



MOOSE TALES GAZETTE

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DATES TO REMEMBER

- MAY 10**
Mother's Day Breakfast
- MAY 16**
LOOM & WOTM Awards Program
- MAY 17**
Beerfest, Chilton
- MAY 25**
CLOSED for MEMORIAL DAY
- MAY 26**
Member Orientation
- JUNE 7**
Moose Legion Breakfast
- JUNE 21**
Fathers Day Breakfast
- JUNE 23**
Member Orientation
- JULY 5**
Moose Legion Breakfast

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ADMINISTRATOR'S CORNER

May is upon us and a new fiscal year is here. Last fiscal year we (the Board) had some difficult financial times and had to make some VERY difficult decisions to help improve our lodge. Even with that our year was not up to par to past years. But it was not for the lack of trying by the officers of the lodge. Some of the moves that were made may have caused some discord within our lodge but were needed decisions to be made for our betterment. I would like to thank the outgoing officers for their service and dedication to the lodge. To our new officers, we still have a long way to go to improve the lodge and the overall experience for our members. The job will be difficult but should be rewarding as well, welcome.

The Moose Legion breakfast for the first Sunday of the month is canceled so all efforts can be focused on Mother's Day breakfast on May 10th. Breakfast will be a buffet style meal for \$9.00, Mothers and kids 12 and under are \$4.00 and youngsters 3 and under are free. Hope to see you all here for a great meal.

May 16th is going to be a very busy day. The LOOM & WOTM awards program will start at 7:00 pm. All members who have earned awards and degrees will be honored. And it's our monthly Birthday party for all men and women who have a birthday in May. There will also be beer and booze bingo, DJ and of course the Queen of Hearts hosted by the Mooseriders. Going to be a crazy night, see you there!

May 17th is the annual bus trip to Beerfest in Chilton. Tickets are still available at \$90.00 each which includes the ticket to Beerfest, Steak and egg breakfast before we go, the bus ride, beverages on the bus there and back and all the fun you can handle. Don't miss this one, everyone had a blast last year and can't wait to go this year.

We will be closed for Memorial Day May 25th, but the lodge will be having a Memorial Day service at 10:00 am with our Master of Ceremonies Joe McKay leading us through the ceremony. The lodge will be open for the ceremony for your convenience. Dates in June to remember; June 7th is Legion Breakfast and the 21st is Father's day breakfast.

Don't forget that every third Wednesday from 6:00 pm till 8:00 pm; you can come down to the lodge and sign up for your next year's dues and earn Moosebucks for your efforts. Men, for every year you sign up the LOOM will give you \$20 Moosebucks and the WOTM will give you ladies \$5 in Moosebucks. This is great way to reduce your membership fees for the lodge and chapter. Hope we see everyone down here on the third Wednesday of the month.

New programs for all state and international incentives for sponsorship will soon be introduced, check them out on line at wismoose.org and mooseintl.org.

Fraternally Yours,
Rich Smart Administrator

NEWS FROM YOUR GOVERNOR

Dear Fellow Moose Members,

Kenosha Moose Lodge 286 is kicking off another big raffle to continue funding various capital improvements around our Lodge home. Past raffles have been very successful because of the great support of our membership. We can keep the momentum going with the continued support and cooperation of all our organizations: Loyal Order of Moose, Moose Legion, Women of the Moose, and Moose Riders.

The big drawing will be Friday July 10th, 2015 at approximately 9:15 pm.

****5 WINNERS****

GRAND PRIZE: 2000 cash
2nd Prize: 500 cash
3rd Prize: 200 cash
4th Prize: 2 years dues free (or cash equivalent)
5th Prize: 1 year dues free (or cash equivalent)

Tickets are \$5 each or a book of "6" for \$20. It's important to sell as many tickets as possible in order to maximize the revenue potential of the raffle. To put it into perspective, if each of our 2500 members purchased 1 book of tickets, the raffle would gross \$50,000 before paying out the prizes. You should be receiving your tickets soon. Please turn in all monies and raffle ticket stubs to the Lodge Office or use the pre-addressed enclosed envelope.

Please make checks payable to LOOM 286.

Many thanks for your support and good luck!

Board of Officers - LOOM 286

IDENTIFICATION STATEMENT

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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 help us when you know of someone who is sick or has died. Call (262) 657-7831 to notify the Lodge. Thank you.

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NEWLY ENROLLED MEMBERS

Enrolled in March, 2015

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Claude Berry
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EUCHRE

We play Euchre every Thursday at 7:00 PM. Call us if you would like to sign up to play. We always have a great time. If you are interested, please call: Bob or Virginia Westman at 694-7974. Let us know if you would like to be a sub. There is also card playing on Tuesday Nights at 7:00 PM. For any questions call Dianne Hegewald at 515-8528.

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.

SPORTS

The 2016 Moose International bowling will be held in Janesville, WI. Watch your newsletter for further information. Andy Burger and Dan Woods won the Monday AM pool league. Dick DiCastrì and Bob Hansche took the AM Wednesday league. Andy Burger was chairman for both mornings. The Monday night pool completion continues during May. Ron and Darla Kramer are co-chairpersons. Outdoor activities have started. Softball on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, game times start at 5:30 pm. The Wed. night horseshoe league has a meeting planned for May 13, 6:00 pm. Call Jerry Simonsen@262.705.2665, John Kaiser co-chairs. Wednesday outdoor BAGS will toss starting in May. All are welcome, 6:00 pm, first bags fly.

The outdoor refreshment stand is open during the week, as is the children's play area. There is lots of room for everyone. Our Clubs AM golf leagues start Monday May 4th and Wednesday May 6th. Jerry Bloxdorf and Bob Mertin return as chairman. Play is at Petrifying Springs. State golf will be in West Bend July 18th. July 26th is the Lodge's Border Wars Golf outing with Zion-Benton lodge. More information to follow. State horseshoes will be at Beloit, August 15th. Enter on-line or get entry blanks on our bulletin board.

One final thing. Tuesday nights are open as far as the horseshoe pits, ball diamond, if anyone would like to chair any type of outdoor activity specifically for Tuesday or use the grounds any other night call me @ 262.551.0441 or see a board member or Adm. Rich Smart. Some ideas, horseshoes, kickball, pickle ball, or even outdoor life-size foosball!

Notes: Snaps to Cindi Berry. She won the WI. Moose Association karaoke completion. She has a chance to be chosen to compete at the International Convention in Nashville, Tenn. There are dates remaining to rent the outdoor facilities and indoor halls for your parties and picnics. Full catering and bar service is available. The Brewers, Cubs and Sox all play at the Moose on our projection and flat screen TVs. Enjoy the games and the NBA and NHL playoffs. Mary's Kitchen serves a pub menu nightly at 4:30 pm except Wednesday and Sunday. Fridays is the dinner menu and Saturday night is Steak night!

Leon Rosko - Sports Chairman



MOOSE LEGION FELLOWSHIP NEWS

**For All The Current
Moose Legion 31 News**

Visit our web site at:
<http://moosepages.org/Home/legion31/>

SHOT GUN RAFFLE WINNER

Congratulations To:
EILEEN HILBER

\$500.00 CASH RAFFLE

Ticket are available in the Social Quarters
\$1.00 each or 7 for \$5.00

Drawing will be on Friday, June 19th at 9:15 PM

MOOSE LEGION CELEBRATION

Will be held at the Racine Moose Lodge on
Sunday, May 19th 2015

Moose Legion Picnic

June 25th • 5:00 PM

We will provide the Steaks
Please bring a dish to pass.

Sign up sheet on the Moose Legion
Bulletin Board in the Lodge Hallway.
Current Legionairs only and one guest.

NO CARRYOUTS

Come on out and have a GREAT TIME.

Terry Nelson
Moose Legion 31 • Asst Secretary



KENOSHA MOOSE RIDERS

Moose Rider Bike Blessing May 23rd 2015!! Mark your calendars!

Once again, the Moose Riders will be hosting this year's Bike Blessing at the LaSalette Shrine in Twin Lakes WI. Kickstands UP at 10AM in the Moose Lodge parking lot. All are welcome to attend.

Casino Night benefiting K.A.F.A.S.I

Casino night was held March 28th at the Moose Lodge and was well attended. Spirits were high and fun was had by all; and because of the generous nature of our folks, we were able to raise **\$2,026.00** to this wonderful charity! Awesome job!

We are looking for Board Members, please see Lisa Joyce or email kenoshamooseriders@hotmail.com.

Mark your calendars:

May 4th Board Meeting – 7:30 pm.

May 18th Membership Meeting – 7 pm.

May 22nd Door Greeters 1st shift & 2nd shift 7PM – open.

It is the Moose Riders responsibility to greet our fellow brethren each month. Please see Lisa to volunteer.

As always, please join us every Saturday evening for the Queen of Hearts! Drawings at 8:30 and 10:00 pm.

UP-COMING EVENTS

Mother's Day Breakfast



May 10th 2015

8:00 - 11:00 AM

Bring The Whole Family



CLOSED

Monday May 25th 2015

Memorial Day

Let's Not Forget Their Sacrifice

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE

To all my fraternity brothers and sisters. On May 25th at 10:00 am there will be a holiday Memorial service for all our Service men and women who gave their lives protecting us and our country. The Memorial will not be long and I would like ask all who can to be there and show their respect. The lodge will be open for our ceremony for our use during and a little while after for us to use.

Fraternally Yours
Joseph C. McKay



BREAKFAST

June 7th, 2015

8:00 - 11:00 AM

**SPECIAL
STEAK & EGGS**



Plus The Full Menu "Bring The Whole Family"

NEWS FROM YOUR SENIOR REGENT

Hi. I would like to introduce myself. My name is Roberta Baumeister, and I am your new Senior Regent. I would first like to explain to you what the Moose Fraternity means to me. I believe the Moose organization is the support of Mooseheart and Moosehaven. I remind myself of the pledge I gave when I signed the application to join the Moose Fraternity. It means helping with the raffles to support the different organizations in our own community.

Please remember that our meeting is on the first and third Tuesdays of the month. They start at 7:30 pm. Please come and have some fun with us. They are a good opportunity for you to share any ideas you may have for a fund raiser or maybe have ideas to make our Chapter more enjoyable or efficient.

Some of the plans we have coming up are our Mother's Day celebration on May 10th it is a breakfast celebration so bring your mother and maybe even your grandmother. May 16th is our monthly birthday party. Also in May, we will be closed on May 25th in celebration of Memorial Day.

I would like to say "Thank You" to the old board and welcome to the "New". Also, "Thank you to the current Chapter members and welcome to all the new members and hopefully, new friends.

The new Chapter board members are;

- Senior Regent; Roberta Baumeister
- Jr. Regent; Lucille Berry
- Recorder; Debbie Keslov
- Secretary / treasurer; Charlotte Stine
- Jr. Grad. Regent; Debbie Duberstein
- Guide; Judy Chapman
- Asst. Guide; Michelle Stauder

If you see us around, please stop and introduce yourself.

Fraternally yours,
Senior Regent, Roberta Baumeister



It's A Birthday Party
Saturday May 16th 2015
From 7:00 PM til 10:00 PM

*All Lodge and Chapter Members
Born In May*

Snacks, Cake, 2nd Drink Free
Party Favors

CHAPTER #155	
OFFICERS/APPOINTED OFFICERS	
Senior Regent	Roberta Baumiester
Jr. Regent	Lucille Berry
Jr. Grad. Regent	Debbie Duberstein
Chaplain	
Secretary/Treasurer	Charlotte Stine
Recorder	Debbie Keslov
Guide	Judy Chapman
Asst. Guide	Michelle Stauder

**COME ON DOWN
TO YOUR LODGE
AND JOIN IN
WITH YOUR FAVORITE
ACTIVITIES!**



MAY 2015

MOOSE Planner



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM Dinner Special Crab Legs or Smelt 8:00 PM <u>Band</u> Rock Daddies	2
3 Line Dancing 7:00 - 9:30 PM	4 9:00 AM Golf League 6:00 PM Tai Chi 7:30 PM Moose Riders Board Mtg.	5 7:00 PM LOOM Board Mtg. 7:00 PM Cards 7:30 PM WOTM Welcome Mtg.	6 9:00 AM Golf League 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	7 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing	8 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM Dinner Special Ribs 8:00 PM <u>Band</u> Bar Casters	9
 10 MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST 8:00 - 11:00 AM	11 9:00 AM Golf League 6:00 PM Tai Chi	12 6:30 PM WOTM Board Mtg 6:30 PM Moose Legion Mtg 7:00 PM Cards 7:30 PM LOOM Membership Mtg	13 9:00 AM Golf League 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	14 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing	15 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM Dinner Special Southern Fried Chicken 8:00 PM <u>Band</u> Kickin' Kountry	16 LOOM & WOTM AWARDS PROGRAM
17 BEERFEST CHILTON	18 9:00 AM Golf League 7:00 PM Moose Riders Membership Mtg.	19 6:30 PM Joint Board Mtg 7:00 PM LOOM Board Mtg 7:00 PM Cards 7:30 PM WOTM Bus. Mtg.	20 9:00 AM Golf League 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	21 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing	22 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM Dinner Special Shrimp Scampi 8:00 PM <u>Band</u> The Classics	23
Line Dancing 24 7:00 - 9:30 PM Line Dancing 31 7:00 - 9:30 PM	25 CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY	26 7:00 PM Cards Member Orientation	27 9:00 AM Golf League 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	28 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing	29 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM Dinner Special Stuffed Manicotti 8:00 PM <u>Band</u> Sh-Boom	30

LODGE HOURS

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY
11:00 AM - 12:00 AM
TUESDAY
3:00 PM - 12:00 AM
THURSDAY
11:00 AM - 12:00 AM
FRIDAY
12:00 NOON - 2:00 AM
SATURDAY
12:00 NOON - 1:00 AM
SUNDAY
12:00 NOON - 9:00 PM

BANDS

MAY. 1 . Rock Daddies
MAY. 8 . Bar Casters
MAY. 15 . Kickin' Kountry
MAY. 22 . The Classics
MAY 29 . Sh-Boom

KITCHEN SPECIALS

MAY 1: Crab Legs or Smelt Dinner
MAY 8: Ribs (Happy Mother's Day Rib Night, Mom's with Kids 1/2 Price)
MAY 15: Southern Fried Chicken Dinner
MAY 22: Shrimp Scampi, (chicken or steak) in Alfredo Sauce over angel hair
MAY 29: Stuffed Manicotti

Every Monday is 1/2 lb. burgers for \$5.00; \$3.00 Chili Cheese dog
Every Tuesday is Taco Tuesday.
Every Thursday is My Big Fat Greek day, Gyros!
Every Saturday is Steak night including Prime Rib! With several steaks to choose from.
Congratulations to all of my Friday customer appreciation winners!
And don't forget to get your 6th entrée free punch card for during the week, excluding Friday.

In addition to the above specials, we have a full menu. If you haven't tried us out, come down and see what you have been missing. Remember that the lodge dining room on Friday nights can accommodate larger groups for rehearsal dinners, birthdays, anniversaries, etc. Reservations are required for groups of 15 or more. If you are interested, please call the lodge office at 262-657-7831.

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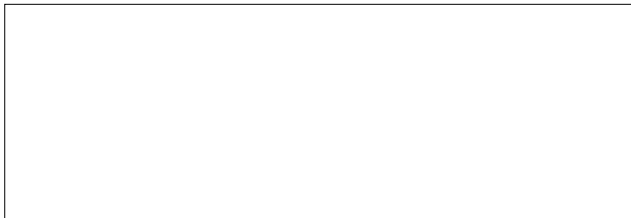
JOIN US FOR OUR 2ND TRIP TO BEERFEST IN CHILTON WI.
 SUNDAY MAY 17TH
 STEAK & EGG BREAKFAST AT THE KENOSHA MOOSE LODGE
 BEER OR SODA ON THE BUS
 BEERFEST RUNS FROM 1:00 PM TO 6:00 PM
 BEER AND SODA ON THE RIDE HOME

COST \$90.00

BREAKFAST WILL BE SERVED FROM 8:30 AM UNTIL 9:30 AM
 BUS LEAVES THE KENOSHA LODGE AT 10:00 AM SHARP
 RETURN TO THE LODGE AT ABOUT 9:00 PM

BEERFEST IS A COLLECTION OF 40 MICRO BREWERIES ALL ASSEMBLED IN ONE PLACE. UPON ARRIVING AT BEERFEST EVERYONE RECEIVES A WRISTBAND AND A MUG. FOR THE NEXT 6 HOURS YOU SAMPLE OR DRINK AS MUCH BEER AS YOU DESIRE. SHOULD BE A FUN TRIP. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE.

NOTE: EVENT IS SOLD OUT! ONLY PLACE TO GET TICKETS IS THROUGH US. WE HAVE 20 TICKETS STILL AVAILABLE. CALL 262-657-7831 FOR TICKET INFORMATION.



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