

Farmington **Elks** Track

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From the Exalted Ruler

Members all:

Welcome 2023! And another opportunity to walk through life with a little more caring, compassion, maturity and beauty. And fun! Speaking of:

Jan 7 – White Elephant Gift Exchange: This is a pot luck; no reservation required. Bring a dish to share and a gift for the exchange. The Miltons always make this a fun evening.

Jan 28 - Musical Bingo Fundraiser and Dinner for the Rosie the Riveter Association: Reservations required for dinner and event. This is not Bingo as in a game of chance — it's a skill game based on knowing the names of songs. And it's a lot of fun.

Feb 25 – the annual Kevin Goshorn Memorial Reverse Raffle benefiting ENF: Sell those tickets! Reservations required for the event and dinner prepared by Chef Marty Chinn.

What ideas do you have for activities at our lodge? Please join us on January 10 for the calendar planning meeting.

Each new year gifts us with a brand new book containing 365 blank pages. In keeping with the cardinal principles of our order, I pray that we all have opportunity to fill those pages with some of the forgotten things from last year — the kind words we forgot to say, the brotherly love we forgot to show, and the charity we forgot to offer. And may we find ourselves constantly presented with opportunities to demonstrate fidelity to our Obligation.

> Warmest regards, Cris Doby

White Elephant Gift Exchange & Ugly Christmas Sweater Party

Saturday January 7th 6:00 PM Potluck 7:00 PM Gift Exchange starts

Bring a new/unused wrapped gift.

Buy something on clearance or a gag gift. If purchasing something instead of re-gifting, stay in the \$10 range.

This is a fun night with lots of laughs.

<u>New this year: Ugly Christmas Sweaters encouraged!</u> <u>Prize for best one</u>

Any questions? Call Jenn Milton 248-767-2859

Kevin Goshorn Memorial Reverse Raffle for ENF

Tickets are now available for our annual Reverse Raffle benefiting the Elks National Foundation. These tickets can be purchased in the Lodge office or from any bartender. The date & time of the drawing will be Saturday, February 25, 2023 starting at 6:00pm. The cost of each ticket is \$20.00 and is limited to only 200 tickets sold. How it works:

1st & every 25th ticket drawn wins \$50.00

3rd from last ticket drawn wins \$100.00

2nd from last ticket drawn wins \$250.00

Last ticket drawn wins \$1,000.00

Thank you for your support in advance, and remember, winners need not be present to win.

Breakfast is Back!

1st and 3rd Saturday Breakfasts are back (9:30 AM - Noon) through March, but volunteers are needed to cover all positions, from cooking to serving and everything in between. If you can help out, sign up in the activities book at the bar.

Musical Bingo Fundraiser & Dinner

To Benefit the Rosie the Riveter Association Saturday, January 28 - Reservations Required Watch the Lodge for details

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Lodge Meetings

September - June — 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month July & August — 3rd Wednesday of the month Meetings start at 7:30pm

Lounge Hours

4:00 PM - 10:00 PM, (open earlier for events - see calendar)

Office Manager – Jennifer Chinn, PER Phone: (248) 476-1986 Elks1986@yahoo.com Office Hours 10:00 – 4:00, Monday – Friday

Lodge Secretary – Tom Killiany, PDDGER Elks1986@gmail.com Office Hours 6:00 - 8:00 PM Monday & Wednesday or by appointment

Internet Sites

Website: http://elks1986.weebly.com Calendar: http://tinyurl.com/99urhlo Facebook: Look for Farmington Elks #1986

2021-2022 Lodge Award Winners

Elk of the Year: Marty Chinn Officer of the Year: Tom Killiany PDDGER Distinguished Citizenship Award: Walt Gajewski

Track Patrons

PER Bob & Carrol Beauchamp Daniel Campbell Diana Campbell Ed & Ann Campbell Marty & PER Jen Chinn Rod & Maggie Chubb James Collins Jack Dahlstrom, PER Eldon & Carolyn Dillon ER Cris Doby Phvllis Evans Tony & Marianne Ferrante Doug & Shirley Gembis Dr. Edward & Shirley Hirsch Jane Hopper Gretta Horton Alan Huet

PDDGER Tom Killiany Bob & May Koenig Christie Korczyk Ted & Betty Kulisz Jim Lademan PER Rick & Gerry Lefevre PER Steve Magyari Bob Michela **Rick & Jenn Milton Richard Neff** Marjorie Perkins Bette Smith James & Pat Sockow Sandra Thomas Brent & Kathy Thorne Stanley Wilkins Earl Wolfe, PDVP

Patron listings are only \$20 per year. Business card ads are \$120 a year, prorated after April. Contact the office or editor for more infomation.

Elks Care - Elks Share

2022 – 2023 Officers

Exalted Ruler	Cris Doby, PER	
Leading Knight Cl	nristie Korczyk	
Loyal Knight	Dr. Ed Hirsch	
Lecturing Knight	Theresa Miller	
Secretary	. Tom Killiany, PDDGER.	248-974-5663
Treasurer	Donald McGee	734-560-7164
Esquire	Open	
Inner Guard	Marci Woodard	248-821-9208
Tiler	Dr. Betty Jean Hebel	
Chaplain	David Kelly	734-846-0036
PER President	Jim Madigan, PER	

Board of Directors

I Year Trustee	Eldon Dillon	248-956-8967
2 Year Trustee	Tracy McKibben	
3 Year Trustee	Steve Luce, PER	
4 Year Trustee	Ashley Issa	
5 Year Trustee	Mandi Wiggins	703-863-6580
(Board of Directo	ors also includes Exalted Rule	er, Leading Knight,
Loyal Knight, Le	cturing Knight, Secretary and	d Treasurer)

2022 – 2023 Building Corporation

Dr. Betty Jean Hebel - President, Treasurer Tom Bozek - Vice President, Jim Sockow - Secretary At-Large-Members: Chris Zamborowski, Steve Luce PER, Dr. Ed Hirsch, Christie Korczyk

Elks Track

Newsletter Article Deadline – See Calendar, Back Page Editor – Phyllis Evans (313) 286-6343 tracks1986@gmail.com Get your newsletter electronically — Send your request to tracks1986@gmail.com

In Memory Of

Robert Bacon John Beach, PER Carolyn J Beauchamp Wilma & William Bliss, PDDGER Richard "Rick" Brenz Betty Dahlstrom David Duquette Richard Evans, PER Kevin Goshorn, PER Nan Goshorn Gary Gundle Paul & Wanita Horton Gerre & Doug Kanack Pamela Killiany Leo Lefevre Laura Magyari Bradley Marx Robert W McArthur Lorrey Michela Steve Opperman Rich Parent Don Perkins Carl Seyler John Shalhoub, PER Robert Smith, PER Don Warthman Kay Wilkins Mary Jane Bauer Wolfe Our Fallen Brothers & Sisters

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January 2023 Calendar of Events

January

- PER Mtg 7 PM, Lodge Mtg 7:30 PM 4
- 5 Euchre 6:30 PM
- 7 Breakfast 9:30 AM-Noon
- White Elephant Pot Luck 6 PM 8 Metro Dist Mtg @ Macomb Lodge 2 PM
- Calendar planning meeting 6:30 10
- 11 Team Trivia 7 PM
- 14 Metro Dist Hoop Shoot 9 AM
- House Comm 6:30 PM, Bd of Dir 7:30 PM 16
- Bldg Corp 6:30 PM, Lodge Mtg 7:30 PM 18
- 19 Euchre 6:30 PM
- 21 Breakfast 9:30 AM-Noon
- 25 Team Trivia

February

- Breakfast 9 AM-Noon 4
- 11 Valentine party
- Super Bowl LVII Pot Luck & Basket Raffle 12
- 18 Breakfast 9 AM-Noon
- 25 **ENF Reverse Raffle**

March

- Breakfast 9:30 AM-Noon 4
- 9 Ball Tournament
- 11 **Glow Ball Tournament**
- Breakfast 9:30 AM-Noon 18

January Birthdays

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2	Kenneth Edwards	19	Davi
	Joseph Harris	22	Rick
3	Rebecca Kashat		Haro
4	Ken Glinski	24	Mart
6	Carl Swanderski	-	Jerry
10	Tom Killiany, PDDGER		Scoti
11	Arthur Biggers	30 .	Josh
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17	Susan Duquette		

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Super Bowl LVII Party & Pot Luck

February 12, 2023 @ 6:00pm

We are hosting another Super Bowl party this year in hopes of raising money for the W.A.G foundation. This foundation takes unwanted animals that have been given up or abandonded and provides them with up to date vet shots, food and a warm place to stay temporarily while they find a suitable forever home for the animals.

Once again, we are having a raffle on baskets, that we promise will not disappoint, thanks to all of the Elks who are donating baskets full of treats and beautiful gifts. There will also be a 50/50 raffle.

If you would like to donate a basket for the event, please reach out to Terri Harriman, Tracy McKibben or Christie Korczyk.

Pass Pinochle News

Happy New Year 2023! Where does the time go? We are sad to say goodbye to almost 20 years of pinochle at our Elks.



Thank you to Marg and Don Perkins who started this in Jan. 2003. It grew from a few tables to 7 tables at times. It was a lot of fun and good snacks. When Don passed away, Marg asked Jim and Pat to host, which we gladly accepted, with Bob & May Koenig as our co-hosts.

Over the years, we lost a lot of our Elks players so we asked others to come play. Thank you Livonia players for supporting us. Thank you Eldon & Carolyn for co-hosting with us in the last few years. All things come to pass so please support the Euchre now, as most people like to play that. It's a little faster, but just as challenging.

December winners:

1st	Orie Milazzo	601
2nd	Ted Kulisz	573
Good sport	Debbie Franzek	329

Anyone wanting to continue playing pinochle, the VFW in Plymouth plays every Friday at 2:00 in the afternoon. Also, St. Gerald's in Farmington plays on Thursday at 12:00.

Thank you again to all our supporters & our volunteer bartenders. See you all soon at the Lodge.

Jim, Pat, Eldon & Carolyn

Donations to MMP

Marcie Woodard Christie Korczyk Dave Kelly





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Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks 30898 Ten Mile Road Farmington Hills, Michigan 48336

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Jan 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Lions VS Bears Happy New Year!	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM 7 PM PER Mtg 7:30 PM Lodge Mtg	Sliders - \$2.50 Euchre 6:30 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Breakfast9:30AM-Noon White Elephant Party
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2022 Giving Tree

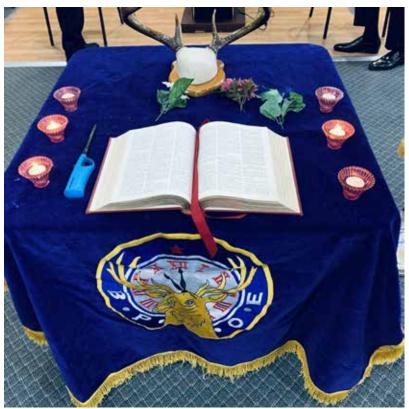


Memorial Sunday — December 4, 2022



To Our Absent Members

Gary Gundle Kevin R. Goshorn, PER Henry Moore Jr. Edward Russell Waldecker Steven Milligan John E. "Jack" Dahlstrom, PER



Pearl Harbor Remembrance at Groves-Walker American Legion December 7, 2022

