



# New York State Elks Association e-Zine



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## **Birthday Wishes**

7/05 Ernest Southworth PSP 1992-1993

#### Bowling Tournament as of 6/10

The final results of the NY State Bowling Tournament will be posted on the State website, as soon as the results are official and handicaps have been confirmed.

# **Internet Workshop Report**

At the Internet workshop, Chair Matt Intrieri presented statistics of what districts have submitted for Elks in Action on the internet and Empire State Elk. In the table, Ct is the number of submissions, Pct is # of lodges submitting vs # in district. Full details on the web. **Ontario** and **North Central** were the only districts with 100% participation.

District	V Ct	/eb Pct	E: Ct	SE Pct
South Central Ontario North Central Northeast East Central East Mid-Hudson State Capital	66 49 35 32 23 22 21 20	10/10 6/6 8/8 8/8 9/9 7/7 6/6 7/7	36 28 38 26 4 12 13	8/10 6/6 8/8 7/8 2/9 5/7 3/6 5/7
North Hudson West Central Southeast Southern Tier South Central Southwest West North	14 8 5 5 4 4 2 2	5/8 3/7 3/7 5/6 2/8 4/8 2/5 2/8 2/6	3 16 4 0 2 6 3 0 3	2/8 4/7 2/7 0/6 2/6 3/8 2/5 0/8 2/6

#### **Bulletin Contest Results**

The NYS Bulletin contest winners were announced by Chair Michael Jones.

Div	First Place	Second Place
1	Syracuse 31	Lyons 869
2	Clifton Park 2466	Rochester 24
3	Guilderland 2480	Liverpool 2348
4	Lockport 41	Potsdam 2074
5	Middletown 1097	
6	Rotterdam 2157	

#### **Camp Vote Passes**

The vote on the camp passed with 71% in favor. A 2/3 majority was required.

#### **Ritual Competition**

The NYS Ritual Competition was held at Rochester May 20, won by Wolcott #1763

Pos	Lodge	Score
1	Wolcott #1763	94.605
2	Bath #1547	92.827
3	Guilderland #2480	91.849
4	Carthage #1762	91.628
5	Liverpool #2348	90.580
6	Peekskill #744	89.424

The All-Star Awards go to the officer with the best performance. The All-Stars are:

Off	Lodge	Officer	Score
ER	Wolcott	Ray Cole	92.091
Ld	Bath	Rew Vanatta	93.908
	Carthage	Robert Sligar	92.830
Le	Wolcott	Phil Galek	93.345
Es	Guilderland	Kathleen Britell	89.539
Ch	Bath	Wayne Cranz	92.916
IG	Wolcott	Delbert Weber	88.115

### **Elks Drug Quiz Show**

The correct address to register is elksdrugguizshow.com

To register, fill in all the information you can, areas that do not apply, put NA. This allows you access to all learning centers for the Drug Quiz Show. Make yourself aware of them as you will be asked to explain some things. Any questions contact the supervisors of this program, PSP Phil Holowacz paholowacz@gmail.com, or Hope Woodcock-Rosshope-mw@hotmail.com.

# Rotterdam Elks to Host Jr. Golf

Rotterdam Elks 2157 will again be hosting the Jr Golf Tournament August 14 and 15 at Orchard Creek Golf Club, Altamont NY. A booklet is being prepared to help defray costs, ad deadline is August 5. Entry forms and full information at nyselks.org under News. Full page \$100, ½ page \$50, ¼ page \$25. Send ads to Paul Ungerland, pungerland@msn.com or PO Box 93, Rexford NY 12148.

In Vain We Call... none to report

SP Reedy Travel Schedule (Plan)

Visit	Date
Ontario	June 10-12
GL Convention	July 3-6
Mid-Hudson	July 29-31
North Hudson	Sept 9-11
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

#### Flag Day Reports Due

Americanism Chair Gary Rogers has a Flag Day report form, now on-line at nyselks.org under Americanism under Programs and under News. This is due to your district committee person by June 20.

# Americanism Essay Contest

For fifth through eighth graders, this contest is to promote patriotism among young people. The theme for the **2016-2017 Americanism Essay Contest** will be: "Why is it Important to Vote". Entries are due in December. Plaques will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place nationally. Additional information available at nyselks.org under News. Matt Intrier PDD 6/15/16