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A Monthly Newsletter



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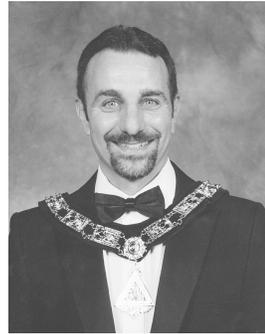
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Our Lodge will be quite busy the next few months as the holiday season is drawing near. On Wednesday, October 10th, our District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler, Pat Sullivan, will visit our Lodge for dinner and our meeting. On Sunday, October 28th, we will have our annual Family Halloween Party. On Wednesday, October, 31st, Halloween night, we will have dinner for our members and their spouses.

November 1st through the 4th is the Mid-Term Convention for the California-Hawaii Elks Association. As we are the host Lodge of the convention, we have numerous activities that week that we also need your help with.

For more information on these events and others, look inside for articles and check the calendar. Please support your Lodge and attend these events and volunteer to help at the convention.

Sincerely,

Brian Flemmer, Exalted Ruler

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PAST EXALTED RULERS

Ted R. Carrion (Mary)	1966-67
Thomas Gravink (Jane)	1972-73
Romeo Losoya (Joyce)	1973-74
William Southard (Maddie)	1974-75
William Hartwig (Vicki)	1975-76
Bob Alspaugh (Pat)	1977-78
Ron Fritz (JoAnn)	1980-81
Herb Caudill (Ann)	1981-82
Tony Leone (Barbara)	1982-83
Ron Goselin (Connie)	1983-84
Dale Ebbinghausen (Evelyn)	1985-86
Bob Doud (Robin)	1986-87
Rod Battaglia	1987-88
Carl Rocksvold (Danielle)	1989-90
Albert "Mel" Santos II	1992-93
Jeffrey McGuire (Mary)	1993-94
Jon Tuscher	1994-95
Roy Drilling (Patricia)	1995-96
E. Neil Scott	1996-97
Craig Lowart (Pam)	1997-98
David Wyrsh	1999-00
Juan Garcia Jr. (Leisah)	2000-01
Perry Niehues (Carole)	2001-02
Bill Hurt (Amy)	2002-03
Malcolm Fenner (Chris)	2003-04
Marty Mello (Debra)	2004-05
Dave Eddy (Kathy)	2005-06
Don Hall (Joyce)	2006-07

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Tom Gravink	1980-81
Herb Caudill	1988-89
Bob Doud	1991-92
PDDGER	
Tom Gravink	1985-86
Bob Doud	1993-94

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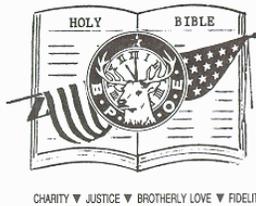
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- Americanism - Bob Tauzer
- Auditing - Don Gray
- Blood Bank - Bob Tauzer
- Bingo - Jim Fuller
- Community Relations - Don Hall PER
- Drug Awareness - Bruce Newman
- Flag Day - Malcolm Fenner PER
- Government Relations - Mark McComas
- Hoop Shoot - Warren Meyer
- Indoctrination - Don Campbell
- Insurance & Safety - Bob Doud
- Investigation - Don Campbell
- Lapsation - Lodge Secretary
- Lodge Activites - Don Hall PER
- Memorial Services - Tom Gravink PDD
- National Foundation - Vacant
- Piggy Bank/Major Project - Brian Flemmer
- Ritual - Rod Battaglia PER
- Scholarship - Mary Ann Trongo
- Scouting - Craig Lowart PER
- Veterans - Reid Anderson/Malcolm Fenner PER
- Youth Activities - Glenn Wallace



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- Exalted Ruler - Brian Flemmer
- Leading Knight - Bob Tauzer
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- Lecturing Knight - Tom Wells
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- Treasurer - Lonny Wunder
- Esquire - Connie Zenger
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- Inner Guard - Dennis Fisher
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5 Year
 Bill Hurt PER, Chairman

4 Year
 Vacant

3 Year
 Steve Cox

2 Year
 Bob Doud PDD

1 Year
 Garlyn Aday

**California-Hawaii Elks Association
 Mid-Term Conference**

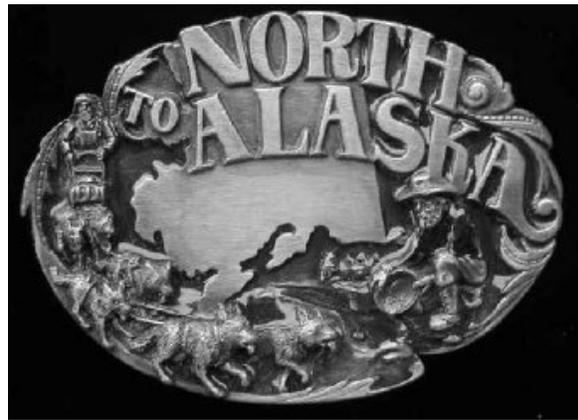
The CHEA Mid-Term Conference will be held Thursday, November 1 through Saturday, November 3. it will be held at the Radisson Hotel in Sacramento. All members are invited to attend.

Out lodge is the host Lodge of the Conference. Being the host, we need volunteers to help with the activities during the conference. We need volunteers to work registering the members who will be attending. We need volunteers for Thursday, Friday and Saturday morning. If you have the time and can help with the event, contact the office at 662-9138 for the times that you can help. Please help us out with this by your participation in greeting and welcoming the visiting Lodges to our area and showing your support.

Brian Flemmer, Exalted Ruler

The Auditing and Accounting Committee has an opening for a member interested in the Lodge Financial matters. The position involves attending a one hour meeting once a month, normally on the 4th Wednesday of each month. Knowledge in business and accounting is preferred but not required. Any member interested should contact the Exalted Ruler.

	OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS
1	Ruben Arias, Jared Hunter, Jeff Jonas and Jerry Wright
2	Rudy Howald, Steve Hunter and Robert Paschoal
3	Don Beeman, Leroy Leonard and Vince Salaiz
4	John Birthwistle, Don Branigan, Frank Hildebrand and Marc Hornbuckle
5	Dennis Puccetti and Tom Scarlett
6	Duddley Chapman, Ronald Kuhn and Tim Pettit
7	Doug Garrison, Kirby Pedroia, Manuel Souza and Willy Travis
8	Russell Stocker
9	Sean Conley and Warren Meyer
10	Larry Rominger and Dave Wallace
11	Robert Moeller
13	Richard Freitas and Gary Ruport
15	Pat Welty
16	Romeo Berrettoni
17	Robert Kabrich
18	Larry George, Bryan Shadinger and Jim Webber
19	Barrack Archer Don Gray and Carl Rocksvold
20	Don Laplante
21	Randy Jacobs
22	Robert Buchignani, Robert Cushing and Clifford Zenger
23	Mark Chriss, Malcolm Fenner, Joseph Kalfsbeek and Randy Randall
24	John Armus, Brent Conley and Ferninand Hanson
26	Bill Spurlock
27	George Holt and Gary Walgenbach
28	John Mello and Kevin Twitchell
29	Bruce Ahlquist and Lawrence Joost
30	Luis Pedroia
31	Richard Paulsen



Come to a meeting of all interested travelers. October 5th at 6:00 pm, East Bar - the deposit deadline is October 10th. Cost: \$250 per person.

**Visitation of District Deputy
 Grand Exalted Ruler
 Patrick Sullivan
 Wednesday, October 10,
 Social Hour 6:00 PM
 Dinner 7:00 PM
 Elks, Spouses & Invited Guests
 \$12.00 per person
 RSVP (530) 662-9138 by Monday, October 8th**

The Bugle
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Woodland Lodge #1299



Our Bugle is the bulletin of Lodge activities and information. Any member may submit an article which may be of interest or concern to the members of our Lodge. Articles must be received by the office no later than the 5th of the month to be printed in the following months edition. That means you need to think ahead at least one or more months (a little confusing at times!).

Please participate. I know more of you have things to share.

Thank you.
 Brian Flemmer, Exalted Ruler

Notice

**Please respect McNary's parking lot .
 They have been very generous by allowing the
 Elks to park in their lot. No all day parking is allowed.
 When the funeral sign is out, do not use their parking lot.**

Moving?

Name _____

Old Address _____

New Address _____

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State _____ Zip _____

Let us know if you're moving or have moved. Please clip this Change of Address form and return it to the Office. Thank you.

Member # _____



Halloween Chili

- 1 1/4 Pounds ground goblin gizzards (ground beef 15% fat)
- 1 Medium eye of Cyclops (onion)
- 1 15 Oz. Can soft shelled beetles (kidney beans)
- 1 28 Oz. Can blood of bat (V-8 juice)
- 1/8 Teaspoon pureed wasp (prepared mustard)
- 1/4 Teaspoon common dried weed (oregano)
- 1 Dash Redtailed hawk toenails (crushed red pepper)
- 2 Teaspoons ground sumac blossom (chili powder)
- 1 Teaspoon hemlock (honey or sugar)
- 1/2 Cup fresh grubs (sliced celery)
- 1 Tablespoon eye of Newt (pearled barley)
- 1 Tablespoon dried maggots (uncooked rice)
- Water from a stagnant pond (tap water)
- Brown the gizzards
- Add chopped eye of cyclops and simmer until the pieces of eye become translucent
- Add blood of bat and soft shelled beetles, bring to a slow bubbling boil.
- Add the common weed, maggots, toenails, sumac, grubs, hemlock, eye of newt and the pureed wasp.



Blood Bank

Fall is just around the corner and with that begins the Holiday season. This time is when we need a very good turnout for our Blood Bank. Last year we did a fantastic job and we were rewarded for all of our efforts by being presented with the Annual Appreciation Dinner.

Remember, November 1st from 12:00 pm to 6:00 pm at the Elks ballroom. Come and relax to music and be refreshed with juices and cookies. Sit and visit with your fellow volunteers.



See you then...
Bob Tauzer

Yolo County Fair FFA Livestock Auction

On Saturday, August 18th, my daughter, Sydni and I had the opportunity to represent our Lodge at the annual FFA Livestock Auction. Once again Ernie Roncoroni was a great help and companion for the entire day. We enjoyed a great tri-tip lunch while we prepared our strategy to support these young men and women for their hard work in raising their animals during the year. Once we got into the auction, we waited patiently for the kids that had sent us letters describing their animal and asking us for support. It was a long but enjoyable and worthwhile day. We were there from start to finish. We were able to support three FFA members who are: Ashley Krintz of Winters High School with a lamb, Jessiaca Hernandez of Pioneer High School with a goat and Lyndsay Pefroia also of Pioneer High School, who also had a lamb.

Thank you to Ernie. Sydni had a great time attending the auction. We look forward to attending more. To see the photos and letters from the students, drop by the Office or see me.

Brian Flemmer, Exalted Ruler





Video Library is Growing

Our Lodge Video Library is located in John Suhr's office, which doubles as the Catering Office. The office is open for members to check out movies free of charge for an unlimited time. We hope you will return them promptly when you are through so other members will have an opportunity to watch them as well. Your contribution of videos to the library is always welcome, however we do need a volunteer to sort and organize the videos. Anyone interested should contact the Lodge Office.



If you have children ages 8 to 13 (as of April 1, 2008) mark your calendars for our annual Hoop Shoot, which will be held on December 15th. We are moving the contest to December to see if we have a better turnout.

Each contestant will shoot five practice free throws and then 25 free throws that will count in the contest.

There are three divisions:

- Ages 8 and 9
- Ages 10 and 11
- Ages 12 and 13

The aged 8 and 9 groups will shoot four feet closer to the basket and will use a smaller ball.

Three winners from each of the six divisions will compete in the playoffs which will be held on January 26th with other District Lodge winners. Contact Warren Meyer at 747-6473 for more information.

See you all there.

From the Secretary.....

Half of the Lodge year is almost history. Leaves are turning, tans are fading and the Lodge is getting busy. Work is going on for our Mid-Term Dinner and Show at the fairgrounds. Don't be afraid to volunteer for this function.

If you really want to meet a diversity of Elks, your help would be appreciated on Thursday, November 1st, Friday, November 2nd during the day and Saturday morning, November 3rd at the Mid-Term Conference Registration Room. If you would like to volunteer contact me at the Lodge office.

As of September 1st, we are down to 28 delinquent members. Thanks to all of you. Once again I want to remind you of our Lodge web page www.woodlandelks.org. Be sure and take a look at the great work in progress by Darren Ball and Glenn Wallace.

The answer to last months question: False. Section 13.190 states; The Lodge shall have a Past Exalted Rulers Association or Advisory which shall consist of all Past Exalted Rulers of the Lodge and all Past Exalted Rulers of another Lodge who are now members of the Lodge.

True or False: The Lodge Secretary, who is not a member of the House Committee/Governing Board, may be hired as the Club Manager.

Have a sweet and filling Halloween.

Fraternally,

Tom

Propositions for Membership

The standing Investigating Committee will be holding a meeting on Tuesday, October 9th at 7:00 pm, at which time the following applicants will appear for personal interviews. All communications relative to the eligibility of these applicants should be made in person on or before Monday October 8th. All approved applicants will be balloted upon Wednesday, October 10th. Indoctrinated on Tuesday, October 23rd, and will appear for Initiation on Wednesday, October 24th.

By Certificate of Release

Vic Larsen -Tacoma WA.
Larry Vogelesang - West Covina CA

Life Membership

Ray Colombara

Lodge Roofing Project



In July, we held the Raffle for a rifle which had been secured in our West Bar. The donated rifle and drawing brought in an additional \$600. toward replacing the tile roofs above our original Lodge.

Thanks to all of you who supported this Raffle. I want to thank Jeff Youngmark for his hard work to obtain the donated rifle and for overseeing the funds brought into our Lodge by the Raffle.

I also want to thank Don Gall, of Don's Gun Repair, for handling the paperwork to transfer the rifle to the winner of the drawing. Last, but not least, congratulations to Larry Beard for winning the fine firearm.

Again, Thank you all for supporting your Lodge.
Brian Flemmer, Exalted Ruler

Family Halloween Party

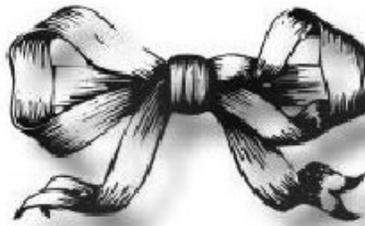
Come on down to our Lodge on Sunday,
October 28th at 11:30 am.
We will be putting on our annual Family
Halloween Party. Glen and Alyssa Wallace
will, once again, host this event.
Lots of fun and prizes for the kids.

Lunch and refreshments
will also be available.

Please plan to attend.
You may RSVP to the office in advance.



Holiday Gift & Craft Boutique



November 10 - 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

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Call Betsy Noble at 530-666-2552 for more information.

October-November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 BINGO	2	3 7:00 pm Dinner	4	5	6 Breakfast DO: Cox
7	8 BINGO	9 7:00 pm Investigation	10 7:00 pm Dinner DD Visit 8:00 pm Meeting Grey Coat & Tie Balloting	11 Lion's Outta Sight	12	13 Breakfast Joyce, Pam and Karen DO: Wunder
14	15 BINGO	16	17 7:00 pm Dinner Meatloaf Dudley House Committee	18 6:30 pm Trustee Meeting	19	20 Breakfast Hurt, Fenner and Rupport DO: Gravink
21	22 BINGO	23 6:30 pm Indoctrination	24 7:00 pm Dinner 8:00 pm Meeting Initiation Tuxedo	25	26	27 Breakfast Armus /Abele DO: Tauzer
28 Family Halloween Party 11:30 am	29 BINGO	30	31 7:00 pm Halloween Dinner - Prawns Suhr, Tauzer Spouses Welcome	1 BLOOD BANK	2 Mid-Term Convention	3 Breakfast Mid Term Convention DO: Flemmer
4	5 BINGO	6	7 7:00 pm Dinner Chicken Marcella Reimer	8	9	10 Breakfast Joyce, Pam and Karen DO: Newman
11 6:00 pm Veteran's Day Dinner Fenner	12 BINGO	13 7:00 pm Investigation	14 7:00 pm Pork/Newman 8:00 pm Meeting Grey Coat & Tie Balloting	15 6:30 pm Trustee Meeting	16	17 Breakfast Armus /Abele DO: Zenger

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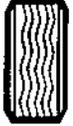
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