

# ROLL CALL

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## COLUMBUS/GROVE CITY ELKS LODGE #37

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### ER Message

Greetings fellow elks

During this time of uncertainty, we need to work together more than ever to help support each other and our community. We need to practice Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love, and Fidelity in all that we do in order to be a beacon of light to those that are struggling during this pandemic. Reaching a little deeper in our contributions to the Elks National Foundation would be one excellent way of doing this. Our charitable giving to ENF is needed during this hour of need in our nation now more than ever. I know some you are struggling as well, and I do not wish anyone to feel bad if they cannot help at this time. If you are able to afford an extra dollar a month that would increase our charitable giving to ENF by almost 2,000 dollars year. That would make a huge difference in our world today.

Also, if you would like to be a part of the ENF Committee, please contact me.

At the time I am writing this, we are open for business and are bringing back some lodge activities that we have done in the past if it is allowable by the laws in place at this time. If we are doing something that makes you uncomfortable about coming into Lodge, please let me know.

Phil McElfresh ER  
Elks Lodge #37  
Phone 740 412 2148



### ENF (Elks National Foundation) Minute

The mission of the Elks National Foundation is to help Elks build stronger communities. We fulfill this pledge by investing in communities where Elks live and work. We help youth develop lifelong skills, send students to college, meet the needs of today's veterans, support the charitable work of the state Elks associations, and fund projects that improve the quality of life in local Elks communities.



Like all Elks, the Foundation values the belief that charity is the greatest of all virtues and that by sharing and giving, we have the power to replace sorrow and despair with hope and confidence. Donations to the Foundation help us fund programs that match our cornerstone values of knowledge, integrity and community.

### News in brief...

#### Our Elks on the move

Next time you go on vacation or out on a road trip, take along your Roll Call, snap a picture of you and other elks. Send picture to Sharon Cooper at [slnursing2007@gmail.com](mailto:slnursing2007@gmail.com). You just might find it here.

#### Upcoming Celebration

Over the past few months, you may have noticed a few teasers in the Roll Call and via email related to our Elk's 135th Birthday Celebration. As we have entered the 135th year at our Columbus/Grove City Elk's, we have kicked off 135 Acts of Kindness event. Commencing April 1, 2020, we encouraged all Elk's members, families and friends to perform Acts of Kindness throughout the next year within the community. Acts of Kindness such as volunteering at Buddy Ball, the Grove City Food Pantry, Monterey Nursing Home, Ronald McDonald House, YWCA, or organize a donation event at our Elk's to collect food for the Food Pantry, or collect can tabs for the Ronald McDonald House. These are just a few volunteer suggestions, but there are many more. To acknowledge the Acts of Kindness, we have a form at the bar by the CP thermometer for volunteers to complete upon conclusion of an Act of Kindness. The information on the form will be transferred to an Elk Head form, and then the Elk Head form will be placed on the Kindness Wall displayed on the wall behind the band stage area of dance floor. The goal is to reach at least 135 Acts of Kindness before March 31, 2021. We realize that community activities are low at this time, but we hope to get as many Elk's involved out and around the community once the ban has been partially lifted. This actually may be the perfect time to help in our community. If you have any questions, or would like more information on other volunteer opportunities, please contact Sharon Cooper at 614.264.3378 or [slnursing2007@gmail.com](mailto:slnursing2007@gmail.com), Karen Halley at [karrun.halley3@gmail.com](mailto:karrun.halley3@gmail.com), Therese Gillispie @ [TGillespie127@gmail.com](mailto:TGillespie127@gmail.com), AJ Bair at [sunnydelta1@aol.com](mailto:sunnydelta1@aol.com).



### What the Elks are all about...

The Benevolent and Protective order of Elks is a fraternal organization that loves its country and practices the cardinal principles of its order: Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love, and Fidelity.

#### Cerebral Palsy major charity of Elks Ohio.

The specific motor types present in CP are determined by the extent, type, and location of a child's abnormalities.

##### DYSKINETIC CEREBRAL PALSY

Dyskinetic motor patterns (also includes athetoid, choreoathetoid, and dystonia) are characterized by slow and uncontrollable writhing or jerky movements of the hands, feet, arms, or legs.

##### ATAXIC CEREBRAL PALSY

Ataxia affects balance and depth perception. Children with ataxia will often have poor coordination and walk unsteadily with a wide-based gait.

##### MIXED TYPES

Mixed types of CP refer to symptoms that don't correspond to any single type of CP but are a mix of types. For example, a child with mixed CP may have some muscles that are too tight and others that are too relaxed.

## Mark your calendars for upcoming events:

### August

2nd	CP Brunch
2nd	OSU pool sign up
13th	Green Pepper Free Dinner
14th	Birthday Dinner w/Haz Benz band TBD
20th	33 pool drawing
26th	American Red Cross Blood Drive

### September

6th	CP Brunch
12th	Bombay Golf

## August Birthdays

### Following receives discounted meal during Birthday Dinner

01 Steven Sellers	18 Greg Mackanos
03 Pat Lewis	19 William Ray Byrd
04 Gordon R Rankin	19 Robert Dardinger
06 Heidi L Campbell, House Com	19 James Donald Martin
07 Jeremy Williams	20 Shirley A Goranson
08 Tom J Grimes	21 Michael Dean DeJournett
09 Gregory "Greg" J Olson	21 Linda Gorby
10 J Rusty McNamee	21 Kevin Young
11 David D Timmons	23 Carl R Miller
11 Robert L White	23 David Potts
12 Patrick Thompson	25 Donna Christensen
13 Norman Dale Mershon	26 Suzanne Fraley
14 Karen Bellows	26 Kurt Gearhiser
15 John E Henderson	26 John Leach
15 Ronald Kimes	27 Cathy L Woods
17 Karen S Barker	28 John R McMullen
17 Michael Massie	29 Christopher Cotner
17 Kevin Mullett	31 Donald L Desender
18 Carol Gilkey	31 Deborah Edwards
18 Michael E Hudson	31 Lonnie R Sweazey

## 135 Acts of Kindness

Please read write up for information

Current Suggestions

- ~ Host neighborhood outdoor movie night
- ~ Volunteer at Blood Drive hosted at BPO Elks 37 on Aug 26th
- ~ Organize Back to School supply drive

## House Committee Corner

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

Please follow all CDC guidelines

### Upcoming Events

Watch around the lodge for last minute happenings.

### August

2nd	CP Brunch
8th	Texas Hold'em Tournament
14th	Birthday Dinner TBD
26th	Red Cross Blood Drive

## Goodwill of the Lodge

### 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:

Dues notices have been sent out. 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. There were several returned due to members 'temporarily away'.

Provided link can also be used to submit dues.

<https://securepayment.link/columbusgrovecityelkslodge37/>

### Missing Members

Michael Absten; Chadwick Adams; Steven J Adams; Karen S Barker; William R Barks; Stephen P Beck; David Beckwith; Darryl M Butz; Rick L Caudill; Connie Chaffin; Jared S Clark; Austin Collins; Vicki Compton; Christopher Cotner; Sarah Marie Cougill; Terry Crampton; Colleen Cremeans; James Damron, III; Randy H Decker; Martin F Ehrenberg; L Russ Evans; Shawn Fleming; Suzanne Fraley; Craig R French; Charles R Gaston; Jim Geddes; Linda Glass; Richard Grimes; Brandon Heaston; Linda Henry; Jackie Hill; Judy A Hill; James F Jackson; George N Kern; Jason L Kline; Brian Large; William Lawhead; Jon Legg; Joe Leighty; Wallace D Lewellyn; Derek Lotz; William F Lotz Sr; Brian M Lowe; Lori Lunsford; Scott G McComb; Frank James Meyers; John O'Brien; Phill A Phillips; Shelly Pittenger; Bill Plank; Johnathan Poe; Mark T Powers; Timothy T Robbins, Sr; Delmar F Ruzicka; Michael A Schad; Timothy A Seals; William Ty Slagle; Lynn Stitzlein; Daniel C Stout; Harold Stout; John W Temple; Brister G Thomas; Meaghan M Thompson; Raymond J Voisine; Mark A Weakley; Robert L White; Jack L Widner; Jay J Widner; Jeremy Williams; Steven A Wise; Christopher Young; Kevin Young; Vernon Roy Zeigler

### Welcome Aboard

Investigating committee will meet on Tues Aug 4th. **Sponsors should attend with the applicants they proposed.** Voting and Initiation is scheduled for Mon Aug 24th.

Andrew Pfeffer from Grove City, Maintenance, proposed by David Potts

Esther Elaine Stevens from Ashville, accountant, proposed by Lester Morris

Monica Thomason from Grove City, Fashion Designer, proposed by Carman Jay Miller

### "33" Drawing

Team drawing: Coming Soon! Drawing will be on August 20th. If you were in last year you are automatically in this year. Cost:\$85.00. FYI! This is not an Elks pool. Marcia and Charlie work very hard to keep this up and running... buy them a drink, a chip or a kickback! Corrected Date!



### OSU Football Pools:

Sign-ups to start Sunday Aug 2nd at 12 noon. Price will be determined once finalized schedule released.

## HISTORY CORNER

I'm writing this history corner in mid-July. In a normal year, our representatives would have just returned from the Grand Lodge. Unfortunately, the Grand Lodge was cancelled this year, but it seems to be a good time to look back on the Grand Lodge in 1924 in Boston, where our own John G. Price was elected Grand Exalted Ruler.

Price had served as Exalted Ruler of Columbus Lodge 37 in 1916-1918. In 1918, Brother John was elected Ohio's Attorney General. At that point in Ohio's history, our state officers served two year terms, so in 1920 he ran for reelection and won a second term. All told, Price served four years in the office, from 1919-1923.

In 1924, Price threw his hat in the ring to become the Grand Exalted Ruler. Unlike recent years, in the 1920s there were multiple candidates for the office. After Price won, his chief rival for the office, referenced to in Price's acceptance speech simply as "Brother McClue," made a motion that the minutes reflect that Price was unanimously elected. The motion carried by acclamation. Every Grand Exalted Ruler has a motto for the Year. Price was no different. His motto was, "Practical Patriotism." During Price's term, the BPOE was building the National Elks Memorial and Headquarters Building in Chicago.



# 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.



## Euchre Club at the Lodge

Wednesday's at 6:30 p.m. Lodge House Committee has approved restarting with following guidelines: 1. Hand Sanitizer available for all players. 2. Masks optional. 3. Tables to be sanitized during break. Questions concerning Euchre -- Betty Ehman at 877-4874 or Vicki Pilkington at 614-871-5472 or 614-332-2854.

## Thursday Night Dinner

Needed!!!!!! Kitchen Volunteers!!!

Consider building your own team one Thursday a month to assist once kitchen is reopened. Interested parties please contact House Committee member or Secretary Sharon Cooper at 614-264-3378.

## 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.

## August Birthday Dinner

August Birthdays to be celebrated Fri Aug 14th Birthday Dinner. Entertainment scheduled is Haz Benz.

## Sunday Happy Hour

From noon to 3 pm beer prices \$1.50. Well drinks \$0.50 off. Where else can you get these prices? Enjoy the fun!!

## COMING SOON AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE



Wed Aug 26, 2020 10 am-4 pm  
Volunteers Needed

Contact: Angelo Nocera at: nocera11@gmail.com  
Follow this link to reserve your time to donate.

<https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=Elks37>

## Monthly Brunch Supporting Cerebral Palsy

Schedule of Events: April 2020-March 2021 *Subject to Change*  
Sunday Monthly Brunches, 10:30 am-12:30 pm

2020 Aug 2nd Sept 6th Oct 4th Nov 1st

Soup & Salad - Dec 6th

2021 Jan 3rd Feb 7th

*Would like to offer more than one brunch a month.*

*Looking for volunteers to help one Sunday a month.*

Contact Sharon if interested. 614-264-3378 or [Sl nursing2007@gmail.com](mailto:Sl nursing2007@gmail.com)

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Est. Loyal Knight .....*Karen Halley*  
Est. Lecturing Knight.....*James Miller*  
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Submit your \$20 and  
occasion to bartender  
for placement by 15th of  
preceding month.

# August 2020

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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2 OSU Pool Sign-up 12 noon CP Brunch	3 House Committee Meeting 6:30 pm	4 Investigation 6:30 pm Pizza	5 Texas Hold'em 6:30 pm Euchre 6:30 pm	6	7	8 Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament
9	10 Trustee Meeting 6:00 pm	11 Pizza	12 Texas Hold'em 6:30 pm Euchre 6:30 PM	13 Shannon Green Pepper Dinner Complimentary	14 Birthday Dinner w/ Haz Benz Band TBD	15 Texas Hold'em Tournament
16	17	18 Pizza	19 Texas Hold'em 6:30 pm Euchre 6:30 pm	20 33 pool drawing 7:00 pm	21	22
23	24 Trustee Mtg 6:30 Lodge Mtg 7:00	25	26 American Red Cross Blood Drive 10 am-4 pm Texas Hold'em 6:30 pm Euchre 6:30 pm	27	28	29
30	31	Pizza				

## CLUB HOURS

2 PM - 9:00 PM Mon. thru Thurs.  
2 PM - 11:00 PM Friday

12 Noon - 11:00 PM Saturday  
12 Noon - 6:00 PM Sunday

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