. The Grand Lodge states that this bulletin must be self-sufficient. This is one way we can strive to make it self-sufficient.

December 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Baked Fish with Rice 6:30— 8:00 PM	2 Dale and Helen's Taco Tuesday 6—8 PM	3 Italian Spaghetti 6—8 pm	4 Lodge Meeting 8 PM	5 Dinty Moore Fundraiser 5—9 PM	6 Belly Busters \$1
7 Memorial Service 11:00 A.M. Football , Food Available	8 Pork Loin Dinner 6:30-8 pm RSVP Boy Scouts 7PM	9 Andrew's Taco Tuesday 6—8 PM	10 Italian Spaghetti Night 6—8 pm Trustees 730 pm HouseCom 7 pm	11 BINGO 7pm Basket Meal Deal	12 Ribs 6:30-8 PM RSVP	13 Belly Busters \$1
14 Football Food Available	15 BBQ Pork Sandwiches 6—8 PM	16 Dale & Helen's Taco Tuesday 6—8 PM Bulletin Committee	17 Italian Spaghetti 6—8 pm	18 Lodge Meeting 8 PM	19 Adult Christmas Party, Covered Dish 6— 9 PM	20 Children's Christmas Party 10AM - 12PM Belly Busters \$1
21 Sunday Brunch Football	22 Call For Menu	23 Andrew's Taco Tuesday 6—8PM	24 Italian Spaghetti Night 6—8 pm	25 Christmas ** Lodge is Closed **	26 No Food	27 Belly Busters \$1
28 Football Food Available	29 Call For Menu	30 Dale & Helen's Taco Tuesday 6—8 PM	31 New Years Eve 6 PM until			Pizza, hamburgers and hot dogs are always available at the bar



DINTY MOORE DINNER
CORNEB BEEF AND

CABBAGE WITH TRIMMINGS

FRIDAY- DECEMBER 5TH
5PM TO 9PM ** \$10 PER

PLEASE COME AND ENJOY OUR CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY FUNDRAISER HOSTED BY OUR LEADING KNIGHT, TERRY PINKERTON



Children's Christmas Party

Saturday, December 20th,
10:00 A.M. to 12:00 PM.

Sign-up sheets for names and ages are on the bulletin board at the Lodge. Please sign-up before December 15th.

Terry Pinkerton

Volunteers are needed to help decorate the Lodge for the holidays.



January 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Pizza, hamburgers and hot dogs are always available at				1 Lodge Meeting 8 PM	2 Finger Food 630-8 PM	3 Belly Busters \$1
4 Sunday Football Food Available	5 Call for Menu	6 Taco Tuesday 6—8 PM	7 Italian Spaghetti 6 –8 pm	8 BINGO 7 PM Basket Meal Deal	9 Ribs 6:30-8 PM RSVP	10 Belly Busters \$1
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18 Sunday Brunch Blood Drive 9 AM—1 PM Sunday Football Food Available	19 BBQ Pork Sandwiches 6—8 PM	20 Taco Tuesday 6—8 PM Bulletin Committee 7:30 PM	21 Italian Spaghetti 6 –8 pm	22 8 BINGO 7 PM Basket Meal Deal	23 Wing Out 630-8 PM	24 Belly Busters \$1
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ER's message continued.

I also welcome any donations. It's going to be a tight holiday. Following Dinty Moore... is Memorial Sunday, Dec 7th dedicated to all our absent members. The ceremony will start at 11:00 AM with a collation to follow.

The adult Christmas party is on the 19th. This is a covered dish party and the price of admission is a covered dish. The sign up sheet is on the bulletin board or call and have someone sign you up. We had a great time last year and a good turnout. After that we are into New Years eve. Our band this year is our own member Billy Ballew and the New River Boys. The Lodge closes at 5 PM and reopens at 6 PM to TICKET HOLDERS ONLY.

Let's all have a great holiday!

Fraternally,

Jesse Clemence, ER



Join Us Tuesday Night !

Taco Tuesday

Hard Shell Tacos

Soft Shell Tacos

6:00PM — 8:00PM

Donation — 2 for 3.00

Margaritas — 3.00



Wing Out

Next will be 23 January 09.

10 Wings, Salad and/or Cole Slaw.

All for only 6.00.

Come on out and enjoy some good times
at YOUR Lodge!

SUNDAY BRUNCH

3RD SUNDAY, Every Month.

10:00 to Noon

Bloody Mary's 1.25

Screwdriver's 1.25

Donation:

6.50 All U Can Eat

4.00 Under 12 Years



Omelets & Eggs made to order

Pancakes . Sausage Gravy . Biscuits . Sausage . Bacon . Sweet Rolls. Orange or Tomato Juice . Coffee or Tea

Brunch volunteers needed

Change to Operating Hours

Effective December 15th, The Bar hours will be changed to the following:

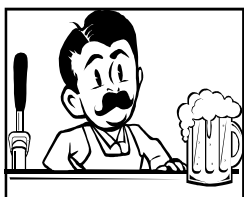
Sunday	12:00 P.M. til Closing
Monday	2:00 P.M. til
Tuesday	2:00 P.M. til
Wednesday	2:00 P.M. til
Thursday	2:00 P.M. til
Friday	2:00 P.M. til
Saturday	12:00 P.M. til

House Committee

HOURS OF OPERATION

FOR THE CLUB

Monday thru Thursday	11 AM til 10 PM
Friday.....	11 AM til 2 AM
Saturday	11 AM til 10 PM
Sunday	Noon til 8 PM



When there are 6 or more people present, the bartender has the discretion to extend the hours, except on Friday nights where the 2 AM last call will be.

Elks Charity News Lodge 2365

The Lodge continues to support

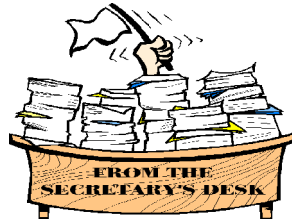
- ~ Children's Therapy ~ The Harry-Anna Trust ~
- ~The Florida Youth Camp ~ Boy Scouts of America ~
- ~ Elks National Foundation ~
- ~ Sandy Nininger State Veterans' Nursing Home ~
- ~Women In Distress ~ Kids In Distress~

We've certainly had a very busy two months trying to clean out the lodge trailer with all your donations and get them delivered to the right organizations. Thank God that we all have pick-up trucks. We have been delivering a lot of items to the new goodwill in Hollywood, which they have been delighted with as they are just starting up. In two months we have taken 93 bags of clothing, and misc household items, toys, books, dishes etc. All in decent condition with a resale value for them. We have delivered twice to BARC (assoc of retarded citizens) housing. We donated 21 bags & boxes of clothing, 1 large bag of NASCAR t-shirts & hats donated by our late PER Art Hill. We also gave them 30 pairs of shoes, 20 Disney movies and lots of new stuffed toys. They love us Elks! Jesse & I made a round-robin one Friday morn. While Moe was delivering my truck loaded up for Goodwill (he said he felt like the Beverly hillbillies) Jesse & I then headed to Ft Lauderdale. 1st stop to Women in distress headquarters with 50 cell phones w/ chargers (greatly appreciated) 100 new stuffed toys (huggy bears), kid's books, puzzles and games and 2 boxes of Christmas decorations. We left there and went to Lighthouse for the Blind and donated 30 pair of glasses w/ 50 cases. They remake them for their MD patients for free. We then headed over to the Ronald McDonald house with a 13 gal bag of pull-tabs, about 50 lbs. We met Mike Munoz who heads the program and he told us the donations of pull tabs from different fraternal organizations brought them over \$7000 last year. Good job! Than we hit Dirty Ernie's for their famous BBQ sandwich (yep, it's still there). After that, it was the to the Davie police to give them a \$250 donation to FOP and 60 new "Huggy Bears" for their patrol cars.

Now let's get on to the kids Halloween party. I would like to tell you about our Esquire, Debbie Snell, who recently demitted from South Broward lodge and we're glad to have her. She has introduced us to the administrator from the Susan B Anthony shelter for women in recovery and we found another community charity to work with. Debbie worked out bringing 17 kids and their mothers to the party. In all we had about 57 kids. Ted and Ginny Parsons organized the party with their crew and did a great job. They had treat bags, prizes for all the kids, games, and a great lunch for them. I spoke to one of the mothers from the shelter and she told me there were 82 children at the shelter from infant to school kids. So, Jesse & I went over there on Monday with all the treat bags that were left over and drug awareness coloring books and info, boxes of crayons and new stuffed toys from the Elks. We spoke to Sandy the director, and she explained the need for new or gently used clothing for the kids, toys and movies. The ER then volunteered to fill some of the wish lists for the kids for Christmas. We have been back over to the shelter with booster chairs, 5 bags of toys,

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Secretary's Corner



I just finished our Nov grand lodge report which is now done online, with the new Grand Lodge software, CLMS. The program enables all our reports and member updates to be done online and back up to GL. They are in the process of helping 2000 lodges change over to this modern technology and from what I hear some of them are really struggling with all "this new technology, especially rural areas.

I want to congratulate our new life members for this year: # 799 George Audette PER, #495 Richard Conni , #1571 Francis Duffey, #1995 Paul Marsala, #343 Carl Polefko, #2135 John Vecchio.

Requesting life membership is Milton "Pete" Feakins #576.

Alfonse Dimeo is requesting a transfer demit to our lodge from Lodge #2273.

Fraternally,
Jeanne Coffey, PER/Secretary

PROTOCOL

We are a Fraternal Organization founded in the late 1800's and we have lasted this long by adopting rules and governing bodies within the organization that have been tested and found to work well for the stability of the Elks organization.

All Lodges from Grand Lodge down to the Subordinate Lodges elect officers and appoint committees to fulfill the duties of running the Lodge. Members put their trust in who they elect to do the job they select them for.

Exalted Ruler Chief Executive Officer of the Lodge

Chair Officers To assist the ER in the performance of his duties in the order of rank

Trustees Control of the funds, investments and maintaining the property of the Lodge

House Committee or Club Manager of Social quarters & Kitchen Employment of workers, supervision and control of social quarters with the power to suspend a member, fixing of prices and ordering supplies for the Club Facility.

When these governing bodies work together, follow protocol and the statutes, by-laws and house rules, Lodges run smoothly.

Members wishing to chair a function, request monies, hire entertainment, file a complaint or make any changes to the building or grounds shall follow proper procedure and address their request to the correct committee in charge, PRIOR to bringing it to the lodge meeting floor for a motion or vote. Not doing this will insure that your request will be tabled at the meeting until the committee is notified. Hollywood West 2365 has abided by this form of governing since 1967, it works and it will be followed in my year as Exalted Ruler.

Jesse Clemence, ER

Charity News continued.

115 more stuffed toys (which every newly admitted mother and child gets), one box of newer women's clothing and 3 boxes (1500) of small packs of hand toys for their children's reward program.

So dear members, I need your help for collecting new or gently used clothing, toys, movie, kid's books for this great program. It's very similar to women in distress but different in the way the women are rehabilitating from drug and alcohol abuse and working to keep their families together. Also, thank you Debbie for making our lodge aware of this.

Please keep in mind, brothers and sisters in Elkdome, we distribute the donations you've given us and YOU make all of it possible. YOU are making Hollywood West 2365 shine in the community.

Jeanne Coffey, PER
Community Welfare Chairperson

The Lodge is Wireless!

All members can use their computers in the lodge lounge through our wireless connection. Bring your laptop and try it out. See bartender for access code.

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Loyal Knight	Joe Covino	By-Laws	Duane Schultz	Membership/Lapsation...	Jeanne Coffey PER
Lecturing Knight	Tom Habbershaw	Community Activities ...	Jeanne Coffey, PER	Memorial Day	Jesse Clemence
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Treasurer	Duane Schultz	Decorations	Lodge Committees	Jeanne Coffey, PER
Esquire	Debbie Snell	Drug Awareness	Bill Roach	National Foundation (ENF).....	Bill Roach
Chaplain	Patrick McPartland	Entertainment	TBA	2 Year ENF	Paul Houser
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Tiler	Vicki Crosby	F.E.C.T.S.	Jeanne Coffey, PER	Publicity and PR	Sal Grilli, PER
Trustee 5 year	Jim Blanchard	Government Relations	TBA	Relief	Chair Officers
Trustee 4 year	Jim Slade	Harry—Anna Trust	Mike Conlon	Scholarship	Ronald Lewis
Trustee 3 year	Ed Scanlon, Chair	Hoop Shoot	Joe Covino	Sickness & Distress ...	Ted & Ginny Parsons
Trustee 2 year.....	Mo Boutin, PER	House Committee ...	Chuck Kelly, PDDGER	Soccer Shoot	Tom Habbershaw
Trustee 1 year	Pete Lynn	Indoctrination	Terry Pinkerton	Technology	Jim Blanchard
Presiding Justice	Chuck Kelly, PDDGER	Investigation	Terry Pinkerton	Visitations	Ted & Ginny Parsons
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