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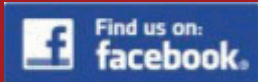
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**Club Hours**  
Mon—Thur 11am—11pm  
Fri-11am—12am  
Sat-10am—12am  
Sun-9am—9pm

[www.hopkinselks.org](http://www.hopkinselks.org)

[www.teamingupforteens.org](http://www.teamingupforteens.org)

[www.mnwelcomehomevets.org](http://www.mnwelcomehomevets.org)



Lodge meetings are the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month except on holidays. July and August—2nd Monday only.

### Officers

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## Hopkins Elks Lodge #2221 HOPLINE

<http://www.hopkinselks.org>

### Exalted Ruler MichaelShinn



REACH OUT TO MEMBERS

Members All,

It's wonderful to see how many great things are going on in our Lodge as we shift into another fabulous Minnesota summer! Our next big event is **Raspberry Festival** the week of July 11<sup>th</sup>. Our Lodge is once again hosting our infamous bingo tent Friday through Sunday (15<sup>th</sup>-17). We still need a number of volunteers to make this happen, so please stop in and sign up to help. Shifts are just 2 hours long a lot of fun....please join us! I would like to thank my Leading Knight Ginger, for Chairing the committee and all committee members and volunteers for your help in making this event great.

Now, I would like to recap the MN State Elks Convention which was hosted by the Eveleth Lodge #1161 and Virginia Lodge #1003 Jun 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. We were honored to have our Grand Exalted Ruler T. Keith Mills from Idaho in attendance. He was both humble and entertaining, and everyone enjoyed having him and his wife Amy there. John Jennings from the Hutchinson Lodge #2427 ended his year as State President and handed his Jewels off to incoming State President Craig DeForge from Minneapolis Lodge #44.

Statewide, Minnesota was top in the nation (#1) for ENF Contributions this past year. 2021-2022 was also the first time in 22 years that the State of Minnesota had a net positive increase in Membership. What an accomplishment!

Our own Hopkins Lodge #2221 received several awards as well:

1. Patriot Award from State President John Jennings. John and his wife Sybil were truly moved by being able to participate in a Welcome Home Vets delivery.
2. Award for exceeding the Grand Exalted Ruler's (GER) \$4.80 per-member-giving goal in 2021-2022. In fact, all of Minnesota's 24 lodges exceeded this goal.
3. Second Place Award for Penny A Day contributions. Hopkins contributed an average of \$5.15 per member this past year.
4. Second Place Award for Membership. Our lodge had a 5.15% increase in members last year.
5. Third Place Award for Elks National Foundation (ENF) contributions at \$22.51 per member on average.

So, as you can see it was a very good year!

Locally, our Lodge activities are going strong with Dart League on Tues-

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day nights, Bean Bags on Wednesday nights, and let's not forget Bargo Fridays from 12 noon 'til around 1:30pm. Tuesday Burger night is doing well as is Wednesday food for the Bean Bag League. Thank you, Risa Anderson and Rick McNaughton, for donating their time keeping the hungry people happy. Thursday Grill Night is also doing great, and I see we're adding a couple of new items to the menu, which I think will go over very well. Let's not forget about our Sunday Breakfasts. They seem to be getting better and better and we served 36 breakfasts Jun 26<sup>th</sup>. Outstanding!

Good work everyone, and let's keep it going! I want to thank each and everyone of our volunteers for stepping up and making these events happen. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

And...don't forget that tickets are now available for the annual Youth Camp Raffle. Top prize is \$6,000. Bartenders have the tickets, which are \$100 each. Get yourself one....or split with a friend. FYI, Hopkins had a BIG winner last year. Is it your turn??

Enjoy your July, and I hope to see all of you at the Lodge soon.

**"REACH OUT TO MEMBERS"**

Fraternally,  
Michael Shinn  
Exalted Ruler



**Membership Report**

**Birthdays**

**As of June 16, 2022**

**Next Initiation: July 23, 2022**

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## It's time to Sign-Up for: Bean Bag League (Summer 2022)

**Starting July 20th, for approx. 10 wks.**  
(Duration based on quantity of Teams)

- **Wed. nights (starting as early as 6:00)**
- **Max. (3) games per night**
- **Outdoor location (weather permitting)**  
Play will be held indoors as needed

**Sign-up by July 12th for one of (3) types of spots:**

- **As a TEAM:** (Consider 3 on a team during the summer/vacation season)
- **As a SUB:** (Be occasionally available on semi-short notice)
- **As a SINGLE:** (Connect via-email & we'll try to get you paired up)

**Sign-up at the Club**

(Registration Page on  
the Wall in the Bar Area)

OR

**Send e-mail to:**

[beanbags@hopkinseleks.com](mailto:beanbags@hopkinseleks.com)

# EAST COAST

201 MEADOWBROOK ROAD HOPKINS, MN 55343  
MONDAY - SUNDAY 8AM - 9PM

## BREAKFAST

**BREAKFAST SANDWICH—\$5**  
SAUSAGE AND EGG  
TURKEY AND EGG  
BACON AND EGG

**PASTRIES**  
ASSORTED MUFFINS—\$3  
DONUTS—\$2

## BURGERS & SANDWICHES

**PHILLY SANDWICH—\$12**

Choose your choice of protein  
Steak|chicken| mushroom  
grilled onion, green pepper,  
and hot peppers.

**GRILL HAMBURGER—\$5**

Make any classic burger a double for \$3  
It's tender, juicy and flavorful with  
just the right amount of charred

**CHEESE HAMBURGER—\$6**

**BEYOND HAMBURGER—\$12**

Smoke Beyond burger is topped with lettuce,  
tomato and onions.

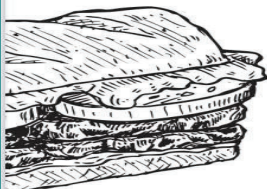
## SIDES

**FRIES—\$4**  
**CHEESE CURDS—\$7**  
**ONION RING—\$5**  
**COLESLAW—\$3**  
**CHIPS—\$1**  
**ASSORTED CANDY BARS—\$1**



## HOT DOGS

**BEEF HOT DOG—\$4**  
**BEFF HOT LINK—\$6**  
**BRAT—\$6**



## WINGS—\$10

**BUFFALO WINGS**  
**DRY RUB**  
**BBQ**  
**LEMON PEPPER**

## DRINKS

**WATER—\$2.50**  
**POP—\$3**  
**SPORTS DRINK—\$3**  
**JUICE—\$3**  
**DOGWOOD COFFEE**  
SMALL—\$2  
LARGE—\$3

### BEER

CANS—\$5  
BOTTLE—6  
IPA—7  
MODELS, BUDWEISER,  
GOLDEN LIGHT, MILLER,  
MILLER LITE, COORS, COORS  
LIGHTS



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**CALLS FOR ARTICLES**

Do you have an article you would like to submit to the monthly Hopline? As long as your article is Elks-related send it to: [weeklyupdates@hopkinselks.org](mailto:weeklyupdates@hopkinselks.org).

**CALENDAR INFORMATION**

[click this link](#) to see all currently scheduled events

**JULY 2022**

SUN 9AM-9PM	MON 11AM-11PM	TUE 11AM-11PM	WED 11AM-11PM	THU 11AM-11PM	FRI 11AM-12AM	SAT 10AM-
JULY 31 9:30am Sunday Bkfst			FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM HOUSE COMM MTG—5:15pm SPECIAL EVENTS MTG 6:15PM	5:30-7:30pm GRILL NIGHT	1 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	2
3 9:30am Sunday Bkfst	4 Lunch— Check Updates 	5 Lunch— Check Updates BURGER NIGHT 5:30-7:30pm 6pm—DARTS	6 Lunch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM	7 Lunch— Check Updates 5:30-7:30pm GRILL NIGHT	8 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	9
<b>ELKS NATIONAL CONVENTION—GEORGIA</b>						
10 9:30am Sunday Bkfst	11 Lunch— Check Updates TRUSTEES – 6pm LODGE—7pm	12 Lunch— Check Updates BURGER NIGHT 5:30-7:30pm 6pm—DARTS	13 Lunch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM	14 Lunch— Check Updates 5:30-7:30pm GRILL NIGHT	15 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	16
<b>HOPKINS RASPBERRY FESTIVAL</b>						
17 9:30am Sunday Bkfst	18 Lunch— Check Updates	19 Lunch— Check Updates BURGER NIGHT 5:30-7:30pm 6pm—DARTS	20 L unch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM	21 Lunch— Check Updates 5:30-7:30pm GRILL NIGHT	22 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	23 NEW MEMBER INITIATION
<b>FESTIVAL</b>						
24 9:30am Sunday Bkfst	25 Lunch— Check Updates TRUSTEES – 6pm NO LODGE MTG	26 Lunch— Check Updates PER Pizza 5:30-7:30pm 6pm—DARTS	27 Lunch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM	28 Lunch— Check Updates 5:30-7:30pm GRILL NIGHT	29 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	30
<b>STATE GOLF TOURNEY</b>						