

Membership Newsletter for the

High Point Elks Lodge #1155 700 Old Mill Road High Point, North Carolina 27265

Officers

Shari Driscoll - Exalted Ruler
Jon Thomson - Leading Knight
Gary Hutchins - Loyal Knight
Andy Albertson - Lecturing Knight
Beth Hawks - Secretary
Terry Herndon - Treasurer
Steve Martin - Esquire
Ronnie Payne - Tiler
Key Whitman - Inner Guard
Brian Rawding - Chaplain

Trustees (PER)

Don Sheffield, 1 yr David "Dawg" Richardson, 2 yrs - Chair Doug Orcutt, 3 yrs Scott Webster, 4 yrs Mike Tennis, 5 yrs

House Committee

Jim Camp - Chairman Andrew Lyon Ben Adams Bob Gold Chris Palmer Mike Cockerham Patti Reece Russ Pallaci Stewart McGlaughlin

Ladies Auxiliary

President - Theresa Franklin
Vice President - Shelly Capra
Secretary - Deanea Pettie
Corresponding Secretary - Jana Bova
Treasurer - Kathy Pascavage
Chaplin - Laura Pallaci
Parliamentarian - Tina Connolly
Historian - Angie Conner

Some of the upcoming events at our Lodge this month:

Final Four Tailgate, Cornhole Tournament, Easter Egg Hunt, Band Night, Pancake Breakfast, Members Cornhole Nights, Karaoke Night, Trivia Night

April Message from our Past Exalted Ruler

As the year comes to a close, I would like to take this time to thank all officers and Lodge members for their support throughout the past year. We have proven that by working together, we can handle anything.

With the present economy, we must continue to work together as a group to make our Lodge successful. Monica and I were honored to represent our lodge at the State and National conventions this past year, we were able to meet quite a few Elks and learned a little something from each one.

As I have mentioned before, there will be many changes in the world of Elkdom, from the Grand Lodge level, down to the local level, from what I have heard, most will only be culture changes, that I believe our lodge can adapt to without any problems.

As our newly elected officers take office, I would like to congratulate Shari Driscoll for being elected as our Exalted Ruler for the upcoming year, and I ask everyone to please join me in supporting her in the 2011-12 year. I am confident that our new officers will do a fantastic job.

Thank you for a great year!

Russ Pallaci
Past Exalted Ruler, High Point Lodge #1155

April Message from our new Exalted Ruler

I am truly honored to have been elected Exalted Ruler 2011-12. The coming year will be challenging, but I am confident that if we all work together with a positive attitude it will be a great year. Special thanks to Russ Pallaci for his leadership this past year.

We have a great group of Officers this year:
Leading Knight - Jon Thomson
Loyal Knight - Gary Hutchins
Lecturing Knight - Andy Albertson
Secretary - Beth Hawks
Treasurer - Terry Herndon
Esquire - Steve Martin
Tiler - Ronnie Payne
Inner Guard - Key Whitman
Chaplain - Brian Rawding

The Officers and Committees will be working together to make this a successful year. We are planning a Town Hall / Meet & Greet evening on Tuesday, April 26 at 7 p.m. This is your opportunity to meet the new Officers and Committee Chairs, discuss the state of the Lodge, and share any ideas you might have. All members in good standing are welcome to attend.

For Youth Week in May, we will be introducing our new Antlers. This is a community service based youth group ages 12-20 that will be sponsored by our Lodge. These kids are awesome! They have some really great ideas and will have a positive impact both on our Lodge and in the community.

Pool season will be here before you know it! If you know anyone who is interested in joining the Lodge to take advantage of the pool, please get their application to the office as soon as possible. Initiation must be complete in order to receive pool privileges.

Thank you in advance for your support. I look forward to seeing everyone over the coming year.

Shari Driscoll Exalted Ruler, High Point Lodge #1155

Lounge & Grille Hours

Lounge:

Monday & Tuesday: 5-9

Wednesday: 5-12

Thursday: 5-9 Friday: 5-12

Saturday: 12-12

Sunday: 12-9

Grille:

Monday & Tuesday: Closed

Wednesday: 5-9 Thursday: 5-9

Friday: 5-10

Saturday: 12-9

Sunday: 12-9

A Request from the Lodge Office

Elizabeth in the Lodge Office has requested that if anyone sends a check to the office please note on the check what it is for. We have many checks that come into the office at all times of the year, and with all the different events, pool activities, and membership dues that come in, it is sometimes difficult to determine what the checks are for. If you can include your membership number also, that will help make Elizabeth's job easier. She says "Thank you" in advance.

Have we contacted you yet?

The **Elks Lodge** has been assembling an email list to notify our members of special events, calendar changes, or information that is not available at the time the newsletter is presented to the printer. If you have not received an email in the last month, then we either do not have your correct email address or do not have one for you at all. Please send us your email address if you would like to be included. You may send it to **Elizabeth** at the **Lodge Office** (hpelks1155@triad.rr.com), call at 869-7313, or to **Mark Anthony** (gcscaesar@northstate.net).

Happy Birthday to all our April Elks

Kenneth Marini	1	Richard Yoeman	17
William Maxwell	1	Ginger Byrd	18
Steve McAllister	2	Jocelyn Merone	18
Jerry Patton	2	Ken Garber	19
Brad Self	2	Cart Howerton	19
Bill Shamburg	2	Milton King	19
Anitra Fulton	4	Marcus Pegram	19
Jack Green	4	Robert Smith	19
Christopher Lyon	4	Margaret Heinz	20
Mike Harris	5	James Martin	21
Mark Baker	6	Chris Maness	22
John Goeke	6	Amy Hicks	23
Steve Lentini	8	Diane Hurley	23
Todd Morris	8	Robert Davis	24
Debra McCormick	9	Robert Dawes	24
Ed Pedersen	9	James Hulin	24
Robert Griffin	10	Gregory Matthews	24
Dan Finger	11	DJ Moore	24
Patrick Harkin	11	Dave Carpenter	25
Timothy Miller	11	Salah Judeh	25
Richard Hardee	12	Jeff Whitlock	25
Andrew Lyon	12	Michael Harvell	26
Scott Yaudes	12	Marc Kun	26
Jim Bertschi	13	Tony Testa	27
Tatlock Lauten	14	Thomas Connolly	28
Todd Kester	15	Darrell Owen	28
Mike Stringfellow	15	Steve Powell	29
David Harrah	16	Stephen Key	30
Bruce Heater	17	Benjamin Morton	30
Gary Johnson	17	John Wells	30
Jeffrey Tickerhoff	17		



Planning an Event?





HOA meetings, school and alumni functions, dance groups, holiday and birthday parties, weddings, etc.

Have your next event with us!

Competitive room rates to fit your needs!

Catering by award winning Above and Beyond Catering!

Contact Elizabeth in the office for availability 869-7313

Family Dining Night at the Lodge

Thursday Family Dining Nights are back!

Due to popular demand we are once again offering our \$5 hamburger dinner special!

April 7th, 14th, 21st & 28th

Order off the Lodge menu and enjoy a great night out with family and friends.

Bring the entire family. All ages are welcome!

Elk Gift Cards

They are the perfect gift for all your Elk friends, spouses and kids too!! Gift Cards are available for any amount \$25 or more. Cards are redeemable for all Lounge, Grill, and Concession purchases.

Long Term Specials

We are offering two long term Gift Card specials! Spend \$1,000 and receive a \$50 Gift Card every month for 2 years (total value of \$1,200)

Spend \$500 and receive a \$25 Gift Card every month for 2 years (total value of \$600)

Purchase your Gift Cards in the Lounge or in the Office.

Gift Cards may not be used for Membership Dues or Pool Dues.

Band Night with Greensboro's own Hydroplane Saturday, April 16th @ 8:30pm in the Lounge

Combining rock hits from the 70s, 80s and 90s

\$5 cover charge

Tickets available in the Lounge
Open to members and their guests (age 21 and older)

Final Four Tailgate Championship Weekend Saturday, April 2nd @ 2:00pm

Come root for your favorite team!

We'll supply the hot grills and the games on TV. You bring whatever food you would like to cook!

We'll also have some fun & games for all of you basketball fans!

The Grille will also be open for those wishing to order off the menu

Member's Night Cornhole Tournaments

Wednesday, April 6th & 20th @ 7:00pm Enter in the Lounge the night of the tourney! Blind draw for teams

First place team wins \$20.00 in Elks Bucks!



Trivia Night - Saturday, April 30th @ 7:00pm

Four rounds of mind boggling crazy excitement. Put together a team of up to four people and come test your knowledge of all things trivial!

No Entry Fee

Prizes for the winning team!



K-A-R-A-O-K-E

Saturday, April 23th @ 9:00pm Karaoke is back in the Lounge!

Come and join in on the fun. You can just listen or impress us with your talent!

No cover charge. This is an adult only event.

Cornhole Tournament

Saturday, April 9th @ 7:00pm

Come see if you have what it takes to be the HP Elks Lodge Cornhole Champion at our double elimination tournament!

Sign up in the Member's Lounge Bring Your Own Two-Person Team

First Place Wins \$40.00 in Elks Bucks! Second Place Wins \$20.00 in Elks Bucks! \$5.00 per person entry fee

Easter Egg Hunt Upstairs Ballroom - Saturday, April 16th (9 – 11am)



We will begin with breakfast and the Bunny (juice, milk, Krispy Kremes) and a coloring contest. We'll have a jar of candy for them to guess the winning amount, an Easter Egg Hunt and the Easter Parade. Suggest that they wear their Easter best - we'll be taking a ton of pictures. This event is open to everyone, not just Lodge members and their immediate families. Don't forget to bring a basket to collect eggs! We will be having a professional photographer available for pictures to purchase.

Pancake Breakfast

Saturday, April 9th (8 – 11am)



Pancakes & bacon \$5 for adult, \$3.50 for children 6 and under

March ELK OF THE MONTH

Our Elk of the Month of March is **David Horne**. David has been an active member of our lodge for quite some time, In his many years as a member, David has served on our House Committee, as well as organizing many youth activities. David also organizes our draw down fundraiser every year in March. I would personally like to thank David for his continued support and dedication to your Lodge. The next time you see David, please thank him, for all that he does for the High Point Elks Lodge and congratulate him on being our March Elk of the Month.

Ladies Auxiliary President's Letter

Let your kite soar on spring winds and your spirit soar with spring's exuberance.

This is my final letter to you all as your Ladies Auxiliary President. Our next Ladies Auxiliary meeting and Installation of new officers will be on April 12th at 6pm. We will be having a delicious dinner prepared by Above & Beyond catering if you wish to attend please RSVP to Monica Pallaci.

I would like to introduce you to our new 2011-2012 HP Ladies Auxiliary:

President - Theresa Franklin
Vice President - Shelly Capra
Secretary - Deanea Pettie
Corresponding Secretary - Jana Bova
Treasurer - Kathy Pascavage
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This is a great group of ladies who will do our organization proud.

High Point Elks Lodge #1155 has a new Antler program in progress any children from the ages 12 to 20 are welcome to attend a meeting or join in they will represent us proudly.

REMINDER:

The Ladies Auxiliary is having their annual **Easter Egg Hunt on April 16th** from 9-11am in the upstairs ballroom. We will be having a photographer at this event to capture that special day with the Easter bunny this is Angie Thomson Photography they are giving us a HUGE price cut in our orders. You do not want to miss out on this.

Angie Conner
Past President, Ladies Auxiliary, High Point Elks Lodge #1155

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