

# REFLECTIONS

September 2020

(419) 893-7272

Scheduled events are tentative and subject to change

## Exalted Ruler's Message

Hello Maumee BG Elks 1850!

I hope this message finds you well and healthy! It's hard to fathom that we are at summer's end. This year in particular has been a very strange year, barely seems like we even had a summer at all.

There are many good things that continue to happen, especially concerning #1850. Our membership, while many are distancing at home, continues to participate. The 150 Club is back in full swing, we continue to support veterans service groups, and our Secretary has proudly completed several grants that are available to us so we may keep assisting other charitable organizations in our community. There is much brotherly love surrounding us, we only need to be diligent in finding it, and ignore the negative.

While many organizations struggle to survive, we are fortunate to have each other, and the building we occupy. I have recently had conversation with gentlemen that belong to other groups in other cities, and both were impressed by our facility. Both commented that it takes a strong membership to maintain a building, and we must be especially strong. I hope you all take pride in what we do have, and I appreciate your continued participation and support.

On a very personal note (I always try to make this message about business) I would like to thank everyone that has reached out to me and my family concerning the passing of my husband Dan. To say it was shocking would be a huge understatement, but it was very comforting to share kind words and cards during this difficult time, and I love you for your sentiment.

Please continue to be the wonderful group of people that you are! Practice social distancing, and stay healthy so we may all come together and perform the good work we do.

Fraternally,  
Amy Jo Lowry, ER, PER



## Trustee position available

We will have an open 3 year Trustee position available soon. Nominations will be held Sept. 9, with voting Sept. 23, 2020.

### \*\*\*Volunteers Needed\*\*\*

The Lodge is thinking about serving chicken BBQ on Sundays between 11:00 - 2:00. This would be open to the public. Price would be \$8 a dinner for members, \$9 a dinner for non-members. Just show your dues card. The dinners would be carry-out through the alley or dine inside the Lodge. This is an Elks fundraiser. All funds made are for lodge maintenance such as resurfacing the parking lot, remodeling the ballroom, etc. But to do this, we need volunteers - barbequing chicken, boxing dinners, bartender, clean-up, etc. If interested in volunteering, call/sign-up at the Lodge. Please leave your name, phone number, and area of interest. Thank you!



### Friday Night Entertainment

The Dance Committee met in early July to discuss how and when to start having entertainment on Friday nights.

We have the plans for SAFE Fridays & music all set and ready to go as soon as it is safe to return to the ballroom.

### SAFETY IS PRIORITY

You will be notified, in advance, of entertainment starting. Please keep an eye out for emails from the elks, fellow dancers & the Elks newsletter for updates.

Looking forward to seeing everyone!



## Queen of Hearts Rules Update

If you get a non-heart queen or a joker and the jackpot is low, you will receive 10% for a queen and 15% for a joker or \$100, whichever is greater.

**In order to play the Queen of Hearts, your membership dues must be paid through April 1, 2020**



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## 19th Annual Maumee-BG Elks Golf Outing

### Sunday, September 13, 2020

**Golf 8:00 a.m. Shotgun**  
**White Pines Golf course**

Four (4) person scramble \$70 per person or \$280 per team, pay \$260 + \$20 for proximities and skins, hot dogs, pop and beer are free. Donations of prizes accepted

**Don't be shut out - Sign up**

*Each team must consist of one Elks member*  
**\*\*Max 30 teams**

**Then come back to the Elks for a CYO steak dinner.**  
**\*Steak tickets are only good the day of the event.**

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## Lifetime Membership June 10, 2020

The following member requests the membership to consider him for Life Membership in Maumee BG Elks Lodge No. 1850. He has met the requirements of Grand Lodge Statutes, Section 14.260 and balloting on his application will be June 10, 2020.

James Hudik, Born: June 19, 1954, Initiated: March 13, 1979. James has been a member in good standing for 43 years.

## A Note from the Secretary

Hello All,

The Ohio State Football tickets are not being sold at this time. Anyone who purchased the tickets this year will be in the drawing for next year.

Please do not bring clothes, shoes or items with material for the veteran donations until further notice. The places we normally donate to are not accepting these items due to Covid. They are accepting cash donations. We plan to apply for the Beacon grant for veterans, but may only be able to give monies and/or gift cards.

Watch for some menu changes as the kitchen adds items and lowers some prices.

Hope to see you at the Lodge,  
Kathy



## In Memoriam

### To Our Absent Loved Ones

*"The clock of their day has stopped and across the dial motionless hands mark the hour of eleven, with us, the golden hour of recollection."*

#### EUGENE R. FULLER

Born: February 15, 1929  
Initiated: March 22, 1978  
Died: August 8, 2020

#### LAWRENCE F. BOESEL

Born: October 22, 1935  
Initiated: February 21, 2006  
Died: August 7, 2020

#### DUWANE ST. JOHNS

Born: October 14, 1939  
Initiated: March 22, 2017  
Died: July 16, 2020

*The faults of our loved ones we write upon the sands, their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory.*

# PLEASE WASH YOUR HANDS



## From the Trustees

Fridays and Saturdays, the Lodge will remain open until 10 p.m., provided we have enough customers.

Members will not be able to purchase additional chips for drinks and beer during Happy Hour. You can drink as you go, not save up chips for other times.

Effective August 2, 2020, the weekly book will be pulled Saturday evenings at 8:00, with the drawings (weekly and queens) held at 8:30 p.m.

Just a reminder, please do not move the tables or chairs. They are set up according to state mandates.

Thank you.

## MAUMEE-BG ELKS #1850 PATRON LIST

In Loving Memory  
of James B. Adams  
By Pat Adams

In Loving Memory  
of Jim Batch  
By Brenda Batch

In Loving Memory  
of Gerry Biggs  
By Sue Biggs

In Loving Memory  
of Steve Cook  
By Deb Cook

In Loving Memory  
of Ginger Crooks  
By Harry Crooks

Charles I. Davis  
In Loving Memory  
of Chet and Doris Demski

In Loving Memory  
of Bob Armstrong  
In Loving Memory  
of Richard G., Rod &  
Ellen Dinkens

Jerry & Bev Fall  
In Loving Memory  
of Tom Gollehon  
By Jan Gollehon

Richard & Sheila Krieger  
In Loving Memory  
of Bennie I. Gerwert  
Shirley Gerwert

Fred & Susan Harrigan  
John Kuron  
In Memory of  
John Leonard

By Bill, Pat, Jon, Ben, &  
Jessie Roper

In Loving Memory  
of Anna, Frank & Ken  
Michalski & Tom Perna  
By Shirley Perna

John R. Lavery  
In Loving Memory  
of George F. Peters  
By Rita Peters

In Loving Memory of  
Kenneth Preston  
In Loving Memory  
of Robert P. Turner, PER  
Turtles Pond #3

## Elks Window Decals



Liquid glass decals are now available to our lodge for members to purchase. The purchase price is \$1! The liquid glass coating adds incredible gloss and extended durability so it won't roll up, crack, or split.

## PLEASE NOTE!

Trustee minutes are posted on the bulletin board in the hallway by the restrooms.

**Thank you!**

# TACO TUESDAYS! 4:00 - 8:00 P.M. Every Tuesday

3 Hard or Soft Tacos  
\$3.75

### Nachos

w/Cheese \$3.50

w/Beef \$4.50

Sour Cream \$ .50

Guacamole \$ .75

Taco Salad \$7.50

Conqueso Dip w/Chips

\$2.50

add Meat \$4.00

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Elks Launch Campaign to Support Pearl Harbor!

At the 2019 Elks National Convention in St. Louis, PGER Mike Luhr issued a challenge to the Elks members to raise funds for the Pearl Harbor National Memorial in Hawaii.

With contributions from Elks across the country, we can preserve, restore and modernize the USS Arizona Memorial.

The Elks are partnering with the Pacific Historical Parks, a WWII-focused 501(c)(3) tax-exempt public benefit organization that oversees the Pearl Harbor National Memorial.

Funds raised will be used to replace faded and peeling outdoor exhibits, build digital and interactive displays, modernize the museums with iPads and touch screens, and install new programs and software.

Collectively, these funds will help the museum better educate and serve all museum visitors. Our ultimate goal is to raise \$783,000,

or a dollar per member, to truly help preserve history, perpetuate peace and reconciliation and ensure that the memories of our veterans are never forgotten.

These contributions will help honor the service and dedication of Americans whose profound contributions to our nation should never be forgotten, so that generations to come will know and appreciate the enormous sacrifices of the Greatest Generation.



Will you help?  
Make a donation at  
[enf.elks.org/PHC](http://enf.elks.org/PHC).

Make checks out to Elks National Foundation and write Pearl Harbor Campaign in the memo. Mail to 2750 N. Lakeview Ave., Chicago, IL 60614. Please note donations will not count toward your Lodge's ENF per-member-giving total or your personal ENF recognition levels.

## Lodge Officers for 2020-2021

Exalted Ruler ..Amy Jo Lowry, PER  
Leading Knight .....Larry Stadler  
Loyal Knight .....Susanne Stadler  
Lecturing Knight.....Kevin Haddad  
Secretary .....Kathlynn Jackson  
Treasurer .....Sharon Jaquay  
Tiler .....Victor Brigner  
Esquire .....Vacant  
Chaplain .....Matthew Meinke  
Inner Guard .....Vacant  
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4 Yr. Trustee ..Donald S. Williams II  
3 Yr. Trustee .....Vacant  
2 Yr. Trustee.....Tim Aberl  
1 Yr. Trustee G.Thomas Machoukas

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# September Birthdays

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| 1 Karen Ackerman<br>Toby Feltus<br>Jeffrey J. Ramsay<br>Gary J. Robinson<br>Alfred L. Turski | 2 Peggy Mae Eitzman<br>James P. Francis<br>Mark J. Gorman<br>Julie Spann-Johnson<br>Randal L. Taylor<br>Stephen Toth | 3 James L. Freeworth | 4 Russell Burke<br>William M. Connelly<br>Steven E. Foster<br>Bruce A. Lewis<br>Joseph A. Stamm | 6 Paul F. Gabriel<br>Lawrence F. Godlewski<br>Martin G. Pauken<br>Michael J. Pauken<br>David H. Stamm<br>Robert C. Worth | 7 John Fulton | 8 William F. Koepfer<br>John M. Meier<br>Timothy E. Palenske<br>Lawrence N. Schultz<br>Ronald M. Swartz<br>Ronald L. Trumbull | 9 Cloyce Carlen<br>Peter J. Govito<br>Paul William Kervin<br>Stephen J. Mason | 10 | 11 Mark W. Karchner<br>Jeanne L. Parker | 12 Mark E. Hipsher<br>James L. Kennedy<br>Thomas Wise<br>Harley L. Wulff | 13 Robert G. Bartlett<br>Thomas D. Kwiatkowski<br>George Oravec<br>Robert J. Siminiak<br>Kevin J. Smith | 14 Carolyn I. Berg<br>Robert J. Nowak<br>Edward L. Rutkowski | 15 Thomas L. Butler III<br>John Momenie<br>Joseph H. Pastorek | 16 Gerald Murphy<br>James R. Penchef | 17 Delaurel W. Michel<br>Victoria J. Sweeney<br>Paul J. Upman | 18 Larry R. Ballard<br>Richard A. Krieger<br>Ray G. Pemberton<br>Phillip Watts | 19 Frank A. Armstrong<br>Michael E. Cook<br>Joseph Duszynski<br>Shannon G. Meyer<br>Philip A. Williams<br>Karen Yount | 20 Harold H. Brandman<br>Bernard F. Brassil | Joyce Mease<br>Vincent S. Polcyn | 21 Ruby Fifer<br>Kenneth Hahn<br>Jack L. Williams | 22 Donald E. Bolin<br>James Allen Bower<br>Harold 'Bud' Crary<br>Brett J. Harlett<br>Thomas V. Hoag<br>Merrily A. Jones | 23 Donald D. Ballard<br>Donald J. Dennis<br>Thomas Moran<br>Daniel C. Schmenk<br>Dorothy M. Schwanbeck<br>Sandra Stanish | 24 William Schmoekel | 25 Phillip M. Baum<br>Michael M. Jaquay<br>Joseph D. Kozak | 26 Norman E. Shank | 27 Thomas W. Binder<br>Kathleen Kowalski<br>James R. Manke<br>Richard C. Zink | 29 Christopher Beaulieu<br>Mary Ann Haupricht<br>John E. Pinkelman | 30 Ron Emch<br>Chris P. Flynn<br>Rodger W. Skiver<br>Corey J. Speweik<br>Charles J. Staley |
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**Tuesday Entertainment**  
6-8 p.m. in the Lounge

**September 8**  
Dave Carpenter

**September 15**  
Johnny Rodriguez

**Deadline for the September Bulletin is Tuesday, Sept. 15 at NOON!**

**Line Dance Class Basic and Beyond**  
Tuesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Each week, you will learn a new dance that incorporates the moves you just learned.

**Cost: \$5**  
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Instructors: Belinda and Guest Instructors

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**NOTICE**

As of April 1, pitchers of water will no longer be provided.

Please note: glasses of water will be served with dinner only. Bottled water will be available for purchase at \$1 per bottle.

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**Buckeye Bucks 2020 Calendars**

**Only \$20 each**  
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Each BUCKEYE BUCKS CALENDAR has a four digit number that is issued to each calendar. If this number matches the Ohio State Lottery four digit number, YOU WIN!  
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**Monday** - No Food  
**Tuesday** - Taco Night and Regular Menu  
**Wednesday** - No Food  
**Thursday** - Regular Menu and Weekly Specials  
**Friday** - Regular Menu & Fish Fry and Fried Shrimp  
**Saturday** - Regular Menu

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# AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Aug. 23 CLOSED	24 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	25 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. TACO TUESDAY and regular menu	26 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Orientation/Initiation 7 p.m. KITCHEN CLOSED	27 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dinner Special Chicken Parmesan, Garlic Bread, Salad \$10.95 150 Club Drawing @8	28 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. FISH FRY and REGULAR MENU	29 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. Private Party Ballroom/Trophy Room Limited Menu
30 CLOSED	31 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	Sept. 1 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. TACO TUESDAY and regular menu	2 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Trustee Meeting 7:00 p.m. No Kitchen	3 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dinner Special Buttermilk Chicken \$10.95 150 Club Drawing @8	4 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. FISH FRY and REGULAR MENU	5 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. REGULAR MENU
6 CLOSED	7 CLOSED HAPPY LABOR DAY!	8 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dave Carpenter in the Ballroom TACO TUESDAY and regular menu	9 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Lodge Meeting 7:00 p.m. No Kitchen	10 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dinner Special Chicken Stir Fry \$10.95 150 Club Drawing @8	11 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. FISH FRY and REGULAR MENU	12 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. REGULAR MENU
13 CLOSED	14 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	15 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Johnny Rodriguez in the Ballroom TACO TUESDAY and regular menu	16 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Trustee Meeting 6:00 p.m. No Kitchen	17 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dinner Special Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, Salad \$10.95 150 Club Drawing @8	18 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. FISH FRY and REGULAR MENU	19 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. REGULAR MENU
20 CLOSED	21 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.	22 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. TACO TUESDAY and regular menu	23 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Orientation/Initiation 7:00 p.m. No Kitchen	24 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dinner Special Kentucky Bowl \$10.95 150 Club Drawing @8	25 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. FISH FRY and REGULAR MENU Ballroom Rented	26 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. REGULAR MENU Trophy/Ballroom Rented
27 CLOSED	28 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Dartball Begins Dartball Menu Chili Dogs Chunks, Wings, Pizza & Fries & Tots 5:30-8:30 p.m.	29 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. TACO TUESDAY and regular menu	30 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. No Kitchen	Oct. 1 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 9 p.m. Dinner Special Beef & Noodles \$10.95 150 Club Drawing @8	2 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. FISH FRY and REGULAR MENU	3 Lounge Open 11 a.m. - 10 p.m. REGULAR MENU

## Lady Elks News


The Lady Elks had hoped to resume meetings in September. But, with the social distancing and mask rules mandated by the state, we will not be meeting until further notice. We are very anxious to bring in guest speakers and have special events. We have a lot of fun things planned for future meetings. Hopefully, this way of life will all be behind us very soon. I know I am ready as I'm sure most of you are as well. Hang in there and stay healthy! Please continue to support our lodge. We are open for dinner most nights and cold beverages are always available. Tables are separated, sanitizing is done regularly, and masks are required when moving about the lodge to keep you safe. Hope to see you there!

Lady Elk President  
Cindy Machoukas

Starting September 28

### MONDAY NIGHT DARTBALL MENU

CHILI DOGS • CHUNKS • WINGS  
PIZZA • FRIED TOTS  
5:30 - 8:30 p.m.




### Thursday Night Specials

**September 3**  
Buttermilk Chicken Tenders  
& Fries \$10.95

**September 10**  
Chicken Stir Fry \$10.95

**September 17**  
Spaghetti, Garlic Bread,  
Salad \$10.95

**September 24**  
Kentucky Bowl \$10.95

**October 1**  
Beef & Noodles  
\$10.95