

Call of the Moose

Moose Family Center #1572

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**Holiday
February '17**

Editor: Mark Wanta

New membership campaign continues:

Honor our local heroes!

**Active military and 1st responders
have 1st years dues and fees waived!**

**Check it out at
www.mooseintl.org**

Moose International & WI state Moose Assoc.

As well as your local Lodge

Have some great ways to

Capitalize in getting that friend,
family member or associate into
the Moose!

Money, shirts, trips, duffle bags;
even **free** membership
opportunities!

Not to mention scholarships!

Check our the lodge or all three
of the websites for details!

Never too soon to start planning:



What to see, or
experience
something a
little different?

Come on down
to the lodge on
April 1st. We
are having a
fundraiser for
Mooseheart!
Be the fun, just
have fun, or
watch and be
entertained!

Elvis Goes Country

Moose Lodge 1572 Presents:

April 22nd : 5 - 10 PM

**Valentines Dinner
February 12th Details on back page.**



Karaoke Contest
State Qualifying Mar. 3rd

*In Green Bay at the
Mid-Year Conference
Support our Winner!*

They could qualify for
International
& win **\$5000**

As I complete my second term as Governor of Moose Family Center 1572 there are several points we all need to think about. We need to ask ourselves where we want our Lodge and Chapter to be in 5 or 10 years. How many of us would like to see the doors open only 2 days a week. Not many I think. Could this happen? It sure could, and I'll tell you why. It takes a little more than 7000 man-hours a year of volunteer time to help keep the doors open and do things for our community. What would happen if we could not get any volunteers to do the things needed and had to pay people to do the jobs. We could never afford it. Every time volunteers are needed it's always the same ones who step up to the plate. This group is getting a little older and I wonder how many will be able to do it in 5 or 10 years. If you don't volunteer someone else has to pick up the slack.

If you read the newsletter, check out the web page or read the power point in the social quarters you know when a function is going to happen. Time does not always permit every member to be called to help out. If you know volunteers are needed (for every function) put your name on one of the sign-up sheets or just call the Lodge and we'll do it for you. We as members of our Lodge or Chapter are a team that keeps us going. Just like a football team, you can't help if you stay in the locker room you have to get out on the field to help your team win.

Our team needs to work together to become the best Moose Lodge in the State. With everyone's help we can do just that. Sometimes I think members have forgotten what our mission as Moose members is. This includes our Chapter members. Our mission is to support Mooseheart, Moosehaven and do things for our community. We are much more than a place to get inexpensive food and drinks. To support these things it takes money, volunteers and support from each of us. When we have a function, like a few weeks back when we had Jukebox Legends. Not including the people that volunteered, we had a little more than 30 and I'm sad to say NOT one Moose member. Not one from the Lodge or Chapter. This was a Mooseheart fund raiser too. Don't like Elvis? Well there have been and still are idea forms to suggest what you would support. Sad to say, that after a year of these forms NOT one has been submitted. Then remember it's easy to say I would like this or that and let someone else do the work. If you have an idea on any activity, all you have to do is submit it and then be willing to help see it through. It's always easy to have an idea and then let someone else do the work.

The Lodge elections are coming up soon. Do you want to see our Lodge or Chapter continue? Then place your name on the form in the newsletter or on line and give it to Mark Wanta. To be a Lodge officer there's a short online class and then you need to be at the meetings twice a month. If nothing big is going on your time for meetings is less than 5 hours a month TOTAL. (Continued on Page 6)

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Board of Officers

GovernorSteve Hodgkins
Jr. Past Governor.....Chet Rozumialski
Jr. Governor.....Al Kunst
Prelate.....Brandon Somers
Treasurer.....Val Omernick
Administrator.....Mark Wanta
1 Year Trustee...Clifford Bembeneck
2Year Trustee.....Al Hintz
3 Year Trustee..... Jim Gliniecki
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Outer Guard
Territory Manager.....Gary Beck

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Louis Parks
Mike Gentry
Gayle Sandford
Pat Hintz
Ron Kobishop
Mary Hacl
Deloris Monford
Barb Griffin

Sympathies To:

Walter Peterson
(loss of brother –in-law)
Jeff Garsomke
(loss of Mother)



Hello Co-workers: A special thank you to Roger and Sue for all the help with the meat raffle. We have another one coming up on the 19th of February, hope to see you there. Our Valentine's Dinner is the 12th of this month, am looking forward to a good time. Also, on the 17th of March its St. Patrick's Day, this means corned beef and cabbage, which means more good food. At the beginning of March (2nd, 3rd and 4th) is our mid-year conference in Green Bay. We're the hostess chapter this year and it's been interesting, any contributions for door prizes would be appreciated.

To all who missed the Centennial fundraiser, it was an enjoyable evening. The next evening of dinner and dancing was fun, too. Our greatest concern, as of now, is elections. Anyone interested in running for office or serving on the nominating committee, please contact one of our officers.

We have decided to discontinue the every other Wednesday dinners for March and April. A big thank you to Loretta and Sally and Gayle and all who assisted with the meals and a big thank to all who supported us by purchasing our meals.

Fraternally yours, Barb Buza, Senior Regent (715)-341-2596

**Officers Women of the Moose
Chapter 311**

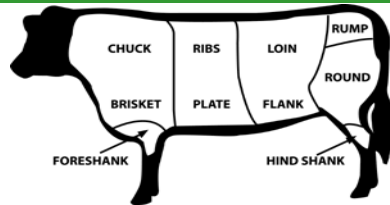
Senior RegentBarb Buza
RecorderSally Worzalla
TreasurerKathy Thomas
Junior RegentDorothy Suchowski
Jr. Graduate RegentVacant



**Happy
St. Patrick's Day! \$9**

**Menu: Corned Beef & Cabbage,
Fish Fry or Ham Dinners
RSVP by Tues 3/14**

Friday, March 17th



50 ¢

24 or so draws!

Meat Raffle -

WOTM

Sunday,

February 19th

Noon - ???

"\$1 Burger Day" Feb. 22nd

Or for \$5 a Dbl. Cheese Burger
Basket with *Brew City Fries*



**Special Kitchen
Meal Mar. 8th**

**Dilly Meatloaf
Potatoes, Veggie, rolls
& dessert!**

4:30 - 6:30 \$7

Administrator's Letter

Fisheree went well, more fishers, more fish and most of all more kids! Thanks Al, Ron, Geno, Sue and all the others.

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We have many new and fun things on the way. The *Elvis Goes Country*, the *Capt. Andy*, and maybe a beach party. The *Mardi Gras*, the Friday night WOTM *Saint Patrick's* meal (never on a Friday before) and the 2nd *Valued Vets Breakfast*.

We are doing everything we can for new and the old. We are making events happen, like the Afternoon of dinner and dancing, we need your help to bring this all these together and get more attendance. Bring in your friends and relatives. Let them see us and what we do. We are in this together.

While checking out the new, don't forget the regular events; Valentines, King Visit, Wednesday meals, Friday and Sunday meals, Beef Fest, Kids Easter and Easter Brunch!

It's always a great day to be a Moose.

See you here, Mark - Admin., Club Mgr.

Lodge shirts are available to purchase and/or to win, stop in and check them out!

ALL
YOU
CARE
TO EAT!

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BEEF FEST

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Thursday, April 6th, 4 - 8 PM

Featuring: *Carved Prime Rib*

also; *Stroganoff & Chop Suey*,

*Beef Rice Soup, Okray's Potatoes (Donated), Buns,
Milk, Coffee & Dessert*

Provided and staffed by the Moose Legion Committee, with additional help by friends!



**You are a
"Valued Vet"**

Moose Lodge 1572 cordially invites you to breakfast on us!

Monday, April 24th - Seating at 9:30

Buffet service 10—11:30 AM

Please call (715) 344-3224 to make a reservation, the meal is free (however to get a count we will ask \$2 for unannounced walk ins).

We ask some form of "ID" showing which service or time period you served.



SAVE MORE THAN YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES!

It is amazing how much
paying Moose Dues can

Highlighted Benefit this month: Entertainment

Any one vacation can save you the cost of dues (or more) by applying valuable discounts.

Go to mooseintl.org, members area, Discounts Enhance the quality of your membership!

Health &
Wellness

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**Election Committee: members
will be announced at the February
Lodge Meeting**

Voting shall be for:

Governor, Junior Governor, Prelate, Treasurer, 3 year Trustee
(To run for Governor, you must have held an elective office for one year.)

There is a form you should request that explains the duties and obligations of all the positions available. You will need to sign that form before being installed to an office.

I Brother _____, wish to be considered for the office of _____.
(include first, middle, and last) (State title of office)

I recognize the responsibilities and duties of the office, and I am willing to devote the necessary time and effort required by this office if elected.

Signature: _____ Phone: _____ - _____ - _____ Date: _____

*** you will have a chance to nourish our dream ...
a dream that says every child without a family deserves to have one.**

Election for the Board of Officers

Elected officers will be **REQUIRED** to take an 8 hour training session within (or before) 6 months of being installed.

Voting will be Noon -7 PM, April 5th, 2017 (if needed)

Elvis Goes Country

**Moose Lodge 1572 Presents:
April 22nd : 5 - 10 PM**



Featuring:

Dakota as Elvis

Marcus as Johnny Cash

Jessica as Patsy Cline

\$10 in advance

From Moose Members

\$12 at door

Music to enjoy & dance to
Food & refreshments available
Use **South Banquet** entrance.

**A Mooseheart Child City Fundraiser
Members & Guests
Public Welcome**



Members: 52 **Goal: 70**

Meetings: 3rd Wed. 8:15

Moose Legion the Service Degree

Do something
good for someone
each day!



Moose Legion Corner
Many hands make the burden easier. . . .
Not a member? Ask any Moose Legionnaire!
Let ME KNOW of your interest
Geno, Pres. Moose 1572 Legion Committee

**King Vets March 24th
5th Wednesday
Coming Up March 29th
Smelt or Shrimp**

Cont. from page 2, Governor's Corner

They are held on the first and third Wed. of the month. If you can't be an officer you should still attend the meetings to be an INFORMED member as often as you can. Plus that's a good time for you to bring forth ideas you may have. The Lodge meetings last less than an hour and you can even bring up changes or ideas you might like to see. Want to see three pieces of fish on your plate on Friday? Bring it up. Each member has one vote.

As I said before to become a Lodge officer you need to take a short online course. This course is free and even if you do not plan on being an officer you can take the course. It will help you to understand some of the things that happen in a Moose Lodge. Remember it's so easy to just say "let the other person do it" with just a small amount of time we can do great things. Become involved.

Along with all this is membership. I would like to thank everyone for their membership, both Lodge and Chapter. But ask yourself, if you believe in the Moose mission, don't you know just one other person, that if you told them what it was they might like to join. Think what our Lodge and Chapter would be if each person signed just ONE new member a year. Not 25 or 50 just one. If we get enough new members supporting our Moose Lodge, maybe we would only need 3-4 hours a year of volunteer time. Our pool of people that want to be officers would grow also.

So who do you know that would make a great Moose member? Also there are a lot of members that do the work already but are not members of the Moose Legion. Ask any Legionnaire and they will help you become one. If you want to be a Fellow or a Pilgrim you must first be a member of the Moose Legion. We will be having a Town Hall (both Lodge & Chapter) in June or July, the date will be in the newsletter and everywhere else. If our Lodge and Chapter are important to you need to be there. I would once again thank each of you for your membership. Remember the mission of the Moose, become involved, be informed and sign that one new member. Here is wishing each of you the VERY best in 2017.

Governor Steve Hodgkins

Having a Wedding or Anniversary?

Book a wedding or anniversary for special pricing under \$25/person
(tax & tip additional) Valid on bookings made by 12/31/17, see special contract for details.
2 meat dinner - Chicken + one entrée with "homemade" stuffing and chicken soup
linen on the head table, cake & gift tables, champagne for bridal/anniversary couple!

- cocktails through dinner service
- 2 types of tap beer / tap soda /
- bar rail mixers , limited service
- \$25 Brownies or hors d'oeuvres!

We seat 350 (up to 400 w/ 2nd seating) . . . We have full service food & refreshments . . .
We have openings for your event . . . We have fantastic wood dance floor . . .

Your lodge is the most reasonably priced in the area!
Call Mark at 344-3224 to book your date.

Kid's Easter Bunny Breakfast

Sunday April 6th



- help needed
- rsvp needed - sign up in advance
- bring a future member
- Buffet and fun for the kids



Easter Brunch

Easter Sunday
Family buffet
RSVP for seating

Saturday
June 3rd
Game 3PM
Depart 10 AM
Food, Drinks,
Tickets,
Coach Bus.



Only **\$75**



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Fat Tuesday At the Moose February 28th

Jambalaya

\$7 4:30 - 6PM

Hurricane \$5

Both \$10

**Registered
Guest gets both
for \$6**

Beads \$?????





Happy
Valentine's Day

Valentine's Dinner

Sunday Feb. 12, 2017



Happy
Valentine's Day



Cocktail Hour
5:00 PM

Price: **\$15** per Person
\$20 at door
Does not include refreshments.

Dinner 6:00 PM

Steak or Shrimp

Baked Potato

Salad and/or Vegetables

Biscuits

Dessert



Happy
Valentine's Day



Be My
Valentine