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Message from the Exalted Ruler

Greeting fellow Elks!

The past month has been filled with lots of activities. The Mississippi State Elks Convention hosted by our Vicksburg Lodge, was a great success. Congratulations to all of those that worked to insure the Convention was enjoyed by all.

To honor our Veterans this Memorial weekend, on Saturday, May 26th, the Lodge hosted a free breakfast. Around 50 Veterans and wives were present. We hope to make this an annual event. A special thanks to Dusty McCain, who started the project and saw it through, with a lot of help.

JUNE 9TH - ANNUAL CRAWFISH BOIL

We will have crawfish, and hot dogs for the kids that don't eat crawfish. If you plan to eat crawfish, there is a sign-up list in the Lounge so we can get an estimate of how many pounds to buy. If you cannot sign-up at the Lodge, please call the Lodge and someone will sign your name on the list. Please look to Facebook and/or upcoming emails for the cost and serving time.

THE POOL IS OPEN!

Our new Pool Chairman, Donnie Whitehead has worked hard and has done a great job on getting the pool ready. We also have new pool furniture.

Please note: The pool cards have changed this year. If you lose your card, there will be a \$5 replacement fee.

Sunday June 17th at 2:00 PM the Lodge will hold "FLAG **DAY" ceremony.** All members are encouraged to attend.

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Yours in Elkdom. James E. "Jug" Jones Residential & Commercial Industrial Specialists

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VA HOSPITAL & STATE HOME VISISTS

On May 16th, 2018, four Vicksburg members—Rachael Cook, Tom Tinney, Pam Corulla and I - visited the Veterans Home in Jackson, MS. We enjoyed listening to a few Vets tell us about their time in the service (WW II and Viet Nam). Their sacrifices for our freedoms were unreal. We provided refreshments, and we hosted bingo for 20–25 Vets. We all had a great time.

We then visited the Veterans Hospital, and presented them with a very nice check received as a grant from Elks Grand Lodge. The grant will be used by the hospital to purchase an updated coffee and condiment station as the old one quit working. The caretakers and therapists thanked us profusely for the Elks and members of Vicksburg BPOE #95 for all the care and attention that we give to our Vets.

Next visits: Friday, June 1st to the VA Hospital and Wednesday, June 20th to the VA Home. Please call the Lodge if you are interested in helping with our monthly visits. "Our Vets, Our Freedom"

> Jim Corulla Lodge #95 Chairman Mississippi State Elk's Association **Veterans Services Commission**

FLAG DAY COMMEMORATION

Robin Person has graciously volunteered again to host the "Annual Flag Day" presentation and commemoration.

This year, it will be held on Sunday, June 17th at 2:00 pm.

Please come out and attend. This is always informative, and I can assure you, you will learn something new! Anyone wishing to bring finger-foods and refreshments will be greatly appreciated.

Kelly Franco

ELKS OFFICERS 2018-1019

Exalted Ruler: Jug Jones Leading Knight: Tom Quimby Loyal Knight: Rick Skinner

Lecturing Knight: Todd Downey

Tiler: Lane Smith

Secretary: Andrea Jones

5 Year Trustee— Dan Jackson

4 Year Trustee—Bud Lokey 2 Year Trustee—Gene Abbott **Treasurer: Jeff Crevitt**

Esquire: Dusty McCain

Inner Guard: Kelly Franco

Chaplain: Brittani Downey

3 Year Trustee- Mike Dorsett 1 Year Trustee- Richard Price

Many Thanks & Appreciation to all those who cooked, served and cleaned for the month of May

Dusty & Jeff: Brisket, Baked Beans & Potato Salad

Jug & Andrea Jones, Dusty: Fried/Baked Catfish, French Fries, Greens & Hush Puppies,

Junior Boyd, Jacques Parmegiani: Chicken Marsala. Creamed Potatoes & Mushroom Gravy,

Green Beans, Garlic Bread & Dessert

Richard & Cindy Price: Italian Breaded Pork Loin, Hash Brown Casserole, Green Beans, Salad Garlic Bread, Cake

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Sun	Mon		Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Please email to me, by the 3rd Thursday (or thereabouts) if you would like anything published in the bulletin! My email is: mississippi.queen_85@yahoo.com Thanks, Kelly Franco				MAY 31 7:00 DAVE & RACHAEL COOK MEATLOAF	VA Visit	ELKS GARAGE SALE
3	3-BALL POOL	5	6 6:15 GOVERNING BOARD & TRUSTEE MTG	7 7:00 TBA	8	9 CRAW- FISH BOIL
10	DARTS	12	13 7:00 REGULAR BUSINESS MTG	14 7:00 JUG JONES CATFISH Ladies Cake Raffle	15	16
17 2:00 FLAG DAY COMMEM- ERATION	TEXAS HOLD 'EM	19	VA Visit	21 6:15 Ladies Aux Mtg 7:00 TBA	22	23
24	25	26	7:00 REGULAR BUSINESS MTG	28 7:00 TBA	20	30

I would like to extend many thanks to the patrons of the Lodge, who supports us every week in buying the meals that are provided by our volunteers on Thursday nights. It certainly provides incentive to the ones that cook, clean, donate their time and prepare some excellent meals at a reasonable cost. Also, thanks to all that help buy food, clean, prepared and take money. Your help is always greatly appreciated.

Thanks! Jacques Parmegiani, Kitchen Coordinator

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AUXILIARY NEWS — JUNE 2018

Dear Ladies.

I hope you all had a great Memorial Day weekend. We had a good crowd at the Lodge for the Veteran's Breakfast, and it was a pleasure to serve those who have served us.

On Saturday, June 2nd, we will host our Annual Rummage Sale. Many families will be selling those no-longer needed items so be sure to come out and search for your treasures.

Saturday, June 9th, we have the Annual Crawfish Boil. This year commemorative t-shirts will be sold – if you are interested in eating crawfish and/or purchasing a t-shirt, be sure to sign up in the lounge.

Thursday, May 14th, is our monthly cake raffle. We will have several baked treats for the raffle, be sure to get your tickets. Thanks to all who support our monthly raffles. All money raised by the Auxiliary is used for the betterment of our Lodge.

Our next meeting will be on May 21st at 6:15 pm. Please plan to make this meeting. We have several matter to discuss. If you have never joined us, please come to a meeting, and see what we are all about.

Remember dues for the 2018-2019 year were due April 1st (\$10 for first time members and \$5 for existing members).

The Auxiliary Cookbooks are available at the Lodge for just \$10. There are some really awesome recipes in this cookbook - get yours today!

2018-2019 Auxiliary Officers

President – (Currently) Angela Jackson Vice President – Cindy Price Chaplain – Lou McDuff Secretary/Treasurer – Currently Unfilled

ANGELA JACKSON, Ladies Auxiliary President 2018-2019 Email: vulcanlady@gmail.com