



Chippewa Falls Elks Lodge #1326

Newsletter



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Lodge News

Chippewa Falls Hosts Northwest Regional Hoop Shoot!

The Chippewa Falls YMCA was the site of the Northwestern Wisconsin Regional Hoop Shoot on January 21st. Elks from Chippewa Falls and Eau Claire hosted boys and girls from Superior to Wisconsin Rapids in the annual free throw shooting competition. A local girl won the girl's 10-11 year old category and advances to Wausau for the State contest. Good luck to her!



Calendar

February

- 13 Meeting 7pm
- 25 Constitution Contest
- 20 Golf Outing Mtg
- 27 Meeting 7pm (Guest Presentation)

March

- 12 Meeting 7pm
- 26 Meeting 7pm

April

- 9 Meeting 7pm
- 23 Meeting 7pm

Save the Date

June 7 Golf Outing

Special Guests at

February 27th Meeting

Capt. Kristin Walukas of the Air Force Civil Air Patrol and one of her cadets will present the details of their organization at the second February meeting. Please come and welcome them to our lodge!





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Chippewa Falls Elks Lodge #1326 Charitable Endowment Update

As you are receiving your annual lodge dues statement you may be wondering about the option to donate to the Chippewa Falls Elks Endowment. The CFEE officers, Jim Anglum, Norm Keller, and Brady Zweifelhofer gave an excellent presentation about the mission, organization, management, and financials of the endowment. Donations will allow the Chippewa Falls Elks to support charitable giving to veterans, youth, and the community in perpetuity. Thanks to the generosity of local Elks members, the endowment has grown to over \$33,000 since being established in 2013. Please continue to contribute so that we can reach our goal of \$100,000 when we can begin distributing the proceeds. If you would like to contribute and you already sent in your dues, mail a check to:



Chippewa Falls Elks Endowment
P.O. Box 764
Chippewa Falls, WI 54729



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Chippewa Falls Elks Donate Commercial Washer and Dryer to Veterans Housing and Recovery Program

Our veteran's coordinator, Roger Kalata, heard from the Chippewa Falls veterans housing facility about the need to replace their worn-out laundry appliances. The Chippewa Falls Elks responded and will donate a new Speed Queen set soon. Thanks to our members, we continue to serve our veterans!

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Chippewa Falls Elks Constitution Contest

Reminder that the annual Constitution Contest for high school students is on February 25th. Chad Bormann, our lodge Constitution Contest organizer needs a volunteer to assist him with proctoring the test at McDonell High School. The winner receives \$300 and the 2nd and 3rd place finishers each receive \$150. Winners compete in the state contest. Our Chippewa lodge has had a top 15 state finisher for the last 6 years.

