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Scotia-Glenville Elks Lodge #2759
176 Sacandaga Road, Scotia, NY 12302
Phone: (518) 393-3504



Tip of the Antler

For my first Tip of the Antler, I would like to thank Jim Giroux for a great year as Exalted Ruler. You have been a great leader. I hope to continue the great work you have done in our lodge throughout the next year.



Exalted Ruler's Message

Hello there fellow members of Scotia-Glenville Elks lodge #2759. I am truly humbled and thankful that you all have been there for me on my journey to becoming the Exalted Ruler of our lodge.

My hope is that I may be able to interact with each and everyone one of our members at some point this year. I feel I have some great ideas to bring to our lodge. My phone number is listed below for our members to reach out to me any day, anytime. Ok, (please don't call me at 3am).

I am a firm believer that the only bad idea is one that is never mentioned or brought to the attention of someone. I plan on placing a mailbox at our lodge for anonymous input from our members. As spring and summer approach, I will be looking for people to assist with dinners and weekend activities at our lodge. I am hoping to get groups of members to hold dinners at our lodge. The more hands, makes light work. Looking forward to our upcoming Elks year.

Fraternally,
Travis St.Louis, Exalted Ruler
518-512-1395



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Blueberry Crumble Muffins

Makes 12

2 cups flour

½ cup cornmeal

½ cup white sugar

1 tablespoon baking powder

1 teaspoon salt

1 egg

1 cup milk

¼ cup neutral oil (canola, safflower, etc.)

1 cup frozen Maine blueberries

For the topping:

2 tablespoons cornmeal



Lori Van Buren / Times Union



3 tablespoons flour

3 tablespoons white sugar

3 tablespoons melted butter

Pinch salt

■ Heat the oven to 350 degrees. Grease a 12-cup muffin tin.

■ In a large bowl, whisk together the flour, cornmeal, sugar, baking powder and salt.

■ Make a well in the mixture and crack in the egg, then pour in the milk and oil. Stir well to

combine all.

■ With a rubber spatula, gently fold in the berries.

■ Use an ice cream scoop to evenly distribute among the muffin tin.

■ Combine the topping ingredients in a small bowl and mix well until it's crumbly and the butter has saturated all. Divide equally over the muffin batter.

■ Bake for 20 minutes, or until the tops spring back with a gentle touch.

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. Remember, only your membership card changes, your door card remains the same.

Congratulations to our new officers and committee chairs. I look forward to the upcoming year and I'm sure it will be a successful year. Stop into the lodge to see the different things going on. Don't forget to bring some friends and family to show them all the great things that we do as Elks. Make sure to give them an application as well. If there are any events you'd like to try out at the lodge or have an idea, please let your officers know.

Current Membership Stats:

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House Committee

As many of you know there are many committees in Elkdome that help a lodge function to serve members and the community.

As this Elk year comes to a close, I would like to draw your attention to a committee that operates behind the scenes to ensure the members and public have a positive experience in a safe, clean and healthy environment.

The House Committee is responsible for the daily maintenance, repairs and safety of the Lodge. This includes yearly compliance and renewing of ABC Laws, Fire Department, Health Department and Fire Hood inspections.

This small group in the past few years has also taken on ambitious projects to update the Lodge including: building a large storage shed, rebuilding the mens room (to be ADA ready), rework the kitchen and bar area, new PER photo board, install siding, repair the heating /AC system and repair the dishwasher.

Also updated was the filing system records, minutes, budget, by-laws and rental forms.

An amazing job by this committee and a big thank you goes out to Mike Quinlan, Bob Tenney, Shane Cramer, Rich Paszkiewicz, and Steve Eddy (sub).

Timothy Macfarlane, PER
House Chairman

Save the Date

The Village's Memorial Day Parade is Wednesday May 22nd.

Please consider joining John Pytlovany and other volunteers in participating in this parade.

Right afterwards there is a ceremony and remembrance of all veterans who served our country along with a wreath laying in Collins Park next to the library.



NYSEA Mohawk Valley District
A Note of Appreciation
MV District Major Projects Corn Hole Tournament
ERs and/or Lodge Secretaries - Please share this note with your members

E-mail: dkruk24@aol.com | [Website](#)

Connect with us on Facebook!



March 18, 2024

Members of the Mohawk Valley District

As you know, this past weekend our district held a Major Projects fundraiser at the Ilion Elks Lodge. I want to thank every lodge involved, which is all 9 in our district, for a very successful event.

Through your support of the corn hole tournament, basket raffle and 50-50 purchases we raised \$1835!!! Our 50-50 raffle raised \$1360 and the raffle baskets raised \$475.

We had 38 individuals who played Corn Hole which gave us \$190 in prize money. The winners of the Corn Hole who are entitled to bragging rights were Travis St. Louis and Laurie Blair who split the \$114 First Prize money. Second place winners were Gary Rende and Paul Blair who split \$76. Now we know what the Blairs do in their spare time!!! The 50-50 raffle was won by State Vice President Cliff Gillis of Amsterdam #101.

Whether you attended as a player, spectator, donated a basket, brought or bought raffles, provided snacks or desserts, took pictures or manned the money boxes, you all played a very important role in helping our district. I am grateful to all of you.

We were so honored to have NYS Major Projects Ambassador Charles Dieteman and his mother and grandmother joining us as well as PSP and CEO Major Projects Board, James Peace and his wife Yvonne; David Brown, state MP chair and his wife State Trustee Vicki in addition to our own PSP Cameron Ricci and JoAnne, and PSP Michael Bloss.

A huge shout out to Ilion Lodge for hosting the event, and to Conrad for contacting the local news station, and the kitchen staff for making sure all were fed for a reasonable cost. I hear corned beef sandwiches sold out. Thank you! A special thank you to Scott Capes for his electronic expertise and making this run so smoothly. Last but not least, thank you to Dan Mathias and Lodge PR chairs for constantly getting the word out there for me.

I have spoken to several people who had a fun time and hope for an annual event. A great time for a great cause! **THANK YOU ALL!**

Fraternally yours,

Deb

Deb Kruk, PDD/GER
MV District Major Projects Chair
drkruk24@aol.com



Mohawk Valley District #6080

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Tue, Mar 26 at 6:48 PM



March 26, 2024

**Save the Date: 2nd Annual Mohawk Valley District Golf
Tournament**

Join us at the Mohawk Valley Golf & Event Center on Saturday, June 8

Amsterdam Elks Lodge #101 | (518)842-6363 | [E-mail](#) | [Website](#)

Connect with us on Facebook!



Hello Elks Mohawk Valley District Golfers & Friends,

The **2nd Annual Mohawk Valley District Valley Golf Tournament**, hosted by the Herkimer Elks Lodge, will be held on **Saturday, June 8**, at the **Mohawk Valley Golf & Event Center**. The course is located at 6069 NY-5, Little Falls, NY (between Herkimer and Little Falls).

The tournament kicks off at 10:00 A.M. with a Shotgun Start (9:00 AM Registration). The event flyer and an entry form can be seen below. The cost is \$90.00 per person (\$360.00 per team) The format is "Captain & Crew" with a limit of 24 teams. ***There will be a dinner after golf at the Herkimer Elks Lodge at 4:00 PM*** (or earlier if everyone has finished).

Also, there are a number of sponsorship opportunities including hole sponsorships. These can be seen below as well.

Please mark you calendar and send in your registration soon. And, stay tuned for additional information.

We look forward to another outstanding tournament.

Fraternally,

Cam

Cam Ricci PSVP

MV District Sponsor

Herkimer Elks Lodge #1439



PER Dinner

Please join us on April 20th at 5:30 PM for the annual PER Dinner. On this night the Past Exalted Rulers from your lodge will prepare a Lasagna Dinner with all the fixings. In the past some thought this was a dinner just for the PER's. Nothing could be further from the truth. It is an opportunity for the PER's to serve the members. Please join us.

~John Pytlovany



Please Note:

Please keep your email up to date. 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.

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."

Installation of 2024-2025 Officers

**Saturday April 6, 2024 10:00 AM
Scotia Glenville Elks Lodge #2759
176 Sacandaga Road
Scotia, NY 12302**

Members, Family, and Friends, are invited to attend.

Just a few glimpses of last year's Grand Lodge Convention.



CONRAD DOWHANIAK
HERKIMER #1439
MOHAWK VALLEY DISTRICT



(Continued from page 2) Secretary's Message

Beginning Membership Total 4/1/2023: 193

Initiated: 9

Reinstated 4

Dropped: 7

Deaths: 2

Pending Transfers: 1

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Fraternally,

Greg Myslinski, Secretary

c: 518-461-6842

e: myslinskig@yahoo.com





Elks National Foundation and Grants

Our lodge did well with ENF donations this year. In addition to a \$10 per member donation that was sent a few months ago, several of our members also gave individual donations. If you are interested in joining the Fidelity Club to be able to give a recurring donation of just \$5 per month, go to elks.org to sign up. Let me know if you need help. Trust me, you will not miss the \$5 per month. Our donations help our lodge receive grants to give back to the community. Last year our lodge received \$10,000 in grants - all used to help the unfortunate, those with food insecurity, youth and Veteran's families.

Grants Update

All grants final reports have been submitted and accepted by National Foundation. We can now apply for the 2024 grant projects. If you have an idea, and an application has not yet been submitted, please let me know and I will see if it meets the criteria to apply.

NYS Major Projects

Our District fundraiser was held March 16 and a great time was had by all. The fundraiser took place in Ilion, NY at the Ilion Elks. We had 38 Elks participating in the Corn Hole tournament and first prize was won by our own Travis St. Louis and Laurie Blair from Canajoharie - Fort Plain lodge. The many basket raffles brought in \$475 and the 50-50 raised \$1360. That was won by State Vice President Cliff Gillis from Amsterdam Lodge. A

great day for the Mohawk Valley Elks. This may very well be an annual event.

PER Dinner (if you do not have it)

Your PER association will be hosting a PER dinner April 20 at 5:30. On the menu is lasagna with all the trimmings. Please join us. We will also have a 50-50 raffle to benefit ENF. Not sure of the pricing yet or the full menu

That's all I got.

~ Deb Kruk



Founded as the "Jolly Corks", by December of 1868 it had adopted the name Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. By 1890, 173 lodges had been established throughout the United States. In 1976, the Elks had 1,611,139 members. As of June 2020, it claimed to have more than 750,000 members.

Today there are nearly 1.3 Million members.



Elks National Foundation

2750 N. Lakeview Ave., Chicago, IL 60614 • 773/755-4728 (voice) • 773/755-4729 (fax) • enf@elks.org (email) • www.elks.org/enf (website)

Yes, I want to join the ENF Fidelity Club!

Name: _____

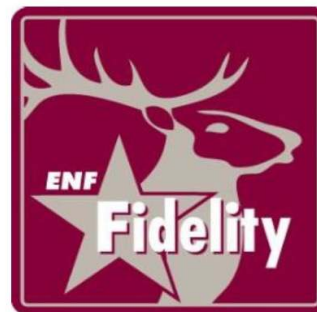
Billing Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Lodge No.: _____ Member No.: _____

ENF Donor ID: _____



Option 1. Direct Debit

☐ Please draft my bank account* monthly. (Enclose a voided check for accuracy.)

Bank Draft Start Date: 15th or 25th

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Signature: _____

Option 2. Credit Card

☐ Please charge my credit card* the agreed monthly amount of: \$ _____

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☐ American Express

Acct. No.: _____ Exp. Date: _____ CVV: _____

Signature: _____

☐ Please designate my gift to my favorite ENF Program (circle one):

Community Investments Drug Awareness Hoop Shoot Scholarships Veterans Service All Programs

Return this form to:
Elks National Foundation
2750 N. Lakeview Ave.
Chicago, IL 60614-2256

For more information, visit enf.elks.org/FidelityClub.

Or contact the Elks National Foundation office at fundraising@elks.org or 773/755-4762

*This agreement will remain in effect until the ENF receives written notification of termination.

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NYS Elks Association's
Mohawk Valley
District #6080.



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corneal transplants. Consider enrolling in the*

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donate, please let ER Jim know. This will
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— • Fidelity

— • Brotherly Love

— • Justice

— • Charity

From scholarships to assisting veterans, the Elks believe strongly in charity. For us, charity is the highest virtue of every Elk creed. As such we strive to be more giving each year; more loving towards our communities and our country.

We believe in justice not just for the wicked, but for the worthy as well. Good work and deeds should be as equally rewarded as punishment for bad. That is true justice. We must all strive to recognize the good, and drive out the bad.

Elks come together as brothers and sisters, a bond that lasts a lifetime. We come together in fellowship, in sympathy, and in kindness of thought, word and deed. We smile and laugh together, and cry when we lose a member of our family.

Fidelity is of supreme importance. Because without it you can't act towards each other with charity, justice and brotherly love. It is the principal that binds all the others together.

Save the Date - District Deputy Clinic

Monday, April 15, 2024 at the Herkimer Elks Lodge

March 17, 2024

Exalted Rulers & Lodge and District Leaders.

Please "**Mark Your Calendar**" for the **final District Deputy Clinic** of the year on **Monday, April 15**, at the **Herkimer Elks Lodge** starting at 6:30 PM.

All MV District Committee Chairs should have their reports ready for this meeting. In addition, the following lodge officers are required to attend this meeting: the new Exalted Rulers (Past Exalted Rulers from 2023-24 although not required to attend should consider coming to help the new Exalted Rulers), Leading Knight, Lodge Treasurer, Lodge Secretary, and Chairman of the Trustees or Board of Directors. **Current Exalted Rulers - Please make your incoming ERs and required officers aware of**

On the next two pages is an application for membership to the Benevolent and Protective order of Elks. Please print them out and give to a family member or friend that you wish to sponsor.

Elks have the exclusive right to extend Elk privileges to family, friends and associates. The Elk who sponsors you will usually introduce you to other Elks who may serve as your two other references. Elks membership is open to both men and women.

This Fraternal Order was founded "To promote and practice the four cardinal virtues of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its members; to quicken the spirit of American Patriotism and cultivate good fellowship."

Scotia-Glenville Elk's

[APPLICANT]

Check the Committee Preferences from the lists below:

CIVIC/COMMUNITY

Americanism _____ Handicapped Children _____
Blood Drives _____ Law and Order _____
Boy/Girl Scouts _____ Other _____
Charity _____ Scholarship _____
Community Affairs _____ Summer Camps _____
Community Welfare _____ Veterans Services _____
Drug Awareness _____ Youth Activities _____
Elks Hospitals/Clinics _____ Youth Sports _____
Essay/Poster Contests _____

LODGE ACTIVITIES

Auditing/Financial _____ Games _____
Bingo _____ Greeter _____
Breakfast/Dinners _____ Lodge Bulletin _____
Bridge/Card Clubs _____ Lodge Visitation _____
Building Maintenance _____ Membership _____
Bus/Boat Trips _____ Other _____
Charity Fund-Raising _____ Parties/Dances _____
Conventions _____ Photography _____
Decorations _____ Public Relations _____
Entertainment _____ State Major Project _____
Elks National Foundation _____ Team Sports _____
Family Activities _____ Visitation of Sick _____
I would be interested in serving as an Officer of the
Lodge (Yes/No) _____

[PROPOSER]

I understand that standards for becoming a Member of the Order of Elks are high, that membership is attained by invitation only, and is limited to persons of good moral character who believe in God.

In proposing this applicant for membership, I attest that I have known the applicant for _____ (Months/Years), that he/she is morally, socially and financially responsible; and, in my opinion, will become an active Member who supports our beliefs.

In the event that the applicant is approved and accepted, I pledge my personal interest to his/her development and progress in becoming an active Member who exemplifies the principles of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America.

Signature _____

Membership Number _____ (Date) _____

[PROPOSER REFERENCES]

11A) Provide two references other than the Proposer. All must be Members of the Order.

Name _____ Membership No. _____
Lodge Name & No. _____
Home Address _____
Business Address _____
Telephone _____ E-mail _____
Name _____ Membership No. _____
Lodge Name & No. _____
Home Address _____
Business Address _____
Telephone _____ E-mail _____

11B) List all places of residence and your occupation for the 5 years preceding the date of this application if different from the address and/or occupation given on reverse side.

Place of Residence: _____
Date (Established/Changed): _____
Occupation: _____ Telephone: _____
Place of Residence: _____
Date (Established/Changed): _____
Occupation: _____ Telephone: _____

APPLICATION PROCESSING RECORD

Committee on Membership Recommendation

The undersigned Committee on Membership reviewed the application of _____ for membership in the BPO Elks USA (Date) _____ and found:
Favorably: _____ Unfavorably: _____
Signatures of Committee Members: _____

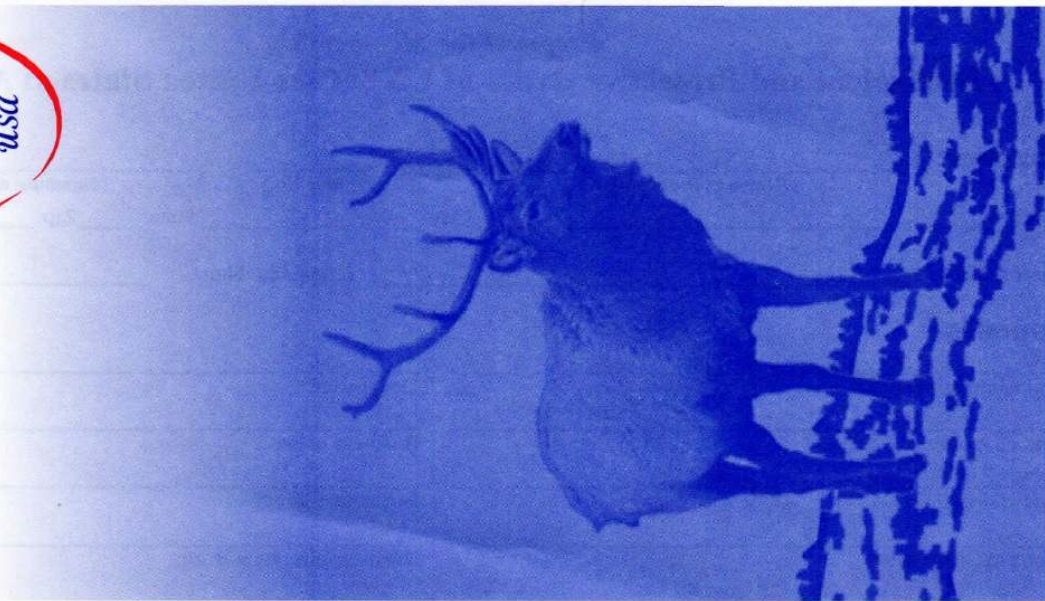
To be completed by the Lodge Secretary

Result of Ballot by the Lodge: Accepted _____ Rejected _____

Action	Date
Application Received	
Initiation Fee Paid (\$ _____)	
Read on the Lodge Floor	
Balloting on Candidate by Lodge	
Applicant Notified of Result of Balloting	
Indoctrination	
Prorated Dues Paid (\$ _____)	
Initiated	
Membership Number Assigned	
Member Information Entered in CLMS	



An Invitation to Join the
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Order of Elks of the
United States of America



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Proposal for Membership
Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America

Proposer: I _____
(Name of Proposer) (Membership No.) (Signature of Proposer)
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
(Plus 4)
E-mail Address: _____ Telephone Number: _____

Proposes:

Legal name of applicant	Occupation
Name of spouse	Business name
Home address	Business address
Home city, state & zip	Business city, state & zip
Personal telephone number	Business telephone
Personal e-mail address	Business e-mail address



To Be Answered by the Applicant

— PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE —



1. Applicant was born in the city of: _____ County: _____
State: _____ Month: _____ Day: _____ Year: _____
2. Do you believe in God and are you willing to attest to that belief? _____
3. Are you a citizen of the United States of America? _____
4. If foreign born, when and where were your final naturalization papers issued:
Month: _____ Day: _____ Year: _____ at: _____
5. Are you willing to assume an obligation that:
(a) Will not conflict with your duties to yourself, or your family, or your religious or political opinions, and that
(b) Will bind you to uphold the Constitution and laws of the United States of America? _____
6. Are you now a member of or directly or indirectly participating in the activities of any group or organization, or supporting or adhering to beliefs or tenets advocating the overthrow of the Government of the United States or any of its political subdivisions by force or violence? _____
7. Have you ever pled guilty or no contest to, or been convicted of, a felony or crime of moral turpitude? _____
8. (a) Have you ever served in the armed forces of the United States of America? _____
(b) If yes, state the type of discharge and branch of service: _____
9. (a) Have you ever been proposed for membership in any Elks Lodge? _____
(b) If yes, Lodge: _____ Date: _____ Result: _____
10. Have you been a bona fide resident within the jurisdiction of this Lodge immediately preceding the date of this application? _____
11. (a) Provide two references other than the Proposer. All must be Members of the Order. *(Fill out form on back panel.)*
(b) List all places of residence and your occupation for the 5 years preceding the date of this application if different from the address and/or occupation given on reverse side. *(Fill out form on back panel.)*

EXCERPTS FROM LAWS OF THE ORDER

The Lodge Dues are per annum and may be paid semi-annually in advance of April 1st and October 1st of each year or annually in advance on April 1st of each year, as provided in the By-Laws of the Lodge. An Applicant rejected must wait six months before reapplying for membership. Rejected Applicants shall have their Initiation Fees returned to them by the Lodge.

Should a Candidate fail, without good cause, to appear for Initiation within four months from the date of the Candidate's election, the Exalted Ruler shall declare the Candidate's right to Initiation *(under such application and ballot)* and also the Candidate's Initiation Fee forfeited.

I understand that this application must be fully completed and accompanied by an initiation fee of \$ _____. I further understand that pro-rata membership dues, for the current year, must be paid at the time of initiation.

(Signature of Applicant) (Date)
Code 560700 Revised October 2011

Please join us for the Homecoming of Kevin Connolly

April 26-28, 2024

Pearl River Elks Lodge #2041
2041 Elks Drive
Nanuet, NY 10954

RSVP by Monday, April 15

Friday Night April 26 – 5:00pm

Hospitality & Free Buffet at Lodge 2041
5:00 pm

Saturday Day April 27

Men's Tour West Point
Lunch at Haverstraw Lodge 877
Depart 10:30 am

Ladies Tour Historic Tappan; the DeWitt House - George Washington's HQ
Lunch at the 76 House [America's Oldest Tavern]

Saturday Night April 27

Homecoming Dinner at Lodge 2041
5:00 pm Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres
6:00 pm Dinner and Presentation

Quality Inn

100 Spring Valley Marketplace
Spring Valley, NY 10977
845-426-2000
\$110/night [single or double occ]

Link: <https://www.choicehotels.com/reservations/groups/AA14B9>

The Element Hotel

90 Spring Valley Marketplace
Spring Valley, NY 10977
845-694.8200
\$179/night; Suites \$199/Night

Link: <https://www.marriott.com/events/start.mi?id=1700951121823&key=GRP>

**Guests should make their own reservations using the links above or call the hotels directly
Shuttles will run from either hotel to/from Lodge 2041 – 10 minutes in transit**

****Properties are adjacent to each other****



RSVP by Monday, April 15

Return dinner and tour reservations along with
check and copy of ID (if attending Men's Tour) to:

Pearl River Elks Lodge #2041 Attn: James Kenny
2041 Elks Dr
Nanuet, NY 10954-3417

Attendee Information

Name:

Email:

Phone #:

Lodge Name and Number:

Events

Friday Night April 26

Hospitality & Free Buffet at Lodge 2041

2 Floor VIP Lounge

5:00 pm

Number of People attending: _____

Saturday Day April 27

Men's Tour West Point

****Send copy of front of driver's license with reservation and check. Bring your original driver's license the day of the tour (no photocopies accepted, no exceptions), and are subject to a West Point security background check****

Lunch at Haverstraw Lodge 877

Depart 10:30 am

\$30 per person

Number of People attending: _____

Saturday Day April 27

Ladies Tour Historic Tappan; the DeWitt House -
George Washington's HQ

Lunch at the 76 House [America's Oldest Tavern]

Choice of 3 Entrees, Unlimited Champagne &
Mimosas

Depart 10:30 am

\$30 per person

Number of People attending: _____

Saturday Night April 27

Homecoming Dinner at Lodge 2041

5:00 pm Cocktails and Hors d'oeuvres

6:00 pm Dinner and Presentation

\$60 per person

Number of People attending: _____

*Family Style Dinner includes Salad & Rolls, Pasta, Prime Rib au jus, Chicken Stella, Salmon w/ dill Sauce,
Potato, Vegetable, Venetian Dessert Table.*

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The Scotia-Glenville Elks would like to wish our members a "Happy Birthday" for their birthdays in April. HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



Karen Hale	01
Gary Kilmartin	02
Patti Engert	06
James Brennan	08
Barton Strack	15
Amanda Dunham	16
Betty Groff	16
Frances O'Neill	16
Richard Moran Sr	18
Richard Paszkiewicz	18
Karen Fogg	22
David Pohl, Jr	22
Karen Pelletier	23
Aubree Mount	28
Denise Hyland	29

2024– 2025 Committee Chairs:

Accident prevention: Keith Dickerson
Adopt A Family: Christina StLouis, Laura Ziegler
Adopt A Highway: Lee Hale
Auditing/Accounting: Madison Conti, Dick Usas
Activities: Jenn Paszkiewicz
Americanism: Jim Giroux
Bell Jar: Lee Hale
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 Shoot: Lee Hale
Drug Awareness: Tim Macfarlane
Fraternal: Tim Macfarlane
ENF: Deb Kruk
Flag Day: Jim Giroux
Elks Memorial: Christina StLouis
Elks Training: Brad Harkness
ENF Grants: Deb Kruk
Food Pantry: TBD
Golf Outing: Tim Macfarlane
Government Relations: John Pytlovany
House Committee: Tim Macfarlane, Jenn Paszkiewicz, Bob Tenney
Indoctrination: Greg Myslinski
Investigation: Greg Myslinski
Kitchen Manager: TBD
Lodge Newsletter: Patty Pytlovany
Lodge Rental: Tim Macfarlane
Major Projects: Deb Kruk
Membership: Brad Harkness
Memorial Day Parade: John Pytlovany
PER Association: Deb Kruk
Public Relations: Deb Kruk
Ritualistic: Jeff Lodge
Soccer Shoot: RJ Paskiewicz
Toys For Tots: Madison Conti
Trustees: Jeff Lodge
Scholarship: Brad Harkness
Veterans Services: Jeff Lodge
Visitation: TBD

Spring Convention 2024 Reservations

The Spring Convention is May 16-19, at the Villa Roma. Join us for our Annual Business Session, informational workshops, and the Installation of Officers of the New York State Elks Association.

Reservations are due by April 6, 2024.

**Grand Exalted Ruler
2023-2024**

Randy P. Shook

Lawrenceburg, TN

Lodge No. 2206

"We are the Elks"



Pearl River Lodge #2041

District Sponsor: Michael J. Bloss

Clifton Park Lodge #2466.

District Sponsor: Cameron Ricci

Herkimer Lodge #1439.

District Deputy: Conrad Dowhaniak

Herkimer Lodge #1439

State Vice President: Cliff Gillis

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Lodge Sponsor: John Pytlovany, PDDGER

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Accident Prevention: Tim MacFarlane

Major Projects: Debra Kruk

National Veterans Service: Jeffrey Lodge

Soccer Shoot: Rich Kruk

Youth Activities: Colleen Lodge

2024 – 2025 Officers

Exalted Ruler

Travis StLouis

Esteemed Leading Knight

RJ Paszkiewicz

Esteemed Loyal Knight

Philip Conti

Esteemed Lecturing Knight

Madison Conti

Tiler

Mary Palmer

Treasurer

Debra Kruk

Secretary

Greg Myslinski

Esquire

Jim Giroux

Inner Guard

Kim Giroux

Chaplain

Christina StLouis

Organist

Nancy Merchant

Trustees

5 Year

Rich Paszkiewicz

4 Year

Leo Palmer

3 Year

John Pytlovany

2 Year

Jeff Lodge

1 Year

Keith Dickerson

**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

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April 2024 Calendar

SCOTIA/GLENVILLE ELKS LODGE

Apr 2024 (Eastern Time - New York)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1 BAR: Rich K /	2 BAR: Paula D / Phil House Meeting	3 BAR: Jim B /	4 BAR: Lori C / Greg Trustees Mtg	5 BAR: Tim M QueenOfHearts	6 10am - Installation of Officers 10:00 AM
7	8 BAR: Kelvin K /	9 BAR: Rich P /	10 BAR: Shawn G /	11 BAR: Jim B / Ryan Lodge Mtg	12 BAR: Paula D / Happy Hour /Trivia QueenOfHearts	13
14	15 BAR: Rich K / DD Clinic—6:30 PM Herkimer Lodge Last day to RSVP for Kevin Connolly's Homecoming.	16 BAR: Paula D / Phil Dart League Banquet	17 BAR: Jim B /	18 BAR: John K / Trustee Meeting	19 BAR: Tim M QueenOfHearts	20 PER Dinner 5:30 PM Lasagna plus all the fixins.
21	22 BAR: Kelvin K /	23 BAR: Rich P /	24 BAR: Shawn G /	25 BAR: Jim B / Ryan Lodge Mtg	26 BAR: *need* / QueenOfHearts	27
28	29 BAR: Rich K /	30 BAR: Paula D / Phil	1 BAR: Jim B /	2 BAR: Lori C / Greg Trustees Mtg	3 BAR: Tim M QueenOfHearts	4

NEWSLETTER EDITOR'S NOTEPAD

Articles for the May 2024 edition of the newsletter **MUST BE EMAILED TO ME** by Thursday **April 18th, 2024**

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mail to pat.pytlovany@yahoo.com



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

Bartenders Needed

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).

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May 2024 (Eastern Time - New York)

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28	29	30	1	2	3	4
	BAR: Rich K /	BAR: Paula D /	BAR: Jim B / Terri	BAR: Lori C / Greg Trustees Mtg	BAR: Tim M QueenOfHearts	District Deputy Homecoming Herkimer Lodge
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	BAR: Kelvin K /	BAR: Rich P / House Meeting	BAR: Shawn G /	BAR: Jim B / Ryan Lodge Mtg	BAR: Paula D / Happy Hour /Trivia QueenOfHearts	2pm - Rental-
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Mothers' Day	BAR: Rich K /	BAR: Paula D /	BAR: Jim B / Terri	BAR: Debra K / Trustee Meeting	BAR: Tim M QueenOfHearts	
				NYS Elks Spring Convention. May 16—19.		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
NYS Elks Spring Convention.	BAR: Kelvin K /	BAR: Rich P / House Mtg	BAR: Shawn G /	BAR: Jim B / Ryan Lodge Mtg	BAR: *need* / QueenOfHearts	
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
	BAR: Rich K /	BAR: Paula D /	BAR: Jim B / Terri	BAR: Lori C / Greg	BAR: Tim M QueenOfHearts	

Mission Statement

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the U.S.A.

To inculcate the principles of Charity, Justice, Brotherly Love and Fidelity; to recognize a belief in God; to promote the welfare and enhance the happiness of its Members; to quicken the spirit of American patriotism; to cultivate good fellowship; to perpetuate itself as a fraternal organization, and to provide for its government, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the United States of America will serve the people and communities through benevolent programs, demonstrating that *Elks Care* and *Elks Share*.

**If there are any events not listed on the above calendar, please send it to
Patty Pytlovany at pat.pytlovany@yahoo.com.**

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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