



Hollywood West Elks Lodge

BPOE #2365

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Gina Albright — Exalted Ruler

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Exalted Ruler's Message

Brother and Sister Elks,

This should have been my last message of the year, but somehow that I really can't recall, I am back again for another year as ER. Let's make this the best year and I am relying on everyone's help to accomplish that. (I do have an appointment with a shrink this month, though.)



I feel that this year was amazing with all the support from the officers and members. The Lodge Meetings are the first and third Thursdays of the month at 7:00pm. Come to the meetings and See what your Lodge is doing and what you can do to help make the Lodge better.

I am looking for an Inner Guard and 3yr and 4yr Trustees for this year. Let me know if you are interested.

My personal thank you to all the volunteers that assisted me and my Officers with the three big Events; the Super Bowl Party, Valentine's Gala and the Quarter Auction.

The Lodge continues to have an awesome turn out on our Wednesday Night Dinners. Please come out and join us and play some bingo afterwards.

Installation of incoming Officers will be on Saturday, March 30th at 7:00 PM. Dinner to follow.

Please check your emails and bulletins for upcoming events. I want to thank all members, officers, and persons who worked at the Lodge in February.

Give yourselves a big round of applause!!

Thank you for all you do to make this an awesome Lodge!!

Please come out and Support your Lodge,

You Can Help Whether it's cooking, cleaning, selling tickets, attending a charity event, coming to a dinner or sending in a donation .Membership Matters thank you all.

Fraternally, Gina Albright Exalted Ruler

Hollywood West Elks Lodge #2365
Installation of Officers for 2024-2025

Saturday, March 30 · 7 pm

Arrive by 6 pm

Dinner will follow the
Installation

Roast Pork, Mashed Potatoes,
Vegetable, Salad, Roll and
Dessert

Advance Tickets for Sale \$10



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7190 Davie Rd Ext
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954-374-2464

Elk of the Month for February

Jim Blanchard, PDD



Elk of the Month for February

Eddie Scanlon, PER



**ENF Sustaining Donors - Fidelity Club
(Donating Monthly)**

Angela Sayre	Marjorie Broda
Barbara Blanchard	Ronald Bond
Diana Plumeri	Serenity Meacham
Edward Scanlon, PER	Shelley Sarros
Gina Albright ER	Tom Gonsalves
George Caffrey	Donna McElroy
Jim Blanchard, PDD	Judy Vincent
Kimberly Thomas	Beverly Cech
Mike Maiocco	

Harry-Anna Sustaining Donors

Barbara Blanchard	Mike Maiocco
Diana Plumeri	Ronald Bond
Edward Scanlon, PER	Ronald Plumeri
Gina Albright ER	Serenity Meacham
Hollywood West Elks	Sharon Wolf
Jim Blanchard, PDD	Shelley Sarros
Jo-Ann Caliendo	Tom Gonsalves
Kimberly Thomas	George Caffrey
Ken Wolf	Donna McElroy
Marjorie Broda	Judy Vincent



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| 1 Raul Ruisanchez | 18 Cyndee Freeman |
| Tina West | Mirna Rios |
| 5 David Felt, PER | Kimberly Thomas |
| 7 Janice Earing | 19 John Heimbach |
| Randy Terrell | 20 Caryl Tolchinsky |
| Tamara Youel | 21 Christopher Holden |
| 10 Frank Bonna | 22 Joseph Morga |
| 11 Doug Brown | 26 Maria Uribe |
| 12 Peter Anderson | 31 Ronald Plumeri |
| 14 Barbara Yolles | |
| 16 Barbara Henry, PER | |

FREE DRINK on Birthday or Birthday Party



Flea Market

Sponsored by: Veteran's Committee

Saturday 8 am - 2 pm

March 2, 2024

Come on out and have some fun.

Vendors: Parking Lot Spots \$15 each or 2/\$25

Tables Rental \$5

For Information call: Lydia Grilli - (786) 663-4648

Music by: DJ "Dan"



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Support Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services and the Florida Elks Youth Camp by becoming a monthly sustaining donor!



CHANGING THE LIVES OF FLORIDA KIDS

Supporting the Harry-Anna Investment Fund is easier than ever! Donors can now conveniently do a one-time sign-up on our website, floridaelks.org/donate, and the same amount will be automatically deducted each following month. Receipt of each online donation will be automatically emailed for tax purposes. Your lodge will still receive trust fund credit and donor recognition pins will be issued. This is the preferred way of supporting the trust fund.

Become a sustaining donor today with a monthly donation. You will have the satisfaction of knowing that you are making an ongoing difference in your community and to the lives of others in need.



Florida Elks Youth Camp



Florida Elks Association

www.floridaelks.org/donate

Become a monthly sustaining donor!

<https://www.floridaelks.org/donate>

BOOSTERS 2023-2024

Gina Albright, ER	Elizabeth Fitzgerald	Richard Otis, PER	
John PER & Lori Allison *	Susan Ford	John Paniccia *	Memorial Boosters
Frederick Balzassaro	Rudy Ford	David Plask	Barbara Henry PER in Memory of Mike King
Arthur Barber *	Frank Gomez, PER *	Diana Plumeri	Barbara Pullen In Memory of Gary Pullen
Tina Babos	John Goodfellow	Ron Plumeri	Beverly Cech in Memory of Philip Ferrari PDD *
Jim Blanchard, PDD *	Virginia Goodfellow	Jeff Pierce	Beverly Cech in Memory of John Cech, PER 1835 *
Barbara Blanchard *	Frank Gundlach	Mary Pierce *	Bobby Brown in Memory of Joan Brown
Barry Blunt *	David Lee Hall *	Barbara Pullen *	David Felt, PER in Memory of Linda Felt *
Marjorie Broda	Barbara Henry, PER	Karl & Anita Rietter *	Frank Gomez, PER in Memory of Trudy Gomez ,PP Westetts *
Bobby Brown	Connia Hergert *	Raul Ruisanchez	Glenn Lawton in Memory of Dave PER & Edie Lawton
Bolton Bunting *	Robert Hewitt *	Raymond Schreier *	Jim, PDD & Barbara Blanchard in Memory of Vera Taylor *
George & Marie Caffrey *	Paul PER & Kathy Houser	Randy & Ellen Sentell	Jim & Betty Slade in Memory of Gerry Davis
Patricia Caruso *	Don Johnson *	Jim & Betty Slade	Ronnie Bond in Memory of Grace Bond
Denise May-Carter *	John Karlsson *	RSA Smith *	UPDATED as of 02/27/24
Fern Cedola	Bob Kennedy *	Greg Tomasich	
Beverly Cech *	Diane Klein *	Larry & Donna Ulrich	
Richard Cunningham	Kenneth Kolakowski	Cornelius "Butch" Vanderwyde	
Pete Eckert *	Serenity Meacham	Judy Vincent	
Larry Elswick	Arthur Moe	Kate Vincent	
Kristina & Frank Eufemia Jr *	Edward Morin	Thomas Watson	
John Erskine	Kenneth Morsch *	David Wilkinson	
Dave Felt, PER *	Nancy Murphy	Robin Wolfer	
	Wayne McDonald	Barbara Yolles *	

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 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.

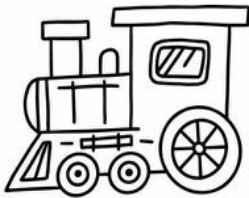
Help us treat Autism. Buy a train today! It's All About the Kids.

Your generous gift will help provide much-needed services to our Florida children,

By making your gift today, you will help spread hope and love to countless deserving families.

See Paul Houser for your Train to put on the Lodge's mirror.

Donations of \$5 or more.






March 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Bowling Night 7pm	2 Bingo 2 pm Flea Market 8-2pm
3 Tiki Hut	4 Cards 1pm	5 Taco Tuesday Show Me the Money 6pm	6 Dinner Night 6 pm Queen of Diamonds Card Bingo	7 Hamburger Sliders BOD Meeting 6 pm Lodge Meeting 7 pm	8 Bowling Night 7pm	9 Bingo 2 pm
10 Tiki Hut Member's Birthday Sunday Fun Day 2 pm	11 Cards 1 pm	12 Taco Tuesday Show Me the Money 6pm	13 Dinner Night 6 pm Queen of Diamonds Card Bingo	14 Hamburger Sliders Vets Committee Meeting 7 pm	15 Bowling Night 7pm Officer Training	16 Bingo 2 pm Officer Training
17 Tiki Hut Happy St. Patrick's Day	18 Cards 1pm District PER Meeting 7 pm Bulletin Articles	19 Taco Tuesday Show Me the Money 6pm	20 Dinner Night 6 pm Queen of Diamonds Card Bingo	21 Hamburger Sliders BOD Meeting 6 pm Lodge Meeting 7 pm	22 Bowling Night 7pm	23 Bingo 2 pm
24 Tiki Hut 31 Happy Easter	25 Cards 1 pm House Committee Meeting 11am Boy Scouts 7pm	26 Taco Tuesday Show Me the Money 6pm	27 Dinner Night 6pm Queen of Diamonds Card Bingo	28 Hamburger Sliders	29 Bowling Night 7pm	30 Bingo 2pm Installation of Officers and Dinner

Help the Lodge save money! If you receive the bulletin by mail and would not mind receiving it by email



Elks National Foundation

Lodge Name _____ State _____

Lodge No. _____ Mem. No. _____

Donor I.D. _____

Favorite ENF program:
 Scholarships Hoop Shoot
 Drug Awareness State Grants
 Veterans Community Investments

Sign me up for Pulse, the ENF's email newsletter.

Email Address _____

Please Print: Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____ Title (Check One) Mr Ms Ms Birth Day _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone number _____

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

I would like to pledge: \$ _____ (total amount) I have enclosed my initial payment of \$ _____

Please send me reminders: Annually Semi-Annually Quarterly Monthly

I would like to make a tribute of \$ _____ In Memory of In Honor of _____

Notification of gift should be sent to: None _____

Address _____

I would like to make a monthly donation to the ENF by:
 Charging my credit card the agreed monthly amount of \$ _____ (Enter card information below.)
 Drafting my bank account monthly. (Please enclose a voided check for accuracy.)
 Bank Draft Start Date _____ Monthly Draft Amount \$ _____

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. _____

Yours 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.

BAR **BINGO**
Every Saturday 2 - 5 pm

April 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Cards 1pm	2 Taco Tuesday Show Me the Money 6 pm	3 Dinner Night 6p Queen of Diamonds Card Bingo	4 Hamburger Sliders BOD Meeting 6pm Lodge Meeting 7 pm	5 Bowling Night 7pm	6 Bingo 2 pm Flea Market 8-2pm
7. Tiki Hut	8 Cards 1pm	9 Taco Tuesday Show Me the Money 6 pm	10 Dinner Night 6p Queen of Diamonds Card Bingo	11 Hamburger Sliders Vets Committee Meeting 7 pm FI Elks Quarterly	12 Bowling Night 7pm	13 Bingo 2 pm
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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

The Veteran's Committee

Hello Fellow Elks,

The Veteran's Committee meets on the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7 pm. Come out and see what we are doing for the Vets. I am now the Vet's Committee Chairman. We want to thank George Caffrey, he will always be our honorary chairperson. He is also our Lodge Chaplain and represents us at the Sandy Ninninger State Veteran's Nursing Home in Pembroke Pines, which is open to all visitors. Our Lodge still drops off ice-cream and cake with a gift for the monthly birthday party. Please support our Veteran's Flea Market so we can support our Veterans. Our Flea Market is Saturday, March 2, 2024.

Fraternally,

Mike Maiocco, Veteran's Committee Chairman



Secretary's Corner

Brother and Sister Elks,



Dues for 2024-2025

**CALL IN YOUR PAYMENT BY
CREDIT CARD MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
2pm -5pm AT 954-374-2464**

All members can pay their 2024-2025 dues of \$120.00 & Life \$74.00 starting January 1, 2024. \$5.00 increase is from Grand Lodge due to insurance cost going up. Remember to also include \$10 for your Bulletin Booster and any donations you would like to make. I Hope everyone is safe and well.

Fraternally, Jo-Ann Caliendo, Secretary

Office Hours

Monday & Wednesday 9 am - 1 pm

Meeting Nights 6 :30 pm - 7:00pm



Hall Rental

Members All

Did you know that you can rent the Hall at the Lodge for a Special Member's price.

See Paul Houser, PER for Information on renting the hall for your family event.

In Memoriam

Elizabeth Fitzgerald

Margarita Gomez

Rest in Peace

An Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken





Our Lodge is giving back to the community. Thank you to the Elks National Foundation for the Gratitude Grant. Each Organization received \$500.00. Pictured left to right, Boy Scouts of America, Hope Out Reach, Hollywood Police Athletic League and Broward Children Center.



Joe Cooper
 2023-2024
 President
 Florida State
 Elks Association

• Visits of State President to Districts and more

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<https://www.floridaelks.org/district-presidents->

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

Lodge Hours: Mon - Fri 2pm— 8pm
Sat - Sun 12pm— Close
Call for closing times

2023-2024 OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Exalted Ruler -	Gina Albright, ER	Auditing -	Kimberly Thomas	Public Relations -	Telly Sands
Leading Knight	Paul Houser, PER	Bulletin -	Jim Blanchard, PDD	Scholarships -	Paul Houser, PER
Loyal Knight -	Shelley Sarros	By-Laws -	Jim Blanchard, PDD	Scouting Coordinator -	Jim Blanchard PDD
Lecturing Knight -	Marisa Scalice	Community Activities -	Tina Babos	Sickness & Distress -	Jim & Barbara Blanchard
Secretary -	Jo-Ann Caliendo	Community Vice Chair -	Cyndee Freeman	Sports-	Paul Houser, PER
Treasurer-	Serenity Meacham	Drug Awareness -	Mike Maiocco	Training -	Barbara Blanchard
Esquire -	Marjorie Broda	ENF	Jim Blanchard, PDD	Technology Communication-	Jim Blanchard PDD
Chaplain -	George Caffrey	Flag Day	Jim Blanchard, PDD	Veteran's Activities -	Mike Maiocco
Inner Guard -	Joan Keller	Harry-Anna -	Jim Blanchard, PDD		
Tiler -	Donna McElroy	Government Relations -	Kevin Biederman		
Trustee 5 year -	Diana Plumeri	Hoop Shoot -	Paul Houser, PER		
Trustee 4 year -	Ron Plumeri	House Committee -	Eddie Scanlon, PER		
Trustee 3 year	Barbara Blanchard	Investigation -	Jo-Ann Caliendo		
Trustee 2 year -	Mike Maiocco	Orientation-	Paul Houser, PER		
Trustee 1 year -	Larry Ulrich	Lodge Activities -	Gina Albright, ER		
Presiding Justice -	Charlotte Burrie, PDD	Lodge Rental -	Paul Houser, PER		
Accident Prevention -	Ron Plumeri	Membership -	Barbara Blanchard		
Americanism -	Gina Albright, ER	Memorial Day Service	Gina Albright, ER		

PAST DISTRICT DEPUTIES

Chuck Kelley, PDDGER

Denise May-Carter, PDDGER

Jim Blanchard, PDDGER