

Arizona Elks News

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"Thanks for Lending a Hand"

Brother and Sister Elks,

Brenda joins me in the wish that you all had a Merry Christmas; that you all enjoyed the blessings of good fortune, family, God and good health. We extend a hearty Thanks for Lending a Hand to those who shared the gifts bestowed on them with those less fortunate.



In this joyous and blessed season, we wish all of you a prosperous, safe and healthy New Year. As we reflect on the accomplishments of 2023, let us press on to the greater achievements of 2024.

Exalted Rulers, you have three months remaining to complete the programs, to achieve the goals, you set out to complete at the start of your terms. Encourage your committee chairs to enter

brochure contests (Memorial Service, Americanism, Community Service and Image), start working on your All-American Lodge application, finish the year strong in membership.

Our attention to Youth Activities, Exalted Ruler Advancement and Ritual comes to the forefront this month:

1. As December closes, most of our Lodges have conducted local Hoop Shoots. Category winners will now advance to District Contests this month: South District - 1/6/24, West District - 1/13/24, East District - 1/20/24, North District - 1/27/24). Refer to Calendar at arizonaelksassociation.org for location information. Contact your District Hoop Shoot Chair and volunteer a few hours of your time to this exciting program.
2. In preparation of their anticipated upcoming year as Exalted Ruler, a series of Leading Knights' Clinics will be conducted in January and extending into February, as follows: South District - 1/14/24, West District - 1/21/24, East District - 1/27/24, North District - 2/17/24. Refer to Calendar at arizonaelksassociation.org for location information. Spouses are urged to attend, as training will be provided for them, as well.
3. In case you hadn't noticed, Ritual activities are back in vogue and gaining traction in Arizona. As many as thirteen Lodges are expected to compete in three "special" contests beginning in January: 1) The Valley Contest, 1/20/24, Phoenix Lodge #335, 2) The Colorado River Contest, 2/3/24, Parker Lodge #1929, and 3) The Wine Country Contest, 2/17/24, Sierra Vista Lodge #2065. Contact your District Ritual Chair for further information regarding the Team, Eleven O'Clock Toast and/or Flag Charge Presentation Contests.

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"Thanks for Lending a Hand"

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We are in the homestretch of the Lodge year. In terms of net membership, we are well on the way to another plus membership as of the Grand Lodge Membership Report of 12/14/23, as follows:

Gains	3,137
Losses	(1,230)
Delinquents	(2,170)
Awaiting Initiation	<u>550</u>
Net	287

You know the routine: a) Let's contact our delinquent members and find out why they are not paying dues or what we can do to help, if needed, and encourage them to renew, b) Let's actively inspire our existing members to invite friends, family and acquaintances to join our great Order, c) Let's invite our membership, by specific and detailed invitation, to attend our fundraising events and to help with Hoop Shoot, Visiting the Sick, supporting our Veterans, etc., d) Let's review our Stray Elks lists, contact those potential members that have moved into the jurisdiction of our Lodges and invite them to come to a Lodge Meeting or an event; and 4) Initiate, Initiate, Initiate.

I and my Vice-Presidents Sue Krausman (South), JeRay Bellon (East) and Hank Thonnard (West) are in the process of completing the last couple of visits of all Arizona Lodges. We are proud to have had the opportunity of visiting with you, your Officers and members and listening to your marvelous stories of membership and service. Final reports of these visits will be made at the May Convention. Please remember that we are here to lend a hand in most any facet of Lodge operation, without repercussion, if you desire. Please feel free to consult with any of us, regardless of the request.

Don't forget to supply evidence of our substantial and many accomplishments for publication to this AEA Newsletter, to the Grand Lodge Magazine and to local news.

In closing this month, in addition to participating in our charitable and fraternal endeavors, please enjoy and promote the spirit of the new year and don't over-commit on those resolutions.

Brenda and I are proud to be of service to all of you and to this great Association.

May God bless our troops, our first responders, our families and all of you.

Thanks for Lending a Hand!

Fraternally,

Al Kayal, President
Arizona Elks Association



Arizona Elks Association
Annual Meeting
May 9-11, 2024

“Tucson #385 Uses Gratitude Grant Money to Support Food Bank”

On November 15, 2023, the Tucson AZ Elks Lodge #385 donated \$500.00 from the Gratitude grant we received to the Community Food Bank of Southern Arizona.

Submitted by: John Aceves

Pictured are:
Food Bank Representative
Kerr Burgerhoff and
PER Bob Holyoak.



“Phoenix West Lodge #2729 Presents Beacon Grant Check”



Phoenix West Lodge #2729 donated \$4000.00 from the Beacon Grant to Arizona Justice Center (AZJC) to continue their work in the community.

Submitted by: Richard Kovaleski

Pictured are: Richard Kovaleski, AZJC Staff Administrator Rhonda Charles, and Elk Member/Director of the AZJC Joe Charles.

“Elroy T. Elk of Coolidge Florence Lodge #2350 a Big Hit at Parade”

On November 25th, 2023, the Coolidge-Florence Elks Lodge 2350 participated in the 91st Annual Junior Parada Parade, the original kid's rodeo since 1932. Hosted by the Historical Florence Foundation, the Junior Parada Rodeo is a community wide event that runs over Thanksgiving weekend. Starting in 1932, the rodeo began by a local rancher to raise money during the Great Depression for students to have milk in the local Florence Elementary School. This event has grown and is now the oldest kid's rodeo in the United States.

Coolidge Florence Elks Lodge 2350 entered a float for the parade, sponsored by the town of Florence, in Florence, AZ. The theme was "Americanism". Lodge 2350 represented our community with members from the Lodge creating a float aligned with this theme. The 6-block route was downtown along Main Street. The turnout was exceptional and families lined the street on both sides cheering-on all 38 entries. Elk's members waved flags, passed out candy to the kids, and informational flyers about the works of the Lodge to the adults. Elroy, the Elks mascot, hugged kids and gave "high fives" all along the way. A great time was had by all, especially the Elks who participated in this historic event.



Submitted by: Angela Schenk

“Tucson East Lodge #2532 Presents Check to Food Pantry”



Members of Tucson East Elks Lodge # 2532 presented a \$2500 dollar check to the Tucson Neighborhood Food Pantry which distributes food boxes to needy families and individuals in the East Tucson area. The check was part of the Gratitude Grant.

Submitted by: Rich Botkin

Pictured are:

Cheryl Morgan, Mark King, Director Debbie Struble, Lodge

“Gratitude Galore for Elks Members Supporting Scottsdale #2148”

Turkey Drive Success: Turkeys were purchased through the Turkey on the Wall Drive donations. We got 10 turkeys that marched their way to Hirsch Academy for their Turkey Walk.

Yavapai Elementary Blessings: 20 grocery gift cards, valued at \$75.00 each, brought warmth to Yavapai Elementary families, skipping the traditional Thanksgiving food baskets.

Veterans Day Honors: 16 Veterans enjoyed free meals at our Veterans Day Dinner, served by Cento Pizzeria and serenaded by Dawson Acoustic. The 50/50 raffle raised \$150.00 for our Veteran charities, and a generous check of \$3,643 went to the Arizona Veterans Mission Group from October's charity donations.

Heartwarming Thanksgiving Dinner: 105 dinners served in-house, thanks to the fantastic volunteers - Lynn Youngs, P.E.R., Debra Clark, Liz Alcorn, Al and Nancy Gonzalez, Keli Bultsma, Terry Youngs, Rick Terreault, Lisa Ramirez, Trisha Lieb, Nick Bramini, and Megan Williams. All the traditional goodies danced on plates: Turkey, ham, potatoes, gravy, stuffing, green bean casserole, corn, rolls, pumpkin, and apple pie.

Cheers to a November filled with love, kindness, and full bellies!

Submitted by: Lisa Jane

“Tucson Children Receive Early Christmas From Tucson Lodge #385”



Tucson television station KGUN reporter Reyna Preciado interviewing Lodge Trustee Jesse Lugo

On December 9, 2023, In conjunction with Lugo Charities and the Tucson AZ Elks Lodge #385 many friends, business associates, Tucson Fire Fighters, Tucson Police Officers, American Legion Post 59, American Legion Post 109, and Fraternal Order of Eagles Mustang Club, volunteers unloaded the 500 Christmas bicycles at Tucson Elks Lodge 385's annual Bike in a Box event. We also would like to thank local television station reporter Reyna Preciado from Tucson KGUN for her reporting on our event (soon to be on TV). Tucson Lodge donated \$2,500.00 from the Gratitude Grant to Lugo Charities who also raised money from other donations to the Bike in a Box program. This year only took 18 minutes to unload the Walmart trailer bicycles to kickoff this year's event to benefit local underprivileged children with a Christmas bicycle along with bicycle helmets provided by Tucson

Medical Center (TMC) that were custom fitted to each child by TMC volunteers. A lot of children's Christmas came a little early! Thank you Jesse, and Carol Lugo for all your generosity for our local community.

Submitted by: John Aceves

“Prescott Lodge #330 Hoop Shoot a Success Despite Rain”

On Saturday, November 18th, our Prescott Elks Lodge #330 held the annual Hoop Shoot event at Mountain View Elementary School in Prescott Valley. Even with the rainy and dreary weather, we had a good turnout of participants and their families for our Lodge event.

We are proud to announce the winners in the following groups:

Girls 8-9 year old

Sadie Blankenship of the Franklin Phonetic Charter School

Boys 8-9 year old

Noah Ibarra of Mountain View Elementary School

Girls 10-11 year old

Clare McElwee of Mountain View Elementary School

Boys 10-11 year old

Austin Rositas of Coyote Springs Elementary School

Girls 12-13 year old

Kortney Bennett of Basis Charter School

Boys 12-13 year old – Oliver Hadley of Basis Charter School



Pictured: Clare McElwee, Kortney Bennett, Austin Rositas, Oliver Hadley, and Noah Ibarra.
Not pictured: Sadie Blankenship.

Submitted by: Bobbie Knorr

“Lake Havasu City Welcomes Home a Piece of History”



Pictured in front of the relic are ER Paulette Nanteau and Elks Veterans Chair and Marine Corps League member Bud Watts.

Exalted Ruler Paulette Nanteau was in attendance at a ceremony commemorating the USS Arizona. There was also a ribbon cutting ceremony to mark the location of a Memorial area for a piece of the USS Arizona which Lake Havasu City recently acquired. The local Marine Corps League was instrumental in acquiring this very important piece of history.

Submitted by: Eva Fox

“Thanksgiving Baskets Charity at Show Low Lodge #2090”



Show Low Elks Lodge #2090 provided Thanksgiving baskets with turkeys, milk, bread, canned fruits and vegetables, macaroni and cheese, cereal, peanut butter and jelly and much more to over 100 families in our community.

Submitted by Renee Higginbotham

“Prescott Lodge #330 Spreading Christmas Cheer”

Elks members Michelle and Mark Moreno dropped off over 100 hats and scarves to the US Vets on Monday, November 27. We also gave 52 hats with toiletries and small items and fourteen afghans that were donated and knitted by our members to Casa Senior Center. Another veterans group, Nations Finest, received approximately 60 hats. To see their faces was like Christmas day!

Submitted by: Bobbie Knorr

Pictured:
Elk Member Michelle Moreno
and US Vets Monica Vohs.



“Flagstaff Lodge #499 Elk Riders Provide Warmth on a Cold Day”



Flagstaff Elk Riders provide hot drinks and pastries to people attending the early morning Wreaths Across America ceremony at Camp Navajo, just West of Flagstaff, Arizona. Hot Chocolate, coffee and pastries were provided prior to putting the wreaths on each grave site. It was estimated that 200 people were in attendance.

Submitted by: Kathleen Cothrun

Pictured are:
Members Brian Kolb, Felipe Tejerina, Charlie Ward, Marc Risoni, Bob Carrion, and Anthony Caniglia.

“Fountain Hills #2846 Shopping Spree—16 Years & Counting!”

On Dec. 9th. The Fountain Hills Lodge hosted 29 Children to a Shopping Spree at our local Target Store. A total of 42 volunteers worked very hard to bring some special joy to local children from the McDowell Mountain Elementary School. A special thanks goes out to all the volunteers, McDowell Mountain Elementary School, and Target for a community effort to help bring some Christmas joy to our youth. This is the 16th year that the Fountain Hills Elks have sponsored this program. Along with the shopping the families were given \$50 Bashas' grocery cards and Santa and helpers gave each child a healthy snack pack at the end of their shopping. A great time was held by all and the smiles on the children's faces warmed the hearts of all involved.

Submitted by Jim Beischel



Members Russ and Rosemary Bonaguidi (Santa and Mrs. Claus), Lodge "Libations Manager" Sue Anderson, and child recipient Ruby

“Christmas Fun at the Mother Lodge Prescott #330”



Prescott Elks Lodge held their annual Children's Christmas Party December 16, 2023. Lunch was served to 12 families and Santa (Elks Trustee John Ramsey) gave out stockings and presents to almost 50 children. There were four different crafts for the kids and their families to enjoy along with the Toy Walk and Rooftop Bean Bag Toss games. Twenty-three volunteers helped make this event a fun day for all the kids!

Submitted by: Bobbie Knorr

“Joyful Christmas at Phoenix Lodge #335”

This year, the Phoenix Lodge was able to make Christmas joyful for 150 local underprivileged children, providing each with \$140 in new clothes and a "wish list" gift. The kids included 54 children of veterans, active military, and survivors' families, along with children from 5 local schools and a record 41 children referred by our Phoenix Lodge #335 Elks. We held a party with yummy food and a visit from Santa and his helper, Lori, for those that came to shop at JC Penney on December 11th.

We had 101 volunteers who shopped for or with the kids, 15 who helped wrap gifts, and 10 who prepped and served the children's food and handed out the gifts. A special thanks to Mark "Smurf" Thompson, who was again driving Santa's "sleigh" (in Arizona, an F350 goes better on desert gravel) to deliver the clothing and gifts to our three veterans' organizations.

Submitted by: Linda Thompson



Volunteers Rosie Wilson and Gayle Brideau with Santa.

“Raceway Lodge #2852 Hosts Veterans Luncheon”

The Veterans Committee at Raceway Lodge #2852 hosted a luncheon for 27 local Veterans at Rudy's Country Store and BBQ. Following the luncheon, the Veterans were provided with a \$25.00 gift card to purchase groceries at a local Grocery Store.

Submitted by: Robin Cox

“Lake Havasu City #2399 Helps Make Veterans Christmas Jolly”



On December 12th, 2023 members of Lodge #2399 in Lake Havasu City delivered \$13,447.57 in Christmas gifts to the Veterans. Gifts included Handmade Quilts and Lapghans made by Elks and Elk spouses, Playstation games, and many other items to make Christmas special for them. 150 Veterans will also get a Christmas card with a phone card in it so they can call home.

Submitted by: Eva Fox

Pictured: Elk Member and Past Marine Corps League Commandant Kim McCoy, USMC Veteran LCpl Melissa Tollison, Army Veteran SSG Lloyd Bethea, and Elk Member and Veterans Service Chairperson Bud Watts.

“’Spirit of Christmas’ Alive and Well at Flagstaff Lodge #499 ”

This year Flagstaff Elks Lodge #499 provided \$150 per child for shopping and helped 65 children pick out needed jackets, boots, and other essential clothing items. It was amazing to have so many of the children ask to use their budget towards a gift for a sibling or parent. To put on this event each year the Lodge provides approximately \$10,000 towards this event.

We had over 80 members, friends and NAU ROTC officers and cadets who helped wrap presents, set up and prepare for the lunch and Santa party, as well as to transport and shop with the kids. It was an amazing turnout! In a time when things seem to be a struggle for many; your time, smiles, compassion, and effort are what truly lift up our community here in Flagstaff. Thank you for embracing the true spirit of Christmas!

Submitted by: Kathleen Cothrun

“Latest Monthly Veterans Donations from Fountain Hills #2846”



Every month Fountain Hills Lodge 2846 collects items to benefit Veterans in need. November's drive was for personal care items. Through the generosity of our members, we were able to make the pictured donation to Community Bridges Inc. for distribution to those in need.

Pictured left to right: Member Nick Flynn, ER Judi Beischel, and Veterans Committee Chair Ralph Christofferson

Submitted by: Jim Beischel

“Raceway Lodge #2852 Veterans Donations”



Raceway Elks Lodge 2852 donated 30 mattress toppers to MANA (Marines, Army, Navy, Air Force) House, an organization that helps Veterans rebuild their lives. They also donated 90 mattress toppers to US Vets which helps homeless Vets.

Raceway Elks Lodge 2852 also donated \$500 worth of new socks and t-shirts for men and women Veterans.

Pictured left to right: Vet at US Vets, US Vets Veterans Service Coordinator Michael Biggs, and PER Steve Cox.

Submitted by: Robin Cox

"This & That"***"Hoop Shoot 2023 at Ajo #1576"***

Aubrey Lopez, Jaycee Koozer, Parks & Recreation Volunteer DJ Rendon, Toretto Bojorquez, Youth Activities Chair PER Bridget Rendon, Remick Koozer, and Alex Bojorquez.

"Casas Adobes #2663 Clothe-a-Child"

Members of Casas Adobes Lodge #2663 attending their annual Clothe-a-Child event at JC Pennys in the Tucson Mall. Left to right: Leading Knight Daniel Wesley, Tammy McCollum, Trustee Wayne McCollum, Diana Verdugo, Rudy Verdguo, and Loyal Knight James Giacomino.

"Show Low #2090 Dictionary Project"

3rd Graders receiving dictionaries from Show Low #2090!

"Lake Havasu City Dancers Donation"

The Monday Night Dancers donated \$250 to the Elkettes for the purchase of Christmas gifts for the Giving tree. The Giving Tree gives gifts to Foster Children in the Lake Havasu Area. Elquette Lil Aston is in the center front row presenting the check.

"Coolidge-Florence #2350 Scholars"

The lodge presented \$50 and certificates to 3 district scholars for the 1st quarter.

"Phoenix West #2729 Shopping Spree"

This year we shopped for 12 children. Pictured: Don Solcum, Pat Solcum, Paul Baca, John Desmond, Christine McReyolds, Nelly Baca, Rick Hudson, Richard Kovalski, and Jan Brown.

“Veterans News”



Information and Veterans News

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East Chair - Tracy Cabell 714 587-1070

North Chair - John Roush 719 313-0565

South Chair - Linda Seggie 520 401-3990

West Chair - Chad Arruda 480 338-7814

Time is running out to write up your nomination for the 2023 Elks Veterans Service Volunteer of the Year for Arizona! Go to the Grand Lodge website, under Elks National Foundation, click on Veterans Services, then click on Volunteer Center and choose Volunteer of the Year to bring up the nomination form. Once you have completed the form online save it and email it to me at: mitseazelk@gmail.com by January 31, 2024. All entries will be read and scored by the State Elks National Veterans Service Commission (ENVSC) Chair and the four District Chairs. The winners will be announced at the Arizona Elks Association (AEA) May 2024 Convention.

You can also nominate someone for the National Veteran Volunteer of the Year Award that honors those who have demonstrated outstanding service to veterans and military members in need. Generally, the National Veteran Volunteer of the Year will have won the state-level award in a previous year. That said, all state-level winners for the current fiscal year are automatically entered into contention for the national award, along with all those specifically nominated for the national award.

In 2023 we had two excellent long serving ENVSC District Chairs retire due to health concerns.



Richard Morris and Jerry Grimes, Special Deputy



Al Stevenson and Mary Shaffer, ENVSC State Chair

On November 8, the Kingman Lodge No. 468 on behalf of the ENVSC and the AEA recognized the many good things accomplished by Richard “Dick” Morris. Richard Morris was the North District Chair for the ENVSC. He proved to be very proficient at his job. Along with his detailed on-time reports on all the North District lodges that reported to him he also had an unheard of 90-95% rate of return of requested information. We thank him for his many years of dedicated service.

On December 19, at Lodge No. 385 Mary Shaffer, AEA ENVSC Chair, on behalf of the ENVSC and the AEA recognized Al Stevenson for the many good things he accomplished. Al Stevenson was the South District Chair for the ENVSC. Al was known for his timely reports and willingness to travel to his respective lodges to chat with veteran chairs, providing information and answering any questions that may have arisen during his visits. We thank him for his many years of dedicated service.

HAPPY
New Year

“Grand Lodge News”

Final stretch of Lodge year starts in January

Wanda and I want to wish each of you a very happy new year as we welcome in 2024. New Year's Day is a time when we reflect upon the events of the past year and plan for the upcoming year. New resolutions are made to improve health, diet, and other ambitions. For us as Elks, it should be our resolution to improve our Lodge and our Order.

January is the beginning of the last quarter of the Lodge year. Get your membership retention and arrears program into full stride. Have your committee reach out to delinquent Members. This personal contact could very well bring that Member back into our folds. Remind them of why they joined and how much they mean to the Lodge. It would be great for your Lodge to have a +1 membership gain in 2024.

You and your Lodge Officers should



**Message from
the Grand
Exalted Ruler
RANDY P.
SHOOK**

be reviewing how and where you stand with your Local Lodge goals for the year. Should you see you are falling short, make January, February, and March your last big push to meet those goals. Your Lodge has all the assets needed to meet those goals with the right plans. Use your Past Exalted Rulers Association, Board of Directors, and Lodge committees to analyze what is needed to declare victory.

This is also a great time to review your

hard-working Members and decide who deserves an award for the great work done for your Lodge. Some of the awards you can present to a Member and Officer who has done so much to promote the Order are Elk of the Year, Officer of the Year, and Citizen of the Year. There is no better way to say **thank you** for the hard work and dedication they have demonstrated. You may involve other Members to promote the good work that your Lodge does in your community.

Finally, the Auditing and Accounting Committee should review Lodge books and report at the last meeting of the month.

Remember *“Elks Care — Elks Share”* and *“We Are THE Elks.”*

God Bless our great Order, our troops, and the United States of America.

“Phoenix Lodge #335 Participates in Veterans Stand Down”

Phoenix Elks participates in the Arizona Veterans Stand Down Alliance, a program of the Arizona Housing Coalition that holds events throughout Arizona. These events provide resources for veterans and their families experiencing housing instability and homelessness. Lodge 335 recently supported the City of Guadalupe's stand-down, by sending 100 handmade quilts. Many of these beautiful quilts are provided by our benefactors Sue Bushmaker and the members of Resurrection Lutheran Church. In the past year, the Elks have shared over 200 of these quilts with veterans and other local charities.

Submitted by: Linda Thompson

“Raceway Lodge #2852 Teaches Kids About Elks / Dictionaries”



Pictured: Chaplain Melanie Jacobs, Lecturing Knight Judy Radl, PER Steve Cox, and Mary Snyder—spouse of PSP Dan Snyder.

Over 650 dictionaries were delivered to 3rd graders in the Litchfield and Avondale School District. The students were excited to receive the dictionaries. Lodge Secretary Robin Cox spoke to the students about the Elks and what we do for Youth. She talked to them about what Benevolent means and how they can find the definition in their dictionary.

The students were asked if they can read the longest word in the dictionary (1909 letters - that is not a typo). A few tried without success. One boy commented, “It looks like they just typed a bunch of letters on a page.”

Submitted by: Robin Cox

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“Arizona Red Vest Order Form”

Arizona Elks Red Vest Order Form



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Red Vest Bottom Pockets	3XL	4XL	5XL			\$ 40.00	
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“Grand Lodge Convention HOTEL Reservation Form”

Austin Texas Grand Lodge Convention HOTEL Reservation

“Everything is Awesome In Austin”

June 30, - July 3, 2024

Return This Form To Jerry Grimes By March 1, 2024

Please Print Legibly

Name _____ Phone (____) _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email Address: Please PRINT CLEARLY _____

Spouse / Significant Other Name _____

Number of Persons: _____ Room: King Bed _____ Two Double _____

Special Requirements: _____

Arrival Date: _____ Departure Date _____ Flying _____ Driving _____

Lodge Name _____ Lodge # _____ 2024 – 2025 Year Position _____

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*All Rooms Require a Deposit - First Night's Stay \$158.00*

1. Room Deposit \$158.00 (includes tax) – Required \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2. New Arizona Individual Trading Pin \$ 3.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

3. Arizona Hospitality Room – (\$100.00) - Per Lodge - Exalted Ruler \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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