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JULY 2018

Message from the Exalted Ruler

Greeting fellow Elks!

July 2018 holds a large significance to all Elks. One hundred fifty years ago several members of a New York social club, the Jolly Cork, decided to start their own club to evade the city's curfew for taverns. This became the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. The club has grown from the fifteen members to almost one million strong today.

Twenty years later Vicksburg Elks Lodge #95 was established on July 8, 1888. Today, our Lodge provides much help and enjoyment to our community. The members of this Lodge have a lot to be proud about.

This July 4th, hamburgers and hot dogs will be available around noon or so. Since we have a lot of members attending the National Convention this year, we will not conduct any meetings (Governing Board nor Trustees) the first week of July.

The Lodge has been rented July 27th thru July 29th for the Annual AA meetings. The social quarters will be open as usual, but entrance should be made through the pool room entrance.

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Yours in Elkdom,
James E. “Jug” Jones
Exalted Ruler, 2018-2019

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VA HOSPITAL & STATE HOME VISISTS

On June 1, 2018, Pam Corulla and I visited the VA Medical Center in Jackson, MS, to hold monthly bingo in the hospital's main dining room. We served refreshments of bananas, oatmeal cream pies, nabs, and fudge brownies.

Twenty-eight Vets played bingo. Bingo was also held in the psych ward with 14 Vets attending. They also enjoyed the snacks provided by Elks.

On June 20th, I and Tom Tinney made the trip to the VA Home in Jackson. We got there about 40 minutes early, and were able to visit and talk to some of the Veterans. One Veteran in particular told us, he was finished with his therapy, and he was going home to his wife. You can imagine how happy he was!

We served them refreshments and played bingo. There were multiple winners on four of the games. The monetary awards didn't seem to mean as much as winning. We had a lot of laughs with the 21 Vets attending.

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

ELKS OFFICERS 2018-1019

Exalted Ruler: Jug Jones **Esquire: Dusty McCain**
Leading Knight: Tom Quimby **Inner Guard: Kelly Franco**
Loyal Knight: Rick Skinner **Chaplain: Brittani Downey**
Lecturing Knight: Todd Downey
Tiler: Lane Smith

Secretary: Andrea Jones **Treasurer: Jeff Crevitt**

5 Year Trustee— Dan Jackson
4 Year Trustee—Bud Lokey **3 Year Trustee- Mike Dorsett**
2 Year Trustee—Gene Abbott **1 Year Trustee- Richard Price**

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

Dave & Rachael: Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Rolls & Cake

Jeff, Jacques & Junior: Fried Chicken, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Bread Pudding

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

Marty, Jeff, Jacques & Tom: Burritos, Mexican Rice & Corn, Cake

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Sun	Mon	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
1 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	2	3	4 4TH OF JULY HOT DOGS & 'BURGERS	5 7:00 TBA	6 VA Visit 	7
8	9 3-BALL POOL	10	11 7:00 REGULAR BUSINESS MTG	12 7:00 JUG JONES CATFISH Ladies Cake Raffle	13	14
15	16 DARTS	17	18 VA Visit 	19 6:15 Ladies Aux Mtg 7:00 TBA	20	21
22	23 TEXAS HOLD 'EM	24	25 7:00 REGULAR BUSINESS MTG	26 7:00 TBA	27 LODGE RENTED AA	28
29 LODGE RENTED AA	31	AUGUST 1	2 6:15 GOV'ING BOARD & TRUSTEE MTG	3 7:00 TBA	4	5

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

OUR PURPOSE:
TO KEEP THE MEMBERSHIP INFORMED

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AUXILIARY NEWS — JUNE 2018

Dear Ladies,

I wish all of you a happy and safe 4th of July, and I hope you have a wonderful month. Do what you can to keep cool. If you don't already have a pool membership, now might be a good time to join. Jump in and cool off!

Thursday, July 12th 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 July 19th @ 6:15 pm. Please plan to make this meeting. We have several matter to discuss. If you have never joined us, please join us for 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 \$10.00. 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