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Form **990-EZ**

Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-1150

2014

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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▶ Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.**Open to Public
Inspection**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**A** For the 2014 calendar year, or tax year beginning

04-01, 2014, and ending

03-31, 2015

B Check if applicable

- ☐ Address change
☐ Name change
☐ Initial return
☐ Final return/terminated
☐ Amended return
☐ Application pending

C Name of organization**BPOE ELKS JEFFERSON 2306**

Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address)

Room/suite

PO BOX 6

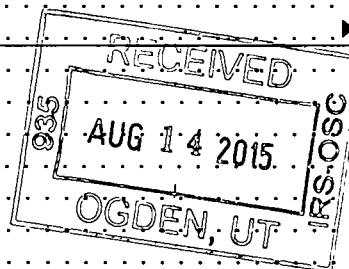
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

JEFFERSON, IA 50129**D** Employer identification number**42-0889496****E** Telephone number**(515) 386-2106****F** Group ExemptionNumber ▶ **1156****G** Accounting Method:☐ Cash ☒ Accrual Other (specify) ▶**H** Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)**I** Website: ▶**J** Tax-exempt status (check only one) - ☐ 501(c)(3) ☒ 501(c)(8) (insert no) ☐ 4947(a)(1) or ☐ 527**K** Form of organization ☒ Corporation ☐ Trust ☐ Association ☐ Other**L** Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets

(Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

▶ \$ **113,918****Part I** Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I ☒

Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	22,760
	2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
	3	Membership dues and assessments	3	20,823
	4	Investment income	4	19
	5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	5b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	5c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6	Gaming and fundraising events		
	6a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	1,060
	6b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	8,799
6c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	750	
6d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	9,109	
Expenses	7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	45,348
	7b	Less cost of goods sold	7b	30,908
	7c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	14,440
	8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8	15,109
	9	Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8	9	82,260
	10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	10,661
	11	Benefits paid to or for members	11	
Expenses	12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	8,901
	13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	13,279
	14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	19,838
	15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	2,974
	16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	27,580
	17	Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	83,233
	Net Assets	18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18
19		Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	60,487
20		Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
21		Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20	21	59,514



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Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V ☐

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O		X
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)		X
35 a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?		X
b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
35b		
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III		X
35c		
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
36		
37 a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions		
37a		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
37b		
38 a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?		X
38a		
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved		
38b		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9		
39a		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities		
39b		
40 a Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under: section 4911, section 4912, section 4955		
b Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I		
40b		
c Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958		
d Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T		X
40e		
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed		
IA		
42 a The organization's books are in care of		
JOYCE FISTER		
Telephone no		
515-386-2106		
Located at		
103 W HARRISON ST, JEFFERSON, IA		
ZIP + 4		
50129		
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country		X
42b		
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U S? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country:		X
42c		
43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041-Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year		
43		
44 a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
44a		
b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ		X
44b		
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?		X
44c		
d If "Yes," to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O		
44d		
45 a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?		X
45a		
b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)		X
45b		

46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I

	Yes	No
46		X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI ☐

47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II

	Yes	No
47		

48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E

48		
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49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?

49a		
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b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?

49b		
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50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000

51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note.** All section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a completed Schedule A

☐ Yes ☒ No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is

true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here	JOYCE FISTER Signature of officer	Date	8/10/15
	JOYCE FISTER, SECRETARY Type or print name and title		

Paid Preparer Use Only	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check ☒ if self-employed	PTIN
	Lisa Jaskey	Lisa Jaskey	08-09-2015		P00137992
	Firm's name	Firm's EIN			
	Firm's address		Phone no		
	Jefferson IA 50129		515-386-4223		

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

☒ Yes ☐ No

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Name of the organization

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990

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Employer identification number

BPOE ELKS JEFFERSON 2306

42-0889496

01. Description of other revenue (Part I, line 8)

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
RENTAL OF FACILITIES	6,920
SALES LOGO MERCHANDISE TO MEMBERS	90
GAME TICKETS	6,257
ADVERTISING SALES	1,080
BOTTLE DEPOSITS	762

02. List of grants and similar amounts paid (Part I, line 10)

ACTIVITY	PAYMENTS TO AFFILIATES
AMOUNT	6,866

ACTIVITY	PAYMENTS MADE FOR YOUTH ACTIVITIES
AMOUNT	1,661

ACTIVITY	ALL OTHER GRANTS MADE
AMOUNT	2,100

ACTIVITY	PAYMENTS FOR VETERANS ACTIVITIES
AMOUNT	34

03. Description of other expenses (Part I, line 16)

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
DEPRECIATION FROM 4562	1,290

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OFFICE EXPENSES 1,919

INSURANCE 4,464

BUFFET EXPENSE 4,854

ADVERTISING 756

ENTERTAINMENT 836

TRAVEL 3,529

SUPPLIES 391

LICENSES AND TAXES 1,508

GUEST DRINKS 624

GAME TICKET PAYOUTS 5,904

PEST CONTROL 560

IA ELKS ASSOC DUES 945

04. Description of other assets (Part II, line 24)

CATEGORY	BEGINNING OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
INVENTORY	3,153	2,425
FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT-NET	8,447	7,157
PREPAID INSURANCE	971	976

05. Description of total liabilities (Part II, line 26)

CATEGORY	BEGINNING OF YEAR	END OF YEAR
PAYROLL TAX LIABILITY	1,246	621

Depreciation and Amortization (Including Information on Listed Property)

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Attachment
Sequence No. 179Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service (99)▶ Information about Form 4562 and its separate instructions is at www.irs.gov/form4562.

▶ Attach to your tax return.

Name(s) shown on return

BPOE ELKS JEFFERSON 2306

Business or activity to which this form relates

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Identifying number

42-0889496

Part I Election To Expense Certain Property Under Section 179

Note: If you have any listed property, complete Part V before you complete Part I

1	Maximum amount (see instructions)	1	
2	Total cost of section 179 property placed in service (see instructions)	2	
3	Threshold cost of section 179 property before reduction in limitation (see instructions)	3	
4	Reduction in limitation Subtract line 3 from line 2. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	
5	Dollar limitation for tax year Subtract line 4 from line 1. If zero or less, enter -0- If married filing separately, see instructions	5	
6	(a) Description of property	(b) Cost (business use only)	(c) Elected cost
7	Listed property Enter the amount from line 29	7	
8	Total elected cost of section 179 property. Add amounts in column (c), lines 6 and 7	8	
9	Tentative deduction Enter the smaller of line 5 or line 8	9	
10	Carryover of disallowed deduction from line 13 of your 2013 Form 4562	10	
11	Business income limitation Enter the smaller of business income (not less than zero) or line 5 (see instructions)	11	
12	Section 179 expense deduction Add lines 9 and 10, but do not enter more than line 11	12	
13	Carryover of disallowed deduction to 2015 Add lines 9 and 10, less line 12	13	

Note: Do not use Part II or Part III below for listed property. Instead, use Part V.

Part II Special Depreciation Allowance and Other Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions)

14	Special depreciation allowance for qualified property (other than listed property) placed in service during the tax year (see instructions)	14	
15	Property subject to section 168(f)(1) election	15	
16	Other depreciation (including ACRS)	16	1,290

Part III MACRS Depreciation (Do not include listed property.) (See instructions)**Section A**

17	MACRS deductions for assets placed in service in tax years beginning before 2014	17	
18	If you are electing to group any assets placed in service during the tax year into one or more general asset accounts, check here ☐		

Section B - Assets Placed in Service During 2014 Tax Year Using the General Depreciation System

(a) Classification of property	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only-see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
19a 3-year property						
b 5-year property						
c 7-year property						
d 10-year property						
e 15-year property						
f 20-year property						
g 25-year property			25 yrs		S/L	
h Residential rental property			27 5 yrs.	MM	S/L	
i Nonresidential real property			39 yrs	MM	S/L	

Section C - Assets Placed in Service During 2014 Tax Year Using the Alternative Depreciation System

(a) Class life	(b) Month and year placed in service	(c) Basis for depreciation (business/investment use only-see instructions)	(d) Recovery period	(e) Convention	(f) Method	(g) Depreciation deduction
20a Class life					S/L	
b 12-year			12 yrs		S/L	
c 40-year			40 yrs	MM	S/L	

Part IV Summary (See instructions)

21	Listed property Enter amount from line 28	21	
22	Total. Add amounts from line 12, lines 14 through 17, lines 19 and 20 in column (g), and line 21. Enter here and on the appropriate lines of your return Partnerships and S corporations - see instructions	22	1,290
23	For assets shown above and placed in service during the current year, enter the portion of the basis attributable to section 263A costs	23	

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