

PLYMOUTH ELKS LODGE #2312

E-MAIL NEWSLETTER

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The following officers for 2014-2015

OFFICERS

Exalted Ruler Brian Thibeault
 Leading Ray Poitras Jr.
 Loyal Knight Joseph George
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HOUSE COMMITTEE

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 David Labadie
 Mike Bownes
Bart Merrill
Lodge Activities Comm.
 Chairman Wayne Superchi
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Meeting are first and third Tuesday of every month except July and August which have one meetings on the third Tuesday, and December's is on first Tuesday. Meeting start at 7:00pm the

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ELK OF THE MONTH Bart Merrill

This month's Elk of the Month goes to Bart Merrill. Bart runs the toys for tots program for the area and coordinates all of the lodge raffles that raise monies and obtains toys for our children. Thank you Bart!

EXALTED RULERS MESSAGAGE

Happy New Year everyone! I hope everybody had a Merry Christmas and a very happy holiday season. As we embark on a new year it is time to think about beginning our new lodge year. We will need to have a new slate of officers nominated in February. Any members interested in becoming an office, please see me and we'll get you involved.

The local Hoop Shoot was held on December 18th and we had 14 members conduct the event at Plymouth Regional High School. I want to thank Pete Cofran, Jim Carey, Chuck Lenahan, Kevin Lincoln (State Hoop Shoot Committee), Bob Chase, Bob Chase Jr., Joseph George, Tom Howard, Dean Merrill, Mike Mullvoy, Tom Underwood, Kyle Underwood and Brooks Wilkie for all of their help at this event. Plymouth Lodge will be hosting the Northern New Hampshire District Hoop Shoot on Sunday January 4th. We will need help with the event and the meal. Please see Jr. Joyce or myself if you are interested in helping.

As I write this we are planning for the children's Christmas Party in two days. Santa is supposed to arrive at 10:00 and the breakfast will start at 9:00. Right now there are 36 children signed up so it should be a great day.

The shoveling of walkways was not included in the snow plow bids this year, the members need to do this. If you are coming in or just passing by and have a moment, please help keep our walkways safe and clear. Thank you!

MESSAGE FROM SECRETARY

We have 22 delinquent members left let put a big push on to retain these members, I don't think this lodge has ever had a 100% paid up members. I will be dropping the following delinquent member at the end of January; Randy Avery, William Brown, James Carpenter, Ed Decalogero, Robert Dragon, Raymond Harmony, Edwin Heal, Jason Houle Jr., Kelly Latuch, Charles Luca, Philip Mathew, Dax McAfee, Jason Michel, Jack Picciuto, William Robertie, Thomas Roy, Donald Slayer, Robin Terry, Roger Thompson Jr., Lora Tulloch, James Westover, and Trafton Wilbur.

We will be balloting on James Wenhart, and Joseph Miller proposed by Randy Cleary, Michelle Lang proposed by Gina Lincoln, and Albert Bertrand proposed by Joe George on January 20th.

We are sending the newsletter by e-mail, now to those who wish to have it sent that way instead of a hard copy. Anyone who wishing to have this done please send me your e-mail address to supe2312@gmail.com or drop it in my box at the lodge, and I will put you on the list.

Sally Caldwell is going to be update our web page check it out at www.elks.org and type in 2312 and hit search. If you have any news or an events get it to Sally as well as me and Jessie. E-mails are Sally's www.22wwcs@gmail.com , Jessie jsuperchi@hotmail.com , Wayne supe2312@gmail.com we will try and keep everything updated and fresh.

Dues for the year 2015-2016 will be going down \$.50 cents, regular members \$74.00 and Life membership will be \$46.00 dollars, as the Grand Lodge assessment for the Elks Came down \$.50

Coming up to an important meeting on February 2nd we will be nominating officers for the upcoming year, and on February 17th. We will be electing said officers.

Attention Members

The Past Exalted Rulers are looking into running an officer clinic for interested members who are thinking of becoming an officer of the lodge, or just any member who would like to understand the procedures or committees of our lodge. Looking at maybe one or two nights rotating stations in February. We need interested member to run this event. Any interested members please sign up at the Lodge.

Dates;

January 6th Regular meeting 7:00PM

January 13th BOD meeting 6:00PM

January 14th House Committee 5:30PM

January 20th Regular Meeting 7:00PM

January 25th PER Meeting 9:00am

February 2nd Past Exalted Rulers night with initiation.

Lodge of Sorrow Randy Miller #947 passed away

News from the Lodge:

Sorry I left James Krull's name from the Elks Training night.

Thanks to all that help with the Christmas Meal Baskets, Anita, Dottie and Jeff, Veronica, Cindy, Tina, Rob, Brooks, John, Wayne, Wayne, Jr, and Buddy. If I'm

missing someone I am sorry. Thanks' to you all. BIG THANK YOU to Market Basket of Tilton.

Don't forget to fill out your government relations forms so we can get credit for the hour, miles and cash donated there are some form at the lodge.

This time of the year let's not forget our homeless and the less fortunate bring in some non-perishable food for the box downstairs at the lodge for the homeless.

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**PLYMOUTH ELKS LODGE #2312 HOOP SHOOT CONTESTANTS ANTS
WINNERS 2014**

Girls 8-9 1st Kierra Brown Campton
 2nd Alyssa Woodward Plymouth
 Girls 10-11 1st Riley Flaherty Holderness
 2nd Hope Qualey Plymouth
 Girls 12-13 1st Leia Brunt Plymouth
 2nd Amanda Dougherty Campton

Boys 8-9 1st Oroin Browne Plymouth
 2nd Chris Rubbe Campton
 Boys 10-11 1st Hayden Whitman Plymouth
 2nd Parker Keeney Campton
 Boys 12-13 1st Marcos Morel Campton
 2nd Brenden Olivier Plymouth

Elks Care - Elks Share

Saturday 13 members and helpers from the Plymouth Elks delivered 30 Christmas baskets to needy families in the community. Thanks to Dot & Jeff, Anita, Cindy, Veronica, Rob & Tina, Buddy, Jr., Hoopa, Wayne, Brooks, Wayne for helping. With the Gratitude Grant from the Elks National Foundation, Plymouth Lodge of Elks #2312 delivered 55 food baskets between Thanksgiving and Christmas, roughly a total of 200 man-hours and 1000 miles between both events. Special thanks to Market Basket of Tilton, and the Elks National Foundation, because without these two this would not have been possible. Great Event and Great Job!!





January 2015



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<i>Important date— February 2nd Past Exalted Rulers' Night with Initiation (Nomination of Officers for the upcoming year)</i>				1 	2 Friday Night Meal TBD	3
4 Lodge hosting the Northern District Hoop Shoot	5	6 Regular Meeting @ 7p	7	8 	9 Friday Night Meal TBD	10
11 	12	13 Board Of Directors Meeting @ 6pm	14 House Comm. Mtg @5:30pm	15	16 Friday Night Meal TBD	17
18	19	20 Regular Meeting @ 7p	21	22 	23 Friday Night Meal TBD	24
25 PER Meeting @ 9am	26 	27	28	29 	30 Friday Night Meal TBD	31

HAPPY NEW YEAR