



Boston Lodge of Elks #10 June 2020 Bulletin



Flag Day

FLAG DAY IS JUNE 14TH, AS DESIGNATED BY THE ELKS IN 1907 AND HAS BEEN CELEBRATED BY OUR ORDER EVER SINCE. AT THE URGING OF THE ELKS, PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON ISSUED A PROCLAMATION OFFICIALLY RECOGNIZING JUNE 14TH AS FLAG DAY IN 1916. THE LODGE WILL BE HOLDING OUR ANNUAL FLAG DAY CEREMONY ON SUNDAY, JUNE 14TH AT 11:00 AM IN THE LODGE PARKING LOT WEATHER PERMITTING. THIS CEREMONY IS OPEN TO ANY WHO WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND.



Reminders

Please note:

This Bulletin and more can always be found at: www.Elks.org

LODGE MEETINGS will be held virtually on June 9 and June 23 at 7:30 PM. Links will be sent prior to the meeting to join. THOSE WHO ATTEND THE MEETINGS RUN THE LODGE.

BE AN ACTIVE MEMBER
ATTEND MEETINGS.

Bulletin submissions must be in by the THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH prior to the upcoming month

The Boston Beanpot

THE OFFICIAL ORGAN OF THE BOSTON LODGE OF ELKS No. 10
OF THE BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS OF THE U.S.A.

A FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION

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INSTITUTED MAY 23, 1878

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The Mission Statement of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

To inculcate the principles of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to recognize a belief in God; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its Members; to quicken the spirit of American patriotism; to cultivate good fellowship; to perpetuate itself as a fraternal organization, and to provide for its government, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America will serve the people and communities through benevolent programs, demonstrating that Elks Care and Elks Share

Message From The Exalted Ruler

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone that was able to come out to Mount Hope Cemetery for Boston Lodge's annual Memorial Day service. A special thank you to our visiting dignitaries Michael F. Zellen, Past GER,

Bob Waumbach, State President Elect MA Elks Association, Mike Canfield, 2nd Vice President, MA Elks Assoc., and Jaclyn Greenwood, PER, District Deputy GER. It was a beautiful day and as always the site was perfectly arranged.

A very special thank you to Bro. Jim Adamakis for arranging the site. He has done this for many, many years now, and always does an amazing job.



Happy
Father's
Day

Sickness and Distress:

Brothers and Sisters Please lend your thoughts and prayers to the following members of Boston #10:

Brothers: Joe D'Entermont, Bill Hubbard, Bill Coyne, Jim Moynihan.

Sisters: Colleen Fahy



Death Notice:

Brothers and Sisters,

It is with great sadness that we must inform you of the passing of our Sister

Elizabeth Smith. Please keep Elizabeth and her family in your prayers and thoughts during this difficult time.

Message From The House Committee

We hope you are all doing well. We know these are certainly trying times, and we look forward to seeing you all again soon. We have been having discussions almost daily about how and when we could open. We are looking at all options possible to welcome you back soon and will inform you in advance of when we receive the ok from The City of Boston. One item we need to inform you of is that we had to make the difficult decision to place small increases on the price of drinks. The price of beer will be increased by \$.25, and alcohol and wine will be priced accordingly.

We understand this is not ideal, but unfortunately, the distributors have increased prices again. Please note: it has been at least a couple of years since the last increase and we strive to keep costs down, but sometimes it is necessary.

From the Trustees:

As a reminder, anyone that is interested in running a function on behalf of or for the benefit of the Lodge, as a Lodge function, must first present it to the Board of Trustees. No function shall or will be run as such without the express consent of the Board of Trustees. Please feel free to contact a Board members if there are any questions regarding this matter.

The new FOB key cards arrived in April. These will be your permanent cards from now on as you pay every year. Please be reminded if you misplace or lose your card there will be a \$25 dollar replacement charge.



*It's great to
be an Elk!!
It's even
greater to
be an active
Elk!!*



Food Collection for Rose's Bounty

A special thank you to Carol Best Dolan and the members of Boston Lodge #10 for coordinating a very successful food drive for Rose's Bounty Food Pantry in May. This is only a small part of what we do as Elks. Thanks to all who have donated!

We will be holding another Food collection for Rose's bounty food pantry on June 3rd & 17th from 3 to 6 pm. In the parking lot of the lodge for drop off.



Message From The Lodge Secretary

Hello Everyone,

I hope this email finds you well. I know we are all itching to get out of the house and get back to "normal". It looks like we're coming to the light at the end of the tunnel but there is still a ways to go. These past few months have been trying times at the Lodge. We have spent over \$10,000 a month to maintain our mortgage, insurance, taxes and other obligations. The bills are piling up and, unfortunately, the income is not there to offset this burden. There are still organizations that are looking for our help. Food Pantries, Veteran's Organizations, Youth Programs and Senior Programs are still looking towards us to continue our support even during these trying times.

We have come up with a fun way to try to raise some money and bring back some action that a lot of us have been away from during the past two months. We are selling raffle tickets for \$20 a piece for a chance to win a book of \$30 scratch tickets or \$1,500 in cash. The drawing will be held on June 25th at 6:00PM at the Lodge....outside if we have to!

A sheet of 5 tickets is attached to this bulletin There are a few different ways to participate:

1. You can print out these tickets and mail them to the Lodge with a check.
2. You can also contact the people listed below to pick up tickets and/or arrange payment.
3. You can drop off tickets and money to Ken Williamson at the Lodge between 9AM-2PM Monday through Friday

You do not need to be a member to enter this raffle so feel free to ask family and friends to get involved! If each Member could purchase or sell at least 2 tickets, the Lodge will be able to help those throughout the community that need our help the most.....this is what we do!

Please feel free to contact any of the following members with questions or for more tickets:

David Greenwood	617-828-2781	daveg2781@gmail.com
Jaclyn Greenwood	617-828-2843	jaclynelks10@gmail.com
Carol Dolan	617-331-3785	dolan.carol@verizon.net
Sheila Murphy	617-828-5447	joeandsheilam@gmail.com

Tickets on the next page

THANK YOU AND WE HOPE TO SEE YOU ALL SOON!!

**BOSTON LODGE #10
SCRATCH TIX RAFFLE**

DRAWING TO BE HELD ON JUNE 25, 2020 @ 6PM

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