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Home of Past GER Vincent R. Collura, Past GER George B. Klein, Past Grand Secretary Jack M. Jensen, & Past Grand Esteemed Lecturing Knight Bobby Clinkenbeard

THE FAULTS OF OUR MEMBERS, WE WRITE UPON THE SAND—THEIR VIRTUES UPON THE TABLETS OF LOVE AND MEMORY



The 112th Children's Christmas Party was held at Pinnacle Bank Arena on a mild December 8th afternoon. The attendance for this year's party was 1144 people, down 367 from last year. Everywhere you looked, there were kids running around with toys, enjoying the candy they received as they entered the arena, and dancing to the Christmas music provided by Dorothy Applebee. Dorothy has been playing the organ and providing Christmas music at the Children's Christmas Party for over Forty years. What an accomplishment! Dorothy goes out of her way to accommodate our Christmas party. THANK YOU DOROTHY for your many years of entertaining the children and families of Lincoln at our Children's Christmas Parties.

On Friday, December 6th, 62 people participated in the sacking party on the fifth level of the arena. We had two assembly lines set up, and churned out almost 2000 bags of goodies (a few were torn, so we didn't have exactly 2000 bags). The delivery of the items for the goodie bags was accomplished by the finely coordinated teams of Larry Jurgens & Harry Montag (apples and oranges from the Super Saver on 27th & Cornhusker), Larry Bratt (candy), and Larry Schwindt (snacks from the North Sam's). A huge THANK YOU goes out to Brian at Super Saver for getting us such high quality apples and oranges.

Shopping for the toys was done by Larry Bratt, Nancy Kennedy, Larry & Vicki Jurgens, and Larry Schwindt. To add to the toy collection, some people dropped toys off at the Lodge and Sonny Lane's business networking group donated 50 additional

toys. Thank you Sonny for coordinating and delivering your group's donations. Overall we had 375 toys to distribute at the Christmas party.

On Saturday morning December 7th, Scott Jurgens provided an enclosed trailer, which Vicki Jurgens, Nancy Kennedy, Larry Bratt, and Larry Schwindt loaded with all of the toys. Many thanks go to Tom Roper for storing Santa's sleigh for us during the year, delivering it to Pinnacle Bank Arena and picking it up after the party was over.

On Sunday morning, December 8th, Larry & Vicki Jurgens delivered the toys to the Arena, and several people unloaded the trailer. The toys were then sorted by age and displayed for easy viewing and selection by the kids. Heather Pedersen's music students were on hand once again to set the tone for the event by providing Christmas music as everyone entered. Entertainment was provided by Magician/Comedian/Illusionist Ben Ulin, and Thrown Together Jugglers, and once again Steffany Lien was able to be with us to WOW the kids with her amazing baton twirling skills. Harry Montag was our Master of Ceremonies, and did an outstanding job. There were 49 volunteers who came out to help with the party, handing out candy, counting people as they entered, distributing toys, and helping Santa.

Of special note, five Lighting & Sound Technicians from Pinnacle Bank Arena Volunteered their time to set up and tear down the lighting and microphone systems for the performers. They were there from early morning to set up, and until after Santa had finished talking with the kids to do the tear down. I'd like to thank them very much for their time and efforts to make our party the best it could be.

This event couldn't have taken place without all of the people who came out to volunteer at both the sacking party and the Christmas party, and also those who generously donated to this wonderful event. It makes me proud to call myself an Elk when you see the smiles and laughter during the party, and know that we all had a part in providing such a wonderful event for the community.

Larry Schwindt

Children's Christmas Party Chairman



# Announcements

#### 2020 - 2021 Budgets

It's time to start thinking about the budget for 2020. All committees that are needing a budget will need to submit a **detailed** budget to the Trustees by February 5, 2020 (this is a lodge meeting night). Also, if you plan on using the Calling Post, include it in your budget. You will be charged for the calls this year (this is something new).

The Trustees

Please join us on **Saturday, January 11th** for our Volunteer Recognition Dinner.

On the menu: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Broccoli, Salad, and Dessert.

Please join us in recognizing those members who have helped out throughout 2019!

Deadline for all Lodge 80 Scholarship applications - general, teaching, and Legacy - is January 31, 2020. Applications and information at elks80.org.

Deadline for Elks National Foundation Legacy scholarship applications is January 31, 2020. Applications are completed and submitted online at www.elks.org/scholars.

Nebraska State Elkss Association offers several scholarships with various application deadlines starting January 15, 2020. The applications and details are at www.nebraskaelks.org/scholarship

#### Karaoke at the Lodge!

Please join us at the Jolly Corker Pub on Friday **January 10th** for Karaoke Night!

We're all there for the fun, so come on down and perfect your skills! Bring snacks to share!

Already have skills? Bring your friends with and show 'em what you've got!

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Grand Exalted Ruler, 2019-2020 Robert L. Duitsman Message from the GER Grand Lodge Newsletter, January 2020

New Year Starts With Awards, Scholarships.

Welcome to 2020! Beth and I extend our best wishes to everyone for a happy and successful year.

January is a time to wind down the affairs of the year gone by and plan for the year to come. The efforts of our Members too often go unrecognized. While many Members serve in varying capacities just for the love of the organization, an expression of gratitude and recognition is always appreciated.

Also to be recognized are those Lodges that distinguish themselves through their dedication to working the programs of the Order and serving the needs of their communities. Awards for Elk of the Year and Officer of the Year are available from Grand Lodge, and there is nothing to prevent things like Exalted Ruler Special Citations from being prepared to express appreciation to those who make our Lodges successful.

In January, all Lodges will be receiving an application form to enter the All American Lodge Contest. It is a tremendous opportunity for a Lodge to receive recognition for its efforts during the year. Receiving such an award will inspire Members to continue their efforts with the knowledge that they are important and are being recognized. Something to consider.

While many of us were focused on the Most Valuable Student scholarships that had a November close date for applications, there is also the Legacy Scholarship that is available until January 31. It provides \$4,000 scholarships to the children and grandchildren of Elks Members. The Elks are doing their part to try to give deserving individuals the opportunity to further their education without allowing a lack of financial resources to be a barrier. More information on these and other opportunities can be found on the Grand Lodge website.

Some may not be aware, but in the Ritual there is provision for a Past Exalted Rulers' Night. On the first Lodge meeting in February the Exalted Ruler can appoint Past Exalted Rulers to fill the four chair positions as well as Esquire and Chaplain. This is a good opportunity to give special recognition to those who have served in the highest office in their Lodge over the years, and keep them involved in the life of your Lodge. In some cases Past Exalted Rulers are called on to conduct an initiation, which would be a special treat that generates interest among the membership.



Exalted Ruler Lodge No. 80 2019-2020

**Harry Montag** 

I hope that Santa was good to you and your family this year. I hope that each of you enjoyed time with family and friends.

I realize that it is an old cliché but time really does fly. It seems like only yesterday that we experienced the turn of the century, Y2K, Big Brother, Harry Potter, The Space Station inhabited, Tiger Woods, World Trade Center, Enron, WorldCom, Facebook, George Bush and Al Gore, Pluto not a planet, The launch of the iPhone, Michael Phelps, Black Monday, Barack Obama, Michael Jackson, Hurricanes Katrina Irma and Maria, Iron Man, Water On the Moon, a plane lands in the Hudson, Google Redefines the Internet, just to name a few and the list could go on and on and on.

According to a study out of the University of Texas this year, forgetting uses more brain power than remembering so I guess that's why we all remember events of the past.

We as Elks are reminded that the faults of our members are written in the sand however, most of us engrave the bad things that happen to us in marble; therefore, our painful memories remain immortalized in our minds. In order to live fully in the present, and adequately plan for the future, we need to learn what we can from the painful memories of the past, and then let those memories go. Release the past, stand firmly in the present, and prepare to step confidently into the future.

Well, believe it or not the future is going to come, the sun will rise and we will move forward. Our lodge has experienced growth, we have reduced operating costs, attendance by Elks at various events has increased. But we cannot rest on our past. As Chief Dan George stated in the Outlaw Josey Wales, we must "Endeavor to Persevere".

There are a multitude of events, charities, and programs that we as Elks participate in. Take the Pearl Harbor Restoration Project. Did you realize that if you contribute (no matter what the amount), ENF is matching donations thru December 31st? The Community Investments Program which we participate in, invests \$13.7 million in communities across the country through Lodge grants that help Elks meet local needs. We use these grants to help our veterans and school aged children better themselves.

Did you know that a high school senior who is a child or grandchild of a dues paying Elk can apply for a Legacy Award? The 2020 application is open until January 31, 2020. Our Hoop Shoot allows every boy and girl between 8 and 13 an opportunity to participate in a fun, age-appropriate program that sets them up for future success. Did you realize that there are committees that you can serve on, there are projects we can do, there is a veritable plethora of things to do in and around our lodge.

January is the first month of our new year. By being the first, it can be signified as a new beginning. But that new beginning is up to you! Let us welcome the new year, full of things that never were.

Thanks for taking the time to parse the previous linguistic data. I appreciate you and your family! In closing I am reminded of a Irish Blessing. "Always remember to forget the troubles that pass away. But never forget to remember the blessings that come each day. May your pockets be heavy and your heart be light. May good luck pursue you each morning and night. May your heart be light and happy, May your smile be big and wide." Happy New Year To All!

#### **Secretary's Corner**



2020, the beginning of a new year, it is only a few days old, but I hope that it has been a happy one so far. Three months from now, April 1st, is the beginning of a new year for the Elks Lodge. With this new year, there will be the election of new officers, and getting ready for the annual (April) conference to be held in Kearney. The new Elks Lodge year will also begin the task of collecting your annual dues payment. Statements will be mailed out in February.

In January we will begin the process of dropping those members who did not pay their 2019 – 2020 dues. If you do not have a membership card reflecting those dates, please mail in your payment or contact the office if you feel there is an error before you are dropped. The names of those

members who will be dropped are published elsewhere in this newsletter.

In February, I will be sending out dues notices for the upcoming Lodge year, April 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021. I do not want it come as a shock, but the cost of insurance has been slowly increasing over the past few years. Unfortunately, that cost can no longer be absorbed, hence the dues statements will reflect an annual increase of \$2 from the previous years. For those of you on the monthly dues payment plan, your monthly cost will go up Fifteen Cents.

Please, if you have any questions or comments of how I can better serve you, please contact me. My phone number is 402-570-2555 and my email is: lodge80secy@yahoo.com. See you all around the lodge.

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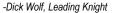
# **Knight's Tales**

Happy New Year Elks! When this comes out, it will be a new year. In this year, everyone should do everything they can to keep the Lodge healthy. The Jolly Corker has some new menu items and soup for evenings, so come down and give it a try.

The Elks Christmas Party for the kids seemed to be a success. The kids all seemed to be happy. It's great when a little child, 2 or 3 years old, comes up and thanks you. The packing of the candy the Friday before was amazing to behold!

The year 2020 will be a year with a lot of things going on, including elections. This might change everything, be it for the good or the bad, but that's a whole different thing. The direction the Lodge will take, new Officers, or maybe not much change at all. The last year has been a huge learning experience for me. I've learned about all of the things the Elks do and what all they have to deal with.

Christmas for Pat and I will be spending time with my son and his children and going to see my daughter, her husband Robert, and their children. This is always a great time, our grandchildren are fantastic and a lot of fun. Our children are great as well, I'm amazed at how good they turned out to be. Must be because of their mother...





Justice is a human phenomenon that's been around since the beginning of recorded history for say...more than a few millennia. So why is it people have a hard time accepting the consequences of violating their obligation(s)? Are they ignorant of what Justice means? Are they, maybe, forgetful of their role in maintaining the "status quo"—current procedures and policies—as to be blind to their responsibilities?

No matter the situation regarding Justice's fields of play, or happenstances surrounding leadership and management, it's up to the officers and members to consent to those organizational paradigms in order that everyone connected to any given program, business, or service to function like clockwork day in and day out.

Soooo...why is there such a thing as Justice? Here's a suggestion. Suppose a traveler wanders into a strange land, with no idea of its culture and customs to guide their visitation. Then, this same traveler commits an offense punishable by death, say, killing someone by running them over with their vehicle. Or it could be they stole something, assaulted someone, or made a fool of themselves in a tavern of local residents. Where does Justice come into play among these incidences?

What it comes down to is righting wrongs. Simple as that. God gave Moses His Decalogue—the Ten Commandments—to reveal to humankind what sin is, and His reason for righting a wrong, or a "Just" conclusion for each person and God Himself (Genesis 18:19). Justice is just that: putting things right, when there was a wrong.

Life is balance. For every up, there is a down. For every in, there is an out. Ever wonder what doors actually do? They keep persons out, but they keep persons in too. Justice is a kind of two-way street, too, in that there has to be rules or some sort of guidance—like the Decalogue—so that persons know how to stay on the straight and narrow to both avoid correction and to live pleasantly.

Why not consider your stand on things when you face Justice head on? Were you in the right when Justice came knocking at your door? You may call for a redress of grievances to defend your honor if you are accused of a violation or violations. Justice is meant, as God originally intended, to keep humankind focused in following His will to ultimately avoid sin. If you can "...do Justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with your God..." (Micah 6:8), then Justice remains an alternative in the event correction is warranted

-Rev. Dr. William Jackson, Loyal Knight

Happy New Year! May your futures and fortunes shine bright as we bid farewell to another decade. And what a decade it was!

Your local Lodge is on track for another good year of service to our community. Much of it will be spent in support of Veterans and the youth of Lincoln and surrounding communities. Remember to give back to your community as you are able, as that is a big part of what the Elks is about. As good Elks, we should always be watching out for those in need.

My family and I hope that you had a fulfilling Christmas and were able to strengthen or maybe even rekindle your faith. With God on our side, we're unstoppable!

As always, stay active, go to the dinners, and just have fun!

-Troy Pedersen, Lecturing Knight



## ...and now for the Quickies...

...December has flown past, where did the time go? Christmas has come and gone, we've welcomed in the New Year ... hopefully you all survived the holidays, food, and families, etc. Now as the cold of winter settles in, and we yearn for spring, take a few minutes and reflect on your lives. Count your blessings and give thanks ... it was a busy month at your Elks Lodge, candy sacking and Christmas parties, Memorial services and hoop shoots, Scouts and Hams and Legion at our Lodge, burger nite, wedding celebrations. We are blessed to have an active Lodge available to so many for different activities ... good things have been happening as well, three new members on our roster, a new back door to the kitchen. a friendly new face behind the bar, a new loft in our chair storage room for additional storage ... we have a dedicated group of Elks who volunteer their time, talents, and money to make our Lodge a better place. What can we do to help? Grow. We need members. Make it a point to bring in at least one new member this year. We hung 11 wreaths at our Memorial service, we need at least one member a month initiated just to break even ... our Lodge was built to function with a membership of about 600. We are down to 250? In a city of 270,000? We need to grow, in a serious fashion, or face cutbacks in hours and services our Lodge offers. We have already had to trim hours at the Jolly Corkers Pub ... we need you to patronize it for lunches. As noted in last month's EOG, we have speed lunches, items that are hot and ready to go when you have just a short time for lunch and soup in the afternoon and early evenings ... please patronize your Pub, enjoy an adult beverage and a meal. We either use it or lose it folks. Can't kick the can down the road any further. Come on down, play a card game, a game of checkers, watch a basketball game, get involved with your Lodge. Bring a friend, help them fill out an application. Let's make 2020 the year we double our membership ... The 112th annual Elks Children's Christmas Party is in the books, turnout was down a little this year, but a great time was had by all. Larry and Larry and all involved did another stellar job orchestrating the party. This is a huge project, and many thanks to all involved. I counted nearly 70 at the candy sacking party at PBA, a great turn out, everyone smiling and having fun. 2000+ sacks filled in 90 minutes! ... the Does have elected a new President, Diane Z. for the upcoming year. There were 4 new Does recently initiated, and the Does Installation is Jan. 4th. That is a public ceremony, so feel free to attend. Light snacks after the Installation ... after a hiatus in December, Karaoke will be back Friday Jan 10th, and our one Lodge Meeting will be Weds Jan.15th ... Remember the dinner on the 11th, recognizing all that volunteered for Concessions and the Hoop Shoots and other volunteer positions that so many have generously staffed ... we have a new Lodge computer up and running in our office, the old one was unbearably slow and had several viruses ... Thanks to Scott Schrage, Jerry Wilson, and others who did the research and made a wise decision in the replacement. We had the funds set aside in a budgeted spot for that ... check your calendar, many things happening at your Lodge in January ... Burger Nite on Tues the 14th, the pancake feed is upcoming, checks for cash calendars are being mailed out ... it is a busy time at your Lodge! ... Please, get involved and help make a difference! See you at the Pub! ...

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# ...Our Members...

#### Sickness & Distress:

None

#### Deaths:

None

#### Members for Consideration:

Michael Morosin by John Aman Jody Schrage by Scott Schrage

#### **Members Reinstated:**

None

#### **Members Initiated:**

Ken Johnson David Roger Save Shoff

**Hidden Number:** December's hidden number was 15834, Donald Norris, hidden on page 4 between the Officers list and the Farm Bureau ad.

Membership Drawing: The membership drawing for the December 4th meeting was \$122, Bruce Reinhardt was the name drawn and he was not present to win. There was no other membership drawing in December as there was only one meeting.

The Jolly Corker Pub and Kitchen are open for lunch starting at 11:30 Tuesday - Saturday. Come join us for phillies, soups, shrimp, burgers, salads, and more! Soup is on from 4 - close! Remember that the Jolly Corker Pub closes at 8pm Tuesday - Thursday, Saturday. 9pm on Fridays. No food service after 7pm.



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# **Committee Reports**

Americanism: No Report.
Boy Scouts: No Report.
Drug Awareness: No Report.
Girl Scouts: No Report.
Hide Program: No Report.
Hoop Shoot: No Report.

House Committee: 1) It has been decided to close the lounge/lodge on Mondays due to reduced business needs on that day. The Hours of Operation have been updated. 2) The kitchen door has been replaced. The work was funded by monies from the Seligman Fund. 3) The second level storage project is complete.

**ENF:** \$13.85 as of 11/7/19. The 2018-2019 goal is \$4.75.

Membership: No Report.

Lincoln Youth Football: No Report.

Retention: Membership is at 239 members, 3 candidates, and

there are 14 members delinquent.

Scholarship: MVS Scholarship scoring has ended.

Soccer Shoot: No Report

**Social Community Welfare:** No Report. **Veterans Committee:** No Report.

#### 2019-2020 Elks' Lodge #80 Officers

Exalted Ruler..... Harry Montag Leading Knight..... Dick Wolf Dr. William Jackson Loyal Knight..... **Troy Pedersen** Lecturing Knight...... Heather Chesnut Esquire..... Inner Guard..... Larry Jurgens Tiler..... Vicki Jurgens Jerry Wilson Secretary..... Wauneta Peterson Treasurer..... Chaplain..... Maureen Sadler Trustee 1 Year..... Scott Schrage Trustee 2 Year..... Gerald Miles PER Trustee 3 Year..... Larry Schwindt PER Trustee 4 Year..... Laurie Montag PER Trustee 5 Year..... Randy King Amy Jacobsen PER Presiding Justice.....

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### Elk-O-Gram Editor's Note

Articles Due: Jan 16

Deadline is <u>ALWAYS</u> midnight of the Thursday after last meeting of the month!

Articles can be sent to Maureen Sadler at:

eog.lodge80@gmail.com

All past issues, lodge information, and more can be seen at: www.elks80.org

Created and managed by Webmaster Larry Klein

Did you see something missing? Was there something you want to announce? Did you have an advertisement that you wanted to add? Do you have pictures from a recent Lodge activity? Have suggestions or updates to share?

Please! Contact the Editor at: Eog.lodge80@gmail.com with any tidbits you would like to see included in your Elk-O-Gram.

Remember, if it's important, let us know!

Please Join us **Jan 21** to assemble the Elk-O-Gram for February!

Thank you to those who helped with folding the EOG for December.

Remember, many hands make light work...

Come down to the Lodge to celebrate your birthday! Present this coupon and have a free drink on us.

(Coupon is good 2 days before your birthday, on your birthday, and 2 days after your birthday)



#### **2019-2020 Committees**

Accident: Scott Schrage Activities: Stephen Wirth PER Americanism: Harry Montag, ER Auditing: Vicki Jurgens

Benevolence: Larry Bratt PER, PDDGER, 3VP By-Laws Changes: Chuck Meisinger PDD, PSP, PER Christmas: Larry Schwindt, PER, SP, Larry Bratt PER, PDDGER, 3VP

Community Activities: Larry Bratt PER, PDDGER, 3VP

Drug Awareness: Harry Montag, ER Eagle Scouts: Randy King Elks Memorial Day: Larry Schwindt SP, PER ENF: Larry Bratt PER, PDDGER, 3VP

ENF: Larry Bratt PER, PDDGER, 3VP Flag Day: Larry Bratt PDDGER, PER, 3VP Fraternal: Gerald Miles PER

Gold Award: Randy King Gov. Relations: Troy Pedersen PER Hide Program: Larry Jurgens Hoop Shoot: Gerald Miles PER Investigation: Larry Bratt PDDGER, PER, 3VP Membership: Larry Schwindt SP, PER PER Association: Laurie Montag PER **Public Relations: VACANT** Ritual: Larry Bratt PER, PDDGER, 3VP Scholarship: Laurie Montag PER Soccer Shoot: Doug Rienks PER Standing Relief: Laurie Montag PER State Major Projects: Larry Schwindt SP, PER Veterans: Luann Hamilton Youth Activities: Laurie Montag PER Youth Football: Scott Schrage



#### **Vet's Corner**



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year wishes to all! As the holidays approach, keep Lincoln's less fortunate in mind and give to your favorite charity. Give your time, your money, and/or any thoughtful gifts you can afford.

Your Veteran's Committee will be at the Victory Park Apartments and we would be glad to deliver anything you might like to give with our usual pantry items.

Heavy socks, mittens, gloves, coats, and stocking caps are always appreciated.

Stay safe, stay warm, be happy!

See you at the Lodge!

-Lu Hamilton

718-710-2390

A big thanks to members Lu Hamilton, Dr. William Jackson, PER Dave Kirby, Mark Long, and Maureen Sadler for the combined 30+hours they spent scoring Lodge 80's 30 top Most Valuable Student applications online.

Just when they thought they were done, the scholarship scoring service notified us they'd made a mistake, and each volunteer had to score another 8 applications. Good job, all!

Your Lodge appreciates your good work and dedication.

The top 3 girls and top 3 boys will become the recipients of the lodge's six MVS scholarships.

# Happy JanuaryBirthdays!

- 01 Thomas Lynch
- 02 Radlev Breuer
- 06 Roger White
- 07 Justin Williamson
- 08 Kevin Anderson Janis Ireland Roxanne Thomas
- 09 Jason Brooks David Crouse
- 12 Janet Jurado Linda Rienks
- 15 Clair Brummer

- 19 Terry Edwards
- 20 Susan Kunert Robert Taylor
- 21 Cheree Buesing James Grav
- 24 Bob Clinkenbeard Terry Hagan
- 26 Larry Benac Chris Wells
- 31 Glen Riensche



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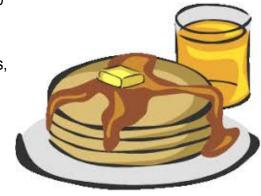
#### Pancake Feed 2020 Is Here!

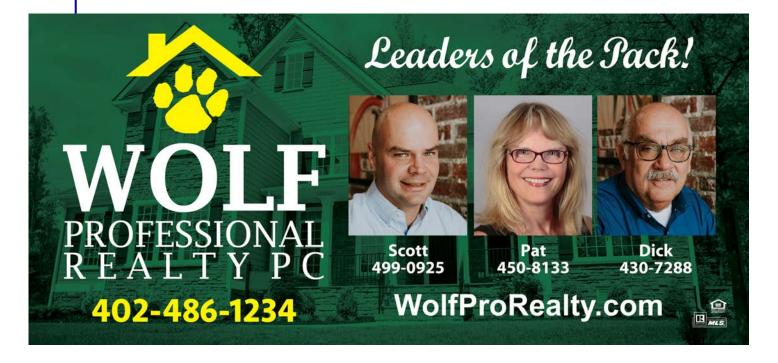
Let's get behind our upcoming 15th Annual Lincoln Elks Lodge No. 80 Scholarship Fund, Inc. Pancake Feed! It's scheduled for Sunday, January 26th, 2020. Come out and support this great annual event. Note: The pan-

cake feed is the 4th Sunday in January. Your volunteer staff, made up of Fund, Inc. Board of Directors and many Elk and Doe members, will be assisting in making this extravaganza bigger and better this year.

We will be serving pancakes with butter, syrup, assorted fruit toppings, sausage, milk, juice, and coffee all for \$5 adults, \$2.50 age 6-12 and free age 5 and under.

The funds raised will help increase the dollar amount of the many scholarships given out annually to graduating seniors held in May. Thank you in advance for your continued support. Come hungry and leave happy!





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# Installation of Officers

20ES Drove #4

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cordially invites you to the public installation of

Diane Zabokrtsky

President Elect

and her Drove officers

for the Sisterly year 2020

Salurday, January 4, 2020 at 2:00pm

5910 South 58th Street Lincoln, Nebraska

Reception following installation

Please RS VP 402.601.4164 <u>dianezabokrtsky@gmail.com</u>

#### A Raffle? A Raffle!

#### 2 Club Tickets and 1 Parking Pass \$10 per raffle ticket



We are raffling off 2 Nebraska Basketball tickets and a parking pass (value at over \$50) for a home game at the Pinnacle Bank Sports Arena.

See Roxie, Janice, Shelly, Scott, or Harry to purchase. Drawing will be held during the Pancake Feed, Jan 26th

## **Delinquent Members**

The following individual's membership will be dropped February 10th, 2020, unless payment of their 2019-2020 dues is made prior to that.

Erick Austin
Carrie Fiedler
Ivan Gearhart
Lonnieta Holmes
Robert Kloch

Richard Lehr Sarah McKee Dan Megrue Don Miller Vern Orr Glen Pumel Jerrie Simms Dirk Wingrove Jacob Wyant

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Area	Dates	Contact
Kitchen - Lodge Dinner	Jan 11	Harry Montag
Chili Feed	Jan 25	Randy King Harry Montag
Pancake Feed	Jan 26	Harry Montag

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#### Blazin' Fast Lunch Specials!



Sloppy Day - Tuesday Sloppy Joe Sandwich, Chips, Salad



Noodle Day - Wednesday Beef and Noodles, Salad, Bread



Lasagna Day - Thursday Lasagna, Salad, Bread

Starting December 1st Mid-week Lunch Specials served at \$6 per plate. Guaranteed in record time!

#### Cash Calendars

Well everyone, you should have received your October EOG a few months ago with all the particulars about the changes to our Cash Calendars. Once again, Lincoln Lodge #80 will be selling cash calendars to help offset the cost of the many Elks sponsored youth activities and programs provided for the children of Lincoln and surrounding communities. The drawings will begin the 1st of January, 2020. Time is running out! *All slips must have been received by Tuesday December 31, 2019 to be eligible!* Instructions are as follows:

- 1. Fill out the required information so we know who you are when you win. i.e. name, address, phone number. Please fill out this information legibly.
- 2. Cut along the dashed line(s) and return your personal information, along with \$10 per calendar slip, to Lincoln Lodge #80, 5910 South 58th Street, Ste A, Lincoln, Nebraska 68516, to the attention of Jerry Wilson, Lodge Secretary and Harry Montag ER
- 3. The calendar slips and dollars which you mail back will be collected for the drawing to be held in January of the New Year (2020).

So, dig out the insert from your October Elk-O-Gram and choose the number of chances you're willing to try. Remember, whatever slip is pulled out for that particular cash drawing payout, a check will be made out to you as the winner. For more details, see the back of the calendar for additional instructions.

More calendars can be made available by copying the existing calendar or by contacting one of your lodge officers or one of our Jolly Corkers Pub bartenders. It can also be downloaded from the Elks 80 website (http://elks80.org). Let's get excited about this event and the many youth activity programs it will help sponsor!

Thank you for your continued support!

Harry Montag, ER, Santa's Helper, and a Cash Calendar Representative





Lodge Hours: Tues - Sat 10:30 - Close (Closed Sunday and Monday)

**Lunch:** 11:30 - 1:00

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Don't forget to look for the member number in this issue. If you find yours, call the Lodge for your prize!

# January 2020

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 New Years Day Lodge Closed	2	3	4 DOES Installation 2p
5	6 Lodge Closed	7	8 Room Rented	9	10	11
12	13 Lodge Closed	14 Burger Nite 5.30p American Legion	15 Lodge Mtg 7p	16 American Legion	17 Room Rented 5p	18 Cub Scouts - Pinewood Derby
19	20 Lodge Closed	21 American Legion	22 Bass Club	23	24	25 Chili Cookoff
26 Pancake Feed	27 Lodge Closed	28 DOES 7p LARC 7p	29	30	31	