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APRIL 2007 NEWSLETTER

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BIRTHDAYS

- 4/1 Edward Tennant
4/3 Jason Tweedy
4/4 Jerald McClarren
4/4 Roger Phoenix
4/6 Erin Robert
4/6 Mike Uffelmann
4/7 John Grammer
4/8 James Howard
4/8 Kenneth Kribs
4/8 Michael Lane
4/9 Jonathan Tremblay
4/10 Ronald Farrar
4/10 Donald Payne
4/12 Henry Leischner
4/13 Lofton Atnip, Jr.
4/13 Charles Crews
4/13 Edilberto Del Carmen
4/13 Toby Spradling
4/14 Fred Gilbert
4/14 Hubert Miller
4/14 Leigh Ann Stokes
4/15 Ronald Lee
4/15 Jack Parks
4/16 Tracy Ferguson
4/16 Robert Kirschbaum
4/17 Mark Wright
4/19 David Watt
4/20 Fred Schnautz
4/21 Larry Korando
4/21 Matt Schlueter
4/22 Max Doerr
4/22 Edward Fisher
4/22 Donald White
4/23 Steven Joiner
4/23 Lucy Mitchell
4/24 Daniel Parmley
4/24 Christine Paul
4/25 Lester Blake
4/25 Stephen Hopkins
4/26 Michael Whitlock
4/27 Paul Polete
4/27 John Uffelmann
4/27 James Wille
4/28 John Saunders
4/28 Richard Williams
4/29 Joseph Purcell
4/30 Michael Layne

E. R. MESSAGE

When you receive this newsletter it will be a few days late. Please accept our apology, as it has been a busy month.

Soon, many of you will receive an invitation to my favorite non-charitable event. On Wednesday, April 25th we will have our "Members Appreciation Night." This is to reward the many volunteers who have given so much to our Lodge. It will be an invitation only event without R.S. V.P. However, it would be nice to know if you are not participating. The evening includes dinner, cash bar, many thank yous, and the prestigious "Elk of the Year Award." Cash bar is @ 6:00 p.m., and dinner at 6:30 p.m.

As many of you know,

April 1st is the start of new Lodge year. Last year, with the one exception of re-electing me, the officers did a great job. This year will be even better with the knowledge they have gained. It's great knowing all of our officers are smarter and more responsible than I ever will be. I'm not even sure that's a compliment!!

Norm. E. R.



IN MEMORY

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

THOMAS L. FRICKE
June 27, 1935 ~ March 12, 07

ELKS CRUISE FLASH

We have just received notice that the Jan., 2008 Caribbean Cruise has been placed on "capacity control." This means that the Carnival Ship, DESTINY, at this point, has only 50 cabins remaining; 30 of these belong to the Murphysboro Elks. However, once the Cruise Line sells the other 20, our 30 cabins will be recalled! If YOU are sincerely interested in attending the Murphysboro Elks Cruise in Jan. 08, it would be prudent to book with expediency! Custom Travel has advised that deposits are refundable up to Sept. 1. Thus, you can block your space, yet get your money back, should you decide not to go. Also, remember that you can invite guests (friends, neighbors, etc.) on our Elks Cruise. If you have misplaced your cruise information sheet, contact E. R. Norm Wayman, at the Lodge. For other information or to book your cruise, call Donna Kaps at Custom Travel in Crestwood at 1-800-280-0222.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Our final candidate class was initiated on March 28. Joining #572 are HOMER O. MORGAN, sponsored by Chuck Crews; PATSY BRUNS, sponsored by Paulette Valier; FREDERICK

THOMPSON, (spouse Nadine), sponsored by J. D. Tremblay; and DENNIS JOHNSON (spouse, Donna), sponsored by Lee Blake. Please extend a friendly Elk welcome

to these new initiates, whom we hope will become active and supportive Elks of our Lodge.

# MENU

## TUESDAY MENU

SERVING

6:00 - 8:00 P.M.

SIDES: SLAW \$1.50  
ONION RINGS \$3.00  
FRENCH FRIES \$1.50

OLD FASHION HAMBURGER  
1/2 LB. ON A  
TOASTED BUN  
W/FRIES \$5.00

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

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

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

CHICKEN STRIPS WITH FRIES  
\$5.00

GRILLED CHEESE \$2.00

## 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 ~ 10:00 P.M.

YARD SALE  
BENEFIT  
CRIPPLED CHILDREN  
SAT., JUNE 23

DURING YOUR SPRING  
CLEANING, SAVE YOUR  
SALEABLE THINGS & BRING  
THEM TO THE ELKS  
BEGINNING WED., JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup>.  
MORE TO COME IN NEXT  
MONTH'S NEWS LETTER!

## LODGE SUCCESSES!

Elks (and friends) DO share at #572. As of this publication date, Crippled Children's Chairman, Keith Roberts, reports that \$14,295.30 was earned by this year's Benefit Dart Tourney and Auction. It was a magnificent effort by so many individuals and businesses! And, if you didn't get a chance to help, this year, there is always next!

Lodge #572 was privileged to host the Elk's South District Fund Raiser for Lou Sulsberger, endorsed candidate for National Grand Exalted Ruler, this past March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Lou and Beth thoroughly enjoyed their evening at our Lodge, and were very complimentary of both #572 and the efforts of the Super South District as a whole. And, thanks to a great live auction by member Deon Carson, fabulous food by Chef Toney, and some 125 guests, \$2,615.70 was forwarded to the LOUGER fund!

We are further proud to report that our \$5.00 for member (per-capita) for Elks National Foundation has been reached, also putting #572 in line for an additional \$1,000.00 ENF Scholarship award (yet to be announced).

Finally, Murphysboro High School Senior, William F. Bryant, has won a \$4,000 ENF Scholarship, and is still in contention for a higher award amount.

Members, you can and should, all be proud, to be a part of a Lodge that can achieve successes at these levels!

## "TASTEFULLY SIMPLE" GOURMET FOOD PARTY

SUNDAY, APRIL 29

AT 4:30

CLUB ROOM

HOSTED BY

JANE RHODEN

&

LORI GRAFF

COME TASTE & BUY!  
ALL ITEMS REQUIRE 2  
INGREDIENTS OR LESS FOR  
MAKING.

## WEEKLY DRAWING

- 2/27 John Ferguson \$500 NR  
Jeff Williams \$312 NR  
3/6 Margaina Gale \$500 NR  
Marilyn Daniel \$412 NR  
3/13 David Sullivan \$500 NR  
Donald Grammer \$500 NR  
3/20 Erica Jacobs \$500 NR  
Stephanie Marler \$500 NR  
3/27 Jerry Willett \$500 NR  
Gene Pettett \$500 NR  
Jeff Brown \$210 NR

## BINGO WORKERS

- 4/9 P. & B. Weinhoffer (Paul)  
4/16 B. & J. Bost (Givens)  
4/23 J. Clover; L. Graff (Poole)  
4/30 L.Homes M. Varner (Paul)


## PULL TAB WORKERS

- 4/9 D. Siefert, B. Balsano  
4/16 J. Clover; G. Wilcox  
4/23 S. & A. Stanley  
4/30 J. Pittman, J. Rosson



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 NASCAR MARTINSVILLE	2 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00	3 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! SPAGHETTI, SALAD & GARLIC TOAST \$5.00	7 4 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M. INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	5 10 OZ RIB EYE \$11.50 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$7.00 OR 1/4 CHICKEN \$5.00	6 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CAT-FISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSHPUPPIES \$7.00	7 TASTE OF ELEGANCE 6-9 P.M.
8 EASTER CLUB ROOM OPEN NOON-10 PM	9 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00	10 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! HAM & BEANS, SLAW & CORN BREAD \$4.00	11 TRUSTEE MTG./HOUSE COMMITTEE 7:00 P.M.  HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	12 10 OZ RIB EYE \$11.50 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$7.00 OR 1/4 CHICKEN \$5.00	13 SPECIAL! SAUTÉED FILET OF SALMON W/VEG., RICE PILAF & SALAD BAR \$9.95	14
15 ELK'S SOUTH DIST. ANNUAL MTG. MARION 10:30 A.M.	16 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00	17 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! MEAT-LOAF W/MASHED POT. & CORN \$5.00	18 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M.  HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	19 10 OZ RIB EYE \$11.50 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$7.00 OR 1/4 CHICKEN \$5.00	20 SPECIAL! CHICKEN PARMESAN ON PASTA W/ SALAD BAR & GARLIC TOAST \$8.95	21
22 NASCAR PHOENIX	23 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00	24 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! CAVATINNI, SALAD & GARLIC TOAST \$	25  HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M.	26 10 OZ RIB EYE \$11.50 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$7.00 OR 1/4 CHICKEN \$5.00	27 SPECIAL! 16oz PORK CHOP, BAKED SWEET POT & SALAD BAR \$9.95	28 NASCAR PHOENIX
29 NASCAR TALLADEGA  GOURMET FOOD PARTY, 4:30 P.M.	30 BINGO 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.00		 <p>THURSDAY &amp; FRIDAY SERVING 5:30 P.M. ~ 9:00 P.M.</p>			



Initiated earlier this year were (l-r, rear): Steve McBride, Kreed Moniger, Dr. James Wille, Kelly Yates, E.R., Wayman. (l-r, front): Charles Ruble, Mandy Sitton, Sarah Bauer, and Beau Detrick.