

The Benevolent and  
Protective Order of Elks  
Fort Collins Lodge #804

Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love  
and Fidelity



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February is an important month for our lodge, preliminary work begins on budgets and new officers are elected. Make sure you attend the February lodge meetings so you can participate in the selection and election of officers for 2012-2013. Nominations of officers will be held February 7th and elections will take place on February 21st. John Amen, President of the Colorado Elks Association, will be our guest on February 21st.

In this edition of the Echo, I have included a copy of the guidelines and rental agreement for the Lodge and Veteran's Pavilion. Members are encouraged to use our facilities for their functions. However, keep in mind the Club (restaurant and lounge) is a business and we must run it as such. Our utmost responsibility when we book events is for the safety and satisfaction of our members and their guests; protection of our assets which include our building, food service and liquor licenses as well as making a small profit for the club and lodge. Our liquor and food service is one vehicle to keep the Club and Lodge solvent. Without the club, the lodge can not sustain by membership dues alone. We are not exempt from food and liquor costs going up – we are feeling the pinch. Members are holding functions at the lodge which is a positive trend. As a reminder, all events must be booked with our Club Manager Bob Petri. You may be required to pay a deposit and will be required to sign the formal rental agreement. Keep in mind, if you have family or friends who would like to use the lodge for an event you can be their sponsor and we will be happy to accommodate them.



The average cost to run the lodge and club, (payroll, utilities, insurance, maintenance, phones, food and liquor purchases, office supplies, etc.) is approximately \$19,000.00 a month. Our membership dues (if all current members continue their membership for the coming year) will be approximately \$45,000.00. It is obvious this will not sustain the lodge through the next year. Yes, we have investments (Certificates of Deposits), but if we continue to use these investments to pay bills in a few years we will not have reserves available. One of our major projects this year has been the Legacy Bricks. To date it has earned about \$4,000.00 for the general lodge fund. If you have not purchased your brick and would like one this is a way to help the lodge as well as have a meaningful remembrance of your participation in the Grand Order of Elks. The bricks are \$100.00 each and can be purchased by contacting me. During the next several months the Board of Directors will be looking at other avenues to raise money for the lodge. I know I can count on each of you to participate in events which will help sustain our Lodge and Club.

We have the Charitable Trust, Hadley Trust and Elks Help Special Needs accounts. These investments are earmarked for charitable endeavors and can not be used for paying general lodge/club expenses. We are fortunate to have the ability to use these funds to invest in our community, veterans; youth projects and programs.

I continue to be impressed with the new members joining our lodge and their participation in lodge meetings and events. There are several opportunities to participate at the lodge next year. These include Chairman for the Veteran's Committee, Echo Editor and Drug Awareness Chairman. If you would be interested in these activities please contact either me or Joe McCarthy.

Welcome to the new members who were initiated on December 20th they are: Michael Brown, Rose Crouse, Ralph Claxton, Thomas Ellison, Tomas Gonzales, Jess Hall, Ken Hendricks, Roy Herbst, Ken Hernandez, Diane Hlavacek, Kody Kofstad, Brian Laird, Joe Lucero, John Olivas, Kenneth Orgoglioso, Chris Robinson, Dorothy Wilson, Antonio Salas, Sylvia Portales and Jon Schumacher.

Remember and always practice Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity. Elks Care – Elks Share!

Sincerely and Fraternaly, Joyce Bonanno Exalted Ruler

# ELKS 804 LEGACY PROJECT

Legacy – a gift from our predecessors (Webster’s Collegiate Dictionary).

Fort Collins Elks Lodge 804 is continuing to add bricks to our front entry. The entry includes our new bronzed Elk standing atop a rock and welcoming our members and guests to the Lodge. Included in the legacy brick display is our flagpole.

The Legacy brick display is a visible remembrance of those Elks who preceded us in service to the Order and a link to current members continuing to fulfill their obligation. The Legacy display will also serve to invite new members to join us in the honorable work we do in serving our community.

Each Legacy brick is laid in an array in the enclosure and includes the etched name of a designated current or past Elk member. The enclosure will be lighted with the Elk’s spreading antlers standing approximately twelve feet above the pavement. The current cost for inclusion of a named member in the display is \$100.00 per brick with all donations designated for Lodge 804 expenses. By becoming an Elks Legacy participant, you help in preserving the memory of those who came before while sharing in the effort to support our beautiful lodge home.

Questions about the project or requests for ordering one or more brick should be forwarded to Tony Bonanno at:  
anthonybonanno@hotmail.com  
970-310-0030 – Cell  
970-498-9223 – Home

You can also see Joyce Bonanno at the Lodge to order a brick.  
Fraternally,  
Tony Bonanno



## Fort Collins Elks Lodge #804 Officers 2011-2012

Exalted Ruler  
Leading Knight  
Loyal Knight  
Lecturing Knight  
Secretary  
Treasurer  
Trustee  
Trustee  
Trustee  
Esquire  
Inner Guard  
Chaplain  
Tiler  
Rep to Grand Lodge  
Alt Rep To Grand Lodge  
Charitable Trustee

Joyce Bonanno  
Joe McCarthy  
Josh Lehman  
Chris Smith  
Stan Cole  
Charlie Thomas  
Brad March  
Larry Hulse  
Mike Sutton  
Cory Shortridge  
Peg Moore  
Harold Anton  
Peg Moore  
Skip Walker  
Randy Kettenhofen  
Cheryl Shepherd

The Echo deadline for March is February 15.  
Please send all Echo articles and information  
on events to [scole@fortcollinselks.org](mailto:scole@fortcollinselks.org)

We need people to advertise in  
The Echo!  
Contact Joyce at 493-3777 to advertise your  
business to your Brother and Sister Elks!!!

**Needed from Members:**  
**Your e-mail address:**  
E-mail us at:  
[fcelks@fortcollinselks.org](mailto:fcelks@fortcollinselks.org) or Fax to  
970-493-3787  
or Call 493-3777  
**Visit our new website!**  
[www.fortcollinselks.org](http://www.fortcollinselks.org)

### THE BEAN POT

Currently is \$200, when you are in the Lodge, drop a dollar or coins, no pennies!

**\*\*Sign the Book\*\***

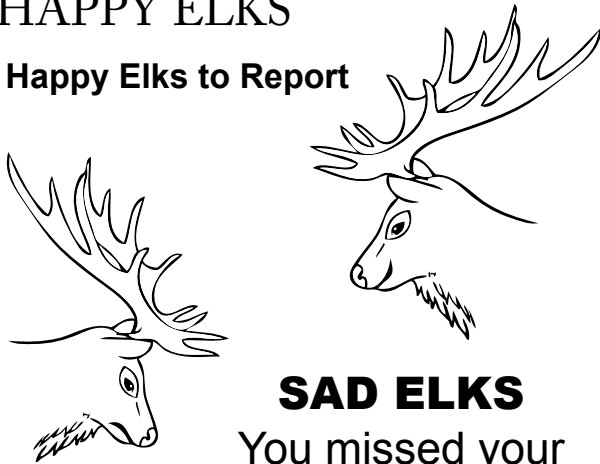
Please sign for the current day only!

804 Drawing (Friday Nights)  
Current Balance Is \$975.00

804 Attendance Drawing  
Currently at \$150  
Must be present at  
Lodge Meeting to win!

### HAPPY ELKS

No Happy Elks to Report



**SAD ELKS**  
You missed your opportunity!

Mike Demma  
Bernie Maynes  
Robert Deakin  
Chris Robinson  
Gerald Delaney  
Al Summerall  
Robert Gallenstein  
Dan McDonald  
William Hoffman Jr.  
Frank Barela  
Robert Ellis  
Dick Chinn

Wes Sargent  
Kim Slack  
Larry Thyfault  
James Weisser  
Ken Orgoglioso  
Bob Nelson  
Jerry Schott  
Ralph Claxton  
Daniel Maloy  
Bob Walters  
Clarence Streit  
Jesse Rodriguez

**All couples and singles Bridge is the third Wednesday of each month. Dinner at 6PM, Bridge at 7PM Call Tom Nix at 223-8518 for more information**



### WOW!!! - BAR BINGO

Starting in January, 2012, the Elks will have bar bingo.

**WHEN:**

1st and 3rd Fridays of the Month

**TIME:**

Starting at 6:00PM

**WHERE:**

Elks Lodge

Come out have dinner and enjoy a fun night of Bar Bingo.

\$1.00 – Regular game Per Card



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# VOLUNTEERS

One who serves or acts willingly without expecting reward. It is important for members to volunteer at the Lodge and just as important to recognize those who have volunteered their time. Every month volunteers will be listed in the Echo. The following individuals have recently volunteered at our Lodge:

- |                           |                     |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Howard Bassett            | Steve Rumpler       |
| Tony & Joyce Bonanno      | Gina Serrano        |
| Shelly Castillon          | Cheryl Shepherd     |
| Dana Cline                | Chris Slider        |
| Stan Cole                 | Chris Smith         |
| Mark Cooper               | Mike Sutton         |
| Al Dillman                | Charlie Thomas      |
| Mike & Joan Demma         | Lee Thompson        |
| Glen & Sheila Doughty     | Larry Thyfault      |
| Deanna Kerscher           | Bonnie Walker       |
| Larry & Merry Hulse       | Skip & Linda Walker |
| Randy Kettenhofen         | Gayle Watkinson     |
| Terri, Chris & Sarah Lion | Jerry Williams      |
| Brad March & Denise       | Connie Woodard      |

- Leberer
- Joe McCarthy
- John Merritt
- Gary Michels
- Tom & Patsy Nix
- Bob Petri
- Richard Rein
- Gary Riedel

If you want to receive the Echo by e-mail, Contact the office at 493-3777 or by sending a request to [scole@fortcollinselks.org](mailto:scole@fortcollinselks.org)

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!! February

*Please Enjoy a FREE Dinner during your Birthday Month on a Lodge Night*

- |                       |                            |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 William Feldman Jr  | 13 Stephen Vessey          |
| 1 Kelly Freed         | 15 Willy Rowand            |
| 1 William Smith       | 16 Glen Doughty            |
| 2 Dana Geyer          | 17 Ronald Hovey            |
| 2 Kenneth Horne       | 18 David Bishop            |
| 2 Irvin Troutd        | 18 Clare Foote             |
| 3 Keith Miller        | 18 Steve Rumpler           |
| 4 Donald Svedman      | 20 Richard Hammond         |
| 5 Larry Hulse         | 20 Richard Withey          |
| 5 Antonio Salas       | 21 Lawrence Oligmueller Jr |
| 5 Christopher Smith   | 22 David Van Lanen         |
| 6 Mindy Vigil         | 23 Walter Sutton           |
| 8 Robert Brawand      | 24 Ronald Owen             |
| 8 Joe McCarthy        | 26 James Michalka          |
| 8 Bruce Walters       | 27 Carmen Mendoza          |
| 10 John Jerry Kissock | 27 Virginia 'Gina' Serrano |
| 10 Chris Robinson     | 28 Robert Walters          |
| 10 Laura Salas        | 29 George Krueger          |
| 13 Robert Ellis       |                            |

### IMPORTANT! IMPORTANT! IMPORTANT!

Subject: 2012-2013 Membership Dues  
From: Stan Cole – Lodge Secretary

The last week of February you will be receiving your Membership Dues Notice. Membership dues should be paid prior to April 1, 2012. The card readers will be changed early morning on April 1st and the green cards will no longer work. The new cards are blue and you must have a blue card for lodge year 2012-2013 and to access the lodge.

If you can not pay your full dues, you have the option of paying \$76.50 by April 1st and the remaining \$60.00 by October 1st.

If you have any questions, please call either myself or Joyce Bonanno at 493-3777.

Fraternally,  
Stan Cole – Secretary

## Elks Valentine Dinner Dance

Saturday, February 11th, 2012

6:30 PM – 7PM Cocktails

7 PM – 8PM Dinner

Music by Off the Clock 7 PM -10 PM Dance playing 50's, 60's, 70's, country and classic rock

Menu Plated (RSVP with choice of entrée)

Carved Tender Slow Roasted Beef or

Chicken Cordon Bleu

served with Tossed Salad, Roasted red potatoes, Asparagus, & fresh fruit garnish,

and Chocolate Cake

Purchased Tickets at the Lodge, see Deanna

If purchased on or before February 9th

\$35 per couple/\$17.50 per Person

Feb. 9th or at Door: \$40 per couple/\$20 per person

\$30 to reserve a party of 6-8 people before Feb 6th

Guest of members welcome!

**B.P.O.E. #804**  
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# BANQUET CONTRACT

## Elks Lodge BPOE 804

**FOOD AND BEVERAGE:** No food or beverage from outside sources may be brought into the Lodge or function room by the patron, guest of the patron or attendees. Likewise, no food or beverage from any Lodge function room will be permitted to be removed from the Lodge facility. As a rule, wedding or celebratory cakes and favors are exempt from this rule. All prices are subject to change without notice in accordance with increasing food, beverage or operating expenses. Prices can only be guaranteed one year in advance and only when a signed contract is executed and a deposit received.

**LIQUOR REGULATIONS:** Per the Elks Lodge BPOE 804 licensing agreement, no person (patron, guest or member) will be permitted to enter or depart the premises with any alcoholic beverage. The only exception to this rule is the outside fenced area on the northwest side of the building adjacent the northwest hallway door. Your Organization understands that the Lodge's liquor license requires that beverage only be dispensed by a Lodge employee. Please be advised that we reserve the right to refuse alcohol to anyone. At no time will anyone under the age of 21 consume alcohol. We reserve the right to check identification and confiscate and forward questionable ID to the Larimer County Sheriff's Department.

**SPECIAL PERMITS:** The Elks Lodge BPOE 804 is a private club, and its liquor license was issued accordingly. All public events require a special permit be applied for from Larimer County. The cost for permit is \$125/event which will be paid by the patron at the time the \$200 deposit is made. All permits must be in the County's possession 30 days prior to the event.

**DAMAGE PROTECTION:** A valid credit card number is required as a deposit for all functions of 100 people and above. The holder of the credit card will not be charged unless damage occurs to the Elks Lodge building or Lodge property contained within.

**SECURITY:** Elks Lodge BPOE 804 will not assume responsibility for the damage or loss of any merchandise or articles left on the premises prior to, during or following the event. Arrangement for the security of exhibits, merchandise or articles set up for display can be made prior to the scheduled event. The Lodge reserves the right to require security guards to be provided at the expense of the client for selected events.

**SERVICE CHARGE AND TAX:** The per person rate for food includes 15% service charge, 3.7% tax, and linens associated with the event. Other items such as security and decorations are additional.

**PAYMENT:** A \$200 deposit is required at the time of a confirmed booking. Full payment is required at the time of the event. Payment options include cash, check, money order or credit card (Visa, Master Card, Discover).

I accept the above arrangements and have noted your terms and conditions:

**Client Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Elks Club Representative:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsor Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

# Guidelines for Use of Pavilion

## ALCOHOL:

1. You may not bring your own alcohol on the premises. All alcohol must be purchased through the Elk's Lodge. Arrangements for serving alcohol must be made thorough the Club Manager.
2. No beverages/containers of any kind (including pop/water, juice, etc.) Are allowed past the fence or the "chained in area". Bartenders and the lodge are liable if this rule is not followed.
3. No glass containers (beverages) are allowed in the pavilion area.
4. Be advised that we reserve the right to refuse alcohol to anyone. At no time will anyone under the age of 21 consume alcohol. We reserve the right to check identification and confiscate and forward questionable IDs to the Larimer County Sheriff's Department.

## HOURS OF OPERATION:

1. For small groups of members and their guests (less than 20) there are no specific hours. However, please use good judgment.
2. For larger groups – 20 or more. The pavilion is available 11:00AM-10:00P. Reservations are required. (SEE RESERVATIONS).

## COST/RENTAL FEE:

1. There is a \$50.00 fee for use of the Pavilion **if food is not purchased through the lodge**. If food is purchased through the lodge there is no rental fee.
2. A \$100.00 deposit is required to use the Pavilion for a party of 20 or more. This will be returned if the Pavilion is cleaned after your event. You are responsible for cleaning the Pavilion. Tools will be provided by the lodge for clean up.

## RESERVATIONS:

1. For parties larger than 20 the Pavilion must be reserved through the Club Manager. Reservations will be taken and booked on a first come first served.
2. Any non-member using the lodge must have an Elk sponsor.

## CLEAN OF THE PAVILION:

1. You are responsible for cleaning the Pavilion after your event. (See Cost/Rental Fee)

## SECURITY:

1. One security guard is required per 20 people attending the event. Security can only be provided by a licensed security firm. The Elks must arrange for the security guard. The Lodge reserves the right to require security guards to be provided at the expense of the client for selected events.

## IMPORTANT NOTES:

1. Any event involving the general public or advertised to the general public requires special events permit if alcohol is sold/available. Application for a Special Events Permit required at least 60 days prior notice before the event. The cost for the permit is \$125.00 per event which is paid by the patron at the time of the signing of the contract for use of the Pavilion. Contact the Club Manager to apply for the permit. The lodge has to apply for the permit in our name.
2. The barbeque pit requires charcoal briquettes. You must provide your own if the lodge is not providing the food for your event. (See Cost/Rental Fee)
3. The Club Manager and/or House Committee may make changes to these guidelines without notice.

I accept the above arrangements and have noted your terms and conditions:

Client Signautre: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Elks Club Representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# EVENTS AT A GLANCE

## YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS FOR THE NEXT THREE MONTHS

### February 2012

- Fri Feb 3 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM  
Bar Bingo 6PM
- Sat Feb 4 Lodge Open at 12PM, close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Feb 5 Super Bowl Party 2PM, Limited Bar menu available,  
50cents off Draft beers all day,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Tue Feb 7 Lodge Meeting 7PM/ Nominations for Officers
- Wed Feb 8 Board of Directors Meeting 5-6:30PM  
(House Committee & Trustees)  
Limited bar menu available 6-7:30PM
- Fri Feb 10 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM/  
Omaha Poker 7PM, Elk Members Only for Poker  
Rita's Valentines Extravaganza 6-8:30PM  
Elk members and Guest only
- Sat Feb 11 Lodge open at 12PM food available  
Elks Valentine Dinner Dance 6:30-10PM
- Sun Feb 12 Lodge open at 12PM Limited bar menu available, close by  
bartenders discretion
- Mon Feb 13 Westerners/ Lodge opens at 5PM
- Wed Feb 15 Bridge Night, (Dinner 6 PM / Bridge 7PM)  
Limited bar menu available
- Fri Feb 17 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM, Bar Bingo 6PM
- Sat Feb 18 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Feb 19 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu  
available, close by bartenders discretion
- Mon Feb 20 Lodge closed
- Tue Feb 21 Lodge Meeting 7PM/Vote for Officers  
Visit from Colorado State Elks  
President Honorable John Amen
- Fri Feb 24 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM/  
Texas Hold-Em 7 PM, Elk Members Only for Poker
- Sat Feb 25 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Feb 26 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu  
available, close by bartenders discretion
- Mon Feb 27 Lodge closed

### March 2012

- Fri March 2 Friday Night Dinner 5:30-8PM  
Bar Bingo 6PM
- Sat March 3 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun March 4 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu  
available, close by bartenders discretion
- Mon March 5 Lodge Closed
- Tue March 6 Lodge Meeting 7PM
- Fri March 9 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM/  
Omaha Poker 7PM, Elk Members Only for Poker
- Sat March 10 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun March 11 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu  
available, close by bartenders discretion  
Daylight Savings begins
- Mon March 12 Westerners/ Lodge opens at 5PM
- Wed March 14 Board of Directors Meeting 5-6:30PM  
(House Committee & Trustees)  
Limited Bar menu available
- Fri March 16 Friday Night Dinner 5:30-8PM,  
Bar Bingo 6PM, Karaoke 7:30PM
- Sat March 17 St. Patrick's Day,  
Lodge Open at 12PM, food available  
5PM -7:30PM Bob's traditional Corned  
Beef dinner, Close by bartenders discretion

- Sun March 18 Lodge Open at 12PM, limited bar menu  
available, close by bartenders discretion
- Mon March 19 Lodge closed
- Tue March 20 Lodge Meeting 7PM
- Wed March 21 Bridge Night (Dinner 6 PM / Bridge 7PM)  
Limited bar menu available
- Fri March 23 Friday Night Dinner 5:30-8PM  
Karaoke 7:30PM
- Sat March 24 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun March 25 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu  
available, close by bartenders discretion
- Mon March 26 Lodge Closed
- Fri March 30 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM/  
Texas Hold-Em 7 PM  
Elk Members Only for Poker
- Sat March 31 Installation of Officers/Banquet 5PM  
Music by Colorado Swing Big Band  
Elk Members Only for Poker

### March

- Fri March 2nd Friday Night Dinner 5:30-8PM
- Sun Apr 1 Palm Sunday Lodge closed
- Mon Apr 2 Lodge closed
- Tue Apr 3 Lodge Meeting 7PM
- Wed Apr 4 Limited bar menu available
- Fri Apr 6 Friday Night Dinner 5:30-8PM, Bar Bingo 6PM
- Sat Apr 7 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Apr 8 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Mon Apr 9 Westerners/Lodge open 5PM
- Wed Apr 11 Board of Directors Meeting 5-6:30PM  
(House Committee & Trustees)  
Limited bar menu available
- Fri Apr 13 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM/  
Omaha Poker 7PM, Elk Members Only for Poker
- Sat Apr 14 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Apr 15 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Mon Apr 16 Lodge closed
- Tue Apr 17 Lodge Meeting 7PM
- Wed Apr 18 Bridge Night, (Dinner 6 PM / Bridge 7PM)  
Limited bar menu available
- Fri Apr 20 Friday Night Dinner 5:30-8PM  
Bar Bingo 6PM, Karaoke 7:30PM
- Sat Apr 21 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Apr 22 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Mon Apr 23 Lodge closed
- Wed Apr 25 Limited bar menu available
- Fri Apr 27 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM/  
Texas Hold-Em 7 PM  
Elk Members Only for Poker
- Sat Apr 28 Lodge Open at 12PM, food available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Sun Apr 29 Lodge Open at 12PM, Limited bar menu available,  
close by bartenders discretion
- Mon Apr 30 Lodge Closed

**LODGE BEING OPEN ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY SUBJECT TO  
CHANGE DEPENDING ON MEMBER PARTICIPATION!**



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**LODGE HOURS OF OPERATION:**  
 Saturday & Sunday – Lodge Open 12:00PM  
 Monday – Closed  
 Office Open Tuesday-Thursday 9:30AM-3:30PM  
 Lunch Available Tuesday-Friday 11:30AM-1:30PM  
 Lounge Open Tuesday-Friday 11:00AM-10:00PM  
 (Bartender/Manager Discretion)  
 At times, the lodge may be opened for special Events  
 and Fort Collins Members are welcome to come in  
 and use the Lounge.  
**LODGE BEING OPEN ON SATURDAY AND  
 SUNDAY SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING  
 ON MEMBER PARTICIPATION!**

Needed from Members:  
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# February 2012

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM Bar Bingo 6PM	4 Lodge Open at 12PM, close by bartenders discretion
5 Super Bowl Party 2PM, food available, close by bartenders discretion	6 Lodge closed	7 Lodge Meeting 7PM Nominations for Officers	8 Board of Directors (House Committee & Trustees) 5-6:30pm	9	10 Friday Night Dinners 5:30 to 8:00 pm Omaha Poker 7PM Elk Members Only	11 Elks Valentine Dinner Dance 6:30-10PM
12 Lodge open at 12PM food available, close by bartenders discretion	13 Westerners/ Lodge opens at 5PM	14	15 <b>ECHO DEADLINE</b> Bridge Night Dinner 6 PM Bridge 7PM	16	17 Friday Night Dinner 5:30 - 8PM Bar Bingo 6PM	18 Lodge Open at 12PM, close by bartenders discretion
19 Lodge Open at 12PM, close by bartenders discretion	20 Lodge closed	21 Lodge Meeting 7PM Vote for Officers Visit from CO State Elks President Honorable John Amen	22	23 Charitable Trust Meeting 5PM	24 Friday Night Dinners 5:30 to 8:30 pm Texas Hold-em Elk Members Only	25 Lodge Open at 12PM, close by bartenders discretion
26 Lodge Open at 12PM, close by bartenders discretion	27 Lodge closed	28	29			