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

**Look inside for
more information on...**

THIS MONTH EVENTS:

9/4- Labor Day (LODGE CLOSED)

9/5 - Flags Down—meet at lodge at 5 PM

9/12 - LODGE MEETING at 7 PM

9/16 - METRO DISTRICT MEETING,

9/17 - Fall Golf Outing

9/21 - New Member Initiation (Join us!)

9/26 - Trustee Meeting at 6 PM

9/26 - LODGE MEETING - 7 PM

UPCOMING EVENTS:

10/6 - Elks National Foundation / German Night

10/7 - District Deputy official visit 10 Am

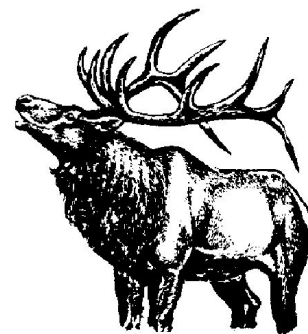
Watch next Month's Newsletter for more info!

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

September 2017

It's Great to be an Elk!



ISSUE 2017 - 09

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

Exalted Ruler's Message

To my fellow Elks,

The summer is almost over and the time has come for returning to school. Fall sports and activities will be upon us very shortly.

The Lodge has been very busy in August. Thank you to all the volunteers that helped with the Steak and Corn feed. It was a great time on the river as always!

River City Days was a huge success and I would like to thank all the volunteers that made this another great event for the Lodge.

Guns and Hoses was held in August this year and we were there for the fourth year in a row. We made \$900 for the United Way and had a great time doing it.

If you haven't bought MN Elks Youth Camp Raffle tickets this year you still have time. These 100 dollar tickets benefit our Lodge by covering the fees for the youth that our Lodge sponsors to the MN Elks Camp next summer. Remember you could end up being the lucky winner.

The annual Elks National Foundation Night this year is on Friday, October 6th. Remember all the worthy programs that the ENF supports. We also have had the good fortune to get scholarships for our local youth from ENF. ENF supports the Hoop Shoot and Soccer Shoot. ENF is a very worthwhile foundation and I encourage all of you to support us at the ENF night this year. We are close to meeting the Grand Exalters Rulers goal for this year - when we do, we are able to apply for more than \$7,000 in grants to support great programs like the Youth Bike Rodeo, supporting Youth Outreach and helping our local veterans with School Supplies for their kids. Every little bit helps so please consider making a donation to the Elks National Foundation this year!

Please keep our troops in your prayers. See you at the Lodge.

Fraternally,
Lona Bignell
Exalted Ruler



It's *GREAT* to be an
ELK!



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 - Steph Riegelman, PER
Flag Day - Justin Key (Leading Knight)
Flags for Holidays - Susan Henke (Loyal Knight)
Fraternal - VACANT
Government Relations - Becky Nelson
Highway Cleanup - Mike Bignell (Lect Knight)
Hoop Shoot - Greg Frankowski
Lodge Activities - Warren Wertman, PER
Membership - Becky Nelson
Memorial Service - Justin Key (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



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!



BIRTHDAYS

September 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Lottie's Burgers	2
	<div>PLEASE NOTE: ALL MEALS are now served from 5:30-7PM or until gone on special meal nights!</div>					
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	LABOR DAY (LODGE CLOSED)	Smoked Pork Chop Dinner 5PM Flags Down	MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM The BEST value in town!	Steak Sandwich & Tator Tots	Lottie's Burgers	Party 6PM-?
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	HAPPY HOUR DAILY 3-6 PM	Barb's Honey Mustard Fried Ckn sliders 7PM Lodge Mtg	MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM The BEST value in town!	Barb's Hot Beef Commercial	Lottie's Burgers <i>Paint & Sip</i>	Private Party 1-3PM
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Fall Golf Classic (See ad)	Elks-toberfest Specials start	STEAK NIGHT	MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM The BEST value in town!	Reuben Sliders w/ Beer Ch Soup <i>INITIATION</i>	Private Party	Private Party
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	HAPPY HOUR DAILY 3-6 PM	Cook Team 1's Maidrites 6PM Trustees 7PM Lodge Mtg	MEXICAN 5:30-7:00 PM The BEST value in town!	Barb's Oven Fried Chkn Dinner	Lottie's Burgers	Wedding

- 1 Roger Flaten
Chris Flom

2 Richard Mallan

3 Leigh Ann Frantzen

4 Frank Neises

5 Dale Kruse

6 Clarence Demers

7 Floyd Budensiek

8 John Riedner

9 John Thompson

10 Ronald Walm

11 Jeff Magnuson

12 Warren Wertman, PER

13 Thomas Erdmann

14 Wade Olejniczak

15 John Nelson

16 Paul Richards

17 Kevin Jonas

18 Dave Petersmeyer

19 Ronald Walther

20 Amy Carda

21 Carl Long

22 Roger Montanbo

23 Anthony Osborne

24 Kevin Riegelman, PER/PSIP

25 Austin Engen

26 Stephen Gish

27 James Kulstad

28 David Riegelman, PER

29 Bradford Schultz

30 Scott Hoffman

1 Tom Lidahl

2 Bruce Dugstad

3 Richard Kosec

4 Dennis Schultz

5 Kirby Berg

6 Royce Bottin, PER

7 Charles Allyn

8 Lloyd Anderson

9 Norman Westby

10 Karen Renshaw

SECRETARY CORNER

Congratulations to our five new members of Red Wing #845 who were initiated into our Red Wing #845 BPOE on August 17th. We welcome you to our Elk family! As always, all members can bring in friends and family as your guests to show off what we offer here at RW #845.

Please contact Lottie or myself if you are not receiving the newsletter or weekly updates Lottie sends out by e-mail. If your e-mail or postal address has changed we need to know so we can update it in our database. Secretary phone #715-495-2978 & e-mail address rw845secretary@redwing845.org

RW #845 MEMBERSHIP REPORT

as of August 23, 2017

Beginning membership on April 1, 2017
Red Wing #845 – **471 members**

Initiated: 8 Deaths: 1
Currently Delinquent: **29**
Our current membership total: **478**

Initiated as New Members August 17th

Don Hiles, Mary Hiles, Gary Johnson,
Daniel Philippi, Karen Renshaw

***Please welcome our newest members of
Red Wing #845***

Proposed for Membership

Athena Reed proposed by Justin Key
Shaun Olsberg proposed by Justin Key
Greg Domke proposed by Justin Key
Doug Kliever proposed by Justin Key
Dena Schull proposed by Mark Schull
Scott Fagan proposed by David Dillon

Approved by the Membership Committee

Athena Reed, Dena Schull, Scott Fagan,
Shaun Olsberg

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

Jerome Ives

Born: November 12, 1942

Initiated: May 22, 2001

Died: July 28, 2017

To Our Absent Members

***The entire Red Wing #845 Lodge expresses our
deepest sympathy to Jerome's family.***

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



Mike Engberg
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JOIN THE FUN - GET INVOLVED!!!

Labor Day Flags

We need volunteers to help with flags

It only takes 30 to 45 minutes with enough help!

Flags Up:

Thursday, Aug 31st, 5 PM

Flags Down:

Tuesday, Sept 5th, 5 PM



We will meet at the Lodge - See you there!

Minnesota Vikings

Sunday Football! COMING IN OCTOBER!

Red Wing Elks Lodge will be open for Vikings Sunday football again this year starting in October.
Until then, enjoy the fall weather!



Soccer Shoot

STATE RESULTS

Congratulations to the Red Wing kids who kicked in the State Shoot at the MN Elks Youth Camp!

Girls 10&11 - Grace Bremer, 4th Place

Girls 12&13 - Alexis Keuhl, 1st / TOP GIRLS SHOOTER

Boys 7 & under - Noah Riegelman, 3rd Place

Each of these kids & their families enjoyed a week-end at our Youth Camp and competed against other kids their age in the State Shoot on Aug 25th.



ELKS-TO-BER-FEST

Celebrating from Sept 18th until Oct 7th at the Lodge!

Stop in and taste a German beer—5 brands of Oktoberfest beer at \$2.75 / can OR try some Schells Oktoberfest on tap for \$2.50 / glass!

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WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE LODGE!!!

Friday, Oct 6th Elks Nat'l Foundation Night



Music by the Keynotes

**German menu prepared
by Barb, Frank & Dave**

—\$15/person—

Reservations required by 10/2

Serving Apple Bacon Coleslaw, Pork Schnitzel,
German Red Potatoes, Red Cabbage, Pumpernickel
Break and Salted Caramel Apple Bars

*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 ap-
ply for more than \$7,000 in community impact
grants to support programs like the Bike Rodeo &
Veterans support.

We need your help!!!!

From our Manager . . .

THANKS SO MUCH TO EVERYONE who helped to make
River City Days a huge success for us. A thank you ap-
pears later in the newsletter—thanks again!!!

On Aug 15th , we held our annual Steak & Corn night. It
takes a lot of effort to move everything we need to make
the night great for our members! Thanks so much to our
volunteers that night including Bob Bauer, Jean & Barry
Doddall, Dave & Linda Everett, Greg & JoLynn Fleming,
Larry Horlitz, Mike Jacobson, Glenn Mattson, Charlie &
Becky Nelson and Steve & Clarice Vagasky!

On Aug 23rd, we worked closely with our United Way
and hosted a school supply distribution at the Lodge to
help local students. Thanks to our volunteers who
helped make this event possible including Kirby Berg,
Carol Burma, Sue Connaughton, Barb Gosman, Sharon
Lee, Karen Quist, Carolyn Smith, Deanna Westby and
Mary Wooden!

Thanks for your continued support -

It's GREAT to be an Elk! *Lottie*

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RIVER CITY DAYS - THANK YOU!

Thank you SO MUCH to all of our volunteers who made this year's River City Days possible! Our lodge hosted the beer tent, handled the parking, hosted a reception for the RW Ambassadors and participated in the River City Days Parade!!! **While we certainly hope we didn't forget any names, our sincere apology to anyone who might have been forgotten - the weekend was a little crazy!**

Ambassadors Reception: Thanks to Steve & Clarice Vagasky and Dave Wooden

RCD Parking: THANKS TO PARKING ORGANIZERS JUSTIN KEY & WARREN WERTMAN!! Thanks also to Mike Bignell, Rod Frantzen, Don & Mary Hiles, Barb & Barry Johnson, Jim Key, John & Kim Key, Charlie Nelson, Kevin Riegelman, Ursulla Runmann, Gerry Strom, Fred Tremper, Tom Zibble & RW Ambassador Candidates

Parade: Thanks to organizers Karlyne & Royce Bottin and Kevin Riegelman. Thanks to volunteers Steve & Leigh Ann Anderson, Lona & Mike Bignell, Dave & Noah Riegelman, Tara Rossi and Warren Wertman

Beer Tent Organizers Lottie Aslakson, Becky & Charlie Nelson did a FABULOUS JOB!

Other volunteers include: Steve & Leigh Ann Anderson, Bob Bauer, Kirby Berg, Lona & Mike Bignell, Carol Burma, Amy Carda, Sue Connaughton, Dave Cormier, Shari Dietzler, Jean Dosdall, Mike Engberg, Austin Engen, Dave & Linda Everett, JoLynn & Greg Fleming, Scott & Sherri Guse, Jim & Kay Halversen, Dennis Herling, Ron & Jill Huppert, Jim Illg, Justin Key, Cheryl Klair, Linda & Larry Larson, Sharon Lee, Mark Lynch, John Mahn, Sue Mahn, Rollie Meffert, John Nelson, Wendy Peterson, Athena & Jason Reed, Dean & Linda Reinhart, Adam Reinhart, Kevin Riegelman, Tara Rossi, Mark & Dena Schull, Brent Seely, Darnell Smith, Pete & Peggy Sorenson, Norm & Deanna Westby and Mike & Jeanette Wilson.

SPECIAL THANKS to MIKE WILSON for picking up & returning the bar AND to WYLIE WILSON for use of the refrigerated truck!

THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

THANKS SO MUCH...

Guns-n-Hoses - Photo below—thanks to Lottie Aslakson, Bev & Kirby Berg, Mike Bignell, Austin Engen, Susan Henke, Mallory Henke, John & Kim Key, Justin Key, Honalee Lincoln, Patsy Nesteby and Warren Wertman.

Newsletter - Thanks to the folders, tapers & labelers who helped get our August Newsletter in the mail! Volunteers included: Lottie Aslakson, Joe Fox, Bonnie Lohman, Becky Nelson and Kevin & Steph Riegelman.

Our Cooks - Thanks so much to those that help keep our kitchen operational including Cooking Team 3 (Linda & Larry Larson, Randy & Lori Anderson), Susan Henke, Sharon Lee, Dave Wooden and Barb Gosman for her amazing meals!



Guns-n-Hoses volunteers



**Sunday
September 17th
Red Wing Golf Club**

**18 holes, 4 person
scramble**

Shotgun start at 10:00 am

Sign up at the Lodge (include your handicap) and join in the fun! Teams drawn based on handicap.

Cost - TBD / per person includes:

- Breakfast
- Golf
- Cart
- Lunch
- Prizes
- Plus "Special Amenities" on the Course

For more information or questions, contact Larry Larson or Royce Bottin



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