

Provo  
Lodge  
No.  
849



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### EXALTED RULERS MESSAGE



To all my Elk Family and Friends,  
***“May, more than any other month of the year, want us to feel most alive.”***

May is working out to be busy at our lodge. We are getting our lodge ready to host the Utah Elks Association for State convention. May 2<sup>nd</sup> to the 4<sup>th</sup> Elks from all over Utah will be in

Provo. Saturday night we will be welcoming our own Brenda Shaw as UEA state president and Greg Shaw as first man. You are all welcome to purchase a dinner ticket and join us for dinner. The event is a formal event and business attire is required. If you have questions about what Elks do outside of our lodge. This weekend would be a great time for you to visit.

Some events in May to put on your calendar.

May 11<sup>th</sup> at 11 is Kids Crafting CornER.

May 18<sup>th</sup> is camp clean up at Camp Wapiti.

Everyone is welcome to come out for the day and help.

May 12<sup>th</sup> Lodge will be having our Mother’s Day celebration at 10:30.

May 27<sup>th</sup> the lodge will be closed for Memorial Day.

June 1<sup>st</sup> at 11 is Kids Crafting CornER.

June 22<sup>nd</sup> Hawaiian Luau

I’m still looking for help with Halloween, Purple days, and New year’s. If you are interested in helping

with these or anything else at the lodge, please let me know.

Thank you all for the opportunity to serve this lodge.  
Fraternally yours  
Justin Muir



Welcome new members Troy and Myndi.

### Looking for a Venue?

The Lodge is available for scheduling Banquets and Parties.

We have a full staff and fully equipped kitchen.

For Prices and Available Dates, please call Tammy at 801-373-0849 Ext 16

**EIGHT FORTY-NINER**

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**ELKS OFFICERS  
 2024-2025**

EXALTED RULER	Justin Muir
LEADING KNIGHT	Matt Graham
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LECTURING KNIGHT	Ed Jarvis
ESQUIRE	Kelcie Carter
CHAPLAIN	Kathy Rowberry
INNER GUARD	Scot Thomas
TILER	Tammy Beck
SECRETARY	Linda Gaines
TREASURER	Phillip Johnson

**TRUSTEES**

1 YEAR	Greg Shaw
2 YEAR	Clark Rowberry
3 YEAR	Karen McLaughlin
4 YEAR	Tim Leach
5 YEAR	Toni Hopes

**LADIES OF ELKS**

PRESIDENT	Ada Nelson
1st VICE	Peggy Reay
2nd VICE	Ada Nelson
SECRETARY	Shani Green
TREASURER	Meloney Stevens
CHAPLAIN	Shaunee Davis
PARLAIMENTARIAN	Tina Teeples
HISTORIAN	Alesia Juber
AUDITOR	Bonnie Harmon
PROJECT	Chantel Hutchison
VISITATION	
BOARD MEMBER	Danielle Kelsey
BOARD MEMBER	Shani Green
BOARD MEMBER	Peggy Reay

Meeting times for all members:

**GOVERNING BOARD  
 and  
 BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Last Tuesday, 6:00 pm

**LODGE OFFICERS**  
 As Scheduled

**PAST EXALTED RULERS**  
 First Tuesday, 6:00 pm

**VETERANS AUXILIARY**  
 First Wednesday at 6:30 pm

**BENEVOLENT TRUST**  
 As Scheduled

**LADIES OF ELKS**

Board Meeting- 1st Wednesday  
 Ladies General Meeting:  
 2nd Wednesday, 7:00 pm  
 September to May

**ANTLERS**  
 TBA



**IN MEMORIAM**

**LODGE MEETINGS**

*First and Third Tuesday  
 of the month  
 6:30 pm*

Lodge Facilities will be CLOSED  
 while lodge meeting is in session

*Please, if you know of any sickness or distress in the home of an Elk, please notify the Lodge (801) 373-0849. Many times we are placed in an embarrassing situation because a member or a member of their family was hospitalized or ill at home and was not called upon by the Lodge. We all appreciate it when our friends wish us well when we are under the weather.*

**MINIMUM LODGE HOURS**

Monday thru Thurs: 11:00a.m. to 8:00p.m.  
 Friday: 11:00a.m. to 9:00 pm.  
 Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 pm.  
 Sunday & Holidays: 11:00 a.m. to 4 p.m.

*Extended hours subject to Participation.  
 Call to check.*

**LODGE CLOSED**

Easter Sunday, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Pioneer Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas Day & New Years Day.

LODGE PHONE NUMBER: (801) 373-0849  
 BAR MANAGER: Tammy Beck Ext. 16

*Provo Lodge is operated by a Governing Board and a Board of Directors as per Grand Lodge Statutes.*



**Wednesday Night  
Steak Night**

**Every Wednesday  
Other menu items available. All Meals will be purchased in the Kitchen not the bar.**



**Provo Lodge 849  
hats are available in  
the Bar \$20 each.**

**Camp Wapiti Pins  
also available \$10**

**ELKTIVITIES 2024-2025**

May 17th  
Poker

May 11th  
Kid's CornER

May 12th  
Mother's Day Program

May 18th  
Camp Wapiti Cleanup

May 27th  
Lodge Closed for Memorial Day

June 1st  
Kid's CornER

June 9th  
Burgers and Brats for Pops

June 14th  
Flag Day Program

June 22nd  
Hawaiian Luau

**The 849er can be e-mailed to you if you contact the Lodge Secretary and request it. It comes out sooner and is in color.**

**This is a really great option if you travel or "snow bird".**

**The 849er is not forwarded even if you have temporary forwarding for your mail.**

**It is returned to the Lodge postage due.**

**House Rule # 18**

**The employees are instructed to refuse service to anyone who is unpresentable, abusive, unruly or boisterous or who has been drinking to excess.**

**Read through the 849er and calendar for specific times and activity details. Would love to see all of our members support the many activities and Charitable events we hold each year– More hands make lighter work**



Hello Elks and Ladies,  
Last night I stepped outside and saw a yellow bud poking through the green of a new daffodil stem and I see spring and new hope on the horizon. The weather is a little fickle, I hope that little bud survives.

Thank you to all of the ladies who came out to April meeting and installation of officers. I want to congratulate Danielle on a great job the past two years. I was blessed to have so many of

my family members there to support me. Congratulations to the 2023-24 Lady Elk of the year Treasurer Meloney Stevens. We are excited to announce the following organizations that we were able to help in the past year:

- Becky Hopkins (Member on Hospice)
- State LOE Project (Little warriors)
- Utah State Hospital Forgotten Patients
- Music Scholarship awards
- Sleep in Heavenly Peace

- Community dinner packets
- Little Warriors
- Ugly's closet
- And Payson Veterans home with Blankets, razors, DVD players, Deodorant and more (thank you Elks)

It is already time to prepare for the new business year. Congratulations to our new officers and thank you to those taking an appointed position for me. Lets make this the best year yet! If you are interested in chairing an event or helping in any other way in the coming year, please let me know.

Coming up at the end of June is our annual Rummage Sale. We are looking for items for the sale. I hope that as you conduct your spring cleaning, that you think about us. Please contact me, Ada @ 801.636.8731 or Shani Green @801.230.8652 to arrange a drop off time. (please do not just leave them at the lodge unless we know they are there). The sale will start at 7am on Saturday June 29 in the front parking lot of the lodge. We would love your support if you are a treasure hunter. We will also have some tables set up for anyone who would like to use space to sell your own crafts or products. For a small fee.

If you are interested in becoming a member of our organization, it is open to all ladies. You do not need to be a member of the Elks to join. Please contact me at the number above.

Officers: Our next Board meeting will be Wednesday May 1st, 6:00pm &  
Ladies of Elks meeting will be held on Wednesday May 8st  
Social time at 6:00  
Dinner at 6:30 and  
Business Meeting at 7:00.

It would be great to see some of the ladies at State convention here at Provo Lodge May 2-4 to support our Past President Shani Green as she is installed as State Ladies of Elks President.

Let's also support the Elks and have some fun at Bingo on Thursdays, Dinner on Wednesdays, and other events.

**Stay Positive, Work Hard, and Make It Happen.**

Watch my letter here in the 849r for events and other news throughout the year.

For the good of our lodge, the recipients of our service, and our ladies, looking forward to a great year.

Your LOE President 2024-25  
Ada Nelson

2024-25 L.O.E. Officers

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|---------------------------|-------------------|
| President                 | Ada Nelson        |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Pres | Peggy Reay        |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Pres | Ada Nelson        |
| Secretary                 | Shani Green       |
| Treasurer                 | Meloney Stevens   |
| Chaplain                  | Shaunee Davis     |
| Parliamentarian           | Tina Teeples      |
| Historian                 | Alesia Juber      |
| Auditor                   | Bonnie Harmon     |
| Membership                | Alesia Juber      |
| Project Chairman          | Chantel Hutchison |
| Visitation                |                   |
| Board Members             | Danielle Kelsey   |
|                           | Shani Green       |
|                           | Peggy Reay        |





# Monday Night Darts Or Pool

Camp Wapiti Cleanup  
Saturday  
May 18th  
RSVP to  
Exalted Ruler



If planning on attending



Save the Date

June 22nd  
Hawaiian Luau

Please have articles ready for publication by the 15th of each month.

Please submit your ads the month prior to your function. To submit please send them to the Lodge Secretary or by email to [BPOE849@gmail.com](mailto:BPOE849@gmail.com)



## Kid's CornER

Crafting time with the Exalted Ruler — May 11th & June 1st  
11-1 pm



## Nascar in the Bar

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Poker May 17th



BINGO is back  
Thursday Night until May 16th  
7:00 pm

**MAY 2024**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 LOE Board Mtg Steak Night	2 Bingo  UEA State Convention	3	4
5	6	7 Lodge Meeting	8 LOE Meeting Steak Night	9 Bingo	10	11 Kid's CornER
12 Mother's Day Program	13	14	15 Steak Night	16 Last Bingo	17 Poker	18 Camp Wapiti Cleanup
19	20 Orientation	21 Lodge Meeting Initiation	22 Steak Night	23	24	25
26	27 Memorial Day Lodge Closed	28 Board Meeting	29 Steak Night	30	31	

**JUNE 2024**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 Kid's CornER
2	3	4 Lodge Meeting	5 Steak Night	6	7	8
9 Burgers and Brats for Pops	10	11	12 Steak Night	13	14 Flag Day Program	15
16	17 Orientation	18 Lodge Mtg Initiation	19 Steak Night	20	21	22 Hawaiian Luau
23  30	24	25 Board Meeting	26 Steak Night	27	28	29 LOE Yard Sale

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

## MAY BIRTHDAYS

Thane Diamond  
 Cynthia Harding  
 Kathryn Rowberry  
 Carl Watkins  
 Robert Bowers  
 Archie Williams II  
 Jessica Caron

Eddie Haddle  
 Mark C. Penrod  
 J. Carl Thomas  
 Quinn Cloward  
 Rylan Bigler  
 Ronald Birrell  
 Edward Brown  
 Colton Carroll  
 David Mc Manus  
 Hal Reinhart  
 Clark Rowberry  
 Samuel Tooley  
 Scott Degering  
 Jason Flint  
 Daron Malmborg  
 David Mc Mullin  
 James Daley  
 Sherry Nelson  
 Stephen De Kok

Brent Batty  
 Colby Harward  
 Scott Fazzio  
 Nicholas Spiess  
 Marty McAfee  
 Myndi Wright  
 Mike Barney  
 Zachary Bigler  
 Brent Young  
 Tommy George  
 Bronze Cody  
 Richard Mullen  
 Jefferie Van Ausdal

### Scholarship Awards Event held on Monday, April 22, 2024 Most Valuable Scholarships, Americanism Essay Awards and L.O.E. Music Awards



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**Mother's Day Program**

**Sunday, May 12, 2024**

**Program 10:30 am**

**Check Facebook for Details**