



Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Lodge #362, Perth-Andover, NB

Perth Elks Lodge Monthly Newsletter

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Perth Elks Lodge

2025-26 Officers

Exalted Ruler – Alan Young
Immediate Past Exalted Ruler – Les Smith
Leading Knight – Jamie Dooling
Loyal Knight – Paul Kinnie
Lecturing Knight – Anthony Davidson
Treasurer – Gary Grant
Secretary – Jed Lockyer
Esquire – Ron Dube
Co-Membership Directors
Janet Gee & Jonny Gagnon
Inner Guard – Cecil Pirie

Lodge Events

December 4 - Village Council & Staff
Christmas Dinner
December 5 - After Santa Parade
Party
December 13 - Elks Lodge annual
Christmas Dinner
December 26 - No 50-50 Lottery Draw

**Complete Calendar of Events
available at
www.perthelkslodge.ca**



To instill Charity, Justice,
Brotherly Love and Fidelity

December 2025

December Fundraiser-(1) Christmas basket and (2) Christmas Dinner

Tickets are \$5.00 each. We will either mail or hand-deliver a book of 4 tickets to each member. You can sell them or buy them. The Christmas Basket is usually made up of items donated by members and items purchased by the Lodge. Scott's Independent Store contribute \$50.00 toward a \$100.00 Gift Card, and the Elks pays the other \$50.00.

If you already planned to donate to the Christmas Basket or the Christmas Dinner Basket, please let us know soon.

Raise in dues to be effective January 1, 2025

Our dues are \$70.00 annually for regular members, with a \$10.00 discount if paid before January 1. Family members pay \$120.00 with a \$20.00 discount.

Here is the notice of motion that will be presented at the December Lodge Meeting.

"To increase the membership dues to \$85.00 per member per calendar year; Provided, however, that a member shall be entitled to a discount of \$10.00 from the member dues if paid by December 31 of the preceding year (which will be known as the "due date:").

To remain a member in good standing with the Lodge and with Grand Lodge, a member's dues must be fully paid no later than three months after the due date.

A new member joining the Lodge within a calendar year shall pay membership dues proportionally for the remainder of the calendar year following the new member's initiation.

Further provided, however, that a 20% discount shall be afforded to families as defined by the national bylaws.

The Sewell Shaw Award for Volunteerism

We usually present the Sewell Shaw Volunteerism Award at our Christmas Dinner. If you have anyone that you would like to nominate, please get in touch with Janet Gee as soon as possible.

Members' years of Service recognized with Pin Presentation

We will be recognizing member service at the Dinner on the 13th with pins for 1, 10, 15, 20, etc. years of service.

6-Handed 45's to Start on Tuesday, January 6, 2026

We will be doing 6-handed 45's again for 14 weeks starting January 6, 2026. We had nine tables last year, and they were all told at the end of the year that we would assume they would be playing again this year unless we heard otherwise.

If you are interested in playing in January, contact Alan Young and get your name on the waiting list.

Fraternally yours,

Ronald Gaunce