



# ARCADIA ELKS LODGE 1524

<>MAY 2020 Newsletter <

**Elks USA**  
**ARCADIA ELKS LODGE 1524**

BBQ CHICKEN FUND RAISER - Saturday May 2nd  
 \$12.00 (cash only) ---- pick up NOON - 6:00 PM

RSVP with pick up time by contacting House Committee member:

Ricky Mercer  
 Joey Santos  
 Kelly Santos  
 Buck Wilson  
 Angie Wilson

MENU: Chicken, Baked Beans, Mac & Cheese, Roll

Pick-up BBQ fund raiser on Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, Noon – 6:00.  
 \$12.00 cash – funds raised will go toward Social Quarters improvements. Contact House Committee member with number of dinners and time to be picked up.

## Elks Care – Elks Share

**COVID-19**

**STAY SAFE – PROTECT THE VULNERABLE**

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**time to renew**

Remember to pay 2020-2021 dues!

### LODGE SCHEDULE

**IN COMPLIANCE WITH COVID-19 RESTRICTION THE LODGE IS CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

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### LODGE SECRETARY

From the Secretary's Desk:

Hello all! I hope you all are doing well and staying healthy. It seems things are getting off to a rough start, but we are planning many exciting things for the year as soon as we can safely open. Please be sure to check our Facebook page and our website for updates.

Currently, we have 125 members that have not paid their dues. This gives us a lapsation rate of 41.4%. If you have not done so already, please get your dues submitted.

Fraternally,

Kelly Mercer

### LODGE ADVISOR

Members All,

Well we are a month into our new Lodge year and we have not been able to enjoy our friendships at the Lodge. I hope everyone is staying healthy and preparing as most of us are to get back top some kind of "normal". We have installed most of our Officers and we have been doing votes and business as needed by Text and Email. A great group of volunteers have been cleaning the Lodge and remodeling two of the bathrooms in the big room. I know everyone will be glad to see that! Pictures have been shared on FB.

The Lodge has planned a drive up BBQ for May the 2<sup>nd</sup>. I'm sure details are in this Newsletter. Please plan on participating by getting ahold of Angie Wilson for orders. This is going to help spruce up our social quarters.

We have been approved for one grant already with hopefully more to come. Please send in your dues as we still have things to pay to stay ready to open our Lounge and Kitchen when allowed.

See you at Your Lodge! Brian Burns, PSP FSEA

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### MAY BIRTHDAYS

#### May Birthdays

Raymon Stewart	05	01
Pamela Vowels	05	01
Richard Johnson	05	03
Dewayne Bellflower	05	06
David Bishop	05	07
John Bottorff	05	07
Jerry Morris	05	07
Sharon Deal	05	08
Donald Harshfield	05	09
Donald Leafgreen	05	09
Douglas Frink	05	10
Dennis Jung Jr	05	11
Richard Perez	05	12
Gary Bancroft	05	14
Hooker Browning Jr	05	16
Virginia Keith	05	19
Hans Bursa	05	25
Thomas Knapp	05	25
William Hackney Jr	05	26
C Harden Jr	05	26
Ernest Hewett III	05	26
Terry Clinard	05	28
James Dooley	05	28
Kelli Santos	05	31

*Stay informed!*

*Regularly visit our lodge webpage*

Benevolent & Protective Order of Elks



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## Harry Anna Investment Fund

Of everything that the Florida Elks do, perhaps nothing is more important than our work with the state's youth. Sowing the seeds of accomplishment and commitment through our **Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services** and **Florida Elks Youth Camp** programs, children are given the opportunity to grow and learn beyond their wildest imaginations.

The trust fund started in 1951, was named after Harry and Anna Miller who donated land and a building to establish the original Florida Elks Hospital for Crippled Children. Its purpose was, and continues to be, the collection of donations and the acceptance of endowed gifts. Donate at the Lodge or on-line.

The trust fund is restricted, which means that only the income derived from it may be used to support our major projects: the Florida Elks Children's Therapy Services and Florida Elks Youth Camp programs.

