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From the Exalted Ruler

I would like to wish each and everyone a Happy New Year and hope your holidays were all that you expected and more. Just a reminder that we still have 20/20 tickets on sale for February 26th Casino Night. We have under 700 members and only 400 tickets, yet we have only sold 200? If you have been putting off getting a ticket now the time. Remember this money goes to the fight for cancer, which has taken so many. Dinner and free drinks but most of all help fight cancer.

We are starting a committee for our veterans. So if you have lost a little weight and those clothes are too tight, drop them off at the lodge so we may give them to our veterans or anything else you think they could use.

February is just down the road and with that comes the election of officers. Nominations will be held on February 7th with elections on February 21. Both will take place at the lodge meetings starting at 7:30 p.m.

Remember that February 11 the Reminiscence band will be playing for Valentines Day. Bring your sweetie for dinning and dancing to your favorite

From the Desk of the Secretary

As I am writing this, the Christmas and New Years Holidays are drawing near. Thank You to everyone who donated or helped in any way to assemble and deliver the Thanksgiving and Christmas food baskets. We were able to help several families again this year. The Angel Tree was also a success and the names disappeared quickly. This is what being an Elk

50's, 60's and 70's music.

Don't forget the lodge dues are coming due. Remember if you pay your lodge and golf dues by February 15 you will get your four free passes.

I would like to thank everyone for a fine year at the lodge. From everyone who helped through the fire to those who helped with the holiday basket's and angel tree. You are the best people on earth. Thank you for your help. If you see Paul Cox give him a hard pat on the back for his work on our new bar. Great job Paul.

Don't forget Texas-Hold em on Monday, Thursday and Saturday at 6:00 p.m. Member poker at 6:30 on Thursday nights that will lead you to the tournament in March for the money.

Remember our dinners are now Saturday Night and you can order from the menu any time during the day.

Don't forget to come out and support your lodge because if you don't as members, it may not be there one day. Have a warm winter and be safe.

Johnny Miller
Exalted Ruler

is all about. There is something about the Thanksgiving and Christmas season that seems to soften ones heart and make all of us want to share and wish good will to others who are less fortunate.

I hope all of you had a Joyful and Happy Christmas and that you enjoy a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

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Coming Events 2011

January

Jan. 3, 17 Lodge Meeting - 7:30 p.m.
Jan 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29
Texas Hold em - 6:00 p.m.
Jan. 6, 13, 20, 27Poker League - 6:30 p.m.

February

Feb. 7..... Lodge Meeting - 7:30 p.m.
Feb. 3, 5, 10, 12, 17, 19, 18, 24, 26.....
Texas Hold em - 6:00 p.m.
Feb. 3, 10, 17, 24.....Poker League - 6:30 p.m.
Feb. 11Valentines Day Dance
Reminiscence Band 8:00 p.m. to Midnight

Winter Hours

OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Fri. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

BAR HOURS

Monday, Thursday 11 a.m. - ?
Tues., Wed. 11 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday - Saturday 11 a.m. - ?
Sunday 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.

*Bar hours subject to change due to weather
Closing is left to bartender's discretion.*

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LODGE MEETINGS
 1st and 3rd Mondays
 7:30 P.M.

2010-2011 OFFICERS

EXALTED RULER.....Johnny Miller
LEADING KNIGHT..... Jeff Perkins
LOYAL KNIGHT.....Brett Ware
LECTURING KNIGHT.....Bart Ware
SECRETARY.....Dave Fuller
TREASURER.....Steve Aul
ESQUIRE..... Rick Shirk
CHAPLAIN Jimmy Wood
INNER GUARD..... Jeff Leist
TILERDave Green

TRUSTEES

Rick Carpenter..... 2011
 Paul Cox.....2012
 Rob Mynett..... 2013

PAST DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND EXALTED RULERS MUNCIE LODGE #245

Carl Bartlett 1939
 Everett N. Hall..... 1948
 Herschel Eastman 1965
 Victor Swingley..... 1974
 Reggie Fillmann 1984
 James E. Warren 1994

Office Manager...Nikki Shockley: 759-7779
 Bar Manager...Amy Young: 759-7778
 Pro Shop: 759-7770
 Lodge Fax: 759-4734
 Golf Pro...Goetz Schaefer
 Golf Course Superintendent...Rick Ellis

Important to know

First Aid room location:

- Located in the Manager's Office & Pro Shop
- Oxygen tank in coat room across from bar

Lost anything lately? Check the lost and found box in the manager's office. We have several pairs of glasses and cases, gloves, hats, a club cover and some miscellaneous items.

Secretary Continued

We will be holding nominations for Lodge Officers the 1st meeting on February 7th and voting at the second meeting on February 21st. This is the time for you to show your interest in the successful operation of your lodge for the coming year.

I hope a lot of you came out to support the Lodge at the New Years dinner and dance. The lodge is currently very much in need of your support at various functions. The fire we experienced in the bar this spring has taken it's toll on us financially even though we are insured there is as always, other unforeseen expenses.

The new bar is now open and is very attractive. Those of you who have not seen it need to come out and take a look and have a drink or dinner. Remember that by paying your golf membership prior to February 15th, you will receive four free greens fee passes. Although it may not seem like it now, the golf season is not that far away.

Paul Cox and Jerry Moore held a very successful Hoop Sheet in December. Thanks to them and to all who helped.

In closing, I would like to commend our new Club Manager, Nikki Shockley. She is doing a great job of promoting our club for Wedding receptions, birthdays and etc. She is also doing a great job for us in the office.

Notes from the Pro

Well the winter is now upon us and the pro shop is now closed. Thanks for another fun year at the Elks. If you need to reach me just leave a message

as I will check them regularly. Check the Web Site for next years event schedule as it will be up soon.

Happy New Year, Goetz

Golf Course Superintendent

Dear Members

Not much to report this time of year from the maintenance department. Just going through equipment and getting it ready for next year. Working on chemical programs and early orders. Took a little trip to Ft. Myers and played more golf in five days then I have in the past three years. (Thanks to the boys from Richmond) I hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday season, and to all you snow birds headed south, I hope you have better weather this year.

Rick Ellis

Golf Course Supt.

Hoop Shoot Winners

Boys 8-9 yr. old
 Quentin Edmonds-St Lawrence
 Girls 8-9 yr. old
 Allie Wilson Yorktown
 Boys 10-11 yr. old
 Jake Stephenson Wes Del El
 Girls 10-11
 Chelsea Ledbetter-Wes Del
 Boy 12-13 yr. old
 Trenton Hatfield - Muncie North Side
 Girls 12-13 yr. old
 Kyleigh Blackmer-Wes Del

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The Elks have a very nice Memorial Service for deceased members. It is given at the funeral home and is available at the request of the family. If interested, call the Elks Office.

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January

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 Texas Hold em 6:00 p.m.
2	3 Lodge Meeting 7:30 p.m. D.D. Visit Texas Hold em 6:00 p.m.	4	5	6 Texas Hold em 6:00 p.m. Poker League 6:30 p.m.	7	8 Texas Hold em 6:00 p.m.
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27	28 Texas Hold em 6:00 p.m.					

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2011 Elks Scholarship Contest are Under Way!

Do you know a high school senior looking for college scholarships? 2011 Legacy Awards applications are now available!

Legacy Awards applications, available online only, are due **February 1, 2011 at 12:00 p.m. (noon) Central Time.** If you are the child or grandchild of an active Elk member, visit www.elks.org/enf/scholars/legacy.cfm to find out more!

Special Notice

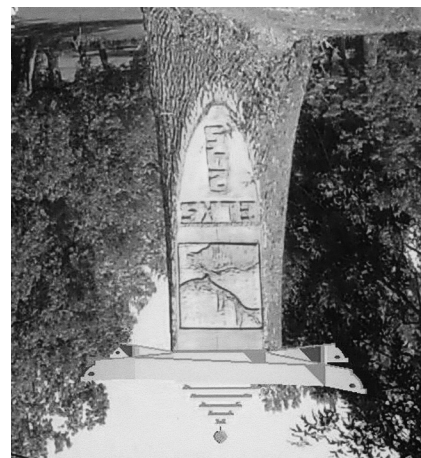
2011 GOLF FEES (remain the same as 2010)

Single Membership	\$575
Couples	\$850
Family	\$850 + \$50 for each child
Widow	\$325
Junior	\$200 + \$50 for each additional child
Cart Rental	9 Holes \$7.50
	18 Holes \$15.00
Cart Pass	12 Rides \$165 Unlimited
Rider Cart Pass	\$ 1,000

New members can pay \$400, which includes initiation fee, lodge dues, and single golf membership for the first year. Spouse and children can be added for \$50 each.

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