



Veterans Committee

Dear Members,

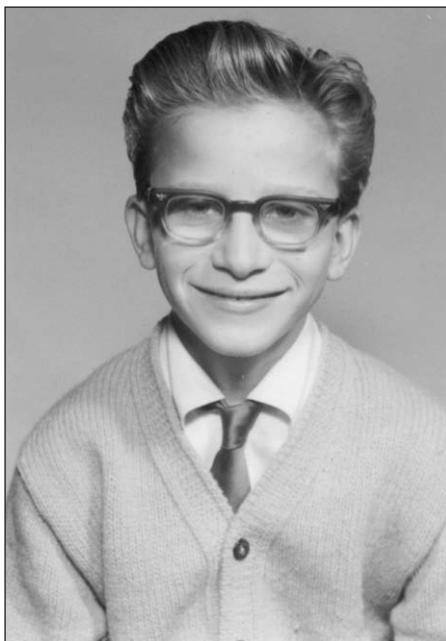
We here in the Veterans Committee are looking for a few good men.....If you are interested in making our Vets know that people still care in the world, then I am asking YOU to join our committee. All I ask for is a few hours each month to help out our heroes.

As a group, I'm sure we can come up with some money making ideas for our Veterans. We go to Menlo Park with the VFW 2179 to play Bingo. We also go to Laurel Bay in Keansburg to play as well. The Comedy Show might change a little this year, as well as other things that we did in the past. I think a change is needed. So please let me know, drop a note in the lodge mail box this month with your name and number. I will give you a call and set up a meeting. When you see the faces on our Vets when we come in, then you'll know what it's all about. If anyone knows a veteran, take time out to thank them for what they have done for this great country and for the very freedom we live under everyday.

“Home of the Free, because of the Brave”

Bob Santoro, Chairman

WHO IS THIS MYSTERY ELK MEMBER?



Answer on Page 9

**HEY KIDS
CANDY BAR BINGO
IS
BACK**

When: February 18

What Time: 6:00 p.m.

Admission: One Candy Bar



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We'll Have Good Grub!



CHICKEN NUGGETS & FRENCH FRIES

Special Jackpot Prize



*Come on down to beat the winter blues
for the Cabin Fever Dance.*

When: April 18th

Where: Middletown Elks Lodge

Time: 7pm- 11pm

Cost: \$20.00 per person

(Limited number of tickets to be sold)

Bring your own snacks

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11 Years Old



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CONVENTION SIGN-UP !!!

1ST SIGN UP: FEBRUARY 22- 2 P.M. - 5 P.M.

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OR ED HAHN @732- 495-4194 FOR INFO.

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YOU MUST COME DOWN AND

SIGN UP TO GUARANTEE YOUR ROOM!!!

ADDITIONAL SIGN-UP DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED
SIGN-UP AND COME DOWN AND JOIN US IN WILDWOOD!!
CONVENTION DATES: JUNE 4-5-6

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BENEFIT FOR A BROTHER IN NEED

On March 15, we will be having a benefit for a Brother Elk, Andrew Murphy, his wife Lisa and their 3 young children. Lisa, age 37 was recently diagnosed with cancer and is currently receiving treatment at the Cancer Treatment Center of America in Philadelphia. She is progressing well. With the intense treatment needed to beat this illness, Lisa had to take a leave of absence from her job, causing great financial strain to the family. As such, their friends are having a benefit for the family to help raise funds to assist them in their time of "need". The Elks have donated a Spaghetti and Meatballs dinner, which will be served on Sunday, March 15. The benefit will be from 2-6 PM, cost \$20 per head (cash bar) and there will be music by a local DJ. Anyone interested in purchasing tickets to the event, making a donation or donating their time to assist in the kitchen, please call John Puzo at 732-245-1347. Also on the 15th, there will be an auction for baskets and prizes, including two tickets to see The Phantom of the Opera, a night at the Lincoln Center as well as many other valuable gifts. So, if you are in the area, please stop by to see some of the fabulous items available.

Thank you, John Puzo

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President	Colleen Kelly	732-787-7929
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COMMITTEE CHAIRLADIES

Past President Dinner	Liz Revill	732-671-1704
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FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY LADIES

BIRTHSTONE - AMETHYST

KAY FOX, 4TH

LINDA BRAZAUCKAS - GOLD STAR, 10TH

MELODY MCKITTRICK, 10TH

ROSE PARRY, 10TH

CATHERINE WILLAIMS, 12TH

NANCY MCCALLAN, 14TH

JO FIX - GOLD STAR, 17TH

DONNA FETTE, 20TH

PEGGY MAURICE, 23RD

SHARON CORRIDON, 27TH

ROSES ARE RED, VIOLETS ARE BLUE,

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

AND HAPPY BIRTHDAY, TOO. FROM YOUR AUXILIARY.



Spotlight Lady

Marge Anderson

This beautiful woman is the embodiment of grace, dignity and courage. She has endured hardship, but has persevered. She is a shining light to those around her and I am honored to bestow this honor on her.

Madame President's Message

Hello Ladies,

Our new American President asks of us to believe in our abilities to bring about change and for us to believe in ourselves. As women we have always made the difference and our hopes will be the deciding factors for forging ahead and making the difference through service we will be able to bring about change. This Auxiliary exemplifies this theme and I am proud to be a member.

On a lighter note the Auxiliary has had some fun. I understand a good time was had by all on New Years Eve at the lodge. Everyone who participated had a great time.

What can I say about those crazy Irishmen! Do they know how to throw a party? The Finnegan's Wake Party was sensational. There are some "wild" individuals in this Lodge.

Fran Duffy hosts a great "Steal Bingo". This was an afternoon of fun and games. Each and everyone who contributed and shared in this fun enjoyed themselves. Thanks once again for all the hard work you put into this, Fran.

Let's Keep It Real,
Colleen Kelly



Calendar Events For February 2009

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
1 SUPERBOWL PARTY	2	3	4 SPAGHETTI SCC	5	6 BINGO	7
8 SCC VALENTINE'S PARTY	9	10 INDOCTRINATION 8:00PM	11 M.C.C. MEETING 7:00PM	12 REGULAR MEETING	13 BINGO	14
15 NEW CLASS 11:00AM	16	17	18	19 PER MEETING	20 BINGO	21 LADIES CALENDAR PARTY STATE RITUAL CONTEST
22 STATE RITUAL CONTEST TOMS RIVER	23	24	25 LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING	26 REGULAR MEETING	27 BINGO	28

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15	16	17	18	19 PER MEETING	20 BINGO	21 WOMENS INSTALLATION
22	23	24 DISTRICT MEETING MILLSTONE	25 LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING	26 REGULAR MEETING	27 BINGO	28 MENS INSTALLATION
29	30	31				

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