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#### MEETINGS

Lodge: Wednesday, 2nd & 4th week - 7:00 pm  
 Board of Directors: Wednesday, 1st & 3rd week - 6:30 pm  
 DOES: Tuesday, 1st & 3rd week—7:00 pm  
 PERS: Wednesday, 2nd week—6:00 pm

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# Antler Bulletin

## Orlando B.P.O.E. Lodge 1079

A Fraternal Organization / Lodge Founded in 1907  
 Faults of our Members We Write Upon the Sand  
 Their Virtues upon the Tablets of Love and Memory



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### Message from Your Exalted Ruler



We are still working on a few issues regarding the kitchen lease initiative. It should be resolved soon and we can then proceed in search of a caterer.

In the meantime, we will continue to focus on the Friday Night Dinner Dance and Monday Night Bingo. Staffing for these two nights is borne by the Board of Directors (BOD) plus two food service workers Kaykay and Andy with whom many of you are familiar. These two food service nights adds an additional strain on the nine members of the (BOD) in that it requires more of their personal time and attention. For example, Ralph Bemos is the Lodge Mediator, manages the PUB, volunteers on the MMB's, chaperones special events, and opens the Lodge some Saturdays. Janice Moffitt serves as BOD Secretary, Chairs the Activities Committee, Chairs the Public Relations, Chairs Entertainment, chaperones special events, and opens the Lodge on some Saturdays and Sundays. These are but two of the nine (BOD) members who are assigned duties that must be performed. I could have easily identified two other members but you get the point.

The fact that we do not now, nor will we in the immediate future have a caterer, and that creates an additional burden on the members of the BOD. I have to wonder as to how much responsibility are these nine people willing to assume. At what point do I ask for YOUR HELP? How much can we expect from you? On the other hand, I ask myself, just how important is Friday Night Dinner Dance? Until we acquire a caterer could it not be a Friday Night Dinner Dance with coffee and dessert to be served by the Does? Is this idea so unreasonable? On Friday nights we serve between 15 to 20 and many nights fewer. My concern is the strain on the same people we rely upon to do everything else. Think about it and let me know your thoughts on the subject. Email - wmsmith530@gmail.com  
**THANKS!**

This past weekend I attended a mandatory Elk District

Meeting. As part of the program, each ER was asked to identify their Lodge's strengths and weaknesses. For the most part every response was pretty much the same. In my opinion, the weakness is the inability to determine what the members expect or want from the Lodge. To prove the point, membership is down. We lost 47 members this past year. Another Lodge within our District lost 142 members. Something must be going on or else we are failing to provide what the membership wants. I need you to tell me what you want so that I am able to meet that expectation. Orlando is a growing area with lots of activities. We are the only activity that is exclusively focused on you: The member.

Please Join us for Mother's Day Observance.

Sincerely,

*William M. Smith*



**DATED MATERIAL  
 PLEASE DO NOT DELAY  
 ADDRESSED TO A VERY IMPORTANT ELK**

**PUB AND DINING ROOM HOURS**  
 (Check Center Calendar for Dinner Times  
 Entertainment and Other Special Events)

	<b>PUB</b>	<b>DINING ROOM</b>
Mon	4:00 pm—10:00 pm	Public Bingo
Tues	4:00 pm—10:00 pm	Special events only
Wed	4:00 pm—10:00 pm	Special events only
Thurs	4:00 pm—10:00 pm	Special events only
Fri	12:00 pm— 6:00 pm	5:30 —11:00 pm Dinner & Dance
Sat	10:30 am— 9:30 pm	Special events only
Sun	12:30 pm— 6:30 pm	Special events only

**PLEASE RESPECT THE BARTENDER'S REQUEST  
 TO VERIFY YOUR ELIGIBILITY TO PURCHASE  
 ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, AS  
 WE WILL FOLLOW THE RULES**

Secretaries Office Hours: Closed Sat., Sun.  
 Open 10:30 a.m. Mon.—Fri.

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*Please  
 congratulate:*  
**Elk of the Month  
 ROGER BRISTOL**

## DAVID DUB-YAH'S JUKEBOX



OK I gave you guys a month off to recuperate from my last show, but on Saturday evening May 4th, from 6 to 9, I'll be back to perform in the Pub to provide dance and listening music for your indulgence and entertainment. No food will be available for purchase, but you may bring your own, or order in.

As always, I will have selected a bunch of tunes from the 40s thru the 70s and some newer ones from the 80s, 90s, and a couple from this century to sing. And again, I will have my books containing about 1500 songs available if you want to hear something else. Still though, you pick a duet, YOU sing with me. I do work to make the songs sound like they did when we listened to them way back when and sometimes I succeed. To give you folks a break from me, I'll have a guest singer crooning away.

I know some of you may get tired of reading this somewhat modified blurb every month, but it's really for our new members and guests who have no clue to what my show is about. I'm not spinning records up here; I'm singing memories so we can dream of times gone by.

So, if you find yourself desperate for entertainment, come out and have some fun at my expense. Drink, shake your booty on the dance floor, and/or sit back, listen, and reminisce. I'll have a tip jar available so you can contribute to my poor old sick mother and her 19 cats. Oh yeah, and the more you drink, the better I sound. And please, remember to take care of our bartender who works really, really, really hard to keep you happy.

*David Wiggs*



Volunteers needed to cook on Monday Nights. Just a little of your time doing good deeds for the Lodge. All you need to know is how to take orders, use the George Forman, or drop fries and onion rings into the baby deep fryer. We need four or five people each Monday. 4-7:30 P.M.

The only compensation is the Tip Jar! But you will feel rewarded mostly by the "Brotherly Love."

Please call or email Trudy.....407-325-5991  
[tharold@mindspring.com](mailto:tharold@mindspring.com)

## Doe's Corner

Hello Ladies,

Congratulations to our New Members:  
 Paulette Carter and Mary Jo Bond

Spring is upon us, so let's do some "Spring Cleaning" and donate some items we no longer need!

Mother's Day is May 12<sup>th</sup>. There will be a Ceremony in the Lodge Room at 1:00 P.M. Coffee and Desserts may follow.

Please Be Humble and Kind

*Maria Morales*

[mmorales9480@yahoo.com](mailto:mmorales9480@yahoo.com) for any questions, etc



### MAY BIRTHDAYS

- Betty Garcia-May 4
- Amanda Gruber-May 4
- Barbara Snyder May 11
- Helga Adams May 27
- Donna Conley May 27
- Karen Belvin May 28
- Monica Woolgar May 28



*Thank You*

...members of Lodge No. 1079, for allowing me to be your Secretary for the last 11 years. It has been my honor and pleasure. I have met some of the "Best People on Earth" in this position. However, at the end of this year it will be time for someone else to occupy the Secretary's chair.

If you, as a member, are interested in taking on this office, please contact me at (407) 761-5183. There are many facets to the position; and, it will take a considerable amount of time to learn all of them. This is not said to discourage anyone, just a heads up.

There are times when I could not do the job alone and I take this opportunity to thank the following for their help: Doris Bee, Rita Boucher, Roger Bristol, Barbara Lockwood, Patricia Strickland and the late Ginny and Paul Wetzal.

*Virginia*

**PUB PIANO BAR**  
 2<sup>ND</sup> AND 4<sup>TH</sup> SATURDAYS  
**Jerry Idle on Keyboard**  
 from "Soft Touch Band"  
*"Sing Along"*  
 or *"Sit in with Jerry"*  
 requests welcome

6 P.M.- 9 P.M.

No Cover

*Tips always appreciated*



If you can or  
 cannot sing . . .  
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 do your thing!



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## Antler Boosters

### May 2018

Helga Adams  
 in memory of  
 Steven Adams  
 Helen Lippert  
 Bob Novac  
 in memory of Sally

### June 2018

Helen Lippert

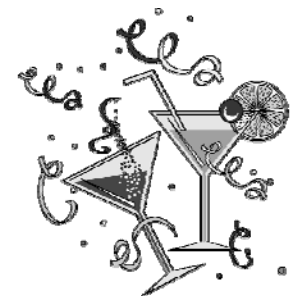
### March 2019

Gloria Krasovec in memory  
 of Dominik Krasovec  
 Coleman and Pat Grant



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### Birthday Drink Coupon

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.

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Birth Month & Day \_\_\_\_\_

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- May Birthdays**
- |                        |                          |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 Harry E. Frain       | 19 Norman H. Arnold, Sr. |
| 2 James Andrew Bott    | Hector Lopez             |
| 3 Raymond Narushko     | 20 John St. Lawrence     |
| 4 Gustave Fricker      | 21 John Kinloch          |
| 6 Donald E. Lefever    | 22 Fred E. Layne         |
| 7 Benjamin Gustafson   | 24 Carole Amey           |
| 8 Lindy Bowers         | 26 William Trent, Jr.    |
| 10 Barbara B. Boone    | 27 Steven M. Kern        |
| Doris H. Latham        | Casmer C. Ziemiak, Jr.   |
| 11 Rachelle M. Salerno | 28 Monica E. Woolgar     |
| 15 Victor B. Ratliff   | 29 Robert Belden         |
| 16 Catharine Laughton  | Iris A. Houston          |
| John P. Monell         | 30 Ralph W. Bemos        |
| Victoria L. Simmerson  | 31 Julian Fuller         |
| 17 Jerry Hogan         | Robin Hall               |
| 18 Ronnie B. Collins   | Carl D. Motes            |
| James C. Gamble        | William D. Richardi      |
|                        | Nancy Ridings            |



- VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**
- Monday Night Bingo .....Denise Johns 407-267-7657  
Veteran's Bingo Assistance..... Pat Davies 407-217-7505  
Burgers & More..... Larry Lockwood 321-436-6128  
Monday Morning Boys....Bob Schimmelpfennig 407-493-7131

**Monday Morning Boys**

Does it seem like the months go by fast? ..Yes, and that is how fast the Monday morning goes for the MMB's, time flies when you are having fun!!



The guys have spent the last few weeks cleaning up leaves, cutting back weeds, pulling out old plants and refurbishing the pond/water fountain in front of Elmer the Elk. In addition we have done a few small electrical and plumbing tasks.

Who shampoos the carpet?...  
Well the MMB team does this. Several years ago we paid over \$800 every few months to have this task completed by a commercial cleaner. So the MMB's found the correct chemicals and with our own machines we keep the carpets clean.

For those of you that are thinking of joining us...PLEASE do, we need the help. Many of our tasks are easy, setting up bingo, replacing light bulbs, small paint touch up jobs and picking up trash outside the building. So join us any Monday ... 9 AM..for a couple of hours. I promise you will enjoy the team...

If you have suggestions of things the MMB's should do.....let me know.


**Schim**

**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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password: memberprimrose  
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How do you get new members?  
**ASK!**

**Elk of the Month**  
May 2019  
**ROGER BRISTOL**

What stands out in my mind is Roger's diverse level of service within the Elk's organization. He maintains a keen interest in both the mundane such as flipping burgers to the strategic matters of local and national policy. His sustained excellence is underscored by his most recent duties as leading Knight and presently as Esquire while simultaneously serving at the District Level in the roll of Vice-President Central District. He puts his heart and soul into everything he does and his actions support the esteem with which he is held within the Elk's community. Roger's depth of dedicated service at all levels is matched by very few. It is for these reasons that he is being recognized as Elk of the Month.




**TEAMWORK for "2019"**

**"Thank You"**  
teams for Burgers and More!

**"Thank You"**  
teams for Monday Night Bingo!

We desperately need COOK TEAMS to "Volunteer" for Mondays and Thursdays!!  
PLEASE help us to support the efforts of our Lodge!  
Call Trudy 407-325-5991



*Care and Concern*  
Mary Lou Schryberg  
Ed Casey

