



Hollywood West Elks Lodge

BPOE #2365

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Jesse Clemence —Exalted Ruler

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Exalted Rulers Message

Here we are in 2010 and 2009 just flew by.

Nomination and election of officers for 2010-2011 will be in February. The first meeting on February 4th will be nominations and the second meeting, February 18th, will be the elections. It is very important that the members come out and be a part of this process as we need good officers in place running our Lodge in these trying times.

As we all know, the last few years the economic situation has been very rough. We've had to tighten our spending and try to keep our bills as trimmed as possible to keep the lodge running smooth. We have tried to keep prices at a minimum, but with our liquor vendors constantly passing on their price increases, we have had to have a small increase in drink prices.

The bulletin went out before Christmas so here's my report on the holidays. The adult Christmas was a nice social evening with lots of covered dishes on the menu. The kid's party was very successful thanks to Leading Knight Terry Pinkerton and Ted Parson's family at the helm. There were approximately 40 children and lots of adults anxiously waiting on Santa to arrive in his big fire truck and rescue escorts. Thanks again to fire chief Dick Christianson and Santa Kenny Morsch for making a lot of kids very happy. My thanks to all of you that made the day special.

PER Moe Boutin's wife Karen has been very busy turning out lap robes for the veteran's. We went over to Pembroke Pines VA nursing home and gave out six of them to the patients in the Alzheimer's wards along with stuffed animals and a case of candy. The patients receiving them were thrilled. What a day! Any of you that know how to knit or crochet there is a real need for the lap robes in bright colors for when they are in their wheelchairs. Loyal Knight Paul Houser, Hoop Shoot chairman, is going to Bonita Springs Jan 23rd with our two district winners to compete in the state hoop shoot contest. Let's wish them luck!!

Our fifth annual Super bowl party is coming up on February 7th. For all those in "Jesse's Charity Football Fund" the food

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OFFICIAL DUES NOTICE FOR 2010-2011

Hollywood West Lodge 2365

We have been able to keep our mailing costs down the last two years by publishing the dues notice in the bulletin for the coming year. The amount payable on or before 3/31/2010 will be \$81.50 for members and \$35.50 for life members.

The card door locks will be changed on April 1st, 2010.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Jeanne Coffey, Secretary/PER



Saturday Feb 27
7:30 AM

Sellers & Buyers of
Treasures Needed

Space Available
Single \$25 Double \$40
Round 6' Tables Available \$10

Questions / RSVP
Reservations Payment by 02/20/2010
Contact Jeanne Coffey for
Site Map / Available Space



B.P.O Elks #2365
7190 Davey Rd Ext
Hollywood FL 33024
954-374-2464

Food & Drinks
Available



Food Carts/Vendors
Not Needed





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

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

1941 Asman, Max	2079 Oquendo, Rafael
1247 Boyd II, Patrick M	2256 Orfino, Mary
2249 Bryan, Sharon	2267 Profitka, Eugene
1045 Butcher, Kenneth	2119 Puzzo, Michael F
2313 Celenza, Thomas	2090 Rolison, Timothy E
2304 Chu, Casey	2229 Rudolph, Charles A
2266 Covino, Joe	2315 Sesto, James
2314 D'Onofrio, Louis	2152 Smith, Bryan K
2043 Darnell, Lorraine	1796 Smith, Harold T
1279 Forgey, Richard C	2111 Speers, Arnold L
1042 Garside, Robert	2236 Tintle, Dave
2191 Hannibal, Richard J	1569 Torra, Michael, PER
2063 Harper, Terry	2144 Tullis, Calvin L
2114 Klein, Michael	2289 Vieira, Charles
2058 Konigsburg, Sidney	2036 Vierkorn, Elwood P
1952 Lawton, Kenneth M	0911 Warren, Harold W
2318 Melegian, Craig	1627 Wick, Charles D
1450 Merlino, Frank	2257 Zablocki, Edward J
2299 O'Brien, Michelle	
2055 O'Neill, Joseph W	

ELKS OF THE MONTH

For February

Many thanks to our landscaping crew for cleaning, planting and maintaining curb appeal for our grounds (including the swales). Thank you Ed McCarr, Rich Freeman and "Oscar" Ballinger.

Jesse Clemence, ER, PER

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Judith M. Harden, P.C.A.
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 6333 N. State Highway 161, Fourth Floor, Irving Texas 75038, (972) 870-6000



1 Frank Eufemia, Jr	18 John Brown
3 George Biggs	19 Raymond M Hardin
7 Ernest Audette	20 William C Dixon, Jr
9 Steven L Siems	21 Robert Reger
11 Larry Galvin	Jules Seriani
Melisa Talenfeld	22 Frank Gomez, PER
12 Bernal Lewis, Jr, PER	Elizabeth Slade
13 Bolton M Bunting, Jr	23 George H Audette, PER
John W Cann, Jr	Peter Callahan
James Roberts	25 Raymond A Radkiewicz
15 Eugene F Profitka	26 Hal Myrah
Ronald B Wells	28 David K Cairns
16 Michael F Torra, PER	
17 Raymond Garrabrant	

Birthday Drink: _____

Name: _____

DOB: _____

Free Drink on your Birthday. Bring this coupon.

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is free; for all others the donation is \$10 to join in on the feast and fun.

We had our last DD clinic on January 10th and the main discussion was how to keep our delinquent or lapsed members in the fold and invite new ones to join. We are losing members state and nationwide at an alarming rate. If you want to help, bring a friend into our lodge and have them meet the BPOE "the best people on earth." Our last quarterly meeting will be on February 4th & 5th at the Youth Camp in Umatilla. Everyone is welcome if you want to see our beautiful youth camp.

On a final note, everyone seemed to enjoy our New Year's function and we even made some money for the lodge. Thanks to everyone who stayed after and helped us all clean up the back room. Teamwork!

Until next month stay healthy and God Bless.

Fraternally,
 Jesse Clemence, ER/PER

BOOSTERS 2009 - 2010

MEMORIAL BOOSTER (indicated by *)

David "Oscar" Ballinger	Gerry Davis	*Glenn Lawton for	Skeet Robinson, PER 948
Terry & Kelly Baltzley	Mike Dean	Dave & Edie Lawton	David & Chris Ryan
Donald & Mary Belanger	Thomas M Dean	*Barney & Linda Lombardi for George Lagois	Duane Schultz
Jim & Barbara Blanchard	Rene & Lisa DeVilliers	Doug & Carol Lupisell	Peter & Barbara Scott
Bob & Joan Brown	Kelly & Bill Dixon	Pete Lynn	Jim & Betty Slade
Bolton & Carol Bunting	Edward & Eleanor	*Pete Lynn for	Jackie Smyth
Richard L Burns	Dombrowski	Helen Lynn	* Jackie Smyth for Ed Smyth
James D Burns	John Erskine	Ed & Sharron McCarr	*John Tarbay for
Dave Campbell & Mary Kilroy	Christine Gallahar	Scott & Marvene McPhee	Katherine Tarbay
Jesse Clemence, PER & Jeanne Coffey, PER	Larry Galvin	Melvin J Meyer	Dale C Tarpenning
Don & Kathy Cote'	Kenneth Gilstrap	Charlie & Bea Moore	*Susan Turk for
Richard & Katherine Coyle	Frank, PER & Trudy Gomez	Pete & Sharyn Mosher	Robert Turk
Charles Coyte & Deloras Besterda	Bruce Greenawalt	Chuck & Aicha Newman	Dominic & Doria Venturella
Margaret Craig	*Nancy Grimm for David Grimm	Ted & Ginny Parsons	*Dominic Venturella for Marie Venturella
* Margaret Craig for Chuck Craig	Frank Gundlach	Terry Pinkerton	Richard & Rosemarie Wilke
Vicki Crosby	Barbara Henry, PER & Jack Kelly	Ed & Trudy Porembski	Robert & Pat Yoder
John & Joyce Curren	*Arthur Hill, III & Sharon for Art Hill, Jr PER/Trustee	Arnold Porter	
Joe & Audrey Daniels	Paul & Kathy Houser	Donna & Charlie Powers	
Mary Danver	Judith A Kroeger	Barbara Pullen	
*Mary Danver for Bill Danver	Robert and Lynn Kennedy	*Barbara Pullen for Gary Pullen	
		Jerry Rastedt	
		Bill & Karen Roach	

Boosters for 2009/2010. 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.

Elks National Foundation (ENF) Please mail in your \$10 or more donation today. Thank You. Questions, please contact Jim Blanchard or Paul Houser. The mission of the Elks National Foundation is to help Elks build stronger communities. We fulfill this pledge by investing in communities where Elks live and work. We provide tomorrow's leaders, our youth, with a healthy beginning; honor the Elks' pledge to never forget our veterans; help the state Elks associations accomplish their charitable objectives and fund projects that improve the quality of life in local Elks communities.

February 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Pizza, hamburgers and hot dogs are always available at the bar	1 Call For Menu	2 Call for Menu	3 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM	4 QD drawing 7PM Lodge Meeting 8PM Nomination of Officers	5 Quarterly Meeting - FL Elks Youth Camp, Umatilla Call for Menu	6 Quarterly Meeting - FL Elks Youth Camp, Umatilla All Day Bar Menu
7 SUPERBOWL PARTY	8 Call for Menu	9 Call for Menu	10 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM PER 6:30 PM Trustees 7:30 PM HouseCom 7 PM	11 QD drawing 7PM Bingo 7PM	12 Ribs 6:30-8 PM RSVP Karaoke at 8 PM	13 All Day Belly Bust- ers, Hamburgers & pizza
14 Valentine's Day NASCAR	15 President's Day Call For Menu Bulletin Articles Due	16 Call for Menu Birthday of the Order Founded 1868	17 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM Bulletin Committee 7:00 PM Ash Wednesday	18 QD drawing 7PM Lodge Meeting 8PM Election of Officers	19 Pork Loin Dinner 6:00-8:00 PM	20 All Day Belly Bust- ers, Hamburgers & pizza
21 Sunday Brunch 10-Noon NASCAR	22 Call For Menu	23 Call for Menu	24 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM	25 QD drawing 7PM Bingo 7PM	26 Soup & Salad with Donna Powers 6:00-8:00PM	27 Garage Sale at the Lodge (see article)
28 NASCAR						Pizza, hamburgers and hot dogs are always available at the bar

Barbara Henry's famous..



Pork Loin Dinner

Friday Night -
Feb 19 & Mar 19

6:30-8 PM Donation: \$ 8.00

Please **RSVP** at the Lodge.

Just A Reminder!!



Saturday, March 13, 2010 will be the next St Patrick's Day Party at the Lodge. We'll have Irish Food, music, etc. More information to come later. Watch the Bulletin Board at the Lodge.

EST. Leading Knight,

Terry (Radar) Pinkerton



Bar Bingo is returning to Thursday Evenings alternating with the Lodge meetings. It will start at approximately 7:00 PM. Come out for a night-of-fun. Guests are welcome.

Feb 11 & 25

Mar 11 & 25

Questions, contact Bruce Greenawalt @ 954-349-9078

Needed in February 2010. People who are interested in serving the Lodge on committees or at functions. Contact me at 954-636-0811.

Your Est. Leading Knight,

Terry Pinkerton



March 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Pizza, hamburgers and hot dogs are always available at the bar	1 Call for Menu	2 Call for Menu	3 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM	4 QD drawing 7 PM Lodge Meeting 8 PM	5 Ribs 6:30-8PM Karaoke at 8PM	6 All Day Belly Busters, Hamburgers & pizza
7 Food Available NASCAR	8 Call for Menu Boy Scouts 7PM	9 Call for Menu	10 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM PER 6:30 PM Trustees 7:30 PM HouseCom 7 PM	11 QD drawing 7 PM Bingo 7 PM	12 Call for Menu	13 St. Patty's Day Dinner & Dance RSVP
14 Food Available Daylight Saving Time Begins	15 Call for Menu Bulletin Articles Due	16 Call for Menu	17 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM St. Patrick's Day Bulletin Committee 7:30 PM	18 QD drawing 7 PM Lodge Meeting 8 PM	19 Pork Loin Dinner 6:00-8:00PM	20 All Day Belly Busters, Hamburgers & pizza
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28 Food Available NASCAR Palm Sunday	29 Call for Menu	30 Call for Menu Passover	31 Italian Dinner 6-8 PM			Pizza, hamburgers and hot dogs are always available at the bar



Karaoke and Rib Dinner Night !

Come Join us at
the Lodge
Feb 12 and Mar 5
Rib Dinner \$ 10

Karaoke Starts at 8:00 PM
DJ: Paul Houser

There will be a Raffle to benefit the Elks National Foundation (ENF) Fund.



Soup and Sandwich Dinner!

With Donna Powers

Featuring:
Split Pea Soup
Tossed Salad
Grilled Cheese Sandwich

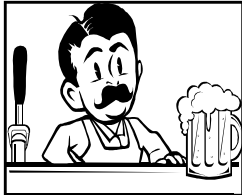
Friday
February 26, 2010
6 till 8 PM.

Donation—\$6.50

Please RSVP at the bar
by February 25th



**NEW HOURS OF OPERATION
FOR THE CLUB**



Monday thru Friday 2:00 PM till
Saturday & Sunday..... 12 PM till
Happy Hour:
Monday—Friday 4—7 PM
Sat & Sun 12—5 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.



The Parsons Crew. Yeah!



Santa Arriving!



Waiting to talk to Santa.



Receiving Gift from Santa.

Christmas visit at the VA Hospital Facility.



PERs Jeanne, Ed and Moe at VA Hosp.



George C. presenting a lap robe.



ER Jesse presenting lap robe with PER's Moe and Ed and George C.

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~

When they say community activities committee, they mean active. We had a lot to share this month. We visited the VA nursing home in Pembroke Pines and gave six beautiful lap robes donated by PER Moe Boutin and wife Karen to the Alzheimer's ward. We also distributed a case of candy and about 30 new stuffed Christmas "huggy bears." We are having vets from there as our guests for spaghetti night, January 27th, so please come and welcome them. We were there earlier in the month with donations of clothing, shoes, magazines and books for them.

We delivered to Goodwill 5 bags of clothing, misc Xmas items, 100 stuffed toys, 2 boxes of kid's toys and other saleable items.

The children's Christmas party, chaired by Leading Knight Terry Pinkerton, was well attended with about 40 kids and a gift and "huggy bear" for every child. They enjoyed face-painting donated by new member Diane Colini and her student helpers. We also had the clown crew Martha Turk, George Caffrey and PER Ed Kaplan attend and provide entertainment. The Parson's family fed all the kids lunch. Santa Kenny came on the fire truck driven by fire Chief Dick Christianson. Thanks to all the volunteers making a great party for the kids. On a different note, to help Susan B Anthony have a good party for their kids, we made two visits and delivered 3 bags of women's newer clothing, 175 "huggy bears", 4 cases of candy, 3 cases of food and canned goods and 56 gifts for the kids. We received a beautiful thank you letter from them.

Dinty Moore was a very successful charity event. Thanks to all who helped and participated.

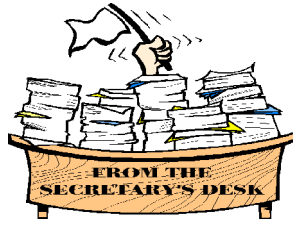
Our thanks to all of you that make this possible to serve the community.

Jeanne Coffey, PER
Community Welfare Chair

Secretary's Corner

Joseph Scuncio is proposing Frank Aiello for membership into Hollywood West. Frank is from Pittsburg, Pa. and is retired.

George Gervais from Lawrence, Ma. wishes to demit to Hollywood West 2365.



Susan Simpson, Bryan Mallard, Edgar Ballard and John Kelly wish a transfer demit from SW Broward 2273 to Hollywood West 2365.

Welcome to new member by demit from Hot Springs, Ar. Lodge, William 'Bill' Schmid, originally from Plantation lodge.

The district has requested that the secretary's office post hours that we are available to aid members. As most of you know I am in the Lodge most days and weekends to help members. The hours you may reach me will be Monday –Wednesday from 10am to 12pm by phone @ 954 963 6714. The lodge is not open till 2pm and if I am working here alone, I do not answer the front door. I am available on the 1st and 3rd Thursday meeting nights from 6:30pm to 7:45pm. I try very hard to make myself available for member's questions. I can also be reached on my cell phone 954-610-8316.

This is the busy season we are coming into with dues coming up, the election of officers, committee changes, lodge visitations and all the things that go with the changing of the guard. Grand Lodge is not offering preprinted cards anymore, so it will be up to the secretary to produce them from now on.

The official dues notice is on the front page of the bulletin. According to the by-laws of Hollywood West 2365, approved February 16th, 2008 By Grand Lodge and Hollywood West 2365, Article X, the dues are increased by \$3.50. Dues for members will be \$81.50 and life members \$35.50. The members voted to a \$10 increase over three years or until completed. The lodge did not take the increase in 2009 because Grand Lodge had an increase in their assessments and we did not want to pass two increases on to the members in the same year.

Now for some great news! As I told you in an earlier bulletin, we sent six qualified (highly) scholarship applications forward to district for judging at that level. **OUT OF THE SIX, FIVE WENT FORWARD TO STATE LEVEL!** That is so terrific. Thanks to our great grading committee. I want to apologize to Sharron McCarr for not mentioning her name in the Extra Mile article thanking members of the scholarship team. Thank you too, Sharon. You and husband Ed are always helping around the lodge.

Initiation is on January 21st and we will be bringing in a new member with one waiting for balloting. To date we have initiated 18 new members, and had 6 demits into the lodge. We have had 5 members pass away this year.

Fraternally,
Jeanne Coffey, PER/Secretary

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LODGE CRUISE
SAIL ON THE MOST TALKED ABOUT SHIP EVER!

****OASIS of the Seas****

This ship is here now!

And MUST be reserved early

***We have group space w/ a Payment Schedule to Fit your Budget**

Join us next year...

September 4 – 11, 2010

Sailing to Labadee, Cozumel & Costa Maya, Mexico + 3 Days @ Sea

(No one really cares where it goes!)

For more info go to:

<http://www.blanchardcomputersystems.com/elkslodge2365/events/oasiselks2010.pdf>

Questions? Contact member Jim Blanchard @ 954-583-8674

"40 persons are signed up so far"



SUNDAY BRUNCH

3RD SUNDAY,
Every Month.

10:00 to Noon

Bloody Mary's 1.25

Screwdriver's 1.25

Donation:

6.50 Adults

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.

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 954-374-2464 Lounge
 954-963-7357 Fax
 954-963-6714 Office

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Exalted RulerJesse Clemence, PER	BrunchDuane Schultz	Lodge RentalTrustees
Leading KnightTerry Pinkerton	BulletinJim Blanchard	Mediators.....Chuck Kelly, PDDGER
Loyal KnightPaul Houser (Editor) Dennis CannonJim Whyte
Lecturing KnightDebbie Snell	By-LawsDuane Schultz	Membership/.....Jeanne Coffey PER
SecretaryJeanne Coffey, PER	Community Activities ...Jeanne Coffey, PER	Memorial DayJesse Clemence
TreasurerDuane Schultz	Community WelfareJeanne Coffey, PER	Mothers Day.....Art Hill III
Esquire Andrew Young	DecorationsLodge CommitteesJeanne Coffey, PER
Chaplain Barbara Henry, PER	Drug Awareness Jeanne Coffey, PER	National Foundation (ENF) .Jim Blanchard
Inner GuardVicki Crosby	Entertainment Donna Powers	2 Year ENF Paul Houser
Tiler Emil "Moe" Genovese	Flag DayJim Blanchard	National ServiceEd Kaplan, PER
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Trustee 3 yearJim Slade	Harry—Anna Trust Mike Conlon	Relief Chair Officers
Trustee 2 yearEd Scanlon, Chair	Hoop Shoot Paul Houser	Scholarship Donna Powers
Trustee 1 yearMo Boutin, PER	House Committee ...Chuck Kelly, PDDGER	Scouting Coordinator Jim Blanchard
Presiding JusticeChuck Kelly, PDDGER	Indoctrination Terry Pinkerton	Sickness & Distress ...Ted & Ginny Parsons
Accident Prevention Duane Schultz	Investigation Terry Pinkerton	Soccer Shoot TBA
Ambassador Jim Blanchard	LapsationPaul Houser	TechnologyJim Blanchard
Auditing Larry Galvin	Lodge ActivitiesJim Blanchard	Officer Visitations Debbie Snell
..... Barbara Pullen	Lodge AdvisorJim Whyte	Youth ActivitiesTed & Ginny Parsons
		National Veteran's AffairsEd Kaplan, PER