



MURPHYSBORO ELKS LODGE #572
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APRIL 2009 NEWSLETTER

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BIRTHDAYS

- 4/1 Edward Tennant
- 4/3 Jason Tweedy
- 4/4 Jerald McClerren
- 4/6 Erin Robert
- 4/6 Mike Uffelman
- 4/7 John Grammer
- 4/7 Sharon Leggans
- 4/8 Kenneth Kribs
- 4/8 Michael Lane
- 4/9 Jonathan Tremblay
- 4/10 Richard Adams
- 4/10 Ronald Farrar
- 4/10 Donald Payne
- 4/11 Fredia Doody
- 4/12 Henry Leischner
- 4/13 Lofton Atnip, Jr.
- 4/13 Charles Crews
- 4/13 Edilberto Del Carmen
- 4/14 Fred Gilbert
- 4/14 Mary Korando
- 4/14 Hubert Miller
- 4/14 Leigh Ann Stokes
- 4/15 Ronald Lee
- 4/16 Tracy Ferguson
- 4/16 Robert Kirschbaum
- 4/17 Eden Thorne
- 4/17 Mark Wright
- 4/18 Leroy McDonald
- 4/19 Elizabeth D'Antonio
- 4/19 Jerry Ward
- 4/19 David Watt
- 4/20 William Green
- 4/20 Fred Schnautz
- 4/21 Matt Schlueter
- 4/22 Max Doerr
- 4/22 Edward Fisher
- 4/22 Donald White
- 4/23 David Cochran
- 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 Gerald Cameron
- 4/26 James Looker
- 4/26 Michael Whitlock
- 4/27 Paul Polete
- 4/27 John Uffelman
- 4/27 James Wille
- 4/28 John Saunders
- 4/28 Richard Williams
- 4/30 Michael Layne

E. R. MESSAGE

It is an honor and a great privilege to be an Elk, and to be the Exalted Ruler of Murphysboro Lodge #572. I promise to fulfill the obligations of this office to the best of my ability. At this time, I want to thank the new Lodge Officers for the 2009-2010 Lodge year. They have accepted the responsibilities, time commitments, and challenges of their respective offices for the next twelve months: Leading Knight – Steve Zak; Loyal Knight – Patty Stokes; Lecturing Knight – Debbie Sauer; Secretary – Merle Evans; Treasurer – Sandy Schenk; Tiler – Marilyn Epplin; Inner Guard – Darcie Hastings; Esquire – Chris Paul; Chaplain – Bill Paul; and Trustees – Bill Bost, Lee Blake, Norman Wayman, Bob Graeff, and Michele Allard. I am looking forward to a very successful 2009-2010 year for Lodge #571.

April 1 begins the New Year for our Lodge. Remember to start using your new Key Card

and Membership Cards. (And, if you have not yet remitted your 2009-2010 dues to the Lodge Secretary, please do so as soon as possible, and get those new cards in your possession!) In the upcoming year, I hope to see our membership grow, as a result of members proposing good, upstanding candidates. Also, I would like to see our members more involved and visit the Lodge more frequently. We have a great menu on Thursday and Friday nights. And, all members are welcome to attend Lodge Meetings the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Additionally, we need both volunteers and players at Monday Night Raffle, which starts at 7:00 p.m. (Talk to Secretary, Merle, if you would like to volunteer.) If you are uneasy about playing for the first time – we can help you with that, too! Either way, you can both enjoy yourself and help out our Lodge!

A big “Thank-You” goes out to Joey and Theresa Bastien of the

Old Tin Barn, in Jacob, for hosting the recent Shooting Match on March 15th, which allowed us to reach our 2008-2009 ENF (Elks National Foundation) goal of \$5.25 per member. We also greatly appreciate all of our volunteers and participants. Having made our per-capita, we will now receive an extra \$1,000.00 for Scholarship or Community Service purposes, along with a \$500 Gratitude Grant, also to be used in the community.

There are many events in the planning stages, so watch your newsletter, attend a meeting, or visit our website: WWW.ELKS572.ORG Steve Zak does a great job keeping our site current – often in advance of the published Newsletter.

Here’s to a successful and prosperous year. Let’s grow Elkdom, while always remembering that

Elks Care – Elks Share

Bob Allard, Exalted Ruler

MEMORY



In vain we call. They have passed into the light which is beyond the valley of the shadow of death. The

places that have known them shall know them no more; but their virtues are written upon the tablets of love and memory.

HOMER HEAPE
 Life Member
 Nov. 11, 1914 - Mar, 4, 2009

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 \$6.50

BBQ SANDWICH
SLICED & ON A TOASTED BUN
W/FRIES & SLAW \$5.50

CATFISH SANDWICH 4 oz. FILET
ON A HOAGIE BUN
W/FRIES \$7.00

GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST
SERVED ON A HOAGIE BUN
W/FRIES \$7.00

CHICKEN STRIPS WITH FRIES
\$6.00

GRILLED CHEESE \$2.00

ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS

MONDAY~ THURSDAY
2:00 P.M. ~ 11:00 P.M.

FRIDAY
2:00 P.M. ~ 12: A.M.

SATURDAY
12:00 ~ 12:00 A.M.

SUNDAY
12:00 P.M. ~ 10:00 P.M.

RAFFLE WORKERS

4/6 F. Doody, M. Epplin (Poole)
4/13 R. Ellenberg, J. Clover (Paul)
4/20 D. Sauer, P. Gillmore (Givens)
4/27 J. Clover; K. Evans (Evans)
5/4 L. Graff, V. Freeman (Hines)

PULL TAB WORKERS

4/6 S. Wheeler, J. Pittman
4/13 R. Koogler, J. Rosson
4/20 R. Koogler, J. Love
4/27 D. Siefert, G. Wilcox
5/4 R. Koogler, M. Epplin

LODGE #572 ELK-OF-THE-YEAR

TERRY GIVENS

On Wed., March 25th, 14 year member, Terry Givens was announced as Elk-of-the-Year for 2008-2009. Many Elks know Terry (and wife, Sue) as “Mr. & Mrs. Claus” around Christmas. With his natural beard, jolly nature, and love of people of all ages and abilities, Terry is a perfect hit for the Santa part. Brother Terry finds it particularly rewarding as he and Sue meet with guests at our START Christmas Dinner, as well as with Children at our “Kids Christmas Party!!

Any Elk or guest who attends our Elk’s Monday Night Raffle is very familiar with Terry’s “Floor Visits” as he sells Pull Tabs, and spreads cheer and laughs throughout the Hall. And, for quite some time now, this has occurred some 50 Mondays per year. Terry’s Reward? Seeing people have fun and raising money to support Elk Charities.

See why he has earned “Elk-of-the-Year” at Lodge #572?

Congratulations, Terry, for being a great example of how Elks Care ~Elks Share!

CONGRATULATIONS
LODGE #572
for
ACHIEVING A +1
MEMBERSHIP GAIN
and meeting GER
Paul Helsel's Goal!!!

ELKS LODGE #572 2010 CARIBBEAN CRUISE

WILL YOU BE ABOARD?????

Who: Elks #572 Members & Guests

When: 1/2/2010 for 8 Days aboard Carnival’s beautiful, New Cruise Ship, The FREEDOM.

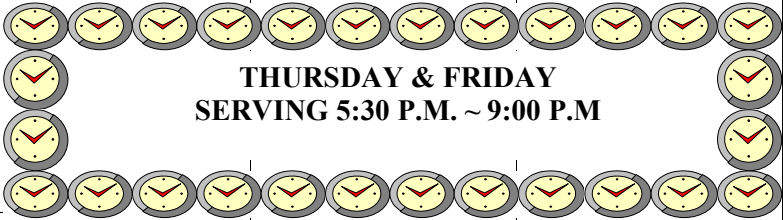

Where: Ports of Call: San Juan; St. Thomas; Antigua; Tortolla; and Nassau, Bahamas.

Prices: \$1,400 / person, Inside Cabin; \$1,550 Ocean View; \$1,780 Balcony. (This is our now well-known, Elk’s Parking Lot-To-Elks Parking Lot, total package, including Taxes, Transfers, Airfare, Bus to St. Louis & Return, Pre-Cruise Party and Extra On-Board Parties.)

More Information: Flyers available at the Lodge, or call / mail a request for one. Or, call Donna Kaps at Custom Travel in St. Louis: (800) 280-0222.

NOTE: We have already sold over 50% of our block of reserved cabins – The cruise line will eventually recall those remaining. If you are considering going, don’t delay too long!

April 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p style="text-align: center;">THURSDAY & FRIDAY SERVING 5:30 P.M. ~ 9:00 P.M</p>			<p>1 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M.</p> <p><i>HOT WINGS</i> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M</p>	<p>2 10 OZ RIB EYE <u>\$12.95</u> ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>	<p>3 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CAT-FISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSHPUPIES \$8.00</p>	4
<p>5 NASCAR TEXAS</p>	<p>6 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p>	<p>7 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 MEXICAN BUFFET \$7.00 CORONA \$1.75 (NO REG. MEN)</p>	<p>8 TRUSTEE MTG./HOUSE COMMITTEE 7:00 P.M <i>HOT WINGS</i> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M</p>	<p>9 10 OZ RIB EYE <u>\$12.95</u> ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>	<p>10 SPECIAL! SAUTÉED FILET OF SALMON W/VEG., RICE PILAF & SALAD BAR \$12.95</p>	11
<p>12 EASTER</p> 	<p>13 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p>	<p>14 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! ITAL. BEEF SAND. W/ FRIES \$6.50</p>	<p>15 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M.</p> <p><i>HOT WINGS</i> .25 EA. 6-8 P.M</p>	<p>16 10 OZ RIB EYE <u>\$12.95</u> ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>	<p>17 SPECIAL! BREADED PORK CUTLET W/MASHED POT. GRAVY, GREEN BEANS & SALAD BAR</p>	18 NASCAR PHEONIX
<p>19 ELKS DIST. MTG. @ HERRIN</p>	<p>20 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p>	<p>21 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! GARDEB SAKAD W/CHICKEN STRIPS \$6.00</p>	<p>22 <i>HOT WINGS</i> .25 EA. 6-8 PM</p>	<p>23 10 OZ RIB EYE <u>\$12.95</u> ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>	<p>24 SPECIAL! FILET MIGNON W/THYME DEMI GLAZE, BAKED POT. & SALAD BAR \$14.95</p>	25
<p>26 NASCAR TALLEDEGA</p>	<p>27 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPECIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p>	<p>28 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 SPECIAL! PRIME RIB SAND, W/FRIES \$7.50</p>	<p>29 <i>HOT WINGS</i> .25 EA. 6-8 PM</p>	<p>30 10 OZ RIB EYE <u>\$12.95</u> ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>		