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DECEMBER 2022

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

Memorial Service – December 4th

Members and friends, you are cordially invited to attend the Westminster Elks' Memorial Service on December 4, 2022 at 11:00 A.M.

The Colorado Chord Company will provide music.

Light refreshments will follow the service. Our Order has decreed that the first Sunday in December be set apart as a day for Elks' families and friends to gather and freshen the memories of their departed.

"Living or Dead an Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken."



New Years Eve Celebration



Celebrate with your Family & Friends
Dance to Eric Golden Band
Enjoy Dinner & Cocktails
Champagne Toast

Dinners:
6:00 to 8:00
Dance:
8:00 to 12:00

Dinner Menu:
Steak or 1/2 Baked Chicken,
Baked Potatoe, Green Beans,
Salad & Dessert

\$90.00 Couples
Dance only – \$20.00 per person
Make your Reservation Early!



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Exalted Ruler Message

It's hard for me to believe that it is December and that this year is almost over.

There are a lot of things going on this month. Don't forget that on December 4 we will have the Memorial Service for all of the members who have passed away in the last year. It will start at 11:00, and if you have never attended this service before, I would encourage you to attend. It is always a beautiful service and tribute to all of our deceased members.

The kids' Christmas party will be held on December 17th starting at 11:00, so bring your kids and grandkids down for some fun and games and a visit with Santa.

We will be having Tom and Jerry's served by your officers

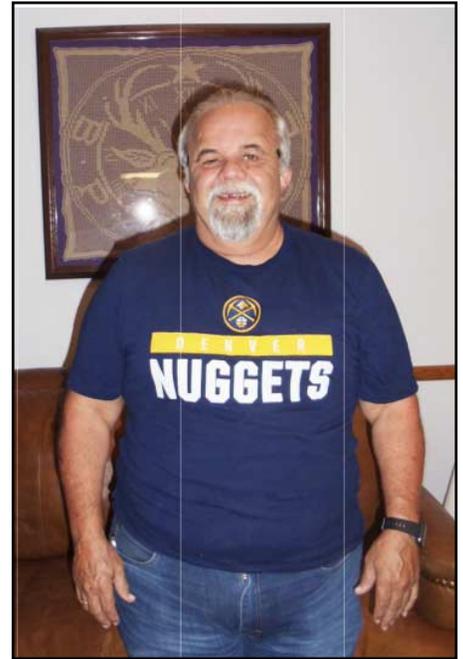
on the 24th from 4:00 until 6:00. I would like to invite you all to come and have a drink or two with your friends and family at the Elks.

Once again we will be giving a Christmas Basket. If you know of someone who could use a little extra help this holiday season, please let Pee Wee or myself know so that we can get a basket to them.

I hope you all have a Merry Christmas and a most prosperous New Year.

Fraternally yours,
Nancy Hannah
Exalted Ruler

Memorial Service December 4th



**November Elk of Month
Terry Ingalls**



Sickness and Distress

Sharon Blakley broke bones in her foot.

Stephen VanDergast fell and broke his hip and is in rehab.

Dana Priola had another surgery, is home resting.

John Cillessen has upcoming surgery.



Class named in honor of Veterans

Back row: Sharon Blakley, Ronda Ward, Daniel Nanio, John Cillessen.

Front row: Jon Allendorf, Ryan Ensminger, Susan Lee,

E.R. Nancy Hannah, Tara Musquiz, Saul Musquiz.

**Line Dance – 6:00-8:30
December 5, 12, 19, 26**

**Line Dance – 6:00-8:30
January 2, 9, 16, 23, 30**

**** Calendar Events ****

Please come down and enjoy your Lodge

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| December 1st - Wings 5:00-7:00 Darts 6:00 | December 16th - Dinner 5:00-7:00, Karaoke 7:30 |
| December 2nd - Dinner 5:00-7:00, Karaoke 7:30 | December 17th - Kids Christmas Party 12:00-2:00 |
| December 4th - Memorial Service 11:00,
Bronco Potluck to follow | December 18th - Jazz 2:00-5:00, Broncos Potluck 2:05 |
| December 5th - Line Dancing and Horse Collar
6:00 | December 19th - Line Dancing and Horse Collar 6:00 |
| December 7th - Dinner 5:00-7:00, Bingo 6:30 | December 21st - Dinner 5:00-7:00, Bingo 6:30 |
| December 8th - Tacos 5:00-7:00, Darts 6:00 | December 22nd - Tacos 5:00-7:00, Darts 6:00 |
| December 9th - Dinner 5:00-7:00 | December 23rd - Dinner 5:00-7:00 |
| December 10th - Stamp Camp 9:00-2:00,
Cribbage 12:00,
Officers' Steak Night 5:00-7:00 | December 24th - Tom and Jerry 3:00-6:00,
Lodge closes at 6:00 |
| December 11th - Broncos Potluck 6:20 | December 25th - MERRY CHRISTMAS -
Lodge is closed |
| December 12th - Line Dancing and Horse Collar
6:00 | December 26th - Line Dancing and Horse Collar 6:00 |
| December 14th - Board of Directors Meeting 6:30 | December 28th - House Committee meeting 6:30 |
| December 15th - LODGE IS CLOSING AT 6:00 | December 29th - Wings 5:00-7:00, Darts 6:00 |
| | December 30th - Dinner 5:00-7:00 |
| | December 31st - NEW YEAR'S EVE DINNER
6:00-8:00, Dance 8:00-midnight |

Raffle Tickets – \$1 each



Raffle is on Dec. 4th during the Bronco Potluck!
You don't have to be present to win.
Please leave a name and phone # on the back.

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.

JAMES FLYNN

Born: Oct. 24, 1933
Initiated: Apr. 15, 1969
Deceased: Sept. 8, 2022

RICHARD BECKER

Born: May 2, 1936
Initiated: Mar. 26, 1984
Deceased: Oct. 7, 2022

"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."



Dec. 7th & 21st
6:30 to 10:00 p.m.



Dec. 2nd & 16th
7:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.



Every Thursday
starting at 6:00 p.m.

DAILY DRAWINGS IN THE MONTH OF OCT. 2022

Matthew Salazar 8232	Jacqueline Miller 8297	Brian Munger 7735
Jerrold Firebaugh 8381	Candace Dean 7787	Ronald Buck. 6059
Billie Syfrett 7302	Jack Beagle 2525	Edward Duke 8277
Juan Duran 7909	Don Weiss 6863	Dave James 7548
Raul Garica 8536	David Jones 5542	James Castlallaw 8135
Rod Kentfield 6842	Robert Landgraf 8503	John Cogley 6895
Ernest Lichner 6098	Lawrence Rau 5509	Sophie Fernandez. 8508
Heather Lovrien 7969	Larry Castor 1286	James McGinnis. 8275
William Marks 7850	Gilbert Navarro 7868	John Cillessen 6986
Dennis Parson 8147	James McGinnis. 8424	
Roger Gamble 7526	Wilbur Woodson, Jr. . 7737	

Happy Birthday D E C E M B E R

1 Anderson, Franklin	11 McNamara, George L.	22 Johnson, Robert D.
1 Johnson, Robert N.	11 Newman, Kristin	22 Snyder, Vern E.
1 Miller, Paul J.	12 Broncucua, Mike F.	22 Steele, William
2 Bartholomew, Clayton D.	12 Feustel, Sandra A	23 Day, Byron M.
2 Denst, Eva Marie	12 Ramirez, David	23 Golden, Richard R.
2 Graves, James D.	13 Yoder, Danette	23 McGinley, Patrick S.
2 McGinnis, Carrie Ann	14 Parsons, Richard A.	23 Travis, Laurie
4 Lopez, Vincent J.	14 Sylvester, Tiffany D.	23 Venable, James P.
4 Quirk, Jim	15 Artzer, Joseph U.	23 Youngquist, Jerald
5 Karlin, Stanley J.	15 Jugert, Rodney F.	24 Bianco, Richard
5 Sparks, James S.	16 Marsh, Harry J.	24 Fernandez, Richard D.
5 Wingerter, Donald	16 Schwertfeger, Frank H.	24 Holcomb, Marianne
6 Hoery, Robert N.	17 Muser, Joellyn K.	24 Sullivan, Carol
6 King, Kevin	17 Sanchez, Sylvia A.	25 Allen, Daniel W.
6 Schlaht, John H.	17 Sorokaty, Paul	25 Sakala, Henry R.
8 Appleby, H.A.	17 William, Paul	25 Smith, Larry
8 Crosby, Mark S.	18 Mestas, George J.	25 Streufert, Keith C.
8 Kautz, James H.	18 Ranger, James L.	26 Bowden, Michael
9 King, Robert	19 Ortega, Ernest C.	26 Forshaw, Jeremy J.
9 Shubert, Joseph	19 Sanchez, Ray	26 Samora, Levi
10 Aragon, Felipe	20 Kentfield, Rod J.	27 Kuhn, Alvin
10 Duffield, Darren	20 Priola, Shirley M.	27 Walth, Cherie
10 Wright, Romona	20 Schell, Donald R.	29 Osborne Ron
11 Garegneni, Bret	20 Snyder, Nick	30 Arroyo, James B.
11 McKelvey, James	21 Parson, Dennis W	31 Haroldson, Mark D.
		31 Kaiser, Mark
		31 Pascoe, Jr. Louis J.
		31 Pringle, Lindy R.

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December 2022



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Open 4p.m. to 8p.m. Wings 5 pm-7pm Darts 6:00 p.m. Interviews	2 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Scuffed Shoes 6:30 Karaoke 7:30 Dinner 5 to 7	3 Open 12 to 9pm
4 Open 10 to 6 p.m. Memorial 11:00 a.m. Broncos Potluck 12.00	5 Open 4 to 9p.m. Horse Collar 6:00p.m. Line Dance 6:00-8:30	6 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Lodge Meeting 7:30 Initiation	7 Open 4p.m. to 9p.m. Dinner 5 to 7 Bingo 6:30	8 Open 4p.m. to 8p.m. Tacos 5 pm-7pm Darts 6:00p.m.	9 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Dinner 5 to 7	10 Open 12 to 9pm Cribbage-noon Steak Dinner 5 to 7 Stamp Camp 9:00 to 2:00
11 Open 12 to 6 p.m. Broncos Potluck 6.20	12 Open 4 to 9p.m. Horse Collar 6:00p.m. Line Dance 6:00-8:30	13 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Lodge Meeting 7:30 Balloting PER Meeting 6:30 p.m.	14 Open 4p.m. to 9p.m. Board of Directors Meeting 6:30	15 Open 4p.m. to 6p.m. Closed 6p.m. No Darts or Dinner	16 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Scuffed Shoes 6:30 Karaoke 7:30 Dinner 5 to 7	17 Open 12 to 9pm Kids Christmas 12-2
18 Open 12 to 6 p.m. Broncos Potluck 2.05 Denver Jazz Club 2pm to 5pm	19 Open 4 to 9p.m. Horse Collar 6:00p.m. Line Dance 6:00-8:30	20 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Lodge Meeting 7:30	21 Open 4p.m. to 9p.m. Dinner 5 to 7 Bingo 6:30	22 Open 4p.m. to 8p.m. Tacos 5 pm-7pm Darts 6p.m.	23 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Dinner 5 to 7	24 Open 12 to 6pm Tom & Jerry 3-6 Closed 6p.m.
25 Christmas Day Closed	26 Open 4 to 9p.m. Horse Collar 6:00p.m. Line Dance 6:00-8:30	27 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Lodge Meeting 7:30	28 Open 4p.m. to 9p.m. House Committee Meeting 6:30	29 Open 4p.m. to 8p.m. Wings 5 pm-7pm Darts 6p.m. Indoctrination 6:30p.m.	30 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Dinner 5 to 7	31 Open 12 to 9pm New Year Party Reservation

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 Dec. 13, 2022



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January 2023

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22 Open 12 to 6p.m. Breakfast 8:30 to 11:00	23 Open 4p.m. to 9p.m. Horse Collar 6:00p.m. Line Dance 6:00-8:30	24 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Lodge Meeting 7:30	25 Open 4p.m. to 9p.m. House Committee Meeting 6:30	26 Open 4p.m. to 8p.m. Tacos 5 pm-7 pm Darts 6:00p.m.	27 Open 4p.m. to 10p.m. Dinner 5 to 7	28 Open 12 to 9pm
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