

Membership Status

Total Members as of 4/1/2018—195

Increases in Membership since 4/1/18 as follows:

- New Members by Initiation—3
- New Members by Affiliation—0
- Reinstated Members—2
- Sub Total—3

Decreases in Membership since 4/1/18 as follows:

- Members Dropped—0
- Members Transferred Out—1
- Members Granted Absolute Limit—0
- Deceased Members—3
- Sub Total—4

Total Members as of 09/25/18—196

- Gain/Loss—1
- Current Paid Dues—184
- Members not in Good Standing—12
- Lapsation—6.15%

Propositions for Membership:

By Initiation: 0

By Reinstatement (Amnesty Month):

Paul Ortega—Vote 10/9/18

Pending Initiation/Indoctrination:

- Toni U. Antone
 - Leslie Marie Johnson
 - Nancy L. King
 - Anthony Koppi
 - Dana Lynn Lemler
 - Dima Mozyrsky
 - David E. Sarmowski
- Initiation set for October 9, 2018.

MEMBERSHIP DUES NOTICES FOR THE ELK YEAR OF 2018 - 2019 HAVE BEEN MAILED! IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR NOTICE, PLEASE CONTACT ME IMMEDIATELY!! You are reminded that if your dues are not paid timely, you do not have the privileges of the Club or Lodge facilities until paid.

Attention: BONUS 50/50 drawing at every meeting! This will include every members' names, but you must be present to win! Contact one of your officers for more details.

Previous winner:

9/10/18: approximately \$475, Maura Wilhelm, member was not present!
9/24/18: approximately \$520, Patricia Starkey, member was not present!! Amount for next meeting should be more than \$550!!!! Don't miss out....your name could be drawn!!!!

Members: : If you have changed your mailing address, e-mail address and/or phone numbers, please notify me at sec.elks2083@gmail.com so that I may update your membership records.
Secretary's Office Hours:

Monday thru Friday 13:30 am to ??:??
If you need to contact me outside these hours or I am not at the office at the above mentioned hours, please call me at 575-590-7561.

Thank you,

Rena Calloway, Secretary

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Exalted Ruler's Message



Members,

September was another busy month for BPOE 2083! We started on Saturday the 1st with a cleanup of the exterior grounds. There were many helping hands, including Troy Calloway, Bill Gregory, Mark & Trish Sandoval, Al & Gail Stadelmaier, Sue Cummings, Craig & Graham Taylor, Kirk Hollis, and myself. We pulled weeds, mowed, picked up trash, prepared the no trespassing signs and poisoned the Chinese Elm stumps out front— big thank you to all who came out and helped.

Our first Lodge meeting of the month was also our Annual District Deputy visit, this year's DD is Brenda Ferri from the Raton Lodge. Brenda did an audit of all our records and gave us a very good review, thank you Rena, Gary, Kirk and all who helped with this effort.

The annual fall BBQ was held on Saturday the 8th with Steve Remde taking the lead. As usual, there were many other folks that helped; and, if you blinked, you went hungry because we sold out in an hour. On Tuesday the 11th the Lodge hosted the Women's fall Classic Luncheon for their annual golf tournament. Mark and Trish Sandoval took the lead and cooked for this event and he had a great crew helping that made the event a big success.

The final bike night was held on the 20th with a great meal that raised over \$800.00. All the proceeds were collected to support a Deputy Sheriff, and his wife, who were injured in a motorcycle accident. Raymond and Betty Smith worked with the Motorcycle Committee to organize the fundraiser. As an added perk, at this event we also had our annual visit from State Elect President Barbara Venturi and her husband from the Las Vegas Lodge. It was a great event to showcase our hospitality and our charity.

Bike night was followed by our annual Golf tournament on Friday the 21st, where we did better than last year and raised over \$9,000.00 for Lodge charities. Finally the New Mexico Fall work shop was held at the Alamogordo Elks which was very informative and we turned in \$1,819 in CP tickets. Thank you Bill for again chairing this committee.

October will be just as busy with initiations, important Lodge votes, and Halloween Party preparations. I hope to see you all throughout the month.

Fraternally Yours,
Brett Ray
Exalted Ruler

Special Note—October is Amnesty Month!

If you know someone who used to be a member and they would like to become one again, this month is Amnesty month. You can bring the person in and for \$1 they can put in their reinstatement application. Once accepted, they only have to pay pro-rated dues for the rest of the year. So, let's see if we can bring in some old members and have them join our fun.

Board of Directors Notes:

1. Negotiations have been completed with Leadership Circle on the rental of 10 parking spaces for the new commercial property to be built on the Shiners' property next door. The BOD has concluded the contract details and believe we have addressed all issue regarding the parking rentals:
 - Parking will be on the southeast end of the parking lot.
 - One year rental agreement at \$5000.00 paid up front, with a reassessment of the contract at the end of that year to determine if it is still beneficial for both parties.
 - The Elks will be indemnified for any liability issues with the parking spaces.
 - The spaces will be posted as Employee Parking Only.
 - A sign will be placed on the entrance on 15th directing customers to parking to the commercial property, not the Elks.

A final vote on the rental agreement is planned for the October 22nd Lodge meeting.

2. With the initial fund raising efforts from the membership we will soon begin the repairs to our bar stools. Donation are still being collected to complete all chairs at \$80.00/chair with recognition of your support on a plaque in the club area.
3. Preparations are underway for a new Point of Sale system, which will allow the use of credit cards in the club area.
4. The rental for Christmas Tree sales with Delancy Street was approved at our last regular meeting. Sales will begin the week of Thanksgiving and through the month of December. Please support this great fund raising event for this organization. Delancy Street will be setting up in the southeast corner of our parking lot.
5. October is Elks National Foundation month—applications for 2019 scholarships were posted on the national website:
 - Most Valuable Student Scholarship—
<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/mvs.cfm>
 - Legacy Scholarship—
<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm>

Elks Care - Elks Share

Coach's Corner

Bar Manager Mark Sandoval said that September was a banner month for the Club, profiting over \$10,000! The Lottery games are proving successful too—to date bringing in over \$1,000 to the Club and doling out over \$7,500 in winnings to our brothers and sisters.

The Veteran Committee is planning several Flag Retirement Ceremonies for October and November. Come to the Lodge on October 6th or the 20th at 3:00 PM to be a part of this moving show of patriotism!



Fare Thee Well...

September ended on a bittersweet note for our Club. Longtime members Carl and Val Wilson are flying the Los Alamos coop, headed to greener pastures closer to family. On Saturday the 29th, dozens of friends came together to bid them a fond farewell.



Until we see you again, dear friends!

Lodge Officers

Exalted Ruler	Brett Ray
Leading Knight	Vacant
Loyal Knight	Kirk Hollis
Lecturing Knight	Troy Calloway
Chaplain	David Williams
Esquire	Dan Gerth
Inner Guard	Randy King
Tiler	Anthony Kave
Secretary	Rena Calloway
Treasurer	Gary Lind

Trustees

Natalie Dimmitruck
Craig Taylor
Tim Haight
Al Stadelmaier
Andy Broadus

Lodge Committee Chairpersons

Accident	Kirk Hollis
Americanism	Bob Villa
Auditing	Mark Sandoval
Cerebral Palsy	William Gregory
Charitable-Benevolent Trust	Sue Cummings
Community Activities	Vacant
Drug Awareness	Vacant
Elks National Foundation (ENF)	Kirk Hollis
Flag Day	Vacant
Government Relations	Raymond Smith
Hoop Shoot	Troy Calloway
Indoctrination	Brett Ray
Investigation	Trish Sandoval
Lapsation	Rena Calloway
Lodge Activities	Robyn Vargas
Membership	Vacant
PER Association	William Gregory
Memorial Service	Brett Ray
Public Relations	Katherine Haight
Ritual	Dan Gerth
Scholarships	Jon Rau
State Major Project	William Gregory
Veterans Service	Vacant
Visitation	Raymond Smith
Youth Activities	Richard Sisnersos



October Birthdays

Members

3rd— Paul Chodak
8th—Tim Haight, Ronald Zwickl
9th—James Dotson, Kenneth Gallegos
14th—Donald Zickert
15th—Allen Wallace
17th—Al Stadelmaier
26th—Joseph Trujillo
28th—Carl Wilson

29th—Michael Jenson

31st—Mark Smith

Spouses

10th—Irene Aikin
13th—Billie Shull



October Anniversaries

13th—Jason and Martha Brock

Contacts:

Bar Liaison: Kirk Hollis
Bar Manager: Mark Sandoval
Kitchen Manager: Steve Remde
Maintenance: Vacant
Antes: Katherine Haight
Facebook: Tim Haight

Lodge Hours:

Monday – Thursday: 3-9 p.m.
Friday: 2-9 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday: 2-7 p.m.

The Antes is the monthly newsletter of the Los Alamos Elks Lodge, BPOE #2083. Articles, stories, and pictures must be submitted by the 20th of the month for the next month's publication. Please send your items to khaight@lanl.gov.

Address changes

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October 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 PER Meeting 6:00 PM	2	3	4	5 Cigar and Bourbon Night 5:00 PM	6 Flag Retirement Ceremony 3:00 PM
2	8 No meeting Columbus Day	9 Lodge Meeting, 6:30 INITIATION	10	11 Payday Café (Sign Up!)	12	13
7	15 BOD Meeting 6:00 PM	16	17	18	19	20 Flag Retirement Ceremony 3:00 PM followed by MRE Dinner
14	22 Lodge Meeting, 6:30 Vote on Parking	23 Pumpkin cleaning and prep	24 Kid's (and kid- like adults) Pumpkin Carving	25 Payday Café (Sign Up!)	26	27 Halloween Party!
21	29	30	31			
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