



Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Lodge #67 Erie, PA

JULY 2025 NEWSLETTER

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Lodge 67 Officers 2024-2025

Exalted Ruler: R. Scott Seib
PER, PDDGER
Leading Knight: Greg Kindle
Loyal Knight: OPEN
Lecturing Knight: Blake Myers
Secretary: Laurie Law
Treasurer: Tracy VanHoyweghen
Esquire: Rick Killian
Inner Guard: Sue Ozimek
Tiler: Pauletti Kindle
Chaplain: Robert Mazzone

TRUSTEES

Jim Law PER, PDDGER 1 Year
Dave Parker PER 2 Year
Don Langer, PER 3 Year
Fran Milkowski PER, DSVP 4 Year
Becky Feronti, PER 5 Year

Lodge 67 Auxiliary Officers 2024-2025

President: Debbie Munson
Vice President: Pam Henning
Recording Secretary: Carol Jakubowski
Financial Secretary: Colleen Gourley
Treasurer: Kelly Minns
Chaplain: Pat Thompson
Sick & Sunshine: Pat Thompson
Properties: Sue Ozimek
Publicity: Denise Witt
Parliamentarian: OPEN

TRUSTEES

Elaine Langer 1 Year
Becky Feronti, PER 1 Year
Dee Covatto 2 Year
Pat Thompson 2 Year

Lodge 67 House Committee 2024-2025

Chairman: Fran Milkowski, PER, DSVP
Tom Adamczyk
Greg Kindle
Jim Law, PER, PDDGER
Dave Miller
JoAnn Puskus

Exalted Ruler's Message

Greetings Elks Lodge 67 Members,

Greetings Fellow Elks,

Summer is in full swing, and there is a lot going on at the Lodge. Both Bocce leagues are off to a great start, along with the Cornhole League. Music on the back patio is happening, so be sure to come and enjoy the entertainment on a warm summer evening. Check the calendar (p. 4) and Social Quarter monitors for the schedule. Also coming up this summer will be the Annual Luau, the Jamboree, and the Family Picnic. Keep an eye out for these events. Volunteers are always needed!

This past month the Veterans committee held a picnic down at the Water Works Pavilion at Presque Isle State Park. There were approximately 45 veterans plus their caretakers in attendance. They enjoyed a picnic lunch along with fishing with the help of the Sons of Lake Erie. Thanks to everyone who helped put this event together! The Erie Lodge also donated \$4600 to Meals on Wheels for Veterans. This will feed 2 veterans a meal every day for a year! Great Job!

To the Members of Lodge 67- In full transparency, I want to thank everyone for their patience as we are stabilizing the current kitchen staffing challenges. Our kitchen manager gave notice that he was leaving in accordance to his contract, but due to his circumstances, he left earlier than he originally stated. We wish him well. We recently have hired an additional line cook and kitchen manager who will be starting in July. With this information, my hope is to instill faith in our Lodge members, with the understanding that the House Committee is acting with professionalism and has made this a high priority.

I also wish to express my deep appreciation for Kathy and Seth, and those staff members who have stepped up to assist with kitchen duties. In addition, a sincere thanks to the House Committee for all the hours of work behind the curtains.

Faternally,

R. Scott Seib ER, PER, PDDGER



Monthly News



AUXILIARY NEWS

While there will not be Auxiliary meetings during this month and August, we are still busy around the Lodge! The Auxiliary provided cake after the Flag Day Ceremony held on June 14th. The ceremony is a great reminder of what our flag stands for, and it is interesting to see how the flag has changed throughout the years. Thanks to Elaine and Kelly for helping to serve the cake. A big thanks to all who sold or bought lottery tickets for July! The winners will be posted on the bulletin board and checks will be mailed to the winners on a weekly basis. There will be a Ladies Golf Outing on July 11th starting at 10 AM. Becky Feronti is chairing this event. Sign-up sheets are available on the bulletin board. This event is limited to the first 15 foursomes who sign up. We are still looking for baskets, and basket items, for the Basket Raffles to be held at Jamboree this July 25-27. Items may be left at the Lodge on the table by the daily/weekly winners' board. There is also a sign-up sheet for baskets on the bulletin board. Please have all donation into the Lodge by July 12th.

Thanks to the Auxiliary members who donated the desserts for the Veterans' Picnic held on June 19th! All who attended the picnic appreciated the homemade goodies.

Our next Auxiliary meeting is at 6 PM on Tuesday, September 9th. All current members are invited to attend. Out of respect for your time, I do try to keep the meeting under an hour. There are Auxiliary membership application on the bulletin board if you are interested in joining!

Sincerely,
Debbie Munson, Auxiliary President

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

I am thankful to report that there have been no recent Erie Elks Lodge 67 deaths. Please have a safe Independence Day.

Blessings,
Robert Mazzone, Chaplain

HOUSE COMMITTEE UPDATE

July is going to be another busy month full of fun activities. There is music scheduled both on the patio and in the social quarters. The popular Backyard BBQs will continue. Volunteers are still needed to cook on some dates, so check the bulletin board sign-up sheet. Get a group together for some cooking, and join in the fun! The House Committee would like to thank all of the Lodge members for your support during the transition in the kitchen. The good news is that the Lodge has hired an additional line cook and kitchen manager. A big "thank you" goes out to our staff who have stepped up to keep the kitchen open, allowing us to continue to serve food. In closing, the Lodge will be closed on Friday, July 4th so that everyone can enjoy the holiday with family and friends. Remember this is your Lodge; use it, support it and, finally, promote it.

Sincerely,
Fran Milkowski, PER, DSVP, House Committee Chair

Attention Members: Credit Card Fees

Over the past few years, the Lodge has absorbed the processing fees charged for credit card transactions by the credit card companies. Last year alone, the Lodge paid out approximately \$9,000 in fees. In today's economy, we can no longer continue to pay this. **As of August 1st, 2025, a 5% fee will added to your check for paying with a credit card. Debit cards are considered cash and no fee will be applied.** Thank you in advance for your understanding,

Fran Milkowski, PER

SECRETARY'S DESK

I am excited to announce that Home Services will be a part of Erie Gives this year! I would like to encourage the members of the Lodge to donate on or before August 12th. The Lodge will be given credit for your contribution. For more information on Erie Gives, visit <https://www.eriegives.org/>.

Fraternally,
Laurie Law, Lodge Secretary

EVENTS

LADIES ERIE ELKS AUXILIARY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Get your golf clubs ready!!

Friday, July 11th at 10AM at Orchard Ponds Golf

Course; Registration at 9AM

Sign-ups on the Bulletin Board until July 6th

Tee Times Posted on July 8th

\$30 per person, 9 Hole Scramble

Info/Questions:

Becky Feronti 205-533-4273.



SUNDAY FUNDAY!

JULY 27TH

VIDEO KARAOKE

WITH VJ TONY 3-6PM

Bring a Snack to Share

Beer Buckets Available:

6/ \$15.50 domestic &
Labatt bottles



Check the calendar for live
music, karaoke, indoors and
on the patio all summer!

BACKYARD BBQ

MEMBER-SPONSORED BBQ'S ARE BACK!

JOIN US OUTDOORS FOR GRILLED FOOD & LIVE MUSIC

2025 BBQ'S SUNDAYS FROM 1-5PM

REMAINING...

JULY 6TH & 20TH

AUGUST 3RD & 17TH

SEPTEMBER 7TH



PLEASE VOLUNTEER TO PREPARE FOODS

SIGN UP ON THE BULLETIN BOARD

**** BRING A DISH TO SHARE ****

The Garden Committee is looking for
Volunteers to water the flowers on the
Lodge grounds to maintain the welcoming
appearance of Lodge 67! Please contact

Margie Tracy @ 814-823-2885

**Elks Annual Sullivan Scholarship Golf
Outing**

**at Venango Valley Golf
Course**

August 8th, 2025

Entrance Fee ~ \$110/pp

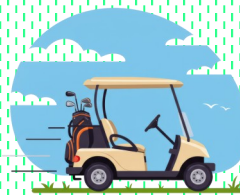
includes 18 holes of golf, hotdogs, chips, beer, and
steak dinner at the Lodge

This golf event is a scramble

Registration: 11am Start time: 12pm

Contacts: Terry Witherow at 814-528-1160

Dave Michalak at 814-397-8021



Bingo

EVERY SATURDAY @ 7PM

And Prime Rib Dinner is Back!

ALSO SPEED BINGO ON JULY 3rd & 17th @ 6PM!

EVENTS

CONTINUED

Check the calendar for live
music, karaoke, indoors and
on the patio all summer!

44th ANNUAL Elks Lodge 67 SUMMER JAMBOREE

benefiting PA Elks Home Services

July 25, 26 & 27

At Family Affair Campground

9640 Findley Lake Rd, North East, PA 16428 *

Live Music, Food, Basket Raffles, Activities,
Games of Chance, Dancing, Lottery Boards

*Contact the campground at 814-725-8112 for camping
and RV accommodations!

<http://www.familyaffaircampground.com>



saturday august 2ND 3-8PM

**\$20/PP HAWAIIAN DISHES, BEER,
GAMES, AND MORE!**

HULA TO THE MUSIC BY TREK SOUND

TICKETS AT BAR JULY 1ST; LIMIT 150 TICKETS



AUXILIARY CASINO BUS TRIP

Sunday, Sept 7th to SENECA ALLEGANY CASINO

\$35pp includes \$30 casino credits! Also donuts, snacks and refreshments along the way! Sign-up on the bulletin board beginning July 8th. Limited to 50 seats, so sign-up early!!! Bus departs at 8:30am and will return by 5pm.



JAMBOREE MUSIC LINE UP

FRIDAY	The Goats	6pm-9pm
SATURDAY	The Jays	11am-3pm
	Geek Army	6pm-9pm

To Volunteer at the Summer
Jamboree, please contact
Chairperson Laurie Law at
(814)434-8212



**TRIVIA
TUESDAY**

Tuesdays July 1st & 15th at 6:30PM

PS: ELKS FAMILY SUMMER PICNIC DETAILS COMING SOON!

Lodge Kitchen Hours:

Sunday: CLOSED

Monday: CLOSED

Tuesday thru Saturday: 5PM - 9PM

Happy Hour M-F: 5pm - 7pm,

S-S: 9pm-11pm

Lodge Social Hours:

Sunday 11AM - 9PM

Monday 2PM - 9PM

Tuesday-Thurs 2PM -10PM

Friday 2PM -12AM

Saturday 11AM -11PM


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Daily Drink Specials

BEER OF THE MONTH: BUD LIGHT POUNDERS \$3.00**BEER BUCKETS: 6/ \$15.50 DOMESTICS & LABATTS****SUNDAY: TEQUILA SUNRISE****\$3.50****MONDAY: SEAGRAM'S 7****\$3.00****TUESDAY: 8oz LAMBRUSCO****\$5.00****WEDNESDAY: 16oz COORS LIGHT DRAFT****\$2.00****THURSDAY: REDD'S APPLE ALE****\$2.75****FRIDAY: SMIRNOFF PINEAPPLE COCONUT****\$2.75****SATURDAY: COCONUT RUM****\$2.75**

Happy Hour Monday thru Friday from 5-7pm & Saturday from 9-11pm

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
*Kitchen Closed **Leagues for pre-enrolled Players Only •Dinner Specials • Lodge	Functions • Music & Entertainment • Holiday •Events & Activities	1 Chicken Salad Wrap OR BLT TRIVIA 6:30PM BOCCE League 6:30PM S - E - L	2 WING NIGHT & Chicken Bacon Ranch OR Buffalo Chicken Flatbread Pizza CORNHOLE League 6:30PM- - - E - C - T	3 Italian Platter Chicken or Steak Salad BOCCE League 6PM - G - R - I	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY  LODGE CLOSED - L - L -	5 Prime Rib Dinner BINGO 7PM M - E - N - U
6 * BACKYARD BBQ 1-5PM	7 *	8 Chicken Stir Fry Cowboy Burger BOCCE League 6:30PM S - E - L	9 WING NIGHT & Meatlovers Flatbread Pizza CORNHOLE League 6:30PM - E - C - T	10 Hawaiian Burger Ham & Scalloped Potatoes BOCCE League 6PM THE JAYS 6-9PM ON THE PATIO - G - R - I	11 Filet Medallions Yuengling Fish THE BB2 7-11PM - L - L -	12 Prime Rib Dinner BINGO 7PM M - E - N - U
13 *	14 *	15 Egg Salad Croissant Chicken Cordon Bleu TRIVIA 6:30PM BOCCE League 6:30PM	16 WING NIGHT & Taco Flatbread Pizza CORNHOLE League 6:30PM	17 Chicken & Biscuits Turkey Rachael SPEED BINGO 6PM	18 City Chicken Coconut Shrimp TREK SOUND 7-11PM	19 Prime Rib Dinner BINGO 7PM
20 * BACKYARD BBQ 1-5PM THE JAYS 2-5PM	21 * TRUSTEES MEETING 6PM	22 Meatloaf Strawberry Chicken Salad BOCCE League 6:30PM	23 WING NIGHT & Meaty Supreme Flatbread Pizza CORNHOLE League 6:30PM	24 Lasagna PER MTG 6PM BOCCE League 6PM JACK CAMPBELL 6-9PM ON THE PATIO	25 J - A - M Yuengling Fish OPEN JUKEBOX 7-11PM	26 - B - O - R Prime Rib Dinner BINGO 7PM
27 * - E - E SUNDAY FUNDAY w/ VIDEO KARAOKE DJ TONY 3-6PM	28 * LODGE MEETING 7PM	29 Key West Chicken Cheddar Jalapeño Burger BOCCE League 6:30PM	30 WING NIGHT & Philly Flatbread Pizza CORNHOLE League 6:30PM	31 Maple Bacon Bourbon Glazed Salmon Cashew Shrimp Salad	PLEASE NOTE: NO BAR SERVICE WILL TAKE PLACE WHILE LODGE MEETINGS ARE IN SESSION. SERVICE RESUMES WHEN MEETING CONCLUDES. PLEASE LOWER UMBRELLAS WHEN NOT IN USE.	



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Backyard BBQ Summer Fun!



Lodge Flag Day Ceremony 2025

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