



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

APRIL 2026 NEWSLETTER

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Lodge #67 Officers 2026-2027

Exalted Ruler: Greg Kindle
Leading Knight: Blake Myers
Loyal Knight: Christine Pustelak
Lecturing Knight: Harry Morgan
Secretary: Laurie Law
Treasurer: Tracy VanHoyweghen
Esquire: R. Scott Seib, PER, PDDGER
Inner Guard: Jim Law, PER, PDDGER
Tiler: Tracy Weinheimer
Chaplain: Robert Mazzone

TRUSTEES

Dave Parker, PER 1 Year
 Don Langer, PER 2 Year
 Fran Milkowski, PER, DDGER 3 Year
 Becky Feronti, PER 4 Year
 Bob Gerlach 5 Year

Lodge #67 Auxiliary Officers 2026-2027

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 2026-2027

Chairman: Dave Parker, PER
 Dan Amann
 Paul Mayr
 Dave Miller
 JoAnn Puskus
 Bob Straub
 Terry Straub

Exalted Ruler's Message Greetings Elks Lodge 67 Members,

April is the start of a New Year for the B.P.O.E, and I'm honored to be your Exalted Ruler of Lodge 67. First, I would like to thank R. Scott Seib, PER, PDDGER for all of his hard work. We faced some challenges this past year, and with his guidance the Lodge pulled through, and for this we are stronger. Scott, thank you for all your hard work and leadership. Second, I would like to thank Jim Law, PER, PDDGER for his past 15+ years of service as a Trustee. Your knowledge of the Elks Organization is invaluable. Finally, thank you Sue Ozimek! Your countless years of distinguished service as an Officer are much appreciated, and we look forward to your continuing contributions to the Auxiliary. THANK YOU for your endless dedication to the Erie Elks Lodge!

Once again, the House Committee members and bartenders will be checking Membership cards starting April 1st. Please be sure to have your current and signed Membership card with you when entering the Lodge. This is a P.L.C.B. law, so kindly present your card when asked. If you have paid your dues but need your card, see the bar staff or Laurie Law.

The Lodge will be Closed on Easter Sunday, April 5th. Happy Easter, everyone!

This month's activities begin on April 6th, for Dyngus Day. We will be celebrating with Polish dishes and music from 2-5PM. Please bring a dish to share. The Inaugural Dinner is on Friday, April 10th. Geeks Unplugged will be playing that night, so come bring in the Elks New Year with us! Dinner tickets are available. See page 3 for details.

We continue to have our popular activities including, Tuesday Night Trivia, Thursday Night Speed Bingo, Friday Night Entertainment, and of course, Saturday Night Bingo! See the calendar for dates and details.

A little reminder: always be NICE and KIND to one another.

Fraternally,

Greg Kindle, Exalted Ruler



LODGE #67 CONTRIBUTIONS 2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR

GRAND TOTAL: \$125,282.00

Contributions in March 2026 went to:
PA ELKS HOME SERVICES



Monthly News



AUXILIARY NEWS

Happy Spring!!

The April Auxiliary lottery raffle ticket winners will be posted weekly on the bulletin board. All checks will be mailed to the winner's address as listed on the ticket stubs. Thanks to all who sold and bought tickets.

On April 6th we will hold our installation of the Auxiliary Officers for the 2026-2027 term at our 6PM meeting. The following officers were elected at the March meeting: Debbie Munson- President, Pam Henning- Vice President, Kelly Minns- Treasurer, Carol Jacobowski- Secretary, and Colleen Gourley- Financial Secretary.

It is now membership renewal time. Auxiliary memberships are \$15 for the 2026-2027 year. This entitles you to visit the Lodge, buy drinks and food in the social quarters, gamble on small games of chance, and sign up for the daily and weekly drawings. You may not, however, bring guests in with you or vote in any Lodge matter. If you would like to join the Auxiliary, membership forms and info are on the Lodge Bulletin Board.

We are looking for gift baskets for the raffle at the Jamboree. If you would like to donate a raffle basket, please set it on the table below the daily/weekly winners board, marked "Aux raffle". We also accept items to be used in baskets, as well as empty baskets. Mark "Aux raffle" on the item(s) and/or basket(s). If you have any

questions please contact me, Debbie, at 814-651-3227.

Sincerely,
Debbie Munson,
Lodge 67 Auxiliary President

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

This month we mourn the loss of our fellow Elk [Rudy Passauer](#) on March 15th.

Blessings,
Robert Mazzone, Lodge 67 Chaplain

GUN RAFFLE COMMITTEE

With another Gun Raffle completed, we would like to thank all of our hardworking volunteers for their dedication and support! Once again, the Gun Raffle was a great success. With all hands on deck, the Lodge raised \$54,000!

We also would like to thank our gracious sponsors and our loyal event attendees. Please remember to do business with our local sponsors. We look forward to seeing everyone around the Lodge, and hope you have a great year!

As always, Elks Care, Elks Share.

Your Gun Raffle Committee,
Doug Miller, Tim Parker, Paul Mayr

Welcome New Members!

Erie Elks Lodge #67 initiated a notable 46 new Members in March! They are Ryan Adams, Brian Bernatowicz, Diane Bolt, W. John Collins, Rosemary Cvecko, Ronald DelPorto, Judith Doyle, Timothy Farley, Mel Farver, Donald Freeman, John Hall, Shane Henneberry, Judy Hyde, Jason Keller, Robin Keller, Michael Kelly, Alexa Klemm, Christopher Kuntz, Deborah Kuntz, Edward Lamp, Suzanne Leonard, Timothy Leonard, Anthony Liberatore, Gregory Manley, Jeffrey Means, Michelle Means, Kathleen Miller, Peter Morgan, Mallory Mosier, Barbara Nealon, James Nealon, Cathleen Norris, John Phillips, Marsha Phillips, Richard Pire, Vicki Potts, Clement Sauers, Michael Shoop, Cynthia Skladanowski, Susan Smialek-Smith, Heidi Stritzinger, Tamrea Tregaskis, Melissa Villanueva, David Ward, and Danna Zimmer.



Future Events



TUESDAYS APRIL 7TH & 21ST AT 6:30PM

\$2 LABATT BLUE LIGHT DRAFT SPECIAL
DURING THURSDAY NIGHT PENGUINS GAMES!



<https://www.nhl.com/penguins/schedule/2025/fullseason>

BINGO every SATURDAY NIGHT at 7pm
Daub the night away!



DYNGUS DAY
MONDAY, APRIL 6TH
2PM-5PM



POLISH MUSIC + KIELBASA & KRAUT
PLEASE BRING A SIDE DISH TO SHARE!

6th ANNUAL JIM FERONTI GOLF TOURNAMENT

TO BENEFIT PA ELKS HOME SERVICES

Friday May 29th
at Beechwood Golf Club

Scramble Format, \$75/person

Includes cart, snacks, prizes, and dinner afterwards at the Lodge

Registration 9-9:45am & shotgun start at 10am

See the Bulletin Board to sign your 4-some up early; limited to first 100 golfers

Hole Sponsorship Available at \$100 & \$50

contact Becky Feronti (205) 533-4273 or Laurie Law at (814) 434-8212



B.P.O.E. Elks Lodge #67



MEN'S MONDAY NIGHT 2-MAN GOLF LEAGUE

League Meeting Wednesday, APRIL 8th at 6:30PM

in the Lodge Social Quarters

BOTH PLAYERS MUST BE CURRENT ELKS LODGE MEMBERS*

PAYMENT DUE NIGHT OF MEETING

\$60 LEAGUE FEES

OPTIONAL \$20 SKINS

OPTIONAL HOLE #9 TEE SHOT, \$16 (CASH ONLY)

LEAGUE TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO BEGIN

MONDAY, MAY 11th AT 4PM

AT ORCHARD PONDS GOLF CLUB

8007 Pagan Rd, Erie, PA 16509

18 SCHEDULED MONDAY EVENTS FOR THE LEAGUE YEAR

***If a single golfer is interested, we will try to pair them with another single golfer.**

Questions? Contact DAVE MICHALAK (814)397-8021
or TERRY WITHEROW (814)528-1160



2026 Elks Lodge No. 67

Inaugural Dinner

Honoring Our Past

Friday, April 10th from 6-9pm

Starters 6:15-7pm

Shrimp Cocktail, Mushrooms with Sausage, Meat & Cheese tray

Buffet Dinner 7pm

4oz Medallion, Stuffed Chicken Breast, Roasted Red Potatoes, Vegetable Medley, Salad and Dinner Rolls

Music by Geeks Unplugged

\$25pp due at sign-up

Business casual dress; no jeans

Lodge Kitchen Hours:

Sunday: Closed

Monday: Closed

Tuesday thru Friday Dinner Menu: 5-9PM

Saturday Lunch Menu: 12-4PM

Dinner Menu: 5-9PM

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: MILLER LITE BOTTLES \$2.50

SUNDAY:	MIMOSA	\$4.00	THURSDAY: TWISTED TEA LIGHT	\$3.00
MONDAY:	JEZYNOWKA BRANDY	\$2.50	FRIDAY: ADMIRAL NELSON'S RUM	\$2.50
TUESDAY:	8oz RIESLING	\$5.00	SATURDAY: TOM COLLINS	\$4.00
WEDNESDAY:	16oz MICH ULTRA DRAFT	\$2.25		

Happy Hour Monday-Friday 5-7pm & Saturday 12-2pm & 9-11pm

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
*Kitchen Closed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dinner Specials Lodge Functions Holidays 			1 WING NIGHT & Flatbread Special	2 Meatball Hoagies Spaghetti & Meatballs SPEED BINGO 6PM	3 GOOD FRIDAY Strawberry Shrimp Salad Yuengling Battered Haddock BUS 17 7-10PM	4 Strawberry Shrimp Salad Blackened Salmon Prime Rib Dinner BINGO 7PM
5* EASTER SUNDAY LODGE CLOSED 	6* DYNGUS DAY See p. 3  AUXILIARY MEETING 7PM	7 Tacos & Taco Salad TRIVIA 6:30PM	8 WING NIGHT & Flatbread Special	9 Liver and Onions	10 Stuffed Shells INAUGURAL DINNER Geeks Unplugged 7-11PM	11 Chicken Salad Croissant BINGO 7PM
12*	13* LODGE MEETING 7PM	14 City Chicken Prime Rib Dinner	15 WING NIGHT & Flatbread	16 Breakfast for Dinner Steak & Eggs Eggs Benedict SPEED BINGO 6PM	17 Lobster and Filet Trek Sound 7-10PM	18 Polish Cuisine Prime Rib Dinner BINGO 7PM
19*	20* TRUSTEES MEETING 6PM	21 Taco Night TRIVIA 6:30PM	22 WING NIGHT & Flatbread Special 	23 Chicken Pot Pie	24 Smoked Meats Night Surf'N'Turf House of Rhythm 7-10PM	25 Liver And Onions BINGO 7PM
26*	27* LODGE MEETING 7PM	28 Prime Rib Dinner	29 WING NIGHT & Flatbread Special	30 Lasagna	PLEASE NOTE: NO BAR SERVICE DURING LODGE MEETINGS	



March Lodge Highlights



Breakfast with the Easter Bunny
Hoppy Easter!



March New Member Initiation
We had a remarkable 45 New Members this past month.
We look forward to seeing you at the Lodge!

