

MAY 2018

MSPE=Member Sponsored Private Event



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
TO BOOK AN EVENT AT THE LODGE CALL STEPHANIE AT 315-816-8010 OR 315-788-1270 6	7 Pizza 'n' Wings 'n' Apps 5:00-7:30 under \$7.00 NO LUNCHES	8 Steak at the Bar 5:00-7:30 \$11.95	9 Burger, Basket & Beer 4:00-7:30 Bell Jar 5:00	10 PER Meeting 7:15 MSPE Noon-2:00 Banquet Room	11 NO Friday Night Dinners MSPE 6:00-10:00 Banquet Room	12
13 Mother's Day Breakfast Buffet-see inside	14 Pizza 'n' Wings 'n' Apps 5:00-7:30 under \$7.00 NO LUNCHES Boys Lacrosse 4:30	15 Steak at the Bar 5:00-7:30 \$11.95 House Committee 6:30	16 Burger, Basket & Beer 4:00-7:30 Bell Jar 5:00	17 Lodge Session 7:30-Vote on mortgage payoff MSPE Noon Girls Lacrosse 4:30	18 Friday Night Dinners 5:30-7:30 Baked Sea Scallops w/wild rice & veggies \$14.95 Plus regular menu	19
20 MSPE 4:00	21 Pizza 'n' Wings 'n' Apps 5:00-7:30 under \$7.00 NO LUNCHES	22 Steak at the Bar 5:00-7:30 \$11.95 MSPE Noon	23 Burger, Basket & Beer 4:00-7:30 Bell Jar 5:00 Board of Directors 6:30	24	25 Friday Night Dinners 5:30-7:30 Yankee Pot Roast w/mashed & veggies \$10.95 Plus regular menu MSPE 6:00 Lodge Room	26 119th Birthday Watertown Lodge #496 Instituted & Officers Installed in 1899
27	28 Memorial Day KITCHEN CLOSED Club open Noon-6:00 Ceremonies at VFW, Glenwood Cemetery & Legion-see inside	29 Steak at the Bar 5:00-7:30 \$11.95 MSPE 8:00-2:00 Banquet Room	30 Burger, Basket & Beer 4:00-7:30 Bell Jar 5:00 MSPE 7:30-5:00	31	1 Friday Night Dinners 5:30-7:30	2



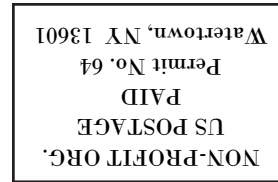
Watertown B.P.O.E. #496

www.elks496.com

LODGE HOURS EFFECTIVE JULY 2017

Monday	2:00 - 9:00
Tuesday - Wednesday	11:00 - 9:00
Thursday	11:00 - 9:00*
*Except on Meeting Nights	
Friday	11:00 - 11:00
Saturday	11:00 - 11:00
Sunday	12:00 - 7:00

Home of PSP Francis Hart, PSP Nelson Navarra & PSP Timothy Kelly



May Birthdays

Ricky C. Best	1	Ward D. Anders	7	Walter P. Cummings	14	Peter R. LaGrow	19	Ann Gibson	25
Bonnie L. Sovie	1	Terry Ault	7	Matthew M. Grant	14	William K. Gould	20	J. David Mocuiski	25
William F. Caprara	3	Jason Jantzi	7	Brent Andrew Marrin	14	Barbara Loftus-Lamon	20	Earl R. Stewart	25
Julie Swenson	3	Carl E. Lawler	7	Thomas J. Pearson	14	Dan Bossuot	20	Michael E. Branski	26
Ray L. Barden	4	Mark A. Reff	7	Jonathan Pelton	14	Eugene G. Mills	21	Andrew Fuits	26
Carol C. Brown	4	Tom Barber	8	Thomas C. Roberts	14	Robert Peterson	21	William E. VanLandingham	26
Stanley E. Eldridge	4	Ingrid Bartlett	8	Gary Rowe	14	Judith A. Spencer	21	Robert C. Londraville	27
Stephen G. Gagnon	4	Kelly M. Bessel	8	Timothy J. Clement	15	Donald M. VanAlstyne	21	Vicki L. Cote	28
James R. Pinkerton	4	Debi Clement	9	Sarah Gist	15	Barbara J. Yerdon	21	Edward Mustizer	28
Sarah A. Sinclair	4	Michele L. Freislich	9	Mark A. Bartlett	16	Peter R. Barnett	22	Terry W. Scee Sr.	28
Dan Van Ness	4	James N. Navarra	9	Kimberly A. Bray	16	Kay Clement	22	Philip Waite	28
Phillip P. Compeau	5	Terry W. Scee Jr.	9	Cynthia Cronk	16	Howard G. Frederick	22	Thomas J. Lawlee	29
Charles K. Holman	5	Michael M. Cochran	10	Raymond F. Diehl	10	John C. Cook Sr.	23	Terrance L. Cavanaugh	30
Robert M. Kowalick	5	Herbert K. DeJourdan	10	William R. Pugliese	16	Cindy Hoistion	23	John C. Cook Jr.	30
Kathleen Sedita	5	Valerie A. Mitchell	10	Donna M. Dundon	17	Larry W. Knight	23	Michael J. Moran	30
Mary Lou Tesmer	5	Roger Schafer Jr.	10	Patrick J. Flynn	17	Paul G. Moran	23	Michael Steria	30
Dennis C. Trombley	5	Geoff Matraw	11	Mary Hughes-Hoistion	17	Al Countryman	24	Linda M. Cantwell	31
Michael Aubertine	6	James E. Podvin	11	Marianna Larose	17	Michael A. Espey	24	James S. Powell	31
Leo F. Cosgrove	6	Lonny L. Reinhardt	11	Bernard Neal	17	Kristian M. Loftus	24	David W. Quinta	31
David J. Decker	6	Peter D. Outwater	12	Richard D. Tanner	17	Bruce Morgia	24	David Shaban	31
Peter L. Decker	6	Brandon R. Pitcher	12	Michael Yonkovig	17	Andrew J. Thomas	24		
Allen Fox	6	John H. Rivers	13	Julie A. Derrigo-Intschert	19	Peter M. Crabb	25		

Happy Birthday to all who have birthdays this month! Stop into the Lodge on your special day.



May 2018

Officers 2018 - 2019

Exalted Ruler	Anthony J. Verne
Est. Leading Knight	Joan E. Carlo
Est. Loyal Knight	Dennis J. Brady
Est. Lecturing Knight	Frank Roberts
Secretary	PER John J. Gaffney
Treasurer	Ernest K. Mustizer
Esquire	PER Jill Bruce Wiley
Tiler	Sheila Wilson
Chaplain	Edward C. Massa
Inner Guard	PER Donald W. Reid

Trustees:

PER Rick Barrisford	Presiding Justice - David A. Renzi
PER Kathy Converse	House Committee Chair - PER Joseph Navarra
PER John M. Navarra	Lodge Manager - Ernie Mustizer
Linda Knight	
PER Cheryl A. Clark	

Elks Care - Elks Share

WATERTOWN ELKS LODGE #496
 728 Bradley Street
 P.O. Box 6008
 Watertown, New York 13601-6008

EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

I want to send a special thanks to Ernie and his tear-down crew for clearing out the kitchen for the remodel job. Thank to Tammy Eassa and everyone who made Breakfast with the Easter Bunny a hit with the kids.

May will be a busy month as we have the Mother's Day Breakfast on the 13th and the Lacrosse Shootout for the girls and boys on the 14th and 17th at the Fairgrounds. We will be serving hot dogs and volunteers are needed.

Charity of the Month will be Relay for Life. If anyone has anything to donate for the auction we would gladly accept it. We will present a check in honor of PER Bob Piche at the relay ceremony.

Fraternally yours,
ER Tony Verne

If everyone is thinking alike, then somebody isn't thinking. George S. Patton

MAY EVENTS



Initiation & Prime Rib Dinner - Thursday, May 3rd. Dinner at 6:00, Lodge Session & Initiation at 7:30. \$12



Mother's Day Breakfast Buffet Sunday, May 13th 8:30-11:00

Adults \$10 5 to 10 \$5 Under 5 Free

All you can eat breakfast buffet including: scrambled eggs, French toast, bacon, sausage, home fries, English muffins, fruit, cereal, strawberry shortcake, milk, juice, coffee and tea

Lacrosse Fun Days

Boys - Monday, May 14th - 4:30

Girls - Thursday, May 17th - 4:30

Duffy Fairgrounds

Volunteers Needed!



MURDER MYSTERY DINNER THEATER

SATURDAY, JUNE 23rd

Cash Bar 5:30-6:30 ~ Dinner with Show 6:30

Turkey w/mashed potatoes, gravy, dressing, tossed salad and dessert ~ \$27 incl. tax & tip

Tickets go on sale May 7th - Reserve tables of 8 or more by June 15th

Presented by "The Butler Did It Players"

1970s Disco Theme

PLACEMAT ADS

If you would like to advertise or renew your advertisement for your business on our placemats, please contact Joan Carlo, Leading Knight, at bluej7@westelcom.com or 315-777-0669. The cost is \$125.00 for a business card-sized spot. You can also pay \$25.00 for a spot on the placemat "In Support of" or "In Memory of." All money goes toward charity. If you have a business card or logo you would like us to use in your ad please supply it and we can scan it. New placemats will be printed in June so you will need to get the information in as soon as possible. Stop by the Lodge and take a look at the placemats from this past year to get a better idea of what to expect. Thank you in advance for your support.

All information for next month's bulletin must be submitted by the 15th of this month. Thank you for your consideration. Joan Soderquist, Editor

Important Member Notification

In accordance with the bylaws of the Grand Lodge, this notice is for all current members of Watertown Lodge #496. During the May 17, 2018, regular Lodge session there will be an open discussion and vote on the paying off of the Lodge mortgage completely or partially. Members are encouraged to attend. Board of Trustees

MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONIES - MAY 28th

VFW Post 1400 - Coffee and doughnuts 8:00-9:00 & Ceremony at 9:00. American Legion Post 61- Ceremony at 10:00, Service at Glenwood Cemetery following Ceremony, then light lunch at Post 61.

Please take time this Memorial Day to remember the brave men and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice in order to keep us free. The Lodge would like to thank PER Tim Griffith for his many years of service to the committee.

Legacy Scholarships

During the first week in May scholarship applications will be available for children, grandchildren and step-grandchildren of a Watertown Elks Lodge #496 member in good standing. Scholarships are open to high school seniors as well as students already attending college. Applicants will need an official transcript from high school or college submitted with their application. The criteria for this award are based on academic achievement, financial need and an essay. The due date for all applications will be Monday, May 28, 2018. A total of two scholarships will be awarded at a value of \$500 each. Applications will be available at the bar and on the Lodge website. You may also email Joan Carlo at bluej7@westelcom.com to obtain an application.

CHARITY OF THE MONTH

The Charity of the Month for May is the American Cancer Society "Relay for Life" partnering with "Piche's People" in memory of PER Robert Piche. We are asking for donations of items for the auction. They may be dropped off at the Lodge. The Relay for Life event will begin at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, June 8th.

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK:

Due to the large number of applications that have been turned in recently for membership in our Lodge we are now also posting their names in the lounge area and publishing in the monthly bulletin so that members will know when action will be taken on candidates for membership in our Lodge.

Thank you so much for so many of our members paying their dues for 2018-2019 Lodge year. If you haven't paid as yet please do so.

Contact Information: Leave a message with a bartender (I have an envelope behind the bar which I check on a regular basis); email address: jgaffney001@twcnny.rr.com

John Gaffney, Lodge Secretary

2018-2019 Dues: \$79 Regular \$49 Life

DDGER Jimmy S. Jackson, 342 County Route 11, Gouverneur NY 13642-3601, 315-287-4040, jsjackson1@aol.com

BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The monthly Board of Trustees meeting is set for Thursday, May 3, starting at 7:00 p.m. This meeting is open to all members.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors will be on Wednesday, May 23, starting at 6:30 p.m. This meeting is open to all members.

LODGE INFORMATION

Applications to be acted upon in May

APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP:

KELVIN R. BERGHORN - Copenhagen - Truck Driver - Proposed by Janet Gardner #8439

GEOFFERY DUVAL - Watertown - Mason - Proposed by Terry Cavanaugh #8690

SCOTT EVERETT - Watertown - Loan Officer - Proposed by Vic James #6345

BERNARDINE MARTIN - Carthage - Office Manager - Proposed by Leslie A. Kassel #2457 (Liverpool)

KATHY L. OVERTON - Dexter - Retired - Proposed by Anthony Verne #6827

KYLE OVERTON - Dexter - Proposed by Anthony Verne #6827

TIMOTHY J. PACIFIC - Clayton - Retired - Proposed by Timothy E. Kelly #5436

KRISTAN A. PECK - Watertown - Document Control Manager - Proposed by Anne Haley #8602

PATRICIA RECOR - Watertown - Correction Counselor - Proposed by Robert Lytle II #8413

ELIJAH KAMEN TEZENO - Watertown - Government Employee - Proposed by Timothy E. Kelly #5436

BETTY J. TANNER - Rodman - Retired - Proposed by H.C. Dyer #8084

PAUL CHARLES TAYLOR - Black River - Retired - Proposed by Michael St. Joseph #6800

BECKY S. THOMAS - Watertown - Pharmacy Technician - Proposed by Anne M. Haley #8602

DONALD WOODWORTH - Watertown - Service Tech - Proposed by Linda S. James #8414

KELLI M. BELL - Brownville - Administrative Asst. - Proposed by Edward C. Massa #7070

ROBERT W. BRISCOE - Watertown - Business Owner - Proposed by Anne Haley #8602

ANDREA DYCHA - Carthage - Transportation Security Officer - Proposed by Cheryl Clark #7095

"To Our Absent Members"
...upon our tablets of love and memory their names shall endure forever.

HLM Russell E. Denny, Jr. PER #4782
LM Charles L. Grunert #6610

MEMBERS ON THE SICK BOARD

Rollie Donato Terry Scee Jr.
Michael Griffin Mike Flanagan
George F. Courtney Dennis VanCamp
Ralph Green Donald Schofield
Joe Smith T G. Kolb II
Katherine Johnson Lello "Budgo" Alteri

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OUT OF SPACE - THANK YOU BLOCK WILL BE IN THE JUNE BULLETIN.

BELL JAR REPORT

MARCH 2018

Total Income: \$23,291.25
Total Expenses: \$7,740.93
Worthy Causes: \$2,720.00
Net Income: \$15,550.32

Membership as of April 15, 2018 - 1,401

DANIEL J. HAMILTON - Rodman - Owner DBH Mechanical - Proposed by Cheryl Clark #7095

KAMLY BROWN HANLIN - Watertown - Owner Cabana Bay Tanning - Proposed by Terrance Cavanaugh #8690

SARA M. KINGSBURY - Watertown - Teacher - Proposed by Sarah Richards #8687

RICHARD E. MOYER, JR. - Watertown - Painter - Proposed by Cheryl Clark #7095

DEREK OLIVER - Dexter - Electronic Technician - Proposed by Frank Roberts #7709

LESLIE GREEN - Copenhagen - Bar Manager - Proposed by Lisa Green #8164

REINSTATEMENT APPLICATIONS:

STANLEY COSPER #7796 - Watertown - Sales - Proposed by Timothy E. Kelly #5436

THOMAS G. LIGAMMARI #7953 - Watertown - Retired - Proposed by Scott Scee #7546

DARRIN S. PITKIN #6821 - Dexter - Captain/Zone Commander - Proposed by Scott Hirst #6647

RICHARD LEE STARR #7222 - Watertown - Store Manager - Proposed by Scott LaVere #7874

AFFILIATION APPLICATIONS:

GARY DAVOY - From Potsdam Lodge #1762 - Depauville - Proposed by Ernie Mustizer

CAROLINE M. BROUNTZ - From Roanoke Lodge #197 - Watertown - Proposed by Timothy E. Kelly

MARTIN D. WHITE - From Potsdam Lodge #2074 - Watertown - Proposed by James Hassett

LIFE MEMBERSHIP REQUESTS:

Leo F. Cosgrove #6311

Kenneth W. Lanning #5288