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<u>E. R. MESSAGE</u>

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BIRTHDAYS

Robert Graeff
Richard Martin

- 3 Richard Martin
 4 James Carlock
 4 Lonnie Choate
 4 Roland Wagner
- 5 Bradley Doerner5 Donald McBride
- 5 Donard Weblide5 David Phelps5 William Todd
- 7 Debra Tindall8 Randall Beckman
- 8 Randall Beckman8 Richard Kiel
- 8 Robert Kiel
- 10 Craig Stewart11 Holly Dekeyrel
- 12 John Mullholland, Jr.
- 12 Rockford Stiegman
- 13 Robert Kaps
- Dan PullisHarold Sheffer
- 13 Bob Swetland
- 14 Dale Schimpf
- 15 Tonya Knust
- Julie RobertsRussell Bogenpohl
- 18 Truman Cashman
- 18 Truman Cashman 18 Michael Herron
- 19 Andrew Erbes
- 19 Carolyn Ihle
- 19 Ty Hollmann
- 19 David Pruett19 William Terry
- 19 Joe Tweedy
- 20 Brian Davenport
- 20 Bruce Martin
- 21 Sean Eberly
- 21 Arthur Faulkner22 David Ciganovich
- 22 Michael Wepsiec
- 23 Pamela Weinhoffer
- 24 Marcia Butler
- 25 David McDowell25 Richard Varner
- 26 Randall Heins
- 26 Edwin McLaughlin27 Rick Polete
- 28 James P. Harris
- 28 Brent Moore
- 28 Ronald Schemonia
- 30 Ted Dalton
- 30 Mark Pierson
- 31 Janice Ehlers 31 Alan Morris
- 31 Kelsey Paul

ovember and December were busy months at Lodge 572, and some thanks are definitely in order: Anita Harris (for the nut sale); Lynn Porter (for the candle & gift sale); Paulette Valier for handling the veteran's dinner, then coordinating with Ed Fisher (see photo) to also provide Christmas presents for the veterans at Jackson County Rehab and Jefferson Barracks Hospital, everyone who helped out with the children's Christmas party and the START Christmas dinner, including Santa and Mrs. Claus (you know who you are) for working our Lodge into your busy holiday schedule. I sincerely hope it goes without saying that I, and the Lodge, are grateful to everyone who helped in any of these projects in any way.

S anta's elves might be kicking back right now, but it's no time for Lodge 572 to slow down! Now is the time to set our sights on raising money for the Elks National Foundation — the financial backbone of our national programs for scholarships, drug awareness, and veterans. We will again hold shooting matches to generate most of our Lodge's contribution,

and hopefully exceed the state and national fundraising goals set for us. By reaching these goals, we will receive grant money to help local students and organizations. The total amount we can receive has increased to \$2000, allowing us to do greater things for our community. The first of four shooting matches will be held on January 30th at Crazy Joe's Fish House. We need both shooters and volunteers to help make these events successful. You don't need to shoot or know anything about hunting to have a good time or help out. Drawings, a meat wheel, free food, and plenty of fun make it a great way to spend the afternoon for participants, "on lookers," and helpers alike. If you can help out or want more info., please contact Norm Wayman.

ne more item about fundraising and I will quit. On January 21st we will be taking items to the state meeting for the SOS project, where we fill care packages for soldiers serving overseas. Behind the Club Room bar, we have a jar for donations to help us purchase items for our troops. In this bulletin, you will also find a transmittal form to mail in with your donation check. Please make a donation, and en-

courage others to do so. It is an easy way to let those serving our country know we are thinking about them.

n February we will be taking nominations for next year's officers. We will have some vacancies, so please consider becoming an officer. You don't need to be a long-time member to become a beginning officer – I became an officer during my first year as an Elk! If you would like more information, please contact me or any officer.

Steve Zak, E. R.



In vain we call. They have passed into the light which is beyond the valley of the shadow of death. The places that have known them shall know them no more; but their virtues are written upon the tablets of love and memory.

HENRY WASMER, PER 10/10/1922 - 12/2/2010

MICHAEL B. SHAFTER 10/15/1950 - 12/23/2010



TUESDAY MENU SERVING 6:00 – 8:00 P.M.

SIDES: SLAW \$1.50 ONION RINGS \$3.00 FRENCH FRIES \$1.50

OLD FASHION HAMBURGER 1/2 LB. ON A TOASTED BUN W/FRIES \$6.50

BBQ SANDWICH SLICED & ON A TOASTED BUN W/FRIES & SLAW \$5.50

CATFISH SANDWICH 4 oz. FILET ON A HOAGIE BUN W/FRIES \$7.00

GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST SERVED ON A HOAGIE BUN W/FRIES \$7.00

CHICKEN STRIPS WITH FRIES \$6.00

GRILLED CHEESE \$2.00

ENF BENEFIT SHOOTING MATCH 2011 SCHEDULE

The following are all <u>Sundays</u>: January 30 - Crazy Joe's Fish House February 20 - Bull Pen (Jacob) March 6 - Crazy Joe's Fish House March 20 - Carbon Lake Club

Volunteers needed for each date: Contact Norm Wayman

MURPHYSBORO PAVING BRICK COMPANY

Part of the "Historic Murphysboro Collection," the Club Room now has these very attractive T-Shirts for sale. They are \$10 each, with proceeds to benefit the Gen. John A. Logan Museum. Come See!



ALASKA CRUISE 2011 STATUS UPDATE

Due to demand and almost immediate sale of our initial 30 openings for this Aug. 9th - 16th Elk's 572 Cruise, some adjustments to original price quotes may now be in effect, especially as relates to air fares. As of this printing, Carnival Cruise Line is still offering

cabins at our original prices (see below), but that could change soon, due to increasing popularity of Alaska as a Cruise option for the up-coming summer. And, as air fare is expected to increase as available seats fill, we suggest all those considering this event contact Donna Kaps, at Custom Travel, in a timely fashion! More details of this cruise are available at Elks572.Org Here is a short summary: Tue., Aug 9 - Depart Seattle; Wed., Day at Sea; Thur., Cruise Tracy Arm Fjord; Fri., Skagway; Juneau; Sat., Ketchikan; Mon., Victoria, B.C.; Tue., Aug. 16, Return to Seattle. See Web site for all the amenities for this Elks Lot-To-Elks Lot Adventure! Original Prices @ Double Occupancy: Inside = \$1,755 per person; Ocean View = \$1,895 per person; Balcony = \$2,390 per person. Donna's Number is 800-280-0222. Also, E.R., Steve Zak; Secretary, Merle Evans; or Norm Wayman may be contacted for questions.

WHY S.O.S. ??

Because Elks Care - Elks
Share! The S.O.S. program (Support
Our Soldiers) sends items to our
service men and women serving
overseas, to make their lives more
comfortable and remind them the folks
at home are thinking about them. Our
Lodge will take items to the State Elks
Meeting on Jan. 21st to pack into
boxes and send over seas. Your
donations will help us purchase the
maximum number of items possible.
(See E. R. Message and / or
Transmittal Form on this Newsletter's
Calendar, for donation options.)

SUPER BOWL PARTY



Yes, as has been customary for several years now, we will be hosting a Super Bowl Party on Sunday, Feb 6th. Details will be on flyers around the Lodge, in Feb. Bulletin, and on Web-Site. Please plan to join fellow Elks & Friends at #572!



ADVANCE ANNOUNCEMENT OF CCC DART TOURNEY

The 16th ANNUAL BENEFIT TOURNEY AND AUCTION is not far off - SATURDAY, FEB. 26TH! Already available in the Club Room are Raffle Tickets for a Hackney Leather Recliner (valued at \$859), as donated by Gillenberg Furniture. We hope many of you will plan to attend this important fundraiser for our State Major Project - or better vet, consider purchasing a Board Sponsorship or donating an Auction Contact Chairman, Keith Item. 687-3359 Roberts. at information.

RAFFLE WORKERS

1/1 R.Ellenberg, L.Graff (Hines)

1/17 J. Clover, V. Freeman (Givens)

1/24 J. Wayman, K. Evans (Paul)

1/31 J. Wayman, P. Gillmore (Evans)

2/7 R. Ellenberg, L. Graff (Poole)

PULL TAB WORKERS

1/10 T. Givens, M. Sherman

1/17 G. Wilcox, D. Siefert

1/24 S. & A. Stanley

1/31 S. Schemonia, D. Pulcher

2/7 S. Wheeler, J. Pittman

ELKS CLUB ROOM HOURS

MONDAY ~ THURSDAY 2:00 P.M. ~ 11:00 P.M.

SATURDAY 12:00 P.M. ~ 12:00 A.M.

FRIDAY SUNDAY

2:00 P.M. ~ 12:00 A.M. 12:00 P.M. ~ 10:00 P.M.

January 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	THURSDAY & FRISERVING 5:30 PM ~ 9					1
2	3 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50 ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	4 WEEKLY DRAWING 7:00 PM SPECIAL OPEN FACE BEEF SAND. \$6.00	5 LODGE MTG. 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	6 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	7 SPECIAL! ALL YOU CAN EAT CATFISH W/FRIES, SLAW & HUSH PUPPIES \$8.00	8
9CARRIBEAN CRUISE LEAVES LODGE 1:00 AM DIST. MTG. C'DALE	10 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50 ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	11 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP & GRILLED CHEESE \$5.00	12 TRUSTEE MTG. HOUSE 7:00 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	13 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	14 SPECIAL! SAU- TÉED FILET OF SALMON W/VEG., RICE PILAF & SALAD BAR \$12.95	15
16	17 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50 ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	18 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL CHILI & GRILLED CHEESE \$5.00	19 LODGE MTG. 7:30 PM HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	20 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/ VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	21 CHICKEN PAR- MESAN ON PASTA WITH SALAD & GARLIC TOAST E MTG. IN SPRINGFIELD	22
23	24 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50 ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	25 WEEKLY DRAW- ING 7:00 PM SPECIAL PRIME RIB SAND. \$7.00	26 HOT WINGS .25 EA. 6-8 P.M QUEEN OF HEARTS	27 10 OZ RIB EYE \$12.95 ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT FRIED CHICKEN INC. MASHED POT., GRAVY/VEG. & ROLL SALAD BAR \$8.00	28 SPECIAL! FILET MIGNON W/ THYME DEMI GLAZE, BAKED POT. & SALAD BAR \$14.95	29 BACK HALL RENTED
30 SHOOTING MATCH @ CRAZY JOES 12:00 NOON	31 RAFFLE 7:00 P.M. SPECIAL 5:30—8:00 PM BBQ SAND. W/FRIES \$4.50 ALL DOMESTIC BOTTLE & CAN BEER \$1.50 OPEN TO CLOSE	SOS TRANSMITTAL FORM DONATION NAME: MAIL TO: ELKS LODGE #572 P. O. Box 787, MURPHYSBORO, IL 62966				