



Iron Mountain Lodge 700
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Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at 7 pm. Open Mon. for Bingo only.
Hours: Tue. thru Fri. 3-10 pm. Sat. and Sun. private parties and special events.

November 2013

Exalted Ruler's Message (Written by the Leading Knight)

Officers

Exalted Ruler:

Tom "Barney" Hagberg

Esteemed Leading Knight:

Rob Hibbard

Esteemed Loyal Knight:

Open "should be you"

Esteemed Lecturing

Knight: Jerry Trepanier

Esquire:

Bob Massicote

Chaplain:

August Caruso

Inner Guard:

Larry Ottinger

Tiler:

Mike Nekhay

Secretary:

Lori Massicote

Treasurer:

Cinde Caruso

Trustees:

1 Yr. John Deldin

2 Yr. James Sparapani

3 Yr. Dan Ellis

Lady Elks President:

Martee Trepanier

My Brother Elks,

As you have heard, the building is for sale. We are asking \$199,000, so if you know someone looking for a building, pass it on. The quicker it sells the better off we will be.

We MUST continue as an organization, Elks do so much for the community, veterans and handicapped children. We still need volunteers for our programs. Just because we do not have a building does not mean we can't do these things! Coming up in November is the Hoop Shoot on the 2nd, and Veterans Day on the 11th when we usually serve the Veterans at the VA hospital dinner, but since it is on a Monday we will be doing something else possibly on Sunday. If you would like to be a part of this, please let us know. Also a community event, Bra's for a Cause on the 2nd. If you can help with these events please let us know.

We are keeping the Club open as long as we can, still GREAT FOOD for a GREAT PRICE! Come on down for a meal on Wednesdays and Fridays!

Hunters stay safe as hunting season is here. Get that Big Buck! Also Thanksgiving is this month, remember all we have to be thankful for and spend time with friends and family.

Remember the principles of our order, Justice, Charity, Brotherly Love, and Fidelity!

May God Bless you and yours,
Leading Knig
Rob Hibbard



ELKS CARE, ELKS SHARE!

365 Bank Donations:

Stan (2), Sharon Scholke, Doug & Judy Stock, Mel & Rose Jayne, Joe Pollard, Sam Franz, Edmond VonGuyse, Sally Sculate, Joe Negro.

Gold Key Quarter Folders:

None! ☹️

November Birthdays:

1. Deborah Tirschel
3. Lloyd Hord, Peter Koffman
4. Peter Heczko, Robert Jayne, Frank Rahoi
6. Kerk Summers
8. Claude Dalrymple, Butch Schinderle
9. Robert Janic, Theodore Sparapani
10. Gregory Larson
11. Robert Schillerstrom, Daniel Tyler
12. Roy Johnson
14. Michael Nekhay
15. Steven Langsford
16. Thomas Clark
17. Donald Trulock
18. Donald Sericati
22. Charles Hinman Jr.
23. Bruce Hedlund, John Wedin
25. Lorraine Massicotte
27. Tim Griggs
28. John Jessen
30. Richard Rahoi, Donald Summers, Bill Wiegele



Your Lodge NEEDS YOU! **Come on down**
and ask how you can help. Without your
support we cannot continue!

FROM THE DESK OF THE SECRETARY

Here it is, already half a year of Elkdom come and gone and we still currently have 23 members that have not paid their dues. I know that with the sale of the lodge and such, that many of you may think "why pay my dues with all that is going on!". Why? Because we will always be Elks. Elks may hold meetings anywhere, you may attend Elk Lodges anywhere within the US, and you will always be part of one of the greatest organizations we have. Your dues goes to help the Veterans (and is a small thing, compared to what they sacrificed so we may be Elks and have our freedoms), youth (scholarships and other programs), Special Needs Children (without our help, many could not attain what they do and get the medical help they need) and our community. Dues are a lot less than what most of us spend on personal pleasures and the money does so much more for so many others. Stop and think, it is a lot for many at one time, but over a year, it is only \$8.33 a month. Please considering paying your dues and continue to help the programs that the Elks have.

We are still holding our meetings at the Lodge on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. November will only have one meeting per our By-Laws and that will be on Tuesday, November 12th at 7 P.M.. Please attend these meetings to keep informed on what is happening.

We have Veterans Day coming up and do a special dinner or program for the patients at the VA and will need volunteers. If you get a call consider helping those who gave us so much.

Thanksgiving is also this month. Please give thanks for all that you have and thank those who have done anything to help any one of us in a time of need. And give special thanks to those who have fought for our freedom and those that are still fighting for it. Pray for those overseas that they will come home soon to their families. Enjoy the time with family and friends and GOOD LUCK to our hunters. May all fill their tags.

Lori Massicotte, Lodge Secretary.

Scholarships:

Just a reminder for all Elk members that the Most Valuable Student Scholarship is now available for all high school seniors online at www.elks.org/enf/scholars. Applications must be mailed to the Elks Lodge 700, 1001 Cedar Avenue, Iron Mountain, Michigan 49802. Legacy Scholarships, which are only for Elk members children and grandchildren are now available at scholarship@elks.org. Please, if you have children or grandchildren that are going to college this coming year encourage them to fill out and apply for these scholarships. They must be filled out exact and include all the necessary items requested, all items in order and meet the deadline to be considered. Most answers to their questions on how to file can be found on the websites listed or they may contact the schools guidance counselors.

Please encourage your children and grandchildren to apply. We are second to the United States government in giving out scholarships.

Lodge Secretary, Lori Massicotte
James Benbow, Scholarship Chairman

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					Fish Fry 1	Hoop Shoot Bra's for a Cause! 2
3	Bingo 4 J Erickson, worker/baker. C Freeman, Baker.	5	Sandwich night 6	7	Fish Fry 8	9
10	Bingo 11 Veteran's Day R Bond, worker/baker. S Hagberg, baker.	Lodge Meeting 7:00 12	Sandwich night 13	14	Fish Fry 15 VA Bingo	16
17	Bingo 18 K Timbrook, worker/baker. S Lundholm, baker.	19	Lady Elks 20 Sandwich night	21	Fish Fry 22	23
24	Bingo 25 S Hagberg, worker/baker. D Peterson, baker.	26	Sandwich night 27	Thanksgiving 28 	Fish Fry 29	30

LADY ELKS

Fall has arrived with its entire splendor! As the days are shorter and we “fall” back in time on November 2nd (don’t forget to change your clocks) we need to remember to enjoy the beauty that surrounds us each and every day.

Our October hostess, Joyce, provided an atmosphere complete with beautiful mums and fall tablescapes. Fourteen ladies enjoyed a meal of stuffed pork chops, red potatoes, vegetables and Joyce’s own pecan pumpkin bars.

Thank you to Rita for bringing in the soda tabs. Keep saving your Super One and Econo slips as those provide us with funds for our projects and importantly at this time of the year the Elks 700 scholarships to area high school students. Rita, Gail and Sharon have generously offered to contribute their time and talents to assist with the scholarship application process. We will be giving 6 scholarships to area high school seniors and all six applications will go on to the District where they have an opportunity to qualify for a District scholarship. Any winners at the District level continue on. If you know of any senior in our area who is furthering their education, I ask that you encourage them to apply.

A great big ‘thank you’ to Betty, Sharon, Gail and Cheryl for baking goodies for the 5th Quarter Party that was held after the Iron Mountain-Kingsford, or is the Kingsford-Iron Mountain game (?), in October.

Lori Massicotte has asked for help with the Hoop Shoot on November 2nd. Any ladies that can help with registration at the North Elementary gym are asked to contact Lori by calling the Lodge and leaving her a message with your telephone number.

October drawing winners were: Pot of Gold, Sharon; 50/50, Martee; and the potted mum plants were won by Gail, Rita, Cheryl and Sandy!

As usual at this time of the year, our snowbirds begin to leave. We wish you safe travels and look forward to seeing you in the Spring.

Our November meeting will be hosted by Pat and Penny on the 20th. Penny will be calling for your dinner reservation and guests are always welcome to attend!

“To live is the rarest thing in the world. Most people exist, that is all.” — Oscar Wilde
Until next time,

Martee Trepanier, Lady Elks President

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Return Service Requested



Our Mission

To inculcate the principles of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to recognize a belief in God; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its Members; to quicken the spirit of American Patriotism; to cultivate good fellowship; to perpetuate itself as a fraternal organization, and to provide for its government, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America will serve the people and communities through benevolent programs, demonstrating that Elks Care and Elks Share.