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YOU NOTIFY
THE LODGE?

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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

My Brothers and Ladies,

I would like to say thank you to all that have been helping around the lodge. The card room redecorating is completed and the room looks great. I would also like to thank the members in the card room for acting as hosts during the lunch hours in July and August. A special thanks to Bob Nicolai and Dave Misener for replacing all of the broken mouldings in rooms 1, 2 and 3, and to Bob Lee and the Mini-bikers for painting all of it.

We have cancelled the Lodge Halloween Party on October 27th and will instead hold an old fashioned German Oktoberfest for the members and their guests. If anyone knows of a brother who has dropped his membership, bring him along so that he can see the changes. We will waive the reinstatement fees for anyone who rejoins that night.

The new tile and carpeting have been installed in the Lounge area, and the new carpeting is in the Vivians Room. The new wallpaper for the front lobby and hallway into the Lounge is here and should be installed soon. The

new wallpaper for rooms 1, 2 and 3 should be up by the end of September.

The summer is over and fall is here. The golf league is almost over for another year. I hope everyone had a good year. Congratulations to the winners. The bowling leagues are getting ready to start and I hope all of you have a good season.

Don't forget the Sixth Annual Officers vs Trustees Silver Putter Golf Outing on September 20th. It will be held at Kensington Golf Club. The entry fee of \$25.00 covers your green fee, a chili dinner, prizes and a donation to Major Projects.

Fraternally,
Richard Evans
Exalted Ruler

MANAGER'S NOTES:

As you have probably noticed lately, a lot of nice improvements have been made to your club. New carpeting, wallpaper, paint, etc. immediately come to mind. Many of these improvements would not have happened without the nice spirit of cooperation which exists at the Farmington Elks Club. A special thanks to the Mini-bikers who

volunteered on a Sunday to paint the hall.

Due to the increasing weekend dinner activity, I would suggest making a reservation. However, please be considerate to your fellow members by honoring your reservation on time. We will do everything in our power to do the same. Friday night 6:30, 7:00 & 7:30 time slots are very busy. If possible make an earlier reservation. If your dinner order is taken before 6:30 PM Friday you will receive a complimentary glass of wine. The Saturday night Early Bird Dinners, 5:30 - 7:30 PM continue to be very popular and at \$5.95 are a good value.

There are many fine activities planned for the fall and early winter months. Please mark your calendar accordingly so you don't miss the fun.

Sincerely,
Bob McDonald

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept. 5	Lodge Meeting Vivians Pot Luck
8	Euchre Tourney
19	Lodge Meeting
23	Golf Banquet S. E. Dist. Mtg. Plymouth

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 Magyari, PER
Ritual Coach .. Larry Ashmore, DDGGR

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

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)

October	3	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	10	Vivian Fashion Show
	17	Lodge Meeting
	25	C.F. Pumpkin Patch
	27	Oktoberfest
November	7	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	10	1st Annual Auction
	21	Lodge Meeting (Visit By Dist. V.P.)
	23	Goodfellows Sale
December	1	C.F. Christmas Party
	5	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	15	Lodge Xmas Party
	16	Kids Xmas Party
	19	Lodge Meeting (Visitation by DDGGR)
	31	New Years Party
January	2	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	16	Lodge Meeting
	20	SE Dist Mtg-Redford
February	1-2	SE Dist Rit. Contest
	6	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	16	Valentine 365 Dance
	20	Lodge Meeting
March	2	Exhausted Rooster Ball
	6	Lodge/Vivians Mtgs.
	16	St. Patricks Day
	20	Lodge Meeting
	31	Brunch with Easter Bunny

VIVIAN NEWS

Dear Ladies,

If you were unable to attend the Farmington Elks Family Picnic you missed a great time. Sherrie & Kenn Hill did a super job this year. Had plenty of games for the children and grown-ups. The weather was in our favor and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. Counting all the children, we had over 100 in attendance.

Now's the time to start thinking about our Fashion Show on Wednesday, October 10th. Joseph A. Banks will be our clothier. Donations of door prizes, from \$5.00 to \$10.00 will be appreciated. The price of door tickets will be \$6.00 each. Talk to your family and friends and make your reservations now. Contact Rosemary Fendelet at 464-2598 or Eve Samra at 474-8637.

Our regular meeting will be the 1st Wednesday, October 3rd at 8 PM. Come out and join us.

As ever,
Betty Dahlstrom
Vivian President

WILMA'S KORNER

How do these summers go by so fast? Are we having that much fun?

Manny & Louise Gorelick's children hosted a beautiful surprise Anniversary Celebration on July 20th, marking their 45 years together.

Anthony and Anna Valutis will be moving to Birmingham, MI before long, but will still be around the area, it's not that far away.

On July 24th, 16 ladies enjoyed lunch at the Lodge to get up to date on our friends and also to honor a former President of the Vivians, Sue Baldwin, who visited the area for a couple of weeks. Her daughter Debbie came along. Sue & Tom have returned to their home in Florida. It was great seeing Ginny & Fred Cook. Fred has been fighting a case of hepatitis.

July 30 marked another birthday for Gladys King. August 1, Barbara Stiles celebrated her birthday. She and Marv have gone back to Port Richey after spending several weeks in the area. Thelma Fendt celebrated her day August 5th. She and her children and grandchildren are

just back from a 10 day vacation in the Irish Hills. August 12 she hosted a party for 46 in celebration of her daughter and son-in-law's 23rd Wedding Anniversary. Al & Amy Schuette were married 53 years August 7th. August 5th Shirley & Floyd Fry celebrated 41 years. I celebrated another birthday on August 9th, same day as the Ladies Southeast District Golf Tournament. Jake Jenkins had a birthday on August 13th.

August 13th Wilma Perry left with the Nomads on a trip to Scotland. On the 31st they will be married 44 years. E.R. Richard and Phyllis Evans will be married 25 years on August 28th. Rosemary Fendelet had a birthday August 21st and her other half Gene was another year older August 24th. Harry and Annabel Fitzpatrick celebrated 54 years together August 8th. Harry is still recovering from a fall and illness. Audre & Larry Way celebrated their anniversary on August 27th.

Kay Barnes will be having a birthday September 1st. September 10th Amy Schuette has a birthday. John King and Mary Kulisz celebrate their day September 5th.

Congratulations to all who celebrated and I'd like to wish everyone many more healthy, happy years. Call with your news that you'd like printed.

Wilma
474-9354

OX ROAST RAFFLE WINNING TICKET SELLERS

MEMBERS:

1st place - Wally Wiessbock
2nd place - Jack Dahlstrom
3rd place - Vern Watts

HONORABLE MENTION:

Graham Alark
Bonnie Musselman
Bill Diehr
John Nabrezny
Don Kaump Sr.

EMPLOYEES:

Jeanne Gershon
Kris Danley
Michelle Ross

Our sincere thanks to
all of our ticket sellers. You're
ALL winners.

FORE!

6th Annual Farmington Silver Putter
Major Projects Golf Outing
OFFICERS vs TRUSTEES

Thursday, September 20, 1990
Kensington Park Golf Course
Entry Fee \$25.00 . . . Seniors (62 and over) \$20.00
Covers Golf & Donation to Major Projects

Open to Elks and Guests. Starting times will be assigned
at the time payment for a foursome is received.

First Pay - First Choice of Tee Times.
Single Entries Welcome (We'll get you a foursome.)

**SILVER PUTTER AND TROPHY
AWARDED FOR LEAST PUTTS**

Chili and additional prize drawings at Farmington Lodge
after golf.

All entry fee money over green fees will go to Major
Projects in the name of the winning team.

Call Steve Barsy at 437-0596 before September 5th

FARMINGTON ELKS OKTOBERFEST

Saturday, October 29, 1990
7:00 PM



* DANCING



* DOOR PRIZES

* SPECIAL GERMAN BEERS & WINES
Cash Bar - Open at 6:00 PM.

* GRAND GERMAN BUFFET

\$8.95 PER PERSON
(Includes Tax & Tip)

See Michelle Ross (Office)
For Tickets and Reservations

DON'T MISS THE FUN!

FOR YOUR DINING PLEASURE

RESERVATIONS SUGGESTED
PLEASE BE ON TIME

MONDAY - FRIDAY LUNCH
11:30 AM - 2:30 PM

* Weekly Drink Special
* Daily Lunch Specials
Plus Regular Luncheon Menu

MONDAY NITE

Complementary Hors D'Oeuvres
5 - 6 PM
Coming - Football Stadium Specials

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

All the Homemade Spaghetti You Can Eat
Roman Terrace Style
Plus Thick Steak Special

FRIDAY

* 5:00 - 6:00 PM Early Bird Special -
Complementary Glass of Wine
* Fish & Chips - All You Can Eat
Plus Specials, Regular Menu
Dancing 8:00 PM til Midnight
RESERVATIONS PLEASE

SATURDAY

* Great Value - Early Bird Dining
5:30 - 7:30 PM only \$5.95
Reservations

SEPTEMBER, 1990

						1 Closed
2 Closed	3 Closed Veterans Day	4 Golf League Dinner Sps. Sr. Citizen \$1.00 Off Dinner	5 Lodge Mtg. Vivian. Potluck	6 Dinner Specials	7 Full Menu Dancing Band: Darrel & Jean Host: Bill Berry	8 Early Bird Specials
9 Closed	10	11 Golf League Dinner Sps. Sr. Citizen \$1.00 Off Dinner	12 House Mtg. 7:00 PM	13 Dinner Specials	14 Full Menu Dancing Band: S'mer Breeze Host: H. Wiessbock	15 Early Bird Specials
16 Closed Dinner	17	18 Dinner Sps. Sr. Citizen \$1.00 Off Dinner	19 Initiation Meeting 8:00 PM	20 Dinner Specials	21 Full Menu Dancing Band: Rick May Host: G. Fendelet	22 Early Bird Specials
23 S.E. Dist. Meeting Plymouth Closed 30	24	25 Dinner Sps. Sr. Citizens \$1.00 Off Dinner	26 Trustee Mtg. 7:00 PM	27 Dinner Specials	28 Full Menu Dancing Band: Host: D. Misener	29 Early Bird Specials



Coming October 10th

Vivians Annual Fall Fashion Show
Fashions by Jos A. Banks

Door Tickets \$6.00 per person

Contact Rosemary Fendelet at 464-2598
or Eve Samra at 474-8637



APPLICATION MUST BE
ACCOMPANIED BY RECENT
3 1/2 INCH SIZE PHOTO

Application for Membership

FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN LODGE NO. 1986

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America

APP.FEE
READ
INVEST.
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INITIATION
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Brother _____ under the obligation of the Order, proposes for membership in this Lodge.

Mr. _____

Signature of Proposer

PLEASE PRINT OR

USE TYPEWRITER

Address of Proposer

Phone Number of Proposer

QUESTIONS TO BE ANSWERED BY APPLICANT

IMPORTANT! Applicant's name, complete address including P.O. box, rural route, street address, correct post office and Zip No. should be given. Your home address will be used as mailing address unless otherwise specified.

- Name _____ Social Security No. _____ Spouse's Name _____
Home Address _____ City _____ Zip _____ Telephone _____
Business Name _____ Occupation _____
Business Address _____ City _____ Zip _____ Telephone _____
- State the place and date of your birth. Answer: Born in City of _____
County of _____, State of _____, on the _____ day of _____ in year _____
- Do you believe in the existence of God? Answer _____
- Are you a male Citizen of the United States of America? Answer _____
- If foreign born, when and where were final naturalization papers issued? Answer _____
- Are you willing to assume an obligation that:
(a) Will not conflict with your duties to yourself, or your family, or your religious or political opinions, and that
(b) Will bind you to uphold the Constitution and laws of the United States of America? Answer _____
- Are you now or have you ever been a member of the Communist party or directly or indirectly connected or affiliated with the Communist party, or with any organization or group advocating or believing in the overthrow of the government of the United States by force? Answer _____
- Have you ever pleaded guilty to, or been convicted of a felony? Answer _____
If your answer is affirmative, state nature of crime, date and place of conviction, and sentence imposed.
- If you have ever been discharged from the Armed Services of the United States or any of its Allies, state the character of the discharge received. Answer _____
- Do you anticipate any pecuniary benefits by becoming a member of this Order? Answer _____
- Have you ever been proposed for membership in any Lodge of this Order, and if so, where and when and with what result?
Answer _____
- Have you been a bona fide resident within the jurisdiction of this Lodge immediately preceding the date of this application? Answer _____
- I understand and agree that the annual dues paid by me to your Lodge include the sum established by the Grand Lodge, to cover my subscription to The Elks Magazine.
- Give references of at least two members of this Order, stating the name, home address, and business address of each.

NAME	HOME ADDRESS	BUSINESS ADDRESS

- Give the name of each place of residence you have had during the last five years preceding the date of this application, specifying date of each change therein, also the occupation followed by you in each place.

PLACE OF RESIDENCE	WHEN ESTABLISHED	WHEN CHANGED	OCCUPATION

- Give the name and address of at least two citizens of any city in which you have resided during the last five years, where a Lodge of this Order is located.

NAME	HOME ADDRESS	BUSINESS ADDRESS

The above blank must be fully filled out by the Proposer and the Applicant, and be accompanied by an Application Fee of \$ _____, or it will not be considered. Balance of Initiation Fee \$ _____, and proportionate Semi-Annual Dues up to next April 1st / October 1st (strike out date not needed) must both be paid at time of initiation.

I hereby give my consent that this application may be investigated through the use of a Consumer Credit Reporting Agency.

**CHARTER MEMBER
DINNER DANCE**

Due to our inability to locate a sufficient number of our remaining Charter Members, it was necessary to move the date of the Lodge dinner from June 2, to Friday, June 1, 1990.

We may have lost a few possible attendees due to the change in date, and for this we are truly sorry. However, I believe those that did attend had a good time. I hope that any Charter Members that were not able to attend would stop in the next time you are in the area, or at least would give the Lodge a call and make sure we have your current address and phone number, even though you are not presently a paid-up member.

Credit for this event should be given to Pat Buttermore, our Charter Exalted Ruler, who before his death expressed a desire to have it happen, to his wife, Dorothy Buttermore, who reminded us of his request; to our own Exalted Ruler, Dick Evans, who actually took the initiative and scheduled the function; to Leading Knight, Bob Misener, who co-chaired the event; to P.E.R. Harry Wenner who acted as host for the evening; to P.E.R. Joe Homick who donated the "Welcome" banner; to our Manager, Bob McDonald, who donated three bottles of champagne, and to the following Charter Members who attended: Bill "Carolina" Critcher, Bill Dohes, Jim Frisbie, Bernard Kudla, Henry Madigan, Fred Menke Sr., Gil Musselman, Harvey Musselman, Don Sova, Lee Stevens, Phil Tobin, and Ted Zukosky, plus Marie Curcio, widow of Fred Curcio, who was instrumental in the location of the Farmington Lodge in its present location.

Bill Bliss
Co-Chairman

MAJOR PROJECT

Gary Klux	1
Bill Diehr	1
Edward Kenneweg	1
Wm. Elphick	1
J. Bachman	1
Paul & Zella Daugherty	1

Carl Porter	1
Howard Vincent	1
Jeff Barnett	1
No Name - No Number	1
Calvin Kline	1
Gene & Rosemary Fendelet	2
Don MacLeod	1
Frank Koontz	1
George Fitzgerald	1
Florence Pennell	4
Restaurant - Bar Patrons	1
Ox Roast Workers -	\$ 155.00
John Gooding	5
Frank Visger	4
No Name - No Number	1
Warren Perkins	1
Bill Cassidy	2
Steve & Carla Barsy	1
Gary Klux	2
Jack Wren	12
Joe & Lucy Heyman	1
Mr & Mrs Leslie Mollen	1
George Roman	1
Wm. Dildine	1
David Fyffe	1
Lauren & Andy Kramer	1
Bernie Whitman	1
R. O. Painter	1
V. Morrow	1
Bob & Billie Misener	2

VIVIANS

Betty Dahlstrom	1
Sharon Ashmore	1
Billie Misener	1
Jan Polk	1
Helen Misener	1
Eleanor Bachor	2

OX ROAST THANK YOU

We once again had a very successful OX ROAST and we all owe a big thank you to Co-Chairmen Bill Dicks and Al Young for putting it together.

I was in charge of the Food & Drink Ticket sellers and was very fortunate to have a crew of such hard workers. They made my job much easier. A very BIG THANK YOU to the crew, who are:

Thelma Fendt	Lillian Moss
Sandy Brotherton	Audrey Way
Betty Esch	Diane Eianberg
Fred Menke	Kathy Maloney
Jack Curd	Nancy Goulette
Larry Ashmore	Phyllis Evans
David Seeley	Mary Morway

Gus Borman	Madelaine Borman
Gil Musselman	Bob Snyder
Betty Cowell	Steve Cowell
Lucy Heyman	Michelle Ross
Sharon Young	Margaret Jamieson
Sue Morgan	Don Warthman

I will look forward to working with you all next year.

Sincerely,

Sharon Ashmore
Vivian Past Pres.

Another year and another great one, especially all of you great people who worked on the food line. My sincere thanks to all and a special thank you to our Vivian President, Betty Dahlstrom, who took over my job many times and to Chef Nelson and Mgr. Bob McDonald for their help. Hope we all get together again next year.

Thanks again to all.

Sherrie Hill
Food Line Chairman

ELKS PICNIC

Over a hundred attended the Elks Family Picnic. We had nice weather and a nice time, also a good ball game. Thanks to the following for their donations:
Phyllis Misener, Lillian Moss, Mini-bikers, Andrew Baker, Hill, Dahlstrom, Magaddino, Koenig & Hill, Jr., Lodge, Marty Brandenburg - \$36.50 in pennies, the Vivians - \$30.00 in pennies.

We had a penny scramble for 2 age groups - \$30.00. A longest marshmallow drive (Golf-style) gave out 2 \$5.00 prizes. An egg tossing contest had one \$5.00 prize.

Our 50/50 on Marty's Copper Mine brought in \$38.00. Dick Evans won \$19.00 (My guess! Ed.) and the other \$19.00 went to the Vivians. We sold \$46.00 worth of hot dogs and gave \$10.00 to second place 50/50 winner, Terry Montgomery. We gave the Lodge our leftovers.

Our donations to the Vivians were \$19.00 from the 50/50 and \$36.00 from hot dog sales. Major Projects received \$21.50 from leftover pennies.

Thanks to all.
Sherrie & Kenn Hill

FARMINGTON LODGE No. 1986
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