



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

Officers

Exalted Ruler - Steve Martin
Leading Knight - Gary Hutchins
Loyal Knight - Steven Hall
Lecturing Knight - Ellen Pickett
Secretary - Shari Driscoll
Treasurer - Vanessa Slack
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Tiler - Ronnie Payne
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President - Laura Pallaci
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House Committee

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

Greetings fellow Elks! The weather is cooling down, and we have plenty of events to keep everyone engaged this Fall. Thanks to everyone that participated in the annual Wing Fest. There was a good turnout and there were lots of good wing recipes to try out. This has quickly become a signature event at the Lodge.

Coming up this weekend is the NC State Convention hosted by our Lodge. We hope you will come out and participate. Even if you are unable to attend the convention itself, you can still support the Lodge by coming out to dinner and band night with Soul Central on Friday evening. In addition to good food and music, you'll have a chance to meet or reconnect with other Elks around the state.

Coming up on November 1st is our annual Chili Cook-off. This is always a fun event and we hope everyone will come out to taste and vote for their favorite recipe. Also, you never know who will show up. In the past we've had appearances from Wayne Newton, Cher and Rodney Dangerfield among others. You need to see it for yourself!

Some of you may have noticed that the lounge has had that "under construction" look over the past couple of weeks. Volunteers are actively working to complete painting within the lounge prior to the start of convention. Be sure to stop in and check out how great it looks at your first opportunity.

There are so many things going on at any given time. I want to sincerely thank each and every person for all their hard work. Together we are making the Lodge better and more importantly, the lives of others whom our charitable actions benefit.

I hope to see you at the Lodge soon!

Fraternally,
Steve Martin
Exalted Ruler

Member Birthdays

James Anderson 1	Michaux Crocker 12	Bryan Guffey 24
Steve Martin 1	Michael Armstrong 13	Brian Wear 24
Michele Lakis 2	Matt Schwenke 14	Beth Watts 25
Donald Howard 3	Carlo DiFrancesco 17	Melissa Elrod 26
Delmer Jones 3	Harold Hyde 17	Kira McDaniel 26
Scott Oakley 3	Mark Day 18	Todd Needles 26
Greg Cunningham 4	Matt Pumo 18	Renee Whitley 27
John Ledbetter 4	Bradley Burton 19	Jeff Woehr 27
Harry Tanner 5	Samuel Boyd 20	Joe Yochim 27
Ed Adams 7	Craig Repko 20	Mark Draughn 28
Mark Furr 7	John Stepp 20	Steve Tyree 28
Nicholas Tribble 7	Victor Vaughan 20	Gregory Conner 29
James Murphy 8	Thomas Adams 21	Robert Henson 29
Wendell Kelly 10	Robert Creech 21	Christopher Byrd 30
Fred Johnson 11	Robert Dalton 23	Richard Polson 30
Glenna Barber 12	Matt Hodgins 23	

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

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



MOST VALUABLE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

For high school seniors who are U.S. citizens

The **Elks National Foundation** will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants in the 2015 competition.

- Any high school senior who is a citizen of the United States is eligible to apply.
- Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks.
- College students are not eligible to apply.
- Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are signed; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.
- Male and female students compete separately.

It's that time of year again... time for all high school seniors to look into applying for the Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Scholar (MVS) Scholarships!

Scholarships range from \$1,000 - \$60,000 based on academic performance, community service and financial need.

The High Point Elks Lodge had two \$1,000 recipients last year!

Scholarship applications are due in to the Lodge office by Friday, December 5th

Applications are available @ www.elks.org/enf/scholars

Upcoming Events

12th Annual Chili Cook-off – Saturday, November 1st

Member's Night – Wednesday, November 5th

The Jimmy Leggs Band – Saturday, November 8th

Board of Directors Meeting – Monday, November 10th @ 6pm

House Committee Meeting – Monday, November 10th @ 7pm

Lodge Meeting – Wednesday, November 12th

TBA – Saturday, November 15th

Member's Night – Wednesday, November 19th

TBA – Saturday, November 22nd

Lodge Meeting – Wednesday, November 26th

Happy Thanksgiving (Closed) – Thursday, November 27th

TBA – Saturday, November 29th

Please visit www.hpelks.com for the latest information and event details

Elk of the Month

October's Elk of the Month is [Phil Driscoll](#). Phil volunteers his time by helping out with many behind the scenes support tasks. In addition he is an active member of the Audit Committee and most recently was instrumental in the successful completion of the annual Grand Lodge audit. When you see Phil at the Lodge, please thank him for his time and service to our organization.