
Elks Lodge

Sept./October 2010

The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the
United States of America, North Wilkesboro Lodge #1846

Elk Events Update From Todd Swofford And Chef Jerry Hicks

Greetings to All Elk Members,

We are extremely pleased with your interest in the Elks Lodge Restaurant. We continue to welcome your remarks and suggestions on how to better serve you. The excitement and response has been tremendous. We are pleased to offer these changes effective September 1st to the hours of service and to our menu and hope to see you at Elk Events very soon.

Monday	Dinner - 5 PM - 9 PM Monday Family Night Buffet - \$9.95 ea.
Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	Closed – Except for Special Bookings
Thursday	Lunch -11 AM - 2 PM Dinner - 5 PM - 9 PM
Friday	Lunch -11 AM - 2 PM Dinner - 5 PM -10 PM Theme Buffet – Prime Rib normally available. Friday Night upstairs bar open w/ new Bar Menu
Saturday	Dinner - 5 PM -10 PM – No Seafood Buffet Special Menu Items Available
Sunday	Open Every Sunday for Sunday Brunch Buffet 11 AM to 2 PM Reservations requested but not necessary

We also are offering a special meal for all Elks members on the third Thursday night of each month which is Member's Meeting Night for only \$8.95. Come on out and enjoy a wonderful meal and attend the member's meeting to get the latest updates on all Elk's Lodge events and happenings.

Our Sunday Brunch Buffet will include Jerry's Famous French Toast and will occasionally have an Omelet Station. This is the best Sunday Brunch Buffet available anywhere in Wilkes County and will be available every Sunday from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Beginning on Friday, August 27th the Upstairs Bar will be open with a new Bar Menu. We encourage you to come check this out.

It is time to begin booking your Holiday Parties and Special Events. The calendar is already filling up for this holiday season. Don't miss that special party date by waiting too late to book. Contact Jerry Hicks at 838-8591 or email him at chefjerry@charter.net and plan that special event. Jerry is also taking orders for Cakes, Pies, Cheesecakes etc. for your special holiday events.

You may also contact Todd Swofford with any suggestions you have at 336-667-9284. We thank you for your support and look forward to many great things from Elk Events at the Elks Lodge Restaurant.

Wilkes Senior Center Speaker – Mary Kammerer



Boyce and Rachel Cheatwood show Mary the new decorations at the Elks Lodge which provide a lot of Elks Lodge history.

Mary Kammerer was the guest speaker at the August Elks Saturday morning meeting. She discussed the services provided by the Wilkes Senior Center which include physical fitness programs, computer classes, senior meals, senior games, a wonderful library and many more. For more information you may contact Mary at the Wilkes Senior Center located at the old Fairplains Elementary School building off Sparta Road or by calling 336-667-5281.

If you are missing the Saturday morning meetings please try to attend. There is always a guest speaker with valuable information; updates on all Elks programs and current happenings and a wonderful breakfast meal provided by Elk Events.

Lodge Meetings and Events

- Breakfast Meeting, Saturday, Sept. 4
- Labor Day, Monday, September 6 – Restaurant Closed for Boyce Cheatwood's Birthday
- Shag Dance – Mountain Stoll w/Bigfish Calhoun – Saturday, Sept. 11
- Lodge Meeting – Thursday, Sept. 16, Initiation Ceremony – New Members – 7:00 pm
- Breakfast Meeting – Saturday, Oct. 2, 8:30 am
- Shag Dance – Shut Up & Shag w/Steve Coley – Saturday, Oct 9
- Lodge Meeting – Thursday, Oct. 21, 7:00 pm
- Sunday Brunch Buffet – Every Sunday from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm
- Shag-O-Ween Dance w/Gene Hensley – Saturday, Oct. 30

Lodge Cleanup

Many of the North Wilkesboro Elks Lodge members have been working hard to spruce up the appearance of the lodge. If you would like to get a group together to help improve the looks of your lodge please bring your ideas to the next Lodge meeting. In the near future a fall cleanup will be needed as leaves fall and bushes need trimming. Windows need washing and many other projects will be available. If members work together we can accomplish so much more and the Lodge will be a place of pride for everyone.



Walter McSwain volunteers his time to clean the front entrance at the North Wilkesboro Elks Lodge.



Bert Hall, Walter McSwain and Larry Pendry volunteer their time to trim trees and bushes at the North Wilkesboro Elks Lodge.

2010 North Carolina State Elks Fall Convention

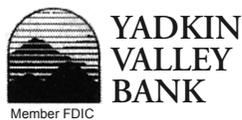
This year's NCSEA convention will be held October 29th through 31st at the Concord Embassy Suites Hotel and Convention Center. The Grand Exalted Ruler Michael F. Smith and his wife, Sandra, will be special guest. If you would like more information about the fall convention please contact Al Hill, VP West District NCSEA, at (828) 243-0661, 707 Clearview Drive, Hendersonville, NC 28792 or email him at mahill@apac.com.

Elks Annual Fundraiser

The 2010 Annual Fundraiser was held on Saturday, August 28th at the Lodge. Ticket buyers were served a delicious meal by Elk Events of fried chicken, pork loin, green beans, small whole potatoes and yeast rolls. The cash drawdown was held at 7:00pm with Bert Hall, Charlie Sink and Bart Hayes drawing the tickets. Others assisting were Matthew Holbrook and his wife Whitney; Regina Miller; Bob Beeson; Larry Pendry; Joe Hylton; Dan Little, Paul Holbrook and a long list of ticket sellers. Five ticket holders won \$500 cash each as the 50th, 100th, 150th, 200th and 250th tickets were drawn. The \$10,000 cash winner was Regina Miller. A total of 269 tickets were sold @\$100 each and the 270th ticket was auctioned off during the drawing by Dicky Whittington for \$1000. We certainly appreciate his help. Expenses other than the prizes awarded were the printing of the tickets and the meal cost. The fundraiser netted the lodge a profit of \$12,819 which will be used to help pay many of the lodge repair expenses, property insurance and utilities. Everyone's participation was greatly appreciated. Once again the Elk with the most ticket sales was Boyce Cheatwood. Please give him a big hooray when you see him. Thank you to everyone and it is never too early to start thinking of ways to make next year's fundraiser bigger and better.

N. Wilkesboro Elks Website Available

Many of you have expressed an interest in the North Wilkesboro Elks Lodge website and many were not aware that there is a website. You may access your local website through the elks.org website by entering the Lodge # of 1846 or zip code of 28659. For quick access you may also type this link into your web browser <http://www.elks.org/lodges/home.cfm?LodgeNumber=1846>. The website has the latest ElksLodgic newsletter, calendar updates, and the NW Lodge officers and trustees information. Please visit your local Lodge website. Kenneth Foster is the current Webmaster. If you have anything you would like included or any suggestions to improve the website please contact Kenneth.



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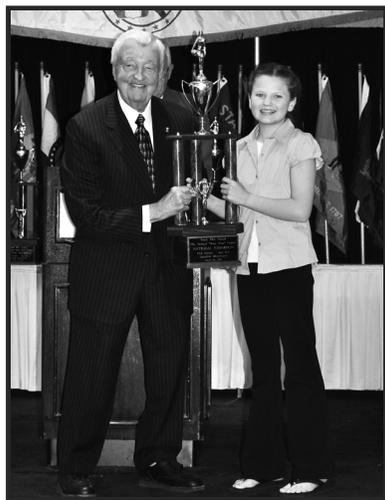
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Leah Church Honored At Elks Breakfast Meeting



Leah Church was present at the August Saturday morning meeting as an Elks special guest. She was presented her local trophy by Walter Broyhill. The Record was present to take pictures and do a story in their August 18th sports edition. The North Wilkesboro Lodge is very proud to have Leah represent us as the Elks Hoop Shoot National Champion.

Sick And Distressed Elks

Please remember these Elk Members in your thoughts and prayers.

Jerry Strader, Tommy Walker, Roger Cox, Bob Gresham, and Cloyd Reeves.

Ladies Morning Social At The Fall Convention

The October Convention is coming up quickly and several ladies express interest in donating a gift basket or assisting with or being on the committee to help make the ladies morning social a success in the fall. If interested please contact Carol Hoover @ 336-289-4285 or email her at hooverc@aetna.com. Thanks, Carol Hoover

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