



Hollywood West Elks Lodge

BPOE #2365

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Jim Blanchard— Exalted Ruler

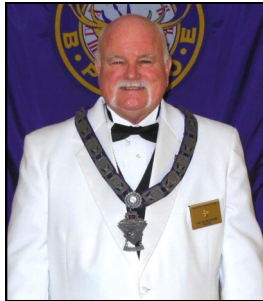
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Exalted Rulers Message

Brother and Sister Elks,

First, Thank you for electing me to be your Exalted Ruler for the upcoming year. It is a great honor and I hope to serve you well. With your support I know we will make this another great year together. Thanks to Sharon Nardone and Carole Carrano for the great meal served at the installation dinner and to the members who brought in hors d'oeuvres. As I mentioned that day, there are three goals for the upcoming year.



1. Continue to build our membership
2. Refresh the Lodge Facilities.
3. Support our Charities

A lot has been going on around the Lodge, but the largest event was the 50th Anniversary Gala. We celebrated it on March 18, 2017, which turned out wonderful with 120 members and guests attending. Thanks to the committee for their hard work, Frank & Trudy Gomez, Frank & Barbara Eufemia, Telly Sands, Peggy Felthaus, Michele Eufemia-Ketchum, Jim Blanchard, Larry Ulrich, Ed Scanlon, BJ Smith, Maggie Neisen and Paul Houser, Chairman.

The Meatballs (Sharon, Carole, Lilly and Angelina) cooked a special Sausage & Peppers Dinner with Eddie B entertaining us on Friday, March 3. Thanks MEATBALLS.

Thanks to Joanie Keller for cooking the best Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner for St. Patty's Day. Wes Brannen and I attended the Elks training for the upcoming year and learned a lot on how to be a good Exalted Ruler and Secretary.

Thanks to Paul Houser (PER) for a GREAT year.

Congratulations to Sharon Nardone, Elk of the Year and Eddie Scanlon, Officer of the Year. They both are well deserving.

DON'T FORGET: Sunday Brunch will be April 23, 2017 due to Easter on the 16th.

I look forward to working with each one of you this coming Elks year.

Fraternally, Jim Blanchard, ER

OFFICIAL DUES NOTICE FOR 2017—2018 Hollywood West Lodge 2365

DUE APRIL 1, 2017

The annual dues will be \$86.50 for members and \$40.50 for life members.

Payments in the form of cash, check or credit cards may be given to the bartender or mailed to the Secretary. Thank you for your cooperation.

Wes Brannen, Secretary

Elk Of The Year for 2016 - 2017

Sharon Nardone



Officer Of The Year for 2016 - 2017

Eddie Scanlon





**Ronnie Davis & Show Girls
Elvis Tribute Revue**

Saturday, May 20, 2017 at 6:30 PM

Show starts at 7:30 PM

\$25 per person

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More Information Contact:
Denise Dayhoff-Stravato at 754-246-0092
Reserve a table with 8 persons paid in
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1	David Garelick	16	Richard Rossi
	Edwar Trainor	17	Tony Gomez
2	Kenneth Kolakowski		Maggie Niecen
	Raymond Schreier	20	Joseph Covino
4	Jim Blanchard	21	Duane Schultz
	Ted Parsons	22	Thomas Hardin
5	Steve Welch		Bob Krueger
7	Frank Gundlach	23	Kellie Dixon
9	John White		Stoney Shukat
10	Frank Tessier	24	Suzanne Ford
11	Jean Girard		Wayne Mc Donald
	Ester Harrison	28	Peggy Felthaus
12	Harold Sherritt		Barbara Pullen
13	Donald Cote'	30	Richard Cunningham
	Marilyn Mckenzie		FREE DRINK ON BIRTHDAY



Elk's Charity Motorcycle Ride

Meet at 7 AM for Coffee and Donuts

Ride from the Lodge to Lake Okeechobee and back with
stops on the way. Tickets will include the BBQ
Dinner back at the Lodge. See Benny Stravato for Details.

Ticket price: \$10

Saturday, May 6 - ride starts 8 am sharp

Proceeds go to the Florida Elks
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IT'S TIME AGAIN TO RENEW THE BOOSTER PAGE.

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 Hollywood West Elks, Lodge #2365
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Thanks go to all who have made this page so successful.

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 Hot Popcorn \$1.00

April 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>Every Saturday 2 – 5 pm</p>						1 Tiki Hut 1pm Bingo 2pm
2 Tiki Hut 1pm NASCAR	3	4 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	5 Italian Night 6-8PM	6 Lodge Meeting 7:30PM	7 After Party- Mu- sic 8 pm- 11 pm	8 Vets Flea Market 8am-2pm Tiki Hut 1pm Bar Bingo 2pm
9 Tiki Hut 1pm NASCAR	10 House Committee Meeting 9:30am Scout Meeting 7pm	11 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	12 Italian Night 6-8PM	13 Vets Comm 7PM	14 After Party- Music 8 pm- 11 pm	15 Tiki Hut 1pm Bar Bingo 2pm
16 EASTER Tiki Hut 1pm	17 District PER Meeting 7 PM Bulletin Articles Due	18 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	19 Italian Night 6-8PM	20 Lodge Meeting 7:30PM	21 Karaoke 7-10 pm Dinner 6:30 —8pm	22 Tiki Hut 1pm Bar Bingo 2pm
23 Sunday 10am Brunch 30 NASCAR	24 Lodge PER Meeting 7PM	25 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	26 Italian Night 6-8PM	27	28 After Party- Music 8 pm- 11 pm	29 Tiki Hut 1pm Bar Bingo 2pm

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Series	Amount	Recognition (when completed)	Installments
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<input type="checkbox"/> C	\$100.00	Bronze pin	\$20.00 Now & 4 Annual Payments of \$20.00
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<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: _____

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Make checks payable to & mail completed forms to:
 Harry-Anna Trust Fund
 P.O. Box 49
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LODGE MENU
Hamburger & Chips \$4.00

Hot Pretzel \$1.00



Personal Size Pizza \$4.00


Hot Dog & Chips \$3.00

Hot Popcorn \$1.00

May 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	3 Italian Night 6-8PM	4 Lodge Meeting 7:30PM	5 After Party- Music 8 pm- 11 pm	6 Vets Flea Market 8am-2pm Tiki Hut 1pm Bar Bingo 2pm
7 Tiki Hut 1pm NASCAR	8 House Committee Meeting 9:30am Scout Meeting 7pm	9 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	10 Italian Night 6-8PM	11 Vets Comm 7PM	12 Karaoke 7-10 pm Dinner 6:30 —8pm	13 Wrestling Show 6:30pm \$12 Charity Motorcycle Ride - Bar Bingo 2pm NASCAR
14 Mother's Day Service 12 PM Tiki Hut 1pm	15 District PER Meeting 7 PM Bulletin Articles Due	16 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	17 Italian Night 6-8PM	18 Lodge Meeting 7:30PM	19 After Party- Music 8 pm- 11 pm	20 Elvis Revue Dinner Show 6:30pm Bar Bingo 2pm
21 Sunday Brunch 10—Noon Tiki Hut 1pm	22 Lodge PER Meeting 7PM	23 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	24 Italian Night 6-8PM	25	26 After Party- Music 8 pm- 11 pm	27 Tiki Hut 1pm Bar Bingo 2pm
				FECON State Convention May 25—28, 2017		
28 Tiki Hut 1pm NASCAR	29	30 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	31 Italian Night 6-8PM	Charity Motorcycle Ride		

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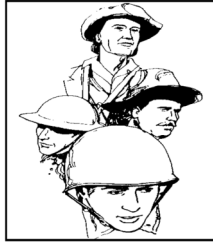
Your Signature _____ Expiration Date _____

*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.

The Veteran's Committee

Greetings to all,

The Veterans from Sandy Nininger Nursing Home came to the Lodge for the March Sunday Brunch and had a great time.



Do not forget April 8 and May 6 Flea Markets, we still need items for these events.

We also have the "Charity Quarter Auction" coming up On Sunday, June 4, 2017. This event is good for shopping since all Vendors have new products on display for sale. COME Bye! A paddle is \$3.00 and Bids are .25, .50, .75 and \$1.00. All items bid on are worth \$15.00 and up. Come to see how it works. A lot of fun, bring your friends and neighbors and a roll of quarters. All "Charity Quarter Auctions" are on Sunday, between 2p - 6pm in the Lodge. Rain or shine. Food also available.

See you around the Lodge

George Caffrey - Veterans Committee Chairman

Secretary's Corner

Brother and Sister Elks,



Welcome to all of our 67 new members that have joined the Elks Lodge 2365 in 2016/2017. It has been a great increase in membership.

Oh No! It is already April 1st 2017, I have to pay my dues. If you have not paid your dues now is the time, so lets get them paid ASAP. If you presently receive your bulletin on line your notice to pay your dues was sent to you by email.

Lets make this another great year and join us at the lodge for our social and major events thru the year.

Congratulations to Paul Houser our ER For the wonderful job you have done this last year, THANKS! Fraternally, Wes Brannen, Secretary

Office Hours

Monday & Wednesday 9 am - 1 pm

Meeting Nights 7 pm - 8 pm

Ph# 954-963-6714 or Ph# 9543742464



PLEASE NOTE DATE CHANGE

Sunday Brunch will be April 23, 2017 due to Easter on the 16th

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.

Adults - \$6.50

Children - \$4.50

HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL THERE!



Flea Market

Sponsored by: Veteran's Committee

Saturday, April 8th

8 am - 2 pm

Music Provided

Come on out and have some fun.

Hamburgers & Hot Dogs from the Grill
With Chips and Soda. \$5



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State President's Message

Hello Florida Elks,

"Blast Elkdom into the Future"

Hello Florida Elks! We are in the countdown of our year and have finished all 14 district visits. I cannot come up with enough words to thank all the people who were involved in creating every visitation - especially the homecoming weekend! Kudo's to every member, volunteer, officer and lodge for a spectacular year. I thank you.



I hope that all of our great lodges have elected, or will soon elect, their officers for the coming Elk year. Now is the time for all lodge officers to get together and plan ahead by looking at what was accomplished in the previous year and building on it by trying new approaches to energize your membership.

March is the time of our Officer Training Seminar. Your lodge needs to send its Leading Knight and Treasurer to this worthwhile training program. Some ER's have never been through the chairs and some have no clue on how to run an Elks Lodge. Some ER's have never managed a business or managed people. This is a good time to learn how to do it. Also, by sending your Leading Knight, he/she will know a year in advance how to properly handle their ER duties. This is especially important in the event the elected ER is not able to execute their duties due to illness. Everyone who attends will learn something. The seminar also offers workshops for treasurers and trustees as well.

We are down to the last month of new and re-instated members. Our numbers are good but not great. Here are the numbers that our State membership chairman, Suzi Simonelli, is looking at:

- 55,549 Membership as of April 1, 2016
- +6,749 ADDED so far this year!
- ,850 LOST this year to date :(
- 3,544 Still in Lapsation
- + 865 Candidates Waiting!
- ,769 Estimated ENDING March 31st!

This calculates to a gain of +220 - ONLY if we initiate the 865 candidates in waiting.

If necessary, let's have special membership initiations in our Lodges. Don't wait until it normally rolls around. Remember, March is the last month. Do it early to get them on the rolls.

April has a full schedule with the FSEA Golf Tournament, Harry-Anna Trust Gala of Hope and the State Softball Tournament. I hope to see everyone at each event. In conclusion, Carl, Cathy, Frank, Sally and I thank you all for a terrific year.

As always, if you have any good ideas, please let me know!

Thanks again for all of your help. Remember, your ideas will "Blast Elkdom into the Future."

Fraternally,

John C. Harris

State President
Florida State Elks Association



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954-963-6714 Office

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Fri– Sun 12pm– Close

2017—2018 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Exalted Ruler -	Jim Blanchard,ER	Auditing -	Frank Gomez,PER	Memorial Day Service -	Jim Blanchard,ER
Leading Knight -	Paul Houser,PER	Brunch -	Terry Pinkerton, PER	Mothers Day -	Jim Blanchard,ER
Loyal Knight -	Peggy Felthaus	Bulletin -	Jim Blanchard,ER	PER Association -	Paul Houser,PER
Lecturing Knight -	Larry Ulrich	By-Laws -	Jim Blanchard,ER	Public Relations -	Telly Sands
Secretary -	Wes Brannen	Community Activities -	Tina Babos	Scholarships -	Jim Blanchard,ER
Treasurer-	Michele Eufemia -Ketchum	Drug Awareness -	Paul Houser,PER	Scouting Coordinator -	Jose Kudja
Esquire -	Terry Pinkerton, PER	ENF National Foundation-	Jim Blanchard,ER	Sickness & Distress -	Ted & Ginny Parsons
Chaplain -	George Caffrey	Flag Day -	Jim Blanchard,ER	Sports-	Terry Pinkerton, PER
Inner Guard -	Frank Eufemia	Harry-Anna -	Jim Blanchard,ER	Technology Communication-	Jim Blanchard,ER
Tiler -	Jim Davidson	Government Relations -	Paul Houser,PER	Veteran's Activities -	George Caffrey
Trustee 5 year -	Eddie Scanlon	Hoop Shoot -	Paul Houser,PER	Youth Activities -	Jim Blanchard,ER
Trustee 4 year -	Telly Sands	House Committee -	Maggie Neicen	Visitations -	Paul Houser, PER
Trustee 3 year -	Moe Genovese	Investigation -	Wes Brannen		
Trustee 2 year -	Brad Lewis, PER	Orientation/Indoctrination-	Lodge Chair Officers		
Trustee 1 year -	Bob Estrada	Lapsation -	Wes Brannen		
Presiding Justice -	Philip Ferrari, PDDGER	Lodge Activities -	Peggy Felthaus		
Accident Prevention -	Bob Estrada	Lodge Rental -	Maggie Neicen		
Americanism -	Paul Houser,PER	Membership -	Sharon Nardone		
				<u>PAST DISTRICT DEPUTIES</u>	
				Chuck Kelley, PDDGER	
				Philip Ferrari, PDDGER	
				Harold Grady, PDDGER	
				Francis Lixie, PDDGER	