



MOOSE TALES GAZETTE

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DATES TO REMEMBER

**The Lodge is Closed till further notice
As soon as we get the ok from the Governor of Wisconsin to reopen we will.**

We have some tentative events scheduled that are subject to change at the last minute. The pending events are as follows;

Apr. 12	Easter Closed
Apr. 17	Kids Movie Night "Frozen II"
Apr. 18	Fun Night
Apr. 25	Trivia Night
Apr. 28	Member Orientation
May 10	Mother's Day Breakfast
May 23	Fun Night
May 25	Memorial Day Closed
May 26	Member Orientation
May 30	Trivia Night

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A Message from Director General Scott Hart

We are in the midst of a pandemic that is testing every fiber of our being, our Fraternity and our nations. As a Fraternity that is nearing 132 years old this April, we have weathered many trials over that time. It has taken the collective strength of our membership to carry the Moose Mission forward in good times and bad. This point in our history will be no different. We will care for one another, serve our communities and provide a loving home for our children at Mooseheart and our seniors at Moosehaven.

During this time when many of our Lodge homes are not accessible to the general membership due to precautionary measures or state restrictions, let's remember that there are a few things that we can do –

Be safe in this time of uncertainty and look to the guidance provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and follow state/provincial and local orders to minimize the impact of this pandemic (www.cdc.gov).

Give our Lodge a good deep cleaning. Invite a limited number of men and women over a period of several days to tackle different parts of the building. Let's just not sanitize, but thoroughly clean areas that have needed it for a while.

Work the Expired Member List by phone and let them know the good that your Lodge provides in the community and for Mooseheart and Moosehaven. Every Administrator and Recorder should be able to provide a copy of the monthly list.

Make needed repairs or updates that the Board has been meaning to do – a new coat of paint goes a long way to providing a fresh look when food and beverage service begins again.

Communicate with your members. This isn't the time to stop the Lodge Newsletter or let the Lodge website slide. If your Lodge doesn't have a Newsletter, consider a special mailing with a letter from the Board of Officers reminding them of the good things that have happened in the past year at the Lodge and what good things lay ahead.

Review the Lodge Safety Report and take corrective action.

Take a complete inventory of Lodge, Social Quarters' and kitchen supplies and order items that you will need when the Lodge reopens.

Put together a Lodge Calendar of some of the old favorites with a mix of new activities to involve all members and their families.

Check up on your elderly members. Make sure they are okay and see if they need anything. This is a great way to keep them connected and feeling valued.

Doing the above will make you fully prepared when the Lodge doors reopen. Our members and their guests will be hungering for fellowship and social interaction. Let's make sure the Moose is the first place they want to visit!

As we look to tomorrow, let's be safe, be healthy and be One Moose!

Scott Hart
Director General
Moose International

NEWS FROM YOUR GOVERNOR

These are trying times for all of us. We are in the mist of a pandemic thats threatening us every day. Once this is over and yes it will end; we will be ready to serve our members and guests, so that we can keep up our support of Mooseheart and Moosehaven. As we move forward please remember that our children and seniors still need your support. Please donate to Moose Charities and help them out if you can.

The Board of Officers are looking forward and we have scheduled some events for this month and up coming months. We hope that when this ends we will be ready to start having fun at our lodge and pavilion. The events that are scheduled for this month are pending and may be canceled as long as Governor Evers keeps the closures in place.

Moose International events are still on the calendar and will be dropped as needed.

Seeing as how we can not meet unless we have 10 or less members here, our elections have been postponed until the end of June. The current board of officers, men and women, will stay in place until that time. The newly elected officers will take over on July 1st.

We will continue to send out the newsletter on a monthly basis so we can keep you all informed on what's currently going on at the lodge, state and International.

Please be safe in your travels and movement around your homes. Hope to see you all in the very near future.

Your Gov, Mark Schneider

GENTLE TAI CHI

**CANCELLED TILL
FURTHER NOTICE**

**MASTER INSTRUCTOR
RON PFEIFFER**

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FOR MORE
INFORMATION**



ADMINISTRATOR'S CORNER

As I was walking around the lodge just now, shutting down all the unnecessary machines, lights and turning down the furnaces. I thought I hope this is not a long term situation. Usually this is a busy time around here and now it's like a ghost town. No one around but me. How did this happen.

We take every day life for granted, the rat race is the focal point of our lives. Now it's just time for us to reflect on what was and how can we move forward.

We will come back stronger than before. It's not all about us any more, it's about our neighbors, friends and our families. We pray all of us will come out of this unscathed. Time will tell.

The boards of officers here are looking forward to the day when we all can take a big sigh of relief and start planning for the future again.

Our families include our children at Mooseheart and our seniors at Moosehaven. We still need to provide for them and comfort their worries. That's our job, what we all signed up for in the beginning. Well maybe it was for the cheap drinks and food. But over time we all realized there was more to it than just that. I look forward to the day when I can see all my fellow moose members again here at the lodge. You don't know what you have until it's gone.

Everyone, be safe and take care of yourself and your families. Hope to see you all very soon.

Fraternally yours, Richard Smart, Administrator

KENOSHA MOOSE FAMILY CENTER OFFICERS OF LODGE #286

Governor	Mark Schneider
Jr. Past Governor . .	Joe Matteucci
Jr. Governor	Ron Horner
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Trustee 2 Yr.	Mike Sandwich
Trustee 3 Yr.	Brian Vergenz
Outer Guard	Ken Duffy
Inner Guard	Mike Delaney
Sgt. at Arms	Tim Schuler
Administrator	Richard Smart

SPORTS

The Monday evening in house pool league has finished for the winter. Ernie Dahl and Steve Bevins teamed up to win the league. Mike Miller chaired. The Monday evening pool league will continue once the ban has been lifted. Start date to be announced.

Monday / Wednesday AM pool wrapped up as well. Debbie Keslov paired with Rich Smart to win the first half and Aaron Perona and Lloyd Jester won the second half. In a thrilling play-off, the Jester / Perona team won the overall title. Rob Higgins paired with Steve Bevins to win the season ending tournament. Andy Burger chaired both leagues. Now on to golf!

All Wisconsin State tournaments are being postponed. Including pool and bowling from this past month.

As of now, the regular Spring- Summer leagues and events for outside and still being planned. Softball leads it off starting on April 27th. Coed teams are still needed for Friday nights. Call 262-551-0441 if you have a team.

Monday / Wednesday Golf tees up at Petrifying Springs course May 4th and 6th. Gary Schroeder chairs the Monday league and Doug Johnson chairs the Wednesday league. Call or text Gary @ 262-960-2236 for Monday info.

May 6th is a meeting for Wednesday night horseshoes outside at the refreshment stand. Jerry Simonson continues as chairman. Be at the meeting or call Jerry at 262-705-2665 to join the league.

Wednesday BAGGO's will start outside when the weather permits. James Mosley and Fred Storz co-chair the event.

Notes: Dick's Sporting Goods gave a \$10,000.00 grant to Mooseheart for new sports equipment. Mooseheart and Moosehaven are the prime benefactors of our members work and generosity.

Most know of the passing of Tony Jandrowski. He always encouraged the sporting events at the lodge. Much sympathy to his wife Sharon and family.

2020 marks the 132nd year of the Loyal Order of Moose. For our own lodge, this is year 110.

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/>



MOOSE LEGION GRILLE RAFFLE

DRAWING JUNE 28, 2020
BOOK OF 3 FOR \$5



**Paul Baumeister,
Legion Committee Chairman**

Terry Nelson
Moose Legion 31, Asst Secretary



KENOSHA MOOSE RIDERS

MAY 7
MAY 7

6 PM BOARD MEETING
7 PM MEMBERSHIP MEETING



UP-COMING EVENTS



**APRIL 25,
2020**

7:00 pm

**your
host
Rockin Russ**



**Kid's Movie Night
April 17, 2020**

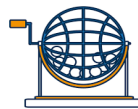
5:30 pm start

**Free popcorn and
soda for all the kids'**

LODGE FUN NIGHT

APRIL 18, 2020

7:00 PM START



LODGE GOLF OUTING SUNDAY AUGUST 2, 2020



BRISTOL OAKS

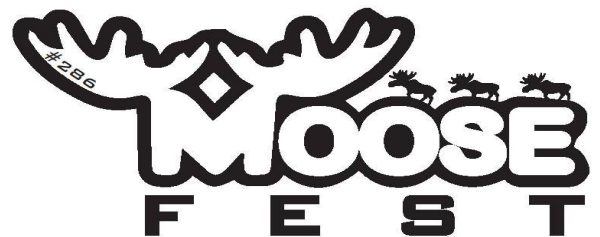


REMEMBER THIS IS YOUR OUTING!

**HELP IS NEEDED FOR SOLICITING
SPONSORS AND PRIZES**

**A ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING IS SCHEDULED
FOR MONDAY APRIL 6, 2020 AT 7:00 PM
PENDING ON THE VIRUS, IF NOT WE'LL KEEP
YOU POSTED**

**RAFFLES WILL BE STARTED TO HELP PAY
FOR THE OUTING; FIRST UP WILL BE A
PUTTER, WE'LL KEEP YOU POSTED**



JUNE 26 -28, 2020

**BANDS ARE BEING BOOKED
RIGHT NOW FOR THIS
GREAT EVENT**

**WHO'S THE NEXT INDUCTEE TO THE
KENOSHA MUSICIANS HALL OF FAME?
SEE WHO IT IS ON SUNDAY**

NEWS FROM YOUR SENIOR REGENT

Wow... how did we get here? I'm still trying to figure out how we are going to meet in April. Please stay tuned. Hopefully soon we will be together again, but until then watch your emails. There could likely be a zoom webinar for our activity meeting as the counts have to be less than 10 right now (3/22/20 at 11:59 am). Things are changing so quickly. Looks like the current board will be hanging around for a while longer, the new board will take office on July 1 as of now. Even though the term is longer the qualification period for the Award of Achievement still ends the last day of April, so please make sure your dues are up to date (you can pay your dues at mooseintl.org or drop them by the lodge office during office hours as permitted) and think about the people you want to hangout with in the social quarters when the quarantine is lifted and let's get them signed up now! Remember beamoose.org is always open for on-line applications.

Thank you to everyone who helped out with conference, it seems like a million years ago now. I appreciate all of you. Congratulations to my fellow Academy of Friendship matriculates Joanne Horner and Elsa Weller, it only seems right that we made this step together. Thank you to the Kenosha Higher Degree Chapter Members that attended the ceremony to support us, Rose Mifflin for her beautiful speech and Mary Jane Ewens, Karyn Johnson and Cheryl Ripp (One of our newest applicants) for being part of the ceremony.

Please stay home, stay safe and wash your hands!

Faternally Yours,

Kellee K. Chwala



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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 one passes away. Members, please help us when you know of someone who is sick or has passed. Call (262) 657-7831 to notify the Lodge. Thank you.

CHAPTER #155 OFFICERS/APPOINTED OFFICERS

Senior Regent Kellee Chwala
 Jr. Regent Elsa Weller
 Jr. Grad. Regent Joanne Horner
 Secretary/Treasurer Cassie Thew
 Recorder Diane Smart
 Guide Tricia Nelson
 Asst. Guide Vicky Lubecke



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. Let us know if you would like to be a sub. There is also euchre 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 returns cost the Lodge 67 cents per newsletter. 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. If you don't you may be dropped from our mailing list.



APRIL 2020

MOOSE Planner



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
ALL PENDING EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND CAN BE CANCELLED AT A MOMENTS NOTICE			1	2	3 KITCHEN OPEN Drive thru Only	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 Kitchen open Drive thru Only	11
12 EASTER CLOSED	13 Monday Night Pool	14 6:00 PM WOTM Board Mtg 6:30 PM Moose Legion Mtg 7:00 PM Cards 7:30 PM LOOM Membership Mtg	15 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	16 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing	17 Here After 7:00 PM Band Kid's Movie Night Kitchen open	18 Lodge Fun Night
19 Line Dancing 7:00 - 9:30 PM	20 Monday Night Pool	21 6:00 PM Joint Board Mtg 7:00 PM LOOM Board Mtg 7:00 PM WOTM Bus. Mtg. 7:00 PM Cards	22 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	23 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing	24 7:00 PM Band Trip Kitchen open	25 Trivia Night with Rockin Russ
26 Line Dancing 7:00 - 9:30 PM	27 6:00 PM Tai Chi Monday Nite Pool	28 7:00 PM Cards Member Orientation	29 6:00 PM Early Bird Bingo 7:00 PM Bingo	30 7:00 PM Euchre 6:30 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dancing		

LODGE HOURS

**CLOSED
TILL
FURTHER
NOTICE**

BANDS

PENDING....

APR. 17 HERE AFTER
APR. 24 TRIP
MAY 1 MEAN JAKE
MAY 8 JOE KADLEC
MAY 15 SQUAD 51
MAY 16 WAITING FOR CJ
MAY 22 BOBBY WAY
MAY 29 PLAYBACK
JUNE 5 CLASSICS
JUNE 6 SPEED RAIL
JUNE 12 HERE AFTER
JUNE 19 TWICE AS NICE
JUNE 26 TIME WARP

Victoria's Nautical Inn will be cooking for us on Friday nights. They will be taking care of our catering needs as well from now on. If you would like to book the hall and have it catered contact the lodge office at (262) 657-7831

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MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST MAY 10, 2020

8:00 AM TILL 11:00 AM

\$10.00 per person

**Moms & kids under 10; \$5.00
Buffet**



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