

# B.P.O. ELKS LODGE #1611



“A FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION”



## NEWSLETTER

### JULY & AUGUST. 2024

#### LODGE OFFICERS — 2024 - 2025

EXALTED RULER ..... Bob Posner  
 LEADING KNIGHT ..... Amber Zeller  
 LOYAL KNIGHT ..... Beanie Forster  
 LECTURING KNIGHT ..... Tim McIsaac  
 ESQUIRE ..... Jessica McIsaac  
 CHAPLAIN ..... Brian Foss  
 INNER GUARD ..... Nancy Posner  
 TILER ..... Barbara Wright  
 SECRETARY ..... Justin Baily  
 TREASURER ..... Jim Forster

5 - YR. TRUSTEE..... Ed Spearing  
 4 - YR. TRUSTEE..... Brad Smith  
 3 - YR. TRUSTEE ..... John Rimbey  
 2 - YR. TRUSTEE ..... Austin Frankson  
 1 - YR. TRUSTEE ..... Jerry Fritz

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#### LODGE MEETINGS:

The Second and Fourth Wednesdays  
 of Each Month, except July & August.  
 Dinner: 6:00 PM Meeting: 7:00 PM

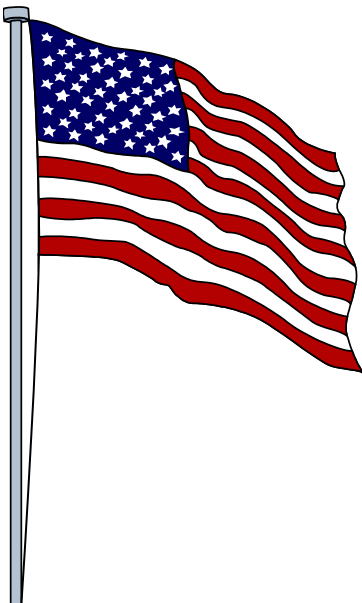
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#### CLUB OPERATION HOURS:

Monday – Saturday: 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM\*  
 Sunday: 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM\*  
 \*or later if business warrants.

CLUB TELEPHONE: 587-3296  
 Manager: Jessica McIsaac



Visit our Facebook Page  
 Cody Elks

## APPLICATIONS FOR BALLOT

All applications will be posted on the bulletin board near the front entrance. Our investigation committee Chair is Laura Laughlin, any questions about an application can be referred to her. **Please note that if you propose someone, you need to attend a meeting and speak for them.** Balloting for that candidate will take place at the next scheduled meeting. Initiation will take place at the following meeting. Please make sure that all applications are legible and have a working phone number. Also each application requires \$25 to be attached. If you have any question please talk to our Secretary or any other Lodge Officer.

## NEW MEMBERS

Exalted Ruler **Bob Posner** and the Cody Lodge Officers initiated Members during initiations during the last few months. We **WELCOME** these New Members to Cody Lodge and hope to see them often at our future Lodge and Social Functions



**“Notice—Dinner Prices”**  
**Due to increase price of groceries - dinner prices will be determined**

**Saturday August 10th**

**“Greg Senitte”**

**“Annual Memorial”**

**CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT**



## Exalted Ruler’s Message

Greetings to all our wonderful Elks Members! Happy Summer to all and I hope everyone gets out and enjoys our beautiful weather. July and August are still busy around the Lodge. We will be having Wednesday Nights on the Lawn until the end of August. Great music and food for all to enjoy. Tuesday evening meals will be suspended until September. We will continue having great dinners on Friday evenings. Don’t forget the great Chili Cook-off in July. I’m sure we will have a great turnout as always. Remember, it’s all for charity. Come out and bring your favorite chili recipe and participate or simply come out and enjoy some great food. The 4<sup>th</sup> of July will be busy at the Lodge as well. Burger bar on the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>. We are also cooking tacos for the band kids who are in the parade. Volunteers are needed to help with all the food preparation. Several of us are going to the Grand Lodge Convention during this time, so volunteer help would be greatly appreciated. Best wishes for a fantastic summer!



Bob Posner

## Saturday Nights

### Meeting Night Reminder

Just a reminder that every 2nd and 4th Wednesday, between September and July, the service at the bar is required to be shut down during the “Lodge Meeting”. This is required by the Elks Grand Lodge Statutes.

**Section 16.090.** *All Homes, Clubs, Club Rooms and Social Parlors shall be closed during the hours of all regular and special meetings of the Lodge, except those facilities thereof designated for the use of and then being used only by the non-Member spouses and minor children of the Members of the Lodge, providing the use does not interfere with the proper functioning of Lodge meeting. Any Lodge violating this Section under any pretext whatever shall be liable to a forfeiture of its Charter.*

## Party on the Lawn

Join the Elks every Wednesday night for the "Party on the Lawn" Opens at 5:00 pm. Below is the schedule of live music.

### July

3rd - North Fork Highway  
10th - Jeff Sandvik  
17th - Lunatic Fringe  
24th - Rhino Skin  
31st - Rowdy Uncle

### August

7th - North Fork Highway  
14th - Wrong Bus  
21st - Rhino Skin  
28th - Rowdy Uncle

**Elks Care — Elks Share**



Cody Elks Lodge  
presents the

Supporting All  
Veterans,  
Military Personnel  
& their Families

# 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Cody Wild West Chili Cook-Off

Saturday  
July 27, 2024

CHILI COOKS  
WANTED!

VENDORS  
WANTED!

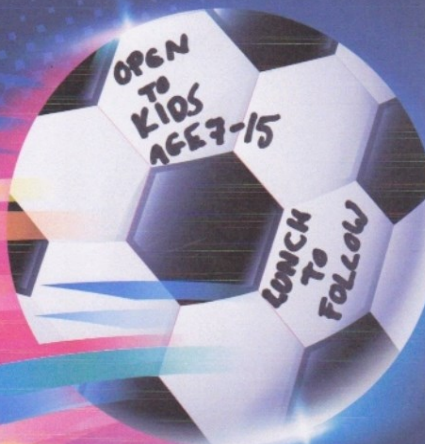
Elks Lodge lawn  
1202 Beck Avenue, Cody

-- over \$2,100 in cash payouts + non-cash prizes --

- 7:30am -- Cooking begins
- 10:30am -- Gates open -- \$5 for tasting cup
- 11:00am -- Judged Entries turned in
- 11:00am -- Tasting & People's Choice Voting Begins
- 1:30pm -- People's Choice Voting Ends
- 2:00pm -- Winners Announced  
Judges' Choice, People's Choice  
Best Booth, Best Apron

Vendors Beer Garden Music  
Kids' Scavenger Hunt

For more information go to [freydavette@yahoo.com](mailto:freydavette@yahoo.com)  
call or text 307-899-4986  
Cody Wild West Chili Cook-off Facebook



## ELKS SOCCER SHOOT

AGE

COMPETITION DATE: AUGUST 24<sup>th</sup>  
 TIME: 10:00AM  
 LOCATION: ELKS LAWN  
1202 BECK AVE, CODY  
 SPONSORED BY: # CODY ELKS 1611



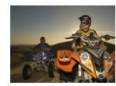



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## 25th Annual ELKS ANGELS 4-WHEELER POKER RUN



IN THE BEAUTIFUL  
BIG HORN MOUNTAINS  
AUG 29th TO SEPT 3rd, 2024

Campsite is At:

Intersection of FS Rd 31 and  
FS Rd 673 / 618

Great Ride on Friday & Saturday  
Poker Run—Sunday  
Dinner Provided Sunday Evening

ALL FOR THE CHILDREN  
OF OUR VETERANS  
AND CURRENT MILITARY

For More Information Contact

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> > > **IN MEMORIUM** < < <

The Members of Cody Lodge are saddened by the recent passing of our Members that passed away this year or reported to us this year.

*“The Vacant Chair”*

*We shall meet, but we shall miss him,  
There will be the vacant chair,  
But though we no more possess him,  
Still our hearts his memory bear.  
But a while ago we gathered,  
Friendship beaming in each eye,  
Now the golden cord is severed,  
He has passed to realms on high.*

**TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS . . . .**

(Members Placed on the Elks Memorial Board)

<i>Michael D Wheeler</i>	<i>Joseph R Preator</i>
<i>Robert F Kurtz</i>	<i>Mick Blank</i>
<i>Addison Bennett</i>	<i>Paul N Peters</i>
<i>Donald Pearson</i>	<i>Tod Schrednitz</i>
<i>Robert W Stevens</i>	<i>Keith Lofquist</i>
<i>James E Nielson</i>	<i>Paul M Wheeler</i>
<i>Ron K Knapp</i>	<i>James M Johnson</i>

