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## EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

My Brothers and Ladies,

The summer is over and fall is here. The Officers and Trustees Golf Outing is over and I am sorry to say that the Trustees won again. The real winners are the children who will benefit from the money we collected for Michigan Major Projects.

We have several of our members who have not paid their dues for this year. If you thought enough to propose one of these Brothers for membership, talk to him now and tell him of the changes we have made. If he still doesn't want to stay an Elk, find our why and let me know. Maybe we can do something about it. If any of you know of someone who has dropped in the last few years, see if you can't get him to rejoin.

On November 21st, the District Vice President will come to our Lodge for his annual visit. This is the Initiation meeting and I hope we will have a large turnout to welcome him.

We are looking for a Brother who can do some painting, as several of our restrooms need to be freshened up. If you are interested, please see Bob McDonald or me. Our sincere thanks to Bob Nicolai for getting the Memorial Board caught up.

The Lodge is selling Lotto tickets again. Anyone interested in helping out can talk to Betty Dahlstrom, Bob Hornsby or any of the Officers. Winners will be posted in the lobby on a weekly basis and will also be published in the Track.

F.Y.I. - I have recently

appointed a new Audit Committee. It will be their responsibility to audit and verify reports for all events and projects that involve large sums of money.

A Happy Thanksgiving to all. Don't forget the Auction. And Brothers, there is no rule that says we can't help the Vivians decorate the Lodge on November 18th. This Lodge is home for all of us.

Fraternally,  
Richard Evans  
Exalted Ruler

## MANAGER'S NOTES:

I would like to thank the volunteer hosts and hostesses for their help on Friday and Saturday nights. We are getting quite busy and the proper handling of reservations is our priority. This spirit of co-operation by the many volunteers makes the Farmington Elks Lodge a more pleasant experience for everyone.

By way of information, to maintain quality food, service and staff, we must have consistent usage of the club. This means that the weekly lunch and dinner hours have to be busy. It is virtually impossible to balance staff and overhead not knowing what to expect week to week. Therefore, please make reservations for lunch and dinner to assist in further improving the dining standards of your lodge.

Another nice, new silk plant was donated for our lobby. Lillian Moss is also spearheading the carpeting fund to complete the

banquet hall. Please contact her and support her fine efforts.

There are only two Saturday night banquet hall openings in November and December. Please make your Holiday Party and company plans as soon as possible.

Yours,  
Bob McDonald

## WELCOME:

The following new brothers were initiated at our September 19, 1990 meeting:

New Brother	Sponsor
Frank Manley	Jay D. Holliday
Robert L. Heien	Leonard Podsiadlik
Robert N. Buck	Richard D. Evans
Donald C. Ebeling	Jerry Holcomb

Other new Brothers who have recently joined us by Transfer Dimit or Reinstatement are: Edward J. Dunn, Thomas J. Meier, Donald N. Burniac, Robert C. Smith and Ellis D. Scott. Please try to make all of these Brothers and their families feel at home in our Lodge.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

November 3	Euchre Tournament
7	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
10	1st Annual Auction
21	Lodge Meeting (Visit By Dist. V.P.)
22	Happy Thanksgiving
23	Goodfellows Sale

IF YOUR ZIPCODE CHANGED, DID YOU NOTIFY THE LODGE?

## OFFICERS FOR 1990-1991

Exalted Ruler ..... Richard Evans  
 Leading Knight ..... Robert Misener  
 Loyal Knight ..... John W. Berry II  
 Lecturing Knight ..... Hal Wiessbock  
 Secretary ... Charles L. Snearly, PER  
 Treasurer .... William O'Connor, PER  
 Inner Guard ..... David Misener  
 Tiler ..... Gil Musselman  
 Chaplain ..... Gene Fendelet  
 Esquire ..... Doug Hodges  
 Organist ..... August Borman, Jr.  
 Soloist ..... Stephen Magyar, PER  
 Ritual Coach .. Larry Ashmore, FODGER

### TRUSTEES

Robert Hornsby, Chairman - 5 Year  
 Paul Horton - 4 Year  
 Allen P. Young, PER - 3 Year  
 Walter Wiessbock - 2 Year  
 Jack E. Dahlstrom, PER - 1 Year

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### OFFICE BUSINESS HOURS

9:00 AM To 4:00 PM Mon. thru Fri.  
 Club Secretary ..... Michelle Ross  
 Track Editor ..... Phyllis Evans  
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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(Please Save and Post for future use)

December	1	C.F. Christmas Party
	5	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	8	Euchre Tournament
	15	Lodge Xmas Party
	16	Kids Xmas Party
	19	Lodge Meeting (Visitation by DODGER)
	31	New Years Party
January	2	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	12	Euchre Tournament
	16	Lodge Meeting
	20	SE Dist Mtg-Redford
February	1-2	SE Dist Rit. Contest
	6	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	9	Euchre Tournament
	16	Valentine 365 Dance
	20	Lodge Meeting
March	2	Exhausted Rooster Ball
	6	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	9	Euchre Tournament
	16	St. Patricks Day
	20	Lodge Meeting
	31	Brunch with Easter Bunny

## WILMA'S KORNER

The frost is on the pumpkin, so looks like we are into the Fall season.

Al Noone and Lucille retired to New Jersey in September. They were given a retirement party in August by Gene and Ruth Cavanaugh. Gary and Elsie Klix were married on August 29th. Congratulations. Joan Lyons is wearing a sling on her arm. Said she dislocated her shoulder unloading groceries.

Jack Barman, who moved to Tucson, Arizona a year ago celebrated his birthday on September 17th. He had undergone major surgery the day before. Last reports are that he is doing fine. (Can't keep a good man down.)

Orrie and Norma Milazzo became grandparents September 21, a girl 8 lbs., 6 oz., named Tori Lynn. Norma had a birthday September 19th. Peggy Bush, Dee Echols good friend, is here from Florida for a visit.

Ann Valutis celebrated her birthday October 9th. She and Tony will be married 55 years on October 20th. They love their new home in Birmingham. Larry and Sharon Ashmore were married 2 years October 10th. Chris and Lou Martini were married 49 years October 25th. Congratulations.

Tom and Theresa Marra visited his family recently. Tom was on leave from the Army. He is stationed in Alaska. He is Tony and May's youngest son.

Phyllis Evans was involved in an automobile accident on September 22nd. Lucky she wasn't seriously injured, bumps and bruises and a bad knee. She was so fortunate. The car suffered the worst. Be Careful Out There! You still could be hit by some crazy driver. Phyllis said she was wearing her seatbelt.

May Koenig will celebrate another birthday on October 22nd. Husband Bob celebrates his October 24th. Betty Williams will have her birthday October 26th. How these years fly by.

Orrie and Norma Milazzo spent a few days in Las Vegas

recently. Bill and I will be spending a week in North Carolina, near Charlotte at Bill's brother's home. We will be going North to Blowing Rock for a couple days in the mountain. Hopefully there will still be some color. May get in a little golf, as he lives on a course

Frank and Sue Morgan will celebrate 54 years together October 31st. Congratulations! Sorry this is short. Keep your news coming.

Wilma  
474-9354

## VIVIAN NEWS

Hello Again!

When you read this article we will be well on our way into the Lodge's 1st Annual Auction November 10th. At our last Vivian's meeting, Mr. Gerry Kanter was our guest speaker. He asked for our support and help in soliciting items for the auction. Visit your beauty shops and other places of business and come up with auction material. He also felt that the men and women alike should work together and give support where needed. We Vivians agreed 100%.

For those of you who are not familiar with the Vivians purpose, it is this: The objects of this organization shall be charity, sociability and co-operation with the Farmington B.P.O. Elks #1986, when requested.

The \$5.00 monthly Lotto is here and the Vivians are ready to sell them. We thank all the men who are still selling their tickets. If we continue to work together, I'm sure this Lotto will be a success, as it has in the past.

The Vivians will decorate the Lodge for Christmas on Sunday, November 18th, starting at 9:30 AM. Everyone is welcome to help out. The more who help, the faster it will go.

News on the Fashion Show will be in the next issue.

As ever,  
Betty Dahlstrom  
Vivian President

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Sponsor

The following members have been delinquent in paying their dues since April 1, 1990:

<u>Member</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>#</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Nabil Al-Osachi	3814	William R. Ouimet	Walter Lehr	3611	
Ronald L. Anderson	3581	Welton Jenkins	John E. Lezotte	2427	Elmer L. Rice Jr.
William O. Atkins	2470	John D. Curd	Frederick C. Lilley	3352	
Gilbert Atkinson	3752	John Nabrezny	Jack L. Linemeyer	3319	John Gatteri
Gordon F. Ayers	2819	Anthony Ferrante	Aloysius Marsh Jr	3760	Al Young
Joseph S. Barnett	2482	Lawrence R. Moss	Seward H. Medbury	3548	Gerald Yeomans
Kenneth Brumm	2782	Richard Sterling	Francis J. Meyer	2842	Ralph Walz
Jack J. Bunker	3854	Daniel J. Andrews	Steve Nahina	667	
James M. Burroughs	3989	Thomas R. Sullivan	Frank Neward III	3057	Joseph Heyman
Edward S. Butcher	2816	Robert Fleishchman	Richard T. Niborski	4017	Richard Evans
William A. Caverley	3964		O. J. Nori	4020	Graham Alark
William J. Chilton	2689		Michael W. Nye	3233	Lawrence Ashmore
Jack F. Day	2878	T. Eschenweck	John L. Ohorodnik	2256	
Kenneth J. Dean	1951	Edwin Judy	James Outterside	2585	Glen Ratzloff
Roland W. Degler	3651	Ford Perry	Jack L. Owens	4010	Matthew Hornsby
Oswald J. DeWitte	1340		Robert S. Parsons	2664	Bert Parsons
Gary L. Dixon	3744	William Dicks	Lawrence Patterson	3758	Al Young
William H. Duquette	1908	Ernest Spencer	Glenn L. Pattinson	3471	William J. Skingle
Bruce M. Edsall	3078		Ewald Perttola	2936	Rex Padgett
John H. Eisenmann	886		Kenneth K. Pfaff	3938	Robert Hornsby
Fred T. Fernandez	3769	William O. Bliss	Richard E. Promo	1410	
Robert E. Friess	3992		Edward Pugliesi	3299	Lee Bocci
William E. Greeley	3782	Anthony Ferrante	Gilbert A. Rice	3482	Thomas M. Lowery
Franklin Gremel	2270		Richard N. Rogers	2213	
Frederick Gustafson	2006	C. Fields	John C. Rollins	2167	Fred Samra
Gerald P. Hazel	4025	Andrew Baker	George Roman	3697	
James W. Helm	3908	Donald H. Kaump III	Joe Rupp	3905	Wilber G. Nodacker
Robert H. Hoerger	2248	Alvar G. Freden	Roger C. Schmidt	2619	Claude Hardy
Richard D. Hyde	3420	Ian D. Towart	Eugene A. Schwartz	2081	Manuel Gorelick
Robert H. Jackson	2690	Charles W. Bender	Geno Sciabassi	4000	
Gordon C. Johnson	2623	James W. King	Keith R. Scrutton	3002	Don Kaump
David R. Kennedy	3173	William Hupp	Charles Shandor	1314	Joseph G. Chaisson
Paul M. King	3017	John Vogel	Carl F. Shelton	2002	C. Fields
George Kolanowski	3120		William J. Skingle	4013	
Leonard Komendara	2718	Joseph Heyman	Allen M. Smolen	3085	Arthur Biggers
John W. Kosa	3054	Robert A. Tower	Walter J. Stanis	1444	
			Max E. Stewart	3915	Leon Shay
			Robert C. Taylor	3786	
			William J. Taylor	3703	Thomas H. McCoy
			Jack Thibeau	3999	Alver G. Freden
			Wilbur Tucker	1700	Herbert Tucker
			Carl J. Walter	3797	Robert P. Walter
			Benjamin T. Wenson	3234	Ernie Slyziuk
			George H. Williams	3765	



## FARMINGTON ELKS MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE

On September 23rd, eighty-one regular members and one substitute played 18 holes of golf at Westbrooke Golf Course on a cold, rainy day during our Annual League Playoff/Outing. After golf, our Annual Banquet was held at the Elks Lodge where all those who attended were treated to a sit-down steak dinner that was prepared and served by Bob McDonald and his fine staff.

Listed below are the results of the day's activities as well as the annual awards for the 1990 season.

**PLAYOFFS:** League Championship was won by Team "H":

Dutch Schneeberger	Chester Pearson
Tom Byerle	Les Kellogg
Jim Sockow	

**TEAM SCRAMBLE:** Won by Team "R" with a score of 65 (5 under par):

Alvar Freden	Dick Cuff
Pat Williams	Henry Boron
Bert Parsons	

This event was determined by a tie-breaker as Team "C" and Team "N" also had the same score.

**ANNUAL AWARDS: INDIVIDUAL FLIGHT WINNERS:**

First Flight	Jack Kalfleisch	27.5 points
Second Flight	Bill Dicks	29.0 points
Third Flight	Rich Lovely	29.0 points
Fourth Flight	Jeff Barnett	26.0 points
Fifth Flight	Jim Sockow	32.0 points

**MOST IMPROVED GOLFER** Joe Powder - minus 4.25

**LOW NET SCORE:** Paul Horton - - - score 25

This award was determined by a tie-breaker as Joe Powder also had a net score of 25.

All members of the championship team and the annual award winners received trophies. All regular members of the league received a golf gift.

The following officers were unanimously re-elected for 1991:

Paul Horton	President/Secretary	476-2844
Joe Nitkiewicz	Vice-President	474-5051
Bill Rose	Treasurer	474-4055

In 1991, the league will play at Tanglewood Country Club, which is located at Ten Mile and Chubb Road in South Lyon Township. Any member of Farmington Elks #1986 who is interested in becoming a member of the league (regular or substitute) should contact one of the above listed officers or attend the spring meeting of the league, which will be at the Elks Lodge in April, 1991.... Watch the Elks Track for the date and time of the meeting.

Thanks to everyone who helped make the league a success.

The League Officers

## FOR YOUR DINING PLEASURE

RESERVATIONS SUGGESTED  
PLEASE BE ON TIME

### MONDAY - FRIDAY LUNCH

11:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Weekly Drink Specials

Daily Lunch Specials

Plus Regular Luncheon Menu

### MONDAY NITE

Complementary Hors D'Oeuvres

5 - 6 PM

### TUESDAY

Regular Dinner Menu

Senior Citizens \$1.00 off Dinner Entree

### WEDNESDAY - Lodge Nite

1st Wednesday Monthly Buffet at 5:30 PM

Balance of Month - Dinner Specials

Plus Regular Menu

### THURSDAY

! Attention Bowlers !

Dinner Menu til 10:00 PM

### FRIDAY

5:00 - 6:00 PM Early Bird Special -

Complementary Glass of Wine

Fish & Chips - Spaghetti - All You Can Eat

Prime Rib

Plus Specials, Regular Menu

Dancing 7:30 PM - 11:30 PM

RESERVATIONS PLEASE

### SATURDAY

Great Value - Early Bird Dining

5:30 - 7:30 PM only \$5.95

Dinner Menu til 9:00 PM

Reservations

FARMINGTON ELKS		CALENDAR OF EVENTS					NOVEMBER, 1990
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
				1	2	3	
					Host: Richard Evans Band: Debbie & Tim	Euchre Tournament	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
CLOSED		Don't forget to vote	General Meeting Vivian Meeting BUFFET		Host: Bob Misenaar Band: Darrel & Jean	FIRST ANNUAL AUCTION	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
CLOSED VETERAN'S DAY			House Meeting		Host: Bill Berry Band: Rick May		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
CLOSED HELP DECORATE THE LODGE - 9:30 AM			Initiation Mtg. Visitation by Dist. Vice-Pres.	Closed for Thanksgiving	Goodfellow Newspaper Sale Host: Hal Wiessbock Band: Summer Breeze		
25	26	27	28	29	30		
CLOSED			Trustee Meeting		Host: Gene Fendelet Band: Mark Moultrip		

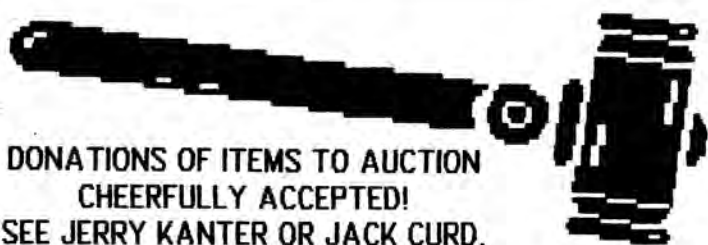
### MAJOR PROJECT

Frank Carrico	1
Leon Barnett	1
Lloyd Haycock	1
Fitzgerald #3547	1
Ed Kenneweg	1
Hal Wiessbock	4
Wm. Harris	5
R. T. Strobel	3
Bill Bottle	2
Al Fredan	1
Bob Koenig	1

### VIVIAN 365 BANKS

Helen Misenaar	1
Madeline Borman	1
Jan Polk	1
June Hupp	1
May Koenig	1
Sherri Hill	2
Betty Dahlstrom	2
Betty Evans	1

DONATIONS OF ITEMS TO AUCTION  
CHEERFULLY ACCEPTED!  
SEE JERRY KANTER OR JACK CURD.



# FIRST ANNUAL AUCTION

Saturday, November 10th

**DON'T MISS THE EVENT OF THE YEAR, OUR FIRST  
ANNUAL AUCTION WITH EXCITING ITEMS AT  
FABULOUS VALUES.**

APPETIZER AND COCKTAILS

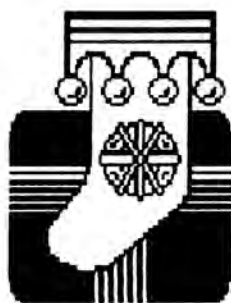
6:30 TO 7:30 PM

LIVE AND SILENT AUCTION

7:30 TO 11:30 PM

APPETIZERS - \$7.95 - CASH BAR

**MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS NOW! WE EXPECT AN OVERFLOW CAPACITY  
AND MEMBERS AND THEIR GUESTS WILL BE LIMITED TO 300 PEOPLE.  
YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS EVENT!**



## LUNCH WITH SANTA

Sunday, December 16, 1990

Lunch at Noon

Santa will arrive at 1:00 PM

Bring your children and grandchildren.

Still and Video Cameras Welcome.

Please let the office know how many children you will be bringing. It helps us when we order food and gifts. Thanks.

# Start Your Holidays At the Elks

Saturday, December 15, 1990

Dinner  
Dancing  
Music by  
Summer Breeze



Resolve To  
Celebrate  
New Year's Eve  
At The Elks

Dance To The Music Of  
J. J. & Company

**Reservations Only**

MORE DETAILS IN THE DECEMBER TRACK

**FARMINGTON LODGE No. 1986**  
BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS  
**23666 ORCHARD LAKE ROAD**  
**FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN 48336**

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION  
U. S. POSTAGE  
**PAID**  
FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN  
Permit No. 238



**EUCHRE TOURNAMENT**  
**Where: FARMINGTON ELKS LODGE**  
**When: Sat., NOVEMBER 3rd, 1 PM**

Partner not necessary.  
Will play clock timed rounds.



## Hall Rentals

**For All Special Occasions**  
SHOWERS \* WEDDINGS \* REUNIONS \* MEETINGS \* FUNERALS

**FARMINGTON ELKS - 476-1986**