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**Contact the Lodge to book your
party, meeting or special event!**

THIS MONTH EVENTS:

6/3 - Soccer Shoot (VOLUNTEERS)

6/5 - New Member Initiation at 7 PM

6/7 - Flags up for Flag Day at 5 PM

6/12 - NO LODGE MEETING

6/12 - Flag Day / Steak Night (see ad)

6/15 - Flags down at 5 PM

MN ELKS STATE CONVENTION

June 21 - June 24th in Red Wing

We **NEED** your help - sign up at the Lodge!

6/25 - Trustee Meeting at 6 PM

6/26 - LODGE MEETING at 7 PM

6/28 - Flags up for 4th of July at 5 PM

UPCOMING EVENTS:

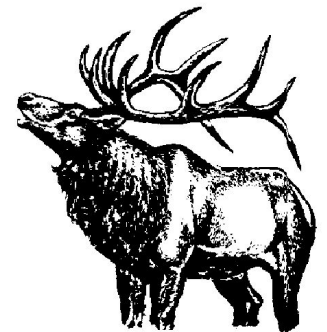
Aug 2-5: River City Days

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June 2018

It's Great to be an Elk!



ISSUE 2018 - 06

*Please Submit your Newsletter Articles by the 20th of the month to
Steph Riegelman, Newsletter Editor*

Exalted Ruler's Message

Members All -

May was an active month for our lodge with many community events hosted at the lodge from the challenge games to benefits supporting those in need! Two times a year, we grab trash bags, don safety vests, and pick garbage from the roadside ditches for Highway Cleanup. This year, we gathered 22 bags of garbage from the ditch making Minnesota more beautiful and environmentally friendly! We had our annual Bike Rodeo last month where we gave away 22 bikes and other bike accessories which are purchased through the ENF Promise Grant with a total of 283 kids in attendance!! On May 23rd, I had the privilege of awarding four \$1000 scholarships to Red Wing High School students!

Flag Day is fast approaching in June and this day has significant meaning to not only all Americans but myself as well. During the War of 1812, my great uncle, Francis Scott Key, observed the British bombardment of Fort McHenry in Maryland during the Battle of Baltimore in 1814 aboard HMS Tonnant where he was to negotiate the release of prisoners. Francis was inspired upon viewing the American Flag still waving above the fort at dawn, and wrote the poem "To Anacreon in Heaven" which later became what is now known to be "The Star Spangled Banner" after President Woodrow Wilson signed an executive order in 1916 and then President Herbert Hoover signed a congressional resolution that same year to make it officially the National Anthem of the United States of America. It's pretty awesome and patriotic to have that special piece of history in my own family's history.

The Minnesota Elks State Convention is approaching fast and our convention committee is working hard to make it a successful convention. We are looking for volunteers to help out with driving shuttles, bartending, greeting guests, and other duties. Signup sheets are located by the coat rack and I would encourage you to not only sign up for a shift but to enjoy the convention as an Elk. Join our lodge in welcoming our guests to the Red Wing Elks Lodge #845.

Lastly, please keep our Law Enforcement in your prayers, I wish you all well and hope to see you at the lodge!!

Fraternally,
Justin Key, Exalted Ruler



Red Wing #845

2017 - 2018 Committee Chairs

Accident Prevention - Lottie Aslakson, PER
Activities - Warren Wertman, PER
Americanism - Fred Tremper, PER
Auditing & Accounting - Rollie Meffert
Charitable Gambling - Larry Larson, PER
Christmas Baskets - Paul Drotos /Dennis Herling
Community Activities - Karlyne Bottin
Drug Awareness - Lottie Aslakson, PER
Flag Day - Susan Henke (Leading Knight)
Flags for Holidays - Susan Henke (Loyal Knight)
Fraternal - Justin Key
Government Relations - Becky Nelson
Highway Cleanup - Mike Bignell (Lect Knight)
Hoop Shoot - Greg Frankowski
Lodge Activities - Warren Wertman, PER
Membership - Becky Nelson
Memorial Service - Susan Henke(Leading Knight)
Nat'l Foundation - Pete & Peggy Sorensen, PER
PER Association - Kevin Riegelman, PER
Public Relations - Steph Riegelman, PER
Relief (Sickness, etc) - Becky Nelson
ENF & Local Scholarships - Linda Larson
State Major Project - Warren Wertman, PER
Soccer Shoot - Steph Riegelman, PER
Veterans Service - Lottie Aslakson, PER
Youth Activities - Lottie Aslakson, PER
Youth Camp Recruiters - Lottie Aslakson, PER
& David Riegelman, PER



Red Wing # 845 Logo Apparel

Available to order
until June 23rd!

Order forms showing all of the
options and samples are available on
at the lodge.

**ALL ORDERS MUST BE PLACED
& PAID BY JUNE 23RD.**

BIRTHDAYS

June 2018

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	Catherine Johnson						
3	Jo Holden						
7	Bob Magnuson						
	Bill Pasch						
	Wendy Peterson						
8	Bruce Bodin	MN ELKS CONVENTION IN RW on 6/21-624 PLEASE VOLUNTEER TO HELP!!					
	Betty Borseth						
	Charlie Holter						
	Daniel Phillipi						
10	Dennis Hoffman						
	Deb Jeske						
	Gregg Ulvenes						
11	Scott Anderson						
12	Deb Derleth						
	Gabe Kinney						
	Daniel Ludwig						
13	Todd Houghton						
	Everett Smith						
14	Josie Baker						
	Marie Krebsbach						
	Becky Nelson						
15	Dan Sherry, PER						
16	Rhodes Tiedeman						
17	Haven Hadler						
18	George Vogel						
20	Ron Fox						
	Julie Winger						
21	Rollie Meffert						
22	Greg Domke						
	Ryan Riester						
23	Delbert Johnson						
25	Richard Back						
	Kirk Zibble						
26	Karl Brunner						
	Peter Sorensen, PER						
27	Gilbert Edon						
28	Roger Flom						
30	Barb Gosman						
	William Hardyman						
	Jeff Larson						
3	SOC CER SHOOT (See ad)	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	

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- Becky Nelson
- 15 Dan Sherry, PER
- 16 Rhodes Tiedeman
- 17 Haven Hadler
- 18 George Vogel
- Ron Fox
- Julie Winger
- 21 Rollie Meffert
- 22 Greg Domke
- Ryan Riester
- 23 Delbert Johnson
- 25 Richard Back
- Kirk Zibble
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- 28 Roger Flom
- 30 Barb Gosman
- William Hardyman
- Jeff Larson

MN ELKS CONVENTION IN RW
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

SECRETARY CORNER

Happy Summer to all Elk members, friends and families. The weather has definitely changed outside, but we are keeping nice and cool here inside the Red Wing Elks Lodge. We are all very excited and busy getting ready to host the MN Elks State Convention here in Pretty Red Wing. There will be many Elks visiting our Lodge from all over Minnesota during this convention and we would love to have you stop down and meet them. There are also many opportunities to help us out during this convention by volunteering so please call or stop down to the Lodge and sign up to join in the fun here June 21- 24th.

Remember, if you are not receiving monthly newsletters, weekly updates or reminders by e-mail we need to know. If your e-mail address has changed, please contact me by phone 715-495-2978 or e-mail at rw845secretary@redwing845.org

RW #845 MEMBERSHIP REPORT

as of May 26, 2018

Beginning membership on April 1, 2018
485 members

Initiated: 9
Currently delinquent members: 72
Current membership: **494**

Proposed for Membership

Brenda Alma proposed by Tara Rossi
Paul Byron proposed by Larry Larson
Mark Eliason proposed by Bob Magnuson
Benjamin Engman proposed by Justin Key
Daniel Hull proposed by Larry Larson
Heath Jakes proposed by Susan Henke
Tanner Knudsen proposed by Larry Larson
Marianne Kuyath proposed by Larry Larson
Bonnie Lauchlan proposed by Tara Rossi
Johnathan Paradis proposed by Justin Key
Emma Siewert proposed by Mike Anderson

Elected to become members

Brenda Alms, Paul Byron, Mark Eliason,
Benjamin Engman, Patricia Erickson, Daniel
Hull, Heath Jakes, Tanner Knudsen, Marianne
Kuyath, Jonathan Paradis, Emma Siewert,
Christopher Warrington

Elected Life Membership status

Robert Bremer

Initiated as new members on May 15th

Jennifer Buck, Marilyn Johnson, Gabe Kinney,
Garrett Kitzmann, Jan Struss

Please welcome these new members!

*Our next initiation ceremony is scheduled for
Tuesday, June 5th*

ALL members are welcome to attend Lodge
meetings & the initiation ceremonies!

Submitted by Red Wing Elks Lodge #845 Secretary, Becky Nelson

Elroy the
Elk had a
GREAT
time at
the Bike
Rodeo!



DO YOU STILL GET YOUR
NEWSLETTER BY
SNAIL MAIL???

Send an email **TODAY** to
rw845secretary@redwing845.org
and change over to email!!



MN ELKS STATE CONVENTION

June 21 - 24, 2018

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

Planning is in FULL SWING for this event being hosted by our Lodge - it's a great opportunity to show off our lodge, our fabulous members & ALL of the things we do for our community!! DOZENS of volunteers are needed to help before and during the convention — We have a volunteer board posted at the lodge so please stop down and sign up!

PLEASE do not sit back and wait to be asked . . . If you can help even for a couple hours, we'd greatly appreciate it and we're sure you'll truly enjoy meeting other elks from around the state!

Here's a listing of the various convention committees:

Registration	Becky & Charlie Nelson
Transportation	Dave Riegelman / Greg Fleming
Program Booklet	Karlyne & Royce Bottin
Greeters	Warren Wertman
Entertainment	Lottie Aslakson
Spouses Lunch	Steph Riegelman
Meeting Session	Kevin Riegelman
Meals at Lodge	Lottie Aslakson / Barb Gosman
Golf Outing	Larry & Linda Larson / Fred & Vickie Tremper
Decorations	Clarice Vagasky / JoLynn Fleming
Convention Co-Chairs	Kevin & Steph Riegelman



Sign up to help show off our lodge during the State Convention

No experience needed!!!
Just a warm smile and desire to help!



What are the benefits of your **membership**

Hall Rental is FREE for members!

Have a wedding, reunion, anniversary, birthday, business meeting, bridal shower, engagement party, rehearsal dinner or holiday party to plan?

Call the Lodge (651-388-5862) and talk to Lottie to get your party on the calendar!



RED WING

Soccer Shoot

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Sunday, June 3rd

Set up at AP Anderson - 3 PM. Done by 5:30 PM
NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!!!

Sign-up at the Lodge



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President

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RW 845 Awards Scholarships

Congratulations to the 2018 RW Elks Scholarship winners! This year's recipients were honored at the RW High School Awards night. Each received a \$1,000 scholarship awarded by Exalted Ruler Justin Key. The honorees were:

- LeEtta McDowell
- Lincoln Bryan
- Tyler Wiederich



Justin also presented a \$1,000 scholarship from Mike Engberg Construction to Casey Witts

**Congratulations
and Best Wishes
to all area graduates!!!**

FLAG DAY CEREMONY and STEAK FEED



Tuesday, June 12th

Join us at 6:00 PM for a short
and very special ceremony to
honor our flag!



Watch the weekly news
for location!

**6:00 Ceremony
6:30 Dinner**



Do you have kids or grandkids ages 9-13?

If so - check out the
MN Elks Youth Camp!

Go to www.mnelksyouthcamp.org to see if your child
or grandchild would enjoy a weeklong camping
experience at the MN Elks Youth Camp on Pelican Lake.

It's truly a once in a lifetime adventure
that is just waiting for your child!

Elks kids & grandkids weeks are held later this summer.

HURRY - sessions fill up fast!!!



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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE LODGE!!



LOTTIE'S READY TO SERVE BROASTED CHICKEN!

She's just a little "excited" to be able to add broasted meals to our menu - check out the calendar and weekly news so you don't miss it!



SUPER SALAD MONDAYS!!



Starting on June 4th - Barb will be selling salads to-go each Monday - see the calendar and watch the Weekly News for more info!

Schedule your next gathering at the lodge—
CALL LOTTIE!!



Join us to celebrate

Barb Gosman's 60th Birthday!

Sat, June 30
at the Elks Lodge

6-8 PM Food
7-11 PM Music



Youth Camp Opening Weekends



Thanks to our members for helping to open the camp for our kids - volunteers included Don Hiles, Fred Tremper and Warren Wertman for men's weekend. Lottie Aslakson and Becky Nelson for women's weekend.

A lot of work gets done these weekends to get camp ready for the kids!



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From our Manager . . .

Thanks to all of our members who hosted parties & events or just stopped in for a meal or beverage! We have MANY events planned in June and would love to see you stop in or, better yet, volunteer to help especially with the State Convention.

We have some great meals planned in June - Barb will be offering Salads-to-Go on Mondays and we will be firing up our new broaster in our kitchen - Check out the calendar or weekly news for more info!

Thank you to everyone that helped make the Memorial Day weekend special for our Veterans. We hosted a dinner followed by visit to the Field of Honor where a flag was designated for each of them in the display.

We are still short a few boys and girls ages 9-13 for our Youth Camp Week - they leave on June 17th so contact me ASAP if you know of a deserving youth that would benefit from a week at our beautiful camp!

We are VERY busy planning to host the MN Elks State Convention in June and need TONS of volunteers. If you have not signed up to volunteer, see the board at the lodge - we have all sorts of opportunities to help during convention!

So - there's ALWAYS something going on at the Lodge!

Thanks to those have had their parties and events here the past months. We really appreciate your business.

It's GREAT to be an Elk!
Lottie

THANK YOU!

Newsletter - Thanks to the folders, tapers and labelers who helped get our Newsletter in the mail. They are Lottie Aslaskson, Dick Friese and Carol & Orv Burma.

Bike Rodeo - Thanks so much to everyone who helped with our annual bike rodeo: Leigh Ann & Steve Anderson, Lottie Aslaskson, Josie Baker, Susan Henke, Patsy & Paul Nesteby, Missy Johnson, Justin Key, Tara & Troy Rossi, Deanna Schull along with Brinley & Marcus Schull, Steve Steiner, Nicole Warren

Cooking Volunteers - Thanks so much to our kitchen volunteer - Thanks to Susan Connaughton, Barb Gosman, Sharon Lee. Beef Chow Mein night by Lori & Randy Anderson and Linda & Larry Larson. Maid Rite specialists Mary Pat Cole, Dave & Jan Petersmeyer and Deanna & Norm Westby Steak Night Cooks include Bob Bauer, Barry & Jean Dodsall, Susan Henke, Larry Horlitz, Ron Huppert and Glenn Mattson.

Challenge Games - Thanks to EVERYONE who helped during the challenge games including: Leigh Ann Anderson, Lottie Aslaskson, Justin Key, Cheryl Klair, Betsy Mahn, Charlie Nelson, Dean & Linda Reinhart and Tara Rossi

Highway Cleanup - Thanks to our fabulous volunteers who tackled this dirty job including: Steve Anderson, Mike Bignell, Justin Key, Clarissa & Jennifer Miles, Lee Olsberg, Shaun Olsberg, Carl Quist, Tara & Troy Rossi, David Wertman and Warren Wertman.



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