

2024 Indiana Elks Convention Spring Meeting Schedule of Events

THURSDAY – JUNE 6

8:30 AM—Tour of IU Cancer Center and Luncheon

1-4PM - Registration

1-2:30PM - Executive Board Meeting

2:30-4PM - Elks Charities / PSP Meeting

2-5:30 PM - Hospitality Room

5:30PM-9PM - Dinner available at various Restaurants in Hotel or around town

5:30PM-10:00PM –Indianapolis Indians vs. Columbus Clippers

10:00 PM to Midnight—Hospitality Room

FRIDAY – JUNE 8

7-10AM - Breakfast available at various restaurants in hotel or around town

7AM – 10AM Registration – Grand Wayne Foyer

8:00AM - Opening of business session -

Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
 Introductions
 Lee Ellis / Lance Gustin
 Brian Pillar / Ed Boyle

Roll Call of State Officers
 State Officer Reports
 Chuck Gray
 State President / Vice Presidents

State Officer Reports
 State President / Vice Presidents
 State President / Vice Presidents

State Treasurer Report Roger KraeseState Budget Rob Whitaker

Nomination & Election of Officers
 Roll Call of Lodges
 Brian Pillar
 Chuck Gray

• State Committee Reports:

5th Vice President Brandon McKinney

Americanism–Lance Gustin State Directory–Melissa Starry Government Relations–Melissa Starry CLMS–Scott Gates Golf–Brian Pillar

4th Vice President Brian Rawding

Credentials—Dick Dunn, PSP
Business Practices—Dick Dunn, PSP
Inter-Lodge Activities—Ed Hodge
Lodge Activities—LuAnn Evans
Youth Activities—3rd VP Angie O'Donnell

3rd Vice President Angie O'Donnell

Drug Awareness–Troy Jerrell Hoop Shoot–Jeff Franklin Orientation–Melissa Wallace Membership–Geoff Robinson, PSP Soccer Shoot—Bob Willsey Bowling–Jeff Mullendore, PSP

2nd Vice President Jeff Willoughby

Insurance—Greg Sult, Jr.
Elks National Service/Veterans Hospital—Keith Krider
Laws/Parliamentarian—4th VP Brian Rawding
Elks Officer Training—4th VP Brian Rawding
Ritual—4th VP Brian Rawding & Dorsey Brown
Trading Pins—1st VP Rob Whitaker, Jr

1st Vice President Rob Whitaker, Jr.

Elks National Foundation—1st VP Rob Whitaker, Jr & Phyllis Gates Under the Spreading Antlers—Kevin Spencer State Website—Kat McArdle Marketing/PR—Joe Slacian

State President Brian Pillar

Cancer Research-Ed Hagemeier, PSP & Don Raderstorff, PSP

Calendars-Don Raderstorff, PSP

State Convention Committee-Ed Boyle, PSP & Keith O'Donnell

National Convention Committee-2nd VP Jeff Willoughby

Scholarship-Ted Sills & Nancy Wells

Sweepstakes-Scott Tebbe & Jim Erp

Endowment-Trampas Whalin

9:30AM - Brief Remarks from Jim Nichelson, GER Randy Shook

9:45AM - Presentation of Hoop Shoot Awards - Jeff Franklin

10:00AM - Presentation of ENF Awards - Robert Whitaker / Phyllis Gates

10:20AM - Presentation of Lodge Membership Awards – Geoff Robinson

10:40AM - Presentation of Elks National Service Awards - Keith Krider

10:50AM - National Convention Update - Jeff Willoughby

11:00AM - Final Comments - Brian Pillar

11:30AM – Flag Day Ceremony – Lance Gustin presiding

12:00-1:00PM—Membership Luncheon

1:00PM-4:00PM - Hospitality Room

1-2PM – Breakout Session: Excise—Representative from Indiana Excise

1-2PM – Breakout Session: ENF—Rob Whitaker & Phyllis Gates

2-4PM Registration – Grand Wayne Foyer (by escalators)

3PM - DD'S and Designates Meeting with Jim Nichelson – Jefferson C

3PM - Flag and 11 O'Clock Toast Ritual Competition – Jefferson A

5PM - Reception – Meet and Greet with Miss Indiana and Miss Teen Indiana

6PM - Banquet GER Randy Shook Guest Speaker

7:30PM-12:00AM - Hospitality Room

SATURDAY - June 9

8AM - Convention Reconvenes

8AM- Introduction of PSPs -Ed Hagemeier

8:05AM - Remarks from State Sponsor – Jim Nichelson

8:10AM - Presentation of Resolutions – Trampas Whalin

8:15AM - Presentation of Americanism Awards - Lance Gustin

8:30-8:45AM - Scholarship Winners - Ted Sills

8:45-9:00AM - Hoop Shoot – Jeff Franklin

9:00-9:45AM - Presentation of Cancer Research Awards — Ed Hagemeier/Don Raderstorf

9:45-10:00AM - Presentation of DAP Awards - Troy Jerrell

10:15AM- State Chairperson's Meeting-Rob Whitaker

11:30AM-12:15PM - Memorial Service

12:00PM-4:00PM - Hospitality Room

12:30PM-2PM - Ladies Luncheon - A.W. Ballroom A

12:30PM - Lunch available at various restaurants in hotel or around town

1-3PM – Panel Discussion -State VPs Break Out sessions

3:00-3:45 PM — National Convention meeting—Jeff Willoughby, District Deputies and District Deputy Designates

3PM - Meeting with Lodges – Jim Nichelson

5-9PM - Dinner available at various restaurants in hotel or around town

5PM - Reception for State Officer Installation (Cash Bar and Appetizers)

6PM - Installation of 2023 – 2024 Indiana Elks State Officers

7PM - Ritual Contest Awards - A.W. Ballroom B

7:30PM-12AM - Hospitality Room - Hamilton Hall

11 O'clock Toast by Ritual winner – Hamilton Hall