



MOOSE TALES GAZETTE

3003 30th Avenue, Kenosha WI. 53144

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DATES TO REMEMBER

October 1

6PM Lodge Board Meeting

October 3

6PM Boots & Bling Birthday Bash

October 6

7PM Chapter Meeting

October 7

6PM Lodge Bingo

October 12

11AM Chapter Board Meeting

October 13

6PM Moose Legion Meeting

7PM General Meeting

October 15

Newsletter Article Due

6PM Joint Board Meeting

7PM Lodge Board Meeting

October 18

2PM Chapter Appreciation Party

October 20

7PM Chapter Meeting

October 21

6PM Lodge Bingo

October 24

12PM Kid's Halloween Party

October 25

9AM Moose Legion Breakfast

October 27

Lodge Open House

6PM Orientation Meeting

7PM Lodge Meeting

October 31

6PM Halloween Party w/ TRIP

Recurring Events

4:30PM Moose Legion Burger Bar

- Every 1st and 3rd Mondays

4:30PM Chapter Burger Bar -

Every 2nd and 4th Mondays

4:30PM Taco Tuesday

5PM Friday Fish Fry - Fridays

NOON Free Pool & Darts -

Every Saturday

ADMINISTRATORS CORNER

Happy October!

I hope we'll soon be enjoying a new HVAC system over the social quarters and a new sign, made possible by the sign grant. There are a lot of positive things happening at our lodge. It's easy to hear about what still needs work, but I hope you'll also take a moment to look around and see what we've accomplished together over the last couple of years.

Now for my big ask: **We need you. Yes, you!**

Sign up to host or cook for a Packers party. Help prepare or serve Friday supper. Serve tacos on a Tuesday. Host a fundraiser or donate a basket. There are many ways to pitch in, and every one of them matters.

Our Board of Officers helps guide the lodge and manage its business, but they can't do everything. Nearly all of our elected officers volunteer their time; the administrator is the exception. They've stepped up, and now we're asking more members to join them.

Please help promote our events. Show up. Bring a friend. Volunteer for a shift. This is a member-based organization, and our lodge is only as strong as the members who take part in it.

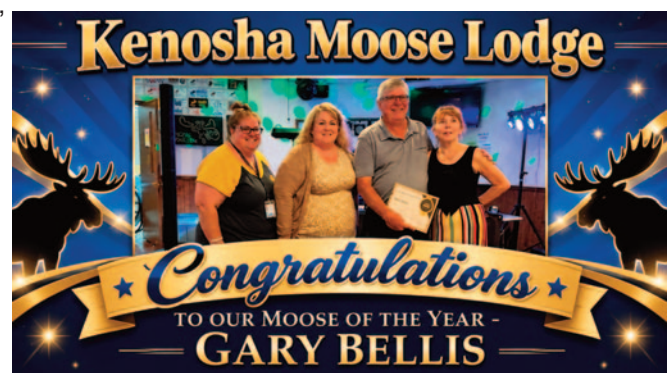
So, I'll leave you with one question: **What can you do for the lodge this month?** Pick one thing and let's keep building on the good work already underway.

Please make sure to get the Halloween Party with Trip on October 31 on your calendar.

Tickets for New Year's Eve featuring Yesterday's Children will go on sale mid-November.

See you around the lodge,

Kellee K. Chwala,
Administrator



NEWS FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Packer Parties!!

Football season is here; our Packer Parties are back!

We need your help...

Hosting a Packer party or donating food, please consider signing up. There is a sign-up sheet in the front hallway. Let's make this another great Packer season!

Our Moose of the year 2026 is: Gary Bellis

It is such a well-deserved honor. Congratulations! Gary, we are truly grateful for all you have done—and continue to for our lodge. Your dedication, and willingness to step up and lend a helping hand means making a difference.

We are excited to announce our 24 days of Christmas

We'll be putting together baskets valued between \$30- \$60 dollars each. There will be a Gift card in each one.

Tickets:

- 1 ticket \$10

- 3 tickets \$20

Ticket sales start:

October 15th- December 24th, 2026

Baskets drawing begins December 1st at 6:30pm and continues throughout the fundraiser.

Drawing times:

Monday - Saturday 6:30pm

Sundays: 3:00pm

December 24th 3pm

We are looking for donations of medium- and large- size baskets to help with this fundraiser. Donation baskets can be dropped off at the Lodge or contact President Vicky Lubecke or Senior Regent Jessica Scroggin. Every donation helps and we truly appreciate your support!

Taco Tuesday needs you!

We're working hard to keep Taco Tuesday going, but we need someone willing to help serve 4:30-7pm. If you're interested in helping keep this popular Tuesday dinner going, please reach out to me. We'd love to have you!

Halloween Party October 31st

Get your Halloween costumes ready! Come join us for a spooktacular night of fun! Trip will be playing the tunes Come dressed ready for a Halloween contest and a night to remember.

Where your donations go

We want members to know that when we collect Endowment, these funds go directly to support the children at Mooseheart and the senior at Moosehaven. It is one of the many ways our Moose mission makes a difference in the lives of others.

Our Friday night 50/50 has a different purpose. The money raised through the 50/50 helps offset the cost of the bands we bring in for everyone to enjoy.

Thank you to everyone who continues to volunteer, donate, participate and support our Lodge. Our events only happen because of YOU! Let's keep working together, having fun and making the Lodge a place everyone wants to be.

Fraternally,

Vicky Lubecke

Text or call - Vicky (262) 496-7057

Moose lodge President

Volunteer by Heart

KENOSHA MOOSE FAMILY CENTER OFFICERS OF LODGE #286

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Outer Guard	OPEN

LODGE HOURS

MONDAY
11 AM - 10 PM
TUESDAY
4 PM - 10:30 PM
WEDNESDAY
11 AM - 11 PM
THURSDAY
4 PM - 10:30 PM
FRIDAY
4 PM - 11:45 PM
SATURDAY
12 PM - 10 PM
SUNDAY
11 AM - 5 PM



Kenosha Moose Lodge

**NEED TO RENT
A HALL OR PAVILION?**

— Contact the lodge office at —
262-657-7831

MOOSE LEGION FELLOWSHIP NEWS

The Moose Legion meets on the second Tuesday of each month at 6:00 PM, offering an excellent opportunity to become more involved in supporting our Lodge and strengthening our charitable mission—attend a meeting to see firsthand what we are working on, as your participation and ideas are always welcome; Men of the Moose who are interested in advancing to higher degrees of service are encouraged to take the next step, as the Moose Legion is actively seeking committed Lodge members who want to serve at a higher level, so speak with a Moose Legionnaire or attend an upcoming meeting to learn how you can get involved, step forward, get engaged, and help lead the way.

Mark your calendars!

The Committee is moving forward with plans to hold a Burger Bar on the first and third Mondays of each month, beginning September 21, from 4:30 to 7:00 PM. Volunteers will be needed to assist with the Burger Bar and help ensure its continued success.

Our next Moose Legion Breakfast will be on October 25, starting from 9 to 11:30 AM. Volunteers are needed to make this a success as well.

Fraternally Yours,
Brian Vergenz, Kenosha Moose Legion Committee Chairman

FROM OUR CHAPLAIN

Dear Moose Family,

As your Chaplain, I want to remind everyone that our true strength at Kenosha Moose Lodge #286 lies in how we look out for one another when life gets tough. We are a family, and we want to ensure no member walks through a difficult season alone.

If you or a fellow member is facing a serious illness, medical distress, or the loss of a loved one, please let us know right away. Please do not assume someone else has already made the call.

Prompt notifications allow us to send prayers, coordinate visits, and offer fraternal support when it is needed most.

You can report these situations by:

- * Calling the Lodge office at (262) 657-7831
- * Reaching out to me directly
- * Filling out the online notification form on the Kenosha Moose Lodge #286 website.

Thank you for your continued compassion and for keeping our defending circle strong.

Fraternally yours,
Maggie Mosley
Chaplain, Kenosha Moose Lodge #286

HELP WANTED

The Kenosha Moose Lodge is looking for members who would like to help make a difference. We currently have an opening for a 1-year trustee and are also seeking a volunteer for the Activities Committee.

Our Taco Tuesday events are a great opportunity for members to enjoy delicious food, spend time with friends, and support our lodge. But we can't make these events successful without the help of our wonderful volunteers! We are looking for members willing to lend a hand with preparing food, serving tacos, taking orders, and helping with cleanup. Whether you can volunteer for the entire evening for just a couple of hours, your assistance would be greatly appreciated. Taco Tuesday runs from 4:30 PM to 7:30 PM on Tuesdays.

We are always looking for people to host and provide food for our Packer Parties. A sign-up poster is located on the hall bulletin board with spaces to add your names.

If you're interested in any of these opportunities or would like more information, please contact President Vicky. We'd love to have you join the team!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday Night

BINGO

Open to the Public!

Playing the first, third, and fifth Wednesdays of the month.

Early Bird - **6 PM**
 Regular Bingo - **7 PM**
 Progressive - **9 PM**

Kitchen Open from 5 PM to 7 PM

Moose Cribbage

Play Cribbage.

Thursdays at 5 PM.

Contact: Robert Wingo - 224-717-0506
 Nancy Helbling - 262-496-1156

MOOSE EUCBRE

Join our **EUCBRE League!**

Sign up one week prior to play night.

Thursday Nights
 7:00 pm Start Time

Contact **Cathy Rowe** | 847-810-9080

YOU'RE INVITED TO A
 rustic glamour celebration of

Boots & Bling

OUTDOOR PARTY

UNDER THE STARS

SATURDAY - OCTOBER 3RD 2026
 at six o'clock in the evening

KENOSHA MOOSE LODGE - WOMEN'S PAVILION
 3003 30TH AVENUE - KENOSHA, WI

Join Maggie & Lettsey as they swing and dance
 the night away in celebration of their birthdays!

*Cash bar.

KENOSHA MOOSE LODGE

MEMBER FUN NIGHT

7PM START TIME

BINGO

MEAT RAFFLE

RAFFLES

MOOSE ON THE LOOSE GAME

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24TH

Moose Legion Family Breakfast

Menu coming soon

Sunday, October 25, 2026
9:00 to 11:30 AM

Adults **\$12.00** | Kids eleven and under **\$6.00**

Wisconsin Women of the Moose - Oscars!

Save the Date!
 October 9-11
 2026!

Hosted by:
 District #1 and
 the Monroe
 Lodge

2026 Rally Days

NEWS FROM YOUR SENIOR REGENT

Hello, Ladies,

Fall is here! Bring out your sweatshirts and stay warm.

Our Euchre Tournament on Saturday, September 19, was a wonderful success. We had such a great group of people, and everyone had a lot of fun. Thank you to everyone who helped make the event possible. I even had the opportunity to serve as a cocktail waitress—although I must admit, I am not very good at it! A special thank-you to Brian V. for his help. I am already looking forward to our next tournament.

I would love to see more of our Kenosha Chapter members get more involved. I want to invite you to join us at our Chapter Membership meetings on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. October is Mooseheart/Moosehaven month. We will be having “**Christmas in October**” on behalf of our children at Mooseheart and our senior residents at Moosehaven. The Committee conducts a Monetary Gift Walk. Our members are invited to contribute what they can afford to give to provide additional Christmas gifts for the Mooseheart children and the Moosehaven seniors.

The WOTM hosts the **Burger Bar** on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. The Moose Legion hosts on the first, third, and fifth Mondays. Please come down and support us.

Debbie is busy preparing for the **Member Appreciation Party** on Sunday, October 18. All WOTM members are invited as we celebrate our members' years of service.

The **Children's Halloween Party** will be held on Saturday, October 24, from noon to 2:00 p.m. Sign-up your kiddos now. Seeking Volunteers to help with Kids games.

We will be celebrating my **College of Regent** on November 7th All members are welcome. Posters and Sign-up sheets will be posted.

Our next **Bunco** will be on Sunday November 22nd. Games start at 1pm.

Congratulations to Kathy Henningfield on qualifying for the Academy of Friendship.

Have a wonderful month. Remember to be kind and, most importantly, remember to laugh.

Jessica Scroggin
Senior Regent

HELP!

If anyone would like to make hats or scarves for the kids at Mooseheart for Christmas, please call Jessica at 224-337-2055. This is a District #2 project. They have to be red, white, or red and white.

PLEASE REPORT ILLNESS AND/OR DEATH TO THE LODGE OFFICE

The lodge office would greatly appreciate being notified of all members illnesses and especially when death occurs. Members, please call us when you know of someone who is sick or has passed away. Call (262) 657-7831 to notify the lodge. Thank you.

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Have an article for the newsletter?

Send your article to
info@kenoshamoose286.com.
Articles are due on the 15th
of the month.

CHAPTER #155 Officers/Appointed Officers

Senior Regent	Jessica Scroggin
Jr. Past Regent	Kellee Chwala
Treasurer	Debbie Schneider
Secretary	Marcyenne Sawyer
Guide	Chris Schneider

ADDRESS CHANGE?

We get many newsletters back each mailing that have address changes. These cost the lodge. If you move, are planning a move, or going away, please call the lodge or drop a note in the office door with your new or temporary address. This will save the lodge money on postage and will also ensure that you will continue to receive your newsletter.



OCTOBER 2026

MOOSE Planner



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				5PM Cribbage 7PM Board Meeting 7PM Euchre	5PM Friday Fish & More 6PM Band: Cows in the Shade	Moosehaven's Anniversary 12PM Free Pool & Darts 6PM Boots & Bling Birthday Bash
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
12PM Packers @ Buccaneers	4:30PM Moose Legion Burger Bar 6:30PM Evening Pool	4:30PM Taco Tuesday 7PM WOTM Meeting	6PM Bingo 6:30PM Evening Pool	5PM Cribbage 7PM Euchre	Chapter Rally Days 5PM Friday Fish & More 6PM Band: Route 66	Chapter Rally Days 12PM Free Pool & Darts 6PM DJ Dave Firkin
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Chapter Rally Days 3:25PM Bears @ Packers	11AM Chapter Board Meeting 4:30PM Chapter Burger Bar 6:30PM Evening Pool	4:30PM Taco Tuesday 6PM Moose Legion Meeting 7PM Lodge Meeting	6:30PM Evening Pool	Newsletter Articles Due 5PM Cribbage 6PM Joint Meeting 7PM Board Meeting 7PM Euchre	5PM Friday Fish & More 6PM Band: Freddie and the Cruisers	12PM Free Pool & Darts
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
11AM Wisconsin Moose Legion and SE WI CHD Meetings - E.K.M. 2PM WOTM Appreciation Party 7:20PM Cowboys @ Packers	4:30PM Moose Legion Burger Bar 6:30PM Evening Pool	4:30PM Taco Tuesday 7PM WOTM Meeting	6PM Bingo 6:30PM Evening Pool	5PM Cribbage 7PM Euchre	5PM Friday Fish & More 6PM Band: The Deadliners	12PM Free Pool & Darts 12PM Kid's Halloween Party 7PM Member Fun Night
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
9AM Kenosha Moose Legion Breakfast 3:25PM Packers @ Lions	4:30PM Chapter Burger Bar 6:30PM Evening Pool	Mooseheart Founders Day Moose Lodge Open House 4:30PM Taco Tuesday 6PM Orientation Meeting 7PM Lodge Meeting	6:30PM Evening Pool	5PM Cribbage 7PM Euchre 7:15PM Panthers @ Packers	5PM Friday Fish & More 6PM DJ	12PM Free Pool & Darts 6PM Halloween Party w/ TRIP'

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Women of the Moose
In Appreciation of Your Continued Membership

Years of Service Appreciation Party

Sunday, October 18th
at 2:00 PM

Ice Cream & Tea Celebration

This special celebration is being held to recognize and honor our members for their years of dedicated service.

Years of Service Awards
will be presented during the celebration.

This is a wonderful accomplishment, and we sincerely appreciate your continued membership, support, and dedication. We hope you will join us for an afternoon of celebration, delicious ice cream and tea, and fellowship.

It will also be a wonderful opportunity to meet new friends and visit with old friends!

Women of the Moose
3003 30th Ave • Kenosha, WI

CONTACT: Debbie Schneider • 262-818-5803

We look forward to celebrating your years of membership with you!



CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN PARTY

OCTOBER 24TH 2026 * NOON-2PM

Registration due October 16th

Childs Name _____ Age _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Childs Name _____ Age _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Childs Name _____ Age _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Childs Name _____ Age _____ Boy _____ Girl _____

Parent or Guardian's Name: _____

Phone/Email: _____



Member ID Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

In order for us to guarantee each child food/pumpkin and game prizes, you must register by October 16th, 2026. All Information required. This party is limited to members' children only. No children/grandchildren of non-members. This is a benefit of Membership. Now is a good time to sign up to be a Moose Member.



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