



SOUTHWEST DISTRICT NEWS



The 857th meeting of the Southwest District of the Pennsylvania Elks State Association will be held at Scottdale Lodge #777 on Sunday, March 16, 2014. The delegates will meet at 2:30 PM. The Advisory Committee will meet at 1:30 PM.

- OFFICERS 2013—2014**
- President..... Barbara Gagliardi
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FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

DD Clinic

District Deputy Joe Villa-Neuva's next Clinic will be held at Scottdale Lodge on Sunday, March 16th at 1:00 PM.



It is mandatory for all Exalted Rulers, Leading Knights, Secretaries and Trustee Chairmen. Please contact Joe if you are unable to attend. Any interested members are also welcome.

SW District Scholarships

National Winner - Female

1. Paige Weaver, Scottdale

State Winners - Male

1. Andrew M Miller, Canonsburg
2. Tristan N Kozel, Connellsville
3. Michael A Garlowich, Scottdale
4. David F Shoemaker, Pgh So Hills
5. Edward J Custer Jr, Meyersdale
6. Corey P Downes, Charleroi
7. Antonio R Tatano, Canonsburg
8. William G Culver, Connellsville
9. Kolbe S Cunningham, Connellsville
10. Matthew R Senkow, Norwin
11. Gunner T Riley, Charleroi
12. Eric A Johnson, Norwin

State Winners - Female

1. Kelcie J King, Scottdale
2. Brooke A Kulasa, Monessen
3. Hannah C Schorr, Norwin
4. Rececca M Hazy, Monessen
5. Kaeli E Day, Meyersdale
6. Tara E Ritz, Scottdale

Southwest District Hoop Shoot Results

Girls 8-9

1. Kylie Taylor, Pgh So Hills
2. Amelia Kretchman, Meyersdale
3. Katie Schell, Norwin

10-11

1. Hannah Platt, Meyersdale
2. Josie Gorges, Pgh So Hills
3. MacKenzie Yaniga, Norwin

12-13

1. Lindsay Steeber, Monessen
2. Olivia Westphal, Pgh So Hills
3. Lexus Wilt, Meyersdale

Boys 8-9

1. Cole Sullivan, Norwin
2. Tanner Steeber, Monessen
3. Anthony Piasecki, Connellsville

10-11

1. Ryan Meis, Pgh So Hills
2. Michael Mendicino, Monessen
3. Colin Fagan, Monongahela

12-13

1. Evan Bromley, Pgh So Hills
2. Chris Zaccane, Canonsburg
3. Bryce Kretchman, Meyersdale

Pittsburgh So Hills Lodge won the Ben K Ortman Team Trophy.

Winners competed at State College on March 8th. The District had one medalist, Hannah Platt of Meyersdale was 3rd.



- UPCOMING MEETINGS**
- March 16..... Scottdale
 April 13..... Monongahela

- Congratulations to Julie Cooper, Connor Gallagher. Andrew Rodriguez and Ronald Rodrigues of Uniontown and Tatum Gretz of Connellsville who finished 1st at the **State Soccer Shoot**. Braden Workman and Nicolas Pegg of Uniontown finished 2nd.
- **Installation of Officers:** Uniontown, Connellsville, Monessen, Scottdale, Meyersdale and Norwin at **Connellsville Lodge** on Saturday, March 29th.
- Pittsburgh, Monongahela, Charleroi, Washington, Canonsburg, Donora and Pittsburgh So Hills at **Washington Lodge** on Sunday, March 30th.
- **A Home Service** contribution was received from Norwin Lodge for \$500.
- **A Legacy Trust Fund** donation was received from Canonsburg Lodge for \$100.
- **An ENF contribution** was received from Norwin Lodge for \$1000.
- The **April District meeting** has been rescheduled to April 13th at Monongahela.
- Sadly we report the passing of **PDD Ed Almsy** of Canonsburg Lodge and former Secretary **Chuck Brittain** of Scottdale Lodge.

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