



LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE

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Ready for the next Degree of Service?

Moose Legion is the Fun
Degree and is the back-
bone of every Lodge!

Ask a Legionnaire how
you can join!



Do you ride?

Consider
getting out on the
highway with the
Moose Riders!

The Moose Riders
is fun and exciting
way to get involved!

Talk to a Moose Rider
today!

Meetings are 1st
Sunday of the Month!



From the Moose Legion Fraternal Director

I had the opportunity to attend another Missouri North Kansas Moose Association Annual Conference this year. I have said in the past that these conferences are very informative and that more of our members should attend. I still feel that way. Yes, it's a lot of meeting time, but they aren't boring, especially if you enjoy being a Moose and want to be more involved. There is so much information packed into the sessions that there is no way you could attend and not leave with more knowledge and ideas on how to better the Lodge, and better yourself. Trust me, I had already written a lengthy piece that was pretty harsh regarding the idea that the Lodge officers must not be doing anything good, as the only time members attend a general meeting or speak up is to complain. But, I attended the MONKS Conference, watched a lot of presentations, read a lot of reports, met some amazing people and had some very good talks with our leaders and peers. I came home with a new outlook and ready to get on to the next project. In short, I am not going to let the negative feedback keep me from focusing on the things that really matter.

The conference wasn't all meetings! We had some great banquets and fun in the Hospitality Room too. Friday's 5/25 Banquet was to honor those who have signed new members. There was a delicious plated dinner followed by some Extreme Music Bingo. Saturday was the awards banquet and we all should be very proud. The Premier Lodge Award was presented to Administrator, Don Killian and Governor, Jerry Knight. This award goes to our Lodge because of the hard work over the last year. Thank you to the fellow officers that I am proud to have served with; David Gillis, Bobby Benedict, Sebastian Hernandez, William Faltinowski, Tim Morgan, Travis Martin, Shawn Wolfe, Jon Felton, Jerry Knight, Daniel Wilkinson, Jason Sloan, Donnie Coffman and Don Killian. I can't forget the WOTM either. They have been the LOOM's strongest supporter and we would certainly have fallen short without them. We must also recognize the staff and the membership. Your hard work as employees, patrons and volunteers does not go unnoticed! This could not be achieved by any one person or a small group, WE achieved Premier Lodge together as a team. But now it's time to get to work, the mission is still the same and Premier Lodge isn't the finish line it's a milestone in a path to more adventure and even greater things. "The point of a journey is not to arrive, anything can happen".

Richard L. Eidson,

Moose Legion Secretary Lodge 2414

Moose Legion Fraternal Director MOKAN #4

1st Year Trustee Lodge 2414

From the Senior Regent

I am so happy to say that during our Annual Conference in Springfield this past weekend, the MONKS State Association proposed by-law changes were favorably approved and the WOTM were welcomed as members of the Association! On Saturday morning during the Fellowship Conferral and Breakfast, several women were installed in co-chair positions. Ladies, this is truly happening!

In a letter received from our Grand Chancellor, Barbara McPherson, our Chapter qualified as one of the five Top Honor Chapters for the 2018-2019 Chapter Year and was honored at the Annual Conference. Criteria for being a Top Chapter includes a percentage of membership gained, obtaining the Award of Achievement, Moose Charities Donations, having all Chairmen installed, all required attendees have attended training (to include Senior Regent, Junior Grad Regent and Recorder) and then a final decision by the Grand Chancellor. Chapter 2131 was recognized as the Top 5th Chapter with Kirksville Chapter #824 coming in 4th, Lexington Chapter #1586 coming in 3rd, Kansas City Chapter #1562 coming in 2nd and Sedalia Chapter 1242 coming in 1st. All should be proud of what we can accomplish when we put our hearts and minds together! A special thank you to our previous Board and all who played a part in helping our Chapter receive this great honor.

Congratulations to Theresa Miller who received her Green Cap while in Springfield and who was selected from International Headquarters as the Junior Grad Regent from our Top Chapter to deliver a speech at the Friday morning session. The speech entitled "It's What We Do", spoke to the WOTM being proud to fulfill our objectives of assisting in charitable activities of the Moose fraternity, with special attention to Mooseheart and Moosehaven. There was a recap of the hundreds of thousands of dollars raised for special projects over this past year. It is the continued generosity of co-workers like you that allow us to make this happen.

Gina Sloan has been selected as our August Co-Worker of the Month. Gina currently serves as our Community Service Chair and she has been instrumental in the success of our Feed a Home Challenge. Her creativity and ability to think outside the box combined with her kind, "Can Do" attitude and her vibrant, bubbly nature made it easy to honor her as our Co-Worker of the Month. Thank you for all you do Gina and congratulations!

Mary Eidson

Senior Regent

September 2019



Moose Anniversaries

Stella Serafin	1985
Danny Bribiesca	1993
Terry Wilkerson	1993
Robert Woodruff	1993
Dave Gillis	1993
Mark Nolasco	1997
Billy Creason	2000
James Shick	2007
Richard Zey	2007
Don Shaw	2007
Don Kilian	2008
Dean Brunkow	2010
Bill Dark	2012
Corey White	2013
Theresa Miller	2013
JoElla Hook	2013
Bobby Dotson	2014
Tim Morgan	2014
Thomas Van Camp	2014
Diane Miller	2016
Rick Hunter	2016
Sam Dimaggio	2016
Scott Adams	2016
Tony Fetters	2018
Racheal Johnston	2018
James Johnston	2018
Michael Jennings	2018
Richard Burnham	2018
Kreg Powell	2018

Thank you for your on
**going support
commitment!**

Moose Rider Steak Night
Second Friday of each month
6pm-9pm

Legion Wing Night
4th Wednesday of the Month
6pm-8pm

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

**BLUE MOON
KARAOKE**
Right after the Queen of
Hearts and Friday Night
Moose Races!

**Chiefs Season is just
through the uprights!**



Come enjoy the
game with your
**Moose
brothers and sisters!**

Moose Birthdays

Kenneth Roseher	9/02
Robert Edwards	9/03
Patricia Tuckness	9/03
Rae Cole	9/05
Marci Jenkins	9/06
Patricia Folsom	9/07
Bruce Behrens	9/08
Renea Bogert	9/09
Wally Dzula	9/11
Michael Arnoelcox	9/12
Rob Howe	9/12
James Poe	9/13
Carroll Walcott	9/13
Elizabeth Spittle	9/13
Bryan Shull	9/17
Patrick Miller	9/18
Maryn Buggenhagen	9/19
Donnie Coffman	9/19
Sharon Battagler	9/19
Gregory J Graf	9/21
Darlene Zagalik	9/23
Donna Schafer	9/24
Mary Eidson	9/24
Arlena Michael	9/25
Don Shaw	9/25
Patty DiMaggio	9/26
Carl Gallagher	9/27
Bill Greenfield	9/28

**Happy Birthday Moose
Brothers and Sisters!**

WOTM
New Member Orientation
1st Wednesday of each
Month at 6pm

Labor Day!
Hot-Dogs, Hamburgers!
Bring a Side!
2pm!

DON'T FORGET TO PAY YOUR DUES!

You Are Cordially Invited!

We will honor our newest Collegian, Martha Epolito, on September 21, 2019. Martha was unable to travel to International in Las Vegas where she would have received her Colleges of Regents degree. We received special dispensation to hold the ceremony in our Chapter. Cathy Russell will conduct the ceremony at the Lodge at 1pm on September 21st. An invitation has been extended to members of surrounding Chapters to attend. You must hold your College to attend the closed ceremony, but all are invited to attend the celebratory luncheon following as we help Martha celebrate this great accomplishment.

Mary Eidson
Senior Regent

Lodge Birthday Party!
September 28th!
Food at 2pm
Raffles, Food, Entertainment and Fun!
Live music with Face First 5pm

Missouri – North Kansas Moose Association MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION From May 1, 2019 through April 30, 2020

Receive one entry for each new or re-enrolled member signed each month and be in a monthly drawing for one years of dues.

Make certain those new members receive the
“Friendlies Place in Town” treatment.

Mentor and assist them to help them become active and enthusiastic members. Explain our purpose in the communities we serve, Our commitment to Mooseheart and Moosehaven. Keep in touch with them, show that they are valued members.

One winner per month. Entry will be from Moose International membership department report. Dues payment will be sent direct to dues processing center. Dues payment maximum will be \$60.00. Should the winner be a life member, \$50 check will be sent to that winner. Each month will start a new pool. You must sign one each month to be in the monthly drawing. Membership Committee is not responsible for names not received or not submitted. Prizes will be awarded monthly and all winners will be announced via lodge email on a monthly basis.

Halloween Hauntings! October 26th
Parade in the morning around Independence Square!
Trunk or Treat in the parking lot fun for the kids!
Adult party and costume contest inside that evening!
Watch for details!








Congratulations to
Independence Chap-
ter #2131 who was
recognized at the
Defender level for
2018-2019 contribu-
tions in the amount
of \$1,803.00

Be sure to
come by the
Lodge and
get in the
Moose Legion
Raffle for a
chance to win
tickets to the
Chiefs and
Green Bay
game October
27th at
Arrowhead
Stadium!

September

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

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Moose Riders Meeting 6pm	2 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	3 LOOM Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League	4 WOTM Chapter Activity Night 7:00 PM	5 Taco Night 5:00PM-7:00PM	6 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM Karaoke - 8pm	7 Poker - 1:00 PM
8 Chiefs vs Jaguars - Noon	9 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	10 LOOM General Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	11 WOTM Officers Meeting 6:30 PM	12 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	13 Moose Rider's Steak Night 6pm-9pm Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM	14 Poker - 1:00 PM Pool Tournament - 3:00 PM
15 Chiefs vs Raiders - 3pm	16 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	17 LOOM/WOTM Joint Meeting 6:00 PM Moose Legion Meeting Pool League 7:30 PM	18 WOTM Business Meeting 7:00 PM	19 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM Taco Night 5:00PM-7:00PM	20 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM Karaoke - 8pm	21 Poker - 1:00 PM College of Regents Ceremony and Luncheon 1pm
22 Ravens vs Chiefs - Noon	23 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	24 LOOM General Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	25 Legion Wing Night! 6pm-8pm	26 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	27 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM Karaoke - 8pm	28 Poker - 1:00 PM Pool Tournament - 3:00 PM Lodge Birthday Party! 2pm Face First Band 5pm
29 Chiefs vs Lions - Noon	30 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM					



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