



SOUTHWEST DISTRICT NEWS



The 830th meeting of the Southwest District of the Pennsylvania Elks State Association will be held at Monongahela Lodge #455 on Sunday, April 18, 2010. The delegates will meet at 2:30 PM. The Advisory Committee will meet at 1:30 PM.

District Deputy Clinic

District Deputy Stan Welsh's next clinic will be held at Monongahela Lodge on Sunday, April 18th at 1:00 PM. The clinic is mandatory for Exalted Rulers, Leading Knights, Secretaries and Trustee Chairmen. When you were elected to one of these positions, one of your obligations was to attend these clinics. Failure to attend could result in removal from office.

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Election & Meeting Sites

Nomination, Election and Installation of Officers for the Southwest District will be held at the meeting at Monongahela on April 18th. Meeting sites and dates will also be decided at that meeting. If your Lodge wishes to host a District meeting it is important that someone from your Lodge be present to make the bid.



OFFICERS 2009—2010
President.....Challen Matthews
Vice President...James Stubenbordt
Secretary.....David Pular
Treasurer.....Rebecca McCullough

DISTR. CHAIRPERSONS—2010-11

- Accident Prevention Don Reese
- Americanism Ed Forsberg
- District Activities Jim Stubenbordt
- Drug Awareness Becky McCullough
- Government Relations Barb Gagliardi
- Home Service Aquilq Hilling, Keith Hilling, David Pular
- Hoop Shoot Stan Welsh, Vice Chair, Vice Chairman West
- Lapsation/Membership Vince Santarel
- Legacy Trust Fund Don Reese
- Lodge Activities Lou Cramer
- Memorial/Resolutions Aquilq Hilling, Keith Hilling
- National Foundation Chris Alfer
- National Home Ron Hawkins PSP, Ginny Cole, Sam McCullough, Don Reese, Stan Welsh
- New Lodge/Assistance Stan Welsh
- Officer Training David Pular, Online Editor
- Public Relations Jack Schomer
- Ritualistic Harry Cancelmi
- Scholarship/Leadership Gary Cox, State Chair, Bill Fiesta, Vice Chair
- Soccer Shoot Mark McHugh
- State Association Jack McGrogan
- Tourn of Champions Ron Hawkins PSP
- Veterans Service Bob Thomas
- Youth Activities Joe VillaNeuva



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

- The Spring Convention of the PA Elks State A'ssn will be held at Seven Springs Resort on May 13-16. Our District hospitality room will once again be in rooms 114-116.
- Credentials will be needed at the Spring Convention as a bylaw change concerning DSVP's taking role call will be voted upon.
- Home Service contributions were received from Waynesburg (\$500), Uniontown (\$540) and Connellsville (\$400).
- Three winners from Connellsville and one from Washington were submitted for State judging in the Drug Awareness Poster/Essay contests.
- PA had one winner from the Metro District at the Mid Atlantic Soccer Shoot. Brandon Routzahn from Connellsville Lodge finished 4th.
- Canonsburg Lodge is trying to organize a group trip to the Grand Lodge convention in Orlando. Contact Jim Stubenbordt or Mark McHugh if interested.
- Statutory committee reports are due to DD Stan Welsh by the DD clinic on April 18th. Year end reports must be filed by May 1st.
- SW District Directory Forms have been emailed or mailed and should be returned ASAP along with dues check for \$130.00. Contact Dave Pular is you need a form.



UPCOMING MEETINGS
April 18..... Monongahela

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Southwest District:
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