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## EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

July already. Half the year has come and gone and I hope it continues to bring all of us the good times, best of health, and good times that we asked for at the beginning of the year.

What does the 4th of July mean to me and why do I celebrate it?

Yes, the gathering of friends and family, the food, good times, and fellowship with old and new friends is always fun. Let us keep in mind the struggle that many endured so that we may have these freedoms. The rights we have. The people we can elect to lead us. The right to publicly support or criticize our elected officials and not get punished for it. Too many times we get caught up in the celebration and forget the meaning.

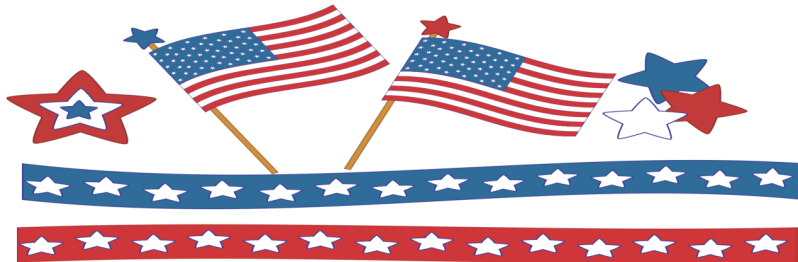
August is fast approaching. George Gaylord Golf Tournament, Lodge Picnic, and back to school. There will be a box put up in the lodge to drop off school supplies to help the kids that need it. Please be generous.

Fraternally  
Ben Ortiz

When life shuts a door, open it again. It's a door. That's how they work.

## ~TAKE NOTE~

The Lodge and the Gaming Room will be closed for upgrades and Maintenance on July 9th & 10th.



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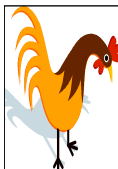
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**NOTICES**



If you would like any notes or reminders put into the bulletin, please e-mail Raquel De Los Santos at rdelossantos @hmsnm.org

Note from our Secretary:

If you have a change of address or phone number, please call the Lodge and tell the bartender so she can let me know and I can make the change in the file,

Thank You, Art Denham

Members will be meeting at the lodge to pickup trash along HWY 90 on July 13, 2019. Bags and vests will be provided. Please try to help keep our roadways free of trash.

A big THANK YOU from Bob Conner to everyone who helped celebrate his 90th Birthday party. Special thanks to his daughters, Jennie, Wilma, Lisa and Irene.



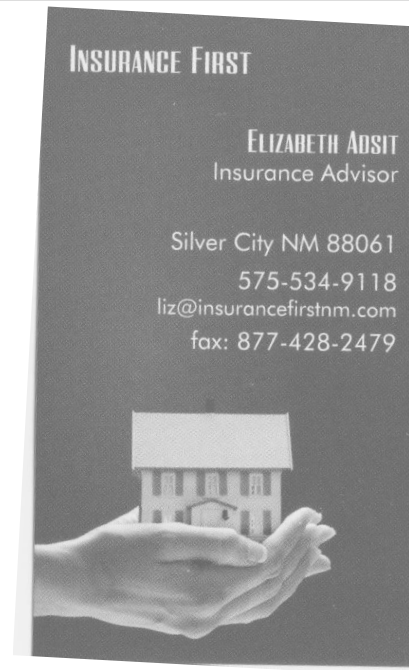
## Lounge Report

Unfortunately I have to begin this letter, starting off by saying, as some may know already that we will discontinue our weekly botanos for the month of July and August due to lack of participation. If you would like to give any feedback or ideas to keep it going. Please come see me when I'm working. I'd hate for it to completely go away. I want to say thank you to those that have put in their time. We love to see you all at the lodge. So make the summer time fun with all the members and bartenders. Time to cool off from the summer heat we've been getting.

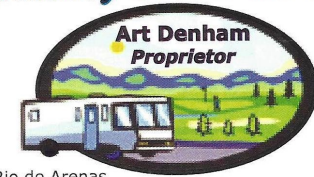
Thank you,

Tash ~ Bar Manager

**Due to lack of attendance and volunteers we will not have any Thursday night dinners for July and August. The Board will consider reinstating these in September if interest is shown.**



## Whiskey Creek RV Park



12 Rio de Arenas  
Arenas Valley, NM 88022

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## 2019-2020 OFFICERS

|                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| Exalted Ruler    | Ben Ortiz          |
| Leading Knight   | Martin Cook        |
| Loyal Knight     | Lester Rogers      |
| Lecturing Knight | Andrew Housley     |
| Tiler            | Danny Flores       |
| Inner Guard      | Michele Blackman   |
| Esquire          | Tommy Rios         |
| Chaplain         | Christine Carrillo |
| Organist         | Tom Wyoming        |
| Secretary        | Art Denham         |
| Treasurer        | Stanley Wilson     |

Presiding Justice

### Trustees:

|        |                |
|--------|----------------|
| 5 Year | Wanda Hall     |
| 4 Year | Dave Kuthe     |
| 3 Year | Barbara Barris |
| 2 Year | Gene Bratcher  |
| 1 Year | Cheryl Smith   |

### Committees and Chairpersons:

|                           |  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Membership                | Wilma Nelson                           |
| Drug Awareness            | Martin Cook                            |
| Public Relations          | Nick Seibel                            |
| Standing Relief( Charity) | Chair positions/ Treasurer & Secretary |

|                            |                  |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| Veterans                   | Wanda Hall       |
| Hoop Shoot                 | Andrew Housley   |
| Youth                      | Ben Ortiz        |
| ENF                        | Andy Housley     |
| Cerebral Palsy             | Gary Ford        |
| Community/Lodge Activities | Ben Ortiz        |
| Auditing/Accounting        | Chelsea Hotchkis |

Flag Day

Elks Memorial Day

Accident Prevention

Ritualistic Chair

Kenny Heiden  
Bill Turner / Gary Ford

## NOTICES

Please Note we only have one  
Lodge meeting for the month of  
July and August.

### Help Us Help You!

The Members of the 413 wish to thank those businesses that advertise in our monthly newsletter. Their donation helps offset the cost of publications. As the new lodge year begins we ask those who have in the past or currently are to renew their pledge. Cost is \$60 annually. Please speak to Art or Wanda for more information.

### \*\*\*\*\*Notice\*\*\*\*\*

#### TO ALL MEMBERS NEW AND OLD!

All guests to the Lodge must be pre-invited and come with you to the Lodge and then signed in by you the member. THOSE HOLDING A SPOUSE CARD ARE NOT ELLIGIBLE TO SIGN IN A GUEST.

Your guest must leave when you leave and may not be signed in by another. No one is permitted to enter the Lodge without being a member or a guest of a member. THIS IS New Mexico Alcohol LAW! No Exceptions. Also per statues Members who have been dropped for non-payment or who are currently delinquent this year with dues are not permitted in the Lodge and may not be signed in as guests. Also Minors may only be brought in and signed in by their parent or legal guardian, again no exceptions!



# July 2019



Sun

Mon


Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

|  |                  |                       |   |   |  |                           |
|--|------------------|-----------------------|---|---|--|---------------------------|
|  | 1<br>PER Mtg 6PM | 2                     | 3<br>Charity Meeting<br>630pm<br>Lodge Meeting<br>7pm |  | 5<br>Karaoke Night<br><br>Initiation 7pm | 6                         |
| 7  | 8                | 9<br><br>LODGE CLOSED | 10  | 11  | 12<br>Karaoke Night                      | 13<br>Highway Cleanup 7am |
| 14<br>Deep Clean at the<br>Lodge everyone<br>come help 9am | 15               | 16                    | 17  | 18  | 19<br>Steak / Karoke Night               | 20                        |
| 21   | 22               | 23                    | 24  | 25  | 26<br>Karaoke Night                      | 27                        |
| 28   | 29               | 30                    | 31  |   |  |                           |