







New York State Elks Association e-Zine

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Birthday Wishes 10/10 Charles I Noonan PSP 2001-2002

Empire State Elk Permission Slip A revised version of the permission slip is now posted on the state website under News; it has been modified to

under News; it has been modified to include senior citizens and veterans, in addition to young people. Please be sure to use the new version.

NYS Directory Available

The updated edition of the 2016-17 NYS Directory is now available under Members Only. This is the complete directory as a pdf file (5 Meg), Corrections are welcome to State Secretary Erkkinen at nysea@verizon.net.

ESE Summer Edition Available!

The summer (web) edition of the NYS Empire State Elk is now available at nyselks.org under News. The Fall Edition (paper) will go to press in October.

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Visit	Date	
Fall Conference	Sept 22-25	
State Capital	Sept 30, Oct 1-2	
North	Oct 7-9	
South Central	Oct 14-16	
Northeast	Oct 21-23	
West	Nov 4-6	
Southwest	Nov 11-13	
North Central	Nov 18-20	
Southern Tier	Dec 2-4	
South	Dec 9-11	
Central	Dec 16-18	
West Central	Feb 3-5	
Ontario	Feb 10-12	
East Central	Feb 17-19	
Southeast	Feb 24-26	
NYS Bowling	March 24-26	
East District	May 5-7	
Spring Convention Adam's Mark Buffalo	May 18-21	

Spring Proceedings Available!

The Spring Convention Proceedings are available at nyselks.org under News A few paper copies will be available at the Fall Conference.

Fall Conference Program

Thursday		
9 AM 1 PM	Advisory Board Major Projects	Pleasantville Pleasantville
Friday		
9 AM	Membership Elks Memorial Day Drug Awareness Bowling Major Projects Brd	Ballroom A Ballroom B Ballroom C Ballroom D Scarsdale
10:30	SVPⅅ w/Chairs Ritual Americanism/Essay Veteran's Service	Larchmont Ballroom A Ballroom B Ballroom C
2 PM	SVPⅅ w/Chairs Secretary/Treasure Scholarship/Emerg Elks Training ENF	Larchmont Ballroom A Ballroom B Ballroom C Ballroom D
3:45	SVPⅅ w/Chairs	Larchmont
Saturday		
9 AM	Business Session	Plaza Ballr'm
1:45	Major Projects ESE/Pub.Rel/Web Youth/Hoopshoot	Ballroom A Ballroom B Ballroom C
2 PM	DD's w/GER Zellen	Larchmont
3:15	SVPⅅ w/Chairs	Larchmont
4 PM	Catholic Mass	Briarcliff 1,2
6:30	Cocktail Reception	Pool Patio
7:30	Gala State Banquet	N.Rochelle

GER Zellen at Fall Conference



GER Michael Zellen will be at the Fall Conference in White Plains. Be sure to see him, have him sign your card, and welcome him to New York!

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In Vain We Call...



Honorable Peter T. Affatato, Past Grand Exalted Ruler 1986-87. Past State President 1965-66, of Hicksville Lodge #1931 died Aug 31, 2016. A private family-only service was held in Florida. The family requests donations to ENF. Cards to Irene Affatato, 11 Kings Grant Road – Apt 204, Holly Hill, FL 32117-2545

Louis M. Withiam, PER of Ithaca 636, PDD of Southern Tier passed Sept 13. He had just been installed as a member of the NYSEA Major Projects Corporation Board of Directors and was a major contributor to the success of the Major Projects and Veterans programs in the State of New York. Elks Service 4:45 on Friday September 17 at Bangs Funeral Home, Ithaca. Condolences to 9 Horizon Drive, Ithaca, NY 14850.

Dave Holt, PER of Vestal Lodge 2508, PSVP and PDD of South Central District passed away on Saturday, September 3. Dave was Past Secretary of the PER Association, the PDD Association, and the PSVP Association of South Central District. Condolences to 300 E.Main St, Endicott NY 13760.

Louisiana Flood Relief

NYS Elks Major Projects Board has approved a donation of \$5,000 to the Louisiana Elks Association to assist in the cleanup and recovery efforts. Major Projects Corp.is also accepting donations from Lodges and individuals. These donations will be included in the check to the LEA in mid-September and should be mailed by September 15, 2016 to: NYS Major Projects -Louisiana Relief, 33 Holcomb Road Averill Park, NY 12018. (Make checks to – NYSEA Major Projects, Louisiana Relief)