

Erie County Deputy Sheriffs Badge & Shield Club, Inc.

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DECEMBER, 2025

Our December meeting will be held on Monday, December 15th, 2025 at The American Legion located at 962 Wehrle Drive, Williamsville, NY. This meeting is for Members and Guests. Make sure you contact Debbie at least one week prior to the meeting at i) or email at Nortond8991@gmail.com if you plan to attend. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Reminder: Members are \$20 and Guests Are \$25. Meetings begin at 6:30pm.

To make this evening a bit more special, (after all, it is our Christmas meeting), we are asking anyone who enjoys baking to bring one of your favorite desserts to pass. Looking forward to tasting your delicious treats!

Our November meeting was held at the Olympic Restaurant located on Military Road in Buffalo. There were 32 members and 7 guests in attendance. The Split Club was won by Jon Dusse with a jackpot of \$90!

The sale of tickets for our raffle is still ongoing. Joel has asked that everyone bring their sold ticket stubs and money to our December meeting. So far, we are approximately half way there in ticket sales but we still have a ways to go to meet our goal of selling 1,000 tickets. Remember, the drawing will take place at our January meeting; so please, please,

To order more tickets, contact Joel at ECSBSCLUB@gmail.com. You can also call or text Debbie (716-816-5368) or email her at nortend8991@gmail.com and she will make sure you get the tickets you need. The raffle drawing will take place at our January monthly meeting. Thank you for your cooperation in helping with this fundraiser!

A vote was taken to amend the By-Laws to eliminate the following: "Qualification for Membership Page 2", "Sick Benefit Page 14"; "Bereavement Page 14"; "Line of Duty Page 14" and "Retirement Page 14 &15". The vote was unanimous to eliminate these categories from the By-Laws. An updated copy of the By-Laws will soon be posted on the Badge & Shield website. In order to protect and avoid the tampering of the By-Laws, you will need to access them by using a password only available to members.

2025 Officers:

<u>President</u> Christopher Clark <u>1st Vice President</u> Robert Koch

<u>2nd Vice President</u> Michael Sullivan

Recording Secretary
Karen Morgan

<u>Treasurer</u> Ken Napora

Corresponding Secretary
Debra Norton
(716) 816-5368

<u>Sergeant-at-Arms</u> Robert Bykowski

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please sell as many tickets as you can.

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With Bill Gugino acting as Parliamentarian, voting took place at our November meeting and the following positions were uncontested. Here are your Officers and Board Members for 2026:

Chris Clark President 1st Vice President **Bob Koch** 2nd Vice President Mike Sullivan Treasurer Ken Napora Recording Secretary Karen Morgan Corresponding Secretary Debbie Norton Sergeant at Arms Bob Bykowski Administration Director Joanie Adymy Retiree Director Liz Dillon **ECCF Director** Bill Whalen

Reserve/Mounted Director Ruby Davis-Joseph

Director at Large Steve Macey

We still need Directors for Courts, Holding Center, and Patrol Services. Please consider volunteering.

It's that time again for your Club Membership renewal. Enclosed you will find a membership card to be completed and returned with your \$30 membership fee. Please keep your dues up to date and take the time to send them in. They can be mailed to: Badge & Shield Club, P.O. Box 81, Buffalo, NY 14201-0081. Or you can bring them to our next meeting.

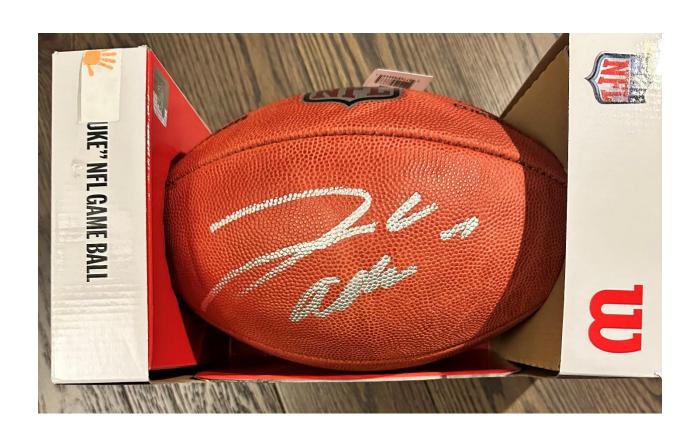
If anyone asks you why they are no longer receiving the monthly newsletters, please explain to them that they have not paid their dues. If they wish to rejoin, they can contact Debbie and a membership card will be mailed to them. We also welcome new members!

See you at the Legion for our Christmas celebration!

Chris Clark President Debbie Norton

Corresponding Secretary

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



JOSH ALLEN #17 SIGNED FOOTBALL