

### September 2023

#### **Lodge Officers**

#### 2023-2024

Exalted Ruler: Fran Milkowski, PER
Leading Knight: Becky Feronti

Lecturing Knight:OpenSecretary:Laurie LawTreasurer:Frank GildersleeveEsquire:R. Scott Seib, PDDGER

Open

Inner Guard:Sue OzimekTiler:Pam GildersleeveChaplain:Robert Mazzone

TRUSTEES

Loyal Knight:

Rick Killian1 YearLes Owens, PER, PDDGER2 YearJim Law, PER, PDDGER3 YearDave Parker, PER4 YearDon Langer, PER5 Year

## Auxiliary Officers 2023-2024

**President:** Becky Feronti **Vice President:** Terri Straub Recording Sec.: Lyn Straub Financial Sec.: Colleen Gourley Treasurer: Kelly Minns Pat Thompson Chaplain: Sick & Sunshine: Pat Thompson Sue Ozimek **Properties: Publicity:** Denise Witt Parliamentarian: Barb Mitcho

TRUSTEES

1 Year Elaine Langer 1 Year Sherry Respecki 2 Year Pat Thompson 2 Year Dee Covatto

## House Committee 2023-2024

Chairman: R. Scott Seib, PER, PDDGER Jim Law, PER, PDDGER

Becky Feronti
Dave Miller
Ben Carrick
Nichole Klemm
Ron Zimmer

# Benevolent Order of Elks Lodge 67

Elks Care... Elks Share ...

Instituted on May 28, 1887 Chartered on July 10, 1887



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**Exalted Ruler's Message:** Greetings Fellow Elks, September brings the seasonal changes. Schools have or will be starting so please remember to watch out for students, buses, and school zones. Our summer outdoor activities have ended. The Lodge will be closed on Labor Day Monday, September 4th. Our patio will remain open until the weather changes allowing us to enjoy the last few days of warmer weather.

The change in seasons ushers in Fall sports, mainly football. I am pleased to announce that with us changing from Direct TV to a streaming service we will now have access to all of the NFL games. Our kitchen will again be open on Sundays during the football season. Ryan is working on some Sunday surprise specials along with wings, pizzas, and the grill menu. Make the Lodge your new favorite stop to watch your team play.

We will continue to have our usual indoor activities: Trivia the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, Speed Bar Bingo the 1st and 3rd Thursdays, music on Friday nights, Saturday Night Bingo, and lastly and most importantly Lodge meetings every 2nd and 4th Monday.

Remember this is your Lodge, use, support, and finally promote it. Fraternally yours, Fran Milkowski, Exulted Ruler



## FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK: REINSTATEMENTS

As per our Lodge by-laws we only charge \$1 for reinstatement fee, during the months of September and October, for those members that have been dropped from the roles. They will also have to pay

prorated dues for the rest of this year. If you know any past members that may be interested, please let them know. Laurie Law, Secretary B.P.O.E. Lodge 67, 2409 Peninsula Dr. Erie, Pa 16506.

# 41ks Care - 41ks Share



**Chaplain's Corner:** I'm sad to report two deaths. They are Dennis Culbertson and Jean Yurkovic. Bob Mazzone, Chaplain, 838-9154

## Auxiliary News

The Auxiliary lottery tickets are back for the month of November. Only \$5/ticket for the chance to win \$50-\$500! Please see an auxiliary member to purchase your tickets.

I want to thank everyone that brought in completed Jamboree Auction baskets, or for bringing items for the baskets. A special thanks to the auxiliary members that helped put together baskets. We had over 135 completed baskets for this 3-day event.

Last call for anyone who would like to attend the bus trip to Salamanca Casino on Sunday, September 24th. You do not have to be an Auxiliary Members to attend, all are welcome! Only \$30/person and you will receive a \$25

**SATURDAY LUNCH SPECIALS:** 12pm to 4pm Stop in and enjoy one of Ryan's deli style sandwiches. A different sandwich will be featured each Saturday. Check to see if your favorite sandwich is featured or try something new and different. You will not go away hungry!

Congratulations Scholarship Winners!! This year the August scholarship golf outing presented two \$1,000 scholarships. The winners are Ella Mitchell, granddaughter of member William Reichard, and Alivia Garrity, granddaughter of member Dave Moore. Both Ella and Alivia will be attending Gannon University this fall. Thanks to all the golfers that made this possible. Tom Tallbacka

voucher for free play when you arrive. The bus leaves the Lodge at 8:00 am and returns at 5:00 pm. Refreshments will be served on the bus. Please sign up and pay by September 17th. For more information, contact Becky Feronti 205-533-4273.

Because of Labor Day, the next Auxiliary meeting will be Tuesday, September 5th at 6:00 pm. Trivia is scheduled in the banquet room, so we will be meeting on the patio. Hope to see you there. Thank you,

Becky Feronti, Auxiliary President



House Committee: There will be a few changes to Saturdays serving time starting in September. Lunch grill menu will start at 12 noon and dinner will start at 4pm. There is alot going on in the next couple of months please look at bulletin to see the upcoming events. Also, we are going to change over our TV service to King TV, we will be able to get most of the sports channels so come in and enjoy football, baseball, etc.

September is here and it's time to start planning our 35th Annual Erie Elks Lodge Gun Raffle. This year's raffle will take place at Rainbow Gardens on February 24th, 2024. Tickets will be mailed to members as in the past and packs of 10 tickets to sell will be coming soon. Please help us make this year a big success by volunteering to help at the raffle or help out in any way you can. A signup sheet will be posted on the bulletin board inside the Lodge. Gun Sponsors are a big part of our raffle. If you or someone you know would like to sponsor a gun, please let us know. Thank you from your 2024 Gun Raffle Committee.

**From the PER's:** Erie Lodge #67 PER's awarded (2) \$1,000.00 general higher education scholarships to one student entering their freshman year and one student entering their sophomore year. The students were tasked on the application to select a local nonprofit charity, research that charity and advocate for their cause. In the spirit of benevolence, each student was provided a \$500.00 donation, on behalf of Erie Lodge 67, to hand to their charity. Kasey Kensill was the freshman winner, advocating for the Veterans Miracle Center, Erie. Emily Edmonds was the sophomore winner advocating for The Anna Shelter, a nonprofit, no kill shelter for needy and neglected animals. An awesome job was done by all that applied, and the Lodge is very proud and wishes them all the best in their next chapter of higher education.

#### Pictured left to right:

Mike Wheeler PER, Jim Law PER, Emily Edmonds, sophomore scholarship winner, Ruth Thompson, Director Anna Shelter, Terry Witherow PER, Scott Sieb PER, Kasey Kensill freshman scholarship winner, John Hornaman Board Member Veterans Miracle Center, Erie.



## AUGUST 2023 FEATURED CLIENT

**Josie Davis** 

# ABOUT JOSIE

AGE: 4

YEARS IN THE PROGRAM: 4

DIAGNOSIS: DOWN SYNDROME

LIVES IN: LATROBE

ELKS NURSE: LINDA CRAMER

HOW HAS THE

"OPENED DOORS THAT I
WOULD NOT HAVE KNOWN
ABOUT. 2ND PAIR OF EYES
AND EARS IN YOUR CORNER
WANTING THE BEST FOR MY
CHILD AS MUCH AS I DO!"

CINDY DAVIS











# Sunday: Bloody Mary \$3.25 Beer of the Month: Coor's Light Pounder - \$2.75 Monday \$2.50 Jacquin's Rum Happy Hour 5-7 Monday through Friday Beer of the Month: Coor's Light Pounder - \$2.75 Tuesday \$5.00 Yuengling Draft 16oz Bud Light Lime Friday \$3.25 Saturday \$4.00 Long Island



Football Sundays Only: 5 for \$12.00 domestic 12oz bottle buckets

## **SEPTEMBER 2023**

| SUNDAY                 | MONDAY                                    | TUESDAY   | WEDNESDAY                           | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY   | SATURDAY   |
|------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
|                        |   |   |                                     |  | 1 Scallops w Risotto  King Pins  Music: 7 - 11PM                             | Specialty Sandwich 12PM-4PM Prime Rib Bingo 7PM    |
| 3<br>Kitchen Closed    | 4 LABOR DAY LODGE CLOSED                  | 5 Stuffed Pork Chop Auxiliary Meeting 6PM Trivia 6:30PM | 6 White Pizza  PER MEETING 6:30pm   | 7 Porchetta w Ubriaco Pasta SPEED BINGO 6PM                    | 8 Rainbow Trout  House of Rhythm Music: 7 - 11PM                             | 9 Specialty Sandwich 12PM-4PM Prime Rib Bingo 7PM  |
| 10<br>FOOTBALL SPECIAL | 11<br>LODGE MEETING<br>6 PM               | Stuffed Peppers   | 13 Greek Pizza                      | 14<br>Rigatoni w<br>Meatballs                                  | 15 Teriyaki Salmon<br>Karaoke w B-Lex<br>Music: 7 - 11PM                     | Specialty Sandwich 12PM-4PM Prime Rib Bingo 7PM    |
| 17 FOOTBALL SPECIAL    | 18 Trustees Meeting 6PM                   | 19 Meatloaf  Trivia 6:30PM                              | 20 Supreme Pizza Indoctrination 7PM | 21 Stuffed Shells  SPEED BINGO 6PM                             | 22 Blacken Catfish w<br>greens  Acoustics w<br>Bill Mason<br>Music: 7 - 11PM | 23 Specialty Sandwich 12PM-4PM Prime Rib Bingo 7PM |
| 24 FOOTBALL SPECIAL    | 25<br>LODGE MEETING<br>INITIATION<br>7 PM | 26<br>Baked 1/2 Chicken                                 | Ricotta &<br>Tomato Pizza           | 28<br>Stuffed Rigatoni<br>Bake w Sausage,<br>Peppers, & Onions | 29 Mahi Mahi<br>The Jays<br>Music: 7 - 11PM                                  | Specialty Sandwich 12PM-4PM Prime Rib Bingo 7PM    |

## **LODGE HOURS:**

Sunday 11AM - 9PM Monday 2PM-9PM Tuesday -Thursday 2PM-10PM

Friday - 2PM -12AM Saturday -11AM -11PM Kitchen hours:

Tuesday - Friday 5PM - 9PM
Saturday 12PM - 4PM Grill Menu &
4PM - 9PM Dinner Menu