

# ELKS LODGE #572 JUNE 2004 NEWSLETTER

## E. R. MESSAGE

It was indeed a pleasure to accept three 1<sup>st</sup>-place awards at the recent IEA State Convention in Springfield. First in state for Gross Contribution to IL. Elks Crippled Children Corp., and First in South District, both total and per-capita categories. Congratulations to the South Dist. For placing 1<sup>st</sup> in state, with over \$107,000 to C.C.C.. Also, I am proud that #572 helped make the South the #1 District statewide! I hope all of you, as members, will share in the pride of the accomplishments listed above!

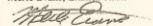
Scholarships is another area where we can be pleased. Erin Wilson, MHS Senior, has won a \$2,000 IEA Association District Award, and Jayme Blandford, also an MHS Senior, has been selected to receive a special \$1,000 award as a result of our Lodge meeting a National Foundation State Goal of \$4.75 per member! Additionally, as Dist. Scholarship Chairman, I am proud of an excellent showing in the South, with our Lodges sponsoring numerous winners.

Now, let me turn to a topic on which you will be receiving a mailing in the next week or so. In a **FIRST FOR THIS** lodge, we will be sponsoring a 7-day, Eastern Caribbean Cruise, leaving from the Elks #572 Parking

Lot on Jan. 15, 2005. Two fellow Elk members from Crestwood, MO. Lodge #2503, Dr. Robert Kaps and Jeff Hartung, have done a number of these for their Lodge, and are helping us organize ours. This will present a unique opportunity for several Elks (and friends) from #572 & other Lodges to form one large group which will leave from & return to our parking lot --- that is, a seamless trip with a personal cruise guide and numerous amenities exclusive (only) to our group.....all at a great price. This is all the information that space affords in this newsletter--- watch your mail, as voluminous information is forthcoming!

Briefly, let me close with the challenge of a goal for this year---that being a membership gain on 3/31/05. To do this, we need to have few to no members who do not honor their 04/05 dues, and we need YOU (members) to propose quality, new candidates. If we all do our respective parts, this goal can be reached!

Merle Evans, Exalted Ruler



## IN MEMORY

"An Elk is never forsaken, never forgotten. His virtues are written on the Tablets of Love and Memory.

F. S. CRAINE III

January 3, 1940 - May 6, 2004

## LARGE CLASS COMPLETES INITIATION

Joining #572 at the May 26<sup>th</sup> Initiation were the following new Elks. Spouse, if applicable, is listed after slash, and sponsor's name is in parenthesis. All have completed their indoctrination session and are thus up-to-date on the full spectrum of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks: John Joiner /Kim, Ted Murphy/Alice (Charles Pritchett); Erica Jacobs (Lee Blake); Shawn McClure (Robert Biggs); Carol Coventry (Bruce Dallas); Karen Etherton/Michael, Pamela Weinholfer/William, Tricia Weinholfer, and Holly DeKeyrel (Dick Crain); Elsie Phillips (Patty Stokes); and Chris Jones (Joe Rains). Elk members - please welcome and congratulate these individuals when you see them!

## RECENT TRANSFERS

TO  
#572

Joining us from DuQuoin #884 is David Ciganovich. From Potasi, MO

# 2218 is Dennis Heape. And, from Carbondale #1243 is Donald (Gabby) McBride. David and Dennis now reside in Murphysboro, while Gabby lives in Ava. Please welcome these new Transfers as the opportunity arises.

## WE DID IT! #1 IN ILLINOIS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN 2003-2004

Congratulations, Lodge #572! We now have another plaque to proudly display in the Lodge. Under the leadership of chairperson Keith Roberts, and through the kind contributions, work, sacrifice, and sweat of many members, supporters, and participating businesses, exactly \$28,574.64 was raised for our State Major Project. From Ho-Do donations, the C.C.C. Calendars, Dart Throwers and auction participants, to the individual contributions of Phyllis Rath and Richard Green, this year was indeed a gallant effort. Simply said, in Murphysboro, Elks Care-Elks Share! Needless to say, a repeat in 2004-2005 will not be easy. Are you thinking about how YOU can help attain such a lofty goal?



### CHEF'S SPECIALS

Elk's Chef, Anthony (Tony) is offering some Friday Specials. Take a look at these:

#### JUNE 4

*FAJITAS W/SPANISH RICE  
& PINTO BEANS  
INC. SALAD BAR  
\$7.95  
OR FULL MENU*

#### JUNE 11

*SAUTEED FILET OF  
SALMON /W VEG. RICE  
PILAF & LEMON SAUCE  
SALAD BAR  
\$9.95  
OR FULL MENU*

#### JUNE 18

*CHICKEN PARMESAN  
ON A BED OF PENNE PASTA  
SALAD BAR & GARLIC  
TOAST  
\$7.95  
OR FULL MENU*

#### JUNE 25

*PORK LOIN STUFFED  
W/DRIED FRUIT SERVED  
W/CHEESY CORN BREAD  
CHOICE OF POT. & SALAD  
BAR  
\$8.95  
Or FULL MENU*



### ELKS YARD SALE IS HERE!

**SATURDAY, JUNE 12  
8:00 A.M. - 4: P.M.  
ALL DONATED ITEMS  
WELCOME!**

**DROP OFF IN LODGE HALL  
ON WED./THURS.  
& FRI. PRIOR -  
3:00 TO 6:00 P.M.  
(CALL PATSY ROBERTS @  
684-4022**

**OR NITA BLAKE 687-2360,  
IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS  
OR WANT TO HELP.)**

**REMEMBER, PROFITS  
TO BENEFIT**

**IL. ELKS CRIPPLED  
CHILDREN PROGRAM,  
ON BEHALF OF #572.  
CAN YOU HELP MAKE  
THIS SALE A SUCCESS?**

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#### WEEKLY DRAWING

5/4 Mike Nulty \$136 NR  
5/11 Doris Alley \$214 NR  
5/18 Bob Graeff \$291 R/NP (won 1/2)  
5/25 Bernard Clover \$214 NR

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#### PULL TAB WORKERS

6/7 J. D. Carlock, G. Wilcox  
6/14 J. Love, M. Evans  
6/21 S. & A. Stanley  
6/28 M. & D. Fager



### ELKS FLAG DAY CEREMONY

> **SATURDAY, JUNE 12**

> **2:00 P.M.**

> **FLAG  
RAISING/LOWERING  
BY WILLIAMSON  
CO. CIVIL AIR  
PATROL**

> **AMERICAN LEGION  
HONOR GUARD**

> **TAPS TO BE PLAYED**

> **ADDRESS BY HON.  
RON WILLIAMS,  
MAYOR OF  
MURPHYSBORO**

> **ALL IN  
ATTENDANCE  
INVITED TO  
CLUBROOM AFTER  
CREMONEY, FOR  
LUNCH**

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#### BINGO WORKERS

6/7 G. & J. Raines  
6/14 P. & W. Weinhoff  
6/21 C. Paul, M. K. Ziegler  
6/28 C. Paul, C. Meyers



### BIRTHDAY'S

6/1 James Fisher  
6/1 Lynn Porter  
6/2 John Ferguson II  
6/3 Victor Lyerla  
6/3 George O'Daniel  
6/3 Lisa Schemonia  
6/4 Michael Gauby  
6/5 Scott Stanley  
6/6 Kenneth Carr  
6/8 Randy Cauble  
6/8 Russell Smith  
6/9 Travis Maynor  
6/9 Kevin Spring  
6/10 James Hand  
6/11 Ben O'Brian  
6/12 Brian Johnson  
6/12 Robert Rushing  
6/12 Noel Smith, Jr.  
6/12 Kevin Stratton  
6/12 Chris Jones  
6/13 Imogene Hagler  
6/14 Mark Ralph  
6/15 Mike Etherton  
6/15 Jerry Worthen  
6/17 Yeyo Granados  
6/18 James Craig  
6/20 Mike Abbadusky  
6/20 Kent Goins  
6/20 Dwight Westphal  
6/21 John Hudgins  
6/21 Philip Spielmacher  
6/21 Jay Whittenborn  
6/22 Linda Jones  
6/22 Donald Siefert  
6/23 James Kerley  
6/23 Michael Nulty  
6/24 Lloyd Moore  
6/24 Larry Owen  
6/26 R. E. Crawshaw  
6/27 Thomas Fricke  
6/27 Terri Hadsock  
6/28 Rick Shepard  
6/28 Carl Stoker  
6/30 John Balsano



ELKS LODGE #572

June 2004  
MONTHLY PLANNER



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<b>1 WEEKLY DRAWING</b> 7:00 LYNN'S SPECIAL! 6:00 SPAGHETTI & MEATBALLS SALAD & GARLIC BREAD	<b>2 LODGE MTG. 7:30</b>  <b>HOT WINGS</b> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	<b>3 STEAK SPECIAL!</b> ***** 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00  OR FULL MENU	<b>4 SPECIALS LISTED IN NEWSLETTER + FULL MENU</b>	<b>5 BACK HALL RENTED</b>
<b>6 NASCAR DOVER</b>	<b>7 BINGO</b> 7:00 P.M.  BINGO MENU ALSO AVAILABLE IN CLUB-ROOM	<b>8 WEEKLY DRAWING</b> 7:00 LYNN'S SPECIAL! 6:00 HAM & BEANS CABBAGE & CORNBREAD	<b>9 TRUSTEE MTG./HOUSE COMMITTEE</b> 7:00 P.M.  <b>HOT WINGS</b> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	<b>10 STEAK SPECIAL!</b> ***** 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00  OR FULL MENU	<b>11 SPECIALS LISTED IN NEWSLETTER + FULL MENU</b>	<b>12 YARD SALE</b> 8-4 ***** <b>FLAG DAY CEREMONY</b> 2:00 P.M.
<b>13 NASCAR POCONO</b>	<b>14 BINGO</b> 7:00 P.M.  BINGO MENU ALSO AVAILABLE IN CLUB-ROOM	<b>15 WEEKLY DRAWING</b> 7:00 LYNN'S SPECIAL! 6:00 CHICKEN & DUMPLINGS	<b>16 LODGE MTG. 7:30</b>  <b>HOT WINGS</b> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	<b>17 STEAK SPECIAL!</b> ***** 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00  OR FULL MENU	<b>18 SPECIALS LISTED IN NEWSLETTER + FULL MENU</b>	<b>19 BACK HALL RENTED</b>
<b>20 NASCAR MICHIGAN</b>  <b>FATHERS DAY</b>	<b>21 BINGO</b> 7:00 P.M.  BINGO MENU ALSO AVAILABLE IN CLUB-ROOM	<b>22 WEEKLY DRAWING</b> 7:00 LYNN'S SPECIAL! 6:00 MEATLOAF POTATOES GREENBEANS & SALAD	<b>23 HOT WINGS</b> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	<b>24 STEAK SPECIAL!</b> ***** 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00  OR FULL MENU	<b>25 SPECIALS LISTED IN NEWSLETTER + FULL MENU</b>	<b>26 BACK HALL RENTED</b>
<b>27 NASCAR CALIFORNIA</b>	<b>28 BINGO</b> 7:00 P.M.  BINGO MENU ALSO AVAILABLE IN CLUB-ROOM	<b>29 WEEKLY DRAWING</b> 7:00 LYNN'S SPECIAL! 6:00 PORK ROAST POTATOES CARROTS & SALAD	<b>30 HOT WINGS</b> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.			

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