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Exalted Ruler's Message

The Dog Days of Summer...



JOHN LISAC
Exalted Ruler
2008-2009

The ancients named constellations in the sky from images of stars at night. The brightest of the stars in the sky now is Sirius, which in the summer actually rises and sets with the sun seemingly intensifying the heat and thus was named the "dog days of summer."

This is the time to plan for Lodge functions this fall and the holiday season and look back on our accomplishments.

Our Lodge has made great strides these past nine months in meeting all the requirements of C.H.E.A. and Grand Lodge and infused more family events for our members.

As we have slowed up a bit I will take this time to announce that I am stepping down as your Exalted Ruler for the balance of the year. Time has taken a toll on me personally and family concerns

must be addressed. Eleanor and I will be out of town for some time to be with our immediate family members.

Being elected for two years in a row, as Exalted Ruler is an experience I will long cherish. I am confident our upcoming chair officers will continue our success in the future and wish them the best.

Fraternally, JOHN LISAC, *Exalted Ruler*



REDDING ELKS LODGE END OF SEASON POOL PARTY!!

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2009
4:00 PM TO 10:00 PM**

**OPEN TO ALL ELKS MEMBERS AND THEIR GUESTS.
HAMBURGER/HOTDOG BARBEQUE ONLY \$5.00 PER
PERSON. BEER AND MARGARITA SPECIALS.**

**GAMES 4:00 TO 6:00 PM
BARBEQUE DINNER 6:30 TO 7:30 PM
KARAOKE 7:30 TO 10:00 PM**

SEE ARTICLE ON PAGE 5.

COMING EVENTS

THIS MONTH:

Sept 1—1st Tuesday Buffet

Sept 16—3rd Wednesday Taco Night

Sept 17—Elks DDGER Visit to Redding

Sept 19—Sunday Jazz & Embl Dinner

**Every Monday—Monday Night Football
(begins 9/14)**

Friday TGIF Dinners: 9/5, 9/18

Cook Your Own Steak 9/24

NEXT MONTH:

Oct 4—1st Tuesday Buffet

Oct 11—ELKS TEXAS HOLD'EM

Oct 18—Sunday Jazz & Embl Dinner

Oct 21—3rd Wednesday Taco Night

Oct 25—Emblem International Dinner

Every Monday—Monday Night Football

Friday TGIF Dinners: 10/2, 10/16, 10/31

Cook Your Own Steak 10/23

Lodge Office Hours:

Mon.—Fri. 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Phone: (530) 243-5900

Cook-Your-Own- Steak Night

FRI., SEPT. 25, 5:30-7:00PM

Steak/\$13 or

BBQ Cornish Game Hen/\$9

w/ baked potato, bread,

salad & dessert.

Hosts for event:

Jerry & Sherry Duchac & Crew

RESERVATIONS ONLY!

Tickets w/ sign-up
sheet at the Bar.

Purchase by

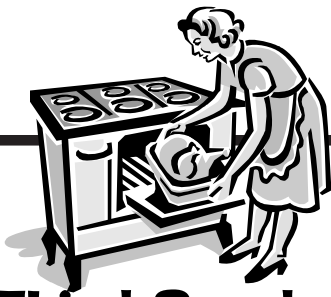
8 p.m. on 9/23.

NO tickets sold
day of the event!

For info:

Duchac, 638-6612





Third Sunday Dinner

**SUNDAY, SEPT. 20, '09
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: STUFFED
CHICKEN BREASTS**

From the Trustees' Desk...

The Elks Lodge has many outstanding members who continue to provide valuable support to our Lodge.

Frank Paulson and **Don Pierson** repaired the cracks in the BBQ; **Doug Laird** put new railing on the pool diving board and fixed the entrance to the storage trailer. **Phil & Carol Nystrom** donated a microwave for the kitchen as the old one is tired. Thank you for your continued support.



Major projects coming up are new front doors and a new roof on the gym. While these items are budgeted, because of the high cost the Board and Lodge need to approve them. We are in the process of obtaining three bids for each project.

We have over 60 past due members and will be calling them in the next two weeks to collect these dues. If you haven't paid your dues yet, please do. Come down and enjoy the Lodge.

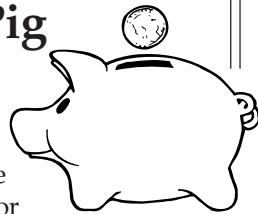
The Elks pool party was a great success. Thanks to **Mike & Mary Payne**, the Pool Committee and all who supported our new and beautiful pool.

Salvation Army and Redding Elks Lodge co-hosted a golf tournament. **Charlie Wilson** represented our Elk Lodge and brought in a nice poster. Thank you, Charlie.

Fraternally, **FRED BASCOM**, *Trustee Chairman*

Purple Pig

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



**Jerome Downey
John E. Fecher
Dick Jacobsen**

**Rev. Lloyd D. Kendall, HR
Martin Kennedy
Mike Lowrey
Mary Ragland
Len Sparks
Charlie Wilson**

*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.*

Cook Your Own Steak Kudos

A big thank you to the following ladies who provided the tasty fruit cobblers for the July "Cook Your Own Steak": **Carol Durfee, Karen Coutts, Irene Jackson, Pattr Breuning, Pat Courtney, Michelle Waybright, Janet Weems** and **Marita Bascom**. We all look forward to having homemade desserts.

There are some outstanding new member volunteers: **Pete & Julie McMullien, Jim & Kathy Jensen** and **Jack & Heleen McAuliffe** have been putting in lots of hours in various positions. All of the volunteers are a real asset to the success of this special event.

Two people always jump to the chance to serve, one being "Tickie Tickie" lady **Phyllis Hutchinson** for the 50/50 and **Dave Durfee** sets up the coffee each and every month. **Carol Homfeld** has been scratching her head to come up with the table decorations.

Thanks to the 9:00 AM table setters, **Kathy Jensen, Heleen McAuliffe** and **Ella Mae DeMartin** for the many tasks to get the dining hall in shape for our special evening.

Now a big hats off to those men, **Dwight Hoertsch, Alan Wright, Jim Sharp** and **Jim Jensen** who tended the BBQ area to have the proper fire to cook your steak. It was a very hot evening, but the misters sure helped.

The kitchen always has a strong head person to do the details of getting all of the side dishes that add to the steak and Cornish hens. July's head person was **Gayle Wright** with **Karen Hoertsch, Bonnie Sharp, Pete McMullien** and **Kathy Jensen** who all dashed to get all of the food out by 5:30 PM.

The ticket takers were **Bea Inman** and **Mickie Packer** for the July Friday night gathering.

The clean up went well with **Tony Rosetta, Dale Inman** and **Jack McAuliffe** stepping up to the job. Many others helped as the Boy Scouts were out of town.

Fraternally, **JIM & JOAN CUPP**, *Cook-Your-Own-Steak Coordinators*

Volunteers: We Salute You!

BAR

George Economou
Darlene Horn
Carol Nystrom
Rita Richardson
Dave & Carol Starnes
JoAnn Vollenweider

BULLETIN

George Burke
Dave Clapper
Tyler Clifford
George Safford
Jimmy Stephens

GROUNDS MAINTENANCE

Mike Anthony
Harry Blaesing
Dave Clapper
Norval Foss
Pete Leadbeter
(First name?) Mclain
Charlie Wilson

OFFICE

Mell Steiger

PHOTOGRAPHY

Gordon & Marlene Arconi

POSTERS

Dave Homewood

OTHER IMPORTANT FOLKS

Dolores Bielle, *Emblem Club Pres.*
Rod Sullivan, *PER Assoc. Pres.*
Don Smith, *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.

Parking for Visiting RV'ers

July income for RV parking:
\$6,781.25.

YTD total for 2009-2010 Elk year:
\$25,106.25.

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Proposed for Membership

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Gary Covelli	Service Tech.	John Dubree #8321
Ronda Culp	Realtor	Chet Sunde #8516
Larry E. Gibson	Sup. Pub. Works	Ben Reed #8438
David Gilstrap	Teacher	Mark Miller #7070
Mary Ann Kenny	Retired	W. Maloof #5308/Orange Ldg.
Larry Kier	CHP Retired	Michele Morey #8412
Donald Smith	Retired	John Joiner #8546
John Vance	Pool Service	J. Vance #5644/Eureka Ldg.

APPLICATION FOR REINSTATEMENT

Carl Arness #2977 Ray H. Bissell #7088 Margaret Cassata #8017



Welcome Our Newest Elks!

JULY 16, 2009 INITIATES

#8556 Dennis McClaskey
#8562 Dennis Newman
#8569 Roger Lawson
#8570 David Merryman
#8573 James Kelly
#8575 Peter Golden
#8562 Dennis Lopez



3rd Wednesday TACO FIESTA

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16, 2009
5:00-7:00PM

Tacos: \$1.00 each (Beef, Chicken or Pork) served at the Elks Lodge "Cantina" by Jerry & Sherry
Get 'em while they last—
no reservations needed.

Bar Drink Special: **MARGARITAS**

Sept "Blue Coat" Schedule

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

9/6: **Tony Ramos** 9/13: **Will Thompson**
9/20: **Fred Bascom** 9/27: **Jim Richardson**

Redding Elks Lodge #1073 2009-2010 Officers

Exalted Ruler
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 Tony Michelizzi
Trustee Will Thompson
Trustee Fred Bascom
Trustee Jim Richardson
Trustee Jerry Taylor
Trustee Dale Inman

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.*

MICHAEL BERRY #7221

Born: January 4, 1946

Initiated: July 25, 1974

Affiliated: February 28, 1991

Passed: May 28, 2009

BEN C. McCARTY #3652

Born: December 22, 1919

Initiated: July 23, 1964

Passed: July 17, 2009

DUANE TOMEI #8510

Born: May 5, 1939

Initiated: September 18, 2008

Passed: July 22, 2009



Biography

Al Keller, North District DDGER 2009-2010

Al Keller was born in Los Angeles, CA. While in college at UCLA he was called to duty in the U.S. Navy. After serving in the Navy he returned to college, receiving a B.A. in Education, an M.A. in Administration from Chapman College in Orange County, CA, and worked on his ED.D at the University of Colorado in Boulder.

Al's career in Education included teaching in California, positions as principal in both Colorado and California and eventually Superintendent of Schools in Scotia, CA and later in Fortuna, CA where he finally retired in 1999. During those years he also refereed in several sports at the high school and junior college level. After retiring he served as interim superintendent at various districts in Butte County.

Al joined Paradise Elks Lodge #2026 in 2001, serving as Exalted Ruler for 2003-04. He has since served in both Lodge and District level chairmanships as well as being a Lodge Trustee for several years. He was State Vice President for the North District in 2007-08. In addition Al has been active in a number of community organizations, including Rotary where he became a Paul Harris Fellow.

At and his wife, Janyth have two sons and three daughters between them, plus ten grandchildren. Al and Janyth enjoy traveling, dancing and being with their children and grandchildren. They also enjoy going out on their party boat.

Biography

James L. Nicholson, Grand Exalted Ruler 2009-2010



James L. Nicholson, born in Lima in 1948, was the oldest of ten children and raised on a working farm where he learned responsibility early in life. After high school Jim received his B.A. from Ohio State University, and also his M.A with distinction in 1971. He earned his law degree, cum laude, from Ohio State School of Law in 1974.

Jim's military career included U.S. Air Force and Army ROTC while getting his education, plus active duty and Army Officer Basic Training after graduation, followed by inactive reserves.

Jim had a distinguished career in law in Ohio as a lawyer in a firm, then chief trial assistant in the County Prosecutor's Office, and next as County Public Defender. In addition to his many public service and community organization positions through the years he was a founding park commissioner for his County.

Jim married his wife, Mary Carolyn in 1972. With a career in Education Mary Carolyn began as a teacher, then in administration where she is currently a school principal. Jim and his wife have three grown children, all with distinguished careers of their own, and four grandchildren.

With a wife whose father was a longtime Elk and PER, Jim himself was initiated into Martins Ferry, Ohio, Lodge #895 and started through the chairs, serving as Exalted Ruler in 1979-80. Jim's original Lodge eventually merged with two others to become Ohio River Valley Lodge #231. Jim has held many positions in Elkdom at every level—District, State and Grand. His record in the Order is stellar.

Jim Nicholson believes strongly in the charitable and good works of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. As Grand Exalted Ruler he hopes he can spread the word that **ELKS MAKE A DIFFERENCE**. [To hear more from our new GER see the September issue of the *Elks Magazine* each member receives monthly in the mail.]

Drug Awareness News

SAY BUDDY, CAN YOU SPARE A 1/2 DAY ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26?

The Elks Lodge has been partnering with the Anderson Police Department and the CHP over the last couple of years to enhance our Drug Awareness and Alcohol Abuse Program. The Anderson Police Department's Volunteer Citizens on Patrol has an opportunity to earn \$1,100 for their treasury and they need our help. Here is an opportunity to show our support for local law enforcement activities. Meeks Lumber in Anderson on Highway 273 has agreed to donate \$1,100 to the APD Volunteers if they will provide 20 volunteers to help take the store's pre-inventory count on **Saturday, September 26**. Last year when we did this we had a good turnout and we were finished at around noon and then we treated our crew to lunch at the Round Table Pizza in Anderson. We will just be counting items and putting a tag on the bins. With the economy being what it is, this is a rare opportunity to fund a worthwhile cause. If you can help with the counting or would like to make some goodies to feed the volunteer counters please call me, **Dick Richards**, at **365-6172**.

DICK RICHARDS, *Drug Awareness Chairman*

Monday Night Football is Back!!

IT'S HERE!!! Monday Night Football is back starting Monday, September 14th. Come join us for great food, lots of fun and also football. As in the past, I will pass out the weekly "Pick 'Em" sheets and again this year, we will have a "Season" pot as well for those who are interested. All you gotta do is show up on the first Monday night to sign up. I will keep a running total of wins and whoever has the most at the end of the season wins the pot.

We are also still in need of "Guest Chefs" and there is a sign-up sheet at the Bar. You have access to the kitchen and should plan for 30 to 40 people. You may take out your expenses, if you wish, and any profit goes to the Lodge fund of your choice. To sign up just ask the Bartender on duty and pick out which game you want to cook for and sign your name, it's that simple.

As we did last year, on the first Monday night game we are going to serve Chili Dogs, salad and all the fixings in memory of **Robbie Robison** who used to cook chili dogs the first game of the year.

If you have any questions, contact me or **Chris Westberg** at the Lodge. **SEE YA MONDAY, NIGHT SEPTEMBER 14TH!!!**

ROD SULLIVAN and CHRIS WESTBEG, MNF Chairpersons

MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL COME JOIN US FOR THE 2009 NFL SEASON!!

If you are a fan of football and fun the place for you on Monday evenings throughout the MNF season is the Redding Elks Lodge Clubroom! The first two games are September 14th... Don't miss them!

GOOD FOOD—Dinner served by 6:00 p.m. with different chefs and menu each week.

GOOD FUN—Drawing for lucky winners of drinks.

GOOD COMPANY—Watch the game with friends. Guests welcome.



Salvation Army/Elks Charity Golf Tournament



ABOVE: Bud and Judy Coolidge were the official "watchdogs" on Hole 14 trying to spot a lucky \$7,000 winner.

RIGHT: Redding Elks Lodge was well represented on the links by (L to R) Phil Nystrom, Vivian Reynolds, Alice Wilson and Charlie Wilson.



Elks Shot at Salvation Army Charity Golf Tournament!

After months of preparation and organization the local unit of Salvation Army conducted its 2nd Annual "Send Kids to Camp" tournament at Gold Hills Golf Course. Redding Elks co-hosted the event and entered a four-person team in the competition.

Contributing to the enhancement of the prize items, our Lodge donated 12 dozen golf balls. Each ball displayed the logo of both Salvation Army and the Redding Elks—quite impressive.

Our golf foursome consisted of **Vivian Reynolds**, wife of Elk **Jack Reynolds**, Elk member **Phil Nystrom**, my wife, **Alice Wilson** (Emblem Club) and myself. As an

added feature our team hosted an Elks Tee Block with a large sign displaying "Co-Hosted by Redding Elks", in color... Not Cheap.

Two important volunteers were PER **Bud Cooledge** and his wife **Judy**. They monitored action at Hole 14, which would pay \$7,000.00 to any golfer lucky enough to Ace the hole. Unfortunately, no one did.

Although our Elks foursome did not finish "in the money", we felt it was a pleasure and a privilege to be a part of such a great program.

Fraternally, CHARLIE WILSON

Redding Traidusters RV Club News

Greetings! We are on the coast between Brookings and Crescent City. The weather here is in the high 70's and we are all suffering from this unbearable heat wave. All kidding aside, the weather on the coast is simply wonderful this time of year. I wanted to give you all a little information about the outing the **Webb's** and **Cochran's** are hosting.

We arrived on Wednesday afternoon, that evening we enjoyed each other's company and ate great appetizers. **Bill Webb** set up our new canopies and the setting was staged for a very fun evening. I believe there are over 50 members in attendance and the park is set in the redwoods. It is a very quiet and beautiful setting. The Redwoods RV park personnel have been extremely concerned about our comfort. We should definitely use this park again.

Thursday morning we had our usual coffee and donut get together. **Peggy Parker** was in charge of the early morning affair and really has her job down to a science. The donuts were very fresh and the selection was terrific. I don't know where Bill found the diet donuts but I ate two of them and never had a bit of guilt. There were five fishermen that left for the boats in Crescent City to try to catch our dinner. We also had a group of golfers that headed for the local golf course. That evening the fishermen were back and very successful. **Doug Laird** was the winner of the biggest fish contest with a 27 lb Ling. **Gary Johnson** and his team was very gracious and donated enough fish to feed the entire group. Thanks guys for a wonderful fish fry. There is nothing better than fresh caught fish. That evening we had a campfire and **Peggy Laird** led us in an old fashion sing-a-long. Thanks Peggy for all your hard work.

Friday morning we again gathered for coffee and donuts but the donuts were late. It turns out **Bill Webb** and **Jim Cochran**, unfortunately, hit a little spike buck on the way in to get the donuts. Both air bags deployed and the front of Carole's car was a mess.

The little buck was killed instantly and thankfully both men were fine. Hopefully **Carole** will get a new car and all will be well. After our morning get-together we were off to a brandy distillery in Brookings. I believe the blackberry liqueur was the favorite. The group then went to the local Coast Guard station and enjoyed a guided tour of their facility. We can all be thankful for the Coast Guard and their dedication to keeping us safe. That evening we were invited for dinner at the Brookings Elks lodge. Thank you Brookings Elks for a fun filled and delicious experience.

Saturday morning coffee and donuts were again enjoyed by all. We had a few golfers go off to a different course and I hear they had a fun filled round. Most of the other Traidusters headed for Brookings to attend a local Art Faire. Saturday evening our hosts cooked Tri Tip and all the fixings. I must say that the food has been outstanding. I would again like to thank Bill and Carole Webb and Jim and Tina Cochran for a superb outing. You guys have gone far and beyond the call of duty.

See you all on the road!

Fraternally,
DON SMITH, *Wagonmaster*

Crying Towel

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

JULY 16, 2009

5 #'s drawn for \$25.00:
#8152 Richard Jacobson
#7612 Shedrick Jackson
#7370 Don Zoll
#8498 Jack Stevenson
#7974 Kenneth Carroll
[No Winner]

5 #'s drawn for \$25.00:
#7056 Joeseeph Beaumont
#7947 James Hickenbottom
#7558 Gene DeSoto
#6796 Lowell Humphrey
#7902 Craig Carrel
[No Winner]



AUGUST 6, 2009:

[Summer schedule, no meeting]

DOOR TICKET WINNERS:

July 16: (No tickets sold)
August 2: N/A

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

Redding Emblem Club #515 ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE

DATES: Wednesday, September 30 – Friday, October 2, 2009

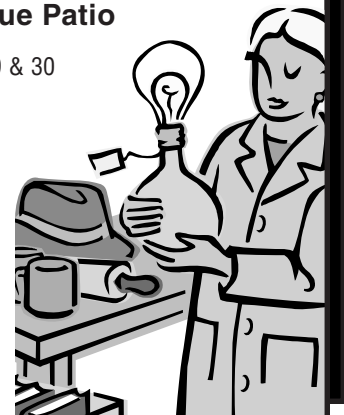
HOURS: 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Redding Elks Lodge Barbeque Patio

Donations of items accepted on Monday & Tuesday, Sept. 29 & 30 (please bring to the East gate, next to RV parking).

Goods desired are: all household items, clothing, garden and/or patio items, tools, books, toys, videos, jewelry, linens, small appliances or whatever you want to get rid of that is in good and/or workable condition. Proceeds go to charities and scholarships.

Call **Gloria Hagen** at 241-2816, **Mary Kelley** at 246-7873, or **Dorris Costarella** at 243-6601 for further details.



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

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

CHEA State President **Lee Karjola** and First Lady **Cindy** will be visiting the North District October 16-17, 2009. Friday, October 16th there will be a dinner honoring them at the Paradise Lodge and Saturday, October 17th the Chico Lodge will be hosting a dinner for them. It is always special to meet our State President in person so plan to make it to one or the other, or both, of these events if you possibly can. There will be more details published in the October *BULLETIN*. [Submitted by **WADE THORPE**, North District VP]

DON'T MISS SEPTEMBER JAZZ CONCERT!!

Be sure and check out the ad for the upcoming Sunday Jazz Concert at the Lodge September 20, 2009. The band is an especially large, lively and extremely entertaining group who call themselves "The Ophir Prison Marching Kazoo Band and Temperance Society, Ltd." They are, of course, NOT prisoners, but ARE worth seeing for a purely enjoyable experience. The event is sponsored by the Rivercity Jazz Society, whose membership includes many of our own Elks. Cost is \$10.00 for adults and teenagers; kids 12 and under are free. A special raffle for topnotch prizes will also be held. The Emblem Club serves a delicious dinner following the jazz concert each month so make it a day at the Redding Elks Lodge by coming for the music and staying for dinner.

CRIBBAGE NEWS

Results of the August Cribbage Night were: 1st Place – **Chris Hess**; 2nd Place – **John Woods**; and 3rd Place – **Hillary Hess**. The next Lodge Cribbage Night is Tuesday, September 8, 2009 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]

GET YOUR FLU SHOT

Sunset Urgent Care will be giving flu shots October 8, 2009 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Medicare will be billed for you if applicable. Non Medicare patients cost is \$25.00.

June 18, 2009 State VP Visit



North District's State Vice President **Wade Thorpe** and his wife **Kim** are from the Chico Lodge.



POOL AREA RULES 2009

SWIM AT YOUR OWN RISK – NO LIFEGUARD ON DUTY *Always Practice Safety, Courtesy and Common Sense!*

- This is a private pool for the pleasure of our members and their families.
 - ~ Members must be prepared to show their Elks Membership Card
 - ~ Guests must be accompanied by a member
 - ~ Guest fee is \$2.00 /person; pay at Snack Shack or at Bar
- Children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult.
- One person at a time on the diving board.
- Pool users are responsible for helping to keep the pool area clean and tidy.
- Let proper pool etiquette of safety and consideration for others prevail always.

POOL HOURS

Monday thru Thursday—9:00 AM to 8:00 PM

Friday and Saturday—9:00 AM to 9:00 PM

Sunday—12:00 NOON to 7:00 PM

Note: Pool hours are regulated by when the Bar is open, including no use of pool while Thursday Lodge meetings are in session.

SNACK SHACK HOURS

Wed. Fri. Sat. Sun.—1:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Tues. and Thurs.—1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Closed Monday

All alcoholic beverages must be purchased at the Lodge Bar. Bringing alcohol for consumption onto the Lodge premises from outside sources is a violation of ABC regulations and puts our liquor license in jeopardy.

End of Season **POOL PARTY** Saturday, September 19, 2009 4:00 p.m.– 10:00 p.m.

The members' pool party on August 7th was a tremendous success with about 100 people attending. The lawn and pool games provided a lot of action and laughter, and the beer and margarita specials were well received and consumed with gusto. **Tom Kandybe** headed the barbeque dinner with help from **Brian Brown, Steve Hollingsworth, Paul Degnan** and **Mike Payne**. **Brianne & Michael Henry** kept the beer pong games going which were a great hit. One of the favorite attractions was the karaoke led by **Sherry & Jerry Duchac**. Although there was no official "voting" on the various singers and performers it was well noted that **Sherry, Jerry** and **Lynn Currie** had the best voices!! A big thanks to these Pool Committee members, including **Paul Mendes**, who helped with the tickets.

We will repeat this pool party again on Saturday, September 19th. Games will depend on the weather and will go from 4:00 to 6:30 PM. Tickets for the barbeque and drink specials will be sold from 4:00 till 6:00 PM. Dinner will be served from 6:30 to 7:30 PM and karaoke will follow dinner. All members and their guests are invited. Hope to see you at the party!

Fraternally,
MARY PAYNE and the POOL COMMITTEE

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September 2009

Redding Elks

Lodge #1073

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<i>Remember: Lunch is served Monday–Friday in the Club Room!</i>		1 1st Tues Buffet 5-7pm Chinese RV Club Mtg 7pm	2	3 Lodge Night 5:30pm Pork Roast	4 TGIF 5:30-8pm Harry Blaesing Group	5
6	7 LABOR DAY Lodge Closed— Lodge Bar, Clubroom & Pool Open	8 Cribbage 6pm	9	10 Club Night 5:30pm Beef Tips & Noodles	11 NO TGIF	12 Catered Event
				RVers to Napa →		
13 RVers to Napa →	14 Day Catered Event Monday Night Football Buffalo@ New Eng 4pm S.D.@ Oakland 7:15pm Embl Clb Brd Mtg 6:30	15	16 Midday Catered Event 3rd Wednesday Taco Fiesta 5-7pm Trustees Mtg 5:30pm	17 Lodge Night 5:30pm Oven Fried Chicken DDGER Visitation Mtg. 8pm	18 TGIF 5:30-8pm Harry Blaesing Group	19 ELKS End of Season POOL PARTY Games 4pm, BBQ dinner 6:30pm, Karaoke 7:30pm
20 SUNDAY JAZZ 1-5pm "Ophir Prison Marching Kazoo Band" Embl Dinner 5pm	21 Monday Night Football Indianapolis @ Miami 5:30pm	22 Embl Clb Mtg 7pm	23	24 Club Night 5:30pm Lasagna PER Mtg 5:30pm Brd of Dir Mtg 7pm	25 Student of Month 11:30am TGIF Cook Your Own Steak Night 5:30-7pm Pre-sale only, deadline 9/23	26 Day-Eve Catered Event
27 Eve Catered Event Coral Room	28 Monday Night Football Carolina @ Dallas 5:30pm	29 RV Club Brd Mtg 7pm	30 Emblem Club RUMMAGE SALE begins			

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REDDING ELKS LODGE, 1:00 to 5:00 PM

Admission: \$10.00 (kids 12 & under free). Come for some good music and fun.

Dinner by the Emblem Club is available after the concert.



Rivercity Jazz Society's SPECIAL RAFFLE DRAWING

5:00 p.m. on SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 20, 2009

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Redding Convention Center
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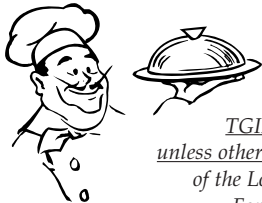




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 unless otherwise noted. Look for signs posted in the foyer
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 For regular TGIF nights we recommend
 you call earlier on Friday for reservations.
 If a date requires pre-sale tickets it will be noted below.*

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- September 4, 2009**—Chef: Evanna
 Menu: **Pork Ribs**, Salad Bar, Baked Beans, Garlic Bread,
 Dessert. Cost: \$11.00
 Music: Harry Blaesing Group.
 - September 11, 2009**—NO TGIF!
 - September 18, 2009**—Chefs: Mickie and Evanna
 Menu: **Fish Fry**. Cost: \$11.00
 Music: Harry Blaesing Group.
 - September 25, 2009, 5:30–7:00pm**—
 Chef: Jerry & Sherry Duchac & Crew
 Menu: **Cook-Your-Own-Steak**, or **BBQ Cornish Game
 Hen**. Cost: Steak \$13.00, Game Hen \$9.00.
Reservations only. Tickets w/sign-up sheet at the Bar.
 Deadline is 8:00 p.m. on 9/23.

*The Officers of Redding Elks Lodge #1073
 Cordially invite all
 Members and their Spouses
 to attend a dinner honoring
 North District DDGER
 Al Keller
 and his wife Jan
 Thursday, September 17, 2009
 Officers Meet with DDGER – 5:30 p.m.
 No Host Cocktails – 6:30 p.m.
 Dinner – 7:00 p.m.
 Lodge Meeting – 8:00 p.m.
 Dinner: \$9.00, Menu: Oven Fried Chicken
 Spouses gather for social meeting while
 mates are in Lodge Meeting.*