

You're Invited to the 9th Annual  
**Keystone Elk Country Alliance**  
**Chilli Creek Chapter Banquet**

**April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023**

**DOORS OPEN at 2 PM & Dinner served at 5 PM**



We are excited to announce our 9th annual Chilli Creek Chapter conservation banquet to be held at the Silver Moon Banquet Hall in Lewisburg, PA.

We will have many ALWAYS popular items, like our ever-popular **Elk Mountain Homestead Stay, with a PEAK RUT STAY, on September 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>**, and the always favorite **Elk Country Wagon Ride on Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup> at 4:45PM**. We will also be offering the **Elk Calf Roundup Adventure**, on Friday and Saturday June 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>. This experience includes a *two-night stay at Medix Run Lodges*, a Friday night social event & meal and the elk calf adventure on Saturday followed by a luncheon.



Another VERY popular item is the annual KECA limited edition Banquet Rifle. This year, we will offer the Banquet Rifle Raffle for KECA's 2023 Banquet Rifle featuring the bull harvested with the 2022 KECA Tag by Roy Moon. This Remington 700 SPS .30-06 with custom engraved walnut stock features beautiful engraving by a Pennsylvania based engraver as well!



Don't miss out on the Sponsor and Life Member drawing for an ALL-NEW limited edition KECA cerokote **Kimber Mako R7 9mm handgun** We will give away 1 for every 5 Sponsors or Life members and that's an opportunity you don't want to miss out on! For more information on how to become a sponsor or Life member, please see your application.

The evening will feature our Silent Auction with many different locally crafted and unique items, several different games of chance, raffles, and our tiered General Raffle. We plan on bringing back some of our Chilli Creek special games and sometimes you just don't know what to expect!

As always, we will be offering an **Early Bird Bonus** for a limited time, and it will get you **DOUBLE the amount of face value tickets PLUS an entry to win a firearm!** See your application for full details and Early Bird deadline.

We will also have our Progressive Raffle, where a \$20 ticket will give you a chance at a **Savage Axis II, .308 win with scope and custom engraved stock.** The winner of the rifle, along with the winners from the other 16 KECA Chapter fundraising events, will have a 1 out of 16 chance to win a **guided bull and cow elk hunt for two at the Fishtail Ranch in Chama, New Mexico!** *We are also offering an early bird special where if you purchase \$100 in Progressive tickets pre-banquet, you will receive 1 BONUS Progressive ticket!*

The Keystone Elk Country Alliance continues to flourish in Pennsylvania and relies on these types of fundraisers to continue the exponential growth that we have seen over the last 14 years. The Elk Country Visitor Center attracts nearly ½ million people annually and the outreach of their Conservation Education programs extends so far beyond that as well. The mission *to conserve and enhance Pennsylvania's Elk Country for future generations* is something that is not taken lightly, and the organization continues to fulfill that mission by making sure that every dollar we raise STAYS right here in Pennsylvania! We hope you will join us for a fun and relaxing evening to raise funds for these upcoming projects and programs and help us to sustain well into the future!

Again, this year, we will be conducting our **Chilli Creek Gives Back Program**, where our chapter donates non-perishable items to a local food pantry. Last year the Chilli Creek Chapter and our banquet attendees, donated a TRUCK BED FULL of non-perishable items to the 4Bells Hope's Haven Food Pantry in Millmont! Let's do it AGAIN! Each banquet attendee is invited to bring 3 non-perishable food items in exchange for a strip of General Raffle Tickets (a \$20 Value). Your generosity is GREATLY appreciated!



We look forward to sharing the evening with you and experiencing the hospitality that the Silver Moon Banquet Hall has to offer. They are conveniently located near I-80 and Route 15, with easy access and hotel accommodations nearby. The meal will be a full buffet style meal that will include coffee, tea, and sodas and then followed by a dessert. There will also be the opportunity to purchase a beer or wine glass to receive complimentary beverages for the entire evening. Please see your application for full details.

**Please complete the enclosed application for each membership and if you need customized seating arrangements, please include the names and preferred arrangements with your returned application.**

Yours in conservation,

***Chilli Creek Chapter,  
Keystone Elk Country Alliance***