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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

Brothers all,

Well the warm weather is almost here and we have a lot of work to do. . . and I hope everyone enjoyed their Easter holiday. On April 2nd, we had our fish fry, thanks to Brian B and Phil K for getting their crew together for a great night. On the 7th, our next to last Spaghetti Dinner was a big turn-out, remember May 5th will be the last one until September so come down for some pasta and fun. On the 17th, the Motorcycle Committee held their Cabin Fever Dance and for one I didn't think they could outdo last years, but they did and what a great time was had by all, the Newlywed Game was a barrel of laughs all I have to say is Dennis W. keep doing what you're doing...Randy don't cut down the oak tree...Mike A. you need to talk more...and Danny M. WOW....Bert thank you and the committee for such a fun night, you guys never cease to surprise me with your new ideas and hard work!!!! April 20th, I along with Vet's Chairman Bob Santoro (along with members of his committee) traveled over to town hall for a special presentation from the mayor. The Elks along with the V.F.W. and a special veteran from our town got together and purchased supplies for a marine unit over in Afghanistan. This vet donated money, our committee went out and purchased all the supplies that were needed and the V.F.W. packed it up and sent it over. This was a great thing to work with the other organizations to help all the heroes overseas. Thanks Bob and the hard working people of your committee. The mayor also presented us with a certificate of appreciation. On the 24th, I had the honor of presenting two plaques at the Lion's invitational track meet at



Michael Dickie
Exalted Ruler

Middletown North H.S. man can these kids run, I was tired just watching them. These awards went to the most valuable athletes of the tourney, congrats to them both and good luck in your future plans in college. On to May the 1st brings the running of the roses Kentucky Derby Day this is always one of the best parties around we will have our races with our little jockeys, so bring the kids down and get them involved. P.E.R. Mike P. will be serving his famous jock a Moe's and we know how mouth watering they are. Party will start at noon, so get there early for a good seat. On the 9th, bring mom down for a nice breakfast, again Mike P.

will have his crew together with all the fixing's. The officers will be doing their service at 10 am, so come on down and treat mom to a nice meal, she works so hard for you all year. The 25th will be indoctrination for new members at 8. All chairman are urged to come down and inform there candidates about your committees, it is a great way to get new people involved and we all know you can never have enough help. The 29th is our Christmas in June (in May) LOL we will be over at St. Catherine's fair grounds to help the S.C.C. putting children on rides and serving refreshments, if you would like to help be at fair grounds at 1, Santa will also be making an appearance, this is a great day. On the 30th, we will be installing a new class at 11 am. This will be the first class of the year with the new officers so if you have a chance come on down and listen to the ritual again listen to the words, this is the reason behind the whole meaning of Elkdome. The 31st will be are Memorial Day Service at 11 am if you have the time

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please try to attend it will be on the front lawn of the lodge and refreshments will be served after. As you can tell we are doing a great job as a lodge and once again I would like to thank all who helped, without you this lodge is just a building, so keep thriving to keep Middletown the best lodge around.

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

ELK OF THE MONTH

MAY 2010

Here is a hard working Elk who always lends a hand, when needed he just jumps in to help without questions asked or being asked.

**My Elk of the Month of May is
Donald Anderson.**

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SCC MESSAGE

Brothers & Friends,

First I would like to thank Todd and his family for all the time and work they put into the SCC. They made it a great committee to be part of and a memorable time for all the kids. I hope that I will be able to continue the commitment to the SCC as he did.

We had our SCC Easter Party on 3/28, it was a great time by all. The Easter Bunny showed up with candy for everyone. I would like to thank Joe McGrath for providing his time for music, the Ladies Aux who are the backbone of the SCC for their time, Todd for his time and his help in the kitchen, my wife Jane for filling in for me and last but not least my son Sean the rabbit. I can't thank you all enough.

The Spaghetti Dinner on 4/7 was great turn out. I would like to thank Buster for providing the sauce. All compliments should be directed to him this month. I would also like to thank the rest of the kitchen and waitress's for that night. Our last Spaghetti Dinner for a few months is on 5/5. If you aren't busy come on down and enjoy the sauce made by Mike Anghelone.

The next big event for the SCC will be on 5/29, our Christmas in June in May. It will be held at St. Catherine's fair from 2-4. If you aren't busy come on down and join us. Its great seeing all the smiles on the kids riding the rides. Also there will be a special appearance by Santa. Hope to see you there.

That's about it for now, again thanks everyone for making this a great committee to be a part of.

Thanks

Nick Figaro

CONVENTION

**The Final convention sign-up was
April 18th.**

ALL MONIES ARE NOW DUE TO
ENSURE YOUR ROOM

**Please either drop off your payment
at the Lodge or call me to make
arrangements Nick G. 732-495-1922**

If anyone is still interested in going to Convention, call me immediately and I will try to get you in.



Madame President's Message

Hi Everyone,

Congratulations to Mike Dickie, our Exalted Ruler and his newly installed officers. Mike, your installation was very impressive. I'm looking forward to our year and I know it will be a successful one.

Jim McConnell, Congratulations on Elk of the Year. You have worked behind the scenes for many years and your hard work and dedication has been recongnized.

On April 19th, one of our own Cookie Kelly passed away and our deepest sympathy goes out to her family.

April 23rd, we had our first Friday night dinner. Thank you Chef Janet Desfosse and your crew for a fantastic meal. I would also like to thank everyone who came out and supported our dinner. Our next Friday night dinner will be on May 21st. Anyone interested in cooking, please contact Janet Desfosse - 732-495-9297.

Kay Woods Past President Dinner will be held on May 6th, 7:00 pm at Piero's in Union Beach. The cost is \$33.75 and a cash bar. Contact myself 732-495-3689 or Chris Marchetti 732-872-1189. This is a special night so come and support our Past President Kay Woods.

Janet Desfosse, Nancy Brandine and Cathy Grabau need gifts for our Gift Auction that is being held on June 16th. So please ladies bring your gifts to this month's meeting which is greatly appreciated.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, May 26th
8:00 pm. Hope to see you there!

President Kathy Corridon

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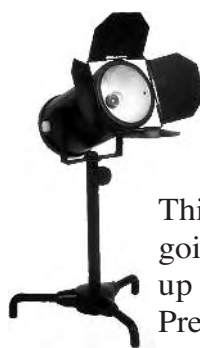
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Chili Contest	Janet Desfosse	732-495-9297
Christmas Party	Janet Desfosse	732-495-9297
Christmas Party	Carol Maloney	732-787-1622
Christmas Trees	Kay Woods	732-495-2953
Christmas Trees	Edna Bryk	732-787-4780
Cooking Class	Donna Smith	732-787-1941
Convention Shirts	Kay Woods	732-495-2953
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Craft Fair/Bake Sale	Flo Gormley	732-495-0678
Dark Horse	Cathy Merker	732-495-6654
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District Representatives	Cathy Trieste	732-291-0276
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Fashion Show	Cathy Merker	732-495-6654
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Funerals	Fran Duffy	732-787-3330
Gift Auction	Janet Desfosse	732-495-9297
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Past President Dinner	Kathy Corridon	732-495-2953
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Phone Committee	Mary Ruck	732-741-7685
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Waitresses	Kathy Corridon	732-495-3689
Women of the Year		



Spotlight Lady

My Spotlight Lady for May is Kay Woods.

This lady just keeps on going and going and going. She just finished up a great year as Madame President, then took on the task of selling convention shirts.

Kay Woods, let the light shine on you.

MAY BIRTHDAY LADIES

BIRTH FLOWER - LILY OF THE VALLEY

MICKEY PEPCHINSKI, 1ST, G. STAR
SHARON BEATTIE, 2ND
TISA DZRADZIS, 2ND
JOAN MCTIGUE, 6TH, G. STAR
ADRIENNE SNOW, 7TH, 3RD. V. PRES.
BETTY ANGHELONE, 16TH
SUSAN WHITE, 21ST
NANCY POLLITTO, 27TH

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AT LAST, AT LAST,
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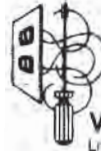
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