

Elks Times

Tarentum Lodge #644 219 East Sixth Avenue Tarentum, PA 15084 (724) 226-1644

September 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 Checkeve **Esquire** – Appointed *Tiler* – May Prohaska *Inner Guard* – Stanley (Bucky) Lojak **Chaplain** – Kim Cuneo Three Year Trustee – Aaron Sasinoski Two Year Trustee -Erik Checkeve One Year Trustee – Rick Smith, PER

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Best People On Earth!!

AttaBoy's Charity Soup Sale is Back!

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.

LODGE HOURS

Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks

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

Website: www.elks644.org

The soups available this month will be WEDDING and BEEF BARLEY. The soups must be pre-ordered! Beginning September 6th, there will be a sign-up sheet located by the Daily Book OR you can email AttaBoy's at attaboysfoodservice@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, October 2nd, 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 vour 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

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!!



Saturday, Sept. 14th 8pm-11pm

Americana Band

featuring

Your favorite classic country and Americana music!

Check out their Facebook page at

https://www.facebook.com/american aband1



Saturday, September 21st 8pm - 11pm

BUCKY-OKIE KARAOKE as our host!

"Name that Tune" game will start at 7:30pm followed by Karaoke...

PRIZES will be awarded to the winning team of each round.





10/05 - Penn State Watch Party (Details TBA)

10/12 - Shot 'O Soul Band 8-11pm

10/19 - Fall Cash Bash w/Bucky Okie

11/02 – Halloween Costume Party with Americana Band (prize for best costume) 8-11pm

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

MONTHLY BIRTHDAY DINNERS
ARE BACK!!

(starting this month - September)

The Elks will provide all members with a "BIRTHDAY COUPON" to be used any Friday during your birthday month (no exceptions). This is a "coupon" for up to \$15 off your AttaBoy's food purchase. There is no cash value.

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LOOK for this to arrive the month before your birthday!



This is a one-time use coupon for dine-in only food items provided by AttaBoy's Kitchen.

Coupon is not valid for bar purchases...

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

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SEPTEMBER

Tarentum Elks Lodge No. 644

- Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 LABOR DAY	3	BINGO NIGHT	5	6	7
8	7pm Lodge Meeting	10	Kitchen 11 BINGO Kitchen OPEN -	12 Ladies' Euchre	13	8-11pm Americana Band
15	16	17	18 BINGO Night Kitchen	19	20	8-11pm Bucky-Okie Karaoke
22	23	24	25 BINGO Night Kitchen	26 Ladies' Euchre	27	28 8-11pm 50's Dance 56 East Band
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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