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FEBRUARY 2012 NEWSLETTER

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BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Charley Mills
- 2 William Gladson
- 2 Patricia Reese
- 3 Michael Duncan
- 3 Tina Rathjen
- 3 Michelle Reames
- 3 Jeffery Williams
- 4 Dan Dallas
- 4 Charles Heller
- 4 Duffy McBride
- 4 David Uffelmann
- 6 Steven Zak
- 7 Curtis Thornton
- 7 Marty Will
- 8 Beau Nance
- 8 Gary Rowden
- 8 Thomas Wulf
- 9 Pat Lustig
- 9 Dale Pulcher
- 10 Harold Gibbs
- 12 Thomas Aken
- 12 Patricia Shields
- 13 Don Johnson, Jr
- 13 Mandy Sitton
- 15 Alan Baker
- 15 John Tippy
- 18 Lee Chancey
- 18 James Ryan
- 19 John McDermott
- 19 Randy Skoffic
- 19 Carrie Zucco
- 20 Homer Morgan
- 20 Randall Whitehead
- 21 Michael Hubbs
- 22 Wayne Alstat
- 22 Jeff Carter
- 22 Robert Chambers
- 22 Barbara Gillooly
- 22 Patsy Polete
- 23 Tim Cobin
- 23 Janet Faulkner
- 23 Michele Spring Zimbleman
- 24 Michael Ewbank
- 25 Robert Roy
- 27 Jim Dallas
- 27 Elsie Phillips

E. R. MESSAGE

Normally this is something I do not address in the ER Message, but I feel I need to express myself this one time.

The loss of our friends and members is always hard. This month, our losses have been equally devastating. These members were frequent faces in our Lodge and Club, and vital members of this Lodge. Their contributions to the Elks Organization were limitless and they will be sadly missed by all. I pray for the families in their time of grief and would like to extend my heartfelt sorrow to everyone who has lost a loved one.

Recapping the January events, I will say that the Caribbean Cruise was delightful. The weather was great and our ship made it safely home. Bob and Donna Kaps are working on some possibilities for next year as you read this. At our first meeting in February, we should have some trips presented to us for consideration.

On Jan 14 we had our 1st Game Night. The Chicken and Dumplings were delicious. The meal was donated by Rick and Janice Ehlers. There was not a huge turnout but everyone there said they had a great time. The following Saturday, more people showed up just to see if anyone wanted to play games. There was a full social quarters of gamers having fun. Maybe this will turn in to a regular Saturday night event.

We are heading into the last weekend of January at press time. Some of us will be heading to Springfield for convention and Sunday is our 1st ENF Shooting match at the Bull Pen. Please come and shoot, eat and drink, and most of all, support your Lodge! If you can volunteer to help, please call Norm Wayman at 967-7183.

SUPER BOWL SUNDAY!
 Feb 5 at 5pm. Come cheer on your favorite team and enjoy snacks furnished by the members. There will also be THE BIG DRAWING that day for the BASKET!

Valentine's Dinner will be served at the Club on Friday, Feb 10. We will be serving Beef Tenderloin Medallions with a Wine and Mushroom reduction, Skewered Shrimp, Twice Baked Potato, Salad Bar, Roll, Dessert and glass of Champagne all for only \$ 14.95 per person. Ladies..... we also have a surprise for you. The next scheduled Shooting Match will be Feb 19 at Crazy Joe's. (NOON)

AHYEE! Fat Tuesday is Feb 21 and we are going to party down. We are hosting an amazing Cajun Buffet prepared by the Officers and Members. We will not be serving the regular menu this evening. Wear your beads and join us for an evening of fun.

February 25 we will have our CCC Dart Tourney. **BIGGEST FUNDRAISER OF THE YEAR!** We need \$

100.00 sponsors, items to raffle, volunteers, and YOU!

This is our State project and these kids need our support. Let's again show the rest of the State that Murphysboro Lodge 572 IS #1.

Thank you for your support.
 Yours in Elksdom,
 Patty Stokes
 Exalted Ruler

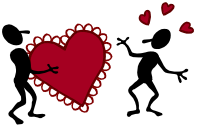


In vain we call. They have passed into the light which is beyond the valley of the shadow of death. The places that have known them shall know them no more; but their virtues are written upon the tablets of love and memory

LEE BLAKE, PER
 April 25, 1936 - Jan. 9, 2012

DONALD GREGORY
 July 21, 1948 - Jan. 20, 2012

WILLIAM BOST, PER
 Nov. 27, 1930 - Jan. 21, 2012



FRIDAY, FEB 10TH VALENTINE DINNER SPECIAL

**BEEF TENDERLOIN
MEDDALLIONS/MUSHROOM
WINE SAUCE
SHRIMP SKEWER
TWICE BAKED POT.
SALAD BAR & ROLL
GLASS OF CHAMPAGNE
VALENTINE DESSERT
\$14.95**



**17TH ANNUAL CHILDREN'S CARE
DART TOURNAMENT
SAT., FEB. 25, 2012**

**BLIND DRAW/CHICAGO STYLE
\$10.00 ENTRY FEE**

**SIGN-UP 1:00 – 3:00 P.M.
PLAY BEGINS AT 3:30**

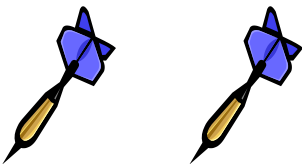
GUARANTEED \$500 PAYOUT!

**EVERYBODY WELCOME FOOD
PROVIDED AT 2:00 BY:
“ GREAT BOARDS OF FIRE”**

**LIVE AUCTION, (approx.
7:00 pm)
SILENT AUCTION AND
RAFFLES**

**DONATIONS, SPONSORSHIPS or
QUESTIONS CALL**

**MURPHYSBORO ELKS 684-4541
or KEITH ROBERTS 687-3359**



**SUPER BOWL PARTY
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5
5:00 PM**

**COME CHEER ON YOUR
FAVORITE TEAM WITH
FELLOW ELKS & FRIENDS.**

- **JIMMY JOHN'S**
- **CAKE WILL BE PROVIDED**
(compliments of Dave Watt)
- **DISHES TO SHARE ARE WELCOME**
- **DRINK SPECIALS AND GIVEAWAYS**

**INVITATION TO
ADVERTISE IN
CLUBROOM**

MENU Interested Members
You are invited to place an advertisement for your business or service, in our new Club Room Menus. Business Card Size, 12 months, for \$100. See or Call Holly at Lodge (684-4541) for further questions, or to arrange your Ad. First come - First Serve!



ELK'S SHOOTING MATCHES

**UP-COMING SCHEDULE OF
SUNDAY DATES:**

- **JAN. 29-BULL PEN (JACOB)**
- **FEB. 19- CRAZY JOE'S**
- **MAR. 4 - CHESTER EAGLES (pucker guns & scopes allowed)**

ALL MATCHES BEGIN AT NOON

- **MEAT WHEEL**
- **50/50 DRAWS**
- **FREE FOOD**
- **FUN & FRIENDS**

COME JOIN THE FUN!!!!



RAFFLE WORKERS

- 2/6 L. Porter, C. Canning (Hines)
- 2/13 C. Dewulf, J. Erbes (Paul)
- 2/20 L. Graff, R. Ellenberg (Evans)
- 2/27 J. Wayman, P. Gillmore (Givens)
- 3/5 L. Graff, J. Clover (Hines)

PULL TAB WORKERS

- 2/6 M. Sherman, S. Schemonia
- 2/13 S. Schemonia, D. Sauer
- 2/20 G. Wilcox, D. Siefert
- 2/27 S. & A. Stanley
- 3/5 S. Schemonia; M. Sherman

February 2012

ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS

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

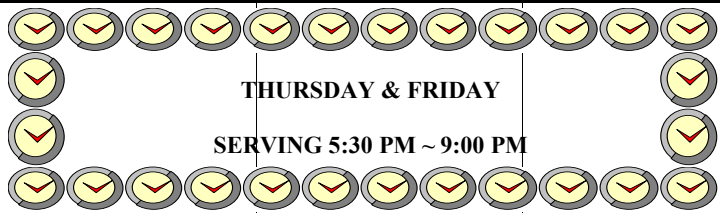




SATURDAY
12:00 P.M. ~ 12:00
A.M.

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

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

COMING EVENTS

Feb. 19: Shooting Match at Crazy Joes Fish House @ 12:00 Noon, Sunday
March 4: Shooting Match, Chester Eagles 12:00 Noon, Sunday (pucker
guns/scopes allowed; no barrel length over 36")

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</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 BACK HALL RENTED</p>
<p>5 SUPER BOWL PARTY 5:00 PM</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</p>	<p>7 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM MEATBALL SUB, PASTA SALAD \$6.50</p>	<p>8 TRUSTEE MTG.HOUSE 7:00 HOT WINGS .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  VALENTINE DINNER! SEE ARTICLE FOR MENU</p>	<p>11 BACK HALL RENTED RELAY FOR LIFE</p>
12	<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 DRAW- ING 7:00 PM PRIME RIB SAND. SWEET POT. FRIES \$7.00 RED VELVET  CUPCAKE</p>	<p>15 LODGE MTG. 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .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 SALMON/DILL SAUCE RICE PI- LAF, SUGAR SNAP PEAS, SALAD BAR ROLLS \$12.95</p>	18 MHS HALL OF FAME
19	<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 DRAW- ING 7:00 PM  FAT TUESDAY CA- JUN BUFFET \$10.00</p>	<p>22 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M</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  CCC DART TOURNEY SEE ARTICLE</p>
26	<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 DRAW- ING 7:00 PM PORK TENDERLOIN SAND., ONION RINGS \$6.50</p>	<p>29 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M</p>			