



## ELDA Newsletter

SPRING 2025

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*The first day of summer arrives with the solstice this year on Friday, June 20, 2025, 10:42 p.m. EDT.  
It's been a long cold winter on Elk Lake and every day is one day closer to SUMMER!*

### **Watercraft Stickers**

A gentle reminder, all stickers must be applied to your *ELDA registered* watercraft. Only ELDA registered watercrafts are allowed on Elk Lake, kayaks and paddle boards are included in this designation. Any visitors/renters bringing in their own watercrafts are not permissible on the lake. Best advice is, immediately put your stickers on your water craft (don't leave them on the kitchen table lol).

### **From the Fish Committee**

Over 900 walleyes, between 6 and 8 inches, were stocked in the lake in early November. The committee has open membership. If anyone would like to become a member, please contact *Jack Mulka* at [mulka@verizon.net](mailto:mulka@verizon.net). Currently, there are 12 committee members. The fishing report in May has been excellent, with almost all species of fish being caught, excluding eels and catfish.  
*Good luck fishing!*

### **Events**

#### **General Membership Meetings**

Saturday July 12th @ 10 am  
Saturday August 16th @ 10 am

#### **Golf Tournament**

Saturday July 19th @ Memorial Links

#### **Covered Dish & Field Day**

Saturday July 26th

#### **Fishing Tournament**

Sunday August 3<sup>rd</sup>

### **Volunteers Needed**

We are looking for someone to take over running of the Field Day, which will be held on July 26th this year. It is held at the pavilion on Sensentine Road and usually starts at 1:00PM, although start time is flexible. For the past several years, Sarah Sierra, Theresa Dethlefsen, and Jason Palonis have done an amazing job making it a fun day for the kids, and they are willing to share their experience and knowledge with making this event happen.

I'm sure the last thing anyone wants is another task on their list, but if we can get a few volunteers, I'm sure the workload will not be overwhelming and the reward is contributing to a fun day for the kids and the continuation of a long running tradition here at Elk Lake.

*Thank you,  
George Firmstone ELDA President*



Remember to maintain your septic system and be careful with lawn fertilizers that will contribute to accelerated plant and algae growth in our lake.



### **Summer 2025 Road Projects**

#### **PennDOT Website**

<https://www.pa.gov/agencies/penndot/projects-near-you/district-4-projects.html#f-copapwpcounty=Wayne%20County>

#### **Wayne County Website**

<https://www.waynecountypa.gov/668/Township-Roads>



### *Heartfelt Condolences from our ELDA family*

Cecilia Haggerty

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/thetimes-tribune/name/cecilia-haggerty-obituary?id=56502064>

Frank Larkin

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/name/francis-larkin-obituary?id=56447784>

Bill Rinker

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/wfmz/name/william-rinker-obituary?id=57083306>