

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

Officers

Jim Camp - Exalted Ruler Andy Albertson - Leading Knight Gary Hutchins - Loyal Knight Steve Martin - Lecturing Knight Beth Hawks - Secretary Terry Herndon - Treasurer Steven Hall - Esquire Ronnie Payne - Tiler Mike Cockerham - Inner Guard Fran Hoover - Chaplain

Ladies Auxiliary

President - Theresa Franklin Vice President - Shelly Capra Secretary - Linda Camp Corresponding Secretary - Carol Hoover Treasurer - Vanessa Slack Chaplin - Tina Connolly Parliamentarian - Laura Pallaci Historian - Beth Young

House Committee

Ben Adams Bob Gold Chris Palmer Jerry McEntire Mark Vernon Mike Slack Stewart McGlaughlin Tom Adams Tom Frazier

Trustees (PER)

David "Dawg" Richardson, 1 year Doug Orcutt, 2 years Scott Webster, 3 years - Chairman Mike Tennis, 4 years Shari Driscoll, 5 years

Some of the upcoming events at our Lodge this month:

Cinco de Derby • HP Pony League Cookout • SWHS Cookout • Mother's Day Buffet Spring Beach Blast • Del Reno Band • Opening Weekend Hot Dog Cookout

May Message from our Exalted Ruler

May is a special month...

Starting with the NC State Convention in Wilmington... Community service events, such as the Pony League Cookout on the 12th and the Southwest High School Senior class cookout on the 25th. Volunteer sign-up sheets for both events are on the bulletin board in the Lounge.

On May 13th, we honor the special ladies in our lives, our MOTHERS, with a brunch and a special program to express how much they mean to us.

The 25th of May starts the most anticipated day of the year. THE POOL OPENS!! Please contact anyone on the pool committee to see if there is anything you can do to help get things ready to make this yet another successful year.

I would like to thank the Ladies Auxiliary for allowing me the honor of installing their new officers for this year. They are a special group that always helps out and does so much for the Lodge.

If you know of anyone that would be interested in becoming an Elk, please get their application submitted.

Always remember to THANK a Veteran!

Fraternally yours, Jim Camp Exalted Ruler

Lounge & Grille Hours

Lounge:

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

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Lounge & Grille hours are subject to change per the House Committee

Sign up for our weekly e-Blast

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 visit www.hpelks.com/subscribe to sign up for our weekly email. Spouses are also encouraged to sign up. You can unsubscribe at any time.

Member's Night Cornhole Tournaments Wednesday, May 2nd, 16th & 30th @ 7:00pm

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

First place team wins \$20 in Elks Bucks!

Happy Birthday to all our May Elks

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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

Thursday Nights May 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th

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!

This will be our last Family Dining Night until September

Membership News

If you haven't heard... pool season is right around the corner! Opening day is May 25th. As is normal for this time of year, new member applications are beginning to trickle in and we're beginning to process them in preparation for voting, indoctrination, and initiation. In a lot of cases our yearly member and pool dues are less than other pool only facilities. That makes the High Point Elks Lodge the best value in town.

There's no better time to bring friends up to the Lodge to see everything we have to offer. Many times friends or family join together. If you intend to sponsor someone new, please ask if they have friends that might be interested in such a great facility as well. Friends that join and participate together are more likely to be continuing participants and returning members.

Thanks to everyone that has sponsored new members so far this year. Our Lodge goal should always be to be on the plus side at the end of each year.

I would like to encourage anyone that has ideas related to membership retention and enhancement, future topics on the subject, or general questions regarding membership to email the Lodge at hpelks1155@triad.rr.com. Please include the words Membership Committee in the subject line or in the body of the message to make sure the email is routed to the proper person.

Steve Martin Membership Chairman

Lodge Gift Cards

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

> Monthly Gift Card Specials* We are offering the following gift card specials the entire month of May: \$100 for a \$110 gift card \$200 for a \$220 gift card \$300 for a \$330 gift card \$400 for a \$440 gift card

Long Term Specials

We are still 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, pool dues or raffles.

* Gift Card may be purchased for face value of funds tendered. Gift Cards may not be purchased for payment against an existing Lounge/Grille Tab. Gift Cards expire one (1) year from the date of purchase or reload. Card balance is forfeited at card expiration. Card balance may not be rolled over onto a new Gift Card.

Opening Weekend Hot Dog Cookout Friday, May 25th



Pool opens @ 4pm. The **Pool Committee** will be serving **FREE** hot dogs starting @ 6pm.



Poolside Cornhole Tournament Saturday, May 26th @ 6pm

\$5 per person - Blind draw for teams Double elimination - Standard HP Elk rules Prizes for 1st & 2nd place

Cinco de Derby Saturday, May 5th @ 6pm



Cinco de Mayo + Kentucky Derby = Cinco de Derby

Is this the year for a Triple Crown winner?!?!

Come out and watch horse racing's biggest spectacle – The Kentucky Derby! Be sure to stick around for the evening and enjoy Cinco de Mayo in the Lounge with food and drink specials from South of the Border!

HP Pony League Family Day Saturday, May 12th

The High Point Elks Lodge is helping sponsor the **9th Annual** High Point Pony League Family Day. We will help cook hamburgers and hotdogs for about 1100 people. We will need people to set up, cook, serve and breakdown on that Saturday. We will meet at the ball park on Johnson Street at 8:30am and should be finished by 2:30pm. Come for the day or any part you can contribute. Please sign up in the Lounge, call the office or contact **Tom Adams** or **Ronnie Lassiter**.



Band Night with Del Reno Live - Saturday, May 12th (8pm – 11pm)

Join us for a great night of country music with a great band! Covers from George Strait, Brooks & Dunn, Kenny Chesney, Alan Jackson, Blake Shelton, Jason Aldean and more...

Tickets only \$5.00

The Member's Lounge will be closed to non-ticket holders beginning at 8pm

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Mother's Day Buffet Sunday, May 13th 11:00 am until 2:00 pm

Fried Chicken, Pot Roast, Lemon Pepper Sway, Roasted Chicken, Maple Glazed Ham, and BBQ Ribs

Macaroni and Cheese, Wild Rice, Parsley Potatoes, Potato Salad, and Pasta Salad

French Green Beans, Grilled Vegetables, Cole Slaw, Honey Glazed Baby Carrots, and Corn on the Cob

Assorted Breads & Assorted Desserts

Sweetened, Unsweetened Tea, Regular and Decaf Coffee

Adults \$16.00 per person Children (under 12) \$8.00 per person Cash or check

Reservations 885-2224

Spring Beach Blast Saturday, May 19th @ 7pm



A great evening of Beach Music with **Deejay SaltyDawg (David Wade)** from Myrtle Beach, South Carolina

\$5 per person

Elks Care, Elks Share.

Elks Lodges bring so much more to their communities than just a building or pool. They are places where neighbors come together, families share meals, and children grow up.

Elks invest in their communities through programs that help children grow up healthy and drug-free, by undertaking projects that address unmet need, and by honoring the service and sacrifice of our veterans.

Newsletter Advertising

Member rates: 3 months for \$60 6 months for \$110 1 year for \$200	Stewart McGlaughlin www.stuckpc.com 336.317.7241 PC troubleshooting/repairs, system optimization, virus/spyware removal, hardware/software upgrades, network configuration & backup solutions. Over 25 years of experience	
Non-Member rates:	Please contact	
3 months for \$75	Elizabeth 869-7313	
6 months for \$140	for more information	
1 year for \$260	All ads are subject to Lodge approval	

2012 Swim Meet Schedule

Away – Tuesday, June 5th (Lake Jeanette) Home – Tuesday, June 12th (Friendly) * Away – Tuesday, June 19th (Hamilton Lakes) Away – Tuesday, June 26th (GSO Country Club) Home – Monday, July 2nd (Green Valley) *

City Meet at the new Greensboro Aquatic Center (Thursday, July 5th – Saturday, July 7th)

HPE Swim Team - www.hpelks.com/swim

* The pool will close at 4pm for home swim meets

April Elk of the Month

Our April Elk of the month is Jim Pettie. Jim and his wife Deanea so graciously purchased the supplies for the Pancake Breakfast and also cooked and served, for this no expense to the Lodge fundraiser. Thanks again Jim and Deanea Pettie.

Ladies Auxiliary President's Letter

First I want to THANK Grace Albertson, Beth Young, Angie Conner and Tina Connolly for doing such a wonderful job with our Annual Easter Egg Hunt. The kids had a great time! And once again Drew Albertson (son of Grace) played our Easter Bunny and we want to give him a big THANK YOU!!

Congratulations are in order for the Ladies who received awards at our last meeting. Shelly Capra was Officer of the year, Deanea Pettie was New Elkette and Kathy Pascavage was Elkette of the year. These ladies were always there when I needed them.

I know some of you have been missing the Family Bingo. We hope to have one after the pool opens under the shelter. Check the Elks website for a date. Also look for the Ladies to have their Annual Summer Scavenger Hunt. We hope you can join us for all the summer fun.

Our next meeting is May 1st and everyone is welcome to come. Please be on the lookout for more information in our upcoming newsletters on "Night in Margaritaville" that is coming in August.

Theresa Franklin President, Ladies Auxiliary HP Lodge Calendar www.hpelks.com/calendar

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