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Form 990-EZ

Short Form
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

► Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds, organizations that operate one or more hospital facilities, and certain controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990 (see instructions) All other organizations with gross receipts less than $200,000 and total assets less than $500,000 at the end of the year may use this form

► *The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements*

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A For the 2011 calendar year, or tax year beginning 4/01 , 2011, and ending 3/31 , 2012

B Check if applicable
- ☐ Address change
- ☐ Name change
- ☐ Initial return
- ☐ Terminated
- ☐ Amended return
- ☐ Application pending

C
COEUR D'ALENE ELKS, LODGE NUMBER 1254
1170 W PRAIRIE AVE
COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815-8780

D Employer identification number
82-0098650

E Telephone number
(208) 772-4049

F Group Exemption Number ► 1156

G Accounting Method. ☐ Cash ☒ Accrual Other (specify) ► _____

H Check ► ☒ if the organization is **not** required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

I Website: ► N/A

J Tax-exempt status (ck only one) – ☐ 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c) (8) ◄(insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527

K Check ► ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization or a section 527 organization **and** its gross receipts are normally **not** more than $50,000 A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required though Form 990-N (e-postcard) may be required (see instructions) But if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts If gross receipts are $200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, line 25, column (B) below) are $500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► $ 178,614.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I.)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☒

REVENUE	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received		1	362.
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts		2	44,749.
	3	Membership dues and assessments		3	40,365.
	4	Investment income		4	189.
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a		
	b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b		
	c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)		5c	
	6	Gaming and fundraising events			
	a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than $15,000)	6a		
	b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including $ _____ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds $15,000)	6b	3,084.	
	c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	2,662.	
	d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)		6d	422.
	7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	84,968.	
	b	Less cost of goods sold	7b	64,122.	
	c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)		7c	20,846.
	8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) SEE SCHEDULE O		8	4,897.
	9	**Total revenue.** Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8		► 9	111,830.
EXPENSES	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) SEE SCHEDULE O		10	10,403.
	11	Benefits paid to or for members		11	
	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits		12	25,889.
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors		13	21,266.
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance		14	23,407.
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping		15	5,787.
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) SEE SCHEDULE O		16	69,002.
	17	**Total expenses.** Add lines 10 through 16		► 17	155,754.
NET ASSETS	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)		18	-43,924.
	19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)		19	489,487.
	20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)		20	
	21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20		► 21	445,563.

Part II Balance Sheets. (see the instructions for Part II.)
Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II [X]

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22	Cash, savings, and investments	117,158.	22	57,077.
23	Land and buildings	365,009.	23	355,413.
24	Other assets (describe in Schedule O) SEE SCHEDULE O	60,985.	24	69,195.
25	**Total assets**	543,152.	25	481,685.
26	**Total liabilities** (describe in Schedule O) SEE SCHEDULE O	53,665.	26	36,122.
27	**Net assets or fund balances** (line 27 of column (B) **must** agree with line 21)	489,487.	27	445,563.

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see the instrs for Part III.)
Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III [X]

Expenses (Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) trusts, optional for others.)

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose? SEE SCHEDULE O
Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title

28 (Grants $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► [ ] 28a

29 (Grants $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► [ ] 29a

30 (Grants $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► [ ] 30a

31 Other program services (describe in Schedule O)
(Grants $) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here ► [ ] 31a

32 **Total program service expenses** (add lines 28a through 31a) ► 32

Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees. List each one even if not compensated (see the instructions for Part IV)
Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV [X]

(a) Name and address	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Form W-2/1099-MISC) (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
SEE SCHEDULE O		230.	0.	0.

Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V.) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V — SEE SCHEDULE O [X]

			Yes	No
33	Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O	33		X
34	Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)	34		X
35a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?	35a	X	
b	If 'Yes,' to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O	35b	X	
c	Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part III	35c		X
36	Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If 'Yes,' complete applicable parts of Schedule N	36		X
37a	Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ► 37a 0.			
b	Did the organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?	37b		X
38a	Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee **or** were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?	38a		X
b	If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b N/A			
39	Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter			
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a N/A			
b	Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b N/A			
40a	Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 ► N/A, section 4912 ► N/A, section 4955 ► N/A			
b	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I	40b		
c	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ► 0.			
d	Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ► 0.			
e	All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If 'Yes,' complete Form 8886-T	40e		X
41	List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► ID			

42a The organization's books are in care of ► ANNA BRYAN Telephone no ► (208)772-4049

Located at ► 1170 W PRAIRIE COEUR D'ALENE ID ZIP + 4 ► 83815

			Yes	No
b	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country. ►	42b		X
	See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for **Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts.**			
c	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U.S.? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country. ►	42c		X

43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of **Form 1041** – Check here ► ☐ N/A and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ► 43 N/A

			Yes	No
44a	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44a		X
b	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ	44b		X
c	Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?	44c		X
d	If 'Yes' to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? *If 'No,' provide an explanation in Schedule O*	44d		
45a	Did the organization have a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	45a		X
b	Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)	45b		X

		Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I	46		X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI ☐

		Yes	No
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II	47		
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E	48		
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a		
b If 'Yes,' was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b		

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization If there is none, enter 'None '

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than $100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation

e Total number of other employees paid over $100,000 ►

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than $100,000 of compensation from the organization If there is none, enter 'None '

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than $100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

e Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over $100,000 ►

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A ► ☐ Yes ☐ No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here

► Signature of officer — Date 19 JULY 2012

► RICHARD GARDNER — TRUSTEE CHAIRMAN
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☐ if self employed	PTIN
LAIMA M. SWANSON, CPA	Laima M. Swanson CPA	7/17/12		P00633928

Firm's name ► CLARK, ANDERSON, MCNELIS & CO., P.A.
Firm's address ► 560 W CANFIELD AVE # 100, COEUR D ALENE, ID 83815-7892
Firm's EIN ► 82-0403050
Phone no (208) 772-6460

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions ► ☒ Yes ☐ No

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
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Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.
► Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization
COEUR D'ALENE ELKS, LODGE NUMBER 1254

Employer identification number
82-0098650

FORM 990-EZ, PART III - ORGANIZATION'S PRIMARY EXEMPT PURPOSE

TO CARRY ON FRATERNAL ACTIVITIES UNDER THE LODGE SYSTEM THE NET INCOME OF WHICH IS USED EXCLUSIVELY FOR BENEVOLENT AND CHARITABLE PURPOSES.

FORM 990-EZ, PART V - REGARDING TRANSFERS ASSOCIATED WITH PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACTS

(A) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, RECEIVE ANY FUNDS, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, TO PAY PREMIUMS ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT? NO

(B) DID THE ORGANIZATION, DURING THE YEAR, PAY PREMIUMS, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, ON A PERSONAL BENEFIT CONTRACT? NO

CLIENT 3631 COEUR D'ALENE ELKS, LODGE NUMBER 1254 82-0098650

FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 8
OTHER REVENUE

FACILITY RENTAL W/SERVICE		$ 4,897.
	TOTAL	$ 4,897.

FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 10
GRANTS AND SIMILAR AMOUNTS PAID IN EXCESS OF $5,000

DONEE'S NAME:	MISC CHARITIES AND SCHOLARSHIPS	
CASH AMOUNT GIVEN:		$ 10,403.

FORM 990-EZ, PART I, LINE 16
OTHER EXPENSES

AMORTIZATION	$	62.
BANK CHARGES		637.
CONFERENCES, CONVENTIONS, AND MEETINGS		13,985.
DEPRECIATION		14,402.
ESCROW FEES		109.
GRAND LODGE PAYMENTS & SUPPLY		10,003.
INSURANCE		4,241.
INTEREST		903.
LAUNDRY		1,877.
LOTTERY EXPENSES		2,041.
LOUNGE COSTS		4,136.
MISC EXPENSES		1,217.
OFFICE EXPENSES		1,513.
OUTSIDE SERVICES		2,200.
PUBLICITY/PHOTOGRAPHY		553.
SUPPLIES		6,954.
TAXES & LICENSES		1,167.
TELEPHONE		3,002.
TOTAL	$	69,002.

FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 24
OTHER ASSETS

	BEGINNING	ENDING
INSURANCE CLAIM RECEIVABLE	$ 13,614.	$ 13,614.
INTANGIBLE ASSETS	576.	514.
INVENTORIES	5,871.	5,088.
MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT	37,590.	49,979.
PREPAID EXPENSES AND DEFERRED CHARGES	3,334.	0.
TOTAL	$ 60,985.	$ 69,195.

FORM 990-EZ, PART II, LINE 26
TOTAL LIABILITIES

	BEGINNING	ENDING
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED EXPENSES	$ 6,902.	$ 4,400.
CLEANING DEPOSITS	1,600.	1,600.
DEFERRED REVENUE	25,815.	14,507.
GRANTS PAYABLE	1,307.	3,117.
SECURED MORTGAGES AND NOTES PAYABLE	18,004.	12,498.
TOTAL	$ 53,628.	$ 36,122.

FORM 990-EZ, PART IV
LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED	COMPENSATION	HEALTH BENEFITS & CONTRIBUTION TO EBP & DC	EXPENSE ACCOUNT & OTHER ALLOWANCES
MIKE MUNSEY 5732 N PLEASANT WAY COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815	LEADING KNIGHT 0.75	$ 0.	$ 0.	$ 0.
RICK ALEXANDER SR 1299 E CACTUS AVE POST FALLS, ID 83854	EXALTED RULER 0.75	0.	0.	0.
DAWN TERHERST 9114 E SUNNYSIDE RD COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83814	LOYAL KNIGHT 0.75	0.	0.	0.
EMMA JEAN THOMPSON 972 W CARDINAL AVE HAYDEN, ID 83835	LECTURING KNGHT 0.75	0.	0.	0.
GEORGE BRADEN JR 3944 LAUREL AVE COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815	TREASURER 3	0.	0.	0.
DEBORAH NADRCHAL 2827 N CARRIAGE CT COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815	SECRETARY 27	230.	0.	0.
RICHARD GARDNER 5928 N PARKWOOD CIR COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815	3RD YR TRUSTEE 0.75	0.	0.	0.
JERRY WILLIS 1093 N MORNING DR POST FALLS, ID 83854	1ST YR TRUSTEE 0.75	0.	0.	0.
EUGENE SMITH 1328 E 12TH AVE POST FALLS, ID 83854	2ND YR TRUSTEE 0.75	0.	0.	0.

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FORM 990-EZ, PART IV (CONTINUED)
LIST OF OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, TRUSTEES, AND KEY EMPLOYEES

NAME AND ADDRESS	TITLE AND AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK DEVOTED	COMPEN-SATION	HEALTH BENEFITS & CONTRIB-BUTION TO EBP & DC	EXPENSE ACCOUNT & OTHER ALLOWANCES
WILLIAM THOMPSON 972 W CARDINAL AVE HAYDEN, ID 83835	4TH YR TRUSTEE 0.75	$ 0.	$ 0.	$ 0.
CHARLES WIDEEN 1331 W POLO GREEN AVE POST FALLS, ID 83854	5TH YR TRUSTEE 0.75	0.	0.	0.
BILL BROOKS 3544 HIGHLAND DR COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815	TILER 0.75	0.	0.	0.
RICHARD ALEXANDER JR 3325 E 22ND AVE POST FALLS, ID 83854	ESQUIRE 0.75	0.	0.	0.
PAMELA ALEXANDER 3325 E 22ND AVE POST FALLS, ID 83854	CHAPLAIN 0.75	0.	0.	0.
JERRY R PARKER 4143 N WEBSTER ST COEUR D'ALENE, ID 83815	INNER GUARD 0.75	0.	0.	0.
	TOTAL	$ 230.	$ 0.	$ 0.