



# Farmington Elks Track

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## From the ER:

Fall has arrived if you like it or not. This summer has been good considering the year of "2020". I hope all has been well with everyone, but I am always aware that there are families that have some kind of set backs and I personally have a heart for them.

With a successful Kentucky Derby Party, we are now looking forward to a few October Parties that will include a childrens Halloween & adult Halloween party (limited participation due to Covid-19). PER's are also having their annual Steak Out (also limited participation). Please sign up early for these events.

We are actively looking for volunteers to help with shopping, washing dishes, cooking, waiting tables and supervising. If you are interested, in any capacity, please contact Jen Chinn 248-421-6349. With enough help, we may be able to bring back two Lodge favorites: Breakfast Saturdays and Friday Fish Frys!

Keep an eye on the Track, your email, posts in the Lodge and on Facebook for updates on when to expect Breakfast and Friday Fish Frys to return. Also, we need a new Lodge chairperson for the Flower Fund and the Mitten Tree. After many years of chairing these events, Laurie Kuznia has decided to retire. Please thank her for her time and dedication next time you see her.

Thank you all for your participation in our Lodge whether you are a volunteer, donor or come in and enjoy the Lodge. The Lodge officers are always open for your ideas & I am at the Lodge almost everyday.

Be Patient & Kind Fraternally to All  
Kevin R. Goshorn, PER, ER  
PKP



## Children's Halloween Carnival

October 24th 12:00 - 2:30

Lunch - Face painting

Glow-in-the-Dark Mini Golf

Ring toss - Crafts - More



Please sign up your children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews at the bar or call Christie at 248-231-8516 by October 16th.

Space is limited.

## PER Steak Dinner & Putt-Putt Tourney

October 10, 2020

Putt-Putt begins promptly at 4 pm

\$5.00 per person

Free steak dinner for the first place winner

Dinner served at 5 pm

Steak, Roasted Potatoes, Salad, Cake

All for \$20

Sign up at the bar by October 5th.



## Howdy Everyone,

I would like to tell everyone I have some fun activities planned for this year. I know we are all looking forward to getting out and having a little fun. I hope I can help with that. At press time I want to give you a small list of things to look forward to. Please remember, things are fluid and always changing with every executive order that happens.

October 24th there will be a Children's Halloween Carnival in the afternoon and an Adult party in the evening. November there will be a movie night. With any luck a Friendsgiving at the Lodge followed by trivia night. I am also looking into a craft night for the early part of November. This will be making a reversible porch sign for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Date to come. December there will be brunch with Santa for the children. Wrap and chat for anyone wanting to wrap gifts and chat with friends. Maybe the men might need a little help wrapping a gift for that someone special. Mid-December, a dinner (menu not set) with games after. Of course a New Year's party. January will be the White Elephant gift exchange. If all goes well a Vegas night in February.

The Halloween Carnival will be something different for our Lodge as far as I know. I will be looking for a few volunteers to help with games and crafts, as well as donations. At this time, the donations I am looking for are most likely in your garage or basement. Something you really aren't using but just can't toss out.

Scrap wood - plywood, 2x4's or 2x2's  
Darts, battery operated tea lights.

Thank you all in advance for your support!  
Christie Korczyk

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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 (open earlier for events)  
4:00 PM - Close, Sundays

Office Manager – Jennifer Chinn, PER

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Office Hours 10:00 – 4:00, Monday – Friday

Lodge Secretary – Tom Killiany, DDGER

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

**2019-2020 Lodge Award Winners**

Elk of the Year: Christie Korczyk

Officer of the Year: Cris Doby

**2020 – 2021 Officers**

Exalted Ruler ..... Kevin Goshorn PER..... 248-996-5991  
Leading Knight ..... Cris Doby..... 989-714-7730  
Loyal Knight ..... Christie Korczyk..... 248-231-8516  
Lecturing Knight ..... Dr. Ed Hirsch ..... 248-477-4606  
Secretary ..... Tom Killiany, DDGER..... 248-974-5663  
Treasurer ..... Bob Koenig ..... 248-474-6405  
Esquire ..... Diana Campbell ..... 248-536-2016  
Inner Guard ..... Jennifer Chinn, PER..... 248-476-1986  
Tiler .....  
Chaplain ..... Robert Michela ..... 517-740-1232  
Lodge Piper..... Todd Wyber..... 248-228-0725  
PER President..... Jim Madigan, PER ..... 248-345-5890

**Board of Directors**

1 Year Trustee ..... Todd Block..... 734-626-3867  
2 Year Trustee ..... James Madigan, PER ..... 248-345-5890  
3 Year Trustee ..... Eldon Dillon ..... 248-956-8967  
4 Year Trustee ..... Phyllis Mirling PER ..... 248-752-4995  
5 Year Trustee ..... Steve Luce, PER, Chmn ..... 248-921-3261  
(Board of Directors also includes Exalted Ruler, Leading Knight,  
Loyal Knight, and Lecturing Knight)

**2020 – 2021 Building Corporation**

Betty Jean Hebel - President, Tom Bozek - V. President  
Rick Brenz - Treasurer, Jim Sockow - Secretary,  
Bob Koenig & Steve Luce - Members At Large

**Elks Track**

Newsletter Article Deadline – 17th of the month

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PER Bob & Carrol Beauchamp	Jim Lademan
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Ed & Ann Campbell	PER Steve Magyari
Marty & PER Jen Chinn	Bob Michela
Rod & Maggie Chubb	Rick & Jenn Milton
James Collins	PER Phyllis & John Mirling
Jack Dahlstrom, PER	Phyllis Misener
Eldon & Carolyn Dillon	Henry & Lutie Moore
Susan Duquette	Richard Neff
Phyllis Evans	Ray Okonski
Tony & Marianne Ferrante	Marjorie Perkins
Doug & Shirley Gembis	Don & Judy Robinson
PER Kevin Goshorn	Nancy & Jim Rogers
Andrea Hall	James & Pat Sockow
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Alan Huet	Joan & George Turnbull
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Ted & Betty Kulisz	Earl Wolfe, PDVP

**In Memory Of**

Robert Bacon	Leo Lefevre
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David Duquette	Lorrey Michela
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Richard Evans, PER	Chuck Noffsinger
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Paul & Wanita Horton	Don Perkins
Jake Jenkins	Robert Smith, PER
Pamela Killiany	Kay Wilkins
Marcia Larscheidt	Mary Jane Bauer Wolfe
Patricia Hahn Larscheidt	Our Fallen Brothers & Sisters



**2020 Events** (*We hope!*)

October	3	State Ritual Clinic
	17	Pinochle
	21	DVP/DVC Visitation
	24	HalloweenCarnival
		Adult Halloween
	31	Halloween
November	1	DST Ends
	3	Presidential Election
	11	Veteran's Day
	21	Pinochle
	26	Thanksgiving
December		Hoop Shoot cancelled
	6	Memorial Service
	12	Pinochle
	25	Christmas
	31	New Year's Eve

**October Birthdays**

7	Jerome McGill
	Donald Gutowski
8	Walter Gajewski
10	Richard Joslyn
	Lowell Moore
11	Paul Masciarelli
12	Christine Doby
14	David Wilson
18	Todd Wyber
21	Clara Simpson
24	Robert Koenig
26	Patrick Podges
27	Ronald Michalak
29	Michael Johnson
30	Norman Kilgour
31	William Redditt

**MVS Scholarship:**

The Elks National Foundation is proud to announce the start of the 2021 Most Valuable Student scholarship contest on August 5, 2020. The Most Valuable Student scholarship is available to high school seniors who are United States citizens. Applicants do not need to be related to a member of the Elks. Applications are judged on academics, leadership, service and financial need. The application is completed online and must be submitted by the November 15, 2020, deadline. The 500 national winners will be announced in April 2021. Learn more about the MVS scholarship at [Elks.org/scholars](https://Elks.org/scholars)

**Legacy Award:**

The 2021 Legacy Awards contest runs from September 1, 2020 to February 5, 2021. Legacy Awards are \$4,000 scholarships available to children and grandchildren of Elks members.

- For the 2021 contest, any child or grandchild (or step-child, step-grandchild, or legal ward) of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2018, or a charter member of a Lodge that was instituted on or after April 1, 2018, is eligible to apply. The Elk must also be a paid-up member through March 31, 2021. Great-grandchildren are not eligible. The applicant must be a high school senior. The applicant must apply online only. The 2021 Legacy Awards application deadline is February 5, 2021 at 11:59 a.m. Central Time.

- We have waived the standardized test requirement for the 2021 Legacy contest. You do not need to submit ACT and/or SAT scores.

- Students may apply for more than one ENF scholarship; however, they may win only one. In cases where the student wins more than one, we will award the scholarship with the greater value. Students can accept local and state scholarships, which are separate from the awards at the national level.

- Legacy Awards may only be applied to accredited US American schools, colleges or universities. (Note: Applicants from Guam, Panama, Puerto Rico and the Philippines may apply Legacy Awards toward schools, colleges or universities in their respective homes.)

- If you are selected as a 2021 Legacy Awards recipient, you will be required to perform service once a year with an Elks Lodge during the four years you are receiving the scholarship.

**Americanism:**

The theme this year for the Americanism essay contest is: How can Patriotism be Demonstrated. This contest is for students in the 5th through 8th grade.

The Farmington Elks is offering a \$100 prize to the first place winner at our lodge and \$50 for second place and \$25 for third place.

This contest is a way for students to express their views on their pride in America. Contest rules and cover sheets are available at the Lodge. To request a copy electronically please email: [elks1986@yahoo.com](mailto:elks1986@yahoo.com)

**Annual Lodge ENF Reverse Raffle**

Tickets are now available for our 8th 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 27, 2021. 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.

**Monday Mexican Special!****3 Beef Enchiladas**

Mild or Spicy - Your choice!

With rice & beans, chips, salsa & sour cream

\$10.00 — Dine in or carry out

*Come on down and give us a try*

**Thursday Sliders!**

*\$2 each*

*With or without cheese.*

**Tuesday and Friday**

*Order dinner in.*



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October, 2020						
Look for calendar updates on the web at: <a href="http://tinyurl.com/99urhlo">http://tinyurl.com/99urhlo</a>						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sept 27	28	29	30	1	2	3
Open 4 PM	<b>Mexican Monday!!</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM		<b>\$2 Sliders</b>	Dinner 5:30-7:30 PM	Open 4 PM
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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 25	26	27	28	29	30	31
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