



## **LODGE OFFICERS:**

**EXALTED RULER** - Wendy Hall  
**LEADING KNIGHT** - Tracy Horrell, PER  
**LOYAL KNIGHT** - Edie Hanley  
**LECTURING KNIGHT** - Kim Van Walker  
**SECRETARY** - Rick Schneider, PER  
**TREASURER** - Crystal Johnson  
**ESQUIRE** - Debbie Brennan  
**INNER GUARD** - Dee Cisneros, PER  
**TILER** - Kim Benzing  
**CHAPLAIN** – April Holtzman  
**1 YEAR TRUSTEE** - Tommy Moore  
**2 YEAR TRUSTEE** - Tristan Reiber  
**3 YEAR TRUSTEE** - Norman Benzing  
**4 YEAR TRUSTEE** - Paul DeLand, PER  
**5 YEAR TRUSTEE** - Laura Jones

## **House Committee Chair**

Jacque LoCicero, PLP

## **House Committee Members:**

Daniel Armentrout, Dave Ripogle, Debbie Brennan,  
Jason Brown, Paul DeLand PER, Suzanne Moore

## **BAR MANAGER**

Paul DeLand, PER

## **KITCHEN MANAGER**

To Be Determined

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georgiahilficker@gmail.com

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Friday 4:00pm - 12:00am  
Saturday 4:00pm - 11:00pm  
Sunday 4:00am - 9:00pm  
"Open Early for Bucs Games"

## **Lodge Secretary email:**

tampa708secretary@outlook.com

## **A Message From your Exalted Ruler, Wendy Hall**



Wow! What a month!

Late in May we opened our most successful hospitality suite at the State Convention in Orlando. The suite produced an income of nearly \$2,800 and was, as usual, sought out for visit by most convention attendees.

The Memorial Day wreath ceremony at Post 5, was attended by myself with Past State President Frank Palladini and Past Exalted Ruler Paul DeLand. This very moving ceremony was attended by several hundred people.

Our annual Flag Day ceremony was held Sunday, June 18th, with Tampa Lodge Officers joined by Cub Pack #1381 and St. Pete Challenger Little League as flag bearers. The Flag history was presented by Paul DeLand, PER and the Response was delivered by Shelagh Gombarcik, PER.

Summer is here and our Vice President's visits are underway. The 1st visit was for the Largo and Seminole Lodges and held at Largo. Upcoming July 23rd is New Port Richey and Tarpon Springs at the New Port Richey Lodge. The Tampa Lodge VP Visit will be for Tampa and Dunedin/Clearwater Lodges and will be held at here in our Tampa Lodge on August 13th. Check the Lodge bulletin board to volunteer for the Tampa visit. We need help insuring a great visit. Next VP Visit will be held on Sept. 9th and is for the Holiday Isles and St. Pete Lodges which will be the homecoming visit for WCD VP Rhonda Smith. Theme for all the visits will be "Cruising" and meals will be \$5. In addition attendees are asked to bring along a donated canned good. Visits begin with cocktails at 3, program at 4 and meal to follow.

Other events ahead include "Day at The Rays!" August 27th, the State President's Visit September 15-17 and the FLOE Conference September 22-24th. Enjoy our cool lounge through the long hot Summer. Watch the Lodge website and this newsletter for special events and activities. Stay involved and enjoy your Lodge!

I'll see you at the Lodge!



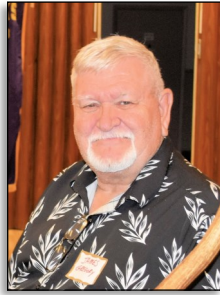
# Welcome Our Newest Elk Members



**David Franklin**  
Sponsor  
Dee Cisneros, PER



**Diane Kelly**  
Sponsor  
Rick Schneider, PER



**James Gregory**  
Sponsor  
Jack Johnson



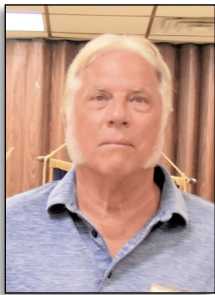
**Kristin Downer**  
Sponsor  
Kim Van Walker



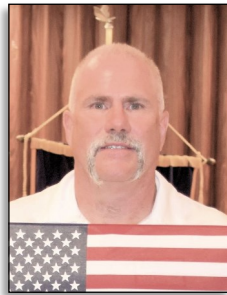
**Nancy Reilly**  
Sponsor  
Kim Boussy



**Rea Ann Boyle**  
Sponsor  
Teil Allen



**Robert Harkulich**  
Sponsor  
Dee Cisneros, PER



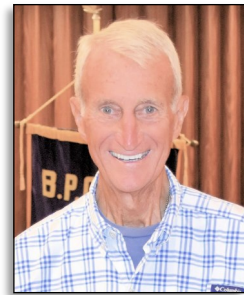
**Stephen Czerwonka**  
Sponsor  
Rick Schneider, PER



**Suzanne Timmerman**  
Sponsor  
Rick Schneider, PER



**Tomas Boyle**  
Sponsor  
Tristan Reiber



**Wayne Timmerman**  
Sponsor  
Rick Schneider, PER

## July Elk Recognitions

### ELK OF THE MONTH...

Patty and Mike Volpe share this month's Elk of The Month award. Their combined efforts were huge in making this one of the most successful State Conventions ever for Tampa Lodge. Their work picking up the truck, loading it and then overseeing its unloading at the convention was followed by numerous hours in the hospitality room selling and bartending. Then they reversed the track getting all the material back to town and returning the truck. Congratulate them on a job well done.



### OFFICER OF THE MONTH...KIM VAN WALKER...

Kim Van Walker is this month's Officer of The Month. Elected this year as Lecturing Knight she has been there for almost every event and activity since April 1<sup>st</sup>, and is always there to help. Of course one cannot say Kim's name without thinking of the hundreds of pics she takes of every event at the Lodge, and for events in the West Central District. Say thanks to her next time at the Lodge.



# Supporting Reports



## Ladies of the Elks:

If it's July, you know it's Low Country Boil time! On Friday, July 14 th , the LOE is having their annual Low Country Boil. This is always a popular dinner for the Ladies. Chris Pierce will be in the house wooing us with his tunes. Tickets are \$30 per person and are on sale July 1 st . See your bartender or any LOE board member.

Notice anything different about the Ladies Childrens Therapy Services Bank? Yep, we have new ones, thanks to a generous donation from Tracy Horrell, PER, PLP. Now you can drop in your change or dollars into our new banks. All funds received to go Childrens Therapy Services. What is up next with the Ladies? We are working on our annual LOE Christmas Bazaar and our Gasprilla pop up shops.

Once again, I'd like to thank those who support the Ladies. Our group may be small in numbers, but we are mighty in our mission to support our lodge and our charities. See you are the lodge. Jacquie LoCicero, PLP

**Executive Board**

**Jacquie LoCicero, PLP- President**  
**Shelagh Gombarcik, PER,PLP- Vice President**  
**April Holtzman - Secretary**  
**Laura Jones - Treasurer**  
**Suzanne Moore, PLP - Chaplain**  
**Tracy Horrell, PER, PLP - Parliamentarian**

## JULY Birthdays

Candi Suhrheinrich 7/8, Jacqueline Appel 7/15, Wendy Hall 7/24, Elma Kelly 7/25, Edie Hanley 7/30

# Grant Reports

## GRANT PROJECT MANAGER NEEDED



The Elk's Benevolent and Charitable Trust – The Elk's National Foundation, wants to send us \$2000 to help Shine a Spotlight on a need in our community. There are a lot of choices, and they all have parameters, but I think this year we should throw a community baby shower with a literacy element. I am looking for somebody who can find as a partner a local social program that helps newborns; one that will share some contacts or send us some referrals. We would then throw a shower to help the new parent(s) out with basic supplies and books.

Early fall would be an ideal time to hold this community baby shower, so getting partners and ideas together now would give us the ability to apply for the grant and make our plans. I will assist the project manager by explaining the rules and writing the grant, All Elks will be invited to contribute to the infant basics and books collection. *Can you step up to chair the committee to throw this party?* If this appeals to you, text me at 813-431-3020 and let's arrange to have a drink and a chat. Some baby love could be in your future!

Rita Smith. PER

## Past Events and Festivities

# 2023 LOE WALKATHON

As we gathered at Ballast Point Park, the sun was shining and there was a gentle breeze coming off the bay. Little did we know what was to come.

Our walk started out easy, a slow leisurely walk. We chatted, we learned about the history of the area (thank you Shelagh) and we enjoyed the beautiful scenery and quiriness of Ballast Point. Midway through our walk, the sky opened, and the rain came down. Did that stop our little group, OH HECK NO! We bravely continued, ignoring the possibility of frizzy hair, soggy shoes, and lightning. There may have been a pitstop at an estate sale, solely to get out of the downpour. But in the end, the Ladies, once again, had a successful walk a thon.

Thank you Shelagh Gombarcik and April Holtzman for keeping me company as we forged our way through the rain. I could not have asked for better friends to get drenched with. During our walk, we thought of all our sponsors and your generous contributions. Our Walk a thon would not happen without you.



## ANOTHER SUCESSFUL LOE NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

Hot dogs, popcorn, football, awesome cocktails (courtesy of our bartender, Dee) and great friends. The Ladies had another successful Movie Night at the Lodge to benefit Childrens Therapy Services. In the huddle to help the team win this movie night was Shelagh Gombarcik, Sue Moore, and Tracy Horrell.

Thank you, Ladies, it would not have happened without you. Also, a BIG Thank You to all who came out on a rainy Wednesday night to watch 80 for Brady. We have enjoyed hosting Movie Night at the Lodge.

If you have any suggestions for our next movie night. Let the Ladies know, we will make it happen.

Jacquie LoCicero, PLP

President, Ladies of the Elk

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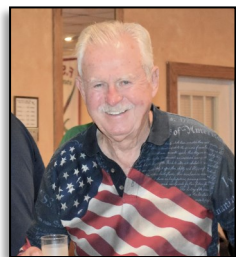
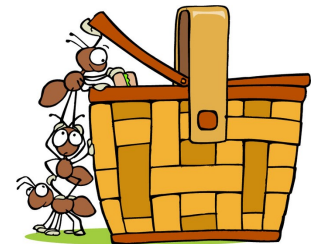


## FLAG DAY CEREMONY AT 708

Sunday, June 18th Tampa Elks Lodge joined the many Lodges of Florida and the United States as we all celebrated Flag Day 2023. The Ritual of Flag Day was given by Tampa Lodge Officers and Exalted Ruler Wendy Hall. Presentation of the 7 flags our nation has flown was by Cub Pack 1381 and The St. Petersburg Challenger League players. Reading the story of our flag's history was by Paul DeLand, PER and the Response was by Shelagh Gombarcik, PER. Norman Benzing did a fine job as chairman of the event and organized the flags and the procession while assuring things ran smoothly. Following the ceremony the Lodge celebrated Father's Day with a lunch presented by the Ladies of The Elks (LOE).

## Father's Day Picnic

This year's Father's Day Picnic was a roaring success with wonderful food, a generous crowd and lots of fellowship. The LOE sponsored the event and hosted not only our resident father's but the boy scout group that performed at the Flag Day ceremony. A big thank you goes out to Kathryn Hall for the baked beans, Tracy Horrell, PER, for the fruit, Suzanne Moore, PLP, for the potato salad, Edie Hanley & Crystal Johnson for the dinner rolls and Shelagh Gombarck for all her help in preparing and serving. Jacquie LoCicero, LP



## Memorial Day 2023

Following a long tradition Tampa Elks Lodge #708 was well represented at the city-wide celebration of Memorial Day held at American Legion Post 5. Representing the Lodge were (left to right in the picture at right) Paul DeLand, PER; Wendy Hall Exalted Ruler; and, Frank Palladini, Past State President and Past Grand Lodge Officer. The Lodge wreath was placed at a grave in the private Legion Cemetery.



# Upcoming Events and Projects



## Florida Elks State Convention

Florida State Elks Convention 2023, the most profitable for Tampa Lodge #708 for several years. ER Wendy Hall reported a profit of \$2,777 after all expenses were taken. She said the accomplishment was possible only because of the nearly 30 Lodge Members and volunteers who helped. That help was at the Lodge and at Convention including baskets, hats and other items, loading and unloading the truck at both the Lodge and the Convention, and long

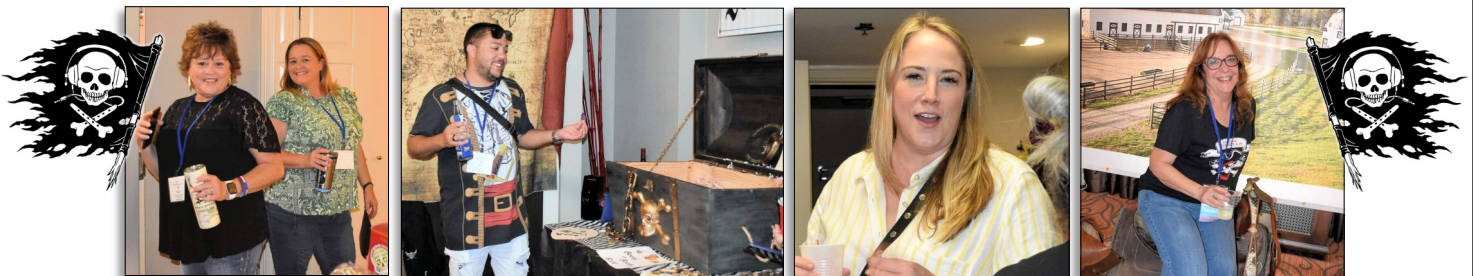
hours of work in the Tampa #708 Hospitality Suite.

The ER stated, "We in Tampa Lodge are known state-wide as 'The Pirate Lodge!' In addition our hospitality suite is recognized as the place to be!" Our room transforms into a pirate den complete with pirates and wenches. You'll find great entertainment, great food, wonderful prizes and loads of fun!

If you did not attend please consider going next year for a weekend of good times and Elk fellowship. You will meet fellow Elks from all over the State of Florida. A HUGE

### THANK YOU TO ALL WHO HELPED US ACHIEVE THIS GREAT YEAR!...

ER Wendy Hall, Shelagh Gombarcik, PER, Paul DeLand, PER, Tracy Horrell, PER, Rick Schneider, PER, Mike & Patty Volpe (Co-Chairs at Convention), April Holtzman, Laura Jones, Melissa Helfer, Jason Brown, Kris Pierce, Georgia Hilficker, George Hilficker, Teddy & Jen Vasquez, Paul & Heidi Simone, Edie Hanley, Crystal Johnson, Jackie LoCicero, Kim Van Walker, Tommy & Sue Moore, Robert Bordenaro, Yanett Sabat, Ruth Levin, Norman Jones, II, Debbie Brennen, & Richard Florence. If we forgot your name....please forgive us!



## Upcoming Events and Projects

### Number of the Day!

Here's a fun new idea...each day a 2 digit number will be posted at the Lodge. If the last 2 numbers of your membership card matches these numbers you win a drink of your choice. Stop by and try your LUCK!

Must show your card to win.

## JOIN US FOR ANOTHER SPECTACULAR LOE LOW COUNTRY BOIL



**JULY 14TH**

**6:30 TO 8:30PM**

**SHRIMP, CRAWFISH, CLAMS, SMOKED  
SAUSAGE, ANDOUILLE SAUSAGE,  
CORN AND POTATOES  
DESSERT: LOUISIANA CRUNCH CAKE**

**\$30.00 A TICKET**

**TICKETS ON SALE NOW!**

**813-245-6458**

**50/50 TO BENEFIT CHILDREN'S THERAPY SERVICES  
REMEMBER TO PURCHASE YOUR TICKET EARLY FOR THIS POPULAR EVENT!**



## Upcoming Events and Projects



**SATURDAY, JULY 22ND - 1PM TO 4PM**

- Wide Ruled Filler Paper
- 3 Prong Folders (Primary Colors)
- Crayola Colored Pencils
- Fiskar Scissors
- Washable Markers
- Glue Sticks
- Spiral Notebooks, wide ruled, 1 subject
- Number 2 Pencils
- Blue and Black Pens
- Pink Erasers
- Pencil Top Erasers

Donations can be dropped into the box at the Lodge, or cash donations should be dropped at the office in an envelope with "Patty Volpe, Back to School Party" written on it.

**Donation & Registration Cut-off date July 16th**

If you would like to volunteer, or to add someone to the attendee list please email Patty [pattyandmrfox@gmail.com](mailto:pattyandmrfox@gmail.com).

**Tampa Elks Lodge 708, 3616 Gandy Blvd. 33611**

# Upcoming Events and Projects



## LET'S DO FRIDAY NIGHT DINNER AT THE LODGE

**JULY 7TH**



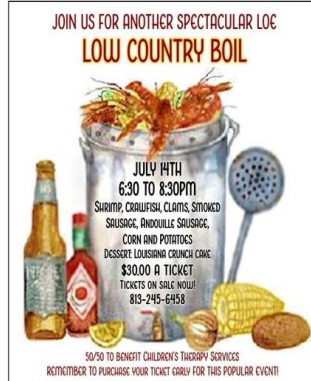
**ALL IN ONE!  
SOUTHERN  
FISH FRY**

MINI CORN MUFFINS WITH HONEY BUTTER, FRIED SHRIMP AND FISH, FRENCH FRIES OR GRITS, FRIED OKRA, HUSH PUPPIES, COLESRAW  
LEMON BARS \$18.00



ENTERTAINING US:  
**LEA BRAUN**

**JULY 14TH**



ENTERTAINING US: **KRIS PIERCE**

**JULY 21ST**



**STEAK NIGHT  
NEW YORK  
STRIP**

WITH SWEET POTATO FRIES, BLUE CHEESE BACON COLESLAW, A HOUSE SALAD AND DINNER ROLL \$19.00  
APPETIZERS: ONION RINGS \$3.50  
DESSERT: CHEESECAKE W/O REO CRUMBLE TOPPING \$3



ENTERTAINING US:  
**MRS TEE'S KARAOKE**

**JULY 28TH**



**BEEF RAGU  
WITH  
PASTA**

HOUSE SALAD, FRESH HOMEMADE FOCACCIA BREAD \$15.00  
APPETIZERS:  
FRIED RAVIOLI \$3.50  
DESSERT: CANNOLI \$3

JOIN US TOMORROW NIGHT FOR AN EVENING IN MARGARITAVILLE

PLEASE SIGN UP AT [708MEALS.COM](http://708MEALS.COM) OR ON THE LODGE BULLETIN BOARD TO ASSURE YOUR MEAL!  
ONLY A FEW EXTRA MEALS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR WALK-INS.

DINNER SERVED FROM 6:30PM TO 8:30PM

## BAR BINGO

Served Mondays 6pm to 7:30pm  
All Menus \$9.50 including tax

July 3rd - 4th of July Picnic

July 10th - Marinated Chicken Spiedies  
Lemon Orzo Salad, Pickle & Mini Brownie

July 17th - Italian Meatball Sandwich,  
Chips, Pickle & Cookie

July 24th - TexMex Sloppy Joe, Chips &  
Salsa, Cheesecake Bite

July 31st - Bacon Sandwich w/Caramelize  
Onions, Chip, Pickle & Cake Pop Bite

Sides are subject to change depending upon availability.



## QUEEN OF HEARTS

Donation by 6:45pm  
Drawing at 7pm

Thursday Nights  
Served 6pm to 7:30

\*July 6th -  
Spaghetti Dinner, w/Salad &  
Bread \$7

\*July 13th - Grill Night

\*July 20th - Grill Night

\*July 27th - Grill Night

# Upcoming Events and Projects

## JULY BIRTHDAY PARTY Bash

**JULY 15TH**

Be part of this fun night of pot luck, cake and Karaoke.

Bring a covered dish, your best voice and an appetite.  
7pm to 11pm



*Calling All*

*Epicurean Elks...*

### 2023 Gourmet Club

*AVAST YE!! Prepare Yerselves!  
This here **Victuals Crew** is about to be  
Invaded by **Cap'n Tater***

Ye must bring out yer **Booty of Tater Dishes**, whether appetizer, entrée or dessert. And ye'd best put on yer thinkin' caps, 'CUZ **any scurvy dogs bringin'**

*Scalloped Potatoes*  
**will be Keel-Hauled!**



**Sunday July 30th, 5:00 pm**

Bring us your impressive **Potato** dishes, or just come with an appetite and a donation  
*...trivia...trivia...trivia...trivia...*

### CHANGE TO ORIGINAL OFFERING



## SUNDAY DINNER AT THE LODGE

SERVED AT 5PM  
SUNDAY, JULY 9TH

WEDGE SALAD

LAMB SHANK IN A WINE SAUCE  
W/VEGGIES AND SMASHED  
POTATOES OR  
SLOW ROASTED POT ROAST  
WITH SMASHED POTATOES &  
GLAZED CARROTS

CHOCOLATE MOUSSE

**\$19.00**

Please secure your meal by making your reservations and Menu Choices by Friday, June 2nd

EMAIL [georgiahilficker@gmail.com](mailto:georgiahilficker@gmail.com)

TEXT: GEORGIA AT 813-294-6200 or SIGN UP ON THE LODGE BULLETIN BOARD

Sunday dinners to help underwrite our New Year's Eve Event.



Join Jason & Crystal  
Tuesday Nights at 7pm  
for a rousing game of

## TRIVIA

Starting July 11th  
Prizes to winners  
No cell phone  
Look-ups allowed!

# Upcoming Events and Projects

An Evening in

**MARGARITAVILLE**

**JULY 29TH, 6PM**

**Cornhole Tournament 6pm**

**Teams of 2 - \$5 fee - Cash Prize**

**Buffet Dinner 7pm**

**Kalua Pork, Pineapple Rice, Zucchini & Corn Salad, Watermelon Salad, Assorted Desserts**

**DJ and Karaoke Mrs T**

**7pm to 10pm**

**\$18.00 a Ticket**

**Tickets on sale July 1st**

**Ask your Bartender**



# Upcoming Events and Projects

**GOING...GOING...  
GONE!**



**Quarter  
Auction**  
Sunday, July 16th 1pm to 4pm

The Quarter Auction is a cross between an auction and a raffle...  
*it's fun for the whole family!*

Proceeds to benefit all our Youth Committee provides.

## KITCHEN OPEN WITH SELECT MENU

*How does a Quarter Auction work?*

Entry fee of \$5 gets you a paddle and an event drawing ticket.

Additional paddles available for purchase.

The number on your paddle matches a number in our drawing basket.

Vendors will be present with goods for sale and donated auction items.

Additional donated auction items will be showcased.

When the auction begins, an item will be shown and a quarter value set.

If you want the item, you put in your quarters, per paddle, and raise your paddle high!

If we draw your number and you played it, then you win!

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## 2023 VP VISITATION DATES AND TIMES

All are scheduled for 3pm Meet and Greet,  
4pm Meeting with Dinner to follow





**Sunday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>.....New Port Richie & Tarpon Springs  
at Tarpon Springs**

**Sunday, Aug. 13<sup>th</sup>.....Dunedin/Clearwater and Tampa  
at Tampa**

**Saturday, Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>.....St. Pete & Holiday Isles at Holiday Isles**

# Lodge Business and Projects

## YOUR HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT

-  **Hall Rentals:** Hall rentals are an important part of our lodge revenue. What is our membership's role in hall rentals, keeping the hall in good shape. Please put away your items after your event or activity. Items strewn in the hall make it very difficult when there is a hall rental.
-  **Evening in Margaritaville:** The House Committee is having their first event of the year on July 29<sup>th</sup>. We are working hard to make this an epic event. Hope to see everyone there!
-  **Volunteer Bartenders:** Have a few hours to spare, the bar needs you. The HC is looking for a few volunteer bartenders, no experience required, and we will train you. Contact our bar manager, Paul DeLand to start your "career" as a volunteer bartender.
-  **Lodge Clean up:** On July 8<sup>th</sup> the HC is having a lodge clean up day. First on the agenda is going through our chairs to determine what is repairable and what needs to be disposed of. We plan to do this in a two hour timeframe, 10am to 12pm. If you have an hour or two, your help would be greatly appreciated.

**HC SHOUT OUT:** Thank you Tommy and Sue for stepping up (once again) and cleaning the hall for a hall rental. Without your help our renters would have been dodging our mess.  
 Jacquie LoCicero, PLP  
 Chair, House Committee



Anthony Marino is requesting Life Membership. Anthony has fulfilled all the required conditions. We will vote on his request July 12th at our regular meeting.

## EXALTED RULER



You didn't have to do it, but I'm so grateful you did!

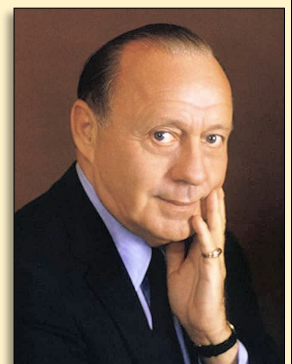
- George Hilficker for working his magic by doing the wood frame edging around the PER Pictures.
- Susie Harlow, Bonnie Atwood and Rita Smith...for their behind the scenes work to keep the income stream going for Queen of Hearts and Pull Tab.
- Richard Florance for all his help around the Lodge including setting up for Friday Night Dinner.

### JULY LODGE MEETING SCHEDULE

- 3rd - LOE Board Meeting - 6:30pm
- 5th - LOE General Meeting - 7:00 - Dinner 6:15
- 10th - Veteran's Meeting - 6:30
- 11th - BOD Meeting - 6:30
- 12th - Membership Meeting - 6:00
- 12th - Elks General Meeting - 7:30
- 18th - House Committee Meeting - 6:30
- 19th New Member Orientation/Installation 6:30
- 26th - Elks General Meeting - 7:30

### Honoring Departed Elks












**Jack Benny**  
**1894-1974**  
**FAMOUS**  
**ENTERTAINER**  
**NEW YORK, NY**  
**Lodge #1**



# Tampa Elks Lodge #708

## July 2023

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	<p>3  <b>LOE BOD MEETING 6:30 PM</b></p> <p>DEE'S 4TH OF JULY</p> <p> <b>BAR BINGO!</b> 6:30PM \$3 DONATION</p>	4	5	<p>6 <b>SPAGHETTI DINNER NIGHT \$7.00 6PM-7:30</b></p> <p> <b>QUEEN OF HEARTS</b> DONATIONS by 6:45PM DRAWING at 7PM</p>	7	<p>8 <b>Lodge Cleaning Day 10am to 12pm</b></p>
<p>9 <b>Georgia's Sunday Dinner At the Lodge</b> Serving 5 to 6pm</p> <p> <b>Lamb Shanks</b></p>	<p>10 <b>VETERAN'S COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM</b></p> <p>MARINATED CHICKEN SPIEDIES LEMON ORZO SALAD, PICKLE &amp; MINI BROWNIE \$9.50</p> <p> <b>BAR BINGO!</b> 6:30PM \$3 DONATION</p>	<p>11  <b>7:30PM BOD MEETING</b></p> <p>7PM TO 9PM IMPROVAHOLICS REHEARSAL</p>	<p>12 <b>MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING 6PM</b></p> <p> <b>7:30PM GENERAL MEETING</b></p>	<p>13 <b>GRILL NIGHT BURGERS AND MORE 6PM-7:30</b></p> <p> <b>QUEEN OF HEARTS</b> DONATIONS by 6:45PM DRAWING at 7PM</p>	<p>14 <b>LOW COUNTRY BOIL</b></p> <p>JOIN US FOR ANOTHER SPECTACULAR LOC</p> <p></p> <p>JULY 14TH 6:00 TO 8:00PM SHRIMP, CRABCAKES, CORN, POTATOES, SPINACH, BREAD, SAUCE CASH AND POTATOES COUNTRY BREAD, SPINACH, CORN \$20.00 IN TICKETS CASH IN HAND \$10.00 813-295-6514</p> <p>WED TO MONDAY CATERING SERVICES NEEDED TO MAKE OUR TIME ON THE TABLE COUNT</p>	<p>15 </p> <p><b>July Birthday Party</b> Karaoke, Potluck Dinner, and Cake Bring a Covered Dish 7pm</p>
<p><b>GOING...GOING...GONE!</b></p> <p> <b>Quarter Auction</b> Sunday, July 16th, 1pm to 5pm</p> <p><b>OPEN KITCHEN</b></p> <p>How About a Quarter Past Five with... Have a great time and enjoy the great atmosphere. This auction is open to all members and guests. All items are sold as is. All proceeds go to the Elks Lodge #708. If you have any questions, please call the Elks Lodge #708. 813-295-6514</p>	<p>17 <b>ITALIAN MEATBALL HOAGIE, CHIPS PICKLE &amp; COOKIE \$9.50</b></p> <p> <b>BAR BINGO!</b> 6:30PM \$3 DONATION</p>	<p>18  <b>HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM</b></p> <p>7PM TO 9PM IMPROVAHOLICS REHEARSAL</p>	<p>19 <b>6:30pm NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWED BY INITIATION</b></p> <p></p>	<p>20 <b>GRILL NIGHT BURGERS AND MORE 6PM-7:30</b></p> <p> <b>QUEEN OF HEARTS</b> DONATIONS by 6:45PM DRAWING at 7PM</p>	<p>21 <b>STEAK NIGHT</b> NEW YORK STRIP WITH SWEET POTATO FRIES, BLUE CHEESE &amp; BACON COLESLAW &amp; ROLL \$19.00</p> <p>ONION RINGS \$3.50 CHEESE CAKE WITH OREO TOPPING \$3</p> <p>MUSIC: MRS TS DJ &amp; KARAOKE</p>	<p>22 <b>6PM TO 8PM CPR TRAINING</b></p> <p> <b>Back to School PARTY</b></p> <p>SEE PG 9 FOR DETAILS</p>
<p>23  <b>VP VISIT New Port Richey &amp; Tarpon Springs at Tarpon Springs</b> See Pg 14</p>	<p>24 <b>TEXMEX SLOPPY JOE, CHIPS &amp; SALSA CHEESE CAKE BITE \$9.50</b></p> <p> <b>BAR BINGO!</b> 6:30PM \$3 DONATION</p>	25	26	<p>27 <b>GRILL NIGHT BURGERS AND MORE 6PM-7:30</b></p> <p> <b>7:30PM GENERAL MEETING</b></p> <p> <b>QUEEN OF HEARTS</b> DONATIONS by 6:45PM DRAWING at 7PM</p>	<p>28 <b>BEEF RAGU SAUCE WITH PASTA, FRESH FOCACCIA BREAD, &amp; A HOUSE SALAD \$15.00</b></p> <p>FRIED RAVIOLI \$3.5 CANNOLI \$3</p>	<p> <b>An Evening in MARGARITAVILLE</b></p> <p>SEE PG 12 FOR DETAILS</p>
<p>30  <b>Gourmet Club 5pm</b></p>	<p>31 <b>BACON SANDWICH WITH CARAMELIZE ONIONS, CHIPS PICKLE &amp; CAKEPOP BITE \$9.50</b></p> <p> <b>BAR BINGO!</b> 6:30PM \$3 DONATION</p>			<p>GRILL NIGHT BURGERS AND MORE 6PM-7:30</p> <p> <b>QUEEN OF HEARTS</b> DONATIONS by 6:45PM DRAWING at 7PM</p>		

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