

# *New York Elks Lodge #1*

*Home of Grand Chaplain Rev. Michael Martine*



# Antlers Tale



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## *Exalted Rulers Message*



Frank T. Hunt, PSVP  
Exalted Ruler

September we had a full month of DD visits and also we had two great affairs at our lodge. For those who did not attend our first affair which was the **Mentalist-Ted St.**

**James** on Friday September 12<sup>th</sup> you missed one hell of a performance. He was great and everyone is still trying to figure out how he accomplished some of his feats. Speak to anyone who was at the show. There were only 39 people in attendance. I do feel that more people are not supporting our lodge by attending the affairs. The chairpersons are trying their best to give you different events. I will reiterate again, **that this is your lodge please help by supporting the chairmen.**

We had our CP Barbeque on Sunday September 14<sup>th</sup> and this was a very good showing. There were 120 people in attendance and there were plenty of prizes to be raffled off. Brian Steckler out did himself this year.

On Friday October 3<sup>rd</sup> we are having Octoberfest and the cook, Larry Meyer hasn't done this for the past few years but is back and promises a great meal along with his co-chairman Frank Kohler. See the flyer elsewhere in the Antler.

On October 10<sup>th</sup> we are having the District Veterans Dinner at our lodge. Come on down and support the veterans by attending this affair and if possible donate something to be raffled off that evening.

Another affair we are attempting to have is Halloween on Friday October 31<sup>st</sup>. You don't have to be in costume to attend but if you are you could win a prize. See the flyer elsewhere in the Antler and the sign-up sheet in the lounge.

Remember our troops especially those that are fighting on foreign soil.  
Fraternally,  
Frank T. Hunt PSVP

**Officers - 2014-2015**

***Exalted Ruler***

**Frank T. Hunt, PSVP**

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***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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*Grand Lodge Chaplain  
New York State Chaplain*  
**Rev. Michael Martine**



*2014-2015  
DDGER*  
**Mark Stuparich**



*2014-2017  
NY State Trustee*  
**Brian Steckler**



*Southeast District Co-Sponsor*  
**George Malekian**  
Past NY State President  
Past Grand Lodge Committeeman



*Southeast District Co-Sponsor*  
**Lawrence Contratti**  
Past NY State President  
Lodge Sponsor

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

**The Lodge 516-599-1515**

or

**Frank Hunt, Exalted Ruler 516-825-0418**

**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.

**WE ARE HERE FOR YOU**



*To Our Absent Members  
The Places that have know them shall  
know them no more, but their virtues  
are written upon the tablets of love and  
memory*

**Anthony Liguori**

1922 - 2014  
Initiated 12/06/1923  
Life Member 01/01/2004

**Sedgewick Baldwin, Jr., PER**

1929 - 2014  
Initiated 03/13/1959  
Exalted Ruler 1963  
Honorary Life Member 04/10/1964

*New York Elks Lodge #1*  
**HOURS OF OPERATION**

Monday .....Closed  
Wednesday.....Closed  
Tuesday-Thursday-Friday.....5:00 PM to Close  
(midnight or earlier)  
Saturday & Sunday .....12:00 PM to Close  
(7:00 PM or earlier)

**Bulletin Deadline**

The 15<sup>th</sup> of the Previous Month  
PUBLISHED MONTHLY

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*Future Happenings*

by Louis H. Mohr Jr.

November

- 2. 9:00 AM .....Vets Pancake Breakfast
- 4. 8:00 PM .....Elks Trustees Meeting
- 6. 8:00 PM.....Elks Regular Meeting
- 11. **Veterans Day**
- 13. 8:00 PM.....Elks Officers Meeting
- 20. 8:00 PM.....Elks Regular Meeting
- 27. **Thanksgiving**
- 30. 11:00 AM .....Elks Sunday Brunch

December

- 2. 8:00 PM .....Elks Trustees Meeting
- 4. 7:00 PM.....Elks DD Visit Initiation
- 7. 5:00 PM.....Elks Memorial Service
- 11. 8:00 PM.....Elks Officers Meeting
- 18. 8:00 PM.....Elks Regular Meeting
- 31. 8:00 PM .....Elks New Years Eve House Party

*Secretary's Corner*

by Lou Mohr, Secretary

Proposition for Membership

- **Amy Schneller** proposes Kimi Semder, 261 Earl Avenue, Lynbrook, NY. Guidance Counselor.
- **Paul Schneller** proposes Peter Licata, 261 Earle Avenue, Lynbrook, NY. Law Enforcement.
- Mark Stuparich proposes Norma Esposito, 6 Wilson Street, East Rockaway, NY. Dry Cleaner Clerk

Sickness & Distress

- *Condolences* to the Liguori family on the passing of member **Anthony Liguori**.
- *Condolences* to the DePietro family on the passing of the brother of **PER Charlie DiPietro II**.
- *Condolences* to the Baldwin family on the passing of **Sedgewick Baldwin, Jr., PER**.
- *Get Well Wishes* to **Peter Roach, PDD** who had knee replacement and is in rehab.
- *Get Well Wishes* to **George Butler, PER** who is in hospital with infection and stroke.

# Veteran's Corner

by Richard Muniak



The "Cold War Certificate" may be awarded to any current NY State citizen or a person who was a NY State citizen while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States during the Cold War period, 2 September 1945 to 26 December 1991 whose service was honorable.

"Honorable" (Honorable Discharge) or "Under Honorable Conditions" (General Discharge under Honorable Conditions). This certificate may be rewarded posthumously to a designated survivor of the deceased. A Division of Military and Naval Affairs form (DMNA Form 105) may be obtained in the DMNA website: [http://dmna.ny.gov/forms/dmna\\_form.pdf](http://dmna.ny.gov/forms/dmna_form.pdf).

The Southeast District Veterans Committee reaches out to our hospitalized veterans at St. Albans, Brooklyn and Northport veteran hospitals. You can help support the Committee by attending the Italian Buffet Dinner at the

Lodge on October 10, 2014. Further detailed information in the flyer posted in this newsletter.

Please support New York NY Lodge #1's veteran related activities by attending the Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, November 2, 2014. Purchase a line on the breakfast placemat. See Al Hoffman, PDD to do so. Additional detailed information in the flyer posted in this newsletter.

Important October Dates: October 10<sup>th</sup>, Veterans Fundraising Dinner, 7:30pm @ NY #1. October 14<sup>th</sup>, SE District Veterans Committee Meeting, 8pm @ NY#1. October 16<sup>th</sup>, Breakfast Social @ St. Albans, 9am-11am. October 27<sup>th</sup>, Monday Night Bingo @ St. Albans, 7pm-8:30pm.

Richard Muniak

New York Lodge #1 Veterans Chairman

SE District Veterans Committee Chairman, VA/VS Representative

## October Birthdays

- |                                        |                         |                                    |
|----------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Vincent Neglia                      | 13. George Tilyou       | 23. Frank J. Farella               |
| 2. John L. Hiller                      | 14. Jane Wulff          | Cathleen Fenrich                   |
| Lawrence J. McCreanor                  | 16. Charles G. Firmbach | Billy Harris                       |
| Dale Yarmosh                           | Joseph P. Haller        | Antonina Portuesi                  |
| 3. Anthony P. Hoefener                 | 17. Donald J. Catanese  | 24. Carol Thomas                   |
| 5. <b>Stephen A. Palermo, Sr., PER</b> | 18. Anthony J. Pilato   | Diane Thomas                       |
| 7. Peter J. Cronin                     | 19. Robert G. Aldunate  | 26. C. William Gaylor, Jr.         |
| Stephen P. Hayes                       | Bernard C. Camarda      | 27. Robert G. Becker               |
| 8. Ann Pagan                           | Richard J. Kelly        | 29. <b>William P. Matheos, PER</b> |
| 10. Mary M. Braun                      | 21. Alfred Medina       | Joseph McLaughlin                  |
| <b>Peter V. Maffucci, PER</b>          | Gianni Sgueglia         | 30. Robert J. Lellig               |
| 11. <b>John M. Nuzzi, Sr., PER</b>     | 22. Toni Lash           | 31. Joanne Antun                   |
| Deirdre Remppel                        | Gordon H. Robertson     | <b>Joseph Serafino, Trustee</b>    |

**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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# OKTOBERFEST

OCTOBER 3, 2014  
FRIDAY 8:00 O'CLOCK PM

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OOMPAPA MUSIC

SAUERBRATEN DINNER  
RED CABBAGE POTATO LADKA  
APPLE SAUCE COFFEE & TEA  
DESSERT

\$ 20.00 PER PERSON / CASH BAR  
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



## Chairman's Thank You

On Sunday September 14, 2014 N.Y Lodge#1 held its 30th annual Major Projects Cerebral Palsy fundraiser. Due to the generosity of the members, their families and friends N.Y Lodge #1 raised a lot of money for the home service program. Thank you all very much for your donations.

The day wouldn't have been a huge success without the help of so many of our members, so I need send a big shout out.

Thank you very much Peter Kiernen for doing the cooking, shopping and clean up of the kitchen. I know you worked hard. Thanks dude. Thank you PDDGER Peter Roach for all your help in the kitchen. Awesome job guys.

Thank you very much to the grill masters for doing a great job as always much love:

Peter Killegrew, Tom Rauch thanks for always getting the charcoal, Rich Finnegan Tiler, Mike Montgomery, Steve Hayes, Steve Burton, Karen Miller & Steve Blyskal.

Thank you very much Trustee Gary Galluzzo for procuring the music and all the other help you always do. Thank you very much Ellen Galluzzo for all your help as always. Thank you for setting up the room.

I need to send a special thank you to Ann Bache for all your help for going around to different stores for raffle prizes, making the gift baskets. You are always a very big help very much appreciate all your help. Also thank your friend Mary Liberato for me for all her help.

Thank you to Frank T. Hunt PSVP Exalted Ruler for sending out letters for donation requests we did get a couple of responses.

Thank you to our secretary Lou Mohr for taking care of the money that came in from member donations.

Thank you Angela Kahn PER, and Sharon Columbo Treasurer, and my wife Jennifer Steckler, for your help selling raffle and 50/50 tickets. Thank you very much Ladies.

Thank you very much Crystal Alpert for also going around for raffle prizes and also for your help with the raffle drawing.

Thank you Anitra and George Butler PER'S for the raffle gifts. Thank you to DDGER Mark and Elaine Stuparich donation gifts, also thank you both for taking care of the raffle and 50/50 money.

Thank you Tiler Richie and Chaplain Carol Finnegan for your donation gifts also carol thank you very much for taking the photo's.

Thank you Inner Guard Bill Craig for your donation gift. For everyone else that that donated gifts thank you I know I am leaving some people out, please do not be offended.

And to our servers for the afternoon thank you very much to Loyal Knight Paul Schneller, Treasurer Sharon Columbo, PSVP Frank Kohler, Bernie Maffucci, PSVP Artie Wehrman. Thank you Artie Artie Wehrman PSVP and Dennis Mescal for helping clean up the room.

Thank you all very much for your help and support (if I left someone off this list that s/b included again please do not be offended I like to try and personalize this as much as possible because everyone works really hard putting this together

Fraternally Yours,  
Brian Steckler Major Projects Chairman ST.

# Sunday Brunch



Scrambled Eggs  
& Bacon



Homefries



Sausage

NOVEMBER 30, 2014

11am - 2pm

\$12.00  
per person

\$6.00  
per child (4-12 yrs)



Pancakes



Bagels & Rolls

PLEASE SIGN UP  
AT THE BAR  
NO LATER THAN  
NOV. 28th

Juices, Coffee, Tea, Cash Bar

# New Years Eve House Party

(at the Lodge)

**December 31<sup>st</sup>**  
**8:00 PM to 1:00 AM**

**\$20.00 per person**  
**CASH BAR**

**Hors D'Oeuvres Buffet**



**Limited to 1<sup>st</sup> 100 Members and their Guests to Signup**  
**(signup sheet is in the Lounge)**



# Happy Halloween!



**Menu**

Stuffed Chicken Breast  
Roasted Potatoes  
Corn  
Dessert, Coffee & Tea

**PARTY**

October 31, 2014  
7:30 to 11:30 PM

To Be Held at  
New York Elks Lodge #1  
57 Hempstead Avenue  
Lynbrook, NY

Reservations A Must - Cut Off Date October 15, 2014  
Sign Up Sheet In Lounge  
**\$25.00 PP**  
**Cash Bar**  
Payment after September 15th will be \$30.00 PP

Prizes Will Be Awarded For Best Costume  
Costume Not Required  
**(Payment at door will not be accepted)**  
See - Frank Hunt, ER






## Monday Night Football Blackout Pool and Super Bowl Pool are **OPEN** For Sign Up.

Monday Night Pool only is 80 Points - Monday Night and Super Bowl Combo is 230 Points

# Don't be left out Sign up at the Bar

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**PANCAKE  
BREAKFAST**

**Annual Veterans Pancake Breakfast**

*In Honor of Special Veterans Volunteer  
Joseph Caggiano, PDD*

**Sunday, November 2, 2014**  
9AM to Noon E.S.T.  
*(Proceeds for NY Lodge #1's Veterans sponsored events)*

**\$5.00 per adult (11 and older)**  
**\$3.00 per child (10 and under)**

Sign-up sheet located at the Lounge – Phone the Lodge  
OR  
e-mail Veterans Chairman Rich Muniak for more information  
RICHELK001@aol.com

**57 Hempstead Avenue**  
**Lynbrook, NY 11563**  
**(516) 599-1515**

*Sign up deadline: October 29, 2014*

**Placemat Sign-Up - \$10.00 per line – See Al Hoffman, PDD**

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**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*



# Fire Night



**Oct. 22, 2014**  
**7:30 PM**  
**\$15.00 per person.**

We will be honoring  
**Lynbrook**  
**East Rockaway**  
**Malverne**  
**Rockville Centre**  
**Lakeview**



**Sign Up At The Lodge**

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Grand Exalted Ruler John D. Amen has kept the Elks National Foundation per capita Donation at \$4.60 This year.

**OCTOBER IS ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION MONTH.**

If you haven't already done so Please consider making your tax deductible donation to support ENF. N.Y.# 1 so far is behind in meeting our per capita goal. We are very fortunate that the members of N.Y Lodge #1 I are very generous, and we should all be very proud of all we have done and continue to do in the name of charity.

If this will be your first time making a donation You can pick up a donor card from the secretary's office and fill it out and make your Annual donation of \$10 for ten years(\$100) Giving is easy and does the heart good knowing that you're making a difference. You can also log onto the [Elks.org](http://Elks.org) website and make your donation online. Special thank you Trustee Joe Serafino for your help with donations awesome job Joe.

Fraternally Yours  
Brian Steckler ST

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# October 2014



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
			1	2 8:00 PM - Elks Regular Meeting	3 <b>8:00 PM - Oktoberfest</b>	4
5	6	7 8:00 PM - Elks Trustees Meeting	8	9 8:00 PM - Elks Officers Meeting Freeport/Baldwin DD Visit	10 <b>8:00 PM - SE District Vets Pasta Dinner</b>	11
12	13 <b>Columbus Day</b>	14	15	16 8:00 PM - Elks Regular Meeting	17	18
19	20	21 Brooklyn/Queensborough DD Visit	22 <b>7:30 PM - Elks Fire Night</b>	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31 <b>7:30 PM - Halloween Party</b>	

## *New York Lodge #1*

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