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March 1-2, 2025

Nashville Franklin Lodge

ANNUAL MEETING

April 3-5, 2025

Edgewater Hotel & Conference Center

Gatlinburg, Tennessee

MID-YEAR MEETING

October 9-12, 2025

Doubletree Hotel, Jackson TN

*The Tennessee Elks Association Officers
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and Local Convention Chair Wayne Woods
for their efforts and commitment toward
insuring an outstanding convention.*

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WELCOME ELKS AND GUESTS

"JUST ASK"

CALENDAR OF EVENTS		
<u>THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2024</u>		
2:00 PM	Preconvention	
	Old Hickory Boardroom	
3:00-5:00 PM	Registration	Lobby
5:00-10:00 PM	Jackson Lodge	
	BBQ and the Trimmings	
	\$12.00 per person	
<u>FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2024</u>		
8:00 AM	Golfers BE ON TEE	
	Shotgun start at 8:00 AM	Jackson National
	4 Person Scramble	\$90 Per Person
10:00 AM-5:00 PM	Registration	Lobby
12:00 PM	Lunch on your own	
2:30-3:00 PM	Sponsor meets with Pres.-Elect	
	Old Hickory Boardroom	
1:00-4:30 PM	TELAS Chinese Auction	
	Pre-Function Area	
3:00 PM—3:30 PM	Advisory Board TEA/TEBT	
	University Conference Room	
3:30 PM-4:30 PM	TEA Board of Directors	
	University Conference Room	
4:30PM-5:30PM	TEBT Board of Directors	
	University Conference Room	
7:00 PM	Dinner: Benevolent Night	
	Andrew Jackson Ballroom	
	Doors open at 6:45	Dress: Coat and Tie
	TEBT President, ENF and Benevolent Chairmen,	
	and PGER Randy P Shook	
PLEASE BE ON TIME FOR THE TEA BUSINESS SESSION SATURDAY 8:00 AM		

CALENDAR OF EVENTS		
<u>SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2024</u>		
8:00-11:00 AM	Registration	Lobby
8:00-10:30 AM	General Business Meeting	Ballroom
	TEA/TECT/TEBT and Seminar	
8:00-??	TELAS Chinese Auction	
	Pre-Function Area	
10:30-11:00 AM	Planning Committee	
	University Conference Room	
11:00-11:30 AM	Convention Committee	
	University Conference Room	
12:00 PM	Lunch on your own	
	WORKSHOPS	
1:00 PM		Trade Scholarships
		Billy Clabough
		Andrew Jackson Room
1:00 PM		Ritual Training
		Steve Parsons
		University Room
2:00 PM		Ritual Training
		Steve Parsons
		University Room
2:00 PM		MVS and Nursing Scholarships
		Al Grubb and Carol Henderson
		Andrew Jackson Room
6:30 PM	Banquet	Ballroom
	Doors open at 6:15	Dress: Coat and Tie
	◆ Address by Bill Roper	
	◆ Hershel B. Wilkes & his team of Thirsty Thespians:	
	◆ TELAS Chinese Auction Winners	
ALL CONVENTION ATTENDEES MUST WEAR CONVENTIONS BADGES IN MEETINGS AND HOSPITALITY ROOMS !!!!		

BUSINESS SESSION MIDYEAR 2024		
CALL TO ORDER		BILL ROPER
INVOCATION		JOHN WADE
PLEDGE		MATT CARROLL
PATRIOTIC SONG		DAWN KIDD
INTRODUCTIONS GRAND LODGE OFFICERS	PGER RANDY P. SHOOK	
PAST STATE PRESIDENTS		JOE EVANS
ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS AND LODGES		JOE EVANS
MINUTES & SECRETARY’S REPORT		JOE EVANS
TREASURER’S REPORT TEA	W. L. CULBERSON	
SPONSOR’S REMARKS	PGER RANDY P. SHOOK	
RECESS TEA CONVENE TECT		BILL ROPER
TECT TREASURER’S REPORT	W.L. CULBERSON	
TECT BUDGET		BILL ROPER
ADJOURN TECT		BILL ROPER
TEBT BUSINESS MEETING		AL GRUBB
RECONVENE TEA		BILL ROPER
SEMINAR: MEMBERSHIP		
JANET HOFER		MORRISTOWN LODGE
COMMITTEE REPORTS (AS NECESSARY)		
CREDENTIALS		JIM YONAN
UNFINISHED BUSINESS		BILL ROPER
NEW BUSINESS		BILL ROPER
GOOD OF THE ORDER		BILL ROPER
BENEDICTION		JOHN WADE