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ELKS LODGE #572  
P. O. BOX 787  
1809 SHOMAKER DRIVE  
MURPHYSBORO, IL 62966

NOVEMBER 2013

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**BIRTHDAYS**

**E. R. MESSAGE**

- 1 Richard Siefert
- 2 Wiley Bost
- 3 Michele Allard
- 3 Cherie Dewulf
- 4 Angela Stanley
- 5 Michael Cripps
- 5 Mary Falaster
- 8 Charles Nance
- 9 Ronald Milton
- 10 Bob Swanson
- 11 Steve Ferguson
- 11 Jerry Giffin
- 12 Julie Erbes
- 12 Darcie Hastings
- 13 Paula Duncan
- 13 Steven McGee
- 14 Robt. Eggemeyer
- 14 Kim McRoberts
- 14 William Schwartz
- 15 Norm Beckman
- 16 Casey Bloodworth
- 16 Kenneth Meadows
- 18 James Brown
- 19 Scott Uffelman
- 20 Angie Hanna
- 20 Janice Hines
- 20 Jeff Kerkhover
- 20 Michael Miles
- 21 Steven Bookstaver
- 21 James Ellis
- 21 Sherry Wendling
- 22 Kendra Evans
- 23 Ralph Ellett
- 24 David Sullivan
- 25 Tammy Tuttle
- 26 Ronald Reeder
- 27 Raymond Holley
- 28 Donald Brewer
- 28 Allen Gale
- 29 Theodore Ferguson
- 29 Ossie Fink
- 29 Donald Hulick
- 29 Joe Melvin
- 29 Shirley Summers
- 30 George Miller

Hello, Everyone,

It's starting to get chilly outside, reminding me to encourage you to donate and bring in any good-quality, clean coats, for distribution through the Elk's "Coats for Kids" Program. Just get them to the Lodge and we will take it from there. Once again we will be selling **FRESH NUTS** for the Holiday Season, so as to provide you with a convenient, quality product, while raising money for a local Scholarship at MHS (See Article for details). Check out the November Birthday Party...All Elks are invited to come in and ENJOY the Evening, and say "Happy Birthday" to any Elks present, who are listed on the Birthday List in this Newsletter. And, it's a chance to hear the "LEWIS CREEK BAND."

I would personally like to invite **ALL VETERANS** to this year's **Veteran's Day Dinner and Program**, on Sunday, November 10. This honoring of our Veterans has, for the second year now, been expanded to a community-wide event, thanks to this year's \$2,000 Beacon grant from the Elks National Foundation (\$1,000 Grant last year). We will provide a great meal, and follow with another fine program, as was put forth last November. And, Elk Members, you are likewise invited to attend and help honor Veterans of the Community. Various Veteran and / or Military Groups will be helping us get the word out, and encour-

age attendance. Come, and join in!

We would like to introduce a new addition to the Elk's Staff. Christine Ward has joined us as Elks #572 Club Manager. So, please welcome Christine, and say "Hello" when you meet her.

Let me take this opportunity to thank all those who helped with the combination Halloween / Birthday Party for October. Kathy Guetersloh headed up an extensive decoration of the Lodge Hall, an awesome food table, and some fun games. Linda Patrick and Cathy Rothe also provided special assistance. And as for some of those costumes - Wow!!

On Wednesday, November 6, We will hosting a visit by District Deputy, Grand Exalted Ruler, Mark Hunter, from Metropolis Lodge #1428. Mark and his Team will be evaluating our Lodge earlier in the evening, and will address the membership at the Lodge Meeting / Initiation, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Welcome to #572, D. D., Mark!

Sincerely, Darcie Hastings, E. R.



**VETERANS DAY**  
**LUNCH**  
**&**  
**PROGRAM**

**DATE: NOV. 10, 2013**

**TIME: 12 – 2:00**

**LOCATION:**  
**MURPHYSBORO**  
**ELKS LODGE 1809**  
**SHOMAKER**

**12:00 NOON LUNCH**  
**PROGRAM TO FOLLOW**

**ALL VETERANS**  
**WELCOME**  
**AND GUEST**

**ALL ELK MEMBERS**  
**WELCOME!**



## LUCK OF THE LODGE RAFFLE

**\$5,000 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE PRIZE**

**\$20 DONATION**

**ONLY 800 TICKETS SOLD**

**PRIZES AWARDED TO (9)**

**WINNERS & (9) SELLERS**

**DRAWING & COCKTAIL PARTY  
FOR TICKET HOLDERS**

**3/15/2014**

**SEE TICKETS OR FLYERS FOR  
COMPLETE DETAILS**

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO  
PARTICIPATE IN SELLING  
TICKETS, SEE DARCIE**

**HASTINGS, E.R.**

**Mail-In Request Ticket**

**Cut me out & mail me in !!**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Address \_\_\_\_\_**

**Include \$20 Check / Ticket**

**MAIL TO:**

**Elks Lodge #572**

**Luck of the Lodge**

**P. O. Box 787**

**Murphysboro, IL 62966**

**Actual, Numbered Ticket Stub will  
be mailed back to you.**

### **NEEDED - MORE HELP CALLING BINGO!**

Our current, primary caller, Marilyn Zak, could use some help with this important aspect of our Bingo program. One or two more Elks trained to call, would allow for a lighter load for all. Think you might want to look into this? Find out what it would take? See Marilyn, or Lodge Secretary, Merle Evans.



## CHRISTMAS SHOWCASE

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>**

**6:00 ~ 8:30 PM**

**MURPHYSBORO ELKS LODGE  
1809 SHOMAKER DRIVE**

**\$2 ADMISSION INCLUDES**

**APPETIZERS**

**AND CHANCE TO WIN**

**DOOR PRIZES**

**Jewelry, Pottery, Gift Baskets, Beauty  
supplies, Purses, Goodies**

**Home Interiors**

**DON'T MISS THIS EVENT!!**

**Appetizers will be served**

**Cash bar will be available**

**For more information call**

**Patty Stokes 924-8184**

### **HOLIDAY NUT SALE RETURNS!!**

Announcing our 2013, Holiday Nut Sale Fund Raiser. Originally passed on to your Elks Lodge, by Beta Sigma Phi Xomega Sorority of Murphysboro, this program funds a yearly Scholarship to a graduating Senior at Murphysboro High School. Our order has just been placed, with FRESH NUTS to be shipped to us, as soon as they arrive at Thames Nut Company in Stapleton, Georgia. How to place your advance Order? In person, at the Lodge; call one of the following: Christine Paul (924-3507), Bonnie Whiteside (303-6909), Michele Allard (713-1257), or Lodge, at 684-4541. (If you cannot get out and about, we can even arrange to deliver your order to your house.) And, we can supply you with an Order Sheet, if you want to help us, and take orders from your friends, family, or co-workers. All selections are, same as last year, \$9.00 each. Here is our list of "Nutty Delights", just waiting for your Holiday and or baking needs:  
**Pistachios...English Walnuts... Pecan Halves...Chocolate Pecans...Praline Pecans...Mixed Nuts...Pecan Pieces...Cashews.** Treat yourself & support your Lodge's local scholarship fund raiser - get that order going!



## **NOVEMBER BIRTHDAY PARTY TO FEATURE**

**"LEWIS CREEK BAND"**

While we are especially honoring those of you with November Birthdays, ALL ELK MEMBERS are invited / encouraged to come to the Club Room on Saturday Evening, November 16, to join in on, and enjoy the celebration. Providing the music, 7 - 11 p.m., will be the **LEWIS CREEK BAND** (John Guetersloh & Co.). Birthday Elks - bring family & friends. Elks All - you too!!



### **ELKS SOUTH DISTRICT SOCCER SHOOT RE-SCHEDULED**

Due to severe weather conditions, the original date for the Elks District Soccer Shoot had to be cancelled. The new date is **Saturday, November 16**, at the Soccer complex behind our Lodge. Pre-Registration is set for 12:30, with the Shoot to begin at 1:00 p.m. For information, or if you would like to help out, call Soccer Chairman, Jason Spears, at 618-201-0233. Let's hope for good weather for this one!

### **BINGO VOLUNTEERS**

**11/4 J. Wayman, R. Ellenberg (Givens)**  
**11/11 C. DeWulf, C. Canning (Paul)**  
**11/18 J. Clover, J. Erbes (Evans)**  
**11/25 Sh. Schemonia, K. Evans (Hines)**  
**12/2 J. Wayman, R. Ellenberg (Givens)**

### **PULL TAB VOLUNTEERS**

**11/4 J. Patrick, S. Schemonia**  
**11/11 S. Wheeler, N. Green**  
**11/18 G. Wilcox, D. Siefert**  
**11/25 M. Sherman, S. Schemonia**  
**12/2 J. Patrick, TBA**

November  
2013

**ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS**

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




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

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

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

**COMING EVENTS**

November 6 - D.D. VISIT & INITIATION AT REGULAR LODGE MTG. 7:30pm  
 November 7 - CHRISTMAS SHOWCASE 6~8:30 PM IN LODGE HALL  
 November 10 - VETERANS DAY LUNCH & PROGRAM AT LODGE 12-2:00  
 November 16 - NOV. BIRTHDAY PARTY "LEWIS CREEK BAND"  
 November 16 - DIST. SOCCER SHOOT AT LODGE #572 1:00 pm  
 November 17 - SOUTH DIST. MTG. AT HERRIN  
 November 28 - THANKSGIVING (CLUB CLOSED)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 <p>THURSDAY &amp; FRIDAY SERVING 5:30 PM ~ 9:00 PM</p>					<p>1 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CATFISH W/FRIES, SLAW &amp; HUSH PUPPIES \$8.00</p>	<p>2 BACK ROOM RENTED</p>
3	<p>4 BINGO 7:00 P.M.SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50</p>	<p>5 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM TURKEY CLUB OR GRILLED CHEESE &amp; SOUP \$6.95</p>	<p>6 LODGE MTG.; D.D. VISIT, &amp; INITIATION 7:30 PM</p>	<p>7 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. &amp; ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00 CHRISTMAS SHOWCASE</p>	<p>8 HAM-BEANS, CORN BREAD, \$6.50 OR MOSTACCIOLI, GARLIC BREAD</p>	<p>9 BACK ROOM RENTED J.R. FOOTBALL</p>
<p>10  VETERANS DAY LUNCH &amp; PROGRAM 12-2:00</p>	<p>11 BINGO 7:00 P.M.SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50</p>	<p>12 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM BUILD A BURGER OR GRILLED CHEESE &amp; SOUP \$6.95</p>	<p>13 BOARD OF DIRECTORS 7:00 PM HOUSE MTG. 7:30 HOT WINGS .50 EA. 6-8 P.M (Eat in or take out)</p>	<p>14 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. &amp; ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>	<p>15 BLACKENED TILAPIA ON BED OF RICE W/ VEGGIE &amp; SALAD \$9.95</p>	<p>16 HALL RENTED; NOV. BIRTHDAY PARTY "LEWIS CREEK BAND" IN CLUB ROOM</p>
<p>17 SOUTH DIST. MTG. IN HERRIN</p>	<p>18 BINGO 7:00 P.M.SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50</p>	<p>19 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM MEXICAN NITE \$7.95</p>	<p>20 LODGE MTG. 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .50 EA. 6-8 P.M (Eat in or take out)</p>	<p>21 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. &amp; ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00</p>	<p>22 COUNTRY FRIED STEAK W/MASHED POTATO, BISCUIT \$7.95 OR BEEF STEW, SALAD BISCUIT \$7.95</p>	<p>23 BACK HALL RENTED</p>
24	<p>25 BINGO 7:00 P.M.SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50</p>	<p>26 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM HORSESHOE SAND. OR PATTY MELT, F.F. \$6.95</p>	<p>27 HOT WINGS .50 EA. 6-8 P.M (Eat in or take out)</p>	<p>28  HAPPY THANKSGIVING CLUB CLOSED</p>	<p>29 CHICKEN &amp; DUMPLINGS, MASHED POTATO, GREEN BEANS \$6.95</p>	<p>30 BACK HALL RENTED WILCOX DART TOURN.</p>