ELKS NEWS



Gallipolis Elks Lodge #107 Jan 2019





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Exalted Ruler's Message

We had a good turnout for our Elks Christmas Party on Saturday, December 1. Your Officers served turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing and green beans to about 70 members and guests. I would like to thank Bill and Kitty Griffith for preparing all the food for the dinner and Donna Thompson for decorating the tables. Bill and Kitty have been helping/preparing this dinner for 35+ years! The Past Exalted Rulers 50/50 Raffle was drawn after the Christmas Party and your Loyal Knight Jason Northup won. December 2 was our Elks Memorial Service for those Brothers that had passed during the previous 12 months. We had about 70 in attendance. Bob Hood gave a stirring Oration and Jenny Walker and Mark Ward performed an emotional medley of songs. I would like to thank Karen McGee, and Bill and Kitty Griffith for providing an excellent meal afterwards. Also, on that same Sunday, we had our annual Elks Hoop Shoot at the Gallia Academy Middle School gym, I would like to thank Norm Persin for organizing the event and Nelson Dray, Walt Brown and Tim Skidmore for helping out.

At our December 3 Lodge Meeting, Jim Duke was elected and installed as your Lecturing Knight. Make sure you congratulate Jimmy when you see him. Due to the Holiday printing schedule, we had to go to print before some of the monthly activities were completed. I will cover them in the next newsletter.

Make sure you get a 2019 PICK4 Calendar for \$20. You get 2 chances a day (over 700 for the Year) on the Ohio PICK4 to win \$50, \$100 or \$500. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Upcoming

Sunday, January 13, Bill and the Breakfast Crew will have breakfast in the Lounge. Make sure you stop by for a great breakfast! Saturday, January 26, there will be a bus trip to TopGolf/Polaris in Columbus. Bus leaves at 11:00AM. There is a sheet in the Lounge with all the details. The bus trip costs \$30 and you pay when you sign

up at the bar. Paul Doeffinger will be in the lounge that evening from 8-11PM. *Bob Marchi, ER*

Emblem Club

Every holiday season is busy and 2018 has been no exception! During November and December, Emblem members prepared and served food for a wedding reception, a well attended gala, the Elks memorial service, and a Christmas lunch for 3 consecutive shifts of workers! Help is sometimes hard to come by, especially during this time of year so please volunteer to give a hand whenever possible! Our upcoming events that need volunteer help are discussed at each monthly meeting, printed in this section of this newsletter, and posted on the Gallipolis Emblem Club #199 Facebook Page. If you are not on this page and would like to be, please friend request me and I will gladly add you to the group! Any and all help is much appreciated. Our next meeting is January 10th at 7pm, please don't forget to sign up for our monthly drawing, which will be drawn once our meeting is closed. As a reminder, an emblem member cannot be in the lounge while our meeting is in session, the member will have to attend the meeting or leave the lodge till the meeting is over. Thank you again and have a safe and Happy New Year! Jessica Gillenwater, President

Up Coming Events - Jan 2019

24 Dec Lounge closes @ 6 PM 25 Dec 16 Lounge Open 3 PM

31 Dec 2018 New Year's Eve Party in the Lounge 1 Jan 2019 Recovery Day/Ohio State Game

7 Jan Lodge Mtg.9 Jan Investigation

13 Jan Breakfast in the Lounge 19-20 Jan Dist. Mtg. @ Circleville

21 Jan Lodge Mtg.

26 Jan Bus Trip to TopGolf, Columbus, Oh

New Year's Eve Party
December 31st
8PM - 1 AM

Recovery Day

<u>Jan 1st</u> <u>11 AM</u>



This year the New Year's Eve Party will be held in the Lounge. **Ultrasound, featuring our very own member, Rusty Ballinger, will perform from 9 PM-1AM.** Hors d'oeuvres will be provided and champagne at midnight. A shuttle will be available to help you home if needed, gratuity accepted. The Trustees will again be sponsoring **RECOVERY DAY** on Jan 1st starting at 11 AM.

Italian Night Party And Valentine's Dance



Saturday, February 9th



\$20 per couple \$10 per person. This is our annual Elks National Foundation Fundraiser Marchi's Old Fashion Spaghetti Dinner from 7:00 to 8:00 PM (The way it used to be!)

Charity Auction from 8:00 to 9:30

Gallipolis Elks Lodge #107

Lodge Officers 2018-2019

Exalted Ruler	Bob Marchi
Leading Knight	Bob McClaskey
Loyal Knight	Jason Northup
Lecturing Knight	Jim Duke
Secretary	Fred Bryant
Treasurer	Nelson Dray
Esquire	Drew Rose
Tiler	Greg Wray
Chaplain	John Story
Inner Guard	Dan Bowman
Trustee	Billy McCulty II
Trustee	Rick Borton
Trustee	Walt Brown

Lounge Hours

Sunday	Noon - 9PM
Monday - Thursday	11AM - 11PM
Friday	11AM - 12AM
Saturday	11AM - 12AM
Happy Hour, M-F	, 4 - 7 PM

Club Manager - Beth McQuaid Lodge Meetings are held on the first and third Mondays at 7:30 PM

Trustees meet Monday at 6:00 PM

Phone 446-1782

Email: gallipoliselks107@gmail.com

Kitchen Hours

Tuesday	11:30 AM- 2 PM
Wednesday	11:30AM - 2PM, 5 - 9 PM
Thursday	11:30AM - 2PM, 5 - 8 PM
Friday	11:30AM-2PM; 5 - 9 PM
Saturday	12-8 PM
Sunday	12 - 8 PM

Kitchen Closed
New Year's Eve
And
New Year's Day

Breakfast in the Lounge

Sun., Jan 13th 8:30-10:00 \$6.00
Scrambled Eggs, Sausage,
Hash Brown potatoes, Biscuits & Gravy,
Coffee, Milk, Juice
Elks Members and Guests
Are Invited

2018 Delinquent Members

The following members will be dropped from membership on 30 March 2019 if their dues are not paid:

David Allison	Brian Hoffman	Brett Steinbeck
Chris Barnes	Dennis Hunt	Jonathan Stevens
John Bibbee	Jason Kirby	Christ Stout
Dane Black	Jason Koebel	Jason Stout
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Zach Blanton Tyler Lucas

Chase Borton Dean Mayes Joseph Walters

James Bowser John McClintock

Jeff Boyer Michael McQuaid

Billy Burdette Charles T. Meadows

Richard Butcher Kevin Merry Tim Ward

Sean Call Steven Merry Terry R. Wilcoxon Micah Cardwell Tyler Noble

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Greg Carter Harry O'Dell
Brett Cremeens James Michael Ours
Robert Curry Chris Pemberton
Brian Davidson Ronald Peters
James R. Davis Michael Polcyn
Jonathan Davis Terry Porter

Ralph Queen

Greg Ferrell Gerald Roach
Roger Frazer Nickoma Roberts
Mark Fulks Steve Rose
Derrick Gilmore Brent Sang
Anthony Haner Marcus Sheets

MONTHLY DINNERS

Monday Night Meals @ 6:00
7 Jan Meatloaf

21 Jan Pork Chops

Wednesday Night Wings Wings \$.50/\$.75 carry out

Friday Night Meals

4 Jan Filet

11 Jan Bakes Spaghetti/Chix Alfredo

18 Jan Filet

25 Jan 1/2 Rack BBQ Ribs

Mexican Night - Every Thursday 5-8

2018-19 Elks Scholarship Information

Legacy Award - Open to High School Seniors whose parents or Grandparents are Elk's members

Deadline - February 1, 2019

Application on line by going to <u>elks.org/scholars</u> and then search by typing in elks legacy application.

Educational Fund Grant - Available to High School Seniors or Graduates attending post secondary technical education

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DEGREE) Deadline - March 1, 2019

Go to $\underline{www.ohioelks.con}$ and look under Projects and then State Grants . Completed applications go to your lodge, then onto District Chairperson

For additional information contact Tommy Windborne at tgwinborne@gmail.com



Paul Doeffinger in the lounge 26 Jan 2019 8-11 PM.

Investigation on Wednesday, 9 Jan 2019 @ 7:30 PM

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	Occupation	Proposer
Herman Elliott	Pt. Pleasant	Retired	Maynard Ellis
Scott Robinson	Gallipolis	Advanced Auto Parts	Kevin Nicholas
John Kasee	Gallipolis	United States Arny	Mark Burris
David Faro	Gallipolis	Physician, Chillicothe VA	John Sipple
Derrick Barnes	Gallipolis	Shelly Co.	David Small
Randall Fulks	Vinton	Bossard Library	Rodney Fulks

Candidates to be Voted 21 Jan 2019

Proposers are obligated to represent their candidate at this meeting

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	Proposer
Jeff Canaday	Gallipolis	Life Member	
Robert Hennesy	Gallipolis	Life Member	
Herman Elliott	Pt. Pleasant	Retired	Maynard Ellis
Scott Robinson	Gallipolis	Advanced Auto Parts	Kevin Nicholas
John Kasee	Gallipolis	United States Army	Mark Burris
David Faro	Gallipolis	Physician, Chillicothe VA	John Sipple
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The proposers are responsible to contact the individuals they propose and both the proposer and the applicant must attend Investigation Session. Any Lodge member that has concerns regarding any of the applicants should also attend this session.

Texas Holdem' Tournaments



Starting Sunday, Jan 6th 1 PM Tournament
will be once a
month,
Oct. - March

\$50 Buy-in

See Rick VanGundy for details



Weekly Texas Holdem' Tournament begins on

Sunday at 5:15 PM and will end at 8:30 PM.

Ohio Elks Association 2019 PICK4 Calendars

On Sale Now - \$20.00 each

Each calendar has an Ohio Lottery PICK4 number that is valid for every PICK4 drawing in 2017!

Translation: Over 700 chances to win!! See PER Nelson Dray or the bartender to purchase your calendar. Proceeds go to the Lodge and CP.



Happy Hour Tuesday
ALL DAY!!!
Drink Specials



BUS TRIP TO TOPGOLF IN COLUMBUS

JANUARY 26

BUS LEAVES AT 11AM RETU RNS 7:30PM \$30/Person (Bus Trip Only) Golf is Pay to Play MUST PAY WHEN YOU SIGN UP AT THE BAR BUS WILL ALSO TAKE PEOPLE TO POLARIS MALL

Contact Rick Van Gundy for more information. 740.441.7189

Foot Notes from the Secretary

Our Lodge new year will be starting in April which will bring a change of Officers, Committee Chairs and dues. If you would like to help guide our Lodge for the next few years, contact the ER, Leading Knight or any current officer with your desires.

Dues Notices will be sent the beginning of February. The 2019 dues are \$74.50 for regular members and \$39.50 for Life members.

Veterans Committee



The Gallipolis Elks received a \$2000 Freedom Grant from the Elks National Foundation to

purchase Christmas gifts for our Veterans in our area. We done this in the past in conjunction with the GAHS and it was a huge success. We hope that we again



were able to bring friendship and Christmas cheer to our Vets and show that they are not forgotten. We also donated \$200 for a Veterans Christmas dinner in Chillicothe in conjunction with other Lodges in our District along with \$650 for Christmas gifts. As in the past, we purchased \$800 worth of canteen books for the veterans staying at the Chillicothe VA Hospital.

Rick Borton, Veterans Committee

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Jan 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	31 Dec *New Year's Eve Party	1 *Recovery Day	2 *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	3 *Mexican Night 5-8	4 *Filet	5
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