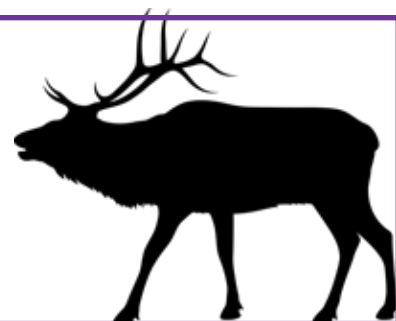


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From Our Exalted Ruler



Since July, I was able to attend the Grand Lodge Convention in Kansas City, Missouri. Chairman of the Board, Trudy Nuzum; First Lady, Carrie Piche; Alex Nunez, Trustee; and Marie Nunez, PER also attended. We were excited to see our own members, Anna and Mitch Hanlon there as well.

At the Grand Lodge Convention, you learn how very grand Elksdom is. We are one, big family working toward the same goals. We joined 6000 other Elks from around the country and business was conducted. For example, there was

a discussion about introducing digital membership cards. Also, the new Grand Exalted Ruler, Bryan Klatt, and other Grand Lodge Officers were installed. Our own DDGER, Bryan Baker, was also installed. There was a lot of networking with other Elks to share ideas and to learn how to better run our lodges. We all strive to help our communities, grow our lodges, and to continue to help our various charities. During our stay, we were able to visit three other lodges in Missouri and Kansas. It always fun to see how unique every lodge is. Everyone was so

hospitable and excited to meet us. Now that the convention is behind us, it's the time to take all the information and ideas that we gleaned and use it to make our lodge function and shine even more.

Here's to finishing the summer with a bang! Join us for all the various upcoming activities; volunteer for something you are interested in; and come to the lodge to make new friends.

Remember "You've got a friend in Elksdom,"

Karen Seeley
Exalted Ruler



From Our Leading Knight



Giving Without Expecting Anything in Return

To expand a little on what I want to explain, I want to emphasize that we must not lose sight of the fact that we don't just give what we have, but rather what we are. I believe that when we allow ourselves to connect with who we are, it is inevitable that we will exhibit certain behaviors. When we give what we are, I would expect those behaviors to be mostly motivated by love.

By acting from who we are, we can then give others whatever we want: time, love, money, help, etc. When your giving is from the self, yet selfless, you give as if you hadn't given (so much so, that you might even forget what you gave). When you give in this manner, you do not keep track of anyone's account.

I couldn't end this article without pointing out that this is giving without expecting anything in return. When it's truly done that way, giving becomes magical.

Esteemed Leading Knight
George Neri



Vote for Life Membership

Whereas Larry Burkley is a member in good standing at Fullerton Elks Lodge #1993 and has been for 33 years, and, Whereas Larry has reached the ripe old age of 65 years, and he has met all the qualifying criteria to become a Life Member.

Therefore, Larry respectfully requests your support and vote, at our regularly scheduled Lodge meeting, on August 14, 2025, to grant him this honor.

From Our Loyal Knight



JUSTICE is the heartbeat of our society, ensuring that FAIRNESS, EQUALITY, and MORAL RIGHTEOUSNESS thrive.

Justice in August: A Time for Reflection and Action

August is a month known for its heat, but it's also a time when the idea of justice stands out. As summer nears its end, people begin to reflect on what is fair and right. Schools prepare to reopen, courts return from break, and communities often restart important conversations about

equality and fairness.

In history, August has been the month for many important moments in the fight for justice. For example, the march on Washington happened in August 1963, where Martin Luther King-Jr gave his famous "I Have a Dream" speech. This shows how August can be a powerful time for voices to rise and change to begin.

Justice means treating everyone fairly, no matter what their background. In August, as we slow down and prepare for the next season, it's a good time to think about how we treat others and how we can help make the world fairer for everyone. Whether it's through speaking up, learning more, or helping someone in need, small actions can lead to big changes.

August reminds us that justice is not just about laws - it's about people, fairness, and doing what's right.

We can start these actions in our Lodge and spread them out to the community.

Imelda (Mel) Hunkin
Esteemed Loyal Knight



JUSTICE

From Our Lecturing Knight



Well, it's August...Poor August... There are no Holidays in August, so I like to get ready for the upcoming holiday season, my favorite time of the year.

In October, we have our Special Child "Trunk or Treat" in our lodge parking lot. We started this tradition in 2021, as we all were coming out of the pandemic. It was safer for our Special Children to come to an outdoor celebration. We started with about 6 or 7 cars, and has grown to be a fantastic event of about 16 cars. It's an opportunity to dress up your car and pass out candy; it is lots of fun and the children really enjoy it. More information coming soon.

Then at the beginning of December there is the world-famous Fullerton Elks Lodge Christmas Tree Lane. This is one of our largest fundraisers/events of the year. Our Lodge Club & companies sponsor 6' Christmas trees with decorations and gifts valued at \$500+. Guests buy tickets and try to win them. After a nice meal, we draw a winner for each tree. The winners take home their trees and all of the gifts. It is a magical afternoon and gets everyone in the mood for the season.

Then I look forward to the Rose Parade float decorating. The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks is again sponsoring a float in the 2026 Tournament of Roses Parade in Pasadena. It is a chance to volunteer to help decorate our float and to meet other Elks from all over the country.

I know it's difficult to think of the holiday season when it is 100 degrees outside, but it will be here before you know it and you don't want to miss anything. Keep reading the Bugle to stay informed about all the upcoming holiday festivities.

God Bless and try to stay cool.

Dana Antolin
Esteemed Lecturing Knight



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2026 Rose Parade Elks Volunteer Decoration Schedule

Dry Decoration

Saturday Dec. 6th, 2025
Shift 1: 9:00am to 6:00pm

Saturday Dec. 13th, 2025
Shift 1: 9:00am to 8:00pm

Floral Decoration

Friday Dec. 26th, 2025
Shift 1: 8:00am to 4:00pm
Shift 2: 4:00pm to 11:00pm

Saturday Dec. 27th, 2025
Shift 1: 8:00am to 4:00pm
Shift 2: 4:00pm to 11:00pm

Sunday Dec. 28th, 2025
Shift 1: 8:00am to 4:00pm
Shift 2: 4:00pm to 11:00pm



Saturday Dec. 20th, 2025
Shift 1: 9:00am to 4:00pm
Shift 2: 4:00pm to 8:00pm

Monday Dec. 29th, 2025
Shift 1: 8:00am to 4:00pm
Shift 2: 4:00pm to 11:00pm

Tuesday Dec. 30th, 2025
Shift 1: 8:00am to 4:00pm
Shift 2: 4:00pm to 11:00pm

Wednesday Dec. 31st, 2025
Shift 1: 8:00am until complete
Thursday Jan. 1st, 2026
Shift 1: 7:00am tear down

Lunch Breaks: 12pm-12:30pm
Dinner Breaks: 6pm-6:30pm

5400 North Irwindale Ave, Irwindale 91706

For More Info:
ElksVolunteerForRoses@gmail.com



This Month's Birthdays

1
Blake Gee
Jeffery Cox
Karen Bedoya
Kathy Simpson
Thelma Darwicki
William Clapgood
2
Christian Peasley
David Blankmeyer
Veronica Romero
3
Judy Lawson
Russell Whitney
4
Art Alvarado
Jeffrey Rafuson
Manuel Vargas
Rachel Rodriguez
Steven Vartanian
5
David Rupert
6
Marleen Martinez
Patsy Kasparoff
Robert Taylor
Suzanne Chachere

7
Carrie Piche
Louis Huff
Michael Beaver
Michael Chu
8
Brian Barr
Heather Foster
Linda Cabrera
9
John Denne
10
Carolyn Rosenberg
Jon Hoefer
Karen Danielson
11
Christophe . Elmore
Donald Becka
Isidro Cortez
Kimberly Lawhorn
12
Brian Cathey
Bruce Mihelich
Joseph Aparicio
Tammy Bonin
Thomas Townley

13
John Kuhns
Matheson Lowe
William Griffin
Yvonne Cruz-Hockstedler
15
Jeff Cabrera
Rebecca Dingess
Rudolph Lara
Travis Gambino
16
Anthony Chiasson
Charles Perez
David Fonseca
Donald Palmer
John Skehan
Karen Tank
17
Irma Garcia
Lloyd Ritchey
Richard Day
Shawn Nelson
18
Anthony Zuvich
Elias Gonsalves
Kathy Cortez
Steven Pillon

19
Alfred Cabrera
Michael Gillette
Sheryl Eberly
20
Daniel Chavez
Eric Wyatt
21
Joy Lang
Robert Endicott
22
David Lobinsky
Georgette Ciocan
Irvin Phillips
Jeffrey Pank
Tony Rios
23
Jose Salinas
Linda Thurk
Robert Estabrook
Ronald Johnson
Stephany Johnson
24
A Brox
Lisa Townsend
Minard Duncan
Paul Keller

25
Carol Knehr
Gamaliel Collazo
James Langford
Laura Mackiewicz
Ronald Witenko
27
Jimmy Cha
Luis Vargas
28
Jim Ishiguro
Jim Williams
Richard Andrews
29
Alvin Meyer
Glen Blankenship
Laurie Preus
Michael Spratt
Natalie Romero
30
Bryan Ransdell
Dorothy Mutz
Patricia Burnes
Ronald Peau
Susan Crow
31
Leigh Maple
Ryan Dascanio
Shannon Ochoa
Steven Haagsma



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Fullerton Hilltoppers Camping Club News

The Hilltoppers ventured to Sun Outdoors Central Coast Wine Country, a new campground for us in Paso Robles. Wagon Masters, Rick & Mary McKenrick along with Co-Wagon Master, Laura led the group to many new adventures in the wine country.

During the weekend, the club participated in wine tastings at Tobin James and Eberle Wineries, which included a tour of Eberle's below ground "caves" where the cool temperature is ideal for aging the wines. A special thank you to Phil & Francine for hosting the appetizers at the Eberle wine tasting!

In the evenings, campers gathered for meals and games in the clubhouse. Everyone had a good time playing Pictionary, showing off their drawing skills! The Cavanagh's hosted a "musical bingo" game, playing many of the 70's & 80's tunes that most of us remembered and enjoyed! Winners Debbie and Karina took the top prizes! Laura donated some wonderful gifts that were raffled off to support our CHEMPI charity. Thank you, Laura, for your generous donations!

Saturday, all campers enjoyed "Rick McMuffins" prepared by our host along with delicious Bloody Mary's & Mimosa's prepared by Frank Traboulsi. In the evening, campers gathered to enjoy pizza and burgers with sides and salads. Alex held a brief club meeting along with our opportunity drawing to raise money for CHEMPI. A BIG THANK YOU to Mary, Rick & Laura for a wonderful campout!

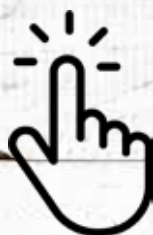
For additional information about the Camping Club, please contact Alex Thompson at FullertonHilltoppers@gmail.com or 714-713-6293. Join us on a future campout!

Upcoming campouts:

Location	Dates
Newport Dunes - Newport Beach	Sep 18-21, 2025
Purple Pig Rally - Hemet	Oct 9-12, 2025
Canyon RV	Nov 13-16, 2025
Christmas Tree Lane (Lodge)	Dec 7, 2025
Banning Stagecoach	Jan 15-18, 2026
Orange Grove (Bakersfield)	Feb 12-15, 2026
Pechanga RV Resort	Mar 19-22, 2026
Pala RV Resort	Apr 16-19, 2026
Prado Regional Park (Corona)	Apr 30 - May 2
Paso Robles RV Park	Jun 25-28, 2026
Vista Elks Lodge	Jul 9-12, 2026
Oceano (Pismo) - Tentative	TBD Aug 2026
Newport Dunes	Sep 17-20, 2026

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Golf Club News



On July 7th, 2025, Fullerton Elks Golf Club (FEGC) golfers enjoyed our July monthly golf tournament at Green River Golf Club. The winning teams were as follows:

1st Place: Team 5- Moreno, Martinez, Felix, Rivera
 2nd Place: Team 7- Eden, McNamara, Meyer, Beaver
 3rd Place: Team 2- Daniel Cruz, Diego Cruz, Anthony Chavez, G. Pimat

Closest to the Pin-Hole #4: Team 8 - McPhillips, Valdez, Hanlon, Cooper

Longest Putt-Hole #18: Team 9 - Covert, Liciero, Milano, Duarte

Dan Chavez was the raffle winner.

Please join us this month on Tuesday August 19th, 2025 at Tijeras Creek Golf Club for the 4th Annual Lee Northcutt Charity Golf Tournament. See separate flyer.

We look forward to golfers joining us for our 2025 golf tournaments. There is no initiation fee to join the FEGC golf club and we encourage all to invite friends to golf with us. All golfers and levels are welcome.

Contact Alex Nunez 714-906-3777 or Paul McPhillips 714-609-4514

FEGC Officers: President-Alex Nunez, Vice- President/Tournament Coordinator- Paul McPhillips, Secretary/Treasurer-Marie Nunez



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 Thank you

FULLERTON ELKS SPECIAL CHILD

The Fullerton Elks hosted Nicodemus Collinsworth as June's Special Child. Nico lives in Portland, Oregon. We were able to Facetime him and his family from the Hospital for the Special Child Presentation on the floor of the Lodge during our Meeting. He was born September 27, 2022 in Portland, Oregon. He was one month premature with Downs Syndrome and soon he was diagnosed with a congenital heart defect. He had holes in two heart chambers and had open heart surgery when he was 7 months old, which corrected this defect.

A year ago, Nico was diagnosed with B-cell Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia. He was in the hospital for a month undergoing extensive tests, chemotherapy, and steroids, which caused very uncomfortable side effects. He is back in the hospital and still on chemotherapy for the next six months. Nico does not understand what is going on, but he remains sweet and innocent, and he is staying strong and doing well in physical therapy. He is now crawling, and he is strengthening his leg muscles and learning to stand.

Nico now has a younger brother, Gideon, who is 8 months old. They have developed a very close bond. Nico loves his match box cars and books and often pretends to read to everyone. Nico lives in Portland with his parents, Andru and Hannah Collingsworth. He was referred to us by his aunt, Nikki Muller, a local nurse who has volunteered with our Special Child Program for a couple of years.

Gifts were presented to Nico's aunt, Nikki Muller; Nico's Great Grandmother Barbara Hayden, and a family friend, Robin Keese.



From Left to Right: Ronda Peri, Special Child Committee, Irene Marciano, Exalted Ruler Karen Seeley, Co-Chairperson Special Child Committee, Nyada Turner, Co-Chairperson Special Child Committee, Nikki Muller, Nico's Aunt, Barbara Hayden, Nico's Great Grandmother, Robin Keese, Family Friend, Darren Baker, Special Child Committee.



See you Monday!



August 2025


Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
					1 Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner 5-7 Band 530-10	2 Lounge 11-5 Hot Dogs Lunch 12-2
3 Sunday Funday 11-5PM Lunch 12-3PM	4 Lounge 4:30-10 BINGO PURPLE	5 Lounge 4-close Taco Tuesday 5-7PM	6 Lounge 4-10 Dinner 5-7 Karaoke 6:30-10	7 Lounge 4-Close Dinner 5-7 Lodge	8 Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner 5-7 Band 530-10	9 Lounge 11-5 Hot Dogs Lunch 12-2
10 Sunday Funday 11-5PM Lunch 12-3PM Brunch 9-12	11 Lounge 4:30-10 BINGO AQUA	12 Lounge 4-close Taco Tuesday 5-7PM	13 Lounge 4-10 Dinner 5-7 Karaoke 6:30-10	14 Lounge 4-Close Dinner 5-7 Lodge	15 Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner 5-7 Band 530-10	16 Lounge 11-5 Hot Dogs Lunch 12-2
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24 Sunday Funday 11-5PM Lunch 12-3PM	25 Lounge 4:30-10 BINGO RED	26 Lounge 4-close Taco Tuesday 5-7PM ORIENTAION	27 Lounge 4-10 Dinner 5-7 Karaoke 6:30-10	28 Lounge 4-Close Dinner 5-7 Lodge Meeting 7:30 &	29 Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner 5-7 Band 530-10	30 Lounge 11-5 Hot Dogs Lunch 12-2
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September

2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
WE WILL NEVER FORGET 9.11 Sunday Funday 11=5pm Lunch 12-3	LABOR DAY Bingo 5PM GREEN	Lounge 4-Close 5-7pm Taco Tuesday	Lounge 4-10:00 5-7 Dinner 6:30-10:00 Karaoke	7:30 pm Lodge Meeting PURPLE PIG Dine 5-7pm	Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner & Live Music 5:30-10:30	11-5:00PM Lounge Open Hot Dog Lunch Endless Summer Party
Sunday Funday 11=5pm Lunch 12-3	Lounge 4:30-10:00 5pm Bingo ORANGE	Lounge 4-Close 5-7pm Taco Tuesday House Committee 7:00	Lounge 4-10:00 5-7 Dinner 6:30-10:00 Karaoke	7:30 pm Lodge Meeting TEENAGER OF THE MONTH Dine 5-7pm PATRIOTS DAY	Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner & Live Music 5:30-10:30	11-5:00PM Lounge Open Hot Dog Lunch
9 am-12 pm Sunday Brunch Sunday Funday Pizza Lunch 12-3	Lounge 4:30-10:00 5pm Bingo PURPLE	Lounge 4-Close 5-7pm Taco Tuesday	Lounge 4-10:00 5-7 Dinner 6:30-10:00 Karaoke	7:30 pm Lodge Meeting SPECIAL CHILD Dine 5-7pm Trustee Mtng 6pm	Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner & Live Music 5:30-10:30	11-5:00PM Lounge Open Hot Dog Lunch
OC DISTRICT ELKS GAMES @ GG Lodge	Lounge 4:30-10:00 5pm Bingo AQUA	Lounge 4-Close 5-7pm Taco Tuesday Orientation 6:00	Lounge 4-10:00 5-7 Dinner 6:30-10:00 Karaoke	7:30 pm Lodge Meeting INITIATION Dine 5-7pm	Lounge 11-11 Lunch 12-2 Dinner & Live Music 5:30-10:30	11-5:00PM Lounge Open Hot Dog Lunch
Sunday Funday 11=5pm Lunch 12-3 PER Car Show 10-2pm	Lounge 4:30-10:00 5pm Bingo BLUE	Lounge 4-Close 5-7pm Taco Tuesday				Saturdays 11 am  Hot Dogs

The View Month

THE HILL TOP VIEW RESTAURANT & LOUNGE
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Taco Tuesday 5-7 pm

Mix n match with Beef, Chicken, pork, fish, shrimp tacos and Quesadillas includes Rice, Beans and a full Condiments & Salsa Bar.....



On occasion we'll feature Taquitos, Potato Tacos and other yummy surprises.

WEDNESDAY 5-7PM

1ST WEDNESDAY: Fried or Baked Chicken Night

2ND WEDNESDAY Choices may vary:

(Beef; Turkey OR Chicken Pot Pies; Pot Roast, Pork Loin, Beef Stroganoff; Sheppard's Pie, Chicken ala King, House-made Casseroles AND MORE)

3rd WEDNESDAY: Meat Loaf Dinner

4th WEDNESDAY: Pasta Night.

Extra Wednesday: Chef's Choice

THURSDAYS American Diner FARE 5-7 PM Includes but not limited to: Chicken Fried Steak, Liver n Onions, Burgers, Specialty Sandwiches (our own Monte Cristo), Fried Shrimp, Fish n Chips, Entrée Salads, Fries, Onion Rings and much more.

FRIDAYS....DINNER 5:30-7:30 PM

F.F.B. IS BACK...(First Friday Buffet)

Each FIRST Friday of the month Chef Zee and his culinary team will feature an array of your favorite dishes from recent past, includes salad and dessert.

Dinner hours 5-7:30 pm. Stay for the live entertainment & dancing from 6:30-10:30pm

The following will be the August weekly Specials:

Aug. 8th: SPECIAL: Delmonico Steak w/ Matre D' Herb Butter

Aug. 15th: SPECIAL: Chicken Enchiladas w/ Rice & Beans

Aug. 22nd: SPECIAL: USDA Choice Prime Rib

Aug. 29th: SPECIAL: Tenderloin Beef Kabobs

Entrees will always include a selection of Potatoes, Rice or Risotto, fresh veggies, dinner salad & fresh baked rolls. Please refer to your emails and online at beginning of week & on our Facebook and Instagram pages for the FULL MENU, which will include: Appetizers and many more choices like Fish & Seafood, Chicken, Pork, Burgers, Fish n chips, Desserts, etc.

Subject to change without notice and while supplies last. Please come up & support the lodge!
See Weekly E-mail Blast and Facebook for up to date Menu Specials

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Fullerton Elks members: bring this coupon up the hill and enjoy one FREE dinner entree (beverage excluded) any evening dinner is served during your birthday month.

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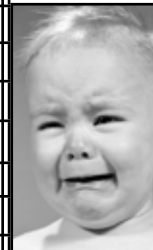
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9109	Donini Thomas	\$150	Absent 6/26



FRIDAY AFTERNOON AT THE LODGE!

burn your own



Burgers, Bratwursts, or Hot Dogs

with condiments galore!

(Lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, cheese, and sauces.)

Grill your own

12PM - 2PM

BAR IS OPEN!

Come up and enjoy the afternoon!

\$5

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Strive for Five!!

Elks Celebrate Fourth Year of Membership Growth—Now Set Sights on “Strive for Five” The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks has achieved a historic milestone—four consecutive years of national membership growth. With a net increase of 62,163 members over the past four years, the Elks have not only reversed a decades-long trend of decline, but reignited confidence in the future of Elksdom. This achievement is far more than a statistical gain—it is the product of disciplined strategy, relentless outreach, and the unwavering commitment of state and local leaders across the nation. It signals a renewed strength at every level of our organization.

Membership growth is not just one of our goals—it is our top priority. It fuels our Lodges, strengthens our communities, and secures the long-term vitality of our mission. When we focus on bringing in new members and keeping them engaged, we create thriving Lodges—places people are proud to join and proud to stay in.

Behind these numbers is a national team driven by results: the Grand Lodge Membership & Marketing Committee. Their tireless efforts, along with the grassroots leadership in every district and Lodge, have made this four-year streak possible.

As Director of Membership & Marketing, I am proud to serve alongside this extraordinary team. We are forward-focused, metrics-driven, and united by a shared purpose: growing the Elks—not for growth’s sake, but for the future of the communities we serve.

Today, we begin our next mission: “Strive for Five”—five straight years of national membership growth. The momentum is real. The commitment is strong. And together—we’ll hit it.

It’s GREAT to be an ELK!!

Patrick J. Akes, PDDGER
Grand Lodge Area 7-Membership,
Marketing & Public Relations
Committee

Help Wanted

The Fullerton Elks Bugle is an award winning Elks Newsletter bringing information to all Lodge members and is publicly available on our website, FullertonElks.org

We need to transition from our current designer to someone new. What do you need to succeed? Access to any type of publishing software such as Word, Publisher, InDesign, Illustrator, Canva, or anything you are comfortable with.

We are happy to train you and make sure things transition smoothly. We will walk with you for several months as things transition. This will really help out the team, the lodge, and all our readers. This is a great team and I have thoroughly enjoyed this experience for the last five years. For personal reasons, I do need to transition away. You will never walk alone, and I will assist you.

Please reach out to our designer, Jim Aksel at 714-813-4025 or email jeaksel@gmail.com



Fullerton Elks Lodge No. 1993



SUNDAY BRUNCH

Every Second Sunday

9:00AM - 12:00PM

\$18.00 Adult
\$15.00 Elk Member
\$5.00 Child 5-12 years

Features

Omelets, Potatoes, Scrambled Eggs, Chorizo & Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Waffles, Pastries, Fruit, Orange Juice, and Coffee

COMPLEMENTARY
GLASS OF CHAMPAGNE

Call Office for Reservations
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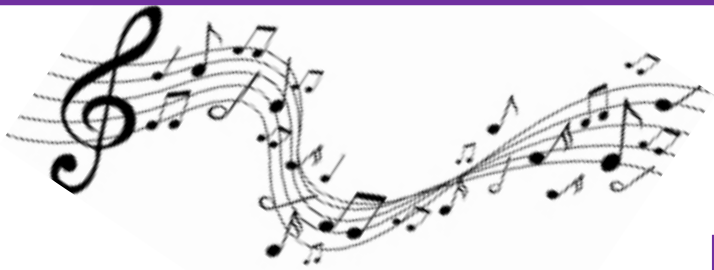
New Rules for Friday Night Dinner Reservations

As of August 1, 2025, any reservation of 6 or more will require a credit card to accompany the reservation. If you wish to cancel your reservation and do not do so before Friday, the credit card will be charged \$15 per person for the reservation.

This new policy is being implemented because, unfortunately, we have run into many instances where a party reserves a table, we purchase food for that number of people, we turn others away, and then the party doesn't show up.

Authorized and approved by the Fullerton Elks House Committee.

**UPDATED
POLICY**



The Lodge has live music every Friday evening! Give us a call to see who the band is, and keep watch on your email blasts.



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Sunday, August 3rd
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Fullerton Elks Lodge
1400 Elks View Lane, Fullerton

Admission includes Lunch and 1 auction paddle.
Additional paddles and quarters will be available for purchase at the event.

\$45^{pp}
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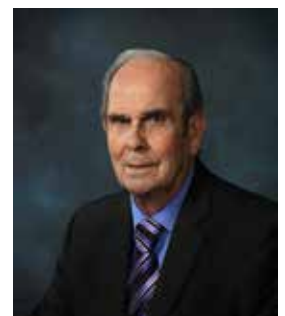
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Public Relations/Publicity Committee News

"The more you give, the more good things come to you."
Crow Proverb



Two main goals of our Public Relations/Publicity Committee are to promote membership in the Elks, and to publicize our charitable efforts.

This has been done by having articles published, and by participating in events sponsored by various cities in North Orange County. Several of our members have assisted setting up a Fullerton Elks booth and answering attendee's questions about the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks (BPOE). We always have a lot of fun while at the same time informing people of Elks charities and programs. For new members, this is an excellent way to learn more about your organization. If you are interested in helping or volunteering, please contact Cory Brown at KG6EP@AOL.COM.



★ HELP HEAL VETERANS ★ CRAFT KIT VOLUNTEER DAY HOSTED BY FULLERTON ELKS LODGE #1993

Supporting Those Who Served Our Country



When:
Exact Date
Coming Soon

Where:
Fullerton Elks Lodge
#1993
1400 Elks View Lane
Fullerton, CA 92835



What's the Mission?

Help Heal Veterans needs volunteers to assemble 2,000 Business Card Size Luggage Tag craft kits that will be shipped to VA hospitals and military personnel.

These therapeutic kits help veterans and active-duty service members find comfort, purpose, and healing.



Scan the code to visit Help Heal Veterans online!



Did You Know?

The Elks have supported this program nationally by donating deer hides for moccasins, totes, and other crafts - let's keep this proud tradition alive!



Questions or Want to Sign Up?

Contact:
Anthu
714 6978520

SAVE THE DATE!

FUNDRAISING NIGHT FOR THE VETERANS

**\$15.00
PER PERSON**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2025
AT THE LODGE • DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

POTATO BAR EXTRAVAGANZA!

Custom baked potatoes, fully loaded and served with pride by:



Bill, Darren, John, Pete
(Toppings Galore . Comfort Food . Made with love)

Proceeds will go toward purchasing Christmas Wreaths Across America to be placed on the graves of our honored Veterans.

COME SUPPORT YOUR LODGE AND HONOR THOSE WHO SERVED!



Wear your most patriotic gear

Please RSVP/Text to 714-697-8520 so we know how many potatoes to prepare.
Let's make this night count!

Hello Veterans Supporters,

We have some exciting news for everyone interested in getting involved!



Last Tuesday, John, Tom, and I visited *Help Heal Veterans* and met with John Hernandez, their Director of Operations and Warehouse Management. We toured their warehouse and learned more about how we can support their mission.

What We Learned:

Help Heal Veterans provides therapeutic craft kits to veterans, active-duty military, and VA facilities nationwide. These kits play a vital role in rehabilitation and mental health.



Interestingly, we also discovered that the *Elks* have been involved at the national level by donating large quantities of deer hides used to create projects like moccasins and totes.

How We Can Help:

They currently need volunteers to assemble about 2,000 Business Card Size Luggage Tag kits (see below)



We are planning to schedule a date in August for members to gather at the lodge to put these kits together.

Our idea is to set up an assembly line so everyone can work together and have an enjoyable time while making a difference for veterans.

Interested?

If you would like to participate, please let us know so we can tell Help Heal Veterans how many kits we will be able to assemble. We will share more details in August after they complete their inventory.



You can also scan the attached QR code to learn more about Help Heal Veterans.

Thank you for your support! Tom M., John S. and Anthu N. 714-697-8520

Sickness and Distress June 2025

Darren Baker's Father and his Father-in-Law are out of the hospital, and his daughter-in-law gave birth to a baby girl, Darren is a new Grandpa! Congratulations to all!

Lisa Pacheco's husband, Jeff, is having stem cell transplant performed at the City of Hope on July 29, both Lisa and her husband are required to quarantine, so Lisa will probably be away from Fullerton Elks until mid-October, the Fullerton Elks Family wish Lisa and her husband a successful stem cell transplant and a speedy recovery. Prayers are appreciated.

Susie Myers' brother passed away on Tuesday June 1, he attended the Memorial Day Celebration here at the Lodge and had a wonderful time, thanks to everyone for all the support throughout the years. Susie is having wrist surgery on Friday, June 6, prayers are appreciated

Irene shared that she, Ronda, Karen and Nayada attended the funeral of Special Child Amelia Grace Castellanos, who passed away at 17 years old, the Fullerton Lodge was able to present her family with \$5,450.00 that will go to defray the funeral costs, the family wanted to thank the Fullerton Elks Lodge for the continued support throughout the years and wanted to express their gratitude for the generosity shown them - Irene shared her pride in being a Fullerton Elk.

Our Mary Schmidtgal fell twice recently, nothing was broken but she suffered a laceration on her left arm that is taking time to heal, please keep her in your prayers as we all miss her so much; Hilltoppers David Bassett, and Jim Mangielli passed away recently.

Irene shared that Nico, Special Child is in the hospital, prayers sought for Nico and family.

Cathy Capps reported that her brother-in-law is on new medicine, prayers appreciated for him and her sister Linda. Lisa Pacheco's husband Jet is preparing for Stem Cell transplant scheduled for June 30th, prayers appreciated.

Cathy Capps brother-in-law has lost weight and is being sent to Palliative Care; prayers appreciated.

Dave Judy seeking prayers for his father, and a family member in Parker AZ struggling with Cancer.

Dan Casey asks to keep Mike Mathers and Tom Conlon in prayer.

Dana Antolin will receive a trial Spinal Stimulator on Monday June 30 and if successful she will receive a permanent one. Luis Antolin's uncle Pete Corona passed, prayers for the family.

Colleen Wadsworth will undergo surgery Monday June 30th, prayers appreciated.

Ways to help: Send a card, say a prayer, ask how you can help, bring a meal, offer a ride, lend an ear, make a call, lend a hand.



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Dana Antolin, 2021~2022
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Brian McNamara, 2023~2024
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John Kelly, *+John McCue, *+Dr.
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