



“Mini” Twin City Antlers

Centralia - Chehalis Lodge # 2435 B.P.O.E. P O Box 358 Centralia WA 98531

NEW LODGE PHONE NUMBER: 360-669-0158

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PLEASE NOTE NEW LODGE ADDRESS:

1732 S. GOLD ST,
CENTRALIA, WA
98531

WHO CAN I CONTACT???

Have a question? You can call the Lodge Office anytime. Even when we are not in the office, you can leave us a message, and we will be happy to get back with you.

CANOE RAIDS????

One of the fun activities in the South District is the ‘raiding of the canoes’. Go visit other lodges in South District, and help out our Lodge at the same time. See the “Quick Notes” section on the back of the bulletin for details.

Play Poker and Pool!!!!

The Pool table has been re-felted and the balls run smooth on the new felt. Plus, both poker tables are sitting here ready to be used. Come up meeting nights and play!

COME SEE OUR NEW LOCATION!!!

Hello! It’s Teri, your Exalted Ruler and Bulletin Editor, with a really short quick message: We are currently in our new location for all of our meetings: 1732 South Gold Street, Centralia (in the Fairway Center on the south end near the Quesadilla Factory and Valley View Medical... just look for the big metal Elk in the middle of the grass circle in the parking lot). We hope to see you soon on our Wednesday night meetings at 7:30 pm.

We have been delayed in opening for food and bar operations due to some circumstances out of our control. We’ve had a few situations concerning licensing and permitting issues; plus some problems with getting the gas hooked up in the kitchen means we are anticipating an **EARLY JULY OPENING**.... We all know how licensing, permitting, and construction can be delayed, so we will keep you updated as much as possible. Keep an eye out for more info...

CHRISTMAS IN JULY???

Let’s face it, after a transition like this, we really need a party! And, we missed out on our ‘normal’ Tom and Jerry party that the PER Association puts on every year because of all the ‘on again, off again’ details of the move. So, we are planning Christmas in July! Come see the new Lodge location, and partake in the holiday spirit on July 25th! Mark it on your calendar now, and we’ll get all the details to you in a few weeks.



TO BE BALLOTTED UPON:

The following are to be balloted upon on June 24th for consideration for membership in the order: Bruce Baskin (proposer Teri Embum) and Carl Garrett (proposer Ann Garrett).

PLEASE NOTE OUR NEW PHONE NUMBER... The Lodge Secretary tried to get one that had “2435” incorporated into it to make it easier to remember, however it was just not possible. 360-669-0158 is our new number.

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Quick Notes:

Items to point out:

We are holding our 'regular' Lodge meetings on Wednesday nights at 7:30 at the new location. The location is cozy and is still being worked on, but you are welcome to come to the meetings and see it as it progresses. We can also use volunteers to get the kitchen organized and get it in shape to open!!!

We are planning a "Christmas in July" on Saturday, July 25th... keep a look out for upcoming details.

Summer Convention is happening in the Tri Cities June 18th through the 21st. Come join your fellow Elks in fellowship and learning... and FUN IN THE SUN!!!

Grand Lodge Convention is down in Portland this year (July 5th through 9th). Be sure to go to www.Elks.org for all the details! It's rare that we have a Grand Lodge Convention so close, so let's all take advantage. Grand Lodge is a great experience, and we'd love to see you there!

Teri and her officers need some help with the South District 'raiding of the canoes'. The idea is that **our members** visit other lodges in our district... and the 'prize' is the other lodge's small wooden canoe. Three or more card carrying members and/or spouses must make up a raiding party. There are a few other rules. Let's go have fun visiting all the other lodges in our district. Then **they'll** need to visit **us** to get their canoes back! It means more interaction among members and we get to go see how other lodges work. Plus, both lodges receive the business from the incoming 'raiding parties'. It's fun and it's a win-win situation for all the South District lodges.