



HERD TALK



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Exalted Ruler's Message

April brings the start of a new chapter for our lodge as we move forward into the 2026–2027 fraternal year. I would like to thank everyone who attended and supported our **Installation of Officers on March 28**. It was a wonderful afternoon of tradition and fellowship, and I appreciate all who helped make the event a success—especially those who worked behind the scenes and contributed to the excellent dinner. I would like to extend a heartfelt THANK YOU to Nina Strang our outgoing Exalted Ruler for her continuing support and for allowing me to tag along with her this past year to soak up knowledge of the inner workings of Elks leadership.

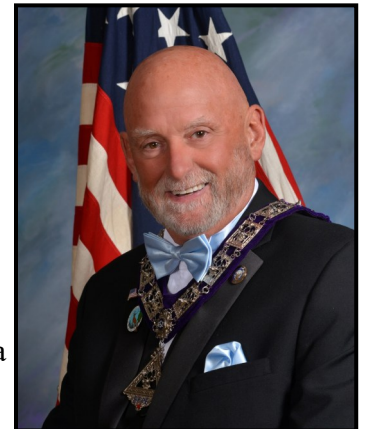
It is my pleasure and honor to lead an excellent team of officers as I begin my tenure as your Exalted Ruler for the 2026–2027 fraternal year. I look upon this not as a beginning, but as a continuation of the growth and progress that has been built over the past years.

As we move forward, there will be an emphasis on volunteers, new members, and giving back to our community. These are the foundations that keep our lodge strong and thriving.

The House Committee, which remains largely intact from last year, will continue their efforts to streamline lodge operations and improve efficiency. I will also be working closely with the Trustees on building improvements, ongoing and enhanced maintenance, and addressing our much-needed roof replacement. In addition, we will continue to recognize and appreciate all who participated in our March activities, including the Volunteer Appreciation Dinner, the Purple Pig Dinner, Cans for Kids, and our Lodge Recycling Challenge. Your support and involvement truly make a difference.

Beyond our work and service, we will continue to enjoy the social side of Elkdom—spending time together, strengthening friendships, and welcoming both long-time and new members into our lodge family. As a fourth-generation Californian who has called Humboldt County home for 55 years, I take great pride in being part of this Lodge and this community. I encourage each of you to invite a friend, attend an event, and help us continue to grow. As always, I look forward to working with each and every one of you to make this a successful and rewarding year. See you soon at the Lodge.

Fraternally,
Patrick Gillmore
Exalted Ruler, 2026–2027



Drug Awareness Program (DAP)

The Elks National Drug Awareness Program (DAP) is the largest of its kind outside of the federal government. There are many parts to the program; one part being the four contests open to our youth: Poster, Essay, and Pre-High School Video and High School Video contests. Youth from all over the United States participate in these contests. **There are 4 levels: Lodge, District, State and National.**

Our 1st Place winner in the Essay contest is Keely Evenson, 7th Grade at Sunny Brae Middle School in Arcata. She was presented with a Certificate of Achievement and a monetary reward of \$100. 2nd Place in the Essay is Evangeline Leary, 7th Grade at Sunny Brae Middle School in Arcata. She was presented with a Certificate of

Achievement and a monetary reward of \$50. The 6th Grade team entry from Sunny Brae Middle School, Arcata of Micah Harmon, Walker Grey, Asa Issac, Emerson Lamb, Damian Paz is the 1st Place winners in the Pre-High School Video contest. They were presented with Certificates of Achievement and a monetary reward of \$25 each. Their video also placed 1st in the CHEA Great Northwest District Pre-High School Video contest. The team will receive additional certificates along with a \$100 cash reward. Their video has been forwarded to the State contest with the winning video to be announced at the state convention in May .

Jack Harris, Lodge Drug Awareness Program Chairman

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Nina Strang.....Inner Guard
Sumit Sen.....Tiler
TBD.....Organist

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- 05 Cooney, Yvonne
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- 05 Rex, Robert
- 05 Simon, Dick
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- 07 Brimlow, Barbara L
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- 09 Comesi, Marino L
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- 11 Smith, Shelly
- 11 Strang, Nina
- 12 Crosswhite, Seth
- 12 Jadro-Bettiga, Ann
- 12 Pritchard, David
- 13 Belarde, Jan
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- 14 Fite, Michelle Harbin
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- 16 Willis, James O
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- 17 Smith, Stan
- 18 Derryberry, Jerry
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- 27 Miller, Don
- 27 Olson, Chad
- 27 Rosa, Joa A
- 28 Evansizer, Jesse
- 28 Keele, Charles
- 28 Kelly, Gabrielle
- 28 Liscom, Marie
- 28 McCue, James
- 28 Morris, Sam
- 28 Wright, George S
- 29 Arnold, Jerry
- 29 Friedenbach, Debra
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- 30 Geiger, Tiffany J
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- 30 Grinsell, Dennis
- 30 Seher, Bradley

Welcome to our Newly Initiated Members!

(Names listed alphabetically)

Gary M Bird, Richard
Hanger, Billy Wayne Hicks,
Jennifer Jacks, Rodney
Jackson, Renee Koher, Doren
Morgan, Brent Powell, Paden
Prior, Leonard Rousseau,
Melody Schnoerzinger,
Richard Tully, Robin Tully,
Todd Wagner



Leading Knight

A new year is upon us at Eureka Elks Lodge No. 652, and with it comes new opportunities, fresh challenges, and renewed excitement. It is truly an honor to serve as your Leading Knight this year, and I am looking forward to working alongside each of you to make the year ahead productive, engaging, and fun.

One of my main priorities this year will be supporting our new Exalted Ruler, Patrick Gillmore, as our lodge continues to grow and thrive. Together, we hope to build on the strong foundation established last year and move forward with energy and purpose.

Last year, I had the privilege of serving as the Elks National Foundation Fundraising Chair, and I want to extend a heartfelt thank-you to everyone who contributed. Because of your generosity and participation, I was able to successfully exceed my fundraising goal. Your continued support truly makes a difference in our community.

This year, my fundraising focus will be the California-Hawaii Elks Major Project, also known as the Purple Pig. This is a wonderful charity that provides critical support for children throughout our state. I encourage you to consider supporting this important cause whenever possible.

In addition to my role as Leading Knight, I also serve as the House Committee Chairperson. This position comes with its own unique challenges, as it oversees both the lodge's food service and bar operations. While demanding, it is a rewarding role,

and I appreciate everyone's patience, cooperation, and support as we work to keep our lodge running smoothly.

I would like to take a moment to offer a heartfelt thank you to all our volunteers. Without your dedication, time, and countless hours of service, our lodge simply would not exist. Everything we accomplish as a lodge is made possible by your commitment, and it does not go unnoticed or unappreciated.



Thank you all for your dedication to Eureka Elks Lodge No. 652. I look forward to a successful and exciting year together.

If you have any questions or need to reach me, please feel free to contact me at kayaker.brian@sbcglobal.net

Fraternally,

*Brian M Smith, Leading Knight
Eureka Elks Lodge #652
House Committee Chair
(707) 407-5553*



Hair By the Inch: Saturday, 4/11

Some people grow food to donate to charity, but Nina Strang, her son PJ Garza, and friend Stephanie Head will cut off their hair at the Elks Lodge on **April 11 at 11 a.m.** with hopes to raise \$3,000 for the Lodge's Roof Replacement Project and \$3,000 for Children with Hair Loss. **Drop off donations with Emily, the Lodge Clerk, cash or check.**



Mother & Son Cut Up for Charity!

PJ Garza (top)
Nina Strang (right)

Stephanie Head

Secretary's Corner

YOU SHOULD HAVE PAID YOUR ANNUAL DUES BY APRIL 1, 2026. THERE IS A GRACE PERIOD IN WHICH YOU CAN STILL PAY WITHOUT PENALTY. DUES ARE \$186 IF PAID NOW, AND \$196 IF PAID AFTER THE GRACE PERIOD. OUR LODGE IS THE BEST NIGHT CLUB IN TOWN FOR FOOD AND DRINK.

One issue is address changes. Members often change their address without telling us, and mail gets sent back. I had to drop 107 members, who had not paid their dues for 2024-2025. They will need to reinstate to enter the Lodge or any other Elks Lodge. Our ending count is 1,300 members in good standing.

Special award: Clay Flenniken, who served as our Exalted Ruler in 1993-1994, will be receiving an award from the Masonic Order on Saturday April 18 th at the Masonic Hall at 517 G Street, Eureka. This award is not given out on a yearly basis. Since 1981, 45 years ago, he will be the 29 th member to receive this award. The ceremony will start at 2:00 p.m. All are welcome to attend. No reservation is needed, just come and congratulate Clay.

I visit most District Lodges throughout the year as the District Leader. I can report that Eureka #652 is the most populace and most prosperous Lodge in

the District. I believe that's a reflection of the Membership. It takes a family, and the Eureka Elks Family is strong and healthy. It's about the Herd, and not the individual; however, I would like to compliment the Officers, Committees, and those who give their time to make our Lodge a nice place to enjoy.

I especially want to compliment Jerry Stewart, who is the incoming Loyal Knight. He brought in 13 new members this past year. He will get a very nice "Elks" watch from Grand Lodge.

Respectfully,

Brad Smith

PDDGER, District Leader, Lodge Secretary



I Know, You Know, I'm Serious

Loyalty is a word. His word. It's that adherence to our alliance when you want to abandon ship. It is standing firm on our cornerstone of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity.

When I joined this Lodge five years ago, it wasn't to find a husband, and look, I've done that. When I joined this Lodge five years ago it wasn't to become your accountant and look, I've done that. When I joined this Lodge five years ago it wasn't to become your chaplain and look, I've done just that. I joined this Lodge because I saw compassion within my most precious Humboldt community that I immediately connected with, steadfast roaming Elks with a passion for Veterans, Children, Our Elders.

Without my Elders, I wouldn't know Jesus. A Man whom I firmly believe died on a cross for me some whenever years ago. That Faith has been my guide thus far, never failing. Oh, I make mistakes daily, but thankfully I serve a mighty God whose grace is perfectly timed. As I step into the humbled chair of Chaplain, I pray each of you who walk through our Lodge do so, also, with a renewed Obligation of Brotherhood.

Fraternally,
Angela T., Chaplain





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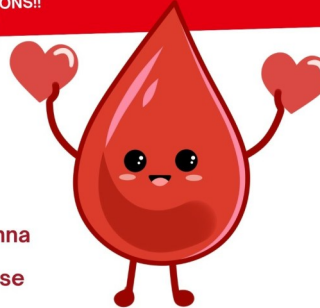
To date, the Elks have contributed 195 units to the Blood Bank!

MAY 6, 2026

2 LOCATIONS!!

ELKS LODGE
12PM-6PM

BLOOD BANK
2524 HARRISON AVE
8AM-6:30 P.M.



Please call Lynn McKenna at 707-443-9106 to schedule a time for these days.

Walks in are welcomed and encouraged at the Blood Bank anytime during the week of May 5th -9th. Be sure to tell them your with the Elks Lodge and we will get credit! Thank you!

Attention Mature Male Seniors!

We have a coffee club for men at the Elks; did you know that? To give you a little history of the club, I joined the Elks in 1998 with my sponsor Doug Knott, who introduced me to the BS Club, about 15 Elk men. Due to death and Elks roaming away, the club was down to 4; two old timers and two new BSers. We are actively seeking mature male seniors to join our BS Club to swap stories and news of the day. Opinions are all respected and at the end of each meeting we leave as Elk family. Right now, we take turns bringing goodies to share, homemade always welcomed. We meet from 8 a.m. until 9:30 a.m., Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Come find out if you are the perfect fit for our BS Club, and if you leave with more knowledge than you arrived, you didn't hang out with the BS Club.

Thank you — Sal Piazza, Bob Meng, Ernie Nunes, Brad Smth, Jim Olson, Charlie Blunk, Dave Prichard, Jim Pell, Dave Furtagd, Roger Lorenzetti

Veterans' Corner

“So long as there are veterans, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them.”

During dinner on March 9, 2026, the Veterans Committee presented a check for \$1,000 to the Cal Poly Humboldt Veterans Center. Their program, Veterans Enrollment and Transition Services (VETS), is dedicated to supporting Veterans, active duty, military, reserve component personnel, and their families. The program, during the fall semester, served 600 students. Services include advising, community-building and coordination of military and veteran-specific resources such as GI Bill support, CalVet Fee waivers, and more. In addition, the Center provides Workshops, Work-study and referrals programs, study areas and just a place to hang out.

Veterans Committee meetings are held at the lodge on the 2nd Monday of the month, 5:30 p.m. Our next meeting is April 13, 2026. We encourage you to join us. One does not have to be a veteran to serve on the committee.

Please contact: **Jack Harris**, Veterans Committee Chairman; jacknlou71@sbcglobal.net; 775-722-1778.



Pictured left to right: Lodge Veterans Committee Chairman, Jack Harris; Lodge Exalted Ruler, Nina Strang; Army Warrant Officer Retired, Rebekah Bell; Veterans Program Coordinator, Dalin Campbell; Lodge Leading Knight, Patrick Gillmore and Lodge Veterans Coordinator, Pierre Carbonneau. For lodge information visit www.elks652.org

Eureka Elks Lodge No. 652

Will Present its Annual

Flag Day Ceremony

Saturday, June 13, 2026 at 12 noon



This is a wonderful patriotic event to celebrate the history of our nation's flag from the earliest "Pine Tree" flag to our current "Stars and Stripes."

Eureka Elks Lodge is proud to invite the following organization to participate in this ceremony:

- Eureka Emblem Club No. 298
 - Boy Scout Troop No. 54
 - Boy Scout Troop No. 27
- International Order of Jobs Daughters Bethel No. 86
- Mad River Community Veterans Honor Guard
- Eureka Commandry No. 35, Knights Templar

Members, family and friends are invited.

Hosted lunch of hot dogs will be served after the ceremony.

Volunteer Award Dinner Held



Photo submitted by Bill Lambo

Eureka Elks Lodge No. 652 held its award dinner to honor those members who contribute their time to the community and the lodge. The volunteers take the time to work for the many needs of the lodge. From helping in the lounge, RV park, newsletter, landscaping and working in the kitchen. They are the backbone of the lodge and without them the lodge would suffer. Pictured from left to right: Citizen of the Year, Jan Carr; Lodge Exalted Ruler, Nina Strang; Volunteer of the Year, Debbie Stewart; and Elk of the Year, Angela Toland. Not pictured, Officer of the Year, Scotty Thomason.



49TH ANNUAL PEACE

OFFICERS APPRECIATION NIGHT!

Thursday April 9th, 2026

No Host Bar Cocktails – 5:30 pm

Cook Your Own Steak Dinner – 6:30 pm

Cost \$18.00 for Peace Officers and Spouses

Other guests \$28.00

Eureka Elks Lodge #652

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Reservations Required Call 442-6652

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you are invited to

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EUREKA ELKS LODGE No. 652

The Friendly Corner

Happy Spring, Everyone!

Meet one of our Bartenders, Chris. He has been bartending for 4-1/2 years. Chris is an avid bike rider and will be riding in the upcoming Annual Fallen Peace Officers ride, as he is a retired APD officer. The ride covers 300 miles over four days, beginning in New Jersey and ends at the National Law Enforcement Museum in Washington, DC. This will be his 13th year of participation. Let's wish him safe travels.

April 7, 2026 is National Beer Day in honor of Prohibition being repealed so ALL beer will be \$1 off that day. Come in and enjoy a brew and sit out on the deck if the sun is out!"

From Your Friendly Bartender Staff

Lodge Presents \$500 checks to high school students



Eureka Elks Lodge No. 652 presented six \$500 checks to local high school students.

Pictured from left to right: from St. Bernards: Anthony Pena-Pimental; Arcata High, Quaid Aitken and Siri Caruso; Lodge Exalted Ruler, Nina Strang; from Arcata High: Gemma Caruso; Hoopa High, Monteya Colegrave and South Fork High, Travis Way.

Elks National Foundation Community Investments Program Grants

The Elks National Foundation (ENF) has invested more than \$18 million directly to Community Investments Program Grants (CIP) in Lodge communities. Community Investments Grant projects improve the quality of life in places where Elks live and work. Grant funding is distributed by lodges through Community Service, Military Active-Duty Support, Veterans Assistance, and Youth Support projects. Over the past year Eureka Lodge #652 used the following ENF funding to provide community support with the following grants:

- Beacon Grant = \$4000 – Boys and Girls Club Kids Clubhouse Project (Community Service/Youth Support)
- Spotlight Grant = \$2500 – Pine Hill/South Bay Schools Food Gift Cards for Food Bags for Low Income student families during Winter Break (Youth Support)
- Gratitude Grant = \$3500 – Food for People (Community Service)
- Freedom Grant = \$1000 – North Coast Veterans Stand Down – Evening Meal (Veteran Services)

2025-2026 Grant Distribution = \$10,500. Since 2014 the lodge has distributed \$73,500 into the community through grant funding. ENF Grant-funded community support projects is just one of the multiple ways that emphasizes our lodge's commitment to the order's motto: "Elks Care, Elks Share."

*Jack Harris
Lodge Grant Coordinator*





Howard: The Bingo Champ!

April bingo Dates:
Sundays, April 12 & April 19
3—5 p.m. Lounge Area

Antler Sign-Ups Successful

At the March 21 Children’s Easter Party, many signed up for the new Antler Program. Look for more announcements this spring for this fun, new program at the Lodge. The children have some pretty awesome ideas they think will be fun for them and for the enjoyment for our lodge members.

Linda & Jeanette



Submissions for Herd Talk are due no later than the Monday before the last Friday of the month by 5 p.m. No exceptions!

Thank You to the Donors for the 125th Birthday Event

The 125th Birthday fundraising committee would like to thank all of those who donated to our raffle baskets over the past few months. Your donations do not go unappreciated, and you were all so amazing to donate local items.

Special thanks to the following members from Barbe Fields and Pam Newby, volunteers:

Jim Olson, Nina Strang, Patrick Gillmore, Chris Wilson, Brian

Smith, Dana Harris; Sue, Lori, Bob & Jeanette Bartley; Rachelle Aubry, Janet & Brad Smith, Pam Newby, Ann S, Rena Forbes, Lawana S, Marie Allen.

To all the local businesses, thank you for your support in sponsoring the gift baskets.

Your contributions of gift cards, gift certificates, local items, and kindness.

These businesses include the following:

- See’s Candy
- Stars Hamburgers
- Shafer’s Ace Hardware
- Living the Dream Ice Cream
- Harbor Lanes
- Lost Coast Brewery
- Old Growth Cellars
- B2 Squid
- Frankie's New York Bagels
- Bella Baskets/Humboldt Marketplace
- Green Lot Nursery
- Three Corners Market
- Debbie and Jerry Stewart

April 2026

Reservations for
Friday Night
Dinner
Thursday by 5pm

Reservations for Wednesday
Night Dinner Tuesday by 5pm
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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Lounge Open Sat-Thurs 2-7pm Friday 2-10:30pm Sunday 2-6pm	Bar Food *** Hot Dogs Nachos French Fries		1 Lasagna Dinner 6pm W/ Kathy J. & Crew Lodge Meeting 7pm Roamers 5 pm	2 Cribbage 1pm	3 CYOS w/Monica & Spice Brigade 6:30pm Mojo Rockers	4 ESE 5-10pm
5 CLOSED 	6	7 PER Meeting 5:30pm	8 Meatloaf PER Dinner 6pm Orientation 7pm	9 Cribbage 1pm Peace Officers CYOS Dinner 6:30pm	10 Chicken Fried Steak W/ Debbie & The Knuckleheads, 6:30 pm Jim Lehman Band	11 HAIR BY THE INCH FUNDRAISER 11AM ESE 4-10pm
12 Bingo 3-5pm Philly Cheese Steak Sandwiches \$12	13 House Committee 4:30 Veterans 5:30pm	14 125th Birthday Meeting 4:30pm Trustees 5:30pm	15 Fiesta Dinner 6pm w/Silvia & Crew Lodge Meeting 7pm Initiation	16 Cribbage 1pm	17 ESE 7:30am-3pm CYOS Tim & Crew 6:30pm, Dr. Squid	18 ESE 11-5pm
19 Sons of Italy Ck & Polenta Feed, 4-8pm Bingo 3-5pm Bar Food	20	21 Emblem Mtg 6:30pm	22 Rock Cod W/ Silvia & Crew 6pm	23 Cribbage 1pm	24 RITUAL CONTEST CYOS Dan & Lawana 6:30pm, Night Hawk	25 RITUAL CONTEST ESE 5-10pm
26 RITUAL CONTEST ESE 1-3pm	27	28	29 Rib Dinner W/Nelson & Crew 6 pm Jenga 7pm	30 Cribbage 1pm	Wednesday Night Dinner \$20 Rib Night \$22	4/10: \$25 CYOS Night Dinners Steak \$32 Chicken \$24 Steam \$18



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Lots of Fun Happens at the Elks Lodge #652!



Howard: The Bingo Champ!

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Photos submitted by Howard Ritter



Top pic: Robert Davis and Brad Smith

Right photo, from left to right: Charlie Blunk, Brad Smith, Tammy Davis, Robert Davis



Our Great Volunteers Working on the RV Park Picnic Table Project!