

MOOSE TALES GAZETTE

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DATES TO REMEMBER

March 13th Moose Fun Night March 15th **District Meeting** March 17th St. Patrick's Day March 20th Kids Easter Party March 21st Purse & Bling Auction March 23rd Member Orientation March 27th Moose Fun Night March 30th **Quarter Auction**

ADMINISTRATOR'S CORNER

This my final article for the lodge newsletter. Diane and I are moving up north to our childhood home of Ashland to retire. It's been a good run and fun for a majority of my time here. Good friends and moose members all of you. We will miss you all.

The lodge is in good hands and is moving forward in the fraternity. We have a good staff, officers and stewards. New ideas and events are on the horizon and we will still have fun at the lodge. Patronize your lodge so we can be here for another 100 plus years.

We will be coming back from time to time to see you all again. We will not be strangers. This is our home lodge as well. We will be officially DMO's now. lol

Good luck to all of you and stay safe, you too Joe. This not goodbye but we will see you all again very soon. God bless you all.

Fraternally yours, your past Administrator, Richard Smart

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OFFICER NOMINATIONS ARE IN PROCESS

POSITIONS THAT ARE OPEN:

LOOM

President, Vice President, Treasurer and Chaplain

WOTM

Senior Regent, Secretary and Treasurer

APPLICATION FOR CONSIDERATION ARE IN FRONT HALLWAY FOYER

THE LODGE IS OPEN

And deep cleaned daily.

NEWS FROM YOUR GOVERNOR

Hello Everyone

As I write this letter I want to wish my mentor Rich Smart Best of Luck on his next journey. He will definitely be missed by everyone. Our intern administrator Dave Strash has big shoes to fill but confident that he will do a great job with all the support he will receive while in training. If you see Dave congratulate him and wish him well. Your patience and support will be greatly appreciated during this transition.

Don't forget to pay your dues and I recommend you take advantage of the following promotions:

- * lifetime membership promotion currently being offered
- * Sign three new members and get your next years dues free

Thanks everyone for coming in and supporting your lodge.

Thanks you again Your Governor Mark Schneider

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Governor Mark Schneider
Jr. Past Governor . . Joe Matteucci
Jr. Governor . . . Ron Horner
Prelate Paul Baumeister
Treasurer Brian Shumway
Trustee 1 Yr. . . Vacant
Trustee 2 Yr. . . Brian Vergenz
Trustee 3 Yr. . . Doug Bolin
Outer Guard . . . Ken Duffy
Inner Guard . . . Doug Funk
Sgt. at Arms . . Tim Schuler
Administrator . . Richard Smart

<u>Please call the lodge if you have</u> <u>moved or changed phone number</u>. 262-657-7831

3rd class mail does note get forwarded and we are deeply charged for all mailings returned. If you read the newsletter on line and would prefer NOT to get it via mail please let us know. We need to save every penny we can during these trying time now.

MOOSE LEGION NEWS

We continue to sell tickets for our BBQ Grill w/ side table raffle. Purchase tickets inside the social quarters. Tickets are \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00. The winner will be drawn on May 28, 2021, at 9 PM in the Kenosha Moose Lodge.

Once the weather gets warmer, we will continue refinishing the picnic benches in the pavilion. This could happen at the end of March.

There are a few folding tables that need some TLC. The Kenosha Moose Legion is looking into what it will take to repair them.

The Kenosha Moose Legion Committee meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month. Our next meeting is on Tuesday, March 9, at 6:30 PM.

Our Moose Legion Committee is part of Wisconsin Moose Legion #31. The next Wisconsin Moose Legion #31 celebration is on Sunday, April 18, at the Kenosha Moose Lodge at 1 PM. Lunch will be served at Noon.

Interested in higher degrees of service at the Moose? The Moose Legion is looking for Moose Lodge members that want to achieve their higher degrees. Talk with a Moose Legionnaire today. Fraternally Yours.

Paul Baumeister, Kenosha Moose Legion Committee Chairman Ron Horner, Wisconsin Moose Legion #31 Assistant Secretary

SPORTS

Monday and Wednesday AM pool leagues chaired by Andy Burger will wrap up this month. Congrats to Mike Bezotte who had a table run on Jan. 25th.

Monday and Wednesday AM golf will be starting soon. Gerald Bertsch chairs the Monday league and Doug Johnson chairs the Wednesday league. Tee time will be 9am at Petrifying Springs Golf Course.

INTERESTED call me - 262-551-0441

Every Wednesday night James Mosley chairs an informal pool tournament. Walk ins welcome.

We now have a Internet dart machine. Bring your darts and friends and have your own dart tournament.

On Thursdays we have a weekly informal cribbage singles tournament starting at 5pm.

Sign-up starts at 4:30pm \$5 entry fee

Softball will start the end of April. Limited openings are available for Coed teams on Fridays.

INTERESTED call me - 262-551-0441

State bowling will be in Monroe starting March 13. Enter on line.

We have lots of TV's inside and outside to watch your favorite teams this season.

Baseball starts April 1st. The Brewers, Cubs, and White Sox all start even.

Come on down and enjoy the NBA, NHL and the NCAA basketball tournaments in our Social Quarters.

The children of Mooseheart were kept busy as February was fitness month. Besides learning about good nutrition they all participated in Zumba, special game nights, dodgeball and cardboard go-cart races.

Mooseheart is our Child City in Batavia, IL along with Moosehaven in Florida for our seniors which are the primary benefactors of our generosity.

See you in the spring! Leon





LEGION COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

RON HORNER

MOOSE LEGION 31, ASST SECRETARY



KENOSHA MOOSE RIDERS

Come Join our wonderful group with fun activities!!! Now is the time to join Kenosha Moose Riders for only a small activity fee of \$10 a year. We have many events we are planning. We are all about getting together and just having fun whether it be on a ride or a local event.

Riders meetings are the first Thursday of each month

Officers at 6:00 pm Membership at 7:00 pm

UP-COMING EVENTS/PROMOTIONS

MOOSE FUN NIGHT

MARCH 13th MARCH 27th 7:00 PM

RAFFLES / MYSTERY PRIZES / FUN







LIFE TIME MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION

FEBRUARY 1st TILL APRIL 1st
PRICES ARE BASED ON YEARS OF SERVICE
All promotions must be processed at the lodge
LOOM

Yrs of Service	WAS	NOW
00-14	\$1200	\$700 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
15-19	\$960	\$580 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
20-24	\$840	\$520 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
25-29	\$ 720	\$460 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
30-34	\$600	\$400 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
35-39	\$480	\$340 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
40-44	\$360	\$280 plus receive \$100 in moosebucks
45-49	Buyout	Buyout

FRIDAY NIGHT GAME NIGHT

FUN STARTS AT 8pm



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PRIZES

LIFE TIME MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION FEBRUARY 1st TILL APRIL 1st

WOTM

Yrs of Service	WAS	NOW
00-14	\$600	\$300
15-19	\$400	\$200
20-24	\$340	\$175
25-29	\$300	\$150
30-34	\$250	\$125
35-39	\$200	\$100
40-44	\$150	\$75
45-49	Buyout	Buyout

Bags and Bling Auction March 21st

starting at noon
\$5 entry fee which includes lunch and an auction paddle
asking for attendees to bring a
donation of new women's or children
socks as all net proceeds will
be donated to:

Women and Children's Horizon

open to Member and Guest

CHILDRENS EASTER PARTY DRIVE THRU

MARCH 20TH 12pm - 2:00pm

Members children ONLY

12 years of age and under Grandchildren of Non-Member Parents may attend for a \$10.00 fee



NEWS FROM YOUR SENIOR REGENT

How did we make it to March Already! Hoping for warmer weather and to see more of you all as the snow melts. Are you ready for state convention in Green Bay? MARCH 5-7 is STATE CONVENTION and I'm so excited to learn more of what our lodge will be evolving into. We have some great events coming up also and I hope to see you at our Children's Easter Drive Thru with Easter Bunny Car Hopping around on March 20th from 12pm - 2pm. As always we are still looking for volunteers and donations, please contact Cassie Thew or sign up at the lodge.

MARCH 21st is BAGS -n- BLING auction. MARCH 31st is the Quarter Auction

Our Coworker of the Month is Vicky Lubecke, please congratulate her if you see her around the lodge this month. Thank you Vicky for all that you do!

Come on out and join us, get involved and let's build a strong MOOSE! See you at the Lodge!

Sincerely yours, Donna Thew

Senior Regent

QUARTER AUCTION

TUESDAY MARCH 30TH

Admission is \$5 which includes one paddle, extra paddles will be sold for \$3 or 3 for \$5

Doors' open at: 5:30pm Auction starts at: 6:30pm Raffles also available

IDENTIFICATION STATEMENT

3003 30th Avenue Kenosha WI. 53144

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 someone passes. 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 Donna Thew
Jr. Regent Vicky Lubecke
Jr. Grad. Regent Kellee Chwala
Secretary Elsa Weller
Recorder Bonnie Price
Guide Diane Smart
Asst. Guide Cassie Thew

St. Patrick's Day fun fact

Traditionally, the color green represents Ireland, or the Emerald Isle. However, according to legend the color green also has the magical power to make people invisible to leprechauns or other fairy creatures. That means that wearing green can save you from getting pinched by these mischievous fairies. If you don't wear green on St. Patrick's Day, WATCH OUT!

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 fees and will also ensure that you will continue to recieve your newsletter.



MARCH 2021

MOOSE Planner



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	9;00 am Pool 1	2	3	4	5	6
		7:00 PM LOOM Board Mtg. 7:00 PM WOTM Welcome Mtg.	9:00 am Pool 6:00 pm Pool	5:00 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dance	Final Friday Fun Night Starts at 8pm 4:30 pm Kitchen Drive Thru Only	
7	9:00 am Pool 8	9	10	11	12	13
		6:00 PM WOTM Board Mtg 6:30 PM Moose Legion Mtg 7:30 PM LOOM Membership Mtg	9:00 am Pool 6:00 pm Pool	5:00 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dance	Final Friday Fun Night Starts at 8pm 4:30 pm Kitchen Drive Thru Only	Moose Fun Night Starts at 7pm
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	9:00 am Pool	6:00 PM Joint Board Mtg 7:00 PM LOOM Board Mtg 7:00 PM WOTM Bus. Mtg.	9:00 am Pool 6:00 pm Pool	5:00 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dance	Final Friday Fun Night Starts at 8pm 4:30 pm Kitchen Drive Thru Only	Kid's Easter Party noon to 2pm
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Noon - Purse & Bling Auction	6:00 pm Pool	7:00 PM Cards Member Orientation	9:00 am Pool 6:00 pm Pool	5:00 PM Cribbage 7:00 PM Line Dance	Final Friday Fun Night Starts at 8pm 4:30 pm Kitchen Drive Thru Only	Moose Fun Night Starts at 7pm
28	9:00 am Pool	QUARTER AUCTION	9:00 am Pool 6:00 pm Pool			

LODGE HOURS

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM - 12:00 AM **TUESDAY**

2:00 PM - 12:00 AM

THURSDAY

2:00 PM - 12:00 AM

FRIDAY

2:00 PM - 2:00 AM

SATURDAY 12:00 NOON - 1:00 AM

SUNDAY 11:00 NOON - 9:00 PM **Bands**

Bands are cancelled till Spring Friday night fish fry is carry out only till further notice.
Kitchen is open from 4:30 pm till 7:00 pm, every Friday.
More food options coming very soon. As rules change so will our options to serve you.

DON'T FORGET TO SOCIAL DISTANCE

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DUE BY MAR	CH 16, 2021						
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Child's Name: Parent or Guardian's Name:		(55)					
Member I.D. #:							
PHONE #:							
In order for the child to be guarantee	ed a basket, yo	u must b	e registered.				
This Party is limited to member's children only.							
March 20th • 12 pm - 2:00pm							
FOR CHILDREN 12 YEARS OF AGE AND UNDER							
\$10.00 fee for grandchildren of non-member parents							
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