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LINCOLN LODGE NO. 80

Home of Past Grand Exalted Ruler Vincent R. Collura Nebraska Sponsor and Past Grand Exalted Ruler George B. Klein



ELKS YOUTH DAY

Lincoln B.P.O. Elks Lodge No. 80
Cordially invites you to attend
the public
Youth Day Recognition Program
for 1996

This will be held at the
Southeast Community College
Gymnasium at 7:00 p.m.
May 6, 1996

Reception following ceremony

Sing Along With Chuck

May 18th, 1996

Serving Steak
& the Trimmings

\$8 per person
Advance Tickets

6:00 p.m. the music starts
7:00 p.m. Dinner

Our organist will be playing the
piano as long as everyone's voice holds out



TEENS OF THE MONTH: These teenagers were recognized for their scholastic and leadership activities at a ceremony in the Lodge



LIFE MEMBER: Former ER Rozanek pins new Life Member Arthur Holcomb at a recent meeting.

The Faults of our Brothers, we write upon the Sand — Their Virtues upon the tablets of Love and Memory.



Exalted Ruler's Message

April was a busy month for the lodge and the club. As preparations were being made for the Elks State Convention it looked as though that event would be successful thanks to the members and ladies who actively participated.

The April shrimp dinner project was started by Jerry Gorton. It was a success thanks to him and many others. Kathy and I were overwhelmed at the fellowship during the evening. So many different people helped afterwards with cleanup. Our special thanks to Esquire Tom Tambling who was there from start to finish and to Donna Collura for her expertise in a "crisis rice" situation!

My thanks also to Ray Plotts and Mel Tucker taking speedy action. The three of us were able to tear down, wash, paint and put back together the bar area one Sunday before it opened for the day.

One of our past successes has been the Veteran's Committee which Vi Berst has chaired for many years. This Lodge has always taken a very active role in service to veterans through the VA Hospital. Grand Lodge's Adopt-A-Vet program gives us the opportunity to commit even more to the veterans in the area. I appreciate Lowell Poague taking action by taking on this commitment. Due to members like this, we know this committee will continue to be a success for us.

The annual Elks Youth Day Program has also been very important to the Lodge. The Scholarship and Achievement Award program will be held at 7:00 p.m. on May 6th at Southeast Community College. All Elks and their families are encouraged to attend this gratifying function. You cannot believe, until you actually see it, how thrilled these students are with these awards. We will be handing out 16 scholarships and approximately 175 achievement awards to high school students from in and around the Lincoln area. My personal thanks to Lowell Zetterman, Jim Rakers and Wes Durst for chairing this event and to all the officers, members and ladies who will help make it a success.

REMEMBER, ACTION IS IMPERATIVE . . . and our actions make a difference.

Installation of Officers

On April 3, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. the installation of officers of Lincoln Lodge No. 80 was performed in a championship manner by 11 past exalted rulers of Lodge No. 80. These Brothers performed the ceremony with professionalism, dedication and pride. We thank these Brothers for installing the Exalted Ruler Charles Meisinger and the other officers for the fraternal year 1996-97.

Exalted Ruler Charles Meisinger by Vincent R. Collura, PGER
 Est. Leading Knight Pat McCashland by Tim Cox, PER
 Est. Loyal Knight James Gale by Ralph Geibelhaus, PER
 Est. Lecturing Knight Dave Kirby by Dennis Dwyer, PER
 Secretary Bob Clinkenbeard by George B. Klein, PGER
 Esquire Tom Tambling by Jack Jensen, PER, PSP
 Chaplain Virgil Wieting by Wes Durst, PER, State Chaplain
 Inner Guard Kent Lammert by Larry Pickering, PER
 Tiler Tom French by Dennis Smith, PER
 Treasurer Robert Gould by Donald Betts, PER
 Organist Chuck Hooper by Richard Blomgren, PER

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Leading Knight . . . Pat McCashland	Organist Chuck Hooper	
Loyal Knight Jim Gale	Secretary Bob Clinkenbeard	
Lecturing Knight Dave Kirby	Treasurer Bob Gould	
Esquire Tom Tambling	TRUSTEES	
Chaplain Virgil Wieting	Gerry Crouch	Wes Durst, PER
Inner Guard Kent Lammert	Tim Cox, PER	

THANKS


Our thanks to member Gary Smith for donating the popcorn popper. We are working on making a less conspicuous place for it but we all really appreciate having popcorn again. My special thanks to Clink for helping me pick it up.
 CJM



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May 1996

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <p>LUNCH Mon.-Sat. 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.</p>	 <p>HAPPY HOUR Monday thru Friday 4:00-7:00 p.m. FRIDAYS: Free Hors d'oeuvres</p>		 <p>7:30 LODGE MEETING</p>			<p>DOES STYLE SHOW, DINNER & AUCTION</p>
<p>5 3:00 Club Open</p>	<p>6 7:00 YOUTH DAY S.E.C.C.</p>	<p>7 6:00 Family Burger Night</p>	<p>8 Burlington Northern</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11</p>
<p>12 MOTHER'S DAY Club Closed</p>	<p>13 8:00 DOES Meeting</p>	<p>14 Primary Election</p>	 <p>7:30 LODGE MEETING</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17</p>	 <p>STEAK FRY</p>
 <p>19 1:00 DART TOURNEY 3:00 Club Open</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21 6:00 Family Burger Night</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25</p>
<p>26 3:00 Club Open</p>	 <p>27 MEMORIAL DAY</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p>	

Sickness & Distress

Jack Cunningham and Lou Klein at Madonna
Stan Tejral at Crete Manor

They would appreciate your visits, cards, and notes.

*Remember Brothers, Sickness & Distress is always in order.
If you know of a Brother who is ill,
please call the Elks office 421-6363 and make it known.*

LUCKY NUMBERS

9436 11803
7722 14542

Are you a winner?
If your membership number appears here, you and your guest can have lunch on us.
(Good any day except Sunday.)

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& Balfour

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LOST & FOUND: I lost a womens long beige nylon coat the night of Installation. I found a very similar nylon coat in the coat room. For exchange: call Mary Crouch 488-7268 or 421-6363 (Elks). Thank you.

IN MEMORIAM

To Our Absent Brothers

An Elk Is Never Forgotten, Never Forsaken

DEATHS:

DONALD H. REDDISH

Born: 11/2/14 Initiated: 12/21/66 Died: 2/22/96

MEYER LEDERMAN

Born: 4/12/23 Initiated: 6/17/59 Died: 3/24/96

CONRAD GABELHAUS

Born: 10/4/24 Initiated: 10/16/91 Died: 4/11/96

The Vacant Chair

A tribute to the memory of those who have passed into the realm of everlasting peace. May they look down upon us and behold that, true to the motto of our Order, we have kept faith and inscribed their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory.

The faults of our Brothers we write upon the sand -
Their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory.



May Birthdays

The following Brothers have birthdays during the month of May. We wish them a happy day and many more.

Anderson, Robert	12	Goodding, Marvin	29	Ryon, Allen	12
Bence, Craig	24	Hanigan, Joseph	14	Schmutte, Larry	8
Bloom, Irving	15	Heckman, Jr. H.	28	Schwartz, Clarence	17
Brehm, Russell	31	Hyde, Jay	17	Shires, Vern	28
Brester, Donald	25	Jacobs, Peter	21	Siefkes, John	11
Cobb, Kenneth	24	Jespersen, Herbert	1	Sprague, Philip	25
Combs, F.	5	Johnston, William	4	Tuma, Jack	1
Cooper, Philip	4	Kauffman, E.	24	Tunnison, Gary	31
Dankleff, Robert	14	Kirk, James	4	Wallace, Hobart	20
Dinatale, Frank	12	Klein, Robert	13	Wells, John	15
Douglas, III, J.	29	Pennington, Max	21	Wilson, Reese	4
Fisher, William	29	Peterson, Donald	1	Wilson, Robert	5
Forch, Paul	2	Polsky, Hyman	21	Woodhead, Gene	10
Gass, Edward	9	Reisdorf, C.	30	Zentz, Walter	4
Giebelhaus, Wayne	9	Rist, Dale	17		

Lincoln B.P.O. DOES Drove #4 Fun & Games, Food, Fashion Show

Saturday, May 4, 1996 • \$12 per person

Call Marj Hansen for tickets: 488-2265

6:00 FUN begins 7:00 FOOD is served

8:00 FASHIONS on parade Silent Auction & Games

Menu: 8 oz. Sirloin, Baked Potato, Salad, Roll & Butter and Dessert

Fashions presented by Ben Simons

50th Wedding Anniversary Open House

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Bob & Betty Gould

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No gifts please

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48	45	.516	60959	655	762	2129
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47	46	.505	63390	681	819	2365
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