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FLASHBACK HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

Saturday, October 29th
6 - 11pm

~No Entrance Fee~

Carnival Game Tickets
Available for Purchase
During the Event

*Featuring Live Music by
The Fabulous Bad Cats*

- ◆ Costume Contest
- ◆ Raffle Baskets
- ◆ Bake Sale
- ◆ Mini Haunt
- ◆ Soup & Chili Cook Off
- ◆ Haunted Hall
- ◆ Games
- ◆ Prizes

~This event is not suitable for children~

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Beginning Membership Total 4/1/2022: **1140**
Increases: **217**
Decreases: **12**
Delinquent: **138**
Membership Total 6/23/2022: **1344**
Life Members: **109**
Honorary Life Members: **14**
Current Applicants for Membership: **22**
Applicants includes those awaiting investigation, orientation, and initiation or reinstatement, this number may include some from previous months still waiting for the next step.

The list of candidates for Membership will be posted outside the Front Office at least 7 days prior to Balloting.



AMERICANISM ESSAY CONTEST
*Sponsored by Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of
The United States of America*



THEME:

"What is your American Dream?"

RULES:

1. At the time of the contest, eligible participants must be Students enrolled in one of these four divisions: I-5th grade; II-6th grade; III-7th grade; or IV-8th grade.
2. Essay length is not to exceed 300 words.
3. Essay must be typed or legibly printed in ink. Also, Essay must be submitted as written (or typed) by the entrant.
4. Essay must be submitted for judging to the Elks Lodge nearest to the address of the entrant.
5. Participant must be identified by name, grade, school attending and sponsoring Elks Lodge on the Essay.

AWARDS:

Plaques will be awarded by Grand Lodge for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place for national winning essays in Divisions I, II, III, and IV. Monetary awards will be disbursed for each grade level for 1st Place-\$1,000; 2nd Place-\$500; and 3rd Place-\$250. Winners will be announced at the Grand Lodge Session in Minneapolis, MN, July 2-5, 2023.

ENTRY DATE:

Essay should be submitted to local Elks Lodge on/before December 15, 2022.
The Essay Contest Cover Sheet must be completed for each level of competition and remain attached to the Essay.

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Officers Message

This past month has been a whole lot of fun!

Now we are transitioning from Summer to Fall. We would like to thank the volunteers at the pool from open to close. We had enough lifeguards scheduled and did not find ourselves in the position of closing for the day. This was a job, truly well done. There were so many volunteers putting in so many hours it was amazing! We have even had some bonus open days!

NOW comes the lodge transitioning to the Fall/Winter seasons and holidays, and we are jam packed with events! This time of year, is a beloved and very fun time for the Lodge always be sure to check the calendars in the Elk Horn and MY ELKS APP. Some of the events will ask to RSVP. This is really important for our planning for food and accommodations.

ARE YOU READY FOR SOME FOOTBALL??? We sure are! Thanks to some amazing volunteers, we are now open on Sundays from 9:30am - 4:30pm, as well as Monday evenings! That's right, we are open. This is a trial run and we are hoping to have enough in attendance that it will grow into a permanent addition to our hours. So far it has been a welcomed addition and we have truly enjoyed the camaraderie. Come on in and join us!

There has been a lot of interest in the upcoming opening of the Bowling Alley. Thanks to some hard work put in by many we are getting close. Stay tuned and get those arms ready!

Time goes by so fast! What a beautiful and memorable Summer season we have had together! We have learned together and built some incredible relationships.

We are 6 months into our year, and as a team have come so far along since April. Not only our roles and responsibilities, but how we work as a team. I know this seems early, but now we will start the process of planning for next year. In preparation for next year, Lysie will be attending the Leading Knight seminar in Baker City in October. We have our final calendar meeting coming to close out the year on the 22nd of October.

As always please remember to thank a Volunteer, without their Selflessness we would never be able to offer all the value your membership brings to you and your family! Remember that the lodge is what we as a membership make it!

Fraternally, Your Officers

Exalted Ruler Mike Cronk, mikec974@gmail.com

Lets have some fun!

Be sure to read through the Elkhorn, If you find your Elk Membership number hidden in the Elkhorn, you win a free Wednesday night dinner at the lounge during the month of the Elkhorn edition." Show the bartender your Membershiop card and the dinner price will be deducted from your total bill.

SAVE THE DATE
December 4, 2022
@ 2pm for the
"Elks Memorial
Service" which
commemorates the
memories of our
departed Members.

Fruit Loop Bus Tour

On the morning of September 17th, approximately 45 members of lodge #142 boarded a bus for a day of adventure on the Fruit Loop Tour. Organizers Kris and Scott White put together a fantastic itinerary with stops at a fruit stand and three Elks lodges.

First stop was the Draper Girls fruit stand in Hood River. We had an hour at the stand looking over the myriad offerings ranging from locally grown fresh fruits and vegetables, jams, jellies, ciders and fruit juices and even candles and other household items. They had a lovely set up with pumpkins and gourds on display as well an opportunity to pet and feed the goats. 131800

Next was the Elks/Eagles lodge in The Dalles. With such a small membership in these lesser populated areas, some organizations have banded together to save costs by having one shared lodge. In this case it was the Elks and the Eagles. We were greeted by the current ER, Bill Seymore. The lodge had put on a nice lunch for us of sandwiches, salads and chips with donations gladly accepted and the monies going to their local Meals on Wheels program.

Back on the bus and a short drive later we were at the historic Hood River lodge. This beautiful three-story building in downtown Hood River offered scenic views, a very welcoming group of members including current ER Alicia Nightingale, and an amazing very old school lodge room.

Next up was the Gateway Gresham lodge. Current ER Leanne Brewster was on hand to greet us as we exited the bus. There we were presented with an Italian inspired feast beyond words. Many tempting dishes were on offer followed by dancing.

We exited the bus back at the local lodge in time for Mary Francis to lead us in the 11th hour toast. It was the icing on the cake!

As a fairly new member who embarked on this journey solo, I have to say that the entire experience was absolutely wonderful and beyond my wildest expectations. I understand the next event is in the planning stages and look forward to joining in the fun again!



Elks Eye Clinic Golf Tournament

Even though they played on a very windy day and under a Level 1 fire evacuation alert, 15 teams went out and had a grand time on the golf course at our recent 8th Annual Elks Children's Eye Clinic Golf Tournament at Oregon City Golf Course. Due to our fantastic gals manning the Putting Contest, our KP holes and the Perfect Drive, players responded with their pocketbooks open. We would like to thank our sponsors: the Baker Family, Basic Fire Protection, Inc, Cory Kalteich, Crown Logistics, Day One Distribution, Dean & Kay Dow, Dick Lambert, Edward Jones, Gateway-Gresham #1805 PERs, Harris Motor Sports/ProDrive, the Heaton Family, JM Ford Law Office, Jennifer & Brian Helsing, Kell, Alterman & Runstein, LLP, Lakeside Lumber, Milwaukie Portland #142 PERS and Lodge Officers, Mitchell Book-keeping & Payroll, NextHome Bridge City, Oregon City #1189 PERs & PEYs, Eye Clinic Pediatric Ophthalmologists, the Pool Committee, Rocky King, Starbucks Oregon City and last, but not least, our Diamond Sponsor DCI, for their sponsorships this year. Without their support, we wouldn't have done near as well as we did. We would also like to thank Reser's Fine Foods, Maletis Beverage and Oregon City Liquor Store for their donations. And a HUGE thank you to all that helped in the organization process, and to all the volunteers that helped at the golf course and at the park afterwards with our dinner, raffles and awards. You were truly amazing. It takes a lodge to make it happen and you certainly stepped up to the plate! With all your amazing contributions and efforts, we were able to raise \$8,000 for the eye clinic to help children with sight deficiencies. To everyone of you, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Emma Pletz & Bill Powers, Golf Co-chairs



9/11 Lodge Ceremony

On Wednesday, September 7th we held an open meeting to the public in order to commemorate the anniversary of the events that happened on 9/11/01.

On that day four coordinated suicide terrorist attacks were carried out against the United States. Thousands of innocent people lost their lives on that day in New York City, Washington D.C., and Shanksville, Pennsylvania.

The lodge officers and others helped make the traditional ceremony a memorable event.



Elk of the Month

ZAC PERRY

Over the summer Zack Perry put in countless hours down at the pool. Excellent direction for all the lifeguards. Excelled in chemical management water quality and safe environment for the guards. His best quality was his communication with the pool people in all aspects of our operation down there. His sensitivity with everyone being happy and how do we make it make fun for all. He is a great co-chair and a great people person. All the workers appreciated Zac everyone knows he likes the Elks family vibe. His patience is one of his skills that made us a huge success. His work skills carried over to summer success.



MILWAUKIE-PORTLAND ELKS LODGE#142 IN
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DELTA XI CHAPTER OF EPSILON SIGMA ALPHA
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5:00-9:00PM
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Vacant Chair

We shall meet, but we shall miss them, There will be the
vacant chair, But though we no more possess them, Still
our hearts their memory bear, But a while ago we
gathered, Friendship beaming in each eye, Now the golden
cord is severed, they have passed to realms on high.



In Memory of Our Members:

Harry Carpenter
Theodore Havlicek
William Morgan
Patrick Collson
Gerald Walker
Ron Paola

Message from your PERS

The leaves are changing, and so are the
friendly faces we see at the lodge. Thank you
to our membership committee,(that's you).
Our fruit loop tour was the best day ever,
meeting new Elks, and visiting their wonder-
ful lodges. Watch the Elkhorn for all the
upcoming events, and if you're a football
fan, join us on Sundays and Monday nights
for the games. We're so excited for all our
new members, and all that this Lodge has to
offer. Fraternally yours yours,
Scott White, PER president.

OCTOBER

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday



<p>1 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Chefs Choice</p> <p>Murder Mystery Dinner</p>						
<p>2 Club open 10am - 4pm Football</p>	<p>3 Club open 4 - 9pm Football</p>	<p>4 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7 pm Happy Hour \$5 Food Buffet</p> <p>Investigation</p>	<p>5 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm Philly Cheesesteak</p> <p>Lodge Meeting 7:30pm</p>	<p>6 BINGO, Burgers, BLTS Club open 4 pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm</p>	<p>7 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Seafood Night</p> <p>Queen of Hearts 6:30 pm</p>	<p>8 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Chefs Choice</p> <p>Karaoke 7pm</p>
<p>9 Club open 10am - 4pm Football</p>	<p>10 Club open 4 - 9pm Football</p>	<p>11 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7pm Happy Hour \$5 Food Buffet</p> <p>BOD Meeting 6:30</p>	<p>12 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm Chicken Kabobs</p> <p>Lodge Meeting 7:30pm</p> <p>Balloting</p>	<p>13 BINGO, Burgers, BLTS Club open 4 pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm</p>	<p>14 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Beef Enchiladas</p> <p>Queen of Hearts 6:30 pm</p> <p>Live Music Hill Country</p>	<p>15 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Chefs Choice</p>
<p>16 Club open 10am - 4pm Football</p>	<p>17 Club open 4 - 9pm Football</p>	<p>18 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7 pm Happy Hour \$5 Food Buffet</p> <p>Open Jam Night Veterans Meeting Orientation</p>	<p>19 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm Taco Salad</p> <p>Lodge Meeting 7:30pm</p> <p>Initiation</p>	<p>20 BINGO, Burgers, BLTS Club open 4 pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm</p>	<p>21 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Chicken & Waffles</p> <p>Queen of Hearts 6:30 pm</p>	<p>22 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Chefs Choice</p> <p>Calendar Meeting Karaoke</p> <p>Baby Boomers</p>
<p>23 Club open 10am - 4pm Football</p>	<p>24 Club open 4 - 9pm Football</p>	<p>25 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7 pm Happy Hour \$5 Food Buffet</p> <p>BOD Meeting 6:30</p>	<p>26 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm Club Sandwich</p> <p>Lodge Meeting 7:30pm</p>	<p>27 BINGO, Burgers, BLTS Club open 4 pm Dinner Served 5-7:30 pm</p>	<p>28 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm BBQ Pork Sliders</p> <p>Queen of Hearts 6:30 pm</p>	<p>29 Club open 4pm Dinner Served 5-9 pm Chefs Choice</p> <p>Halloween Party Live Music Fabulous Bad Cats</p>
<p>30 Club open 10am - 4pm Football</p>	<p>31 Club open 4 - 9pm Football</p> <p>Trunk or Treat</p>					



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Great News!

Our membership is growing and our activities are increasing at the lodge, so we have more work than one volunteer coordinator can handle. We are excited to announce, we now have a Volunteer Committee! The committee includes:

Carla Milas - milas@msn.com
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Nanci Heaton - nheaton1969@hotmail.com
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Susan Keller - rsemkeller@comcast.net
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Kris White - kwhite3305@aol.com
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You are welcome to contact us for your volunteering interest as well.
We look forward to working with you!!

Your Volunteer Committee,
Carla Milas, Nanci Heaton, Susan Keller, Kris White

*Lounge is open Sunday 10-4pm, Monday 4-9pm,
Tuesday-Thursday 4-10pm and Friday-Saturday 4-11pm
Office is open Monday-Thursday 10am-4pm*

October Fun!

Every Thursday at 6:00pm BINGO!
Every Friday at 6:30pm Queen of Hearts!

Friday, October 1st Murder-Mystery Dinner
Saturday, October 8th 7-10pm Karaoke with KJ Jim
Friday, October 14th 7-10pm Members Birthday With Live Music from Hill Country

Tuesday, October 18th 7-10pm Open Jam Night
Saturday, October 22nd 7-10pm Karaoke with KJ Jim
Saturday, October 29th Halloween Party with Live Music 7-10pm from the Fabulous Bad Cats

Monday, October 31st 4-7pm Trunk-Or-Treating!

To stay in the know with events, be sure you receive our weekly emails from communications@elks142.com and like our Facebook page, "Milwaukie-Portland Elks #142"

Save the Date:

November 9th: Open Meeting Veteran's Day Ceremony

November 12th: Turkey Shoot

November 19th: Hollywood Nights Debut Show!

October Meetings!

Every Wednesday at 7:30pm Member Meeting

Tuesday, October 11th at 6:30pm BOD Meeting
Tuesday, October 18th at 5:30pm Veteran's Committee Meeting
Thursday, October 20th at 6:30pm PER Meeting
Saturday, October 22nd 10am-12pm Calendar Meeting
Tuesday, October 25th at 6:30pm BOD Meeting

BOTTLE DRIVE

FUNDRAISING



The Meadowood Committee is still collecting refundable bottles and cans. Simply take them to the front office or leave them in the coat room.
THANK YOU for your continued support of Camp Meadowood

At Each Wednesday Lodge meeting the name of one member is drawn. The member drawn, if present, wins the \$142 pot! If you aren't in attendance you can't win!

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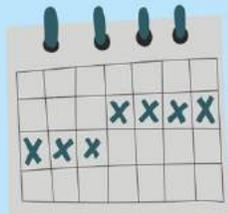


Robin Atkinson
Nicholas Kraljev.

You missed out on \$142

Calendar Meeting

Saturday, October 22nd 10am-12pm
In The Dinning Room



All Committee Chairs, Committee-persons
and any one else that has a great idea for an
event or fundraiser



MILWAUKIE-PORTLAND ELKS LODGE #142



HOLIDAY MARKET

HAVE A JOLLY HOLLY HOLIDAY SEASON
AT OUR BAZAAR!

NOVEMBER 5TH @ 6TH

AT THE

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Saturday: 4-11pm



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EVENT of
the
SEASON

Presented by the Past Exalted Rulers of Milwaukie-Portland Elks Lodge #142

"WE NEED A LITTLE CHRISTMAS NOW"
Ball

Saturday, November 19, 2022

This Festive Fundraiser

will launch our Lodge's Holiday Season
in the grand tradition of Hollywood Nights productions of the past

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Dessert & Show....\$20.00

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October 31st

4-7pm

Join us, decorate your car, dress up and hand out candy, or come trunk-or-treat!

Candy donations accepted in the Main Office or Member's Lounge.

RSVP for a parking space with the Secretary.
This is a community event and a great opportunity to give back to our youth!

Care-N-Share

Meeting: Saturday, October 8th 2022

4:00 PM

All are Welcome to Attend

Agenda: 1) Plan our Upcoming Season

November — January

2) Review Fundraiser Plans

Come Learn and Participate in this Wonderful
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Chairperson: Nancy Luster 503-481-9364

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