

The Antlers



South Bend, Indiana • Lodge #235

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Scott Smith
Exalted Ruler

► A Message from the Exalted Ruler

Lodge Members & Friends:

It's a great day to be an Elk!

Our pool is up and running in full swing! We all owe a HUGE THANK YOU to Jim Hackett for his tireless efforts to maintain our pool! Jim volunteers his time to ensure the chemicals in the pool are at the levels they should be, back-washes daily, and takes care of the baby wading pool. If you see Jim around the Lodge, be sure to thank him for his work!

Also, have you noticed all of the new landscaping that sets off the poolside? It was accomplished through the hard work and donations of Jim and Luci Jordan, Deb and Alex Vida, and Teres Hein. Think of them as you are admiring the beautiful new scenery!

The Elks swimming pool is one of our greatest attractions for recruiting new members. Take advantage of the privilege afforded to you as a member of this Lodge! Bring some of your friends down this summer to relax by the pool, and show them what they are missing!

Gratitude for ENF Success!

Lew Petrosavits, Elks National Foundation Chairperson, extends thanks to all members who gave to ENF last year. Our Lodge received a plaque for meeting the GER goal. More importantly, we were able to apply for grants to help with our community projects. However, if we meet the newly set goal of \$4.50 per member, all grants will be doubled. Currently we are at \$2.27 per member. It will be a challenge to meet the goal, but our Lodge has done it before and Lew is certain we will do it again. Again, thanks for believing in and supporting ENF.

We have several new applications for membership in progress, which is great to see! Membership is the life blood of our Order, which is why we need your help to add to our numbers. Think of it this way, if you sponsor or reinstate eight new members, you will pay for your dues through receipt of two hundred dollars worth of gift certificates! That's a pretty good deal! Together, I know we can grow our Lodge and continue to assist our community through our programs. All we have to do is ask people to join.

Remember, a stranger is merely an Elk we haven't met yet!

Merry Elkness!

Scott Smith

Exalted Ruler, Lodge #235

Accolade for Lodge 235

Exalted Ruler, Scott Smith, and Lodge Secretary, Lew Petrosavits, accepted an Inter-Lodge honors plaque at the spring state meeting. It was awarded for our Lodge's activities such as:

- Social visits to other Elks lodges
- Participation in ritual competition
- Veterans Home visits
- Traveling gavel



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Auxiliary News & Notes

Next Bridge: July 22, 11:30 am at Honkers, Day Road

Recent Bridge Winners:

- Sandy Patillo • Joanne Miller • Carolyn Szabo

Notice: Auxiliary is on Summer Schedule

Next Board Meeting Wednesday, September 8

Next Luncheon Wednesday, September 15

Hostesses:

- Mickie Becher – 277-9137
- Joanne Miller – 256-9487

All spouses are automatically Auxiliary members and are invited to participate in all of our functions.

The Jolly Corks Ride Again!



The theatrical group of the South Bend Elks, known as the “Jolly Corks,” is seeking new players to add their ranks. In anticipation of their next production, a casting call has been scheduled for **10:00 am on Saturday, July 10.**

This is your chance to snag a part in our next presentation. Come prepared to read some lines and have lots of fun. A part, however, requires a time commitment of several hours, twice a week (at least), so be prepared to work!



Summer Events Continue at the Elks



4th of July Party! Sunday, July 4 7-11 pm

After the regular 12 - 6 pm swim session, there will be set-up for an evening family party at poolside.

Reasonably priced food and music will be available. Best of all, this year there will be fireworks!



Proud to be an American?
Come celebrate with friends and family at the Elks on the Fourth!



Dinner Al Fresco Friday, July 9 6-11 pm

We're having "Dinner Al Fresco" at 6 pm [it means we're eating outside by the pool] and music by Sound Wave at 8 pm! Bring your appetite, your dancing feet and perhaps some of your friends!



Get Your Exercise in the Pool!

Call it "Aquasize" or call it "Water Aerobics," the Elks is offering this fun and rewarding water exercise program to all members. Weather permitting, participants will meet in the pool at 10:50 am, Monday through Friday. The cost is a nominal fee of \$2.00 per session.

Classes will be conducted to tape-directed instructions which are very easy to follow. It is not necessary to attend every daily session. Plan to attend as fits your schedule.

Come join your friends in the pool! If you have any questions, contact Jeanne Riley, 232-7658, or Ruth Ann Norton, 233-8317. Or, leave your name and number with the Elks office, 233-1139.



Wii Gaming Night

Every Thursday night we will continue with the Nintendo Wii (say "Whee") games in the bar. After dining on the great food from our kitchen, stay and try this new approach to bowling and golf. A few reluctant member players have already surprised themselves with their skill. It's that easy! Bowling and golf are going well. Perhaps in honor of Wimbledon we should add tennis next time!



MEMO TO MYSELF

Get out and
go "Elking"
this month!





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July 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm 4th of July Party 7 pm - 11 pm	5 – Club Closed – Trustee Mtg 5:30p Lodge Mtg 7:30p	6 • BBQ Ribs • Chicken Oscar • Swordfish	7	8 • Spaghetti & Meatballs	9 • Dinner Al Fresco Music by: Sound Wave	10
11 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	12 – Club Closed –	13 • Beef Manhattan • Chicken & Noodles • Blackened Salmon	14	15 • Breaded Pork Sandwich	16 • Captain's Platter Music by: Jeff Roberts Duo	17
18 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	19 – Club Closed – Trustee Mtg 5:30p Lodge Mtg 7:30p	20 • BBQ Beef Tips • Chicken Kiev • Baked Pork Chop	21	22 • Turkey Burger	23 • A-Y-C-E Crab Legs Music by: Eddie Knight	24
25 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	26 – Club Closed –	27 • Country-Style Ribs • Chicken Marsala • Shrimp Stir Fry	28	29 • Pulled Pork	30 • Panfried Grouper Music by: Randy Martin & Syndicate	31



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August 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	2 – Club Closed – Trustee Mtg 5:30p Lodge Mtg 7:30p	3 • Chicken Stir Fry • Pork Stroganoff • Fried Smelt	4	5 • Ham & Mac Casserole	6 • Tournedos of Beef \$18.95 Music by Eddie Knight	7
8 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	9 – Club Closed –	10 • Steak Tips • Greek Chicken Salad • Grilled Salmon	11	12 • Fried Catfish	13 • A-Y-C-E Fried Pollock \$9.95 Music by Sound Wave	14 • Las Vegas Night Fundraiser (more to follow)
15 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	16 – Club Closed – Trustee Mtg 5:30p Lodge Mtg 7:30p	17 • Salisbury Steak • Rib Tips & Kraut • Grilled Shrimp	18	19 • Cod Cakes	20 • Rack of Lamb \$18.95 Music by Jeff Roberts	21
22 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	23 – Club Closed –	24 • Beef & Broccoli Stir Fry • Chicken Oscar • Fried Scallops	25	26 • Broccoli. and Cheese Quiche	27 • Stuffed Pork Loin \$11.95 Music by Randy Martin	28
29 – Club Closed – Pool Open 12 noon - 6 pm	30 – Club Closed – Trustee Mtg 5:30p Lodge Mtg 7:30p	31 • Beef Stroganoff • Breaded Pork Chop • Panfried Tilapia				



Please Review 2010 POOL RULES – Again

To all Elks #235 members: The following are the pool rules for 2010. While they are similar to the rules we have had in the past, as well as rules from other public-use pools, two rules must be re-stressed. They are: **1) Children in diapers MUST wear diaper-swim pants** and **2) children less than 10 years of age MUST be accompanied by an adult**. The pool staff does NOT provide baby-sitting services and parents will be held directly responsible for the safety and behavior of their children.

Note: The following rules are meant to provide for the safety and enjoyment of the club pool facility.

Additionally, the General Manager or club lifeguard have complete authority to expel, or deny admittance, to anyone who violates the rules, does not comply with these rules, and/or who conducts his or herself in an inappropriate manner. Penalty will be suspension of pool privileges for the season.

- All persons entering the pool **MUST** register with the person in charge or with the lifeguard.
- Guests **MUST** be accompanied by an Elk Member and **MUST** be registered with the person in charge or the lifeguard. There is a \$5.00 admittance fee per guest, regardless of age (exceptions are noted in rule 23).
- Elk Members **MUST** be held ultimately responsible for the conduct of all of their sponsored guests.
- B.P.O.E. #235 will **NOT** be responsible for the loss or damage of personal property on the premises.
- All swimmers **MUST** take soap showers, without suits, before entering the pool. This is in accordance with Indiana State Department of Health Rule #410-IAC 6-2.
- Swim at your own risk when lifeguard is **NOT** on duty (see rule 25). Parents **MUST** supervise their children during this time.
- Non-swimmers are **NOT** permitted in the deep-end of the swimming pool.
- **KIDDY POOL:** All children in the “Kiddy Pool” **MUST** be supervised by their parent. Violators can be suspended. A lifeguard is **NOT** on duty at the “Kiddy Pool”. This is the parent’s responsibility and therefore, not the lifeguard. Children in diapers **MUST** wear swimming diaper-pants to be even allowed in the adult pool. Children who use the adult pool are **NOT** to be in the “Kiddy Pool” at any time.
- Children who are **NOT** accompanied by an adult will **NOT** be allowed in the pool area unless first registered by a member in good standing of B.P.O.E #235. Children less than 10 years of age **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.
- When the General Manager or lifeguard designates, the pool **MUST** be cleared **IMMEDIATELY** per Indiana State Department of Health Rule #410 IAC 6-2.
- Any rough-housing, pushing or running shall **NOT** be allowed in the pool area, dressing rooms, showers and runways. Also, throwing of balls, or any other objects, in the pool area is **NOT** allowed.
- Spitting, spouting of water, blowing nose and any other similar behavior in the entire swimming pool area will **NOT** be tolerated and is strictly prohibited.
- Floating aids will **NOT** be permitted in the pool at any time, except for learn-to-swim aids.
- If there are any questions, ask the General Manager or lifeguard on duty.
- All food or drink obtained at the pool **MUST** be consumed in either the picnic table area or under the awning in the fenced-in area. It is **NOT** permitted to bring outside food or drink into the pool area per Indiana State Department of Health Rule #410 IAC 6-2.
- Bathing attire is **NOT** to be worn within the club facilities.
- Persons with open sores or eye/ear/nose infections or with band-aids, bandages or adhesives on their body may **NOT** enter the pool.
- **REST PERIOD:** There will be a 15 minute rest period each hour for youths less than 18 years of age and **ADULTS ONLY** will be permitted to swim. Children are **NOT** to enter the pool or sit on the edge of the pool during these rest periods.
- Pets are **NOT** allowed within the pool area – at any time.
- All accidents, no matter how slight, are to be **IMMEDIATELY** reported to the lifeguard.
- The telephone in the guard room is for **EMERGENCY** use only.
- The swimming pool and pool area will **NOT** be opened for use until the recorded temperature reaches 68°F (20°C) and shall close if the recorded temperature goes below the same.
- Only **AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL** are allowed in the guard office.
- Pool Fees: B.P.O.E #235 members and their **IMMEDIATE FAMILY** (in same household and less than 21 years of age) are entitled to use the pool at no additional cost. All others will be charged \$5.00 per day. An exception is noted for members’ grandchildren who are less than 21 years of age as they will be entitled to use the pool at no additional cost.
- Loud radios are **NOT** allowed – no exceptions.
- **POOL HOURS:** Monday through Saturday, 11 am - 7 pm; Sunday, noon - 6 pm. **Lifeguard is on duty noon until 4 pm daily.** Access to the pool area requires use of a valid membership keycard to open the back door of the facility. Hours will be limited when school is in session. When a private party is scheduled, the pool will be closed to members at 6:00 pm.

Following the above rules will provide for a safer summer swim season. Thank you.



On the Move or Moving?

Vacation time coming up? Enjoy your travels but please let the office know that you'll be gone so we can pull your copy of the Antlers and save it for you. Of late, the Lodge has been charged for returned mail on several of our mailings.

Most importantly, if you will be changing your address or are in the process of moving, please let the office know as soon as you can. Again, the lodge likes to save money.

From the Exalted Ruler

We wish to acknowledge the Lodge members and friends who continue to gift the Elks Lodge #235 Building Fund. Even as expenses accumulate, our generous donors give us hope that most of our operational costs and the associated bills will soon be reduced.

- Dan Bodle
- Jeanne and Andrew Burke
- Ronda Chris
- Karen Klimek
- Marilyn Cooper
in memory of Anna Marie Biesbroeck
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in memory of Ruthie Easterday and Tom Delahanty
- Robert Dunbar
in memory of Anna Marie Biesbrock

Thanks to everyone! **Scott Smith**, Exalted Ruler

Applications for Membership

It's been a great recruitment month for the South Bend Elks. Your fellow members have rounded up a grand total of nine candidates. As required by Lodge rule, a listing of proposed new members is posted for your examination and, hopefully, for your approval.


- Kate Evans *proposed by Sharon Clark*
- Paul Kuharic *proposed by Jeff Kimmell*
- Marcia Larmore *proposed by Roger Moynahan*
- Diana Little *proposed by Scott Smith*
- Bill Moody *proposed by Michael Bolin*
- Emily Moynahan *proposed by Roger Moynahan*
- Joe Muia *proposed by Luci Jordan*
- Jason Pearson *proposed by Luci Jordan*
- Eileen Wagner *proposed by Paula Ford*

Elks Scholarships Awarded



On June 12, at the Annual Flag Day Dinner and Scholarship Presentation Dinner, scholarships were awarded to:

- National Elks Most Valuable Student, **Gabriel Griggs**
- State Elks Most Valuable Students, **Edward Linczer, Benjamin Burnett, Alexandra Lesniak and Bailey Landis**
- South Bend State Elks Most Valuable Students, **Alexa Gates and Kaitlyn Fleming**
- Elks Auxiliary Most Valuable Student, **Elizabeth Edwards**



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Monday through Friday
• 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

CLUB HOURS:

Sunday and Monday • *Closed*
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Reservations for dinner are appreciated!

July events:

- Fourth of July Celebration – Sunday, July 4, 2010
- Dinner Al Fresco – Friday, July 9, 2010



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