



MURPHYSBORO ELKS LODGE #572  
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JUNE 2009 NEWSLETTER

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**BIRTHDAYS**

- 6/1 James Fisher
- 6/1 Lynn Porter
- 6/1 Melinda Stuhrenberg
- 6/2 John Ferguson II
- 6/3 Billie Donas
- 6/3 Patrick Gladson
- 6/3 Lisa Marks
- 6/3 Rebecca Wayman
- 6/4 Charles Ruble
- 6/5 Patricia Hahn
- 6/5 Scott Stanley
- 6/6 Kenneth Carr
- 6/8 Randy Cauble
- 6/8 Russell Smith
- 6/9 Gary Apgar
- 6/9 Travis Maynor
- 6/9 Kevin Spring
- 6/10 James Hand
- 6/10 Kreed Moniger
- 6/11 Joe Doshen
- 6/12 Kevin Stratton
- 6/13 Janice Porter
- 6/14 Russ Breading
- 6/15 Mike Etherton
- 6/15 Jerry Worthen
- 6/16 Ray Whiteside
- 6/18 James Craig
- 6/18 Barbara Hay
- 6/18 Dan Myers
- 6/19 Tommy Glisson
- 6/20 Kent Goins
- 6/20 Dwight Westphal
- 6/21 John Hudgins
- 6/21 Philip Spielmacher
- 6/22 Tim Hall
- 6/22 Donald Siefert
- 6/23 James Kerley
- 6/23 Michael Nulty
- 6/24 Lloyd Moore
- 6/26 R. E. Crawshaw
- 6/27 Terri Haddock
- 6/28 Sylvester Balsano
- 6/28 Rick Shepard
- 6/28 Carl Stoker
- 6/29 Elizabeth Kiel
- 6/29 Thomas Welten
- 6/30 John Balsano

**E. R. MESSAGE**

There is a saying that goes “a man never stands so tall as when he kneels to help a child.” Every year, our Lodge raises money for the Illinois Elks Children’s Care Corporation (CCC) to help children all over the state. At the May state Elks convention we received four awards for our contributions to the CCC over the past year. For dollars contributed per member, we were awarded first place in our district and third place in the state. For total dollars contributed, we were awarded first place in our district and first place in the state. Congratulations to all members of Lodge 572, and my sincere gratitude for everyone’s hard work. This past month I also received a letter from the CCC informing us they had just approved \$3991.00 to help a child in our area. As they often say “what goes around comes around.” As we say – Elks care, Elks share.

Last fall the ladies of Xi Omega sorority turned over

their annual fundraiser to our Lodge with the understanding that part of the profits would provide a scholarship to a local student. This past month, Murphysboro High School student Caleb Rednour was presented with a \$600 scholarship from our Lodge. Congratulations, Caleb!

June 14<sup>th</sup> is Flag Day, the anniversary of the day in 1777 when Congress approved the first official flag of our nation. In 1911, the BPOE became the first organization to observe Flag Day. We do so because part of our mission is “to quicken the spirit of American patriotism.” In 1949, President Harry S. Truman (an Elk from Missouri) officially designated June 14<sup>th</sup> as Flag Day. Please display the American flag on your home and/or place of business on Flag Day, and take pride in knowing that Elks helped create this celebration of our nation’s flag. Plans are underway to display our large American flag at the Murphys-

boro Community Flag Day celebration on June 12<sup>th</sup>. I invite you to stop by the event to honor our nation’s flag. Here’s an interesting piece of trivia: the current 50-star American flag was designed by Joseph Vrtel, an Elk from Florida.

In 1909, a woman named Sonora Dodd envisioned a holiday that honored fathers that were like hers. He was a Civil War veteran, his wife died giving birth to their sixth child, and he raised all six children with courage, selflessness, and love. President Lyndon Johnson proclaimed the third Sunday of June to be Father’s Day; President Nixon made it an official holiday in 1972. The bible says we should honor thy father and mother. Last month we honored Mom. Don’t forget about Dad this month.

Steve Zak, E. R.



**ELKS TO PARTICIPATE IN COMMUNITY FLAG DAY**

Lodge #572 will be

presenting our large American Flag at the Murphysboro Community Flag Day Ceremony, John A Logan Museum, on Saturday, June 12. Check local media, and upcoming flyers at the Lodge, for schedule and times. YOU are invited!

# MENU

## TUESDAY MENU

SERVING

5:30 – 8:00 P.M.

### SIDES:

ONION RINGS \$3.50

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 \$5.50

### CATFISH SANDWICH 4OZ. FILET

ON A HOAGIE BUN

W/FRIES \$7.00

### GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST

SERVED ON A HOAGIE BUN

W/FRIES \$7.00

### RUEBEN SANDWICH ON RYE

W/FRIES \$6.50

### GRILLED CHEESE \$2.00



## MONDAY BINGO MENU

SERVING 5:30 – 8:00 P.M.

OLD FASHION HAMBURGER 1/3 LB

W/FRIES \$4.50

FISH SANDWICH W/FRIES \$4.50

B.B.Q. SANDWICH W/FRIES \$4.50

GRILLED CHEESE SANDWICH \$2.00

CHICKEN STRIPS W/FRIES \$6.00

(4) POTATO SKINS \$3.50

### SIDES:

FRENCH or CURLY FRIES \$1.50

ONION RINGS \$3.50

### MONDAY

CLUB ROOM SPECIAL!

5:30 ~ 8:00 P.M.

BBQ SANDWICH W/FRIES \$4.50

ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN  
BEER \$1.50



## BASEBALL – DISTRICT MEETING COMBO

That's right! Sunday, June 13, Rent One Park. South Dist. Elks Meeting at 2:00 p.m., Banquet Suite above Third Base. \$20 per person, VIP Seating, Private Bartender, Cash Bar. 5:00 p.m., Miners v.s. Windy City Thunderbolts. 1<sup>st</sup> pitches by PGER, Louis Sulsberger, and IEA President, Kirk Wallace. Tickets available at the Lodge. Learn about our Elks Organization at the District Level, then enjoy the Game!!!

### QUEEN OF HEARTS

Remember – This Option continues and awaits your participation. Sign up in the Club Room, any day. Drawing occurs each Wednesday, at 7:00 p.m.!

### 3RD ANNUAL POKER RUN



SATURDAY, JUNE 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2010

REG. STARTS AT 11:00 AM  
MURPHYSBORO ELKS LODGE #572  
\$15 SINGLE, \$20 DOUBLE, & \$5  
EXTRA HAND

FIRST BIKE OUT AT 12:00 PM

LAST BIKE BACK 5:30 PM  
(ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE ELKS  
CHILDREN'S CARE CORP.)

GUARANTEED PAYBACK OF \$1,000

PAYING OUT BEST & WORST  
HAND  
FREE FOOD & MUSIC  
50/50 DRAWING

QUESTIONS? CALL OUR LODGE  
684-4541 – WATCH OUR WEBSITE  
FOR UPDATES: [www.elks572.org](http://www.elks572.org)



## ELKS YARD SALE

Our Annual Yard Sale will be held at the Lodge, in July. Keep this in mind as you sort & clean around the house, garage, business, etc. Box up or set aside items you might want to donate for our annual sale, benefits of which go to the IL Elks Childrens Care Corp. (CCC). Further details, including date, will be posted on our website ([www.elks572.org](http://www.elks572.org)), and also printed in the July Bulletin.



## DUES PAYMENT REMINDER

509 of our 621 members are now current! Remember, we have already paid your National / State / District Per-Capita. As yearly membership payments are always due on or before April 1, we are now some 60 days into the 2010-2011 Lodge Year. Club Room Privileges and related events therein, will no longer be available, starting June 1, for delinquent Elks who have yet to take care of this important requirement.

### RAFFLE WORKERS

6/7 L. Graff, T. Phillips (Hines)  
6/14 J. Clover, J. Wayman (Paul)  
6/21 R. Ellenberg, V. Freeman (Givens)  
6/28 J. Clover, T. Phillips (Poole)  
7/5 (No Raffle – 4<sup>th</sup> Holiday)  
7/12 J. Love, P. Gillmore (Hines)

### PULL TAB WORKERS

6/7 J. Love, J. Rosson  
6/14 S. & A. Stanley  
6/21 G. Wilcox, D. Siefert  
6/28 S. Wheeler, J. Pittman  
7/5 (No Raffle – 4<sup>th</sup> Holiday)  
7/12 D. Sauer, J. Wayman

**ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS**


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

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

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

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

# June 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
		1 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL OPEN FACE BEEF W/ MASHED POT. & GRAVY \$6.00	2 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M. HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M. QUEEN OF HEARTS	3 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/ VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	4 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CATFISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSHPUPIES \$8.00	5 Norm Wayman in- vites Elk Members to help celebrate Becky & Robb's Engage- ment Party 5:00 pm	
6 NASCAR POCONO	7 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50  ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	8 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL CHICKEN SALAD WRAP W/CHIPS \$5.00	9 TRUSTEE MTG./ HOUSE 7:00 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M. QUEEN OF HEARTS	10 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/ VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	11 SPECIAL! SAU- TÉED FILET OF SALMON W/VEG., RICE PILAF & SALAD BAR \$12.95	12	
13 NASCAR MICHIGAN	14 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50  ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	15 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL REUB EN SAND/ W/ FRIES \$5.50	16 LODGE MTG. 7:30 P.M. HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M. QUEEN OF HEARTS	17 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/ VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	18 SPECIAL! CHICKEN PARME- SAN ON PASTA W/ SALAD & GARLIC TOAST \$9.95	19 BACK HALL RENTED	
20 NASCAR SONOMA	21 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50  ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	22 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL GARDEN SALAD W/ CHICKEN STRIPS \$7.00	23 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M. QUEEN OF HEARTS	24 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/ VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	25 SPECIAL! FILET MIGNON W/ THYME DEMI GLAZE, BAKED POT. & SALAD BAR \$14.95	26 BACK HALL RENTED POKER RUN FOR CCC REG. @ 11-12 A.M. BIKES IN 5:30 P.M. CLUB ROOM	
27 NASCAR NEW HAMP.	28 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50  ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	29 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL PRIME RIB SAND. W/ CHIPS \$7.50	30 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M. QUEEN OF HEARTS	 <p><b>THURSDAY &amp; FRIDAY</b> SERVING 5:30 P.M. ~ 9:00 P.M.</p>			