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TONY CAMPAS, EXALTED RULER

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA

DECEMBER 2019

**EXALTED RULER**

*Tony Campas*



Members,

As Elks, we always ask the Membership to try to sponsor at least one person into our organization each year. Some Members have taken that request seriously and have sponsored several new Members. Others, not so much, perhaps because of how non-members think about becoming Elks. I was out on the golf course with friends last week and we met a couple of young men to whom we mentioned that we were Members here at this Lodge. As our conversation progressed, we asked them if they had been to our CYO on Fridays. They had, several times. So, we asked them if they had thought about possibly becoming Members. Their reply was, "Why should we become Members if all we have to do is ask one of our friends that are Members already to sign us in?" Their statement hit a sore spot since we tell Membership Candidates at their Orientation that it's fine to bring a guest to the Lodge once or twice but not more, and if their guests enjoy themselves to sponsor them to become Members. Apparently, our advice to new Members--and possibly some of our more seasoned Members--is falling on deaf ears.

Another comment they made was that although they enjoyed the Lodge, they probably would not become Members due to their observation of other guests,

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**ELKS BBQ FOR SANTA MARIA VETERAN'S CLINIC**



*All American Lodge*

# LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING IN December

- 1 Elk's Memorial Service .....2:00 pm
- 2 House Committee .....7:00 pm
- 3 Photo Committee .....7:00 pm
- 4 Antlers ..... 6:00 pm
- 5 Lodge.....7:30 pm  
Elks Horn Articles Due
- 6 Cook Your Own ..... 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Dancing to DJ Tymeless .....8:30 pm
- 8 Cigar & Fine Spirits .....2:00 pm Patio
- 9 Golf Meeting.....6:30 pm  
Kadiddlehoppers.....7:00 pm
- 11 Employee's Christmas Party
- 12 Lodge.....7:30 pm  
Student of Month
- 13 Cook Your Own ..... 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Dancing to Soul'd Out .....8:30 pm
- 15 **Adult Christmas Party**  
No Host Bar..... 5:00 pm  
Dinner ..... 6:00 pm  
Dancing..... 7:30 - Midnight
- 16 Christmas Basket Setup ..... 6:00 pm
- 17 Christmas Baskets .....7:00 am
- 18 Children's Christmas Party..5:30 - 8:00 pm
- 19 Lodge.....7:30 pm  
Members Xmas Cheer
- 20 Cook Your Own ..... 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Dancing to Sound Investment.....8:30 pm
- 21 Adopt-A-Highway .....8:15 am
- 22 PER Christmas Dinner ..... 5:00 pm
- 24 Office Closes at Noon
- 25 **MERRY CHRISTMAS - Lodge Closed**
- 26 **Lodge Closed**
- 27 Cook Your Own ..... 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Dancing to DJ Pete Ruiz.....8:30 pm
- 29 Menudo & Pozole ..... 8:00 - 10:30 am
- 30 NO Family Dinner
- 31 Bar Closes ..... 5:00 pm  
**New Year's Eve Party**  
Hors D'Oeuvres..... 6:15 pm  
Dinner .....7:30 pm  
Dancing..... 8:30 - 12:30 am  
Breakfast .....12:30 am

**MONDAY NIGHT:**

Family Dinners .....5:30 - 7:00 pm

**TUESDAY NIGHT:**

Bingo..... 6:00 pm  
Pub Grub in Members Bar .....5:00 - 7:00 pm

**THURSDAY NIGHT:**

Lodge Meeting.....7:30 pm

**FRIDAY NIGHT:**

Cook Your Own ..... 6:00 - 8:00 pm  
Steak/Fish/Spare Ribs/Chicken Breast



## GOLF COMMITTEE

The Santa Maria Elks Golf Club played an individual net tournament at the Santa Maria Country Club on Wednesday, October 9 with 16 players.  
 Low net:.....Ray Beadle.....\$35.00  
 2nd place:.....Danny Landrum..... \$30.00  
 3rd place:.....Chuck Scheithauer..\$25.00  
 4th place:.....Fernie Tarango.....\$18.00  
 50/50 winner:..Fernie Tarango..... \$30.00  
 Closest to the pin:  
 #3.....Chip Guthrie 12'..... \$10.00  
 Hank Rickett, Golf Chairman

### ATTENTION ALL FOOTBALL FANS!!

We have the NFL Sunday Ticket Package at the Lodge. Whenever your team has an important game and you get heart failure because you can't find it on regular TV, gather friends and family and come watch on one of our big screens.

The Bar opens at 10:00 am, so come on down and enjoy watching your favorite team. (Go STEELERS!)

See you there!!  
 Janet, Lodge Office

### Exalted Ruler continued

whom they know aren't Members, being of questionable character. This too is information given to Members to be selective as to whom you bring into your Lodge.

This recalls something that I've heard before that "the Elks is not how it used to be". So, if the comments those two young men made about our Lodge apply to you, please think about it next time a friend asks you to sign them in. Our Lodge is the best in the state and maybe the country. Let's be proud to be Elks #1538 Members and keep it that way.

Fraternally,  
 Tony Campas  
 Exalted Ruler

### OFFICERS DUTY ROSTER

- December 6..... Leading Knight
- December 13 .....Loyal Knight
- December 20..... Inner Guard
- December 27 .....Luis Rodriguez

### GREETERS

- Nov 29 - Dec 5.....Lorena Alejandre
- Dec 6 - Dec 12.....Luis Arellano
- Dec 13 - Dec 19 ..... Bob Lopez
- Dec 20 - Dec 26.....Lorena Alejandre
- Dec 27 - Jan 2.....Luis Arellano

# Children's Christmas Party

Come join us for a fun-filled evening!

## Wednesday, December 18, 2019

5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Dinner sold until 7:00 pm

Games & Prizes!

Music

Pictures with Santa!

Free Popcorn & Ice Cream

Hamburger with Fries \$6

Hot Dog with Chips \$3

Members and Family Only!

### CHARITY LEADING KNIGHT

*Wes Brown*



Members,

I hope everyone had a wonderful Thanksgiving. Thank you to all who helped make the November Leading Knight Challenge events a resounding success. CHEMPI and the Major Project Committee thank you; the children and their families thank you. Speaking of the Major Project Committee: they will double the number of tickets you purchase on Lodge Night if you bring a full "PURPLE PIG" piggy bank this month or next.

There will be an event at Chipotle on Tuesday, Dec. 10th: they will donate 33% of the proceeds of your order when you bring a printed flyer or have the flyer on your phone when you pay (see Page 8). There is an opportunity drawing for a "Booze Wagon" to be given away at the New Year's Party. There is also an opportunity drawing for a stocked Wine Fridge to be given away on Sunday, January 19, 2020. Tickets for these can be purchased at the Lodge Office or in the bar. Please be sure to buy a \$5 or \$10 Purple Pig donor card in the Member's Bar and put your name on it for display on the wall. All proceeds from these events will be donated to CHEMPI Major Project. Please spread the word to all your friends, family and coworkers.

#### Quotes for this month:

*"And though she be little, she is fierce"*  
— Shakespeare

*"What seems to us bitter trials are often blessings in disguise"* — Oscar Wilde

*"Every child is a different kind of flower that together make this world a beautiful garden".* — Anonymous

I wish you and your family a Glorious Christmas.

Fraternally,  
Wes Brown  
Esteemed Leading Knight

### JUSTICE LOYAL KNIGHT

*Peter Oblak*



Members,

December is here and so are the desires to spend quality time with family and friends; a joyous time of year when we hopefully give thanks for another year of accomplishments and count our blessings for the gifts we have received.

As this year gets closer to ending and the new year beginning, let us all take the time to spend more of that time getting involved with our community. It should be the main priority to stay involved as much as our schedules will allow.

May we all be able to accomplish the things we hold near and dear to our hearts this year. As I have said many times before, as Members we should make the effort to be at the Orientations and the Initiations in greater numbers, as this would make a better impression upon the new Members. And that would hopefully help us with our retention of those Members - encouraging them to volunteer and keep volunteering for the future of our Lodge.

May all of you have a Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year!!!

Fraternally,  
Peter Oblak  
Esteemed Loyal Knight

### SPECIAL HEARING

#### NOTICE OF HEARING SET FOR DECEMBER 12, 2019

Recently the House Committee suspended Joseph Beaudet Jr. from Club privileges for three months. He has appealed the suspension to the Lodge. The Exalted Ruler has ordered the hearing on the appeal to be at the regular Lodge meeting on **December 12, 2019 at 7:30 PM.**

Phil Daughton, Lodge Secretary



### BROTHERLY LOVE LECTURING KNIGHT

*Matt Rodriguez*



Members,

Wow! December is upon us, and just like that, Christmas is around the corner. We have lots going this month at our Lodge like the Children's Christmas party and the Adult Christmas party, so check your calendars for dates and get involved: help is always needed and appreciated.

As to the Adult Christmas Party, I thought we'd change it up a little (well, the idea was AnnMarie's). We will be having an Ugly Sweater contest: dig deep, get that sweater out and dust it off, there will be prizes and not just for ugly sweaters. If you're not wearing a sweater, I'm relaxing the dress code, "dress to impress", coat preferred but tie is not required, I just ask that you do your best to "impress". I have already received donations to add to the gift baskets. I know we will all have a good time, mark your calendars for Sunday the 15th of December and get with the office for your tickets. We need this party to be revived so we can switch it to Saturday night next year.

I would like to touch on the "Golden Circle of Champions" as my wife and I are proud to be part of "Team Santa Maria". The team is going to be taking 2 children from Santa Maria who are currently in treatment for Cancer, Aryia 4 and Isabella 6, to the NFR (National Finals Rodeo) in Las Vegas. There are also 10 children from the Las Vegas area and 8 from other Rodeo Organizations; the team will be helping with these children also. The support for this program has grown tremendously at the NFR and at our own Elks Rodeo, please continue to support these children and their families who are battling this disease. Thank you to Elks Rec and Team Santa Maria, we truly show how things are done in Santa Maria.

The Antlers are still looking to grow their membership, remember the parents do not have to be Elks members, but hoping this could influence them to join.

Fraternally,  
Matt Rodriguez  
Esteemed Lecturing knight

### ATTENTION MEMBERS

The Lodge can no longer accept flags, so please do not drop them off at the office or anywhere else in the Lodge. Today's flags are made of polyester and nylon and cotton. Sorry, we have no source to dispose of the polyester or nylon flags, so we no longer accept any flags. Thank you for your understanding.

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## HOLIDAY BASKET SCHEDULE



You are invited to join the Holiday Basket Committee. We need helpers to pick up and deliver donations to the Elks Lodge. We also need people to pack the food into the baskets and distribute them (from the Elks Dining Room) as families come to pick up their baskets at the Lodge. Come join us for the Holiday Basket Organized Chaos!

Holiday Baskets are for families in the Santa Maria Valley who cannot afford a holiday dinner for Christmas. Please sponsor a family by providing the name and telephone number to the Elks Office at 805 922-1538 (see deadline below).

**Important dates to Remember:**

**Christmas (December)**  
Monday 9 .....Deadline for Sponsoring a Family  
Monday 16 .....6 pm Baskets Setup  
Tuesday 17 .....7 am Basket Perishable Items  
8:30 - 10:30 am Basket Pickup

If you're short on time, not to worry; you can still help. We can use monetary donations to help the increasing number of families we can assist. Also, there are barrels in the front lobby of the Elks Lodge and another in the Member's Bar. Please deposit non-perishable items (no expired dates) in these barrels.

If the family you sponsor is unable to pick up their basket, you, the sponsor may deliver it yourself.

God has blessed you with a family, home, and much more. Be the one to give to others so that they may enjoy the day and be thankful as well. Please email any questions to me at [evamacias805@gmail.com](mailto:evamacias805@gmail.com) or leave a message at 805-886-6061. Eva Macias, Holiday Baskets Chairman

**ELKS NATIONAL FREE THROW "HOOP SHOOT" CONTEST**  
For all boys and girls - Ages 8-13 years  
**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 15, 2019**

**Location:**  
Edwards Community Center Gymnasium  
809 Panther Drive - Santa Maria

**Registration: 9:30 am - 10:30 am**  
**Competition begins: 10:30 am**



All boys and girls ages 8-13 years are welcome to participate and must be accompanied by a parent.  
**Contestant age group will be determined by their age as of April 1, 2020**

- Local winners advance to District, State, Regional and National Competition
- Nationals Finals - Chicago, Illinois
- National Champions are Enshrined in the Basketball Hall of Fame

The "Hoop Shoot" program builds character while promoting integrity, hard work, discipline and good sportsmanship. So come on out and volunteer and be part of this great program.

For more information, contact Eddie Navarro at (805) 720-3581 or visit [www.elks.org/hoopshoot.cfm](http://www.elks.org/hoopshoot.cfm)

# VETERANS DINNER



# Adult Christmas Party

**December 15, 2019**

No Host Bar: 5:00 pm - Dinner: 6:00 pm  
Dancing to DJ Pete Ruiz 7:30 pm - Midnight

## Ugly sweater contest!

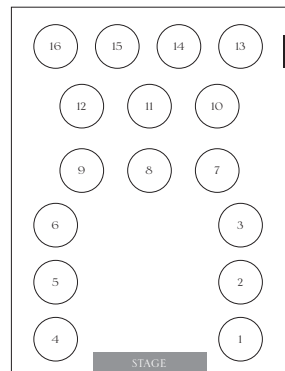
Dress: Ugly sweater or "Dress to Impress"  
Coat preferred but tie not required.  
Tickets on sale now! | \$25.00 Per Person



- ONLY 16 TABLES AVAILABLE -

## Menu

- BBQ Pork Chops
- Red Potatoes
- Green Salad | Green Beans
- Dinner Rolls
- Red Velvet Cake



Door Prizes  
Gift Baskets

Hosted by Lecturing Knight, Matt Rodriguez

# DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND EXALTED RULER VISITATION DINNER





## SOCCKER SHOOT

Pictured with Elks Members are the Santa Maria Elks Lodge #1538 contestants who placed 1st-3rd at the Elks West Central Coast District Soccer Shoot held on Sunday, October 27, 2019 at the San Luis Obispo Elks Lodge #322.



Front row L-R: Yoceline Mendez, 12-13 yr. girls- 1st place, El Camino Jr. High School; Valeria Rodriguez, 8-9 yr. girls-3rd place; Ginny Pancho, 10-11 yr. girls - 3rd place, Rice School; Eileen Ramirez, 7 & Under girls-3rd place; Atzel Martinez, 8-9 yr. boys, Oakley School- 1st place; Tyson Neal, 8-9 yr. boys, Taylor School - 3rd place; Adrian Herrera, 7 & under boys, Battles School- 3rd place; Adrian Escobar, 7 & under boys, Rice School - 1st place; Liliana Soloria, 12-13 girls- 3rd place. Back row L-R: Zachary Curiel, 14-15 yr. boys- 1st place; Emmanuel Ortiz, 12-13 yr. boys, Pioneer High School- 2nd place; Mauro Rodriguez, 12-13 yr. boys, Kunst Jr. High- 1st place; Uriel Moreno, 10-11 yr. boys, Arrellanos School- 3rd place; not pictured- Nathan Rocha, 14-15 yr. boys, Pioneer High School- 2nd place & Sofia Vargas, 8-9 yr. girls-2nd place. Pictured in back row L-R: P.E.R. Ron Anderson; P.E.R./Trustee Karen Feldpouch; Eddie Navarro, Soccer Shoot Chairman; PDDGER Sander Moss; P.E.R. Brian Feldpouch; and P.E.R./DYVC Myrl Wallace.

Eddie Navarro, Soccer Chair

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**JOHN LOPEZ**  
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Presents a

# CRAB FEED

at the Elks Lodge 1538  
in Santa Maria

**Sunday, January 12, 2020**  
4:00 pm Cocktail Hour  
5:00 pm Dinner

**MENU**  
Crab  
Corn on the Cob | Baked Potato  
Green Salad | Coleslaw  
Cheddar Biscuits  
Ice Cream

There will be Rib Eye Steak for those who do not want Crab (Rib Eye Steak is not all you can eat)

**TICKETS ON SALE NOW!**  
**\$45.00 per person**

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# CAUSE AN EFFECT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support California-Hawaii Elks Major Project. Come in to the Chipotle at **232 E Betteravia Rd** in Santa Maria on **Tuesday, December 10th** between **4:00pm** and **8:00pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 33% of the proceeds will be donated to California-Hawaii Elks Major Project.



Online orders will not be included in the fundraiser total. To ensure your purchase is counted in the fundraiser, be sure to order and pay in-restaurant. Gift card purchases during fundraisers do not count towards total donated sales, but purchases made with an existing gift card will count.

## ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS

*If you have one of the locks on the gym lockers please remove lock and contents before December 15th. After that date the locks will be cut off and the contents thrown away.*

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## TOURING ELKS

Wow! What an incredible month we have had. The Touring Elks has been really busy working on projects to benefit the community. First off we voted

to support Wes Brown in his "Leading Knight Challenge" by making a \$2500 donation to the Purple Pig Major Project, to benefit kids with disabilities.

We also are proud to be the Committee that has taken on the Santa Maria Valley Bike Run, benefiting Toys For Tots in our local area. We totally exceeded our expectations in the amount of funds we were able to raise thanks to all the Touring Elks members, and non members that stepped up to make this an outstanding fundraiser for the community.

Next up, we have our 27th annual Harley Davidson opportunity drawing fundraiser.

We have on order a brand new 2020 Harley Davidson Road Glide in black, with touch screen radio and navigation. We should have tickets available the first week of December.

Our ride for last month consisted of meeting up at the Elks Lodge at 8am, and rolling out at 8:30am. We headed out hwy 166 to the Buckhorn in New Cuyama for a great breakfast. Next we went to hwy 33 heading south towards Ojai across the pass. What a perfect day for a ride! Weather was awesome, and the views were incredible!! When we dropped down into Ojai we stopped at the Ojai Deer Lodge for lunch and libations. After that we took the back roads into Santa Barbara, catching the 101 home. Everyone absolutely loved the ride, and fellowship.

The Touring Elks would like to wish all our family, friends, fellow Elks members, and our community Happy Holidays and best wishes in the year to come!!

Mark G. McNutt, Touring Elks President

## OCTOBER STUDENT OF THE MONTH

**Isabel Guerrero** from Orcutt Academy High School is ranked 2nd in a class of 132 students with a GPA of 4.77 and three AP classes with all tests passed. In addition, she has completed 12 courses at Allan Hancock College. She has earned over 1500 service hours during the past three years. She currently serves as Senior Class President and served as Vice-President her junior year.

Isabel is a senior staff member and major supporter of Artemis Leadership Training Adventure Camp and is captain of the OAHs FIRST 3512 SPARTATRONIKS (robotics) team.

Isabel has been a Girl Scout since 2006, assisting with events for younger girls. She donates hours at Dignity Health and the Outdoor Warrior Leadership Sisterhood Camp sponsored by Athena Women's' Organization.

Thank you to the SOM Committee Readers, Johannah Bradley, Wanda Acquistapace, and Joe Dana.

Andree Licoscas, SOM Chair



# TOYS FOR TOTS BIKE RIDE



## In Memoriam

"TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS"

**AN ELK IS NEVER FORGOTTEN, NEVER FORSAKEN.**

**#8455**

**Lloyd E West**

Born: August 5, 1944

Initiated: July 1, 1982

Died: October 6, 2019

**#15004**

**Ernest C Disbrow**

Born: April 21, 1949

Initiated: December 4, 2014

Died: October 27, 2019

**#2895**

**LIFE MEMBER**

**Richard J Crummie**

Born: August 2, 1928

Initiated: November 19, 1964

Died: October 11, 2019

**#2261**

**LIFE MEMBER**

**Frank D Gomes**

Born: April 24, 1923

Initiated: January 25, 1962

Died: November 2, 2019

**#8380**

**Ronald Rodenberger**

Born: January 17, 1929

Initiated: February 25, 1982

Died: October 18, 2019

**#1564**

**LIFE MEMBER**

**Milton Guggia, Sr.**

Born: December 16, 1924

Initiated: October 2, 1958

Died: October 29, 2019

**#6556**

**JP Brough IV**

Born: May 14, 1950

Initiated: September 26, 1974

Died: October 20, 2019

**#6812**

**LIFE MEMBER**

**Carroll K Simkins**

Born: March 29, 1930

Initiated: March 21, 1962

Died: November 3, 2019

**#11709**

**Clifford M Hunter**

Born: February 15, 1941

Initiated: January 1, 1994

Died: October 24, 2019

**#6297**

**Edward L Le Claire**

Born: September 28, 1935

Initiated: October 25, 1973

Died: November 8, 2019

SANTA MARIA ELKS LODGE #1538

43rd Annual

## FIREFIIGHTERS APPRECIATION NIGHT

Wednesday, January 22, 2020

1309 North Bradley Road  
Santa Maria

No-Host Bar 5:30 pm  
Dinner 6:30 pm

We would appreciate an email to [lvone@elks1538.org](mailto:lvone@elks1538.org) or a call to our Lodge Office at (805) 922-1538 Ext 104 no later than Wednesday, January 13, 2020 for reservations.

Help show your appreciation, join us for this very special evening honoring those fine men and women who proudly wear the firefighter's uniform.

★ THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF  
★ SANTA MARIA ELKS LODGE #1538  
★ CORDIALLY INVITE YOU TO ATTEND OUR

# Elks Memorial Service

TO OUR DEPARTED MEMBERS

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2019  
2:00 P.M.**

1309 NORTH BRADLEY ROAD - SANTA MARIA

COLD CUT BUFFET WILL BE SERVED FOLLOWING THE SERVICE

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Initiation Class Honoree Sue Mandler

### NEW MEMBERS

- Eric Alvarez
- Joe F Alvarez
- Sherrri Briscoe
- Ruby D Bucio
- Gilbert Barrera Cano
- Rafael V Cardenas Jr.
- Michael Cardona
- Cristian Delgadillo
- Derrick Guggia
- Jose Guillen
- Edward S Hazard
- Gary Hendricks
- Dean Hernandez
- Virginia A Kaufman
- Daniel Lopez
- Alejandro Marin
- John V Paige
- Perla R Pineda
- John H. Prow
- Tina Quintana
- Rogelio Rodriguez

### TRANSFERS

- Richard W Snyder
- Brian Sullivan
- Nick Wiruth

### REINSTATEMENTS

- Joe Cardoza
- Livdi Escobedo
- Claude Rateau
- Jose R Salinas

# New Year's Eve Party

Entertainment by  
THE BAND  
**SUAVE**

**NO HOST COCKTAIL PARTY WITH HORS D'OEUVRES: 6:15 PM  
DINNER: 7:30 PM :: DANCING: 8:30 PM - 12:30 AM**

ELK MEMBERS AND GUESTS: \$50.00 PER PERSON

**ONLY 40 TABLES AVAILABLE**

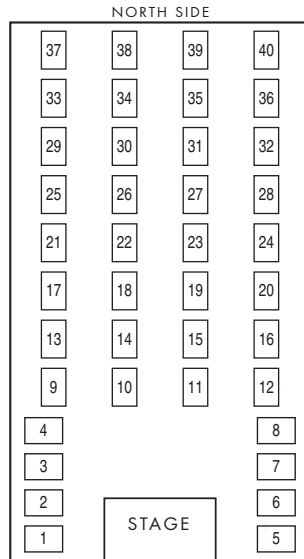
SEMI-FORMAL DRESS - NO JEANS  
DRESS CODE WILL BE ENFORCED

## Dinner Menu

- SHRIMP COCKTAIL :: TOSSED SALAD
- NEW YORK STEAK :: GARLIC MASHERS
- SONOMA VEGETABLES :: DINNER ROLLS
- CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS WITH RASPBERRY
- TWO BOTTLES OF WINE PER TABLE
- CHAMPAGNE TOAST AT MIDNIGHT

## Santa Maria Style Breakfast

SCRAMBLED EGGS :: BISCUITS & GRAVY :: MENUDO  
SERVED AT 12:30 A.M.



**NOTICE:** Security guards will be on duty! The building will be closed to all members at 5:00 pm. Only those with New Year's Eve tickets will be admitted into the building, so please be sure to bring your tickets with you! Security guards will be on duty checking for tickets. **ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS! TICKETS ON SALE NOW AT THE ELKS LODGE OFFICE. TICKETS MUST BE PICKED UP BY MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 5:00 PM!**

## Lodge Activities



Exalted Ruler **Tony Campas** presents Chaplain **Aaron Castellanos** a Grand Exalted Ruler Award for Sponsoring 3 or more new Members



Exalted Ruler **Tony Campas** presents **Alx Sanchez, Ray Sanchez,** and **Steve Jones** (not pictured) an award for the 1st Place Website

## CRYING TOWEL

### OCTOBER 3

- Rosie Angulo.....\$500
- Marc De Bernardi.....\$500
- Leroy Cordero.....\$500
- Jerry Hernandez.....\$500

### OCTOBER 10

- Michael Reasner.....\$500
- Annie Glines.....\$500
- William Bodrogi.....\$500
- Eric Fausel.....\$500

### OCTOBER 17

- Todd Ruffoni.....\$500
- Vanessa Cantu.....\$500
- Jesse Martinez.....\$500

## MEMBERS!

You can pay your Dues by phone with your credit or debit card. Call the Office at (805) 922-1538.





## ELKS BOWLING

After eight weeks, Team 11, Will Strike if Provoked, (Matthew and Robin Sisk and Judy and Don Rose) lead the league with an ASTOUNDING 25 wins and just 6 loss record! Team 4, Strikes & Spares (Chris Strasser, Beverly and Tom Klein, and Terry Pew) lead High team Series with an INCREDIBLE 2655 SERIES! Team 3, Lucky Strike (Grace Mulloy, Madge Miller, Greg Dominguez and Jess Verdin) lead in Team High Game with a STUPENDOUS 971! Terry Pew leads in Men's High Series with a MIND-BOGGLING 733 and Chris Van Pelt continues to lead in Men's High Game with an EARTH-SHATTERING 288! In Women's High Series, Gail Delisle leads with a CRUSHING 751 series and Madge Miller leads in High Game with an OUTSTANDING 282! CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!

The following are those bowlers who bowled either a 200 or higher game or 600 series: Randy Blankenship - 233, James Crowley - 246/675, Jim Diyorio - 224/627, Larry Galaites - 254/638, Tom Glover - 212, Ken Houser - 210, Tom Klein - 237/633, Eddie Nunez - 201, Don Rose - 212, Donna Ryczek - 227, Bruce Shoun - 223, Chris Van Pelt - 257/610, and Jess Verdin - 268/613! GREAT BOWLING ALL!

Christmas Jokes: Why does Santa Claus go down the chimney on Christmas Eve? Because it soots him.... What says, "Oh Oh Oh"? Santa walking backwards!... What do snowmen eat for breakfast? Snowflakes.... What do you call a chicken at the North Pole? Lost.... The Turkey wasn't hungry at Christmas because he was already stuffed... Why does Santa have three gardens? So, he can ho, ho, ho. Merry Christmas to All!  
Mike Kenderes  
Bowling Chairman

## COOK YOUR OWN

Date	Band	Dinners	Extra Cut
Oct 4	That's What She Says Band....	307	20
Oct 11	Soul'd Out Band.....	406	32
Oct 18	Suave Band.....	340	28
Oct 25	Swing Shift Band.....	341	29
<b>Dinners Sold.....</b>		<b>1,394</b>	<b>109</b>

We had a great year! 2019 went by too, too fast! Ron, Robert, Jim, Cindy, and I wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year in 2020.

Sincerely,  
Bob Kolasinski, CYO Chairman

## CHEMPI BLAZE PIZZA FUNDRAISER



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## Monday Night Dinners

### DECEMBER 16

### DECEMBER 2

BBQ Tri-Tip Beef  
Elks Beans  
Corn On The Cob  
Green Salad  
Corn Bread  
Dessert

Tamales  
Spanish Rice  
Pinto Beans  
Salsa Roja & Verde  
Soft-Serve Ice Cream

### DECEMBER 23

### DECEMBER 9

Orange Chicken  
White Rice  
Spring Roll  
Fortune Cookie  
Dessert

BBQ 1/2 Chicken  
Elks Beans  
Potato Salad  
Green Salad  
Garlic Bread  
Dessert

### DECEMBER 30

No Monday Night Dinner



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm <b>Elks Memorial Service</b> in Lodge Room 2:00 pm	2 Family Night Dinner 5:30 - 7:00 pm BBQ Tri-tip \$12	3 Bingo 6:00 pm Pub Grub in Club Room 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm <b>Photo Committee</b> 7:00 pm	4 <b>Antlers 6:00 pm</b>	5 <b>Lodge 7:30 pm</b> <b>Elks Horn Articles Due</b>	6 Cook Your Own 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dancing 8:30 pm DJ Tymeless	7 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
8 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm <b>Cigar and Fine Spirits</b> 2:00 pm Patio	9 Family Night Dinner 5:30 - 7:00 pm Orange Chicken \$10 <b>Golf Meeting 6:30 pm</b> <b>Kadiddlehoppers 7:00 pm</b>	10 <b>Chipotle Major Project Fundraiser 4 - 8 pm</b> Bingo 6:00 pm Pub Grub in Club Room 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	11 Employee's Christmas Party	12 <b>Lodge 7:30 pm</b> <b>Student of the Month</b>	13 Cook Your Own 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dancing 8:30 pm Soul'd Out	14 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
15 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm <b>Hoop Shoot</b> <i>Details on page 4</i> <b>Adult Christmas Party</b> <i>See page 5 for details</i>	16 Family Night Dinner 5:30 - 7:00 pm Tamales \$10 <b>Christmas Baskets</b> <b>Set-up 6:00 pm</b>	17 <b>Christmas Baskets</b> Set up 7:00 am Bingo 6:00 pm Pub Grub in Club Room 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	18 <b>Children's Christmas Party</b> <i>See page 2 for details</i>	19 <b>Lodge 7:30 pm</b> <b>Members Xmas Cheer!</b> Hot Butter Rums & Egg Nog after Lodge	20 Cook Your Own 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dancing 8:30 pm Sound Investment	21 <b>Adopt-A-Highway</b> 8:00 am Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
22 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm PER Christmas Dinner	23 Family Night Dinner 5:30 - 7:00 pm BBQ 1/2 Chicken \$12	24 <b>Office Closes at Noon</b>	25 <b>Lodge Closed</b>	26 <b>Lodge Closed</b>	27 Cook Your Own 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dancing 8:30 pm DJ Pete Ruiz	28 Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm
29 <b>Menudo &amp; Pozole</b> 8:00 am - 10:30 am Bar & Lounge Open 10:00 am - 9:00 pm	30 <b>No Family Dinner</b>	31 Bar Closes 5:00 pm <b>New Year's Eve Party</b> <i>See page 10 for details</i>	1/1 <b>HAPPY NEW YEAR!</b> <b>Lodge Closed</b>		<b>Elks Bowling</b> <b>Every Tuesday Night</b> <b>Rancho Bowl</b> 6:30 pm	<b>Monday Night Dinners</b> <b>All BBQ Dinners \$12</b> <b>All others \$10</b>

**NOTE: Deadline for Elks Horn copy is 8:00 pm, THE FIRST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH!**

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