



MURPHYSBORO ELKS LODGE #572
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SEPTEMBER 2009 NEWSLETTER

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BIRTHDAYS

- 9/1 Beverly Conrad
- 9/2 James Brasel Jr
- 9/2 Michael Davis
- 9/2 Robert Hahn
- 9/3 Amanda Blades
- 9/3 Robert Morgan
- 9/3 Mike Mulholland
- 9/4 Erin Mileur
- 9/4 Ruth Scott
- 9/5 Leon Bryan
- 9/5 Jim Hammers
- 9/5 Stephen Jines
- 9/6 David Camden
- 9/6 Oliver Rathjen
- 9/7 Bruce Dallas
- 9/8 William Futrell
- 9/8 James Holloway
- 9/10 Robert Biggs
- 9/10 Larry Hornick
- 9/10 John Joiner
- 9/11 Robert Hardy
- 9/11 Sandra Schenk
- 9/11 Glenn Wilcox
- 9/12 Paulette Valier
- 9/13 Robert Davenport
- 9/13 Chad Dewaard
- 9/14 Edward Heller
- 9/16 Brian Alexander
- 9/16 Bill Crawshaw
- 9/17 Robert Martin
- 9/18 Robert Catt
- 9/18 Donald Daschka
- 9/19 Darell Ewbank
- 9/19 Tina Phillips
- 9/20 Louis Strack
- 9/21 Richard Allison
- 9/21 Brad Etherton
- 9/21 Wayne Kimmel
- 9/21 Joseph Mileur
- 9/22 Jim Stewart
- 9/22 James Tweedy
- 9/23 Debbie Sauer
- 9/24 Les Hall
- 9/24 Jerry Willett
- 9/25 Judy Holley
- 9/25 James Lawder
- 9/25 Evelyn Odum
- 9/27 Christopher Ahart
- 9/27 Leon Biggs
- 9/27 Timothy Legere
- 9/27 David Sullivan
- 9/28 William Hay
- 9/29 Jack Etherton
- 9/29 Curt Presley
- 9/30 Kevin Mileur
- 9/30 Gene Pettett

E. R. MESSAGE

Schools have started and summer is winding down. September is always the start to a busy fall season. Mark your calendars for Sept. 13th, our Annual Elks #572 Picnic at the main pavilion of Murphysboro Lake. Bring your family out, as it's a great opportunity to visit and also spend some time with your fellow Elks! During this event, we will be drawing for the winner of the "Booze Cooler" which has been on display in the Club Room. Proceeds go to the Illinois Elks Children's Care Corp. Tickets are still available – get your name into the drawing and help out our yearly donation to the CCC.

The Apple Festival Grand Parade is Saturday, Sept. 19th. The #572 Flag Team will be carrying our newly purchased 20' X 30' American Flag. We are still looking for volunteers to help with this event, including individuals to walk and pass out small flags along the route. Our first presentation of our flag was for the National Anthem at the Murphysboro / Carbondale season football opener at MHS's Doc Bencini Field. Feedback is that it made quite an impression with the crowd. Thanks to you 20 members who volunteered to carry the flag...it went very well for our initial effort to serve the community in this way, as well as underscore the importance we Elks place on Patriotism and Old Glory! And, I extend appreciation to Hank Leischner and Sherry Clarry, for donating the materials and time to put the

hand holds on the Flag – a necessity for proper care and presentation. (While they were at it, these volunteers also repaired and updated the window coverings in the #572 Smoking Pavilion – Thank You!)

We hope to have Elks South District Drug Awareness Trailer on display and in service during the Apple Festival. Chris Paul will be calling for volunteers to help staff the trailer. Can you help? Just a couple of hours, here & there! Just contact Chris or myself, and we'll schedule you.

We will be serving as the Host Lodge for the Elks South District Golf Scramble / Benefit on Sat., Oct 10. Please see details in this bulletin. As Host Lodge, let's have several teams participating, and hopefully, some Hole Sponsors! PER, Norm Wayman, is putting a lot of work and effort into helping put this event on... let's help him out!

If you have not noticed, the 3 Flag Poles in front of the Lodge have been replaced. Good Job, Patriots Bravo.... they look great!

The Illinois Elks Association State Meeting is scheduled for Sept. 24-27, in Springfield. All required Lodge Officers will be attending, along with some of our newer Officers. We all hope to learn and bring back beneficial information and procedures to #572.

Our list of delinquent (not paid for this current, 2009-

2010 Lodge year) members is down to 41, and that is a good thing! As dues were due on this past April 1, we now move alerting sponsors and the membership know who needs to meet this important Elk responsibility. Perhaps you know someone, or are the sponsor of someone on this list. You may view it, posted near the Key Card slot by Club Room door, or on our website: www.Elks572.Org (Note – All Club Room privileges, including any activities or purchase of food / drink are suspended, as of Sept. 1, for those who are delinquent!)

In closing, remember that we are approaching a very memorable date – September 11. Please display your American flag at your home. As Elks and Americans, let us take a moment to remember those who lost their lives, and also the men and women who are fighting for us now. Also, as we consider our own memberships and contemplate how we can be "Good Elks," may we often remember our motto, **ELKS CARE – ELKS SHARE**, which fits so well with the theme of our current Grand Exalted Ruler, James L. Nicholson:

ELKS MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Bob Allard, Exalted Ruler

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 STRIP 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.

HISTORIC MURPHYSBORO COLLECTION T-SHIRTS

We are helping out our community by serving as 1 of only 12 locations where you can purchase T-Shirts which depict elements of Murphysboro History. On sale now is the first in this series - the Stecher Brewing Co., Red Seal Beer shirt. Cost is only \$10, with proceeds going to the General John A. Logan Museum. These shirts are available, in the Club Room!

ELKS SOUTH DISTRICT GOLF SCRAMBLE

Saturday, Oct. 10,
Hickory Ridge Golf Course, Carbondale
Shotgun Start @ 1:00 p.m.
Food & Beverages provided on Course
6-Person Scramble - Best Ball Format;
Team Putting - closest to pin prize
Entry Fee is \$75 per Player & Includes
Prime Rib Dinner & Awards
Presentation at Lodge #572
Entry Deadline is Oct. 8.

See or contact Norm Wayman for
questions / entry forms

ANNUAL ELKS #572 PICNIC



START 12:00 P.M.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13,
2009

LAKE M'BORO MAIN
PAVILION AREA

BBQ PORK STEAKS
HOT DOGS
FIXINS

**** FREE DRAFT BEER
& SODA****
(YOUR COVERED DISHES
AND/OR
DESSERTS WELCOME)

GAMES TO FOLLOW
WASHER TOURN.
2:00 P.M.

BRING A PARTNER OR WE
WILL FIND ONE FOR YOU
\$5.00 ENTRY FEE

COMING TO ELKS 572 IN OCTOBER

FOR OUR ELK MEMBERS &
GUESTS A WELL-KNOWN &
POPULAR BAND HAS
REUNITED AND WILL BE
APPEARING AT THE LODGE:

“DANNY AND THE DREAMERS”
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24TH
CASH BAR AT 7:00 P.M.
DANCE/RELAX/ENJOY GREAT
MUSIC!
8:00 – 12:00

HORS D'OEUVRES

\$10 / PERSON COVER CHARGE

ELKS MEMBERS, YOU ARE
INVITED TO A BENEFIT, HOSTED
BY SOUTHERN ILLINOIS HEALTH
CARE, WHICH WILL BE HELD IN
THE LODGE HALL:

THE SECOND ACT
DINNER & DANCE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2009

DINNER SERVED FROM 6-8 P.M.
MUSIC FROM 7-11 PM
ADVANCE TICKETS: \$10
(INCLUDES DINNER)
FOR TICKETS CALL 1-877-480-4040
PROCEEDS WILL HELP FUND THE
SECOND ACT, A FREE PROGRAM
THROUGH SOUTHERN ILLINOIS
HEALTHCARE FOR THOSE AGE 50
& BEYOND.

PARTY INVITATION

On Saturday, Oct. 3., member, Dale Alstat, and wife Beth, are hosting a party at our Lodge, in memory of Dale's mother, Florence Alstat. It will be in the Lodge Hall and all members are invited. Doors open at 7:00 p.m., Band starts at 8:00 p.m., and BBQ and 2 kegs will be provided. All Dale and Beth ask, for is a donation, at the door, for the Elks Children's Care Corporation.


RAFFLE WORKERS

9/7 NO RAFFLE (Labor Day)
9/14 J. Clover, L. Graff (Poole)
9/21 R. Ellenberg, K. Evans (Hines)
9/28 J. Clover, M. Epplin (Paul)
10/5 J. Love, P. Gillmore (Givens)

FULL TAB WORKERS

9/7 NO RAFFLE (Labor Day)
9/14 S. Wheeler, J. Pittman
9/21 S. & A. Stanley
9/28 DC. Dashen, J. Love
10/5 G. Wilcox, D. Siefert

September 2009

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | <p>1 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM - SPECIAL! PIZZA BUFFET \$7.00</p> <p>(NO REG. MENU)</p> | <p>2 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M. HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS 7:00 PM</p> | <p>3 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p> | <p>4 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CATFISH W/ FRIES, SLAW & HUSH- PUPPIES \$8.00</p> | 5 |
| <p>6 NASCAR ATLANTA</p> | <p>7 LABOR DAY (NO BINGO) CLUB ROOM OPEN 12:00—10 PM</p> | <p>8 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL! CHICKEN SALAD WRAP W/ CHIPS \$5.00</p> | <p>9 TRUSTEE MTG./ HOUSE 7:00 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS 7:00 PM</p> | <p>10 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p> | <p>11 SPECIAL! SAUTÉED FILET OF SALMON W/ VEG., RICE PILAF & SALAD BAR \$12.95</p> | 12 NASCAR RICHMOND |
| <p>13 PICNIC M'BORO LAKE CLUB ROOM OPEN 4- 10 PM</p> | <p>14 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPE- CIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p> | <p>15 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL! GARDEN SALAD WCHICKEN STRIPS \$6.50</p> | <p>16 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M. HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS 7:00 PM</p> | <p>17 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p> | <p>18 SPECIAL! CHICKEN PARMESAN ON PASTA W/SALAD & GARLIC TOAST \$9.95</p> | 19 ELKS GIANT FLAG WILL BE DIS- PLAYED IN GRAND APPLE FESTIVAL PARADE! (BACK HALL RENTED) |
| <p>20 NASCAR NEW HAMP.</p> | <p>21 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPE- CIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p> | <p>22 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL! HAM & BEANS, SLAW, CORN BREAD \$5.00</p> | <p>23 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS 7:00 PM</p> | <p>24 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p> | <p>25 SPECIAL! FILET MIGNON W/THYME DEMI GLAZE, BAKED POT. & SALAD BAR \$14.95</p> | 26 |
| IEA FALL MTG. SPRINGFIELD | | | | | | |
| <p>27 NASCAR DOVER</p> | <p>28 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. CLUB ROOM SPE- CIAL SLICED BBQ ON PRESSED BUN FRIES & SLAW \$5.50</p> | <p>29 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM - SPE- CIAL! PRIME RIB SAND. W/CHIPS \$7.50</p> | <p>30 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS 7:00 PM</p> |  <p>THURSDAY & FRIDAY SERVING 5:30 P.M. ~ 9:00 P.M</p> | | |