

BENEVOLENT AND **PROTECTIVE ORDER** OF THE **ELKS** WESTLAKE, OHIO — VOL. 33: NO.1 JANUARY 2022

December reminded me why I'm am proud to be a member of this Lodge. We started the month with Officers honoring fourteen of our absent members who have passed over the last two years at the Memorial service. Thank you, Maria Gregg and Ian Atwood, for the incredible music, Bob D'Amico on the beautiful fruit tray, & Kellie Roth, Ruth Ann Witteman, and Janet Louis for serving the refreshments.

On December 10th Stephanie Kleinhenz and Kellie Roth hosted the Ugly Sweater Christmas Party. Although there were many hideous sweaters, Joe Keinhenz was wearing the ugliest. The next day Kellie Roth ran the Children's Christmas party. The kids enjoyed games, a craft project, delicious food, but what a sight to see the kids' faces when Santa Claus showed up. Thank you, Bob Meeker.

Two days later, many of the Trustees and Officers met with the Board of the Farrell Foundation. This foundation is one of the local non-profit organizations in which the Lodge donates proceeds from the gaming machines. The Farrell Foundation helps individuals and families with dementia and other brain issues through the arts and community outreach. I have had a personal experience with this, and it is nice to know that there is a place for help. To learn more about this organization, please visit their website at https://farrellfoundation.org.

But wait, there is more. A week later was the Christmas cheer basket assembly and delivery. What a great team effort. Thank you, Lakewood Elk members and Emblem Club, for making this happen. We helped 91 families and 167 children this year. Thank you, Christina Weisenberger, for chairing this committee, and thank you, Bob and Kathy Sepulski, for your logistical support.

Another part of the Lodge that has remained busy is the bowling center. Besides the five leagues, we had many rentals this month. Mike Anzalone, Joe Hiros, and Bob Sepulski have done a great job keeping the center running smoothly. Lakewood Lodge was to host the 2nd leg of the Inter-lodge bowling tournament. Due to Covid, this event will have a new date. Once rescheduled, come down to the Lodge and root on our teams as we battle against Elyria and Lorain. As you can see, there is always something happening at the Lodge.

See You at the Lodge

Brian Gartland Exalted Ruler





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TRUSTEES - 2021-2022

Fifth Year	Mike Vasey, PER
Fourth Year	Ken Ermlich, PER
Third Year	Keith Duffy
Second Year	Bryan Kahanca
First Year.	Vacant

GRILL ROOM HOURS

Tuesday – Saturday	3 PM – 9 PM
Sunday	1PM – 6 PM
Monday	5 PM - 9 PM



SPOUSE/WIDOW IDENTIFICATION CARD

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Symptoms of COVID-19:

- fever
- cough
- sore throat
- abdominal pain
- shortness of breath
- loss of smell
- loss of taste

- chills
- headache
- muscle aches
- nausea
- vomiting
- diarrhea
- fatigue

L.I.C. GENERAL MEETING

March 8, 2022 at 7:00 P.M.

All members in good standing are welcome to attend.

Congratulations to Ed Mroczka re-elected Vice- President.

Congratulations to Tim Bub re-elected Secretary.

- L.I.C. Board of Directors -

MONTHLY DRAWING

Saturday, January 8th at 7:00 P.M.

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Spaghetti Dinner January 19th 5:00 - 7:30 pm

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We are always looking for volunteers to help with Spaghetti dinner, so If you are interested please reach out to someone on the Spaghetti Committee. Stephanie Kleinhenz, Rich Sinatra or Dan Scardina.

January, 2022 Applicants

Ruben Santos 3447 West BLVD Cleveland, OH 44111-1203 SPONSOR: LEON PIWINSKI

Kelly Hebb 25889 Yeoman Drive Westlake, OH 44145-4747 SPONSOR: DONALD S. VAJI

Joyce E Moody 25030 Maple Ridge Westlake, OH 44145-4935 SPONSOR: FRANKLIN KILBOURNE

Brent M Vasey 15612 Mina Avenue Cleveland, OH 44135-1346 SPONSOR: MICHAEL VASEY

Matthew McNary 569 Kenilworth Road Bay Village, OH 44140-2476 **SPONSOR: MATT PAYNE** Hello, everyone!

Because you, our Members, are so generous each year in your support of the Elks National Foundation (ENF), we always qualify for the grants that are available for our local projects. Recently because of the covid pandemic, Grand Lodge has allowed us to make donations to our local organizations as well as to actively participate in projects. So, if you have an idea for a charitable project for which we can request grant money, please send me an email at elks1350@yahoo.com as soon as possible so we can apply for grants we can use throughout the summer and the rest of the year. The period for submitting 2022 grant proposals will be opening soon.

The Grand Lodge website, www.elks.org, contains a wealth of information about upcoming events, about grant money available for community service projects with details about what types of projects qualify, and about Elkdom in general. You can also see what lodges around the country are doing in their communities and get ideas of things we can do, as well.

Also, don't forget to check out the Ohio Elks Association website (https://ohioelks. com) for information about things going on right here in Ohio, as well as our Lodge's Facebook page for late-breaking news.

Just a reminder that the new Lodge year begins April 1st. At next month's meeting, February 3rd, we will open up nominations for officers for next lodge year. Serving as an officer can be one of the most important ways to support our Lodge. As a Member, you have a voice and a vote in the activities of our Lodge. As an Officer, you have a very dynamic role in seeing to the welfare and betterment of our Lodge. Please consider offering your talents as a Lodge officer. It's not easy, but it can be rewarding! If you are interested, or would like more information, please contact me at elks1350@yahoo.com, and I will be happy to talk with you or introduce you to someone who can be of service in answering your questions.

As always, please don't forget to let us know about changes in email, phone, or address.

Happy New Year! Maria Gregg, PER Lodge Secretary

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Edward F Evensen
- 1 Marty Wise
- 2 Patrick Cook
- 4 Kelli Murray
- 4 Linda M Simon
- 4 Michael W Zamrzla
- 5 Elizabeth Sheehe
- 6 Christopher J Elias
- 7 Valerie Boone
- 8 Stephanie Kleinhenz
- 8 William Hank Nest, PER
- 9 Steven R Clark
- 10 David W Carpenter
- 10 Robert Knapp
- 10 Daniel W Spencer
- 10 Sean Patrick Twining, PER
- 10 Terry R Zeager
- 11 Arnie Disch
- 11 R Kurt Field
- 11 Michael Starcovic Jr

- 12 William McWilliam
- 12 Jeffrey W Meinke
- 12 Betsy Robertson
- 13 Edward J Lamarche
- 14 Sarah DeGrandis
- 15 John R Dixon
- 16 Glenn Berns
- 16 Robin Geiger
- 16 John P Ruebsteck
- 17 Ryan Matthias
- 17 William B Maxey
- 18 Kenneth D Nehls
- 18 Terrence L Peterson
- 18 Michael T Salopek
- 19 Donald J Dzuban
- 19 Brian J Guercio
- 20 Mathew Payne
- 21 James E Feldner
- 21 John M Gibel
- 22 Elias Domingo Diaz

- 22 Robert M Michael
- 23 Thomas Harriman
- 23 David F Hille
- 23 Judi Klocek
- 23 Lydia Sullivan
- 24 Elizabeth Keaton
- 24 Douglas Weisenberger
- 25 James T Corrigan
- 25 Gary B Eckert
- 26 Cathleen Breninghouse
- 26 Mark Kahanca, PER
- 26 Vicki A Neece
- 28 Chester H Milota
- 28 Julius Skerlan
- 30 Robert G Maxwell
- 31 Lilly Anitas
- 31 Robert F Geiger, PER
- 31 Gregory Navis
- 31 Lenore Sims
- 31 Carl J Wade

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Lakewood Elks Lodge,

Thank you for helping us raise money for our annual Coats for Kids fundraiser. The generosity of your organization will go towards purchasing cozy coats for many students of a near west side school, that otherwise wouldn't have one. Have a safe and wonderful holiday season! Kellie Loth ...

Thanks everyonee! you guys hanks so much for helping with our cause! - his U





Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
26	27	28	29	30 Lodge Meeting 7:30 P.M.	31	1
2	3	4	5	6 Board of Directors Meeting 7:00 P.M.	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Chili Cookoff ${\mbox{\cdot}}$ The Diamond Project ${\mbox{\cdot}}$ Night at the Races

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-RENTALS-

The Hall and Bowling alley are now open for rentals. Just call the Trustees' Office to book your event.