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A WORD FROM THE EXALTED RULER

Fellow Elks:

Our fundraising effort in support of our Shoe Fund and our Christmas Basket projects is going well. I understand that about half of the tickets for the Shoe Fund Dinner have been checked out for sale. If you can help sell a few tickets, please pick some up at the Lodge and let's make this year's fundraising effort an early success.

There are a still a few members that have not paid their dues. The Lapsation Committee is working to contact those members who are in arrears, and we have reduced the list of late payers by half. If you see this reminder and you haven't paid yet, please get your money in soon.

Grand Exalted Ruler Jack Frost has officially proclaimed November as "National Veterans Remembrance Month", and has requested all Lodges to observe this month of recollection of the debt we owe all veterans in the manner recommended to all Elks. We will be making our trip to the Veteran's Hospital in Johnson City on Thursday, November 9th. If you have any donations of winter clothing, books, magazines, etc., please start getting them ready, and if you can make the trip, please make your plans to attend. This is one of the most rewarding things we do as Elks.

According to information supplied to us by the Elks National Veterans Service Committee, last year more than eleven thousand people worked as volunteers in Elks veterans programs donating in excess of one hundred thousand hours of their time. Elks can be very proud of their support of our nation's veterans.

Chris Davis, Exalted Ruler

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