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From the Editor

The last year has seen many amazing things happen at our Moose Lodge. We have raised thousands of dollars for Moose Charities, many benefits for members recovering from cancers or other illnesses, community groups and the burial of far too many members, friends and family, including children. We have gathered for events to celebrate birthdays, game winning touchdowns, to honor our Veterans, Moose advancements or no reason but to have a drink and some conversation. This Lodge has pulled together countless times to lift each other up and to do some good thing for someone each day. You should be proud to be a Moose, Moose Legionnaire, Moose Valued Veteran, Moose Rider, Moose Pilgrim, Moose Fellow or a Women of the Moose. Part of the LOOM or the Chapter, it is a collective that makes us strong for others when they cannot be.

The other officers and I, chairpersons, staff and volunteers work tirelessly to make improvements at the Lodge, organize events, reach out to our members and to our community. It is a passionate and sometimes grueling undertaking that takes away from our personal lives, family and friends. It is a volunteer organization and there is no monetary, trade or personal gain for the work that is put in. Nevertheless, we see the spark in the eyes of our eager to learn and grow children at Mooseheart and the comfort and joy in the faces of our elderly at Moosehaven, and we cannot help but swell with pride and start work on the next project. I look forward to the next year and seeing what we can do together.

See you at the Lodge in 2019!

*Richard Lee Eidson,
Trustee Moose Lodge 2414,
Fraternal Directory MOKAN #4*



From the Senior Regent

Happy Holidays! Happy Holidays!

Well winter is here and it is a busy, busy season. A very special thank you to all that made it out to the Lodge for our Thanksgiving dinner. It was so great. Thank you also, to all of those that came out to support Taco Night (1st & 3rd Thursday of the month) and Virginia's Goulash Dinner (Higher Degree Fundraiser)! We sold out on both nights. Our adopted families were provided with a nice Thanksgiving basket and again this year, we will do Christmas baskets with gifts provided to the children from our Angel Tree for our adopted families. We hope to have a good turnout for our Children's Christmas party for our member's children and friends, as well as our Adult Christmas Party. Please check flyers in the Lodge. Our co-worker for November is Cat Walker! I hope everyone has a wonderful holiday season. Be safe.

*Theresa Miller,
Senior Regent*

We are still accepting families to be adopted.

Application forms are on the bulletin board.

Please have them filled out completely and return them to a Chapter Officer.

Birthdays

Michael Bragg	12/01
Laura Williams	12/01
Harry Dawson	12/04
Kerry Ware	12/07
Lynn Trotter	12/08
Martha Epolito	12/08
Leslie Carter	12/09
Robert Woodruff	12/09
John Chavez	12/10
Renee Brown	12/12
Connie Gregg	12/12
Nick Ogrizovich	12/13
Tim Moudy	12/14
Don Edmisten	12/17
Doyle Dempsey	12/18
Paul Hurd	12/19
James Cole	12/19
Benjamin Quinones	12/21
John Cichacki	12/21
Sebastian Hernandez	12/22
Pam Burnham	12/22
Elizabeth Schmidt	12/23
Allen Anglin	12/23
Elizabeth Holmes	12/24
Timothy Sartain	12/24
Arline Walker	12/27
Brittney Eidson	12/27
David Perry	12/29
James Enloe	12/29
Bob Ramsey	12/30
Tony Fетters	12/30
Halina White	12/30
Trea Danner	12/30
James Johnston	12/31
Steve Buchanan	12/31
Frank Garcia	12/31

Happy Birthday Moose Brothers and Sisters!

Live Bands!

All Stars

12/15 7pm

Face First

12/29 7pm

Face First

12/31 8:30pm

**Tracy Allison
and the Drive**

1/12 7pm

It is important that we support live music and the Lodge. Please try and make these free shows!



**Chiefs Party
every game
at the Lodge!**

Bring a dish to share. Join the fun!

Moose Anniversaries

Patricia Folsom	1998
Benjamin Quinones	1998
Deborah Reyez -	1999
Linda Clemens	1999
Sebastian Hernandez	2001
Connie Greenfield	2004
Michele Krause	2004
Angela Flees	2004
Gayle Brunkow	2004
Cheryl Powell	2006
James Enloe	2007
John Chavez	2007
Terry Stock	2007
Nicole Abel	2009
William Wallace	2009
Joe Poore	2012
Rick Finney	2012
Michael Bragg	2012
Michael Dillard	2012
John Speichinger	2013
Maryn Buggenhagen	2013
Tammy Brown	2014
Sue Stuffbean	2014
Carl Adkerson	2015
Cynthia McClure	2016
David Epperson	2017
James Hill	2017
Thomas Travers	2017
Becky Workman	2017
Kerry Ware	2017
Marsha Sifford	2017
Monica Dunlap	2017
Monica Sullins	2017
Shannon Ireland	2017
Stacie Matuszeski	2017
Nancy Nevins	2017
Sabrina Stickle	2017
Dottie Beitling	2017

Thank you for your on going support and commitment!

Adult Christmas Party

Saturday December 15th at 6pm.

Ugly Sweater Contest, Mr. and Mrs. Claus, Door Prizes and Raffles all night! Live Dance Music with The All Star Band. Bring a snack.

New Years Eve Bash!

Monday December 31st. Champagne toast at Midnight! Live music with Face First. Bring a side dish or snack.

Taco Kitchen!

1st & 3rd Thursday of the month! 5pm-7pm!

BLUE MOON KAROKE

Every Wednesday and Friday See calendar for more dates!

Children's Christmas Party

Sunday December 16th 1pm-5pm.

Pictures with Santa Clause, pizza, games, crafts, music, story telling, and of course gifts. If you would like to help please contact Heather Pennell. xmas@mooselodge2414.org

GOAR Charities Clear the Angel Tree Ride/Drive

The Moose Lodge as well as our community and many other organizations came together and raised over \$9140. That is enough money to adopt 300 local children to make sure they have Christmas this year. What an amazing time at the Lodge! The parking stretched down the street and around the corner. Kansas City Chiefs Cheerleaders and KC Wolf came out to rally the group and of course the big man himself along with is lovely wife Mr. and Mrs. Claus were setup to take photos and get those orders into the elves at the North Pole. We can't thank Robin Mikles enough,. Not only was she responsible for bringing the Goar Charities to the Moose, but she went above and beyond to turn the back room into a Winter Wonderland. It's amazing what we can do when we pull together! Plans are already underway for next years event scheduled for November 23rd at the Moose Lodge.



Our Veteran's Day Celebration was heartwarming, enlightening, thoughtful and overall a great time. We enjoyed a day of great food and Chiefs football while sharing and listening to stories from our nation's greatest heroes. Some of our Veterans brought photos, metals and accolades to share with each other. They shared without pretension or prejudice, without rank and without judgment, enlisted and officers and civilians alike all grateful, all humbled, all proud and all Americans. An Honor Table was set in the center of the Social Quarters for everyone to remember those soldiers that can only be with us in spirit. Many thanks go out to our brothers and sisters at VFW Post 9997 for giving us the POW/MIA Flag for the Honor Table. Thank you to Melinda for getting all of the Veterans registered as Moose Valued Veterans and running the drawings for hats and koozies. Thank you to Heather, Virginia, Betsy, Jack and Glenna for help with the food and more. Most of all, thank you Valued Veterans for giving us the safety, security and freedom to have days like this and all the days to come. Everyday should be Veteran's Day!

~ Richard Lee Eidson


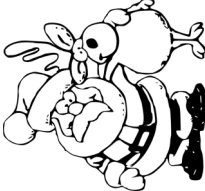
Halloween Parade a HUGE Success!

Heather Pennell and Moose Lodge 2414 and Chapter 2131 would like to thank Lonnie Theobold, owner of Midwest Commercial Refrigeration, for the use of his trailer and participation. A thanks to Ms. Shirley Steele for the use of her Halloween decoration collection. It was AMAZING! Thank you Ms. Betty Kunkle for decorating her vehicle and her participation. Shout out to Shawn and Crystal Wolfe for all of their NUMOUROUS achievements in accomplishing our goal. Thank you to Cub Scout Troop 382! We had several scouts and parents participate in the parade, making it that more special. Let's give some shout outs to Joanne Mael, Dianne Miller, and Judy Robinson, in assisting me in the decorating of the float. Last but not least, thank you EVERYONE for your support! It was a wonderful experience working with all of you to put smiles on so many children's faces.

~Heather Pennell

December

Calendar subject to change. Check out the Rolling Billboard at the Lodge for updates and new events.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						
2 Chiefs vs Raiders 3:05pm Moose Riders Meeting 6:00 PM.	3 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	4 LOOM/WOTM Joint Officers 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	5 WOTM Chapter Activity Night 7:00 PM Karaoke 7:00 PM	6 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM Taco Night 5:00PM-7:00PM	7 Queen of Hearts—6:30 PM Moose Races—7:00 PM Karaoke—7:30 PM Hot-Dog Night	1 Poker—1:00 PM Pool Tournament—3:00 PM
9 Ravens vs Chiefs 12pm	10 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	11 LOOM General Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	12 WOTM Officers Meeting 6:00 PM Karaoke 7:00 PM	13 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	14 Queen of Hearts—6:30 PM Moose Races—7:00 PM Karaoke—7:30 PM	8 Poker—1:00 PM Karaoke—7:30 PM
16 Chargers vs Chiefs 7:20pm Childrens Xmas Party. Pictures with Santa Pizza, Games, Crafts, story telling and gifts! 1pm-5pm	17 Chiefs vs Rams 7:15pm Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League	18 LOOM Meeting 6:00 PM Moose Legion Meeting 7:00 PM	19 WOTM Business Meeting 7:00 PM Karaoke 7:00 PM	20 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM Taco Night 5:00PM-7:00PM	21 Queen of Hearts—6:30 PM Moose Races—7:00 PM Karaoke—7:30 PM	15 Poker—1:00 PM Pool Tournament—3:00 PM Adult Christmas Party! Live Music with the All Stars
23 Chiefs vs Seahawks 7:20pm	24 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	25 	26 Karaoke 7:00 PM	27 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	28 Queen of Hearts—6:30 PM Moose Races—7:00 PM Karaoke—7:30 PM	22 Poker—1:00 PM Karaoke—7:30 PM
30 Raiders vs Chiefs 12pm	31 NYE Party! Bring a Dish Live Music Champaign Toast	Have a safe a wonderful Holliday Season! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!				29 Poker—1:00 PM Pool Tournament—3:00 PM Live Music Face First 7pm January 5th Poker Fundraiser



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