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Orlando B.P.O.E. Lodge 1079

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Message from Your Exalted Ruler



Happy New Year! Have you made any New Years' resolutions? I hope that this is the year that you ask at least one neighbor, fellow church member, work associate, or family member to join you in becoming a member of our Orlando Elks Lodge #1079. Tell them about all our community involvements and fun social activities.

The Soldiers' Angels organization continues to meet at the Baldwin Park VA instead of at our location. We remain hopeful that eventually we will see them here. We have, however, made a connection with the local Civil Air Patrol group. They had a couple of meetings here in December and have decided to continue meeting here through January. We expect a mutually beneficial arrangement, as their young people need some community service time.

December was a good month for making money on private parties and member events. The "Guys and Dolls" Christmas show did well having at least 75 attendees of which 50 had dinner. One of our private parties did over \$3,000.00 on their bar bill alone! Mary Holt's Christmas Eve party also had good bar sales - even with the free spiked egg nog! There is a rumor that we might be in the black - that is good to hear.

Please remember to make your reservations for the ReCreations Show on Tuesday, January 15th. The PERs and friends will be serving a spaghetti dinner before the show and need to know how much food to prepare. Invite your friends and family to this special event. Look for details in your weekly E-flash or call the Lodge for information.

January 19th from approximately 10 am to 2 pm we will have a vendor auction inside our ballroom. It is called a "Quarter Throw Down" because the attendees bid by a quarter at a time for goods or services that the local vendors bring to auction. We will most likely have ten vendors on the floor and there will be an intermission at the halfway point. This is a "Burgers and More" Saturday, so we hope for increased sales that day. All those wishing to participate in bidding will need to purchase a paddle in order to do so. The proceeds from the paddle sales at the

January 19th event will go into the Elks charity account.

On Friday January 25th around 1:30 pm we will have a speaker by the name of Jeannette Bajalia for a free talk called "Practical Solutions to Living Your Best Life!" Jeannette is also a published author of three books. She would like to provide some light refreshments, so try to let us know if you plan to attend. This speaker comes highly recommended by our member Sheldon Brook who has heard her speak before. At least one Friday afternoon a month (hopefully the 4th one) we will have a speaker here to speak about different topics of interest. If you have any suggestions, please let me know.

This year we are opening up our New Years' Eve event to the public in order to cover our costs. We are not the only Lodge in Florida to do this. Hopefully we will have a good turn- out.

See you around the Lodge!

Jody Richards,
Exalted Ruler

Attention Members,

The Antler publications and mailings are very costly!! Please choose to go online and print your Antler or have it emailed to you. Just click on the link in the Flash email that comes out every Monday.

You will also get a synopsis of upcoming events!
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Please congratulate:

Elk of the Month
Bob Schimmelfennig



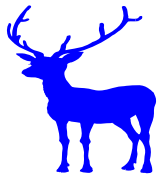
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Guest Speaker
January 25th
1:00 P.M.



Jeanette Bajalia
Petros Estate and Retirement planning.
Founder of "Women's Worth" LLC.

Central District DD Clinic and Official Visitation Schedule

Clinic-April 13, 2019-Zephyrhills Lodge #2731, 10:00 am

Antler Boosters

April 2018

Charles Jakulewicz
in memory of
Nancy Jakulewicz
Patricia Davies

May 2018

Helga Adams
in memory of
Steven Adams

May 2018

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in memory of Sally

June 2018

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Any current Elk or Does Member may present this coupon at the bar and receive a free well drink, domestic beer or glass of house wine anytime during your birthday month compliments of Lodge 1079.

Member's Name _____

Birth Month & Day _____

Elk or Does Card Number _____

Does Corner

Hope everyone had a good Holiday!

I was going to write about something else but I felt the need to cover an important subject:

When we became Does, we took an oath and some of that oath mentions that love will be utmost in our hearts to family friends and this order.

To exercise great principles of loyalty ever mindful of great virtue of charity and will exemplify it at all times and of course, patriotism.

Being ever mindful of this obligation and will be kind and charitable to all. Last, but not least, never discuss or disclose any confidential matter of the BPO or of the USA.

There are times when some of us have very busy lives but we need to be reminded as to why we're here and why we became members. You'll never regret being kind.

Just a reminder, dues are due in January. Please mail checks to Beverly Hallstrom 6200 Raintree Drive Orlando, FL. 32822

If you have any questions or input for this column you can contact me at mmorales9480@yahoo.com

DOES January Birthdays

1 Roberta Green	16 Dianna Webb
4 Charlotte Goshler	19 Erma Wilson
15 Amy Altman	30 Bunny Hazel
16 Linda Begley	31 Edith McLaughlin



ELK OF THE MONTH

Bob Schimmelpfennig
January 2019

I'm starting off the New Year right with the "Clip Board Guy" as my Elk of the Month for January. The mighty leader of our Monday Morning Boys, Bob Schimmelpfennig (affectionately known as "Schim" for short), is not known for his expertise in plumbing or electrical work, but he can definitely organize and motivate his crew! Every week, without fail, Bob asks me what projects I would like his guys to tackle. He frequently shops for the necessary parts and/or materials that are required for the job and then assigns each task to a willing and able MMB. In the past Bob has served as both a Trustee of this Lodge and a member of our former House Committee. Bob attends our Lodge meetings and gives the MMBs report as often as his travel plans allow. Thank you, Schim, for making sure that things get done around here! Let me know when you need a new clip board.

Monday Morning Boys

Whew a new year!! Lots of new projects that we are looking forward to again this year. Over the next month or two we will be busy raking up the leaves from our many trees... then of course cutting that green stuff that starts to grow.

We have a lot of paint jobs to do scheduled for the new year, all the doors, kitchen, floor of back patio, bar floor and general touch up throughout the lodge. Also slated for fix up and repair is our fountain (did you know we had one?) We will be scraping, sanding, painting and fixing it up...

Okay...your turn to help... We meet every Monday at 9 AM for a couple of hours.... paint, trim, cut, small electrical jobs, some plumbing and just about anything that needs to be done.

Come and join the fun...always a job for everyone.

See you on Monday... *Schim*



How do you get new members?

ASK!