

**DERRY-SALEM  
LODGE OFFICERS  
2012-2013**

*Exalted Ruler*  
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*Leading Knight*  
**Joe Morawski Jr.**  
*Loyal Knight*  
**Diane Rogers**  
*Lecturing Knight*  
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**Rodney Cronin**

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2011-2012**

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OF THE YEAR**  
**Joe Hugh, PER**

**OFFICER  
OF THE YEAR**  
**Joe Morawski Jr.**

**CITIZEN  
OF THE YEAR**  
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# Derry-Salem Elks #2226



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### Message from fellow member: The Leading Knight

Greetings Members,

The first thing that I would like to do is applaud the membership of our lodge. We had an excellent turnout for our Turkey Cheer, Meatball Cook-off (congratulations Joanne), and for our Thanksgiving dinners. I was very proud to see so many supporting the many wonderful things we do in order to serve our community and help those in need. There is nothing better than to support or give (whether it is your time, effort, or money) to something greater than you. What can be greater than showing love to those in need by showing them that there are people out there who are not willing to see them go without?

December is a month of celebrations. We celebrate the birth of Jesus at Christmas with the exchanging of gifts and spending time with family. We also celebrate the end of another year and the beginning of another. In that same fashion, December is a month where elks honor the memory of our departed members. May we never forget them and their virtues written on the tablets of love and memory. December 2<sup>nd</sup> is Elks Memorial Sunday. There will be a ritual at 11:30 to honor the members who have passed this year. It is a wonderful ritual. I encourage you to come and see it. If you cannot make it, then just keep them and their families in your prayers during this month of remembrance.

We have a fantastic way to serve those less fortunate than us by giving them food baskets on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. Seeing the look on these peoples' faces when they get the baskets will warm the fibers of your being. Some of them go from panic over how they are going to feed themselves or their family to a sigh of relief and a very appreciative thank you. Please support our food baskets. Volunteers are needed in many different ways. Please see Woody if you would like to volunteer.

Don't forget to sign up to help sell Christmas trees. There is a sign up on the bulletin board in the Grill Room. Also, please bring in some unwrapped toys for the Toys For Tots box that is in the Mediterranean Room. If you wish to make a cash donation for Toys For Tots, there is an envelope behind the bar for you to do so.

I hope you all have a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year. May this holiday season be filled with blessings for you and your families. Let us not forget those who are serving our country overseas who cannot be home for the holidays. Keep them in your prayers.

Yours in Elkdom,  
Joe Morawski Jr.  
Leading Knight

## Elk of the Month

12/12 – Mike Young  
01/12 – Cindy Hugh  
02/12 – Louise and Dave Landry  
03/12 – Don Colby, PER  
04/12 – Dave Chandler  
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

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### Elk of the Month

This month's honor goes to Mike Young.

Mike is one of our outstanding members. He has done many plumbing projects around the lodge and is willing to donate his time to lend a hand whenever needed. He has a heart to see greatness in our lodge and that shows in his volunteerism.

Elks like him are what make our lodge great. Thanks Mike. Congratulations and keep up the good work.

Fraternally yours,  
Joe Morawski Jr.  
Leading Knight

## Past Exalted Ruler Messages

Our Sunday Meat Bingo was a great time! Thank you everyone for your support to the PER association. The money we raise will help with our scholarship fund. We look forward to seeing you for breakfast on December 16th. There will be a meat bingo to follow.

In Elkdom,  
P.E.R.  
Association

## House Committee Note:

- Please respect and treat your bartenders as you yourself want to be treated.
  - If you have any problems please bring your concerns in front of the House Committee **NOT THE GRILL ROOM**
- Be aware that the drink prices may increase due to the increase in the cost of liquor and beer that we purchase
- Please refrain from profanity in the grill room.**

THANK YOU



## NOTE FROM OUR EXALTED RULER:

**My health and recovery is improving every day. I hope to be back at the reigns sometime in December. I want to thank all of you for helping my Leading Knight with the running our Lodge. He and the other officers and committee members are doing a super job. The holiday season is coming fast, this means a lot of work with the coming events. Please step up and volunteer to help to make these functions a success. May we all have a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.**

**Thank You, Yours in Elkdom;**

**Dave Mulchahey, Exalted Ruler**

### December Birthdays

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

Day	Member	Day	Member
01	William Dolan Jr	15	Salvatore Gioe
02	James Clayton	16	Randall Peglow
03	Robert Devlin	19	E Richard Doucette
03	Kimberly Hankey	20	Lynne Dube
03	Joe Hugh, PER	20	Kevin Ouellette
03	Jean Linehan	20	Robert Rossignol
04	Kim Potvin	21	Richard Houle, PER
06	Michael Di	21	William Whiter
06	Doreen Langlois	22	Cindy Murphy
06	David Mulchahey Sr	24	Kenneth Brown
07	William Delaney	24	Frank Simard
08	Alan Armstrong	25	Randolph Wolf
08	Jason Aubin	26	Kenneth Owen
09	David Dennis	26	Dr. Arthur Provencal, PER
09	Donald Morrison	27	Michael Glover
09	James Noble	27	Richard Hyatt
09	Edward Young	27	Linda Provencal
09	Donald Zube	28	Richard Parker
10	Sally Sparkes	28	Richard Rogers, PER
12	Theresa Arsenault	29	Beverly Doyle
12	Barry Rogers	29	Roger White
12	Henry Shepard Sr	30	Edward Anderson, PER
14	Bret Wood	31	Anthony Catauro
14	Gary Wood	31	Frederick Murray Jr
15	Megan Arlitt	31	Timothy Spindler
15	Mike Chandler		

### TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS

Henri Bedard  
392  
5/14/70 – 3/12/11

Norman Delaney  
1669  
6/14/87 – 6/11/11

Jackie Hoon, PER  
2147  
2/5/97 – 10/7/11

Robert Letourneau (CM)  
155  
5/28/61 – 11/28/11

Edward Sweezy  
2518  
5/1/98 – 2/2/12

Richard Walters  
933  
1/30/77 – 6/10/12

Peter Dingle Sr., PER  
1756  
10/26/74 – 10/12/12

Frank Leonard  
2603  
2/2/05 – 11/4/12

Joseph Al Belanger  
1032  
3/12/78 – 11/6/12

### CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS

Dec 21<sup>st</sup> starting at noon is putting the baskets together

Dec 22<sup>nd</sup> is delivering them to needy families.

For more details or to volunteer see Woody.

### ELKS MEMORIAL SUNDAY Dec 2<sup>nd</sup>

Come and show your support for our departed members from this past year.

Ritual at 11:30 am

# Derry-Salem Elks Activity Calendar for December 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Hoop Shoot @ Derry Boys/ Girls Club
2 Elks' Memorial Sunday Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	3	4 In-house Pool	5 Lodge Meeting 7:00	6 In-house Darts Bingo @ The Rock	7	8 Prime Rib Dinner / Meat Bingo
9 Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	10	11 In-house Pool	12 House Committee meeting	13 Bingo @ The Rock	14	15
16 <i>PER Meat Bingo</i> 1:00pm Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	17	18 In-house Pool	19 Board of Directors Meeting	20 Bingo @ The Rock	21	22 Christmas Basket deliveries
23 Kids' Christmas Party Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	24	25 Christmas Day Lodge closed	26	27 Bingo @ The Rock	28	29
30 Breakfast 8 AM – 11 AM	31	1 New Years Day	2	3 Bingo @ The Rock	4	5

## Prime Rib Dinner / Meat Bingo

December 8<sup>th</sup>

\$12 donation








## KIDS CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 23<sup>rd</sup>  
11:00



Make sure you sign up for gifts by  
Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>. Forms are behind the bar



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# HOOP SHOOT

December 1<sup>st</sup>  
Derry Boys/ Girls Club  
8 am

**Volunteers needed. Please see Diane Rogers for more details**

**Don't forget to buy your turkeys and help support the Jackie Hoon Memorial Food Baskets.**

**LODGE MEETINGS**

**1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays at 7:00 PM at the Lodge Home**

Secretary's Office Hours: Monday 12-4 PM & Wednesday 4-8 PM

**Rental information: 894-5861**

**PAST EXALTED RULERS of DERRY-SALEM #2226**

Joseph Wagenbach*	William Angus*	Gerald Gagnon*	Steve Shepard, PDD, PSP
William Engstler*	Eugene Lessard*	Richard W. Hoon, PDD	Joe Morawski, PDD, PSP
Arthur Janikas*	Stanley Rajewski*	Jack Rennick	Richard Houle
Charles Hoitt*	Edziu Sentkowski*	Wayne Murray	Joe LaRosa, Jr.
Amand Cocchairo	Robert J. Wilkesman*	David Lowd	Bill Frisone
Theodore Hattin, PDD*	Roger Frederick	Jerry Sobolewski	Jacqueline M. Hoon*
Harry Mullen, PSP, PDD*	Robert C. Laukonis	Joseph S. Hughes*	Eric Gaumond
Robert Christianson	Fred A. Rheault, Sr. PSP,	Dr. Arthur Provencal	Rick Rogers
Raymond Jelley	PDD*	James L. Houle Sr.	Hank Shepard Jr.
Edward Anderson	Jim LeClair	Robert L. Dennis	Don Colby
Morris Dion*	Robert Raymond*	Grant Ouellette	Joe Hugh
John Ranfone, PDD*	Ronald Stanwood	Larry E. Sunnerberg*	Joanne Baillargeon
Thomas Schofield*	Robert Titus*	Peter Diefendorf	Chris Woltering (Jr.)
			<b>*deceased</b>

**COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS for 2012-2013**

Presiding Justice: <i>Pat Handlin</i>	Elks National Foundation: <i>Rich Hoon, PER, PDD</i>	Lapsation: <i>Laurie Shepard</i>
Mediator: <i>Joe Morawski Sr., PER, PDD, PSP</i>	Social & Community Welfare:	Investigating: <i>Steve Arlitt</i>
Accident Prevention: <i>Rodney Cronin</i>	Youth Activities: <i>Megan Arlitt</i>	National Services: <i>Richard Hoon,</i>
Auditing: <i>Bob Barrett, Bill Tarmey, Kevin</i>	Drug Awareness:	<i>PER, PDD Tom McGibbon</i>
<i>McCarthy</i>	Government Relations: <i>Joe Morawski Sr., PER</i>	Visitation: <i>Frank Landry</i>
Americanism: <i>Joe Morawski, PER, PDD</i>	Sports League Activities: <i>Steve Arlitt</i>	Major Project Copper Cannon: <i>Louise</i>
Lodge Activities: <i>Megan Arlitt</i>	Public Relations: <i>Louise Landry</i>	<i>Landry</i>
Membership: <i>Laurie Shepard</i>		

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