



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

Officers

Exalted Ruler - Andy Albertson
Leading Knight - Steve Martin
Loyal Knight - Gary Hutchins
Lecturing Knight - Steven Hall
Secretary - Shari Driscoll
Treasurer - Terry Herndon
Esquire - Ellen Pickett
Tiler - Ronnie Payne
Inner Guard - John McGaha
Chaplain - Tommy Frazier

House Committee

Adam Pallaci
Ben Adams
Brian Lehman
Jason Owen
Jerry McEntire
John Pascavage (Co-chair)
Mike Cockerham (Co-chair)
Mike Slack
Stewart McGlaughlin
Tommy Frazier

Ladies Auxiliary

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

Trustees

Doug Orcutt, 1 year
Stewart McGlaughlin, 2 years
Mike Tennis, 3 years
Scott Webster, 4 years
Bob Gold, 5 years

Some of the upcoming events at our Lodge this month:
NCAA Tournament Games • Bucket & Wings Special
Last Oyster Roast of the Season • Richmond Night Race Tailgate

April Message from our new Exalted Ruler

It is truly an honor and privilege being elected as Exalted Ruler for the 2013 Elk year! In 2012 we had a very challenging year, but with the hard work of our trustees, officers, and our dedicated and hardworking committees, and most importantly our Members, we were able to pull through this difficult time. I want to thank each and every one of you for your dedication to seeing our Lodge succeed! A special thanks to Scott Webster for his leadership this past Elk year.

I am certain with the team we have assembled that 2013 will prove to be a rewarding year for everyone!

We have great group of Officers this year and they are:

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The pool opening is just around the corner and you will be receiving pool information soon. We will be having pool and grounds clean up days soon to prepare and need as many of you to volunteer as possible. This is a great time to meet other Members and to help prepare for the pool season.

Although it is true we are in the best financial position that we have been in for several years, we cannot rest on our laurels! We need continued participation from our current Members as this is what propelled us through a difficult 2012. We all must focus on new membership as well because this is what allows our Lodge to survive and thrive.

I will see you soon at our Lodge!

*Fraternally yours,
Andy Albertson
Exalted Ruler*

Lounge Hours

Labor Day 2012 – Memorial Day 2013

Monday & Tuesday: Closed

Wednesday: 5pm – 12am

Thursday: 5pm – 9pm

Friday: 5pm – 12am

Saturday: 3pm – 12am

Sunday: 12:30pm – 8pm

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, April 3rd & 17th @ 7pm

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

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 the office 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.

Happy Birthday to all our April Elks

Kenneth Marini	1	Ken Garber	19
William Maxwell	1	Cart Howerton	19
Chris Bowers	2	Milton King	19
Steve McAllister	3	Marcus Pegram	19
Jerry Patton	3	Robert Smith	19
Brad Self	3	Sue Martell	19
Bill Shamburg	3	Margaret Heinz	20
Frank Cybulski	3	Corey Wellborn	20
Patricia Hutchinson	4	Monika Haja	21
Jack Green	4	James Martin	21
Christopher Lyon	4	Colen Powell	21
Mike Harris	5	Scott Wilson	21
Mark Baker	6	Chris Maness	22
John Goeke	6	Amy Hicks	23
Steve Lentini	8	Diane Hurley	23
Todd Morris	8	Boni Russell	23
Mark Green	9	Robert Davis	24
Ed Pedersen	9	Robert Dawes	24
Robert Griffin	10	James Hulin	24
Dan Finger	11	Gregory Matthews	24
Patrick Harkin	11	DJ Moore	24
Timothy Miller	11	Dave Carpenter	25
Richard Hardee	12	Salah Judeh	25
Andrew Lyon	12	Jeff Whitlock	25
Scott Yaudes	12	Michael Harvell	26
Jim Bertschi	13	Marc Kun	26
Tatlock Lauten	14	Tony Testa	27
Monty Herndon	14	Thomas Connolly	28
Todd Kester	15	Darrell Owen	28
Mike Stringfellow	15	Brian Braddy	28
David Harrah	16	William Charles	28
Bruce Heater	17	Steve Powell	29
Jeffrey Tickerhoff	17	Stephen Key	30
Richard Yoeman	17	Benjamin Morton	30
Jocelyn Merone	18	John Wells	30

Membership News

Did you know that an Elks Membership in conjunction with a pool membership is very competitive and in some cases less expensive than other community pools. A study was conducted in March of the surrounding area pools and it was determined that our rates are very much in line with others. In addition to our awesome pool, we provide value to our members by remaining open all year long for many special events. When joining the Elks you receive much more than a pool membership and at the same time help support our charitable contributions to the local community.

Incoming new Members are eligible for a \$50 Elks gift card if an application along with a \$100 deposit is received in the office on or before April 10, 2013. To receive the gift card the new Member must be paid in full and initiated by May 23, 2013. Full details can be found at www.hpelks.com.

Anyone having ideas relating to membership retention and growth are encouraged to send suggestions to mr.steve35@gmail.com . Please include the words "Elks Membership" in the subject line.

Steve Martin
Membership Chairman

NCAA Bucket & Wings Special

Friday, April 5th – Sunday, April 7th

6 BEERS + 12 WINGS = \$20

A buck of (domestic) beer & 12 wings for just \$20 – all weekend long. Come enjoy the **NCAA Final Four** action in the Lounge.

Richmond Night Race Tailgate

Friday, April 27th @ 7pm



Bring your own meat(s) Tailgate Party.
The Lodge will furnish grills and charcoal.

Oyster Roast

Saturday, April 13th @ 6:30pm



Featuring Steamed and Fried Oysters,
Jambalaya, hush puppies and slaw.

Chicken & Rice Stew for the non-seafood lovers.

**Because we sold out last time, we will
limit this event to the first 150 tickets.**

\$12 per person
Sorry – no takeout

Congratulations to our 2nd Annual Wings Cook-Off Winners

Traditional - The Pecker Heads
(Crocker, McDonald, McGlaughlin, Owen)

Open - Game of Chickens
(Albertson, Frazier, Martin, Vernon)

Hottest - The Walking Chicken
(Conner, Miller, Orcutt)

March Elk of the Month

This month's Elk of the Month is [Beth Hawks](#). Beth ran another successful draw down raffle. This is our most important fund raising effort during our Lodge year. We were once again able to sell out our tickets and strengthen our Lodge finances. Congratulations Beth on being this month's Elk of the Month!

Ladies Auxiliary President's Letter

This past year has really gone by fast. I want to thank Shelly, Vanessa, Carol, Tina, Laura, Grace and Beth for serving as officers. They did a great job. I also want to thank all the other ladies for their help as well.

I would like to inform everyone that The Ladies Auxiliary has decided to table nominating officers for 2013-2014 until September. We are taking nominations through the summer. So if you are interested please contact me at thfranklin@triad.rr.com.

I would like to give a BIG THANKS to Grace for helping with the Easter Egg Hunt. Also thanks goes to our bunny Drew and all the Antlers and Southwest kids that helped with the hunt. The turnout was great as always.

I would like to thank everyone that helped with the Family Bingo. Please watch the Elks calendar for a summer bingo under the shelter. I also want to congratulate Grace Albertson on her delicious potato soup. She was the winner of the Crockpot Wars.

Theresa Franklin
President, Ladies Auxiliary

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