



Farmington *Elks* Track

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From the ER:

Members all:

We will be initiating several new members on November 17th. Please plan to attend the Lodge meeting and welcome these new Elks to the herd!

We have several activities coming up in November and December. Get signed up and join your fellow Lodge members for good food and good fun. And be sure to thank Christie, the bartenders, servers, and others who make these events happen for us.

Also, please join me in thanking our members who have volunteered for our Veterans Day ceremonies at local nursing homes: Bob Michela, Denise Pistonetti, Jen Chinn, and Tom Bozek.

Thanks to Jenn Milton for taking the initiative to replace our broken microwave oven. Jenn also donated the air fryer — please thank her when you see her.

This Thanksgiving, I hope each of you takes time to reflect on gratitude — gratitude for what we have been given and gratitude for our opportunities to give. Gratitude is strongly and consistently associated with greater happiness. Cultivating gratitude in ourselves brings out positive emotions, reduces anxiety, helps us deal with adversity, and build strong relationships.

THANKS for GIVING so much love, kindness, and support to our Lodge.

Cris Doby
Exalted Ruler

Elks Care - *Elks* Share

Memorial Service

Please mark your calendar and plan to attend our annual Memorial Service on Sunday, December 5, 2021 at 1 PM. Grand Lodge requires only 2 services each year, Flag Day Service and the Memorial Service where we honor and remember those Elks who have passed away. It's not long, and it is our way of remembering those no longer with us.

Scholarship News

Members all:

The 2022 Most Valuable and Legacy Award Scholarship contests began September 1st. The deadline is rapidly approaching: November 15, 2021. The entire process is done electronically. If you know of college-bound high school seniors, please immediately direct them to the website.

For Most Valuable Student, the website is:
<http://enf.elks.org/MVS>

Most Valuable Student scholarships are as follows: one \$50,000, two \$40,000, two \$30,000, fourteen \$20,000, and almost five hundred \$4,000 scholarships. Additionally, our own Lodge gives out our own scholarships to the top female and male student.

For Legacy Scholarship Awards, the website is
<https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/Legacy.cfm>
This year there will be 350 scholarships to the children and grandchildren of dues-paying Elks in good standing. Student must be a high school senior.

If you'd like to learn more about our scholarships, visit:
<http://elks.org/scholars>

Thank you for your support for the good works of the Elks.

Dr. Joe Harris
Scholarship Chair

You are cordially invited to
Friends-Giving Dinner
Friday, November 19, 2021, 5:30-7:30 PM
Please remember that we have limited seating,
so make your reservations early.



Turkey dinner with all the fixings for \$15.00.
Our home cooked dinner will begin at 5:30, followed by a fun game of Trivia. Not a turkey fan? Sign up for ham.

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Lodge Meetings

February - April — 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month
May - January — 3rd Wednesday of the month
Meetings start at 8:00pm

Lounge Hours

4:00 PM - 10:00 PM, Monday – Friday
4:00 PM - Close, Saturday & Sunday
(open earlier for events - see calendar)

Office Manager – Jennifer Chinn, PER
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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

2020-2021 Lodge Award Winners

Elk of the Year: Phyllis Evans
Officer of the Year: Phyllis Mirling, PER
Distinguished Citizenship Award: Cris Doby
Outstanding Service Commendations:
Sandy McArthur & Christie Korczyk

2021 – 2022 Officers

Exalted Ruler Cris Doby..... 989-714-7730
Leading Knight Christie Korczyk..... 248-231-8516
Loyal Knight Dr. Ed Hirsch 248-477-4606
Lecturing Knight Daniel Campbell..... 248-536-2016
Secretary Tom Killiany, PDDGER..... 248-974-5663
Treasurer Bob Koenig 248-474-6405
Esquire Diana Campbell 248-536-2016
Inner Guard Open.....
Tiler Dr. Betty Jean Hebel 248-882-2885
Chaplain Dr. Joseph Harris..... 313-212-3779
Lodge Piper..... Todd Wyber..... 248-228-0725
PER President..... Jim Madigan, PER 248-345-5890

Board of Directors

1 Year Trustee James Madigan, PER 248-345-5890
2 Year Trustee Eldon Dillon 248-956-8967
3 Year Trustee Bob Michela 517-740-1232
4 Year Trustee Steve Luce, PER 248-921-3261
5 Year Trustee Ashley Issa 734-709-8032
(Board of Directors also includes Exalted Ruler, Leading Knight,
Loyal Knight, and Lecturing Knight)

2021 – 2022 Building Corporation

Dr. Betty Jean Hebel - President, Tom Bozek - V. President
Todd Block - Treasurer, Jim Sockow - Secretary,
Bob Koenig, Steve Luce, Dr. Ed Hirsch

Elks Track

Newsletter Article Deadline – See Calendar, Back Page
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Track Patrons

PER Bob & Carol Beauchamp	PDDGER Tom Killiany
Ed & Ann Campbell	Bob & May Koenig
Marty & PER Jen Chinn	Ted & Betty Kulisz
Rod & Maggie Chubb	Jim Lademan
James Collins	PER Rick & Gerry Lefevre
Jack Dahlstrom, PER	PER Steve Magyari
Eldon & Carolyn Dillon	Bob Michela
ER Cris Doby	Rick & Jenn Milton
Susan Duquette	Richard Neff
Phyllis Evans	Marjorie Perkins
Tony & Marianne Ferrante	Don & Judy Robinson
Doug & Shirley Gembis	Nancy & Jim Rogers
PER Kevin Goshorn	Taljit Sandhu
Andrea Hall	James & Pat Sockow
Dr. Ed & Shirley Hirsch	Brent Thorne
Buzz & Flo Holzknicht	Joan & George Turnbull
Jane Hopper	Billy Vance
Gretta Horton	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
Lauree & Laverne Eady	Don Perkins
Richard Evans, PER	Robert Smith, PER
Andrea Kay Goshorn	Don Warthman
Paul & Wanita Horton	Kay Wilkins
Gerre & Doug Kanack	Mary Jane Bauer Wolfe
Pamela Killiany	Our Fallen Brothers & Sisters

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.





Euchre **tournament**

Saturday, November 13, 2021

\$20 per person

Includes:

Sub & Salad for Dinner

Prizes will be awarded

Holiday Sing-Along

Saturday, December 4

Dinner – 6 p.m.

Entertainment & Singing 7:30 – 8:00

White Elephant Gift Exchange



Saturday January 8th

6:00 PM Potluck

7:00 PM Gift exchange starts

Spend the evening at the Elks. Bring a dish to pass for a potluck dinner, and get ready for some laughter with the White Elephant gift exchange.

Bring a new/unused wrapped present that you received as a gift and don't want. Maybe you have something laying around the house that you have never gotten around to using. Or you can buy something funny to re-gift. The possibilities are endless! Best of all you will go home with a new present and a full stomach and your cheeks will hurt from laughing! No sign up necessary this year.

Any questions? Call Jenn Milton 248-477-3894



Tuesday and Friday

Order dinner in.

Thursday Sliders! - \$2 each

With or without cheese.



Pass Pinochle News



We had just two tables for October. It was kind of sparse playing, but thank you to all those who came out to play.

Winners were —

1st Orie Milazzo 728

2nd Pat Sockow 658

Good Sport - Willie Mueller 426

It's a lot more fun when we have more players. We have new cards and hand sanitizer. We are still not having snacks. Drinks can be purchased at the bar.

We miss Greg Larscheidt and Andrea Hall who are in re-hab. We are keeping them in our prayers for return of good health. If you are at another Lodge, please invite them to come join our fun.

Next dates to play — Nov. 20th & Dec. 11th.

See you at the Lodge,

Jim, Pat, Eldon & Carolyn

November Birthdays

- 1 John Madigan
- 5 Rocco Giurlanda
- 6 Pamela Miller
- 13 Richard Shelley
- 14 Gerald Yeomans
- 23 Kent Teeters
- James Bonnallie
- 26 William Bakhaus
- Dana Glinski
- Laurie Kuznia
- 28 Anthony Ferrari

2021-2022 Coming Events

- Nov 13 Euchre Tournament
- 19 Friendsgiving*
- 20 Pinochle
- Dec Brunch with Santa - Watch for the date!
- 4 Breakfast 9AM - Noon
- Dinner & Sing-Along*
- 5 Memorial Service @ 1 PM
- 11 Pinochle
- 18 Breakfast 9AM - Noon
- 25 Merry Christmas to All
- 31 New Years Eve Party
- Jan 8 White Elephant Exchange & Potluck
- 29 Glo Pool Tournament

* **Please!** Reservations are a must so that our cooks can shop. Please sign up at the bar no later than the Friday before. Our **Volunteer** Cooks thank you.



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<div> November, 2021 <i>Look for calendar updates on the web at: http://tinyurl.com/99urhlo</i> </div>						
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
<i>Oct 31</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>
Open 1 PM - Lions Game	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM	\$2 Sliders	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	6:00 PM House Comm 7:30 PM Bd of Dir Mtg	Veterans Day \$2 Sliders	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM Euchre Tournament
<i>14</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>
Open 1 PM - Lions Game 	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	6 PM Bldg Corp 7 PM PER Mtg 8 PM Lodge Mtg	\$2 Sliders	Friends-Giving Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM Pinochle 7 PM
<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>27</i>
Open 1 PM - Lions Game 	Open 4 PM Newsletter Deadline	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM	\$2 Sliders	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
	<i>29</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>Dec 1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>
Open 4 PM	Open 4 PM	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM	\$2 Sliders	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Breakfast 9AM - Noon Holiday Sing-Along & Dinner

DDGER Visitation - October 12, 2021



Building Corporation Meeting - October 20, 2021



PER Meeting - October 20, 2021



DVP-DVC Visitation – October 20, 2021



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