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Home of Grand Chaplain Rev. Michael Martine



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Exalted Rulers Message



Frank T. Hunt, PSVP
Exalted Ruler

I Have just returned from the National Convention in New Orleans and we now have two Grand Lodge Officers from our lodge. Congratulations go to **Father Michael Martine** on being installed as the **Grand Lodge Chaplin** and to **Mark Stuparich** who was installed as our **District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler** for the term of 2014-2015 for the

Southeast District. **Both were installed by Grand Exalted Ruler John D. Amen.** **PDD Dennis Mescal** can now rest on his laurels for doing a very good job during his term. He was also at the convention to make sure that Mark didn't back out.

The one important message that I received from Grand Lodge Membership and Public Relations Manager Rich Gathen was on Membership. The chairman had a good plan which involves everyone trying to work together and trying to win the war on Membership. This requires a large committee (army) to get the job done. The army (committee) will consist of: Exalted Ruler, Secretary, Leading Knight, Membership Chairman and 1 member for each 100 members of the lodge. In this case 5 members should be on the committee. As we have all heard in the past **Membership is the life blood of this organization.** Anyone interested in being on the committee please let me know. Everyone can help by bringing one new member into our lodge. We all know someone who we believe would make a good Elk.

I will make a report to the lodge at our next meeting in August on the 22 propositions that were proposed on the floor.

The fishing trip will have been on July 20 and I hope that everyone supported Geppy who as a new member is trying to help our lodge. We all should be

working together to help the chairman who want to help this lodge succeed. If something didn't work in the past but somebody else thinks it can still work we should back that chairman and not hope that he or she fails. **Please lets all work together.**

On July 26 is Comedy Night which is always a very good night. Make sure you sign up in the lounge so that enough food can be ordered.

On Saturday August 2nd we are having a Sock Hop at the lodge. This is a joint venture along with the **MALVERNE Rotary Club.** This should be a great affair and could generate some new members. See the flyers in the bulletin for both of these events and there is also a sign up sheet in the lounge.

On Friday September 12 we will be entertained by a Mentalist at the lodge. I personally am looking forward to that evening which I believe will be a lot of fun. See the flyer in the bulletin and there is a sign up sheet in the lounge.

On October 3rd we are having Octoberfest. Our cook for the evening is Larry Meyer who promises a great sauerbraten.

Again anyone interested in joining the membership committee please see me. There will be more on this topic in the near future.

Fraternally Yours.

Frank T. Hunt PSVP

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Board of Trustees

1 Year

Chairman

2010 - Gary Galluzzo - 2015

2 Year

2011 - Joseph Serafino - 2016

3 Year

2012 - Donald Kolman - 2017

4 Year

2013 - Fred Vetter - 2018

5 Year

2014 - Robert Kerning - 2019

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Rev. Michael Martine



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IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, SICKNESS, OR DEATH CONTACT EITHER:

The Lodge 516-599-1515

or

Frank Hunt, Exalted Ruler 516-825-0428

To All Members

In the event of an emergency, sickness or death, the family should contact one of the above for proper notification to all members, to extend or provide funeral services, visits, aid or comfort requested.

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Future Happenings

by Louis H. Mohr Jr.

September

- 2. 8:00 PM.....Elks Trustees Meeting
- 4. 8:00 PMElks Regular Meeting
- 11. 8:00 PM.....Elks Officers Meeting
- 12. 7:30 PM.....The Mentalist - Dinner & Show**
- 14. 2:00 PM.....Elks CP BBQ Party**
- 18. 8:00 PMElks Regular Meeting
- 18 to 20Elks NY State Fall Conference

October

- 2. 8:00 PMElks Regular Meeting
- 3. 8:00 PM.....Elks Oktoberfest Fest**
- 7. 8:00 PMElks Trustees Meeting
- 9. 8:00 PMElks Officers Meeting
- 10. 7:30 PM.....SE District Fundraising Pasta Buffet**
- 16. 8:00 PMElks Regular Meeting
- 31. Halloween**



Secretary's Corner

by Lou Mohr, Secretary

Proposition for Membership

- **Mark Stuparich** proposes Stephanie Lamontanaro, 7 Hudson Court, Lynbrook, NY. Retired NYC School Teacher.
- **Bernard Maffucci** proposes Gerard Griffin, Oceanside, NY, on a Certificate of Release/ Reinstatement,

Sickness & Distress

- *Get Well Wishes* to **Fred Pomerence** who was in hospital for operation and is home now recuperating.
- *Get Well Wishes* to **Ralph De Paolo** who was in hospital for small operation. Now in rehab.
- *Condolences* to the Friedman family on the passing of Tamas Friedman, father of **PER Keith Friedman**.



Southeast District Veterans Committee Fundraising Dinner

Proceeds to Support Our Hospitalized Veterans

\$15.00 per Person

Italian Buffet Dinner & Dessert

Music - Raffles - 50/50 Drawing

Cash Bar

57 Hempstead Avenue
Lynbrook, NY 11563
Friday, October 10, 2014 at 7:30 pm

Sign up at the Lodge or phone (516) 599-1515

Please sign up by October 5, 2014

New York Elks Lodge #1

HOURS OF OPERATION

- MondayClosed
- Wednesday.....Closed
- Tuesday-Thursday-Friday.....5:00 PM to Close (midnight or earlier)
- Saturday & Sunday12:00 PM to Close (7:00 PM or earlier)

Bulletin Deadline

The 15th of the Previous Month
PUBLISHED MONTHLY

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All Profits From Elks Affairs Help Support Our Charitable Works

Veteran's Corner

by Richard Muniak



Fact: The Southeast District Veterans Committee serves the veterans at St. Albans V.A. Hospitals a minimum of twice a month.

Fact: Other organizations also serve the veterans at St. Albans V.A. Hospital. **Fact:** Most of the other organizations take the summer months (July and August) off and don't go to St. Albans. **Fact:** The Southeast

Veterans Committee never takes the summer off from serving our hospitalized veterans. **Why?** We hold true to the Elks motto: **"So long as there are veterans, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them."**

Help support our efforts and attend our annual "Italian Buffet Dinner" on Friday, October 10, 2014 at 7:30pm. See the, **"Freedom Isn't Free Thank a Soldier"** flyer posted in this issue of the, "Antlers Tale" for information that pertains to this event.

Each year our Lodge has a dinner/show for veterans from several of the area's V.A. Hospitals. New York Lodge #1 also contributes to the annual BBQ/picnic and purchases

commissary books that are handed out at St. Albans. We hold a "Veterans Pancake Breakfast" at the Lodge to help offset some of those expenses. This year the breakfast fund raiser will be held, Sunday, November 2, 2014. Details for that event will be in next month's issue of the "Antler's Tale".

Not everyone has that valuable element, "time" to volunteer at the monthly "Breakfast Social" or the monthly "Monday Night Bingo". However, all members and non-Elks must eat. So come out to the Lodge for a Friday night dinner in October and a Sunday morning breakfast in November. If your social calendar is booked for those dates then gift contributions are also welcomed for the raffles that are held at those events. Gifts can be dropped off at the Lodge and will be stored away safely and then raffled off at the two fundraisers.

Thank you to all of the Lodge members, non-Elks and the outside merchants who have contributed to our efforts to bring some level of comfort to our hospitalized veterans.

Richard Muniak
New York #1 Veterans Chairman
SE District Veterans Committee Chairman

August Birthdays

- | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. James R. Carrenza | Joseph M. Puglisi | 24. Gary Corsale |
| Hon. Alfonse M. D'Amato | 10. Nicholas X. Maranzano | 25. Karen A. Miller |
| Timothy R. McGrath | 12. Fred Pomeranke | 26. Barbara Disauro |
| 3. Charles R. Guinan | 14. Thomas O. Johnson | 27. Eleanor Brennan |
| 4. Ronald N. Cassiere, PST | 15. Joseph P. Sparacio | Raymond King |
| Jeanine Columbo | 20. Hon. Francis X. Becker, Sr. | George Malekian, PSP |
| 5. Bruno DeFranceschi | Joyce Grabowski | 28. William Albergo |
| 6. Hilary Becker | 21. Robert A. Hoffelder | 29. Edward J. Fessel |
| Hugh McGrane, Jr. | Joseph A. Masiello | Liborio Genova |
| 8. Louis Ambrosio | 22. John V. Conlan | 30. George C. Butler, PER |
| David M. Breen | Bernard Maffucci | William Kolman |
| Peter Killigrew | Daniel S. Paul | |

NOTICE: The Lodge will no longer be sending out birthday cards and drink cards. Instead, during the month of your birthday you can come down to the lodge for a Birthday Drink. The bartenders will be keeping tabs so there is no need for you to carry around the drink card with you. The cost for mailing and printing is getting cost prohibitive and we were still looking for someone to do the job of mailing the cards, stamping the drink cards and stuffing them into the cards, etc.

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APPLE SAUCE COFFEE & TEA
DESSERT

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GERMAN BEER ON TAP

RESERVATIONS A MUST
SIGN-UP SHEET IN BAR
CUT-OFF DATE SEPT 15, 2014
PAYMENTS AFTER ARE \$ 30.00
PER PERSON

SEE
LARRY MEYERS PER
OR
FRANK R. KOHLER PSVP



NEW YORK ELKS LODGE #1 30TH ANNUAL BARBEQUE TO SUPPORT CEREBRAL PALSY

DATE
**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER
14, 2014**
TIME 2:00 PM TIL
6:00 PM

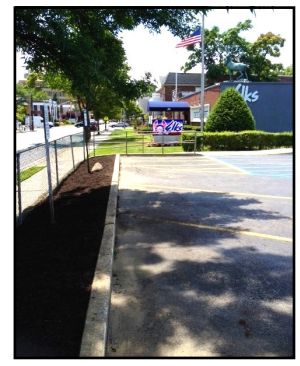
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DRINK



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*7:30 PM - 11:30 PM
Saturday August 2nd*

Music by *The New Yorkers*

Dinner *BBQ Favorites*

*\$50.00 Per Person
\$90.00 Per Couple*

Open Bar

*Please sign up
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Bryan



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August 2014



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
					1	2 7:30 PM - Elks Sock Hop
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Lodge Closed						
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Lodge Closed						
17	18	19	20	21 8:00 PM - Elks Regular Meeting	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

New York Lodge #1

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