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# Essex Elks News



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Hello,

Well, here we are, May already. I'd like to thank everyone who came to the awards and ER party it was a Great time! Thank everyone who helped and volunteered to make it a great time. Just would like to remind everyone to please attend and support Pat's Deck Party. Jim has always put a lot of his time into making these parties a success. heard he has some surprises planned.

Jim Kinard has told me he has to give up doing the bulletins so I'm asking if anyone would be willing to take this task over or just help, please contact me immediately, but at this time I like to personally thank Jim for doing such a GREAT JOB! Jim has been doing our bulletins for about 14 years and doing a GREAT JOB! So again I say Thank you Jim from me and on the behalf of our Lodge. So if there are any volunteers, please contact me for this opportunity or any other committee. On Memorial Day, and always remember our Veterans. Fraternally, Michael Greaver,

Exalted Ruler. State /VP

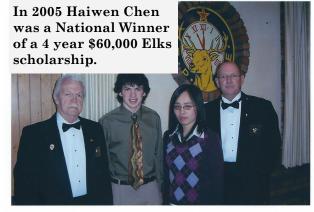
#### The Picture to the below is from Jim Boyd's ER Party March 26, 2005

In April 2004 I was asked by incoming ER Jim Boyd what could be done to cut the cost and improve the newsletter and I took on the task. It was being done and printed at a cost of over \$600 a month. We changed to Cougar printing. it was labeled and mailed USPS Bulk mail by a news letter committee which cut

the cost 50%. Currently it cost about \$140 a month for printing only for the mailed copies and for copies left in the Antler room. In addition a data base of over 500 email address of members was also created to cut the cost to the lodge.

This will be my last news letter and I am stepping aside. I strongly believe that we need to create a way to ensure our members read the news letter and take advantage of the many events we have. Sending it by email once seems like a good idea, but in this day and age so much gets lost in this fast paced world. members Keeping better informed will help continue our lodge's success with more participation. ELKS WEB <u>PAGÉ</u>

**5 pages** from the April 2004 news letter are in this issue. Times change but read those pages and see how much they are just like today. Jim Kinard



Left to right—YAC Bill Milburn, Joseph Dulny, Haiwen Chen and **Exalted Ruler Jim Boyd** 

#### Two Students receive Scholarships from the Elks Lodge

Essex Elks Lodge Exalted Ruler James H. Boyd, assisted by Youth Activities Chairperson Bill Milburn, presented scholarship checks and plagues from the Essex Elks Lodge to two very deserving students, Haiwen Chen and Joseph S. Dulny. Bob Feldpush also gave each student a check from the Past Exalted Rulers Association. Haiwen Chen is a graduate of Catonsville High School and will be attending Harvard University; Ms. Chen achieved a perfect score on her SAT. Joseph Dulny is a graduate of Perry Hall High School and will be attending Johns Hopkins University this fall. Each year the Essex Elks Lodge rewards deserving students with scholarships to continue their educations.

Essex Elks Lodge # 1866 At the Exalted Rulers Dinner Dance on March 26, 2005 the following awards were given

#### Essex Elk's

### Officers

Michael Greaver **Exalted Ruler** Geneil Dupack Est. Leading Knight Est. Loyal Knight Linda Greaver Vibbert Est. Lecturing Knight Margie Gessinger **Russ Blosser** Secretary Treasurer **Laurie Harrison** to be picked later in draft Esquire 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 Ron Hershey Trustee 4 Years **Ed Leonard** Trustee 3Years **Chuck Hale** Trustee 2 Years Jim Trent Trustee 1Years **Helen Gruzs** 

#### COMMITTEES

Affairs Ron Hershey Americanism Joseph McGeeney PER Audit **Bob Hood** Bingo 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 Investigations **Marie Cavev** Lodge Activities Emma Hasse, PER **Memorial Service** Geneil Dupack **Elks National Foundation** Diane Mattheu H. Lee Davis PSP

Youth Activities Radar & Tammy Mathena

Judy M. Numbers PER

Veteran Affairs

PER Chairperson

#### **HOUSE COMMITTEE**

Meeting April 9th 6 PM

ATTN MEMBERS: WE ARE LOOKING FOR HOUSE COMMITTEE MEMBERS FOR THE YEAR 2018-2019. Be directly involved in what goes on in the lodge. Come out and have fun with the daily running of the lodge. Contact Geneil if you are interested.

Sat. May 5th - Cinco De mayo special menu for bar bingo. Preakness party with stick horse racing May 19th starts at 3 PM Mothers day breakfast May 13th.

Next deck party: summer on the deck: 50's theme.

, House Chairperson Geneil Geneil@comcast.net 443-604-3109

## TRIVIA

1st Wednesday 7 PM
GREAT FUN and Prizes, You can play in groups.

## **BAR BINGO**

**3rd Wednesday 7 PM** Play Bar Bingo Same set of rules and games

#### Ladies of the Essex Elks #1866

will hold our next meeting on May 28, 2018 at the lodge at 7:00 p.m.

We would like to thank everyone who attended our luncheon bingo to help to make it successful. Once again the KITCHEN CREW , always there when we have needed them. There were so many names to remember, so a BIG THANK YOU TO YOU ALL. This is what it's about , helping one another ! Congratulations to the new lodge members for 2018-2019. A thank you to the ladies of the Elks Officers for 2017-2018 for a job well done and congratulations to the new officers for 2018-2019.

Happy Mother's Day to all the Mom's.

President Millie Kraemer

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Holds up to 225 People

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Gracious God, thank you for your grace and steadfast love. Please thank and give a special blessing to all mothers..

Chaplain Marie Cavey

# Preakness Party in the Antler Room

May 19th

3 PM until.... Games, Drink Specials and Food Specials.

Come race your own hobby horse, or one of ours
Prizes and
Giveaways

and even a HAT contest.

# CELEBRATE CINCO DE

MAYO DAY

MAY 5TH

## MARGARITA SPECIALS

special menu for bar bingo.



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## ALL YOU CAN EAT BREAKFAST BUFFET

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Hours 8AM to 11 AM
Made to Order Omelets

**April 15th** 

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

Geneil@comcast.net 443-604-3109

## ANTLER ROOM Menu

Tuesdays Nights
Steamed Shrimp

Wednesday Nights
Burger Night

Create your own burger with all the toppings of your choice

**Thursday Nights "Wings"** 

**Friday Nights** 

May 4 Italian night May 11 Pork chops May 18 Fried chicken

May 25 Regular menu

## **Elks Camp Barrett**

As Elks Camp Barrett Representative:

It's summer time finally and Camp Barrett is open. I hope you have already heard that the application are behind the bar and will be there as long as possible. The process is new this year, you just have to fill out the reservation paper (behind the bar) and give it to me and the rest of the application information the parents will be filling in on the internet at a link that I will send you as soon as I receive the child's reservation paper. Since this process is new if there are any questions or concerns please contact Linda Vibbert at 443-629-1905. Thank you to help our lodge send some kids in need to camp ECB IS THE PLACE 2 B!

As Est. Loyal Knight: I thank the lodge and it's members for once again having the confidence in me to re-elect me again this year to this chair and I will do my best for this lodge as an officer and committee chairman. Anyone interested on joining the Christmas Basket program committee, please see or contact me. Fraternally, Linda Vibbert, Esteemed Loyal Knight.

I am asking if anyone has an American Flag that they would like to be retired with respect to drop them off at the lodge and I as District Chairman will be working as close as possible with our Lodge Americanism chairman to schedule a flag retirement service. I thank everyone in advance in celebrating with us being proud American citizens, Patriotically, Linda Vibbert District Chairman of Americanism