Greetings fellow Elks. I would like to thank everyone for making our Lodge as safe as possible during this pandemic. Our bartenders are doing a great job of sanitizing tables, door knobs, chairs, etc. This has not gone unnoticed. During our latest inspection from the health department, we had no covid related violations. As a matter of fact, the inspector praised our establishment for doing far better than other bars and clubs in our area. Keep up the good work!

Our Lodge is also doing well financially during this crisis. We are initiating multiple new members monthly and the bar is doing well considering the circumstances.

Veterans' day is this month and I would like to thank the many veterans who are members of our Lodge for their service in this great country in which we live. Finally, I would like to challenge you to show your support for our veterans by giving just a little extra in support of our charitable donations to veteran support groups this month.

Phil McElfresh
Exalted Ruler
Elks Lodge 37

So long as there are veterans, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them. Our Order has a glorious history in supporting our veterans. The Elks built a 700-bed hospital in Boston and donated it to the federal government as the first VA hospital following WWI. Our order also established the first GI loan program. Our cash contributions in kind have amounted to millions.

Cerebral Palsy major charity of Elks Ohio.

1 in 5 people with Cerebral Palsy will have communication difficulties. The tool used to classify the everyday communication of an individual with cerebral palsy is the CFCS. It consists of 5 descriptive levels for everyday communication performance.

The Elks National Foundation is proud to announce the start of the 2021 Most Valuable Student scholarship contest. The Most Valuable Student scholarship is available to high school seniors who are United States citizens. Applicants do not need to be related to a member of the Elks. Applicants are judged on academics, leadership, service and financial need.

The application is completed online and must be submitted by the November 15, 2020, deadline. The 500 national winners will be announced in April 2021, after the top 20 finalists participate in the Leadership Weekend and interview for the top awards.

This year, the ENF is investing $4.2 million in college scholarships. We’ve invested wisely. MVS scholars—all of whom demonstrate outstanding leadership skills and a commitment to service—are graduating from college at a rate of 90 percent, 30 percent higher than the national average.

To learn more about the MVS scholarship and apply go to https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/MVS.cfm

Next time you go on vacation, staycation, visit another lodge, or out on a road trip, take along your Roll Call, snap a picture of you and possibly other elks. Send picture to Sharon Cooper at slnursing2007@gmail.com. You just might find it here.

Ray & Tammy Byrd with Steve Roper and Nate Parsley at Traverse City “ichigan Elks while vacationing in that state up north.
November Birthdays

5th  Steve & Angie Pulled Pork with Fresh Cut Fries
7th Ohio State tailgate against Rutgers
12th Roosters Food Truck
14th Ohio State tailgate against Maryland
19th Cerebral Palsy Dinner Soup & Salad
21st Ohio State tailgate against Indiana
21st Ticket Party
28th Ohio State tailgate against Illinois

December

5th Ohio State tailgate against MI State
6th Memorial Service
6th Soup & Salad sponsored by Cerebral Palsy Comm
8th Charlies Pizza
11th Birthday Dinner w/Zone 3
12th Ohio State tailgate against *ichigan

Following receives discounted meal during Birthday Dinner

01 Carla Inglish 17 Sheila Taylor
02 Sharon Heinlein 20 Carl D Dematteo
03 Thomas Kropinak 20 Janice L Karnes
03 Kathy L Hatfield 20 Andrea J Russell-Mann
03 Gary A Kesig 21 William F Burnette
03 Susan Lynn Uhrig 21 Roger Dearwester
04 Kristophery Young 21 Terry Duckworth
05 Francis Martin Barnett 21 Richard L Stage
06 Max Stamer 22 Larry Howlier
07 Geoffrey N Fillinger 22 William J Paider, PER
07 Richard O Sommer 23 Devon A Lauffer
08 Glenn A Hickman, PER 23 Brian M Lowe
08 Rolland W Halley 25 Madeline Kay Johnson, Bar Tender
09 Jack R Reber 25 Leonard Worley
10 Lori McDaniel 26 Gregoy T Absten
13 Sharon “Shari” Harper 26 Todd Mosley
13 Mark T Powers 27 Gary Holland
13 B J Roach 28 Danny Adams
15 Bryon Coleman 28 Steven G Bair
16 George “Woody” Davy, P Inner Guard 29 April Harvey
15 John P Hoff 29 Gary Wilson, Past Trustee
16 Jeffrey P Compton 30 Stephen D Baker
16 Nancy A Henderson 30 James P Gillespie, II
16 Erika Smith 30 Leon P Kobasiar, PER
17 Tana E Tanner

Goodwill of the Lodge

September Kitchen Volunteers

  **Thanks to our kitchen volunteers.**
  **Tues Pizza Night**: Judy Danch, Michele Croghan, Beth Poe, Jack & Mira Cremeans
  **Birthday Dinner**: Beth Poe, Lori Lunsford, Glenda Frost, Chuck Anderson, Sarah Grossman
  **Thur Night**: Judy Danch, Beth Poe, Shannon Johnson, Beth Logan, Sarah Grossman
  **Friday Burger/Fries night**: Fred Bollinger, Jim Miller, Mike & Sharon Cooper
  **CP Brunch**: Mike & Sharon Cooper, Angelo & Kathy Nocera, Steven Ives

**Roll Call**

If you have anything you want in Roll Call please contact Sharon Cooper at 614-264-3378 or slnursing2007@gmail.com or lodge email at ColumbusGroveCityElks@yahoo.com.

**Dues**

We still have several unpaid dues. Dues of $76.50 for members and $36.50 for Life Members can be mailed to BPOE#37 PO Box 642 Grove City, OH 43123. If you have not received your dues notices please let the secretary, Sharon Cooper aware and yours will be sent out to you. We would love to maintain all member. You are all valued in our membership.

Provided link can also be used to submit dues: https://securepayment.link/columbusgrovecityelkslodge37/

**Missing Members**

Chadwick Adams; Steven J Adams; Karen S Barker; William R Barks; David Beckwith; Darryl M Butz; Connie Chaffin; Austin Collins; Sarah Marie Cougill; Terry Crampton; Colleen Cremeans; Randy H Decker; Suzanne Fraley; Charles R Gaston; Linda Glass; Richard Grimes; Linda Henry; George N Kern; Jason L Kline; Brian Large; William Lawhead; Jon Legg; Derek Lolz; Frank James Meyers; Mark T Powers; Delmar F Ruzicka; Michael A Schad; Timothy A Seals; Lynn Sitzlein; John W Temple; Brister G Thomas; Mark A Weakley; Jeremy Williams; Steven A Wise; Christopher Young; Vernon Roy Zeigler

**Welcome Aboard**

Investigating committee will meet on Tues Nov 3rd. Sponsors should attend with the applicants they proposed.

Voting is scheduled for Mon Nov 9th and Initiation scheduled for Mon Nov 23rd. However, please follow dates in letters sent out if different.

Elizabeth Cordle from Grove City, proposed by Nathan Parsley
Patrick Eaton from Grove City, proposed by Corey Gillen
Larry Kavage from Grove City, proposed by Beth Poe
Jeffrey Kimmel from Grove City, proposed by Corey Gillen
Randall Pennington from Grove City, proposed by Tom Smock
Dwayne Potts from Grove City, proposed by David Potts
Linda Warner from Grove City, proposed by Ray Byrd

**Grants Received**

Thanks to a Spotlight Grant we received from ENF, the Columbus/Grove City Elks have donated $2,000 for the veterans that are residents at the VA Center in Chillicothe. In March 2019, a group of us went shopping and delivered $2,100 worth of shoes, socks, jeans, art supplies and toiletries to the Veterans. This past May, we also donated $2,000. So in the last year and a half, our Lodge has donated $6,100 to meet the needs of our veterans. Should make us all proud to be an Elk.

**Monthly Brunch**

Supporting Cerebral Palsy
April 2020-March 2021
**Cancelled!! Due to lack of attendance!!**

**House Committee Corner**

*Is your language worthy of an ELK!!!*

*Please follow all CDC guidelines*

**Upcoming Events - November**

  5th  Steve & Angie Pulled Pork Dinner
  12th Roosters Food Truck
  13th Birthday Dinner
  19th Cerebral Palsy Soup & Salad Dinner
  21st Ticket Party

Watch around the lodge for last minute happenings.
Committee Members Needed

Each year we distribute the proceeds from our bingo ticket sales to various organizations. The committee is looking for individuals to assist with the selection process. Please consider being a great asset to your lodge by helping. For further information contact Michele Croghan at 740.505.1709.

Weekly Events...

Tuesday Pizza Nights:
Every Tuesday 5:30 to 7:00 pm. Starting at $6.00. Carry out for additional $1.00. Carry out orders can be called in at 614-875-2375. Pull up out front under awning. Call upon arrival, pizza will be brought out to your car.

Thursday Night Dinner
Needed!!!!!! Kitchen Volunteers!!!
Consider building your own team one Thursday a month. Interested parties please contact House Committee member or Secretary Sharon Cooper at 614-264-3378. Can also sign-up at the lodge on calendar by pool table.

Queen of Hearts
Back to original game! Get in on the fun! Members and spouses with spouse card permitted to purchase tickets. Are you going to be the lucky person to find the Queen?

Monthly Events...

PER (Past Exalted Ruler) Association
Will be meeting 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM. If anyone has items of interest for them please leave at bar. They are here to assist and support our Lodge.

November Birthday Dinner
November Birthdays to be celebrated Fri Nov 13th Birthday Dinner. Entertainment: Shotgun Eddie.
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*Please do not ask to enter early to sign boards*