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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

Brothers,

Well another month has gone by and we are still affected by Covid- 19. Unfortunately, we are still not allowed inside but we are still plugging along at the outside bar. The hours are M-F (3pm to 7pm) and Saturday and Sunday - noon to 6pm. Come on over for a cold drink.



**Tom Cribbin
Exalted Ruler**

I wish I had better news for us but until the Governor releases us, we are outside. Thank you all for your patience during this difficult time.

July zipped by and the summer is almost over. Four committees were able to attend a district meeting in Old Bridge. At our August meeting they will relay any pertinent information. I believe Youth Activities may be trying to get a batter-up contest going and Soccer will be determined in August. I wish I knew more but this pandemic is putting all activities on "hold". Also our Track Day was cancelled on August 8th due to restrictions at Monmouth Park.

On a brighter note, August will have the officers preparing for ritual which should be going off in September. August 28th will be our Annual Golf outing and I believe Special Children's Committee is planning a boat ride in September. Lets hope we can begin doing more and more activities.

Please keep everyone in your prayers and stay safe. As always, please feel free to reach out to me or any of the officers if you need anything, we will do our best to assist you.

Be Middletown strong and maybe one day soon we can be inside the remodeled lodge.

Fraternally,
Tom Cribbin
Exalted Ruler

*Act as if what you do makes a difference.
It does!*





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HOUSE COMMITTEE

- Chairman: Rich Bryk
- Members: Charlie Diehl
- Don Desfosse
- Ron Steinberger
- Rich Jaeger
- Frank Zechman
- Jimmy Smythe

Meet the Last Saturday of month at 12:00PM

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

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ELK OF THE MONTH **AUGUST 2020**

My Elk of the month is Jason Bossick.
Thank you Jason for coming
in and helping for the
different activities recently.



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Kathleen Brant

November

In Memory of Willy Fix
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AUGUST LADIES BIRTHDAYS

- 13TH, FLO GORMLEY
- 13TH, PAT STRANIERO
- 20TH, MARTHA NIERKRASH
- 20TH, JANE THOMPSON
- 27TH, TEENA PLADL
- 28TH, KATHLEEN BRANDT
- 30TH, KATHERINE WOODS

LADIES... ENJOY YOUR BIRTHDAYS!

AUXILIARY MEMBERS

Please remit your dues for 2019-2020. \$20.00
If you have questions, please feel free to call me. 330-268-2103 Thank you, Lisa Lowe,
Corresponding Secretary

SUNSHINE CHAIRLADY MESSAGE

Any Member Ill...or in the Hospital...
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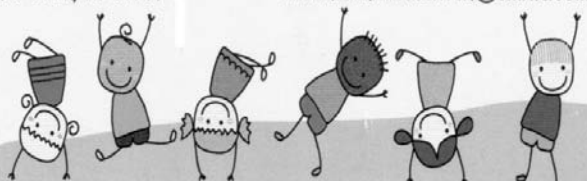
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