



**PERTH ELKS LODGE NO. 362**  
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December 4, 2015

Dear Elks and Friends;

The regular meeting of Perth Elks Lodge will be held on Thursday, December 10, 2015 at 6:00 PM. There is a good possibility that the NB Provincial Elks Association President, Donna Wood, will be making an official visit. Let's hope for good weather.

The **Annual Christmas Dinner** will be served following the meeting at 7:00 PM by Martha Johnson and Marg Wagner with assistance from several of Santa's Elves that they have recruited. This is the fourth year in a row that they have catered this meal. **Elks and their families and friends and "Friends of the Elks" and their families and friends are invited. Please make your reservations as soon as possible.**

Within the last month you have all been sent a book of tickets for the Christmas Basket and Christmas dinner. You have all been so generous in your donations that it had to be put in three separate baskets. It is on display at **Perth-Andover Building Center** if you would like to see it. **Please bring your tickets in on Lodge night. If you can sell more call me or Diane.**

**Your dues for 2016 are now payable. Members who pay by December 31, 2015 will be have their name go in a draw and the lucky name drawn will receive a free meal for two at any of the next four Lodge dinners. Dues are \$60.00 per year.**

Our Lodge is required to form a Membership Committee. This committee will be asked to develop plans to bring new members into our Lodge. We have 82 members. Surely there are 5 of you who have not been on a committee before who could volunteer and help us **"Grow our Membership"**. **Please consider being an active part of the revitalization of our Lodge.**

Membership pins for 5 years of service and for every multiple of 5 thereafter will be presented at the dinner.

Schedule of events for the coming months:

- Lodge Meeting and Chinese Dinner -Thursday, January 14, 2016
- Brunch - Sunday, January 24, 2016 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
- Lodge Meeting and Valentine's Roast Beef Dinner - February 11, 2016
- Lodge Meeting - March 10, 2016
- Annual St. Patrick's Day Steak Dinner and Silent Auction - March 19, 2016

**Thank you for your continued support and we'll see you all on Thursday night. Please make a special effort to come and bring someone new with you.**

Fraternally,  
Ron Gaunce, Secretary