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2013-2014 Lodge Officers

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The Elks Profile

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A Message from the Exalted Ruler

Well it's a new year, 2014. I hope everyone had a great Holiday season!!!


I want to send Thank You's out to everyone who helped in the CHRISTMAS BASKET PROGRAM, Dick Ingram and his crew did an outstanding job this year, sending out 150 baskets to those in need in OUR community.

Thank you to Doti and her Elves who planned the 2 Christmas partys, the Yankee swap and the KIDS' party with Santa. Well Done! Also to Diedre Tibbetts and the Elk Mania committee, with an AWESOME \$13,000. Raised for the WLNH Childrens Charities.

Please help me welcome Mike Daly, to our lodge as the new Lodge Manager!

Check your calendar for all that's going on in the lodge, and stop in on each Saturday Night for the QUEEN OF HEARTS drawing at 7:30pm. The pot is growing every week.

Fraternally yours,
Jim Culpon • Exalted Ruler



*Thank you to Bob McCrea
for his many years of
service to the Laconia Elks,
we will miss him as our bar manager.*

Bulletin to be Read through our Website

The monthly bulletin is now available to read on our lodge's website. We are no longer mailing the bulletins to members unless a request is made to the lodge secretary to continue to receive it by regular mail.

www.laconiaelks876.org

Click on "Bulletin" and choose the month you want to read.

Any questions contact Sandra Gaumont at secretary876@metrocast.net or call the lodge.

ELK MANIA

We raised \$13,012.00 for the WLNH Children's Auction!

Thank you to our members
for sharing the bar for the day.
Thank you team captains
for helping organize the event.

Thank you local businesses for donating items/gift certificates for the raffle: Ciao Pasta, Meadow Brook, Romp's BG Auto, Metrocast, Café Déjà vu, Paradise Tanning, Gagliardi Jewelry, LiSachas Beauty Lounge, Whittemore's Flower Shop, Brickfront, Lobster Pound, Sal's Pizza, Northeast Tire, Ken Knowlton, Cindy Brough, Donnie and Marcia Lamontagne, Tim and Sheila Bagley, Vintage Café, Average Joe's Crazy Gringo, Star Nails.


Thank you Dave from Lakeside Roast Beef, Jackie from Shaw's Gilford and all our members who brought in food to keep our energy going.

Thank you Marica and Donnie Lamontagne, Theresa Caldwell, Suzy Martin, Bar Stool Sitters and everyone who helped make this a successful event!

Donate for Life


a program the Elks support. To register go to www.donatelife.net and save a life or make one better.

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- JANUARY 2014 -



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
<i>Happy New Year!</i>			1	2 PER Meeting	3	4 Queen of Hearts
\$8 pp Breakfast 8-11	5 Lodge 7 PM	6	7 Kitchen Open 5-6:30 PM	8	9	10 Queen of Hearts Hall Rental
11	12	13 House 6:30 Trustee 7:00	14	15 Kitchen Open 5-6:30 PM	16	17 PER Meat Raffle 18 Queen of Hearts
19 Brkfst 8-11 Hall Rental	20 Lodge 7 PM	21 Vender Bingo	22 Kitchen Open 5-6:30 PM	23	24 Fish Fry	25 Queen of Hearts Hall Rental
26	27	28	29 Kitchen Open 5-6:30 PM	30	31	

Fish Fry Fri., January 24
Fish & Chips/ \$7 • Shrimp Cocktail/ \$3
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Sunday Breakfast Buffet
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- FEBRUARY 2014 -



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
						Hall Rental 1 Queen of Hearts
2 Breakfast 8-11	3 Lodge 7 PM	4	Kitchen 5 Open 5-6:30 PM	6 PER Meeting	7	8 Queen of Hearts
9	10 House 6:30 Trustee 7:00	11	Kitchen 12 Open 5-6:30 PM	13	14	15 Queen of Hearts
16 Breakfast 8-11	17 Lodge 7 PM	18	Kitchen 19 Open 5-6:30 PM	20	21 PER Meat Raffle	22 Queen of Hearts
23	24	25	Kitchen 26 Open 5-6:30 PM	27	28 Fish Fry	



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— **Secretary's Notes** —
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Fundraiser for Julie Perkins Sat., Feb. 1 from 4-7pm

**Basket Meat Bingo,
 Raffles and Spaghetti Dinner
 just \$10 per person.**

All proceeds are going to Julie for her cancer treatment over the next year. She has no insurance and has to go to Dartmouth for treatment. Any member interested in donating a basket contact Doti or Sandy Gaumont.

Anyone wishing to submit an article to the newsletter must have it in to Doti Acres Gath, PER by the 20th of each month. Email submissions are wonderful, please email: acres13@hotmail.com or drop in the trustee mail box in the lodge.



2013-2014 Dues

*Remember all dues were due April 1, 2013.
 If you haven't paid your dues you are delinquent!*

✂ cut along lines and mail back with payment

Dues Statement April 1, 2013 – April 1, 2014

Name: _____
 Membership #: _____
 Annual Regular Member Dues (\$58.50)
 Amount Included: _____
 Annual Life Member Dues (\$23.50)
 Amount Included: _____
Optional Donations
 1) Elks National Foundation (ENF)
 Amount Included: _____
 2) State Major Project (Copper Cannon)
 Amount Included: _____
 3) Lodge Scholarship Fund
 Amount Included: _____
 Total Paid for 2013-2014: _____



Happy Birthday to Our January Elks!

Kevin Daly, James Eakin, Roger Ellsworth, Leonard Gardner, Henry Greenmore, John Lavin, Charles Schubert, Kevin Moynahan, George Minnon, Larry Benoit, Jamie Laramie, Earl Clough, Ronald Dionne, Beverly Gordon, Donald Knowlton, John Larhette, Fran Cahill, Terri Hawkins, Richard Stewart, James MacQuarrie, Richard Dubois, Davis Relf, Carl Hamberger, Roy Larson, Robert Myshrall, Scott R Haskell, Deborah Southworth, Roger Dubreuil, Kathy Clairmont, Jackie French, Kenneth Glidden, Amanda Laramie, Janice Pilling, Robert Fay, Normand Gaudet, James Chapman, Bruce Morgan, Malcolm Taylor, Scott Compton, Richard Parshley, Robert Dever, Janice Dignan, Patrick Perkins, Deborah Auger, Robert Finkeldie, Bill Isensee, Russell Moren, Debra Lacey, Roger Marceau, Ryan Southworth, John Heney, Warren Leary Jr, Harlen Ranger, Michael Joyce, Gary Moulton, Lionel Paradise and John Sullivan.

From the House Committee:

I hope you have all had a chance to welcome Mike Daly our new lodge manager as he started a few weeks ago. I am sure many of you know him from Nothing Fancy/Ritas/Crazy Gringo as he was the manger for years. The house committee feel he will be a wonderful addition and has a wealth of knowledge to bring to our lodge.

Effective January 1, 2014 all bar liquor prices
 (ie mixed drinks) will increase by 50¢

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