

Westminster 2227 ELKS TALE



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COLORADO'S FRIENDLIEST LODGE

JANUARY 2019



**The Sweetheart Ball will be February 9th
Dinner will be your choice of Prime Rib or Chicken
DINNER 5:00-7:00 • DANCE 7:00-11:00**

THERE WILL BE RAFFLES

Make your Reservation Early!

Cost will be \$50 per couple for Dinner and Dance.

\$25 for individuals.

Dance only \$8 per person.

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Message to the Members:

January is here and I can't believe that another year has come and gone. This is a great time to reflect on the positives over the last year and start imagining the great things that will come with the new year. As I reflect, I can't help but think of the great things we've done so far and the great possibilities and opportunities that are sure to come in the new year. This is also a popular time to start new resolutions. For some, it's saving mone and others maybe getting healthier. I would encourage you to find a member and share your resolution. You can always find someone to



encourage your goals and it's also good to have someone who can keep you accountable.

I hope that one of your resolutions is to be more active in the Lodge. Come and join us for this new year and all the fun and exciting things to come at the Lodge. Whether it's a Broncos potluck, bingo, dinner, a casino bus, or the Sweetheart Ball...there's always plenty to do here and we hope to see you!

Respectfully yours,
Eric Ingalls, Exalted Ruler

Class named for Charity



Back Row: Ronda Ward and Bob Quinn.

Front Row: Dan Sheldon, ER Eric Ingalls and John Torrez.

Lodge Charity Ball 2018



Happy New Year!!!

2019!! Already?! It was just a couple years ago that we were worried about the “new Millennium” and Y2K.

The House Committee is working hard to turn things around in the kitchen. We’ve had a productive Meeting with various ideas and numerous offers to help. For that, we are grateful. We are making some changes and the kitchen personnel are working hard to make improvements. Beginning January 1st, the minimum wage rate will increase another \$.90/hour and food costs have increased as well. We will do our best to keep increases at a minimum, however, we believe that some increase is inevitable.

The Lodge is continuing to serve meals on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday Nights, along with lunches on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. We also hope to bring back some Saturday Night Dinners beginning in February.

Rudy Bustos Band is back on January 25. Come down and enjoy a prime rib dinner and dance the night away. Dinner 5-7PM, Dance 7-11PM. Cover for Dance is \$8.

Thanks for your continued support and be sure to watch for new ideas coming in the weeks and months ahead.

Schedule of Events

January 2nd and 16th Bar Bingo, First game at 6:30. \$1/card

January 4th and 18th Karaoke in the Bar, 7:30 to 11.

January 9th Chicken Dinner and Free Wine, \$10.

January 10th and 24th Tacos in the Bar, 5PM to 7PM, \$1 each..

January 19th Casino Bus to the Hill. Sign up in the Poolroom.

January 20th Jazz Club Open to the Public, 2PM to 5PM.

January 25th, Rudy Bustos Band \$8 Cover 7PM-11PM

NEXT MONTH’S TICKLERS

Potluck Super Bowl Party 4:00PM

Sweetheart Ball February 9

Jim Hyatt Band February 22

Your House Committee

John and JaNeil Cillessen, Terry Ingalls, Noel Palmer, Chris Velotta, Rachel DeWitt,
Iola Wunderlich, Ray Ilczszyn, Kelvin Kos.

Christmas Stocking project

A big special thank you to the Westminster Elks Lodge 2227 from the Legacy West Telcom Pioneers Auraria Council for your generous help in our Annual Christmas stocking project supporting Family Tree “Holidays of Hope” and Mount Saint Vincent. Over 30 stockings were stuffed for ages 0 to 14 yrs.

Thank you, Ronda Ward for getting members of the Elks to decorate and stuff the stockings.

The Pioneers greatly appreciate Westminster Elks in all their support donating space for us to cut and sew the stockings and helping to fill them. Elks generosity will be appreciated this Holiday season by many children in need.

Thank you Michelle President of Auraria Council
Thom and Carolyn Hanes.





Denver Mountainaires – Memorial Service December 2, 2018

**DAILY DRAWINGS IN THE MONTH
OF NOVEMBER 2018**

Shelbi Souther.....8264	Frank Schwertfeger.....6774	Margaret Zyla.....8365
James Sanchez.....8183	Lawrence Alma.....8124	David Hitchcock.....7416
James Graves.....6557	Malcolm Castellow.....7772	Ronald Coppen.....8353
Brian Sanchez.....8349	Richard Hobson.....295	Dean Dempewolf.....2071
Darlene Kelley.....8287	Ernie Sisneros.....7906	Tom Ryszkowski.....6949
Daniel Smith.....8228	Mervyn Goll.....7586	Joe Mueller.....7808
Wayne Clair.....2840	Scott Terry.....8278	James Bendt.....3627
Adam Sweeney.....8158	John Killam.....7153	Stanley Karlin.....3338
Kenneth Harris Jr.....2911	Eric Ingalls.....7240	Lee Stockard.....5241
Don Pachello.....6722	Patricia Reed.....8003	

Westminster
Elks
Karaoke

**Every 1st and 3rd Friday
in the Dining Room
7:30 to 11ish**

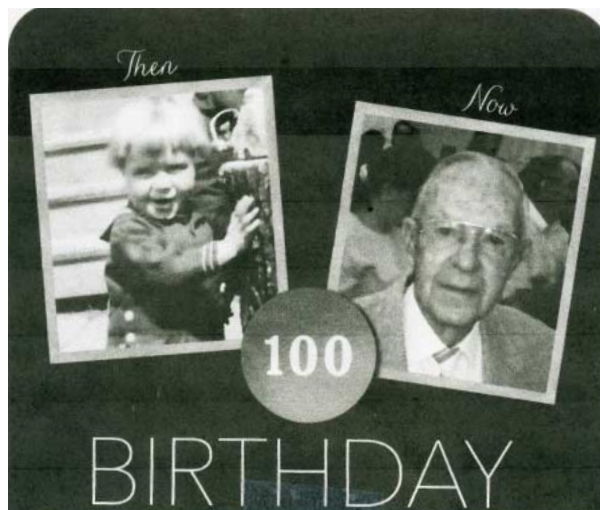
Join us and bring some friends!

Lunch Served

**Tuesdays, Wednesdays,
Fridays & Saturdays**

Under the good of the order. I went to a Birthday Party on Thanksgiving day for a gentleman I worked with at North-Valley Wards store back in the 70's & 80's. He was actually born on Thanksgiving day. It was a special Birthday for him because Mr. Norman Hansen was turning 100 years old. He has been a member of Westminster Elks Lodge #2227 for 42 years. He may well be the oldest living member of our Lodge.

Jerry Baker



**Come join us to
Casino Bus at
Mardi Gra's
11:00 - 5:00
Sign up in Pool Room**

The family of Joyce Miller would like to thank the Lodge members, management and especially the lovely ladies of the funeral committee for the luncheon that was provided for our friends and family. To all of the members that brought food, or just came by to share their favorite memory with us, we thank you.

Members Drawn Meeting Night

- Mary Flack. #8065
- Gary Burnett #4639
- Brett Garretson #7188
- George Hovorka #1537

**Band Night
January 25, 2019
Rudy Bustos Band
w/ Prime Rib**

The Vacant Chair

A noble Elk has fallen pierced by the arrow of death. His trials ended, his faults forgotten, his virtues cherished, he rests in peace.

DEPARTED MEMBERS:

HARRY CHISM

Born: Mar. 4, 1947
Initiated: Dec. 2, 2002
Deceased: Aug. 12, 2018

CALVIN PHILLIPS

Born: Apr. 10, 1926
Initiated: Mar. 25, 1965
Deceased: Nov. 28, 2018

"We shall meet but we shall miss him, there will be the Vacant Chair but though we no more possess him still our hearts his memory bear."

Sickness & Distress

Sharon Pryor had cataract surgery.

Ilene Basquez passed away.

Iola Wunderlich fell and popped her hip out.

Ruth Brett fell and broke her hip and femur bone, will be in rehab for several weeks.

Dan Pergola has bad infection in his knee replacement.

John Tofoya fell and is in Northridge Rehab.

Paul Kloberdans had a hip replacement.

Pat Rodriguez has had several strokes.

Thom Hanes injured his leg and has infection in it, is on bed rest.



Friday Night Dinner January Menu

Jan. 4th	Rocky Mountain Oysters	\$10.00
	Pork Chops	\$12.00
	Blackened Tilapia	\$11.00
	Crispy Chicken Salad	\$ 7.00
Jan. 11th	New York Steak	\$13.00
	Country Fried Pork Cutlet.....	\$11.00
	Roasted 1/2 Chicken	\$12.00
	Taco Salad	\$ 7.00
Jan. 18th	Pot Roast	\$12.00
	Chicken Fried Chicken.....	\$10.00
	Salmon	\$11.00
	Cobb Salad.....	\$ 7.00
Jan. 25th	Prime Rib	\$13.00
	Chicken Chardonnay	\$12.00
	Fish & Chips	\$10.00
	Chef Salad	\$ 7.00

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Lodge Officers 2018-2019

Exalted Ruler Eric Ingalls (Erica)
Est. Leading Knight Alex Ingalls (Sara)
Est. Loyal Knight Kelvin Kos (Liz)
Est. Lecturing Knight Brian Kidwell (Kelly)
Secretary PER Gary Coven (Connie)
Treasurer Duane Miller (Lila)
Esquire Terry Ingalls
Tiler Thom Hanes (Carolyn)
Chaplain Nancy Hannah
Inner Guard..... Stephen "Peewee" O'Connor
Organist Martin Sweeney (Eileen)
Vocalist Bruce Lee (Beth)
1 Yr. Trustee Randy Thompson (Holly)
2 Yr. Trustee PER Jerry Baker (Beverly)
3 Yr. Trustee Larry Decker
4 Yr. Trustee..... PER Richard DeWitt (Rachel)
5 Yr. Trustee Lloyd Decker (Myra)
Historian
House Committee:..... John Cillessen, JaNeil Cillessen,
Terry Ingalls (Co-Chair), Noel Palmer, Chris Velotta, Ray Ilczyszyn,
Rachel DeWitt, Iola Wunderlich, Kelvin Kos.
Manager:..... Ruby Yedo (George)
Asst. Manager: Sandi Macy
Webmaster..... Adam Sweeney

Membership Attention: We need New Members, sponsor a neighbor, friend or your son & daughter.

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Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks

January 2019



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 BAR ONLY Happy New Year	2 BAR BINGO Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00	3	4 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday Dinner 5:00 - 7:00 Wine Specials KARAOKE 7:30 to 11:00	5 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
		6 Bloody Mary Screwdriver	7 New Member Interviews 6:30 Hot Dog Draft Beer	8 Auxiliary Lunch 11:30 Lodge Meeting 7:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00 PER Meeting 6:30 p.m.	9 Trustee Meeting 7:00 p.m. Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00 Fried Chicken Dinner w/Glass of Wine	10 Tacos \$1.00 ea. 5:00 to 7:00
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HAPPY HOUR 4 TO 7 EVERY DAY AND ALL DAY TUESDAY.

ATTENTION ALL PAST EXALTED RULERS (PERS)

The second Tues. of each month is our monthly PER meeting in the Antlers Room of the Lodge beginning at 6:30 p.m. The next meeting will be January 8, 2019.



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CLUB HOURS:

Monday	10:00 a.m. to Close	Friday	10:00 a.m. to Close
Tuesday	10:00 a.m. to Close	Saturday	10:00 a.m. to Close
Wednesday	10:00 a.m. to Close	Sunday	10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Thursday	10:00 a.m. to Close		Visa and MasterCard accepted

Happy Birthday

Best Wishes to All Members Celebrating Birthdays in **January**



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|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Erickson, Ray | 13 Duran, Juan M. | 23 Hernandez, George J. |
| 1 Lopez, Edward Chris | 13 Tiemann, James R. | 23 Wunderlich, Iola |
| 2 Russell, Barry P. | 14 Platzner, Robert R. | 24 Coffman, Debra |
| 3 Jeffries, Thom | 14 Ragsdale, Charles | 24 Reynolds, Scott E. |
| 3 Linn, Ellis E. | 14 Woodson, Jr., Wilbur | 24 Roos, David E. |
| 3 Romero, Joseph R. | 15 Shields, Barry | 24 Stone, Sandra M. |
| 4 Cowan, Alton W. | 15 Taylor, Charles J. | 24 Stroup, Phil |
| 4 Peltier, Frank | 15 Taylor, Wanda D. | 24 Wasco, Matthew J. |
| 5 Montano, John R. | 15 Waligorski, Jay S. | 25 Low, Travis |
| 5 Ochsner, Ronnie | 16 Dietz Frank, Jr. | 25 Sylvia, Daniel J. |
| 5 Smith, Daniel I. | 16 Maes, Albert P. | 26 Brinkman, William M. |
| 6 McLean, W.C. "Wally" | 16 Stoeklen, Bruce J. | 26 Franz, Tera Suzette |
| 7 Bertino, Jon | 17 Boysen, Gerald E. | 26 Thompson, John |
| 7 Souther, Shelbi Marie | 17 Martinez, Jr. Joe C. | 26 Thompson, Randy |
| 8 Anderson, Lawrence R. | 17 Sheldon, Dan | 27 Olhausen, Richard |
| 8 Lundin, Dustin | 18 Baca, Dwayne | 27 Olson, Jeffrey P. |
| 8 Poland, Dustin | 18 Castor, M. Jay | 27 Kruse, Peter |
| 9 Blecha, Paul E. | 18 Wolfe, Carla | 28 Lombard, Anthony J. |
| 9 Feltis, Troy | 18 Woodard, Timothy T. | 29 Carrera, Tony A. |
| 9 Green, Harold | 19 Leonhardt, Allan L. | 30 Carr, Nichlas |
| 9 Smyth, Edna | 19 Peters, Robert A. | 30 Montano, Manuel W. |
| 10 Decker, Larry C. | 20 Corey, David | 31 Lousberg, Edward J. |
| 10 Hiller, Matthew O. | 20 Golden, Dawn M. | 31 Starns, John R. |
| 11 Bessette, Darlene | 20 Hernandez, Alex | 31 Young, Larry |
| 11 Heberling, Fred | 20 Koschke, Mary L. | |
| 11 Phillips, Steven | 21 Dechant, Jacob L. | |
| 11 Pohl, Chris | 21 Lacina, Larry L. | |
| 11 Zyla, Margaret | 21 Moon, Diane | |
| 12 Buck, Ronald L. | 21 Typher, Robert R. | |
| 12 Christensen, Robert E. | 21 Wharton, Danny | |
| 12 Jones, Francis J. | 22 Francis, Fredrick | |
| 12 Morin, Scott P. | 22 Hammond, Shirley | |
| 12 Schmidt, William K. | 22 Housand, Fred P. | |
| | 22 Marks, William | |
| | 22 Poland, Robert E. | |
| | 22 Woody, Elmer E. | |