

ELK Tampa 708 SIZE



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110 years Strong

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Office Hours
12 till 5 P.M. Monday thru Friday

Lounge Hours
4:00P.M. till Closing
Note- if Five or less people are present the lodge will close—The House Committee

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendars for these upcoming events!

ELK BUSINESS MEETING	WENDSDAY	OCT	10TH & 24TH
HOUSE COMMITTEE	TUESDAY	OCT	9TH 7:00 PM
BOARD OF DIRECTOR MEETING	THURSDAY	OCT	18TH & 6:00 PM
HOOP / SOCCER SHOOT	SATURDAY	OCT	20TH 10:00A.M.
WCD USO SHOW	SATURDAY	OCT	6TH (SEE JOHN WAYNE)
L.O.E. SOCK HOP	SATURDAY	OCT	6TH
LIVE ENTERTAINMENT AND FULL MENU DINNER EACH FRIDAY NIGHT			
BREAKFAST EVERY SUNDAY AND YOUTH CAR WASH EVERY 3RD SUNDAY			
-and, of course-			

Bingo Every Monday Night 6:30 PM till 10:00 PM

Assistance for any of the events is ALWAYS appreciated.

Contact any committee Chairman or Lodge officer if interested.



Step Up Stand Proud



EXALTED RULER ADDRESS | Tracy Horrell, ER, PLP



Well we pulled off a great Anniversary Party! What a night! A huge Thank you to our servers Melissa, Lauren, Grant, Mandy, Angel, Rachael who volunteered their time to make sure we were all served and taken care of promptly. Your time and energy was greatly appreciated!

In other news we are still working on our goals for membership and those who are delinquent. Please consider bringing a friend, family member, co-worker, or a neighbor to the lodge for one of our events or on a Friday night to enjoy music and dining. Let them see for themselves what a great place we have and hear just some of the great charitable work we do.

Also please call upon those members who you know have not yet paid their dues what a fun time they have been missing! You can also let them know since April 1st Tampa Lodge has been granted 3 ENF Grants. The Gratitude grant for \$2,000 went to help Paws for Patriots. The Freedom grant for \$2,000 is helping Liberty Manor (a shelter for homeless disabled veterans). The Promise grant of \$2,000 we just received will go to help put on a event in November for the children of our community and also give these children supplies such as clothes, shoes, school supplies, dictionaries, etc.

We need members to not only support our lodge but also to support our charities so that we may be successful in our community and be a beacon of hope to all that are in need!

In the upcoming months we will begin our holiday celebrations please look out for emails and future Elksize calendar for these events.

May each and everyone of you be Happy and Healthy! I look forward to seeing you soon at the lodge!

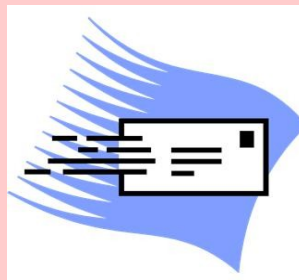
Fraternally,
Tracy Horrell E.R.

Editors' Note:

Pictures throughout this edition were taken almost exclusively from our 110th Anniversary party. If you missed it you missed a GREAT time with the Tampa 708 Elk Family!

***Stay in touch with the Lodge even if
you can't be there!***

*E-mail your questions, comments, and
suggestions to the Office.*



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Secretary708@gmail.com

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Tracy Horrell, ER, PLP

Leading Knight

Pat Boyd

Loyal Knight

Richard Florance

Lecturing Knight

Albert Schnut

Tiler

Robert Summers

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Vacant

Secretary

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Treasurer

Cindy Green

Inner Guard

Tamatha Manley

Chaplain

Vic Thomas, PER

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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Brian Brantley PER

4-Year

Addison Horrell

3-Year

Open

2-Year

Sharon Ford

1-Year

Shelagh Gombarcik

LADIES OF THE ELKS

President

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Sue Moore

Secretary

Bonnie Atwood

Treasurer

Donna Halsey

Parliamentarian

Richard Florance

Chaplain

Susan Hagan

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Addison Horrell

Americanism

Richard Florance

Athena House

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Ben Veneble

Bell Ringers

Pat Fennell

Bingo

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Blood Mobile

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Bulletin (Elksize)

Pat Boyd

Bylaws

Rita Smith

Community Activities

Vic Thomas, PER

Convention

William Edwards, PER, PLP

Drug Awareness

John Wayne, PER and

Tamatha Manley

Elks National Foundation

Richard Florance

Elks Training

Pat Boyd

Entertainment

Robert Summers

Flag Day

Richard Florance

Government Relations

Pat Boyd

Hall Activities

Wendy Hall

Harry Anna Foundation

Pat Boyd

Membership / Lapsation

Pat Boyd

Cindy Green

Committees

Hoop Shoot

John Wane PER and

Addison Horrell

House Committee

Carl Williamson, PER

Indoctrination

Pat Boyd

LOE Liaison

Susie Harlow

Lodge Activities

Addison Horrell

Maintenance

Bobby Green

Memorial Day

Richard Florance

Mother's Day

Tracy Horrell, ER, PLP

Officer Attendance

Tracy Horrell, ER, PLP

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Presiding Justice

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Sickness

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Sports Activities

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Tamatha Manley

Veterans Services

Jan Bertoch

Visitation

Leslie Nikkinen

Website

Marty Quire

Youth Activities

John Wayne, PER



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LOE BIRTHDAYS –

October

Dianne Cuccinello	10/05
Vernon Pickenpaugh	10/07
Richard Florance	10/10
Carrie Ann Leskey	10/11
Bonnie Atwood	10/18
Theresa Matthews, PLP	10/19
Donna Halsey, Treasurer	10/25
Bob Snyder	10/26

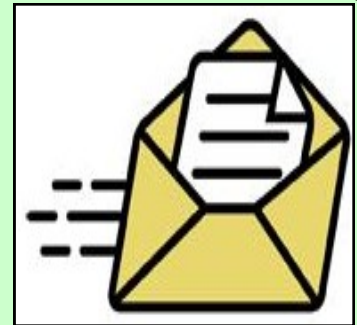
Happy Birthday To All

October
E-MAIL ALERTS!

If you would like to receive
e-mail reminders of Tampa
Elks events and general
announcements, please send
your e-mail

address to the webmaster:

Marty Quire | mquire@tampabay.rr.com



"365" Report

Vera Almstedt '365' Chairperson

I am happy to say we made our \$1000.00 donation to The Children's Therapy Services. Each week 344 children receive therapy. A total of 6260 have been treated this past year. Thanks to everyone who donated. Thanks to Hailey Matthews, Sandy Brantley, Tracy Horrell, members and guests at the bar and tables.

LOE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Susie Harlow LOE President

GREETINGS TO ALL:



I hope everyone is ready because we officially start the holiday season. We have Halloween this month so you better watch out for little goblins. November will bring Thanksgiving and I am always ready for a turkey (I mean dinner of course). December will bring us Christmas and New Years Eve. It is never too soon to plan so

don't blame me if you are not prepared.

October also brings us the FIRST ANNUAL SOCK HOP. We hope to have a great success with this one. The LOE is planning some fun competition and prizes. You do not want to miss this. It is only \$12 and \$5 for children. See you there. In November we will also have our Annual Yard Sale, so start cleaning your closets now.

I would like to thank Brian Brantley for going to the store to pick up the cart Flo and John Wayne donated. He also put it together for us. I guess he saw me with tools and did not want to chance it.

We brought in a new member last month. She is the daughter of Bill and Sue Mason. She is also an Elk and you have seen her running around the lodge laughing and having a great time. She and her mother bring sunshine into the lodge when they are there. I am talking about Sarah Ferguson. Well, to my surprise she was elected as our new Secretary. Boy was I shocked. Thanks Sarah and thanks to Bonnie Atwood who could not continue due to health problems.



I want to give a BIG THANKS to the lady who is proving herself to be quite a salesper-

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OFFICER OF THE MONTH

Robert Summers

He is always here to support our Friday Night dinners, he's just a all around nice guy! He brings not only his enthusiasm to our lodge but also a great group of friends many of which who have joined.

He is ready to step up to any task asked of him. He was a huge help with the 110th Anniversary Party and he is a great at getting our Friday night entertainment. Please congratulate him the next time you see him in the lodge! Thanks Robert for all you do!

ELK OF THE MONTH

Lesley Nikkinen

Always creative, always ready to plan a event. In the last few months she has stepped up to help organize and plan the State Convention, Horse Race, and the 110th Anniversary Party. These events were all very successful due to her hard work and dedication to the lodge. Please let her know how much she is appreciated and a job well done! And I can't wait to see what she has planned next!

FaceBook Information

To POST an event Contact:

Mark McDonough at

813-410-4763 or via email:

mark@ioholistics.com

for instructions or comments!!!

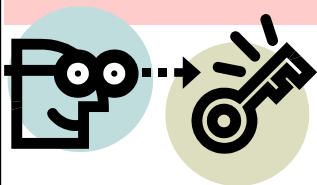
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son. I am talking about FLO WAYNE,PLP. Flo has been such an asset this year for me and the LOE. She has installed new officers and sold tickets on everything we had available, so don't run when you see her coming because she will CATCH you.

If she doesn't get you Sue, Donna and I am right behind her. Please help support the LOE anyway you can.

Thanks.

In Your Service



Understanding Elkdome includes the Statutes and Bylaws.
Participate in **Elks Training** and **EARN** a certificate
"Suitable for Framing!" **Begins in October!**

ER Note:

I wish to Thank the 110th Anniversary Committee and Kitchen Crew for all of their hard work, time, and energy they put into making the party so successful!

Mike Manley, Bobby Green, Bill Edwards, Lesley Nikkinen, Pat and Beth Boyd, Wendy, Sandra, Paul, Melissa, Sandy Mayo, Jackie, Peggi, Debbie, Frank, Richard, Shelagh, Cindy, Tommy and Sue Moore, Robert Summers, Marty Quire, Vic Thomas, Kim Van Walker and Vera Wright. If I missed anyone who helped please let me know. Again a job well done!



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Mission of the Partners In Progress

To increase the financial strength of Tampa Elks Lodge #708, ensuring that our Lodge will be around for another 100 years. We will accomplish this by rebuilding our capital through investments made by Lodge Partners who are determined to secure Tampa Elks Lodge #708's long term future. Interest earned on the investments will remain in the investment account and help to increase the overall financial strength of our Lodge.

GOLD INVESTORS \$51 - \$99

PLATINUM INVESTORS - \$100

SILVER INVESTORS \$21 - \$50

BRONZE INVESTORS \$10-\$20

- Fennell, Pat & Marilyn 6/2013
- In Memory of Fennell, Jerrye and Patrick 6/2013
- Florance, Dick 7/2012
- In Memory of Richard A Palmer 8/2012
- Palladini, PSP, Frank & Ebba Jean 6/2015
- Pickenpaugh Vernon and Betty FLOE PSP 10/2012
- Snyder, Robert & Lisa 5/2013



Be an Elksize Booster!

Just \$10.00 per year helps offset the cost of printing/mailling the Elk-size. The following members give!

- Boyd, Pat 05/2013
- Dayes, PDDGER, Dick & Eleanore 9/2012
- Fennell, Pat & Marilyn 6/2013
- In Memory of Charlie Fiveash 5/2015
- In Memory of Harold Siddens, Linda & Richard 3/2018
- Pickenpaugh, Vernon and Betty 05/2013
- Vera Wright 2013



Our Newest Candidates
Let's give them a Warm ELK Welcome

Applicant

Sponsor

- Jim Courier
- Marcy Courier
- Deborah Dickerson
- John Brennan
- Pam Ahlf
- Edward Louis Ahlf
- Nelson Gramh

- Bill Deen
- Bill Deen
- Craig Newberg
- Donna S Cuesto
- Wendy Hall
- Wendy Hall
- John Wayne

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From Florida State Elks Association**Midyear Convention 2012****November 7-10, 2012****Crowne Plaza Fort Meyers**

It is now time to make your plans to attend the Midyear Convention of the Florida State Elks Association! This year, in recognition of the 100 year anniversary of Fort Meyers Elks Lodge #1288, the convention is being held at the Crowne Plaza Fort Meyers at Bell Tower Shops located at 13051 Bell Tower Drive, Fort Meyers, Florida 33907. The convention runs from Thursday, November 8 through November 10.

Everyone attending the convention, including spouses, guests, FLOE delegates, etc. is asked to pre-register online at www.floridaelks.org where you will also find the convention agenda and hotel reservation links.

November is Elks Veterans Remembrance Month

"So long as there are veterans, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them."

These are more than just idle words to Elks because veterans' remembrance is a daily proposition for our Order. We have never, and never will, forget the sacrifices these heroes made so that we may be free.

Elks Coming Together In Defense of the Nation

In times of war and international conflict, the Elks have made considerable contributions to the nation's armed forces. The Elks consider its work done to aid in the defense of the nation as one of its proudest and most lasting achievements. That Elks hold veterans and active military in high esteem is evident by their actions.

World War I

In 1917 the world was at war. Through the Elks patriotism and generosity, \$2 million was raised to assist U.S. soldiers. The Elks organized and equipped the first two base hospitals in France, and to accommodate the maimed and wounded, built a 700 bed Reconstruction Hospital and gave it to the War Department in 1918. This hospital was the forerunner of today's VA Medical Centers.

Following the war's end, the Elks made 40,000 rehabilitation, vocational, and educational loans to disabled veterans who were ineligible for government help or who were waiting approval of their applications. This service was so effective that the government followed the Elks' example and established a revolving fund that was the precursor of the G.I. Bill.

More than 70,000 Elks served in the armed forces during World War I. More than 1,000 made the supreme sacrifice.

World War II

In 1940, it was becoming quite apparent that war was quickly approaching our shores. Right after the attack on Pearl Harbor, the Grand Lodge sent a telegram to President Roosevelt placing the Order of Elks at the nation's disposal.

The Elks War Commission was formed in 1942 with an initial war chest of \$35,000. The United States Army asked the War Commission to help recruit 45,000 young men for the ground crews of the Army Air Corps. The Commission, with the help of the local lodges, recruited 97,000 men. By the time hostilities ceased, the Grand Lodge had spent more than \$1.5 million and local lodges spent hundreds of thousands of dollars providing assistance to our men and women in uniform.

When thousands of wounded and disabled members of the Armed Forces were returned to the States for recuperation at government hospitals, the Elks again stepped forward offering their services. It was through this work with hospitalized veterans that today's pledge had its genesis: "So long as there are veterans, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them." For returning servicemen still stationed far from home, the Elks sponsored 155 Elks fraternal centers across the country, where GIs were invited to relax, socialize, and enjoy the hospitality of the Elks. For those serving overseas, the Elks prepared and sent care packages containing candy, personal grooming supplies, and other comforting items.

Korea and Vietnam

When war broke out in Korea in 1950, the Elks responded by sending gift packs to those serving their country as they had done in World War II. In 1951, the Secretary of Defense appealed to the Elks for help in procuring blood for the wounded. Within a few months, Elks lodges obtained more than half a million pints.

During the Vietnam War, the Defense Department was concerned with the morale of our 400,000 troops because of the anti-American sentiments being reported on the home front. The Elks answered the call and flooded our troops with let-

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ters expressing our gratitude for the sacrifices they were making for our country.

When the Elks National Service Commission learned that wounded veterans from Vietnam were sweltering in Tripler Army Medical Center that lacked air conditioning, they provided air conditioning units so that these military personnel might recover in relative comfort.

Operation Desert Storm and Beyond

As in previous conflicts, the Elks stood ready to aid men and women of the U.S. Armed Forces when the Gulf War commenced. Once again, the Elks mounted a letter writing campaign to thank our troops for their dedicated service, and gift packs were provided as they had been in the past. At the close of the Gulf War, many Elks lodges made arrangements to host ceremonies honoring our returning military from the conflict in the Middle East, making the Elks one of the first organizations to formally welcome them home.

During the 2003 war with Iraq, the Elks once again stepped forward. In addition to helping families of deceased and disabled military, Our Army of Hope assisted families suffering financial distress caused by their primary Military Reserve and National Guard breadwinner being deployed to active duty

State Ritual Clinic

From Robert W. "Bob" Erwin, Chairman, State Ritual Clinic

The first 2012 State Ritual Clinic will be held Saturday and Sunday, October 6-7, 2012, at the Winter Garden Lodge #2165. This event is open to all Elks, especially those desiring to certify or recertify their Performance/Word or Computer judging qualification. Also, those officers and members wishing to improve or clarify opening/closing and initiation procedures are highly encouraged to attend.

For those planning to attend the following information is provided:


Location: Winter Garden Lodge #2165, 700 S. 9th St., Winter Garden, FL 34787, (407) 656-6449. The clinic will begin at 10 AM Saturday and 9 AM Sunday. The Word Judge Certification Test will be administered at the end of the Saturday session and the Performance Judge Certifications test will be on Sunday morning.

Area hotels:

- Red Roof Inn – Orlando West, 11241 W. Colonial Dr., Ocoee, FL, 34761, (407) 287-5380, (\$49 and up).
- Courtyard by Marriott – Orlando/Ocoee, 10971 W. Colonial Dr., Ocoee, FL, 34761, (407) 287-5351, (\$99 and up)
- Sable Hotel – Orlando West, 10945 W. Colonial Dr., Ocoee, FL 3467, (407) 656-5050, (\$79 and up)

Both the current and Grand Lodge approved shortened versions of opening/closing and the initiatory rituals will be reviewed.




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Members and guests in order to serve your needs better we ask that you please fill in this card and leave it with the cashier.

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3. Is there anything you would like added to the menu?
4. How was your service staff? good fair poor
5. Did you like your cocktails? good fair poor
6. Did you enjoy the entertainment? good fair poor
6. Tell us about our overall experience..... *very enjoyable*

and *great company*

Members Name: *Suzanne Widdoes*.....Member #



Jam Night

First and Third Tuesday of each Month.

Play along, sing along and enjoy a night of musical interludes.

Fun Times Await you!



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SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH

(Details to Follow)

M*A*S*H* 708

FOOD, FUN, LIVE MUSIC

Come dressed as your favorite M*A*S*H* character, Radar, Father Mulcahy, Colonel Blake, Colonel Potter, Hotlips, Hawkeye, Klinger, etc.. wear scrubs, white lab coats or just your favorite robe.

All proceeds are going to Army of Hope

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the U.S.A. announced in February 2003, a plan to assist families who have had a father or mother called to active duty with the military reserve or National Guard. An Army of Hope, comprised of carpenters, electricians, mechanics, plumbers, attorneys, doctors, accountants, teachers, and professional people and tradesmen of every type, has been mobilized by the Order of Elks. These volunteers will be at the ready to help families of those patriots called to serve our nation. In 2,100 Elks Lodges across America 1,100,000 members are poised to make minor repairs and provide professional services to keep homes functioning until loved ones return. For more than 135 years the Elks have been aiding their communities and making America a better place to live. They continue this mission of service one patriot's home at a time.

For further information or to volunteer, please call Lesley Nikkinen at (813) 629-2256

Visit the web for more up to date information and events for Elks!

Grand Lodge

www.elks.org

Florida State Elks Association

www.floridaelks.org

Florida State Elks Online
Community Forum

www.talkoftheelks.org

Tampa Elks Lodge #708

<http://tampaelks.com>

Tampa Elks Facebook | <http://www.facebook.com/#!/ElksLodge708>

Editors Note: Social Networking via Twitter is coming soon. Training will be available. Keep your ears open for the "Tweets!"



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Bartender News**"Peggi"****"Debbie"**

Okay, it is October. It's time for cooler temperatures, Halloween and hot sports. Football season is in full swing and the TAILGATE PARTIES are going strong. Come support OUR lodge and OUR Bucs every Sunday. Drink Specials will be available. Also, we will be tailgating on October 25th (Thursday night game v. the Vikings). Game starts at 8:00 p.m. – food at 7:00 p.m. Don't forget the specials!! YOUR LODGE is also featuring :

COLLEGE FOOTBALL on Saturdays.

Come in for great beer and drink specials, and 3 WIDE SCREEN TVs playing all the college and pro games. Also keep in mind that YOUR LODGE is offering the following every night of the week:

Monday, Ladies Night (2-4-1 wells and house wine)

Tequila Tuesdays (Margaritas)

Wild Wednesdays (Southern Comfort and Well Gin \$2.00)

Thirsty Thursdays (Creations by Peggi)

Friendly Fridays – Live Music and Full Kitchen Menu

Social Saturdays (Beer/Drink Specials – College Football)

Sports Sundays (Bucs – Tailgates – Beer Specials)

Come on down and join in the fun! Debbie and Peggi look forward to making every night special at your Lodge! NOTE: Ty, has accepted a position in Orlando. We will miss him on Monday nights!

**Americanism****Dick Florance Americanism Chairman****THE PASSAGE OF AMERICA'S LEGACIES****Richard Florance Americanism Chairman**

From the time that Christopher Columbus came to and "discovered the America's in 1492"; until October 10th, 2012 - Columbus's birthday - he will eternally be a part of America's history. His legacy to us was "finding and founding" of a new World for us upon our "mother earth." A legacy is a "special gift" that comes in many ways and forms, but we Americans must ALWAYS remember and understand that legacies come to us with the passage of Time and become the Successes and/or Failures for our future generations to bear. In America's early times as a nation we were blessed by our founding father's "gifts" of the Declaration of Independence; The Constitution; and The Articles of Confederation.

On a lower plane; but still on a very necessary and "special level of understanding" comes our family's legacies - meaning what "special gifts" did you as an American receive from your parents; your grandparents; or you relatives from past generations? Was your family's legacy to you and your immediate family a home passed down to you; or a sum of money; or money for a college education; or maybe even a famous name? All of these and many other ways and means are all special legacies to be cherished!

In this 235th year as America, and our 145th year of American Elks - our lives have very drastically

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Tampa Elks Dining Club Candy Hodgson

The Elks Dining Club will take a hiatus for the remainder of 2012, as we enjoy (and contribute to) Peggi's Lounge Tailgates. We will take up where we left off after the New Year with new themes and new trivia.

Bon Appétit!



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COME ON DOWN !! TUESDAYS FROM 6:30 TO 7:30 TO LEARN
BASIC SALSA AND BACHATA
COME AND HAVE FUN AND GET SOME CARDIO GOING!!!

- Reduce stress
- Give you energy
- Strengthen your body
- Improve muscle tone and coordination
- Reduce the risk of heart disease
- Lower blood pressure
- Help to control your weight
- Strengthen leg and hip bones



Hoop Shoot Soccer Shoot South Tamp Recreation Center B.P.O.E. 708 Elks



10:00 A.M. till All Children have competed



All Children ages 9 through 13 years of age
Support out Youth
They are the future of ELKDOM!
See: John Wayne or Addison Horrell for more
information!



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Business Card.....\$80

1/4 Page.....\$120

1/2 Page.....\$240

Full Page.....\$480



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6. Did you enjoy the entertainment? (good) fair poor
6. Tell us about our overall experience.....

Members Name *Anthony M. McCarone*.....Member #

ELKSIZE NOTICE

Articles due by the 15th of each month!

Questions? Comments?

Pat Boyd

Elksize Editor

fpboyd@futurestreamsinc.com

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On Tuesday, Sept 18th Our Brother Elk member Howard James was honored on the Honor Flight for WWII Veterans to Washington DC.



Paws For Patriots Visitation



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RELIVE THE 50'S & 60'S
 WITH THE LOE AT TAMPA ELKS #708
 3616 GANDY BLVD. TAMPA, FL 33611
 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2012 6:00 TO 11:00PM

JITTERBUG, TWIST, HULA HOOP,
 & BUBBLE GUM BLOWING CONTEST
 BEST 50'S/60'S ATTIRE

TICKETS \$12.00
 INCLUDES:
 HAMBURGER OR
 HOT DOG BASKET
 SERVED 7:00PM TO 8:00PM



50/50
 CASH BAR

FOR INFO & TICKETS CALL:
 SUSIE 813-206-1762
 SUE 813-831-1017
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50'S & 60'S MUSIC
 BY DJ
 "BILL JOHNSON"

"BE THERE OR BE SQUARE"

LOE ANNUAL YARDSALE
 NOVEMBER 10th
 8AM-2PM

Please start cleaning your closets to get ready for the LOE yard sale. We will accept

Kitchen Crew

Albert, Lynn, Mike and Shelagh

Members thank you for your support on Friday Nights during the month of September. We need to know what you would like to see on the Menu so please fill in the comment cards or speak to a member of the Kitchen Crew. We will change up the menu for October and we will be emailing it out weekly so you know what we are going to serve. Members please remember that we are also open on Sunday Mornings for the best breakfast deal in town and on Monday Night for Burgers and melts, if you haven't tried our Patty Melts, you don't know what your missing. We need your support as well on Sunday breakfast and Monday bingo, if we cannot get the support to keep the kitchen open, we will have to look at an alternative. We welcome any members that would like to join this hard working committee; if you like to cook, we would like to have you once a month, think about it.

We cannot do this without you, so we look forward to seeing you more often!!!

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evolved and changed. However one constant has never been altered! Our American families; whatever their makeup; still come first in our hearts and minds. Now comes the inevitable question we all must ask ourselves? What will MY legacy be and will it be something that will be of a benefit to "my family"; "my church"; "my community"; or perhaps in some "special way" be connected to my membership in the Elks"? Only you will know and be able to act to put "your own life" in order! Keep in mind and in your heart that the only charitable organization that exists -- and whispers softly yet persistently in your ear as you prepare your personal legacy -- the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks -- continues to beckon to you with its call! For ultimately Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love, and Fidelity says it all! Why? Because Elks Care and Elks Share.



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October 2012 Calendar of Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
23 Full Menu Breakfast-- 8:30-- 12:00 am	24 BINGO Earlybird 6pm & Reg 7pm Grill Open	25 6:30pm - 7:30pm Salsa Dance Class	26 Lodge Meeting - 7:30	27 7:00pm - 9:00pm Initiation	28 Veteran's at Lodge Dinner	29
30 Full Menu Breakfast-- 8:30-- 12:00 am	1 Oct	2 6:30pm Salsa Dance Lessons 7:00pm Jam Session 7:30pm - 9:00pm LOE Executive Board Meeting	3 LOE Meeting 7:30 pm 6:30pm Lodge Officers Meeting	4	5 7:00pm - 11:00pm Live Music (Band)	6 6:00pm - 11:00pm LOE Sock Hop
7 Full Menu Breakfast-- 8:30-- 12:00 am	8 colombus Day	9 6:30pm Salsa Dance Lessons 7:00pm - 8:00pm House Committee Meeting	10 7:30pm Lodge Meeting	11	12	13
14 Full Menu Breakfast-- 8:30-- 12:00 am	15	16	17	18	19	20 Hoop/Soccer Shoot
21 Full Menu Breakfast-- 8:30-- 12:00 am Supper Club	22 BINGO Earlybird 6pm & Reg 7pm Grill Open	23 6:30pm Salsa Dance Lessons 7:00pm Jam Session	24 Lodge Meeting - 7:30	25 7:00pm - 9:00pm Board of Directors Meeting	26 Veteran's at Lodge Dinner 7:00pm - 11:00pm Live Music (Band)	27 LOE Halloween Party - Adult
28 Full Menu Breakfast-- 8:30-- 12:00 am	29 BINGO Earlybird 6pm & Reg 7pm Grill Open	30 6:30pm Salsa Dance Lessons	31 Halloween	1 Nov	2	3 6:00pm - 11:00pm Harry Anna Talent Show at St. Pete Lodge



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