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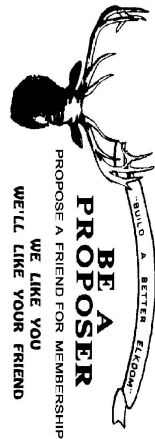
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No More Turkey

after Thanksgiving
**Lasagna
 Dinner**

Nov. 27th, 4-7 pm.
Donation \$6

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 Curt & Deana Russell

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Karaoke

Nov. 20
**8 pm till
 closing**

Pool Tournament,
 November 13th at 1 pm
 (free finger food)

Ladies Only, Novem-
 ber 20th, 10 am till noon

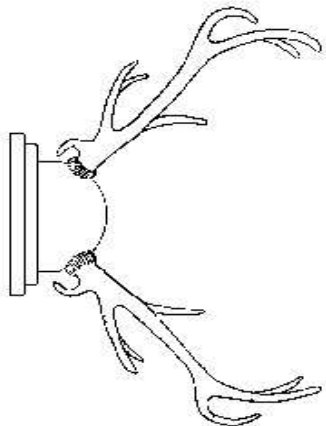
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3	18	44	58	61
7	26	33	47	73
15	29	FREE	60	68
8	16	32	51	72
12	22	40	55	75

Monday nights - DAV Hall

AT THE
Elks

Doors Open
 at 5:30 pm
 Early Bird
 Bingo at 6
 Regular
 Bingo at 7
 (Turkeys on
 22nd.)

Open to the Public. Must be 18.



Address Correction Requested

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

Elected Lodge Officers

EXALTED RULER- Fred Kent
LEADING KNIGHT - Ted Lautner PER
LOYAL KNIGHT- Dave Johnson
LECTURING KNIGHT- Roxy Dubiskas
SECRETARY- Mike Hedrick
TREASURER- Susan Burdette
TILER- James Metz, Sr.

Appointed Lodge Officers

ESQUIRE- Chris Rossman PER
INNER GUARD - Anna Enciso
CHAPLIN- Stanley Reid
ORGANIST- Barbara Schreiber

Board of Trustees

TRUSTEE 1 YR.- Arlo Mead
TRUSTEE 2 YR.- Ollie Cooper
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TRUSTEE 4 YR.- Vern Schreiber
CHAIRMAN TRUSTEE 5 YR.- Frank Chiprich

Committee Chairmen

AMERICANISM - Fred Kent ER
CEREBRAL PALSY - Harriet Kirich PER
C & B TRUST - JoAnn Olsen
NATIONAL FOUNDATION - Carl Olsen PER
VETERANS SERVICE - Headlee Burdette
LODGE ACTIVITIES - vacant
YOUTH ACTIVITIES - Chris Rossman PER
HOOP SHOOT - James Metz, Sr.
SOCCER SHOOT - Carl Olsen PER
PER ASSOCIATION - Ted Lautner PER
DRUG AWARENESS - Harriet Kirich PER
RITUAL- Dave Cummings PER
EDITOR/CYBER-ASSISTANT- Dave Johnson
MEMBERSHIP - Barbara Schreiber
LAPSATION - Vern Schreiber
ADVERTISING - May Lou Carlos
BINGO MANAGER - Richard Hughes

Lodge Meetings

1st & 3rd Thursdays

7:30 pm

Instituted February 1, 1997

Secretary's Corner

From Mike Hedrick- Secretary

Welcome to our new member. Eddie Alvarez was initiated at the meeting on October 21st.

I also have the sad news to report that we lost a member during the past month. Richard Schoppe Sr. passed away on October 3rd. Schoppe was eulogized at the meeting on October 7th. He will be missed. A sympathy card was signed by most members and sent to the family.

What that means is our membership count remains unchanged at 138, up from the official count of 121 at the beginning of the Lodge year.

Two candidates that have already been balloted on are awaiting initiation. They are Leroy Schimming proposed by Fran Chase and Frank Milo, proposed by Vern Schreiber. A special meeting will be called on November 20th for the initiation of Frank Milo since he cannot make our regular Thursday meetings. Schimming will be recontacted, and we hope to bring him in during November.

Balloting will take place on November 4th for three candidates: Patricia Johnson proposed by Vern Schreiber, Israel Renteria proposed by Mary Lou Carlos, and a reinstatement for Margaret Maxwell.

We are now down to four members who have still not paid their dues. They are Henry Tilley Jr., Duane Baldwin, Roger Baughman and Hank E. Nelson. Remember you can not participate in Lodge activities here or at any other Elks Lodge until you are current. We are now over half way through the Lodge year, so don't put it off any longer. Please pay today.



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Soccer Shoot

From Carl Olsen PER, chairman

The State Soccer Shoot was held in Roswell October 9th and 10th. The results are as follows:

Female, U - 8 (7 & Under): 1st Amber Ramirez - Grants; 2nd Jesse Jennings - Roswell; 3rd Jazzlyn Urenda - Deming.

Male, U - 8 (7 & Under): 1st Blake Maxey - Roswell; 2nd Andre Soberanez - Grants.

Female, U - 10 (8 - 9): 1st Kristian Rodriguez - Roswell.

Male, U-10 (8-9): 1st Aaron Munoz - Roswell; 2nd Cooper Sims-West - Grants; 3rd Forest Bolen - T or C.

Female, U - 12 (10 - 11): 1st Mariah Martinez - Roswell; 2nd Ashley Montoya - Grants.

Male, U-12 (10-11): 1st Jake Maxey - Roswell; 2nd Anthony Urenda - Deming; 3rd LaTrelle Martinez - Grants.

Female, U - 14 (12 - 13): 1st Brianna Jaramillo - Roswell ; 2nd Bianca Soberanez - Grants .

Male, U-14 (12-13): 1st Andy Eaton - Grants; 2nd Jarred Martin - Roswell; 3rd July Grijalva - T or C.

The weather was great and ALL the kids had a GOOD time. Wished we could have filled all the slots!!

Editors Note: It was announced at a recent meeting that the State Soccer Shoot will continue for at least one more year. Rumors were that it might be discontinued due to a decline in participation.

Jail Time

At least two members of the Deming Elks Lodge are going to jail.



Carl Olsen PER and Dave Johnson have been charged with being caring, good-natured and influential with friends and associates. The two will serve time for the Muscular Dystrophy Association Lock-Up on Tuesday, November 9th at the Grand Hotel. Bail is being raised now. If you can help, you can leave donations at the bar, or contact Carl at 544-3180 or Dave at 544-3483. Checks should be made payable to MDA. All donations are tax deductible.

Proceeds help the Muscular Dystrophy Association continue its services to children and adults with neuro-muscular disease.

Thank you

As many of you already know, Dick Salesses has stepped down as Chairman of the Membership Committee, Bingo Committee and Building Committee. Dick will be taking a one year sabbatical. On behalf of all the officers and members, thank you for all the time you devoted to the Elks. You will be missed. We look forward to your return.



Happy Thanksgiving
From Deming Elks 2799



From the Exalted Ruler

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Another month is gone. I wish to thank everyone that was present for the DDGER visit on October 21st. The impression that I got from the DDGER was that we are among the top Lodges as to operations. We got many compliments from both the DD and the Auditor. We are very fortunate to have as dedicated a Secretary as we have. Way to go Mike. I was very impressed with the dedication of our DDGER and the time he donates to the cause of Elkdom. The fact that we had 30 members present in Lodge was very surprising as I had told him to maybe expect around 18.

The Octoberfest was a success and everyone had a good time. This should be an annual function. Thanks go out to Harriett and Robert Kirich for the food and fun.

Two more members, Eddie Alvarez and Scott Seymore have been initiated and another one is pending. A special meeting will be called on Saturday, November 20th at 2 pm for the initiation of Frank Milo, as he is unable to make a Thursday meeting. This will be your official notice to make it legal. Turn out and welcome him as a new member.

The Bingo is doing well and as usual we can use volunteers to help. If there are enough volunteers the load won't be on just a few of us. We also can use more part time bartenders.

Yours in Elkdom
Fred Kent

Scholarships

From Frank Chiprich- Scholarship Chairman

"Most Valuable Student". Applications for the Elks National 2005 Most Valuable Student contest are now available. Applications have to be submitted to your local Elks Lodge by January 14th. Any Deming high school senior who is a citizen is eligible to apply. Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks.

"The Legacy Awards" WHO IS ELIGIBLE? Any child or grandchild of a living Elk who joined the Elks on or before April 1, 2002. Applicants must take the SAT or ACT by December 31st. The student must complete the application and return it postmarked no later than January 14th, along with up-to-date grades, test score results and two sealed letters of recommendation.

"Emergency Educational Fund Grants" This Grant program provides financial assistance to children of deceased or disabled Elks for their college education. New applications should be filed before December 31st. The applicant must demonstrate financial need and must be unmarried and under the age of 23 as of Dec. 31st. Most applications are available at DHS or at the Lodge.



DDGER Lyle Weeks, ER Fred Kent, and Auditor PDDGER John Holbrook during recent visit.



Karaoke Night



Sandwiches now being served daily!

** Lodge Lounge Hours **

Monday-Friday 11:30 am-7 pm; Saturday 1-7 pm

Broadband Internet Access - Video Game - Closed Sunday

Customer Appreciation Fridays 4-7 pm

Domestic Beer \$1.50, Well Drinks \$1.75

** Free Finger Food Friday at noon **

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Pool Table

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B.P.O. Elks #2799 Calendar of Events— Nov. 2004

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Elks Bingo	2	3	4 Lodge Meeting	5	6
7	8 Elks Bingo	9	10	11	12	13 Monthly Pool Tournament
14	15 Elks Bingo	16	17	18 Lodge Meeting	19	20 Karaoke Night Ladies Only Event Special Meeting- Initiation
21	22 Elks Bingo	23	24	25 Thanksgiving Day	26	27 NO more Turkey "Dinner"
28	29 Elks Bingo	30				

11/01-08-15-22-29/04 Elks Bingo
Elks Bingo at the DAV Hall on Diamond.
Doors open at 5:30, Early Bird Bingo at 6 pm,
and regular Bingo at 7 pm. Open to the Public.
Free Turkey on 11/22.

11/04-18/04 Lodge Meeting
Regular Lodge meeting at 7:30 pm at the
Lodge, 311 E. Maple. There will be initiation
on the 18th

11/13/04 Monthly Pool Tournament
Double Elimination 8 Ball Tournament. Entry
fee is \$5. No advance sign up needed. Tour-
nament begins at 1 pm. Members and guests
welcome. Contact Mike Rudloff 546-8848 (w)
546-4459 (h) . Finger foods will be available.

11/20/04 Karaoke Night
Karaoke Night from 8 pm till closing. Bring
your best singing voice and join us.

11/20/04 Ladies Only Event
This event with games and a brunch will begin
at 10a - 12N. Open to all female members and
female spouses of male members and their
female guests. For more information contact
Inner Guard Anna Enciso at 544-3527 after 6
pm.

11/20/04 Special Meeting- Initiation
A special meeting will be held at 2 pm for the
initiation of candidate Frank Milo.

11/27/04 NO more Turkey "Dinner"

Tired of Turkey? Join us for Lasagna. Serving
from 4-7 pm at the Lodge. Donation is \$6.
Members and guests are welcome. Hosted by
Curt and Deana Russell.

**Free
Birthday Drink
At the Lounge**
ID may be required!

11/9 Leonard M. Rawles
11/9 Owen W. Barker
11/14 Wallace F. Lien
11/14 Kenneth Stalley
11/16 Robert E. Noehren
11/16 Thomas E. Tucker
11/18 Stanley R. Reid
11/18 Margaret J. Hollenbeck



11/1 Joseph Leduc
11/1 Harriet L. Kirich PER
11/3 Larry W. Hawley
11/4 William E. Fields
11/4 Anna Enciso

11/18 Wayne M. Krack
11/21 Lester C. Scott PER
11/23 Grover X. McSherry
11/23 George C. Chase
11/23 Jane B. Franklin
11/26 Leonard Coffman
11/29 Joseph B. Marta

Building Project ..

The Building Committee is regrouping with new membership, and will make suggestions on changes to the initially drafted plans.

With the departure of Dick Salesses, the New Building Committee is headed up by Dave Cummings PER, with members Ed Mills, Mike Rudloff and Bobby Kirich. Cummings also said others have offered to help on the project, but won't be part of the committee itself.

The Committee will be looking over previous drawings for the building and land, and will come up with a new proposal more in line with our needs. The new plan will be considerably less elaborate. Cummings said if we put up a metal building, it is easy to add on to. With that in mind he is recommending a smaller initial building, which means a smaller initial investment.

Anyone with any suggestions is welcome to contact any of the committee members. Cumming said the group will hold their first meeting very soon.

The Lodge was given about 19 acres of land on Tapia Road east of town. While approved by the membership, one more bit of paperwork needs to be filed with Grand Lodge before the donation can officially be accepted. Plans call for a new Lodge building, RV Park and other related facilities to be placed on that land, but with only about \$1700 in the Building Fund we have a

Sickness & Distress: Richard Hughes was in the emergency room and is recuperating from a back injury, this just following ear surgery. Remember Sickness and Distress is Always in Order. Contact Leading Knight Ted Lauturner PER or the Lodge Secretary.

Stray Elks: The following Elks made a recent visit to Deming. 9/29 Don & Nita Derricott, #643 Riverside, CA; 9/29 Charles Sullivan, #2592 Green Valley, AZ; 9/29 Cres C. Baca, #2499 Belen; 9/29 Charles F. "Chuck" Williams, PGER State Sponsor; 10/5 Dayton Rinard, #2656 Buckhorn Mesa, AZ; 10/5 John A. Gibson, #140 Mt. Vernon, OH; 10/6 John Richten, #1508 Auburn, WA; 10/6 William Mayner, #1748 Seaside, OR; 10/8 D. M. Sepulveda, #187 El Paso; 10/9 A. J. Forrester, \$489 DeSoto, MO 10/9 Carl Boehning, #187 El Paso; 10/9 Ginny & Tim King, #2251 Tempe, AZ; 10/13 Linn Huskey, #1812 El Cajon, CA; 10/13 Barry Pemberton, #1812 El Cajon, CA; 10/13 F. L. Peachy, #1194 Kendallville, IN; 10/15 Gerry & Vicki Jacobs, #1673 Tooele, UT; 10/15 Jim & Patty Settles, #1777 Lakewood, CO; 10/15 Larry & Anne Nelson, #2560 Sierra Vista, AZ; 10/18 Don Wints, #1402 McAllen, TX; 10/21 Jerry Williams, #1886 Oceanlake Lincoln City, OR; 10/21 Lyle Weeks, #1897 Alamogordo; 10/21 John Holbrook, #1897 Alamogordo; 10/22 R. K. Bradberdt, #1813 Lordsburg; 10/23 Loren Sorheim, #1003 Virginia, MN

ways to go.

Cummings said one of the biggest challenges now is to come up with funding. Contributions, financial or even in-kind services, will more than happily be accepted.

Jewels

Thanks to the members of the Alamogordo Elks Lodge, new jewels have been ordered. All Members and Officers of Alamogordo Lodge #1897 decided to donated the remaining \$235. Our thanks goes out to all our brothers and sisters in Alamogordo. The new jewels should arrive any day.



November Bartender Schedule

Monday 11:30-4 pm— Sue Burdette
Monday 4-7 pm— Carl Olsen
Tuesday 11:30-4 pm— Steve Eberhart
Tuesday 4-7 pm— Roxy Dubiskas
Wednesday 11:30-4 pm— Fred Kent
Wednesday 4-7 pm— Curt Russell
Thurs. 11:30-4 pm— Dave Cummings
Thursday 4-7 pm— Carl Olsen
Friday 11:30-4 pm— Erik Scott
Friday 4-7 pm— Mike Hedrick
Sat. 1-7 pm— open (Dave Johnson)

Schedule subject to change

Submissions Welcome:

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