



# *Antler Antics*

*Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks*



*Join us for our  
Mardi Gras Masquerade  
Charity Ball  
Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>*

*See flier on page 8 for details*

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## Duty Officers

10-03 to 10-09	Jean Miraglia, PER
10-10 to 10-16	Ed Lees
10-17 to 10-23	Bill Joseph
10-24 to 10-30	Dan Hoffman



### LODGE ROOM RENTALS

Our renovated Lodge Room is available for rental at very reasonable rates. Catering can be arranged. For more information contact Brooke at 805-496-4550.

## Elk of the Month



The Elk of the Month for October is Adelaide Wavra. She is currently our Lodge Chaplain and Public Relations chairperson. Adelaide has done a wonderful job in getting the word out on what the Thousand Oaks Elks do. Our exposure on Facebook and print media has risen to a new level. Her dedication just resulted in our Lodge being featured twice in the September edition of the Elks magazine. Additionally, her dedication to photographing our events is very commendable. Adelaide came to our Lodge with a lot of "Elks" experience that has benefitted all of us. Thank you Adelaide, enjoy your reserved parking and Friday night dinners.

## Eagle Scout Court of Honor



The Thousand Oaks Elks Lodge #2477 hosted an Eagle Scout, Court of Honor for Alexander Jeffrey Lawrence. AJ Lawrence's Eagle Service Project was the renovation of the team room in the Newbury Park High School gym. The project cost \$2,858.02 and included 29 workers providing 425 hours of service. AJ is a proud member of Troop 754 under the direction of Jeff Lawrence, his Father. The Thousand Oaks Elks Lodge #2477 is proud of AJ and wishes him luck in his future.

## New Candidates, Transfers and Reinstatements

Gregory Johnson	Greg Metzgs, DL
Richard Allen	Richard Platt
Damian Villanueva	Terry Gicking, PER/PDDGER
Rose Drummond	Alexandra Rogers

## Meeting Attendance

	08-14	08-28
<b>General Members</b>	30	40
<b>Officers</b>	13	9
<b>PERs</b>	5	4
<b>Total</b>	48	53

## Membership Report

Membership as of April 1, 2018	445
Total Initiations, Reinstatements & Transfers as of 8-31-19	20
Total Members Lost as of 8-31-19	5
Delinquency as of 8-31-19	0
Total Membership as of 8-31-19	460

## Deadline for receiving ALL material for publication is the 15th of the Month.

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## Exalted Ruler Dan Hoffman



I am shocked with how fast the summer went by. They say, "As you get older, time really flies". It sure did. I hope you all had a great summer.

Let's all welcome our Secretary, David

Naccarato, back. He came back just in time to assist with the DDGER Visitation. I am thrilled that he is back. He is an important part of everything we do. Speaking of the DDGER Visitation, be assured, all the audits went very well. You should all be proud of our Lodge.

Please put Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> on your calendars. We will be having our Christmas Charity Basket Ball. This is an important part of the funding for helping the needy in our community. More information to follow.

As our GER often states, there is so much that is good about Elksdom. The good work we do, the people we help, the support we give to our Lodges and our communities and the fun we have along the way. These things are what make us stand out as America's premier organization. We are American citizens dedicated to exemplifying the BPO Elk's well-known cardinal virtues-Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity. Remember, these are not just words, but **MANDATES** that should guide the actions of all Elks on a daily basis. The foundation and groundwork of our Order is "To do unto others as we would they should do unto us". It is important to embrace the motto of our Order, "The faults of our Members we write upon the sand, their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory".

I hope you have all seen the banners and signs posted at our Lodge. It is about time the community sees what we are all about. Our PR Chairperson, Adelaide, has been saturating Facebook, the Acorn, CHEA magazine, VC STAR and the Elk's Magazine with the great events we are doing and the community causes we are supporting. This is a proactive approach to the principle, "If they know you and they

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## Leading Knight Leo Rodriguez, PER



This is the beginning of our busiest time of the year, with Halloween, Thanksgiving and the Christmas Holidays and parties, not to mention our Charity Ball, Children's Christmas Party, Charity Basket Program, and our Christmas Tree Lot.

It is no wonder that many of us get burnt out, so in advance I would like to personally thank all our members and their families for all of their support not only with donations, but with the time they generously give to our Lodge during not only this time of year but throughout the entire year. Without you, the members, none of the wonderful things we do for our community and our charities would get done!

Our Charity Ball this year will be held on October 26<sup>th</sup>, not October 19<sup>th</sup> as previously mentioned. We are having a theme this year of Mardi Gras Masquerade Ball. Adam "Smitty" Smith will be providing a wonderful dinner with an authentic New Orleans menu, but not spicy, and music by **The Generation Gap**. We will have plenty of raffles with baskets and other prizes donated from our local businesses throughout the evening, as well as a 50/50. The monies that we make from this event goes directly to our Christmas Basket Program, so we hope that you all attend this event and help to make the Basket Program as successful as we do year after year. This program is one by which the community really has come to know us. It shows that Elks Care and Elks Share! See the flyer for the time and when tickets will be available plus all the other details, we look forward to seeing you there!

There will be sign-up sheets in the Lounge for volunteers to help with the Baskets, so please whatever time you are able to give would be helpful, there is no minimal time to volunteer, every little bit helps in what is needed to make this program happen.

Remember the best way to be kept informed is to attend meetings, so we hope to see more members at the meetings.

Fraternally,

Leo Rodriguez, PER  
Esteemed Leading Knight

## Loyal Knight Richard Platt



As of the time I wrote this article, there has been only one Thirsty Thursday Night Football game. A fun time was had by all. Especially happy were all the Green Bay fans. The Bears fans used heaps of expletives, as well as, wait until

next week. Bill Joseph delivered two six-foot long sub sandwiches for Monday Night Football, About forty members were able to view the very last Monday Night Football game from that celebrated "**BLACK HOLE**" of the Oakland Stadium. All thanks to Richard Goldner, Krista Cameron and the Martyn's for the focus on Thursday Night Football. Thanks to Bill Joseph, for the focus on Monday Night Football. This is important, as our Friday Dinner food costs are going up based on dinners sold. A logical offset to that would be an increase in sales at other food and beverage events. It is your Lodge, let's support our members who undertake the cooking of meals for us to enjoy.

Jay Dupler, DDGER 2019-2020, and his wife Kristi visited to our Lodge on September 11, 2019. The visit has four major parts: a review of all financial matters of the Lodge; an inspection of the grounds and buildings; a review of the programs and Lodge proceedings and face to face meetings with Committee Chairmen, as well as, the Chair Officers. Then, Jay delicately delivered the overall findings to the Lodge Membership at dinner. Jay has a team who are subject matter experts in their fields. Drum roll please, what were the findings? We did very well and Jay's team commented we should be proud.

Thanks to the solid work of so many, all financial aspects of your Lodge are safe, sound and secure as well as earning interest! Our building is long standing and our parking lots need repair. We have a team of members who repeatedly repair needed maintenance concerns. Our parking lot will be repaved the week of September 16th. Noted concerns from prior inspections have been addressed. We are in fine shape administratively and financially, as are our buildings and grounds.

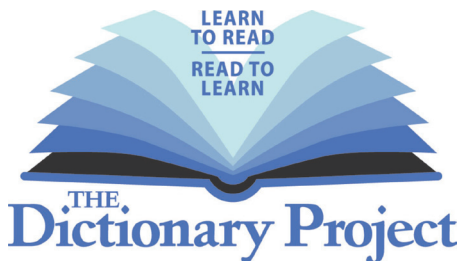
Richard Platt

## Lecturing Knight Adam Smith



Summer. It's a love-hate season, right? More daylight. It's time to hit the beach, lake, concert-in-the-park, Burning Man, etc. Oh, and it's 100 degrees! Can't wait for summer to start... and end. Well, it's the

end of summer and the start of fall, with a full calendar of events at the Lodge. The Purple Pig fundraiser on the 27<sup>th</sup> is going to be great! And, the NFL season is underway with food and fun on Monday and Thursday nights.



The Dictionary Program school visits are coming up! Very excited about this. The Americanism essay contest starts this month. We'll post the topic at the Lodge shortly. For Scholarships, we just had a garage sale fund raiser at the Lodge. Hoping this event builds and with greater community participation. A work in progress!

In Scouting, the Lodge recently hosted an Eagle Court of Honor. The Sternbergs attended a Double Eagle Court of Honor. We continue to look for a scout troop to charter. We have recently started to partner with a new VC Medical Explorer Post 911. They are a Scouts charter. A very impressive group of young people! They participated in the recent DDGER visitation, presenting the colors. They have also agreed to use the Elks Drug Awareness program elements.

Come on out and support your Lodge and share that Brotherly Love with your fellow Elks.

Brotherly yours,

Adam "Smitty" Smith

## Secretary David Naccarato



I'm sorry I missed the month of July. We as a nation were celebrating the 60th anniversary of man on the moon. John F. Kennedy, in 1962, vowed the engineers of NASA would put a man on the moon and bring him home

safely by the end of the decade. Unfortunately, he never saw it come to pass. Interestingly, JFK was an Elk member of Boston lodge #10. His member number was 13300. Imagine a membership of 13 thousand plus!!! Anyway, what I want to get to is this. Due to his membership in the Elks, JFK knew of the Leading Knight ritual that speaks of a banquet that was laid on "...high Olympus for all the gods". When the space program got underway, the names of each program, Mercury, Gemini and Apollo were also names of Greek gods. It's only my theory, but as Elks, we never know whom we are going to impress.

President Woodrow Wilson saw our Flag Day ritual performed and started the process to have June 14th become a national holiday. The returning soldiers of WWII needed help getting back into civilian life and the Elks started a program where they could apply for a loan. President Eisenhower became aware of this and created the GI Bill, which is still used today. So it's not a reach that JFK had some influence on the naming of spacecraft. Now that President Trump has breathed new life into the space program, the new program is called Artemis, which is the goddess of the moon. The new shuttle vehicle is Orion. Orion was a huntsman and in the constellation, Orion's belt is easy to find. I love this stuff.

David Naccarato, PER  
Lodge Secretary



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National  
Foundation, Inc.

## The PER Corner

The PERs met for their September meeting in the conference room at the Lodge.

PER Dan Martyn, Chairman of the Lodge Board of Trustees, briefed the PERs present as to some of the ongoing lodge business being accomplished by the Board. It was very informative and well received.

The PERs funded hors d'oeuvres for the DDGER visitation. Adelaide Wavra deserves many thanks for the outstanding table of goodies.

PER Bill Lloyd and his lady Flo are now residing at the Belmont Village Senior Living Community and are enjoying the facility and its activities. Unfortunately, as of September 12th, Bill is in rehab due to a fall. He is doing well and expects to be home soon. He wants no calls.

As of September 14th PER Dave Naccarato, our lodge secretary is back at the Lodge part time and it is great to have him back up and about!

The next PER meeting is scheduled for October 1st at the Lodge.

Fraternally,

Tom Ryder PER/PDDGER

*Exalted Ruler's message continued*

like you, they'll want to be a part of you". It is working. Since April, we have added 20 new members.

I, as I know all of you are as well, am thrilled with the parking lot renovations. I thank all of you who supported this priority with your cash contributions. In closing, I want to acknowledge the PERs, Elk's Ladies and the Kampers. You all need to know they are an important part of the success of our Lodge and a ready source of help with everything we are doing. This not only includes manual labor at all of our events, but cash donations to meet all of our goals. I thank you all.

If Sandy or I can be of assistance, please contact us at 818 822 2219 or [fivehofies@yahoo.com](mailto:fivehofies@yahoo.com). Take care...

## Sickness & Distress

Alex Rogers, Committee Chair  
Home 805-492-3280  
Cell 805-427-3013

### Condolences to:

The family of **Patricia Ann Harrod**, born 12-11-1953, initiated 7-25-2012, passed 9-19-2019

### Keep in your prayers

**Bill Lloyd, PER/PDL**, who is in rehabilitation due to a fall. No calls please.

**Greg Metzgus'** daughter **Diana**, whose cancer has spread to her bones.

**Rose Barrington**, who had a short hospital stay.

**Kacee Radomski**, for relief from pain.

## October Birthdays

Douglas Brown-01  
Dave Gates-01  
Ben Rieger-02  
Thomas Tyler-02  
Jack Paulson-03  
Timothy Hinsche-04  
Daniel Parrot-04  
John barr-06  
Paul Radomski-06  
Forrest Godfrey-07  
Raymond Laraway-08  
Nydia Williams-09  
Dennis Shankel-10  
Kenneth Kolde-11  
Gregg Miraglia-11  
Dennis Angelini-12  
Maree Contreas-12  
Mike Arkelin-14  
John Puckett-15  
Christopher Vrakelos-16  
Jim Porter-18  
Joseph Gosland-22  
Norman panczak-22  
Mike Becker-24  
Michael Stark-26  
Dennis Gillette - 27  
June Leadam -27  
Peter Nolan-27  
Larry Cummings-30  
Bryan Gicking-30  
Joseph Buckhout-31  
Gregory Charles-31  
Chris Metzgus-31

## Bobby Williams' Famous Killer Pork Chop Kitchen Crew



(L-R) Connie Williams (Daughter-in-law), Lisa Casarotti, PER Catherine Koeritz, Bobby Williams (Crew Chief), Brianna Torres (14 year-old volunteer), Clancy Williams (Sister), Paula Williams (Better Half)

## Purple Pig Honor Roll

Ray Laraway  
Bill Joseph  
Adelaide Warva  
John Betancourt  
Mike Becker (Century Club)  
Dan Martyn, PER  
The Cut up's  
Reem Agel  
Jean Miraglia, PER  
Rick Herrera  
Terry Gicking, PDDGER  
Greg Metzgus, DL  
Art Garcia

*Have You Proposed*

*a New Member today?*

## Veterans Services

It's been a slow month as far as our reaching out to veterans. Do you need help?

As usual Marshall Knowlton and his crew made their monthly trip to the Veterans facility in Sepulveda and hosted another Vets bingo day. The crew included Rick Beal, Faye Stevens, Jim Mc Harg and Claudia McHarg. Claudia donated twenty (20) afghan blankets to the veterans.

Veterans looking for information relative to residence in a veterans home in California, can visit the CAL VET website at [www.calvet.ca.gov/calvet-programs/veteran-homes](http://www.calvet.ca.gov/calvet-programs/veteran-homes). Select the veterans home location of your choice and follow their instructions as to information needed.

To check on other Veteran benefit information specific to your needs, you

can go online to MY CAL VET at [WWW.CALVET.CA.GOV](http://WWW.CALVET.CA.GOV) or call 800-952-5626.

Please share this CAL VET information with any veterans who you know are looking for veterans help.

I'm still reaching out all Lodge members for your help! Veterans please let me know who you are. I can be contacted in the following ways, e-mail - [kr3tcr@verizon.net](mailto:kr3tcr@verizon.net), phone - 805-497-1853, or through the Lodge office mail box. Please help me do a good job for our veterans and our Lodge.

Fraternally,

Tom Ryder, PER/PDDGER

## DDGER Jay Dupler's Visitation to Thousand Oaks Elks Lodge



At left is DDGER Jay Dupler with our ER Dan Hoffman



Auditor to the DDGER, Karen Feldpouch and Henry Schmidt, Esquire to the DDGER



(L-R) Two scouts from the VC Medical Explorer Post 911, Jay Dupler & his wife Kristi and our 1st Lady, Sandy Hoffman



(L-R) DL Greg Metzgus with wife Barbara and DL Tony Markarian with his wife Sherri



Sheryl Holloway from Ventura Lodge and Terry Gicking PDDGER



Past Exalted Rulers Bill Sternberg(L) and Leo Rodriguez



Trustee Ed Lees and Diane



Trustee Ray Laraway and Esto

The Thousand Oaks Lodge was decked out in their Red, White and Blue for the visitation by DDGER Jay Dupler and his wife Kristi.

The Flag presentation was performed by VC Medical Explorer Post 911. This is the new Scouting Group the Thousand Oaks Elks Lodge will be sponsoring. The open meeting introduced Jay and Kristi to the members and guests.

The appetizers, prepared by Adelaide Wavra, portrayed the same Patriotic theme and greeted our guests upon arrival. The meal, prepared by Gregg and Jean, PER Miraglia, was Chicken Parmesan.

Thank you all who attended and helped make the visitation a success.



# THREE BUCK THURSDAY

(by Karen & Dan Martyn)

Thursday, October 3, 2019

Dinner - 6:00-7:30 pm

**\$3 Burger, Hot Dog or Louisiana Hot Link  
& Chips**

**\$3 Domestic Beer**

**\$3 House Wine**

**\$3 Well Drinks  
(During Game)**

***Thursday Night Football – RAMS vs. Seahawks***

***Games & Opportunity Drawing***

**Come on down and enjoy the company  
of your fellow members!**

**Please sign up or call the bar to reserve a meal  
(805-496-4550)**

*Thousand Oaks Elks Lodge #2477*  
*2019 Charity Ball*  
*Mardi Gras Masquerade Ball*



*Saturday, October 26, 2019*

*5:30 pm Social Hour*

*6:30 pm Dinner*

*Authentic New Orleans Cuisine by*

*Adam "Smitty" Smith*

*Creole Wedge Salad*

*Louisiana Garlic Bread*

*Your Choice of*

*Chicken & Sausage Jambalaya*

*or*

*Shrimp & Crab Seafood Gumbo*

*Bread Pudding*

*All dishes are made not spicy and you add your own heat*

*Entertainment by*

*The Generation Gap*

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*Great Raffle Baskets & Prizes*

*50/50 Drawing*

*Lots of Fun!*

*Reservations Only*

*Tickets Available at the Bar*

*October 1, 2019 thru October 23, 2019*

*\$25 per person*

*Proceeds go to our Christmas Basket Program*

*For additional Information contact Lynn Rodriguez at 805-559-0909*





# *Bunco Party at the Thousand Oaks Elks Lodge*

*Wednesday October 2, 2019*

*6:30 PM (please arrive 15 minutes early to sign-in)*

*Come down to the Lodge for an evening of fun*

## *IT'S BUNCO TIME - LET'S ROLL!*

**Come join us for a fun filled evening and help raise  
money for our various charities!**

**Don't know how to play Bunco? Don't worry, we'll show you how!**

**Bunco will be played the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month**



*\$10 Buy In*

*We now have Deli Sandwiches  
made to order with potato salad or  
coleslaw by Jill Williams available  
for \$7*



*If you are interested in participating please call  
Lynn Rodriguez at 805-449-4282 or 805-559-0909*

*Or*

*Carol Stewart at 818-635-5175*

## Meet our New Members



Tamara Runnals pictured with ER Dan Hoffman  
and sponsored by Ed Shuttleford



Jim Anderson(L) sponsored by Jim Hornig

### 2018 - 2019 Committee Chairpersons

1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Alex Rogers
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	Karen Naccarato
Secretary	Rose Barrington

### Elks Ladies Alice Kennedy, President

Treasurer	Charlotte Gessler
Communications	Carol Fredericks
Secretary	Rose Barrington

### 2018 - 2019 Committee Chairpersons

Auditor	Shirste Gessler
Parliamentarian	Beth Kozlowski
Major Project	Karen Naccarato
Sunshine	June Leadam

#### October Birthdays

- 10-12 Deanna Savokinas
- 10-21 Lee Yates
- 10-22 Charlotte Gessler
- 10-22 Sandy Hoffman
- 10-25 Betty Vega
- 10-27 June Leadam

Hello Ladies,

Nothing really to report. In a month or so the flyer will be out with information about our Major Project Event on February 8th.

So keep a look out for that :)

Respectfully,  
Karen Naccarato

### El Konejo Kampers

What great weather we had for our August Kampout at the Vista Elks. Last year, it was a bit warm, but this year, we had a nice breeze most of the days. In fact, a few of us put on sweaters as some of the evenings wore on. Joining the Wagonmasters, Alan and Trisha Ito, were John Puckett and Sharon Diaz, Virginia Grindley, Jim Porter and Sherri Jones, as well as Patty Bauman and Jimmy Miller.

After everyone arrived on Thursday, the Wagonmasters provided the Kampers with Pulled Pork Sandwiches and Coleslaw served on the outdoor patio. It was a pleasant meal enjoyed by all. Afterwards, we all sat down for games of Left, Center, Right, as well as Three Away and Ship, Captain, Crew. The pots were evenly split between all players. A couple of the Kampers then headed over to the lodge.

On Friday, the Kampers took off for a two-hour tour of the Oceanside harbor in an electric boat. We all brought hors d'oeuvres and drinks for our cruise and enjoyed seeing the boats and yachts in the harbor. On the way back to kamp, we picked up Sharon at the Oceanside train station. Her first train ride, which was pretty crowded, but saved time over driving from Ventura County to Oceanside.

Friday night is Steak and Lobster Night at the Vista Elks – something that the El Konejo Kampers were not going to miss! After dinner, some of the Kampers stayed for rousing games of shuffleboard in the Lodge. Others ventured to the main dining room for a couple of turns around the dance floor. Still others just called it a night and went back to their rigs.

Saturday, we woke to a very pleasant day and decided that our games could be played outside, versus going in to the

shelter of the Lodge. Our 50/50 winner was Alan Ito; Virginia Grindley won the free Kampout trip. A spirited game of Corn Hole was played by the Kampers and everyone brought delicious munchies to share. A great time was had by all.

Vista seems to be a place where everyone's relatives live. Jimmy Miller's sister and her husband came by on Saturday for dinner with Jimmy and Patty. Jim Porter visited with his aunt and cousin all weekend long. The Ito's invited Trisha's brother and his family to dinner at their rig on Saturday night. They were also joined by Alan's friend from high school and his wife. Virginia and John visited with their sister and niece over the weekend. It was nice to catch up with everyone's family.

Sunday was departure day for Jim and Sherri, and the rest of us took the day off to just chat and relax. We are looking forward to next year at Vista Elks.

## Officers 2019 - 2020

Exalted Ruler	Daniel Hoffman	Tiler	John Betancourt
Leading Knight	Leo Rodriguez, PER	Inner Guard	Gregg Miraglia
Loyal Knight	Richard Platt	Esquire	Terry Gicking, PDDGER
Lecturing Knight	Adam Smith	Chaplain	Adelaide Wavra
Secretary	David Naccarato, PER	Officer at Large	Jean Miraglia, PER
Treasurer	William Joseph		

### Trustees 2018 - 2019

One Year	Dan Martyn, PER
Two Year	Raymond Laraway
Three Year	Rich Lucariello
Four Year	Darryl Kopacz
Five Year	Ed Lees

<b>Elk of the Year</b>	David Anderson
<b>Officer of the Year</b>	Pam Price
<b>Citizen of the Year</b>	Reem Agel

**Grand Exalted Ruler *Outstanding Member Award* Recipients**  
Jim Moye, PER and Art Garcia

### 2018 - 2019 Committees reporting to the Exalted Ruler

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### 2018 - 2019 Committees reporting to the Leading Knight

<p>Bar Liaison: Dan Martyn, PER</p> <p>Major Project/Purple Pig: Arthur Garcia</p> <p>Bequests &amp; Living Trusts: Arthur Garcia</p> <p>Elks National Foundation: Leo Rodriguez, PER</p> <p>Christmas Basket Program: Leo Rodriguez, PER</p>	<p>Community Activities: Leo Rodriguez, PER</p> <p>Sickness and Distress: Alex Rogers</p> <p>Charity Matters: Leo Rodriguez, PER</p> <p>El Konejo Kampers: Jim Porter</p> <p>Christmas Tree Lot: Carlos Muzquiz</p>
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### 2018 - 2019 Committees reporting to the Loyal Knight

<p>Kitchen Liaison: Richard Platt</p> <p>Lodge Activities: Richard Platt</p> <p>Flag Day, Flag Retirement: Bill Sternberg, PER</p> <p>Government Relations: Richard Platt</p> <p>Elks Memorial Service: Adam Smith</p> <p>Veteran Services: Tom Ryder, PDDGER</p> <p>Public Relations: Adelaide Wavra</p>	<p>Calendar: Richard Platt</p> <p>Conejo Valley Days: Tom Hartin</p> <p>Mediator: Rick Rodgers</p> <p>Mothers Day: Adam Smith</p> <p>Inaugural Ball: Richard Platt</p> <p>Law Enforcement/Firefighter Appreciation: Paul Stein</p>
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### 2018 - 2019 Committees reporting to the Lecturing Knight

<p>Youth Activities: Adam Smith</p> <p>Hoop Shoot: Anna Garcia</p> <p>Drug Awareness: Adam Smith</p> <p>Scholarships: Reem Agel</p>	<p>Scouting: Billy Sternberg, Chair and Bill Sternberg, PER</p> <p>Americanism: Rick Herrera</p> <p>Dictionary Program: Steve Woodlief</p> <p>Youth Appreciation Night: Adam Smith</p>
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## Change Service Requested

### POSTERMASTER:

### DATED MATERIAL: DO NOT DELAY

**Office Phone:** 805-496-2477

**Facsimile:** 805-496-9087

**Office Email:** toelks2477@gmail.com

**Lounge Phone:** 805-496-4550

**Website:** www.elks2477.com

**Office Hours:** 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM Mon. - Fri.

### El Konejo Kampers:

elkonejokampers.oaksdata.com

Non-Profit Org.  
U.S. Postage Paid  
Thousand Oaks, CA  
Permit #237

### Lounge Hours

(Unless otherwise noted)

Mon., Tues., Thurs.: 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Wednesday: 10:00 AM - Closing

Friday: 10:00 AM - Closing

Saturday: 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

1st & Last Sundays: 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

All other Sundays: Noon - 6:00 PM

### Lodge Meetings

Regular business meetings are at 7:00 PM  
every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month.

### 3rd Wednesday of the Month

Trustee Meeting: 6:00 PM

House Committee Meeting: 7:30 PM

### Past Exalted Rulers

1972-73 *Marvin D. Smith	1997-98 *John Kelly
1973-74 Erle Pittman, PDDGER	1998-99 Chet Kozlowski
1974-75 *Richard Flake	1999-00 Richard Goldner, PDDGER
1975-76 *Bill Wagner	2000-01 Jacob Panczak
1976-77 *John E. Henry	2001-02 John D'Ambrogio
1977-78 *Robert McKee, PDDGER	2002-03 Don Booker
1978-79 *Frank J. Rindone, PDDGER	2003-04 Greg Metzgus, PDDGER, DL
1979-80 *Edward F. Stogsdell	2004-05 *Jay Block
1980-81 *Frank "Tex" Hastie	2005-06 *Sally Claunch
1981-82 *Robert Hardy	2006-07 David Naccarato
1982-83 *A. John Nichols	2007-08 Catherine Koeritz
1983-84 John Nau	2008-09 *George Meehan
1984-85 Vern Ogden	2009-10 Terry Gicking, PDDGER
1985-86 Dan Snyder	2010-11 *Harry Brockwell
1986-87 Bill Lloyd, PDDGER	2011-12 Steve Smith
1987-88 *John E. Henry	2012-13 Leo Rodriguez
1988-89 *Ted Lipka	2013-14 Terry Baker
1989-90 Don Skinner	2014-15 Dan Martyn
1990-91 *Don Ansell	2015-16 Jim Moye
1991-92 *Gary Sleigh	2016-17 Mike Flannery
1992-93 Tom Ryder, PDDGER	2017-18 Jean Miraglia
1993-94 *Jim Wallace	2018-19 Karen Martyn
1994-95 *George Pekow	
1995-96 Gil Riding, PDDGER	By Affiliation:
1996-97 *Jack Loughran	1981-82 *Robert L. Thornton, PDDGER
	2001-02 Bill Sternberg
	1999-00 *Ralph Vester
	'83-'84, '02-'03 Harold Constantine

\*Deceased