

# OKLAHOMA SOUTHERN KANSAS MOOSE ASSOCIATION

## 2023 MID-YEAR CONFERENCE

MARCH 16<sup>TH</sup> THRU 19<sup>TH</sup>

Tulsa Moose Lodge – 11106 East 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
Tulsa, Oklahoma 918-437-2727



**EVERYONE MUST BE REGISTERED AND WEAR CREDENTIALS TO ATTEND  
ANY FUNCTION, FACEMASKS ARE ENCOURAGED.**

**DUES CARD, SHOWING DUES ARE CURRENT, MUST BE SHOWN AT THE  
REGISTRATION TABLE TO OBTAIN YOUR REGISTRATION PACKET.**

**THIS MUST BE DONE DURING REGISTRATION OPEN HOURS.**

**REGALIA AT CONVENTION IS SUGGESTED, BUSINESS CASUAL APPROPRIATE**

### OSKMA 2023 Board of Officers

**Jr. Past President - Greg Carleton**

**President - Dana Stanley**

**Vice President - Tom Gisick**

**Secretary - Jack Pierce**

**Chaplin - Janice Bailey**

**Treasurer - Don Parella**

### THURSDAY, MARCH 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023

- 4:00 – 7:00 pm    **Registration Open – Tulsa Lodge Attending**
- 5:00 pm    **OSKMA Executive Committee Meeting – East Room**  
President, Vice President, Secretary, Chaplin, Treasurer,  
Jr. Past President and Association Liaison/Regional Manager
- 5:30 pm    **OSKMA Association Board Meeting – East Room**  
Executive Board, Chapter Advocate, Official Visitor, District  
Presidents, International Moose Legion Ambassador, Moose International  
Employees and Elected Officials, Chairmen and Appointees
- 6:30 pm    **Past Deputy Grand Regent Dinner – location TBA**

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MARCH OF CHECKS TO BE TURNED IN TO J.C. PATTON OR TEENA LANDERS BEFORE NOON ON SATURDAY AND WILL BE ANNOUNCED DURING GENERAL SESSION #3 SATURDAY AFTERNOON

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**HEART OF THE COMMUNITY** PROJECT CHECKS MADE OUT TO **OSKMA** and EARMARKED FOR “NORTH STAR BRIDGE” TO BE TURNED IN TO J. C. PATTON OR TEENA LANDERS BEFORE NOON ON SATURDAY FOR PRESENTATION SATURDAY AFTERNOON

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### LIST OF MARCH OF CHECKS

**Checks Made Payable to**  
**“Moose Charities” and Ear Marked for:**  
Safe Surfin’  
Endowment  
MooseHaven Project

**Checks Made Payable to**  
**“OSKMA” and Ear Marked for:**  
Mike Martinsen/Paul Brandt  
Scholarship  
Antoinette Marinello Home  
Heart of the Community Project:  
“North Star Bridge”

### **FRIDAY, MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

8:00 am **Tulsa Lodge Kitchen Open for Breakfast**

8:30 am – 5:00 pm **Registration Open**

9:30 am **OSKMA OPENING SESSION - BALLROOM**

- Jr. Past President Greg Carleton Presiding
- Call to Order – Jr. Past President, Greg Carleton
- Safety Briefing – Tulsa Lodge President Greg Carleton
- Invocation – Chaplin Janice Bailey
- Presentation of Colors and Pledge of Allegiance – Sgt.-At-Arms Bob Head
- National Anthem – Sgt.-At-Arms Bob Head
- Report of Credentials Committee – Chairman Tom Gisick
- Roll Call of Association Officers, Chairpersons and Appointees – Secretary Jack Pierce
- Secretary’s explanation of Roll Call of Lodge members – Jack Pierce
- Introduction of District Presidents by Vice President Tom Gisick
- Roll Call of Lodges – District 1 President Carol Harris (VP Linda Franklin)  
District 2 President, Orié Baxter  
(Assisted by Sgt.-at-Arms Bob Head)
- Welcome Veterans – Carol Harris – Valued Veterans Program
- Welcome and Acknowledgement of First Time Attendees – President Dana Stanley
- Introduction of Official Visitor – Past Supreme Governor Harry Johnston
- by International Board of Director Bruce Snider & OV comments

- Video – Moose International CEO Scott Hart

## **FRIDAY, MARCH 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023 (cont.)**

- Introduction of Regional Manager Jeff Gutowski by Past Supreme Governor Terry Walls
- Welcome Preferred Member Sponsors – Membership Chairman Fayla Powell
- Reading of Association Board Meeting Minutes (no vote) – Secretary Jack Pierce
- Council of Higher Degrees – Chairman Joe Vanston  
Review activities and explain future plans and programs, encourage members with higher degrees to join the Council of Higher Degrees
- **WORKSHOP #1** – Lodge Operations 101 Updates (information for successful operations) - Ben Franklin
- Remarks by Association Secretary Jack Pierce
- **Endowment Collection**

## **OSKMA Mid-Year Conference Will Stand In Recess**

11:30 – 1:00 pm **LUNCH** – **Tulsa Lodge Kitchen Open for Lunch**  
**Social Quarters will be open during lunch hours**

1:00 pm **GENERAL SESSION II – BALLROOM**

- Welcome Back – Association President Dana Stanley
- Roll Call of Officers and Chairmen - Association Secretary Jack Pierce
- Introduction of District Presidents – Vice President Tom Gisick
- Roll Call of Lodges – District Presidents  
District 1 – Carol Harris  
District 2 – Orie Baxter  
(Assisted by Sgt.-at-Arms Bob Head)
- Welcome and Acknowledgement of First Time Attendees – President Dana Stanley
- Video – Mooseheart Executive Director Gary Urwiler
- Mooseheart – Lodges Sponsoring Children and Promotion of Association events held at Mooseheart - Chairperson Nicole Twyman
- Video – Moosehaven Executive Director Helen Taylor
- Moosehaven Marketing on the Move - Association members now living at Moosehaven; Promotion of Association events held at Moosehaven - Past Moosehaven Board Members Sandy Johnston & Bruce Snider
- Youth Awareness Report – Reviewing the program to increase participation - Patricia Ribordy and Garrett Eller
- **Workshop #2** – Lodge Open House (A to Z) & Hosting Open to the Public Events - Regional Manager Jeff Gutowski

- Risk Management Report - The importance of the annual Inspection, maintaining insurance coverage and reporting claims promptly - Administrator Fayla Powell
- “If It Says Moose on the Outside, It **MUST** be Moose on the Inside” – Regional Manager Jeff Gutowski
- Moose International Elected Official Address:  
Moose International Board of Directors – Bruce Snider
- Moose International Appointees Address:  
PSG/Chairman of Moose Charities Board of Directors – Terry Walls  
International Moose Legion Ambassador – Trever Hepner
- **Workshop #3** – Social Quarters Operation: Doing It Right – Fayla Powell and Bruce Snider
- Comments of Association Secretary Jack Pierce
- **Endowment Collection**

**OSKMA Annual Convention Will Stand In Recess**

**SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN  
FUN AND GAMES NIGHT**

5:00 – 7:00pm                                   **– Tulsa Lodge Kitchen Open –**

7:00 pm                                   **GAMES START IN SOCIAL QUARTERS  
EVERYONE INVITED!!!!**

**SATURDAY MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2023**

8:00 am                                   **Tulsa Lodge Kitchen Open for Breakfast**

8:00 am – 4:00 pm                   **Registration Open**

8:30 am – 9:15 am                   **Moose Legion Breakfast – East Room**

9:30 am – 10:45 am                   **Moose Legion Event - East Room**  
All Moose Legionnaires Welcome

Welcome – Moose Legion Ambassador Trever Hepner, Degrees Chairman and Assistant Chairman Bruce Snider & Terry Walls  
Remarks of Past International Moose Legion President and Moose Legion Area Manager Bruce Snider  
Remarks of Sooner Moose Legion No. 147 President Dana Stanley  
Sooner Moose Legion Secretary - Discuss New Ideas and How to increase attendance at Sooner Moose Legion Celebrations

**Endowment Collection for Sooner Moose Legion No. 147**

## SATURDAY MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 (cont.)

9:30 am – 10:45 pm

**W.O.T.M. SESSION – BALLROOM**  
**“ONE MOOSE” – The Challenges Two Years Later**  
**Chapter Advocate Pam Pierce and**  
**Moose International Board of Directors Sandy Johnston**  
Endowment Fund for Women of the Moose

11:00 am – 12:00 am **\*\*AOF Practice to Follow WOTM Session\*\***

➤ **Workshop #4 – Dispensations - PSG Terry Walls**

12:00 – 1:30pm **LUNCH – Tulsa Lodge kitchen open for lunch**  
**Social Quarters will be open during lunch**

1:30pm **GENERAL SESSION III – Ball Room**

- Welcome Back – Association President Dana Stanley Presiding
- Roll Call of Association Officers and Chairmen – Secretary Jack Pierce
- Introduction of District Presidents – Vice President Tom Gisick
- Roll Call of Lodges – District Presidents
  - District 1 President – Carol Harris
  - District 2 President – Orié Baxter
  - (Assisted by Sgt.-At-Arms Bob Head)
- Address of the OSKMA “**THE MOOSE**” Official Visitor –  
PSG/ Mooseheart Board of Directors Chairman Harry Johnston
- Heart of the Community Report – Project: “North Star Bridge” -  
Heart of the Community Chairpersons Orié Baxter and Wendell Baxter, Sr.  
Presentation to “North Star Bridge” representative Rod Baker  
The Importance of Tommy Moose Program and Local Community Service
- Video – Grand Chancellor Barb McPherson
- Comments of the W.O.T.M. Chapter Advocate Pam Pierce
- Safe Surfin’ – Dave Coffee (from Safe Surfin’) and Vickie sharing her story
- Video – Director of Membership Mike Rios
- **THE MOOSE MEMBERSHIP – “MAKE IT HAPPEN”** - Chairperson Fayla Powell
  - Production and Retention thru Monthly Management (Monthly Quotas)
  - Recognition of Volunteers - Area Training Manager and Trainers
  - Recognition of Preferred Member Sponsors, medical professionals, First Line Responders and Public Works / Utility Workers responding to severe weather issues
  - Recognition of 25 Club Members
- Address of Regional Manager Jeff Gutowski
- PowerPoint – Moose Charities Executive Director Pam Amundsen – Project Updates
- Moose Charities Presentation:
  - Moose Charities Co-Chairpersons - Teena Landers and J. C. Patton
  - Moose Charities Chairman of the Board of Directors - Terry Walls

Donor Recognition to Moose Charities Programs

**SATURDAY MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 (cont.)**

New Project, Endowment, Special Giving and March of Checks totals

OSKMA New Project Update

- Training Update: Classes On-line and Virtual Classes available - Area Training Coordinator Pam Pierce
- Report of Activities – Co-Chairpersons Donna Turner and Mike Trusty  
Promote scheduled events and encourage participation; Notify Lodges of Venues and Planned Dates
- Final Credentials Report – Chairperson Tom Gisick
- Comments of Association Secretary Jack Pierce  
Dates and Location of OSKMA Annual Convention (August 2023)
- Thanks to all & first time attendees - President Dana Stanley
- Entertain a motion to adjourn “Sine Die”
- Adjourn “Sine Die”
- **Endowment Collection**

**OSKMA Annual Convention Will Stand In Recess**

**SOCIAL QUARTERS OPENS**

**SATURDAY MARCH 18<sup>TH</sup>, 2023**

6:30 pm **Banquet** (Dress – Regalia or Business Casual)  
You **MUST** wear your credentials and have a banquet ticket to enter the room

Welcome – OSKMA President Dana Stanley  
Blessing – OSKMA Chaplin Janice Bailey  
Dinner to follow

**AWARDS PROGRAM**

Masters of Ceremonies – Past President Higher Degree Board/Chapter Advocate - Pam Pierce & PSG/Chairman Moose Charities Board Terry Walls

Resolutions Committee Report - Chairman Don Kirkley

Awards Presentations – PSG Terry Walls & Introductions of Regional Manager Jeff Gutowski

Remarks by “THE MOOSE” Official Visitor – PSG/ Chairman Mooseheart Board Harry Johnston and Moose International Board of Directors Sandy Johnston

**SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN after the Banquet**

## **SUNDAY MARCH 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

7:00 am Coffee and Doughnuts in the Lodge Kitchen

9:00 am **ASSOCIATION ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING - EAST ROOM**

OSKMA President Dana Stanley Presiding

**All OSKMA Association Board Members, Committee Chairpersons, Trainers and Moose International Representatives are encouraged to attend**

Call to Order – OSKMA President Dana Stanley

Announcements:

OSKMA Annual Planning Meeting – TBD

OSKMA Annual Convention – August 18<sup>TH</sup> thru 20<sup>TH</sup>, 2023 – Lodge TBD

Outline Association business and membership goals

Set dates for meetings and events

Discuss fraternal programs

Final Comments – OSKMA Official Visitor Harry Johnston

Final Comments – Moose International Board of Director Bruce Snider

Final Comments – Past Supreme Governor Terry Walls

Final Comments – Regional Manager Jeff Gutowski

Final Comments – OSKMA President Dana Stanley

Final Comments – Association Secretary Jack Pierce

Benediction – OSKMA Chaplin Janice Bailey

Entertain a motion to adjourn

10:00 am

### **Women of the Moose** **ACADEMY OF FRIENDSHIP CONFERRAL** **Ball Room**

March of Checks - made out to Moose Charities Earmarked for Mooseheart Music Department

**THIS IS A NON-SMOKING CONFERENCE**  
**SMOKING PERMITTED OUTSIDE IN DESIGNATED LODGE AREAS ONLY**

**Thank you for attending the**  
**2023 OSKMA Mid-Year Conference**  
**Travel home safely!**