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Elks Lodge Memorial Service 2021

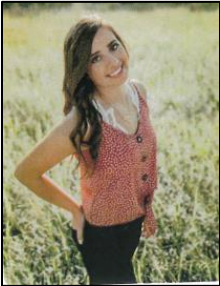


The Hastings Elks Lodge and Hastings Does held their annual memorial service on Sunday, December 5th. Due to not being able to have their service in 2020 there was several departing members honored. They were Robert Storhalder, Marcia Klein, Patrick Willey, Harry Milligan, Rodney Hansen, Richard Davey, Van Sandstedt, Richard Friend, Jim Horsham, Eugene Schreiner, Paul Spady, Larry Schanse, Dan Bogan and Richard Gion. The Hastings Does honored one departed member-Bev Ehly.

Lodge members who helped for the day were Pat Markle, Joe Thompson, Kent Rothfuss, Duane Norris, Dick Hansen, Julie Rothfuss, Jackie Norris, and John Folcik.

Following the Memorial Service, a nice lunch was provided for all that were in attendance.

January Elk Student of the Month By: Allison Bohlen



Amanda Morgan Ehrman is a senior at Silver Lake Public Schools in Roseland, Nebraska. Amanda is a member and the president of the Silver Lake Student Councils. She is the Vice President of the school's FBLA chapter and the secretary of the National Honor Society. Amanda is also a member of the High Honor Roll. She is letter winner in volleyball, basketball participates in One Act and was a Homecoming Candidate. She participates in dual college credit courses, CYO and the school's volunteer trash pick-up program. When Amanda is not busy at school she enjoys reading, babysitting, cooking, and baking, going on mission trips, is a craft leader for the local CCD program, and helps with summer school. Amanda is the daughter of Allen and Annie Ehrman.



Jackson Leo Schaefer is a senior at St. Cecilia High School in Hastings, Nebraska. Jackson is a member of the National Honor Society, and a 2-year academic letter winner. He is the drum major of the band and participates in Jazz Band. Jackson has also been a 4-year member of the St. Cecilia FBLA, a 4-year member of the cross country and golf teams. He has participated in the school's chess club, yearbook staff, One Act and Teens for Life. He has also been a member of the school Musical. When his is not busy with his schoolwork and extra-curricular activities Jackson enjoys running, watching sports, playing video games, playing music in a band and cooking. Jackson is the son of Michael and Melissa Schaefer.

Elks Christmas Project 2021

The Hastings Elks Lodge again provided much needed clothing to low-income families in the Hastings area at Christmas time. Names of children were provided by Mary Lanning Healthcare Healthy Beginnings Program and the Bridge Mom and Me program. There were approximately 50 children who received clothing purchased by Elk volunteers at the Kohls Department Store. Funding for this project is provided by our generous lodge members. Volunteers who helped purchase clothing were Dick & Nancy Freeling, John and Lynn Folcik, Joe and Carole Thompson, Peggy Farrell, Brandy Archer, Lynn Keogh, Jackie Norris, Lori Gion, Margo Woolman, Donna Dill and Terra Meyer.

On Saturday December 18 Elk volunteers delivered packages to the families that were chosen for this project. Those helping to deliver were Dave Miller, Terra Meyer, Monte Malouf, John Folcik, Dick Hansen, Joe and Carole Thompson.

Thank you to everyone who donated to this project and for making it so successful year after year.

**During our January 11th lodge meeting we will be voting on candidate for membership
Kevin Kubo**





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 Chaplain.....OPENED
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 and Pat DuBois (1yr)

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Lodge Meetings:

Second and Fourth Tuesday of each month
 except July and August (fourth Tuesday only)
 and December (second Tuesday only)
 Lodge Meeting time: 7:00pm November-February.

January Elk Birthdays

02.....George Hasley 23.....Gary Aadland
 02.....Gayle Hurst 23.....John Laird
 07.....Louis Kelly 26.....David Crecelius
 11.....Robin Koozer 27.....Larry Faimon
 16.....John (Dave) Bogan 27.....John Keogh
 18.....Creighton Uridil JR 27.....Leah Ostrander
 22.....Kurt Perry 28.....James Freeburger
 28.....Eugene Shaw

BIRTHDAY PARTY COUPON

We congratulate all Elks who have birthdays in January.
 We invite you and your family to celebrate with us!
 Just present this coupon and a paid-up Membership card.
 \$5.00 will be DEDUCTED from your evening meal ticket
 as well as the ticket of one guest.
 (Any night food is served)

Name: _____

Birthdate: _____

Membership #: _____

Julie's Message By: ER Julie Rothfuss

Happy New Year's to each and every one! I am finally starting to feel better. I not only had 6 weeks of radiation therapy and the side of effects of that but I ended up getting Covid so I was out another 10 days. I missed many activities in December due to health reasons. I hated to miss these activities as Christmas time is one of my favorite times of the year. I love the fact we have such a wonderful Christmas project in place and the volunteers that choose to help year after year is fantastic. We couldn't do this without the donations from our generous Elk members. To that I want to say thank you from the bottom of my heart. I also want to thank John and Lynn Folcik for taking over the Christmas project for me and making sure it went off without problems and for doing the shopping I was supposed to do.

The month of January is upon us, and our lodge year is starting to wind down. We have a total of 11 delinquent members at this time. If you are one of these please reach out to John Folcik to pay your dues.

During our January 11th meeting we will be voting on proposed candidate Kevin Kubo. Kevin was proposed by Bill Mooney.

Something to think about as we prepare for next Elks Lodge year is that we have many officer chairs open, as well as a 5-year Trustee position that will be open. If you are interested please let me know and I can give you more information as to what these positions entail
 Until next time, God Bless!!

The need is constant.
The gratification is instant.
Give blood.



**American
Red Cross**

Hastings Elks Lodge

3050 East South Street
Hastings, NE

Friday, January 21, 2022

11:00AM-5:00PM

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JANUARY

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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						Tom & Jerry's
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
CLOSED	CLOSED	Does Meeting 11:00 AM	Wing It Wednesday 6:00 - 8:30 PM	CLOSED		Bella's Birthday Party
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
CLOSED	CLOSED	Lodge Meeting 7:00 PM	Wing It Wednesday 6:00 - 8:30 PM	CLOSED		Private Birthday Party
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Dave Bogan Open House 100th Birthday	CLOSED		Wing It Wednesday 6:00 - 8:30 PM	CLOSED	Blood Drive 11AM-5:00PM	Beer Pong - 7:00 PM
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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27	28					
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