

Remember our next

ANNUAL MEETING

April 11-13, 2024

Edgewater Hotel & Conference Center

Gatlinburg, Tennessee

MID-YEAR MEETING

October 10-12, 2024

DoubleTree Hotel

Jackson, Tennessee

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

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MID-YEAR MEETING

October 5-7, 2023

DOUBLETREE HOTEL

JACKSON, TENNESSEE



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Gatlinburg, TN

April 11-13 2024

WELCOME ELKS AND GUESTS

"T.E.A.M."

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2023

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	
	\$10.00 per person	
	Entertainment by Blazin' Sage Starts at 6:30 pm	
	<u>FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2023</u>	
7:00 AM	Golfers meet in the Lobby	
	Shotgun start at 8:00 AM	Jackson National
	4 Person Scramble	\$75 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-4:15 PM	TEA Board of Directors	
	University Conference Room	
4:15 PM-5:15PM	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 Arthur .H. FROST III	
	PLEASE BE ON TIME FOR THE TEA BUSINESS SESSION SATURDAY 8:00 AM	

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2023

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	Convention Committee	
	University Conference Room	
11:00-11:30 AM	Planning Committee	
	University Conference Room	
12:00 PM	Lunch on your own	
	WORKSHOPS	
1:30 PM	Trade Scholarships	
	Bill Roper	
	Andrew Jackson Room	
1:30 PM	Ritual Training	
	Steve Parsons	
	University Room	
2:45 PM	Ritual Training	
	Steve Parsons	
	University Room	
2:45 PM	Orientation	
	Hershel Wilkes	
	Andrew Jackson Room	
6:30 PM	Banquet	Ballroom
	Doors open at 6:15	Dress: Coat and Tie
	◆ Address by Joe Allen	
	◆ 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 2023

CALL TO ORDER	JOE ALLEN
INVOCATION	JOE KORDIK
PLEDGE	DEWAYNE SKEEN
PATRIOTIC SONG	
INTRODUCTIONS GRAND LODGE OFFICERS	PGER A.H. FROST III
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 A.H. FROST III
RECESS TEA CONVENE TECT	JOE ALLEN
TECT TREASURER'S REPORT	W.L. CULBERSON
TECT BUDGET	
ADJOURN TECT	JOE ALLEN
TEBT BUSINESS MEETING	AL GRUBB
RECONVENE TEA	JOE ALLEN
SEMINAR: FACEBOOK	
ROBERT MORSE	Lewis County Lodge
COMMITTEE REPORTS (AS NECESSARY)	
CREDENTIALS	JIM YONAN
UNFINISHED BUSINESS	JOE ALLEN
NEW BUSINESS	JOE ALLEN
GOOD OF THE ORDER	JOE ALLEN
BENEDICTION	JOE KORDIK