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Essex Elks News

"As this emblem is first in our hearts as loyal Americans, so it is close to our altar as loyal Elks"

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June

Well I hope everyone had a safe and great holiday. The Lodge is doing great but we also know our Lodge is in the need of repairs. It's dated in some areas we would like to make some improvements to our building but the money is always the issue. So I'm reaching out to all of our membership to donate some materials if you can or solicit your friends or bosses or any companies that you might think of who can donate any of the materials that we might need to renovate our Lodge. Then there's always the thought that our membership to pick up some extra cash to add to our building fund. Anyone can come up with an event to raise monies that way. As always, everything is appreciated. Well, that's enough begging for now. Thanks to all of our great members for their hard work they do to make this Lodge a successful one. We just need a little help to get this Old Gal looking better than she does right now.

God Bless our Vets and Troops.

Fraternally, Michael Greaver,
Exalted Ruler



ALWAYS something to do at Elks Lodge

CRABS returning to the Antler Room and the deck in July

Regular BINGO Tuesday and Thursday nights 7 PM

**June 3rd
Splish-Splash Day & Safety Day**


Flag Day
SUNDAY
JUNE 4th 2 PM

Breakfast Buffet
June 4th

BAR BINGO
Wednesday Night
★ June 21st ★

BAR BINGO
Every Saturday Night

Senior BINGO - 2nd
Tuesday of the month

Essex Elk's Officers



Exalted Ruler	Michael Greaver
Est. Leading Knight	Geneil Dupack
Est. Loyal Knight	Linda Greaver Vibbert
Est. Lecturing Knight	Margie Gessinger
Secretary	Russ Blosser
Treasurer	Laurie Harrison
Esquire	to be picked later in draft
Tiler	John Weaver
Inner Guard	Diane Mattheu
Chaplain	Marie Cavey
Presiding Justice	Douglas Caraway
Alternate to Grand Lodge	H. Lee Davis PSP

TRUSTEES

Trustee 5 Years	Ed Leonard
Trustee 4 Years	Chuck Hale
Trustee 3Years	Jim Trent
Trustee 2 Years	Helen Gruzs
Trustee 1Years	Ron Hershey

COMMITTEES

Affairs	Ron Hershey
Americanism	Joseph McGeeney PER
Audit	to be picked later in draft
.Bingo	Bob Hood
Senior Bingo	Helen Gruzs
Community Affairs	Linda Greaver Vibbert
Constitution & By Laws	H. Lee Davis, PSP
Drug Awareness	Joseph McGeeney PER
Flag Day	Geneil Dupack
Government Relation	H. Lee Davis PER
Hall Rentals	Geneil Dupack
House Chairperson	Geneil Dupack
Indoctrinations	to be picked later in draft
Investigations	Marie Cavey
Lodge Activities	Emma Hasse, PER
Memorial Service	Geneil Dupack
Elks National Foundation	Diane Mattheu
Veteran Affairs	H. Lee Davis PSP
Youth Activities	Radar & Tammy Mathena
PER Chairperson	Judy M. Numbers PER

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HOUSE COMMITTEE

House Committee meeting
Sunday, June 4 at 11am.

Thank you to all who participated in our Preakness party. A good time was had by all. We raised over \$800 for the 175th dinner, thanks to everyone who donated.

Thank you to Mike Greaver for initiating the purchase of a shuffle board. Come on down, check it out and challenge some friends to play. A league will be forming... more details to follow

Geneil Dupack, House Chairperson

ANTLER ROOM MEALS

Tuesday and Wednesday Nights

STEAMED SHRIMP

and other Specials
plus most of the regular menu

Wednesday 21st Bar Bingo 7 PM

Thursday Nights

50 cent WINGS

plus most of the regular menu

Friday Night Meals:

June 2nd - Meatloaf

June 9th Spare Ribs

June 16th Crab imperial

June 23rd Fried Chicken

June 30th TBA

Saturdays Bar Bingo 7 pm

Reg. menu available – Possibly specials

Sundays, stop in, have a beverage, if you are hungry we will be more than happy to fix you something to eat.

Delinquent Members

A REMINDER A member who is delinquent in the payment of dues is not entitled to use the club facilities nor visit any other Lodge nor be a guest of any other member, per the Grand Lodge Statutes. The 2017-2018 dues were payable by April 1, 2017. If you have not yet paid your dues, you are delinquent

**DON'T LOSE YOUR PRIVILGES
PAY YOUR DUES!**

Essex Elks July 22nd Crab Feast

Open Bar— limited buffet

\$45 P/P 1 to 5 PM

**The last Crab Feast last September
SOLD OUT in two weeks**

Don't wait to get your tickets!!

**Tickets or money must be turned in by July 16th or
you are responsible for the ticket cost.**



God grant that we
and all people of this
wonderful country
have the grace to
maintain our liberties
and peace.

Chaplain *Marie Cavey*



ALL YOU CAN EAT BREAKFAST BUFFET

Hours 8AM to 11:30AM

Made to Order Omelets

June 11th

Essex Elks Lodge #1866
1007 East Homberg Ave.

ONLY

\$9.75 Adults
\$5.00 children
12 and under

**Look for something
special every month**

For More Information call
Geneil Dupack, House Chairperson



Sickness and Distress

Est. Leading Knight **Geneil Dupack**
Geneil@comcast.net [443-604-3109](tel:443-604-3109)

Sickness and distress:

Member **Gary Hohman** is in
Manor Care- Room 109B

HALL FOR RENT

Do you know someone who is getting ready to get married, or needs a hall for a party?

If you do, why not recommend our Elks Hall for their reception/party.

Call the lodge at to arrange for an appointment.

Hall Rentals 410-686-3547

Help Wanted:

**Waitresses,
Bartenders and all
kinds of other help
needed.**

Contact Geneil if you are interested in helping. The Antler Room does not run on its own. We need volunteers. Please consider helping! Even if you have never done anything like this before, we will show you how.

**It's FUN being the one who is serving,
cooking or tending bar.**

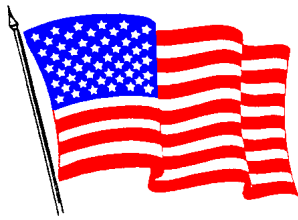
**NOW available for Members
Essex Elks #1866 car magnets
\$3.00 available in the Antler Room**



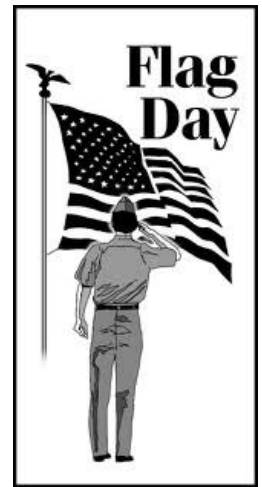
**RETURN OF STEAMED CRABS FOR
THE ANTLER ROOM AND the DECK
AFTER 4TH OF JULY---STAY TUNED
FOR MORE INFORMATION.**



FLAG DAY CELEBRATION



June 4, 2017
Sunday 2 PM



Members and Guest You are invited to Celebrate Flag Day with us at the Essex Elks Lodge.

The ceremony is open to the public.

Members of 175th Air National Guard will be joining us.



A Flag Retirement Ceremony will take place on Flag Day Wednesday June 14th at 7pm. If you have any Flags that are in need of retirement there is a bin in the lobby of the member entrance. Better yet, come join us!

DUES Were DUE by April 1, 2017

Lodge Year: April 1, 2017 to March 31, 2018

Regular Member **\$88.75** Life Member **\$28.75**

NAME _____ Member No _____

ADDRESS _____ City _____ Zip _____

SPOUSE _____ Phone _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____ @ _____

If you would like to receive the News Letter in the US Mail
add **\$5.00** to your dues and check here _____

Identification card for Spouses/and Surviving Spouses, NO FEE


Mr./Ms./Mrs. _____

Please Mail To: Essex Elk's Lodge #1866 Attn: Secretary, 1007 East Homberg Ave. Essex MD 21221

"OFFICIAL DUES NOTIFICATIONS"

CHANGE OF ADDRESS REQUESTED

Notify the lodge secretary of any changes to your address.




Senior Bingo 2nd Wednesday

Stuffed Chicken, potato, vegetable
and dessert

Doors open 9:30- Bingo Starts at 11 AM

**Call Helen to find out
how much fun it really
is: 443- 604-6731**



Dead line for the News Letter is the Friday after the second Regular meeting. Send to: **essexelks@gmail.com**

From time to time information is received late for a variety of reasons and cause a publishing delay. Everyone at the lodge is working hard on your behalf to ensure a timely new letter.

Editor



Our **NEW** to us **Shuffle Board** in the Game Room

Come on down, check it out and challenge some friends to play. A league will be forming... more details to follow.

Yes, we know hard wood makes the table look really long, but its more fun that way.

LADIES OF THE ESSEX ELKS

The Ladies of the Essex Elks will hold our next meeting June 26,2017 at the lodge 7:00 pm.

We would like to thank everyone who attended our luncheon bingo, hope you enjoyed yourself. A special thanks to Radar, Tammy, and his crew that made our food and worked the kitchen. Everything was great as always, everyone that was there pitched in and helped where it was needed including calling back, thanks Judy. Thank you Geneil for unlocking at 7:30 am after a long day at the lodge. We will be having our fall luncheon in October, there will be more to follow later on.



President -- Millie Kraemer

Reed Simmons Jim Caraway

*Memorial Golf Tournament
October 5, 2017*

**"Rocky Point Golf Course" \$75.00 Per Person
Shot Gun Start 9 AM**

Sign up sheet will be in Antler Room Soon



Elks National Veterans Service Commission



NATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS LOCH RAVEN VA BRECC

2017 VETERANS SCHEDULE



June 21	Wednesday	Vintage Entertainment/Snacks	2:00-3:00
July 26	Wednesday	Bingo/Snacks	2:00-3:00
Aug. 30	Wednesday	Johnny Walker/Snacks	2:00-3:00
Sept. 27	Wednesday	DJ Jim Kinard /Snacks	2:00-3:30
Oct. 25	Wednesday	Vintage Entertainment/Snacks	2:00-3:00
Nov. 29	Wednesday	Bingo/Snacks	2:00-3:00
Dec. 6	Wednesday	Puppet Man/Christmas show/Snacks	2:00-3:00



Anyone wishing to join us when we go to Loch Raven is more than welcome. Please check our dates closely.

Our Veterans are an integral part of what Elkdom is all about !

Lee Davis, PSP 410-256-9691



BAR BINGO

isn't just for Saturday nights anymore.

Special Night Wednesday

June 21st 7 PM

Play Bingo and enjoy a Surprise every month.

Same set of rules and games

You never know what you may see at Wednesday BINGO



"SUMMER SPLISH & SPLASH" ~ NATIONAL SAFETY MONTH

SUMMER SAFETY DAY



FOR KIDS OF ALL AGES !!!

***SAT., JUNE 3, 2017 *TIME: 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm**

Presented by: Essex Elks Lodge # 1866 1007 E. HOMBERG AVENUE

Lodge Phone: (410) 686-7797 / Website: www.EssexElks.org

**COTTON CANDY, TEMP TATTOOS,
FACE PAINTING, HOT DOGS & SOFT DRINKS PRO-
VIDED!!! 22 FT. WATER SLIDE, MOON BOUNCE
ESSEX ELKS' - DRUG AWARENESS DISPLAY**

Summer Safety and Health Issues Information

WATER SAFETY, HEAT STROKE,

PLUS MANY OTHER ACTIVITIES for the KIDS

PUBLIC INVITED – NO COST !!!



FREE FREE

**Wed., June 28th - Elks & Red Cross Blood Drive
from 2:00 - 7:30 pm.**

Come to the Elks hall and donate

**the
Gift of Life!!**

GIVE BLOOD



SAVE LIFE





At The Preakness Party we had Horse Races outside and three of our member who were not afraid of getting bucked off of that wild rubber horse, they stayed on for 8 seconds.



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
June 2017				1 WINGS 50C wings most of the regular menu BINGO 7 PM	2 Juke Box Meatloaf	3 Bar Bingo Limited menu & Possibly specials SUMMER SAFETY DAY
4 House committee 11 AM Flag Day	5 Regular Meeting 7PM	6 Steamed Shrimp and other specials BINGO 7 PM	7 Steamed Shrimp and other specials	8 WINGS 50C wings most of the regular menu BINGO 7 PM	9 Juke Box Spare Ribs	10 Bar Bingo Limited menu & Possibly specials
11 Buffett Breakfast	12 Board Meeting 7PM	13 Steamed Shrimp and other specials BINGO 7 PM	14 SENIOR Bingo 930AM Stuffed Chicken, potato, vegetable	15 WINGS 50C wings most of the regular menu BINGO 7 PM	16 Juke Box Crab Imperial	17 Bar Bingo Limited menu & Possibly specials
18	19 Regular Meeting 7PM	20 Steamed Shrimp and other specials BINGO 7 PM	21 Steamed Shrimp and other specials BAR BINGO Wednesday	22 WINGS 50C wings most of the regular menu BINGO 7 PM	23 Juke Box Fried Chicken	24 Bar Bingo Limited menu & Possibly specials
25	26 Ladies of the Elks Meeting 7 PM	27 Steamed Shrimp and other specials BINGO 7 PM	28 Steamed Shrimp and other specials	29 WINGS 50C wings most of the regular menu BINGO 7 PM	30 Juke Box TBA	