



TIFFIN ELKS

A Fraternal Organization

B.P.O.E LODGE 94

TIFFIN, OHIO (419) 447-2818

Established September 12, 1888



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GREETINGS FROM YOUR EXALTED RULER...

Howdy! We have 3 big events coming up. First up is the Heritage Festival on September 15th. There is a volunteer sign-up form at the bar, please come and help if you can.

In October we will host the Elks district meeting. This is our time to impress the other clubs that have more members (money) than us by a factor of 10. If you want to be assigned a cleanup/restoration/beautification job please let me know. You can reply to this newsletter, or email ER@tiffinelks.com.

On November 4th we have the gun raffle. The best thing you can do for your club is to sell all of the tickets that were mailed to you. If you did not get your tickets or you need more, let the bartender know, or you can email me at ER@tiffinelks.com. This is our biggest yearly fundraiser and by selling all your tickets you will be directly impacting our bottom line in a very positive way.

I want to make a digital suggestion box on the website. In the meantime if you have any suggestions or complaints you can always email me at ER@tiffinelks.com.

**Forever in Elkdom,
Branden Johnson, ER**



FROM THE SECRETARY...

Summer is almost over and we're preparing for Heritage Festival. We can always use volunteers for the festival, but will be happy to just have your company for the fun times ahead!

If you missed it, over the summer we initiated 7 new members. Â If you see Rachal Tate, Jessica Williams, Erin Skeel, Cheyane Thacker, Michele Upton, Kayla Moore, or Tami Tharp please introduce yourself and make them feel welcome! Â

We are 4 months into the new lodge year, if you haven't paid your dues yet then do so soon. Â After 6 months we will start dropping members for non-payment. Â To re-join you'll have to pay a \$15 reinstatement fee. Keep an eye out for an email with instructions on how to pay (and how much) before the deadline.

**Respectfully Yours,
Laura Johnson, Secretary**

FROM THE TRUSTEES...

September Events

- 09/04 Club Closed
- 09/07 Lodge Meeting
- 09/21 Lodge Meeting

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

- September 15-17th : Heritage Festival
- November 4th: Sportsman's Raffle

The trustees would like to thank everyone who participated and volunteered to make this year's golf outing a success. We would also like to thank all of our sponsors and donors to the event. We will have flyers posted at the club to recognize you for your contributions.

The trustees have decided to stop Wednesday meals as we look to improve the menu and facility. We will continue Build a Burger in October. The club will still offer a small bar menu daily.

September brings the return of Heritage Festival Weekend to the city. We will have entertainment on stage Friday night in the lot starting at 7:30. Saturday we will again offer a FREE breakfast and Bloody Mary bar before the parade for all members and immediate family. Saturday afternoon the lot will host Kid's Corner starting after the parade and running till 3:30. Saturday night starting at 7:30 Alternate Ending will be playing on our stage. Volunteer sign-up sheets are posted for anyone interested in volunteering some time throughout the weekend.

Gun Raffle tickets are in the mail! This is by far our biggest fundraiser so your help with selling as many tickets as possible is appreciated!

Respectfully Yours,
Your Trustees

TAX DEDUCTABLE DONATIONS

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR CHARITABLE EFFORTS!

Your Tiffin Elks Lodge #94 has a long standing tradition of benevolence by supporting local Seneca County Charities through donations. These donations are provided through the B.P.O.E. #94 accounts with the Tiffin Charitable Foundation. As required by the State of Ohio, 25% of our gambling revenues are directed to the Elks fund with The Tiffin Charitable Foundation. We also supplement these funds by holding numerous and varied activities and fund raising events throughout the year. Please join us in this cause by channeling some of your annual charitable contributions to:

Tiffin Charitable Foundation
68 S. Washington St.
Tiffin, Ohio 44883

Please include a note that your donation is to be deposited into the BPOE Tiffin Lodge #094 Account. Upon request, the Foundation will send you a receipt for your Tax Deduction purposes. All contributions are greatly appreciated.

Tiffin Elks Lodge No. 94
OFFICERS
2016 — 2017

Branden Johnson	Exalted Ruler
Katie Lang	Leading Knight
Gray Horn	Loyal Knight
Cameron Cory	Lecturing Knight
Laura Johnson	Secretary
Jim Eckelberry	Treasurer
	Esquire
Mary Kate Hayes	Tiler
Bob Kissel	Chaplain
	Inner Guard
Kylie Mathias	Organist
TRUSTEES	
Sam Bohanan	Chuck Jones
Anne Clouse	Christine Pattee
Tyler Shuff	

11 O'CLOCK TOAST

*You have heard the tolling of eleven strokes,
This is to remind you that with Elks,
the hour of eleven has a tender significance.
Wherever Elks may roam,
whatever their lot in life may be,
when this hour falls upon the dial of night
the great heart of Elldom swells and throbs.
It is the golden hour of recollection,
the homecoming of those who wander,
the mystic roll call of those who will come no more.
Living or dead, Elks are never forgotten, never forsaken.
Morning and noon may pass them by,
the light of day sink heedlessly in the West,
but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall,
the chimes of memory will be pealing forth
the friendly message:*

"TO OUR ABSENT MEMBERS"

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Be sure to come down and get your FREE birthday dinner on September 20th!!

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| 1 Anthony Reser | 7 Glenn Ritzenthaler | 16 Meagan McBride Klein | 26 Dana L Eblin |
| 3 Robert K Pollitt | 8 William Eberly | 19 Larry F Baker | 26 Mike Klepper |
| 4 Patricia Adams | 11 Rachal Tate | 19 Chad Fitzgerald | 30 Jason E McClafin |
| 4 Charles Christensen | 12 James H Getz | 20 David J Claus | |
| 4 Drew Hanley | 12 Robert Shreiner | 24 James Deats | |
| 5 Raymond J Krupp | 13 Thomas H Eastlick | 24 Tony Paulus | |
| 7 Kenneth E Canode Jr | 13 Dale W Griffis | 24 Ralph C Smothers II | |