



Members All,

I would like to begin this message by thanking everyone for allowing me the privilege of being your Exalted Ruler and allowing me the opportunity to represent Laramie Lodge at the Grand Lodge convention in San Antonio, Texas, earlier this July. While the weather was a bit toasty, I was able to visit with many other states and get a better understanding of how invaluable the Elks are within our nation.

The Elks has helped fundraise and donate to victims of natural disasters, families in need, scholarships, drug awareness programs, and of course, we have helped so many veterans in need. We should all be proud to be a part of this wonderful organization. In a reflection of pride, our members continue to amaze me with their willingness to volunteer, even when we are on a deadline. The Jubilee Days event, which included a patio party sponsored by Mulligans Pub, breakfast burritos before the parade, burgers on the grill after the parade, drink specials, and a festive float to represent us in the parade itself, would not have been possible without the help of our employees, volunteers, cooks, and members. I thank all of you for your help and commend each of you on such a successful event.

I would like to conclude this message by encouraging our members to continue volunteering and coming forward with all of their fantastic ideas. The success of our lodge is due to our many members that help make these events possible, and I am honored to be the Exalted Ruler of such an outstanding lodge.

Happy Summer everyone.

Fraternally yours,

Francesca Cocco
Exalted Ruler

STEAK NIGHT!

Marshall will be grilling steaks August 3rd and August 17th.



HELP NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to help remove shelving in the kitchen and help with other kitchen clean-up tasks. Watch the Lodge for flyers or contact Debbie Cheesbrough for details on how you can help.



Queen of Hearts

Feeling lucky? The Queen of Hearts pot is growing! Call the Lodge to find out how much is in the pot. Tickets go on sale **each Thursday at 5 pm and drawings are held at 6:30 pm**; you must be present to win. Be prepared to show your membership card when purchasing tickets.



2018-2019 Officers

Exalted Ruler—Francesca Cocco	307-460-0565
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Trustees:

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2-year trustee—Gina Cookson	307-399-4601
3-year trustee—Paul Botkin	307-761-2051
4-year trustee—Erica Mazurie	307-760-8344
5-year trustee—Deb Cheesbrough	307-760-6311

House Committee:

Brian Peach	512-845-1733
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Dave Cheesbrough	307-399-2688
Amie Egge	307-760-1078
Heather Beckham	307-399-8550

Club Manager:

Danielle Cocco	307-460-8581
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In Memoriam

Sadly, since our last newsletter, we have lost Jack Phillips.

Our thoughts and prayers are with his family.



LODGE MEETING UPDATES:

At the June 12, 2018 meeting, the proposal to raise the Treasurers salary from \$100 to \$300 per month passed on the floor. This by-law revision was submitted to the Judiciary Committee for review.

Bar cameras were also discussed and it was voted that the cameras focused on the bar area will be adjusted away from members and toward entry doors. A monitor will also be installed at the bar so bartenders are able to see camera feeds so they can see if someone is near the entry doors.

COMMUNITY GIVING

Members of the Elks helped cook and roll more than 4,000 enchiladas for the Eppson Center for Seniors fundraiser.

The Elks Lodge #582 helped in obtaining a Gratitude Grant to benefit The Eppson Center. The donation will be used for upcoming maintenance at the Senior Center.



Dennis Craig, Eppson Executive Director Tammy Comer, Lana Craig and Carol and Jack Oppie present the donation to the Eppson Center.



At Laramie Elks Lodge #582

Events Calendar

August

- 2 Queen of Hearts
- 3 **Steaks by Marshall**
- 9 Queen of Hearts
- 16 Queen of Hearts
- 17 **Steaks by Marshall**
- 28 **Lodge Meeting 7 p.m.**
- 23 Queen of Hearts
- 30 Queen of Hearts

September

- 3 **Labor Day**
The Lodge is Open
- 7 Queen of Hearts
- 9 **Lodge Meeting 7 p.m.**
- 14 Queen of Hearts
- 21 Queen of Hearts
- 5 **Lodge Meeting 7 p.m.**
- 28 Queen of Hearts

Welcome Reinstated Members!

Robert Page
David Thomason

If you know someone that is interested in joining, please share a membership application. Help our Lodge grow by sponsoring a new member today!

Know anyone on the delinquent list? Please encourage them to pay their dues so they don't miss out on all the fun! A delinquent list is posted at the Lodge. Only current members have access to the Lodge.

Save 50 cents per drink during happy hour specials:

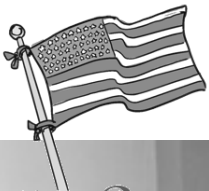
Mon/Wed/Fri 5-7:00 p.m.
&
Sat/Sun 3-5:00 p.m.

It's
HAPPY HOUR
COME & JOIN US



Bucket of '5' Beers

Stop in for a bucket O'Beer—\$12 per bucket of five mix and match beers: Bud, Bud Light, Coors, Coors Light, Miller Light, or MGD.



Thank you to everyone that came out on Flag Day and the scout troops for all their help!

Flag Day



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Lodge Hours*

Monday thru Thursday

3 pm—9 pm

Friday

3 pm—10:30 pm

Saturday

1 pm—10:00 pm

Sunday

1 pm—7pm

*Hours are subject to
change with special
activities and as business
warrants.

Elks Care, Elks Share

Newsletter Options

The Trustees / House Committee have determined that anyone that signed an E-mail Authorization Form will not receive the newsletter by postal mail.

You have the following three options for newsletter delivery: 1) postal mail; 2) e-mail; or 3) both postal mail and e-mail.

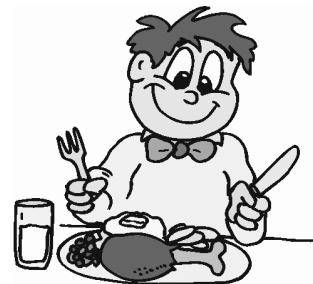
If you have already signed the E-mail Authorization Form and would like to receive your newsletter by any of the above options, please send an e-mail to laramieelks@bresnan.net to inform me of your wishes.

If you have **not** signed the form, no further action is necessary and you will still get the newsletter in the mail.

Monday & Friday Night Dinners

Test your cooking skills on the Elks crowd!

We are looking for volunteers to cook and serve Monday & Friday night dinners. Please contact an officer if you are interested and willing to volunteer.



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