









The Monthly Electronic Newsletterof the New York State Elks Year 7 Volume 3 - February 2015

Birthday Wishes

2/20 Bruce Hidley

PSP 2007-2008

SP Shook Homecoming

SP Jerry Shook will have his homecoming on April 17-19 at the Desmond Hotel and Conference Center, 661 Albany Shaker Rd, Albany NY 12211. Make reservations directly with the Hotel, no later than 04/11/2015, and identify themselves as members of NYS Elks/Jerry Shook Homecoming at the time they make their reservation. This event has been assigned the group ID #129808, Local phone 518-869-8100 and/or the toll free # 800-448-3500.

The Homecoming Banquet will be held in the Fort Orange Ballroom at the Desmond Hotel. Menu Includes: Cocktail hour, followed by dinner including chilled exotic greens topped with sliced mushrooms, mandarin oranges, sliced almonds and dried cranberries. All tables are set with a relish tray served with an herb dip, cheddar cheese, creamy garlic dressing, fresh baked rolls and butter. Entree choices include sliced New York sirloin of beef topped with a demi-glace, served with potato Provencale; Atlantic salmon Fillet encrusted with shredded potato and finished with chive buerre blanc, served with caviar rice; and a vegetable strudel, with oven roasted vegetables folded into phyllo leaves, baked golden brown, finished with roasted red pepper coulis, with herbed couscous. Dinner reservations are \$50 and must be made by April 11 to Jerry Shook, 990 US Route 9. Hudson 12534.

GL Reservations

Reservations for the Grand Lodge Convention in Indianapolis July 4 through July 9 are now available at nyselks.org under Conventions, or under News. NY Elks will be at the JW Marriott Indianapolis, at 10 South West St. Indianapolis IN. There is much more information, including maps, in the packet.

Spring Converntion

Forms for 103rd Spring Convention, to be held at the Radisson, 120 E.Main St. Rochester NY on May 28-31 are on nyselks.org, under News / Conventions.

Our PGER Sponsors have arranged for GL Area One Audit and Accounting Committeeman, James Sabio, to conduct a three-hour seminar on Good Accounting Practices Saturday morning, May 30. We are sure many would like to hear his remarks and ask questions.

HoopShoot Competitions

The NYS Elks Hoop Shoot State Finals will be hosted by Syracuse Elks #31 on March 7th, at 11 AM at the Mc Chesney Youth and Senior Center, 2308 Grant Boulevard, Syracuse N.Y. 13208.. The Regional finishers are as follows:

Central John Edinger, Director Kori Nichols G 8-9 Watertown Gianna Zerrillo G 10-11 Syracuse Claire Odett G 12-13 Carthage Cameron Ludwig B 8-9 Herkimer

Christopher Kane B 10-11 Canajoharie Tristan Jarvi B 12-13 Syracuse East-Christina Curley, Director Mallory Arnold G 8-9 Keeseville G 10-11 Greenwich

Sophia Phillips Glens Falls Brinley Inglee G 12-13 Gavin King B 8-9 Glens Falls Cameron Orr B 10-11 Glens Falls Riley Orr B 12-13 Glens Falls

West-April Bates, Director

| Meadow Fumerelle | G 8-9 | |
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| Abby Spiess | G 10-11 | |
| Calden Crego | G 12-13 | |
| Dray Akin | B 8-9 | |
| Dylan Morse | B 10-11 | |
| Gavin Buck | B 12-13 | |
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South-Mike Picariello, Director

| Dakota Daniello | G 8 -9 | |
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| Juliana Kost | G 10-11 | |
| Riley Tupper | G 12-13 | |
| Tyler Azanieh | B 8-9 | |
| Bradley Buban | B 10-11 | |
| Jaden Ottati | B 12-13 | |
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In Vain We Call..



PGIG/PSP John B Flannery of Webster-Fairport died February 2. Memorials to St. John Bosco Schools, East Rochester or St. Louis School, Pittsford. . Cards to 1258 Wildflower Dr., Webster NY 14580. John was State President in 1980-1981.



PSP Bill Smith of Keeseville died February 5. Cards to 106 Coldstream Cove Loop, Murrells Inlet SC 29575. Memorials to ENF, or North Country Mission of Hope, 239 New York Rd, Plattsburgh NY 12903. Bill was State President in 1995-1996.

SP Shook Travel Schedule

| Visit | Date |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| Ontario | February 13-15 |
| East Central | February 20-22 |
| Southeast | Feb 27-28, Mar 1 |
| Bowling Tournament | March 27-29 |
| SP Homecoming | April 18 |
| East | May 1-3 |
| State Convention | May 29-31 |

State Trustees to Meet

State Trustees will meet Saturday morning April 18 at 9 AM at the Desmond Hotel.

Ladies Luncheon April 18 Noon Luncheon choices to be posted soon.

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