



Tallahassee Elks Lodge to Commemorate Veterans on Memorial Day

Tallahassee, FL / [PRBuzz](#) / May 27, 2011 - - The Tallahassee Elks Lodge will commemorate all of the men and women who gave their all fighting for our freedom this Memorial Day with multiple events and a cook out. Stop by the Tallahassee Elks Lodge at 276 North Magnolia Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301 and celebrate or make your own moment of silence at 3:00 PM on Memorial Day.

Lou Langnehs, Americanism Chairman of the Tallahassee Elks Lodge, appeared on WCTV regarding the celebration and outlined the key points of the celebration:

Tallahassee Elks Lodge Memorial Day Ceremony, May 30, 12:00 PM

For more information call 850-597-7091

3:00 PM moment of silence across the country

Mr. Langnehs stated, "Please come to the lodge on Memorial Day and help us remember, as we say 'Thank You' to those who have given the ultimate sacrifice that we may enjoy the freedoms and liberty of today. There will be a cookout, cake-walk by the Elketts, and a pool tournament that day, so there will be an opportunity for everyone to have some fun and fellowship.'

Mr. Langnehs continued, "It has been a privilege and an honor to serve as the Americanism Chairman. I take this opportunity to Thank You for helping me to celebrate Americanism these last two years. After Memorial Day, our next Americanism event is Flag Day, June 14, 2011 at 4:00 PM. Our resident Boy Scout Troop as well as Girl Scouts will be here to help us celebrate Flag Day. We look forward to all those who can attend."

Michael Fugler, State Vice Chairman for P & PR stated, "Lou is a great ambassador for the Florida State Elks to take our new message to our neighbors in our local community. We know many people here in Tallahassee and in each local community in Florida want to pitch in and do more for those in need and the Elks message to our local community is this: The Elks are The Local Solution. Elks Care, Elks Share and we want each of our local communities to hear about us and join us "Whether you want to pay it forward or give back."

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks Mission statement: To inculcate the principles of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to recognize a belief in God; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its Members; to quicken the spirit of American patriotism; to

cultivate good fellowship; to perpetuate itself as a fraternal organization, and to provide for its government, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America will serve the people and communities through benevolent programs, demonstrating that Elks Care and Elks Share.

The Elks National Foundation, established in 1928, has distributed over \$3 billion in cash, goods and services to the nations youth, its veterans, the disadvantaged and handicapped and in support of patriotic and civic programs. The Elks National Foundation mission is "helping Elks build stronger communities." We do this by providing tomorrow's leaders, our youth, with a healthy beginning, by providing more scholarships than any organization besides the U.S. Government.

The Florida State Elks support its two charities, the Florida Elks Youth Camp and the Florida Children's Therapy Services. The Florida Elks Youth Camp is located on 385 acres of rolling hills, forests, lakes and open space in Marion County, Florida. The camp has a ratio of one counselor and one counselor in training for every seven campers and is accredited by The American Camping Association as a safe camping environment for children.

The Florida Elks Children Therapy Services provides physical therapy and occupational therapy to Florida children with 20 mobile units consisting of both Physical and Occupation Therapists. They treat children all over the state of Florida who do not have easy access to therapy as a result of financial consideration without regard to the ability to pay for such services.

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Mr. Fugler has been a member of the Tallahassee Elks Lodge #937 since 2006 where he has been extremely active behind the scenes supporting Lodge leadership and Lodge Committees and has spent a tremendous amount of time consulting with and advising members of the Lodge and volunteering at the Lodge, District and State levels.

Mr. Fugler was FSEA North District Co-Chairman, Publicity & Public Relations and FSEA Vice Chairman Publicity & Public Relations for 2010/2011.

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