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2013 – 2014**

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**HOUSE
COMMITTEE**

Bob Vitulli
Laurie Shepard
Steve Arlitt
Lisa Landry
Tara Johnson
Steve Berry
Bob Barrett

**ELK
OF THE YEAR**

Frank Landry

**OFFICER
OF THE YEAR**

Louise Landry

**CITIZEN
OF THE YEAR**

Steve Arlitt

Derry-Salem Elks #2226



April, 2013

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Greetings Members,

This is my first message to you as your Exalted Ruler. First and foremost, I would like to thank all of you for your confidence in me and electing me to this office. I would like to thank my father and the installing suite for the wonderful job they did at Installation. I would like to thank Dave and all of last year's officers for their hard work and dedication to our lodge. I want to thank the entire membership for doing your part to see that our lodge succeeds. Without the membership the lodge is nothing. YOU are the heartbeat of this lodge. It is time to get ready for some cardio because it's time to work hard to make our lodge a success this year.

We need to step up and be active. We need people to volunteer to help run functions and work with those who are running functions. No less important, we also need people to attend our functions. A great example of someone who stepped up and did just that is our Elk of the Year, Frank Landry. He is a shining example of the kind of volunteerism that is at the core of Elkdom. Let's take it up a notch this year and help make all of functions and events successes.

Volunteerism doesn't just come in the form of running or attending functions. It's also helping out with things that need to be done around the lodge. There have been several examples of this very recently. Phil Torre and Bob Vitulli as well as one of their colleagues retiled the grill room floor. Dennis Boisvert has built and installed the new counter that the popcorn and coffee machines are on. Mike Young has been helping out with various plumbing issues that we've had. We have a couple of opportunities to volunteer in our spring cleanup and the opening of the pavilion. The more people helping out, the easier the work will be.

We have a fundraiser coming up on April 20th to offset the cost of our new pool tables. Each of the pool leagues have put in \$500 already which leaves the total at \$4000. We're trying to raise this money so that we can pay the lodge back. It will take more than one fundraiser to do it, but I'm very glad to see members stepping up to get this done. Please show up and support the pool leagues.

We had our vote on whether or not to make our lodge non-smoking. The vote turned out to leave our lodge as a smoking facility. I was happy to see so many members there to voice their opinions. I would like to see that kind of interest for all of our lodge business at our regular meetings.

Yours in Elkdom,
Joe Morawski Jr.
Exalted Ruler

**TO OUR
ABSENT
MEMBERS**

Michael Borelli
#1157
6/17/79 – 1/11/13

March Birthdays

Best wishes to our members with birthdays in this month. Show your membership card to the bartender if you are on this list.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Member</u>
1	David Mezakowski	9	Kenneth Silverman	21	Ronald A Nastasi Sr
1	Carol Parker	10	Barbara Baxter	22	Michael Demers
2	William Coughlin	11	Kenneth Drolet	22	John J Miranowicz
2	Robert Simmons	11	James Herrick	23	Glenn Caddell
3	Stefan R Bankel	12	Erik Bjerke	24	Paul Agresti
3	John Costanzo	12	Adam Roberson	24	Ernest T Fusi
4	Debra Bannister	13	Dana Latour	25	William Kukulski
5	Michael B Toohey	14	Jonathan Graichen	25	Henry A Shepard Jr, PER
6	Jerry Sobolewski, PER	14	Frank J Puopolo	26	Deborah Ganley
7	Paul Cunniff	15	Norman Gallant	26	Jerome Guerrin
7	Steve Kramer	16	Lisa Landry	27	William Lee
7	Celine Lajeunesse	17	Donna Ann Shedd	28	Robert L Dennis Sr, PER
7	Philip A Paglierani	18	Michael Contarino	29	Kelly Corey
7	Kimberly Ann Veiga	18	Charles A Dolan Jr	29	Ralph Paoletta
7	Richard Wickson	18	John A Walters	29	Douglas Smith
8	David Chapman	18	Thomas W White	30	Robert Corbett Sr.
9	Barry Leriche	21	Paul W Crane		

Derry-Salem Elks Activity Calendar for April 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3 Lodge Meeting 7:00	4	5	6
7 Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	8	9 In-house Pool	10 House Committee Meeting	11 In-House Darts Bingo @ The Rock	12 Friday Night Supper / Meat Bingo	13
14 Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	15	16 In-house Pool	17 Lodge Meeting 7:00	18 In-House Darts Bingo @ The Rock	19	20 Doubles Pool Tournament
21 PER Meat Bingo 1:00pm Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	22	23 In-house Pool	24 Board of Directors Meeting	25 In-House Darts Bingo @ The Rock	26	27
28 Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	29	30 In-house Pool	1 Youth Week Begins Lodge Meeting 7:00	2 In-House Darts Bingo @ The Rock	3 Youth Awards Banquet	4 Kentucky Derby Party / State President Homecoming Lebanon Lodge
5 Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	6	7 Youth Week Ends In-house Pool	8 House Committee Meeting	9 In-House Darts Bingo @ The Rock	10 Friday Night Supper / Meat Bingo	11

Elk of the Month

04/13 – Phil Torre
05/12 – Bob Vitulli
06/12 – Rich Hoon
07/12 – Terry Carter
08/12 – Steve Arlitt
09/12 – Dan Baillargeon and Rodney Cronin
10/12 – Frank Landry
11/12 – Bob Barrett
12/12 – Mike Young
01/13 – Woody Daugherty
02/13 – Dennis Boisvert
03/13 – Megan Arlitt

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This month I have picked a member that is always there and ready to help when needed. You have seen all of the new tile downstairs (in the kitchen, in the bathrooms downstairs, behind the bar, and now the entire grill room floor). Phil has laid the tile for almost the entirety of the downstairs with the assistance of others. He has also served on multiple house committees.

It is because of his constant dedication to our lodge that I give the Elk of the Month to Phil Torre.

Fraternally Yours,
Joe Morawski Jr.
Exalted Ruler

Past Exalted Ruler Message

We recently received a thank you letter from the Wounded Warrior Project thanking the P.E.R. Association for its \$500 donation in memory of Robert Dennis Jr., USMC Ret. The letter reads in part:

“As soon as wounded heroes leave the war zone and arrive at a hospital, you’re at their bedsides hand-in-hand with Wounded Warrior Project. Through a broad spectrum of WWP programs, you stay with the wounded throughout recovery. Many people use the phrase, “Support the Troops,” but you put those words into action by helping veterans wounded in the current conflicts as they work to build new lives.”

Scholarship Applications are available from the bartender for the Joseph Wagenbach Essay Contest for High School Seniors; and the Geno Lessard Legacy Scholarship for children or grandchildren of Derry-Salem members.

ELK OF THE YEAR



The Elk of the Year Dinner Dance was a great success. There were 130 Elks, and family members who came out to celebrate Elkdom and Frank Landry on his special night. Exalted Ruler Dave Mulchahey presented the Elk of the Year award to Frank. Frank and Dean Landry are the first brothers to earn this honor at Derry-Salem. Frank deserved the award by lending a hand during many Lodge functions throughout the year. He received a jacket and mug, as well as a plaque from the Past Elks of the Year.

Thanks go out to the Past Elks of the Year for putting on a wonderful event. The pork dinner was great as always. Hope to see everyone at next year’s event. Be an active Elk and we could be celebrating you as the Lodge’s top volunteer.

April 12th
Friday Night Supper @ 6 PM
Meat Bingo @ 7 PM

April 21st
PER Meat Bingo @ 1 PM



DOUBLES POOL TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER
April 20, 2013

\$20 per person
9 AM REGISTRATION



Luck of the Draw, House Rules, Double Elimination
We will not serve ALCOHOL until 10am, as we want to get everyone registered so we can start right at 10am!

Coffee and Donuts in the morning and a Light Lunch will be served!

Raffles, and Prizes Offered!

Kentucky Derby Party
May 4th 1-6 PM



\$15 Fee includes:
Appetizers
&
1 Mint Julep

There will also be a
Women's Derby Dress-Up Contest.
See Mel for further info.

This is a job description by Robert Sabin, PGER:

“THE ELECTED OFFICERS”

Exalted Ruler

Leaps tall buildings in a single bound. Is more powerful than a locomotive, is faster than a speeding bullet, walks on water.

Esteemed Leading Knight

Leaps short buildings in a single bound, is more powerful than a switch engine, is just as fast as a speeding bullet, walks on water if the sea is calm, talks with God.

Esteemed Loyal Knight

Leaps short buildings with a running start and favorable winds, is almost as powerful as a switch engine, is faster than a speeding BB, walks on water in an indoor pool, talks with God if special request is approved.

Esteemed Lecturing Knight

Barely clears a Quonset hut, loses tug-of-war with a locomotive, can fire a speeding bullet, swims well, is occasionally addressed by God.



Treasurer

Makes high marks on the wall when trying to leap buildings, is run over by a locomotive, can sometimes handle a gun without inflicting self injury, dog paddles, talks to animals.

Tiler

Runs into buildings, recognizes locomotives two out of three times, is not issued ammunition, can stay afloat with a life jacket, talks to walls.

Five Year Trustee

Falls over doorsteps when trying to enter buildings, says “Look at the choo-choo.”, wets himself with a water pistol, plays in a mud puddle, mumbles to himself.

Secretary

Lifts buildings and walks under them, kicks locomotives off the tracks, catches speeding bullets in her teeth and eats them, freezes water with a single glance,

SHE IS GOD.

Attention Golfers

The Derry Salem Elks Golf League will have our opening season kick-off meeting on Thursday, April 4th at 6:30 PM in the Derry Salem Elks Lodge. Anyone interested in playing golf with the league is encouraged to attend this meeting for important information about the upcoming season.

Please contact Brian Ouellette at 603-890-6582 or email at bouellette@comcast.net for any questions.

Hope to see everyone at the meeting.

Thank you,
Brian Ouellette

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Irish Night

Dave Mulchahey, PER helped to kick off St. Patrick's Day by having Irish Night on March 16. Bob Vitulli & his crew cooked a traditional Corned Beef & Cabbage meal that was delicious. Woody Daugherty was a purveyor of potent potables, as he whipped up varieties of Irish Coffee. The Irish Dancing Troupe, made up of girls from age 6 to 17, entertained the members & guests in attendance. DJ Kelly had the crowd dancing as everyone celebrated the wearing of the green. Tip of the hat to Dave for a great time.

LODGE MEETINGS

1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 7:00 PM at the Lodge Home

Secretary's Office Hours: Monday 6-7:30 PM & Wednesday 6-7:30 PM

PAST EXALTED RULERS of DERRY-SALEM #2226

Joseph Wagenbach*
William Engstler*
Arthur Janikas*
Charles Hoitt*
Amand Cocchairo
Theodore Hattin, PDD*
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Robert Christianson
Raymond Jelley
Edward Anderson
Morris Dion*
John Ranfone, PDD*
Thomas Schofield*
William Angus*

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Richard Houle
Joe LaRosa, Jr.

Bill Frisone
Jacqueline M. Hoon*
Eric Gaumond
Rick Rogers
Hank Shepard, Jr.
Don Colby
Joe Hugh
Joanne Baillargeon
Chris Woltering (Jr.)

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COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS for 2012-2013

Presiding Justice: *Pat Handlin*
Mediator: *Joe Morawski Sr., PER, PDD, PSP*
Accident Prevention: *Dennis Boisvert*
Auditing: *Bob Barrett, Bill Tarmey, Steve Shepard, PER, PDD, PSP*
Americanism: *Joe Morawski, Sr PER, PDD, PSP*
Lodge Activities: *Kevin McCarthy*

Elks National Foundation: *Rich Hoon, PER, PDD*
Youth Activities: *Kevin McCarthy*
Drug Awareness:
Government Relations: *Joe Morawski Sr., PER, PDD, PSP*
Sports League Activities: *Steve Arlitt*
Public Relations: *Louise Landry*

Membership: *Laurie Shepard*
Lapsation: *Laurie Shepard*
Investigating: *Steve Arlitt*
National Services: *Rich Hoon, PER, PDD*
Visitation: *Frank Landry*
Copper Cannon: *Louise Landry*

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