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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE



I hope you're all getting an early start on this holiday season. It seems like they always sneak up on me and soon Patty and I will be scrambling to send out all of our Christmas cards.

As the holidays approach, let's all remember that the holidays and charity go hand-in-hand. Everyone please dig deep into your pockets to help the less fortunate. Help our

Major Project by continuing your generous donations to the Purple Pig; to date, we have collected \$10,000. Don't forget to put a new and unwrapped toy (for children 12 years of age or younger) into the barrels for our annual Toy Drive; we're accepting bicycles and tricycles, too. If you aren't into shopping, you can give a cash or check donation in the Lodge office. Remember that the Purple Pig Night at Sac 6 is coming up on Tuesday, December 19, hosted by your own PER Association.

Have you had a chance to take a look at the fitness center recently? Ron Domingos, PER Ron Roberts and the crew have made some tremendous positive equipment changes. The group put on many fundraising events in order to purchase the new equipment in the fitness center. When you see Ron and Ron or the crew, go up to them and give them a big "Thank you" for their hard work, making that fitness center a first-class place to work out.

I'm looking forward to the New Year. Although we'll all become a year older, we'll be much wiser! In the coming months, you will begin to see our Lodge go through many changes, which are needed to ensure that we can pay the bills, gain new members, help us grow as an organization and to remain relevant in our community.

As decisions are made toward moving the Lodge forward, we will make changes based on historical data, feedback from the membership and doing the right thing. Doing these things may be different from your thinking, which may depend on you and your generation's values. The bottom line is no one likes change, but in order to move the Lodge forward, changes are necessary. The status quo is no longer an option, since it will continue to mire us in the past, and we lose our relevancy in our community. Please have confidence in your leadership

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FROM THE LEADING KNIGHT

The chair of charity



Here we are again with the Christmas season upon us and many tasks staring us in the face. This is the month when we all prepare to get together with family and friends for a special season of sharing and giving. To all of you, I say and ask that you open your generous **Hearts** to embrace the gratitude of sharing with others at this Holy time of year. As it is often said **Charity** starts at home, but also with our Lodge. There is no better time than now to show your **Love and Kindness** to the children in need by donating to the CHEA Major Projects by way of the Purple Pig. Purple Pig Night is scheduled for December 19. It is the best time to help the children in need, so they can Walk, Talk, See and Play. Please come to the Lodge with your Piggy Bank savings and make your donation and enjoy a FREE dinner presented by the Past Exalted Ruler Association. I'd love to see you at Purple Pig Night. As the new Leading Knight, I'll be there and look forward to welcoming you and sharing this time with you.

Donations are also needed for our Elks National Foundation (ENF) Annual Charity that benefits children in their early years with eye and ear testing as well as other services and community activities. Please be aware of the new proposed tax legislation coming down the line, this may be your last chance to get a tax deduction, so why not be generous and become a \$52 ENF yearly member. This amounts to only \$1 a week and I know everyone who is an Elk can surely afford this. So let's make it happen.

The Lodge officers and I want to thank you and see you next year as we plan to make it a great 2018. God's blessing and enjoy the season.

*~ Joe Ignoffo, Leading Knight
JoeIgnoffo80@gmail.com*

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Deadline: No later than the 8th of each month.

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2016-2017 OFFICER OF THE YEAR

Darnell Lawrence

2016-2017 ELK OF THE YEAR

Jim von Bergen

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Monday-Thursday 10am-2pm
Friday 11:30am-3:30pm
Saturday by appointment

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Sunday 8:30am-7pm
Monday-Wednesday 2pm-9pm
Thursday 2pm-11pm
Friday 2pm-9pm (if Elk event, 11pm)
Saturday 1pm-7pm



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SECRETARY'S CORNER

MEMBERSHIP REPORT

As of April 1, 2016 Total Members: 615



New members initiated:	34	Dropped:.....	30
Transfers in:	11	Transfers out:	5
Reinstatements:	5	Absolute dimit:.....	1
Gain	50	Deceased:	7
		Loss	43

As of October 1, 2017 Total Members: 623

Lapsation Report 6 months delinquent: 62 1 year delinquent: 34

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Investigation/ Orientation: Tuesday, November 14, 6:30pm

Balloting: Tuesday, November 21 Initiation: Tuesday, December 5

PROPOSED

Bearor, Deanna (Sac, 95831) Courtroom Clerk, Sac Cnty Sup Court	J. Tracy
Boughton III, Robert L. (Sac, 95831) State of CA (Ret)	Judi Tracy
Kyle, Susan E. (Citrus Heights, 95610) Bookkeeper, Elks #6	Judi Tracy
Lockhart, Ryan P. (Sac, 95831) Carpenter, Tom Jackson Constr	J.B. Stellmach
Taylor, Janette (Sac, 95822) Driver, Heritage Oaks Hospital	Judi Tracy
Tilson, Heather Lynn Becker (Sac, 95831) Higher Educ. Admin.	Judi Tracy
Tomita, Lori L. (Sac, 95822) Contract Admin., State of CA	Judi Tracy
Weber, Lori (Sac, 95831) Child Care Provider, City of Sac	Carol A. Ichiho

SPONSOR

BY REINSTATEMENT

Bosch, Steven (Sac, 95831) DMV-Tech, State of CA	Al M. Bosch
Conant, Craig O. (Carmel, 93923) Artist (Ret)	Judi Tracy

BY TRANSFER

Jones, Andrew W. (Sac, 95831) Productions Team Lead Pascagoula, MS, #1120

CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE

Cordeiro, Mark (Sac, 95831) Manufacturer Napa, CA, #832

IN MEMORIAM

An Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken.

MARILYN M. FACHA
Born: Sept. 18, 1944
Initiated: Sept. 1, 2009
Deceased: October 10, 2017
8-Year Elk

RICHARD M. NORTON
Born: April 17, 1928
Initiated: Sept. 14, 1960
Deceased: Sept. 22, 2017
58-Year Elk, Life Member

Elk of the Month
- December -
DEBORAH S. MORRISON

LODGE OFFICE HOURS
Mon-Thur: 9am-2pm
Friday: 12:30-5:30pm
Saturday-Sunday: Closed

ER trip to Hawaii

Join ER Dave Osaki and his wife, Patty, on a trip
to Honolulu from February 26-March 2, 2018

For info, contact Karen Del Real (kdelreal@golyon.com) or
Vera Lambert (v.lambert@comcast.net).

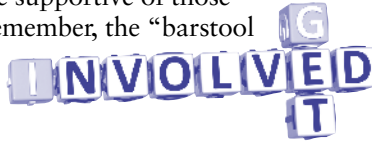


Toys For Tots

Toys & Bikes are needed for our Annual Toy Drive
Donations need to be at the Lodge by Dec. 7. The USMCR Toys
For Tots Foundation will pick up our gifts on Dec. 8.
(Cash & checks accepted at Lodge Office)

EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE *(continued from pg. 1)*

group, to do the right thing, be supportive of those decisions and your officers. Remember, the “barstool trustees” always have the answer, but your leadership group is the ones who get the job done.



We've got a lot of repairs to be made here at the Lodge, and we need to hold more events and have more rentals in order to raise the money for those repairs. Very few members have stepped up to chair our events, or volunteer their time to assist in them; if additional volunteers fail to come forward, then changes must be made in order to raise enough money to keep our doors open. Let's not allow the situation get to that point. How do we get more income? 1) We need to increase our membership, 2) we need to have more fundraising events, 3) we need more member participation at Lodge activities, 4) we need more members to chair or work on our events, and 5) increase all of our dues. Let's take care of business and rebuild this Lodge to avoid it from quickly becoming an albatross that's hanging around our neck.

The New Year's Eve Dinner/Dance is only a few weeks away, so get your tickets early and celebrate the New Year with great food, great music and a more casual vibe. Give us a chance and come ring in the New Year!

Support all of our events, have some fun, make new friendships, laugh with old friends, be an active part of our Sac #6 ohana (family).

Patty and I wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year!

Take Care and Aloha!

~ Dave Osaki, Exalted Ruler
dyonetworksolutions@gmail.com



FROM THE PM CREW

The PM crew has been very busy with maintenance and repairs around the Lodge. We completed a number of major projects this year under the direction of Jim von Bergen, the most recent of which were two roof repairs, one over the Lodge room and the other over the office. Assisting were Doug, Conrad, Jack and myself, among others. It took a lot of creative thinking and sweating to lift up the air conditioner without a crane. This saved a lot of money and it gave us all a sense of accomplishment. Speaking of cost, we recently completed a report for our District Deputy visitation and we estimated that the PM crew saves the Lodge approximately \$250,000 per year in repairs and maintenance.

Another major outside activity is the recycle program coordinated by Jim I.; working with Jim are Ron, Miguel, Jose and others. We take cardboard and newspaper as well as bottles and cans in our trailers and redeem these items and the money generated is in our recycle account which is used to purchase items for replacement or repair which are not included in the Lodge's budget.

As always, we would love to have more Elks join us in keeping the Lodge maintained and safe. Contact the office, anyone in a blue shirt or me.

~ Ray Nielsen, 916/422-3372, RayRose3@aol.com

December 2017

CHAPLAIN'S PRAYER CORNER



The holiday season is again upon us and it's the time of giving, thanking, thoughtfulness, friends and family. It can also be a time of reflection on our lives and the role we play in the lives of others. The holiday season is also a time of reflective prayer of the past years, the present year and the years to come. It is time to praise and thank your



God for the good, and a time to ask for help with the bad. As we go through the holiday season we will undoubtedly get stressed about gifts for friends and family, but remember that we are fortunate enough to be able to give gifts. We have worked hard to be able to give to others, but we are more than just a gift giver. We are givers of our love and time to serve others.

Let's pray that we are all surrounded by the warmth and love of family and friends because they are what make the holidays special. For those who aren't, let's pray that they know they are important to us and let's reach out to them to share the meaning of the season.

May we be thankful for our fortunes and show grace and caring to those who are less fortunate, and as we look to the future, may we remember to trust and follow God's plan. When faced with tough decisions about our future and this holiday season, let's remember that in everything we do, we do it for the glory of God and in service to others. Enjoy the holiday season and share it with others in as many ways as possible.

Please let me know if you or another Elk is in need of our support and do not forget I am so anxious to hear your favorite prayers, please feel free to contact me.

~ Darnell Lawrence, Chaplain (PER)
darnell.lawrence@sbcglobal.net



LODGE KUDOS

In this era of uncertainty, providing a safe venue for our children and community to celebrate Halloween is a welcomed gesture. **CONGRATULATIONS** to Cathy Barone and all of her crew for the first — and hopefully many more — successful “Trunk and Treat” event. The inventiveness, costumes and most especially the children cloaked in the warmth of Elks brotherhood spoke volumes for our Lodge values. ~ *Just me, Conrad*

A special **KUDOS** goes to Gina D'Arcangelo (Lady) and Ron Brusato (Tramp) for their Lady and The Tramp spaghetti dinner to support the visit of our State President. It was such an outstanding event. The food was excellent. ~ *Anonymous*

If you wish to give **KUDOS** to any member for his/her service to the Lodge or the community please email Darnell Lawrence, Bulletin Editor (darnell.lawrence@sbcglobal.net or info@elks6.com) or drop off a letter to the Lodge Office. Have Cathy place your request in my mail slot. Please submit your **KUDOS** by the 9th of the month.

EVENT BULLETIN BOARD

2017 New Year's Eve Party

Music by Latin Touch and our favorite DJ
Old School, Ballroom, Swing and
more music for all ages

Balloon Drop at Midnight

Prime Rib Dinner ~ \$55/person

Tickets go on sale October 1

Rudy & Karen Del Real, Committee Chairpersons

PURPLE PIG NIGHT

Tuesday, Dec. 19, 5 p.m.

MENU Carved Ham Sandwiches, Potato &
Macaroni Salads. Come early for Eggnog and
stay for the Lodge Meeting.

Bring your Purple Pig Bank (or a check)

'50s, '60s & '70s Dance Music Revival

The best of music for everyone — Music by DJ Daryl
Friday, February 9, 2018

No host cocktail ~ 6pm • Dinner ~ 7pm

Menu Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Potato Salad,
Nacho Bar & Popcorn

Prizes for best costume 1st & 2nd place

\$20 advance ~ \$25 at the door

Tickets on sale in the Lounge and Lodge Office

Breakfast with Santa

Sunday, December 17 ~ 8:30-11

Have your child's picture taken with Santa
(4x6 photos with sleeve, \$10, plus download access)
Breakfast: \$10 (adults); \$5 (children under 12)

Call 422-6666 to reserve a table of 10 or more.
Volunteers Needed!

DON PULIZ ANNUAL ELKS 6 CRAB & SHRIMP FEAST

Saturday, February 24

No-host cocktails, 6pm ~ Dinner, 7pm
~ Cost: \$55 ~

MENU Crab & Shrimp, Antipasto,
Pasta, Green Salad, Garlic Bread



Huge drawing to follow.

Tickets available in the Lodge Office or call
916/422-6666. Credit Cards accepted

ALL PROCEEDS TO GENERAL FUND

7TH ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF

Sunday, January 28 in the Lounge
entry fee, \$5 • dinner, \$10

Tasting: 4pm ~ Dinner: 6pm

Winners announced at 6:30pm

MENU Baked Potato Bar with all the trimmings
Tickets limited to 100 and includes tasting

Purchase in the Office or Lounge.

To enter cook-off, contact Gina D'Arcangelo
at 916/601-8745 or ginadarcangelo@aol.com

Sunday Jazz with the Sacramento Traditional Jazz Society

2nd Sunday of each month ~ 12 to 5 p.m.

Jazz bands in the Main Ballroom (nominal fee),
Emblem Room (free) & Lounge (free)

Plenty of food available for purchase

Volunteers Needed for Sunday Jazz

Hours would be from 11:30am to approximately 4:30pm

Contact either Clayton Hablitz at 916/706-9837,

Clayton39.ch@gmail.com or

Lori at Lori548@yahoo.com, 650/200-8570

what's for dinner?

Come and join us for dinner on Wednesday (1st & 3rd) Nights!

Dec. 6 & 20 ~ Call lodge for menu & reservations

Social hour, 5pm; dinner, 6pm

Sunday Breakfast

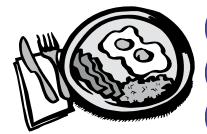
Come and enjoy a great breakfast with your family and friends

EVERY SUNDAY MORNING ~ 8:30 - 11 am

Cost: \$10 (tax included)

Specials Eggs Benedict & Corned Beef Hash.

In addition, eggs as you like them, pancakes,
waffles, biscuits & gravy, juice & coffee.



*Sacramento Elks Lodge No. 6
Memorial Service for our departed members
Sunday, December 3rd • 12pm • Light refreshments to follow*

EUGENE F. TRUAX	JOHN E. ERICSON
EDGAR D. TURNER III	MICHAEL K. HJELMELAND
DONALD B. BANKS	MANUEL J. VIERA, JR.
KATALIN POSCH	STEPHEN COCKRUM
SAMUEL BUTLER, PER	RAYMOND J. WESER
OSVALDO MUSSO	JIM ESEQUEL FRANCO
ROBERT T. DIAS	WAYNE B. BROWN
FRANK M. CIMA	BILL E. SHAW
GEORGE H. CAPEWELL	DANIEL PATTERSON
CHESTER P. DERENG	MARILYN M. FACHA

FINAL GOODBYES TO MARILYN M. FACHA

It is not easy for any of us to say, but we will miss Marilyn. She was truly a treasure to our Lodge and memories of her will always be with us. She made us laugh and often brought us together on trips, especially the annual trip to San Francisco Union Square for shopping at Macy's and afternoon cocktails at SF Lodge #3. She made the time on the bus fun with mimosas, coffee, pastries, games, jokes and movies. Marilyn was practically an institution around our Lodge and she probably touched every member in one way or another. If you've ever attended a social function, she was probably there – often raising money for the good of the Lodge.



Marilyn's first introduction to Elkdom was as a secretary in the old lodge's office. She was active and dedicated to the organization long before women could join. If you talked to her, I'm sure she told you about the move from downtown. She would often say "...the Elks planned to be open for New Year's Eve, and by golly they were!" And she would just smile and laugh.

Marilyn always wanted to become a member and in 2009, as a cancer survivor (and convinced that she could do anything) she decided it was time and attended her initiation after undergoing six hours of chemotherapy that very day.

Marilyn's devotion to the Elks became a passion for fundraising. Early on, she earned the nickname "Candy Lady" because she sold See's candy to generate revenue for the Lodge. Later, she raised money by selling "blinkly" costume jewelry. Her career as "The Blinky Lady" began when she bought some on a whim and then had the idea to resell it and donate the profits to the Lodge. Her efforts earned her membership to the "Millennium Club" in 2011 for having donated over \$10,000. It's estimated that by now she had raised nearly \$25,000. In fact, the hallways of Clarence and Marilyn's home are filled with the various awards and honors they have received over their years of dedication to the Elks.

Outside the Elks, Marilyn's life was filled with activities she loved and, as a Domestic Diva, she cooked, baked, tended to her flower garden and loved to sew. She truly had an eye for fashion. Marilyn is survived by her husband, Clarence, and daughters, Traci (in North Carolina) and Kelly (local) who is the mother to Erica, Marilyn's granddaughter.

Marilyn, we will all miss you at Elks Lodge #6. RIP and we will always smile when we think of you. Until we see you again.

~ PER Darnell Lawrence, Bulletin Editor

Elks National Foundation Fundraiser Win 2 Tickets to the 2017 New Year's Eve Party

\$5 per ticket • Limited to 120 Tickets
Tickets available in the Lodge Office,
or contact Hank at 916.422.9252



Trivia Night

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday
Starts at 6pm

\$5 buy-in for each team • All money paid out
Teams are from 1 to 6 players
4 Rounds, 10 questions per round
Lounge Meal Deal: Hot Dog, Chips, Draft Beer ~ \$5
Sorry no substitutions

Santa Maria Style Tri-Tip BBQ

Friday, January 26

No-Host Cocktails ~ 6pm • Dinner ~ 7pm

MENU Tri-Tip, Portuguese beans, baked potato, salad,
garlic bread & desert

Raffle • Dance to the music by DJ Henry Jeong

Reservations required. Contact Lodge Office 422-6666
for tickets (\$15)

Karaoke

Every Thursday Night
7:30pm
Come on down and sing
the night away.



HAPPY HOUR FRIDAYS

House Wine \$3⁷⁵
Well Drinks \$3
Draft Beer \$2

SIGN UP
SHEET IN THE
LODGE TO BRING
HORS D'OEUVRES

4-7pm (except when Elk event scheduled)
Come on down & enjoy the fun!

GOLF NEWS

Even though it's winter, you can still come and join the Elks Golf Club! It's only \$15 to join and we usually play twice a month and are very well organized with small prizes. So come join our friendly group of 50 to 60 other Elks and enjoy the great game of golf. For more information call Leading



SCHEDULED EVENTS

LUNCHEON/MEETINGS
DEC 8 • YEAR-END AWARDS

Knight Joe Ignoffo at 684-9366 or simply come to a free luncheon meeting.

~ Gary Grayson, President

SACRAMENTO #6 PURPLE PIG NIGHT

Elks Lodge #6's Purple Pig Night is one of the most fun-filled and rewarding nights of the year and the PERs Association is again hosting the event on Tuesday, December 19, at 5 p.m.



A Coin a Day so they can Walk, Talk, See and Play!

The PERs invite all Elks and their loved ones to bring their piggy bank donations for the Major Project so disabled children can *Walk, Talk, See & Play*. You can also be our guest for dinner. We are serving ham, potato and macaroni salads and PER Hank Peralta's chili. PERs Ron Brusato and Richard Cherry will serve the potato and macaroni salads, and our very own Tony Mujat, PDDGER, will carve the ham. A top quality thick ham from Swingle Meat Company, *The Carnivore's Toy Store*. PER Conrad de Castro will provide the Christmas music. Ah, yeah, and don't forget the eggnog by PER John Henman with help from prior Assistant Esquire John Endres.

PER Lona Taggart and Joan Clazie will be there to greet members and collect donations. You can bring your piggy bank or a bag of money or checks made out to Sacramento Elks Lodge No. 6. Last year 19 members donated \$100 or more and they were recognized by the California-Hawaii Elks Association (CHEA) with a Golden Pig for their generosity. Last year's event raised almost \$5,000 for CHEA. Your generosity helps make wonderful things happen, such as:

- Over 2,500 children received specialized in-home therapy.
- More than 50,000 children benefited from preschool vision screening.
- Since 1981, scholarships to students with disabilities.

Through your generous donations CHEA's Major Project can provide services free of charge to families in need of assistance. This gives children and their families living with disabilities a chance to live active, independent and happy lives. The Sacramento PERs hope you will join us at our Purple Pig Night and make a generous donations to help the children *Walk, Talk, See & Play*. ~ PER Steve Clazie

VETERANS COMMITTEE

Your Veterans Committee (VC) continues to be busy planning activities to honor those who have served our country. The freedoms we enjoy every day were purchased at a very high price. We will continue to always remember our veterans who have served at home and overseas. In honor of Veterans Day, the committee held a luncheon and it was well attended by our Lodge veterans and members. Our local authors Amanda De Wilde and James Scott gave an excellent talk on their book, "*World War I and the Sacramento Valley*." At the luncheon the VC presented



each veteran with a star from our American flag and a note that read, "I am part of our American flag. I have flown over a home in the USA. I can no longer fly. The sun and winds have caused me to become tattered and torn. Please carry me as a reminder that you are not forgotten."

• Please join us at the Sacramento Valley National Cemetery in Dixon on Saturday, Dec. 16 to place holiday wreaths on the gravesites. We are meeting at the Lodge at 7:30 a.m. to carpool to Dixon. Call the Lodge office if you plan on joining us.

• Don't forget to bring Christmas cards and envelopes to the Lodge office for signing and distribution to veterans throughout Northern California. Our participation in the "Cards for Heroes" is in conjunction with our local Red Cross. Thank you again for helping Sacramento Elks Lodge #6 remember our veterans!

If you have questions or would like to participate in the Veterans Committee please contact Linda Van Gundy at Lmacbeath@yahoo.com or 916/392-2326 or 916/599-7248.

AROUND THE LODGE

In late October & November the Lodge held some awesome events that the members and the community both enjoyed. I hope you had a chance to get in on the fun. ~ Darnell Lawrence

Our first Trunk or Treat event was a lot of fun!



Trustee Charles Holdredge and Pam Holdredge



Our local story teller and her audience.



WWII veteran Gil of Sac #6



Left: Veteran's Chairperson Linda Van Gundy holds up a vase as part of the Missing Man ceremony.



The Cherry's raised over \$1,200 for the State President's visit. Elk Thomas Rehberg won the raffle.

Elk Cheryl Hill with a mystery guest (Charley Tucker).



Audit Committee members Carol Armstrong & Gina D'Arcangelo and a scary trunk or treat.



Left: PER Anthony "Tony" Mujat and daughter Pam at the Craft Faire. Above: Elks Joyce Bream and Mary-Jo Mefford checked in vendors.

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- | | | | | |
|--|---|--|---|---|
| 1 Stephen Leibrock
Rae Williams, II | 8 Earl Eberline
Phyllis Hill
Lona Taggart | 15 Arthur Anderson
16 Michael Berrigan
20 Rudy Hernandez
William Rigg | Fred Huizar
Derry Knight
Sterling Suhr | HAPPY BIRTHDAY |
| 2 John Elorduy
Mark Scribner
3 Robert Parnell | 9 Kenneth Holmes
Vera Lambert
H. Salman | 21 Caroline Dunlop
Andrew Lovato
22 Norval Chan
R. Synhorst | 25 Emily Chapman
Charles Costello
26 August Albuquerque | Michael Rosa
Benjamin Valencia, Jr. |
| 4 Gary Erndt
John Gunter | 10 Robert Morlan
12 Jared Damiani | 23 Sandra Fisher
Daniel McKinley | 27 Michael Bates
Glen Glaser | 30 Glenn Ostapeck
George Pfeifer
Wayne Thom
Curt Thue |
| 5 Catherine Stinson
6 Catharine Ching
Thomas Rehberg
William Sligar | 13 Michael Benner
Glenn Tilton
William Welch, III | 24 Carnes Blackstock
Rodney Gillgrass | 28 Randy Wynn
29 Robert Boal
Buffie Lynch
Robert Riordan | 31 Marilyn Cundiff
Iris Dimond
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Coming Events

- Dec 2 State President Dinner
- Dec 3 State President Visitation
- Dec 3 Elks Memorial
- Dec 8 Toys for Tots
- Dec 8 Golf – Year End Awards
- Dec 16 Veteran’s Wreaths
- Dec 17 Breakfast with Santa
- Dec 19 Purple Pig Night
- Dec 31 New Year’s Eve Party

Meeting Schedule

- House Committee 1st & 3rd Monday ~ 4:30pm
- Board of Directors 3rd Monday ~ 6:30pm
- Audit Committee 4th Monday ~ 4pm
- Lodge Meeting/Initiation 1st Tuesday ~ 7pm
- Officers Meeting 2nd Tuesday ~ 7pm
- Investigation/Orientation 2nd Tuesday ~ 6:30pm
- Lodge Meeting/Balloting 3rd Tuesday ~ 7pm
- Membership Committee 4th Thursday ~ 5pm

Meetings open to all members. Schedule subject to change, contact the Lodge office to confirm.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Nov. 26	27 ♦ Audit Comm 4pm ♦ Boy Scouts 7pm	28 ♦ PM Crew 8am	29 ♦ Golf – River Oaks	30 ♦ Karaoke 7:30pm	Dec. 1 ♦ Bridge 12:30 ♦ Happy Hour 4-7pm	2 ♦ State President's Visitation Dinner
3 ♦ Sunday Breakfast 8:30-11am ♦ Elks Memorial 12pm ♦ State President's Visitation	4 ♦ House Comm 4:30pm ♦ Boy Scouts 7pm	5 ♦ PM Crew 8am ♦ Lodge Meeting 7pm Initiation	6 ♦ Dinner 6pm <i>Call for menu & reservations</i>	7 ♦ Karaoke 7:30pm	8 ♦ Golf Luncheon/Year End Awards ♦ Bridge 12:30 ♦ Happy Hour 4-7pm ♦ Toys for Tots	9
10 ♦ Sunday Breakfast 8:30-11am ♦ Jazz Sunday 12-5pm	11 ♦ Boy Scouts 7pm	12 ♦ PM Crew 8am ♦ Officers Meeting 7pm ♦ Investigation/Orientation 6:30pm	13 ♦ Trivia Night 6pm	14 ♦ Karaoke 7:30pm	15 ♦ Bridge 12:30 ♦ Happy Hour 4-7pm	16 ♦ Veteran's Wreaths
17 ♦ Sunday Breakfast with Santa 8:30-11am	18 ♦ House Comm 4:30pm ♦ Board of Directors 6:30pm ♦ Boy Scouts 7pm	19 ♦ PM Crew 8am ♦ Purple Pig Night 5pm ♦ Lodge Meeting 7pm Business/Balloting	20 ♦ Dinner 6pm <i>Call for menu & reservations</i>	21 ♦ Karaoke 7:30pm	22 ♦ Bridge 12:30 ♦ Happy Hour 4-7pm	23 ♦ Marine Corp. Sacramento Det. #23 10am
24 ♦ New Year's Eve Dinner/Dance 31	25  Merry Christmas Lodge Closed	26 ♦ PM Crew 8am	27 ♦ Trivia Night 6pm	28 ♦ Karaoke 7:30pm	29 ♦ Bridge 12:30 ♦ Happy Hour 4-7pm	30