

Shenandoah Elks Lodge #1122

July 2016 NEWSLETTER

"Elks Pride - Community Focus"

Members Monthly Newsletter

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OUR Lodge Reports of Committees

A Report from our Exalted Ruler – Marv Feller

Lodge Members,

July is here and along with it came summer. A busy time for everyone!

A couple of headliners for July are the National Elks Convention and Shenandoah's RAGBRAI overnight event.

The National Convention starts on July 2nd in Houston, Texas. Ken and Tiffany Swank will accompany Darlene and I. Ken will be installed as District Deputy for Southwest Iowa.

Roger McQueen is chairing our Elks Lodge RAGBRAI activities. He will need a lot of help. This is an opportunity for all members to get involved, even if only for a short time during the day or evening. By now you've heard The Classic Cafe has resigned, therefore they will no longer be cooking Friday nights. They will be missed. A special Thank you to Doug Meyer for his time and effort in bringing them to the Elks which has been profitable for the Lodge and Classic Cafe.

A search for their replacement has begun.

Any and all of your thoughts and ideas are most welcome.

Have a fun and safe summer. Hope to see you all at the next lodge meeting.

Marv Feller, Exalted Ruler

A Report from our Lodge ENF Chairman – Roger McQueen

RAGBRAI 2016

RAGBRAI will be staying in Shenandoah on July 24th. We have 125 bikers camping in our east yard plus some fellow Elks from Sioux City Lodge 112 camping in the parking lot.

They have pledged to support any activities that our Lodge is willing to have for them. So far we do have a "Blues Band" from Omaha booked for that evening's entertainment.

WE ARE GOING TO BE SERVING FOOD AND DRINKS FROM NOON TO MIDNIGHT. WE NEED MEMBERS TO OFFER TO HELP WITH THIS EVENT!

PLEASE CONTACT DOUG MCELROY, DOUG MEYER OR ROGER MCQUEEN or sign up at the Lodge!

A Report from our Lodge Secretary – Alan Armstrong

Every Penny Counts!

The Lodge roof continues to have a few drips coming in, so the process has been started by the trustees to finish this project correctly. We have a bid for \$15900 to complete the job, and so far we have donations of over \$4000. We are placing a pledge board in the Lodge this month, and if you would like to support this project, you may send a check to the Lodge in care of Doug McElroy or Alan Armstrong. And if you would like to give a donation that will be completely tax deductible, please make the check out to the Greater Shenandoah Foundation and that can also be sent to either Doug or Alan. Thanks

Lodge Flag Day Ceremony



Back Row: Bill Greenleaf, Tom Holben, Ed Bonefas, Marv Feller, Dave Wiebold, Robert Iske, Matt Livingston and Roger McQueen. Front Row: Dennis DeWild, Caleb Shierkolk, Clayton Holben, Jake Sherman, and Gordon Sherman

wELKome New Members



From Left: Marv Feller, Chris Wiebold, Todd Bashaw, Adam Van Der Vliet, John Henderson, Linda Monroe, Larry Athen and Robert Iske



CHICKEN DINNER BUFFET

No Chicken Buffet in July

This event helps raise money for our building fund.

Lodge Activities

Lodge Meetings

July 7th - One Lodge meeting in July (casual)

CLUB FRIDAYS SCHEDULE

(Children Welcome)

July 1st – Full Menu

July 8th – Contact Lodge

July 15th – Contact Lodge

July 22nd – Contact Lodge

July 29th – Contact Lodge

STAG/LODGE NIGHT SUPPERS (MENU LIST)

July 7th – Call the Lodge for Menu

July 14th – Call the Lodge for Menu

July 21st – Call the Lodge for Menu

July 28th – Fried Chicken is

BACK - COUPLES NITE

Couples Night - Farkel begins at 6:30 p.m.

We are having big crowds. Come early and join the fun.

Fried Chicken is on the menu. Farkel will be played!

LADIES BRIDGE GROUP

July 7th and July 21st

LADIES PITCH GROUP

July 5th and July 19th

EVENING PITCH GROUP

July 13th

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Stay Well Members!

ALSO SCHEDULED DURING July

July 9th – UFC Fights

July 16th – Slater/Lewis Wedding

July 24th – RAGBRAI

House Committee July 19th

8:00pm at the Lodge. Everyone is Welcome!

Lodge Calendar of Events

July 1st – Club Friday
July 3rd – NO CHICKEN BUFFET
July 4th – Lodge CLOSED
July 5th – Ladies Pitch
July 6th – Wings Wednesday
July 7th – Ladies Bridge
July 7th – Lodge Meeting (casual)
July 8th – Club Friday
July 9th – UFC Fights
July 13th – Wings Wednesday
July 13th – Evening Pitch
July 14th – Stag Night
July 15th – Club Friday
July 16th – Slater/Lewis Wedding
July 19th – Ladies Pitch
July 19th – House Committee 8pm
July 20th – Wings Wednesday
July 21st – Ladies Bridge
July 21st – Stag Night
July 22nd – Club Friday
July 24th – RAGBRAI
July 27th – Wings Wednesday
July 28th – Couples Night
July 29th – 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. - 1:00 p.m.
Lodge Facility Doug McElroy 712-246-5110
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French Fries
From 11:30 to 1:00

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VACANCY

WELCOME

One for All and All for One
Membership Matters

Elks Lodge July 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				Ladies Bridge Lodge Meeting	1 Club Friday	2
3 NO CHICKEN BUFFET	4	5 Ladies Pitch	6 Wing Wednesday	7 Lodge Meeting (only one in July)	8 Club Friday	9 UFC Fights
10	11	12	13 Wing Wednesday Evening Pitch Everyone Welcome!	14 Lodge Stag	15 Club Friday	16 Slater/Lewis Wedding
17	18	19 Ladies Pitch House Committee Meeting – 8pm	20 Wing Wednesday	21 Ladies Bridge Lodge Stag	22 Club Friday	23
24 RAGBRAI	25	26	27 Wing Wednesday	28 Couples Night	29 Club Friday	30
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