SHENANDOAH ELKS LODGE #1122 October 2014 Newsletter

Elks National Foundation Month

Shenandoah Elks Lodge ENF Fundraiser Friday, October 24th – 6:30 – 8 p.m. BBQ Rib Dinner with Potatoes and Cole Slaw \$10 per person

All proceeds will be for our Shenandoah Lodge Elks National Foundation Fund Come join us for this special Barbecue event Great fellowship supporting a Great Cause

Members and Guests Welcome

To date Shenandoah Lodge has donated \$2,215.70 to the Elks National Foundation which puts us at \$6.96 per member. Last year Iowa Elks donated \$62,071.69 to the ENF and as a state received back \$121,040. That is a return of \$1.95 for every dollar donated. That does not include \$68,000 awarded to 26 Iowa Lodges through the Community Investment Program.

Shenandoah Lodge so far this year will be awarded \$6,000 in grant money to be used in our community. How's that for an investment in this area?

Now ask yourselves do you want to help support the programs that Elks do every year? Do you want to help the youth with Drug Awareness, Hoop Shoot, Poster Contests, Americanism Essays, help the Veterans with our support of the VA Hospitals, and help with all the good works that our Order of Elks does?

Giving to the Elks National Foundation does that.

Roger McQueen, Shenandoah Lodge ENF chairman

Lodge Happenings for October

>Ladies Bridge October 2nd and 16th

>Ladies Pitch October 7th and 21st

>Veterans' Supper October 6th Cocktails at 5:30 p.m. Supper at 6:30 p.m.

>Couples Evening Pitch October 15th

>House Committee Meeting October 21st

>Couples Night October 23rd

Bring your spouse or guests to enjoy the evening

Enjoy a game or two of Farkle – Also Texas Hold'em

Dining Room Menu for Thursday Nites

October 2nd – Meeting Night Pot Roast October 9th – Stag Night – Hamburger Steak October 16th – Meeting Night – Pork Cutlet October 23rd – Couples Night – Fried Chicken October 30th – *Potluck Supper* (Meat Provided) BRING YOUR FAVORITE COVERED DISH

Exalted Ruler Charles Hall

Mid-Year Lodge Report

Since I was installed as your exalted ruler the first half of our Elk's Lodge year has been very busy. Shenandoah was named Lodge of the Year for the Iowa Southwest District at our Spring Convention in Des Moines.

The dining room has been repaired and repainted. We have been approved for three different grants from the Elks National Foundation due to our contributions. However, we need to continue our giving and support in order to meet our lodge goal for this year.

Be sure to check out our new web page (shenelks.org) to keep up with all of our activities. Bob Iske did a great job developing it for us.

As we head into the fall season I encourage everyone to recruit a new member so we can meet the goal of +1 on membership. We have many activities and projects planned for the remainder of the year so mark your calendar, bring a friend and help support your lodge.

Fraternally, Charles Hall, ER

Elks Get Involved -:- Have Your Say -:- Make a Difference

Chicken Buffet Sunday, October 5th

Dinners served from 11 a.m. 'til 1:00 p.m. Dave Wiebold, Chairman

Other Upcoming Events

Hunter Safety Classes – Oct. 1st, 7th & 8th Red Cross Blood Drive – October 13th Southwest Iowa Pioneers – October 17th

Elks Fish Fry is another success

Thanks to Kevin Tiemeyer and volunteers some \$400 above food costs will be added to funds raised to help defray costs of Roger McQueen when he becomes State President of the Iowa Elks Assn. next year.

VOLUNTEERS INCLUDED

Don Allely – Keith Allely – Don Gibson – Larry McClintock Dale Jones – Bob Jackson – Don & Joni Herdliska – Martha Tiemeyer Doug McElroy and Charles Hall

Special thanks is extended to all members and guests who came and supported another great event for all Elks.

Sickness and Distress

Bernie Geise at Garden View Care Center

Dining Room Menu for Club Fridays

October 3rd – Rib Eye Steak October 10th – Mozzarella Chicken Breast October 17th – Smoked Chop October 24th – ENF Fundraiser BBQ Ribs October 31st – Rib Eye Steak

Lodge Calendar of Events

Oct. 2nd Lodge Meeting - Ladies Bridge Oct. 5th Chicken Dinner Buffet Oct. 6th Veterans' Supper Oct. 9th Stag Nite

Oct. 16th Lodge Meeting - Ladies Bridge
Oct. 21st House Committee Meeting - Ladies Pitch
Oct. 23rd Couples Nite - Texas Hold'em
Also Farkle Game - Join the Fun
Oct. 24th Club Friday - ENF Fundraiser
Oct. 30th Potluck Supper (Meat Provided)
Please bring your favorite covered dish
Oct. 31st Club Friday

Stag Suppers are served at 7:30 p.m.

Lodge Meetings begin at 8 p.m.

House Committee Meetings begin at 8 p.m.

Sunday Dinners are served 11 a.m. 'til 1:00 p.m.

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