



Hollywood West Elks Lodge

BPOE #2365

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Richard Freeman— Exalted Ruler

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Exalted Rulers Message

Greetings Brother and Sister Elks,

Wow! May was full of activities and events at the Lodge. Cinco de Mayo, Mother's Day Service and Luncheon, Fish Fry, Memorial Day Service and Barbecue, and Finger Food Friday were all a success. A special thanks to District Deputy, Denise May-Carter, for the delicious German Pork and Sauerkraut Dinner. Glad to see so many returning members enjoying themselves. The Elks State Convention was held in Orlando May 21-25. Thanks to PER Linda Barieas and the Boca Raton Lodge for hosting the hospitality suite.



Even though the summer months will be upon us, the Lodge will continue to provide special events. Plan now on these activities:

Friday, June 12, our own chef "Bicycle Joe" will be cooking up sausage and peppers. Visit the sign up sheet posted in the lounge for time and price.

Sunday, June 14, at 12:00 pm will be our Flag Day Ceremony. Once again the retired flags will be disposed of properly as the Order of the Arrow Boy Scouts performs the ceremony. See Jim Blanchard for more details.

Friday, June 19, will be another Fish Fry from 6-8. Cost is \$8.00. (If you missed the last one, you missed some good food.) Be sure to find the sign up sheet for this one.

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PROM NIGHT

Dinner/Dance

'The Way We Where'

(Bring a copy of your original prom picture)

Saturday, June 27, 2015 at 6:30 PM

Your friends are welcome!!

Music by the "Elk DJ's"

BBQ Rib Dinner

A Night to Remember

\$15 per person in advance by 6/25

\$18 at the door

Tickets Available at the Lodge



BPO Elks 2365
7190 Davie Rd Ext
Hollywood FL 33024
954-374-2464



Officer Of The Month for May 2015

Larry Ulrich



Elk Of The Month for May 2015

Khurram Raja



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Come out to the Lodge on Sunday, June 21 at 1:00 to see how we are honoring all our Fathers for Father's Day.

Find your old prom pictures and bring them to the Lodge for display during Prom Night, Saturday, June 27. Ticket cost is \$15.00. The theme is The Way We Were. Music arranged by the House Committee. Cocktail Hour is 6:30-7:30 followed by Rib Dinner prepared by Sal and Lydia. Attire is Cocktail to Formal, Jackets required. Who will be crowned Prom King and Queen?

Keep watching your bulletin and visiting the lodge for ongoing events and activities. Be sure to use the sign up sheets.

More good news: The final payment on the roof fund is due in June. All the donations have greatly helped meet this deadline. Thank you! The new roll up kitchen door should be installed by the end of June. Thanks to PER John Musser for this generous donation. The outside grounds are looking much better. Thanks to Donna and Larry Ulrich for supplying more plants. A bench in the center island adds an aesthetic touch. A BIG THANKS to those who assisted with the recent bar and kitchen clean up. Way to go team!

In closing, summer finds many on vacation or out of town. As we press forward to stay active and operational, remember this lodge is for all the members all the time. Come out and relax with friends. Your help, support, and input is always needed and appreciated.

Fraternally,

Richard Freeman, Exalted Ruler

OFFICIAL DUES NOTICE FOR 2015—2016 Hollywood West Lodge 2365

The annual dues will be \$86.00 for members and \$40.00 for life members.

Payments in the form of cash, check or credit cards at the lodge or mail to the Secretary.



4	John Evans	15	Paul Sluder
6	Claude Covino	16	Carol Kigellon
8	Jeffrey Allan Turk	17	William Hobart
	Rich Wilke	26	Helen Smith Lueck
11	Sam McFarland	28	Alfanzo Alfano
12	John Vecchio		

Birthday Drink: _____

Name: _____

DOB: _____

Queen of Diamonds Jackpot over \$1000. All Elks come by and play!



QUEEN OF DIAMONDS
Play and help the Lodge
Win and help yourself

- Participation is open to any Elk, in good standing - SHOW YOUR CARD
- Drawing will be held every Wednesday at 6:30PM
- Tickets will be sold for \$ 1.00 each, 7 for \$ 5.00 and 15 for \$ 10.00
- All remaining tickets will be discarded after the drawing and sales will begin for the next drawing
- Member that selects the Queen of Diamonds and is present will receive 100% of the Jackpot amount and if not present 50%
- Alternate prizes will be awarded as follows (must be present to win full amount, if not present half the amount)

- Any Queen NOT the Queen of Diamonds \$ 100.00
- Any Ace \$ 50.00
- Any Joker \$ 25.00

- Tickets available at the Lodge
- Help the Lodge Building Fund
- Rules are posted at the lodge

BOOSTERS 2015—2016 MEMORIAL BOOSTER

Terry & Kelly Baltzley	Victor Fulgoni	Ted & Ginny Parsons	Edward Zablocki
Robert Badwin	Larry Galvin	Barbara Pullen	
Arthur Barber	Gerry & Norma Gaudious	Charles Purl	<i>*Memorial Boosters</i>
Mary & Donald Belanger	Frank & Trudy Gomez	James Roberts	<i>Bobby Brown in Memory of Joan Brown</i>
Jim & Barbara Blanchard	Modesto 'Tony' Gomez	Dave Ryan	<i>Beverly Cech in Memory of John Cech</i>
Wes Brannen	Bruce Greenawalt	Raymond Schreiber	<i>Barbara Henry, PER, in Memory of Mike King</i>
Bobby Brown	Barbara Henry	Duane Schuitz	<i>Paul Dombroski In Memory of Joan Dombroski</i>
George Caffrey	Leroy & Barbara Hessler	French & Marie Shannon	<i>Dave Ryan in Memory of Chris Ryan</i>
Jack Cahill	Arthur Hill III	Steven Siems	<i>Tony Gomez in Memory of Modesta Gomez</i>
Dave & Mary Campbell	William Hobart	Jim Slade	<i>Barbara Pullen In Memory of Gary Pullen</i>
Mario Catalano	Paul and Kathy Houser	Rosa Smith	
Beverly Cech	Robert & Lynn Kennedy	Barbara Stanley	
Don & Kathy Cote	Douglas Krawczyk	John Tarbay	
Christine Covert	Judith Kroeger	Robert Thomas	
Vicki-Lynn Crosby	Bob & Judy Krueger	Larry & Donna Ulrich	
Paul "Rowdy" Dombroski	Eugene Mullenite	John & Judy Vincent	
John Erskine	Kenneth Morsch	Robin Wolfer	
	John Musser	Sonny Yarboro	

**** Boosters for 2015—2016. Please sign up now. ****

Attention Boosters: any
corrections contact
Jim Blanchard at
954-448-1143

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

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June 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 House Committee Meeting 9:30am	2 Board Meeting 7:00 PM	3 Italian Night w/Jimmy Davidson 6-8PM	4 Lodge Meeting/ 7:30PM	5 Hot Dog/Chips \$3 12-5pm	6 Food 1-4pm
7 NASCAR	8	9 Board Meeting 7:00 PM	10 Italian Night w/Rick Freeman 6-8PM	11 Vets Comm 7PM	12 Sausage Subs 6-8PM Hot Dog/Chips \$3 12-5pm	13 Food 1-4pm
14 Flag Day Service 12 pm NASCAR	15 District PER Meeting 7PM	16 Board Meeting 7:00 PM	17 3 Italian Night w/Jimmy Davidson 6-8PM	18	19 Fish Fry 6-8PM Hot Dog/Chips \$3 12-5pm	20 Food 1-4pm
21 Father's Day Sunday Brunch 10-Noon	22 Lodge PER Meeting 7PM Bulletin Articles Due	23 Board Meeting 7:00 PM	24 Italian Night w/Wes Brannen 6-8PM	25	26 Finger Food 5-8pm Hot Dog/Chips \$3 12-5pm	27 Food 1-4pm Prom Night Dinner/Dance 6:30pm
28 NASCAR	29	30 Board Meeting 7:00 PM				



HARRY-ANNA TRUST FUND Donation Form
Benefiting the Florida Elks Youth Camp & Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services



SAVE A STAMP & PAPER! DONATE ONLINE AT WWW.FLELKS.ORG!

If you prefer to mail in your donation, please choose donation type below:

New Certificate - choose series below (any certificate series may be paid in full or use the annual installments listed)

Series	Amount	Recognition (when completed)	Installments
<input type="checkbox"/> L	\$50.00	Current year's pin	
<input type="checkbox"/> C	\$100.00	Bronze pin	\$20.00 Now & 4 Annual Payments of \$20.00
<input type="checkbox"/> D	\$500.00	Silver pin	\$50.00 Now & 9 Annual Payments of \$50.00
<input type="checkbox"/> M	\$1,000.00	Gold pin	\$100.00 Now & 9 Annual Payments of \$100.00
<input type="checkbox"/> V	\$5,000.00	Name on Donor Recognition Wall	\$1,000.00 Now & 4 Annual Payments of \$1,000.00



Payment on an existing certificate (provide certificate #: _____)

Onetime donation (amount: \$ _____) **Memorial donation** (see back of form - do not fill out this side)

Name: _____ Lodge Name: _____ Lodge #: _____

Your Address (**required** for all donations): _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Credit/Debit Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Automatically bill my credit/debit card annually


Make checks payable to & mail completed forms to:

Harry-Anna Trust Fund
P.O. Box 49
Umatilla, FL 32784-0049
352-669-2241 ext. 237

July 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Italian Night w/Jimmy Davidson 6-8PM	2 Lodge Meeting 7:30PM	3 Hot Dog/Chips \$3 12-5pm	4 July 4th Picnic 1-5pm Games & Fun TIKI BAR Open
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Help the Lodge save money! If you receive the bulletin by mail and would not mind receiving it by email you can help us save on postage, please contact the Secretary.



**Elks
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Lodge Name _____ State _____

Lodge No. _____ Mem. No. _____

Donor I.D. _____

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Gift Types:

Enclosed is my donation of \$50 \$100 (Peace) \$250 (Justice) Other \$ _____

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Payment Method: I have enclosed a check.* Please mail checks payable to:
Elks National Foundation, 2750 N. Lakeview Avenue, Chicago, IL 60614-2256

Please charge my credit card: Visa MC AmEx Discover Account No. _____

Your Signature _____ Expiration Date _____

*The ENF is authorized to use information from the check to make a one-time electronic debit from the account and for the amount indicated on the check.

Sunday Brunch

All you can eat!

Held on 3rd Sunday of Month

10:00 a.m. to Noon

Come out on the third Sunday of each month for a great, **all-you-can** eat breakfast! Enjoy scrambled eggs, home fried potatoes, French toast, pancakes, sausage, bacon, biscuits and homemade sausage gravy, pastries and omelets made to order while you listen to soft music! Coffee is included. Bloody Mary's and Screwdrivers may be purchased for \$1.50.

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Looking for Volunteers to head up a Lodge committees. There are several openings on the back of the bulletin. Please contact Rick Freeman, ER if you are interested.



Help the Lodge !!!

Donate \$100 or more toward our new roof and earn a spot on the lodge mirror for the duration of the campaign.

The Veteran's Committee



The May Flea Market was successful. We had more Vendors than expected. The sales were good and the Vendors said they would be back in September when we have the Flea Market scheduled for Saturday September 5 (Labor Day Weekend). We will not have a Flea Market in June, July and August due to the summer heat.

The Veterans Committee will send another Veteran from the Sandy Nininger Nursing Home to Washington, D.C. on Honor Flight. The trip was such a success that we want to send another Veteran to see the Memorial that was dedicated to our WW11 Veterans. Donations for this event can be donated to the Veterans Committee at the Lodge. They have to be earmarked for the Veterans Committee.

A video of the Flight to Washington D.C. on April 25, 2015 will be shown at the Lodge in the near future. All lodge members, family, friends and anyone that would like to see how Honor Flight South Florida honors our Veterans, and to show our appreciation for their service are invited. The date will be announced.

The Veterans were not at the lodge in May for Brunch, due to both buses from Sandy Nininger Nursing Home having problems. We have been assured that at least one bus will be ready for service in June. The Brunch in June is on Fathers Day, a good day for the guys to come to the Lodge. If possible a small gift would be appreciated. There will be about nine Veterans.

The May Birthday Party at the Sandy Nininger Nursing Home was appreciated. There was a D.J. that provided music for 1 1/2 hours. The Veterans Committee from our lodge #2365 provided the cake and ice cream. There were 31 Veterans and 18 family members in attendance. The party was held in the main dining room.

Have a great summer and keep an eye on the weather (Hurricane Season).

George Caffrey

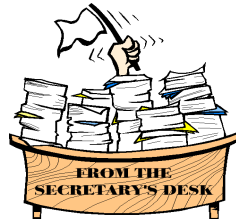
Veterans Committee Chairman

Elks Care - Elks Share

Secretary's Corner

Brother and Sister Elks,

I Would like to express my thanks to all the members who have paid their dues. The dues for the lodge is a financial cornerstone for the lodge.



The lodge functions and daily activities depend upon the participation of the members of the lodge. Not everyone can be a volunteer or participate in every function, but knowing that you are a member is the security the lodge needs. If you have not paid your dues please try to pay as soon as possible. If you have any problems or issues please contact me or any officer or trustee and we would be glad to assist you in any way we can.

Fraternally, Wes Brannen, Secretary

Office Hours

Monday & Wednesday 9 am – 1 pm

Meeting Nights 7 pm – 8 pm

State President's Message

Florida Elks, "Be Loud, Be Proud, Be Visible "



Welcome to the Elks 2015-2016 year. I hope all Elks take advantage of the FSEA website to answer all their Florida Elks questions. The website has a plethora of information – something for everyone. I hope all Elks take to heart my motto, BE THE CHANGE. It has several meanings. First would be money, the crispy crinkly kind that you are looking for when you ask the hotel manager to break a large bill trying to get change to tip the bellman. This is what you can use to make a donation to the Harry-Anna Trust Fund promoting our two major projects, Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services and the Florida Elks Youth Camp. Without your support we would not be able to help all the Floridians we assist through these two great projects.

The second meaning for BE THE CHANGE is for each of us to re-focus ourselves to make our lodges better through what we do, to improve our lodges through volunteerism, to eliminate negativism, and avoid the infighting and snarky members and become the prosperous friendly, family lodge that we want. Get involved with volunteering in the community and attend community meetings and social events to reach out and deliver the Elks message – **Be Loud, Be Proud, Be Visible.**

The third is to for you to BE THE CHANGE in recruiting new members. Get involved in proposing new members yourself and preparing our new members to be able to respond to the question, "What are Elks?." As the Grand Lodge May newsletter says, "get your elevator speech ready." Develop a business card for your lodge with the Membership Committee's information or your personal data on the front. On the back, include your lodge's community involvement; our FSEA two major projects that reach out to the Florida residents; and the Grand Lodge's ENF grants, scholarships and veterans involvement in our nation. Letting others know what Elks do will impress everyone. Commit the elevator speech to memory so you will be able to speak with ease and certainty, and then invite the individual to become an Elk. If you can't find the elevator speech let me know and I will send it to you.

We all have to pick up the gauntlet to meet the challenges ahead. We need to strive to make our organization better than when we joined so that when we look in the mirror at the end of the day, each of us can say confidently, "this order is better because I was here; I AM THE CHANGE!"

Fraternally,

Carl Ledig,

State President, Florida State Elks Association

[Click here to read message online](#)

SPECIAL: Chardonnay - Glass of Wine \$2.50 - Bud Beer \$2.25



Fish Fry Night

Friday, June 19th

Sign-up Sheet in the Lodge

Fried Fish, Hush Puppies & Cole Slaw

Chef Chuck Kelley - Cost \$8

6 – 8 pm



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7190 Davie Rd Ext
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7190 Davie Rd. Extension

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954-374-2464 Lounge -

954-963-7357 Fax

954-963-6714 Office

Lodge Hours: Mon — Thu 2pm— 8pm
Fri— Sun 12pm— Close

2015—2016 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Exalted Ruler -	Richard Freeman	Americanism -		Lodge Rental -	Paul Houser
Leading Knight -	Paul Houser	Auditing -	Larry Galvin	Membership -	Wesley Brannen
Loyal Knight -	TBA	Brunch -	Vicki Crosby & Mo Boutin	Memorial Day Service -	
Lecturing Knight -	Larry Ulrich	Bulletin -	Jim Blanchard	Mothers Day -	
Secretary -	Wes Brannen	By-Laws -		PER Association -	Brad Lewis, PER
Treasurer-	Sheri Lewis	Community Activities		Public Relations -	
Esquire -	Terry Pinkerton, PER	Drug Awareness -		Scholarships -	Jim Blanchard
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Inner Guard -	Frank Eufemia	2 Year ENF -	Paul Houser	Sickness & Distress -	Ted & Ginny Parsons
Tiler -	Tony Gomez	Flag Day -	Jim Blanchard	Sports-	Terry Pinkerton, PER
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Trustee 4 year -	Brad Lewis, PER	Government Relations -		Veteran's Activities -	George Caffrey
Trustee 3 year -	Jim Blanchard	Hoop Shoot -	Paul Houser	Youth Activities -	
Trustee 2 year -	Eddie Scanlon	House Committee -	Duane Schultz	National Veteran's Liaison-	Ed Kaplan, PER
Trustee 1 year -	Michele Eufemia	Investigation & Indoctrination -	Lodge Officers	Visitations -	Lodge Officers
Presiding Justice -	Chuck Kelly, PDDGER	Lapsation -	Wes Brannen		
Accident Prevention -	Eddie Scanlon	Lodge Activities -			