

EASTON ELKS NEWS

JUNE 2018



CELEBRATING OUR 79TH YEAR OF SERVICE TO THE
EASTON COMMUNITY
A FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION
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FLAG DAY JUNE 14TH

- Veterans Luncheon 3:30^{PM} (see page 4)
- Mid-Shore Community Band Concert 6:30^{PM}
 - Flag Day Ceremony 7^{PM}

Parade of Historical Flags: Boy Scout Troop 532

Flag Folding Ceremony: NJROTC

The Lodge meeting will be held Wednesday June 13th

**JOIN US FOR OUR FLAG DAY CELEBRATION
RAIN OR SHINE**

A Great Stop For Visiting Members!

LODGE LOCATION

502 DUTCHMANS LN.
EASTON, MD
2 BLOCKS WEST OF OCEAN
GATEWAY (ROUTE 50)
TURN WEST AT ROYAL
FARMS.

PH: 410.822.3344

LODGE HOURS

11 AM - 9 PM MON - FRI
LUNCH SERVED DAILY
11 AM - 2 PM
FRI. NIGHT DINNER 6-9 PM
SATURDAY 3 PM - 10 PM
SUNDAYS 1PM TO CLOSING

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The Belmont Stakes

Saturday June 9th

Could be a triple crown race

Come out and enjoy the excitement

Horses, food and fun 6:30^{pm} race time

DJ Dean will provide music after the race till 10^{pm}



Our New ER's Message



EASTON ELKS LODGE

2018-2019 Officers

David Tyler
Exalted Ruler

Lisa Whiting
Leading Knight

Michael Hussnatter
Loyal Knight

Jeffery Rasmussen
Lecturing Knight

Robert Faiella
Secretary

Bob Coleman, PER
Treasurer

Michael Frankos
Tiler

Esther Caplan
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Dave Caplan
Inner Guard

Joyce Kent
Esquire

Trustees

Bob Burris 2019

Linda Lynch 2020

Jeff Morton 2021

Martin Decere, PER 2022

And we're coming into turn three. June being the third month of our Lodge year also the third race of the triple crown is in June. As May comes to a close I want to thank everyone that has made this Lodge year start out with a bang. We've had some very successful events in the Rathskellar, along with a successful Soccer Shoot and our membership numbers are on track to be another good year. Now on to the month of June with it being the first month of summer the pool will be open in regular form.

We also take time to honor our flag for it is our constant reminder of the freedoms we enjoy everyday and the sacrifices made to achieve and maintain these freedoms. I hope you will join myself and the Lodge officer's in celebrating Old Glory at our Lodge on flag day with the Mid Shore community band. The Vietnam Traveling wall is in town the first week of June please take time to stop and take in the memorial. It's an honor to have it come to our town and a lot of people have worked hard to give us the opportunity to pay homage to the 58,000+ names upon the wall that gave the ultimate sacrifice.

We also will be honoring our scholarship winners on June 8th in the Rathskellar. The winners and their family's have been invited to dinner that Friday so I invite you to make a reservation for that evening as well. Join us in celebrating their achievements. I will be traveling to Solomon's Island to the State Elks Convention that weekend to report on our Lodge and to see other Elks from around our state. I enjoy learning what other Lodges are doing what works and what doesn't. If anyone has any questions or concerns they would like me to discuss at the convention please contact me.

The house Committee has been working diligently too keep our Lodge busy and in accordance with Grand Lodge guidelines on the business end of things. Hence there will be price adjustments to some of our products. There will be more to come on the entertainment as details are solidified. I encourage everyone to come out to the Lodge and enjoy a meal or entertainment after all its your Lodge enjoy it. Making a difference starts with You.

This months Elk of the month is Glenn Dyott. Glenn is a member of the house committee. You can always find him helping. Such as manning a grill at our events. If you see him around the Lodge give him a pat on the back and a thank you for all his help year after year.

Your Exalted Ruler,

Dave Tyler

ELK of the MONTH

Glenn Dyott

Around the Lodge

5th Annual Youth Fishing Derby

This year's Youth Fishing Derby will occur on July 14th at the Bay Street Ponds from 8:00 AM until 1:00 PM. Generally, we have 110 - 120 youth plus many parents. In addition to fishing, we have a variety of interesting exhibits and activities including Metal Detecting, Police Dog Demonstration, Exotic Animals, the Phillips Aquatic Bus, Face Painting. We serve hot dogs and chips for lunch and Rita's Ices magically appears. Trophies for the most fish and the largest fish are awarded for 3 different age groups and "goodie bags" are distributed to all participants.

Putting together this event takes a lot of preparation work by a team of dedicated Elk volunteers and an even greater number of supporting staff on event day. - We want to invite you to become a member of our team and help us plan and conduct the Derby. This event needs to reflect positively on our Lodge and demonstrate that Elks are committed to community service.

We need Elks, and fishing friends, to help with the following activities:

- Soliciting donations of dollars, goods, and services to augment our ENF grant
- Logistical support to move equipment from/to the Lodge for use at Bay Street Ponds
- Fishing support persons to set-up 4 Field Stations, then measure and record fish caught
- Acquisition, packaging, and distribution of "goodie bags" and raffle items to participants
- Prepare and install directional and informational signs at the Derby
- Install advertising banners at 3 locations and have local merchants display posters
- Assist with the online attendee registration processing, pre-event sign-in materials, and event day sign-in activities
- Readying rods & reels for use, transporting to/from the Ponds, distributing to participants, collecting and returning to storage
- Preparing, delivering, and serving lunch to participants, parents, and staff
- And, a multitude of minutia that is essential to a successful event.

If you are interested in helping us with the Derby, please contact
Joyce Kent at 410-310-9140 or joycedkent@gmail.com
Calvin Yowell at 410-820-8935 or calvinyowell@goeaston.net

Committee Chairs

2018-2019

Debi Kendall
House Committee

Membership & Indoctrination-TBA

Ellis Parks, PER
Gaming

Community Activities - TBA

Andrea Shoener
Public Relations

Debi Kendall
Bob Coleman
Newsletter

Ken Kirby
Joe Emerson
Pool

Bob Coleman
ENF

H.D. Slaughter III
Auditing/Accounting,

Bob Burris
Accident Prevention

Harvey Smith, PER
Investigating

Jamie McDaniel
Drug Awareness

Government Relations-TBA
Grounds-TBA

Dick Palazzolo
Veterans Affairs

Glen Plutschak
John Franczak
Hoop Shoot

Leo Myzick
Scholarship

Tom Keepers
Charity, Visitation, Relief -

Jeff Rasmussen
Youth Activities

Linda Lynch
Lodge Activities

Ernie Smith
Americanism, Flag Day

TRIVIA On Vacation till Fall

Veterans Corner

ATTENTION ALL MILITARY VETERANS

The Easton Elks Lodge # 1622 is hosting a special mid-day luncheon, beginning at 3:30PM on Thursday June 14th—Flag Day. As a special salute we cordially invite all member veterans and your spouse, significant other or a guest to join us at that time.

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks throughout the United States has continued to respect and honor all veterans who have represented our great country, in all branches of military service; and, through the sacrifices you make today and have made in times past,

We ask that you RSVP to this invitation no later than Monday June 4th so that may advise the our Chef as to the number attending. Please respond by calling the Lodge at 410-822-3344 Ext 10 and tell the Bar Steward of your intention to attend.

In addition, the Lodge is in the process of updating all of it's records to recognize all Lodge members who served on active duty in the United States military. Please help us update our records, being kept and maintained by your Lodge's new Secretary, Bob Faiella. Please get in touch with Bob, either via e-mail or by phone message, by calling the Lodge's telephone number 410-822-3344, Ext.12; or by sending him a short e-mail to let him know when you served and in what branch of the service.

Bob's e-mail is rfaiella@atlanticbb.net

Veterans Committee

VA Expands Telehealth

On May 11th the VA announced a new federal rule that will allow VA doctors, nurses and other health-care providers to administer care to Veterans using telehealth regardless of where in the US the provider or Veteran is located, including when care will occur across state lines or outside a VA facility.

Previously, it was unclear whether VA providers could furnish care to Veterans in other states through telehealth because of licensing restrictions or state-specific telehealth laws. This new rule exercises federal preemption to override those state restrictions, paving the way for VA to expand care to Veterans using telehealth.

By enabling Veterans nationwide to receive care at home, the rule will especially benefit Veterans living in rural areas who would otherwise need to travel a considerable distance or across state lines to receive care. The rule also expands Veterans access to critical care that can be provided virtually – such as mental health care and suicide prevention by allowing quicker and easier access to VA mental health providers through telehealth.

To learn more about VA's telehealth, visit VA's Office of Connected Care at <http://connectedcare.va.gov>.



Family Bingo

June 16, 2018

Food, Family & Fun

Come out and join the FUN !!



Secretary's Corner

NOTICE TO ALL MEMBERS

Due to Flag Day falling on our Lodge Meeting Night

Our Regular Lodge Meeting will be held

Wednesday June 13, 2018 at 7PM



"We shall meet, but we shall miss them, there will be the Vacant Chair"

Member	Member #	Age	Elk Years
Earl Francis Redifer	2647	94	30



ATTENTION !!!

**GATHER ALL YOUR GREEN AND RED DRINK CHIPS WE ARE
HAVING A CHIP CHANGE**

THE OLD CHIPS WILL EXPIRE JULY 1, 2018



Friday Night Dinners

June 1st

Fish Tacos

Kobe Beef Burger

June 8th

Grilled New York Strip

Chicken Chesapeake



June 15th Prime Rib

Buffet w/Steamed Shrimp

(Dine in only, no carry out boxes)

June 22nd

Seafood Cioppino

Smothered Pork Ribeye

June 29th

Sautéed Soft Crabs

8oz Filet Mignon

The old saying "there ain't no free lunch" maybe true but at the Lodge you can get free dessert
Bring a non-member guest to lunch and enjoy two meals, then you both will receive a complementary dessert

(immediate family excluded)

~2019 Super Bowl Pool~

Big Money Football Pool

\$100.00 per block

Payable on a weekly/monthly basis

Big Pay-Outs

First 3 Quarters pay 1,000.00

4th Quarter pays 2,500.00

Touching blocks & Loser picks pay too

Parties with food and drinks

Sign up in Rathskeller

Get in while you can

More details & rules posted in Rathskeller



BREAKFAST AT THE ELKS

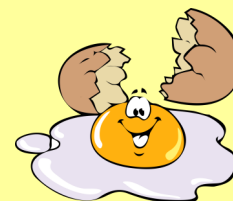
Don't miss the Great Food !!

June 24th

Omelets to Order, Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Scrapple, Sausage gravy, Hash Browns, Pancakes, Biscuits, Fresh Fruit, Orange Juice, Coffee. All you can eat, \$9.00 for Adults, \$5.00 kids 10 and under.

Recruiting anyone who can be at the Lodge around 6:30 AM to help with setup

Volunteers always needed —Contact Dave Caplan dneap1@verizon.net or 410-745-3722



LODGE Member Graduates



Morgan Leigh Whiting graduated from University of Maryland University College with a Bachelor's of Science in Criminal Justice and a minor in Terrorism and Critical Infrastructure with a GPA 3.8 . She has started law school at Widener University School of Law in May 2018.

One of the newest and youngest members at the Lodge. Morgan, although only a member since December 2017, has been actively volunteering at multiple events at the lodge for the past nine years.

We wish Morgan much success with her continuing education and new journey.

Charity Parking Space Auction

The Exalter Rulers parking spot will be auctioned off each month. Sealed bids now being accepted. Mark your bid Attn: ER Parking and the person with the highest bid by the 15th of each month will get the Prime Spot for the following month. All bids can be left in the Rathskeller.

ATTENTION: Anyone caught parking in the ER parking spot without authorization will need to pay a \$20 donation to ENF for each violation!!!



Help us get the word out to our community. Share and like posts on the Lodge Facebook Page

<https://www.facebook.com/EastonElks1622/>

New Lodge Officers



Mike Hussnatter
Loyal Knight



Jeff Rasmussen
Lecturing Knight



Mike Frankos
Inner Guard



Robert "Bob" Faiella
Secretary



The Scholarship Corner



Hello fellow lodge members, Leo Myzick, lodge Scholarship Chair here. Sometimes I feel that member readers consider me as being, **“Leo Myzick, the blah, blah, blah, windbag man, always jabbering about scholarship donations”**. Sometimes I do feel like I am George in the Seinfeld’s episode wherein the Soup Nazi says to George, **“No Soup for You”**. Well, I’m thinking, **“No donations for you”**. After writing several articles about donating, I have received just a couple of \$100 donations. Hence, I have come to the conclusion that I need some meaningful marketing advice and help in this matter to obtain some significant scholarship funds for deserving, hopeful students and their families.

Therefore, I would highly appreciate it if lodge members would please email me at lmyzick@goeaston.net to give me some reasons for why there is little donation interest in our scholarship program along with some helpful hints on how I might be able to obtain donations *mucho grande* for our **Easton Elks Lodge MVS Scholarship Program** at elks1622.org.

Finally, I think of myself as the new Sheriff in town sworn to oversee and develop the maximum growth of the **Easton Elks Lodge MVS Scholarship Program**. My success depends upon the accumulation of your donations. I do have a funding goal. If that goal ends up at year end as being paltry, you will have run this Sheriff **“right out of town”**

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.



If you haven't got any charity in your heart, you have the worst kind of heart trouble." ~ Bob Hope

The Easton Elks Lodge

Honorary

SCHOLARSHIP

Awards Dinner



**Friday, June 8th; 6 to 10pm; Meet our 11 Most Valuable Student
Scholarship Winners for 2018**

Elks Care & Elks Share



George Shoener presents a
Scholarship Award to student
Ben Kelly at Saints Peter and
Paul High School.



June Birthdays



Ira J Barnes	01	Ralph E Starkey	10	John J Haight	18
Jeffrey S Bell	01	Norman L Davis	11	Matthew C Elzey	19
Charles E Ewing	01	Sarah Williamson	11	Albert B Gipe	21
Edgar A Morgan Jr	01	Jeffrey W Mueller	12	W Robert M Valliant	21
Brenda J Barnes	04	W W Prettyman III	12	Glenn O Ball	23
Robert F Dulin	04	Frederick E Startt	12	William Scott Horne	23
Mark O Harris	04	Gordon L Callahan	13	Alvin O Waller	24
Johanna O Norris	04	Phillip O Dyott	14	W Wayne Morgan	25
Frank W Celestino	05	Richard T Ball	15	Robert B Lindsay	26
Kent O Lyons	05	Bernard L Grove	15	Richard B Barrow	27
Howard H Wooters Jr	05	Robert Klappenbach	15	Edward S Bishop III	27
Terry W Matthews	06	Christopher Kleppinger	15	Laura O Covey	28
David L Benhoff	07	Gerald E Marks	15	Michael G Ewing	29
James O Miller	08	L Thomas Golt	17	Hubert H Hoehn	29
Adrian O Nickel	09	A Ranney Bunnell	18		

Meet Your Lodge Ritual Team

Exalter Ruler—Fred Petze, PER	Chaplain— Esther Caplan
Leading Knight—Genevieve Decere	Inner Guard - Lee Murphy
Loyal Knight—Dave Caplan	Esquire—Bob Coleman, PER
Lecturing Knight—Joyce Kent	Subs— Shelby Barnes & Kay Dutrow


A Special Thank You to the members of our Ritual Team

They give of their time, believe in the Elks Ritual
and the impression's that are made on our new members.


Come out on June 6th have dinner and watch your ritual teams rendition of the Initiation Ritual.

The Initiation is open to members, family and friends.

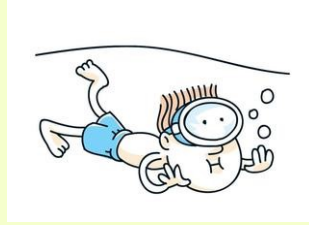
June 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Fish Tacos Kobe Burger	2
3	4 House Comm 6:30 pm	5	6 Wed Nite Dinner & Initiation	7	8 New York Strip -Chix Chesapeake Awards Dinner	9 Belmont Race
10	11	12 Board Mtg	13 -Wed Nite Dinner Lodge Mtg	14 Vets Lunch- eon - Flag Day	15 Prime Rib Buffet w/ Steam Shrimp	16 Family Bingo
17 Fathers Day	18	19	20 Wed Nite Dinner	21 Summer Begins 	22 Seafood Cioppino Pork Chop	23
24 Breakfast	25	26	27 Wed Nite Dinner	28	29 Soft Crab 8oz Filet	30

July 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 House Comm 6:30	3	4 	5	6	7
8	9	10 Board Meeting	11	12 Lodge Meeting	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Come and Enjoy the Pool!



Ice Cream available Every Day!!

Pool Hours 11am to 7pm Every Day

Beginning June 15th!

(Weekends only until then)

(Pool Applications available at the pool)

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