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**LODGE MEETINGS
Tuesdays - June 5th & 19th
8:00PM**

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Birthdays - June

Wish another member Happy Birthday. If it's your birthday this month, come to the lodge for a complimentary birthday beverage of choice.

- 1 Joseph Weber
- 2 Robert Kuhar
- 3 Linda Gustafson, Peter Schutt, Eileen Torow
- 4 Ronald Flanders, Steven Tarantino
- 5 Dale Foti
- 6 Vincent Sarullo, III, David Sheppard
- 7 David Newman
- 8 William Gilbert, John Langan, James Piorkowski,
Michael Sakowicz
- 9 Alexander Hall, Richard Lavery, Jr
- 10 Linda Evangelist, Robert Horkheimer, James Lally
Richard Parker
- 11 William Curtiss, Brendan McDonough, Donald McQueen
- 12 Richard Lambert
- 13 Brian Smith
- 14 John Sember
- 15 John Alexopoulos, James Maher
- 16 Patricia Liptak
- 17 Joseph Duguay, Louise Renzulli, Ronald Steeves
- 18 Bruce Kuryla, Gary Sullivan
- 19 Geoffrey Chittick, Daniel Delvecchio, James Deptula
- 20 Daniel Contaras, Larry Michaels
- 21 Andrew Girardi
- 22 Ronald Curley, Bertrand Desbiens, Paul Perrelli
James Wilhelm
- 24 Colleen Denhup
- 25 Vincent Gloria, Richard Lareau, PER
- 26 Roberta Gogliettino, Bradley Miller
- 27 Glenna Benson
- 28 Harvey Johnson, Eugene Speed, PER, John Van Arman
Barbara Weber
- 29 Jeffrey Hall, Louis Imperato, Jr, Todd Jackson,
Mark McGeehan, Joseph Popowski, Jr, Kathleen Smith
- 30 Philip Ucci, Jr, Seamus Warakomski

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What's Happening

Jordan's Ride - Sunday July 29th registration 10 to 11am. \$25 per bike plus \$10 for rider \$10 for walk ins - all are welcome. There will be great people, raffles, music, food, drink and lots of fun. Anyone that wants to volunteer or needs more information please contact Kathy Hart at khart0325@yahoo.com or call 203-874-2983 I will be having a meeting after Memorial day will post on Elks page on Facebook and my Facebook Also, anyone who has a business and wants to donate or sponsor the ride please contact Kathy Hart.

The Annual "Wojo" Memorial Golf Tournament – Monday, August 27th Grassy Hill Country Club. 18-holes of golf followed by dinner at the lodge. More details to come.

Use Antler Park All Summer - Don't forget you can ask the Steward on duty for the park key and enjoy your drinks outside.



To get to the our Facebook Group faster - use your Smart Phone and scan the image (QR Code) to the right.



Taproom Hours

Monday -Thursday	3 PM til 1 AM
Friday	2 PM til 2 AM
Saturday	NOON til 2 AM
Sunday	NOON til 11 PM

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Exalted Ruler Message

June is State Convention time. Delegates from Milford will be attending meetings to learn about new Elks programs and information. Please feel free to speak to me or any lodge officer about concerns which may be addressed at the convention.

The Elks offer grants to be used in our community. If you have any ideas where this money could be used please let the officers know. This year we will be giving a grant to Milford United Soccer League to help them improve their program in the community. Spread the word about all the good things we as Elks do!

Do you know the history of the American Flag? On June 14th at 6:30pm the Elks will conduct the Flag Day Ceremony. We will have all the different looks our flags have assumed up to the present. Please come down and join our history lesson! Patriotism makes our country great, we have so much to be proud of in America. Our brother/sister hood is based on our flag and country.

A special thank you to Dan Contaras (with Danette's help) for all the hard work assuring that the Antler Park pig roast was a huge success

Mary Ellen Patchell EXALTED RULER

Elk of the Month

The Elk of the month is **Mary Ann Blackman**, a new Milford Elk who has devoted countless hours to help the lodge prepare for functions. Thanks Mary Ann!

Tip of the Antlers

We want to thank the following people for their help with donations to the lodge...Michael Gresko for a lawn mower for Antler Park, Dee and Chris for the donation of a weed whacker, Roberta for her chips and dips, and Louise Renzuli for her ever yummy Mac and Cheese and Friday night food donations.

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Officers Notes

Secretary's Notes

As I am writing this note I am thinking about the lost revenue the Lodge is missing from those who haven't paid their dues. Please see that this is done now. Second notices were mailed out which also costs the Lodge more money in postage.

REMEMBER TO BE A ELK IN GOOD STANDING AND BE ABLE TO USE THE LODGE FACILITIES YOUR DUES MUST BE CURRENT! If there is a problem like I have said many times please contact the Lodge Secretary.

I would like to congratulate all those who have been working so hard to make the Lodge a success! It is great to see a lot of new faces and old ones working together. The average age of our Lodge is 58.04 but believe it or not it is going down and much better than most Lodges. Our younger members who are getting involved need all the help and support that we can give them. It only helps everyone.

Balloting will take place at the June 5th Lodge meeting.

Jan Wankowicz, Secretary

Candidates	Occupation	Proposer
Richard Breen	Manager	Trans From St. Augustine, FL
Jae Nadeau	Cashier	Erin Waterbury

A note from the P.E.R Association

The PER association would like to thank all the members of lodge 1589 for their help with our recent efforts.

Thanks to the participation and generosity of the membership we have successfully restored both of our ritual clocks. We were also able to make a sizable donation to our state major project, the Connecticut children's medical center.

Our next goal is to replace the podiums used as officer stations. The ones that we use now have served us well for many years but are beginning to show their age. We are looking for donations but we would also be very happy to hear from anyone interested in actually building them. Contact us through any past exalted ruler or through the lodge secretary.

Thanks again for being caring, sharing elks
Mike Novenstein, Secretary, Past Exalted Ruler Association

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What's Happening

Trivia Night - Saturday night June 16th starting at 8:30PM in the bar area. The prizes will be the same as last time: 50/50, bag of chips (drink chips), and brunch tickets for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place respectively. Tickets will officially go on sale starting June 2nd. Folks will be able to purchase them from the bartender at that point. Tickets will also be on sale the night of the event up until the end of intermission. The same event will be formatted the same as last: two rounds of 20 questions: 15 actual written questions and 5 movie still pers round for a total of 40 questions.

Change to Karaoke in June - June 16th Karoake night is being moved to June 23rd because of Trivia night.

Jimmy D's "Moon on the Green" Dinner - Donny Maher's Chicken Parm memorial 10th Anniversary. Weds June 27th 5:30 – 7:30pm.

Red Solo Cup Nightin Antler Park - June 29th come enjoy a fun night out at Antler Park - Red Solo Cups will be provided. If you want to dress in a Red Solo Cup style - go for it! Signs will be posted in the lodge prior to the event with details.

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Meal and Activities Calendar

Meals

(Brunches 9AM - 12PM, Dinners 5:30PM - 7:00PM)

Updated Prices

June 17	Brunch - Fathers Day Brunch	\$10.00
June 27	Dinner -Donnie Maher Chicken Parm.	\$ 8.00

No events in July

August 5	Breakfast - All You Can Eat*	\$ 6.00
September 16	Breakfast - All You Can Eat*	\$ 6.00
September 26	Dinner Stuffed Shrimp or Baked Scallops	\$ 9.00
October 7	Breakfast - All You Can Eat*	\$ 6.00
October 24	Dinner Turkey Dinner	\$ 8.00

* Eggs to order / Omelet Station / Bacon / Sausage / Ham / Home Fries / Pancakes / Toast / Orange Juice / Coffee

What's Happening

Things We Need - We are in need of the following items for Antler Park – citronella candles, metal beach buckets (for butts) and tarps to cover our outside equipment. These items are easily found at our local dollar store. Buy some, bring them down and put your donations in the card room. Thanks so much.

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House Committee Notes

The summer months are traditionally slow for the Lodge. I know sitting in a basement on a nice summer day just isn't a lot of fun but remember we do have Antler Park. Why not stop down take a cocktail up to the park and play horse shoes, bocce or just relax in the sun. We are looking to do more events in Antler Park over the summer months and would welcome any feedback as to what type of events you would like to see us have in the Park. Please put your ideas in the suggestion box located in the Lounge.

We will continue to do food on Friday nights thru June and will be deciding whether or not to do food in July and August shortly. As always we will have Roast beef and another sandwich available on Saturdays and Sundays for just \$4.00

June 29th we will be holding RED SOLO CUP night in the park. There will be drink specials available and of course lots of fun. Please try to attend and support your Lodge.

Jim Patchell PER

A Big Pig Roast Thank you!

I want to say thank you to all who helped set up, work and clean up. Also to those who brought food. And all those who came to enjoy the day and support a Lodge function and Antler Park.

Dan Contaras

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 Karaoke
3	4	5 Lodge Mtg 8 pm	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16 Trivia Night
17 Father's Day Brunch	18	19 Lodge Mtg 8 pm	20	21	22	23 Karaoke
24	25	26	27 John Mayer's Chick Parm	28	29 Red Solo Cup Party	30