

Membership Newsletter for the

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

Officers

Exalted Ruler - Steve Martin
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Lecturing Knight - Ellen Pickett
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Adam Pallaci
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Jason Owen
Jerry McEntire (Co-Chair)
Mark Day
Mark Vernon
Mike Cockerham
Mike Stepp
Nick Tribble
Robert Daniels
Stewart McGlaughlin

Trustees

Stewart McGlaughlin, 1 year Mike Tennis, 2 years Scott Webster, 3 years - Chair Bob Gold, 4 years Russ Pallaci - 5 years

Message from our Exalted Ruler

The pool season has come to a close and I would like to send out a very sincere thank you to the Pool Committee. Our success as a Lodge depends on the hard work and dedication of our members and the pool committee continues to be a great example of what it takes to excel each and every year. Each member of the pool committee expended countless hours prepping and making sure things ran smoothly. A special thank you goes out to **Tom Day** for heading up this team.

Now that the pool is closed, we continue to move forward with other charitable functions. On Saturday September 20th we had a very successful event, the First Annual First Responders Appreciation Day. Not only did we honor our first responders by providing a free meal, we also raised funds to be donated to the Red Cross. A big thank you goes out to **Mike Cockerham** for submitting this idea and organizing the event. If you were unable to attend you missed displays and demonstrations by local police, medical workers, the National Guard and the fire department. The airbag deployment and Jaws of Life demonstration were very educational and a lot of fun as well.

A quick reminder that the Fall Elks Convention will be held in High Point, October 24 – 26. We will host an event in conjunction with the convention at our Lodge on Friday October 24, which will include the band Soul Central and dinner. Please come out and support your Lodge at this event.

I hope to see you at the Lodge soon!

Fraternally,
Steve Martin
Exalted Ruler

Member Birthdays

Glenn Chorpening 1
Joe Ellenburg 1
Daniel Shea 1
Robert Smith 1
Peyton Whisnant 1
Carlton Davenport 2
Tod Hancock 3
James Pettie 3
Alex Rankin 4
Zachary Jordan 5
Mary Capra 6

Ann English 6
Gregory Robertson 6
Matthew Downs 7
David Payne 7
Blake Woodruff 7
Kenneth Bishop 8
William Stoddard 8
Ellen Pickett 9

Ralph Willett 10 Kelley Zittinger 10 Michael Cockerham 12 James Cox 12

Norman Allred 13 Paul Burmeister 13 Eric Walton 14 Craig Darby 15 Charles Lankford 15

William Burns 16 Neil Martone 16 Susan Vickers 16 Bob Danser 17 Todd Hilliard 17 Brad Michelsen 17 Thomas Pupo 18 Kevin Bridge 21

Woody Schriever 21 Bennett Shapiro 22 Peter Abernethy 23 Jeffrey Batts 23 Cornell Brown 23

Christie Cunningham 23
Patrick Murphy 23
Derek Spencer 23
Joseph Hubay 24
Karen Williams 24
Linda Ware 25

Bennett Adams 26

Lee Cecil 26
Joe Foley 27
Brandon York 27
John Johnson 28
Ronald Payne 28
Jeffrey Smith 28
Phil Driscoll 30

Gerald Harrington 30

Gary Mitchell 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. Competitive room rates to fit your needs! Catering by the award winning **Above and Beyond Catering.** Please contact the Lodge office for availability.

Lounge Hours (Labor Day - Memorial Day)

Monday & Tuesday: Closed Wednesday: 5pm – 12am

Thursday: 5pm – 9pm Friday: 5pm – 12am Saturday: 3pm – 12am Sunday: 12:30pm – 8pm

Fall Wing Fest Saturday, October 4th

Come out and enjoy some creative wing flavors from around our Lodge. Just \$5 to taste all the flavors from all the teams.

RULES FOR ENTRIES

- \$25 per category (buys you 10 lbs. of wings)
- 4 person max per team
- The Lodge will supply the wings & table
- All sauces welcome
- Deep fried or grilled

CATEGORIES

- Traditional buffalo
- Open
- Hottest (also judged on taste)

Category winners will receive an Elks gift card

Signup sheet in the Lounge Entry fees due by Friday, September 26th

Contact Adam Pallaci (ajpallac@gmail.com) with any questions

Fall State Convention Friday, October 24th

Featuring the Soul Central Band



This is part of our annual NC Elks Fall State Convention which we're hosting this year. Tickets are \$15 or \$10 for those attending the Convention. Price includes BBQ Chicken dinner. We are also looking for volunteers to help out with registration at the hotel, set up for the band and work in the hospitality suite. Please call the office if you can help with any of these things. We encourage everyone to attend. It's a great time and you get the chance to meet Elks from the entire State.

Dinner starts @ 6:30. Soul Central starts @ 8pm

12th Annual Chili Cook-Off Saturday, November 1st

At least one team member must be an Elks Lodge Member in good standing. The registration fee for each team is \$25 per category OR for \$75 you can do 3 (or more) categories.



Each team may have up to 6 members. A completed entry form and the registration fee must be turned in to the House Committee or Lodge Office no later than **Friday, October 24th**.

See **www.hpelks.com** for more information and an entry form

Upcoming Events

Member's Night - Wednesday, October 1st Family Dining - Thursday, October 2nd Fall Wing Fest - Saturday, October 4th Lodge Meeting – Wednesday, October 8th Family Dining – Thursday, October 9th Band Night with Leather & Lace - Saturday, October 11th Board of Directors Meeting - Monday, October 13th @ 6pm House Committee Meeting - Monday, October 13th @ 7pm Member's Night - Wednesday, October 15th Family Dining – Thursday, October 15th Fall Furniture Market - Saturday, October 18th Lodge Meeting - Wednesday, October 22nd Family Dining - Thursday, October 23rd Fall State Convention – Friday, October 24th Soul Central Band – Friday, October 24th State Convention - Saturday, October 25th Member's Night - Wednesday, October 29th Family Dining - Thursday, October 30th

Please visit <u>www.hpelks.com</u> for the latest information and event details

Message from our Ladies Auxiliary President

Happy Fall Y'all!!!!!

I think this is one of the best times of the year partially because of all of the holidays and Sunday Football but, also because it's the start to sweatshirt and jeans kinda weather!

We had a wonderful and fabulous time at our 2nd Annual Ladies Auxiliary end of summer 80's Party! The costumes were extremely creative and funny. I want to thank all those Ladies that were apart of making this event so successful! We have already started to throw around ideas for next year's party. If you have any suggestion or ideas we are all open to them!

Our Lodge just had a 1st Responders event that was a success as well, and I would like to thank those ladies again who were able to help with this event as well. We will be having our next meeting on Tuesday, September 30th downstairs in the lounge. Everyone is welcome to attend. We will be discussing some upcoming events like, Wing Festival, Fall Convention, Chill Cook Off, New Year's Eve, and the possibility of a family camp out/movie night.

Sincerely,
Laura Pallaci
President, Ladies Auxiliary

Elk of the Month

September's Elk of the Month is Mark Day. Mark is a member of the House Committee and spends a considerable amount of time helping out with various activities throughout the lodge. Most recently he helped out with the First Responders Appreciation Day including, helping with pre-cleanup, setup, serving, and post-cleanup. When you see Mark at the lodge, please let him know how much his efforts are appreciated.