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AUGUST 2011 NEWSLETTER

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- Daniel Baker Dean Brandenburg Deon Carson David Flowers
- Craig Brashear
- Joey Bastien Michael Garlinghouse Greg Hughes William Lowe
- William Blake Dennis Brock Megan Cochran
- Jason Buser Dianne Chamness Michael Martin
- Edward Conrad Naomi O'Neal
- Philip Green Cathy Lilley Julia Moore John M. Tweedy
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- Peter Arnott Michael Bergant Steve Kimbro Steve Swafford William Thompson
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- Brent Middendorf
- Paul Dondi Robert Fenwick Patricia Gillmore Llovd Hanna
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- Shirley Grissom
- Clay Brewer Robin Falkenberg
- Bernard Clover
- Ron Heiple Neal Hammel

E. R. MESSAGE

greeting to all members! I hope everyone had an enjoyable 4th of July weekend. I know I did, revisiting family that I had not seen for some time. I need to remind myself that Family should always come first.

The July, PER Pork Butt e sale went well. The monies they raised will be helping our Lodge go green with our new lighting. Thank you to the "Butt rubbers", Patriot Bravo Co., and everyone who worked on this event. Thank you to all members and friends who ordered and made this effort a success. They were delicious.

HERE REALLY ARE **Q** WININERS ON THE CCC CALENDAR! I WON \$ 50.00 THE OTHER DAY! Calendars are now on sale for ½ price (\$10.00) and available at the Lodge.

Congratulations to Lodge Officers for diligently pursuing the ENF Promise Grant that was offered for consideration to the first 500 lodges to apply. For the coming year, we were awarded \$2000.00 for 2 of our Community projects! They are the Murphysboro Jr. Football league year-end banquet to be held this fall, and a Youth Workshop and Fun Day, to be hosted in the spring. Special thanks to Steve Zak and Merle Evans for finalizing our application and pressing to submit it in the opening seconds!

6 f you have been observing the Elks property located behind the Lodge building, you will see that the Soccer Practice

Field is well on its way! Our Elks Lodge is strongly supporting this new endeavor and proud to see so many of our members actively working to make this happen.

This fiscal year, Grand O Lodge is sponsoring a contest of sorts. Sign up a 3 new members or past members and you will receive a spiffy pin from GL. In addition, your name will be entered to win a trip to Grand Lodge in Austin, Texas in 2012.

Our Cook, Steve Dennis, has just renewed his Food Sanitation License. He went to a 16-hr. training course, along with many employees from other clubs in Murphysboro. The turnout for the training was Thanks to all who great. helped coordinate this training for our employees.

Qugust 31, 2011 will be the last day the Lodge will be accepting donations for the families of the Joplin Lodge Disaster. Please stop by the Lodge and donate to our Elks in need. Murphysboro has experienced this same heartache many times in the past. These families need our help. Thank you.

tart collecting your yard sale items!! The sale is just around the corner (See article elsewhere in this newsletter).

Peading Knight, Debbie Sauer, and I just returned from the Grand Lodge Convention in Phoenix. It was a busy week for us with 36 resolutions on the table. These were devised from the Future of Elkdom committee, which many members nationwide responded to. Many of these resolutions passed! We will have a print out available at the Lodge, or you can go to Elks.org for results. We survived a dust/sand storm Tuesday evening, while we were in the pool. Traveling right over the top of us, it was weird and pink! The last time I saw a sky like that was the Derecho of May, 2009.

The part of the Convention I will never forget is visiting the State Special Project booths. Indiana Elks and Purdue University are working hand- inhand on Cancer research; Michigan is working on Alzheimer's research; other states are researching juvenile diabetes; and many more state Elk associations are doing similar, valuable work. It was truly amazing to see the MIL-LIONS of Elk Dollars, that are being raised by our Memberships, going to such important programs such as these, along with scholarships for our youth. I know that OUR OWN LODGE should be extremely proud of itself for being consistently in the TOP 3 in the State for fundraising. It iust proves that BPOE stands for BEST PEOPLE ON EARTH!

6 invite all members to attend Our monthly meetings as we continue to plan for the Future of Elkdom in our Lodge.

Fraternally your, Patty Stokes, Exalted Ruler

CARBON LAKE CLUB **DONATION APPRECIATED!**

One of the sites which hosted an ENF Benefit Shooting Match, this past year, was the Carbon Lake Club in Murphysboro. In addition, and more recently, a raffle was organized for a 12-ga. Match Shotgun. This beautiful gun was donated through and by the efforts of Delmar Hunziker and David McComb. Thank you, both, for providing this item which we were able to raffle - the proceeds of which are going to assist Lodge #572! (And, congratulations to member, Jim Ferguson, who held the winning ticket!)





ONE DAY ONLY

SATURDAY AUGUST 13TH 8:00 A.M. - 2:00 P. M.

REMEMBER, IF YOU DON'T WANT YOUR **USEABLE, ITEMS, DONATE THEM TO** THE ELKS YARD SALE! ALL PROCEEDS GO TO BENEFIT ILLINOIS ELKS CHILDREN CARE CORP.

"PLEASE HAVE ITEMS DELIVERED FOR SORTING / PRICING, ON OR BEFORE THURSDAY, AUG. 11"!

DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF **DURING CLUB ROOM HOURS**

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.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, CALL: Melissa Ferguson @ 303-1218

BEER 30 BAND PERFORMING IN CLUB ROOM

NO COVER CHARGE, BAND STARTS AT 9"00 PM ON FRIDAY, AUG. 26TH! **COME JOIN THE FUN!**

PULL TAB WORKERS

M. Sherman, S. Schemonia S, Wheeler, S. Schemonia 8/15

8/22 S. & A. Stanley

8/29 S. Schemonia, T. Givens

(LABOR DAY NO RAFFLE) 9/5

RAFFLE WORKERS

8/8 L. Graff, R. Ellenberg (Hines) L. Graff, C. DeWulf (Paul) 8/15 J. Clover, P. Gillmore (Evans) 8/22 8/29 L. Porter, J. Erbes (Givens) 9/5 (LABOR DAY-NO RAFFLE)

ELKS LODGE #572 DELINQUENT MEMBERS AS OF 7/26/11

Russ Breading Diane Chamness Shirley Cook Michael Davis Joe Doshen Tom Falkenberg Tony Geiselman Less Hall **Shawn Imhoff** Henry Leischner Jackie Lindsey Janet Mandis Joe Melvin **Shane Moore** Daryl Murphy John Pittman Tim Schenk **Kevin Spring** Scott Stanley William Terry Adam Welsh

Clay Brewer **Cherie Clarry Carol Coventry** Robt. Diehl Mike Douglas **Tracy Ferguson Kent Goins Charles Heller Stephen Jines** Stephanie Marler Tom Martin Kevin Mileur Ben Mundstock **Charles Nance** Patricia Reese Matt Schlueter Kathy Staffey Tom Stein William Todd Jason Wright

Jeff Carver Saundra Clover **Dan Dallas Billie Donas Scott Ebershol** Venita Freeman Roger Green Tv Hollmann **Don Johnson** Lee Love Jacob **Ron Milton Greg Murphy** Naomi O'Neal **Charles Ruble Darrell Skeens** Angela Stanley **Eric Sumner** Jerry Ward Carrie Zucco

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COMING EVENTS

AUGUST 13th...ELKS YARD SALE AUGUST 26TH...ON FRI. NIGHT BEER 30 BAND IN CLUB ROOM

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	I 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	2 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL: POLISH SAUSAGE & SAUER- KRAUT \$6.00	3 <u>NO</u> LODGE MTG. HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	4 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/ VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	5 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CATFISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSH PUPPIES \$8.00	6 BACK HALL RENTED
7	8 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	9 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL: CHICKEN SALAD SANDWICH \$6.00	10 TRUSTEE MTG.HOUSE 7:00 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	11 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	12 FILET KABOBS \$9.95	13 YARD SALE 8:00AM TO 2:00 PM
14	15 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	16 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL: TURKEY CLUB SANDWICH \$6.50	17 LODGE MTG. 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	18 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	19 ORANGE MAR- MALADE PORK LOIN \$9.95	20
21	22 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	23 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL: SOUTH- ERN FRIED PORK CHOPS \$8.00	24 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	25 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	26 SPECIAL! FILET MIGNON W/ THYME DEMI GLAZE, BAKED POT. & SALAD BAR \$14.95 BEER 30 BAND @9PM	27
28	29 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	30 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL: HAM- BURGER & CHILI \$7.50	31 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS		SDAY & FRIDAY G 5:30 PM ~ 9:00 PM	