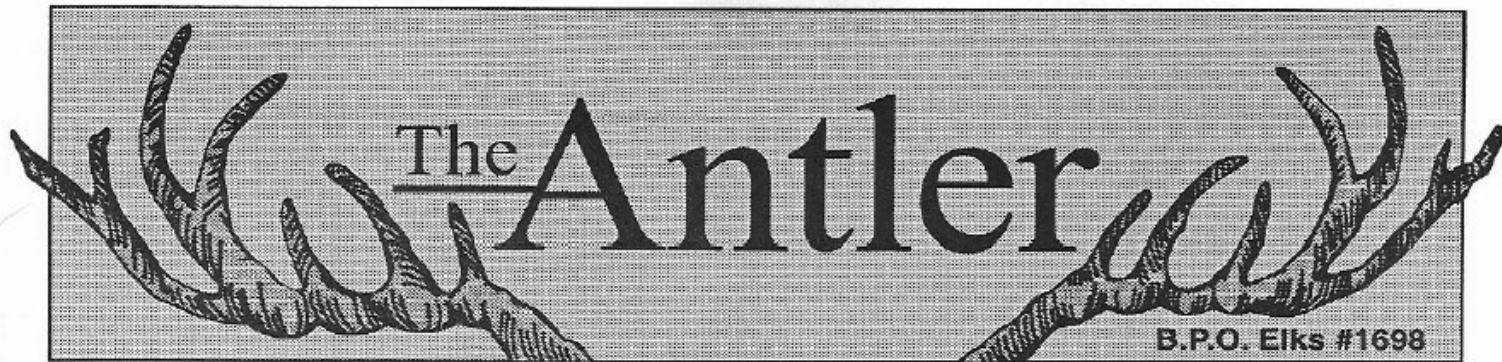




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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE



Dear Members/Friends,

I hope everyone is looking forward to the spring weather as much as I am. I am sure we all have had enough of winter. There are quite a few events coming up for our lodge. Cinco de Mayo/Kentucky Derby Party, Mother's Day service and brunch and of course The State Convention down in Wildwood... More detailed information will be inside the antler.

For those of you that attended the 2018/2019 Installation of Officers it was a huge success. I would like to give a big Thank You to Barbara Lloyd, Charlie Willever (Phyllis' husband), Karen Navarro, Brian Coyle, Johnny Toole and everyone who helped set up and take down the hall in between installation and dinner and all under an hour's time. Thank you! Great Job!

Since then, we have started cleaning and remodeling the lodge. As everyone can see, the cleanliness of the grill room and throughout the lodge. We have also done a lot of work in the kitchen and the pantry. Upstairs we have done much work in the men's room and some work in the ladies' room as well. Going to the other side, we have a new bar sink installed, side bar taken out and old tile floor ripped out and replaced. As you all know when you start a major job one thing leads to another... and so it did! You will also note that all the walls in the bar area upstairs were freshly painted. AND, to top it all off we also have all new bar stools/chairs to go along with the new floor. It is like getting a new dress then you need to get new shoes to go with it...lol. So as you can see, there has been quite a bit of work done in less than thirty days. I encourage you all to check out all the work that has been done to "YOUR" lodge.

Moving right along, outside has started to get cleaned up. As you may have noticed, all the cigarette butts have been picked up and all around the curb by the entrance has been swept and cleaned. Also both staircases to enter the grill room were both cleaned and swept as well.

We still have a whole bunch of things that need to be done. Please feel free to come down and enjoy cleaning the outside of your lodge! Summer's coming!! I think?! lol. Thank you all for coming to the lodge, whether it is having a beverage at the bar or to play a game of pool or to slide the shuffle pucks back and forth or to grab a bite to eat. No matter the reason, I thank you all for spending time at "YOUR" lodge.

I am looking for a big May!! Check out inside the Antler for the "ENF Potluck Dinner". Last year we had six members come and enjoy the night. I would love to have an even bigger turnout from our lodge. Also coming up is the MASH Picnic and Last Man Standing, check out inside for more information. Summer will be here shortly, and along with summer comes outdoor fundraisers. Let's all get together and have a big turnout from our lodge and let's have some fun!!!

To end this write up, I would like to give a shout out to some of our veterans...JOE ABRADI, JOHN KAUFMAN and of course, THE "GODFATHER" GUS ADAMO.

Fraternally Yours,

William "Wild Bill" Matthews



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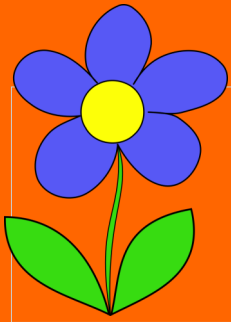
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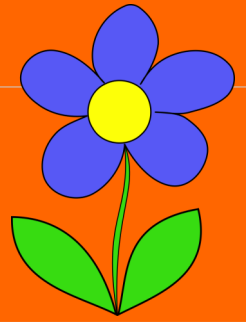
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May 2018



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Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

		1 <i>Lodge Mtg</i> 8pm	2	3	4	5  <i>Cinco de Mayo</i> 2-6pm <i>Kentucky Derby</i>
6  Bowling 4pm	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 <i>Mother's Day</i> 	14	15 <i>House</i> 7pm <i>Lodge Mtg</i> 8pm	16	17	18	19
20  Bowling 4pm	21	22	23	24	25	26 <i>Memorial Day</i> <i>Parade Point Beach</i>
27  Bowling 4pm	28 <i>Memorial Day</i> 	29	30	31	 shutterstock · 192969932	

MAY ELK OF THE MONTH

KAREN LAUDISI

There is so much to say about this dedicated lady. As everyone knows, Karen is at the lodge just about everyday. Some of you may not see her because she is here before the lodge is even open! Karen has been a Godsend for me, Barbara and the Elks! She has been here to help clean, help set-up for meetings, set-up and cook for Friday Night Dinners and whatever else needs to be done. Not only has she helped in the kitchen for Friday Night Dinners, she has also run the kitchen on both Friday nights and Saturday afternoons. Keep in mind that a lot of the food that came out of our kitchen was Karen's own homemade food and by far some of the most delicious food that has come out of this kitchen!!! Karen has done and continues to do anything for the good of the lodge! All it takes is a phone call... And she will be here!!! On behalf of myself, the Exalted Ruler; Barbara Lloyd, the House Committee Chairperson; and all the lodge members, we thank you for ALL you have done and continue to do!!!

"CONGRATULATIONS KAREN"

SAVE THE DATE:

CINCO DE MAYO—MAY 5TH 2-6PM

MOTHER'S DAY CEREMONY— MAY 13TH 10AM

MAY 26TH— VETERAN'S PARADE POINT BEACH

JUNE 10TH— FLAG DAY 11AM

JUNE 2ND & 3RD- ELKS CONVENTION, WILDWOOD

SATURDAY, JULY 21ST— FLUKE TOURNAMENT

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25TH— SNC PICNIC





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Paschal Drew			

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Registration Form



Elks Annual
Convention June 1-3,
2013
Gold Crest Motel
Wildwood, New Jersey



Single: \$320.00
2 Adults: \$400.00
Additional Adults (21 & Over): \$ 90.00 (includes Friday and Saturday)
Additional Children (under 21): \$ 40.00 (includes Friday and Saturday)

A **50% deposit** must be received no later than **March 1, 2013** to guarantee your room. *Final balance* must be received no later than May 1, 2013. Any cancellations received after the deposit has been received or after final payment has been made will be subject to a cancellation fee of \$100.00.

NO CASH Please. For your convenience, you can pay by check or credit card. Please return the bottom portion with your preferred method of payment.

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of Adults/Room: _____ # of Children/Room: _____

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You can also register and pay for the convention on-line at
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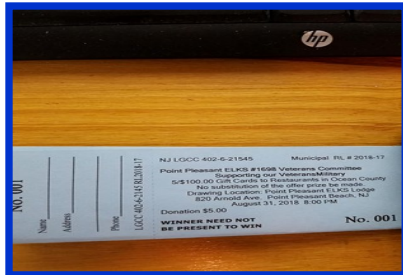
VETERAN'S NEWS

BY: NANCY DEVITO



It's May and things are moving along with planning events for our Veterans/military. Our raffle licenses are in so keep your eyes open for our super 50/50 raffles tickets in the mail. I would like to thank Pable and Evertz funeral home for their generosity donating the tickets for our biggest fund raiser of the year. The winning ticket will be drawn at the Fluke Tournament on July 28. Please help us in supporting our Veterans/military. Please, we need your help in making this raffle a success.

We also are running the restaurant raffle again which will be drawn on Aug. 31. For a donation of \$5.00 you can win 5-\$100.00 gifts cards to restaurants in Ocean /Monmouth county. You have to be in it to WIN IT !



Our committee donated \$500.00 to the NJ Veterans home in Vineland. The funds will allow the Veterans to enjoy the day trips that they plan.

Our committee and donations in memory of Maryanne O'Rourke sponsored a luncheon for the spouses of our deployed soldiers. This luncheon is to recognize spouses, significant others, family members, and many retired veterans who have selflessly given of their time to support and care for other military members and their families during times of deployment and separation.

Some of our Veterans Committee attended a very nice appreciation luncheon at Willow Springs



24TH ANNUAL FLUKE TOURNAMENT
SATURDAY, JULY 21ST



MOTHER'S DAY CEREMONY

MAY 13TH 10AM

**** Buffet to follow Mothers are free all others \$5.00**

ANNUAL SPECIALS NEEDS PICNIC FOR OUR CHILDREN
FROM CAMP MOORE



WEDNESDAY JULY 25TH

CINCO DE MAYO

2-6PM

\$1 TACO'S (CHICKEN OR BEEF)

FOOD DONATED BY BUBBAKOOS

**KENTUCKY DERBY PARTY TO FOLLOW



POINT PLEASANT BEACH MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

GRAND MARSHALLS FOR THIS YEAR'S PARADE WILL BE OUR VERY OWN VETERAN'S JOHN KAUFMAN, JOE ABRADI AND GUS ADAMO

CLOWNS VS. OUR MILITARY

July 8th

Point Pleasant & Lacey Elks Lodges & New Jersey Comics Fundraiser to

Support Military Families

Lakewood Blue Claws Stadium

Gates open 1:00pm

Game starts 1:30pm

Meet the Teams 3:30-4:00pm

Face Painting before the game

Admission \$10.00 children under 10 are free



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To Benefit Elks Camp Moore

Saturday, May 19, 2018

Lacey Elks Lodge 12-5pm

ADMISSION TICKETS:

Adults - \$25 per person

Children 10 and Under - \$10 pp

Includes food and select refreshments

Tickets will be available at the Door

Gift Auction and 50/50

For information contact:

Peggy Berry @ 732-539-0603

SCHOLARSHIP NEWS

Spring Scholarship Super 50/50



\$20 per chance– Max of 100 Tickets sold

Winner receives 50% of proceeds

Drawing Friday, May 25th, 2018

Winner does not need to be present to win

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS-

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William Joseph Hart II	Owner Bubbakoos	Jerry Rotunno
Kristen Joy Hart	Homemaker	Jerry Rotunno
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DISTRICT ELK OF THE YEAR DINNER



Congratulations Karen Towney

AROUND ELKDOM

MAY 7TH -SED MEETING

LAKEWOOD ELKS 7PM

CHAIRPEOPLE WHO NEED TO ATTEND ENF, VETERANS, SPECIAL NEEDS,
MEMBERSHIP, AMERICANISM AND GOVERNMENT RELATIONS.

IF YOU CANNOT MAKE THE SED MEETING, PLEASE ASK SOMEONE TO COVER THE POSITION.

THANK YOU

MAY 12TH— M*A*S*H PICNIC

BRICK LODGE 12-4 PM \$15 PER PERSON VETERANS FREE

LET'S HAVE A HUGE TURNOUT FOR THIS ONE!!

MAY 14TH - VP CLINIC

LACEY ELKS 7PM

MAY 18TH - ENF "POTLUCK" DINNER LAKEWOOD ELKS 6PM

EVERYONE PLEASE TRY TO MAKE THIS EVENT, LAST YEAR WE ONLY HAD 6 MEMBERS ATTEND

I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A BIGGER TURN OUT THIS YEAR. SEE BARB OR WILDBILL FOR TICKETS

MAY 19TH - LAST MAN STANDING LACEY ELKS 2-6 PM

MAY 20TH - JACKSON ELKS MC POKER RUN AND PICNIC. 1PM - ? \$20 INCLUDES FOOD AND BEVERAGE