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LODGE #2221
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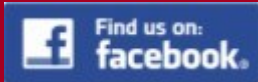
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Club Hours
Mon—Thur 11am—11pm
Fri-11am—12am
Sat-10am—12am
Sun-9am—9pm

www.hopkinselks.org

www.teamingupforteens.org

www.mnwelcomehomevets.org



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

Officers

Exalted Ruler	Michael Shinn
Leading Knight	Ginger Worwa
Loyal Knight	Kari Larson
Lecturing Knight	Raquel Bourne
Secretary	Danielle Arthur
Treasurer	Cindy Muzetras
Esquire	Christie Marrs
Chaplain	Candyce Ferrentino
Inner Guard	Carrie Opheim
Tiler	Risa Anderson
Organist	Rachel DeVille
Soloist	Amy Lynn Nelson

Trustees

(2nd/4th Monday 6:00pm)
Bob Arthur, Sue Huttner
Scott Johnson, Mike Opheim
Scott King

House Committe

Clyde Ulku, Chair, Tom Hedlund,
Secretary, Jody Olson,
Amy Lynn Nelson, Keith Page,
Russ Belk



Hopkins Elks Lodge #2221 HOPLINE

<http://www.hopkinselks.org>

Exalted Ruler MichaelShinn



REACH OUT TO MEMBERS

Members All,

What a fantastic summer it's been at the Hopkins Elks! August was another busy month, with several fun community events along with our regular schedule of darts, bags, good food, and friends.

We hosted our 2nd annual Batters Up contest on August 14th. This is a national Elks program that allows boys and girls from 5-15 to demonstrate their batting skills while enjoying lunch and some community time with Elks members (and representatives from our local fire and police departments). Although attendance was considerably lower than last year, the kids had a great

time. A special thank you to all who volunteered, both from #2221 and from other Lodges. The day after our event, several Hopkins members returned the favor and assisted Minneapolis Lodge #44 with their Batters Up contest.

On August 20th, we held our annual Ribfest on our newly resurfaced parking lot. It was a perfect day, full of fantastic food, music and community. We made a small change this year by holding off half and full rack rib sales until 3pm...which worked like a charm. For those of you who have joined us in previous years, this tweak allowed everyone to be able to sample the ribs without them selling out in the first half hour. Many thanks to the talented grill masters and volunteers. Once again, you made it wonderful!

Looking forward, September is shaping up to be another fantastic month, with the return of Sunday football, another big initiation on the 15th, and Oktoberfest on October 1st. We are also a sponsor for the Annual Block Party on Sept. 10th at the Hopkins Center for the Arts. They are having food trucks, a corn hole tournament, and dancing in the street. Check it out at HopkinsEducationFoundation.org

From a membership standpoint, many of you know that I chose the slogan "Reach Out To Members" for my year as Exalted Ruler. With that in mind, I'd like to ask that members who sponsor someone for membership get their contact information and reach out periodically to invite them to an event/dinner/volunteer opportunity. Let's get our new folks involved.

Lastly, we are excited to have a new crew in the kitchen providing week-day lunches. East Coast Food Management Group will be serving Tuesday -Saturday from 11-3, with daily specials. Check out their menu on the next page and join us for lunch soon.

Fraternally,
Michael Shinn
Exalted Ruler



Membership Report

As of August 16 , 2022

Next Initiation: September 15, 2022

This info is posted at the Lodge

Birthdays

The following members have birthdays this month:

This info is posted at the Lodge



Burgers (comes with fries or chips)

Classic Cheese Burger.....\$8.00
(Lettuce, tomato, onions)

Mushroom N Swiss.....\$10.00
(Sautéed mushrooms /American Swiss cheese)

BBQ Bacon Cheeseburger.....\$10.00
(Topped with our famous BBQ sauce, bacon, American cheese and Swiss cheese)

Cheese Steaks

East Coast Philly\$12.00
(Steak/ onions/ peppers/ Swiss cheese)

Chicken Philly.....\$12.00
(Chicken/ Onions/ Peppers /Swiss cheese)

Grilled Chicken Club.....	\$10.00
(Lettuce, Tomato, onion, bacon, mayo)	
Chicken Tenders (served with fries).....	\$8.00
Wings (7 pieces served with fries).....	\$12.00
(Plain/ Dry Rub/ Lemon Pepper/ BBQ/ Buffalo)	
BBQ (served with Fries & Cole Slaw)	
Pulled Pork Sandwich.....	\$12.00
Rib Tips.....	\$14.00





Minnesota Elks Association



MINNESOTA ELK'S ASSOCIATION 2022 MID-YEAR CONVENTION OCTOBER 21-22, 2022

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Elk Delegate's Name & Title	
Spouse/Guest/2nd Member's Name & Title	
Lodge Name and Number	
Elk Delegate's Phone number	
Elk Delegate's Email	

Friday afternoon events at MN Youth Elks Camp happen rain or shine; we'll use the buildings and dress in layers. Shuttle transportation will be available between BP and Camp.

Event	Price	Quantity	Total
Registration REQUIRED for each member attending	\$15		
Friday, October 21st - Lunch at Camp Roast Beef Sundaes (roast beef with mashed potatoes; a Worthington specialty)	\$10		
Friday, October 21st - Afternoon Cabana, tips collected will benefit Elks Youth Camp			
Friday, October 21st - Fun at Camp, Poker Crawl with BONUS activities and specialty drinks Great prizes to be won for best poker hand	\$15		
Friday, October 21st - Dinner - Please get out to support and enjoy the local restaurants			
Saturday, October 22nd - Lunch Banquet (conveniently follows the morning session) Breezy Point will be catering Pizza, Salad & Breadsticks in the meeting room. Cash Bar will be available.	\$18		
Elk's Stocking Hat (gray with purple logo)	\$20		
Hospitality Wristband includes Drinks, Snacks and Entertainment at the Governor's House at Breezy Point. Thursday & Friday 7pm until 11pm and Saturday 4pm to 7pm.	\$30		
Total Enclosed			

Registration requested by September 30. After September 30th the fee is \$20.

Prepare to practice social distancing. Please bring a mask.
Breezy Point and the Elks reserve the right to enforce social distancing guidelines.
Please keep the well being of your fellow Elks in mind.

Form and check due by September 30, 2022.

Make checks payable to: Mankato Elk's #225

Mail form and check to: Owatonna Elk's Lodge #1395
Attn: Lynda
PO Box 881
Owatonna, MN 55060



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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.

CALENDAR INFORMATION

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

SEPTEMBER 2022

SUN 9AM-9PM	MON 11AM-11PM	TUE 11AM-11PM	WED 11AM-11PM	THU 11AM-11PM	FRI 11AM-12AM	SAT 10AM-
				1 Lunch— Check Updates 5:30-7:30pm GRILL NIGHT	2 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	3
4 9:30am Sunday Bkfst	5 Lunch—Check Updates 	6 Lunch— Check Updates BURGER NIGHT 5:30-7:30pm	7 Lunch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM HOUSE COMM MTG—4:30pm SPECIAL EVENTS MTG 6:15PM	8 Lunch— Check Updates 6pm GRILL NIGHT	9 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO FEMALE VETS AT YOUTH CAMP	10
11 9:30am Sunday Bkfst VETS AT CAMP	12 Lunch— Check Updates TRUSTEES – 6pm 7pm—LODGE MTG	13 Lunch— Check Updates BURGER NIGHT 5:30-7:30pm BLANKET TIE EVENT—6pm	14 Lunch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM	15 Lunch— Check Updates 5:30-PM NEW MEMBER INITIATION 6pm GRILL NIGHT	16 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	17  WELCOME HOME VETS WINE TASTING EVENT—11am
18 9:30am Sunday Bkfst	19 Lunch— Check Updates	20 Lunch— Check Updates BURGER NIGHT 5:30-7:30pm	21 L unch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM SPECIAL EVENTS MTG 5:30M	22 Lunch— Check Updates 6pm GRILL NIGHT	23 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO CAMP CLOSSES	24
25 9:30am Sunday Bkfst 12pm 	26 Lunch— Check Updates TRUSTEES – 6pm 7pm—LODGE MTG	27 Lunch— Check Updates PER Pizza 5:30-7:30pm BLANKET TIE EVENT—6pm	28 Lunch— Check Updates FOOD-5:30-7:30p BAGS—6PM	29 Lunch— Check Updates 6pm GRILL NIGHT	30 Lunch— Check Updates NOON BARGO	