

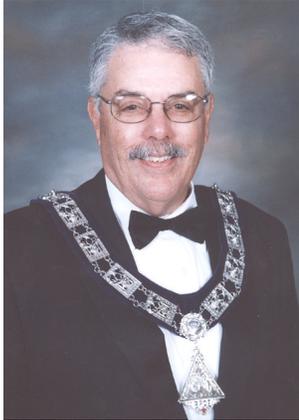
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The holidays have come and gone. I hope everyone had a great Christmas and will have a happy New Year.

I would like to thank the crew that put on the Rib-Krauter Dinner. It takes a lot of people to put on this dinner, too many to name without forgetting someone. So, a big thanks to all of the people who were on hand to help. It was a sold out event, as usual and a good time was had by all.

By the time you read this, the new roof should be completed, including new gutters and downspouts. I want to thank Jeff Youngmark for overseeing this project. Also, a big thanks to all of the people who

bought bricks and the generous donations that helped us accomplish this project.

For anyone who have not noticed, the bricks are being put up on the wall you see as you are entering the building on the Bush Street side. I have had a lot of members tell me that they are really impressed and think it looks great. Thanks to Betsy Noble for all of her hard work on this project.

Fraternally

Bruce Newman, ER

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Pasco Malcalan was our Exalted Ruler, David Wyrsh was the Leading Knight and Tom Larkin was the Secretary. Trustees were Ken Trongo, Bob Dinger, Jim Swanson, Bill Colignon and Don Plank. Office hours were 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. Jim Webber was November Elk of the Month and Roy Drilling had the honor in October.

Bingo was going strong. John Fredericks was the Membership Chairman and Dave Eddy was Chairman of the 7th Annual Fishing Derby. Sunday football was very popular and enjoyed by the membership.

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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
Al Soga (Phyllis)	1978-79
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
Craig Lowart (Pam)	1997-98
David Wyrsh	1999-00
Juan Garcia Jr. (Leisah)	2000-01
Perry Niehues (Carole)	2001-02
Bill Hurt	2002-03
Malcolm Fenner (Chris)	2003-04
Marty Mello (Debra)	2004-05
Dave Eddy (Kathy)	2005-06
Don Hall (Joyce)	2006-07
Brian Flemmer (Debbie)	2007-08

PAST STATE VICE PRESIDENTS

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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If your birthday falls during this month, clip this coupon and fill in the information below. Present proof of your birthday, along with this coupon, to the bartender and you will receive two free drinks.

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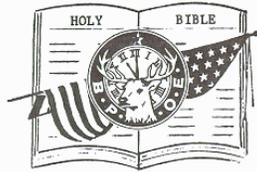


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- Auditing - Tom Gravink
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- Bingo - Jim Fuller
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- Government Relations - Neal Peart
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- Indoctrination - Bill Hurt
- Insurance & Safety - Cliff Simes
- Investigation - Bob Jones
- Lapsation - Vince Guerrero
- Lodge Activites - Vacant
- Memorial Services - Vacant
- National Foundation - Vacant
- Piggy Bank/Major Project - Vacant
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- Scholarship - Mary Ann Trongo
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- Youth Activities - Glenn Wallace



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2008 - 2009

Officers

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- Secretary - Vince Guerrero
- Treasurer - Bill Butler
- Esquire - Vacant
- Chaplain - Don Hall, PER
- Inner Guard - Polo Esparza
- Tiler - Betsy Noble

Trustees

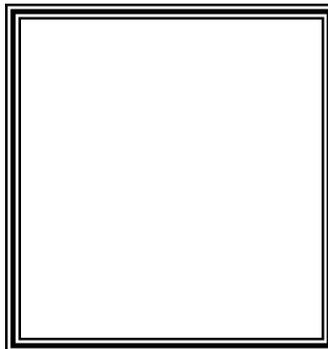
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4 Year
 Don Gray

3 Year
 Kent Henderson

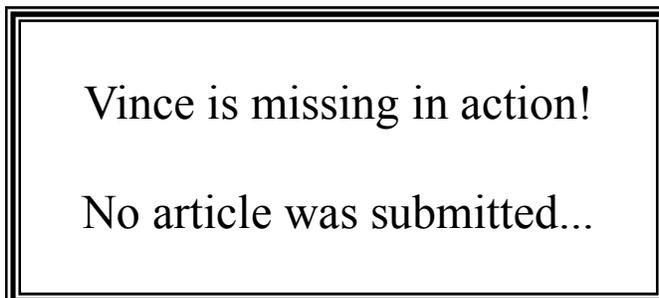
2 Year
 John Suhr

1 Year
 Bob Doud PDD



Hold this square up to your face and blow on it. If it turns green, call your physician, if it turns purple see your psychiatrist, if it turns red, see your lawyer and make out a will, if it remains the same color you are in good health and there is no reason on earth why you should not be at the Elks Lodge meetings on Wednesday, January 14th and 28th and the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays afterward.

In 1972 we had a request for Life Membership from Chief Robert Dalton, US Navy, and it was granted, after he paid a \$125 fee. Who were the Capay Gulch Gang? First one to let the secretary know will get a free Wednesday night dinner.



Vince is missing in action!

No article was submitted...



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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 # _____

Girl's Knight Out IV



Saturday, February 7
No Host Cocktails @ 6:00 pm
Dinner @ 7:00 pm
Show to follow

Cost: \$25 per person

Tickets go on sale January 2 at the Lodge
or you can call 530-666-0588 for
information.

In the past, this has been a major fund
raiser for our Lodge and Major Project.

If you would like to help or be in an act,
please contact Marty or Debra Mello at
530-666-0588.



Sausage Feed and Sale

West Yolo Gang presents the 71st Annual Sausage Feed, which will be held on Wednesday, January 21st. Tickets are on sale now. The cost of tickets is \$15 for members and \$17 for non-members. This will be an early meeting night, with sausage served at 7:00.

We are also now taking orders for bulk sausage again this year, at a cost of \$4 per pound.



Elks Veteran's Dinner

Veteran's Service Chairman, Reid Anderson, and PER Malcolm Fenner, with Exalted Ruler Bruce Newman proudly present to American Legion Commander David Isbell and Veteran of Foreign Wars, Al Brum with a donation to be used to support their veteran's programs. These two veteran organization are doing an outstanding job in our community.

The Elks believe that so long as there are Veteran's, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them.



Bro. Don Ferro is enjoying
himself at the dinner.

Our Lodge Liability Insurance

Some members have questions and concerns about the Lodge Liability Insurance. The policy is available in the Lodge office for any member to examine. Our insurance is provided through the Grand Lodge and it covers all Elks Lodges, their members and officers for any liability including any injury and property damage. We are insured for up to \$50,000,000 in liability damages. We are covered for any liability for injury and property damage that we are responsible for that was caused by our members and we are also covered for any liability for actions of contractors hired to perform work on our Lodge property, whether the contractors have insurance or not.



Submitted by Bob Doud

Trustee's Corner

AT LAST!! Our tile roof has been repaired. Thanks go out to all of the generous contributors to the Building Restoration Fund. Their names should appear on the bricks on our Wall of Fame located in our main entrance vestibule. Special thanks to our construction supervisor, Jeff Youngmark, who made sure the work was done properly. Thanks again to our Fund Raising Chair, Betsy Noble for her efforts in funding the project.

We now have a water tight tile roof with top of the line underlayment. We also have new gutters and down spouts to direct rain water away from our building. Roofing Contractor Mike Rabaino did an excellent job according to the City Building Inspector, and thank goodness it was completed in a timely manner prior to any major storms. Also, the city planners should be satisfied that our building still has retained its historic appearance.

Now we can get to work on the interior of the building, starting with new carpeting for our Lodge Meeting Room. Funds are still needed for this project, so if you haven't already got your brick on our Wall of Fame, please buy one today. The carpeting project is expected to cost in the vicinity of \$8,000. we also need to fix up the ceilings where the water has been damaging it over the years. We hope to have some volunteers for this project.

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. Please don't leave your vehicles in the parking lot overnight. When the funeral sign is out, do not use their parking lot.

November Blood Drive Results

The end of the 2008 Blood Drive was in November. We had five drives and all went according to projections. In 2009 we will have added 1 more drive, making a total of six for the year.

Our first drive of the year is on January 8. During the holidays we use more blood, so the need is there. The dates below are the other drives for the year.

March 12

May 28

July 23

September 17

November 12

Thanks to everyone who volunteered and also to our Elks and Elks family: Bob McGriff, Larry Highfill, Don Campbell, Tom Fowler, Joyce Losoya, Jenna Kinser, Pat Imbach, Gil Ehresman, Mahlon Whittle, Kurt Tikalsky and Renee' Dec.

January's drive will feature a double red donation. It takes a little longer but counts as two donations. For those who have busy schedules, this cuts you down to every other time to donate, if the machine is available.

See you at every drive to help make a difference in someone's life. You do save lives.

Bob Tauzer
Gil Ehresman
Joyce Hall
Co-chairs

In the Beginning..... there was nothing...

Then the Lodge Secretary came in to save the day. The bricks are now in place. Shown here are Vince Guerrero, Marlin Gonzales and Alex Gonzales.



Our Lodge Officers, Secretary Vince Guerrero, ER Bruce Newman, Chaplain Don Hall and Trustee Chairman Bob Doud stand before our new Wall of Bricks. Have you bought your brick yet?



President D'Nell Larkin presents to Trustee Chairman Bob Doud and ER Bruce Newman a check for \$2,500 donated by Emblem Club #516 for the new tile roof.



The clock of their day has stopped and across its dial the motionless shadow marks the hour of eleven.

The faults of our Brothers we write upon the sand, their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory.

Gordon Oleson
Initiated December 19, 1962
Died December 6, 2008



The PER Crab Feed will beheld on Saturday, March 7. Once again we will be serving up all you can eat crab, prawns, salad, pasta and rolls (we promise not to over-cook the prawns this year). The cost remains at \$35 per person. BC Music Productions will be providing the music and of course the servers will be dancing the food to your table. Tickets will be available at the Elks office or through any Woodland PER. Party on at the PER Crab Feed!

Fraternally
Rod Battaglia, PER

JANUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Lodge Closed	2	3 DO: Henderson
4	5 BINGO 	6	7 Barrel BBQ Beef Marty Mello	8 Blood Bank	9	10 DO: Suhr NS Ritual Clinic Breakfast & Lunch
11 Ritual Clinic Continental Breakfast	12 BINGO 	13	14 Meeting 8:00 pm Gray Coat Purple Pig Night Dinner	15 Trustee's Meeting 6:30 pm	16	17 DO: Henderson
18	19 BINGO 	20	21 West Yolo Gang Sausage Feed	22	23	24 DO: Newman
25	26 BINGO 	27	28 Meeting 8:00 pm Gray Coat Enchilada Dinner	29	30	31 DO: Fisher

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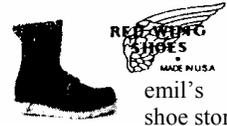


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