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GREETINGS FROM YOUR EXALTED RULER...

I have been working on some home improvements for the club. New cell phone charger is down behind the green bar! Everyone can power up now. Next on my to do list is to install some speakers outside in the smoking section.

This month we will have an induction, and unfortunately, we will be performing the empty chair ceremony. Two Elks have passed away, Jack Sigler and Kent Cartwright, and we will honor them July 20th at 8pm. I invite all Elks to join us for the Induction, Ceremony, and Business Meeting. It will be upstairs in the lodge room.

IMPORTANT:

This is the last paper newsletter that will be delivered in the mail unless you take action now. The costs of sending a paper newsletter have led us to begin a phase out of the program. **We will continue to email this newsletter forever!** To keep receiving this newsletter in the mail do one of the following:

- Call the bar and leave a message saying you want to keep getting the paper newsletter.
- Email ER@tiffinelks.com with your name and address requesting that you still wish to receive the paper newsletter.

Next year, around April 1st, if you still wish to receive the paper newsletter there will be an additional fee that you must check on your dues statement. For the duration of this Elk year, no additional charges will be levied for the paper newsletter.

Faithfully Yours in Elkdom,
Branden Johnson, ER

FROM THE SECRETARY...

We are officially in the middle of summer! Things tend to get a bit quiet around the Elks this time of year as outdoor activities take priority. In the meantime, we are expecting a member initiation this month- so if you see some new members be sure to introduce yourself! We are also planning for Heritage Festival coming up. For those of you who may have submitted dues somewhat recently and received your member card later than usual, I apologize. I've had some family issues over the past month that have gotten me behind in processing those cards. Things are slowly getting back to normal now, so let me know if you have problems and I'll follow up.

Again, we are phasing out the paper newsletter and will have an email only newsletter shortly. If you'd like to continue to get a paper newsletter please let us know. If you think I don't have your email address, send me the correct one at secretary@tiffinelks.com!

Sincerely,
Laura Johnson, Secretary

FROM THE TRUSTEES...

*** DINNER EVERY WEDNESDAY NIGHT—6pm ***

JULY EVENTS:

Sat, July 4th : **Club Closed**
Thu, July 19th: **Lodge Meeting**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

August 20th: **Golf Outing**
September 15-17th : **Heritage Festival**
Date TBD: **Sportsman's Raffle**

Happy Independence Day to all our members! We have decided to not have a Build a Burger in July due to the holiday being so close to the first weekend. All other Wednesday meals will continue as scheduled. Each Wednesday from 6pm to 8pm dinner will be served from a menu which offers a wide variety of options including a kids menu. There will be a special offered each week and the birthday dinner will still be the third Wednesday.

Many events are coming soon so if you have time to volunteer it would be appreciated. Annual Golf Tournament is Sunday, August 20th at Clinton Heights. A portion of this year's event will benefit the Teen Center. Heritage Festival is right around the corner. We will be hosting bands both nights, breakfast before the parade, and kid's corner Saturday as well as much more.

Respectfully,
Your Trustees

Please keep the families of Jack Sigler, Kent Cartwright, and Rick Brodman in your thoughts and prayers.

Jack Sigler, 91, passed away on June 4th. Jack was a PER, life member, and had been an Elk for 62 years.
Kent Cartwright, 67, passed away on June 19th. Kent was life member and had been a member for 43 years.
Rick Brodman and his family lost their 19-year old son, **John Richard Brodman**, on June 18th.

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Be sure to come down and get your FREE birthday dinner : July 19th!

1	Tony Gooding	6	Daniel Mathias	17	Bronn Laughlin	24	Laura Johnson
1	Joe Hudok	7	John Eichhorn	19	Valerie Zeno	24	John Schultz
2	Craig Pattee	7	Mike Kerschner	20	Robert Metry	26	Owen Ballreich
4	Lois Phillips	8	Tony Paradiso	21	Michael Mastro	27	Jerry Buccilla
5	Steve Corthell	11	William Goodwin	22	John Carrigan	31	Kim Fischer
5	Kayla Ellks	11	S Dailey Turner	23	John Elchisco	31	David Thompson
5	John Kobelt	13	Anthony Sangregory	23	Carrie Guttenberg		

Tiffin Elks Lodge No. 94 OFFICERS 2017 — 2018	
Branden Johnson	Exalted Ruler
Katie Lang	Leading Knight
Gray Horn	Loyal Knight
Cameron Cory	Lecturing Knight
Laura Johnson	Secretary
Jim Eckelberry	Treasurer
	Esquire
Mary Kate Hayes	Tiler
Bob Kissel	Chaplain
	Inner Guard
Kylie Mathias	Organist
TRUSTEES	
Sam Bohanan	Chuck Jones
Anne Clouse	Christine Pattee
Tyler Shuff	

Tiffin Lodge 94 Membership *(As of June 22, 2017)*	
Current Members	286
Candidates	1
Life Members	64
Honorary Life Members	0
Delinquent Members	55
New Members Since April 1	10
Lost Members since April 1	4
Average Membership Age	59.00

11 O'CLOCK TOAST

You have heard the tolling of eleven strokes.
This is to remind you that with Elks,
the hour of eleven has a tender significance.
Wherever Elks may roam,
whatever their lot in life may be,
when this hour falls upon the dial of night
the great heart of Elkdom swells and throbs.
It is the golden hour of recollection,
the homecoming of those who wander,
the mystic roll call of those who will come no more.
Living or dead, Elks are never forgotten, never forsaken.
Morning and noon may pass them by,
the light of day sink heedlessly in the West,
but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall,
the chimes of memory will be pealing forth
the friendly message :

"TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS"

IN MEMORIAM

Jack W. Sigler—PER
DOB: July 4, 1925
DOI: February 7, 1957
DOD: June 4, 2017

Never Forgotten, Never Forsaken

IN MEMORIAM

Kent Cartwright
DOB: December 16, 1949
DOI: June 19, 1975
DOD: June 19, 2017

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