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THE MONTHLY NEWS BULLETIN OF THE MIDDLETOWN B.P.O. ELKS LODGE 2179
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Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of U.S.A. A Fraternal Organization
EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

Feeling hot, hot, hot.....I hope everyone is enjoying their summer; we have been busy at the lodge. I attended the National Convention in Orlando, Florida, from the 3rd until the 10th, at the sessions we voted on 14 resolutions; these will be posted in the bulletin for you to see the results. Also there, Middletown #2179 was recognized for our 2nd place finish in the country for All-American lodge, what a great feeling it was to have the state of New Jersey representatives stand up and applaud when our name was announced, all should be very proud of this, it is your hard work that made us achieve this honor, also while attending the convention we spread our charm around to the people of Orlando and those all over the country, we met some good friends and I don't think they will forget us in Orlando for a long while Middletown Elks #2179 left their mark there. Thank you for letting me represent our lodge!!!! I would like to thank all who came out to the convention for their support including Tinkerbelle and Peter Pan (pictures coming soon). The 17th brought us our annual Fluke Tournament although it was a bit warm out, I ventured out on the seas in search for the biggest fluke, unfortunately we didn't find it but we had a great time, thanks to Fran, Phil, Brian for putting this event together and especially thanks to all who helped at the captains meeting on Friday night. On the 23rd, we celebrated our 50th anniversary at Lakeside Manor what a great time we had, thanks to Kenny M. for putting this event together you did a fabulous job, also a big thanks to Nick F for putting together the slide show it was good to see some of our absent brothers and sister again! This was a great night and should have not been missed. On the 25th, we headed down to Old Bridge lodge to support the states major



**Ed Dickie
d Ruler**

project Camp Moore, man what a lot of chrome thanks to all who took the ride, that same day our celebration continued at our lodge, man the house was packed like we were giving something away!!! Once again thanks go to Ken M. and Nick G. for taking us down memory lane, I had a great time with lots of laughs, hopefully our next 50 will be just as good, with the hard working members we have in our lodge. Even our district V.P. Joe Siegfried commneted on the hard work Middletown does in the district, so be proud of yourselves and take a bow, you deserve it!... Okay on to August on the 1st is our annual Motorcycle "Run for the Kids" the 7th brings to Monmouth Park for Track Day, tickets are available from myself or Ed Hahn. This is always a fun day for the whole family. On the 8th, we are going up to Camp Morre for our Annual District Picnic, the bus will leave our lodge at 2:00pm, the cost is \$20 per person, this is to pay for the cost of the bus, food, etc. On the 21st, we will be honoring our lady of the year, a very hard working member of the Ladies Auxiliary, Cathy Merker. So let's come out and show our ladies how much we appreciate all their hard work. The 27th is our Annual Golf Tournament and I will be first in using the most golf balls, ha-ha or wait I stand corrected using Hoitt's golf balls, see Ed Hahn for more infor or get him your list of foursomes and don't forget starting in September - Spaghetti Dinner is back on the first Wednesday of the month (Sept. 1st) so mark this date on your calendars. Thanks to all members, ladies and firends who help out all of these funtions, without you it would not be Middletown #2179, the best lodge in the country.

“The surest way not to fail is to determine to succeed”
God Bless and Stay Gold, Michael Dickie

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ELK OF THE MONTH AUGUST 2010

This Elk has spent many years in the order and helps out many event, he put together the 50th Anniversary Weekend and did a great job.

**My Elk of the Month of August is
Ken Massicotte.**



**9-11 Memorial Service
September 12, 2010
11:00 am at the lodge**

**The winter storms destroyed the
location our monument was
located in Leonardo**

**The monument is temporarily in
the front of our lodge**

**Come join us as we remember our
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**For info call Joe McGrath
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**For Info or Pre-Paid Registration
Contact**

Joe McGrath - 732-221-4696

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Track Day at Monmouth Park

Saturday, August 7th, 2010

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Ed Hahn - 732-495-4194 • Mike Dickie - 732-778-2496

Gates open at 11:00 am • First Race at 12:50 pm

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**Anyone interested in bowling
and more information
Call Kathy Corridon 732-495-3689
or Penny Giglio 732-291-2310**

Lodge Secretary

Music By Round the House
and Ocean Countypipers
to benefit Youth Activities Committee

For tickets call Dan Maloney - 787-1622

Thank You, Nick Figaro

A detailed black and white illustration of a crayfish, shown from a side profile. It has two large pincers (chelae) at the front, several pairs of legs, and a segmented tail fan at the back. Two long antennae extend from its head.

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Calendar Events For August 2010

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 SPAGHETTI DINNER 6:00 PM	2	3	4 CRAB TOURNAMENT
5	6	7	8 MCC MEETING	9 REGULAR MEETING	10	11 RENTAL 4:00 PM
12 9-11 SERVICE	13	14 INDOCTRINATION 8:00 PM	15	16 PER MEETING	17	18 DISTRICT WOMAN OF THE YEAR RENTAL 1:00 PM
19	20	21	22	23 REGULAR MEETING	24 LADIES AUXILIARY DINNER	25 LADIES AUX. CRAFT SHOW 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
26	27	28	29 LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING	30		
