



Hollywood West Elks Lodge

BPOE #2365

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Exalted Rulers Message

Brother and Sister Elks,

It has been a very interesting first month. As you may have heard, our air conditioner in the social quarters had to be replaced. We are now conducting a capital campaign called "Elks for Air" to try to pay for the \$8000 unit we purchased. Donations are starting to come in, so please give if you can. April 8th there was a District Deputy Clinic held at Boca Raton Lodge and I want to thank Wes Brannen, Maggie Neicen, Telly Sands, Peggy Felthaus for attending with me. It was a very informative event and we all received additional training.



We are looking forward to our Elk's Bike run on Saturday, May 6. If you are interested in going or just buying the BBQ meal ticket, please see Benny at the Tiki Bar. All the proceeds go to the children through the Harry Anna Trust Fund.

Don't forget our Wrestling Event, May 13. Buy your tickets from the bartenders.

The State Convention will be held May 25th though 28th at the World Marriott Center in Orlando, FL. All members are invited to attend. Please help me congratulate Carole Carrano, our Elk of the Month for April. Carole has helped with bingo, preparing several dinners and offering her assistance when needed the most. Thanks Carole for a job well done.

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Elk Of The Month - April

Carole Carrano



I would also like to thank Sharon Nardone and Carol Carrano (of the Meatballs) for preparing the dinner for Karaoke this month. It was great. We have all the committee chairs filled with a lot of new faces. Please review the back page of the bulletin. Find a committee that you would like to be a part of and contact the Chairman. We need your help. Please come out and support your lodge.

Fraternally, Jim Blanchard, ER



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| 1 | Frederick Jesse James | 18 | Jose Kudja |
| 2 | Daniel Behunick | 19 | Sheri Lewis |
| | Jim Slade | 20 | Donald Bourget |
| 4 | Shirley Driggers | | Terry "Radar" Pinkerton |
| 6 | Joan Dolan | 23 | Moe Boutin |
| 7 | Edward Morin | | Kenny Morsch |
| | Bob Yoder | 27 | Cheryl Asman |
| 13 | David Hogg | | Frank Eufemia |
| 14 | Billy Ferguson | 29 | Jay Padilla |
| | Virginia Hutchinson | 30 | Keith Etchison |
| | George Sentell | | Judith Lombard |
| 15 | Eugene Mullenite | | Judith Slate |
| 17 | Clifford Eldridge | | FREE DRINK ON BIRTHDAY |
| | Wayne Shatas | | |



ELKS GREET HONOR FLIGHT RETURNING VETERANS

It was great that some of our Elks honored and greeted the Veterans on their return from Washington, DC on the latest Honor Flight. (pictured above from left to right) Peggy Felthaus, Loyal Knight & Lodge Activities Chairman, Telly Sand, Trustee & Publicity Chairman and Tina Babos, Community Activities Chairman.



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 Harry-Anna Trust Fund benefiting



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BOOSTERS 2017—2018

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| Robert Badwin | Victor Fulgoni | Sharon Nardone * | Edward Zablocki |
| Arthur Barber * | Larry Galvin * | Susan Neuman * | Memorial Boosters |
| David "Oscar" Ballinger | Gerry & Norma Gaudious | Richard Otis * | Bobby Brown in Memory of
Joan Brown |
| Terry & Kelly Baltzley * | Frank (PER) & Trudy Gomez * | Ted & Ginny Parsons | Beverly Cech in Memory of
John Cech * |
| Mary & Donald Belanger | Modesto 'Tony' Gomez | Barbara Pullen * | Barbara Henry, PER, in
Memory of Mike King |
| Jim (ER) & Barbara Blanchard * | Raul & Margarita Gomez * | Charles Purl | Glen Lawton in Memory of
Dave (PER) & Edie Lawton * |
| Nancy Bouvier * | Harold Grady * | Karl Rietter * | Paul Dombroski In Memory of
Joan Dombroski |
| Wes Brannen | Ellis Greenberg * | James Roberts | Dave Ryan in Memory of
Chris Ryan * |
| Bobby Brown | Bruce Greenawalt * | Dave Ryan * | Tony Gomez in Memory of
Modesta Gomez |
| George Caffrey | Barbara Henry (PER) | Telly Sands * | Barbara Pullen In Memory of
Gary Pullen * |
| Jack Cahill | Leroy & Barbara Hessler | Raymond Schreier * | Jim & Betty Slade in Memory of
Gerry Davis * |
| Dave & Mary Campbell | Arthur Hill III | Duane Schuitz * | Ferrari Family in Memory of
Doris Ferrari * |
| Beverly Cech * | William Hobart | French & Marie Shannon | Bob & Ronds Calvert in Memory of
of Art Calvert * |
| Don & Kathy Cote | Paul (PER) & Kathy Houser * | Steven Siems | |
| Christine Covert | Robert & Lynn Kennedy | Jim Slade | |
| Vicki-Lynn Crosby | Douglas Krawcyk | Rosa Smith * | |
| Gary Curtis * | Judith Kroeger | John Tarbay | |
| Tom Dean | Bob & Judy Krueger | Robert Thomas | |
| John Erskine | Jose & Rebecca Kudia * | Larry & Donna Ulrich * | |
| | Eugene Mullenite | John & Judy Vincent | |

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IT'S TIME AGAIN TO RENEW THE BOOSTER PAGE.

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

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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 Cinco de Mayo After Party- Music 8 pm- 11 pm	6 Vets Flea Market 8am-2pm Charity Motorcycle Ride - 8AM
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 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 Bar Bingo 2pm NASCAR
21 Sunday Brunch 10—Noon Blood Drive 9:30am 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 Memorial Day Picnic 2 pm	30 Board Meeting 7:00 PM Sharon's Surprise Food	31 Italian Night 6-8PM			

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

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<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
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The Veteran's Committee

Greetings to all,

May 6, 2017 is the last Flea Market until the fall, when it gets a little cooler. If you can help us set up or take down, it would be much appreciated. Our start up dates in the fall are: October 7, November 11 and December 2 and are great for Holiday shopping. See you there.



Please do not forget our Charity Quarter Auction. It is a lot of fun and all new items for purchase are at a discount or won as a raffle prize. If you would like to participate, you must purchase a paddle for \$3.00 and bid from 25 cents to \$1.00 for items that are auctioned. Please bring a roll of quarters. This may be a good time to jump-start your holiday shopping. The dates for these events are: June 4, August 13, October 22 and December 10. All events are on a Sunday afternoon from 2PM until 6PM.

Our Elks New Year (April 2017-2018) has got off to a great start. We wish the best to our new Officers and continued success. LET SUCCESS PREVAIL.

See you around the Lodge.

George Caffrey - Veterans Committee Chairman

Secretary's Corner

Brother and Sister Elks,

Welcome to our new member Fred Gailor, who transferred from North Miami Lodge.



If you have not paid your Dues please try to pay A.S.A.P. We want all our members to participate in the lodge's upcoming activities.

If anyone has an issue or problem please call me. I will try to help you or direct you to the person or persons who can help.

Attending general meetings is a way to express any lodge issues and become informed of lodge business.

Fraternally, Wes Brannen, Secretary

Office Hours

Monday & Wednesday 9 am – 1 pm

Meeting Nights 7 pm – 8 pm

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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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May 21, 2017

Sunday, 9:30am – 12:30pm

All donors will receive a Free Movie Ticket and a wellness checkup including blood pressure, temperature, iron count, pulse and cholesterol screening!

State President's Message

Hello Florida Elks,

"Blast Elkdom into the Future"

We are in the countdown of our Elk year. March was the month where we anticipated a membership increase in quite a long time. With all our Lodges pulling together, we will accomplish this goal.



I want to thank all members who stepped up in our state to be Exalted Rulers and officers. We are going to have a fantastic year next year. Endorsed State President Carl Gerace and Endorsed Frank Malatesta have some great ideas and we all need to back them as much or more as you did with me.

This year we tried to do some new things and some of them worked and some did not. We need to improve on the process and make changes to better our ideas.

Last month we attended the Georgia state convention and also attended the Elks Regional Hoop Shoot contest in Valdosta, GA. The great state of Florida has four (4) winners. The most in a while. I also attended the Blue Star and Gold Star dedication held in West Palm Beach. Even had the opportunity to participate in the parade.

All and all, this year was a great year and I thank all members for your support.

April 1 starts off a brand new year. New Exalted Rulers, new officers and new committee people. You need to back your Lodge's leadership. They took the position to help the Lodge go forward. Some of their ideas may not seem worthwhile to you, but it is the membership you are trying to please. Try all new ideas. We don't want to get caught up in the EVOLUTION theory of "That's the way we have always done it." We need change, we need to go forward. Old school is great, but the latest generation sometimes don't like the old school attitudes. We are trying to go forward, not stay where we are. Good luck to you all. One thing you may forget about, the Lodge membership runs the Lodge.

In conclusion, Carl, Cathy, Frank, Sally and I thank you all. We have the best state in the country.

Remember, your ideas will "Blast Elkdom into the Future."

Fraternally,

John C. Harris

State President
Florida State Elks Association



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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 -	Maggie Neicen	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	