



# Antler Bulletin

Orlando Lodge No. 1079 B.P.O.E.

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



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## Message from the Exalted Ruler



**What's Cookin'?** A team composed of Board members and chef Carol Adams has been busily working on kitchen improvements including repairing fans and vents, spray painting the walls and pipes, steam cleaning the floors, relocating electrical service, and deep cleaning cooking vessels and china

after the painting. These efforts really made a difference when we were recently visited by the State of Florida Department of Health in Orange County. We were rated very highly with only one minor violation that was remedied on the spot. Many thanks to the entire team that took on this project and to the Board and the Lodge members for facilitating the changes.

**The Pub** . . . is about to get new carpeting as well as recovered foot rests and flooring leading from the kitchen to the bar. This will pretty much complete improvements that have been in the works for the past year.

Our Events, Activities, Decorating, and Band Committees have been consolidated and renamed the **Lodge Activities Committee**, which we are required to have by Grand Lodge. This places them under one umbrella as well as providing a planning group for other lodge events. We could use some additional help to plan special dinners and dancing, Flag Day, Mother's Day, Veterans Outreach, and more.

**Meet and Greet Follow-up:** in February a number of members convened to think about the future. The two most important issues were growing the membership, including attracting younger members and providing hard copy of the *Antler* to those who want it. We have included the cost of printing and mailing the *Antler* to a number of members in our 2022-23 budget. We will mail members a copy soon which will include a return post-card so they can state their preference for a mailed hard copy or an electronic copy.

**Save the Date!** Incoming Florida State Elks Association President Mark Thompson will begin his lodge visits at our lodge on Friday, June 17 and Saturday, June 18.

He's eager to meet all of you. The Friday night BBQ dinner and music in the Pub will be casual. Wear a red shirt in support of our nation's military service members. On Saturday, Mark and his party will join us for Burgers and More at lunch then return at 5 pm for cocktails followed by an elegant luau-themed dinner prepared by Chef Carol. This is a more formal event, so dress accordingly. The Friday night dinner is \$10 per person. Saturday night's cocktail reception and dinner is \$15 per person, all inclusive.

Please make every effort to join us. We want to have an impressive show of member support for our lodge.

**COMING SOON:  
A MEMBERS-ONLY SECTION ON  
OUR WEB SITE.**

*Donna Hoffman*, Exalted Ruler

## Elk of the Month

MAY 2022

**PAM NAULT**

Since joining our lodge in July 2021, Pam has distinguished herself in many ways. She quickly stepped up to help with lodge events and dinners, set up decorations, and handled various on-site duties. She helps with Bingo and food distributions, is an avid Karaoke singer, and participated in the production of *Guys and Dolls*. Pam represents the best of volunteerism. We appreciate her and congratulate her on being May's Elk of the Month.

### ELKS OF THE MONTH 2022

January	Dale Schmitt
February	Information not available at press time
March	Terry Schlichenmaier
April	Richard Hochreiter
May	Pam Nault

## DAVID DUB-YAH'S JUKEBOX LIVE

(Well, mostly live)

On Friday, I will again be performing dance and listening music for your indulgence and entertainment in the Pub for tips. Friday is halfway between Cinco de Mayo and the Kentucky Derby, so dress accordingly. Join us from about 5:30 to 9 pm to celebrate living; God is good.



Carol will have a taco bar and dinner salad to be served from 5 to 7; I'm sure it will be delicious. If you're not hungry there *IS* plenty of drink available for a

small rental fee.

I now place placards on the tables and the bar that list some of my songs; all the placards are different. I will also have my song books available containing around 1500 titles from country to disco for your perusal so you can pick song selections from your past to hear me sing. If you don't want to pick songs to hear, I am perfectly capable of choosing them for you; I ain't proud. In addition, I have many, many other songs not showing in my songbooks or placards, so if you have something else dear to mind, please ask me.

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 no longer have guest singers to give a reprieve from me, but I do allow members to come up and do a duet with me. Either way, I recommend drinking heavily; I know I will be. I'll have a tip jar available so you can contribute to my poor old sick mother and her 19 cats. Oh, and remember, the more

*David Wiggs*



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## DOES' CORNER

May

Hello to all,

A big thank you to those who have sent in their donations to our bakeless bake sale. There's still time if you wish to participate.

I spent April 17th through the 20th in Panama City for our state meeting and enjoyed seeing our Florida droves.

We will be hosting our President's Tea on May 16 at 1 pm in the Lodge Pub. This tea is hosted by our drove to send the president off to the national convention, which will be June 18 through 23 in Phoenix, Arizona.

Thank you to all our Does for their hard work! You ladies are truly amazing!

Sincerely,

*Kim Casey*

BPO Does Drove #66 2022 President

## Does May Birthdays

Betty Garcia 4

Helga Adams 27

Rosa Torres North 15

Karen Belvin 28

Marta Arango 16

Monica Woolgar



## Monday Morning Boys (MMB)



Things are busy for the Monday Morning Boys. (When do boys who are over 75 become men?)

They tell us age is just a number, but I can tell you that when we started this most of us were approaching 60. Now most of us are approaching 80! And yes, we have a 90 year old (Bill) who out-thinks the younger minds we have

working. We just wish the roof wasn't on top of the building. All of us are advised not to get on the ladder, but what to do?

The guys recently painted the small restrooms and repaired a few areas. Hope you like the changes. The kitchen lighting has now been upgraded to new LED fixtures, as has most of the lodge. The leaves have pretty much been picked up, and now it's time to start the weekly grass cutting.

We still could use you. We don't really care what your capabilities are, just come in some Monday and at least take a break with us. We like new stories and can find a nice job for you.

*Schim*

## May Elks' Birthdays

Harry E. Frain 1	John St Lawrence 20
James Andrew Bott 2	Fred E. Layne 22
Raymond Narushko 3	Carole Amey 24
Stacey Straub Salmons	William Trent Jr 26
Gustave Fricker 4	Steven M. Kern 27
Donald E. Lefever 6	Casmer C. Ziemplak Jr.
Barbara B. Boone 10	Monica E. Woolgar 28
Doris H. Latham	Robert Belden 29
Rachelle M. Salerno 11	John Fennessey
William Rodney Krienke 12	Iris A. Houston
Victor B. Ratliff 15	Ralph W. Bemos 30
Catharine Laughton 16	Robin Hall 31
John P. Monell	Carl D. Motes
Jerry Hogan 17	William D. Richardi
Andrew Mason	Nancy Ridings
Ronnie B. Collins 18	
Norman H. Arnold Sr. 19	
Hector Lopez	



### 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.

Member's Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

Elk or Does Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

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## Antler Boosters

**February 2022**

Pat Davies, In Memory of William Davies

**MAY 7th & 21st**

**Orlando Elk's: 12 N. Primrose**

**9:00am - 2:00pm**

**ADVINTAGE FAIR**

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## Chaplain's Corner

With the permission of Pam Nault, our new Chaplain, I am writing this as my last article for The Chaplain's Corner.

I want to thank all of you who supported me as the Chaplain of the Orlando Elks Lodge 1079 this past year. I want to thank our Exalted Ruler, Donna Hoffman, for trusting me with such an important position within our organization. I am very grateful for your trust and appointment.

Discussing important topics and praying with, and for, us all was an honor and privilege I will never forget. With the coaxing of several of our BOD members, I was nominated for the Five-Year Trustee chair and I accepted the higher challenge. I pray God guides me, and the BOD, to the betterment of our lodge. I know Pam will do an excellent job as Chaplain and I know we all will support her as you supported me.

Thank you all again for the honor and privilege of serving as your Chaplain, and if there is anything I can do to help you as the Five-Year Trustee, please don't hesitate to let me know.

May God Bless Our Vets!!

May God Bless America and may God Bless our Lodge!

***Rob Dewitz***  
Former Chaplain  
Five Year Trustee



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## LODGE OFFICERS – 2021-2022

Exalted Ruler	Donna Hoffman
Esteemed Leading Knight	Larry Lockwood
Esteemed Loyal Knight	Jossie Havens
Esteemed Lecturing Knight	Rigo Rodriguez
Secretary	Rose Mullen
Treasurer	Christina Atkinson
Esquire	Roger Bristol
Chaplain	Pam Nault
Inner Guard	Sarita Schuck
Tiler	Vacant
Trustee (1 Yr)	Jody Richards
Trustee (2 Yr)	Richard Ballerino
Trustee (3 Yr)	Victor Berrios
Trustee (4 Yr)	Carmen Acevedo
Trustee (5 Yr)	Rob Dewitz
Presiding Justice	Carl Motes
Mediator	Steven Michael
Organist	Laverna Layland

### PAST EXALTED RULER ASSOCIATION

President	Mike McClay (President)
	Tony Schialeppa
Vice President	Jody Richards
Secretary	Bill Woolgar
Treasurer	Roger Bristol
	Ralph Bemos, Dale Schmitt

**LODGE ADVISOR:** Jody Richards

### MEMBERSHIP & COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Val Particini (Chairman), Linda Rossel (Webmaster),  
Amy Story, Joe Straub (Antler Editor), Christy Versace

### LODGE ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

(Includes the former Activities, Decorating, and Band committees)  
Diane Callen, Aubie Dingwell, Trudy Harold, Jossie Havens, Cheryl Melvin,  
Pam Nault, Jody Richards, Amy Story

### PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Val Particini

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Don Simon (Chairman), Larry Lockwood, Mike McClay

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Robert Schimmelpennig (Chairman), Richard Hochreiter

### EVENT COORDINATOR

Carmen Rivera

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Dale Schmitt (Chairman), Rigo Rodriguez  
and Terry Schlichenmaier

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Bill and Donna Hoffman

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Nelson Coll, Pat Davies, Lisa Leighty, Mike McClay

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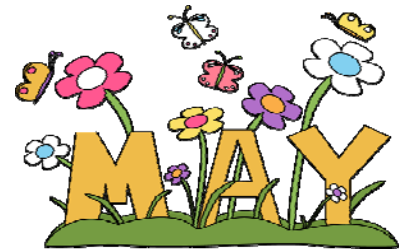
Larry Lockwood (Chairman)

### ENF FUNSRAISING COMMITTEE

Co-chairs: Travis Smith, Christy Versace

BURGERS 'N' MORE TEAM SCHEDULE		
JANUARY THROUGH JUNE 2022		
DATE	TEAM COLOR	TEAM MEMBERS
January		
1/1/22	None	Lodge Closed New Year's Day
01/15/22	Red	Roger Bristol, Don Simons, Bob Doane
February		
02/05/22	White	Jossie Havens, Steve Tedrow, Trudy Harold
02/19/22	Gold	Larry Lockwood, Phil Finlay, Bob Finlay
March		
3/05/22	Purple	Richard Ballerino, Richard Hochreiter,
03/19/22	Blue	Dave & Karen Staub, Jody Richards
April		
04/02/22	Red	Roger Bristol, Don Simons, Bob Doane
04/16/22	White	Jossie Havens, Steve Tedrow, Trudy Harold
May		
05/07/22	Gold	Larry Lockwood, Phil Finlay, Bob Finlay
05/21/22	Purple	Richard Ballerino, Richard Hochreiter,
June		
06/04/22	Blue	Dave & Karen Staub, Jody Richards
06/18/22	Red	Roger Bristol, Don Simons, Bob Doane

All teams are placed on a rotating basis. Team Captains are responsible for obtaining coverage if they have a scheduling conflict. Please contact Larry Lockwood with any questions or concerns. Call 3214366128 FOP93@yahoo.com



### 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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