



# ELKS SUFFOLK 685 NEWSLETTER



**March 2025**

## Officers

## Reminders

Gene Leonard Exalted Ruler  
 Doug Parr Esteemed Leading Knight  
 Joe Garlitz Esteemed Loyal Knight  
 Leah Powel Esteemed Lecturing Knight  
 Johnny Beale Treasurer  
 Scott Bosley Secretary  
 James Powell Esquire  
 Mark McGahee Chaplain  
 Kevin Beale Inner Guard  
 Mindy Hewitt Tiler  
 Robert McDonnell Trustee  
 Pat Rideout Trustee  
 David Jamerson Trustee  
 Charles Parr Trustee  
 Linda Santaniello Trustee

**Lodge Meetings**  
**2nd and 4th Thursdays at 7PM**

**Home Committee Meeting**  
**March 5th at 6PM**

## Upcoming Events

- **March 14th 6PM-8PM**  
**Pot Luck Dinner, Sign-up Sheet**  
**Posted at the Lodge**
- **March 19th at 6PM \$15**  
**Hamburger Steak Dinner**
- **Pool Tournament-\$10 fee**
- **Liquor Raffle March 19th**

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# Member Spotlight



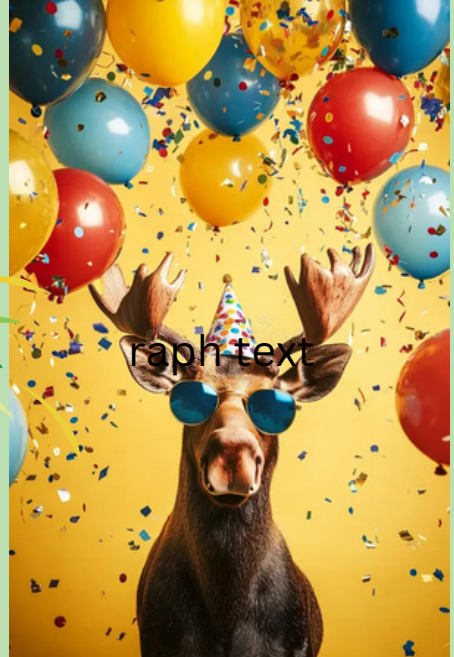
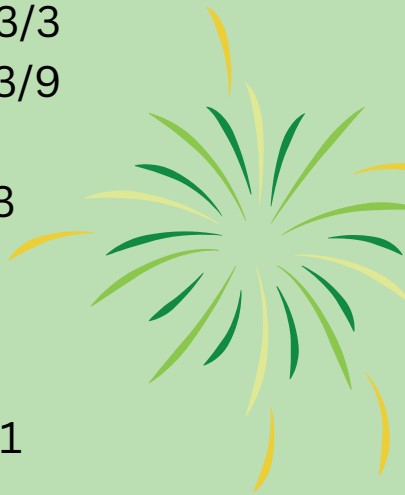
Dedicated Father of two sons, Friend and Elk Member. Scott has worked for Verizon for 27 years. When he is not at Verizon he spends most of his off time volunteering for our lodge. Scott is our past House Committee Chair and is the Secretary and the Gaming Manager for our Lodge. Join us in thanking Scott for volunteering his time and supporting his Elks Family.



**Volunteers Needed**  
**Inquire how you can support**  
**Elks**

**Join us and wishing these fellow Elks a very Happy Birthday**

- Wesley Alexander 3/3
- G. Harden Barnett 3/9
- Stewart Boyce 3/4
- Herman Bunch 3/23
- James Butler 3/25
- Joseph Garlitz 3/25
- David Knight 3/31
- Robert Watkins 3/31
- Debbie Davis 3/6
- Cynthia Hayes 3/9
- James Powell 3/14



**Elks Care — Elks Share**

# GRANDMA'S IRISH SODA BREAD



- 4 cups all-purpose flour
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ½ cup sugar
- 2 eggs
- 4 tablespoons vegetable shortening
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup raisins
- caraway seed (optional)

## directions

1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Sift together flour, baking powder, salt and sugar in large bowl.
2. Mix in raisins and caraway seeds (optional). Melt shortening. Beat eggs and combine with milk.
3. Mix liquids with dry mixture. Knead on well-floured surface. Shape into a round loaf and place in floured iron skillet.
4. Mark an "X" (lightly score) across the top using a sharp knife. Bake at 350 degrees for 50 minutes. Cool on wire rack.

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# March

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
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2	3	4	House Committee Meeting 6PM	5	6	7	8	
9	10	11	12	Lodge Meeting 7PM	13	Pot Luck Dinner 6PM to 8PM Sign-up sheet at the lodge	14	15
16		17	18	Hamburger Steak Dinner 6PM \$15	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	Lodge Meeting 7PM	27	28	29	
30	31							