

Driving Directions to Elks Picnic Grove

From the New Jersey Turnpike North or South:

Take exit 14 to route I-78 West—Express lanes preferred. If you are in the local lanes the road will split and you must be in the left lane to stay on I-78 (DO NOT take RT 24); to exit 36 (Warren) left at light; at 7th light, not counting fire house light, left onto Mountain Boulevard (you should see big flags on either side of the road); 1st Light make right onto Bardy Rd; first right onto Elks Trail. Picnic area at corner of Bardy Rd & Elks Trail.

From the Garden State Parkway heading South:

Take exit 142 (Newark Airport) to I-78 West. The road will split and you must be in the left lane to stay on I-78 (DO NOT Take RT 24); to exit 36 (Warren) left at light; at 7th light, not counting fire house light, left onto Mountain Boulevard (you should see big flags on either side of the road); 1st Light make right onto Bardy Rd; first right onto Elks Trail. Picnic area at corner of Bardy Rd & Elks Trail.

From the Garden State Parkway heading North:

Take exit 142 (Newark Airport) to I-78 (you are going east), take first exit to make a U turn to bring you back onto 78 West. The road will split and you must be in the left lane to stay on I-78 (DO NOT Take RT 24); to exit 36 (Warren) left at light; at 7th light, not counting fire house light, left onto Mountain Boulevard (you should see big flags on either side of the road); 1st Light make right onto Bardy Rd; first right onto Elks Trail. Picnic area at corner of Bardy Rd & Elks Trail.

From 287 (in New Jersey) North or South:

Take I-78 East exit to exit 36 (Warren) bear right at exit; at 6th light, not counting fire house light, left onto Mountain Boulevard (you should see big flags on either side of the road); 1st Light make right onto Bardy Rd; first Right onto Elks Trail. Picnic area at corner of Bardy Rd & Elks Trail.

Alternate from 287: Take Rt 22 East, NYC and follow directions below.

From Route 22 East or West:

Take Warrenville Road exit toward Warren, go to top of hill; right at 1st light at shopping center; 1st Light make right onto Bardy Rd; first Right onto Elks Trail. Picnic area at corner of Bardy Rd & Elks Trail.

Train Information

Nearest Station is Bound Brook New Jersey 973-762-5100. Taxis are available at the station. Have driver follow directions for Rt 22. Note: You must change trains in Newark.

Trains to Bound Brook from NYC/Newark/Hoboken

General schedule: trains leave NYC Penn Station at 14 past the hour, arrive in Bound Brook about 14 past the next hour

Trains to NYC/Newark/Hoboken from Bound Brook

General schedule: trains leave Bound Brook at 28 past the hour, arrive in NYC Penn Station about 41 past the next hour

Area Lodging

You are advised to check the ratings for locally owned hotels not listed here.

★Host Hotel★

Courtyard by Marriott 595 Martinsville Road, Basking Ridge, NJ 07920 • 908-542-0300 • 5 miles

Howard Johnson Lodge of North Plainfield,

1025 US Highway 22, North Plainfield, NJ 07060 • 908-753-6500 • 2.5 miles

Hilton Garden Inn, 500 Promenade Blvd, Bridgewater, NJ 08807 • 732-271-9030 • 5 miles

Somerset Hills Hotel, 200 Liberty Corner Rd, Warren, NJ 07059 • 908-647-7901 • 5 miles

The Inn at Somerset Hills, 80 Allen Rd, Basking Ridge, NJ • 908-580-1300 • 5 miles

Days Inns, 1260 US Rte. 22 East, Bridgewater, NJ 08807 • 908-526-9500 • 5 miles

Marriott Bridgewater Hotel,

700 Crossings Blvd, Bridgewater, NJ 08807 • 908-927-9300 • 5 miles

Ramada Inn, 60 Cottontail Ln, Somerset, NJ 08873 • 732-560-9880 • 5.5 miles

Super 8, 119 Highway 206, South Raritan, NJ 08869 • 908-722-5400 • 7 miles

“Ain’t Nuthin’ But A Party” AND YOU’RE INVITED

The tradition continues—rain or shine—at
**ARN & GERRY’S
CAJUN/ZYDECO DANCEATHON!**
Located at Elks Picnic Grove, 1 Elks Trail, Warren, NJ 07059



**STEVE RILEY
AND THE MAMOU
PLAYBOYS**



**LEROY THOMAS
AND THE ZYDECO
ROADRUNNERS**



**COREY LIL POP LEDET
AND HIS ZYDECO BAND**



**ROY CARRIER AND
THE NIGHT ROCKERS**



**MICHAEL SEIDER -
DANCE INSTRUCTION**

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 2007, 12-10PM

12:00-1:00pm: FREE Whiskey River Jitterbug
lesson with Michael Seider.

1-10pm: 7 hours of Music & Dancing
with Steve Riley, Leroy Thomas and Corey Ledet!

Park in the town lots across the street or on Elks Trail.

Don't park in Elks Lodge parking lot! Party moves indoors to the clubhouse if it rains.

Payment may be made in cash at the door on Saturday or Sunday.

Credit card payment in advance may be made by calling Gerry's office at 732-248-0036,
Monday to Friday, 8am to 4pm, thru Friday, July 6, or at the door on Saturday or Sunday.

THE PARTY CONTINUES ON SUNDAY, JULY 8
Details Inside ➔

SUNDAY, JULY 8, 2007, 10AM-6:15PM

10:00-11:00am: Catered Breakfast. **NOTE:** Admission to the breakfast is available **ONLY** with advance purchase, as we have to give the caterer a final count by Friday, July 6. NO RSVP is necessary, as your advance purchase is sufficient.

11:00am-6:15pm: 6 hours of Music & Dancing with Steve Riley, Leroy Thomas and Roy Carrier! Includes beer, wine, snacks, soft drinks, bottled water, finger foods and FREE Zydeco dance lesson.

ENTRANCE DONATIONS

	Advance Purchase**	At the gate	Seniors
Both days	\$60.00 Includes Sunday Breakfast*	\$70.00 No Breakfast	\$60.00
Saturday only	\$35.00	\$40.00	\$35.00
Sunday only	\$35.00 Includes Breakfast*	\$40.00 No Breakfast	\$35.00

*Breakfast is included only with advance purchase of a 2-day or Sunday ticket.

**Advance purchase ends 4pm, Friday, July 6 — see front page for details.

Children 0-12 years are free.

Children ages 13 to 18 are \$15.00 without breakfast, \$20.00 with breakfast.

To keep ticket prices down, we have been subsidized by several members of the dance community.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The **Danceathon** is strictly a not-for-profit function run for the pleasure and benefit of the Cajun and Zydeco dance community, no vendors or commercial sponsors are permitted.

The Elks picnic area has a stage for the band, a large tree shaded outdoor dance area with a level wooden dance floor, and a shaded picnic area with lots of tables. When you're not dancing or eating you can relax by the pond nearby.

You provide: 15 hours of top class Cajun and Zydeco music with *Steve Riley, Leroy Thomas, Roy Carrier* and *Corey Ledet*, dance lessons by renowned Louisiana instructor *Michael Seider*, picnic tables, a covered food service area supervised by a professional chef, beer, wine, snacks, soft drinks, bottled water, corn, burgers and hot dogs at the BBQ pit, plus a restful green atmosphere.

You bring: Yourself, some prepared food to feed 4-5 people for the potluck meal (no watermelons please) and a chair and/or a blanket. And, bring a friend or two.

Another smoke free party: Smoking is permitted only in the parking lot.

Pets: Must be tethered or on a leash, and are not permitted on or near the dance floor or food service area. Should your pet create a problem you will be asked to remove it from the facility.

No food or drink is permitted on the dance floor.

Right of admission reserved.

The Basking Ridge Courtyard by Marriott is the host hotel. Receive a special group rate by calling 1-800-321-2211 by Friday June 15, 2007. Ask for the Dance-a-thon 2007 room rate.

Want to reduce or eliminate the admission charge? Please call our Volunteer Coordinator, Sue West at 732-280-8705 or email her at zydewest@earthlink.net.

For information and questions:

Gerry: 732-248-0036 (work) or 908-400-6888 (cell phone).

Arn: 732-271-0459 (home).

On July 7 or 8 you can reach either of us by cell phone only:

908-400-6888 for Gerry or 908-419-9485 for Arn.

See you there!

For the latest information and an online map, visit www.arnb.org.

SATURDAY, JULY 7 CAJUN/ZYDECO DANCEATHON

Schedule	Dance Floor	Hall	Kitchen
12:00-1:00pm	FREE Whiskey River Jitterbug lesson with Michael Seider		Open for potluck table, drinks & snacks only 12-2pm
1:15-2:30pm	Leroy Thomas		
2:00pm			Grill Opens Grill is Open 2-6pm
2:45-4:00pm	Corey Ledet		
2:45-3:30pm		FREE Zydeco Dance Lesson with Michael Seider	
4:15-5:30pm	Leroy Thomas		Grill Closes
5:45-7:00pm	Steve Riley		
6:00pm			Open for potluck table drinks & snacks only
7:15-8:30pm	Corey Ledet		
8:45-10:00pm	Steve Riley		Kitchen Closes

SUNDAY, JULY 8 BREAKFAST & DANCEATHON CONTINUES

Schedule	Dance Floor	Hall	Kitchen
10:00-11:00am			Catered Breakfast
11am-12:15pm	Leroy Thomas		Open for potluck table, drinks & snacks only 11am-5pm
12:30-1:15pm		FREE Zydeco Dance Lesson with Michael Seider	
12:30-1:45pm	Roy Carrier		
2:00-3:15pm	Steve Riley		Kitchen Closes
3:30-4:45pm	Roy Carrier		
5:00-6:15pm	Steve Riley		