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# 2022 LODGE OFFICERS 2023

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LODGE MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Saturday @ 11:00

LEGION MEETING: 1st Saturday @ 10:30

OFFICERS MEETINGS: 1st & 3rd Thursday @ 1:00 DISTRICT 24 MEETINGS: 1st Sunday @11:00

# 2022 CHAPTER OFFICERS 2023

Senior Regent: Laurie Knight

Junior Past Regent:

Treasurer: Maria Trzcinski Secretary: Mary Steerman

Guide:

CHAPTER MEETING: 1st Saturday @ 1:00 pm

COMMITTEE MEETINGS: follow regular Chapter meetings WOTM OFFICERS MEETING: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday @ 10 am

PLANNING MEETING 1<sup>ST</sup> THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH FOLLOWED BY LODGE OFFICER'S MEETING. THE LODGE OFFICER'S MEETING 1:00pm, 3<sup>rd</sup> THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH

Wednesday Morning Cleaning Crew...These members could really use some help on Wednesday Mornings. If you can spare an hour and are an early riser, join the crew at 6:30 AM. Cleaning Crew: there are only three left - Mike Kinsley, Brad Letham, Ron Novoa. You do a great job!

DEADLINE for all articles to be included in the Bulletin is JUN 6th at 11:59 pm .... unless previous arrangements are made.

DEADLINE FOR CALENDAR INFO IS JUN 1st.

### FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Well, here we go again.

We have a great board of officers this coming year. If you have a problem or suggestion, the place to solve it is to come to a Moose One meeting. We have around 800 members; we get about 25 to 30 members at a meeting. Why let these few people control your Lodge? Come and support your officers. Meetings are 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays at 11:00 am.

Fraternally, Al Cook President One Moose

# FROM THE PILGRIM

Congratulations to our two new Board of Officers. I am sure we can look forward to some new any exciting ideas as the Moose Year progresses. Best wishes to the 5 ladies who will take their place on the One Moose Board of Officers: Lori Andrewnovitz, Bonnie Lunde, Sara Mendez, Jane Schmidt and Barb Virkus. This will be a new and exciting experience for everyone that is involved.

Join us for Karaoke's Name That Tune Contest. You can win a few dollars and donate a few dollars to the Lodge through your participation.

Well Done to all involved for our 2nd Open to the Public Benefit. We helped raise over \$700 to benefit the Never Forgotten Animal Shelter. Great Job. The WOTM also had another successful White Elephant Sale in April with lots of help from all the One Moose Members. The one disappointing part of the whole weekend were the thieves that helped themselves to items off of our property during the night. But you know what they say about karma.

The District Picnic will be held on **July 10th** after the regularly scheduled meeting, drumroll please--for the first time here in Pahrump at Ian Deutsch Park.

Come join us for our traditional burgers and hot dogs donation picnic on Memorial Day. Please bring a dish to pass. Not sure, but maybe some games and karaoke. **We will not have Bingo or our regular lunch that day.** 

Hope you all have a great summer!!!!

Fraternally, Brother Tim Andrewnovitz

### FROM OUR SENIOR REGENT

Once again, I thank every one who voted for me to be your Senior Regent for the coming year 2022-23. As your Senior Regent I ask for all of your support. Let us not just enroll new members but encourage them to get involved. Also put aside our differences and work together; not against each other. Thereby bringing harmony into our chapter. Thank you.

Your new Senior Regent, Laurie Knight

# FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR Membership Report as of 4/9/2022

Active: 771

Decrease Since 4/30/21: 127

Expired on 3/31/22: 38
Expiring on 4/30/22: 50
Expired Total: 240
Dropped on 3/31/22: 18
Dropping on 4/30/22: 17
Dropped Total: 117

23.74% of Membership in Arrears

Membership loss is the only blemish on what has otherwise been a stellar year for our lodge. Unfortunately, one of the criteria for a lodge to receive a Premier Lodge award from Moose International or a 5-Star Lodge award from the California-Nevada Moose Association is a +1 gain in membership year-over-year. Clearly, we are disqualified from these awards this year due to this one criterion.

My hope is that 2021 - 2022, the initial year of the One Moose structure, has been a shake-out year for membership, ridding our lodge of members who perhaps joined our Fraternity for the wrong reasons. I am optimistic that 2022 - 2023 will see us realize a gain in membership, putting us back on track to receive Premier Lodge and 5-Star Lodge awards.

As we close in on the end of the 2021 – 2022 fraternal year, we have 67 preferred members, "preferred member" being defined as any member who has sponsored one or more new members during the year. Thanks to each of you for strengthening our Fraternity by sponsoring new members.

My sincere thanks to Clara Cook and Leta Remboldt for stepping up and volunteering to reach out to those members whose dues recently expired or are soon to expire.

Fraternally and Moose Proud,

Dennis London

We all know that times are tough, but recently I have noticed a disturbing trend. Everyone loves our breakfasts, lunches and dinners. Face it, the food is good! Our kitchen volunteers work extremely hard to put out a good quality product for you to enjoy. I find it hard to believe that you would walk into a restaurant, have a good meal and good service and never tip. Your volunteers come in early to prep (veggies don't magically get cut) and stay late to clean up (the dishes don't do themselves) and they leave the kitchen in great condition for the next kitchen crew. A few weeks ago, we sold \$150.00 worth of food for lunch and the two people in the kitchen split a whopping \$7.00 in tips and I took 20 orders that day. Nobody works /volunteers for a 3-4 hour shift in the kitchen (sometimes twice a day) to get rich, but a little appreciation from the people enjoying the food would be nice, this is especially true for many (and certainly, not all) of the people who put their food orders on bar tabs. Don't get me wrong, we have some people who are **VERY** generous with their tips and they are greatly appreciated. Sometimes they tip almost as much as their meal but that in no way makes up for the people that don't tip. You tip your bartenders, as you most definitely should, so maybe think about tipping your kitchen crew too. There is always a tip jar for the kitchen. Please know that 90% of the time I don't take tips so I am not asking for myself...that money goes to the people that are working their butts off for you. Show them a little appreciation or sometime they may not be there to volunteer for you.

Lori Andrewnovitz

Bob Parsons and Ron Novoa have taken over our recycling programs. Cans can still be left outside in the bin by the parking lot. If you can crush them great, otherwise Bob will take care of that. Ron will take the recyclables on a weekly basis. It would be very helpful if you could remove the pull tabs and give them to the bartender on duty. The pull tabs benefit the Ronald McDonald House and they are credited to our Heart of the Community Service projects. The cans must be separate from water bottles and the water bottles MUST BE CRUSHED BEFORE YOU BAG THEM AND PUT THEM IN THE BIN. If they are not crushed they will be thrown in the trash.

# Sickness and Distress

**Sickness:** Billy Butkovich, Don Roth, Karen Rogers, Irene Welk, Tom Wilcox, Mike Ziegler, Blonde Fogo

**Distress:** Sam Farrar, Richard Grelle, Fran Hesketh, Ken Korte, Kathy Walther (son-in-law)

### SOCIAL QUARTERS HOURS

Mon--Sat 10-7 Sunday--8:30-5

ALL LODGE HOURS are subject to the discretion of the bartender on duty and based on functions that may or may not be taking place as well as any governmental regulations that are in place at any specific time.

**CURRENT LUNCH HOURS:** M-F 11:30-1:30, Sat 12:00-1:30 When the kitchen is not open, please check with the bartender on duty and check out the new bar food that is available.

If you are frequently in the Lodge, you can arrange to pick up your newsletter in the Social Quarters or you can receive it online. Do you receive multiple newsletters at your residence? If yes to any of these 3 scenarios, Please let the Administrator at <code>lodge808@mooseunits.org</code> or the Treasurer at <code>chapter1141@mooseunits.org</code> know how you would like to receive your newsletter in the future and this will help to cut the bi-monthly printing and mailing costs.

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The 2nd Thursday of every month from 4:00 to 7:00 we celebrate. If it is your Birthday month, you get one free drink. Birthday cake is provided. (Cake is cut at 6:00pm.) Join us for cake and karaoke. Come on down and have some fun...even if it is not your birthday.

### **WEDNESDAY NIGHT WINGS**

Don't forget our delicious wings, chicken fingers, shrimp, fries, onion rings, breaded mushrooms, chicken livers, and cheese curds. We serve 4:30 to 6:30. Call ahead and we can have them ready for vou.

Sincere thanks to the Nye County Search and Rescue Squad for donating 25 chairs to our Moose Home. Thank you all very much.

# LOOM PAST GOVERNORS

GENE MILLER 80-81 **RAYMOND WISNIEWSKI 81-83** TEX HAWLEY 83-84 CAL GREENLEAF 85-87 ANDY PURCELL 87-88 PAUL STUART 88-89 AL COOK 89-90 FRANK WOODWORTH 90-91 LYMAN STEVENS 91-92 DAVID BESTA 92-93 JIM CORNELL 93-94 WES PULKOVNIK 94-95 JACK CONNERS 95-96 JIM CORNELL 96-99 **BOB BARQUIST 99-00 DON DOAN 00-01** 

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# **WOTM PAST SENIOR REGENTS**

RITA ANN SCHUTZ 81-82 **IRENE MILLER 82-83** MARY PETERSON 83-84 **HELEN DILAURO 84-85 JANET PICKERING 85-86** MARGUERITE BLOCKBURGER 86-87 **HELEN GREENLEAF 89-88 HELENE BRANIGAN 88-89 EVELYN TOOLEY 89-90** MARY CAHA 90-91 **JUANITA DIETRICH 91-92** EMMA VEVERS 92-93 BARBARA CORNELL 93-94 MARILYN MCMURTRY 94-95 **DOROTHY HANSEN 95-96** SHIRLEY CLEVELAND 96-97 SHERYL HANON 97-98 JEAN SULLIVAN 98-99 **BONNIE ERICKSON 99-00 BEVERLY HALL 00-01** 

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VOLUNTEERS: Volunteers needed for our breakfast, lunch and Dinner functions. Even if you don't consider yourself a gourmet chef, we need lots of help with prepping, set up, serving and clean up. See one of our kitchen workers if you would like to help.



# MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH BUFFET BY ONE MOOSE

SUNDAY, MAY 8, 2022 10 am to 1 pm

FREE TO ALL MOOSE MOMS
(MUST SHOW CURRENT MOOSE ID)
& CHILDREN UNDER 12





# ELVIS AND FRIENDS DINNER AND SHOW

MAY 14 DINNER 4:00 TO 6:00 pm SHOW BEGINS @ 6:30 pm

PRESALE TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE BARTENDERS
PURCHASING DEADLINE MAY 5TH
DINNER (INCLUDING SHOW) \$12
SHOW ONLY—TICKETS AT THE DOOR (IF SPACE AVAILABLE) \$5.00

CHICKEN FRIED CHICKEN
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VEGGIE, ROLL
DESSERT

# MEMORIAL DAY PICNIC







**HOT DOGS & HAMBURGERS** ON THE GRILL





COME ON DOWN AND ENJOY THE PATIO

BRING A SIDE DISH TO SHARE



# Saturday Night Party



June 11, 2022

Fun Starts @ 4:30 pm





Bingo with Pizza and Salad

Win Fun Prizes

# FATHER'S DAY BRUNCH

**SUNDAY, JUNE 19, 2022** 10 am to 1 pm

FREE TO ALL MOOSE DADS (Must show current Moose ID) & Children under 12



Do you shop AMAZON? Are you aware that if you go to smile.amazon.com, when you shop, you can choose

Mooseheart Child City & School or Moosehaven to receive a portion of each purchase? Thanks to us, for the first quarter of 2022, Mooseheart has received \$3573.06 from Amazon Smile. Total from Amazon Smile as of the end of the 1<sup>st</sup> quarter of 2022 is \$30,313.89 for Mooseheart. Congratulations and keep up the good work!

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**GOLD:** Bill Dolan, Arlene Hansett, Vern & Vi Jewett, David Rainey, Tina Rainey, Claire Rainey, Penny Eignor, Gerry Hanon, Pat Stalker, Inge Lindsey, Bob & Karen Rogers, Chic Caha, Sandra Jones, Dennis London, Linda Smith, Tim & Lori Andrewnovitz, Brad Letham, Maria Trzcinski, Monte & Bonnie Lunde

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IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN! To become a Bulletin Sponsor for the 2022-2023 year, donate \$5 to become a Bronze Sponsor, \$10 to become a Silver Sponsor, or \$20 to become a Gold Sponsor. Your donations are used to offset the cost of creating, printing and mailing our bi-monthly Bulletin. Give your donation to Dennis or leave it in an envelope, stating its purpose, in the One Moose office.

And thank you to the crew that processes the mailing of these bulletins every month: Pam and Phil Raneri, Laurie Knight, Lori Andrewnovitz, Fred Green, Maria Trczinski and Sharon Runyon when she is in the area. For too many years to count this crew was headed by our late friend Helen Greenleaf. Anyone who would like to help please contact Lori Andrewnovitz.

### **Dates to Remember:**

July 4th: BBQ at the Lodge...stay and watch the fireworks!

July 10th: District Picnic at Ian Deutsch Park

### FOOD, FUN AND GAMES AT THE LODGE

Monday: Lunch 11:30 to1:30

Moose Charities Bingo 1:00 to 3:30

(In season) Bowling 6:00 **Tuesday:** Lunch 11:30 to 1:30

Slot tournament 12:00 to 2:00

3rd Tues Bunco 11:00 to 2:00 Line Dance lessons 3-4:30

Member appreciation night 4:00 to 6:00

Wednesday: Lunch 11:30 to 1:30

Cleaning Crew Volunteers Appreciated: 7:00 am Hand & Foot 11:00 to ?

Mexican Train 11:00 to? Wings 4:30 to 6:30

Cribbage 5:00 Karaoke 5:00 to ?

Thursday: Lunch 11:30 to1:30

Queen of Hearts Special 4:30 to 6:30

Queen of Hearts Drawing 7:00

2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs: Happy Birthday Party 4:00 to 7:00

Karaoke 5:00 to ?

Friday: Lunch 11:30 to1:3

Dinner 4:30 to 6:30

Karaoke 6:00 to ?

Saturday: Lunch 12:00 to1:30 9-Ball Turkey Shoot 1:00

Karaoke 6:00 to ?

Sunday: Breakfast 9:00 to 11:00

Darts 11:00

# BANK ON OUR KIDS ENDOWMENT FUND

Thank you to everyone who is participating in the Bank On Our Kids Project to raise funds for our children at Mooseheart. Keep up the good work. Our children at Mooseheart appreciate it.

Remember to pick up your banks. You can get them back I from the Bartender any time. Make sure your name is on your

bank.

We want to thank all Lodge and Chapter members for the great success of the Bank On Our Kids Endowment Fund Project. Your generosity has touched our hearts. Remember, you receive a coupon for \$3.00 of a meal when you turn in your full bank.











# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

# **NEW MEMBER**

Marlena Ward Cindy Petero Malcolm Fraser Michelle Clement

Marlas Prevo

William Bryce Robson

Cheryl Paletz Gary Paletz

Susan D. Eastman

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Kym Butcher

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# For those of you with your minds in the GUTTER

Well, what a season we had! We welcomed many new bowlers this year! Anyone can join the League of Horns as long as they are a Moose or an Elk in good standing. We will be having our banquet on May 10 at 6:30 pm! Prize money will be handed out at that time, and we will also elect our incoming officers for the League. It is a potluck.

Anyone interested in bowling for the 2022-2023 season, please ask for the sign-up sheet that will be available sometime in June. The 2022-2023 season will kick off right after Labor Day! All are welcome and the more the merrier! Stay healthy over the summer, friends!

Forever keeping my mind in the gutter, Jen S. Secretary, League of Horns





### WINNER'S CORNER

Super Bowl Winners: a whole bunch of you. Thank you to everyone who participated!!!



Moose Riders Olympics: Junior Division - Gold Medal - Gracelynn. Adult (or at least older than Jr Division) - Gold Medal - Frank Grissom

Silver Medal - Laura Tynan Bronze Medal - Eric Johnson

Journeyman Dishwashing Certificates Awarded to Jennifer Stauffer, Ron Novoa and Eric Johnson

MOOSE IDENTIFICATION CARDS are to be shown for all FUNCTIONS except those open to the public.
MOOSE IDENTIFICATION CARDS are to be shown for all purchases of food & drinks.



# Bingo Update Moose Charities



# Moose Charities Update 2/9/22 – 4/9/22

During this bimonthly newsletter reporting period, we collected a total of \$2,386.35 for our charitable giving.

Of this total, \$607.80 came from Bank on Our Kids, \$300.55 came from 9 o'clock ceremonies, and \$1,478 came from bingo.

The \$607.80 that you have given from Bank on Our Kids during this reporting period is astounding. Thank you so much for supporting this unique program that originated in our lodge years ago.

May I ask you a simple favor regarding Bank on Our Kids? Several banks containing 50-cent pieces, foreign coins, and foreign objects have been turned in. The machine that I have that sorts and counts the coins from the banks accepts only American quarters, dimes, nickels, and pennies. Everything else makes the machine gag. So please, fill your banks with American quarters, dimes, nickels, and pennies only.

As of this writing, we have \$3,236 in bingo charity money to be disbursed before the end of the 2021 – 2022 year. With Board of Officers approval, I would like to disburse some of this money to two local non-profit organizations that have requested support from us: Wild West Extravaganza and Pahrump Valley Transportation Services, which is affiliated with the Pahrump Senior Center.

During the recent CNMA midyear conference, our lodge received a level 2 certificate of appreciation for our donations for the Mooseheart Activities Center.

My sincere thanks to each of you who has so generously given to make 2021 – 2022 a record breaking year for our charitable giving.

God bless our children at Mooseheart, our senior members at Moosehaven, our local community heroes, and each of you for making me so proud to be a Moose.

Fraternally and Moose Proud,

Dennis London Moose Charities Chairman





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