## THE GRAZING ELK

## Trenton Lodge 105 BPOE

Lodge Phone Number 609-771-0105

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Hi everyone. Hope you're all enjoying the summertime weather.

I, along with my wife Evelyn, attended the Grand Lodge National Convention in San Antonio, Texas. Again it was an honor and privilege for me to represent the 105 at the business sessions and to witness the installation of the new Grand Lodge Officers for the 2018/2019 Elk year. This year our Grand Exalted Ruler is Michael T. Luhr who is the

first GER from the State of Alaska. His motto is "Working Together to Make a Difference". May he do well in all his efforts as the Grand Exalted Ruler of the BPOE of the U.S.A.

There is always something happening at the Lodge. Check out our Newsletter, Facebook Page and Website for all the information you need and come out to support all of the Lodge's events. Each of our committees work very hard to make these events happen. Our Thursday Trivia Night has been growing since it's inception, thanks to Kristin Anderson's dedication. Thursday night is also Quoite Night thanks to Jackie Boothby, and Jim Castilize has inroduced Friday Night Karaoke. Come on out and try one of these activities. You'll like it. LOL.

My pick for Elk of the month of August is Andy Lazarczykj. Andy is a relatively new member to the Lodge and we managed to convince he and his wife to come to the Wildwood Convention. What a great thing that was for the Lodge. Andy was a huge help with assembling and disassembling the float. Andy's wife, made artwork magic in helping paint the background. Look for Andy the next time your at the Lodge and say hello to a great young man and an asset to the 105.

See You At The Lodge,

Roger



Thank you for all you do Andy Lazarczykj August's Elk of the Month

# FRIDAY HAPPY

HOUR

Drink specials 5 to 7 Food ready by 6 pm Check the Weekly Update on Facebook for each









## FROM THE **SECRETARY'S** DESK

Regular Lodge Meeting August 15th



Joan Siwy SecretaryBPOE105@yahoo.com Lodge 609-771-0105 Cell 908-510-0422

Office hours: Tuesday 5:30-9 pm Friday 6:30 to 9:00 Other hours by appointment.

## **Delinquent Members** Please pay your 2018-2019 dues immediately.

Stephen Basca Simon Belli Kenneth Bleakey Arthur Carroll Charles Chianese **Edward Colligan** Steven Daroci Janet Ellis **David Evans** Gene Galli Dawn Harris Charles Hart

Joseph Herzstein

Jo Ann Hoagland Judith Kelly George Kopczynski Vincent Scannella Chris Lawton Jaysen LeSage Samuel Messick William Morton Gustav Pfaff Thomas Prettyman Michael Ragos Elizabeth Remer Richard Rutzler

**Thomas Salvadore** John Saville Blaine Shaddow John Sindora Donald Slabicki N Smith Jack Topley Jefferson Wadkins Tracy Winder-Paral William Young Joseph Zaburski

### **Lodge Activities**

August 7

**National Night Out Ewing Community Center** 

August 18

**NASCAR Party—Bristol** 

August 21

**Family Fun Night** 

September 22

**Annual Antique Auto Show** 

September 29

**Ewing Communityfest** 

November 5

Volunteer at Mercer St. Friends Food Bank

November 18

**Veterans Committee** Pancake breakfast





Trenton 105 proudly welcomes our newest member Judy Cook, with our Exalted Ruler, Roger Chupik. We're happy to have you in the Brotherhood.



Saturday bar hours will be announced in the weekly Facebook update.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Bar Closed	Quoits and Trivia Bar opens at 7	Happy Hour 5-7 Bar Open at 5:00 Karaoke	4 TBD
5 Bar Closed	6 Bar Closed	7 VACATION NO DINNER BAR CLOSED	8 Bar Closed	Quoits and Trivia Bar opens at 7	10 Happy Hour 5-7 Bar Open at 5:00 Karaoke	11 TBD
12 Bar Closed	13 Bar Closed	14 VACATION NO DINNER BAR CLOSED	15 Regular Lodge Meeting 8:00 pm	16 Quoits and Trivia Bar opens at 7	17 Happy Hour 5-7 Bar Open at 5:00 Karaoke	18 NASCAR PARTY Bristol Bar opens 7 pm
19 Bar Closed	20 Bar Closed	21 FAMILY FUN NIGHT 6-8 In the park	Bar Closed	23 Quoits and Trivia Bar opens at 7	24 Happy Hour 5-7 Bar Open at 5:00 Karaoke	25 TBD
26 Bar Closed	27 Bar Closed	VACATION NO DINNER BAR CLOSED	Bar Closed	Trivia Bar opens at 7	31 Happy Hour 5-7 Bar Open at 5:00 Karaoke	

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						1 TBD
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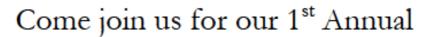
#### MONTHLY COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Community Affairs first Wednesday Marching - second Tuesday

Special Children - last Tuesday Veterans - third Wednesday

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# Family Fun Night!

## Tuesday, August 21, 2018 6:00-8:00pm

Trenton Elks #105

Joe Buch, PGER Special Childrens Park

42 DeCou Ave

Ewing, NJ 08628



Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Water, Chips & Dessert Suggested Donation: \$5 per person (cash only)

\*Games, Music and Lots of Fun!!\*

Any questions please call (609) 771-0105







Sponsored by the Community Affairs Committee





- 02 Capt Joseph Loth
- 02 John Maier
- 03 Lucas Thompson
- 08 Denise Lugo-Fowler
- 09 Robert Lake
- 10 David Hawkins
- 10 Joseph Tenaglia
- 13 William Strube
- 14 Edward Ervin
- 16 Ralph Manges
- 19 Samuel Messick
- 21 Michael Tramontana
- 23 Donald Slabicki
- 24 Louis Genovesi
- 25 Raymond Chamberlain
- 28 Joseph Zaburski

#### LODGE BULLETIN BOOSTERS

9/18 Sally Houghton
Jim & Jewell Wade

11/18 Daniel Brandt, Sr.

Merton Trombly & Josie Kosco

Lou & Joan Siwy

12/18 Rex Carpenter

Sam & Shirley Giallella

Frances Rocco

1/19 Ray & Charlotte Laird

Frank & Dottie Szczech

2/19 Gabor Burson

Lou & Evelyn Eggert

3/19 Nancy Jakubowski

6/19 Tony & Susie Jones

Joe & Kathleen Jones

4/20 Larry Dun & Pat Vogt

BOOSTERS BELOW PLEASE RENEW





Kitchen is closed during the month of August for vacation. See you in September.

# In Loving Memory of

9/18 James A. Panek
9/18 Harry B. Houghton, PER, PDD
9/18 Harry S. & Pamela Houghton
9/18 James A. Carroll, Jr.
11/18 Bernie Michel, Jr.
11/18 Matt Kaniewski
11/18 John Brandt
11/18 John & Linda Kosco
12/18 Susanne Rocco
12/18 Dominic Rocco, Sr.
12/18 Dominic Rocco, Jr.
1/19 Edward J. Laird, Sr.
4/2019 Gaetano Messina, Jr.
7/19 Gene Jakubowski, PER

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If you want to be a "Bulletin Booster" and/or have a loved one listed "In Loving Memory . . ." please fill in the form below and return it with a donation of \$15 for <u>each</u> listing for 1 year. Donations are due on the month and year of listing date.

Please list the following in boosters:

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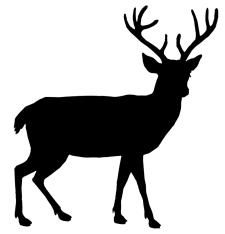


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#### A brief tribute to the majestic elk

From Grand Lodge August 2018 newsletter
By MIKE CHAMERNIK Publications Coordinator

An Elk has a reputation for toughness, endurance, loyalty, and... a four-chambered stomach. This of course refers to elk, the largest subspecies of red deer in North America, and not necessarily the Members of this benevolent order. While some people who live out west could easily distinguish a Manitoban elk from a Rocky Mountain elk, many other Members may have never seen one. The Order's namesake is a fascinating creature. Here's what you may not know about elk.



- Elk are endurance runners. They form large groups, known as "gangs," to protect against predators, which include coyotes and bears. Cows (female elk), calves and yearlings live in loose herds, while bulls (male elk) form their own groups or live alone.
- An Elk's antlers can grow an inch a day and become four feet long and 40 lbs. heavy. Elk lose their antlers
  in March but grow them back in May in advance of the fall breeding season.
- Some cultures regard the elk's antler velvet as an aphrodisiac.
- The North American elk has four living and two extinct subspecies. Other members of the elk family can also be found in Eastern Asia, Argentina, and New Zealand.
- Elk have four-chambered stomachs and can eat 20 lbs. of vegetation a day.
- Elk vary in size, from the Roosevelt elk that can weigh upwards of 1,100 lbs., to the Tule elk, which only can get to around 550 lbs.
- Much like humans, bulls compete and fight with each other for cows. Unlike humans, male elk are known to roll their bodies in their own urine to attract mates.
- Elk attack by charging with their antlers and punching with their front hooves.
- The elk's primary intimidation strategy is bugling, a high-pitch bellow that escaltaes to a squealing whistle





Saturday, August 18th 7:00

**NASCAR Party** 

from Bristol Motor Speedway

**Drink Specials** 

Points Pool

Food

JOIN THE FUN ON FRIDAY NIGHTS
AFTER HAPPY HOUR
THE FUN STARTS AT 7:30.

COME AND BE A ROCK STAR!



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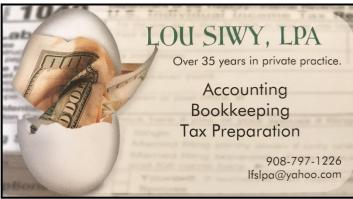
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Terri Haremza—Loyal Knight

Jim Castelize —Lecturing Knight

Joan Siwy —Secretary

Lou Siwy—Treasurer

Ron Lacken—Esquire

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Nancy Jakubowski — Inner Guard

Joe Jones—Tiler

Jennifer Keyes-Maloney, ESQ—Justice

#### **TRUSTEES**

Bob Habel–3 year Tim Anderson—2 year Eddie Jarosz–1 year

