



Enid moose News

ENID, OKLAHOMA, LOYAL ORDER OF THE MOOSE #1740

MAY 2025

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SOCIAL QUARTERS HOURS

Monday 5-9PM

Tuesday 5-9PM

Wednesday 5-9PM

Thursday 5-10PM

Friday 5-12PM

Saturday 5-12PM

NOTE: As long as there are active Moose Members present and actively patronizing the Social Quarters, the Social Quarters will remain open for those present until they are finished with their activities or socializing, up until the legal time limit of 2AM.



Keeping the back door closed

BEN FRANKLIN ADMINISTRATOR

A man opened a zoo filled with the most amazing animals the world had ever seen, charging \$300 per person for admission.

However, nobody came. So he reduced the price to \$200 per person.

Still, there were no takers. This continued until he lowered the price to \$10 per person; and when no one showed up even then, he made the entry free.

On that day, the zoo was jammed with people. The man then locked the gates, let loose the lions, and charged a \$500 exit fee. Everyone paid.

Last year was a fabulous year with one exception. We left the back door open and lost some members who did not renew their dues.

This past year, we have shown a decrease in membership. I guess we could give people their membership dues for free, then charge \$45.00 to get out. But that would just put

us back in the same situation we are in now. At the time I wrote this, we had lost 84 members.

I hear all kinds of excuses for why people don't pay their yearly dues.

Everything from I don't know anyone there, nobody is friendly, I don't like so n' so, and there's nothing to do and no activities that I like.

We have heard all of these and those we lost are partly at fault.

But we, as members, are at fault too.

Ninety percent of the time you come to the Lodge, you come to the Social Quarters". Yes, the "Social Quarters."

It is a Social Quarters, not a bar, because it is a place to socialize with your friends and fellow members.

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BOARD OF OFFICERS

President

Don Kirkley

Vice President

Kristina Scott

Jr Past President

Norman Scott

Treasurer

Harry Kruzick

Chaplain

Linda Anderson

Administrator

Ben Franklin

1-Year Trustee

Doug Carpenter

2-Year Trustee

Lou McCaslin

3-Year Trustee

Lou Hickman

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Another note of thanks

JULIE SCHROEDER SENIOR REGENT

I can't believe it's already the end of our calendar year. I hope everyone had a Blessed Easter.

This will be my last newsletter as Sr. Regent. Next time you will be hearing from Trudi.

As of May 1, the new officers will take their places with the lodge and the chapter.

I'm pleased to be able to hand things over to your new Sr. Regent, Trudi Bandy. She has a lot of new ideas and can carry our chapter on to new things. Thank you, Trudi.

Also, thanks to Linda Franklin and Kristina Scott for staying on the board. All your hard work is greatly appreciated.

We will be starting a new year, and we sure would like to welcome new members.

If you were a Chapter member in the past, please check your membership card and see if your chapter membership has expired.

You must be a member of the lodge in good standing to be a member of the chapter. The dues for the chapter are \$15.

If you have any questions, please feel free to speak to one of us and we would be more than happy to answer any question you may have.

Please remember that the WOTM are the ones who help provide much needed items to our children at Mooseheart and our Seniors at Moosehaven. We couldn't do any of this without our chapter members.

Please give us a chance to tell you about what we do.

I want to again thank everyone for allowing me to be your Sr. Regent for the past 2 years and thank you to all who have supported the WOTM.

Please continue your support and let's bring new members with new ideas to our chapter.

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Thus, we need to Socialize and not just with your little cliques.

We have got to make our new members feel welcome.

Also starting a new Moose year, we start with a new Board of Officers. We are fortunate to have members that have stepped up to fill the whole board of officers.

Our President this year will be Don Kirkley. Kristina Scott will be our Vice President. Our Chaplain will remain the same, Linda Anderson. Harry Kruzick will continue as our Treasurer.

Our Trustees will be Doug Carpenter, Lou Hickman and Lou McCaslin. Norman Scott will be our Junior Past President.

I probably should stop for now. We will see you next month.

One last thing, Lodge General Membership meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday night of each month and are very informative.

We would love to see each of you there. It gives you a place to let your voice be heard!

REMEMBER TO DO SOME GOOD THING FOR SOMEONE EACH DAY.

Food and Entertainment

MAY 3

Northwest Passage Band 8-11 pm

MAY 10

Chicken Fried Steak in Jim's Joint 6-8 pm
 Skeleton Station Band 8-11 pm

MAY 24

DJ Dance w/ Dale 7-10 pm

JUN 7

DJ Dance w/Dale 7-10 pm

JUN 14

Taco Bar in the Social Quarters 6-8 pm
 Rich Rodriguez in the S.Q. 7-10 pm

JUN 28

Steak Night in Jim's Joint 6-8 pm
 West Country Band 8-11 pm

JUL 19

Potato Bar in the Social Quarters 6-8 pm
 Elise Vanover in the S.Q. 7-10 pm

JUL 26

Meat Loaf Dinner in Jim's Joint 6-8 pm
 Bobby Bennett Band 8-11 pm

Karaoke

Don't forget we have Karaoke in the Social Quarters every Friday night beginning approx. 8:30 pm

Friday Night Food Options

Please consult the attached Calendar for Friday night Food Options in the Social Quarters.

Bingo

Don't forget Bingo Every Monday night. Doors open at 5pm, Early Birds begin at 5:45 with the Main House Session to follow. Come one, Come all!

Remember, more players builds bigger payouts!!!

Happy Birthday!

MAY 2

Natalie Dotson

Michael Miles

Tiffany Mohrer

MAY 4

Wayne Stinson

Norman Scott

Richard Shepard

MAY 5

Ed Emick

MAY 6

Eric Krehbiel

MAY 7

Charles Sexton

Sara Harwood

MAY 8

Retha Joslin

Tiffany Sturgeon

MAY 10

April David

MAY 11

Jerry Bliss

Suzanne Martin

MAY 13

Monique

Timberlake

William Pearce

MAY 14

Harley Holsten

Lila Skaggs

Steven Harwood

MAY 16

Jim Johnson

MAY 17

Wayne Dempsey

MAY 18

Andy Minnick

MAY 19

Terra Fairweather

MAY 20

Linda Clemens

MAY 21

Erin Kirchner

John Bartalozzi

MAY 24

Laura Lang

Marvin Minkler

Hunter Minnick

MAY 25

Keith Sturgeon

MAY 26

Kevin Booker

MAY 27

Charlotte Williams

MAY 28

Kyler Patterson

MAY 29

Kristina Scott

MAY 30

Denise Ross

Steve Vendetti

MAY 31

Trigg Snyder

William Melson



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<p>MEMBERS AND QUALIFIED GUESTS</p> <p>beamoose.org</p>				<p>1</p> <p>5:30 WOTM AUDIT</p> <p>6:30 HAMBURGER & FRIES \$9.00</p> <p>7:00 Moose Races, Lady Luck</p>	<p>2</p> <p>6:00-7:30 ASSORTED FRY BASKETS</p> <p>8:30 KARAOKE</p>	<p>3</p> <p>8:00-11:00 DANCE</p> <p>NORTHWEST PASSAGE BAND</p>
<p>4</p>	<p>5</p> <p>5:30-7:00 LINE DANCE LESSONS</p> <p>5:45 BINGO EARLY BIRDS</p> <p>7:00 MAIN HOUSE SESSION</p> <p>5:30-8:30 SNACK BAR OPEN</p>	<p>6</p> <p>5:15 WOTM BOARD MEETING</p> <p>6:00 LODGE BOARD MEETING</p> <p>7:00 LODGE MEMBER MEETING</p>	<p>7</p> <p>7:00 TEXAS HOLD'EM TOURNAMENT</p>	<p>8</p> <p>6:30 MEAL TBD</p> <p>MOOSE RACES, LADY LUCK</p>	<p>9</p> <p>6:30 MEAL (by WOTM)</p> <p>7:00 MOOSE LEGION MEETING</p> <p>7:15 WOTM MEETING - KITCHEN</p> <p>8:30 KARAOKE</p> <p>PRIVATE EVENT - CHAPPELL RM</p>	<p>10</p> <p>SHRED TRUCK AT LODGE 10 -4</p> <p>6:00 - 8:00 CHICKEN FRIED STEAK</p> <p>JIM'S JOINT</p> <p>8:00-11:00 DANCE</p> <p>SKELETON STATION BAND</p>
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<p>25</p> <p>MI INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION</p>	<p>26</p> <p>MEMORIAL DAY</p> <p>LODGE CLOSED</p> <p>MI INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION</p>	<p>27</p> <p>6:00 NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION</p> <p>6:00 GAME NIGHT</p>	<p>28</p> <p>7:00 OPEN TEXAS HOLD'EM</p>	<p>29</p> <p>6:30 MEAL TBD</p> <p>7:00 MOOSE RACES, LADY LUCK</p>	<p>30</p> <p>6:00-8:00 PHILLY STEAK SANDWICHES</p> <p>8:30 KARAOKE</p>	<p>31</p>



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