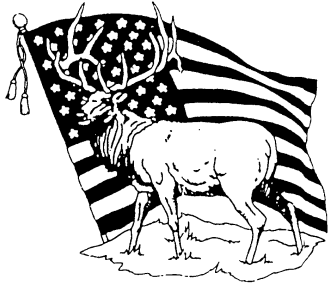


# ELKS NEWS



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## Gallipolis Elks Lodge #107

### Nov 2023



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### Lodge News

Over the last couple of years there have been several changes to the Lounge and our membership. In light of these changes, the Trustees and I have determined that we need to change another long-standing tradition, that being members only in the Lounge after Lodge meetings. As noted in this newsletter, starting after the Lodge meeting on 6 November, the Lounge will no longer be just members only and guests can be invited. However, the Lounge will still close during the Lodge meetings.

The schedule for November is very busy starting with a Veterans appreciation luncheon on Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00am to 1:00pm. Veterans eat free. The November District meeting is in Marysville, November 18-19. On Thanksgiving, Rosie volunteered to work the bar so the Lounge will be open from 4pm till 11pm but the Kitchen will be closed. Be sure to check the newsletter to confirm the dates and times of these activities.

As we look forward into December, we will have our annual Memorial Service on December 3rd. This Memorial is to remember our absent Brothers who have passed away from last December to now. The Emblem Club Past Presidents will provide a meal afterwards. Please plan to attend. The dates and times for our annual Members Christmas Party and Children's Breakfast with Santa is in the newsletter. Don't forget that the Christmas dinner is free but it's with a cash bar. Please bring a gift for

your child so Santa can present it to him or her.

Mike Null, Exalted Ruler

### Emblem Club

Greetings Emblem!!

Welcome to our new member from initiation in October! Our next meeting will be Thursday, November 9th at 7pm. This will be our Memorial Service and our night to honor Past Presidents. There will be refreshments following the meeting. Look forward to seeing you there! As always, we will post updates on our Facebook group.

Jennifer Rose, President

### From the Trustees

Starting on 6 November, the Lounge will no longer be restricted to members only after the Lodge meeting. Members will now be able to bring guests into the Lounge after the meeting. However, in accordance with Grand Lodge statutes, the Lounge will still be closed during the Lodge meeting. Any questions, please contact a Lodge Trustee.

### Upcoming Events - Nov 2023

6 Nov	Lodge Mtg.
8 Nov	Investigation
12 Nov	Veterans Appreciation Lunch
18-19 Nov	District Meeting, Marysville
20 Nov	Lodge Mtg.
25 Nov	Chili Cook-Off

## Veterans Appreciation Lunch

November 12th

11:00 am-1:00pm

Soup, Sandwich, salad and desert

\$10 per person  
Veterans eat free



# Gallipolis Elks Lodge

## 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 .....	Rick Smith

## 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-2PM, 5-8 PM
Wednesday .....	11:30AM - 2PM, 5 - 9 PM
Thursday .....	11:30AM - 2PM, 5 - 8 PM
Friday .....	11:30AM-2PM; 5 - 9 PM
Saturday .....	<b>4- 8 PM</b>
Sunday .....	3- 8 PM

## Thanksgiving Day

**The Lounge will be open from 4pm till 11pm**

**Kitchen will be closed**

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[www.gallipoliselks107.com](http://www.gallipoliselks107.com)

## Memorial Service

**Sunday, Dec. 3rd 1:00 PM**

*The names of these Absent Brothers have been placed upon the scrolls of Elksdom.*

*Greg Carter, Trent Allen  
Ron Ellis Max Roberts  
Richard Brown Jeff Rathburn  
Bill Proctor Ronald Wright  
William Eachus*

On the first Sunday of December we take time to pay our respect to our deceased Brothers and to eulogize those who have gone to realms on high this past year. The families and friends of "Our Absent Brothers" are also cordially invited to attend this Memorial Service. A dinner, prepared by the Past Presidents of the Emblem Club, will be served following the service.

Out of respect for our Departed Brothers, the Lounge will be closed during this service.

## Monday Night Meals @ 6:00

6 Nov	Chicken Alfredo
20 Nov	Salisbury Steak

## Friday Night Meals

3 Nov	Filet
10 Nov	Sirloin
17 Nov	Filet
24 Nov	Cook's Choice

## 2023-2024 Elks Scholarship Information

**Most Valuable Students** - Open to High School Seniors  
Deadline - November 13, 2023  
Application on line at [elks.org/scholars](http://elks.org/scholars)  
Applications must be submitted on line

**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](http://elks.org/scholars) and then search by typing in elks legacy application.  
For additional information contact Rick Van Gundy or contact the Lodge

## Foot Notes from the Secretary

**2023 Membership Dues:** I continue to receive several dues payments a week but we still have a lot of members who have not paid their 2023 dues. If you are one of the 73 that have not paid, please bring your account up to date. Also, if you know of a friend or acquaintance that has not paid, please encourage them to update their account so you all can enjoy the activities of the Lodge together. There are some great events planned for this year, so don't miss out because of non-payment of your dues. It's a great Lodge and we need your participation and support.

## **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.**

## Candidates to be Voted on 6 Nov 2023


*Proposers are obligated to represent their candidate at this meeting*

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Proposer</u>
Missy Bowman	Gallipolis	Real Estate Agent	Dan Bowman
Ryan Hudson	Gallipolis	Salesman	Rick Van Gundy
Thomas Washington	Gallipolis	Myers Paving	Brandon Rocchi

## Investigations 8 Nov 2023 @ 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>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Proposer</u>
Michael Barry	Oak Hill	US Army Corps of Engineers	David Casteel
David Jones	Bidwell	Retired	Brett Unroe
James Plants	Gallipolis	Retired	Mark Przeslawski
Charles Zierenberg	Gallipolis	Surgeon, Holzer	Rick Smith



### *Chili Cook Off*

**Saturday, Nov. 25th @ 1 PM**  
**People's Choice Prizes**  
**Cook at home, bring to Lodge**  
**Check in the Lounge for more details**

## **Texas Holdem' Tournaments**


**Starts @ 1 PM     \$50 Buy-in**

November 12  
 November 26  
 December 10  
 January 14, 2024  
 January 28, 2024  
 February 11, 2024  
 February 18, 2024 (Top Ten Qualifiers)

**See Randy Finney for details**

*2023 Elks Youth Football Home Schedule*

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
10/21	2nd Round Playoff	Coal Grove
10/28	Finals	Home



### **OSU Football is again on the Big Screen in the Lounge!!**

**Buckets of domestic beer on sale for the duration of the OSU game!**

### Children's Breakfast

With Santa  
**December 9th 9-11 AM**  
In the Lounge

Breakfast will be served. Please bring a gift for Santa to give to your child.




*2023 OSU Football Schedule*

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
Oct 28	Wisconsin	Madison	TBA
Nov 4	Rutgers	Piscataway	TBA
Nov 11	Michigan State	Columbus	7:30
Nov 18	Minnesota	Columbus	TBA
Nov 25	Michigan	Ann Arbor	12:00
—	Big Ten Championship Game		
Dec 2	TBA	Indianapolis	TBA

### Member's Christmas Dinner


**December 16th**  
Emblem Club Members Invited

Join us for the Member's Christmas Dinner on Dec. 16th. The dinner of turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, gravy, green beans, and cranberry relish will be served from 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM. A shirt with collar, dress pants or designer jeans will be required. The dinner is free with cash bar. **NO GUESTS- ONLY PAID UP MEMBERS, SPOUSES, WIDOWS OR SIGNIFICANT OTHER CAN ATTEND. (SORRY NOT BOTH)**




## **Bowman's Driving Range**

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### **Weekly Texas Holdem'**

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**November 2023**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			<b>1</b> *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	<b>2</b> * Order from menu	<b>3</b> * Filet	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> * Lodge Mtg. * Trustee Mtg	<b>7</b> * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	<b>8</b> *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner *Investigations	<b>9</b> * Order from menu *Emblem Club	<b>10</b> * Sirloin	<b>11</b>
<b>12</b> *Veterans Lunch	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	<b>15</b> *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	<b>16</b> * Order from menu	<b>17</b> * Filet	<b>18</b> *Dist. Mtg. Marysville
<b>19</b> *Dist. Mtg. Marysville	<b>20</b> * Lodge Mtg. * Trustee Mtg	<b>21</b> * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	<b>22</b> *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	<b>23</b> THANKSGIVING Lounge open 4-11 Kitchen Closed	<b>24</b> * Cooks Choice	<b>25</b>
<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	<b>29</b> *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	<b>30</b> * Order from menu		

Lodge Mtg. 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday 7:30 PM Trustee Meet every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday @ 6:00 PM except when noted.