



# Farmington Elks Track

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## From the ER:

### Members all:

April was quite a month around our Lodge! We gained another new member – welcome, Angie Mueller – and installed our officers for the 22-23 year. We developed and passed our new budget and we had several special events – trivia, euchre, the pool league championship, 9 ball tournament, movie night, and a special meeting to set up our calendar of events for the coming year.

At the installation, it was my honor to present the following awards:

Elk of the Year:	Marty Chinn
Officer of the Year:	Tom Killiany
Citizen of the Year:	Walt Gajewski

An anonymous donor has graced us with some new outdoor lighting – thank you! The Building Corporation has contracted with a roofer as well as another company to repair the potholes in the parking lot.

And that non-working freezer is finally out of the upstairs storage – thank you, Rick Milton and Chris Zamborowski!

Our Lodge very much needs some additional volunteers in important leadership roles – see the related article on the Auditing and Accounting Committee.

Enjoy the lovely days ahead,  
Cris Doby PER, Exalted Ruler

## Auditing & Accounting Committee Needed

### Members all:

We are seeking at least two people to form an Auditing and Accounting Committee for our Lodge. This is a critically important function for our checks and balances and we are very grateful to Rick and Jenn Milton for serving in this role for several years. The major duties are:

- Engage an accountant to complete our taxes by June 15 (approximately 5 hours work between April and June)
- Review the financial record keeping three times a year (approximately 6 hours work during each of those months)
- Following each review, make recommendations to the Board of Trustees for improvements/changes to our accounting and/or record keeping (participate in Board meeting for about an hour two or three times a year)

Officers cannot serve as members of the Auditing and Accounting Committee, though the committee may call upon any officer for information. The primary skill needed is attention to detail. A financial or accounting background is helpful but not necessary. Please contact any officer to discuss this.

Sincerely,  
Your Board of Trustees

## Update On Bay Cliff Health Camp:

Campers will return to Bay Cliff this summer! Through Michigan Major Project, the Michigan Elks support scholarships for kids to attend Bay Cliff Health Camp Summer Session. Bay Cliff, in the UP of Michigan, is a camp for kids with disabilities. Bay Cliff has a wish list, and we will be setting up a donation table from mid-May through the end of June so that you can be part of this special Elks campaign. Items on the wish list are

- Disinfecting wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Disposable gloves
- Face masks
- Post it notes
- Hair ties
- Hair brushes
- Band-aids of all sizes
- Activity books for all ages

## Cinco de Mayo

Thursday, May 5th



\$5 Margarita

\$3 Tacos

(Beef, lettuce, cheese & sour cream)

Choice of hard or soft shells

\$8 Nachos

(Beef, cheese, lettuce, tomato, black olives & salsa)

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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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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 ..... Open .....  
Tiler ..... Dr. Betty Jean Hebel ..... 248-882-2885  
Chaplain ..... David Kelly ..... 734-846-0036  
Lodge Piper ..... Todd Wyber ..... 248-228-0725  
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 ..... Open .....  
(Board of Directors also includes Exalted Ruler, Leading Knight,  
Loyal Knight, and Lecturing Knight)

**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**

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**Track Patrons**

PER Bob & Carol 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	James & Pat Sockow
Tony & Marianne Ferrante	Sandra Thomas
Doug & Shirley Gembis	Brent & Kathy Thorne
Dr. Edward & Shirley Hirsch	Stanley Wilkins
Jane Hopper	Earl Wolfe, PDVP
Alan Huet	

**In Memory Of**

Robert Bacon	Leo Lefevre
John Beach, PER	Laura Magyari
Carolyn J Beauchamp	Bradley Marx
Wilma & William Bliss, PDDGER	Robert W McArthur
Richard "Rick" Brenz	Lorrey Michela
Betty Dahlstrom	Steve Opperman
David Duquette	Rich Parent
Richard Evans, PER	Don Warthman
Kevin Goshorn, PER	Kay Wilkins
Gerre & Doug Kanack	Mary Jane Bauer Wolfe
Pamela Killiany	

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.

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May, 2022



## Kentucky Derby Saturday, May 7th 4:00 - 7:30 PM

*Pot Luck - bring something to share*

*Prizes for Best Hat and Best Tie  
Sign up at the bar or call the Lodge*

## Join us for Euchre!

Euchre is now on the first Thursday of the month from 7 PM to 8:45 PM. Beginners welcome! \$5 per person, with all proceeds going to prizes. 1st prize is 50%, 2nd prize is 30%, 3rd prize is 20%. Come for Cinco de Mayo) and stay for Euchre.

## May Birthdays

- |    |                   |
|----|-------------------|
| 4  | Sandra Thomas     |
| 9  | James P. Sockow   |
| 10 | Sheila Newton     |
| 11 | Buzz Holzknecht   |
|    | Mark Keeley       |
| 14 | Charles Durst     |
| 18 | Gary Groves       |
| 19 | Bill Bertera, Jr. |
|    | Stephen De Davis  |
| 21 | Rick Bowes        |
| 25 | Gretta Horton     |
| 31 | John Boyd         |
|    | Phyllis Evans     |



## Tri-County Veterans

**Saturday, May 21, 2022, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

United Wholesale Mortgage Sports Complex  
867 S Blvd. Pontiac, MI

Celebrating Military Service Members and their Families!

Event Highlights:

Family-Fun Activities

Basketball — Face Painting — Free Food and Raffles  
Games — Magic Show

Funded by the Michigan Department  
of Health and Human Services

Questions? Please contact OCHN Veterans  
Navigator, Chaka McDonald: 248-764-4443

## Donations

### Orange can/Lodge Activities

Wilma Bliss

The Chinn Family

Bob Michela X4 cans

Gretta Horton

Dining Room

### MMP/Pink Banks

Melvin Orchard Family

**Look for Pinochle news next month.**

## Team Trivia

May 11 (Sliders) & 25 (Pizza) at 7 PM



Top 3 places pay \$30, \$20, \$10, and 4th place  
wins a package of Double Stuffed Oreos.

Join the fun and bring your friends.



**Tuesday and Friday  
Order dinner in.**

**Thursday Sliders! - \$2.50 each  
With or without cheese.**



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ONLINE**

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### May, 2022

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

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM 7:00 PM PER Mtg 7:30 PM Lodge Mtg	<b>Cinco de Mayo Euchre</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM <b>Kentucky Derby</b>
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
<b>Mother's Day</b> Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM <b>Team Trivia 7 PM Sliders</b> 🧐	<b>\$2.50 Sliders</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM 6:30 PM House Comm 7:30 PM Bd of Dir Mtg	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM Newsletter Deadline	Open 4 PM 6:00 PM Bldg Corp 7:30 PM Lodge Mtg	<b>\$2.50 Sliders</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM <b>Pinochle 7 PM</b>
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM <b>Team Trivia 7 PM Pizza</b> 🧐	<b>\$2.50 Sliders</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
29	30	31	June 1	2	3	4
Open 4 PM	<b>Memorial Day</b> Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM 7:00 PM PER Mtg 7:30 PM Lodge Mtg	<b>\$2.50 Sliders</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM

*2022-2023 Officers with DDGER Richard Evans*



*New Officers Taking the Oath of Office*



## *Receiving The Jewels Of The Office*



*Officer, Elk & Citizen of the Year Awards (Jen accepting for Marty)*



*The Installing Past Exalted Rulers*



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# **MICHIGAN ELKS ASSOCIATION METRO DISTRICT #4200**

## **FUN DAY AT JIMMY JOHN'S FIELD**

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 25 2022**

**GATES OPEN AT 6 PM GAME STARTS AT 7:05PM**

**ADMISSION \$15 PER PERSON**

**FREE PARKING, SHUTTLES AVAILABLE**



**TICKETS AVAILABLE AT YOUR LODGE OR FROM RON MALENDOWSKI**

**AT 586-703-7380**

**NO LATER THAN JULY 20TH, 2022**

**FOOD AND DRINKS AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE, SEATS LOCATED IN THE RIGHT  
FIELD PATIO, KIDS RUN THE BASES AFTER THE GAME**

***COME AND ENJOY THE EVENING  
WITH OTHER LODGE MEMBERS AND FAMILIES***

**"I cannot say enough good things about how much we absolutely love Jimmy John's Field! Everything about going to a game is top-notch. Thank you for making it the best in town!" - Linda**