

# Silver Bell Club

## PNA Lodge #2365

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Dear Members and Friends of the Silver Bell Club (PNA Lodge #2365),

Let us begin by wishing all of you and yours a very happy and healthy new year for 2023. We hope that the past year has had many joyous memories for you and your loved ones. We look forward to a bright and healthy 2023!

This year, we are planning a number of exciting events! More information will follow on the following events:

- Purdue/IU Basketball Game Watch Party on Saturday, February 4, 2023 @ The Gary Sportman's Club - 2:30pm
- Purdue/ IU Basketball Game Watch Party on Saturday, February 25, 2023 @ Location to be announced on the Silver Bell Club website - 6:00pm
- Club Bus Trip to the Polish Museum of America in Chicago - Saturday, April 22, 2023
- The Memorial Mass with a luncheon to follow - Sunday, June 4, 2023 in the Community Chapel at the Salvatorian Fathers Monastery
- The Chicago White Sox Trip (summer, 2023)
- Annual Christmas Party (December, 2023)

In December of 2022, we installed our club officers. The slate of officers is listed below in this newsletter. We are always thankful for each Silver Bell Club officer and member for their contributions to the Club.

In May of 2022, we held our annual Memorial Mass at the Our Lady of Czestochowa Shrine and Salvatorian Fathers Monastery in Merrillville, Indiana to honor and commemorate those Silver Bell Club members who passed away within the previous twelve months. A luncheon was held after mass at Cafe Stelio's in Merrillville, Indiana in order for family and friends of the deceased to share memories and to continue to celebrate the lives of their loved ones.

On June 8, 2022, Silver Bell Club's members and friends attended the White Sox's Polish Heritage Night. The Sox played the Los Angeles Dodgers and unfortunately came up short for a win. This Polish Heritage Night is an annual event that the White Sox feature letting Polonia of Chicagoland show off their ethnic heritage. The club provided a motor coach for those members who do not wish to drive themselves to the field. Be on the lookout for more information regarding this year's Polish Heritage

Event! The White Sox will most likely no longer accept paper tickets for game entry and will require tickets to be on mobile devices. Please plan accordingly, if you're thinking about joining us for a fun night of baseball!

On December 4, 2022, the Silver Bell Club hosted a wonderful Christmas party at Gino's Steakhouse in Merrillville. The Christmas party is a wonderful, annual tradition where members of the Club and their spouses and/or friends can gather over the holidays to give thanks and enjoy each other's company. The Club will plan for a 2023 Christmas party to celebrate the next Christmas season.

In 2022, the Silver Bell Club was fortunate to make several donations to organizations in our Northwest Indiana community and beyond. The organizations that received a donation from the Silver Bell Club include The Polish Red Cross to help support its efforts during their time of need as well as the Salvatorian Fathers Monastery.

Nominations for the 2023 officers were held in November at our monthly meeting with the election being held in December. Your 2023 officers of the Silver Bell Club were as follows:

<b>President:</b>	Sal Muffoletto	<b>Vice President :</b>	David S. Tokarski
<b>Secretary:</b>	Jeff Jackowski	<b>Treasurer:</b>	Michelle Jackowski
<b>Financial Secretary:</b>	Laurie Baumgart	<b>Chaplain:</b>	Carol Mytyk
<b>Land Manager:</b>	Ken York	<b>Sergeant at Arms:</b>	Josh Jackowski

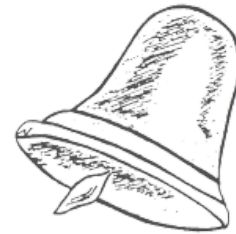
**Scholarships for Undergraduate and Graduate/Containing Education** The Silver Bell Club is pleased to make available scholarship applications to qualified members who are enrolled as full-time college or university students who will continue their undergraduate studies in the fall semester or for qualified members who are enrolled as graduate/ continuing education students. Applications and additional information are available on our website [www.silverbellclub.com](http://www.silverbellclub.com). Applications must be received by April 1, 2023. Please consider sharing this information with member scholars.

For families and friends of a deceased member of Silver Bell Club Lodge #2365: If you have a loved one that has passed, and you would like to arrange a prayer service for the member at his/her wake, please contact our club Chaplain, Carol Mytyk, at 219- 763- 1114. Please keep in mind that prayer services are usually held between 3:00 PM and 3:30PM.

It is with heavy heart that we announce that Phyliss Dunajski, the Silver Bell Club's long-time Treasurer, passed away on June 25, 2022 Her memories will be eternal in the hearts of those who knew and loved her.

**Our monthly meetings are held the second Monday of the month at 7:00 PM at The Gary Sportsmen's Club located at 10101 Madison Avenue in Crown Point, Indiana.** Check our website for any cancellations. We look forward to seeing you at our next meeting!

For further updates throughout the year, please visit the Silver Bell Club's newly designed website at [www.silverbellclub.com](http://www.silverbellclub.com).



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# PNA Lodge #2365 - 2023 Dues

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As a Reminder, the 2023 dues are due at the beginning of the year. The dues are \$20.00 a year and entitles dues paying members to several complementary events during the year.

Please fill out the following form to help us with our records and send it in with your payment.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please mail this slip with your check to:**

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