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Message from the Outgoing Exalted Ruler

As of 1 April 2012, the leadership baton has been passed to the new Exalted Ruler (ER) and President of Manila Lodge 761 to Bro Jeffrey Green our newly elected ER for 2012/2013. Indeed we anticipate another successful year for the Lodge and the Club and we wish ER Jeffery Green, the elected and appointed officers of the Lodge and the appointed Committees God's speed and success. We should all be excited with the fine high level of leadership that will lead our efforts this year.



The 2011/2012 Manila Lodge year was indeed a successful one financially and as we added to our membership numbers of the Lodge, increased the membership roll of the Club members and suc-

cessfully added our wonderful new friends and "Club" associates, the Manila Club. In my initial month of the Presidency I had anticipated a growth to 400 members this past year. From an aggregate number we have exceeded that number and now count of 456 total on board members. That could not have happened without the work of you, our members, the dedicated work of the full Membership Committee, Chaired by Bro Joseph Quinlivan, the work of Bro Rodney Klinge and his committee and the dedicated work of Lodge and the Club staff. It has been a genuine pleasure to observe the growth and it indeed is a vital statistic for the furtherance of the goals of Manila Lodge 761.

On behalf of the Lodge, let me express my genuine appreciation for the dedication and the success of the House Committee, chaired by PER Larry Thomas. As we in the Lodge and Club know, the real point of the business sword is wielded by the House Committee and the members of that appointed committee. The success of the programs, sales, attendance and functions has provided the Club the ability to operate ahead of budget. Operating profitably allows for increased care of our aging facilities, new changes and improvements and importantly provides additional funds for assisting in our support of our various beneficiaries. Thanks PER Larry Thomas and to your capable committee members for a highly successful year.

I would also like to acknowledge the fine work of Bro Tim Strong and the members of the ENF Committee. This past year has seen an enormous growth in the collection of ENF funds and for increased support to our beneficiaries. Our thanks and appreciation to the ENF committee and Chairman Bro Strong for an extraordinary year.

On a personal note, I would like to thank all of the members who continue to use the club, shake hands and indeed make it a very personal and family environment. This is one of the differences, in my view, of the Elks and other membership clubs. Let's all give a great round of applause please to the elected Officers and the appointed ones and to the Lodge staff and the Club staff. We all are grateful for such a fine, professional group.

For me it has been an exciting year, perhaps a bit more than I anticipated, but overall a wonderful experience. I have been a member of this Elks organization for over 30 years now and anticipate contributing as needed and in support of a wonderful and unique Elks organization. Thank you for your support and patronage.

Doyle E. Stout, PER

Message from the Incoming Exalted Ruler

Greetings members. It is an honor that the membership of the lodge has selected me to be this year Exalted Ruler. I look forward to having a successful year and to continue making improvements to the club facilities for our members. The lodge has done extremely well over the previous years and it will be a challenge to maintain the same standard. With the support of the members I'm sure we can do just a well if not better.

I would like to thank PER Doyle Stout, the officers and committee members for doing an outstanding job last year. Their dedication to continue the growth of the membership, upgrade the facilities and equipment has made the club a better place for us all.



Jeffery A. Green, ER





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LODGE YEAR 2011 – 2012 OFFICERS

- Bro. Doyle Stout Exalted Ruler
- Bro. Mariano Martin Est Leading Knight
- Bro. Timothy Strong Est Loyal Knight
- Bro. Joseph Quinlivan Est Lecturing Knight Bro. Robert Lane - Lodge Secretary
- Bro. Kevin Lynch Lodge Treasurer
- Bro. James Savage Tiler
- Bro. Paul Carpio Esquire
- Bro. Jose Lopez III Chaplain
- Bro. Hubert Higgins Inner Guard

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- Bro. Robert Sears Chairman PER Theodore Awad - Member
- PER Humphrey O'leary III Member
- PER W. Thomas Hoese Member
- Bro. Winniefred Sandico Member

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SECURITY SYSTEM SOON

Please get your access card at the reception desk. Security access card is necessary to enter the club premises. Other details related to the same will be furnished upon claiming your access card.

COMMITTEE DOINGS

LODGE ELECTS ITS OFFICERS FOR LY 2012-2013 (New Lodge Year start April 2012)

Elks Manila Lodge 761 held its annual election of officers Wednesday, February 18. Elected unanimously were the following officers for Lodge Year 2012-2013:

Bro. Jeffery Green - Exalted Ruler Bro. Douglas Masuda - Est. Leading Knight Bro. Joseph Quinlivan - Est.Loyal Knight Bro. Rodney Klinge - Est. Lecturing Knight Bro. Robert Lane - Lodge Secretary Bro. Thomas Jordan - Lodge Treasurer Bro. Philip Atkinson - Tiler PER Doyle Stout - Trustee (5-Year Term) PER Larry V. Thomas - Alternate Representative to the Grand Lodge Convention

The following Lodge Officers were appointed by the Exalted Ruler-elect in accordance with Statues: Bro. Gerald Yingling - Esquire Bro. Paul Carpio - Chaplain Bro. Ben Lichtenberg - Inner Guard

CONGRATULATIONS AND WELCOME!

A Warm Welcome to Our New Members

- •Mr. Gerardo Villanueva proposed by Bro. Ted Padilla
- •Bro. Daniel Sais proposed by PER Doyle Stout
- •Bro. Stephen Tyler proposed by Bro. Dennis Youngblood FEBRUARY
- •Mr. Bradston Sakamoto proposed Bro. Douglas Masuda
- •Mr. Jeff Harvie proposed by Bro. Mariano Martin
- •Bro. Stephen Peaker proposed by Bro. Douglas Masuda
- •Bro. Ian Girvin proposed by PER Larry Thomas
- •Bro. John Walker proposed by PER Larry Thomas <u>MARCH</u>
- •Mr. Mario Gil Jocson proposed by Mr. Ric Loyola
- •Mr. Mike Cardenas proposed by Bro. Ted Padilla
- •Mr. Chris Edward Chipp proposed by Bro. John Walker

CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Effective April 01, 2012, the House Committee has waived the minimum consumable of P500. Therefore, for Individual Members the monthly dues will now be P800 per month. For Corporate Members, the first signatory dues is P800, second P700 and third to fifth will be P600 each. All other fees remain the same.

FROM YOUR HOUSE COMMITTEE

PER Larry Thomas , Chairman

As we finished the year of 2011/2012 we had actual sales of P 15,888,771 versus Budgeted Sales of P 15,819,912. Total net income was P 1,488,380 profit versus budget of P 1,672,883 or 89%. This was primarily due to a large function that did not push through. This also does not include the Manila Club which gave us an additional P 854,000 for the year. This brought our Grand Total to P 2,342,380 profit for the year.

We have been interviewing another candidate for Club Manager and have recently made an offer and are awaiting their reply. Again, my sincere "Thanks" to Vennie and Jen for their extra efforts during this period.

We have had all of the Lounge chairs and sofas refurbished and have received very favorable feedback on the new look.

The Security System has been installed and is ready to be used, we have enough cards now and will implement it starting May 1.

The Automatic Shut-Off System for the gas has been installed in the kitchen and the Fire Department has been notified. We have purchased two stand freezers to replace the chest type that are currently being used.

The 50 inch Plasma TV from Hong Kong, donated by Brother Aaron Goach, has been located at the main bar and is enjoyed by many. We have the NFL Gamepass which allows us to watch football games from the last three year period as well as MLB Pass which shows all of the baseball games.

In April we are planning to have a Movie Night with free popcorn. The first movie will be Casino Royale.

My sincere "Thanks" to the House Committee members for their outstanding service for this past year.

Thank you for your support.

FROM YOUR ENF COMMITTEE

Bro. Timothy Strong, Chair LY 2011-2012

Congratulations Manila Elks 761 as this year's fund raising amounted to \$15,190. This is \$6,000 more contribution than last year.

Our success stems from the generosity of Elks Members participating in scheduled events such as the 9th annual Presidents Cup - P104k and Elvis Night generated more than P60k, the good of the order \$1000, 9/11 DVD sales and members personal donations. Bro Terry has made the largest personal annual donation this year. Moreover, Bro Richard Hart is the overall top contributing member of the Manila Elks 761 to the ENF to date. Our largest donation for the year 2011 -2012 was from the Manila DOGS Golf Club!

On behalf of the ENF Committee, thanks to all the volunteers who made it possible to become #1 per capita in our Hawaii district and #2 in over 2000 lodges as our per capita based on 141 Lodge members was \$107.745. The 1st place per capita was Lodge # 1398 at \$121.18 with 80 members.

Please prepare for our next scheduled event July 4th which will be held on Sunday July 1st at the Nomads Sports Club. This will be a fun filled day for the family as the ENF will put on a carnival of events and many other scheduled events by our 4th of July Chairman Bro Matthew Slough.

We are expecting upwards of 750 participants to the 4th of July event this year. If you would like to sponsor this event, or know of someone who would sponsor this event, please contact Jen Aquino or Matthew Slough respectively.

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SPORTS EVENT



ER Doyle Stout with his remarks during Golf Tournament awarding.



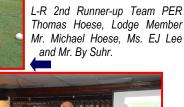
L-R 1st Runner-up Mr. Bill Cammack, Mr. Gerhard Kropp, Mr. Bernd Juckmann and Mr. Meik Vetterlein



9TH President's Cup Team Champion L-R Mr. Ulay Garcia, Mr. Richard Abendan, Club Member Mr. Roel Hernandez and his wife Mrs. Eden Hernandez.



L-R Most Exercise Team Mr. Jan Frostom, Mr. Lars Branden, Mr. Don Sylva and Paul Nicole. Awarded by House Committee Chairman PER Larry Thomas (3rd from left.).





ELKS 9TH PRESIDENT'S CUP March 15, 2012

What a great day and evening this event turned out to be. With 82 players registered and 100% percent showed up to play, the record breaking number of golfers in Manila Elks tournament history.

The weekly organizing meetings paid off. With 20 sponsors, the Manila Elks raised P104,654net to benefit the primary charity, the Philippines Cerebral Palsy, Inc. The golf committee, chaired by Mr. Paul Carpio will have a huge challenge to "better" this one in 2013.

It was a beautiful Thursday morning in Canlubang when the two Excelsior luxury buses pulled in. Some of the riders had already enjoyed the food and beverage that came with the transporta-

tion. Golf bags were immediately assigned to the caddies and players filed in to register with PER Larry Thomas and his team. Teams were given their hole assignments and at exactly 9:00 AM, the photo shoot to commemorate this successful event was done.

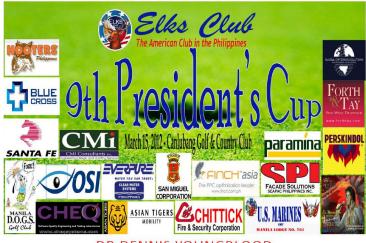
Off to the holes the players went... some walking (quite a jog), some on carts. At 9:30 AM, as planned, the players teed off. 17 of the 18 holes had teams hitting their tee shots. Four and a half hours later, the outdoor restaurant was full of players tallying their score sheets and bragging about shots they made during the day. After several adult beverages and a wonderful shower, the players were again boarding the two buses for the trip back to Makati.

At 6:00 PM, dinner was served. Immediately after dinner, the awards presentation and raffle commenced. An opening speech by outgoing ER Doyle Stout was followed by a recognition of sponsors by emcee Mr. Paul Carpio.

The winning team of Club Member Mr. Roel Hernandez, Mrs. Eden Hernadez, Mr. Ulay Garcia and Mr. Richard Abendan came in with a fantastic score of net 53.65, winning the team event. The team of Mr. Jan Frostom, Lars Branden, Mr. Don Silva and Mr. Paul Nicole was recognized as the highest net score and given pingpong sets as prizes. Time to take up a new sport????

We are looking forward to a bigger and better event in 2013.

EVENT SPONSORS:



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SPECIAL EVENTS Photo Gallery

