

NASHUA ELKS 720



Monthly Bulletin

JUNE, 2014

MEETINGS

Monday, June 9th and Monday, June 23rd. Meetings start at 7:30PM. Regular Order of Business. Please attend. We can use your thoughts, ideas and input as well as your vote.

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IN MEMORIAM

"The clock of his days has stopped and across its dial the motionless shadows mark the hour of eleven"

Vincent F. Tulley Sr.

Born: September 26, 1923 Initiated: November 24, 1948T Died: May 12, 2014

INITIATION & FLAG DAY SERVICES SUNAY, JUNE 8th

The Flag Day Class Initiation will begin at 3:00 pm on Sunday, June 8, 2014 and will be preceded by Indoctrination for all the candidates, their spouses and sponsors at two o'clock. Exalted Ruler Douglas J. Tremlett PER requests that all sponsors attend with their proposed candidate.

Let's make this first initiation of the new Lodge year the best ever attended by members. Our beautiful Flag Day Services will follow immediately afterwards at five o'clock and is open to your family, friends and the public to attend. A buffet dinner will be served to all in attendance after the outdoor military burning services of old and obsolete American flags.

If you have any worn or obsolete American Flags, please drop them off at the Lodge before Services.

A DUES REMINDER

Membership response has been pretty good since the last Bulletin but the unpleasant task of reminding members, who have not yet paid their current dues, continues. Please check your membership card.

If you do not have a 2014-2015 card, please mail or bring your dues in to Secretary Deborah Riney, ASAP, as your Lodge privileges are currently suspended until you do.

Members, it has been brought to the attention of the sick committee, and lodge officers, that all too often the Committee, or officers, hears about a member who has been sick at home, or in the hospital, after he is well and back home or work. We urge you to call the Lodge (888-9804x1) as soon as you know about any member who is ill, or in the hospital. It is a good idea if you tell your family that if this should happen to you to PLEASE inform the Lodge or contact one of the Lodge Officers. Esteemed Leading Knight Kelly M. Dorgan Cote is the Chairman of the Lodge's Sick and Visiting Committee.

Call her for further information at 603-396-1168

Elks BINGO Needs Your Help On THURSDAY NIGHTS At Eagle Wing Function Center

Elks BINGO, the "life blood" of the lodge's fundraising programs, goes on 52 weeks a year and because of the financial success of this program, the lodge is able to continue with many worthy projects. Under the leadership of Leading Knight Kelly Dorgan-Cote &Trustee Dave Lefebvre, this hardworking and dedicated group of Elks, Emblem Club ladies and spouses, has made this possible, but some new faces would certainly help give them a 'breather' once in a while. Again, a very special "THANK YOU" goes out to each of them from the lodge as this is the "Life Blood" of our major fundraising programs.

. PLEASE volunteer your time, even for only ONE THURSDAY a month for only a few hours from 5-8pm

<<<THERE WILL BE 4 RED CROSS BLOOD DRAWINGS AT THE ELKS IN JUNE>>>

*Thursday, June 5th & Thursday, June 19th, from 2:30 until 7:30 PM

<>There will be a 3rd Blood Drive on Monday June16th from 8:30 to 11:30 AM plus a 4th Blood Drive on Tuesday, June 24th from 8:30 to 11:30 AM











Welcome to the NH State Elks Golf TOURNAMENT

JUNE 7, 2014 8 AM START

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PRIZE'S RAFFLE'S; "HOLE IN ONE" **GREEN FEE WITH A CART \$85.00**

ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE SPLIT BETWEEN A SCHOLARSHIP IN THE NAME OF JOHN MCGRANAHAN

AND THE STATE ELKS MAJOR PROJECT COPPER CANNON

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BREAKFAST ON THE COURSE AND A BUFFET LUNCH AT THE NAHUA ELKS

AFTER THE GAME

CONTACT SHAUN MURPHY FOR MORE INFO 603-858-1384

***** MEET NASHUA 720's NEW CHAIR OFFICERS*****



Lecturing Knight Pamela M. Christophersen Trent E. Michalewicz

Loyal Knight

Leading Knight Kelley M. Dorgan-Cote

Exalted Ruler Douglas J. Tremlett

Exalted Rulers Message Hello to All Elks Members,

Thank a Veteran!



Thank you to all that participated in the annual Memorial Day Parade and a special thanks to our Esteemed Leading Knight Kelly Dorgan-Cote for leading the procession. We have several activities during the month of June, starting with June 7, 2014 when the New Hampshire State Elks golf tournament will be held at Souhegan golf course in Amherst, NH. This will benefit the newly established John F. McGranahan Scholarship and the NH State Elks major project Copper Cannon. Contact Chairman Shaun Murphy at 603-858-1384 to register.

Sunday June 8th is Initiation of new candidates at 3:00 pm and Flag Day Services by the officers at five o'clock. Boy Scout Troop 410 will again be assisting with the pageantry of flags, followed by a special guest speaker and the retiring of our Elks American flag outside and the disposal of worn and obsolete American Flags in the military burning services outside. There will be a buffet dinner for everyone attending the services.

I would like to congratulate our new NH State State Elks President Sandra Shene from Laconia. Check to see if your dues are paid until April 1st, 2015 and if not, come down and see our Secretary Deborah Riney.

We always need help at Bingo on Thursday nights, if only for a few hours. Contact me at bdtrem@gmail.com or 603-204-3705 if you would like to help. The Nashua Soup Kitchen needs help every week cooking, serving and cleaning up. Call Chairman Sherrie Michalewicz at 603-318-8424.

<+>Elks Care~Elks Share. Exalted Ruler. Douglas J. Tremlett PER<+>

As Long As There Are Veterans, The Elks Will Never Forget Them"

ELKS NATIONAL VETERANS SERVICE

All members & friends are invited to join in and help with BINGO for those who gave so much. Schedule for monthly BINGO'S at the NH Veterans Home in Tilton & VA Hospital in Manchester are: <u>Tilton Veterans Home</u> – The June Bingo will be held on the 10th (2nd Tuesday of the month). Departure time from the Nashua Elks Lodge is 5:30 PM

Regular Bingo Visit to the Manchester VA is Monday, June 16th. Depart at 6:30 pm from lodge.

Manchester VA Picnic -- June Picnic is scheduled for Wednesday, June 18th. Departure time from Nashua Lodge is 10:30 AM. Please join us and help cook and serve the veterans....

Regular visit to the Tilton Veterans Home took place on May 8th with Rochester Elks #1393 hosting.

Regular monthly visit to the VA Hospital in Manchester took place on May19th^t. Nashua Lodge #720

was represented by Chairman Jack Balch, Steve Ordway, Raymond and Beverly Snee. They were joined by Emblem Club Past President Marion L. Savage. As always, they all helped make the veterans very happy by their presence and assistance.. Dover Lodge #184 was the host lodge

American Flags Placed on Veterans' Graves

Over 5,000 American Flags were placed on Veterans' graves in thirteen cemeteries in Nashua and two cemeteries in Hudson on the Saturday prior to Memorial Day. Picking up and cleaning for storage of all the flags took place on the following Saturday, May 31st.

This project was successfully accomplished due to the efforts of the Elks Veterans Flag Committee, the Nashua Emblem Club #170, members, the Rainbow Girls, Boy Scout Troops 6, 410, 261 & 272, the Unitarian Church Youth Groups and the Alvirine AFJ ROTC. Past Exalted Ruler and Past District Deputy Bert Faucher, Chairman, extends his many thanks to all the volunteers for helping continue this very worthwhile and touching 'remembrance' to our deceased veterans.

TWO NOMINATIONS FOR LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Two members, who have reached the age of 65 and paid dues for the past thirty consecutive years were nominated for Life Membership by Secretary Deborah Riney at the May 12th meeting.

Robert A. Guidaboni: Member #3642. Born: April 30, 1941. Initiated: April 25, 1981
Robert A. Palmer: Member #4648. Born: January 27, 1940. Initiated: March 22, 1983
Balloting will take place at the June 9, 2014 regular meeting.



NASHUA LODGE OF ELKS # 720 FLAG DAY-INITIATION PROGRAM - JUNE 8th, 2014



2:00 PM - INDOCTRINATION

Indoctrination of candidates, families & sponsors prior to initiation, so they may become fully informed as to the good works of the Order of Elks.

3:00 PM - INITIATION

Officers, Elks, Sponsors and their candidates:

5:00 PM - FLAG DAY SERVICES

Officers, Elks, Families and Guests
Flag Day Service by Lodge Officers,
Pageantry of Flags assisted by the Boy Scouts
of America Troop 410
History of the Flag:.... George H. Smith, PER
DDGER NH South

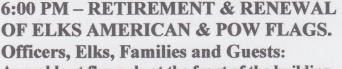
Response to History: Albert W. Savage,

PER, PSP, PDD, HLM Guest Soloist: Barbara Puder

Guest Organist:..... Francine Davis
Guest Speaker:....Kimberly A. Crider

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USAF hall. Everyone is invi



Assemble at flag pole at the front of the building New American and POW/MIA Flags donated by the Nashua Emblem Club #170 Old Flags will be retired and properly disposed of by the American Legion James E. Coffey Post #3

6:15 PM – OUTDOOR FLAG RETIREMENT CEREMONY

Officers, Elks, Families and Guests Assemble in parking lot at north side of building A ceremonial retirement of worn and obsolete flags by the American Legion James E. Coffey Post #3.

6:45 PM - FLAG DAY DINNER

A Buffet style dinner will be served in the lodge hall. Everyone is invited to attend



FLAG DAY COMMITTEE

Kelly M. Dorgan-Cote, Esteemed Leading Knight, Chairman Albert W. Savage, PER, PSP, PDD, HLM David R. Lefebvre, Trustee



SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL THE VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS WHO POST THEIR COLORS
"WE ARE PROUD TO BE AMERICANS" COME "ELKDOM STRENGTHENS AMERICA"

"I Pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic, for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."















"We should never despair, our Situation before has been unpromising and has changed for the better, so I trust, it will again. If new difficulties arise, we must only put forth new Exertions and proportion our Efforts to the exigency of the times." —George Washington

THE FOUNDATION: "Religion and good morals are the only solid foundation of public liberty and happiness." —Samuel Adams

How wonderful it is that nobody needs to wait a single moment before starting to improve the world. – Anne Frank

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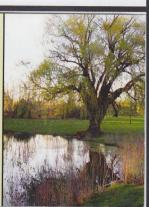
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