



150 Elks Scholars for 150 Elks Years—San Antonio

June 29—July 2, 2018

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Q: Where are we staying?

A: We're staying in dorms at Trinity University in San Antonio.

2. Q: Who will I room with?

A: You'll stay with other Elks scholars of the same gender who are from your area. Hopefully, you'll be able to stay connected beyond your weekend in San Antonio!

3. Q: How much will the trip cost me?

A: You only need to pay a \$50 participant fee. If you can contribute more or would like to fundraise more than \$50, you'll help to offset the costs of the program.

4. Q: How will I get to San Antonio?

A: First, you'll need to complete the application on our website here: elks.org/scholars/150. Then, you'll receive a follow up email from our office to book your travel. If you live nearby and would like to drive, there will be parking available onsite. If you need to fly, you'll complete a form and your flights will be booked through our office.

5. Q: Do I need to bring extra money with me?

A: All of your lodging and meals will be covered by the ENF. But, it's always a good idea to have some cash and a credit card (if you have one) on you as you travel. We suggest bringing between \$20-\$100, but not more.

6. Q: What should I pack?

A: Please see the suggested packing list at elks.org/scholars/150.

7. Q: What will we do?

A: On Friday, scholars will arrive throughout the day. We'll kick things off with welcome programming in the evening. On Saturday, we'll serve in San Antonio at the largest Elks scholar service event, **ever**. We'll be partnering with [Haven for](#)

[Hope](#) and serving individuals experiencing homelessness throughout the San Antonio area. On Sunday, you'll get to meet Elks from across the country and serve together at the Elks National Convention. We'll be a part of the Elks National Convention Opening Ceremonies, and then celebrate the Elks' 150th Anniversary that evening. On Sunday, everyone will depart with memories to last a lifetime. Full details forthcoming.

8. Q: What do you mean by programming?

A: You'll meet and connect with the other Elks scholars in attendance through a variety of activities that will enhance your understanding of #ElksFamily.

9. Q: What can we do in our free time?

A: While there won't be an abundance of free time during the weekend, there will be activities available onsite like volleyball, tennis, basketball and swimming.

10. Q: Can we drink during events or in our free time?

A: Using, possessing, or being under the influence of alcohol during service and activities is prohibited, even if you are of age. Participating in this kind of activity will take away from your experience during the weekend. Alcohol and drugs are not allowed on the campus we're staying at in San Antonio. If you're of age, and alcohol is present at the Elks' 150th anniversary celebration, we ask that you limit your consumption to two (2) drinks. Using, possessing, or being under the influence of illegal drugs, during events and activities is strictly prohibited.