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Newsletter of the Kinderhook Elks Lodge #2530



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**The Easter Bunny was in the village on Saturday morning!
The snow forced all inside but everyone seemed to have a good time!**



Notice:

This will be the last mass mailing of the newsletter. A limited number of printed copies will still be available at the Lodge. Most members will access news and information from the web-site and/or Facebook.

We need YOU to volunteer.
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Super Sunday's
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April 25th, 2014 - Mid-Spring Fling!

The House Committee will be holding a Mid-Spring Fling on Saturday, April 25th. Music and dancing from 7pm - 11pm provided by Lauri & Group. There will be raffles and a 50/50.

Please bring a covered dish. Food will be served at 6pm.

Cost: \$14 per person, which includes 2 drinks of choice. Tickets can be purchased in advance at the bar. Please sign up at the Lodge.

"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, "To our absent members."

Our departed members:
Tom McIntyre
Glen Simmons

PARKING

We have been asked to contract with the Columbia County Fair in Chatham to park cars again for three years.

What does that mean to the Lodge?

It means we need volunteers to get the job done.

It means we need you!

It means we can pay our bills - big ones like school taxes.

Can't you spare a few hours of your time to support the Lodge?

Check your calendars now and contact any officer for more information.



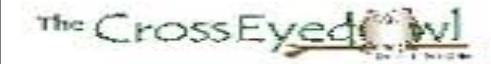
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			J. Coutsonikas Eggplant lasagna	Closed at 8:00PM	P. Melino	D. Groat 3:00PM A. Shook 6:00PM
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
C. Cotsonas 1:00PM T. McDermott 4:00PM	J. Novak	Closed at 8:00PM	G. Engel	Closed at 8:00PM	P. Melino Gordy's Fish Fry	S. Deck 3:00PM B. Hymes 6:00PM
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
G. Yates 1:00PM T. Smith 4:00PM	J. Shook	Closed at 8:00PM	J. Laviano Italian Night	Closed at 8:00PM	R. Howe	S. Andros 3:00PM D. Travis 6:00PM
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
C.E. Cotsonas 1:00PM S. Deck 4:00PM	C. Davis	Closed at 8:00PM	C. Seymour Steak or pork chops	Closed at 8:00PM	G. Hammond	L. Knott 3:00PM D. Travis 6:00PM
26	27	28	29	30		
W. Boehme 1:00PM D. Travis 4:00PM	L. Buell	Closed at 8:00PM	D. Malsan	Closed at 8:00PM		

Jerry's homecoming is the weekend of the 17th.



The following members were initiated on March 28, 2015 for 2015-2016 Lodge year:

2014-2015 Lodge Officers

Exalted Ruler
Interim: Charles E. Cotsonas
Leading Knight
Robert Cramer 758-7671
Loyal Knight
John Piddock
Lecturing Knight
Ida Leiser 758-6864
Esquire
Chris Bellingham 610-1244

Chaplain

Inner Guard
OPEN
Tiler
Larry Knott 758-7618
Secretary
Jerry Shook 828-5749
Treasurer
Joseph Laviano 758-1741
Organist
John Deane 758-7051

CHAIRMAN
Chris Akers (Chair) 858-7134
John Deane 758-7051
Phil Melino
Kenny Withkowski 669-2843
Richard Fisher 929-3971
John Colgan

HOUSE COMMITTEE
Dave Travis (Chair) 794-8427
Bob Hawver 758-9816
Roger Bradley 784-3263
PER Chuck Cotsonas 828-2507
Mike Aiello 758-1626
Bert Beach 784-2104
Chris Akers 858-7134

(518 area code unless noted)

- Esteemed Leading Knight—Bob Cramer
- Esteemed Loyal Knight—John Piddock
- Esteemed Lecturing Knight—Ida Leiser
- Treasurer—Joe Laviano
- Secretary—Jerry Shook
- Tiler—Larry Knott
- Five Year Trustee—John Colgan
- Esquire: Chris Bellingham

We still need an Exalted Ruler. Inner Guard, Chaplain and Lodge Esquire are appointed by the ER. Until then, the existing appointments will remain.

- Bartender of the year for 2014-2015: Alisha Siligato



- Officer of the year for 2014-2015: Bob Cramer



- Elk of the year for 2014-2015: Charlie Davis



It's Prom Time!

May 9, 2015—Ichabod Crane
May 16, 2015—Chatham
May 30, 2015—Special Needs

Details on the way.
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Warrior Snowfest](#) welcoming
ceremony held at Troy NY.



Our lodge is recognized as a "Gold Star Sponsor" of this
program.

Nine Wounded Warriors and sixteen mentors (some of whom
are alumni wounded warriors) were honored at this ceremony.

The keynote address was given by Congressman, (retired
Colonel), Chris Gibson.

This event was attended by elected officials of Congress, NY
State, local Counties and cities, but the real honored attendees
were the veteran wounded warriors and active duty members of
our armed forces.

Our participation and financial support of worthy programs like
this is made possible by the many members of our Lodge, who
have found unique ways to raise money for veterans.

You all deserve the "GOLD STAR".

Newsletter Committee

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Lodge meetings
are usually held on the
2nd & 4th Mondays
@ 8:00 PM

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We welcome your comments
and suggestions. If you
would like to contribute or
help maintain the web-site,
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ham via telephone at 518-
610-1244 or via email at
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