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10th
Elks
Lodge
DEMING 2799

A Big Anniversary Party is planned for February 10th. Prime Rib and Live music from Abel Delgado. Cost is \$15. Tickets at the bar soon. Deadline for tickets is February 1st.

Meal Takeouts available

Call ahead: 546-2799

Elks BINGO

Monday Nights at the DAV Hall

Now with bigger payouts, a winner-take-all game and a possible \$400 progressive call game. Open to the public. Must be 18.

Doors Open at 6 pm Early Bird Bingo at 6:30 Regular Bingo at 7:00

Every regular game guaranteed \$75. Now with new games. Door Prize on 29th.

P.E.R.'S STEAK DINNER is back!

Rib Eye Steaks with potato, vegetable, salad & dessert.
Friday January 26, 6-8 pm. Donation \$10 for PER Projects

Karaoke follows at 8 pm

Chicken Breast Dinner

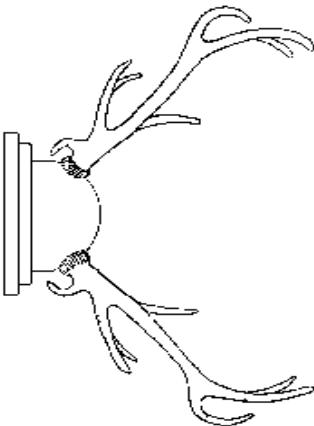
Chicken Breast smothered in red and green peppers cooked in a wine sauce. Donation is \$8. Serving from 6-8 pm, Jan. 20th. Hosted by Dave Johnson PER. Proceeds to the Building Fund. Takeouts available. Karaoke follows



Building Committee Meeting

Thursday, January 11th at 6:30 pm. Important information on our New Lodge. All welcome!

Return Service Requested



Elks Care—Elks Share

**B.P.O. Elks #2799
Officers & Committee Heads**

Elected Lodge Officers

EXALTED RULER - Joe Grove PER
LEADING KNIGHT - Roxy Dubiskas
LOYAL KNIGHT - Peggy Howe
LECTURING KNIGHT - Mike Hedrick
SECRETARY - John Gibson
TREASURER - Susan Burdette
TILER - Pat Johnson

Appointed Lodge Officers

ESQUIRE - Dave Johnson PER
INNER GUARD - Harold Hood
CHAPLAIN - Stanley Reid
ORGANIST- Barbara Schreiber

Board of Trustees

TRUSTEE 1 YR.- Harriet Kirich PER
TRUSTEE 2 YR.- H. L. Burdette
TRUSTEE 3 YR. - Frank Chiprich
TRUSTEE 4 YR. (Chairman)- Fred Kent PER
TRUSTEE 5 YR.- Ollie Cooper

Committee Chairmen

AMERICANISM - Fred Kent PER
CEREBRAL PALSY - Harriet Kirich PER
C & B TRUST - JoAnn Olsen
NATIONAL FOUNDATION - Carl Olsen PER
VETERANS SERVICE - Bob Long
LODGE ACTIVITIES - Joe Grove PER
Meals: Peggy Howe
Pool Tournament: Ollie Cooper
Decorating: Sonia Baca & Charity Castanon
Entertainment: Dave Johnson PER
YOUTH ACTIVITIES - Anna Enciso
HOOP SHOOT - Kenny Stailey
SOCCER SHOOT - Manny Carlos
PER ASSOCIATION - Fred Kent PER
DRUG AWARENESS - Frank Milo
RITUAL - Harriet Kirich PER
EDITOR/CYBER-ASST - Dave Johnson PER
MEMBERSHIP - Peggy Howe
LAPSATION - Peggy Howe
ADV. & PUBLICITY - Bill Snell
BINGO MANAGER - Richard Kohn
CLUB MANAGER - Fred Kent PER
BUILDING COMMITTEE.- Roger Bladow

**Lodge Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursdays
at 7:30 pm (except July & Aug.)**



**From the
Exalted Ruler**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Can you believe 2007 already! I hope all of you had a great Holiday Season.

If you haven't had an opportunity to participate in some of your Lodge activities, 2007 is a good time to start. Your Lodge needs your help! So come on down, have your favorite beverage, or partake in one of our delicious meals. It's your Lodge and It's so much fun.

Nomination of Officers for Elks Year 2007-2008 is only three meetings away. If you are interested in becoming an officer or know someone who would be interested, contact any Lodge officer and let it be known.

The D. D. Clinic will be held January 13th at the T or C Lodge for those wishing to attend.

Happy New Year to everyone and may God Bless you and Keep you Safe.

Building Report

From Dave Johnson PER

The Lodge has received some good news in the past few days.

The offer to buy an existing building near Steer Safe in the Industrial Area, currently leased to the Deming Dust Devils, for \$172,000 has been accepted.

We are also told the current owners are willing to finance the purchase.

The 8500 square foot building has great potential, but will need extensive remodeling.

Details on interest rates and financing should be available before the Building Committee meeting on January 11th at 6:30 pm. Some members are urging the Lodge to hold off until the building fund can be beefed up beyond the \$60,000 currently available.

Mike Rudloff has agreed to draw up a floor plan for interior remodeling.

If approved by members, then the Lodge will begin the process of getting a building permit from Grand Lodge.

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Anniversary

The Lodge will celebrate its tenth anniversary in February, and a big celebration is planned for February 10th.

Harold Richmond from Palma's will prepare a prime rib dinner, and Abel Delgado will provide live music. Cost will be \$15 a ticket, and they will be available at the bar. We must have a count by February 1st.

DAV Hall will be used for the dance.



Winners in the Annual Hoop Shoot Dec. 8th:
Back Row: Ashley Bunting 12-13; Angel Ortiz 12-13; Veronica Arias 10-11. Front Row: Jerome Sandoval 10-11; Jose Tafoya 8-9; Alejandra Rios 8-9. Winners advance to District Competition in Alamogordo. Congratulations to Hoop Shoot Chairman Javier Gallosa on a successful event with nearly 60 participants.

Bingo Changes

From Dave Johnson PER- Asst. Manager

Several new games will be introduced on January 8th.

We will begin playing the Field Goal and crazy "C", replacing the bar bell and checkmark. The payout on the Flag will go to \$100. Also, we will begin a new "You Pick 'Em" game where players can choose their own numbers. We also plan a 50/50 cash raffle, and we will continue the monthly door prizes on the final Monday of the month. This Month Bingo, Etc..

Remember Elks Bingo is open to the public. Come on down Monday night.



Karaoke was held after the Adult Christmas Party on December 9th. Pictured are Fred & Marlene Kent and Sue and Ollie Cooper. Bobby Barker prepared a delicious brisket dinner prior to the party.



Notes from the Secretary

From John Gibson - Secretary

All of us in the office hope you had a Happy Holiday Season, and as we are looking forward to a healthy and prosperous New Year, both personally and for the Lodge.

We are sad to announce the death of one of our members, George Bunch, who departed this life to eternal life on December 7, 2006, which may have been a fitting day for George to leave us and join his departed military friends who gave their all for this country. George was preceded in death in January 2006, by his wife, Lorainne, who was also a member of this Lodge. As well we also lost two members, Phyllis Wheeler and Kenneth Shull, via transfer dimits to the T or C Lodge.

On a happier note, we are pleased to announce the addition of nine (9) new members by initiation during the month of December. Please welcome to our Lodge, Valena White, Calvin Metts, Ernest Arrey, Richard Kesler, David Holguin, Kevin Gors, Richard Gallosa, Daniel Galvan, and Robert Diharce. Remember, when you meet these new members please give an Elks hello. The current membership of the Lodge stands at 189 members which is an increase of 21 members over the beginning of the Lodge year. However, we had had seven deaths thus far this year, and we have this year 25 members who are delinquent in dues for the current year. Listed below are those delinquent

members are we encourage any of you who know them to contact them and urge them to become current.

THEY ARE: Robert Kirich, Margaret Mitchell, Fred Kroemer, Kenneth Lawrence, Jimmy Enriquez, Margaret Hollenbeck, Richard Hamilton, Sandra Hawley, Than Holly, James Metz Jr., John Franks, James Metz, Sr., Perry Hogan, Mary Lou Carlos, Eddie Alvarez, Manny Carlos, Rod Regan, Kitty Vaughn, Brian Forde, Janie Nichols, Andrew Gally, Micki Shillito, Aurel (Ed) Brewer, James O'Leary and Clint Hogan.

During December we had the first reading of application for membership of the following: Monte Feldick, sponsored by Fred Kent; Anthonly Myers, sponsored by Benny Davis; and John Wycoff, Jr., sponsored by Javier Gallosa. These applications are in the hands of the Investigating Committee and will be voted upon in January. As well in January we will have the first reading of two new applications.

REMEMBER ELKS CARE-ELKS SHARE

Pool Tournament



The monthly pool tournament was held on December 9th.

First Place went to Roger Bladow; Second Place to Ollie Cooper; and Third Place to Ed Mills.

The next pool tournament, open to members and guests, will be on January 13th at 2 pm. No photo of the winners was available at press time.

Students of the Month



Deming Elks are presenting certificates and \$5 for the School Store to outstanding students each month. Pictured with Youth Chairman Anna Enciso (in random order) are first semester winners: Alyod Villegas, Meghan Johnson, Fatima Gavaldon, Emra Perry, Lauren Dodson, Adrian Granillo, Sergio Sandoval, and Rocio Bejarano. All students are in the 8th and 9th grades. A banquet for all winners is planned near the end of school.

Hot Dogs, Sausage, Hamburgers and Pizza served daily!



Lodge Lounge Hours

Mon.-Fri. 11:30 am-7 pm; Sat. 1 pm-close

Free Broadband & WiFi Internet Access for members

Customer Appreciation Mon.-Sat. 4 pm-close

Domestic Beer \$1.50, Premium Beer, Wine & Well Drinks \$1.75

**** Free Finger Food Friday by Erik at noon ****

More than Finger Food.. It's a Meal!

**27 inch TV
Pool Table**

B.P.O. Elks #2799 Calendar of Events-- January, 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 NO Elks Bingo	2	3	4 Trustees Meeting Lodge Meeting	5	6
7	8 Elks Bingo	9 Indoctrination	10	11 Building Committee Meeting	12	13 Pool Tournament D.D. Clinic Baby Shower & Pamper Party
14	15 Elks Bingo	16 Ritual Practice	17	18 Governing Board Meeting PER Assn. Meeting Lodge Meeting	19	20 Chicken Breast Dinner Karaoke Night
21	22 Elks Bingo	23	24	25	26 PER Steak Dinner Karaoke Night	27
28	29 Elks Bingo	30	31	Happy New Year!		Free Birthday Drink At the Lounge

01/01/07 NO Elks Bingo
Bingo Cancelled for New Year's Day!

01/04/07 Trustees Meeting 6:30 pm
01/04-18/07 Lodge Meeting 7:30 pm
Initiation on 18th.

01/08-15-22-29/07 Elks Bingo
Elks Bingo at the DAV Hall. Doors open at 6 pm.. Early Bird at 6:30.. and Regular Bingo at 7 pm. Food is served. Now with new games. Smokers are welcome. Door Prize from Bingo, Etc. on 29th.

01/09/07 Indoctrination 6:30 pm

01/11/07 Building Committee Meeting 6:30 pm

01/13/07 Monthly Pool Tournament
Double Elimination 8 Ball Tournament. Entry fee is \$5. No advance sign up needed. Tournament begins at 2 pm. Membes and guests. Contact Ollie Cooper at 544-3407. Finger foods will be available.

01/13/07 District Deputy Clinic
1 pm in T or C (note the late start due to Ritual in the morning). The ER, Leading Knight, Secretary and Chairman of the Trustees are required to attend. Other officers and members are welcome.

01/13/07 Baby Shower & Pamper Party 3 pm
For Antoinette & Ernie Arrey. Finger Foods served.

01/16/07 Ritual Practice 6:30 pm

01/18/07 Governing Board Meeting 6:30 pm

01/20/07 Chicken Breast Dinner
Chicken Breast smothered in red and green peppers cooked in a wine sauce, with baked potato, vegetable, salad and dessert. Donation is \$8. Serving from 6-8 pm. Hosted by Dave Johnson PER. Proceeds to the Building Fund.

01/20-26/07 Karaoke Night
Karaoke from 8 pm till closing.

01/26/07 PER Steak Dinner
PER Association will host a rib eye steak dinner, with potato, vegetable, roll and salad from 6-8 pm. Donation is \$10. Proceeds for PER projects.



1/2 Eleanor Consolazio
1/2 Emmitt Curry
1/3 Perry Hogan
1/3 Ernest Arrey
1/4 Robert Barker

1/6 Joe Grove PER
1/8 Dave Johnson PER
1/9 Valena White
1/14 Robert S. Kirich
1/15 Nedra A. Fields

1/15 James P. O'Leary
1/16 Larry W. Johnson
1/17 Gabe Dominguez
1/23 Kenneth G. Lawrence
1/26 Roxy Dubiskas

In Memoriam: Member George Bunch passed away in early December. His wife, Lorraine, who was also a member, passed away in January.

Sickness & Distress: Dave Cummings PER was taken to the hospital on December 21st.. He has since returned home. And Pat Watson is having back problems. Sickness & Distress is always in order. Contact Leading Knight Roxy Dubiskas, or the Lodge Secretary.

Visiting Elks: The following members made a recent visit to Deming. 12/4 Robert J. Black, #76 Delaware, OH; 12/5 Farrel Huff, #1747 Farmington; 12/6 J. L. Warren, #1172 Tucumcari; 12/7 John Cole, #2559 Sun City, AZ; 12/11 Tom Luce, #413 Silver City; 12/11 Ron & Lee Teel, #1976 Fairfield, CA; 12/13 Jim Burns, #265 Waterbury, CT; 12/14 Caryl Charriero, #1073 Redding, CA; 12/15 Dick Mitchell, #1952 Garden Grove, CA; 12/15 Bill Layman, #1611 Cody, WY; 12/15 Janet Rowe, #563 Pocatello, ID; 12/18 Gary Embrey, #973 Athens, OH; 12/21 D. F. (Cass) Castro, #32190 Canoga Park, CA; 12/22 Daniel Carpenter, #2797 Thousand Oaks, CA; 12/27 Jerry Browne, #2399 Lake Havasu City, AZ; 12/27 Ronald Tabuls, #496 Watertown, NY; 12/28 Art Hoelscher, #662 Warrenton, MO; 12/28 Corine Williams, #662 Warrenton, MO; 12/29 Ron Hughes, #103 Sharon, PA; 12/29 Barney Rodriguez, #14765 Orange, CA; 12/29 Jan-Marie Lanlofor, #1475 Orange, CA



Club Report

From Fred Kent PER—Bar Manager

Here it is the end of a year. The time has been really flying around the club. Business has been falling off, as usual for this time of year, when many are traveling to visit for the holidays. I hope everyone had a very Merry Christmas and I wish you a very prosperous New Year.

By the time this is published the New Year's party will be history. There is quite a group signed up for the festivities and I hope that in the next newsletter I can give a glowing report about what happened. This is a new experience of having the party in the afternoon.

The bar is going classy with some new drinks added. Come on in and try us out. I won't say what they are as Bill Snell is coming up with something new every time he turns around. Hopefully we can get up some great meals on the weekends. If you have some specialty that you are really proud of let us know and we can schedule a tryout for you. As usual Erik is supplying some tasty Friday Noon lunches and so far we haven't run out of food. Come on in and enjoy. Again, if you have a liquor or beer that you really like let me know and I will try

to get it for you. This is your club so drop in if for nothing more than a visit. See you in 2007.



The Annual Kids Christmas Party was held on Friday, December 8th. Santa delivered gifts to about 28 kids and grandkids of members. The kids were also treated to snacks and food. Thanks to organizer Pat Johnson and Bob & Connie Long.

Pool Tournament
Saturday, January 13th

Double Elimination 8 Ball Tournament
Entry fee is \$5.



Karaoke
Jan. 20 & 26 from 8 till closing