



Membership Newsletter for the
High Point Elks Lodge #1155
700 Old Mill Road
High Point, North Carolina 27265

Officers

Shari Driscoll - Exalted Ruler
Jim Camp - Leading Knight
Gary Hutchins - Loyal Knight
Andy Albertson - Lecturing Knight
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Chris Palmer
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Jerry McEntire
John Pascavage
Mike Slack
Patti Reece
Russ Pallaci
Stewart McGlaughlin
Tom Adams
Tom Frazier

Trustees (PER)

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

Some of the upcoming events at our Lodge this month:

*Family BINGO Night • Last Resort Band • College Football Saturday
Trivia Night • Member's Cornhole Tournaments • Family Dining Nights*

November Message from our Exalted Ruler

Wow! October was certainly a busy month at the Lodge.

The 9th Annual Chili Cook-Off was a huge success. Seven teams participated and they were all great. Every booth was decorated and the chili, salsa, and ribs were exceptional as always! We enjoyed a "Flash Mob", a comedy show and Elvis. Thanks to everyone that helped and participated. It was a great day!

The weather is cooling off, and the sports are heating up! We have anything you want to watch and plenty of TV's to watch it on. Our lounge is family friendly on Sundays during the regular football season so come by and join us for food and fun!

A "State of the Lodge" meeting will be held on Thursday, November 17th at 7 p.m. All members are encouraged to attend. We are always looking for new ideas to entertain us and raise money during the winter months!

We have several fun things planned for November including Trivia Night, Family Bingo, and the Last Resort Band playing on Thanksgiving night. Check the website for more information.

Our Annual Christmas Open House will take place on December 10th from 5-7 p.m. in the lounge. Everyone is encouraged to bring a guest and show them what a great time we have at the Lodge.

The Members Christmas Party will be on December 21st. We will be serving steak dinners for just \$5. Dinners must be reserved in advance so please give Elizabeth a call if you plan to attend.

December marks the beginning of our winter membership special. We will offer \$100 off the initiation fee for all applications received in December and January. This is a great time to get new members in at a discount and in plenty of time for pool season. Increasing our membership is the number one way to ensure the future of our Lodge.

Enjoy this beautiful fall weather, and I look forward to seeing everyone at the Lodge!

Shari Driscoll
Exalted Ruler, High Point Elks Lodge #1155

Lounge & Grille Hours

Lounge:

Monday & Tuesday: 5-9
Wednesday: 5-12
Thursday: 5-9
Friday: 5-12
Saturday: 2-12
Sunday: 12:30-9

Grille:

Monday & Tuesday: 5-9
Wednesday: 5-9
Thursday: 5-9
Friday: 5-10
Saturday: 2-9
Sunday: 12:30-9

Lounge & Grille hours are subject to change

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?

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 November Elks

James Anderson	1	Mike Quinto	17
Steve Martin	1	Charles Jones	18
Miles Smithson	1	Bradley Burton	19
Donald Howard	3	Wade Rhodes	19
Scott Oakley	3	Paul Bova	20
Greg Cunningham	4	Samuel Boyd	20
David Wood	4	Craig Repko	20
Harry Tanner	5	Victor Vaughan	20
Ed Adams	7	Tom Adams	21
Mark Furr	7	Robbie Creech	21
Trevor Cartee	10	Mike Reid	21
Wendell Kelly	10	Robert Dalton	23
John Bingle	11	Matt Hodgins	23
Fred Johnson	11	Ralph Peeler	24
Michael Parker	11	James Zarembka	24
Andrew Alberson	12	Chris Giannopoulos	24
Glenna Barber	12	Stacey Cordts	25
Michaux Crocker	12	Beth Watts	25
Brian Sapp	12	Greg Bower	26
Michael Armstrong	13	Darrell Deaton	26
Mark Mueller	13	Melissa Elrod	26
Matt Schwenke	14	Todd Needles	26
Willie Shriver	14	Eric Scheerer	26
Paul Capra	15	Jeff Woehr	27
Robert Lodding	15	Steve Tyree	28
April Sellers	16	Greg Conner	29
Gary Dehart	17	Christopher Byrd	30
Carlo DiFrancesco	17	William Ervin	30
Harlod Hyde	17	Richard Polson	30

Planning an Event?

The **High Point Elks Lodge** offers meeting and banquet facilities for 10 – 200+ people.

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 the award winning
Above and Beyond Catering

Contact Elizabeth for availability (869-7313)



Family Dining Nights

Every Thursday Night
November 3rd, 10th & 17th

Order off the Lodge menu and enjoy a great night out with family and friends. Don't forget to look for those Family Specials - only available on Family Night!

All ages are welcome!

Member's Night Cornhole Tournaments

Wednesday, November 2nd, 16th & 30th @ 7:00pm

Enter in the Lounge the night of the tourney!
Blind draw for teams

First place team wins \$20.00 in Elks Bucks!



Last Resort Band

Thursday, November 24th (7pm –12am)

Come dance away your Thanksgiving calories to the music of Last Resort. The bar will open at 7pm and the band will be playing at 8pm – Johnny Green, Mark Vernon, "Stormin" Norman Allred, Sammy Shelor and Glen Alexander. \$10 cover charge – must be 18 or older. Please contact the Lodge (869-7313) for advance tickets. Bring your family, friends and neighbors.

Family BINGO Night

Friday, November 18th @ 6pm



The **Ladies Auxiliary** will be hosting a “Family BINGO Night” night on Friday, November 18th @ 6pm. \$5 gets you some pizza, a drink, a dessert and playing card. There will be prizes for all ages so come out and enjoy a good night of family fun.

HP Elks Citizen of the Year Award

Each year our Lodge recognizes a ‘Citizen of the Year’ at the annual awards ceremony. This award may be presented to any member (not required to be an Elk) of the community. **If you know someone in our community that you feel is deserving of this recognition, please submit their name and a brief explanation to the Lodge office.**

Trivia Night - Saturday, November 5th @ 6:30pm

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!

***Stick around for
#1 LSU vs. #2 Alabama @ 8pm***

P.E.R. HDTV Raffle

January 8th – Wildcard Playoff – 32 inch

January 15th – Divisional Playoff – 32 inch

January 22nd – Conference Championship – 32 inch

February 5th – Super Bowl – 55 inch

February 26th – Daytona 500 – 32 inch

\$25.00 each or 5 tickets for \$100.00

Each ticket gets you in ALL the drawings

See any PER, bartender or Elizabeth to purchase tickets

Congratulations to our 9th Annual Chili Cook-off Winners

Best Texas Chili – “Tail Gate Chili”

Best Open Chili – “Cooking Heads”

Best White Chili – “Hillbilly Chili”

Best Salsa – “Hillbilly Chili” (sorry Angie)

Best Ribs – “Mob O’ Rednecks”

People’s Choice – “Vegas Baby”

Looking for the perfect Holiday gift?

North Carolina Elks Cookbooks are a great idea!
They are perfect for family, friends and co-workers.

Every NC Lodge is represented in the cookbook.
838 Recipes, along with a CD full of more!

\$25 each

Available in the Lodge Office or Lounge
Make checks payable to NCSEA Charitable Trust

Americanism Essay Contest

This year's Americanism Essay Contest will be based on the theme "**Why I am Proud to Pledge Allegiance to Our Flag**". It is a simple essay of 250 words or less that is open to any child in grades 5-8. There are two divisions; grades 5-6 and grades 7-8. Last year we had NO entries for the first division (grades 5-6). Our lodge had two state winners out of division II last year and all three of our winners won in the district. Our Lodge gives a \$25 gift card, a \$15 gift card and a \$10 gift card to Barnes and Noble for First, Second and Third Place on the Lodge level. The District and the State award gift cards and Savings Bonds. Last year our Lodge handed out over \$700 worth of prizes to our three winners.

All essays, plus an attached sheet with the contact info for the parents of the child and the grade level, should be at the lodge **no later than 4pm on Friday, January 20th**. I look forward to reading a lot of essays this year.

Good luck!

Don Sheffield, Lodge Americanism Chair

October Elk(s) of the Month

For the first time, we have an Elk Couple of the Month. **Brian & Ellen Rawding** transferred to our Lodge last year and have been very involved from the beginning. As ritual judges, they have been a tremendous help at our meetings and initiations. They are always willing to lend a hand and have been a wonderful addition to our Lodge. Thanks Brian & Ellen, we appreciate everything you do for our Lodge.

Ladies Auxiliary President's Letter

We know that everyone is always looking for new recipes to share with their families during the Holidays. We would like to invite you to our **1st Annual Cookie Exchange**. Please bring 3 dozen homemade cookies to share along with your recipe for the cookies. We will put them all together in a book to pass out at our **Annual Ornament Exchange** at our December meeting. As a new perspective member you will get to enjoy your dinner for \$4 this night.

On Friday, November 18th the Ladies will be hosting a “**Family Night Bingo**”. We will be serving pizza, drinks, a dessert and a playing card for \$5. There will be prizes for all ages so come out and enjoy a good night of family fun.

Please remember to visit the Elks VA Christmas Tree located downstairs by the elevator.

Mark your calendar for “Breakfast with Santa” on Saturday, December 3rd.

We would like to give a **BIG** round of applause to all participants in the Chili Cook-off and our congratulations to the winners.

Theresa Franklin
President, Ladies Auxiliary
High Point Elks Lodge #1155

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