

ELK'S



NEWS

Lafayette, Indiana

Lodge No. 143

OCTOBER, 2008



PLEASE HELP OUR LOCAL TROOPS

The Frankfort National Guard is soon to be deployed to Iraq. The Indiana Elks Association is able to ship care packages to them without any charge. We will be collecting donations until October 2, 2008 at the Lodge; these will then be taken to the Indiana Elks and sent directly to the troops. A list of requested items is listed below. Please drop off your donations as soon as possible and help support our local Military Personnel. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

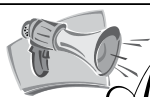
Care Package Item List

Jerky (Beef only) - needed badly
Sausage Sticks
Peanuts (single packages)
Popcorn
Crackers (single packages)
Cookies (single packages)
Hard Candy/Gum

Potted Meat (no pork)
Deodorant-needed badly
Dry Drink Mix (single packages
— to mix with a bottle of water)
Foot Powder-needed badly
Visine - needed badly
Chewing Tobacco
- needed badly

Chew (Skool, Grizzly)
- needed badly
Puzzle Books
Toothpaste
Toothbrushes
Dog flea collars-
troops use them on their ankles.

If you have any questions, please contact Sandy Glover at the Frankfort Armory, 765-654-6523 Ext 14.



Attention

Beginning in October, we will be holding 2 Lodge meetings per month. They will be held at 8:00pm on the first and third Thursday of the month. Please plan on attending, it is a great way to meet the officers and discuss important Lodge matters.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



Thursday October 2 – 8:00pm Lodge Meeting

Sunday, October 12 – Tournament Club

Thursday, October 16th – 8:00pm Lodge Meeting

Sat/Sun October 18th and 19th – Elks/Edwood Scramble

Sunday October 26th – Ryder Cup

Thursday November 6th – 8:00pm Lodge Meeting

Thursday November 20th – 8:00pm Lodge Meeting

Saturday December 6th – Red Stocking Event

Sunday December 7th – Ladies Auxiliary Soup and Salad Luncheon, visit with Santa

– Memorial Service

Sunday December 14th – Hoop Shoot (tentative)

Thursday December 18th – Ladies Auxiliary Christmas Auction and Cocktail Party

Lafayette Elks

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EXALTED RULER'S MESSAGE

Last month I talked about some of the ways Elk's can get involved locally and nationally.

This month I thought I would talk about some of the current happenings at the Elks and highlight a few upcoming activities. Again, I would ask all of our members to get involved.

Old Timers Night: We had a dinner to honor our current life members and to recognize our new 25 and 50 year members. We had over 50 life members in attendance. At the dinner we recognized Steve Schwendenmann as the 2008 Elk of the Year and Trent Smith as the 2008 Officer of the Year. Please take a moment to congratulate both of them for their dedication to the Elk's.

The Ladies Auxiliary: The end of the year pool party was a huge success!! This event was sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary and all of the proceeds will be used to improve the pool area. The ladies have a number of activities planned for the rest of the year so if see Meg Fleet, please stop her and thank her for all of her hard work.

Bingo: Again, we could always use additional help with Bingo. Please talk to Donna or the Lodge office if you are interested in helping out.

Soccer Shotout and hoop shoot: These annual events will take place throughout the rest on the year. Senior does a great job of coordinating both events, but is always looking for volunteers. Please look in the newsletter for more information.

Red Stocking: It's not too early to be thinking about the Elk's Red stocking. Please look in the newsletter for more information.

Golf Course: Work continues on the golf course. The aerification of fairways and greens will hopefully be finished by the time you read this. Work on the number 18 bridge project will continue through the fall. Thanks again for your continued cooperation and understanding as JR works to complete this project as quickly as possible with minimal disruption.

Fall is here, but while the weather is still good ... Get Out and Play with Family and Friends!

Jason Hanko, Exalted Ruler



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Golf Professional's Corner

The Tom Shriner Fall Classic was held on Aug. 31st and Labor Day Sept. 1st. The winners were Dean Phillips, Don Edelen, Vince Drnevich, and Bill Ruckman with a final score of 47 under par. I would like to thank Jeff Carmichael for running the event and organizing all aspects the operation. I would also like to thank George Evans for starting the groups and Linda Bota for everything she does to make it easy on the rest of us.

The ABC Steeplechase was held on Aug. 24th. The winners were: A flight~ Wayne White, B flight~ Jim Bennett, and C flight~ Don Daniel. Congrats to the winners and thanks to Jordan and Trent Smith for refereeing the other groups.

The Thursday Night Men's League was a great success. We had 15 two-man teams competing and everyone seemed to enjoy the format, so we expect to get about 18 teams next season. Thanks to all the subs that filled in throughout the season. Next season we will split the winnings: 50% to top 3 teams regular season points and 50% to the top 3 teams in the year end tournament. Any other suggestions for improvements will be appreciated. The 2008 winners were Mark Leslie and Jeff Medley, 2nd place went to Jack Shaw and Gorley MacKenzie, and 3rd place was shared by the teams of Jeff Brewer/Jim Bennett and Trent Smith/Scott Sinnott.

We still have a few events left on the calendar and still have some good golf days coming up, so get out and play while you still can!

The Men's Tournament Club event scheduled for September 14th was rained out due to Hurricane Ike and is rescheduled for Sunday October 12th. The Elks/Edwood Scramble is slated for Oct. 18th-19th. This is a two day, four person scramble and the entry is \$100 per team (skins and carts optional). Saturday will be at the Elks, with the Sunday round concluding at Edwood Glen. Tee times will be from 8:30am to 11:00am, so get a team together and call the pro shop to schedule your tee time. The Ryder Cup event is scheduled for October 26th.

For those of you who still have merchandise credit in the pro shop, please try to redeem them by October 31st.

Thanks,
Matt

*Letter from
Auxiliary President*

Greetings,
I wanted to take the time to update the Elks community on what the Auxiliary has been up to lately, and what we are planning for the remainder of 2008. In August we had our first fundraiser for the pool. The Back to School pool fundraiser was a huge success and over 130 people attended. Everyone had a great time and we raised over \$1500 for the pool. Congratulations to the Riffert family who won the 2009 Family Pool pass and congratulations to the Dowell family who won the live auction for the reserved parking space. Thank you to everyone who was on the planning committee, it was through your hard work that the event was so successful. There was so much excitement at the event that I am happy to announce that the Back to School Pool party will now be a permanent event put on by the Auxiliary. Next, I would like to give you the schedule for the remaining events of 2008. On October 19th, we are having our annual Fall Luncheon from 1:00 to 3:00. Please check out the postcard we sent to find out details about this event. This is also a meeting so we can bring everyone up to date with Auxiliary information. In December we have the Cookie and Candy Sale with Lunch and Santa on Sunday, December 7th and the Christmas Party on Thursday, December 18th. Look in future newsletters for more information on those events. When I became president of the Auxiliary I set a goal to increase the membership to 100. As of today, we are at 93. If you or anyone you know would like to be a member, please call me or Linda in the office. She can just charge the \$15 annual dues to your Elks account. The more members we have, the more money we have to go toward the college scholarships we give out every year. I am enjoying my tenure as Auxiliary President and if you have any suggestions or comments, I would love to hear them. I can be reached by email at mjfleetin@comcast.net or at 463-2697.

Respectfully yours,
Meg Golden-Fleet

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AUGUST 20 and 27, 2008

First Flight

1st Barb Webster - 97
2nd Sue Topping - 100
3rd Joyce Lange - 103

Second Flight

1st Bonnie Combs - 115
2nd Bobbi Messman - 118
3rd Donna Southard - 119

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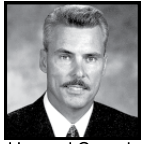
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			1	2 Lodge Meeting 8:00 pm	3 Bridge Club	4
5	6 Euchre Club Bingo 5:45 pm	7	8	9	10	11
12 Tournament Club	13 Bingo 5:45 pm	14	15	16 Lodge Meeting 8:00 pm	17	18 Elks/Edwood Scramble
19 Elks/Edwood Scramble	20 Bingo 5:45 pm	21	22	23	24	25
26 Ryder Cup	27 Bingo 5:45 pm	28	29	30	31 HAPPY HALLOWEEN!	

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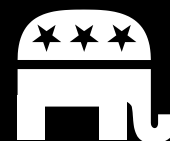


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and memory."*

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

The following members
have been elected
to life membership:

Steve Stucky

Richard Mitchell

Bill Lesley

Jim Johnson

Bob Beutler

Congratulations!

Sick List

Ed Kessener,
recovering at Green Tree Assisted Living

Harry Leap,
in hospital for surgery

Bob Miessler,
recovering at home

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