ELKS NEWS



Gallipolis Elks Lodge #107 February 2024





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Lodge News

This year has gotten off with a bang with Ole Man Winter doing his normal tricks. The Arctic vortex wants to show us that it can still make it down here. It sure was cold in Grove City for the District Meeting!

The month of February 2024 is just around the corner and with it come changes within the Lodge and Lounge. The meeting on February 5th is Old Timers and PER Night along with nomination of officers for 2024. The second monthly meeting on 19 February will be election of officers. If you have any desire to become an officer or a committee member be sure to talk with the ER, Leading Knight, Trustee or any other current officer.

There is also going to be a change in the Lounge concerning kitchen hours of operation and Friday Night meals. The kitchen manager, Mike Noe along with the Trustees, have expanded the hours that the kitchen is open. So, be sure to check the new kitchen hours on page 2. Also, they have expanded the weekly Friday Night menu. Instead of only one selection for a particular Friday night, they will now have available a couple of steak selections and a fish special. Consequently, sign-up for Friday night will no longer be necessary. It is first come first served. Don't forget Italian Night on February 10th where you can celebrate Valentine's Day and also support the Elks National Foundation. It's by far to be the best event of 2024! You can get your advanced seating by contacting the bartender or Jennifer.

Unfortunately, in this newsletter is a list of 58 members that have not paid their 2023 dues. If you are on this list and are

having difficulty finding the means to pay your dues, please call us or stop in so we can make arrangements. If you haven't contacted us or paid your dues by 30 March 2024, your membership will be cancelled.

Mike Null, Exalted Ruler

Emblem Club

Greetings Emblem!!

Hope everyone is having a great start to 2024. Don't forget to keep track of all your community service and volunteer hours as reports will be needed very soon. Our next meeting will be on Thursday, February 8th at 7:00 PM upstairs. We look forward to seeing you there! Also, the Italian Night fundraiser is coming up on Saturday, February 10th, come support our Elks and have a good meal and great time!

As always, we will post updates on our Facebook group. If you know a member not on Facebook please share any updates with them. Thanks!

Jennifer Rose, President

	<u>Upcoming Events - Feb 2024!</u>
5 Feb	Lodge Mtg. / Nomination of 2024
	Officers / Old Timers and PER Night
7 Feb	Investigation
10 Feb	Italian Night
19 Feb	Lodge Mtg. / Election of 2024
	Officers
24 Feb	Elks Leadership Kollege



Marchi's Old Fashion Spaghetti Dinner from 7:00 to 8:00 PM (The way it used to be!)

Italian Night Party / Valentine's Dance / Gallipolis Elks National Foundation Fundraiser

Saturday, February 10th

Charity Auction 8:00 to 9:30 Music 9:30 to ??

Table Reservations can be made in the Lounge.

Questions????

Call/Text Jennifer 740.339.0356 Or ask /call @ the lounge



Main Ballroom Large Table (Seats 8) \$200 Medium Table (Seats 6) \$150

Bar Area Per Seat: \$15 per person

Pay at time of reservation

Lodge Officers 2023-2024

Exalted Ruler	Mike Null
Leading Knight	Dan Bowman
Loyal Knight	Ron Pitchford
Lecturing Knight	Beth Stewart
Secretary	Fred Bryant
Treasurer	Bob Marchi
Esquire	Drew Rose
Tiler	Charles Cox
Chaplain	Jonathan Elliott
Inner Guard	Justin Saxton
Trustee	Henry Meadows
Trustee	Nelson Dray
Trustee	

Visit us @ www.gallipoliselks107.com

Gallipolis Elks Lodge

Lounge Hours

Sunday	Noon - 9PM
Monday - Thursday	.11AM - 11PM
Friday	11AM - 1AM
Saturday	11AM - 1AM

Happy Hour, M-F, 4 - 7 PM

Club Manager - Beth Stewart

Lodge Meetings are held on the first and third Mondays at 7:30 PM

Trustees meet on the first and third Mondays at 6:00 PM

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Kitchen Hours

Tuesday	11:30 AM- 9 PM
Wednesday	11:30 AM - 9 PM
Thursday	11:30 AM - 8 PM
Friday	. 11:30 AM - 9 PM
Saturday	1– 8 PM
Sunday	1– 8 PM

Note New Kitchen Hours Starting 1 Feb & Friday Night Meals

Kitchen is closed February 10th

Nominations for 2024 Lodge Officers

Nominations for 2024 Lodge Officers will take place at the first meeting in February, with election of officers at the second meeting in February. If you are interested in becoming an officer or would like to be on a committee, please contact ER Mike Null or Leading Knight Dan Bowman or any other officer.

Interested Candidates to date are:

ER: Dan Bowman

Loyal Knight: Beth Stewart

Esquire: Drew Rose

Leading Knight: Ron Pitchford

Lecturing Knight: Charles Cox

Tiler: Joe Evanich

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Inner Guard: Jason Saxton Chaplin: Jonathon Elliott
Treasurer: Bob Marchi Secretary: Fred Bryant

Three Year Trustee: Mike Null

Monday Night Meals @ 6:00

5 Feb Meatloaf 19 Feb Chicken Stir-fry Friday Night Meals

For every Friday night meal, the menu will include filets, strip steak and a fish special. No prior sign-up is necessary. Each selection will be first come, first served. Any excess item on the menu will be available throughout the week until gone. Food Items will be replenished for every Friday Night.



Bean Soup Cook-Off February 17th @ 1 PM

Brown Beans White Beans

Other Type of Beans Information in the Lounge

Ohio Elks Association 2024 PICK4 Calendars

On Sale Now - \$20.00 each

Each calendar has an Ohio Lottery PICK4 number that is valid for every PICK4 drawing in 2024!

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

2023-2024 Elks Scholarship Information

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

Deadline - February 1, 2024

Application on line by going to elks.org/scholars and then search by typing in elks legacy application._For additional information contact Rick Van Gundy or contact the Lodge

Footnotes from the Secretary

On 1 April 2024, our Lodge will start a new year 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 were placed in the lounge the middle of Jan 2024 for pickup. Those that are not picked up will be put in the mail the first of February. The 2024 dues are \$91.50 for regular members and \$56.50 for Life members. The \$5 dues increase is again due to the \$5 increase of the Grand Lodge per capita for insurance. Same as the last two years.



SUPER BOWL!

Buckets of Beer

@ Happy Hour Prices

Candidates to be Voted on 5 FEb 2024

Proposers are obligated to represent their candidate at this meeting

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	Occupation	<u>Proposer</u>
Tyler Walters	Proctorville	State Line	John White
William Sowards	Gallipolis	Sowards Roofing	Travis Roush
Justin Triplett	Cheshire		Jerry Eutsler
Timothy Butler	Vinton	Thomas Do It Center	Michael Scott
Chris Brown	Bidwell	OVB	Michael Barry

Investigations 7 Feb 2024 @ 6:00 PM

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.

<u>Name</u>	Address	Occupation	<u>Proposer</u>
Austin White`	Proctorville	WV DOH	John White
Ryan Grace	Gallipolis	Grace Excavating	Travis Roush
Zachary Whitlatch	Gallipolis	Gavin	Scott Nida
Charles Evanich	Gallipolis	Retired	Joe Evanich
Susan Kallies	Patriot	Nurse	Donna Null
Bobby Muncy	Gallipolis	Retail Manager	Cameron Muncy
Julia Pasquale	Gallipolis	Physician	Donna Null
Scott Williamson	Crown City	IBEW	Josh Cremeans
Matthew Arnold	Pt. Pleasant	Kyger Creek	John Pierotti
Ronny Evans	Gallipolis	Mid-Atlantic Storage	Anthony Rutherford
Harmony Jones	Oak Hill	OVB	Tim Phillips
Brian Taylor	Gallipolis	GKN	Walt Brown
Van Willford	Crown City	Retired	ODell Williams
James Miller	Patriot	IBEW 429	Josh Cremeans

2023 Delinquent Members

The following members will be dropped from membership on 30 March 2024 if their dues are not paid:

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Chris Atkinson	Jerry Baker	Ryan Bates
Bradley Beaver	Billy Burdette, III	Corey Burlile
Kyle Burnett	Gerald Cade	Keith Campbell
Michael Campbell	Tylun Campbell	Terry Chapman
Justin Connolly	Joel Craft	Mark Cummons
Robert Curry	Brian Davidson	Jordan Deel
David Dotson	Elmer Dyer	Chris Elliott
Eric Foster	Logan Frye	Randy Halley
Anthony Haner	Marcus Hardway	Donald Holcomb
Dalton Jarrell	Jeffery Johnson	Scott Jones
Jason Kirby	Aaron Lawhon	Bill Mangus
Dustin McCombs	Eric Mulford	Ron Peters
Aaron Price	Daniel Randolph	Scott Rayburn
Tammy Robinson	Andrew Ruby	Scott Saunders
Brian SeCoy	Jonathan Sedeyn	Robert Shaw
Jeff W. Sheets	Wyatt Sipple	Thomas Skinner
Jason Stout	Eric Thomas	Charles Timms
Brian Vinson	Winston Wade	Josh Waugh
Garland Williamson	David Wills	Cory Wilson
Dakota Wroten		

Texas Holdem' Tournaments

Starts @ 1 PM \$50 Buy-in

January 28, 2024 February 11, 2024

February 18, 2024 (Top Ten Qualifiers)

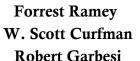
See Randy Finney for details



Joey D
In the Lounge
9th Feb
9 PM



The Vacant Chair





We shall meet, but we shall miss him. There will be the vacant chair. But though we no more possess him, Still our hearts his memory bear. But a while ago we gathered, Friendship beaming in each eye. Now the golden cord is severed, He has passed to realms on high.



Welcome Our New Members! 1st Row l to r: William Ray, Doris Deal, Robert Broyles and Tristin Crisenbery. 2nd Row l to r: ER Mike Null, Mike Jackson, Lonnie Johnson and Charles Unroe "We make water fun"

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February 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 * Order from menu	2 *See Page 2	3
4	5 * Lodge Mtg. * Trustee Mtg	6 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	7 *Wing Night *Investigations	8 * Order from menu *Emblem Club	9 * See Page 2	10 *Italian Night & ENF Fundraiser
11	12	13 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	14 *Wing Night	15 * Order from menu	16 * See Page 2 *Joey D in the lounge	17 *Bean Soup Cook-Off
18	19 * Lodge Mtg. * Trustee Mtg	20 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	21 *Wing Night	22 * Order from menu	23 * See Page 2	24 *Kollege of Knowledge
25	26	27 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	28 *Wing Night	29 * Order from menu		