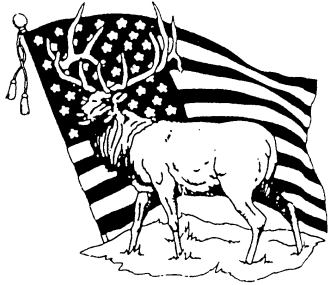
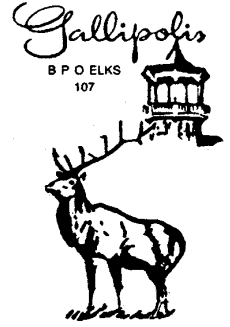


ELKS NEWS



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Gallipolis Elks Lodge #107

Sept 2023



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Lodge News

September is here, mowing is almost over and some of the leaves are starting to fall. One thing we can look forward to is some cooler temperatures and FOOTBALL!! Don't forget that we always have THE OSU and pro football games on in the lounge. Come in, watch the games and enjoy the camaraderie of the Elks.

You will notice that on page 2 is the announcement for the 2024 scholarships from the Grand Lodge. Graduating Seniors should be sure to take advantage of this opportunity and start the process early.

Over the 3rd weekend of August, several Lodge Officers traveled to Dublin, Ohio, to attend the fall OEA Reunion. DAC Bob Marchi welcomed the attendees to the South Central District which included this year's Grand Exalted Ruler Randy Shook. During the business meeting on Saturday, our Lodge was recognized for our 2022 ENF contributions and placement in the ENF Chairman's Challenge. I was proud to accept the awards on behalf of the Lodge.

I want to thank everyone that worked so hard to make the Membership picnic a success. The attendance was great, outstanding food, plenty to drink and live music. I need to recognize Ron Shawna Pitchford for cooking the meat, Nelson and Cory Call for the beans, Beth Stewart for the macaroni salad, Bob Marchi for the pasta salad, Dave Shmigal for the great corn along with Donna Null, James Stewart, Dan and Missy Bowman, Jason Saxton Charlie Cox and all Trustee Rick Smith for making sure the Farm was ready and looking great. Great Job everyone!

Our Elks Lodge donated \$4000 to help pay for the \$8000 restoration of the community flag pole on Fortification Hill. The



broken and eroded brackets on the pole have prevented the American Flag from being flown for the past several months. In cooperation with the City of Gallipolis and our Lodge, the flag pole has been repaired and painted and the oversized American Flag

is again flying over the Ohio River! The American Flag flown on Fortification Hill is donated annually by the Gallipolis Elks.

Because of Labor Day, the first Lodge meeting in September will be on the 11th along with the DDGER Howard Honaker Lodge inspection. The second meeting is 18 Sept. with initiation. Don't forget the Dinner bell rings at 6:00 PM.

Mike Null, Exalted Ruler

Emblem Club

Greetings Emblem!!

We will be meeting again in person this month! On Thursday, September 14th at 7pm, we hope to see you all there! Don't forget to join our Facebook group to keep up on announcements and events, get in touch with an officer if you need an invite. Looking forward to getting back into the swing of meetings and events with everyone!

Jennifer Rose, President

Upcoming Events - September 2023

11 Sept	Lodge Mtg. With DD inspection
13 Sept	Investigation
17 Sept	New Member Orientation @ 5 PM
18 Sept	Lodge Mtg. With Initiation



Leading Knight Dan Bowman
And
Exalted Ruler Mike Null

Members Picnic
@ Farm
26 August 2023



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	Kirk Frazee
Tiler	Charles Cox
Chaplain	Jonathan Elliott
Inner Guard	Justin Saxton
Trustee(appointed)...	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	4- 8 PM
Sunday	3- 8 PM

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2023 Elks Youth Football Home Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
9/2	Fairland	Home
9/9	Symmes Valley	Home
9/16	Coal Grove	Away
9/23	South Point	Away
9/30	Rock Hill	Away
10/7	Chesapeake	Home
10/14	1st Round Playoff	Home
10/21	2nd Round Playoff	Coal Grove
10/28	Finals	Home

Monday Night Meals @ 6:00

11 Sept	Pork Chop
18 Sept	Baked Steak
<u>Friday Night Meals</u>	
1 Sept	Filet
8 Sept	Chicken Livers
15 Sept	Filet
22 Sept	Filet
29 Sept	Country Fried Steak

2023-2024 Elks Scholarship Information

Most Valuable Students - Open to High School Seniors
 Deadline - November 15, 2023
 Application on line at 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 and then search by typing in elks legacy application.
 For additional information contact Rick Van Gundy or contact the Lodge



The Vacant Chair



William "Bill" Eachus

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

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 96 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.

Candidates to be Voted on 11 Sept 2023

Proposers are obligated to represent their candidate at this meeting

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Proposer</u>
Donna Null	Gallipolis	Educator	Mike Null

Investigations 13 Sept 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>
William Weaver	Crown City	Holzer	Scott Condee



Elks Picnic



Just getting started



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

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



Elks NFL 29 Club

Sign up now for the 2023 NFL 29 Club.

The first 32 entries will be entered.

Must pay when signing up.

Contact the bartender in the Lounge

2023 OSU Football Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
Sept 2	Indiana	Bloomington	3:30
Sept 9	Youngstown St.	Columbus	12:00
Sept 16	W. Kentucky	Columbus	4:00
Sept 23	Notre Dame	South Bend	7:30
Oct 7	Maryland	Columbus	TBD
Oct 14	Perdue	W. Lafayette	TBA
Oct 21	Penn State	Columbus	TBA
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

Texas Holdem' Tournaments

Starts @ 1 PM \$50 Buy-in

October 8

October 22

November 12

November 26

December 10

January 7, 2024

January 21, 2024

February 11, 2024

February 118, 2024 (Top Ten Qualifiers)

See Randy Finney for details

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September 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27	28	29	30 *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	31 * Order from menu	1 * Filet	2
3	4 *Labor Day No Lodge Mtg	5 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	6 *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	7 * Order from menu	8 * Chicken Livers	9
10	11 * Lodge Mtg. with DD Inspection * Trustee Mtg	12 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	13 *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner *Investigations	14 *Emblem Club * Order from menu	15 * Filet	16
17 *New Member Orientation 5 PM	18 * Lodge Mtg. /Initiation *Trustee Mtg	19 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	20 *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	21 * Order from menu	22 * Filet	23
24	25	26 * Queen of Hearts @ 8 *Taco Tuesday	27 *Wing Night * RSVP Friday Dinner	28 * Order from menu	29 *Country Fried Steak	30

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