

The Antlers

October 2024



Message To The Members From Chuck Lassabe, PER Exalted Ruler

Hello Elks 1873

We are now in Fall so the temperature should be cooling off some. Remember our state president Russ has a goal of 3000 new members this year. Please work to increase our membership.

We have the Annex fund raiser going on help if you are able. Check out the outside of our lodge building it has been pressure wash thanks to some of our members thank you for your efforts. This work is all volunteer activities. The kitchen hood and fan have been repaired for just the cost of parts. The board of directors are assembling a list of projects that will improve our lodge more information to come they will be establishing an order on magnitude. The activity committee has been planning several events coming up so stay tuned in.

We need to improve on member attendance at our regular meetings held on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month. These meetings are your chance to vote on what your lodge is doing. We plan every Wednesdays to be game night that can include card, darts, corn hole and so on come and play. We attended the DD clinic last week and received so good information about our district from our DD Jeanie Platt

Keep the 1873 Elk train rolling.
Be safe.



October Birthdays

- 05 Franklin J. Komara
- 07 Thomas David
- 07 Theodor W. Johnson
- 12 Lee Mendez
- 12 Jan Robertson
- 15 Dennis A. Miller
- 21 James E. Miller
- 22 Douglas R. Kinner
- 23 Corinne R. Riley
- 23 Philip Wagoner
- 27 Gerald Sylvester
- 27 Albert L. Weber
- 28 Michael R. St Blanc
- 30 Rufus C. Crotty

Birthday Drink Coupon

*This coupon entitles you to 1 free drink of your choice any dinner night of your birthday month
One Coupon Per Member
Good for June '24*



Thank You for All You Do!



Welcome New Members



**Tony Bartoli, Bengy Grignani,
Beale Opsahi-Ong, Petra Ginorio & Paul Garner
Welcome to the Family**



We are thankful for our Public Safety Officers





October 2024



Lodge Closed on Sundays, Thursdays and Saturdays
Except when noted

Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		01 All Committee Meetings 6pm	02 6PM GAME NIGHT	03	04 FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER	05 Private Event
06 RED TEAM	07 BINGO 6pm	08	09 6PM GAME NIGHT	10	11 FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER	12 Private Event cleaning DAY 9am-1pm
13 BLUE TEAM	14 BINGO 6pm	15 BINGO WITH VETS 2-3PM BOD Mtg. 6pm Lodge Mtg. 7pm \$1 Hot Dogs after mtg.	16 6PM GAME NIGHT	17	18 FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER	19 Private Event
20 GOLD TEAM	21 BINGO 6pm	22	23 6PM GAME NIGHT	24	25 HALLOWEEN PARTY	26
27 PLATINUM TEAM	28 BINGO 6pm	29 Orientation/ Lodge Mtg. 7pm 1 Hot Dogs after mtg.	30 6PM GAME NIGHT	31 Halloween Pumpkin Witch		

Lodge Hours Open Hours
 Bar - 4pm
 Kitchen
 Monday/Tuesdays 5:00pm - 6:30pm
 Wednesday 5pm-7pm
 Friday 5pm-8pm
 Bingo - 6pm
 *Closed during Lodge Meetings

Scheduled events may change after publication. To check on any Lodge fuction, please call 407-847-2444

Halloween Party

Friday, October 25, 2024

5:00 PM

Adults: \$15 🎃 Children Under 10: \$8



**Costume
Contest**

**1st Prize: Two Friday
Night Dinners
and Two Drinks**
**2nd Prize: 24 of
Queen of Hearts
Raffle Tickets**
**3rd Prize: Bingo
Card Pack**

DJ

6:00 – 10:00

Taco Bar

**With beef and
chicken, cheese,
soft and hard
shells, black
beans, salsa
and guacamole**

50/50

Raffles

Tickets are available at the bar.
Come in or call (407) 847-2444 to purchase your tickets.

Kissimmee Elks

Breakfast

Saturday, Nov. 16, 2024

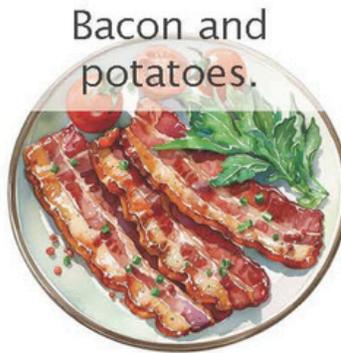
9:00 to 11:00 AM

Join us for an expansive breakfast that has something for everyone.

\$15.00



Waffles with whipped cream, maple syrup and fruit.



Bacon and potatoes.

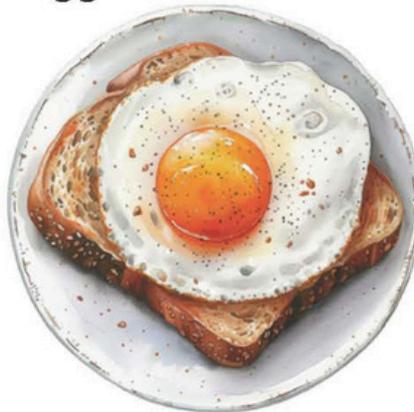
Eggs made to order.



Omlettes made to order. with ham, tomatoes, onion and cheese



Coffee, tea and juice.



Pancakes

Plus \$2.00 Bloody Marys and Mimosas.

Come in or call today for your tickets.

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Did you know you could collect digital pins?

Digital Lodge Pins

Your Pin Collection

Deepen your connection to the Elks by collecting digital lodge pins from around the country. See how many you've collected so far!

Share Your Pin

Share the Digital Lodge Pin for **Kissimmee, FL Lodge No. 1873** with your online friends!

Request a Pin

Build your collection! Any member of the Elks can request a Digital Lodge Pin from any other member of the Elks.org website. Get started today.

Earn a Pin

Some pins can't be given but must be earned! See if you qualify for these special offers.

Grant Pin Requests

Help your friends build their own Digital Lodge Pin collection. Share the pin from **Kissimmee, FL Lodge No. 1873** with members who have submitted a request.

Top 50 Collections

Who has the biggest Digital Lodge Pin Collection in the country? Find out here!

Top 50 Pin Givers

Which of your fellow Elks have given away the most Digital Lodge Pins? Find out!

Digital Pin FAQ

Get answers to all of your Digital Lodge Pin questions!



2023/2024
St. Cloud, MN Lodge No. 2843
Gifted by: [Aaron Heusinkveld](#), 11/24/23



2024/2025
Minneapolis, MN Lodge No. 44
Gifted by: [Wayne Meyer](#), 06/13/24



2023/2024
Saugus-Everett, MA Lodge No. 642
Gifted by: [Stephen Doherty](#), 11/22/23



2024/2025
Caldwell, ID Lodge No. 1448
Gifted by: [Lawrence Hovorka](#), 06/09/24





Support Our Lodge and Look

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Earrings, Friendship Bracelets, Brooches, Necklaces and Greeting Cards are available for purchase from the rack near the dart boards.

All proceeds go to our Lodge.

Annex Repair Fund

Please buy a "hardhat" with any donation under \$100 or a "toolbox" for any donation of \$100 or more. Our goal is \$20,000.00. Please help our Lodge to help serve you.



The 11 O'clock Toast to Our Absent Members

"You have heard the tolling of 11 strokes. This is to impress upon you that with us the hour of 11 has a tender significance. Wherever an Elk may roam, whatever their lot in life may be, when this hour falls upon the dial of night, the great heart of Elkdom swells and throbs. It is the golden hour of recollection, the homecoming of those who wander, the mystic roll call of those who will come no more. Living or dead, an Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken. Morning and noon may pass them by, the light of day sink heedlessly in the West, but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall, the chimes of memory will be pealing forth the friendly message.

ANTLER'S BOOSTER CLUB

MARCH 31, 2025

FRED & FRAN HAMMER (IMO) AMANDA ANDERSON

MAY 31, 2027

LEE HERSHNER (IMO) ELLA FLYNN

JUNE 30 2025

J WAYNE WRIGHTSTONE (IMO) MELVIN CONSTANT

JUNE 30 2024

J WAYNE WRIGHTSTONE (IMO) WAYNE FARMER

JUNE 30 2025

ADDISON & SANDY WALKER (IMO) HEATHER BOCK

AUGUST 31, 2028

JOHN & CAROL HAMILTON (IMO) PAUL & LOUISE DANIELS

AUGUST 31, 2024

BOB & MARIANNE TITHOF (IMO) PHYLLIS JEAN KIRCHNER

OCTOBER 31, 2024

RANDY MUSSER PDDGER (IMO) JESSE AND INA MUSSER

DECEMBER 31, 2025

ADDISON WALKER (IMO) ERIC BOCK

JANUARY 31, 2025

BOB & FRAN BARRY (IMO) WAYNE SORRELL

JANUARY 31, 2025

JIM & JEANNIE PLATT (IMO) MERLE & TOBY MOUNTZ

FEBRUARY 28, 2028

DOT JOHNSTON (IMO) LES JOHNSTON

FEBRUARY 28, 2025

JANE COUTURE (IMO) RENE COUTURE JR



PLEASE CONSIDER USING THIS ANTLER BOOSTER PAGE TO ASSIST OUR LODGE WITH A PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION OR TO EULOGIZE OR MEMORIALIZE SOMEONE NEAR AND DEAR TO YOU. FOR \$20 PER YEAR, YOUR NAME CAN APPEAR HERE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT EXTRA CONTRIBUTION.

PLEASE CONTACT THE LODGE SECRETARY TO MAKE A \$20 ANTLERS BOOSTER DONATION FOR YOURSELF AND/OR ALSO MAKE A DONATION IN MEMORY OF (IMO) A LOVED ONE OR FRIEND.

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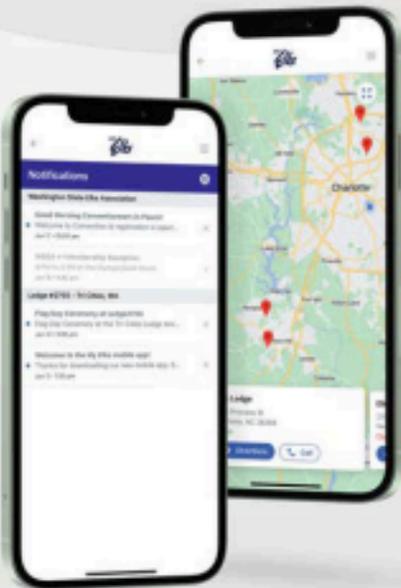
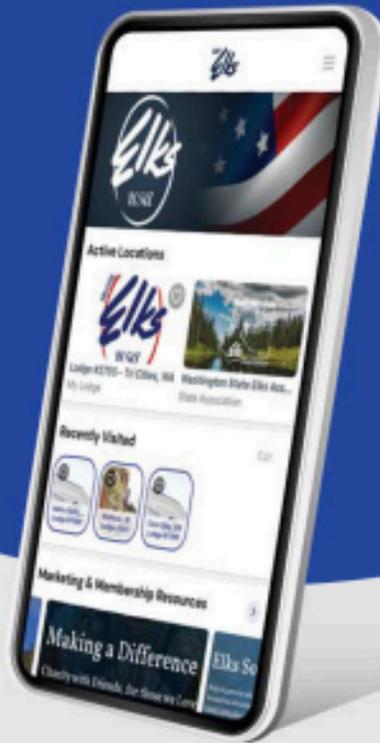


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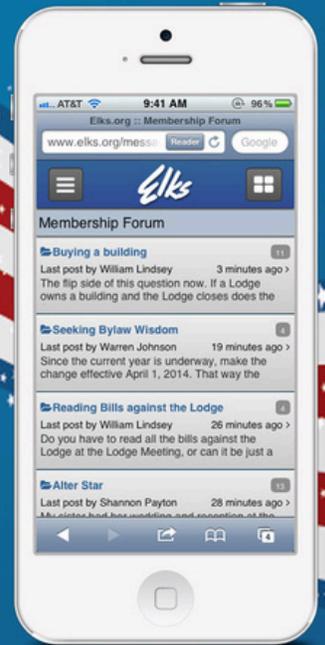


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**2024-2025
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CHAPLAIN	ROBERT HATCHELL
INNER GUARD	STEVE CAMPBELL

**2024-2025
BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

1-YEAR TRUSTEE MARK WASKELIS
 2-YEAR TRUSTEE JANICE KIRSCH
 3-YEAR TRUSTEE JAMES PLATT, PER
 4-YEAR TRUSTEE FRANK HUSBAND
 5-YEAR TRUSTEE BLAKE FREEMAN

LODGE MEETINGS

2ND AND 4TH TUESDAY
 (EXCEPT JULY, AUGUST & DECEMBER)
 OF EACH MONTH @ 7:00PM
 MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED
 TO ATTEND

CONTACT NUMBERS

CHUCK LASABBE	407-709-0789
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STEVE HEBIOR	407-927-9301
JOE WASKELIS	727-560-5482
VIVIAN THERIAULT	407-595-6730
BOB BARRY	407-414-1718

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY HOURS
MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 10AM-2 PM

**PAST EXALTED RULER
ASSOCIATION (PER)**

PRESIDENT	ROBERT BARRY PDDGER
VICE PRESIDENT	ETTA JEAN PLATT, PER
SECRETARY/TREASURER	JAMES PLATT, PER

**2023-2024
TEAMS/LEADS**

KITCHEN	STEVE HEIRBOR
RENTALS	VIVIAN THERIAULT
PUBLIC RELATIONS	LEE MENDEZ
LODGE ADVISOR	ROBERT BARRY PDDGER
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