



Westminster 2227 ELKS TALE



HOME OF THE GOLDEN ELK

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COLORADO'S FRIENDLIEST LODGE

FEBRUARY 2018

"The faults of our members we write upon the sand, their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory"



February 10th
Band:
Wildfire

The Sweetheart Ball will be February 10th
Dinner will be your choice of
Pot Roast or Chicken Chardonnay

Dinner – 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Dance – 7:30 p.m. - 11:30 p.m.
There will be Raffles

Cost will be \$50 per couple for
Dinner and Dance.
\$25 for individuals.
Dance only \$8 per person.

Sweetheart Candidate for 2018
Rhonda Overman

Make your Reservation Early!

"A FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION"

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Class named in Honor of our Lodge Volunteers

Back row: Lloyd Decker, John Torres.

Front row. Myra Decker, Carol Sullivan, Laurie Reisbeck,
Darren Kohagen, Carlo Scaglione.

Message to the Members:

February is here! My year is flying fast.
How about yours?

February holds a lot of fun for a short month. We will be having an amazing celebration for the Elks 150th year. 150 years ago the Elks was founded. How many organizations do you know that have been in existence for that long? Be proud to be an Elk, volunteer, come to a meeting or join a committee. It's time to get involved.



Don't forget the Sweetheart Ball, it's always a fun time. Bring your valentine and come for dinner and a dance.

Check the calendar for all the events that are happening this month.

See you at the Lodge!

Laurie Reisbeck, Exalted Ruler

Super Bowl & Sweethearts

This month, we have the Super Bowl Potluck, the Sweetheart Ball and Mint Edition Band along with our regular monthly activities.

Even though our Broncos aren't in the Super Bowl this year, we will still have a Potluck and Drink Specials again, so bring your favorite dish to share and come cheer on your "second" favorite team.



This month we will NOT have a Polka Band on the second Saturday due to the Sweetheart Ball on February 10th." Our Prime Rib night this month will be on February 23rd before the Mint Edition Band, so mark your calendar for this change.

**Come on in and enjoy your Lodge's Regular and Special Events,
Values, and Great Meals!**

Schedule of Events

February 4th Super Bowl Potluck Kickoff 4:18
February 2nd and 16th Karaoke in the Bar 7:30 to 10:30ish.
February 7th and 21st Bar Bingo. First game starts at 6:30. The pot is growing
February 8th and 22nd Tacos 5:00-7:00PM \$1 each
February 2nd Mexican Dinners, see menu
February 9th \$10 Dinner, see menu
February 14th Chicken Dinner w/free glass of wine
February 18th Jazz Club Open to the Public 2:00-5:00PM
February 18th Elks 150th Birthday Open to the Public
February 23rd Prime Rib Dinner 5-7PM, Mint Edition Band 7-11PM \$8 cover
February 28th Birthday Surf and Turf 5:00-7:00PM

******SPECIAL EVENTS******

February 10th Sweetheart Ball
February 18th Elks 150th Birthday Event
February 23rd Mint Edition Band

******Next Month's Tickler******

March 24th Swan Dance
March 31th Inaugural Ball

Your House Committee

**John and JaNeil Cillessen, Noel Palmer, Chris Velotta, Ray Ilczyszyn,
Rachel DeWitt, Iola Wunderlich, Kelvin Kos.**

DAILY DRAWINGS IN THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2017

Arthur Klantz.....5336	John Tietz3662	Joe Martinez, Jr.5319
Eric Ingalls7240*	Preston Souther8263	Robert Saunders6718
John Ruscetta.....7881	Pat Aiello7974	Stanley Minarsky6477
David Best7529	Raymond Christensen ...8141	Frank Contreraz.....8286
Thomas Gray6172	Water Fischer..... 707	Harold Boxler.....4504
Donna Clark7506	Robert Fox.....8118	Sandi Macy.....6804*
Melvin Naeve5597	Joseph Charon8288	William Petri4824
John Torres, Jr.....6816	Mary Flack8065	Matthew Salazar8232
Mildred Masters8121	Marilyn Young.....8255	James Everett.....4007
Rosetta Wheeler8242	Lloyd Williams.....2083	Laura Casteliaw.....7896

*Winner

Sickness & Distress

Ty Poland had foot surgery.

Dean Demperwolf's daughter has a tumor on the brain.

NAMES DRAWN ON MEETING NIGHTS SAD ELKS-DEC. 2017

12/5 Kenneth Moline.....5595
12/12 Lee J. Stockard.....5241
12/ 19 David Green.....4162
12/26 Linda Richardson7369
Dezell Hunter, Winner .8300

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:

BILL WOODSON

Born: Dec. 6, 1931
Initiated: April 7, 1992
Deceased: Dec. 28, 2017

RONALD MERTZ

Born: May 4, 1944
Initiated: Nov. 7, 2014
Deceased: Jan. 5, 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."*

Casino Bus to Mardi Gras

February 17th - \$5

11:00-5:00

**Sign up in
Pool room.**



**JOIN US
FOR LUNCH
Tuesday thru
Saturday
11:30 to 1:30**

**Westminster
Elks
Karaoke**

**Every 1st and 3rd Friday
in the Jolly Cork**

7:30 to 11ish

**Join us and bring
some friends!**



Come Celebrate 150 Years of Elkdom



**Westminster Elks
3850 Elk Dr.
Westminster, CO
February 18th**

11am-4pm

**Kids
Carnival**

**Chili Cook Off
Vendor Fair**

**\$1.50 Lunch
Chili Bowl,
Nacho, Hot Dog,
Sloppy Joe**

GAMES

**OPEN TO
THE
PUBLIC**

**FACE
PAINTING**

Hooters Calendar 2018



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Friday Night Menu (Feb.)

Feb. 2	Smothered Chicken Burrito	\$ 8.00
	Hot Nuts – Rocky Mountain Oyster . . .	\$11.00
	Smothered w/Green Chili sauce, or	
	Rocky Mountain Oyster	\$10.00
	Taco Salad	\$ 7.00
Feb. 9	10 Buck Friday.	\$10.00
	Your choice of Tossed or Caesar Salad	
	Your choice 1 of the following:	
	1. Carved Ham	
	2. Baked White Fish	
	3. Chicken Parmesan	
	Dessert included	
Feb. 16	Flatiron Steak.	\$13.00
	Roasted 1/2 Chicken	\$11.00
	Blackened Talapia	\$10.00
	Crispy Chicken Salad	\$ 7.00
Feb. 23	Prime Rib	\$13.00
	Coconut Shrimp.	\$11.00
	Pork Chops	\$10.00
	Chef Salad	\$ 7.00

Saturday Night Menu (Feb.)

Feb. 3	Lasagna w/Salad & Garlic Bread	\$7.00
Feb. 10	Sweetheart Ball – See <i>Elks Tale</i>	
Feb. 17	Chicken Fried Steak,	
	w/Mashed Potatoes, and Salad	\$7.00
Feb. 24	Meat Loaf w/Mashed Potatoes,	
	Vegetable, & Salad	\$7.00

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Lodge Officers 2017-2018

Exalted Ruler Laurie Reisbeck (PER Timothy)
Est. Leading Knight Eric Ingalls (Erica)
Est. Loyal Knight Alex Ingalls
Est. Lecturing Knight..... Joshua Saunders (Sarah Snodell)
Secretary PER Gary Coven (Connie)
Treasurer..... Duane Miller (Lila)
Esquire..... Roxanne Russ
Tiler..... Thom Hanes (Carolyn)
Chaplain Sarah Snodell (Joshua Saunders)
Inner Guard Nancy Hannah
Organist Martin Sweeney (Eileen)
Vocalist Bruce Lee (Beth)
1 Yr. Trustee..... Terry Ingalls
2 Yr. Trustee Randy Thompson (Holly)
3 Yr. Trustee PER Jerry Baker (Beverly)
4 Yr. Trustee Larry Decker
5 Yr. Trustee..... PER Richard DeWitt (Rachel)
Historian Laurie Reisbeck (PER Timothy)
House Committee:..... John Cillessen, JaNeil Cillessen,
Noel Palmer, Chris Velotta, Ray Ilcyszyn,
Rachel DeWitt, Iola Wunderlich, Kelvin Kos.
Manager:..... Ruby Yedo (George)
Asst. Manager: Sandi Macy
Webmaster..... Adam Sweeney

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February 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4 4:00 PM   Bloody Mary Screwdriver	5  Hot Dog Draft Beer	6 Lodge Meeting 7:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00 Initiation	7 BAR BINGO 6:00 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00	8 Auxiliary Lunch 11:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Tacos \$1.00 ea. 5:00 to 7:00	9 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday Dinner 5:00-7:00 Wine Specials	10 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Sweetheart Ball Band - Wildfire Reservations
11  Bloody Mary Screwdriver	12 Lifeline Screening 9 to 5  Hot Dog Draft Beer	13 Balloting Lodge Meeting 7:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00 PER Meeting 6:30 p.m.	14 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 \$9.00	15 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	16 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday Dinner 5:00-7:00 Wine Specials KARAOKE 7:30 to 11:00	17 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner - \$7.00 5:00 - 7:00 CASINO BUS 11AM-5PM \$5
18 150th Anniversary Celebration of Elklodm 11AM-4PM Denver Jazz Club-2-5  Bloody Mary Screwdriver	19  Hot Dog Draft Beer	20 Lodge Meeting 7:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00	21 BAR BINGO 6:00 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00	22 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Tacos \$1.00 ea. 5:00 to 7:00	23 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday Dinner 5:00-7:00 Wine Specials Mint Edition 7:00 - 11:00	24 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner - \$7.00 5:00 - 7:00
25  Bloody Mary Screwdriver	26 Indoctrination 6:30 p.m.  Hot Dog Draft Beer	27 Lodge Meeting 7:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00	28 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Surf & Turf 5 to 7			

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 February 13, 2018.



March 2018

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25  Bloody Mary Screwdriver	26 Indoctrination 6:30 p.m.  Hot Dog Draft Beer	27 Lodge Meeting 7:30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner 5:00 - 7:00	28 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Surf & Turf 5 to 7	29 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.	30 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday Dinner 5:00 - 7:00 Wine Specials 7:30 to 11:00	31 Lunch 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Dinner - \$7.00 5:00 - 7:00 Inaugural Ball

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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 **February**



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| 1 McKelvey, Dennis R. | 11 Schaefer, James R. | 21 Everett, James C. |
| 1 Ross, Floyd E. | 11 Turco, Jeremiah A. | 22 Rountree, Richard V. |
| 2 Philbrick, Richard L. | 11 Woodcock, Robert W. | 22 Ruscetta, John |
| 2 Wadding, Terry M. | 12 Jacobs, Jim | 22 Yedo, George P. |
| 3 Ehret, Barbra | 13 Black, William H. | 23 Lightfoot, Ronnie |
| 3 Elliot, William A. | 13 Ellison, Jr., Richard M. | 23 Nollet, L. Timothy L. |
| 3 Schofding, Craig | 13 Jackson, Lyle | 24 Fair, Jerry D. |
| 3 Simeone, Michael A. | 13 Potts, Frederick F. | 24 Hudson, Douglas R. |
| 3 Valdez, Dayon | 13 Stoltz, Dennis | 24 Olivieri, Michael |
| 4 Brannan, William | 13 West, Vicki A. | 25 Myers, Howard |
| 4 Moore, Robert W. | 14 Biggs, Kevin E. | 25 Portz, Leonard |
| 4 Moran, Timothy P. | 14 Tiemann, Justin R. | 25 Schultz, Laura |
| 4 Rosell, Neal B. | 15 Avey, Ken | 26 Croke, James A. |
| 5 Lutz, James | 15 Boyett, Gary W. | 27 Chacon, Joseph |
| 5 Mier, Calvin | 15 Gonzales, Joseph | 26 Fenimore, Stephen B. |
| 5 Petri, Bernard H. | 15 Ingalls, Stanley F. | 26 Hassett, Richard M. |
| 5 Trujillo, Richard D. | 15 Yanker, Ronald E. | 26 Longaker, William |
| 6 Smith, Steven | 16 Burnett, Gary | 26 Zimbelman, Jack |
| 7 Becker, Viola A. | 16 Jewell, Paul B. | 27 Frazier, Gary W. |
| 7 Famiano, Dave | 16 Orr-Webb, Charlene | 28 Montoya, Maurice J. |
| 7 Friedley, Thomas R. | 17 Andrews, Carl D. | 28 Reed, Patricia |
| 7 Gregory, Barbara | 17 Behrens, David | 28 Spann, Ralph K. |
| 7 Hares, Loretta | 17 Rogers, Diane A. | 28 Zuniga, Manuel |
| 7 James, Dave | 17 Todd, James E. | 29 Kohler, Roman |
| 7 Moul, Gary | 17 White, Amy | |
| 8 Brady, Mike | 18 Dewitt, Richard D. | |
| 9 Blossom, Joe C. | 18 Ferranti, Rachel | |
| 9 Reischman, Robert L. | 18 Petri, Richard A. | |
| 9 Richardson, Linda | 19 Morgen, Chris P., | |
| 9 Wray, Vincent A. | 19 Tiglas, Donald J. | |
| 10 Sanchez, Krystle | 19 Weed, Frances | |
| 11 Gates, Bruce | 20 Duensing, Thomas A. | |
| 11 Roth, Paul H. | 20 Hastings, Joseph J. | |
| | 20 Root, Rose M. | |