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WES BROWN, EXALTED RULER

SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA

DECEMBER 2020

EXALTED RILLER Wes Brown

Members,

This year has been anything but normal. We have had to rethink and rework all activities in new and unique ways. Through your support and encouragement along with the



dedication of our hard-working employees and volunteers these changes have been successful and well received. A great example was the Elks Rec Haunted Hills event at the Event Center. This month Elks Rec is presenting "Christmas in the Country", a drive through magical holiday light experience at the Event Center along with "Stuff the Stocking" to bring awareness to Pediatric Cancer. All stocking proceeds will go to the Golden Circle of Champions program that is devoted to raising awareness of childhood cancer and provides financial support to families enduring childhood cancer.

Quotes for this month:

"Christmas is most truly Christmas when we celebrate it by giving the light of love to those who need it most." Ruth Carter Stapleton

"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving." Mother Theresa

"Christmas is not as much about opening our presents as opening our hearts." Janice Maeditere

My Christmas wishes for you all: May you celebrate the holidays surrounded by family and friends. May your hearts be filled with joy and love. May faith, hope and love give you strength in all that you do. May kindness and compassion be your gift of choice. May memories of holidays past bring out your childlike sense of wonder and excitement.

Fraternally, Wes Brown Exalted Ruler



SANTA MARIA ELKS HONOR VETERANS

One of the main charitable purposes of the Elks is to support our Veterans. Our Santa Maria Lodge #1538 strongly supports our Veterans Nationally, but more importantly, our local Veterans. This past Veterans day our Lodge supported three different Veterans Day celebrations. Trustee Charlie Castillo placed a wreath and participated in the ceremony at the Santa Maria Cemetery as something our Elks Lodge has done for many years. At the same time, our Lodge Veterans Chairman Tim Reynolds, along with 4 other Elks, supported the local V.A. Clinic where hot dogs were served, and hygiene bags were handed out. The Lodge gave out almost 100 backpacks filled with more hygiene products, snacks, socks, hats, and other goodies.

One of the largest Veterans Day

See Veterans on page 2





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GREETERS:

Dec. 4 - 10 Vern Guerrero Dec. 11 - 17 Luis Arellano Dec. 18 - 24 **Bob Lopez** Dec. 25 - 31 Efrain Bautista

OFFICERS DUTY ROSTER:

Dec 4 Phil Daighton Dec 11 Chuck Biely Dec 18 Glenda Jennings Dec 25 NO CYO

Traveleers Upcoming Campouts:

January 14 - 17 Yanks RV Resort, Greenfield, CA February 18 - 21 Casa de Fruta RV Park, Hollister, CA

> Credit cards accepted in the Members' Bar with a \$20 minimum purchase

PURPLE PIG DONATIONS

Julio Saldivar Ken Teeters Keith King Josh Robertson Jean Studer

CRYING TOWEL

October 1, 2020

Patti Pounds \$500 \$500 Clint Scruggs **Ernest Yeakey** \$500

October 8, 2020

Patricia Park \$500 Ken E. Houser \$500 Richard Winkelpleck \$500

October 29, 2020

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Veterans, cont. from P1

celebrations locally is the Michael Clayton BBQ normally held at the Memorial building. The Lodge always BBQ's the meat and sends a team over to the Memorial Hall to prepare the Garlic bread. This year, due to COVID, the city would not allow Michael to host the event at the Memorial Hall. With the real possibility of the event having to be cancelled the Elks stepped up and arranged to hold the event at the Lodge. With a few modifications, Michael's team had an opening ceremony around the flagpole followed by a Tri Tip sandwich drivethru lunch. Our BBQ team started at 5:30 am and BBQ'd enough Tri Tip to serve 1,500 lunches. Then our serving team put together all the sandwiches and bagged them up for distribution. The Officers and Exalted Ruler along with a few of Michael's crew did what we do twice each week and handed out the sandwiches to each car that drove through. It was truly an event that honored the local Veterans and showed the commitment the Elks have to Veterans.













"CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY" HOLIDAY LIGHTS AT THE ELKS EVENT CENTER

- TICKETS ON SALE NOW! -

Although many Central Coast Holiday programs have been cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Elks Recreation invites you to join our first Annual "Christmas in the Country" this Holiday season at the Elks Event Center located at 4040 South Hwy 101 in Santa Maria. In true Team Santa Maria spirit and working together with the City of Santa Maria Recreation and Parks Department and the Santa Maria Valley Chamber of Commerce plans are well underway for this new, COVID-19 friendly, holiday tradition on the Central Coast.

Visitors will embark on a drive through magical holiday light experience at the Elks Event Center with displays presented by local businesses and families. Health and safety protocols will be followed in cooperation with County and State guidelines. Tickets are available online only at elksrec.com and will be sold in hourly increments.

Along with "Christmas in the Country", we are excited to introduce "Stuff the Stocking" to bring awareness to Pediatric Cancer. All stocking proceeds will go to the Golden Circle of Champions program that is devoted to raising awareness of childhood cancer and provides financial support to families enduring childhood cancer.

Elks Recreation is excited to bring joy to the community through our "Christmas in the Country". We have been working hard to continue to provide family entertainment on the Central Coast through an outlet that meets the guidelines of public safety while celebrating the community spirit. Visit our website at elksrec.com for updated information.

To participate or for more information please call the Rodeo Office at (805) 925-4125 or email us at elksrodeo@elksrec.com

CHARITY LEADING KNICHT Peter Oblak



Members,

We are still in business and in compliance with the state restrictions. We will keep the Membership informed as to all changes as they occur. I hope that

all of you are staying safe and continuing to socially distance when you are out in public. I also hope that all of you enjoyed your Thanksgiving with your families and friends.

As of this date, I have not yet secured the venues for this year's Leading Knight Challenge. I am, however, pursuing it to the best of my abilities. I hope to be able to use our social media applications to let the Members know as to where and when these will be held. With the Covid-19 pandemic still ongoing, it has taken me longer than anticipated to get everything set up. I ask that you will be patient with me. Stay safe, stay healthy and God Bless you all.

Fraternally, Peter Oblak Esteemed Leading Knight

SEASON GREETINGS!

Our community has been greatly affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. We have all faced unprecedented struggles during this time. Many organizations have been challenged with evolving strategies to ensure their organization endures the current climate. Elks Recreation, in collaboration with the City of Santa Maria Recreation and Parks Department and the Santa Maria Valley Chamber of Commerce, would like to invite you to participate in an incredible experience for our community. Join us as we celebrate the 1st Annual "Christmas in the Country", beginning Friday, November 27, 2020 and continuing through Sunday, January 3, 2021 from 7:00 PM to 10:00 PM, at the Elks Rodeo Grounds located at 4040 Highway 101 in Santa Maria.

"Christmas in the Country" offers an allnew magical holiday experience! Visitors are guided through the wonder-filled world of Holiday Light Exhibits, in the comfort of their vehicles, presented by local businesses and families. For a nominal fee, guests can enjoy the holiday spirit, spectacular lights, and oldfashioned Holiday fun for all. Children will have the opportunity to put their letters to Santa in Santa's mailbox for delivery!

JUSTICE Matt Rodriguez **LOYAL** K



Members,

Well here we are in December; this vear seems like a blur thus far. We are about to celebrate the best Holiday of all with our family and friends, lets all make the best of it.

We are just about over the stuffed feeling of the Thanksgiving dinner and thinking of the meals to come.

The Holiday season typically for most is a joyous time, but for some, this time brings out sadness and depression. Let us take the time to think about other Members, family and friends, reach out to them to help get through this Holiday Season. Remember we all do not have the support from others that helped us get through this year. Let's all try to pick someone or a family and help them enjoy and celebrate this Christmas Holiday.

I'd like to give thanks to all that have helped this year no matter how much time you put in, it is all appreciated. To all that have put in countless number of tears before us to make this Lodge the best in all of Elkdom, we thank you. We need to follow in their footsteps and keep this Lodge going in the right direction. Let's not forget the Elks Rec "Christmas in the Country" celebration of lights, going the month of December into the first week of January.

Thank you, Merry Christmas and may God Bless all.

Matt Rodriguez Esteemed Loyal knight

As part of the commencement of what's soon to be a favorite Central Coast holiday tradition, we would love to have your organization share in the new tradition by creating a light display, at no cost for 2020. We anticipate large neighboring communities to visit our experience, bringing tourist opportunities that increase our community revenue. This is also a fundraiser, in addition to a light display, please consider the opportunities to sponsor a Christmas tree, a candy cane, or a wreath. We also have packages available for Major Sponsorship Opportunities. If you and your company would like to be a part of this extraordinary experience by creating a display, please contact the Rodeo Office at (805) 925-4125. This is a wonderful time to exhibit your organization's platform with a

BROTHERLY LOVE LECTURING KNIGHT Caron Castellanos



Members,

As this year comes to a close and we prepare to bring in the New Year, let us be reminded of the resilience we all have demonstrated throughout the period. This year will

most definitely be a year that will be hard to forget, for many reasons. But through it all, we have prevailed. It wasn't always easy to maneuver through the constant changes and the uncertainty, or agree with the thought process behind the logic of it all. Yet, it was necessary as a precaution and for the safety of everyone while we learned how to get through it. We still have much to learn in the coming weeks but we've made it this far. As we remain hopeful for a quick resolve it must not consume us. Let's reclaim what we can and find enjoyment in what remains of this year. The holidays are in full swing and with the current restrictions we face poses an amazing opportunity for us all. This time of year tends to be busy/hectic and can easily distract us from what is truly important... family and loved ones. Let us accept this opportunity and focus on what is dear and near to us. So. let us take full advantage and spend it with those who matter most and let's carry this through the New Year. We will come out of all this stronger than ever and with a better understanding of what's truly important. We are still #1538Strong.

I wish you all Happy Holidays and an amazing New Year.

As always...Be safe, be careful and take care. And I hope to see you at Lodge...

Fraternally. Aaron Castellanos Esteemed Lecturing Knight

holiday twist.

"Christmas in the Country" is a unique opportunity to bring our community together in a safe manner and celebrate the spirit of the holidays. Won't you join us in creating this magical experience?

Thank you for your consideration and I look forward to hearing from you!

Happy Holidays, Tina Tonascia Chief Operations Officer





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2020 HOLIDAY BASKET SCHEDULF

You are invited to join the Holiday Basket Committee. Helpers are needed 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 Thanksgiving or Christmas. Please sponsor a family by providing the name and telephone number to the Elks Office at 805-922-1538 (see deadlines below).

Important dates to Remember:

Christmas (December)

Monday 14 Deadline for Sponsoring a Family

6:00 pm Baskets Setup Monday 21

7:30 am Basket Perishable Items Tuesday 22

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 that need assistance. Also, there are barrels in the front lobby of our Lodge and another in the Member's Bar. Please deposit non-perishable items (no expired items) 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 eva.macias805@ gmail.com or leave a message at 805-886-6061.

Eva Macias Holiday Baskets Chairman







Brown Presents Linda Clayborn with an August Elk of the Month



Exalted Ruler Wes Brown Presents Joey Silva with a September Elk of the Month plaque



Tunnel with a CHEMPI Century Club Certificate



Lodge Secretary Phil Daighton PER, PAVP, Presents Elk of the Year Anne Glines a President's Volunteer Service Award certificate

DID YOU KNOW...APRIL 1, 1991 - MARCH 31, 1993

There's good news to report on the Asian Giant Murder Hornet issue. In early October two hornets were trapped in Washington state. After successfully tying a tiny tracker on one hornet with dental floss and following it to the nest in a tree in Blaine WA. the hive was eradicated. In 2019 this was tried using glue to attach the tracking device; this attempt failed when the glue gummed up the hornet's wings. (I don't make this stuff up folks.)

As of April 1, 1991, Membership was 4,000 with a net gain of 169 Members. Lodge #1538's ENF donation for 1990-91 was \$50,980, a per capita of \$13.04. Santa Maria started off the year by being the first fraternal organization with a bar (in the county and possibly the State) to adopt the Designated Driver Program. One of the Kadiddlehoppers was chosen to accompany the B.P.O.E. Rose Parade float this past New Year's Day, quite an honor. The Lodge officers placed first at the District Ritual Contest and will compete at CHEA Convention in May. Chicken Fried Steak made its first appearance on the Monday night menu in April. The Touring Elks escorting the Exalted Ruler and his family to the Inaugural Ball is now an annual tradition. In May, the Traveleers were in rare form at their fashion show: it "would have to be seen to be believed" fortunately no pictures included. "The mystery judges fined everyone for their unusual activities." The Desert Storm pins and bracelets sold by the Veterans Committee to honor and assist our returning troops sold quickly. The Captains are coming! Yes, Waiter Captains are needed to make service more efficient. The second annual International Chili Society Sanctioned Chili Cook-Off was July 27, 1991. There were country western bands, square dancing and, of course, clowns: another successful fundraiser for Major Project. A ball in the face, a pulled hamstring, Mexican Hat Dance musical chairs, bollo toss contest, Bull Pinatas, and the Wagon Master lying on the floor, yes just another Traveleers campout.

July brings CYO price increases: Members \$9.00, Guests \$12.00 and salad bar \$4.00. The 1538 Security Force is still on patrol lead by Mike "Rambo" Diaz. On July 4th #1538's co-hosted a salute to the men and women, along with their families, who took part in Operation Desert Storm. A great turn out of Veterans, active military and their families enjoyed a famous Santa Maria Style BBQ. As of August 1st, there will be no more take-out orders for Monday night dinners due to the large number of to-go being purchased?!

At Grand Lodge Convention for the fifth straight year, #1538 is the All-American Lodge, Best Lodge in America. Since the institution of the contest, #1538 has won 6 First Place Awards and 3 Second Place Awards. The Elks Horn received a Special Citation for attaining First Place in the Division Six State Lodge Bulletin Contest for 1990-91 (Divisions relate to lodge Membership size).

August 6, 1991 a new award category was established entitled "Santa Maria Times Carrier of the Quarter." This award was established in recognition of the Community service performed by newspaper carriers. Along with the recognition, the winner receives a \$25.00 Savings Bond. The Veterans Committee once again brought 80 Veterans from the Brentwood V.A. Hospital to Anaheim Stadium and Dodger Stadium in July and August to enjoy the games. Unidentified officials of the "D & J Mining Co." presented a "gold" nugget to the Bar and Club Managers in July of 1991. This plaque-mounted "gold nugget" was to be displayed in the bar as proof the annual trips were really to their mining claims, value, and authenticity to-date have not been determined.

Monday night dinners continue to sell out and people complain, the Club Manager is working on a solution; (gee, sure hope Johnny gets the memo when said solution is found). At the Traveleers 4th of July campout many games were played, then after the usual champagne a form of musical chairs was played. Whomever was standing on the plate number called when the music stopped had to sing a song, tell a joke, or kiss a fool. (#1538 Volunteers have always been amazing). On July 19,1991, they BBQed and served 2,700 offsite and at the exact same time, 6:00 PM, BBQed and served for a wedding at the Lodge for 700 guests. Apparently at the Family Picnic in 1990 nothing went wrong with the adult greased pig chase or the kids slick pole climb, but the chug-alug contest looks like it will not be happening in 1991. The second Monday night Chicken Fried Steak dinner brought out 700 people.

In September, the Veterans Committee and BBQ team put on their seventh annual BBQ at the Brentwood V.A. Hospital serving over 600 veterans. Two bar employees have each proclaimed themselves the Best Italian cooks. To settle this dispute, the "first and last Lodge #1538 Italian Food Cook-Off" would be held November 24, 1991, in the BBQ room. There was space for a limited number of "qualified" observers and advisors. The issue of making organizations such as the Elks Lodge a "place of public accommodations" has come up again in Sacramento and Washington D.C. There was an amendment to the new no-take-out rule for Monday night dinners; if someone is permanently or temporarily disabled they can "register" their name in the kitchen and their order could be picked up at the back door of the kitchen.

At the Traveleers October campout two activities caught my attention. First the mummy wrap where the guys wrap gals with toilet paper from head to toe, which caused one casualty. Second a watermelon eating contest with hands tied behind their backs, said to be a "sight to behold". (It seems obvious why there are no children at the campouts). Another big ENF auction was held on October 27th, the highlight being a 1969 Mustang donated and auctioned. The winner later backed out and the car was auctioned by sealed bids.

October Elk of the Month was Mike Arndt. Glenn Struble passed away December 10, 1991, after a very short illness. He had served as Lodge secretary for 17 years and held that position at the time of his death. (I cannot resist reporting on the Traveleers as you've noticed). So, at the December campout, seemingly after the champagne, a game of lawn bowling broke out and, of course they were using pumpkins. This was followed by a game of darts. Sixfoot boards were set up with a picture of a guy for the gals to aim for and a girl pin-up for the fellows to aim for. Hitting the "winning spots" apparently generated lots of laughs. This was followed by couples being tied up together with string. (Let's leave it there).

Beginning in January 1992 CYO adds chicken breast to the menu. At the January 16, 1992 Lodge meeting it was decided that going forward, guests would not be permitted at the New Year's Eve Party. At Hoop Shoot six Santa Maria Champions advanced to the District Finals in January. Elks Hoop Shoot originated in Corvallis, Oregon, in 1946, 1992 being the 20th year of National Competition. Over three million boys and girls participated in 1991-92.

By the way, someone in February broke the lock on a kitchen cabinet just to get bowls for popcorn: good thing the Lodge has

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DID YOU KNOW?....CONTINUED

lots of cameras now. In the February Elks Horn one of the Chair Officers mused, "This is a man's Lodge, but we would sure be in sad shape without the ladies." The annual pancake breakfast fundraiser served 1,772! Beginning March 1st Monday night dinners increased to \$4.50. The March Super Bingo grossed \$12,000. The BBQ teams started submitting articles to the Elks Horn. Some were informational, and others could have been describing incidents at a Traveleers campout: for example, one team member apparently trying to show off his swimming talents performed a near perfect swan dive into a large pan of Pork Chops, 9.6, 9.0, and 9.9 scores were awarded.

The 1992-93 Membership got off to a great start with the first class having 72 new and transfer Members being initiated. Seems it pays to cook great chili: at the July 25th International Chile Society sanctioned Old Fashioned Chili Cook-off, first prize was \$1,000, second was \$500, and third prize was \$250. Over 2,400 cups of chili were sold with proceeds going to Major Project. Again, at Grand Lodge Convention in July #1538 is awarded All American Lodge 1991-92, still the number one Lodge in all Elkdom. The Elks Horn also remains the #1 Lodge Bulletin.

Chicken Fried Steak surpasses Meatloaf but cannot beat BBQ Chicken at Monday night dinners. Crime solved: The Lodge Security Force found the BBQ pit that was reported stolen by the Traveleers after the Rodeo campout. The Kadiddlehoppers will again have a clown car in the Fiesta Parade and will be ready to rescue the Rodeo Queens float should it once again become lodged under the State Street underpass. Halloween brought a new party to #1538, the Grand Goblin Ball, a fundraiser for Woman's Shelter Services. 2,600 area sixth grade students participated in the #1538's Americanism Essay Contest during November and December 1992.

November 6th thru 8th #1538 for the second time hosted the California-Hawaii Elks Association Mid-Term Conference. That Fridays' CYO served 1,100 and the weekend was even more of a success that of 1988. Lodge Photo Club (committee) is established. The 1991 "one time only" cooking contest returns, now open to all types of dishes. The finalists must each prepare samples for 200 people, \$7.00 was charged with proceeds going to support the Secret Santa Program.

The 1992-93 New Year's Eve Party was the first sit down service and was limited to 500. 1993 was the 13th year B.P.O.E had an entry in the Rose Parade. Volunteers needed to water and weed the Lodge grounds; (boy do we appreciate our maintenance crew now!) There were two incidents/accidents noted at the Traveleers campout, a lady camper fell and hurt her hand, knee, and pride. A gentlemen camper hurt his motorhome and his house. Parking his rig, he ran into his house damaging both, then his gate fell off, poor guy. In Elk Year 1992-93 the Kadiddlehoppers put in 893 hours of clowning, traveled 2,922 miles entertaining over 580,000 people, of course that includes several parades including the Rose Parade. On a cheerful note we close out 1992-93. Santa Maria #1538 remains the Number One Lodge in the Nation due to the support and participation of its Members and especially its amazing and dedicated volunteers that continue to make "Everything great at 1538".

To be Continued.... Georgia Daighton Lodge Public Relations Chairman

In Memoriam

"TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS" AN ELK IS NEVER FORGOTTEN. NEVER FORSAKEN.

6873 James Ryan

BORN: July 21, 1934 INITIATED: July 31, 1975 DIED: September 28, 2020 #2586 Life Member #2212 Life Member **Hap Sweet**

John Ruffoni

BORN: January 1, 1932 BORN: September 19, 1936 BORN: April 30, 1935 INITIATED: March 28, 1963 INITIATED: December 7, 1961 INITIATED: February 3, 1972

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20	Grab 'n' Go 5:15 pm Mask Required!	Pickup 8:30 - 10:30 am Masks Required!	23	24 Christmas Eve Lodge Dark	Christmas Day LODGE CLOSED!	26
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