



REDDING ELKS 1073 BULLETIN

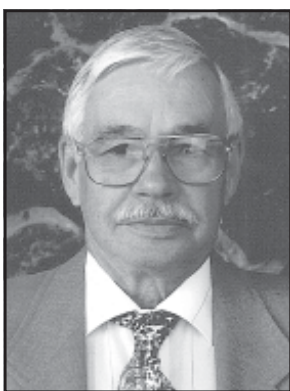
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Exalted Ruler's Message

Happy Valentine's Day!



MELL STEIGER
Exalted Ruler
2009-2010

In keeping with our Laws of the Order, the first meeting in February is nominations of officers for the coming year. The second meeting is the Election of Officers. The first meeting is also designated as Past Exalted Ruler Night.

One of the big events this month is **Super Bowl Sunday**. It is Pot Luck, so bring a favorite dish to share.

Our trustees have moved their meeting to the third Tuesday of the month at 10:30 a.m.

On the 13th the Traidusters will host their annual Valentine's Party.

The next big event is the **Annual Italian Feed** on the 27th.

Please come to your Lodge meetings, your officers need your support.

Fraternally,
MELL STEIGER, *Exalted Ruler*

COMING EVENTS

THIS MONTH:

Feb 2—1st Tuesday Buffet

Feb 7—ELKS SUPER BOWL PARTY

Feb 13—RV CLUB SPONSORED

VALENTINE PARTY FOR ELKS

Feb 14—Emblem Tea

Feb 17—3rd Wednesday Taco Night

Feb 21—Sunday Jazz & Embl Dinner

Feb 27—ELKS ANNUAL ITALIAN FEED

Feb 28—Texas Hold 'Em

Fridays —TGIF Dinner

NEXT MONTH:

Mar 5—Cook Your Own Steak Night

Mar 14—Emblem Club Installation

Mar 20—ELKS ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S
DAY DINNER

Mar 28—ELKS INSTALLATION OF
OFFICERS

Lodge Office Hours:

Mon.—Fri. 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Phone: (530) 243-5900

ITALIAN FEED plus "LITTLE RENO" NIGHT



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2010

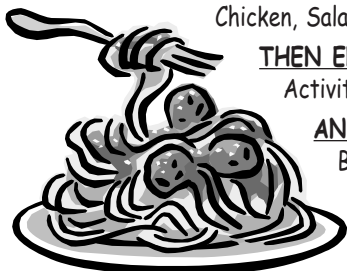
Cocktails 5:00, Dinner 6:00 PM

FIRST ENJOY DINNER: Ravioli, Fettuccini, Italian Baked Chicken, Salad and Garlic Bread.

THEN ENJOY TRYING YOUR LUCK: "Little Reno" Gaming Activities in the Coral Room after dinner.

AND ENJOY DANCING: Music by "The Jeannie Harter Band."

Tickets \$12.50—on sale at the Bar. Buy early—limit 200. Sales deadline Thursday, February 25th.



SUPER BOWL PARTY AT THE ELKS LODGE

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2010

JOIN FELLOW ELKS AT THE LODGE WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS FOR A GREAT SUPER BOWL SUNDAY.

TWO BIG SCREEN TV'S
GREAT BAR • GREAT FOOD
GREAT GAME • **GREAT FUN!!**

Pre-game / first half munchies & snacks, followed by half-time meal with main dishes, salads & desserts. All food is potluck so please choose your favorite and bring it to share.

Lodge opens at noon. Pre-Game begins 1:00 p.m. Game starts 3:00 p.m.

WOW!

Redding Elks Lodge Does it Again!

For the fifth straight year our Lodge "bellringers" have taken the first prize for a private organization with a collection of \$13,746.81. That will mean another plate on our trophy which is kept in the club room. All of this is because of the dedicated service of these members and some spouses: **Robert Barney, Merita Bascom, Harry Blaesing, Dave Clapper, Karen Coutts, Harold Horner, Phyllis Hytchinson, Dale Inman, Larry Kier, Ray Lenk, Jeanette Lenk, Fred Nelson, Jim Nutter, Trish Palmer, Mike Payne, Mary Payne, Carlie Wilson, John Zimmerman, and Barbara Zimmerman.**



Special recognition has to go to **Dave Clapper** who himself put in 126 hours and collected \$4,418.97. They love us at the Salvation Army and will be looking forward to seeing us again this year.

I'll be in touch when the time comes.

DAVE HOMEWOOD,
Chief Bellringer



Third Sunday Dinner

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21, '10
at 5:00 p.m.**

**Enjoy a delicious
Home Cooked meal at the
Redding Elks Lodge the
3rd Sunday of every month,
prepared and served by the
ladies of Emblem Club #515.**

**Cost: \$9.00 per person
Entrée:
BEEF STROGANOFF**

From the Trustees' Desk...

In the January *ELKS BULLETIN*, an article on the front page indicated "Meet the New Chef" Dinner. This needs some correction. It is true we have a new *caterer*, but not a *new chef*. The Lodge has five or six caterers to be used for Elk events or people who rent the Lodge for weddings, etc. Chris Westburg is in charge of our kitchen and also caterers to outside renters. While we have added a new name, it is business as usual. The dinner on January 30, 2010 is just to introduce "Big D's BBQ" to the Lodge with the hope he will bring in some new business to the Redding Elks Lodge. Sorry for any confusion.



Big events in February you don't want to miss:

- ELKS SUPER BOWL PARTY on Sunday, February 7, 2010. Come early and stay late.
- RV sponsored VALENTINE DINNER with games, Saturday, February 13, 2010.
- ELKS ANNUAL ITALIAN FEED on Saturday, February 27, 2010 by **Joe Marsiano**. Buy your tickets early for the latter two events before they sell out.

Fraternally, FRED BASCOM, *Trustee Chairman*

Delinquent Members List

The following are one-year delinquent with their dues and will be officially removed from the membership roster of Redding Elks Lodge April 1, 2010 as "DNP" (non-payment of dues):

8391 Andrews, Kendall M.	8134 Gibson, Eddie	8167 Price, Rose A.
8397 Armstrong, Ralph	8455 Gienapp, Isaac	8222 Rivera, Oscar
7056 Beaumont, Joseph Jr.	6270 Grissom, Jerry	8396 Rodgers, James E.
7739 Belknap, Daniel A.	8474 Hale, Nathan S.	8496 Salazar, James E.
8466 Blaco, Nathan	8296 Hayes, James	8310 Sills, Craig
8465 Blaco, Rodney	8460 Hoyer, Kurt	8230 Skudlarek, Brian
8435 Brissman, Rollie	8259 Jack, William W.	7036 Spath, David
7615 Brophy, Walter R., Jr.	8535 Kimbrough, Gary A.	5192 Thomas, David V.
8433 Cameron, Ewan	8328 Kirnberger, Melinda	8254 Thomas, Dale
8497 Chan, Stephen	8393 Koning, Ted	8264 Uhrik, William
8470 Cherry, Kenneth D.	8481 Mattioli, Ted J.	8034 Van De Riet, Dennis
8267 Cole, Robert	8483 McFauli, Ross	8142 Wallace, David
3739 Conway, William L.	8437 Middleton, Cameron	7307 Ward, Kevin L.
8102 Embree, Red	8313 Mitchell, Matthew J.	8513 Withers, Wayne
8537 Frati, Donald C.	8323 Myers, Robert L.	7370 Zoll, Don
8425 Garcia-Meza, Julio	3701 Ochinero, Tony	

ANNOTATED STATUTES, SECTION 14.160

"A Member owing one year's dues to the Lodge shall be dropped from the rolls prior to April 1st without the vote of the Lodge, thereon, provided that the delinquent Member has been given a written notice of the proposed action thereon not less than thirty days prior to April 1st by the Secretary of the Lodge."

Delinquent Members shall be read on the Lodge floor and published in the Lodge Bulletin.

Delinquent Members shall not have any privileges of the Lodge during his delinquency. In the event of his being dropped for non-payment of dues, he can be reinstated only in the manner provided in the Laws of the Order.

SPECIAL NOTE TO ALL MEMBERS: If you are a friend or a sponsor of any of these recently dropped members, think about contacting them and encourage them to reactivate their Elks membership. Urge them to get involved in the numerous community and social activities the Redding Elks have to offer. In these tough economical times the Lodge is a very reasonable place to bring their families for a good time, especially with summer and the use of the pool coming soon.

Volunteers: We Salute You!

BAR

George Economou
Darlene Horn
John Hunt
Mike Jenner
JoAnn Vollenweider

BULLETIN

George Burke
Charles De Nuccio
Ray Lenk
Jeanne Michelson
George Stafford
Mell Steiger

GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

Dave Clapper
Ernest Jackson
Pete Ledbetter
Charlie Wilson

GYM MAINTENANCE

Ernest Jackson

LODGE ACTIVITY RPT.

Mell Steiger

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL

Randy & Linda Barnett
Doyle Lancaster

OFFICE

Jeannette Lenk

PHOTOGRAPHY

Gordon & Marlene Arconi

POSTERS

Dave Homewood

SPECIAL EVENT

Marita Bascom
Ellamay DeMartin

SCHOLARSHIP

Jerry Taylor

OTHER IMPORTANT FOLKS

Dolores Bielle, *Emblem Club Pres.*
Rod Sullivan, *PER Assoc. Pres.*
Donna Linn, *RV'ers Wagonmaster*

Remember to use the "Volunteer Sign-in" pages on the clipboard behind the Bar each time you work at the Lodge in a volunteer capacity. It is the way we acknowledge who was here for what.

Proposed for Membership

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Jeff Engell
Gary Harlow
Cathy Plybon
Fred Rich

Crown Camera
Retired
Clerk
Retired

Pat Carr #8243
Clay Harter #1950
Paul Degnan #7451
Randy Bartett #8257

CERTIFICATE OF RELEASE

Karole D. Overberg #6904 to Lake Havasu City Lodge #2399

In Memory Of...

*The clock of their days is stopped.
Across its dial the motionless
Shadows mark the hour of eleven—
Our golden hour of recollection.*



GORDON COLE #7888

Born: November 26, 1929

Initiated: July 9, 1998

Passed: January 1, 2010

Redding Elks Lodge #1073 2009-2010 Officers

Exalted Ruler Mell Steiger
Leading Knight Robert Lenk
Loyal Knight Pat Carr
Lecturing Knight Jeff Carr
Secretary Betty Steiger
Treasurer Bob Svedeen
Chaplain Jim Stephens
Esquire Ron Asher
Inner Guard Tony Ramos
Tiler Steve Walden
Trustee Will Thompson
Trustee Fred Bascom
Trustee Jim Richardson
Trustee Jerry Taylor
Trustee Dale Inman

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Feb. "Blue Coat" Schedule

Assignment begins on Sunday and extends through Saturday of the designated week.

2/7: Pat Carr 2/14: Jeff Carr

2/21: Betty Steiger 2/28: Bob Svedeen



December Students of the Month

Parking for Visiting RV'ers

Dec. 2009 income for RV parking:
\$3,790.00

YTD total for 2009-2010 Elk year:
\$57,121.25



Humor from the Herd

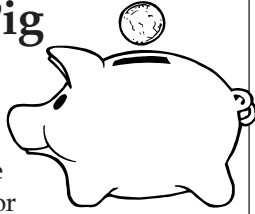
"You can't have everything..."

Where would you put it?" —Steven Wright

"Just because something doesn't do what you planned it to do doesn't mean it's useless." —Thomas A. Edison

Purple Pig

The following names are those who turned in Purple Pig banks and/or gave donations to Major Project recently:



Don Barry, Terri Bauman, John Bidwell, Harry Blaesing, Ross Carter, John Chandler, James Chapman, Katherine Calvert, Donald H. Davidson, Ron Dewitt, Jerome Downey, Conny Ericsson, Ron Fray, Todd Gandy, Gale Guest, Joy Hayes, William Henning, Dave Homewood, John Hunt, Raymond Hurst, Dale Inman, James Jensen, John Joiner, Dennis Kavert, Jeanette L. Lenk, James and Larene McCall, Dennis McClasky, Cal McDonald, Ed Morrison, Mike Payne, Paul Schrimsher, Pete Shelton, Lee Shelton, Gerald Waybright, Wayne Williamson, Charlie Wilson and John Wullbrandt.

*NOTE: Make sure to attach a note to your bank when you turn it in so we can give you credit for your Purple Pig donation in our records and in the *BULLETIN*. If you do not have a purple pig drop by the Lodge office and we will be glad to give you one.

*Thanks to all,
You've heard the call!
Purple Pig donations along the way
Help children Walk, Talk, See, and Play.*



3rd Wednesday TACO FIESTA

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17, 2010

Starts 5:00 p.m.

and goes until we run out of food!

Tacos: \$1.50 each
(Beef, Chicken or Pork)
served at the
Elks Lodge "Cantina"
by Jerry & Sherry

No reservations needed—

COME EARLY, the food goes fast!

Bar Drink Special: **MARGARITAS**

Leading Knight's Message

The 2009 Elk's Charity Party has come to a close. This was a great day as many Elks members, family and friends came down to the Lodge to enjoy the Christmas spirit. We had a jam packed event that included a wonderful omelet brunch provided by the Emblem Club. The Emblem Club also provided us with a boutique and raffle. There were also complimentary Tom & Jerry's along with hors d'oeuvres and a visit from Santa Claus.

As part of the Major Project, we had 37 purple pigs emptied from our members and returned in addition to extra donations that day. We had a couple of boxes filled with coins that had to be carried with a hand truck because they were so heavy!

I want to thank **Jeff Carr** for getting the beautiful Christmas tree and bringing it to the Lodge. Who can forget the wonderful job by **Merita Bascom** and her team who spent an evening decorating the tree. A special thank you goes out to **Mickie Jakez** and the Emblem Club for putting on a surprising "make your own" omelet bar and brunch as well as coordinating the raffles and having a superb boutique—including the peanut brittle. **Joe Marsiano** and **Dave Harter** along with others in their crew, did a tremendous job of making an endless number of batches of Tom & Jerry mix and washing dishes. Wagonmaster **Don Smith** and the Traildusters RV Club kept our members happy by serving the Tom & Jerry's. Also, a thank you goes out to the Emblem Club for keeping the hors d'oeuvres coming as the Tom & Jerry's were being served during the afternoon. This party could not be completed without **Gordon** and **Marlene Arconi** who coordinated the photos with Santa Claus.

I am very appreciative of the following Lodge members who staffed the charity and gift tables: **Marlas Owens, Mell and Betty Steiger, Ray and Jeanette Lenk, Fred Bascom, Sim Nathan, Joy Hayes, Katherine Calvert, Tyler Cliff, Bill Hale, Dale and Bea Inman, Tom Gomes, Frank McConnell, John Chandler, Dennis Newman, Ross Carter, Terri Baumann, Dennis Lopez, Denny Crowe, Norm Simas, Mary Anne Kenny, Dennis Kavert, Dennis McClaskey, Tyler Clifford, and Jerry and Carol Taylor. Rick Harter** and his set up crew were very helpful in making sure I had the tables and chairs I needed to pull this off. I hope I am not forgetting anybody as we had much help in supporting these tables.

Thank you also goes out to **Rod Sullivan** and **Paul Degnan** for coordinating and ordering the charity gifts for this year. I could not have taken care of the gifts this year without their support.

Lastly, it would be fitting for me to mention **Jeff Carr, Bob Svedeen** and **Ray Lenk** for bringing their guidance and expertise to ensuring we had a fun, exciting and successful party.

If you have not yet been to this party before, I urge you to attend the 2010 Charity Party as we had a blast in 2009!

Fraternally, **ROBERT LENK**, *Esteemed Leading Knight*



RIVERFRONT PLAYHOUSE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2010

Cost - \$15.00, includes delicious finger foods

Emblem Club has bought out the theater for the upcoming play
"MURDER ME - MURDER ME NOT"

The play promises to be lots of fun with twists and turns and guaranteed to keep you laughing all night.

There will be a "no host" bar with beer, wine, soft drinks and water.
Doors open 6:30 p.m. Play begins promptly at 7:30 p.m.

This evening is open to everyone - Emblem, Elks, family, guests.
For tickets call **Betty Manprin, 242-4895** or **Mickie Jakez, 365-2512**.

All proceeds go for local charities and scholarships.



PER Appreciation Night February 4th

The following is a list of Past Exalted Rulers who are members of our Lodge. The list includes Redding Lodge #1073 Past Exalted Rulers as well names of those who are Past Exalted Rulers from a Lodge other than #1073. All these PERs are cordially invited to the Lodge Thursday evening, February 4, 2010, for a complimentary dinner and PER Appreciation Night recognition at the Lodge meeting following.

REDDING LODGE #1073 YEAR E.R.

Rudy Balma	1962-63
James Morgan	1966-67
Jack Lang, PDDGER	1968-69
Robert B. Knight	1971-72
J.M. Wells, Jr.	1973-74
James Albertson	1976-77
Jerry Taylor, PDDGER	1977-78
Monte Adams	1979-80
John Mathena	1980-81
Larry Cattanach	1982-83
Sim Nathan, PSP, PDDGER	1983-84
Harold Horner, PDDGER	1984-85, '87-88
Roy Del Carlo	1985-86
Fred Taylor	1986-87
Clarence Hobson	1990-91
Tom Worthen	1991-92
Cal McDonald	1992-93
Tom Kandybe	1997-98
Dave Homewood, PDDGER	1998-99
Gene DeSoto	1999-00

Lowell Humphrey	2000-01
Mell Steiger	2001-02, '02-03
Bob Svedeen	2003-04
Coke Hightower	2004-05
Rod Sullivan	2005-06
Ray Lenk	2006-07
Joy Hayes	2007-08

BY AFFILIATION, E.R. ELSEWHERE

Ron Asher
Bud Coolidge
M.I. Jenner
Eldon McGarity
Roland "Red" Muhlman
Antonio Ramos, Sr.
Robert Sandberg
Neil Scott

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS, E.R. ELSEWHERE

George Williams

Drug Awareness Poster Contest

This year's Drug Awareness Poster and Essay Contests were winners. We had 105 individual entries from 11 different schools in Shasta County. Our Lodge received \$450 from the Emblem Club and \$100 from the Anderson Peace Officers Association to help fund the prize monies distributed to the winners of the contests. We will be awarding a total of \$1,025 in prize money. My thanks to **Dolores Bielle** and the other members from the Emblem Club for helping me get the word out to the schools about the contests and their efforts to help pick the winners. Some of the most moving entries were from kids who unfortunately have had first hand experience dealing with drugs and alcohol abuse within their families. The feeling expressed in their essays and posters point out the need for all of us to be aware of the terrible price we all pay for the abuse of alcohol and drugs and violence within our community. We will announce the winners and post some photos in the next *BULLETIN*.

DICK RICHARDS,
Drug Awareness Chairman



Come now, all ye Laddies an' Lassies,
'tis time begorrah for some merriment at the...

REDDING ELKS

ST. PATRICK'S PARTY SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2010

\$14.00 per person

Cocktails: 6:00 p.m. Dinner: 7:00 p.m.

Disc jockey is **Lynne Currie**
of Personal Signature Entertainment

Traditional Irish meal of
CORNED BEEF AND CABBAGE
with all the trimmings

Tickets on sale at the Bar—
purchase no later than Friday 3/19.
No tickets will be sold day of the event!

Cook Your Own Steak

HEADS UP!
—the date for the first “Cook Your Own Steak” in 2010: **March 5th.**



We are off to another successful year. It takes 25 volunteers to put just one event on. So, step up to the plate to volunteer for each event. It's a fun experience to meet new friends.

Jim & Bonnie Sharp will be your March host and hostess. Please make your reservations early at the bar.

Fraternally,
JIM and JOAN CUPP,
Cook Your Own Steak Chairpersons

Wagonmaster's Notes

When I was a kid growing up I used to love *Wagontrain*, *Ward Bond* and *Rawhide* with Clint Eastwood (good 'ol Rowdy Yates). Little did I know I would be heading up my own years later!

I would like to thank you for your vote of confidence in electing me Wagonmaster. It will be my goal to lead y'al into 2010 continuing to have as much fun as possible. I think we have a great team with both new and experienced members—looks like a real nice mix. It's time to say a hardy THANK YOU to last year's crew—you did a great job partners. Also, thank you to those stepping up and volunteering to assist this year. Without all of you the club could not function.

Oh, while I have your attention, remember to hug your sweetie and tell them HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!

Keep Those Wagons Rollin'!

Fraternally,
DONNA LINN, *Wagonmaster*

Elks Super Bowl Party on February 7th

Don't forget to mark your February calendar for Sunday, February 7th and come on down to the Lodge to join your friends at this year's Super Bowl Party. The bar opens at noon, with the pre-game show at 1:00 p.m. and the game starting at 3:00 p.m. We will have two big screen TVs so everyone will have a great view of the game (or the commercials, as they are really good at the Super Bowl).

As before, this event will be totally POT LUCK. Please bring whatever you wish, pre-game snacks and hors d'oeuvres, main dishes or salad for the half-time meal, or your favorite dessert. We really need main dishes for the main meal so dust off your favorite recipes and bring your specialty to the party. There will be cash drawings throughout the game along with other items on which you could win money. This event is open to all Elks, their spouses, family members and guests. Bring a prospective member so they can see how much fun we have at the Lodge. See You There!

Fraternally,
ROD SULLIVAN and CHRIS WESTBERG, *Super Bowl Chairs*

Football Guest Chefs Raised Over \$2,500

The season of Monday Night Football is over for this year and it was a huge success. Chris and I want to thank everyone who attended for their support. We averaged 30 to 50 members and guests each week for FOOD, FUN and FOOTBALL.

As we previously reported, the Guest Chefs through the end of October raised a total of \$1,174.00 to donate to the Lodge cause of their choice.

We would like to thank all of the chefs, the money raised, and where they donated money to for the period of November 1st through the end of the season on December 28th: **Carol and Doug Waugh**, \$235 to the bar rail fund; **Phyllis and Hutch Hutchinson**, \$160 to the front doors; **Bob and Jeremy Robison**, \$110 to Super Bowl Party; **Jerry and Sherry Duchac**, \$205 to bar rail fund; **Steve Walden and Fred Bascom**, \$55 to kegerator fund; **Kamey Huggard**, \$128 to the kitchen fund; **Chris Westberg and Doyle Lancaster**, \$20 to kegerator fund; and **Randy and Linda Barnett**, \$335 to kegerator fund for a total of \$1,248.00 donated to Lodge projects. Also, **Jerry and Sherry Duchac** donated money left over from the bar rail fund (\$125) to the kegerator fund.

Adding the current contributions to the previous ones listed before, the total amount raised by the guest chefs was **\$2,547.00.**

Again, thank you so very much and we will see you again next year.

Fraternally,
ROD SULLIVAN and CHRIS WESTBERG, *Co-Chairmen*

Elks Lodge Hoop Shoot Results

On December 12th, the Elks Lodge Hoop Shoot was held. We had a great turn out. I would like to thank the 15 Elks members who volunteered to help with this event. A special thanks to our new member, **Kevin Powers**, for the doughnuts.

Winners in the Girl's Division

8-9, Alyssa Burke 10-11, Alexis Brown 12-13, none

Winners in the Boy's Division

8-9, Dominic Hicks 10-11, Michael Chitwood 12-13, Jake Coronjzos

Fraternally,
BRIAN BROWN, *Hoop Shoot Chairman*

Bits & Pieces... Here & There...

CRIBBAGE NEWS

Results of the January Cribbage Night were: 1st Place, **Fred Bascom**; 2nd Place, **John Woods**; and 3rd Place, **Dave Starnes**. The next Lodge Cribbage Night is Tuesday, February 9, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. SHARP. Cost is \$10.00 per player with all fees returned to the winners. [Submitted by FRED BASCOM, Cribbage Chairman]

CHAIRMAN WANTED:

A Bright New Shiny Drug Awareness Chairman for our Lodge. It is time for some fresh ideas and re-kindled enthusiasm for our Drug Awareness Program. I will be turning in my caped crusader outfit this April when we change officers and I would like for someone who likes to work with our community's youth to step forward and take over the job as the Lodge's Drug Awareness Chairman. I would be happy to work with the new person as their assistant for a while and pass on any experience and information that I have gathered. Please contact our Exalted Ruler, **Mell Steiger** and let him know that you are interested in taking over. Thank you to everyone who has supported our efforts to promote a drug free environment for our youth. [Submitted by DICK RICHARDS, Drug Awareness Chairman]

VOLUNTEER CARPENTER NEEDED

The Lodge has leak damage in the drywall (ceiling and wall) in the gym! We need to remove some wall board and repair, as required. The roof was recently replaced so the ceiling no longer leaks. [Submitted by DALE INMAN]

SIGNING OFF...

In late 1997, I was asked to take on the task of getting the Redding Elks Lodge *BULLETIN* produced and mailed out to the members each month. From that first feeble effort to the present, both the *BULLETIN* and your retiring editor have come a long way. I learned how to do the job under the guidance of **Teri Sorgatz-Wordlow**, the highly talented professional layout artist who gives our monthly newsletter its eye-appealing appearance. It is with gratitude that I now pass the position of editor to a most capable successor, **Jeanne Michelson**. Jeanne and I have worked together through a training period of several months. She is a bright, pleasant, efficient, organized lady and very agreeable to work with. Now, with the February 2010 edition, Jeanne is flying solo. Teri will continue on with layout (as she has since 1995) and I will be a back-up for Jeanne when needed. Many, many thanks to all of you who have contributed to my job through the years. I know you will extend to Jeanne the same cooperation you have shown me. Finally, thank you, Jeanne, for giving me a much anticipated rest. [Submitted by KATHY THOMPSON, former *BULLETIN* editor.]

Traildusters RV Board Assignments for 2010

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Wagonmaster: **Donna Linn**
(530) 244-7266
Past Wagonmaster: **Don Smith**
(530) 275-1424
Trail Boss: **Alan Wright**
(530) 244-2282
Asst. Trail Boss: **Bob Wilder**
(530) 247-3862
Treasurer: **Peggy Parker**
(530) 243-9509
Secretary: **Phyllis Hutchinson**
(530) 243-5097
Historian: **Jeannie Jones**
(530) 241-5474

VOLUNTEERS

Sheriff: **Dave Starnes**
(530) 275-1207
Dep. Sheriff: **Doug Laird**
(530) 275-1755
Sunshine: **Ellamay DeMartin**
(530) 243-3896
Membership: **Gloria Horner**
(530) 221-3245
Editor: **Barbara DeWitt**
(530) 243-6509
Mailing: **Gina McFadden**
(530) 222-2814
Asst. Mailing: **Carole Webb**
(530) 243-0363

Song and Inspiration: **Bill Kipp**
(530) 243-0363
Organist: **Carol Durfee**
(530) 547-3992
Greeters: **John & Terrie Bidwell**
(530) 275-9516



Crying Towel

The following members missed their chance to win \$\$ by not being present when their numbers were called at recent Lodge meetings.

JANUARY 7, 2010:

5 #'s drawn for \$225.00

#8518 Bren Butler
#5422 Doyle Fife, Jr.
#8573 James Kelly
#8016 Joe Myhrvold
#3606 Wallace F. Shelton
(No Winner)

5#'s drawn for \$125.00

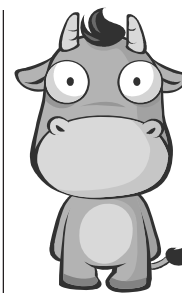
#6669 Joe Barrows
#8345 Debbie Clark
#6887 Alfred Jensen
#6004 Charles McDermott
#8349 Melvin H. Rich
(No Winner)



DOOR TICKET WINNERS

January 7, 2010: Bob Sandberg \$14.00

Members, it pays to attend the Lodge meetings. CAN WE COUNT ON YOU NEXT MEETING? You could be a big \$\$ winner!



5TH ANNUAL HOT CAJUN CRAB & TRI-TIP FEED

"BRIDGING THE RIVER JAZZ NITE"

HOSTED BY SHASTA HIGH SCHOOL AND
ENTERPRISE HIGH SCHOOL AT THE ELKS LODGE

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2010

TWO SEATINGS:

5:00-7:00 PM OR 7:30-9:30 PM

ALL-U-CAN-EAT OR DRIVE-THRU

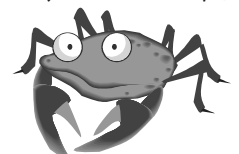
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 1st Tues Buffet 5:30-7pm Chicken Ala King, Beef Stroganoff RV Club Mtg 7pm	3	4 Lodge Night 5:30pm Pot Roast PER Appreciation Night Mtg 7pm	5 TGIF 6-8pm Mexican Buffet Music: Harry Blaesing Group	6
7 ELKS SUPER BOWL PARTY Open 12noon Pre-game 1pm Kick-off 3pm	8	9	10	11 Club Night 5:30pm Chicken Fried Steak Mtg 7pm	12 NO TGIF	13 RV CLB SPONSORED VALENTINE PARTY Poker 1:30pm Games 2pm Dine 6pm
14 EMBLEM TEA	15 Embl Clb Brd Mtg 6:30pm	16 Trustees Mtg 10:30am	17 <i>Midday Catered Event</i> Taco Fiesta 5-7pm	18 <i>Midday Catered Event</i> Lodge Night 5:30pm Stuffed Chick Breast Mtg 7pm	19 TGIF 6-8pm Fish Fry Music: Harry Blaesing Group	20 <i>All Day-Eve Catered Event</i>
21 SUNDAY JAZZ 1-5pm "Night Hawks" Embl Dinner 5pm Beef Stroganoff	22	23 Embl Clb Mtg 7pm RV Clb Brd Mtg 7pm	24 <i>AM Catered Event</i>	25 Club Night 5:30pm Glazed Marinated Pork Loin PER Mtg 5:30pm Brd of Dir Mtg 7pm	26 Student of Month 11:30am NO TGIF	27 ELKS ANNUAL ITALIAN FEED Drink 5pm, Dine 6pm Dance to "Jeanne Harter Band"
28 TEXAS HOLD 'EM 12noon-6pm					<i>Remember: Lunch is served Monday-Friday in the Club Room!</i>	

March 2010

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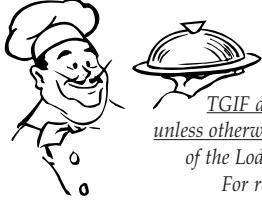
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 Monthly Menu**

*TGIF dinner hours *6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted. Look for signs posted in the foyer of the Lodge for details of each Friday's selection. For regular TGIF nights we recommend you call earlier on Friday for reservations. If a date requires pre-sale tickets it will be noted below.*

February 5, 2010—Chef(s): Evanna
 Mexican.
 Music by Harry Blaesing Group

February 12, 2010—**NO TGIF!**
 Join us for the RV SPONSORED VALENTINE'S PARTY FOR ELKS on Saturday, February 13th!

February 19, 2010—Chef(s): Emblem.
 Fish Fry.
 Music by Harry Blaesing Group.

February 26, 2010—**NO TGIF!**
 Join us for the ELKS ANNUAL ITALIAN FEED on Saturday, February 27th!

**Please note the TIME CHANGE .*



Annual Valentine Party

Hosted by Redding Traildusters RV Club for all Elks and their Guests

Saturday, February 13, 2010

1:30 p.m.—Sign-in For Poker Tournament
 2:00 p.m.—Mexican Train, Dice Box, and More Games
 Plus Snacks, Socializing, 50/50 Raffle
 Dinner 6:00 P.M. \$18.00 per person
 Swiss Steak or Stuffed Chicken, w/ salad, veges, mashed potatoes, roll, & dessert

Tickets available at the Lodge Bar and RV Club meeting Tuesday, February 2nd.
 Advance ticket sales only, deadline 2/10/10

Make checks payable to "Redding Traildusters RV Club"

