



COLONIE LODGE OF ELKS # 2192 BULLETIN



"A Fraternal Organization"

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Colonie Lodge 2192 is honored to be hosting our visitation by DDGER Edward Rice (Watervliet 1500) and SVP Jeremiah Kennedy (Guiderland 2480) during our regular Lodge meeting on 10/5/21. The Officers of Colonie Lodge will be performing the initiation ritual that night as part of the visit. We would like to see a nice turnout by our members that night. The meeting starts at 7:00 PM. You must present your current Membership card upon entry.

On 10/16 fundraiser for Grand Exalted Ruler-Designate Bruce Hidley. Call the lodge, follow us on Facebook or E-mail us for more information!



Snowbirds: Make sure you update the lodge of the dates that you will be at your other address. We want to make sure that you are able to receive all the mail you are entitled to!



ENF and Major Projects still need our help! IF you would like to donate, please let us know! There are multiple ways to donate; in person, by mail, or online.

Receive the bulletin in color via email. Email ColonieElksBulletin@Gmail.com.



 We are open Friday 5-10.
 Attending a meeting is the best way to obtain credible information about the lodge.
 October is ENF month!



Lodge Hours

Sunday to Thursday: Closed

Friday: 5pm to 10pm

Saturday: Closed

2020-2021 Lodge Officers

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Brian Loucks	Est. Loyal Knight
Vacant	Est. Lecturing Knight
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Elks National Foundation:

Brian Loucks

Elks Major Projects

Exalted Ruler's Corner



To my fellow Elks,

The days are starting to get shorter and there is a little nip to the air. Another season has begun, and as with each new month come changes. As of this bulletin, we do not know the outcome of the merger vote. Details will be passed to the membership when we have them.

Pam and I enjoyed representing the Lodge at the July Grand Lodge Convention in Tampa. I attended all of the sessions and voted as the lodge directed on the propositions.

There was a notification given at the convention, that there will be an increase in the dues for all Elk members, for the fraternal years 2022-2023 and 2023-2024. This increase will amount to \$5.00 for each of these two years only. The reason for this increase is due to some major payouts from the Grand Lodge Elks Liability Insurance.

Please know that we have no control over this impending \$5.00 increase. All Lodges and their members will be going through the same thing. We did not want you to be caught off guard when you receive your new bill in a few months.

I am proud to say that our bartenders are all TIPS trained. However, there is a degree of personal responsibility that must be taken by members as well, so not to put themselves, the bartenders, the Lodge or others in jeopardy. The old motto "think before you drink" always stand as words to live by.

Until next month, enjoy the autumn weather and stay safe,

Fraternally,
Mark Loucks
PER/ER Colonie 2192



ENF Month: ENF Month is about the thousands of scholarship recipients who thank the Elks for helping them realize their dreams. It's about the lonely veteran who finds a friend in an Elk volunteer. It's about Elks making a difference in their communities.

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Colonie Lodge 2192
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Dues

Dues for this year, 2020-2021 are now being collected. They will be accepted before or after meetings. If you can't make the meeting, dues can be mailed to the following address:

Ladies Auxiliary Colonie
Lodge 2192
11 Elks Lane
Latham, NY 12110

If you're at the lodge, feel free to drop it in the Auxiliary Box.



Coming Events

Oct 11th	Columbus Day
Oct 12th	Meeting Night 6:30
Oct 31st	Happy Halloween

Keep your eye on the bulletin for coming events!

We had our first meeting back from summer break on September 14th. It was so nice to see everyone. After the meeting we enjoyed dinner together as we have been doing throughout the year and over the summer. It is wonderful to be able to do this!



We want your ideas! Come to the next meeting to share where you would like to go out for dinner after our meetings! We also want to share with you our fresh ideas for fall!





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October 2021	
5 th	Lodge meeting 7pm
16 th	Fundraiser
19 th	Lodge Meeting at 7pm
31 st	Halloween



Tip of The Antlers

- We will be hosting a fundraiser for Grand Exalted Ruler-Designate Bruce Hidley on 10/16. More will be posted on our Facebook page.
- To all who supported the food/clothing drive on 9/10.
- To Co-House chair Marianne Gula for preparing the Lodge's donation for the food drive.

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Patrons help defray the cost of the bulletin! If you would like your name in the bulletin, please submit a \$20 donation to the secretary.

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