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Tom Gravink	1985-86
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Coming Events

Every Monday	Bingo
Every Wednesday	Dinner
Every Friday	Happy Hour
Every Friday	Dinner
January 3	Take down Xmas Decorations
January 5-6	Ritual Clinic
January 11	Texas Hold'em
January 12	Sunday Brunch
January 18	Saturday Breakfast
January 26	DD Clinic
January 28	Taco Tuesday

CHECK THE CALENDAR

EXALTER RULER'S MESSAGE

HAPPY WHAT'S NEW YEAR.

It's January, the month in which the word "new" is tossed around a lot. Of course there is New Years Eve. It is the start of a "new" year. All of the New cars are out. We get rid of old bad habits in January and start "new" ones. We start to plan "new" home projects for the upcoming year. The golf club I belong to is planning its "new" season. New calendars are out. Linda suggested a "new" attitude for myself, which I don't understand what she's talking about. Any way, you get the idea. January is the month of new beginnings. It is a starting point for many things in our daily lives. So, what's "new" here at the lodge? The obvious things are new paint, a new clean look, some new events, and to the point of this message, some very good new members. New members folks, the life blood of this organization. The one commodity that we can not survive without. I ask you to use the month of January as a starting point to ask somebody, a co-worker, an old friend, a relative, a business associate, a golfing buddy, or a neighbor, to become a "new" member of our lodge. With that new member will come new ideas, new enthusiasm, and a new perspective on how to make the

Elks an even better fraternal organization than it is. Let's just do it. On behalf of Linda and myself, we wish all of you a happy and fulfilling "New Year"



Rod Battaglia
Exalted Ruler

A MESSAGE FROM ESTEEMED LEADING KNIGHT — Debra Mello

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a fun and safe holiday. A new year is upon us and we already have many functions planned, some old and some new. The success of these functions and the lodge depend upon your participation so if you have any new ideas or suggestions for improving old functions, we as officers would like to hear from you.

At one time we had 1000+ members and volunteers were in abundance. At this time our membership is under 500 and we have to seek out volunteers. Historically 10% of the membership in most clubs has done all the work. Here in Woodland, we are very lucky that when we need help our members step up and we get the job done. In the year ahead let's aim to improve our membership by increasing the interest in our functions. Volunteers make these functions successful but we need to start the planning sooner. If you would like to volunteer for a function, contact your lodge officers today. Right now we are in need of cooking crews, bingo help, committee chairmen and bartenders.

As with most organizations, you get out of it only what you put into it. Not only do we have fun but the experience in and of itself is very rewarding. I look forward to hearing your suggestions and I am excited to continue working with you on all our charitable work this coming year.

Cheers!

AN EMBLEM THANK YOU

On Tuesday, December 10, the Emblem Club #416 was hosted by the Elks Lodge for our annual Christmas dinner. The presentation was spectacular—white tablecloths on round tables with centerpieces of green with pinecones, place setting with red napkins and a candy in white cups. We were served pork roast with gravy, bright and fresh vegetables, potatoes and fresh baked bread followed by a delightful cheesecake.

Many thanks to the cooking crew and others who made this dinner very special: Karen Wells, Don Hall, Brian Flemmer and Linda Battaglia.

Nell Crook, President
Emblem Club #516

NEW MEMBERS



Aaron Kameyer



Jim Hillard



Sean Denny



David Althausen

Be sure to welcome these new members when you see them at the lodge.

2014 Elks 1299 PER Crab Feed
Saturday, March 1, 2014
Cocktails 6:00pm Dinner 7:30pm
Salad and rolls
Anti-pasta plates
Pasta
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**FRIDAY NIGHT DINNERS
FOR JANUARY**

January 3 Streak Sandwiches

January 10 Hamburgers

January 17 Spaghetti

January 24 Dinner

January 31 Fish & Chips

**FRIDAY NIGHT DINNERS
FOR FEBRUARY**

February 7 Streak Sandwich

February 14 Valentine's Dinner

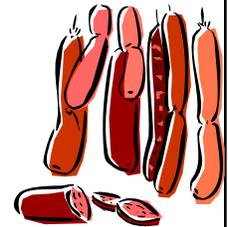
February 21 Linguica Sandwich

February 28 Fish and Chips

UPCOMING STUFF

Some reminders of some upcoming "classic" Elks events. Mark your calendar on these dates. More information will be forthcoming.

FEBRUARY 19TH, The Bro's will be stuffing sausage for the Annual Elks Sausage Feed . This event got lost in the shuffle last year but is back at the lodge where it belongs. Please plan to support this 1299 tradition.



March 1st, The PER'S will be serving up the pasta, crab and prawns at the Elks 1299 Annual Crab and Prawn feed. Tickets will go on sale in the middle of January and sell quickly. This is a good event to bring a possible new member too since it is a little different than most crab feeds. A fun night indeed. .

March 12th, PER Jeff McGuire will be cooking up the corned beef for the Annual Elks 1299 Old Timers Corned Beef and Cabbage .This event will be free to those receiving pins and will also be open to guests and ladies.



THE LOVE TRAIN

Jan 13th deadline to reserve.

Get on board "The Love Train" leaving from Sac(or Davis) to Reno on Friday Feb 14th, Valentines Day, and returning on Sunday Feb 16th. The price is \$389.00 per person and includes

- Silver Service on the train (as a group)
- Lunch in both directions on the train
- 2 nights at the El dorado Hotel/ Casino
- Group seating at "Ring of Fire" show in the

showroom.

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The train will be decorated in Valentine Theme and have an Elvis impersonator and an ordained minister performing vow renewals. We have total access to the Piano Car, Cigar Car, and Dance Cars. We can BYOB and our own food if we want. The price will be the same no matter how many go. It is a 3 day holiday weekend. Must be 21 to ride" The Love Train." Insurance can be purchased for \$10.00 and allows for cancellation for any reason up to 48 hrs in advance. Time is of the essence and \$20.00 will reserve your seat! The deadline to reserve your spot is Jan 13th. Guys, its a great way to get rid of the "what do I do for Valentines blues". Call me, I will be taking names and money. Lets get on board "The Love Train"

PS. I believe there will be a wedding . Two of our own will be tying the knot. Can't say anymore than that!!!



TACO TUESDAY

TACO TUESDAY is back on Tuesday, January 28, from 5:30pm-7pm. Bring a friend and or possible new member. We will continue this event as long as it is supported. Once your support is gone ,so are we!



TEXAS HOLD'EM, THE NEXT POKER TOURNAMENT



The next poker tournament will be on Saturday, January 11, from 12noon until 4pm. The buy-in will be \$10.00 with the chance for an optional buy-in with-in the first hour of play. Lunch will be served , hot dogs and chips for \$3.00. This is a great way to spend a few hours on a Saturday afternoon. The bar will also be open. There is a sign-up list in the office. You must RSVP to get a seat at the table. Let's play some cards!!! All proceeds will go to Major Project.

SUNDAY BRUNCH



Sunday Brunch is back on Sunday, January 12, 9am—11am. Bring a friend and or possible new member. We will continue this event as long as it is supported. Once your support is gone, so are we!

ARE YOU RICH???

There are things that need to be done around the Lodge that we ask for volunteers to do. If nobody wants to help, the work still needs to get done which means the Lodge pays to have it done. You are the Lodge. It is your money. We asked for volunteers to help decorate the Lodge. Two or three members showed up. We, or should I say you, had to pay to get the rest done. The same will go for when we put away the decorations on Jan 3rd. If nobody shows up, you pay! This has been happening more and more not only with maintenance, but with cooking for catered events. You pay instead of volunteering, which takes a chunk off of the bottom line. I would sure like to see this trend changed. Our bottom line is suffering

Americanism

To all Elk Veterans:

I am creating a Patriotic wall with photos of Woodland Elk Members who have served in the armed forces. Send a photo (to the Elks office) with your name and a brief description of the years served and whether or not you served during a war. We are very proud of our men and women who have served our country with dignity and honor. If you have any questions, please contact me at 530-666-9253. This is an ongoing project, but as of today I've only received 2 photos. This article will be sent out in every monthly bulletin until I have a good representation of our Elk Veterans, so please step up and be recognized.

Thank you, Denise Tabor - Americanism Chairperson

HATS FOR SALE!!!!

With the holiday season coming up we want to remind you that the lodge still has some of the centennial hats for sale. These might make a good stocking stuffer. Call the office at 662-9138 to order or you can order through the west bar. Please make sure we have your name and phone number. Also give us what you want, name or initial wise, embroidered on the hat. If you have paid for a hat already, please pick it up. I would like to thank PER, Romeo Losoya for his work on the hat project.

ACTIVE 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)	1976-77
Al Soga (Phyllis)	1977-78
Herb Caudill	1981-82
Dale Ebbinghausen (Evelyn)	1985-86
Bob Doud	1986-87
Rod Battaglia (Linda)	1987-88
Carl Rocksvold (Danielle)	1989-90
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 (Fran)	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
Bruce Newman (Pam)	2008-09
Brian Flemmer (Debbie)	2009-10
Rod Battaglia (Linda)	2010-11
Garlyn Aday (Dorene)	2011-12
Steve Gravink (Debbie)	2012-13

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Memorial Service

On behalf of the officers and members of Woodland Elks 1299 I want to thank every one who attended the Memorial Services. Exalted Ruler Rod Battaglia and his corps of officers did an outstanding job performing the services. Carolyn Reiff provided the music, which adds so much to the services. Past Exalted Ruler Brian Flemmer and his crew of Steve Kynard and, who put together a tasty and filling dinner and The First Christian Church loaning us once again the candelabra's. Tiler Joyce Plaskett who handled the dinner tickets for our guests and our mix-ologist, Tom Pattison. Secretary Don Hall and staff for preparing and printing the program.

Many appreciative and thank you remarks were heard.

Once again, thanks to each of you.

Sincerely and fraternally

Tom Gravink PDD

January 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 <i>Happy New Year</i> Lodge Closed	2	3 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Steak Sandwiches Take down decorations	4 Ritual Clinic DO Jensen
5 Ritual Clinic	6 BIG  6:30pm	7 Emblem Mtg 4pm Scouts	8 Dinner 6:30pm Meeting 7:30pm	9	10 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Hamburgers	11 Texas Hold'em  Tournament 12noon-4pm DO Hall
12 Sunday Brunch 9am-11am	13  6:30pm	14	15 Dinner 6:30pm	16 Blood Drive 12noon-6pm	17 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Spaghetti	18 Breakfast 7:30am-9am DO D Mello
19	20  6:30pm	21 House Committee/Board of Directors Mtg. 6pm	22 Dinner 6:30pm Hurt—Navy Bean Soup Meeting 7:30pm	23	24 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Pork Dinner	25 DO Wells
26 DD Clinic	27  6:30pm	28 Taco Tuesday 5-7pm	29 Dinner 6:30pm ,	30	31 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Fish & Chips	

January 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 DO Riggins
2	3 BIG  6:30pm	4 Emblem Mtg 4pm	5 Dinner 6:30	6	7 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Steak Sand- wiches	8 DO J. Mello
9	10  6:30pm	11	12 Dinner 6:30pm Meeting 7:30pm	13	14 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Valentine's Day Dinner Love Train Departs	15 Breakfast 7:30-9am DO Tapia
16	17  6:30pm	18 House Com- mittee/ Board of Directors Mtg. 6pm 6pm	19 Annual Sau- sage Feed	20 PER Dinner 6:30pm	21 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7pm Linguisa Sandwiches	22 DO Jones
23 Sunday Brunch 9am -11am	24  6:30pm	25 Taco Tues- day 5:30pm 	26 Dinner 6:30 Fenner- Spaghetti & Meatballs Meeting 7:30 PER Initiation	27	28 Happy Hour 4-7pm Dinner 6-7 Fish & Chips	

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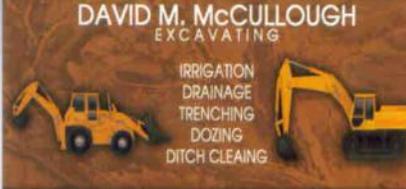
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Birth Date _____

Member # _____

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John Dyer

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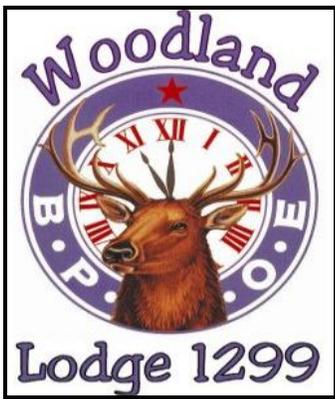
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JANUARY BIRTHDAYS



- 1 Delane Edward
Connie Zenger
- 2 Gerry Kappeler
- 3 Raymond Cusimano
Richard Dantzler
Jerry Haberman
- 4 Kenneth Kinser
- 6 Edward Marquez
- 7 Jack Losoya
- 8 Pete Echols
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- 9 Bob Doud
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- 12 Dennis Huitt
Doyle Pinkston
- 13 John Fabiani
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- 17 Ken Breckenridge
Amy Torrez
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- 19 Cecil Rooker
- 22 Joe Spencer
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- 24 Joe Borba
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- 28 Paul Cruz
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SANTA'S VISIT

Santa Claus (Miles Jensen) and his elf (Joanne Jensen) met with all the good little boys and girls at the annual Elks' Family Christmas Dinner on December 15.

