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FROM THE EXALTED RULER

Jennifer Bell

Your Ogdensburg Elks Lodge can now be found on the World Wide Web! Our website address is www.ogdensburgelks.com. Thank you to Jim Crowley and Beth Irvine for their tireless efforts in getting this project up and running! Upon reflection of September, The District Soccer Shoot was held on September 15 in Lowville. Our Lodge was strongly represented and Justin McCormick, won 2nd place in the U-7 division. Good job Justin and thank you to all participants! The Dictionary Project Breakfast, that was held on September 16 was a huge success. PER Jerry Reed, did a wonderful job again this year with the organization and advertisement of the breakfast. Thanks Jerry! This initiative allows our Lodge to give all 3rd grade students in the Ogdensburg Elks Lodge jurisdiction, their very own dictionaries. In looking ahead to future months, we are going to be very busy! October 2 is our District Deputy visit. Please come and support your Lodge and current Officers by joining us for dinner and the Initiation of new candidates. Your support is appreciated! The Queen of Hearts Raffle is back! Tickets go on sale October 7, with the first drawing being held at 8:00 pm on Saturday, October 13. The Children's Halloween Party for members only, will be held on October 28 and the contact for the event is House Committee member, Sue Ellen Piercey. This is a well attended event, so come in and sign up your little ghosts and goblins soon! In looking ahead to November, one big event that the Lodge will be hosting is the Veterans Day Dinner on November 11. Please come and join your fellow members in honoring our Veterans. The Elks Memorial Service will be held on December 2, so that we may honor and remember the members we have lost within the last year. In closing, stop by your Lodge soon and see what is going on and get involved!

Sincerely & Fraternaly,

HOUSE COMMITTEE NOTES:

Brian Dezell
Sue Ellen Piercey
Stuart Rishe
Bob Tulip

Deanna McDonald
Wes Pike
Gayle Spriggs
Jerry Reed

Ted McDonald
Joe Ramie
Val Testani

The House Committee meets at 6:00 pm before the regular Lodge meetings on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month.

October is going to be a busy month at the Club and our hopes is that you may be around to help out while enjoying the activities. Volunteer kitchen/wait staff is needed on Friday nights from 5-9 pm. Volunteer members will assist Sandy in the kitchen plus wait tables. Anyone interested, please contact Brian Dezell at 322-1074 to schedule a night that works for you! This is open and encouraged for all members to help.

There is Gun Raffle being held at the Club for a 30.06 Savage Rifle with a 3x9 scope or if you prefer, \$300 cash. Tickets are \$10.00 each and the drawing will be held once the 100 tickets are sold.

The Club is starting the Queen of Hearts Raffle. The cards will be shuffled and put in the box on Sunday, October 7 with the first drawing being at 8:00 pm on Saturday, October 13. The rules and regulations are posted at the Club.

Tuesday, October 2 is the District Deputy Visit for our Lodge. Sandy is need of several servers for the sit down dinner. Please volunteer and help our Lodge look impressive for the visiting Dignitaries as well as the visiting Lodge members from the North Central District.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Oct 2:	DD Visit/Initiation of New Members	Help is needed @ 6:00 pm
Oct 6:	Wedding Shower	Help is needed @ 3:00 pm
Oct 13:	Wedding	Help is needed @ 3:00 pm
Oct 20:	Wedding	See Sandy for schedule
Oct 28:	ELKS Children's Halloween Party	

* The Halloween Party is for members only and sign ups are being taken at the Club.

Anyone interested in helping should contact Sue Ellen Piercey at 393-8424 or 261-3689. The time is from 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm. *

Lodge Hours:

Sunday- 12-8 (or later)
Monday-CLOSED
Tuesday-Thursday-3-9 (or later)
Friday- 3-11 (or later)
Saturday- 12-11 (or later)

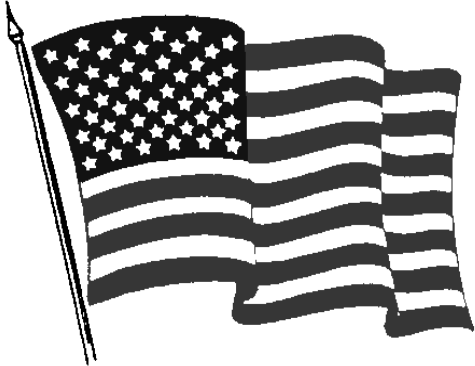
Fraternally Yours,
Joe Ramie

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 DD Visit 5:30 Cocktails 6:30 Dinner 7:30 Meeting	3 Dinner Prime Rib Sandwiches	4	5 Friday Night Dinner	6 Wedding Shower
7 Regional Soccer Shoot Watertown	8	9	10 Dinner Choices: Chicken Fried Steak or Fried Chicken	11	12 Friday Night Dinner	13 Wedding
14	15	16 HC Meeting 6:00 Lodge Meeting 7:00 Trustees Meeting 8:00	17 Dinner Chicken Parmesan	18	19 Friday Night Dinner	20 Wedding
21	22	23	24 Dinner Pot Luck!!	25	26 Friday Night Dinner	27
28 ELKS Children's Halloween Party 12-4 pm	29	30	31 Dinner Steak		Upcoming Veterans Day Dinner Memorial Service	Events: Nov 11 Dec 2

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FROM THE TRUSTEES.....

Tickets are now available for our Capital Improvement Raffle which will be drawn at the end of November. We are giving away a total of \$2,000. Have you bought your ticket yet? They are only \$5 each. We need everyone to support our fundraising efforts so we can make the necessary improvements to the Lodge.

We also need people to help sell tickets. Please consider taking 10, 20 or more tickets to sell. Sell them to your family, friends, co-workers and neighbors! Tickets can be picked up at the bar. This is our big fundraiser for the year and we need your help! This is your Lodge, so please support it.