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

THIS MONTH EVENTS:

Aug 2-5: River City Days

LOTS OF VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!

8/5 - River City Days Parade (Join us & walk!!)

8/9 - Prime Rib Diner (RESERVATIONS GOING FAST!)

8/14 - NO LODGE MEETING

8/16 - United Way School Supplies (NO FOOD)

8/21 - Steak & Corn Feed at Izaak Walton

8/22 - Guns-n-Hoses at RW Athletic Field

8/23 - New Member Initiation

8/27 - Trustee Meeting at 6 PM

8/28 - LODGE MEETING at 7 PM

8/29 - Flags up 5 PM for Labor Day (Come help us!)

UPCOMING EVENTS:

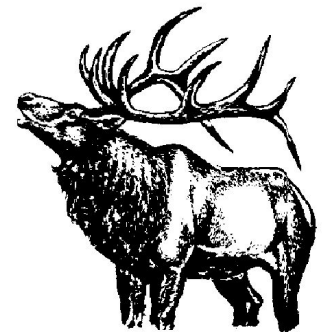
9/30 - Fall Golf Classic at RW Golf Club

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August 2018

It's Great to be an Elk!



ISSUE 2018 - 08

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

Exalted Ruler's Message

Members All -

First off, a HUGE thank you to all the volunteers, committee members, officers, and guests for making the Minnesota Elks Association State Convention in Red Wing a great success!! I have been receiving so many compliments from our guests from other lodges that are saying it was one of the best run conventions they have attended.

During the state convention our lodge won a few awards, including 1st Place in the Youth Activities Contest, President's Honorable Mention for Penny-a-Day, and Elks National Foundation Certificate of Appreciation for donations exceeding the GER goal of \$4.75 /member. Also, Red Wing's own Royce Bottin was installed as the State Esquire for 2018-2019, please congratulate him when you see him!

One week after the State Convention was the 150th Anniversary National Convention in San Antonio, Texas. I attended with my girlfriend, Allison, as my guest for the week. During the Grand Lodge sessions we watched different committee reports from Fraternal to Veterans Service, voted on resolutions for proposed amendments to the laws of the order, attended different state's hospitality rooms to learn about what other states are doing to promote Elksdom, we attended the ER Ball where we met the newly elected Grand Exalted Ruler, Michael T. Luhr.

On the final day, we witnessed Red Wing's own Warren Wertman become District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler for the Metropolitan District. We are very proud of Warren for taking on such an honorable role for our district.

Allison and I returned to Minnesota on the Amtrak train leaving from San Antonio, making stops along the way including Dallas, St. Louis, and Chicago. We took a day trip in Chicago and visited the Elks National Veterans Memorial Building. It is still fresh in my mind as one of the greatest buildings that I have seen. Every Elk should visit it if they are visiting the Chicago area.

I feel privileged to have represented our lodge at the State and National Conventions and am looking forward in being a good servant to my community and our members for the rest of the year as well as years to come!

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

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

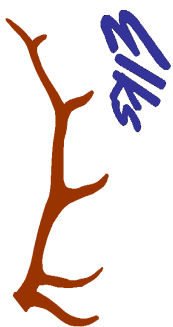


BIRTHDAYS

- 2
Melissa Henderson
Brent Kuhl
- 3
David Cormier
- 4
Roger Deden, PER
- 6
Chris Hauschildt
- 7
Mike Halvorson
Russ Nichols
- 8
Adam Reinhart
Ralph Ryan, PER
- 9
Chris Bruns
- 10
Melissa Johnson
- 11
Terry Glover
- 13
Tim Nelson
- 13
Sheri Dietzler
- 14
Kory Kruger
- 15
Dustin Schulenberg, PER
- 18
Mary Hilles
- 18
Brent Warner
- 20
Dennis Herling
- 22
Kayla Herling
- 22
Wylie Wilson
- 23
Jackie Friedrich
- 23
Ted Tapanila
- 24
Christy Witham
- 25
Michael Langer
- 25
Patsy Nesteby
- 26
John Howe
- 27
Faye Elford
- 28
David Hallstrom
- 30
Wayne Munson
- 30
Donnell Walker

August 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
July 29	July 30 <i>Mondays</i> Taco Salad	July 31 Broasted Chicken!	1 MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM <i>The BEST value in town!</i>	2	3	4
5 River City Days Parade	6 <i>Super Salad</i> Strawberry Chicken Salad	7 Broasted Chicken!	8 MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM <i>The BEST value in town!</i>	<div>RIVER CITY DAYS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!</div>		
12	13 <i>Super Salad</i> <i>Mondays</i> Pasta / Spinach w/teriyaki	14 Broasted Chicken!	15 MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM <i>The BEST value in town!</i>	9 PRIME RIB DINNER (Reservations required!)	10 <i>Lottie's Burgers</i>	11 Lodge Opens 3PM STOP IN!!!
19	20 <i>Super Salad</i> <i>Mondays</i> Chicken Caesar	21 STEAK & CORN FEED	22 NO MEXICAN <i>GUNS-N-HOSES</i> <i>RW Ath Field</i>	16 UW School Supply Night NO FOOD	17 <i>Lottie's Burgers</i>	18 <i>Party</i> Members Welcome
26	27 <i>Super Salad</i> <i>Mondays</i> Chef Salad	28 Broasted Chicken!	29 MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM <i>The BEST value in town!</i>	30 Barb's Broasted Pork Chops	31 <i>Party</i> No Food	Sept 1



SECRETARY CORNER

I hope you are all enjoying our great summer weather! It's been very hot outside at times but on those days it's nice and cool inside your Lodge. Check out your newsletter calendar for meals and events at the. Stop in for some great meals our volunteers are dishing up along with those yummy cool beverages our hard-working bartenders are serving. Bring your family and friends with you so you can all enjoy it together!

We are now down to 40 delinquent members so if you have not yet received your tan membership card that means you have not yet sent me your dues payment for the current year. Please get them sent in!

If you have not been 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 July 26, 2018

Beginning membership on April 1, 2018
485 members

Initiated: 20
Deaths: 2 Delinquent: 40
Current membership: 503

Proposed for membership

Patricia Farness proposed by Lowell Anderson
Martin Winfrey proposed by Daniel Hull

Elected to become members

Jeffrey Chandler, Allison Eisbach, Angela Foss,
Ronald Walker, DeLonne Whipple

Initiated as new members on July 17th

Bonnie Laughlan & Jonathan Paradis

Please welcome these new members!
Our next initiation ceremony is scheduled for
Tuesday, August 23, 2018

***The clock of his day has stopped
and across its dial
the motionless shadows mark
the hour of eleven.***

David 'Jerry' Borgen

Born: February 19, 1929
Initiated: November 22, 1960
Died: July 11, 2018

To Our Absent Members

***The entire Red Wing Elks Lodge #845
expresses our deepest sympathy
to the Borgen family.***

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



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!

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

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



THANKS VOLUNTEERS!!

**Thanks to the efforts of many, the MN Elks State Convention
Held in RW in June was a HUGE success!!!**

Minnesota Elks LOVE coming to Red Wing and we did our best to show them a good time!!!
Thank you to our manager Lottie, Barb Gosman and our amazing bartending staff, especially
Athena Reed and Randy Schoen, who worked SO HARD to make this event fun for everyone!

Our sincere apologies if anyone is overlooked on this list - we did our best to capture all the names!

Leigh Ann Anderson	Steve Anderson	Mandy Arden	Lottie Aslakson
Lona Bignell	Mike Bignell	Karlyne Bottin	Royce Bottin
Amy Carda	Dave Everett	Greg Fleming	JoLynn Fleming
Scott Guse	Sheri Guse	Art Haage	Jim Halverson
Susan Henke	Denny Herling	Daniel Hull	Jim Key
John Key	Justin Key	Karen Key	Kim Key
Leon Klenke	Lydia Klenke	Larry Larson	Linda Larson
Gwen Lynch	Mark Lynch	Sue Mahn	Amy Merschbrock
Jennifer Miles	Becky Nelson	Charlie Nelson	Patsy Nesteby
Jonathan Paradis	Clare Pavelka	Dave Petersmeyer	Brian Peterson
John Quist	Dean Reinhart	Linda Reinhart	David Riegelman
Kaydee Riegelman	Kevin Riegelman	Steph Riegelman	Jinny Rietmann
Tara Rossi	Troy Rossi	Dena Schull	Mark Schull
Peggy Sorensen	Pete Sorensen	Arnie Strusz	Ron Tlougan
Fred Tremper	Vickie Tremper	Deanna Westby	Norm Westby
Clarice Vagasky	Steve Vagasky		

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serving kids to camp each
summer!!!! Get yours before
they're gone!**

FABULOUS PRIME RIB DINNER

Prepared by
Frank Neises & Dave Wooden



Thursday August 9th

seatings at 5:30 and 6 PM
Limited to first 55 reservations
\$22 / person
SIGN UP AT THE LODGE



SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

RW Elks # 845 is partnering with our local United Way
for their "Stuff the Bus" School Supply Drive!

Bring your donation of school supplies down to the
lodge! We'll be hosting the United Way's "Back to
School" Shopping Event and providing a hot meal for
the families at the lodge on Aug 16th from 3-6 PM

Guns - n - Hoses

Weds, 8/22

Red Wing Athletic Field
Gates open at 6 PM



Elks are hosting the
concessions stand and
need volunteers -



SIGN UP at the Lodge!



Proceeds support UW's Packing 4 the
Weekend food program!



LOTTIE'S SERVING BROASTED CHICKEN!

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



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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE LODGE!!!



Soccer Shoot

DISTRICT RESULTS

Red Wing hosted the Metro District Shoot on July 22nd.

Girls 12 & 13 - Alexis Kuehl, 3rd place

Boys 12 & 13 - Ashton Wieck, 2nd place

Boys 10 & 11 - Jack Cashman, 1st place

Girls 8 & 9 - Jillian Wieck, 3rd place

Boys 8 & 9 - Rocco Staggs, 1st place

1st Place finishers advance to the MN Elks State Shoot Aug 25th. Thanks to our local volunteers - Mike Bignell, Kevin & Steph Riegelman and Warren Wertman.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

RW Elks is proud to share:



Royce Bottin, PER was installed as our State Esquire

PER Warren Wertman was installed as our Metro District Deputy!

Thank you both for your dedication & service!

Annual Izaak Walton Steak and Corn Feed



Tuesday, August 21st

Social Hour: 5 PM

Dinner: 6 PM

Cash bar, Steak, Sweet Corn & all the fixings

Come on down to the river and enjoy a fun Evening with your fellow Elks!

See you there!



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September 30th

Red Wing Golf Club

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!



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From our Manager . . .

Our broaster has been a fabulous addition to our menu and SO MANY of our members are coming down to try out our broasted meals! I REALLY appreciate the help in the kitchen from Sharon Lee and Sue Connaughton - couldn't do it without you!!

Thanks to our Steak Night crew - they always do a great job and we appreciate your efforts! This group includes Bob Bauer, Jean & Barry Dosdall, Susan Henke, Larry Horlitz, Ron Huppert and Glenn Mattson.

A HUGE THANK YOU to all of the volunteers who helped complete the remodel in the women's bathroom! It looks fantastic and the gals have certainly noticed the dramatic improvements in there!

Thanks to those have had their parties and events here the past months. Thank you to everyone that's taken a break from the heat this summer to stop in for a cold beverage! We really appreciate your business. Remember, this is your lodge and we are always open to parties and events - give me a call and we can get your event on the schedule!!

It's GREAT to be an Elk!
Lottie



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THANK YOU!

Newsletter - Thanks to the folders, tapers and labelers who helped get our Newsletter in the mail. They are JoLynn Fleming and Steph Riegelman.

Cooking & Kitchen Helpers - Thanks to EVERYONE who helped during the month of July in our kitchen. Your help is greatly appreciated!



WOMEN'S BATHROOM REMODEL

Thank you to everyone worked so hard to update the women's bathroom at the lodge. It looks **FABULOUS!**

Thank you to everyone who helped raise the funds to complete this project!! Thanks to the hard-working construction crew including Jeff Boigenzahn, Greg & JoLynn Fleming, Dennis Herling, Rhonda Jonas, Cheryl Klair, Sharon Lee. Thank you to Kim & Rick Liljenquist for the creating, donating and installing the counter-top support for the sinks!



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