



Lake Hopatcong Elks Lodge #782

Meetings 1st and 3rd Tuesday

(973) 398-9835



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# Exalted Ruler's Message

2016

A Fraternal Organization  
Join Elkdom's Action Team  
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2017



## Let's make 2016-2017 a plus one year.



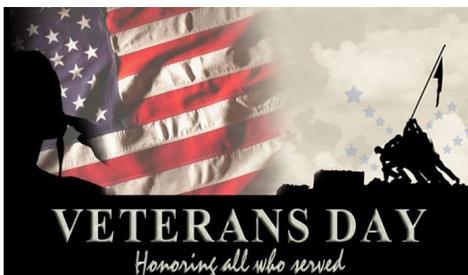
Have you given an application for membership to a neighbor, friend, family member or someone you socialize with? If not you can get an application at the members bar any day after 2PM.

WOW, October was a very busy month!! ENF month, Drug Awareness Red Ribbon week that help Elks promote an anti-drug message and Youth Activities annual Soccer Shoot and Halloween. I think November will be just as busy.

The month starts off with our right as an American citizen to cast a vote for the next President of our United States of America. So please make sure you get out and cast YOUR vote on Tuesday, November 8, 2016!



**Tuesday  
November 8  
2016**



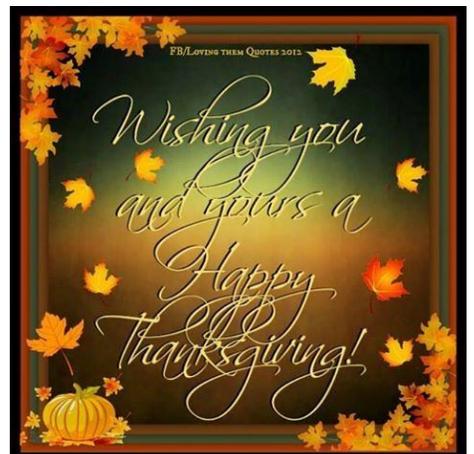
Don't forget the men and women who served our country so that we can live free.

Veterans Day is on, November 11th.

"ALL GAVE SOME ... SOME GAVE ALL!"

I would like to wish you and your family a Very Happy Thanksgiving.

Sallimae Johnson  
Exalted Ruler



## 2016-2017 LODGE OFFICERS



Exalted Ruler	Sallimae Johnson 973-713-4781
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Est. Loyal Knight	John Shaw 908-887-1583
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Secretary	Barbara Tokar, PER 201-207-7545
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2 Yr. Trustee	Gene Garabrant, PVP
3 Yr. Trustee	Wayne McDonnell
4 Yr. Trustee	Craig Lang
5 Yr. Trustee	Matt Winnans

### HOUSE COMMITTEE

Madelyn Walrod, *PER, Chairman*  
 Kathleen Caffrey  
 Tom Chiappa  
 Barbara Pirro  
 June Vaananen  
 Debi Werner  
 Matt Winnans, *PER*

### PLANNING A FUNCTION?

OUR HALL IS AVAILABLE  
TO RENT FOR ANY FUNCTION

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
CALL MADELYN AT 398-2770.

### COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Accident & Prevention	Carlos Rojas PDD 398-3173
Activities	Gerry Cook, PSP 973-234-5174
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Antlers	Tarin Chiappa 973-714-1334
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Community Activities	Madelyn Walrod, PER 398-2770
Convention	Linda Gathen, PER 398-2097
Drug Awareness	Dee Krowl 770-0834
Fraternal Committee	Linda Gathen, PER 398-2097
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Parades	Gene Garabrant, PVP 627-0017
Pole Barn	Red Currie
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Barbara Tokar	201-207-7545
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Sickness & Distress	Gary Steffen 973-271-4694
Soccer Shoot	Craig Lang 973-641-2291
Special Children	Audrey Thompson 862-209-0577
Veterans	Peg Sharpe-Murphy 201-320-4816
Army of Hope	Pam Ricker 973-288-1030
Youth Activities	Tom Brown 973-919-5395

## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

We Would Like To Extend Our Best Wishes For  
A Happy Birthday To The Following Members

Happy Birthday

03	Bruce Balinski
03	Kelly Gathen
04	Joseph Trosky
06	Jason Gee
06	Michael Siglow
11	Michael Clarke
13	Dawn Fresh
14	Charlotte Neggia
14	Dawn Shaw
15	Lori Krawczuk
15	Ralph Lamanna
15	Barbara Tokar
15	Christopher Wulf
16	Mark Nicoletti
16	Carl Peterson
17	John Metcalf
18	Frank Brown
19	Karel M Kramer
19	Carol Shaw
21	George Tweedley
22	John Fornini
23	George J Szatkowski
24	Sallimae Johnson
25	Enrico Togna
27	Robert H Lillian
27	Beverly Murdter
27	Joe Reynolds
30	William H Flatt

### MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

HELP US BY SAVING US A STAMP & SIGN UP  
TO RECEIVE YOUR NEWSLETTER VIA EMAIL!

In the subject line please type: Monthly Newsletter. Please provide me with the email address you wish to have your newsletter sent to and you will be automatically removed from the mailing list for newsletters only. All news articles, photos and flyers must be submitted by the 20th of each month. I thank you in advance.

Patsy Schmidt, Newsletter Editor  
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# “Elks Give from the Heart”

## MICHAEL F. ZELLEN

GRAND EXALTED RULER

2016-2017

*November is for giving thanks, remembrance*



Our promise to our veterans is not an idle pledge. Over the years, our Lodges nationwide and their Members have honored our pledge and have donated 10's of millions of dollars in cash and in-kind contributions for those who gave so much to preserve our freedom. While our support to our nation's veterans is ongoing throughout the year, November is designated by our Order as Veterans Remembrance Month.

Your Lodge should have an active Veterans Committee, dedicated to meeting the needs of veterans and military members in your community. During Veterans Remembrance Month, it is a time to remember, a time to say thank you to those who have served our country. Wherever veterans are institutionalized, the monotony of their day-to-day existence will be eased by personal visits by your Lodge Members and their spouses. These visits bring cheer and comfort to veterans confined to VA medical centers and other veterans facilities.

But for many their struggles are not over. Their battles are not yet won. We as Elks need to provide hope and comfort to veterans or active military members, many of whom are not confined in VA hospitals, but are using outpatient clinics as well as those who live alone and have no family or friends to assist them in their time of need. We can also assist homeless veterans to return to the society he or she helped protect, as well as reach out to those veterans residing in assisted-care living centers.

As the needs of today's veterans have changed, so has our programs. Today the Elks National Veterans Service Commission has many new exciting programs and partnerships catering to veterans and military members, including the Army of Hope, the Welcome Home Program and the Veterans Affairs Voluntary Service Program. In addition, the Elks National Foundation provides Freedom Grants, enabling Lodges to harness the Elks' passion for serving veterans and military members and to expand your Lodges' Veterans Programs.

For more information about these programs and the Elks Veterans Service Commission, please visit [www.elks.org/vets](http://www.elks.org/vets).

I am certain your Lodge has scheduled special events during the November for Veterans in our VA hospitals, soldiers homes and other VA facilities to benefit the unsung heroes of our nation, and demonstrate that “Elks” continue “Leading the Way.”

Donna and I wish you a very happy Thanksgiving. May God bless you, our veterans and the men and women who are serving in the Armed Forces around the globe.

Thank you for being an Elk and for Caring and Sharing.

Again, thank you for this opportunity to serve as your national leader.

**“Elks Care - Elks Share.”**

### HOLIDAY APPEAL

It's time for our **Annual Holiday Appeal!**

As we think of all the things in our lives to be thankful for, let's remember the hundreds of families in our area that are financially struggling during the Holidays. Please open your hearts up to these families this year and consider adopting a local family for our Annual Holiday Appeal.

This year we have about 100 local families to adopt consisting of approximately 300 children. We encourage all our Members to try to take at least one of these children or families and donate a gift of a toy and an article of clothing for them. If you would like to adopt a family, or make a monetary or food donation, please email me at [LGathen@optonline.net](mailto:LGathen@optonline.net) or see **Madelyn Walrod, PER**. The wish lists will be available **November 21<sup>st</sup>**.

The gifts will be distributed at our **Breakfast with Santa** on **Sunday, December 18th** so all gifts will need to be dropped off to the lodge by **Friday, December 16th**. In addition to the gifts each child will receive, we will also be giving each family a basket filled with nonperishable food items to try to make things a little brighter for them during the Holiday Season. We will be putting the food baskets together on **Thursday, December 15th**, beginning at 7:00pm so if you have any food donations, please bring them to the lodge before then.

Thank you again for all your support in this special program. We would not be able to make this happen without your support. Thank you for making a difference in the lives of our area needy families.

**Linda Gathen, DDGER**



## SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

We send best wishes to the following member:  
for a speedy recovery:

**Doug DeTroy** who was recently hospitalized  
and is doing well.

**Dee Krowl** who recently suffered a heart attack  
and is recovering.

Please call or text if you would like to report any news call:  
973-271-4694.

Gary Steffen, Sickness & Distress Chairperson



## HOUSE COMMITTEE

November is finally here! The fall colors are beautiful and the weather is refreshing.

As we start the month our first big event is our Annual Tricky Tray being held on November 5<sup>th</sup>. There will be over 200 trays thanks to the many donations. This huge event would not be possible without the great work by **Marge Curry** designing the majority of trays and wrapping them. All the beautiful bows have been designed and made by **Pauline Cook**. My thanks and appreciation goes out to them. I also need to thank **Gerry Cook and Bernie Curry** who spent many hours of assistance with tricky tray activities and distributing all the signs for advertising.

As house committee chairman I would like to see support for activities in the lodge. November 13<sup>th</sup> the ENF Committee is having a vender show. There will be many handcrafted choices for purchase. On November 25<sup>th</sup> Friday night dinner will be a spaghetti and meatball fundraiser for the veterans committee. Details for both events are in the newsletter. On November 27<sup>th</sup> the Antlers are sponsoring a "pet photo" with Santa event. Bring your animals.

I would like to wish all a Happy and healthy Thanksgiving.

Madelyn Walrod PER  
House Committee Chairman

## WHO'S COOKING WHAT FOR DINNER ON FRIDAY NIGHTS THIS MONTH?

**NOVEMBER 4, 2016**

Chicken Dijon  
Madelyn Walrod

**NOVEMBER 11, 2016**

Rolled Pork  
Jan Walsh, PER and Michael Walsh

**NOVEMBER 18, 2016**

Pasties  
Debbie Hil

**NOVEMBER 26, 2016**

Spaghetti & Meatballs  
Veteran's Committee



## VETERAN'S COMMITTEE

We have a busy month ahead. I had to move our committee meeting from the 9<sup>th</sup> to the 2<sup>nd</sup> of November. All members are welcome to join us at 6:30 PM. You do not have to be a Veteran to join our committee. Come and check us out. On the 9<sup>th</sup> November we have our Veterans affair at Birchwood Manor. The 11<sup>th</sup> of November is Veterans Day and we will have a Veterans ceremony immediately following the Friday Night Dinner (Rolled Pork). On the 17<sup>th</sup> of November we will have our Veterans in our lodge to celebrate the Thanksgiving season. On the 25<sup>th</sup> of November the Veterans Committee will sponsor a Black Friday Spaghetti Dinner. We are also looking for donations: Underware, both ladies and mens - larger sizes please, cotton socks, toiletry items: shower gel, shampoo, comb/brush, toothpaste, individually wrapped toothbrushes, denture cups, denture cleanser, denture crème. Please make certain any item donated does not contain alcohol. Baseball caps, puzzle books, Word Find books, Suduko books, etc., no jigsaw puzzles. We would need these items prior to the 17<sup>th</sup> November.

*Fraternally Yours*

*Peg Sharpe-Murphy*

*Veterans Committee Chairperson*



## WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

WHO WERE INITIATED ON OCTOBER 18, 2016

### *New Member*

James Harding  
Sandra Harding  
Michael Laver  
Thomas Losh  
Charles Nappi  
Thomas Pantelleria  
Anthony Rizza, Jr.  
Jennifer Sweeney



### *Sponsored by*

William Griswold  
William Griswold  
Madelyn Walrod, PER  
Craig Lang  
Joseph Clarke  
Mark Stalgaitis  
Al Rennick  
Madelyn Walrod, PER

## ENF COMMITTEE

Had a successful Oktoberfest and would like to thank all the PERS and members that came out and supported ENF Fundraising efforts. Thank you once again our Esteem Leading Knight for supporting our lodge and ENF. Special thanks to **Audrey, Kenny and Maddie** for making the great food. Couldn't have done it without you. November 13<sup>th</sup> is our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Vendor/Craft Christmas Fair. Please come out and support our vendors and crafters. We will be selling chilli, hot dogs, walking tacos and more. Our Antlers will be selling bake goods at the show, so please come to satisfy your sweet tooth. December 16<sup>th</sup> is our Christmas party starting at 8:00, right after Friday night dinner. DJ Jean will be there to have all up and dancing. Hope all will join us!!!

Wishing you all a Happy and Blessed Thanksgiving!

*Debi Werner, ENF Committee Chairperson*

## UP COMING EVENTS MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### NOVEMBER

- 11/5/16: TRICKY TRAY  
11/13/16: ENF VENDER /CRAFT SHOW  
11/25/16: VETS COMMITTEE  
BLACK FRIDAY SPAGHETTI DINNER

### DECEMBER

- 12/16/16: ENF COCKTAIL PARTY  
12/18/16: BREAKFAST WITH SANTA  
12/31/16: NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL

## NOVEMBER SAFETY TIPS

Too many of our children and young adults are using prescription drugs found in our homes. Sometimes the wrong drug is taken because of confusion. It is time for you to purge those drugs not needed any more. Scripts have changed, you have recovered and do not need the drug, or someone has passed away. The Drug Awareness committee is working on a program to remind you to clean out those drugs when someone passes and have designated locations to take those unneeded or outdated prescriptions to. Most Police Departments and Sheriff Offices have a Deposit location for them. Talk to your Drug Awareness chair for more details.

This is a good time to practice layer dressing. The temperature may vary a lot in these early months of winter. A rule of thumb is to start light and work toward a wooly top. Cotton will wick sweat away that will make you feel colder, while wool and friction will generate heat. The combination will keep you warm and comfortable.

Slips and Trips are always an issue all year. With snow, ice and leaves, it makes the possibility even more likely. So keep those walk areas and driveways as clear as possible. Ice melts are good, but remember that over-night it could re-freeze. So cleaning it early so the sun could dry the walks is the best solution.

Last month was Fire Prevention Month, but every day we should be concerned about Fire Prevention. Cleaning out those closets, basements, and attics of unneeded papers, rags, old clothes and just general stuff is a way of reducing the fuel the fire needs. This stuff could be obstructions that reduces the abilities of Firefighters to do their job. Think about fire escape also. Make a plan and practice it, especially if you have young children or seniors living with you. This should include a meeting place, who to call after 911, and the location of an emergency box with vital documents. Have escape ladders for multi-story homes, and check those fire extinguishers every 6 months. Change the clocks, change the fire alarm and CO2 alarm batteries, and check, and shake those extinguishers. Make it a habit.

Also, make copies of all your very important documents and phone numbers and contacts like e-mail address, plus transfer all you info on your computer to an external hard drive or memory sticks and put it in a "GO BAG" and put it in a place you are sure you will be able to get to if you need to escape a fire. Make sure all family members know where it is to be one of the items you grab on the way out to safety. It will be extremely valuable.



## SPECIAL CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE

Hello All,

November is here and before you know it Thanksgiving will have come and gone and we will be into December and be busy with the holidays.

Thank you for all the members that came out and supported our Halloween Party and Trunk or Treat for our kids and decorated their cars and handed our candy. Thank you to Heidi McDonnell, PVP for organizing this year's event as it was a great time for all the kids in attendance.

Also thank you to **Pat Porter and Christine Macknowsky** for decorating the suite at the Parsippany Embassy Suites. The NW District handed out treats to the children of the PG Chambers School the Friday before Halloween and as always we had a blast doing so. Tremendous job by our members!

We have two events to promote that will be for our Special Children in December so please save the dates.

The NW District SCC will be once again hosting the District Christmas party. This year's event will be held at the Parsippany Elks Lodge on Saturday, December 3, 2016 from 12:00-3:00pm. We will have food, refreshments and activities for our children to enjoy. Santa Claus will be there as well giving out gifts to all the Special Children in attendance. We will be sending invitations to the families in our area and we will ask that the parents please RSVP that they will have their special child(ren) in attendance so we know to expect them. A flier will accompany the Newsletter with all of the details for the party.

In addition, the SCC Committee will host Breakfast with Santa for exclusively for our Special Children and families being held on Sunday, December 11, 2016 from 9:00-11:00am. We will also be expecting Santa to make a special trip during his busy season. More information will be provided in the December Newsletter but this is just a gentle reminder for your calendars. For more information, you can contact Heidi via email at [hgmcdonnell72@optonline.net](mailto:hgmcdonnell72@optonline.net) or you can send her a text message to her mobile 862-579-5616.

That is all for now and as always Thank You for all that our membership does for our Special Children!

Fraternally Yours,  
Wayne McDonnell,  
Special Children's Committee Chairperson

## SHOT FROM BAR

Watch football at the lodge every Sunday. We have 5 TV'S with the red zone always featured. Come down and watch your favorite team play!



Lake Hopatcong Elks Veterans Committee

# Black Friday Spaghetti Dinner

**Fri. November 25th**  
**5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

Stop in for Dinner after a long day of shopping  
and  
Let us cook for you!

Just \$9.00 per person  
Includes our evening special, salad, rolls,  
dessert & coffee

All proceeds to benefit the Veterans Committee



**The Antlers Lodge #4** invites you to  
**Pet Photos with Santa**

**When:** Sunday, November 27th  
**Where:** Elks Lodge #782  
201 Howard Blvd.  
Mt. Arlington, NJ 07856  
**Time:** 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

The Antlers Lodge #4 invites you to bring your pets for a picture with Santa. Children welcome in pet photo.  
**Cost:** \$8.00 per photo includes 4x6 photo folder frame\*

**November 11<sup>th</sup> Veterans Day**

Please Join Us Immediately following our Friday night dinner for a Veterans Ceremony

Sponsored by the Lake Hopatcong Elks Veterans Committee

**BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

**December 18, 2016**  
**9:00 am - 11:00 am**  
**Adults \$7.00 - Kids \$3.00**  
**All-You-Can-Eat Breakfast Buffet**  
**Visit With Santa & Get Your Picture Taken**  
**All Children 10 + Under Will Get A Free Gift From Santa**  
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# SOCCER EIKS SHOOT



and the  **WINNERS** are...



**THANK YOU** Volunteers!

**Lake Hopatcong Elks #782**

# **TRICKY TRAY**

**Saturday, November 5<sup>th</sup>**

**Doors  
Open at  
6:30 pm**



**Drawings  
Begin at  
8 pm**

**Admission is \$10**

**Includes 1 sheet of tickets, coffee & cake**

**Many valuable items, including restaurant &  
store gift certificates, games and toys,  
Holiday items, and much more**

**For more information, or to donate items  
call Madelyn at (201) 230-2596**

# Antlers Lodge #4

## FALL CLOTHING DRIVE

### WE WILL BE COLLECTING:

Backpacks, Bedsheets, Belts, Blankets, Clothing, Curtains, Hats, Purses  
Soft or Hard Toys – Below 14” only  
CD's/DVD's in their appropriate cases – no loose or burned discs



When: November 1<sup>st</sup> – December 20th  
Drop off Location: Lake Hopatcong Elks Lodge #782  
201 Howard Boulevard  
Mt. Arlington, NJ 07852  
**Please place items in trailer in corner of parking lot**  
Do not leave items outside of the trailer. Thanks!

### Sorry, but we cannot accept:

Books, Board Games, Puzzles, Large Toys (above 14 inches in size) Art Supplies (Crayons, Markers, Coloring Books, Crafting Items, Fabric Scraps) Furniture, Rugs, Exercise Equipment, Appliances or Electronics of Any Kind (Nothing with a Cord) Winter Boots, Winter Coats, Single shoes, Roller Skates, Ice Skates, Dirty, Damp, Damaged, Tattered items, Rags, Items with Holes or Tears, Broken Items, Pack and Plays, Car Seats, Strollers, Baby Seats, Loungers, Miscellaneous Housewares, Decorative Items, Bric-Brac, Dishes, Glassware, Baking/Cookware, Pots/Pans, Kitchenware of any Kind

The Antlers are working with NJClothingDrive out of Flanders, NJ recycling clothing and shoes to be distributed globally and locally, to those in need. NJ Clothing Drive, is a service provided by the fundraising division of Millennium International Textile, Inc., Morris County's premier textile recycling company, established in 1996.

Any questions, please contact [tarinc35@optonline.net](mailto:tarinc35@optonline.net). Thank you in advance for your donations!

**\*\*All items donated must be in good, usable condition. The clothing and other items are NOT SHREDDED.**



*The Northwest District  
Roast Beef Dinner  
Christmas Party Fundraiser  
honoring  
Endorsed Candidate GER Malcolm McPherson*

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2016**

**LAKE HOPATCONG ELKS #782  
201 Howard Blvd., Mt. Arlington, NJ  
7pm to 11pm**

**Tickets: \$25 per person  
includes  
Shrimp Cocktail appetizer, salad,  
complete Roast Beef Dinner & coffee, tea & dessert**

**Cash Bar \* Tricky Tray**

**DJ Music by Matt**

**Pictures with Santa & Malcolm and Pat**

**Casual Holiday Attire**

**Tickets available online at [www.LakeHopatcongElks.com](http://www.LakeHopatcongElks.com)  
or by calling DD Linda Gathen at 973-668-3975  
or Anthony Alfonso, PDD at 973-445-5292**

# November 2016

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	Darts 3	Friday Night Dinner Chicken Dijon 4	5 <b>TRICKY TRIN</b>
6 <b>Antler Installation</b>	Ritual Practice Pool 7	Lodge Meeting 8	9	Darts 10	Friday Night Dinner Rolled Pork 11 <b>Veteran's Ceremony</b>	12
13 <b>ENF CRAFT SHOW</b>	Ritual Practice Pool 14	House Committee Meeting 15	Seniors 16	Darts 17 <b>Veteran's Thanksgiving Dinner</b>	Friday Night Dinner Pasties 18	19
20	Ritual Practice Pool 21	Lodge Meeting 22	23	24 <b>Happy Thanksgiving</b>	Friday Night Dinner 25 <b>Veteran's Committee Black Friday Spaghetti Dinner</b>	26
 27 Pet Pictures With Santa!!	Ritual Practice Pool 28	House Committee Meeting 29	30			



I am very thrilled and honored to be working with the Antlers for 2016-2017. I had my first Pizza Party/Reorganization Meeting on Sunday, Oct. 16th with the help of **Sallie Mae Johnson, ER.** It was a big success and I think we are ready to hit the ground running. We will be having an initiation of new members on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> at 11:30

a.m. Please come out and support our new members. We will also be installing new Officers very soon. I am looking forward to some new and exciting fundraising events as well as a lot of great times. Thank you to all that donated to Alex's Lemonade Stand. 100% of the proceeds will be sent to Alex's for research into new treatments and cures for children with cancer. Thank you to the bartenders who helped sell paper lemons for the Antlers and Drug Awareness. Upcoming events include Operation Sweet Troop, a clothing drive, Bake Sale at Vendor Craft Fair, selling 2017 Calendars as well as Pet Photos with Santa (children also welcome). Please see flyers at the front door. Anyone who needs volunteers for your events, please contact me on 973-714-1334 or tarinc35@optonline.net. As always, The Antler's Lodge is seeking new membership. Membership in the organization is open to any individual who has passed their twelfth and not yet reached there twenty-first birthday, who is a citizen of the United States of America, of good character and who believes in the existence of God.

Tarin Chiappa  
Antler Chairperson



**NORTHWEST DISTRICT SPECIAL CHILDREN'S COMMITTEE**  
*Cordially Invites You to Our*

## **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**December 3, 2016**  
**12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

PARSIPPANY ELKS LODGE  
230 PARSIPPANY ROAD • PARSIPPANY, NJ

*Event is open to All Special Needs Children and their family.*  
*Please R.S.V.P. by November 25<sup>th</sup> to*

**Wayne McDonnell**  
**waynemcd8198@gmail.com or Text (862) 579-5615**

Please indicate name of special child(ren) and the number attending with them so we can accommodate for food and refreshments.  
Gift baskets shall be provided to the Special Child.



# December 2016

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				Darts 1	Friday Night Dinner 2	3 Christmas Party Fundraiser
4	Ritual Practice Pool 5	Lodge Meeting 6	7	Darts 8	Friday Night Dinner 9	10
11 SCC Breakfast With Santa	Ritual Practice Pool 12	House Committee Meeting 13	Seniors 14	Darts 15	Friday Night Dinner 16	17
18 Breakfast With Santa	Ritual Practice Pool 19	Lodge Meeting 20	21	Darts 22	Friday Night Dinner 23	24
25 Christmas	Ritual Practice Pool 26	House Committee Meeting 27	Seniors 28	Darts 29	Friday Night Dinner 30	31



## LAKE HOPATCONG ELKS LODGE

No. 782

201 Howard Boulevard  
Mount Arlington, NJ 07856



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