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

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### Some of the upcoming events at our Lodge this month:

July 4<sup>th</sup> Cookout • Poolside with Vern, Tuck & Stormin' Norman Swim Team Championship • Family Karaoke • The Jimmy Shirley Band

## July Message from our Exalted Ruler

As usual, the level of activity at the Lodge during June increased significantly. Pool season is in full swing with swim team and volleyball leagues. The Lounge had fun events every weekend. The Hops with Pops was a great event. Our annual Flag Day ceremony was very patriotic. If you missed these events, you should plan on attending one of our planned July events.

July 4th is our big pool party and the Pool Committee is raffling a reserved table and chairs for this event. This is a great way to avoid the "rush" early on the 4th to secure a prime table. I am told the winners will be treated like royalty for the day.

Our swim team is having a great season. We have had several strong showings as they prepare for the City Meet. The coaches are doing a fine job once again this year.

The House Committee has planned music by the pool on July 21. Vern, Tuck and Norman will perform "unplugged" by the pool in the afternoon. There will also be a band in the Lounge that night. If you like to listen to live music, the Lodge will be the place to be on the 21<sup>st</sup>.

The PER Association has started a weekly drawing called Queen of Hearts. It is a progressive 50/50 raffle that continues until the Queen of Hearts is picked. Tickets are available in the Lounge and drawings are on Friday's at 7:00 PM. You do not need to be present to win. Proceeds from this drawing go to the PER Association to support Lodge activities.

All of our events are posted on the website, hpelks.com. Check it often and make sure you are on our email blast list. The email blast is a great way to stay informed of Lodge activities. Anyone can sign up; just go to our website to subscribe.

See you at the pool!

Fraternally yours, Scott Webster Exalted Ruler

## Lounge & Grille Hours Summer Hours (Memorial Day – Labor Day)

### Lounge:

Monday & Tuesday: 5-9 Wednesday: 5-12 Thursday: 5-9 Friday: 4-12 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

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, July 11<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> @ 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 July Elks

Stophon Bragg	1	Joel Craven	16
Stephen Bragg Linda Transou	1	Sandy Hand	16
Matt Witmayer	2	Steve Jordan	16
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Tom Day Patti Reece	4	George Owen	17
Norman Chernoff	4 6	Roger Huntly Steven Hall	18
Jason Hileman	0 6		
James Cortes	0 7	Brad Biege	19
	7	Christopher Graney Daniel Shelton	19
Matthew Kirby			20 21
Robert Melton	8	Brian Lee Green	
Bradley Moser	8	Susan Shaw	21
John Bullock	9	Rodney Williams	21
Molly Bolick	10	Kim Hanner	21
James Halversen	10	Brad Robbins	22
Sallie Ledford	10	Ray McMahan	23
Laura Slack	10	Andrew Page	23
Brian Rawding	11	Kalpen Patel	23
Kevin Scalf	11	Michael Jester	24
Alex Stout	12	Michael Rhodenhiser	24
George Coppedge II	13	Gary Walker	24
Jeff Franklin	13	Mike Tennis	26
John Gehris	13	Thomas Glover, Jr.	27
Mike Hussey, Jr.	13	Timothy Hyde	27
Troy Smith	13	Chis Williard	27
Larry Tran	13	Phillip Clinaard	28
Ric Williams	13	Lynn Johnson	28
Carl Hedrick	15	Gary Kolbet	30
Jim Heery	15	Danny Mann	30
Fran Hoover	15	Richard Curtis	31
Robbie Messick	15		

# **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)

# 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.

## **Membership News**

On Thursday May 24 the lodge conducted an indoctrination session followed by an initiation ceremony. In the process, our lodge welcomed 11 new members. The new members include: Demetrios Rizos, Richard Allen Daughety, Tammy S. Joyce, Stephen McPherson, Cindy Webb, Michael Roddy, Brad Biege, Charleen Movehocue-Moore, Robert Goodwill, Mark Hinerman, and Greg Prochnow. If you have a chance to meet our new members, please give them a warm Elks welcome. As always, a big thanks to everyone that came out to meet our incoming members and to those that provided food for new members and guests at the indoctrination.

Earlier in the year I wrote about a new program that rewards those who sponsor new members. Anyone sponsoring 3 new members that are initiated within a 12 month period extending from April 1 – March 31, will receive a free pool membership for 1 person or a \$50 Elks gift card. A big thank you to Brian Hall and Eric Carpenter for sponsoring 2 new members each since April. Also, remember that your name goes in a drawing for another \$50 gift card for every member you sponsor. Keep up the good work and bring those new members in!

Anyone having ideas relating to membership retention and growth are encouraged to send suggestions to hpelks1155@triad.rr.com. Please include the word Membership in the subject or body to make sure it's routed properly.

### 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 July: \$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.

# July 4<sup>th</sup> Cookout (10am – 6pm)

Come early to pick your spot & bring lawn chairs to guarantee a seat as chairs go FAAAASSSSTTT!!!

Coolers are welcome

Please no glass or alcoholic beverages are allowed to be brought in to the Lodge/Pool

Games throughout the day including the Hat Parade, Big Splash, Slime the Guards, Parent/Child Relay, Snow Cones, Music...

Burgers, Hot Dogs & Draft Beer \$1

Don't forget to pick up a \$5 raffle ticket for a chance to win a table, umbrella, 4 chairs and lunch on the July 4<sup>th</sup>

## **Pool Hours**

Monday thru Thursday Friday Saturday & Sunday 11:00 AM to 9:00 PM 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM 10:00 AM to 9:00 PM

The pool will close at 4pm on Monday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> for our last home Swim Meet





# DJ & drink specials Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup> (8pm – until)

Come join your fellow Elks for a great night of music and fun!



## Family Karaoke Saturday, July 28th

In the Lounge 7pm - 10pm

Let's see what the kids can do!





# Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup> (2pm – 5pm) Vern, Tuck & Stormin' Norman

"Unplugged" by the pool

Brought to you FREE OF CHARGE by the House Committee & Friends

# Saturday, July 21<sup>st</sup> (7pm – 10pm) Jimmy Shirley Band

Featuring Southern Rock & Country in the Lounge

> No cover charge This is an adult only event

### High Point Pony League Annual Fundraiser - Thank You!

On May 12<sup>th</sup>, the High Point Elks Lodge again assisted our cities youth by helping to sponsor The High Point Pony League's Annual Fundraiser Cookout. Our Elk volunteers worked from 8:30 am until 3:00 pm. This year we cooked and served hot dogs and hamburgers to over 1000 people. Under Ron Lassiter's leadership this year's event was another rousing success. Thank you to the following volunteers:

Ron Lassiter	Floyd Evans
Mark Vernon	John Pascavage
Fran Hoover	Brad Mabe
Bob Gold	Mike Cockerham
Gary "Snake" Lee	Terry Herndon
Stewart McGlaughlin	Ron Hinkle

Robbie "2" Creech Chris Horne Jerry McEntire Tom Adams Mark Furr Tommy Frazier Shane Wright Tim Wright Scott Moore Steve McAllister Steve Martin Doug Orcutt

Special thanks to Kris Lassiter and Ron Lassiter for logistical support. Thanks also to our youth volunteers and future Elks:

Kris Lassiter Colton Evans Drew Adams

This year we also had our Drug Awareness Trailer at the event. Special thanks to the Ladies Auxiliary and many of our Antlers for working the trailer. If we missed anyone we apologize.

And finally a big shout-out to Elroy Elk who showed up and was a great hit especially with kids (of all ages). Elroy was well mannered and a very friendly addition. (Thanks Tommy Frazier). Great job!

### Southwest High School Senior Cookout – Thank You!

On May 25<sup>th</sup>, the High Point Elks Lodge again assisted our cities youth by sponsoring the Southwest High School Senior Cookout. Our Elk volunteers worked from 8:30am until 2pm. This year we cooked and served hot dogs and hamburgers to over 300 Southwest seniors, teachers and volunteers. Thank you to the following volunteers:

Jerry McEntire Robin Webster Stewart McGlaughlin Mike Cockerham Russ Pallaci Tommy Frazier Mike Slack Steve Martin

# **Swim Team Information**



City Meet at the new Greensboro Aquatic Center (July 5<sup>th</sup> - July 7<sup>th</sup>)

**Important Dates** 

Monday, July 9th – Wet 'n Wild Emerald Pointe Tuesday, July 10th – Swim Team Banquet

## **Remaining 2012 Swim Meet Schedule**

Home – Monday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> (Green Valley)

### **Swim Team Sponsors**

The HP Elks Swim Team would like to thank the following businesses for supporting our swimmers and coaches this year. Their investment in our youth helps the team become the best it can be year after year. Please consider these fine companies as you shop for personal, family and business needs in the future:

Sheetz, Trent Capital Management, Putt-Putt Fun Center, JP Looney's, Lubranos (Eastchester), Home Selling Solutions by Tracy Turner, Jersey Mike's (N and S Main Street), PiSociety.com, Skate South, Rol-A-Rink, Action Engravers, Tim White, MA, LPC, Clarity Life Development

HP Elks Swim Team – www.hpelks.com/swim

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# June Elk of the Month

This month's Elk of the Month is David Horne. David was instrumental in fixing the volleyball court lights on opening night. Our opening night may have been a bust without his efforts to light up the night. Congratulations David on being this month's Elk of the Month!

## Ladies Auxiliary President's Letter

Well I hope everyone is enjoying the pool so far. Please check out the Elks website to see all the events that will be happing during the summer.

We will be having our annual Ladies summer scavenger hunt on Thursday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm. So mark your calendars. Remember to fill your pool bags and purses with all kinds of goodies. You will never know what you have to look for.

Also, you still have time to buy your tickets for our "Night in Key West". Tickets are available at the bar. This will happen on Saturday August 11<sup>th</sup>. This is always such a fun night for everyone. So come out and join us.

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

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