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# \*\*\*January Birthdays\*\*\*

<b>Jan 1</b> Connie Rohn-Hamilton John Uecker	<b>Jan 14</b> Michael Breed	<b>Jan 30</b> V. John Bon★ (d'23) Jimmy Doyle Laura Kronk Dean Sterling
<b>Jan 2</b> Emerson Bates★ Sam Miller	<b>Jan 16</b> Terry Harper Jack Kaiser	<b>Jan 31</b> Jim Jackson★ Beth Leon Diana Ludwig
<b>Jan 3</b> Sam Miller	<b>Jan 18</b> Mike Mowry	
<b>Jan 4</b> Hannah Valentine	<b>Jan 22</b> Lori Gottfried	★Denotes Veteran
<b>Jan 5</b> Keith Boales Savannah Hagenbaugh	<b>Jan 23</b> Jordan Hagenbaugh Tom Pavlik, PER Ron Williams★	
<b>Jan 7</b> Robert Hall Dave Shoemaker	<b>Jan 24</b> Rick Hendershot Larry McConnell	
<b>Jan 8</b> James Gilbert	<b>Jan 25</b> Mike Davis	
<b>Jan 9</b> Tom Reed	<b>Jan 26</b> Kenny Oxenrider	
<b>Jan 10</b> Melissa Buhl Ty Markel Larry Stine	<b>Jan 27</b> Matt Malone Don Thomas	
<b>Jan 11</b> Chuck Ferguson Bob Garn Rich Gollnick Shannon Minnich	<b>Jan 28</b> Mike Fallon, PER Bob Pence	
<b>Jan 13</b> Tim Gareau	<b>Jan 29</b> Jay Laughery	

*Please share corrections or updates with Judy P by text, email, or drop a note at the bar. Note: We only share service information that you share.*



<b>Monthly</b> (Dec) Connie Rohn-Hamilton	Eric Gongwer 1/2 Winner Daryl Atterholt	1/2 Winner Jerry White Phillip Kerschner Fred Oxley Rick Dober Jr Craig Chuhaloff	Caitlin Hudak 1/2 Winner	<b>Poor Souls List</b>
<b>Weds Wkly</b> James Heichel	<b>Fri Wkly</b> 1/2 Winner			

## FISH FRY

Fri, Jan 12, 5-7 PM (or til gone)

All you care to eat

\$10 adults, \$8 seniors 62 & over \$5 kids ages 12 to 5, kids 4 & under free

## 6-7 PM, \$8 WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS

Served by Larry Stine & Crew!

Jan 17 – *Chicken & Stuffing Casserole, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Corn, Dessert*

Jan 31 – *Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans*

**FOOOOOD served by**  
Weds, Jan 3, 10, 24, 6 PM 'til gone

**Your Lodge Board Members**  
Menu & Price TBA

## NEW YEAR'S DAY

LODGE OPEN 11A - 6P

FOOD AVAILABLE 11:30A - 2P • For a Donation \$

Oyster Soup, Tom & Jerry's  
Shredded Chicken, Sloppy Joes, Pasta Salad, Pork & Sauerkraut

# Secretary's News

Lodge met on Dec 5, 2023. Exalter Ruler Mike Fallon presiding. Roll call of officers. The following absences noted: Secretary Rob Nixon, Treasurer Julie Martin, Chaplain Barb Williams. Minutes of last meeting approved as read. The following were initiated: Ross Gillette, Sharon McQuate. Lodge of Sorrow held for OEA First Lady, Heather R Martin. Scott Peters spoke about ENF: the Lodge donated \$10 on behalf of each new member, donations fund grants to support the community such as our recent \$3000 donation to the Domestic Violence Shelter- Safe Haven. ER Fallon reminded all that Hoop Shoot is Sat 12/16 @ 9am. Any member help is appreciated. Teen of the Month will be honored first meeting in January. NCD Secretary sent out Bid forms to host the January NCD meeting (Jan 25-26, 2025). NCD State Rep Tom Pavlik sent a letter to all NCD Elks asking any who would like to serve on the NC Executive Board, or as Chair of an NCD Committee to submit the NCD Recommendation Letter to the NCD Secretary by Sat Jan 20, 2024. Notification from Ashland Health Department that a public hearing regarding 2024 license fees is 12/12/23 @ 7 pm. Letter was turned over to the BOD. ENF letter thanking Lodge for \$255 donation from District Golf outing. Thank you from Emblem Club for donation to support their Drug Awareness Program. Betsy Kerr proposes Cheryl Britton for membership. By-Law amendment was left on table until next meeting. Rich Weil, Tammy Roller, Ken Kreis, Matt Barnett, Dennis Pavone, Maria Buettner drawn for \$100 attendance awards; none present. Dean Sterling for \$80; not present. Upcoming events: 12/8- Fish Fry; 12/9- Foster Kids Christmas Party; 12/15- Kids Craft Night, ornament making; 12/16- Hoop Shoot 9 am, AHS Field House, evening- Adult Christmas Party- Ugly Sweater, \$10 White Elephant Gift Exchange; 12/30- Pre NYE Dinner/Party; 12/31 Lodge open, Browns. Newly initiated members Ross Gillette, Sharon McQuate introduced themselves. No Bills, Receipts, or Treasurer's report were read. Lodge closed in regular form.

Lodge met on Dec 19, 2023. Exalter Ruler Mike Fallon presiding. Roll call of officers. The following absences noted: Treasurer Julie Martin, Chaplain Barb Williams. Minutes from previous session approved as amended: Lodge not open 12/31. Initiations Jan 2 and Feb 6, PER night. All officers need a PER to assume their chair for PER night. Sickness & Distress: Julie Martin, Michelle, Scott Smurthwaite, Ron Boyd. Hoop Shoot appeared in Ashland Source. Visitation: 5 members visited our Lodge since last meeting, including Santa. Hoop Shoot held Dec 16 at AHS Field House, 30 members assisted, top shooters from all 6 divisions advance to District Hoop Shoot (Norwalk, Jan 7). Investigation committee reported favorably on Cheryl Britton, Gary Drushel. Letter from OEA Constitution and Bylaws committee reporting revision of the Constitution and Bylaws of the OEA. Revisions emailed to all Lodges are available from Lodge Secretary. D4 Liquor license renewed, and D5 and D6 application received by Ohio Dept. of Commerce. No D5, D6 licenses currently available. Application will be held until availability. Fees submitted will be returned to Lodge. Christmas cards received. Thank you card from Ron and Sheri Williams with a \$100 donation, which will be utilized in honor of Tom Williams. Gary Drushel submitted for reinstatement by Jeff Drushel. Balloting on Sherri Britton, Gary Drushel; both members were elected. Motion passed to untable By-Law amendments to reduce Lodge dues \$5 to offset Grand Lodge \$5 increase to keep total dues the same and to have requirements for Associated Membership with fee set by BOD. Amendments approved. After discussion, motion by Rob Nixon passed to include line items on 2024 GL billing for ENF, CP, Endowment Fund, Building Fund. Lorell Kline, Rob Obrecht, Mike Fasig, Greg Vogel, James Kline, Sam Zeno drawn for \$100 attendance awards; none present. William Smith for \$80; not present. ER Fallon invited all Elks with nowhere to go Christmas day to Lodge's Christmas Breakfast; Annual Ashland/Wooster Elks Red Chili Cook-Off, Wooster Lodge, Sat Jan 20; NCD District Meeting, Norwalk Jan 27. Bills, Receipts, Treasurer's report were shared. Lodge closed in regular form.

## Absent Members 2023

	Born / Initiated / Died
Darrell E. Echelberger★	04-07-1940 / 06-02-1992 / 01-10-2023
Michael Glasser	03-25-1930 / 01-07-1969 / 01-24-2023
Thomas E. Zook PDDGER	08-30-1940 / 10-04-1961 / 04-04-2023
Daniel K. Scott★	05-15-1948 / 03-17-1970 / 04-15-2023
Carl E. Urban★	11-08-1923 / 02-03-1976 / 06-15-2023
William D. Rush	11-17-1953 / 03-17-1987 / 06-29-2023
Jerry Stockdale★	03-20-1945 / 06-15-2013 / 08-08-2023
Al W. Garrett M.D★	07-07-1928 / 06-20-2000 / 09-04-2023
V. John Bon★	01-30-1937 / 11-03-1964 / 09-07-2023
James L. Norris★	11-04-1939 / 03-17-1981 / 08-08-2023
Thomas E. Williams	02-23-1945 / 10-06-1970 / 09-28-2023
Robert M. Valentine Jr	07-13-1957 / 02-02-1982 / 10-06-2023
Heather R. Martin OEA First Lady	08-24-1987 / 08-16-2020 / 11-25-2023

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR SHOP & STOCK DAYS

With the help of an ENF Grant, our Lodge is shopping for the Associated Charities Pantry. We get a list & shop to restock the pantry. Watch FB for Shop & Stock in January!



Thank you  
to our wonderful  
members who helped  
adopt four families in  
our community.

Elks cared  
&  
Elks shared

during the holiday season.



OHIO N.C.D. ELKS  
F.O.G.



**Harley Party**

SATURDAY, MAY 18, 2024 at 5:00pm  
Mozelle Hall at Ashland Co. Fairgrounds

**\$100.00\* Donation**

Ticket Owner Receives Dinner and Entry in Raffle

**GRAND PRIZE:** Harley-Davidson 2023 Heritage Softail Classic

**2nd PRIZE:** \$5,000 • **3rd PRIZE:** 6 Person Lake Erie Fishing Charter

**OTHER PRIZES TO BE AWARDED**

ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO N.C.D. ELKS "FOR OUR GRAND" FUND  
WINNERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL TAXES • NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

**\* 2 for \$150.00**

**2nd Red Chili Cook Off**

Sat, Jan 20 Wooster Lodge

Chili submission 5:30 PM

Ashland v Wooster Elks

Judging 6 PM

Winning Chef Valuable Prizes—last year it was Spirits  
Winning Lodge Awarded Trophy—let's bring it home!

Left-Right-Center 7 PM



**Please Update Your Contact Information:**

Please share your current phone number and emergency contact name & number, and current email address. A contact list will be kept securely behind the bar in the event of emergency. Email provides a way to share information that gets updated after bulletin publication. You can also receive your bulletin as a PDF by email to supplement (or replace) the unpredictably slow paper bulletin. Let us know if you want to stop receiving the paper bulletin, and we'll save that time and money. Please share all information with Lodge Secretary Rob Nixon at BPOElks1360@zoominternet.net. Thanks in advance for your help

**Officers of the Lodge**

- Exalted Ruler - Mike Fallon, PER
- Leading Knight - Sam Miller
- Loyal Knight - OPEN
- Lecturing Knight - Braden Miller
- Secretary - Rob Nixon, PDDGER
- Treasurer - Julie Martin
- Tiler - Jeff Drushel, PER
- Esquire - Tom Pavlik, PDDGER
- Chaplain - Barbara Williams
- Inner Guard - Kelly Purvis

**Board of Trustees**

- 1-Year Trustee - Jeff Lane
- 2-Year Trustee - Scott Peters, PER
- 3-Year Trustee - Chad Dickinson, PER
- 4-Year Trustee - Cary North
- 5-Year Trustee - Paul Adams

**Information**

- Lodge Manager - Monica Filius
- Lodge Phone - 419-289-3553
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**Emblem News**

We will continue to have our Bake Sales even though we are dark for January and February 2024.

**BAKE SALES**

- Fri Jan 12 Fish Fry
- Weds Jan 31
- Fri Feb 9 Fish Fry
- Weds Feb 28

Thank you to the Elks for supporting our Bake Sales. Thanks to Judy Peters for helping us advertise our sales.

Happy New Year to all and stay safe!

Kati Finley, President  
Ashland Emblem Club #61

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**JANUARY 2024**

\*\*\* LUNCHES: Monday through Saturday 11 - 2 PM Dine-in, Carry-out \*\*\*  
Regular Lodge Hours: n thru Sat 11A—11P (discretionary)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31 LODGE CLOSED	Lodge 1 Open 11A-6P Food 1130A-2P	2 Lodge Mtg 7P Bar closed during Mtg	3 Fooodd 6P \$5 Weekly Sign by 745P Draw 8P & 50/50	4 Euchre League 630P 200 Club 8P	5 Weekly 8P	6 Wings 6P Sign by 745P Monthly 8P Trivia
7 Browns @ Bengals 1 PM	8 Woohoo! Monday!	9 BOD Mtg 6P Bar remains open	10 Fooodd 6P \$5 Weekly Sign by 745P Draw 8P & 50/50	11 PLANNING MEETING 6P Euchre League 630P 200 Club	12 Fish Fry!! 5 - 7 p Weekly, 8P	13 Bulletin DEADLINE 12/20
14 NFL Playoffs 1P OR Browns @4P	15 Woohoo! Monday!	16 Lodge Mtg 7P Bar closed during Mtg	17 Dinner 6P \$5 Weekly Sign by 745P Draw 8P & 50/50	18 Euchre League 630P 200 Club 8P	19 Weekly 8P	20 CHILI COOK-OFF
21 NFL Playoffs 1P OR Browns @4P	22 Woohoo! Monday!	23 No Meeting Bar Open All Night	24 Fooodd 6P \$5 Weekly Sign by 745P Draw 8P & 50/50	25 Euchre League 630P 200 Club 8P	26 Weekly 8P	27 NCD 1-Day Mtg Norwalk 2PM Dinner Entertainment
28 NFL Playoffs 1P OR Browns @4P	29 Yep! Monday!	30 No Meeting Bar Open All Night	31 Dinner 6P \$5 Weekly Sign by 745P Draw 8P & 50/50	2024 Buckeye Bucks Calendars Still available! Only \$20 for a great cause & 728 chances to win \$50 to \$500 based on a 4-digit OH Lottery Pick 4 number Checks mailed to winners!		

**UPCOMING: FEB: 6 Officer Nominations, 10 Charcuterie Boards, 11 Super Bowl, 17 Cash Bash, 20 Officer Elections, 24 Kollege of Knowledge; APR 6 Inaugural**

**Ashland Elks Lodge 1360**

**January 2024 Bulletin**

**From Exalted Ruler Mike Fallon**

New Year, New Lodge.... well same "old" Lodge with some improvements. I hope everyone had an amazing holiday season filled with joy, family, friends, food, and frivolity. As the 2023 year wrapped up, we ramped up with family events, the Hoop Shoot, Christmas parties, renovations, and a fancy meal. I hope 2024 can bring a lot more fun.

You might have noticed some continuing small changes, but we are going to be **renovating the front kitchen**. We will have all new appliances, counters that don't lean, cabinets, sinks, the whole nine yards. We are also changing up the dining room coat closets to offer better storage for our bar needs. All of this is possible because of you and your patronage to our Lodge. We discuss these changes as a Board of Directors. If you want to provide input, you can submit it in writing or show up to the **BOD meetings** on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6 pm.

January will see the return of our **Red Chili Cookoff vs the Wooster Lodge**. I am hoping we can bring the crown home this year. This event will take place on **Jan 20 at the Wooster Lodge** starting at 5:30 pm. Last year, they came here and beat us in our own house, so this year we will return the favor in theirs. I hope to see a lot of entries from Ashland there.

January is also time again for the **North Central District meeting**. It will be held on Jan 27 (my birthday again) at the Norwalk Lodge. We recently moved to a 1-day format for the meetings so I hope to see a lot of our members there. The meeting is at 2 pm followed by a fantastic dinner and entertainment. I will be posting the hotel information in the Lodge as soon as I have it. Come celebrate my birthday with the other Lodges in the district.

Finally, it is time to start thinking about the annual transition of leadership in our Lodge. You are stuck with me until early April, but the **nominations for officers** are the first Tuesday in February. We will have a couple of Chair positions open and a Trustee spot to fill. If you have any interest, please reach out to Sam or me for more information. We need help with setting up the future leadership of this Lodge and would love you have your help.

Thank you!  
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Ashland, OH, Lodge used a \$2,000 Ohio Elks Association Community Service Grant and nearly \$1,300 in funding from the lodge PER Association to donate 15 tamper-proof lock boxes to the City of Ashland Fire Division. The boxes are intended to be installed on the homes of people who are at high risk of falls and will enable emergency responders to gain access to the homes in emergency situations. Pictured are lodge member and Fire Chief Rick Anderson (left) and ER Mike Fallon.

Ashland 1360 made it to the

Supporting the Fire Department is just one example of decades of active Lodge leadership directly helping our Community.

You can help lead our Lodge into an active, giving future.

Consider getting involved with a committee, being a Chair, being a Trustee.