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Dear Members,

It is my great pleasure to announce that through our efforts and your support, we were able to present a check to the American Cancer Society and The Make A Wish foundation for \$1,000 each. This is what being an Elk is all about. The money was raised during the Rick K and the Allnighters dance. Mark your calendars, they will be back on March 17th, 2012. I also want to thank you for making the labor day pig roast a great success. We will be having another pig roast before this lodge year is over. Details will be available soon.

October Events

Monday, Oct 3
LOTEA meeting

Friday, Oct 7
CRAB FEED

Friday, Oct 14
Indoctrination Dinner

Sunday, Oct. 16
LOTEA Bonanza

Friday, Oct 28
Halloween in the Dining Room

I mentioned in last months bulletin that food prices were being reviewed. The decision has been made to increase prices. The increases are minimal and will help to offset the continually rising prices we pay for the food. Everyone of us has seen and been affected by these rising prices in our homes over the last several years. The lodge is not immune to these rising cost and action was necessary. We will continue to keep prices as low as possible.

Please excuse the mess in the ballroom as the renovation continues. It is starting to look really nice and when finished will be one of the nicest facilities in the area. This will enable us to attract and retain customers well into the future. The trustees are doing a great job getting this project completed. There will be a new sign installed out front in the near future. It is a digital sign that will enable us to advertise our events on one of the busiest roads in Washington County.

It has been brought to my attention that we have members signing the drawing books for members who are not present. This is not an acceptable practice and charges can be brought against a member for these actions. I hope this is last time this needs addressed.

If anyone is interested in playing Wii bowling, please sign up at the bar. Once we determine how much interest there is, we will get a league set up.

William Bachtell
Exalted Ruler 2011-2012



November Events

Monday, Nov 7
LOTEA meeting

Thursday, Nov 24
Thanksgiving/Buffer

Monday, Nov 28
ENF Basket Bingo

LODGE HOURS

Hours will be addressed by the board and adjusted as necessary.

Monday thru Thursday 11-11 Friday & Saturday 11-12 Sunday 11-8

Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the Month

Board Meeting 7:00 pm

Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the Month

Lodge Meeting 7:30 pm

Thursdays

Bingo - Doors open at 5:30



SUNDAY BRUNCHES ARE BACK 11 am - 1:15 pm

Adults: \$11.95 Children: 6-12 yrs. \$6.00

Children 5 yrs & under—Free



Officers 2011-2012

Exalted Ruler	William Bachtell
Est. Leading Knight	Eric Burnette
Est. Loyal Knight	Terry Grove
Est. Lecturing Knight	Linda Cauldell
Secretary	Nina Garrett
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Inner Guard	Ed Taylor
Chaplain	Dorothy M. Miller
Presiding Justice	Arthur Schneider
Organist	Jim Powers

Trustees

David L. Kauffman, PER
 Waler Shepherd, PER
 Bernie Brusko
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Living Past Exalted Rulers

Irwin F. Hoffman 1956-57	W. Lee Ridenour 1997-98
Ronald L. Miller 1960-61	James G. Ensminger 1998-99
Charles L. Mobley, Jr. 1964-65	Joseph H. Shaw 1999-00
Charles R. Miller 1966-67	Robert B. O'Kane 2000-01
Terry L. Chrisman 1974-75	David L. Kauffman 2001-02
John A. Werking 1976-77	Michael E. Barnes 2003-04
Laurin E. Potter, Jr. 1979-80	G. Gerald Morrow 2004-05
Kenny Maynard 1980-81	Scott A. Wishard 2005-06
Mark F. Pryor, Jr. 1983-84	Joseph A. Barresi, Jr. 2006-07
Francis P. Clopper 1984-85	James Burroughs 2007-08
Terry R. Grossnickle 1985-86	Bryan Kenworthy 2008-09
David B. Shrader 1986-87	Waler L. Shepherd 2009-10
George W. Hamilton 1987-89	Melita E. Wishard 2010-11
Gary Shindledecker 1989-90	
Walter R. Miller, Jr. 1990-91	
Gregory A. Wilkes 1992-93	
Joseph Beach 1993-94	
Charles Koenke, Jr. 1994-95	
J. Robert Hyssong, Jr. 1995-96	
Waler L. Shepherd 1996-97	

Buffet Breakfast

**Every Saturday
 Cost \$6.75**

Starts 7:30 am until 10 am.

All you can eat.

**Bloody Mary's & Mimosa's
 will be available**

**Breakfast coupons will be offered.
 Buy 9/10th one free.**

MITCH



0 HOUR

Note: To win the "0" hour you have to be present at the lodge meeting, been admitted to a nursing home, working or attending an Elk function.

September 2011

Daniel M. O'Connell	3230
Donald L. Newbraugh	3973
Bruce Wolf	5856
Theodore Reeder	5685
John Rudy	5796
Bernard Zaborowski	5952
Daniel Keyser	3513

DEATHS

James R. Adenhardt

Born: October 28, 1936
 Initiated: February 24, 1966
 Died: August 11, 2011

Thomas F. Hall

Born: December 27, 1931
 Initiated: September 25, 1984
 Died: August 17, 2011

Richard M. Stenger

Born: November 22, 1918
 Initiated: November 25, 1980
 Died: September 4, 2011

H. Andrew Hamilton

Born: November 17, 1925
 Initiated: June 24, 1997
 Died: August 13, 2011

Edward L. Anders, Sr.

Born: February 20, 1934
 Initiated: October 7, 1975
 Died: August 31, 2011

Scholarships

Through its three scholarship programs, the Elks National Foundation awards more than \$3.6 million a year in college scholarships.

Legacy Awards are \$4,000 scholarships (\$1,000 per year for four years). The Foundation will offer a total of up to 250 awards. Any child or grandchild (or step-child, step-grandchild, or legal ward) of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2009, or a charter member of a Lodge that was instituted on or after April 1, 2009, is eligible to apply. The Elk must also be a paid-up member through March 31, 2012. Great-grandchildren are not eligible. The student must complete and submit the ONLINE application by **12:00 p.m. (noon) Central Standard Time on the February 1, 2012, deadline.**

The **2012 Most Valuable Student** application is due **December 2, 2011 by 6pm** to the Local Hagerstown Elks Lodge. The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants in the 2012 competition. Any high school senior who is a citizen of the United States is eligible to apply. Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks. College students are not eligible to apply. Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are signed; permanent legal resident status does not qualify. Male and female students compete separately.

Please go to www.elks.org/ENF/scholars for further information on these scholarships or contact your local Elks Lodge.

G. Gerald Morrow PDDGER
 Scholarship Chair

Material for The Antlers may be placed in the bulletin mail slot outside the lodge office. Deadline for handwritten material is the **5th** for the following month. Material may also be emailed to: wbachtell@comcast.net (Subject: first word "ELKS") by the **10th** for the following month. **Letters to the Editor** MUST include the submitter's name and membership number.

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Ladies of The Elks and Associates

The Ham Sandwich and Apple Dumpling Sale ends September 26th, 4 PM. Be sure you have given your orders to Grace Hull (301-733-9669) by that date. We will be assembling the sandwiches October 3rd, at 8 AM. The apple dumplings will be packaged by the maker so that makes it easy for us to deliver. We need volunteers for the assembling of the ham sandwiches as usual.

The Bonanza is October 16th. The doors open at 11 AM. Arrive by 10:30 a.m. to help with final setup. We can still use people to walk the floor and sell tip jars. This is where we make the money from the bonanza. Contact me to volunteer.

The Annual Christmas Bazaar which will be held on November 12th. I have full floor of vendors for the day. Set up for the Bazaar will be Friday, November 11th at 9 AM. We need volunteers to work on that date setting up tables and chairs as well as on Saturday early in the morning. We open the doors at 7 AM. Mark your calendars and plan on what you would like to make for our lunch counter or/and our sweet table. Gary Carter is handling the food end of the Bazaar and he needs volunteers to work and serve food. Contact him to volunteer or donate at his restaurant (301-790-0030). Ginny Rodgers needs donations for the Sweet Table. Please bring them in on Friday or Saturday early. All of the proceeds will go to charities in our county.

We have the king sized handmade quilt embroidered by several of our talented members for which we are raffling off at the Bazaar. You received your raffle tickets at the September Dinner Meeting, if you need more contact Dottie Miller (301-733-8849). We usually make a third of our profits at the bazaar with this raffle so let's do our best. (If you can't sell them make a gesture and buy them yourself as many of us do.)

Nina Garrett, President
301-733-9509
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LADIES OF THE ELKS & ASSOCIATES LODGE # 378 BONANZA



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2011
DOORS OPEN AT 11:00
BAR OPENS AT 12:00



FREE MIXED DRINKS (NO SHAKER OR TOP SHELF)
FREE GUN SODAS AND BOTTLED BEER

DINNER SERVED AT 1:00
HOMEMADE CAKE FOR DESSERT

TICKET #1 WILL BE RAFFLED OFF AND PLACED IN BARREL W/ LAST 10 TICKETS
1st DRAWING AND EVERY 10th DRAWING \$ 25.00

100th DRAWING \$ 100.00
200th DRAWING \$ 200.00
300th DRAWING \$ 3,000.00



COST OF TICKET \$ 25.00 PER PERSON
ADMITS TICKET HOLDER AND ONE GUEST



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FOR TICKETS CALL NINA (301) 733-9509 or LODGE (301) 739-0844
MEMBERS AND THEIR GUESTS USE DOOR # 6

Message From Finance

The "Treasure Chest" Drawing is back!! Tickets for the drawing to be held September 21st, which is "Elks Birthday Night" in September will go on sale at the Bar on Wednesday September 14th. The drawings will be held each Wednesday evening at 7:30pm. I have lined up a great team of helpers so that the drawing will go smooth. We will have the rules for everyone to review so you no what you can win. We will also have some surprises for those present the evenings of the drawing. Some other nice prizes like maybe 5 lb of shrimp to 2 nice steaks or like drink tickets and discounted meal tickets. You know I like to give away things but please show up to help us pay for all of those things.

Join us for the first and every drawing and don't forget to buy tickets. You must buy a minimum of two tickets for \$2.00 and then you can buy more for \$1.00 each. You may purchase tickets up till 7pm the night of each drawing.

I thank our bartenders for their support in selling the tickets and also my helpers who have volunteered to help with the drawings and thanks to those who ran this before who will be training us. I especially thank Joni for her support.

Monday night football is about to begin and we will be having food for sale each Monday night when the game begins and the bar will stay open till the game is over if everyone stays. JFK will have the football pools for all to participate in and win money while they watch the game. The first Monday night game is September 12th and that's win we will kick-off our parties around the bar. That first Monday night we will be having Meatball Subs and we will follow that up with Taco's on September 19th, Chili and Hot Dogs on Sept 26th, Cold Cut Subs on October 3rd, Steamers on October 10th, Meatball Subs on October 17, and Cold Cuts Subs on October 24th. We will wrap up October with Taco's again on October 31st. If you have any suggestions on other food please let me know. You are also welcome to bring in a covered dish on any Monday night to go along with what ever we are having.

Finance is always looking for helpers. If you can help me at Finance functions or Bill Humm at Bingo please let me know. 302-964-1606 is the number to call or see me at the Lodge

Linda Caudell

PER PIZZA NIGHT IS BACK

October 3, November 7 and December 5 (all first Mondays of the month)

5:00PM to 7:00PM

Price: \$6.00 per person (9 years old and up),
\$3.00 per child (4 years to 8 years old), children under 4 years old are free.

All the cheese and pepperoni pizza you can eat on
the premises between 5:00PM-7:00PM. No takeouts.

Everyone must have ticket purchased at the door (no exceptions).

Price includes draft beer and gun sodas. Bring a prospective member with a completed membership application and check for the initiation fee and the member bringing the guest and his/her guest eat pizza free compliments of the PER Association.

Reservations are welcomed by calling the Lodge office.

Pizza nights are sponsored by the PER Association in support of the PER Association's charitable works.

"On a funny side"

Recently when I went to the lodge for dinner, I noticed inside activities has once again started. Watching the people play WII bowling is actually very entertaining. Participating in the bowling is a great way to have fun. While there I witnessed the ER Bill Bachtell get "whooped" by a 103 pins out of 5 games total. I was thinking "**WOW**" that girl whose name, I think starts with a "**T**", can really bowl and she doesn't even gloat about it.

Signed
Anonymous

OCTOBER 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					30 LUNCH-DINING RM	1 LUNCH-DINING RM BREAKFAST BUFFET Crab Imperial Stuffed Pork Chops
2 BAR BINGO 5-7:30 PM SUNDAY BRUNCH 11 TO 1:15	3 LODGE OPENS 11 AM	4 LODGE OPENS 11 AM BOARD MTING 7 PM	5 LUNCH-DINING RM CHICKEN BUFFET	6 LUNCH-DINING RM BINGO 5:30 PM CHICKEN/SURPRISE BUFFET	7 LUNCH-DINING RM Stuffed Flounder Meatloaf w/gravy	8 LUNCH-DINING RM BREAKFAST BUFFET
9 BAR BINGO 5-7:30 PM SUNDAY BRUNCH 11 TO 1:15	10 LODGE OPENS 11 AM	11 LODGE OPENS 11AM LODGE MTING 7:30 PM	12 LUNCH-DINING RM CHICKEN BUFFET	13 LUNCH-DINING RM BINGO 5:30 PM CHICKEN/SURPRISE BUFFET	14 LUNCH-DINING RM Shrimp/Haddock Combo Stuffed Chicken Breast	15 LUNCH-DINING RM BREAKFAST BUFFET
16 BAR BINGO 5-7:30 PM SUNDAY BRUNCH 11 TO 1:15	17 LODGE OPENS 11 AM	18 LODGE OPENS 11 AM BOARD MTING 7 PM	19 LUNCH-DINING RM ELKS BIRTHDAY DINNER	20 LUNCH-DINING RM BINGO 5:30 PM CHICKEN/SURPRISE BUFFET	21 LUNCH-DINING RM 14 oz Delmonico Chicken Oscar	22 LUNCH-DINING RM BREAKFAST BUFFET
23 BAR BINGO 5-7:30 PM SUNDAY BRUNCH 11 TO 1:15	24 LODGE OPENS 11 AM	25 LODGE OPENS 11AM LODGE MTING 7:30 PM	26 LUNCH-DINING RM CHICKEN BUFFET	27 LUNCH-DINING RM BINGO 5:30 PM CHICKEN/SURPRISE BUFFET	28 LUNCH-DINING RM Crab cake/Salmon Combo Pork/Sauerkraut	29 LUNCH-DINING RM BREAKFAST BUFFET
30 BAR BINGO 5-7:30 PM SUNDAY BRUNCH 11 TO 1:15	31 LODGE OPENS 11 AM					



HAPPY BIRTHDAY MEMBERS



The Officers and Members of Hagerstown Lodge No. 378 cordially invite all Elks having birthdays on this month to a dinner held in your honor.

October Birthday Buffet Wednesday, October 19, 2011

TICKETS REQUIRED - pick up in person or order by mail

Deadline for Reservations - Monday, October 17, 2011 No Phone Reservations / No Refunds after Tuesday, October 18, 2011

ELK MEMBERS ONLY NO TAKEOUTS

*Please Do Not Remove Name Signs From Tables All Guests Must Be Elk Members in Good Standing
Cost for Each Guest - \$7.50*

OCTOBER BIRTHDAY BUFFET DINNER

**CHICKEN, SCROD
POTATO
VEGETABLE, AMISH MAC SALAD
ICE CREAM & CAKE**

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY BUFFET DINNER

**CHICKEN, HAM w/PINEAPPLE
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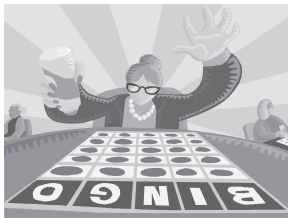
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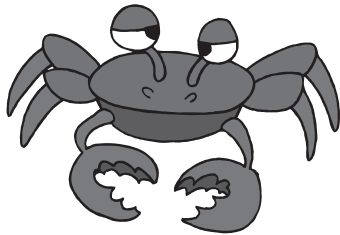
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CRAB FEEDS

Oct. 7, 2011
\$35.00 PER PERSON
DOORS OPEN AT 5:30

CASH BAR

FOOD AT 6

CRABS AT 6:30
provided by Chic Burkett

CRAB SOUP
MAC SALAD
SHRIMP, CHICKEN
DRAFT BEER AND GUN SODA



HALLOWEEN IN THE DINING ROOM
FRIDAY OCTOBER 28

HAVE DINNER WITH US AND ENJOY OUR EMPLOYEES
AND MEMBERS IN THEIR COSTUMES

Complimentary cake and cider

Balloon night at 6:30 until ??
 Pick a balloon for 25 cents win a prize
 Will you be treated or tricked
 Join us for an evening of fun

