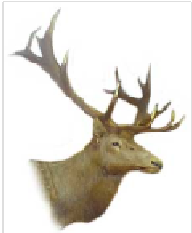




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### Tip of the Antler

April's tip of the antler goes to all of last year's chair officers and committees for their support in making sure the Lodge was successful, thank you as we had a great year.



### Exalted Ruler's Message

I would like to thank all the officers and members for their continued support as I move from Leading Knight to Exalted Ruler for the 2023-2024 year. Thank you and congratulations PER Patty on your past year's success. As we move forward I shall strive diligently to build upon last years success and continue to make our Lodge move forward. I'm very proud to have such an opportunity in this life learning experience.

I would also like to congratulate all the officers, on their new chairs, and to the committee chair people. I'm looking forward to working with all of you this year. If any of you have any questions please don't hesitate to reach out to me. 518-416-5167 or [jimgiroux3@gmail.com](mailto:jimgiroux3@gmail.com) As April is here, I know the trustees have been working hard on the budget for this year and we will be voting on it at our first meeting.

DD Deb has been working hard on our up coming grant applications so that we may continue with our various charitable endeavors with in our community. "Elks care, Elks share"

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Also in April will be our own DD Deb Kruk Home coming and from our district our State President Cam Ricci's Home coming. If interested in going to either reach out to Deb for more details.

We participate in many activities here at the lodge, and other lodges throughout our district and community. We are always looking for volunteers to help with events throughout the Lodge and community. So read through your newsletter to see what is coming up throughout the month or better yet stop at the Lodge and hear it first hand from the members working hard at making sure every event we participate in is a huge success. We can always use your help; continue to have pride in being an Elk. "Elks give from the Heart".

Fraternally, Jim Giroux, Exalted Ruler

## Secretary's Message

Thank you to all who have already submitted your dues for the new Elk year. Please contact me if you have not yet received your dues notice or if you have sent in payment but have not received your new membership card.

I did run out of some of the stickers that go onto the card but didn't want that to hold up members from receiving their new card. The stickers are now on order so if you feel like you are missing one and need a sticker for your card, please let me know.

Lastly, please make sure you sign your membership card once you receive it. Only the membership card is new, you will keep your existing door card to enter the lodge. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any issues or questions. I look forward to seeing you all at the lodge.

Fraternally,  
Greg Myslinski,  
Secretary  
c: 518-461-6842  
e: [myslinskig@yahoo.com](mailto:myslinskig@yahoo.com)



### Proposition for Membership:

Michael LeClair proposed by Bev Bulson  
Lori Kruk proposed by Brad Harkness  
Dale Miller proposed by Kelly Light  
Aiyana Joseph proposed by Emily Martinec



Queen of Hearts drawing Every  
Friday evening at 8:30  
Tickets are \$1.00 each.  
Your presence is NOT Required  
to win.



**Reminder about  
Lodge Dinners  
and Events**

Just a reminder to all, if you plan to attend events or dinners that

require sign up, please do so by the deadline. Shopping and prep work are done prior to the dinner date and we must have time to accomplish both to ensure we have enough for all who attend. Thank you in advance.

**the Lodge Spring Clean up will be  
April 29 & 30.**

A list of tasks will be posted on the kitchen door. If you have free time during April and can assist with these tasks- it will make for a shorter days on 29 & 30.

**Attention Everyone ---**

Please remember to have your dues paid by April 1st. That is the beginning of the Elk Year and it will be much easier for per capita expenses to be paid to Major Projects and ENF. You will remain a member in good standing and will be able to attend lodge functions and meetings.

Most importantly, you will continue to be a member of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. We hope to see you at any of the many events we hold throughout the year.

REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVED



ALL GAVE SOME, SOME GAVE ALL

<https://www.elks.org/vets/>

For the Order of Elks, veterans remembrance is a daily proposition. "So long as there are veterans, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks will never forget them."



**Officer Installation will be held at the  
Lodge on Saturday April 1st at 2:00p.  
Dinner will be offered afterwards.**

The Scotia-Glenville Elks would like to wish our members in good standing a "Happy Birthday" for their birthdays in April

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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Karen Hale	01
Gary Kilmartin	02
Patti Engert	06
James Brennan	08
Barton Strack	15
Betty Groff	16
Frances O'Neill	16
Richard Moran Sr	18
Richard Paszkiewicz	18
Karen Fogg	22
David Pohl Jr	22
Karen Pelletier	23
Barbara Wood	24
Denise Hyland	29

## NEWSLETTER EDITOR'S NOTEPAD

Articles for the May 2023 edition of the newsletter are due by **Thursday April 21st 2023**  
On-line newsletters may be found under More Info at <http://www.sgelks.org>

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## 2023 – 2024 Committees:

Accident prevention Keith Dickerson  
Adopt A Family Michele Dubrey, Laura Ziegler  
Adopt A Highway Lee Hale  
Auditing/Accounting Colleen Hale, Madison Conti  
Activities Michele Dubrey, Laura Ziegler  
Americanism Travis St Louis  
Bell Jar Tori Lanceri  
Business Practice Brad Harkness  
Camp Bristol Colleen Lodge  
Cinco De Mayo Maria Dickerson  
Community Projects Jim Trapini  
Cruisin On The Ave Phil Conti, John Pytlovany  
Youth Activities Rich Kruk  
Hoop Shot Lee Hale  
Drug Awareness Tim Macfarlane  
Fraternal Tim Macfarlane  
ENF Deb Kruk  
Flag Day Travis St Louis  
Elks Memorial Chrissy Neuberger  
Elks Training Brad Harkness  
ENF Grants Deb Kruk  
Food Pantry Colleen Hale  
Golf Outing Tim Macfarlane, John Kruk  
Government Relations John Pytlovany  
House Committee Tim Macfarlane, Bob Tenney, Shane Crammer  
Indoctrination Greg Myslinski  
Investigation Greg Myslinski  
Kitchen Manager ?  
Lodge Newsletter Patty Pytlovany  
Lodge Rental Tim Macfarlane  
Membership Brad Harkness  
Memorial Day Parade John Pytlovany  
PER Association Patty Pytlovany  
Public Relations Deb Kruk  
Ritualistic Jeff Lodge  
Soccer Shoot RJ Paskiewicz  
Toys For Tots Madison Conti  
Scholarship Brad Harkness  
Veterans Services Jeff Lodge  
Visitation Michele DuBrey

## Grand Exalted Ruler 2022-2023

**Bruce Hidley**  
"Promoting Elkdome  
with Enthusiasm"



Watervliet Lodge #1500

## 2022-2023 NYS Elks Association President

**Cam Ricci**  
"Elkdome Family,  
Friends & Fellowship"



Herkimer Lodge #1439

District Sponsor: Michael J. Bloss  
Clifton Park Lodge #2466.

District Deputy: Debra Kruk  
Scotia-Glenville Lodge #2759.

State Vice President: Gary Rende  
Ilion Lodge #1444.

### District Chairmen from our Lodge

Accident Prevention: Tim MacFarlane  
Major Projects: Michele DuBrey  
National Veterans Service: Jeffrey Lodge  
Soccer Shoot: Rich Kruk

## 2023 – 2024 Officers

Exalted Ruler	Jim Giroux
Esteemed Leading Knight	Travis St.Louis
Esteemed Loyal Knight	RJ Paszkiewicz
Esteemed Lecturing Knight	Philip Conti
Tiler	Mary Palmer
Treasurer	Debra Kruk
Secretary	Greg Myslinski
Esquire	Rich Kruk
Inner Guard	Kim Giroux
Chaplain	Chrissy Neuberger
Organist	Nancy Merchant

### Trustees

5 Year	Leo Palmer
4 Year	John Pytlovany
3 Year	Jeff Lodge
2 Year	Keith Dickerson
1 Year	Brad Harkness

We are a member of the Mohawk Valley  
District. The lodges that make up the  
Mohawk Valley District are:

Amsterdam #101  
Canajoharie-Fort Plain # 2621  
Clifton Park #2466  
Cobleskill # 2040  
Esperance #2507  
Herkimer #1439  
Ilion #1444  
Little Falls #42  
Scotia-Glenville #2759

## ENF Grant Update

It is almost time to begin our grant applications for 2023. If you have suggestions, please don't hesitate to reach out for discussion. Otherwise, we will continue to support our community with the grants.

Freedom, Beacon and Gratitude grants open April 1st.

ENF will be going back to the requirement that all grants require member participation. Our Beacon grant is our renewable grant and supports the food services at The City Mission including the Weekend Backpack Program.

Please continue to support our Lodge ENF Program

Deb

## Bartenders

If you or someone you know is interested and available to work a couple of shifts a month please let Kelvin know so training can be provided.

Note to Bartenders: If you are scheduled for a shift and unable to do it, please contact either Kelvin King (518-365-8102) or Rich Kruk (518-441-1827).

**Thank you everyone, for supporting our charity fundraiser.  
We were able to raise over \$1100 dollars to donate to our charitable cause. The music and fellowship were outstanding.**

### Please Note:

Please keep your email up to date so you can get your online version of the newsletter and any email updates.

If you know of someone who has not been receiving our emails, or you need to update your email address please contact John Pytlovany at [pddjohnp@gmail.com](mailto:pddjohnp@gmail.com).

### **SAVE THE DATE!!**

This year's SG Elks Golf Outing will be held at Rolling Hills Country Club on Rt 5 in Fort Johnson!! The date of the Outing will be Saturday, AUGUST 12, 2023 with a tee time of 11:30a.m. This is a change in venue and more details will be communicated once they become available!!



~The Golf Committee

Joseph A. Tracey Jr.  
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDA	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1  Installation of Officers 2:00 pm
2	3 BAR: Rich K/ Kelvin K Darts: Hi/Lo	4 BAR: Paula D/ Madison House Meeting	5 BAR: Jim B/ Michele D	6 BAR: Lori C/ Greg M Trustees Meeting	7 Bar: Tim M QueenOfHearts 8:30 Good Friday	8 
9  Easter Sunday	10 BAR: Kelvin K/Tori C Darts: Playoff	11 BAR: Rich P/ Phil C	12 BAR: Shawn G/ Patty P	13 BAR: Jim B/ Ryan L Lodge Meeting	14 Bar: Paula D/ *need* QueenOfHearts 8:30	15 Private Party 12:45 pm Deb Kruk Homecoming, Ilion Lodge 
16	17 BAR: Rich K/ Kelvin K Darts: Banquet	18 BAR: Paula D/ Madison	19 BAR: Jim B/ Michele D	20 BAR: Lori C/ Greg M Trustees Meeting	21 Bar: Tim M QueenOfHearts 8:30	22 
23	24 BAR: Kelvin K/ Tori C DD Clinic: Canajoharie-Fort Plain Lodge	25 BAR: Rich P/ Phil C	26 BAR: Shawn G/ Patty P	27 BAR: Jim B/ Ryan L Lodge Meeting	28 Bar: Kelvin K/ Madison QueenOfHearts 8:30	29 Spring Cleanup State President Cam Ricci Homecoming Herkimer Lodge
30  Spring Cleanup	1	2	3	4	5	6

**Please note that there may be several dates and times where we \*\*Need a bartender. You can find more information on page 6 of this newsletter.**

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2nd & 4th Thursdays @ 7:30 PM

4th Thursday only in July and August @ 7:30 PM

**Lodge Hours:**

Monday - Friday: 3:30 PM to 9:00 PM or later

Saturday: Closed unless there is an Event

Sunday: \*\*Closed Sundays Memorial Day

through Labor Day unless scheduled event