

Bloomsburg Elks Home Association

Rules and Regulations

1. The use and privileges of any of the Club facilities of the Bloomsburg Elks are restricted to Members in good standing and their Guests.
2. Members at all times should be aware that we operate under a Club License issued by the PA LCB and that our license is issued to sell alcoholic beverages to Members only, except when under the Catering clause of our license.
A Proposed Member is considered a Guest under PA LCB rules and must abide by the rules of a Guest, until they are initiated.
3. A non-member Guest shall be accorded the privileges of the Club facilities only when accompanied by a Member in good standing. A non-member Guest who previously was a member of the BPOElks is not permitted to be in the facilities or accorded any of its privileges. The only exception is if the former member, now a unaffiliated member, is with their Member spouse, is able to visit the Club facilities as a guest and must be signed in as a guest.
(Section 14.190 GL Statues)
4. Members must register all their Guests in the Guest registry.
5. Members are responsible at all times for their Guests at the Bloomsburg Elks Club facilities.
6. Guests must leave the Club facilities at the same time as their Member host.
7. Guests are not permitted to purchase any alcoholic beverages.
8. All bartenders must be RAMP Certified.
9. Never answer the door bell unless requested to do so by the bar tender on duty.
10. Members are herewith instructed not to leave any non-members into the Club facilities while they are entering or leaving the Club facility.
11. It is unlawful to sell or give any alcoholic beverage to anyone who is visibly intoxicated. If the bartender refuses to serve you or your Guest their decision is final. Do not question, argue, or challenge their decision in this matter.

12. No one under the age of 21 is permitted to sit at the bar.
13. Pets are not permitted in the Club facilities. Service dogs are permitted.
14. The bar shall be closed during regular Lodge meetings.
15. Profanity and loud talk are objectionable to other members. If you must talk on your cell phone do not have it on speaker, as most members don't want to be part of the conversation.
16. Members are not allowed access to the kitchen during business hours, except when requested by the bar tender, a board member, or when helping with special events.
17. All incident reports that are generated shall be reported to the full Board of Directors for their review and appropriate action if necessary.
18. If a Member has a verbal complaint with the Club Operation he/she should take that complaint up with the Club Manager, who will discuss it with the President of the Board. If the complaint is with the Operation of the Lodge he/she should take the complaint up with the Exalted Ruler.
19. If there are any incidents that it is determined that disciplinary action is warranted, after the Member has been offered his/her right to a hearing to present their testimony, appropriate action will be taken by the Board of Directors that will range from a verbal warning to suspension. Any further incidents will lead to stronger disciplinary action.
20. Members and their Guests are reminded not to make mention of any incidents, repeat conversations, outside the facilities to the general public which may lead to malicious rumors outside of the Club facilities.

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