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JUNE 2011 NEWSLETTER

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BIRTHDAY



- 6/1 Lynn Porter
- 6/1 Melinda Stuhrenberg
- 6/2 John Ferguson II
- 6/3 Rebecca Beavers
- 6/3 Billie Donas
- 6/3 Patrick Gladson
- 6/3 Lisa Marks
- 6/4 Charles Ruble
- 6/5 Patricia Hahn
- 6/5 Scott Stanley
- 6/6 Kenneth Carr
- 6/8 Randy Cauble
- 6/9 Gary Apgar
- 6/9 Travis Maynor
- 6/9 Kevin Spring
- 6/10 James Hand
- 6/10 Kreed Moniger
- 6/11 E. J. Callahan
- 6/11 Joe Doshen
- 6/12 Elisa Rea
- 6/12 Kevin Stratton
- 6/13 Janice Porter
- 6/14 Russ Breading
- 6/15 Mike Etherton
- 6/15 Jerry Worthen
- 6/16 Ray Whiteside
- 6/17 Richard Pautler
- 6/18 James Craig
- 6/18 Barbara Hay
- 6/18 Dan Myers
- 6/19 Tommy Glisson
- 6/19 Morgan Teas
- 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
- 6/23 Janet Polete
- 6/24 Lloyd Moore
- 6/26 R. E. Crawshaw
- 6/27 Terri Hadsock
- 6/28 Sylvester Balsano
- 6/28 Rick Shepard
- 6/28 Carl Stoker
- 6/29 Elizabeth Kiel
- 6/29 Thomas Welten
- 6/30 John Balsano

ER MESSAGE

June is right around the corner as we celebrate this upcoming Memorial Weekend. With any luck we will have at least one dry day. I am so grateful that we all survived the Storm Scare of May 25.

Our month started off with our Cinnamon Roll sale on 5/04, followed by a Quattro de Mayo Mexican Food dinner. These were both Grand Lodge fundraisers and **BIG SUCCESS**. On Mothers' Day we had a record turnout for the Brunch with 80 Mothers attending with their families, to bring out total count to over 200 people. I would like to thank Shelly and her volunteers for an excellent meal. The Grand Lodge Wine Basket was won by Steve Schemonia. We now have a Wine & BBQ Basket for raffle, donated to us as a Grand Lodge fundraiser by Kim & John Joiner. I will throw in 2 sides of ribs with it! Buy your tickets now. The drawing will be **June 4**, right after the Poker Run Awards. For a small donation, everyone is invited to join our riders for Dinner at the club.

Our Elks Lodge Flag Team will be participating in the **Flag Day Ceremony on June 11, 10:00 am at the John A. Logan Museum**. This is a very impressive ceremony & I hope that many of you will attend.

The 3rd weekend in May, required #572 Lodge Officers traveled to Springfield for the State Elks Convention. On arrival we were met in our Hospitality Room by the Chicago North Shore Elks. They had taken some of the MRE's (Soldiers Meals Ready to Eat) that we had demonstrated and given away at the Winter IEA meeting, to some of their area schools and gave a presentation about what our soldiers eat in the field and how it is prepared. They presented a stack of letters that the

children had written to the soldiers, for us to deliver to our National Guard Unit that donated these items.

CONGRATULATIONS!!! To all our members who assisted Chairman, Keith Roberts, in raising the funds for the IL Elks Children's Care Corp. that won us 1st in District Gross, 1st in District per capita, 2nd in State per capita and 3rd for Total Contributions in State. See photo and caption in this Newsletter.

We apologize that we had to postpone the PER Butt Sale, originally scheduled in May. We will now be taking orders for a rescheduled **July 2** pick up (See article). Just to who you how sorry we are...We will even chop your butt on request. (I do also apologize to the few that were not notified of the change.)

BIG NEWS!!!! With our ENF monies and matched with a very sizeable donation from our Lodge's own 'Fibber', Steve McGee, we will be the Uniform Sponsor for the New Murphysboro Soccer League. We wish the League Good Luck on getting started this year and will help in any way we can to give our children 7 grandchildren a program that will be good not only in Murphysboro, but will also include the Trico Area children.

In closing I would like to wish all fathers a Happy Father's Day. For those of us that have lost our fathers, let us to celebrate the wonderful memories.

Elks Care ~ Elks Share

Patty Stokes, Exalted Ruler

"A man never stands as tall as when he kneels to help a child."

Pork Butt Sale Moved To July

The Past Exalted Ruler (PER) Association is holding a pork butt sale to help fund our Lodge's effort to go green. Butts are being sold for \$30, and pick up will be on July 2nd from noon to 2pm. Proceeds will go to fund replacement of Lodge lighting fixtures with more energy efficient units. Butts can be ordered in the Lodge or by e-mail by contacting Robert Allard (rbtallard@aol.com) or Steven Zak (szak@elks572.org).

Club Privileges To End July 1 If Dues Are Unpaid

If you have not paid your dues for 2011-2012, your club privileges will end on July 1, 2011. This means you will not be able to enter the club room, purchase anything, or participate in Lodge activities. If you need to make special arrangements for paying your dues, or did not receive a dues notice, please contact Lodge secretary Merle Evans.

4TH ANNUAL POKER RUN



SATURDAY, JUNE 4TH, 2011

Route:

Start at Murphysboro Elks Lodge, ride to Moof's Bar & Grill (Chester), Lisa's Bar & Grill (Prairie du Rocher), Jan's Horseshoe Inn (Schuline), Korner Tavern (Ava), return to Murphysboro Elks Lodge #572.

\$15 SINGLE, \$20 DOUBLE, & \$5 EXTRA HAND

FIRST BIKE OUT AT 12:00 PM

LAST BIKE BACK 6:00 PM

**(PROCEEDS GO TO THE
ELKS CHILDREN'S CARE CORP.)**

GUARANTEED PAYBACK OF \$1,000



ELKS YARD SALE

Our Annual Yard Sale will be held at the Lodge, on July 15, & 16th. 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 will be posted on our website (www.elks572.org), and also printed in the July Bulletin.

RAFFLE WORKERS

6/6 L. Graff, C. DeWulf (Paul)
6/13 R. Ellenberg, V. Freeman (Evans)
6/20 D. Sauer, P. Gillmore (Hines)
6/27 J. Clover, L. Evans (Givens)
7/4 NO RAFFLE

PULL TAB WORKERS

6/6 J. Wayman, S. Wheeler
6/13 S & A Stanley
6/20 M. Sherman, S. Schemonia
6/27 G. Wilcox, D. Siefert
7/4 NO RAFFLE

ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS

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

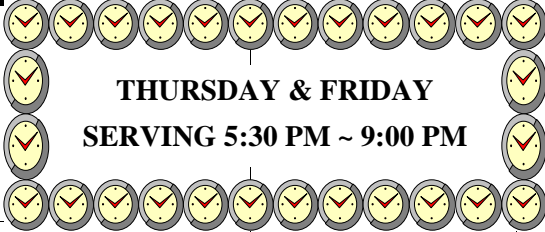
FRIDAY
2:00 P.M. ~ 12:00 A.M.

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

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

COMING EVENTS

JUNE 4...POKER RUN
JULY 2ND..... JULY PORK BUTT SALE
JULY 15 & 16 ELKS YARD SALE

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>THURSDAY & FRIDAY SERVING 5:30 PM ~ 9:00 PM</p>			<p>1 LODGE MTG. 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS</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 CATFISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSH PUPPIES \$8.00</p>	<p>4 POKER RUN</p>
<p>5 NASCAR KANSAS CITY</p>	<p>6 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</p>	<p>7 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL MEATLOAF W/ MASHED POT. & VEG. \$6.50</p>	<p>8 TRUSTEE MTG.HOUSE 7:00 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS</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 INDOC. 7:00 PM</p>	<p>10 SPECIAL! BACON WRAPPED PORK LOIN, MASHED POT., VEG. & ROLL \$8.95</p>	<p>11</p>
<p>12 NASCAR POGONO</p>	<p>13 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</p>	<p>14 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL TACO SALAD \$6.00</p>	<p>15 LODGE MTG. & INITIATION 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS</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 CHICKEN PARE-SAN; GARLIC BREAD SALAD BAR \$9.95</p>	<p>18 BACK HALL RENTED</p>
<p>19 NASCAR BROOKLYN</p>	<p>20 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</p>	<p>21 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL CAVATINI, SALAD & GARLIC BREAD \$6.50</p>	<p>22 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS</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>	<p>25 BACK HALL RENTED</p>
<p>26 NASCAR SONOME</p>	<p>27 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</p>	<p>28 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL HOT HAS & CHEESE W/CHIPS \$6.00</p>	<p>29 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS</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>		