

ROLL CALL

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COLUMBUS/GROVE CITY ELKS LODGE #37

December 2020

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ER Message

With December upon us, the holiday season is a time to spend with family and loved ones. It is a season for giving. We give Christmas presents and the joy from giving gives us joy and self-warmth. Please consider giving a little extra to help those that are less fortunate. There are many families that are struggling to just meet the basic needs of their children and Christmas presents for them seem out of reach. The thanks you get could be the best present you receive.



The COVID pandemic is surging at a record pace. Our Governor is weighing the option of shutting down bars and restaurants again at the time I am writing this (middle of the month). By the end of the month when you receive this, we could be shut down again. I know the whole routine of mask wearing, sanitizing, etc. is growing wearisome, but we need to do our part to prevent spread and to try and remain open.

Phil McElfresh
Exalted Ruler, Elks Lodge 37

What the Elks are all about...

Cerebral Palsy is our major state fund raiser project for the Ohio Elks Association. Last year over \$219 million was given to 31 agencies throughout the state. Funds are derived from the lodges at an average of almost \$4.00 per member through various fund raisers including the penny banks.

Cerebral Palsy major charity of Elks Ohio.

Each year Elks Ohio offer Ohio Buckeye Bucks Calendars. Your \$20.00 donation will aid in the continuation of many programs of our organization.

When you make your donation you will receive an ELKS BUCKEYE BUCKS CALENDAR with a 4-digit number that is issued to you alone. Based upon the Ohio State Lottery 4-digit number drawings



each day except Christmas day. If your number is drawn, you win. Prizes are from \$50 to \$500.

With each calendar sold, our local lodge gets to keep \$10.00 for our Cerebral Palsy donations.

Calendars are available from your bar tender(s). Secure your today!



ENF

(Elks National Foundation) Minute

2021 Legacy Awards Contest
The 2021 Legacy Awards contest runs from September 1, 2020 to February 5, 2021. Legacy Awards are \$4,000 scholarships available to children and grandchildren of Elks members.

For additional information and eligibility go to the following link.

<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm>



Pennies for Pearl Harbor

Thank you Steve & Angie Bair for leading up the endeavor. As a lodge, we are able to donate \$546. \$1 for every member.

News in brief...

Our Elks on the move:

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.

Goodwill of the Lodge

***October Kitchen Volunteers

Thanks to our kitchen volunteers.

Tues Pizza Night: Judy Danch, Steve Roper, Tammy Byrd, Nate Parsley, Byron & Amy Coleman, Beth Poe, Michele Croghan, Nate Parsley

Birthday Dinner: Chuck Anderson, Glenda Frost, Judy Danch, Mira Cremeans, Beth Poe, Amy Coleman

Thur Night: Steve Roper, Nate Parsley, Bryon Coleman, Ray & Tammy Byrd, Beth Poe, Beth Logan

Halloween Party: Sarah Grossman, Judy Danch

Fish Fry: Steve Roper, Ray & Tammy Byrd, Nate Parsley, Beth Poe, Carl Hicks, Bryon Coleman, Beth Cordell

CP Dinner: Mike & Sharon Cooper, Karen Halley



Mark your calendars for upcoming events:

December

- 4th Decoration of lodge
- 5th Texas Hold'em Tournament
- 5th Ohio State tailgate against MI State
- 6th Memorial Service
- 6th Soup & Salad sponsored by Cerebral Palsy Committee
- 8th ~~Charlie's Pizza~~ - Cancelled
- 11th Birthday Dinner w/Zone 3
- 12th Ohio State tailgate against Michigan
- 19th Wreaths Across America
- 31st New Year's Eve-More information to follow

December Birthdays

Following receives discounted meal during Birthday Dinner

01 Harry Long	16 Robert Lucas
01 Jude Mazza	17 Debra L Hoffman
02 Bridget Fagan	17 Mark A Weakley
03 Steve Bennett	18 Colleen Cremeans
03 Gary Bowman	18 Martin F Ehrenberg
05 John Beahan	19 Tracy Glenn
05 Scott G McComb	20 Derek Lotz
05 Steve Waitman O'Dell	20 Theresa McNamee
06 Gale A Birtcher	21 Christopher T Gourley
07 Maybelle L Danielson	22 Austin Parker
07 Michael E Lea	25 M Joe Mason
08 Vicki Compton	25 Larry Roehrenbeck
08 Kathleen Faught	27 Craig R French
08 Wanda M McCready	27 John T Hagedorn, Jack
08 John C Young	27 Cheryl Izzard
09 John "Tony" Anthony Pffarr	27 Gary L Leasure
13 Brittany Krieger	29 Bradley D Lowe
13 Charles B Matson	30 Harry A Bushwack
13 Timothy T Robbins, Sr	30 Leonard Conley
14 Allen R Boehm, PER	30 Ruth A Fox
14 Joyce Heckman	30 Marty Nabakowski
14 Carl E Hicks	31 Derek "Ted" L Hollingsworth
14 John W Temple	31 Brian Large
15 Cherie A Beirau	31 Richard Wirtz
16 Tisa Herman	



Charles Pizza
 This Dec 8th
 Serves Tom/Jerry's
 Come Early!!!!!!

CANCELLED

House Committee Corner

Per House Committee rule #4. Minors shall be under the direct supervision of an Elk member at all times and should vacate premises by 9:00 pm.

ALL are expected to follow CDC guidelines

Upcoming Events - December

- 3rd Rachel Spaghetti Dinner
- 4th Decoration of lodge
- 5th Texas Hold'em Tournament
- 6th Memorial Service
- 6th Soup & Salad sponsored by Cerebral Palsy
- 10th Burgers/Brats/Bologna Sandwiches
- 17th Cerebral Palsy dinner. Menu TBD
- 19th Wreaths Across America
- 31st New Year's Eve

Watch around the lodge for last minute happenings.

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; Connie Chaffin; Austin Collins; Sarah Marie Coughill; Terry Crampton; Colleen Cremeans; Randy H Decker; Suzanne Fraley; Charles R Gaston; George N Kern; Jason L Kline; Brian Large; William Lawhead; Jon Legg; Derek Lotz; Frank James Meyers; Mark T Powers; Delmar F Ruzicka; Michael A Schad; Timothy A Seals; Lynn Stitzlein; John W Temple; Brister G Thomas; Mark A Weakley; Jeremy Williams; Steven A Wise; Vernon Roy Zeigler

***Welcome Aboard

Investigating committee will meet on Tues Dec 1st. **Sponsors should attend with the applicants they proposed.**

Voting and Initiation is scheduled for Mon Dec 14th.

Anthony Fracassa from Columbus, business owner proposed by Robert Woods

Kurt Krisher from Columbus, retired proposed by Douglas Porter
 Christina Parker from Circleville, manager proposed by Austin Parker

Lauren Poe from Columbus, cook, proposed by Glenda Frost

Ronald Schooley from Grove City, proposed by Jim Bapst

Emily Stevens from Grove City, proposed by Lester Morris

Charitable Giving Committee

We are proud to announce the following charities will be receiving funds from our charitable giving. These funds are generated by you purchasing the tickets behind the bar. Thanks for your participation.

Typically we invite those receiving funds to show up for check distribution.

This year the checks will be sent out due to current pandemic situation.

- Angel Tree
- Bolton Crossing PTA
- Central Crossing Athletic Boosters
- Central Crossing Naval Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps
- Grove City Band Booster
- Groveport Special Olympics
- Speak! For the Unspoken
- St Vincent De Paul O.L.P.H.
- Westland JR ROTC
- Elks National
- Elks State

COMING SOON

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Wed Dec 23, 2020 | 12 noon -6 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>



DECEMBER 19, 2020 | 12:00 PM

Each December on National Wreaths Across America Day, our mission to Remember, Honor and Teach is carried out by coordinating wreath-laying ceremonies at Arlington National Cemetery, as well as at more than 1,400 additional locations in all 50 U.S. states, at sea and abroad. Including Green Lawn here in Columbus.

For information on participating contact either Warren Grody at 614.477.5833 or Sharon Cooper at 614.264.3378

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.

December Birthday Dinner

December Birthdays to be celebrated Fri Dec 11th Birthday Dinner. Entertainment: Zone 3.

Sunday Happy Hour

Back by popular demand!

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



<https://www.facebook.com/ColumbusGroveCityElksBpoe37>

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Reg hours | Open to all members & guests



Open juke box 7-11 pm | 10 pm is the new 12 midnight

Lodge to provide Pork & Sauerkraut | Bring food for your own table.
No Charge! Subject for changes

ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICE

Sunday December 6th at 1:00 pm

Huntington Chapel in Green Lawn Cemetery

Remembering our departed Elk members

Join us after for Soup & Salad for \$5.00 at the lodge
For information or directions contact any lodge officer



Departed Members

Don Cardi
Carl Evans
Scott Heeter
Thomas Jones
William Lotz Sr

George Paugh, Sr
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Est. Loyal Knight*Karen Halley*
Est. Lecturing Knight.....*James Miller*
Secretary*Sharon Cooper*
Treasurer*Michele Croghan*
Esquire.....*Todd Mosley*
Tiler.....
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December 2020

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thur</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
		1	2	3	4	5 Ohio State vs Michigan State tailgate Texas Hold'em Tournament
		Pizza Investigation 7:00 PM	Texas Hold'em 6:30 pm	Rachel Spaghetti Dinner	Lodge decorating	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 Ohio State vs Michigan tailgate
Memorial Service 1 PM Soup/Salad for Cerebral Palsy	House Committee 6:00 PM	Pizza	Texas Hold'em 6:30 PM	Burger/Brat/Bologna	Birthday Dinner w/Zone 3	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 Wreaths Across America Greenlawn Cemetery
	Trustee Meeting 6:00 PM Lodge Meeting 7:00 PM	Pizza	Texas Hold'em 6:30 PM	CP Dinner Menu TBD		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	House Committee 6:00 PM	Pizza	Texas Hold'em 6:30 PM	Closing Christmas Eve at 6 pm No Dinner		
27	28	29	30	31		
	No Meetings	Pizza	Texas Hold'em 6:30 PM	New Years Eve Celebration		

CLUB HOURS

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

12 Noon - 11:00 PM Saturday
12 Noon - 9:00 PM Sunday

Please do not ask to enter early to sign boards

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