

High Point Elks Lodge #1155 - House Committee Rules 2017-2018

1) Hours of Operation

a) The hours of operation for the Lounge are as follows:

Prior to June 6th and after September 5th

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	5pm – 12 am (Members only after 6pm. The Lounge is closed during Lodge meetings.)
Thursday	5pm -10 pm
Friday	5pm – 12am
Saturday	3pm – 12am
Sunday	12:30pm - 8pm

June 6th – September 5th

Monday	5pm – 9pm
Tuesday	5pm – 9pm
Wednesday	5pm – 12 am (Members only after 6pm. The Lounge is closed during Lodge meetings.)
Thursday	5pm – 9pm
Friday	3pm – 12am
Saturday	12pm – 12am
Sunday	12pm – 9pm

b) Hours of Operation are determined by the House Committee and are subject to change.

c) The Lounge is closed during all Lodge Meetings and certain Lodge events.

d) Lounge hours may be extended when special functions are scheduled.

e) If there are more than five (5) customers in the Lounge the hours may be extended at the discretion of the bartender, Club Manager or House Committee.

2) Eligibility for Club Privileges

a) All Members in good standing of this Lodge and any visiting Member(s) from other Elks Lodges are eligible for club privileges.

b) A Member or their spouse must accompany, and are responsible for, their guests at all times.

c) A Member shall not bring a guest into the club whose application for membership has been denied.

d) All Guests must sign the guest register book in the Dining room or Lounge.

e) Only Lodge Members are permitted in the Lounge on Wednesdays after 6:00pm.

f) Guests are welcome three times. After that, they will be asked to complete an application for membership.

3) Conduct of Members

a) Members and guests are required to observe and stand in an orderly manner during the Eleven O'clock Toast.

b) Members must conduct themselves in a mature manner at all times.

c) Profanity, obscenities and lewd behavior will not be tolerated in or around the Club.

d) No Alcohol purchased outside the Club is to be brought onto Lodge property. The exception being bottled wine purchased off site and payment of the applicable corkage fee to the Lounge.

e) No Firearms or Weapons are allowed on Lodge property

f) Any Member conducting themselves in a manner unbecoming of an Elk will have charges filed and will be subject to disciplinary action as determined by the Statutes of the Order.

g) The Bar Staff and Club Manager have the authority to cease serving any Member/guest for violation of club rules or excessive intoxication.

h) Sexual harassment of any kind is inappropriate, unlawful and will not be tolerated.

4) Possession or use of Illicit Substances

- a) Possession or use of illicit substances on the Lodge property is strictly prohibited and will be subject to the appropriate disciplinary action as provided by the Statutes of the Order.

5) Lounge, Game rooms, Family Snack bar, Dining Hall Rules

- a) No one is permitted in the Lounge, Games rooms, Family Snack Bar or Dining Hall without shoes and a shirt. (Bathing suit tops are not considered shirts).
- b) Members are responsible for their key card, No Member shall permit another person to use their key card.
- c) **No smoking of any kind is permitted in the building. This includes e-cigarettes and vaping.**
- d) No one is permitted behind the Bar or in the kitchen without consent from the House Committee.
- e) Children under the age of 18 are not permitted in the Lounge unless there is a sanctioned Family Event. Children 18 - 20 are allowed in the Lounge under the direct supervision of their parent/adult Member. Parent must be present the entire time the minor is in the Lounge. No one under the age of 21 is permitted to be standing or seated at the bar. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!**
- f) Children in the Family Snack Bar are to be supervised by their parent(s)/Member(s). Parents/Members are also responsible for the clean-up of their children/guests.
- g) No one under the age of 10 will be allowed in the Family Snack Bar during normal pool hours unless accompanied by an adult.
- h) No outside food will be allowed while the grill is open without the consent of the House Committee.
- i) All bar tabs must be settled before leaving the premises each day/night. The House Committee reserves the right to add a 20% surcharge on any unpaid tabs.
- j) The House Committee will govern all Lounge activities.

6) Penalties for Violation of Rules

- a) Any Member conducting themselves in a manner unbecoming of an Elk may have charges filed and will be subject to disciplinary action as determined by the Statutes of the Order.
- b) The Bar Staff and Club Manager have the authority to cease serving any Member/guest for violation of club rules or excessive intoxication.
- c) Any violation of rules will be reported to the Chairmen of the House Committee (Gary Feldner). The House Committee will act on such actions immediately. The violating Member will be given an opportunity to appear before the House Committee. Members failing to appear will be judged in their absence.

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