

History of Ladies Auxiliary

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The Ladies of the Elks Auxiliary, Gulfport, Mississippi was organized in August 1936.

The minutes of that first meeting read as follows:

"Minutes of the meeting of organization of Ladies Auxiliary to the Elks.

A meeting was called on July 7th of all the ladies To become members of an Auxiliary to the Elks.

It was requested that the ladies meet at the Lodge On July 14 at 7:30 p.m. to form the organization.

Members present: Mrs. S. A. Robertson, Mrs. Ed Mirsch, Mrs. Ed Sletten, Mrs. A. W. Lang, Mrs. William Harris, Mrs. Pauline Davis, and Mrs. Tom Lambrakis."

The first Yearbook was published in 1957-1958.

Golden Anniversary- July 14, 1984
THIS YEAR IS OUR DIAMOND JUBILEE

WE ARE 75 YEARS OLD IN 2011!

England's King Edward VIII abdicated the throne. Germany violated the Treaty of Versailles. America was still in the throes of the Great Depression.

Club Objectives

To assist and support the social programs of the Elks Lodge as may be requested.

Donate to as many local charitable organizations as our finances will permit.

To further promote the social life of the Elks Lodge through the Planning & giving of parties, suppers, etc. as Auxiliary projects.

Meetings:

Second Tuesday of Each month* 7:30 p.m.

Our last Charter Member left us in February 1991.

Mrs. Ed Sletten