



Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks  
 Tarentum Lodge #644  
 219 East Sixth Avenue  
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# Elks Times

October 2024

## Our 2024-25 Elks Officers

*Exalted Ruler* - Greg Prohaska, PER  
*Leading Knight* – John (Bud) Jesih  
*Loyal Knight* – John Orr  
*Lecturing Knight* – Lisa Anuskiewicz  
*Secretary* - Paul Stasko, PER  
*Treasurer* – Debbie Checkeye  
*Esquire* – Appointed  
*Tiler* – May Prohaska  
*Inner Guard* – Stanley (Bucky) Lojak  
*Chaplain* – Kim Cuneo  
*Three Year Trustee* – Aaron Sasinoski  
*Two Year Trustee* – Erik Checkeye  
*One Year Trustee* – Rick Smith, PER

**B. P. O. E.**

Best  
People  
On  
Earth!!

**Are YINZ ready for  
some FOOTBALL??**

**Here We Go STEELERS,  
Here We Go!!**

### LODGE HOURS

CLOSED Sunday thru Tuesday  
 Wednesday – Thursday 5:00pm – 10:00pm  
 Friday & Saturday 5:00pm – 12:00am

### ATTABOY'S KITCHEN HOURS

Wednesday – Friday 5:00pm – 8:30pm  
 WEEKLY SPECIALS as well as their full menu  
 Take-out is also available

**TARENTUM ELKS LODGE 644  
OPEN FOR  
AFTERNOON  
GAMES**

**2024-2025 REGULAR SEASON  
STEELERS GAMES**

DATE	VENUE	OPPONENT	GAME TIME	CLUB OPENS
<b>SUNDAY OCTOBER 13</b>	AWAY	RAIDERS	4:05 PM	3:00 PM
<b>SUNDAY NOVEMBER 10</b>	AWAY	COMMANDERS	1:00 PM	12:00 NOON
<b>SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17</b>	HOME	RAVENS	1:00 PM	12:00 NOON
<b>SUNDAY DECEMBER 1</b>	AWAY	BENGALS	1:00 PM	12:00 NOON
<b>SUNDAY DECEMBER 8</b>	HOME	BROWNS	1:00 PM	12:00 NOON
<b>SUNDAY DECEMBER 15</b>	AWAY	EAGLES	4:25 PM	3:30 PM
<b>SATURDAY DECEMBER 21</b>	AWAY	RAVENS	4:30 PM	4:00 PM

**2024 POST SEASON GAMES TBD  
FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE.  
ALL GAMES AND TIMES CONTINGENT  
UPON CONTINUED ATTENDANCE.**



## PENN STATE TAILGATE PARTY

**Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**

Game starts at NOON (doors open at 11am) against the Maryland Terrapins  
**WE ARE!!**

Food will be provided along with a cash bar and drink specials. Enjoy PSU gift giveaways and raffles.

Members and Guests Welcome



**Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>**  
8pm - 11pm

**A dynamic and entertaining six-person band that performs a diverse mix of classic rock/dance hits.**

Check out their Facebook page at  
<https://www.facebook.com/ShotOSoul>

Members and Guests Welcome

**\$\$\$ CASH BASH \$\$\$**  
**TICKETS are SOLD OUT**

**Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> – Doors open at NOON**

### TICKET INCLUDES:

Admittance of ONE PERSON per ticket, food (available at 2pm) and beverages.

Cost of \$20 per ticket

Drawings held every 10 minutes

**ALL WINNERS MUST SHOW PICTURE ID TO CLAIM PRIZES**



## KARAOKE NIGHT

**BUCKY-OKIE to follow the CASH BASH**  
(a mix of music and karaoke)

## HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARTY

(costumes are optional)

**Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
8pm – 11pm

**PRIZES will be given for best costume/s!!**

## Americana Band

featuring

Your favorite classic country and Americana music!

Check out their Facebook page at  
<https://www.facebook.com/americanaBand>  
and!



- 11/16 – Bucky Okie Karaoke 8-11pm
- 11/23 – Cool Change Band 8-11pm
- 12/07 – Kids' Christmas Party Noon-3pm
- 12/14 – Adult Member Christmas Party 6-11pm
- 12/21 – Bucky Okie Karaoke 8-11pm
- 12/31 – New Year's Eve Party with Americana Band



## Sneaker Fundraiser (ongoing)

Put those old sneakers to good use!

Place your old tennis shoes and/or sneakers in the box beside the ATM machine and we will do the rest!

All proceeds benefit our Elks Home Service Program.

At GotSneakers, we're making it socially and financially rewarding to contribute to a circular economy with our FREE sneaker recycling programs. When you join our sneaker recycling community, you will be making a global impact AND you will earn money for every pair of sneakers you contribute.

Check out their website for more information at  
<https://gotsneakers.com>

If you have any questions, please contact Deb Kovel at (330) 429-0879.

**A message  
from the  
Dart League**



**The League is  
looking for a  
few new  
players!**

**The season  
runs from the  
first Thursday  
in January  
through  
March.**

**It starts at 6pm  
and is usually  
done by about  
8:30pm.**

**There is a  
great party at  
the end of our  
"season"!**

**If you are  
interested,  
please text or  
email Shelly at  
724-448-3383  
or [bpoesnoop  
yde@gmail.co  
m](mailto:bpoesnoop<br/>yde@gmail.com)**

## **AttaBoy's Charity Soup Sale Reminder!**

**Charity Soup Sale** – For the third consecutive year, AttaBoy's will be selling quarts of homemade soups each month to benefit charity. They will be offering 2 different kinds, and the cost is \$10 per quart.

The soups available this month will be BEEF VEGETABLE and CREAM OF MUSHROOM. The soups must be pre-ordered! Beginning October 2<sup>nd</sup>, there will be a sign-up sheet located by the Daily Book OR you can email AttaBoy's at [ataboysfoodservice@outlook.com](mailto:ataboysfoodservice@outlook.com). If you have any suggestions or special requests, please email them and they will add it to their list. **The pick-up date will be on Wednesday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, between the hours of 5:00pm to 8:00pm.** The soups will be in quart containers and will be cold. Thank you in advance for your orders.

Proceeds from the sales this year will support **FUN and FREEDOM YOUTH SPORTS**. Fun and Freedom was founded in 2003 by Deeni Riddle as a Christian faith-based non-profit organization. The organization strives to find a safe, healthy forum that offers a wide range of activities that will appeal to all youth. What began in 2003 as teaching only basketball skills have grown into a multi-faceted organization! They conduct year-round multi-sports activities, family and community outreaches, local and international missions and have a vision for growth via their camp development project.

Their commitment is to continue to develop and direct activities and programs that will provide opportunities for youth targeting key areas of their growth and development so they may:

*Become Physically Fit \* Become Socially Well Adjusted \* Become Morally and Spiritually Aware and Grow in Faith \* Increase Their Self Esteem*

Check out their website at [www.funandfreedom.com](http://www.funandfreedom.com)

**Gift Certificates Available** – AttaBoy's Kitchen is still offering Gift Certificates. Please see any of their kitchen staff if you wish to purchase one. They will be available in \$25.00 denominations. These make great gifts for birthday's, Christmas, a thank-you, etc... Thank you, AttaBoy's, for your continued service to our Lodge!!

## **NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!!**

We are looking to grow our Elks! Do you know of any family, relatives and friends who would enjoy our Lodge? Please invite them to attend an event with you or bring them in for dinner and a beverage. Applications are available in the entry hallway. All they will need is a \$10 deposit along with a completed application. When they are initiated, the \$10 will be applied towards their dues. If you have any membership questions, please contact Debbie Checkeye at [bpostarsatun644@gmail.com](mailto:bpostarsatun644@gmail.com)



# OCTOBER

Tarentum Elks Lodge  
No. 644

# 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 7pm Men's Euchre Away vs. Krivan	2 BINGO Night 5-8pm Soup P/U Kitchen	3	4	5 11pm (doors open) 12pm (start time) Penn State Tailgate Party
6	7 7pm Committee Meeting 	8 7pm Men's Euchre @ Home vs. Krivan	9 BINGO Night Kitchen	10 Ladies' Euchre 	11	12 8-11pm Shot 'O Soul Band
13 4:05pm – Game Over (doors open at 3pm) Steelers Watch Party vs. Raiders	14 7pm Lodge Meeting 	15 7pm Men's Euchre Away vs. Owl's Club	16 BINGO Night Kitchen	17	18	19 12pm (doors open) 2pm (start time) Fall Cash Bash 8-11pm Bucky-Okie
20	21	22 7pm Men's Euchre @ Home vs. Owl's Club	23 BINGO Night Kitchen	24 Ladies' Euchre 	25	26
27	28	29 7pm Men's Euchre Away vs. Creighton Slovak	30	31 	Nov. 1	2 8-11pm Americana Band Halloween Party/Prizes

## ACTIVITY CONTACTS:

**BINGO:** Terry Hendrickson (412) 496-5782  
**Dart League:** Shelly DeLancey (724) 448-3383  
**Entertainment Committee:** Rick Smith (724) 448-5504  
 Kim Cuneo (412) 915-0138  
**Ladies' Euchre League:** Terri Bowser (724) 295-3253  
**Men's Travelling Euchre League:** Lou Prignon (724) 889-7277

## CALENDAR NOTATIONS

**AttaBoy's Kitchen** – Open from 5pm – 8:30pm  
**BINGO** – Doors open at 5pm  
**Ladies' Euchre League** meets at 5:30pm