



Call of the Moose

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Moose Annual Golf

Great job: Bill & Mary Kay, Sue & Barb, Amy & Monika.

Congrats to the winners.

Geno S., Bob S., Tom M., & Duane M.

Recently Qualified for Preferred Member '21

Phil Woolman, Steve H, Steve B, Roger S, Mark W & Barb S. Join them soon!

Inaugural "Summer Moose Fest"!? (28th Annual Beef Fest)

Main Winners:

1st: \$200 Flo K. 2nd: \$120 Ken S.

3rd: \$20 Sandy K. 3rd: \$20 Flo K.

Tablet: LAP/DAP GC: Mark C.

Mailer: \$25 Don E. 30/30 Dave G. & Gabi M.

Refreshment Basket: Flo K.

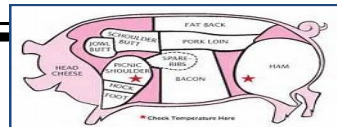
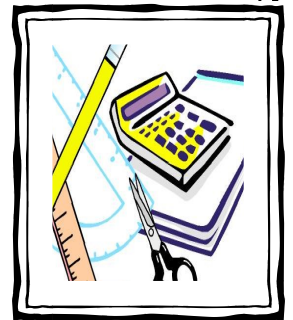
We served over 70, many Curb-Side, all our participants were very generous and we made almost the normal NET for the event.

Thanks to all the volunteers and helpers!!

Packer Party Dots are here!

Food available during 1st half of game!
Noon games, others with a volunteer
Bartender, call about 3 PM games.

Back to School Event Successful;
Great Job WOTM!!! Dozens of children were given supplies that will help them and their families during the school year! Thanks to all the members that donated materials and worked for this important annual event!!



"Meat Raffle"

Oct 18th??

\$1 15+ or so draws!
Pre-sales available!

All plans for the fall are tentative & (will) may change beyond our control.

We, like everyone are doing out best, give a call, lend a hand!

Watercolor

Painting Class

Demos by Judy Groholski

6 weeks: Wed. 1 - 4 PM Oct. 14th - Nov. 18th

Call for materials list and to sign up (715) 344-6546

Members & Guests :: Register by Oct. 12th!



The Governor's Corner

Greetings Ladies & Gentlemen,
Hello. I'm Brandon (Butch) Somers,
your Governor. I have been a member
since 1997, and have also served as an officer for the majority of those
years. I want to give a big **Thank You** to Steve Hodgkins who is our Jr. Past
Governor. Thank you for your guidance & leadership over the past 4 years - it
did not go unnoticed.

As we all know, in dealing with COVID-19, this year certainly has
given the lodge its share of challenges & is definitely "One for the
books". So, thank you to all of our employees & volunteers. We don't say it
enough, but you are **All** valued. We are trying diligently to get back to some
sort of "Normalcy". With that said, 1st and foremost is your health - please
stay safe: however, as you know the lodge is always in need of additional/
more volunteers. 1-2 hours of your time is great. More would be phenomenal.
If you are not able to volunteer for various activities at the lodge, you can also
support your lodge by buying raffle tickets for various events or selling them
to your family members, co-workers, associates or even your neighbors.
While you are talking to any of those folks, ask them if they are a member of
the lodge? Ask them if they've heard of the Moose and all the great & fun
things we do. If not, let them know of the events the Lodge has to offer. Ask
them what their interests are, & I'll bet there is an event that we hold during
the course of the year, where they would be interested. Yes, these are 2 ways
that you would be supporting your lodge - financially and membership
building. Another way you can support your lodge is having a meal or two
here. We have a plethora of different meals in any given month. The main
ones of course are the Wednesday night Broasted Chicken dinners, Sunday
Breakfast & the Friday night fish fry's. Not a fan of the fins, there is always
another listed option on every Friday night. The social quarters is now open
(even with limited hours) Concerned with social distancing? We understand.
Call ahead to order your meals & pick it up curbside. Even in these trying
times, your lodge needs your support to stay open.

I would like to point your attention to the Governor's Steak feed this
Saturday, Sept. 26th 5 PM -. I will be grilling 14 oz. Ribeye's for you that
evening. Advanced reservations are needed, so we have an idea on how many
to order. Rest assured, these will be quality steaks, with twice baked potatoes,
salad, & dessert. The Summer Raffle Drawing is also that evening - dine in,
get in on the drawings & enjoy yourself. Steaks will be available for curbside
pickup.

Bingo is back up & running with social distancing enforced. Don't worry,
there is plenty of room for you. Bingo is every other Tuesday evening

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Pre-Christmas "Present" Raffle

The raffle will be drawn on Nov. 27th.

Prizes include Electronics, Tablets, Drones, Jewelry, and Tools.

Over 20 prizes. Chance to win that extra Christmas gift.

Tickets are \$2 each or 3 for \$5. Stop into the Lodge and get your tickets.

All money raised will help off-set not having River-Fest. Get a ticket
help the Lodge out..

Our Defending Circle
was broken:

Frank Pisarski - Norbert Guman

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 *Sympathies To:* 

Since our last Issue

Ernie Waltenberg
(Loss Mother in Law)
Tess Rice (Loss of Uncle)
Larry Scipior (Loss of Mother)

Recuperating (ed):

Gayle Klauck **Monika Zarkovic**
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In Our Thoughts:

Katie Ligenza **Steve Brazzale**
Al Kunst **Dorothy Suchowski**
Deb Edmundson **Sally Worzella**

Greetings Co-Workers,

Fall has arrived. There's a nip in the air, and the leaves are starting to change. I'm ready for a beautiful burst of color!

I'm sure you have heard bingo is back to normal (whatever normal is these days). The next bingo will be Tuesday, Sept. 29th and every other Tuesday after that, stop in for a schedule. The Women of The Moose will be serving BBQ and goodies along with dessert. If any co-worker would like to volunteer to do a bingo night, it would be greatly appreciated. It is fun and you get to meet a lot of new people; it is done behind a screen and is covid-safe!

There are a few events coming up. We will be having a new member orientation program on Wednesday, October 14th (the Loom has one 7 pm on Oct. 7th and Nov. 4th). Any new member, prospective member or even members are always welcome. Remember those are Broasted Chicken nights, please call first for meal RSVPs.

The craft fair has been cancelled this year. We are planning the kids' Halloween party for the 1st of November. More information is coming soon, check out the moose 1572 facebook or moose1572.com for "breaking news".

Our Chapter is having a bake and craft sales on Friday, Nov. 20th, Dec. 4th and 18th. If you would like to donate crafts or edibles please have them to the lodge by 4 PM. Individually wrapped really helps. For more information check the social quarters, stop in for a meeting or call the lodge. For preparation planning please always call for our events to RSVP.

Our Chapter & Lodge meetings are always posted in the calendars, we need your input to move forward into the One Moose. Our next meeting is the Oct. 14th, 7 PM. As always, if you have any questions (or answers) call the Chapter officers and let us know. Remember, volunteers for any activity are always welcome and appreciated.

Stay Safe and Healthy everyone!

Officers Women of the Moose Chapter 311

Senior Regent ...	Recorder.....	Judy Laabs
Treasurer	Kathy Haase	Junior Regent
Jr. Graduate Regent		Tina Adamski



Jenny Paque - 3rd Annual
Postponed Until '21??

Attn: WOTM/LOOM

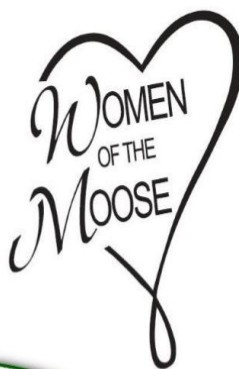
Please don't "just bring in" items for the WOTM use, call first, our area is getting full and cluttered. We may need/want your donations, but we may not have a use for them.

Also, plan to bake/cook or at least participate in the bake sales for November & December; Thanks!!!

WOTM Meal
Tuesday Oct. 6th
4 - 6 PM

\$7

**ALL
Welcome**



Meatloaf



Potato
Vegetable
Rye Bread
& Desserts!!

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having Riverfront.

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are tentative & (will)
may change.

This next few weeks

Summer Raffle Tickets \$45

Meal/Drawings Sept. 26 - Oct. 31st

Jams & Jams II.

Postponed until ??? Mar. '21?

Moose Legion/Kids Halloween

***ML : Meal Etc. - Sat. Oct 31st :: Kids Sun.
Nov 1st ??***

Winter Fest

Thursday, Nov. 12th Tickets on sale!

***Thanksgiving Community
Dinner Nov. 26th***

**2020 Volunteer/Member
Christmas Party**

Below is a QR code for a smart phone to take you directly to the Moose International training system for officers, chair-people and members in general.

The more you know, the better for the organization and Lodge/Chapter!



Membership Minute;

- It has been a wonderful year as the men and women of the Moose come together and face our current challenge. It has also been an interesting time as the state of the world is revealed by our current crisis. That said, it is important to look at our fellowship and how its response to this current struggle can cause others to look upon our work under scrutiny and find out more of what makes us tick.

- This season has been quite challenging, of that there is no doubt. With the winter festival just around the corner it is a good time to give a new prospect a peaceful break from the daily grind. Wouldn't you think it's a good time offering a person the chance to see what we have to offer them. You have that opportunity right now. Consider who you have kept in touch lately, a friendly clerk or maybe an old acquaintance, I would hope we all have that someone in our lives. For me, when I was invited back to the Lodge by a warm smile and a kind word, it really made me curious. Winning the prizes would be a great time, and a big thank you is when a new member signs up in time to win it. We All win when a new prospect is left a reminder of our hospitality.

Ted K. Membership Chairman



**WISCONSIN MOOSE
ASSOCIATION
MAY 2020 ~ APRIL 2021
MEMBERSHIP
PROMOTION'S**

Sponsor 1 New Member and
you will receive \$5.00 in
WMA Moose Bucks.



Sign 3 New Members and you
will receive a Membership
Zippered Hoodie.

Sign 5 New Members and you be Entered for a
Chance to Win a LIFE Time Membership.
1 LOOM & 1 WOTM Winner

Administrator's Letter

Sometimes my thanks are not enough or . . .

Just a quick note, everyone covered everything so nicely. Please remember that our social quarters can be like so many others (unfortunately). Members, guests and visitors really don't like to hear a lot of negative things. Specially now, we should talk about solutions, not ideas that didn't go your

way. Suggestions (better if they come with help), not things you didn't like. Don't be like the weather channel and talk about a bad experience months/years ago, talk about the fact most lodges, and ours, do make corrections and improvements. We need to become One Moose in everyway one can imagine. Our legacy of helping kids, seniors and the community is much bigger than me, or you.

So many of you make it "always a great day to be a Moose".

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

These fundraiser meals served curb-side, pick-up

or dine-in with reseervations. Please call a day (or at least an hour) ahead.

Gov's Steak Night
\$22
\$25 Add shrimp for \$3 more!
4 - 6 PM
Grilled Rib Eye
& a scewer of Shrimp
Salad
Potato
Dinner Roll



Remember, we are heading into the One Moose year soon. Find out what it takes to make this lodge function, do some training come to a meeting.

We have a mortgage, ongoing expenses, Moose International and Wisconsin Moose Association commitments that we need to meet monthly and annually. We can only continue to be available to ourselves and the community if we stay strong, united and ONE. We are all in this together!!

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. . . over the last 3 times your lodge has had bingo, the number of people have increased, which is a plus. The progressive jackpot is

starting to build as well. The traditional Pork Fest will be on Thursday, November 12th. We are changing a few things, including the name to Winter Fest. Always a great meal & lots of raffles throughout the evening. Sign up to help, pre-purchase tickets!!

Also don't forget meeting nights at your lodge, dates and time are in calendar. Have an idea/concern, or suggestion for improvement? The board would love to hear from you. Come to the meetings to let your voice be heard. Give me a call (715-316-3753) or drop me an email, (bsomers2@hotmail.com) I will listen to your ideas or suggestions & bring them to the board at the next meeting.

I'd like to remind you is that this is **Your Lodge** - please do your part. As of May 1st, 2021, The WOTM & the LOOM will be coming "One Moose". This means we have 7 months to continue working together, stronger than ever to become the Best Moose possible. I know with your help the "Hiccups" will be minimized & the rewards maximized.

The website is currently under re-construction, thanks Ted K., Peter A., Peter E., Amy and Mark. Also thanks to Jerry R. for all the work over the years getting us to this point. Be patient and let us know of what you think as we go along.

Remember: A burden unto one is born lightly by many.

God's blessings to you all. Fraternally, Butch, Governor

Members: 47 Goal: more

Meetings: 3rd Wed. 8:15

Moose Legion the Service Degree

Do some good thing
for someone each day!

Moose Legion Corner

Let ME KNOW of your interest

Geno Moose 1572 Legion Committee Chairman

Moose Legion 142

Kaukauna, WI Sat. Oct 10th 11 AM
(want a ride, ask Geno)

Camaraderie &
Information!!

Valued Vets Events

Thanks for making our events a
great event!

King Vets Visit on Dec. 18th?

Area Vets Breakfast - Oct. 26th?

Moose Legion Meal
Wed. Sept. 30th
4:30 - 7 PM

\$9

\$ 8 in advance

ALL Welcome



Broasted Pork Chop

Potato

Apple Sauce

Bread or Roll



Moose Legion meals fund our Veterans Programs.



**You are a
"Valued Vet"**

Moose Lodge 1572 cordially invites you to breakfast on us!

Monday, October 26th - Seating at 9:30

Please respect the rules we operate under . . .

In case they are required, bring a mask or be prepared to buy one!

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 may ask some for of "ID" showing which service or time period you served.

Drivers, friends are welcome for a \$5 donation for the event.

From the Social Quaters and Kitchen Managers

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So, it's been forever since I've written one of these things. The last time I wrote one of these was in March when 2020 was relatively a new year full of upcoming event plans that ultimately all changed - I hope that everyone has been doing well as we continue this rollercoaster of a year!

Obviously, from March until almost the end of May, the lodge was ultimately closed with the exception of the kitchen producing curbside meals for Wednesday Broasted Chicken and Friday Fish Fry. I couldn't have done this alone and was super grateful for my weekly volunteers (Alice and Barb G) as well as people who helped along the way (Val and as always, Mark W).

While the situation was not ideal as events such as Jams and Jabs and Beef Fest were canceled or reinvented for a later date, we took the situation at hand and utilized it to promote what the lodge is all about - from the time Safer at Home was enacted, we have increased our Facebook audience by 170 people with some people wanting to learn more about the lodge and possibly join. We continue to have a strong following of people who prefer curbside service as we go through the COVID pandemic and plan to continue to do so until there is no longer a need from our customers.

We are currently in the process of printing our updated menu (which can be viewed on Facebook as well as moose1572.com, which I have also worked on updating) and have taken this odd situation to change some things that "we used to do." We are now offering chicken every Wednesday and are looking at changing on what Sunday breakfast is so please look online or feel free to reach out with any questions.

During these odd times, some familiar faces have moved onto new ventures elsewhere but we've also gained new staff. Miss Amber did her last shifts at the end of July and her happy-go-lucky personality is definitely missed; Miss Rita has acquired a full time job at a school in Wisconsin Rapids but has currently continued cooking breakfast on Sundays which is much appreciated as she is amazing. We hired Miss Monika in July for both kitchen and bar - she is a great addition with her previous hospitality experience and we are happy to have her onboard!

As always, if you have questions, comments or simply want to say hi, feel free to email me at moose1572kitchen@gmail!

Stay happy and healthy as we continue to get through these odd times together as a team: AMY

Hello, this is my first letter, everyone has been so supportive and informed so far . . . However, I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to the members of the Moose Social Quarters staff for the great job throughout this unusual period. Everyone stepped up and has gotten our operations back to a good level. Thanks to all of you we are still here.

Also thanks to the members and guests that have supported the Moose as we, hopefully, head to a full calendar of activities by early '21 if not sooner. We are offering breakfast drink specials along side our excellent and very affordable Bloody Mary from 8 - 1 PM every Sunday.

Come check out our Packer noon game specials and root on the '21 - '22 team with your fellow Moose.

We are doing our best, join us and it will only get better. Sue



Kid's Halloween
Sunday, Nov. 1st
Event to be held after noon.
It may be a curb-side or
It may be an inside event, stay tuned.

Annual Community Thanksgiving Dinner

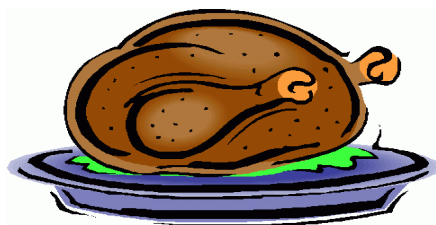
Thursday, November 26th Prep Nov. 24th, 25th

We Need YOU

This year may have a greater need than normal!

We will need drivers, servers and packers!!

Meal and work
schedule will
be available
after Nov. 1st.



Cut out & send in RSVP online or in SQ

Family Name: _____ Total # _____

Children _____ Ages _____, _____, _____, _____

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Opportunities
Inside!
Save The Dates**
10/6 - 10/26 - 10/31
11/12 - 11/26

Mailing Label Here

Stevens Point Moose 1572
1025 2nd St. N.
Winter Fest
Thursday, November 12th 4 - 8PM

Menu: Pork Hocks & Kraut, Chop Suey,
Pulled Pork & OKray Potatoes in German Potato Salad
& Desserts : Coffee or Milk

Served Curb-Side, To-Go or (1st 100) Dine-In

ALL
YOU
CARE
TO EAT!

Cost is \$9 for Adults in advance
{ \$10 after Tues Nov. 10th }
\$5 for Children under 10

Serving:
4:45 - 6:45

Limited quantities,
please arrive early!

"New Again"

Sept. 26th *Butch* invites you to:

Return of the Governor's Steak Night

Music - Karaoke

(1st Summer draw after dinner)

Stay tuned - see posters!

Bingos Sept. 29th
Oct. 13th & 27th

Public Welcome

Main Drawing \$\$\$\$

Prizes: 1st \$300 2nd \$100 3rd \$75 4th \$25

(20) 10 - 12lb Turkeys

(15) \$15 Trig's Cert.

Tickets cost: \$2 each or 3 for \$5

Need a Turkey
for
Thanksgiving?!

Cash for
Christmas??



All plans are tentative & (will) may
change. Come to meetings, stay
informed as things change!

Credit Card Use : Min. \$15 purchase,
(not including Tx & Tip)