

## ***ELKS OF CANADA HISTORY***

*The Elks of Canada was founded in 1912 and incorporated under a special Dominion of Canada Charter.*

*The Elks of Canada have grown to over 300 Lodges with more than 20,000 members. The Elks of Canada continues to be the largest all-Canadian fraternal organization in the country.*

*Membership is open to all men and women who have attained the age of majority.*

*The North Kamloops Lodge was instituted in 1962 and has continued to play an active role in the community. Our Lodge meets at 102-1121-12th St, Kamloops BC.*

*The Elks have a VISION, "to become the most progressive family focused organization in Canada, meeting community and member needs and expectations".*

## **COMMUNITY & CHARITABLE PROJECTS**

*Bullying and Teasing  
Program*

*Supplying Hearing Aids  
for Local Children*

*Overlander Extended Care Hospital  
(Power Wheel Chairs, Lifts and  
Other items)*

*Royal Inland Hospital (Ear, Nose  
and Throat Surgical Microscope  
and other equipment for the same  
room)*

*Crib Every Wednesday evening*

## ***North Kamloops Elks Lodge Meetings***

***1st & 3rd Tuesdays  
8:00 P.M.***

## ***Information On Lodge Activities***

**Call Us at  
(250) 376-2924**

*"No person stands so tall, as  
when they stoop to help a  
child. Help us to help them.  
Please Join!"*

*NATIONAL & PROVINCIAL  
PROGRAMS*

*We have a National and Provincial Charity Fund from which assistance can be obtained to help those less fortunate in the community.*

*The "Elks and Royal Purple Fund for Children" is our National Charity. It was founded in 1956 to provide personal assistance to any child in Canada with special needs.*

*The Fund for Children's prime aim has been to emphasize the need for the early identification and rehabilitation of the hearing impaired child. The ELKS have become the leading Organization in Canada promoting new programs for speech, hearing and communication disorders.*

*The North Kamloops Lodge supports such Provincial projects as the BC Children's Camp Society and the BC Hearing Resource Centre.*

*Would you  
like to:*

*Help out in the community?*

*Meet new friends?*

*Have fun?*



**Contact:**

**North Kamloops Lodge**

**102-1121-12th St  
Kamloops BC V2B 8A7  
or**

**Phone: 250-376-2924**

***North Kamloops  
Elks Lodge***

***NO. 469***



**MISSION  
STATEMENT**

A national, fraternal and charitable organization promoting and supporting community needs through the voluntary efforts of local Lodges.