



Farmington Elks Track

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From the Exalted Ruler

Members all:

Thank you to the members of our Lodge who have stepped up to run for office! We are fortunate to have excellent leadership going into our new fraternal year.

And thanks also to our members and friends who participated in two recent fundraisers. Our Lodge raised about \$3,000 for the Rosie the Riveter Association and another \$1,635 for WAGS Foundation. What great examples of Elks Care / Elks Share.

For the period of February 16 (Elks Founding Day) through March 17, our Lodge is supporting Farmington CARES with a Buy Two/Give One campaign. We have been asked to help provide toilet paper, facial tissue, and paper towels for our neighbors, which you'll see on flyers around the Lodge. We have been asked to add dry cereal to that list. Next time you're at the store, please consider buying one of these four items to donate to our neighbors in need.

Coming up this month: Chef Christie Korczyk and her amazing team are putting on a St. Patrick's Day dinner. You already know it will be good! Please sign up at the bar so we have an accurate count.

And be sure to put April 15 on your calendar when we will install our new officers.

Thank you for all you do,

Cris Doby
Exalted Ruler

Important update on bar and kitchen operations:

Our volunteer bartenders and cooks give of their time to keep our clubroom open and to care for our equipment and space. But not everything can – or even should – be left to volunteers. Some tasks are too time-consuming to squeeze into a regular volunteer shift and some tasks need to be done with the bar and kitchen closed. The House Committee has developed a task list and is seeking members interested in taking on one or more of these tasks on a regular basis at a pay rate of \$20 per hour. The task list is posted on both bulletin boards, and interested members are asked to call Cris Doby or Christie Korczyk for more information or to sign up.

Save the Date - Friday, March 17th

St. Patrick's Day Dinner

Starting at 5:30 pm



Once again, we will be having Corned Beef and cabbage dinners as well as Corned beef sandwiches. Please sign up at the bar!! Deadline March 13.

\$17.00 Corned Beef Dinner - \$12.00 Corned Beef Sandwich

PER Pinboard Raffle

Tickets \$1 Each — 2 Winners will be drawn at the St. Patrick's Day Dinner at around 8 PM



From the Desk of the Secretary



Reminder that dues for the 2023-24 Lodge year are due and are as follows:

Regular Member: \$115.00 for the year or \$75.00 for the 1st six months.

Life Member: \$60.00 for the year or \$47.50 for the 1st six months.

Please plan on paying before April 1st so we won't have to refuse you entry to the club. While you can make your payment in person, you won't be able to prove that you did until it is processed by the Secretary's Office and you receive your new card.

Thomas Killiany, PDDGER
Lodge Secretary
Farmington Elks #1986

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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
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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

2022 – 2023 Officers

Exalted Ruler Cris Doby, PER 989-714-7730
Leading Knight Christie Korczyk 248-231-8516
Loyal Knight Dr. Ed Hirsch 248-477-4606
Lecturing Knight Theresa Miller 763-227-5102
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 248-882-2885
Chaplain David Kelly 734-846-0036
PER President Jim Madigan, PER 248-345-5890

Board of Directors

1 Year Trustee Eldon Dillon 248-956-8967
2 Year Trustee Tracy McKibben
3 Year Trustee Steve Luce, PER 248-921-3261
4 Year Trustee Ashley Issa 734-709-8032
5 Year Trustee Mandi Wiggins 703-863-6580
(Board of Directors also includes Exalted Ruler, Leading Knight,
Loyal Knight, Lecturing Knight, Secretary and 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
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Track Patrons

PER Bob & Carrol Beauchamp	PDDGER Tom Killiany
Daniel Campbell	Bob & May Koenig
Diana Campbell	Christie Korczyk
Ed & Ann Campbell	Ted & Betty Kulisz
Marty & PER Jen Chinn	Jim Lademan
Rod & Maggie Chubb	PER Rick & Gerry Lefevre
James Collins	PER Steve Magyari
Jack Dahlstrom, PER	Bob Michela
Eldon & Carolyn Dillon	Rick & Jenn Milton
ER Cris Doby	Richard Neff
Phyllis Evans	Marjorie Perkins
Tony & Marianne Ferrante	Bette Smith
Doug & Shirley Gembis	James & Pat Sockow
Dr. Edward & Shirley Hirsch	Sandra Thomas
Jane Hopper	Brent & Kathy Thorne
Gretta Horton	Stanley Wilkins
Alan Huet	Earl Wolfe, PDVP

In Memory Of

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

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

Elks Care - Elks Share

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March, 2023

March Birthdays

3	Donald R Vainer	17	Casi Croll
5	Earl P Corbacs	18	Joan Turnbull
	Henry Pawlowski	19	Douglas Gembis
6	Stephen K Helwig	20	Chris Zamborowski
11	Wilfried H Mueller	23	Michael Kandah
12	Andrea I Hall	25	Joseph E Cislo
	Elizabeth C Smith		James M Collins
14	Laura Gavin	26	James H Brodel
	Bob Michela	27	William A Ellis
15	Tim Chaput	31	Patricia Grigsby
16	Jeffrey Chapin		

2023-2024 Election Results

Exalted Ruler	Christie Korczyk
Leading Knight	Dr. Ed Hirsch
Loyal Knight	Ashley Issa
Lecturing Knight	Theresa Miller
Secretary	Tom Killiany, PDDGER
Treasurer	Donald McGee

Thank You Corner

A big thank you to Heeney Sundquist for their continued support in donating the ENF reverse raffle tickets

Donations

MMP

Christie Korczyk
Ted Kulisz
Bar
Dr Ed
Jim & Pat Sockow
Durst-2 banks

Orange can

Jim & Pat Sockow

— Reminder —

20th Annual 9-Ball Tournament & Crock-Pot-luck

Saturday, April 1st, 2023 (game start @ 1pm)

HOWYA DOIN', ALL! Ready for some 9-Ball FUN again? Well, you're in luck...

Once again, I'm pleased to invite **everyone**, members & non-members alike, to join us for an afternoon of some friendly competition, good food & great fellowship. If you're not sure you can make it, **Phone A Friend** & get them in here! As usual, we will have a crock-pot-luck & I will give a drink chip to anyone who brings a crockpot or dish to share (while chip-supplies last). We will still be providing some cold-cuts or party subs, but I would encourage anyone to feel free to bring any desserts or side dishes. **(Did I mention chips-for-dishes?)**

Last year's event brought in a rather light (but tight!) group of 14 competitors. Can you help me get that number back into the 20's? The more, the merrier, and don't forget that this helps keep things going when drinks are a-flowin' at **Your Lodge!**

Please look for the signup sheet which will be posted by the pool table. Thank you!

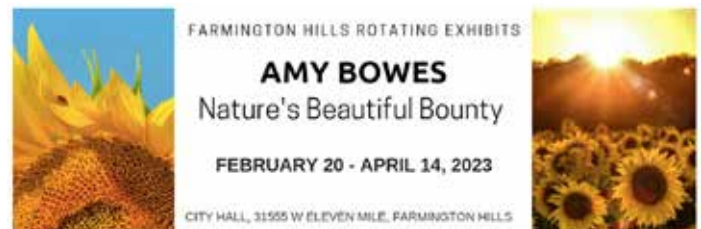
Fraternally Yours,

Rick Bowes & Your 9-Ball Committee

Did You Know?

Amy Bowes, wife of Rick, is the current featured artist at the Farmington Hills City Hall (31555 W. Eleven Mile).

The current exhibit titled "Nature's Beautiful Bounty" shows a number of Amy's marvelous photographs and it runs through April 14th.



Calendar of Events

March

- 4 Breakfast 9 AM-Noon
- 17 St. Patrick's Dinner \$17
- 18 Breakfast 9 AM-Noon

April

- 1 9 Ball Tournament
- 15 Installation of Officers
- 29 Pool League Playoff



Tuesday and Friday
Order dinner in.

Thursday Sliders! \$2.50 each







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30898 Ten Mile Road
Farmington Hills, Michigan 48336

March, 2023

Look for calendar updates on the web at: <http://tinyurl.com/99urhlo>

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Feb 26	27	28	Mar 1	2	3	4
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM 7 PM PER Mtg 7:30 PM Lodge Mtg 9 PM GLSB Mtg	\$2.50 Sliders Euchre 7 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Breakfast 9 AM - 12 PM
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM Team Trivia 7 PM 	\$2.50 Sliders	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Open 4 PM DST - Spring Ahead!	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM 6:15 PM Bldg Corp 7:30 PM Lodge Mtg	\$2.50 Sliders Euchre 7 PM	St. Pat's Dinner	Breakfast 9 AM - 12 PM
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Open 4 PM Newsletter Deadline	Open 4 PM 6:30 PM House Comm 7:30 PM Bd of Dir Mtg	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM Team Trivia 7 PM 	\$2.50 Sliders	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
26	27	28	29	30	31	Apr 1
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2023 Super Bowl Party and Raffle to Benefit W.A.G.S.

Your generosity helped raise \$1,635 for our friends.





Rosie the Riveter Fund Raiser, January 29, 2023





