



MURPHYSBORO ELKS LODGE #572
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NOVEMBER 2005 NEWS LETTER

E. R. MESSAGE



BIRTHDAYS

- 11/1 Wesley Shelton
- 11/2 Robert Brantley
- 11/3 Michelle Allard
- 11/4 Angela Stanley
- 11/5 Michael Cripps
- 11/6 Aric Harsy
- 11/7 Mary Kay Ziegler
- 11/8 Charles Nance
- 11/8 Dennis Stearns
- 11/9 Curtis Kohring
- 11/9 Thomas Roy
- 11/10 Larry Griffin
- 11/11 Steve Ferguson
- 11/11 Homer Heape
- 11/11 Bruce Young
- 11/12 Terry Etherton
- 11/12 Steven McGee
- 11/14 Kim McRoberts
- 11/15 Norman Beckman
- 11/16 Steve Burroughs
- 11/17 Gene Smout
- 11/18 James Brown
- 11/20 Michael Miles
- 11/21 Jack Crossley
- 11/21 Harlen Doerr
- 11/21 James Ellis
- 11/22 Glenn Schemonia,
- 11/23 Ralph Ellett
- 11/24 Roger Guetersloh
- 11/24 David R. Sullivan
- 11/25 Nicholas Sabella
- 11/25 James A. Tweedy
- 11/26 Ronald Reeder
- 11/27 William Bost
- 11/27 James Redden
- 11/28 Donald Brewer
- 11/28 Allen Gale
- 11/29 Theodore Ferguson
- 11/29 Joe Melvin
- 11/29 Shirley Summers
- 11/29 Scott Uffelmann
- 11/30 George Miller

"One Elk Can Make a Difference...Be That Elk" is our national Elks theme for 2005-2006. How true this has been in terms of recent PROGRESS AT #572! The Lodge Hall now has several new power circuits installed, with a new power panel and capacity for even more circuits, as needed. Bruce Dallas headed up this effort, assisted by Mark Fager, Kevin Stratton, and Bob Kirchbaum (Bob has also installed new Night Light Units on East side of building.) Richard Martin and Norm Wayman have prepared great new facilities for some serious washer tournaments! Jason & John Tweedy also donated some Bob Cat time to this effort, along with needed driveway repair on the Lodge's East side. Ted Ferguson volunteered to accomplish some needed wall repairs. Trish Weinhoffer is now our third Elk who, in addition to Sue Givens and Renee Evans, has learned how to handle the monetary aspect of Monday Night Bingo (which, by the way, is going very well at this time!) Under the leadership of Keith Roberts, the October Goofy Golf event will

likely garner some \$2,000 for the Elks National Foundation. Michelle & Bob Allard, with help from Julie Roberts, Lori Graf, and the Activities Committee, have been immersed in developing the Family Fun Day (Sat., Nov. 5), as bi-lited elsewhere in this newsletter. Lodge Officers, Bill & Chris Paul, became first-time attendees at the Fall, State Elks Meeting, and can now apply learned knowledge at #572. The Technology Committee, chaired by Michael Evans, has launched our new web site. Lynn Porter, Walter Poole, and Judy Tweedy have assisted, and Judy is also now transferring member data from our old "Q & A" program to our new "ELMS" system. Member, Holly Dekeyrel, has graciously donated a new computer system to the Lodge office, and Mike Miles has offered a new scanner/printer to match. And, October was an exceptionally busy and successful month in the Club and Hall, under the extra hard work and effort of Lee Blake.

See what I mean—each and every need at the Lodge re-

quires someone(s) to step up to the plate, underscoring that ONE ELK CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE! YOU make a difference when you pay dues in a timely fashion, patronize the club, buy a digital camera raffle ticket, attend a fund raiser, play in an Elks Benefit Golf Scramble, come to the Family Fun Day or New Year's Eve 2005 Celebration, serve on a committee, bring in items for boxes to be sent to troops in Iraq, volunteer to help at any of a variety of activities, take time to learn about Elks from our Web Site, and on and on.

Speaking of the 1st Annual Family Fun Day, we hope many of you will be here! (You do not have to necessarily participate — you can just attend, relax, watch, and enjoy being with fellow Elks.)

O. K., available space says I'm finished with this message. Our State I.E.A. theme is "It's Time to Succeed." In so many ways, I believe that we, at #572, ARE SO DOING. And, looking to the challenges ahead, we might well remember Larry, the Cable Guy, who says "LET'S GET ER' DONE!"
Merle Evans, E. R.

WWW.ELKS572.ORG

Our New Web Site is up!! Log on and check it out. An abundance of information about Lodge #572, as well as Elks at the state and national level, is available and/or in development. You will be able to access current (& some past) newsletter, calendar, event reminders, and much, much more—even view photos of

Elk activities. You can also request e-mail of Bulletin. While much remains to be developed and refined, all of you, regardless of where you live, will have instant access to what's happening at #572 and beyond. Lose that newsletter or monthly calendar? Just log on to ELKS572.ORG & there you are! And, prospective

members will have a chance to see all the good work we do as Elks. Members of all other Lodges will be able to view our calendar and event schedule, and possibly join in our activities. How can you get the full scope of this great new information tool just log on!

MENU

TUESDAY MENU

SERVING
6:00 - 8:00 P.M.

SIDES: SLAW \$1.00
ONION RINGS \$2.00
FRENCH FRIES \$1.00

OLD FASHION
HAMBERGER
1/3 LB. ON A
TOASTED BUN
W/FRIES \$4.50

BBQ SANDWICH
SLICED & ON A
TOASTED BUN
W/FRIES & SLAW
\$5.00

CATFISH
SANDWICH 4OZ.
FILET
ON A HOAGI BUN
W/FRIES
\$5.00

GRILLED CHICKEN
BREAST
SERVED ON A
TOASTED BUN
W/FRIES \$5.00

GRILLED CHEESE \$2.00

NOTE: WE WILL
ALSO FEATURE A
WEEKLY CHEF'S
SPECIAL!

ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS

MONDAY - FRIDAY
1:00 P.M. - 12:00 A.M.

SATURDAY
12:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.

SUNDAY
12:00 - 10:30 P.M.

RED RIBBON WEEK

Lodge #572 provided some 2,600 Red Ribbons to all Murphysboro Dist. #186 students for use in Drug Awareness week, Oct. 24 - 28, 2005. Elks Care - Elks Share!

THEY'RE HERE!!

LODGE PINS, as described in earlier newsletters, have arrived and are now available for purchase! Price is \$5.25 per pin. We think you will be pleased, once you see these beautiful emblems of our Lodge. Simply inquire in the Club Room, or call/write if not able to get to the Lodge, and we will arrange to send you your #572 Pin!

ALASKA CRUISE

Still thinking about this August, 2006 option? Ask Chairman, Norm Wayman, or E. R. Merle Evans!!



KARAOKE
BRAD ETHERTON
FRIDAY,
NOVEMBER 11
9: P.M. - 12 A.M.

DINNER SPECIAL
5 P.M. - 9 P.M.
SAUTEED FILET OF
SALMON
SERVED WITH VEG.,
RICE PILAF
SALAD BAR
\$9.95

THANK YOU FOR C.C.C. FUND RAISER

The Oct. 20 Game Show Night Fund Raiser, at Mugsy McGuire's in Carbondale, for IL. Elk Crippled Children's Corp., was spearheaded by Jeff Williams, and Keith Roberts. Jeff & Keith, we appreciate your efforts, along with all of our members who helped you on the C.C.C. Benefit. And, Thanks to Mugsy McGuire's for donating a room!



MILITARY GIFT BASKETS

All Lodge members, please look over the extensive list of things which can be donated for boxes to be sent in January, to National Guard Units in Iraq. (These boxes will be assembled/packed on Jan. 28, 2006 at the IEA mid-winter Mtg. in Springfield) simply bring items to the Lodge, and they will be transported to Springfield by our Lodge officers who will be attending. If you can help in this effort, it both proves the "one Elk can make a difference", as well as that at #572, Elks Care - Elks Share!



NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION

TICKETS NOW ON
SALE AT LODGE!
(ONLY 200 WILL BE
SOLD)

LIVE

RIVER'S EDGE BAND
(9:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.)
OPEN TO MEMBERS
& GUESTS
HOT & COLD HOR
D'VORS & SNACKS
BEGINNING AT
8:00 P.M.

*CHAMPAGNE
*FAVORS, & HATS
*NOISEMAKERS

\$12.50 PER PERSON

(NOTE - for those members & their guests who so desire, our Surf & Turf Dinner will be available in Club Room, 5:00 - 9:00 p.m. RESERVATIONS WILL BE REQUESTED. This option is totally separate from the celebration to be held in Lodge Hall!)

BINGO WORKERS

11/7 C. Paul, J. Clover
11/14 B & P Weinhoffer
11/21 J. Love, P. Gillmore
11/28 C. Paul, R. Evans

PULL TAB WORKERS


11/7 J. Rosson, J. Pittman
11/14 J. D. Carlock, Wilcox
11/21 M. & D. Fager
11/28 D. Siefert, B. Balsano



ELKS LODGE #572

November 2005



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SEE MENU IN BULLETIN	2 LODGE MTG. 7:30 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M	3 STEAK SPECIAL! 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00	4 SPECIAL ALL YOU CAN EAT CATFISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSH PUPPIES \$7.95	5 1ST ANNUAL FUN DAY! So. Dist. Mtg. Anna, 10:30 a.m.
6 NASCAR FT. WORTH	7 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00 (+BINGO MENU)	8 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SEE MENU IN BULLETIN	9 TRUSTEE MTG./HOUSE COM- MITTEE 7:00 P.M. HOT WINGS .25 EA.	10 STEAK SPECIAL! 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00	11 SPECIAL! SAU- TEED FILET OF SALMON W/VEG. RICE PILAF & SALAD BAR \$9.95 KARAOKE 9 P.M.	12 MARINE CORP. BALL
13 NASCAR PHOENIX	14 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00 (+BINGO MENU)	15 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SEE MENU IN BULLETIN	16 LODGE MTG. 7:30 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M	17 STEAK SPECIAL! 1/2 FRIED CHICKEN INCL. POT, SALAD ROLL. \$5.00	18 SPECIAL CHICKEN PARME- SAN ON PASTA W/ SALAD BAR & GAR- LIC TOAST \$8.95	19
20 NASCAR MIAMI (LAST RACE)	21 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00 (+BINGO MENU)	22 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SEE MENU IN BULLETIN	23 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M	24 CLUB ROOM CLOSED, THANKSGIVING 	25 SPECIAL! 100Z RIBEYE W/POTATO SALAD BAR & ROLL \$11.95	26
27	28 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00 (+BINGO MENU)	29 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SEE MENU IN BULLETIN	30 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M			



CANNON POWER SHOT A520 DIGITAL CAMERA
4.0 MEGA PIXELS - 4X OPTICAL ZOOM
MMC - 16M MULTI MEDIA CARD

DECEMBER 6TH @ 7:00 P.M.

NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

ELKS #572 ~ DONATION \$5.00

ATTENTION ELKS.....HOW ABOUT THIS GREAT DIGITAL CAMERA AS A CHRISTMAS GIFT TO YOURSELF, OR SOMEONE ELSE? HELP YOUR LODGE, GIVE YOURSELF A CHANCE. SEND OR BRING RAFFLE TICKET TO THE LODGE! DRAWING ON DEC. 6TH.

BPOE

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NON-PROFIT
PRESORTED STANDARD
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PERMIT NO. 66



INITIATION CLASS OF SEPT. 28, 2005. SPONSOR IN PARENTHESES:

L-R: RAYMOND WHITESIDE (Carl Stoker); CAROL ANN MOORE (John Love);
DAN MYERS (Lee Blake) and TIM HARTWELL (James Ferguson).

WE WELCOME YOU TO ELKS #572!

Murphysboro Elks Lodge #572
1st Annual Family Fun Day
Saturday, November 5, 2005
12:00 - ???

Washer Tournament starts at 10:00AM

Washer Tournament
\$20.00 per Team of 2
24 Team limit
10:00AM Start



Chili Cook-off
\$5.00 per Crockpot
Chili due at 1:00PM
Judging at 2:00PM
Payout 1st, 2nd, 3rd



Bar Olympics
Darts-Horseshoes-Pool
\$10.00 per Team of 2
Payout 1st, 2nd, 3rd
1:00 - 5:00PM



Gold Fish Races
Free for Kids
of ALL Ages!
4:00PM Start



Throughout the Day...

Wine Tasting from Von Jakob Vineyard
(Wine Available for Purchase.)

Nail Art by Joanie Martin



Bonfire at Dusk... Bring your Lawn Chairs!



Hamburger or Jumbo Hot Dog with Chips
\$2.00
11:00AM - ???



For more info call 684-4541.
Members and Guests: We hope to see you there!
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1809 Shomaker Drive

THINGS THAT CAN BE SENT OVERSEAS FOR THE TROOPS

TOLIETRIES / HYGIENE

Baby Wipes
Nose Spray
Cold Water Wash (Woolite)
Eye Drops
Deodorant
Feminine Hygiene Products
Foot Powder
Hairbrushes
Hand Lotion
Hand Sanitizers (Waterless)
Nail Clippers
Q-Tips
Razors (Disposable)
Shampoo
Soap/Body Wash
Sunscreen
Tissues (Heavy Duty, i.e. Puffs)
Toilet Paper (Including Travel Size)
Tylenol (Individual Packets)
Wash Rags
Lip Balm
Hair Bands/Clips
Band Aids
Shaving Cream
Hair Spray (Non Aerosol)
Small Mirrors
Throat/Cough Drops

CORRESPONDENCE

Writing Paper and Envelopes
Pens/Pencils
Unsigned Holiday Cards

DENTAL

Floss
Mouthwash
Toothbrushes
Toothpaste with Fluoride

GAMES

Board Games (Used are OK)
Checkers
Chess
Crosswords/Word Finds
Playing Cards
Dominos
Dart Boards
Hand Held Video Games

FOOD

Hard Candy / Gum
Powdered Drinks
Cookies
Jerky (Only Beef, NO PORK)

OTHER

Plastic Spoons
American Flags
Baggies
Batteries (AA, D...)
Bug Spray (Must be Packaged in Zip Lock Bags)
Duct Tape
Disposable Cameras
Flashlights (Mini-Mag, Extra Bulbs & Batteries)
Small Fans (Battery Powered, Extra Batteries)
Fly Strips and Fly Swatters
Pre-Paid Telephone Cards
Shoe Insole Cushions
Socks (Cushioned-BLACK ONLY)
Sunglasses (Black-No Brand Names)
Sweatbands
Harmonicas and Kazoos
Yo-Yo's
CD R's
DVD's Movies
Paper Towels
Windex
Laundry Detergent (Travel Size Powder Only).
Febreze Spray
Styrofoam Cups
Frisbees
Sporting Equipment
Glove/Ball
Large or Ex-Large Tee Shirts (Only in Tan or Dark Colors)
Towels
Twin Size Bed Sheets
Soft Cotton Boxers (Medium to Ex-Large)
Pins/Clotheslines
Stress Ball
Travel Pillows
Zip Lock Bags

PRINTED MATERIALS

Books (Novels, Short Stories)
Newspapers (Local)
Magazines

SEASONAL

Small Unbreakable Holiday Decorations
Christmas Stockings

MUSIC

Compact Disc Players
Compact Disc Fanny Packs
Compact Discs
Exercise Tapes/Discs