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

Look inside for more information on...

THIS MONTH EVENTS:

- 10/6 - Flags Up for Columbus Day at 5:30 PM
- 10/8 - Highway Cleanup (see ad)
- 10/9 - Youth Outreach's Drive for Kids
- 10/11 - Flags down at 5:30 PM
- 10/11 - LODGE MEETING at 7 PM
- 10/13 - Paint & Sip 6-8 PM (See ad)
- 10/15 - Party for a Cause (see ad)
- 10/17 - 3rd Annual Oyster Night (Sign up early!)
- 10/18 - Trustee Meeting 7 PM
- 10/25 - LODGE MEETING at 7 PM
- 10/28 - ENF (Elks Nat'l Foundation) Night

UPCOMING EVENTS:

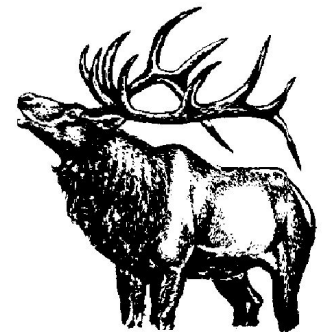
- 11/10 - Volunteer & New Member Appreciation Night
- 11/11 - Veteran's Day / Steak Night
- 11/18 - Turkey Games
- 11/24 - Tom & Jerry's with the Guse family
- 11/25 - HOLIDAY STROLL (Volunteers Needed)

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-- Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity --

October 2016

It's Great to be an Elk!



ISSUE 2016 - 10

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

Exalted Ruler's Message

Greetings all,

It is now the time of the year for fall colors and football. Summer seemed to fly by as usual as we move from thoughts of fun in the sun to fall and the upcoming holiday season.

We have many events going on at the Lodge ranging from Sunday football with volunteer bartenders, paint and sip events, holiday parties and much more. Keep an eye on the newsletter and Lottie's weekly posts via e-mail to always be "in the know."

This month, we will be having our annual ENF (Elks National Foundation) night. Remember, for every dollar we donate, we get back MORE THAN \$1.50 in return in the form of funding to support hoop shoot, drug awareness, scholarships as well as more than \$7,000 in grants for things like our bike rodeo, junior golf and a picnic / school supplies for local military families. We ask that you keep that in mind as you donate.

I want to again thank all our great volunteers. We have events coming up this fall that we will need help with so sign up at the Lodge or check with Lottie.

We had a planning meeting on Sept 26th to plan more events as we do this twice a year. If you have an idea for an event you would like to help with or bring into the Lodge please contact Lottie and let us help you make it happen. We love new ideas.

Wishing you all a safe and happy fall season.

Fraternally,

Charlie Nelson, PER
Exalted Ruler



Elks

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ELK!



Red Wing # 845

2016 – 2017 Committee Chairs

Accident Prevention – Lottie Aslakson PER
Activities – Warren Wertman, PER
Americanism – Fred Tremper PER
Auditing & Accounting – Dale Mehrkens
Charitable Gambling – Larry Larson PER
Christmas Baskets – Dennis Herling / Paul Drotos
Community Activities – Karlyne Bottin
Drug Awareness – Steph Riegelman PER
Flag Day – Lona Bignell (Lead Knight)
Flags for Holidays – Justin Key (Loyal Knight)
Government Relations – Susan Henke & Becky Nelson
Highway Cleanup – Susan Henke (Lecturing Knight)
Hoop Shoot – Greg Frankowski
Lodge Activities – Warren Wertman PER
Membership – Becky Nelson
Memorial Service – Lona Bignell (Lead Knight)
National Foundation – Pete Sorensen PER
Peggy Sorensen
PER Association – Kevin Riegelman PER
Public Relations – Steph Riegelman PER
ENF & Local Scholarship – Linda Larson
State Major Project – Warren Wertman
Soccer Shoot – Steph Riegelman PER
Veterans Service – Lottie Aslakson PER
Youth Activities – Lottie Aslakson PER
Youth Camp Recruiters – Lottie Aslakson PER
David Riegelman PER

Volunteer & New Member Appreciation Night

Join us on

**Thursday,
Nov 10th**



Food / Door Prizes and Fun!

More details in November Newsletter

BIRTHDAYS

October 2016

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	Tom Scheibel Mike Wilson						
3	Peter Lang						
	Richard Luhman						
5	Matt Hardyman						
	Larry Hawe						
7	Kip Anderson						
	Don Featherstone						
	Greg Fleming						
	William Schroeder						
8	Patricia Evenson						
	Charley Nelson						
9	Robert Allyn						
10	Steve Schmidt						
	Kris Hager						
11	James Welsh						
	Nancy Rosener						
12	Rodney Hauschildt, PER						
13	James Cushing						
14	Carrie Bollum-Biever						
16	Richard Friese						
19	Deane Hinrichs						
	Tom McNurlin						
	John Wooden						
	Glenn Mattson						
20	Milton Sorensen						
	Ronnie Thompson						
21	Michael Anderson						
22	Glenn Earney						
23	Charles Erickson						
25	Don Falk						
27	Gary Zenke						
28	Dale Johnson						
	Dennis Nelson						
30	Lottie Aslakson, PER						
	Ron Delaney						
	Steve Olson						
31	Dale Mehrens						

	30	31	Nov 1	Nov 2	Nov 3	Nov 4	Nov 5
	<i>Private Party</i>	<i>HAPPY HOUR DAILY 3-6 PM VIKINGS</i>	Nov 1 Food TBD Watch for details in weekly news!	Nov 2 MEXICAN 5:30-7:30 PM The BEST value in town!	Nov 3 FOOD TBD Watch for details in weekly news!	Nov 4 NO FOOD <i>Private Party</i>	Nov 5
	23 Vikings Football (Open at 11AM)	24 <i>Caramel Corn Mondays</i>	25 Food TBD Watch for details in weekly news! 7 PM Lodge Mtg	26 MEXICAN 5:30-7:30 PM The BEST value in town!	27 Food TBD Watch for details in weekly news!	28 Lenny's Fish Fry!! <i>ENF Night</i>	29 Trunk or Treat 3-5 PM <i>Private Party</i>
	16	17 <i>3rd Annual Oyster Feed</i>	18 STEAK NIGHT Watch for details in weekly news! 7PM Trustee Mtg	19 MEXICAN 5:30-7:30 PM The BEST value in town!	20 FOOD TBD Watch for details in weekly news!	21 Lottie's Burger Specials	22 <i>Private Party</i>
	9 DRIVE 4 KIDS	10 <i>Caramel Corn Mondays</i>	11 Food TBD <i>Flags at 5:30 PM</i> 7 PM Lodge Mtg	12 MEXICAN 5:30-7:30 PM The BEST value in town!	13 FOOD TBD <i>Paint & Sip Party</i>	14 NO FOOD <i>Private Party</i>	15 <i>Pay It Forward</i> (see ad)
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SECRETARY CORNER

Thank you to those members who have sent me their dues payments for the current year! There are still many delinquent members I am waiting on to get their membership dues paid up. Please get them sent in.

Please contact me if you are not receiving newsletters, weekly updates or reminders via e-mail.

If your e-mail address has changed we need to know so we can update it in our database.

Secretary's phone #715-495-2978 and e-mail address rw845secretary@redwing845.org

RW #845 MEMBERSHIP REPORT

as of September 24, 2016

Beginning membership on April 1, 2016

Red Wing #845 - **471 members**

Initiated: 5

Reinstated: 1

Deaths: 7

Transfer: 1

Proposed for membership

Jim Halverson proposed by Dean Reinhart

Gregg Ulvenes proposed by W.D. Ulvenes

Our current membership total: **469**

Currently Delinquent: 41

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

VETERANS NIGHT STEAK DINNER



Friday, Nov 11th is Veterans Day

Join us for a steak dinner to thank
ALL of our veterans for their service
to our country!

Dinner served 5:00 - 7:00
Free meal for veterans!

DO YOU GET YOUR NEWSLETTER BY EMAIL???

OR
SNAIL MAIL?



If you have an email address -
PLEASE, PLEASE, **PLEASE**

send an email **TODAY** to
rw845secretary@redwing845.org

and change over to email!!



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3RD ANNUAL OYSTER FEED



Join the 3-o'clock club at
4:30 PM on Mon, Oct 17th
for their annual raw oyster feed!

\$8-1/2 Doz, \$15-Dozen

Sign up your order
by Oct 10

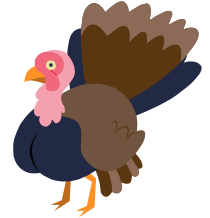
**SHUCKERS
NEEDED!**

Prepared by Frank Neises & Dave Wooden

TURKEY GAMES

Friday November 18

Social Hour - 5 PM
Barb's Buffet - 6 PM
Games - 7:30 PM



BE SURE to mark this one on your calendar!
You won't want to miss the fun!!!!

Sponsored by Red Wing's Past Exalted Rulers!



**ASK A
LODGE
OFFICER
for more info!!!**

RW Youth Outreach



SUN. OCT 9

Noon - 4 PM

Red Wing Elks Lodge

Classic Car Show along with Burger Baskets, Entertainment and more!!!!

Stop by and check it out!!

If you have time to volunteer to help - sign up at the Lodge! Red Wing Elks is partnering with RW Youth Outreach and Bolder Options to present this family-friendly event!

Columbus Day Flags

We need volunteers to help put up & take down flags for the upcoming holiday.

It only takes 30 to 45 minutes with enough help!

Flags Up:
Thursday, Oct 6th, 5:30 PM

Flags Down:
Tuesday, Oct 11th, 5:30 PM



We will meet at the Lodge - See you there!

Check out the WEEKLY E-NEWS for changes in schedules & menus!

JOIN THE FUN - GET INVOLVED!!!



Highway Clean-up Saturday, Oct 8th

Potluck Breakfast 8AM / Clean-up 9AM

Grab a couple of friends and join us!
It might not be the most glamorous service project we do - but we certainly do have **FUN** doing it!!!! Sign up at the Lodge!

Check out the WEEKLY E-NEWS for changes in schedules & menus!



6th Annual
PARTY FOR A CAUSE
Benefiting Pay it Forward Red Wing
10/15/16
at the Elks

Join the Hardyman's and Magnuson's for this guaranteed-to-be fun-filled event!

6-8 PM Barb's mouthwatering buffet
7-11 PM Music by "The Hooligans"

\$10 ticket includes cash prize drawing, food buffet and live entertainment!

MINNESOTA VIKINGS

	Monday - Oct. 3 New York Giants Normal Lodge hours
	Sunday - Oct. 9 Houston Texans Lodge opens at 11:00
	Sunday - Oct. 16 BYE WEEK LODGE CLOSED
	Sunday - Oct. 23 at Philadelphia Eagles Lodge opens at 11:00
	Monday - Oct. 31 at Chicago Bears Normal Lodge hours



Build Your Own Bloody Mary
\$3.00 w/snit!

Sunday Wings .50 each
BBQ, Teriyaki, Buffalo, Hot Buffalo



Drink Specials Every Sunday!

Free chips and salsa during the game!

Paint & Sip Party

Thursday, Oct 13 at 6-8 PM
\$25 / Person - Reservation Required

No Experience Necessary!



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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE LODGE!!!

A Thanksgiving Day
Tradition!

Tom & Jerry's
9:00 a.m. to Noon - 11/24/16

**Come down to the Lodge for
the Guse family's famous
Tom & Jerry Recipe**

Hosted by
RW 845
PER's



*Know any High School Seniors
applying for college?*

Be sure to let them know about our

ENF Scholarships

Send them to www.enf.elks.org/mvs to find out more!

ANY student is eligible to apply for the **Most Valuable Student** Scholarships. Applications due 11/30/16.

Children & grandchildren of Elk members are eligible to apply for ENF **Legacy** Scholarships. Apply at www.enf.elks.org/leg - Applications due 02/03/17.

Applications are ONLY accepted online!

Got a Secret Recipe?

LOVE TO COOK?

*Do you have a family favorite recipe
you're willing to share and make
a special meal at the lodge?*

Contact Lottie even if you only
want to make it once a year!

PLEASE DON'T WAIT TO BE ASKED -
STEP UP & help make a difference!



AMERICANISM Essay Contest

This year the title for the annual Americanism Essay contest is titled; "Why is it Important to Vote?" The contest is open to all students in the 6th - 8th grades. The contest is broken into two categories, 5th and 6th grades and then 7th & 8th grades. The essays are due to the Lodge no later than 12/16/16. We will be sending the information regarding the contest to School Districts in our area.

Should you have a child, grandchild, friend or neighbor who may be interested, please contact Fred Tremper, Lodge Americanism Chair (651-456-9633 or ftremper@comcast.net) or Mary Wooden (651-388-7207 or djwooden@charter.net). They will provide all of the information and instructions to participate.

Essays are judged on a Lodge and State level with the winning top essays submitted for judging at the National level. Winners at the State level, in both categories, will win: First Place \$300, Second Place \$200 and Runner-up \$100. If you would like to help contacting the School Districts in our area regarding the essay contest, please also contact Fred or Mary.



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THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

THANKS SO MUCH . . .

Newsletters - Thank you to everyone who helped get our newsletter sent out last month. Many hands make the work easy and fun - thanks for dropping by to help!

Guns & Hoses - Thanks so much to our volunteers who helped with this fun community event which allowed us to donate almost \$900 to UNITED WAY!!! Thanks to Lottie Aslakson, Kirby & Bev Berg, Mike & Lona Bignell, Austin Engen, Susan Henke, John Key, Justin Key, Honalee Lincoln, McKynna Lincoln, Pasty Nестeby, David Wertnan and Warren Wertman. GREAT JOB CREW!!!



Lenny's Fish Fry +
Randy's Homemade Beans,
Cole Slaw & Cheesy Potatoes

Friday, Oct 28th Elks Nat'l Foundation Night

Mark your calendar & join us for this important event!

By donating to ENF - you are helping your lodge make a HUGE difference in our community for veterans and children!

The MN Elks Association gets MORE THAN \$1.50 for every \$1 donated! By making the Grand Exalted Ruler's goal of \$4.60 / member - RW # 845 can apply for more than \$7,000 in community impact grants to support current programs like the Youth Bike Rodeo and Beyond the Yellow Ribbon veterans support.

Can you help us make the goal?



Guns & Hoses Volunteers



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