

## Trav'l'n Elks

Dear Travel'n Elks Members,

As we bid farewell to another incredible year, I want to extend my warmest wishes to each and every one of you. May this festive season be filled with joy, laughter, and cherished moments with loved ones.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all! Your enthusiasm and support have made Travel'n Elks a vibrant community, and I look forward to the adventures that the coming year holds for us.

Warm regards,

Scott Watson Chairman, Travel'n Elks



Travel'n Elks 2023 Christmas Party was an absolute blast! Picture this: 5-6 delightful cocktails and appetizers set the stage for an evening of pure joy. As the clock struck 6-7, the Elks wowed us with a dinner that was nothing short of a culinary masterpiece, enjoyed by a lively crowd of 64 attendees. The infectious beats of the greatest local band, "Keep on Truck'n," had us grooving and dancing from 7-9, creating an unforgettable atmosphere.

A huge shoutout to Imogene and Linda for their stellar work on the 50/50 raffle – Fran and Scott, our lucky winners, graciously donated their winnings to the hardworking event staff. Special thanks to Brenda and Fran for the stunning centerpieces that brought an extra touch of beauty to the evening,

won by eight lucky guests.

It was more than just a party; it was a heartwarming opportunity to come together, spread holiday cheer, and exchange wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. A massive thank you to the incredible team behind the scenes: Elaine, Shirley M, Imogene, Karen, Sue W, and Brenda.

As we gear up for our next meeting on January 8th, I extend an enthusiastic invitation to consider taking up a board position. Your support will be invaluable in keeping the Travel'n Elks Club spirit alive and thriving. Cheers to the success of Travel'n Elks 2023, and here's to an even brighter future!

Submitted by Fran Watson

## **HERITAGE CAMPOUT**

Heritage Campout was Nov. 1-5 with Wagon Master Ed Kinsey.

As the sun slowly glowed through the trees at Heritage RV park, the campers awoke to a plethora of activities. We played Ladder Ball, Bocce Ball, Left, Right, Center, Blackjack, Pinochle, and "The Photo" game.

Mo's birthday was celebrated with cupcakes and a song. The ladies made festive birthday hats for everyone to wear at dinner. The men were busy also, KP duty peeling potatoes, and carrots for the Pot Roast committee dinner that night. Day trips were enjoyed by all: Olive Cannery, specialty stores, Casa Ramos, and two different hamburger stands.

GREAT CAMPOUT - MANY STORIES, MANY LAUGHS - GOOD FRIENDS

Submitted by Richard Norlie







## Heritage Campout

