



THE
RAYMOND ELK
B.P.O.E. Lodge #1292



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Exalted Ruler's Message

By Virginia A. Basil

Is it really June already? Geez, I missed last year due to COVID. Now, since we are truly open for business again, I feel like I am missing this year too. We had a winner of a substantial King of Clubs payout in May (see article below).

June is the month for our Elk's State Convention. Several of our members and officers will be attending. There are many new programs and exciting information that will be shared at this awesome event. A report on the convention will be read at our July meeting.

The Lodge is proud to see that Bethany Barnard, a Washington South District member, be the recipient of the Polly Garland Award this year.

Our annual Flag Day ceremony will take place prior to our June 15th meeting at 7:00 PM. As always, the public is invited to the ceremony. There

is a Lodge meeting following at 7:30 PM.

Speaking of meetings. Most have been vaccinated and are slowly coming out of their homes after experiencing restrictions because of COVID.

Please consider attending your Lodge meetings. The Elk's is an organization that requires member input and attendance to survive. Let's see some ideas from our members at the meetings. It's an hour out of your busy life offered twice a month. YOU ARE NEEDED AND WANTED! Looking forward to seeing you soon.

Bethany Barnard Wins Polly Garland Award

We are proud that our Lodge has a South District recipient this year. Bethany Barnard. Bethany is the person that got the Elks involved with the Emergency Meal Program. She is a very deserving recipient. Bethany and her husband Mark will be our guests at the State Convention in Pasco in June.

There once was a grand lady of Elkdom. Polly Garland was just a little thing that wore leg braces on both legs, but had more dedication and energy than most people I have ever met. Polly Garland was the wife of Past Grand Exalted Ruler Frank Garland. Which is another story all together.

(For more go to: RaymondElks.org)

\$4,574 Won in King Of Clubs Drawing

Tickets are sold on Friday nights at the Lodge. Card carrying members, spouses, widows and widowers can purchase tickets. They are \$1.00 each and you must be present to participate. and at 7:00 PM a ticket is drawn. If you have the winning number then you get to pick from 54 sealed envelopes in a locked display case. Each card drawn is worth a posted dollar amount. The King of Clubs is worth the jackpot amount posted. The Lodge's percentage goes to our charities. Come on down and join in the fun!



ER Virginia Basil (right) presents Vicki Jenkins with a check for \$4,574 after she drew the King of Clubs



Mark Barnard, recipient of the Citizen of the Year, Tegen Fleury, and Bethany Barnard Elk of the Year and Polly Garland awards.



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Lounge Hours

Monday to Thursday
2 PM to 8:00 PM
Friday
2 PM to 10:00 PM
Saturday
Noon to 10:00 PM
Closed on Sunday

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
JUNE 2021						
		1 Board 6:30 PM Lodge 7:30 PM	2	3	4 Les' Beef, Chicken and Shrimp Kabobs \$10 or \$12 to go	5
6	7	8	9 Blood Drive +	10	11 BBQ your own Meat - \$5.00 for Baked Potato and Salad. BBQ will be ready.	12
13	14 <i>Flag Day</i> June 14 	15 House 6:30 PM Flag Ceremony 7:00 PM Lodge 7:30 PM	16 LOE 5:30 PM	17	18 DINNER Call For Menu	19
20 Happy Fathers Day!	21	22	23	24	25 LOE's Swiss Steak, Mashed Potato & Gravy, Roll and Dessert \$12	26
27	28	29	30	<i>May 17- 20 Summer Convention at Pasco</i>		