



Arlington Lodge #1435

May 2024

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks
Instituted February 8th, 1922
On the shores of spy pond at
56 Pond Lane Arlington, MA 02474
Phone 781-648-9868

EXALTED RULER MESSAGE

It has been an eventful first month as Exalted Ruler. Installations are now complete, and bi-laws have been approved. We are also on track to have a budget approved and submitted by April 1st.

Now that the weather is starting to warm up and the sun is out longer I look forward to seeing more people down at the lodge to enjoy the great views of spy pond. On Saturday May 18th at 2pm I would like to have an outdoor cleaning party to get the lodge ready for all the fun summer events yet to come. Any help would be appreciated.

In the spirit of charity I would like to also encourage members to continue to volunteer around the lodge and the community. Volunteer opportunities this month will include the outdoor cleanup on the 11th, the AYBSA opening day event on May 4th, and the NEAT Dinner at 5pm on May 11th.

In closing I hope that with the nice weather we see more members down at the lodge. We should continue to work on growing the membership and continue to work on getting more members involved throughout the lodge.

See you around the lodge,
Chris Dufault,
Exalted Ruler

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MESSAGE

The board has been discussing ways to lower the cable and internet bill. Monthly safety walkthroughs are still being conducted and we are working on getting employees of the lodge fire extinguisher training.

Board of Directors

Arlington #1435 2024-2025 Officers

Exalted Ruler– Chris Dufault

Esteemed Leading Knight- Derek Malone

Esteemed Loyal Knight– Khyrstyne Quigley

Esteemed Lecturing Knight– Tony Miele, Jr. PER, PDD, HLM

Secretary- Joanne Dempsey

Treasurer- Mary Mucci

Esquire– Arthur M. Edgecomb Jr., LM

Chaplain– Albert Jardin

Inner Guard– David Denn, LM

Tiler– Thomas Doherty

Trustees:

5 Year– Michael Pieroni, PER

4 Year– John Kerins, PER

3 Year– Thomas Kerins

2 Year– John Tehan, PER

1 Year– John O’Connell



Lodge Events and Activities!!!

May 27th 2024 MEMORIAL DAY BBQ

Time: 2-6pm Price: \$8 per person

Come join us the Sunday before Memorial Day for a BBQ! The winner of the May raffle basket will be chosen.

Raffle Basket tickets are 3/\$5 or 7/\$10

Don't see an event you like? Feel free to make event suggestions and leave them in the House Committee mailbox, or speak to a member of the committee!

AYBSA Little League Opening Day

Arlington Youth Baseball and Softball Association will be having their opening day on May 4th 2024!

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!

Youth who also need volunteer / community service hours are also encouraged to attend.

Volunteers are needed starting at 10:30am until 2pm



Life Membership

Life Membership is available to current paid up members who have been a member for 30 years and have reached the age of 65. Contact the Lodge Secretary in writing to request life membership.

Upcoming Events

May 11th 2024 MOTHERS DAY RITUAL & BRUNCH

Time: 11:30am Brunch to follow

Please join us at the lodge on Saturday May 11th for a special ritual dedicated to all the great mothers of the world. Open to members who are Mother's and Mothers of members are encouraged to attend. Following the ritual brunch will be served.

There will also be a Mimosa Bar with various juices and toppings!

June 15th 2024 PORCHFEST

Time: 5pm

Join your fellow elks and Arlington neighbors for a day of great music by Spy Pond. More details about this event will be posted in the lounge.

June 23RD 2024 MEAT RAFFLE 3:30

Tip Of the Antlers

Joe and Julie Schanda - For cooking a fabulous meal for the Installation

Leslie Schwalbe - For Being the first member to volunteer at the NEAT Arlington Dinner

Karen, Jim & Michael Pieroni - For Assisting in folding and stamping the mailable bulletins for April.

All Members Who Assisted with Installation

May 2024

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1 7:30pm Lodge Meeting	2	3	4 <u>AYBSA Opening Day</u> 10:30-2pm
5	6	7 5pm- The Wheel Dart Night	8	9	10	11 11:30am Mothers Day Ritual / Brunch
12	13 6:30pm House Committee Meeting 7:30 BOD Meeting	14 5pm- The Wheel Dart Night	15 7:30pm Lodge Meeting	16	17	18
19 2pm Outdoor Cleaning Party	20	21 5pm- The Wheel Dart Night	22	23	24	25
26 <u>Memorial Day Cookout</u>	27 Memorial Day	28 5pm- The Wheel Dart Night	29	30	31	

May Birthdays

3	Mark LeDrew	11	Robert Cooke	15	Joseph Ferrino	22	Andrew Robinson
4	Mike Gillen	13	Pina Boatwright		Frank Robillard	23	Keith Sovie
	Anthony Miele, Jr		Jackie Borges	18	John Anastas	24	Patrick Hannon
5	James Sullivan		James Bray		Diana DiCenzo		Ronald Sheehan
6	James Keefe		Melissa Buono	19	Michael Killion	25	Thomas Apprille
10	Lucas Hanley		Joyce Dervan	21	Jason Danielson		Timothy Hairston
	Kimberly Kuhl	14	John Deshler		Donald P Lee		

Dues Statement

Arlington Lodge of Elks
Fraternal Year

April 1st, 2024 — March 31st, 2025

Member Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

April 1st, 2024—March 31st, 2025: **\$90.25** _____

April 1st, 2024—September 30th, 2024 **\$62.75** _____

October 1st, 2024—March 31st, 2025 **\$27.50** _____

Life Member April 1st, 2024—March 31st, 2025 **\$59.25** _____

Secretary's Message

Application Fee for Arlington Lodge is \$60.00, half of which must accompany the application. The remaining \$30.00 and yearly dues are due before initiation.

Secretary Phone # (781) 646-7152

Reinstatement is EASY!!!

Fill out an application along with including the required fee of \$40.00 and leave it in the Secretary mailbox. A letter will be sent to applicants for next steps.

Our amnesty months are in July and August for a \$1.00 fee plus prorated dues.

Applications for Membership

Mark Arigo, Jr. , Eric Cerrato, Cheryl Endicott,
Kiara-Rose Findley, Robert

Ferrullo, Derek McMahon, Eva Panszczyk, Radiance Perkins,
Markus Richard, Matthew Shaw, Wayne Sisson, Michael
Stewart, Denise Synan & Darren Zinsouply

Application ready for Orientation

John Bradley



What Events do you want to see??

Please fill out this slip and place it in the house committee mailbox with your event suggestions no name required!

