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August was another busy and successful month at the Lodge, with plenty of opportunities for fellowship, community service, and just having a good time with our fellow Elks. One of the highlights of the month was the Northwest District Jamboree, held August 14-17 in Lakeport, California. Representatives from each of the Lodges throughout our district were in attendance, and a great time was had by all. There were games, food, fellowship, and plenty of camaraderie throughout the weekend.

The Northwest District Jamboree Raffle drawing on Saturday night was certainly a highlight. Eureka Lodge members did very well, which is not too surprising considering that our Lodge sold more raffle tickets in the district than any other Lodge.



Congratulations to all of the winners:

- \$100 – John Dimmick, Eureka Lodge \$100 – Malcolm Doyle, Petaluma Lodge
- \$250 – Tim Ayers, Eureka Lodge \$500 – Curtis Vincent, Vacaville Lodge
- \$750 – Larry Rosetti, lodge affiliation unknown \$1,000 Grand Prize – James Ross, Eureka Lodge

Thank you to everyone who supported the raffle. Your participation helps support activities throughout our district and our Elks programs.

Another August highlight was our Coast Guard Dinner, held just before the Jamboree at the Eureka Lodge on the 13th. It was a great evening and an opportunity to recognize and honor the men and women who protect our coastline and perform vital rescue operations. We appreciate their service and dedication to our community. This was a joint effort with the Rotary Clubs of Eureka, Dinners for on duty personnel were delivered by Eureka Mayor Kim Bergel.

We closed out the month on August 23 with a fantastic barbecue brisket dinner organized by DDGER Alan Bobillot, Leading Knight Brian Smith, and Loyal Knight Jerry Stewart. Debbie and the Knuckleheads put together the side dishes, and together they served up a tremendous feast enjoyed by more than 130 members, guests and traveling Elks from other Lodges. This special dinner was a fundraiser for CHEA Major Projects (Purple Pig) and Elks National Foundation (ENF). To add to the fun, we had a mechanical bull, and there were plenty of entertaining rides and laughs throughout the afternoon. A big thank-you goes out to everyone who helped make the event such a success.

Looking Ahead to September

On September 10, we will hold our annual Backpacks for Kids event, with assistance from our Lodge's Antlers members. This is an important program that helps local children get ready for the school year, and we appreciate everyone who helps make it possible.

On September 12, the Veterans Committee will present its annual Car Show, headed by Pierre Carbonneau and his crew. This is always a great event, so come out, check out the cars, and support our Veterans Committee.

On September 20, the Emblem Club will sponsor a night of Bunco. Come out, have some fun, and enjoy an evening with your fellow members. We will also have Bingo presented by the Redwood Roamers on **September 6 and September 27**, so mark your calendars and plan to join us.

As you can see, there is always something happening at your Lodge. I encourage everyone to come out, enjoy a meal or an event, spend some time with old friends, and take the opportunity to meet some new ones. Thank you for your continued support of our Lodge and all that we do for our members and our community. I hope to see you at the Lodge!

Fraternally,

Patrick Gillmore

Exalted Ruler, 2026–2027 rpgillmore@yahoo.com

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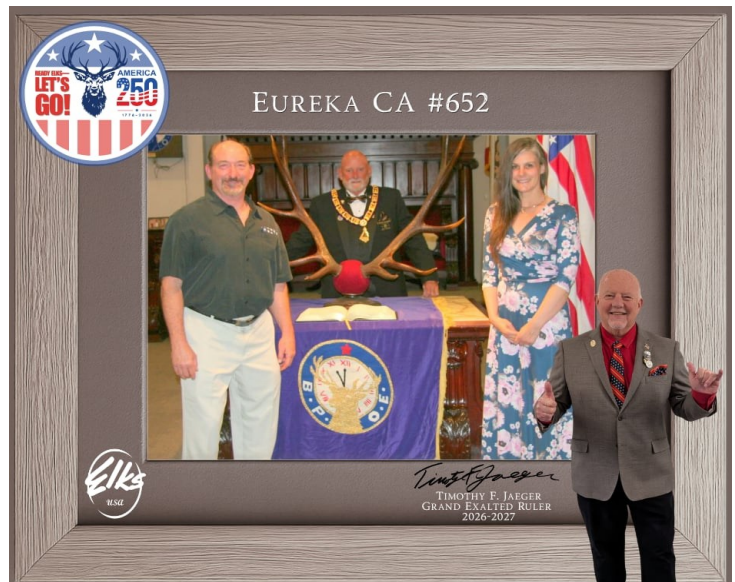
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Welcome to our Newly Initiated Members!

*Meet our two
new members
who joined the
lodge at the
August 18th
Lodge meeting.*

*Pictured left
to right: Brian
Vignati, Exalted
Ruler Pat
Gillmore, and
Whitney
Robinson.*



*Make sure to make them feel welcome and thank
them for joining our Lodge.*

Leading Knight

Volunteering: It's What Elks Do!

Fellow Elks,

Our lodge thrives because of you. Every event that fills the Eureka Elks Lodge with laughter, great food, and good company depends on the hands and hearts of volunteers. From welcoming members at the door to preparing delicious meals and keeping the bar running smoothly, these roles turn ordinary evenings into memorable ones. And the best part? You don't have to do it alone. Many hands truly make light work—and many friends along the way. Training is available for every position, so no prior experience is needed—just a willingness to learn and be part of the team.

Whether you can give a few hours once a month or more often, there's a place for your talents.

Here's how you can make a difference:

Bartenders - Almost every event needs one, two, or even three friendly faces behind the bar. Training is available, so no experience is required—just a willingness to learn and enjoy the camaraderie. Interested? Reach out to our Bar Managers, Rena Forbes or Jan Belarde, to get started.

Cooking & Kitchen Help - Whether you'd like to lead as a head cook or lend a hand as an assistant, the kitchen is where the magic (and the delicious aromas) happen. It's easier than you might think. Join the team and you'll quickly feel at home creating the meals that bring everyone together.

Servers - Help deliver those wonderful meals to tables with a smile. It's a great way to connect with members and guests while keeping the evening flowing smoothly.

Greeters - Be the friendly first face members and their guests see. Greeters check membership cards and sign in guests—an important responsibility that helps protect our lodge's 501(c)(8) tax status. It's also one of the best ways to meet new people and ease into volunteering. Hours vary by event.

Cashiers - Check names against the event list and sell tickets. Training is provided, and most shifts last about two hours (they can vary). Once you're comfortable, you may work solo for smaller gatherings or with a partner for bigger ones.

Volunteering is simple and rewarding. Scan the QR code or visit the link below, then share your name, contact information, areas of interest, and available hours. One of our volunteer coordinators will be in touch soon. Prefer a personal chat? Stop by the Eureka Elks Lodge Office anytime.

Your lodge needs you—and you'll gain far more than you give: new friends, a stronger sense of community, and the satisfaction of knowing you helped make every event a success.

Start experiencing the rewards of volunteering today. We can't wait to welcome you!

Brian M Smith, Leading Knight

Eureka Elks Lodge #652

House Committee Chair (707) 407-5553



Join the Eureka Elks Lodge Crew!

VOLUNTEER WITH US!

Are you looking to give back to your Lodge community? The Elks Lodge is seeking dedicated volunteers to help us around the Lodge. There is something to do for everyone!

Ways to Get Involved :

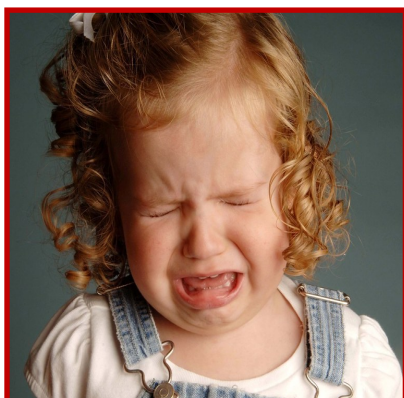
- Door Greeter
- Cashiers
- Servers
- Kitchen Help (No experience Needed)
- Bartenders/ Barbacks
- Herd Talk Mailing
- Yard Work

VOLUNTEER INTEREST FORM

<https://forms.gle/LYcTwQ1Z68sSgRtu8>

PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE OR TYPE IN THE URL ABOVE TO FILL OUT OUR VOLUNTEER INTEREST FORM. A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE WILL REACH OUT UPON GETTING YOUR RESPONSE.

THANK YOU!



CRYING TOWEL

Trevor Atkins, Thomas Conlon,
Reynaldo Newland, Ken Suiker, Robert
Miller, Pat Freeze, Thomas Jackson
Brown and Jennifer Jacks.



Secretary's Corner

Dues and Member News

Some of you have gotten a renewal letter that indicates you haven't paid your current dues when in fact you have. Please let me know so I can make sure the records are correct. This is the time of the year when these mistakes are easily corrected. Lapsation is looking good for the year. We are at about 10 percent. Many who are delinquent are paying. Thank you very much for supporting the Lodge. Once again, I believe we will reach 1,400 members. There are 17 in the line right now.

Cost analysis for Club Operations

I have a concerns over the cost of goods versus income for food and beverage service. This is for several reasons, none of which stand alone. One reason is that we give each and every volunteer that participates in preparing and serving a meal a *gratis* meal. One is the fact that we have fewer members and guests eating their meals here. One is the high cost of buying food to serve.

We have fewer members and their guests eating meals. This is demonstrated by a reduction in income over last year to date for food service in spite of the increase in what we charge. This has led to a reduction in total income year to date for the Lodge. Historically, Friday nights have been well attended with enough members and guests to cover the costs of food and the band. The cost of the band, which is about \$700, is split between the food and bar service.

Friday night typically has about 12 to 15 volunteers that prepare and serve food, tile the door, tend the bar and cashier. Each has the opportunity to receive a *gratis* meal. Unfortunately, fewer members are eating Friday night meals, which means the additional costs of giving our volunteers gratis meals adds to the cost of goods.

The increase in the cost of buying food to prepare for resale has jumped up dramatically over the past two years. Those of us who occasionally eat out at a restaurant will attest to the fact that some meals have doubled in price. This is especially true when ordering beef or fish. The number of times a person eats out has dropped for most of us.

My job as Lodge Secretary is to provide the Lodge with numerical data for the House Committee to use in understanding issues and finding solutions. My job as a Past Exalted Ruler of this Lodge and a current

District Leader is to point out issues to all District Lodges, and to assist them in resolutions.

The problem is clearly the high costs of providing meals and drinks to our membership and their guests. The solution is to reduce that cost. **I see three areas of concern:** the free food and drink given away, the lack of members eating and drinking, and the high cost of the products we sell.

Fortunately, our Lodge has volunteers who prepare and serve the food and alcohol we eat and drink. We can't survive without our volunteers, and they deserve consideration. I encourage each of them to participate in discussions with the intent of finding solutions.



I encourage each member of the Lodge to come and enjoy Wednesday and Friday night meals with fellow Elks and their guests. I also encourage members to use the Lodge for birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, or any other special occasion. Our Lodge serves 16 oz. steaks (raw cut) and we either serve New Yorks or Rib Eyes, depending on the cost at the time. You can't get that along with a salad bar and desert for \$32 anywhere.

The House Committee in our Lodge is the managing body for the club. The Club includes the Dining Room and Bar. Ultimately, the House Committee decides what to buy and the selling price. The Committee is aware of the issues and problems. I believe they are working hard towards solutions.

Those of you who have suggestions should write them down and put them in the suggestion box next to the reception office for the House Committee to review and consider. This is your Lodge, please participate.

Respectfully,

Brad Smith
PDDGER, District Leader
Lodge Secretary





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Loyal Knight

First off, I would like to introduce our winner of the Blackstone griddle. **Kim Jewel** has been a member of our lodge for about a year and a half. Congratulations and I hope you enjoy it!! I want to thank everyone who purchased tickets!

We are more than halfway into the Traeger smoker raffle. You can purchase tickets on Wednesday and Friday nights before dinner. If you are unable to make it on one of those nights and would like to purchase tickets, please leave a message in the office and I will get back to you.

Tickets are \$10 each or 5 for \$40. The drawing is on September 4, 2026 after dinner. Just in time for the Labor Day weekend. You will have everything you need to kick off your long weekend. We will post next month who our lucky winner is.

In case you missed it, Sunday, August 23 was our Second Annual Texas Brisket BBQ and bull riding event. It was a long, exhausting day, but we had a great turnout, and I think everyone had a good time. I would like to thank everyone, on behalf of the Elks National Foundation, who came out to help support this charity. A special **"Thank you!"** to all the volunteers who spent most of the day, and a few of us some of our night, to make this event happen. One huge **Thank You** to Alan Bobillot for not only the use of his smoker, but the time and effort he put in to guide a couple of Knuckleheads on how to make the brisket. I believe both charities, ENF and Purple Pig, did very well.

After the Traeger raffle is done, I will have a month off from fundraising. That is to make way for two fundraisers in October. **On October 3, we are hosting the Elk's Fun Run and Poker Run.** Anyone who rides a motorcycle is welcome to join.

- We will start registration at 10 a.m.

- Registration is \$20 per bike.

At the same time as registration, if you would like to purchase a poker hand, you will be able to do so. **Poker hands are \$5.** If you would like to increase your chances of a great hand, you can purchase an extra card for \$5. Kickstands up at 11 a.m. with a ride south.

Everyone will meet back at the lodge for BBQ hamburgers and sides. We will have a few raffle prizes to round out the day. Hope to see you there.



If that isn't enough, we are having our Annual Oktoberfest dinner on October 10th.

There will be pork schnitzel, German potato salad, and more. Cocktails at 5 p.m. and dinner at 6 p.m. Dinner cost is \$35. There will be a couple of special raffle items. We will have prizes for the best costumes so be sure to wear your **Lederhosen or Dirndl**. This has been a popular dinner so be sure to make reservations.

Myself, the Elk's National Foundation, and Eureka Lodge #652, appreciate all the support and I thank you. Hope to see you around the lodge.

Jerry Stewart

Loyal Knight

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2027 Drug Awareness Program Contest: A Healthy Me Is Drug Free

The purpose of the DAP Poster Contest is to involve children, schools and parents in the Elks Drug Awareness Program. Three contests are available for students of different ages.

Poster Contest: (grades 3rd, 4th and 5th) Posters should be submitted on 8½" × 11" inch paper.

Essay contest: (grades 6th, 7th and 8th) Length: No longer than 250 words. Paper size: 8½" × 11" Text: Typed, computer generated text, handwritten or hand printed.

Video contest: Pre-High School, High School. Participants may be an individual or group. Length of the video should be 2 to 5 minutes

and on a flash drive or similar "mobile" media in readable format.

Eureka Lodge #652 will also award **\$100** to each contest winner from the local community. Each Elks District will also award **\$100** to each contest winner from the district. Awards by the California and Hawaii Elks Association for each contest include;

\$400 1st place
\$300 2nd place
\$200 3rd place

All Entries must include Student's Name, Age, School and Contact Information: email and phone number. Entry deadline: December 1, 2026. Entries may be mailed directly to DAP Chairman at 2379 Ariel Way, Arcata, CA,

95521 or dropped off at the Elks Lodge at 445 Herrick Ave., Eureka, CA.

Contact: <https://chea-elks.org/youth-activities/drug-awareness> or Jack Harris at jacknlou71@sbcglobal.net for more information.

I am making a special request to members to assist in promoting the contest by sharing the information with others and encouraging your children to submit entries. Lodge winners are guaranteed \$100. There very well may be another "National Winner" submitted again this year.

Jack Harris, DAP Chairman

The Friendly Corner – At the Bar!

Do you feel that? The days are getting a little shorter, the mornings a little more crisp, leaves are changing color, kids heading back to school and...yes, it's FOOTBALL SEASON!!!

Whether you like high school, college, professional or all of them, football season tends to arouse a spirit of passion for your favorite team. Will this be their year? Will they win the big game? Will you win your Fantasy Football League? Football gives us a sense of camaraderie with those who like the same team as us and friendly trash-talking with those who do not.

To start the first week of the regular season, the 49'ers are playing the Rams Thursday night, September 10, at 5:30 p.m. on Netflix. For those who don't have Netflix at home, bartenders Jan and Jody will be serving up Hot Dogs, Chili and French Fries and of course ice cold beer or your drink of choice.

So come on out and root on your Niners (or your Rams) and let's get this season started!

See you at the Lodge!

From your Bartender Staff



Adventures of The Redwood Roamers

Rolling Through the Redwoods

This past month our Redwood Roamer adventure took us to the magnificent Ancient Redwoods RV Park along the Avenue of the Giants! This scenic drive winds through some of the tallest and oldest trees in the world, offering plenty of opportunities for sightseeing, short walks, photography, relaxing and visiting with fellow Roamers.

A big thank-you to the Pancosts and Stromstads for leading this outing. We had a craft day making Fairy (Garden) Wands and dinner in Miranda, with half going to the Avenue Café and the other half going to the Redwood Palace. We finished the outing with the Neilsen crew doing a Kleen Tank procedure on a couple of the Roamer Rigs. A lot of information shared regarding your holding tanks.

RV Knowledge: Did You Know?

- Check your tire pressure when the tires are cold. Heat from driving increases the pressure and can give an inaccurate reading.
- RV tires may need replacing because of age even when the tread still looks good. Check the date code printed on each tire.
- Before leaving a campsite, do a complete walk-

around. Check the awning, steps, antennas, windows, storage doors, hookups and anything beneath the rig.

- Use a water-pressure regulator when connecting to campground water. It helps protect your RV's plumbing from unexpectedly high pressure.
- Keep some water in your black-water tank after dumping. A completely dry tank can allow waste to harden and cause problems.
- Test your smoke, propane and carbon-monoxide detectors regularly.

Know the height of your RV—including air conditioners and antennas—and keep it written on paper somewhere near the driver's seat.

Until our next adventure, may your roads be smooth, your campsites level and your campfires full of laughter!

Happy Roaming!
Crystal Arbuthnot,
Wagon Master



YOU'RE INVITED TO
EUREKA ELKS LODGE

*Friday Night
Dinners*

9/4	CYOS NIGHT W/ KATHY & CREW CLAIRE BENT & CITIZEN FUNK	6:30p
9/11	CYOS NIGHT W/ DEBBIE & THE KNUCKLEHEADS ALMOST DANGEROUS	6:30p
9/18	CYOS NIGHT W/ CHRIS & CREW BACKSTREET BAND	6:30p
9/25	CYOS NIGHT W/ BARRY & CREW BLUE RYTHM REVIEW	6:30p

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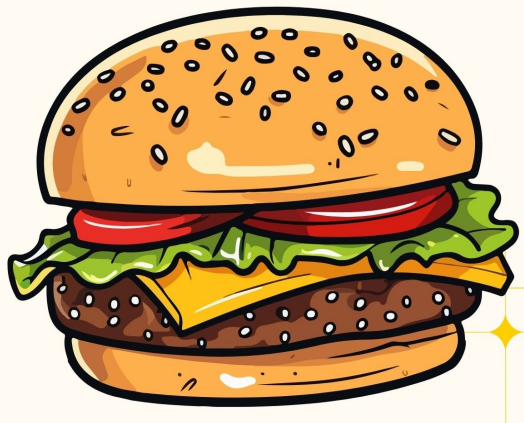


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call 707-442-6652! Thank you!

Antlers Happenings

Linda West and Cooper (Antler) will hold Antler gatherings the last Wednesday of each month at 4 p.m. Meetings are located in the back corner of the Lodge. Parents, grandparents are welcome to see what we do for our Lodge and how this youth program is beginning. Our age group is for young people ages 9 to 12 years old.

September 10, Stuffing Backpacks — with Sharie Bialous and volunteers. Time to be announced.

September 12, Help with Tickets at the Car Show's Hot Dog/Food Stand

And That's No BULL!



Pictured at left: Shawna Bobillot rides the mechanical bull on August 23 at the Texas Brisket Dinner. Above photo provided by Crystal Arbuthnot, Roamers Wagon Master. (Names not provided.)

Elks Lodge #652 Veterans Car & Motorcycle Show

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

Elks Lodge #652 proudly presents the 9th Annual Veterans & Guests Car & Motorcycle Show — Saturday, Sept. 12, 2026, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Known throughout the community as "The Friendly Show," this annual event brings together veterans, families, friends, car and motorcycle enthusiasts, and local businesses for a day of fellowship, appreciation, and community support.

Each year, hundreds of participants and spectators attend to celebrate our veterans while helping raise funds that directly benefit Elks Lodge #652 Veterans programs and promote veteran support and awareness throughout Humboldt County. The Elks Lodge #652 Veterans Committee organizes this event as its largest annual fundraiser. Proceeds allow us to continue

providing valuable services to local veterans and strengthen our ability to secure additional funding through the Elks National Veterans Service Commission grants.

One of our proudest accomplishments is establishing and maintaining a food pantry at the local Veterans Clinic. This pantry provides nutritious food and protein snacks to veterans experiencing medical treatments or emergencies, as well as take-home food bags for those in need. The pantry is restocked three to four times each year through the generosity of our community, local businesses, and volunteers.

To further support this mission, we have partnered with Veterans And Beyond Food Pantries, Inc., a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. This partnership allows us to more effectively accept donations and provide tax-deductible receipts to our generous sponsors and contributors.



SEPTEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	House Com. Mtg 4:30pm	1 Trustees Mtg 5pm	2 Hungarian Goulash w/ Kurt & Crew \$18, 6pm Roamers Mtg 5 pm Lodge Mtg 7pm	3 Cribbage 1pm	4 CYOS Night w/ Kathy & Crew 6:30pm Claire Bent & Citizen Funk	5 ESE 11:30-3pm
6 BINGO (Bar Food) 3-5pm	7 EHS C/O '65 2pm Vet Com. Mtg 5:30pm	8	9 1/2lb Fresh Gound Burgers & Fries w/ P.E.R.s \$18, 6pm Orientation 7pm	10 Cribbage 1pm Back To School Backpack Stuffing 5:30pm 49ers vs Rams 5:30pm Hotdog, Beer & Chips \$8	11 CYOS Night w/ Debbie & Knuckle Heads 6:30pm Almost Dangerous	12 Veterans Car Show 8:30-3pm Raffle, Food & Trophies See Flyer In this Herd Talk ESE 5-10pm
13	14 House Com. Mtg 4:30pm	15 Emblem 6:30pm Trustees Mtg 5pm F & G Mtg 5:30pm	16 Dijon Roasted Pork Loin, Salad, Green Beans, Garlic Mashed Potatoes W/ Silvia \$20, 6pm Lodge Mtg & Initiation 7p.m.	17 Cribbage 1pm	18 CYOS Night w/ Chris & Crew 6:30pm Backstreet Band	19 ESE 4-10pm
20 Emblem Club Bunco (see Nina for info) 1-3pm \$17	21	22	23 TBD W/ Debbie & Chris \$20 6pm	24 Cribbage 1pm Rotary Best of the Wurst 5pm	25 CYOS Night w/ Barry & Crew 6:30pm Blue Rythm Review	26 Ride for Autism 11:30-2:30 ESE 5-10pm
27 BINGO (Chili Dogs/Fries) 3-5pm	28	29	30 RIB Night w/Chris & Nelson \$22 6pm Jenga 7p.m Antlers Mtg 4pm	CYOS Prices: Steak: \$32 Chicken: \$24 Steam: \$18 ESE - Special event P.E.R.- Past Exalted Ruler	BAR HOURS: MON-SAT: 1:30p-7pm SUN: 1:30-6pm	

Dinner Reservations **MUST** be called in **by 5p.m** the night before a dinner. Please call 707-442-6652.

Eureka Elks Lodge No. 652

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Electronic Service Requested

WIN \$200

Each Regular Meeting has an attendance drawing where two members are randomly drawn by computer. Each winner receives \$200 if they are present.

EUREKA ELKS LODGE

SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT THE ELKS LODGE UNTIL SEPT 9!

STUFF THE BACKPACK EVENT ON SEPT 10TH @ 5:30

ITEMS NEEDED

- BACKPACKS
- NOTEBOOKS
- PENS & PENCILS
- ERASERS
- CRAYONS, COLORED PENCILS & MARKERS
- RULERS
- BINDERS & FOLDERS
- CALCULATORS
- GLUESTICKS
- SCISSORS
- ZIPPER PENCIL POUCHES
- WATER BOTTLES
- FOLDERS

LAST YEAR THE ELKS PROVIDED 200 BACKPACKS WITH SUPPLIES. OUR GOAL THIS YEAR IS TO PROVIDE 250 BACKPACKS FOR LOCAL STUDENTS & SCHOOLS.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND SUPPORT!
PLEASE CALL CLERK W/ QUESTIONS @ 707-442-6652

Eureka Lodge #652 presents

Oktoberfest Dinner

Cocktails at 5pm
and dinner at 6pm

Special raffle after dinner.

October 10th

\$35

Call 707-442-6652 to make reservations

An ENF fundraiser to help kids and veterans in our area