

Santa Ynez Valley Elks Lodge #2640

BUGLE

From the Exalted Ruler

No article submitted this month.
 Robert Ramirez
 Exalted Ruler

Old Santa Ynez Day Planning Starts Now!!
 Keep your eye on the Bugle and Blasts for Old Santa Ynez Day (OSYD) meetings; the first one is February 16. The event itself is June 13—mark your calendars!

We Need Your Help With Jamboree

Our annual campout will be held this year April 16-19 in the lot right across the alley from the Lodge—how convenient is that?!? Easy for SYV Members to visit, to help out, to camp, to join for a meal. Please join us at planning meetings; you'll see those in Blasts, but likely most Sunday afternoons.

Popcorn Donations

Thanks to John Phelps (Lodge #2274) and Pat Sadecki PER (Lodge #613) for donating towards this month's popcorn! If you'd like to make a donation for the "good" popcorn, please contact the bartender or office. Remember that we ask those who partake in the popcorn to donate to Major Project by dropping a few coins or a buck into the strategically-placed Purple Pig right there on that table.

2019-2020 Officers

Exalted Ruler	Robert Ramirez
Leading Knight	Bonnie Rees
Loyal Knight	Vacant
Lecturing Knight	Keith Bazzell
Secretary	Mario Santiago
Treasurer	Karen Waite
Esquire	Janelle Willis
Chaplain	Vacant
3-Year Trustee	Stefan Ornelaz PER
2-Year Trustee	Don Hart
1-Year Trustee	Steve Larsen
Inner Guard	Marilyn Hart
Tiler	Jen Mullins
Officer at Large	Kelley Sadecki PER

January Elk of the Month
Look for this honor in February's Bugle

SYV 2640 Past Exalted Rulers

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|---------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1982-83 HARRY BLACKSTOCK* | 1995-96 MONTE LARSEN | 2008-09 KELLEY SADECKI |
| 1983-84 KEN RAMSEY | 1996-97 ROBERT PARSON | 2009-10 KEITH HINCHCLIFFE* |
| 1984-85 AL PAINE* | 1997-98 HENRY SMITH | 2010-11 DIANNE WITTENBROCK |
| 1985-86 KEN OLSON | 1998-99 HOWARD SAHM* | 2011-12 JERRY PLOWMAN |
| 1986-87 DICK MILLER* | 1999-2000 HOWARD SAHM* | 2012-13 PHIL DAIGHTON |
| 1987-88 HENRY SMITH | 2000-01 LEWIS WATKINS* | 2013-14 PHIL DAIGHTON |
| 1988-89 LON RIGONI* | 2001-02 FRANK TAYLOR* | 2014-15 KELLEY SADECKI |
| 1989-90 JIM SMITH* | 2002-03 RUTH SAHM | 2015-16 REBECCA LEWIS |
| 1990-91 TRUE BEACH* | 2003-04 WILLIAM SPEULDA | 2016-17 INES GREENWALD |
| 1991-92 JACK PRESTON* | 2004-05 PATRICK SADECKI | 2017-18 STEFAN ORNELAZ |
| 1992-93 LON RIGONI* | 2005-06 PATRICK SADECKI | 2018-19 BETH DUVALL |
| 1993-94 ROBERT PARSON | 2006-07 GREG BOVERSON* | *Deceased |
| 1994-95 BILL DOUDS* | 2007-08 EVERETT PIKE | |

2640 Delinquent Members, 01/20/2020

The following Members of our Lodge are currently delinquent in their 2019-20 dues. By statute, a Member who is delinquent is not entitled to use the Club facilities or to attend meetings, and are entitled to notice to drop them from our rolls.

143	John Volk	1067	Rick Patterson	1132	Michael Ezell
531	Don Pratt	1083	Daniel Galvin	1138	Jennifer Jack
757	Larry Olivarez	1098	Justin Philley	1139	Dana Smith
895	Robert Sutti	1099	Cora Philley	1146	Art Russ
901	Liz McCleney	1114	Kurt Alldredge	1152	Carrie Michalka
917	Teresa Kelley	1117	Barbara Spencer	1175	Adelia Emerson
1040	Garth Carrier	1125	Shawna Hendricks		
1047	Ralph Black	1126	Julie Ponzini		

If you do not intend on getting current, or are not renewing for the 2020-21 Elk Year, please let us know in writing/email that you would like an "absolute demit". This tidies up our rolls and if you decide to re-instate to a Lodge in the future, makes the process a lot easier for you and the Lodge Secretary!

If you would like to discuss your situation, we do have assistance available. Please contact the office for consideration.

In addition, every Lodge is responsible for paying their 2020-2021 per capita* based on the number of members on our register at March 31, 2020, whether their dues have been paid or not. If you do not intend to renew, please send an email or leave a note or voicemail at the Lodge informing us of your intention to drop ("absolute demit"). We appreciate it!

*Per capita: The Grand Lodge shall annually, by resolution, assess upon each Member of the Order annual dues, in such amount and to be paid in such manner as may be prescribed by the Grand Lodge, for raising revenue to meet the expenses of the Grand Lodge, including the maintenance of the National Headquarters and for the expense of publishing and distributing The Elks Magazine.

Notice of Increase in Cocktail Prices

In order to keep up with rising liquor prices and the increase in the cost of doing business, our charge for cocktails will be going up \$1 across the board. Well drinks will be \$5, and call drinks \$6. Premium will be increased accordingly. We're still the best game in town, and at this point beer and wine prices are not affected.

It is anticipated that dinner prices will increase a bit as well—but where else can you get someone else to cook a great meal AND do your dishes for under \$20?

Thank you for your understanding as we continue to make adjustments.

Lodge Activities

Subject to Change. Items marked with * require staffing (please call 688.3448 or email info@syvelks.com)
 Lounge Hours: Mon-Fri 2:30-7PM, Sat-Sun 1-7PM. Closing at bartender's discretion.

February							1
2 Super Bowl	3 6:30PM: House 7:30PM: Trustee	4	5	6 7PM: PER Night Lodge Mtg Nominations open	7 *6:30PM: Tri Tip, \$14		8
9	10	11	12	13	14 Valentine's Day! Dinner and Dancing *6:30PM: Prime Rib Dinner, \$20		15
16 Happy Bday Elks!!! Looking good for 152! 3PM: OSYD Mtg	17 Presidents' Day 6:30PM: House 7:30PM: Trustee	18	19	20 7PM: Lodge Mtg Nominations, Elections of Officers Pig Dump	21 *6:30PM: Fish & Chips, \$15		22
23 9AM: Initiation 10AM: Brunch	24	25	26 9AM: Support the Troops, Bethania Church	27	28 *6:30PM: Chili Cookoff, \$10		29

March	1 3PM: OSYD Mtg	2 6:30PM: House 7:30PM: Trustee	3	4	5 7PM: Lodge Mtg., Step Up Night Pig Dump	6 *6:30PM: TBD	7
8 Daylight Saving Time begins: Spring forward!	9	10	11	12	13 *6:30PM: TC's Prime Rib, \$18		14
15	16 6:30PM: House 7:30PM: Trustee	17 St. Patrick's Da	18	19 7PM: Open Mtg, Installation of 2020-21 Officers	20 *6:30PM: TBD		21
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Want to save the Lodge some \$\$\$? If you get the Bugle mailed, and also get it via the blasts, let us know if you can do without the hard copies. The paper, the printing, the postage—it all adds up each month. Thanks!

CRYING TOWEL

It pays to come to meetings!

1/2/20		1/16/20
Michael Gamboian	\$80	Andrea Crippa
Alberto Rodriguez	\$90	Floyd Keinarth
Lisa Novatt	\$100	Will McCoy

If you are an Associate Member of another Lodge, please include a copy of your current (2020-21) home-lodge card with your renewal for that Lodge.

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