



# Erie County Deputy Sheriffs Badge & Shield Club, Inc.

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**OCTOBER, 2024**

Our October meeting will be held on **Monday, October 21st, 2024** at **Knights of Columbus** located at **2735 Union Road, Cheektowaga, NY 14227**. This meeting is for **Members Only**. Please contact Debbie at least one week prior to the meeting at 716-816-5368 (text or call) or email at [Nortond8991@gmail.com](mailto:Nortond8991@gmail.com) if you plan to attend. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Reminder: Members are \$20 per person. All meetings begin at 6:30pm.

Our September meeting was held at the Olympic Restaurant on Military Road in Buffalo. There were 41 members and 6 guests in attendance. Bob Pyjas won the 50/50 split club with a grand total of \$95!

Our next big event will be our Meat Raffle Fundraiser. It will be held on **Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024** at **The Meeting Place (Wings Flights of Hope)** located at 3964 California Road, Orchard Park, NY. Doors open at 5:00pm with 1<sup>st</sup> Spin at 6:00pm. Tickets are \$10 per person or \$60 per table of eight (8) people and can be purchased at the door. Please come out to support our Club. We have some amazing prizes as well as quality meats.

We are also in need of volunteers to set up and help us run the Meat Raffle. Because of the change in date, we were unable to secure a curator to help us this year. Sooooo, we are going to run the raffle ourselves. Please call or text Debbie to let her know if you'll be available to help (716-816-5368). Thank you!

We would like to extend a big THANK YOU to all those who have already provided gift cards and gift baskets for the raffle. You are making this event possible!!

Our sincere condolences go out to the families of Retired Detective Lonnie Williams (Patrol Services); and Identification Officer Charles Priore JMD (Brother of CO Lt. Marc Priore PSD and Brother-in-Law of CO Sergeant Patricia Priore JMD).

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Congratulations to Sergeant John Sentz who recently retired from the Family Court Warrants Unit of the Civil Enforcement Division.

We have booked the Columns Banquets in Elma for our 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Badge & Shield Awards and Retirement Dinner. It will be held on **Saturday, March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025**. This may seem early, but please mark your calendars.

If anyone knows the current address or location of Charles Fink or Michael Krafchak, please let Debbie know. Their mail has been returned to us with no forwarding address.

If you have any news items or information that you would like included in the monthly newsletters, please contact Chris Clark or Debbie Norton.

See you at the Knights of Columbus!



Chris Clark  
President



Debbie Norton  
Corresponding Secretary

Please check out our Badge & Shield Club website  
share any newsworthy items or bits of history for the newsletter with us.

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