

Moose Lodge # 982 Newsletter

SEPTEMBER 2023

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MOOSE PROUD PAST, BRIGHT FUTURE

May 1, 2023 - April 30, 2024

We are proud of the history of this great Fraternity. While keeping our past successes in mind, we look forward to the bright future with like-minded members who continue to play an important role in their local communities and supporting Mooseheart and Moosehaven for years to come. Working together, our future is bright.



Sponsor 1 Member

Proud Past, Bright Future lapel pins are presented by your Lodge, Chapter or Moose Legion to individuals that sponsor their first member during the campaign.



Sponsor 5 Members

Funds will be used toward the AAA project at Moosehaven. 5 Club members will be providing equipment for the sports complex including a top of the line golf simulator. Exercise is important for our residents and they look forward to perfecting their golf swing even in inclement weather. Contributions are courtesy of your Association, the Women of the Moose and the Moose Legion.



One team. One Moose.
We need your support.

We're thrilled to share some exciting updates on all the great things happening at the Moose Lodge. Our new year started May 1st.

The men and women who have stepped up to be the Board of Officers for our great lodge will be giving many hours of their time and lots of their energy over the next twelve months. Please support them in any way you can.

Also, we don't want to forget to give a big shoutout to our wonderful volunteers. Whether it's through donating their time working, cleaning, or donating resources, we couldn't do what we do without them.

Keep an eye out for future emails with more details on how you can help make YOUR LODGE an even greater place to be.

You can **check out our upcoming events**: we hope to have something for everyone to enjoy. And if you have some suggestions for additional events please contact one of this years board of officers.

Click here to print calendar

2023-2024 LODGE OFFICERS

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3 YR TRUSTEE

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Have you ever thought about how this Moose Lodge that you belong to works? How do decisions get made, and who makes them? It all starts with the Board of Officers. We make proposals that then get brought to the meetings to be discussed and voted on. Right now, we are short of a voice on the board. And that position could be yours. All you need to do is ask for it. There has been an opening for Trustee. It is a good position to learn more. So even if you are new to the Lodge, we welcome you to volunteer to be an officer. To find out more about what a Trustee is and what it entails, just see me or Jerry or Tom Gisick. We can help you with the information you need.

Even if you do not desire to be an officer of this Lodge. Have you ever thought of just coming to a meeting? We would love to see some new faces at the meetings. They are generally less than an hour and full of information. The meetings are held at 7:30pm on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. It really is exciting when someone new shows up. Thank you, Gene, for coming to the last meeting!

Congratulations to Tom Gisick the newest OSKMA President! We appreciate all the hard work he has done and is continuing to do for the Hutchinson Moose Lodge.

Hot! Hot! Hot! Oh my gosh! It hasn't been this hot since...the last time it was this hot!!! Hope everyone is coping as well as possible with this weather. Attended the OSKMA annual convention last week in Duncan, OK where most discussion centered around signing new members and retaining old ones in both the lodge and Moose Legion...something we all should be better at. The Duncan lodge hosted a great meeting with wonderful food and excellent camaraderie proving the Sooner Moose Legion Celebration should be a good event to attend at their lodge October 20,21,22. Getting back to business, the new OSKMA board of officers for 20-23 were installed which included our own Tom Gisick as President. Congratulations to Tom for becoming the OSKMA top honcho. Speaking of our own, Al Hernandez received his blue coat during a Conferral celebration. Congratulations to Al for rising to the Fellow degree. Many awards were presented as well, with the Hutch lodge receiving an award for its endowment contributions, Laniece Bakeberg was awarded the Hutchinson Moose Lodge Moose Member of the year and Mike Jackson received a five member award for signing five new members.

In what was not that surprising of a moment, considering his hard work and dedication. Bill Pierson was given the Honorary Past Presidents Award. Bill has been a dedicated Moose member, who came to us from Topeka and I know of no one who is comparable in devotion to our cause. After a listing of all of Bill's amazing accomplishments, the Kansas delegation felt a deep sense of pride when he was called to the front to receive his Honorary Past Presidents blazer. Congratulations to Brother Bill Pierson on his absolutely well-deserved award.

Want something a little different for dinner? If so, you won't want to miss the September 22nd fettuccini alfredo dinner. It will include your choice of fettuccini alfredo either plain or with chicken or shrimp, garlic bread and salad. Sounds molto delizioso!

Thank you to everyone who volunteers in our lodge! You all are to be admired for your caring dedication.

Scott Saylor
Hutchinson Moose
Legion Chairman

ASSISTANT SECRETARY'S NOTE for SEPTEMBER

Again, I start my note with THANK YOU to the members and families that participated in the Emancipation Day parade this last month. We had a small but nifty float to represent the Lodge. The candy purchased by Luke Jones was fantastic. I really liked it; I mean everyone really enjoyed it. Thanks Luke.

I can now announce to the world that Al Hernandez is our new Fellow. Congratulations to you Al. Al was conferred during the Annual Convention in Duncan OK. When you see Al, congratulate him as it's not easy to attain a Fellow Jacket.

Just a reminder to everyone, the next Celebration is October 20 thru 22, 2023 at the Duncan Lodge. Please plan to attend.

Several of us attended the Annual Convention of the OSKMA held in Duncan OK. It was a great time with several workshops. We brought home several awards to boot. I forgot to write them all down, so hopefully Scott, Patricia or Jerry will remember to include them in their notes.

I have been presented the opportunity to serve as the OSKMA President for the 2023 to 2024 year. I plan on visiting all Lodges in the Association during my year.

Also, we have been called upon to host the 2024 Annual Convention August 15-18, 2024. We will have some preliminary things happen but will hit it hard starting in January 2024. Please be ready to help as a volunteer.

Last month I jumped the gun announcing Dana Stanley's robing ceremony. It will take place at the October Celebration on Sunday October 22, 2023, at 1 pm.

Dates to remember:

9-1: Moose Legion meeting 8:10 pm

9-2: All School Reunion 6 to 12 midnight

9-3: **NO SUNDAY BINGO**

9-22: Moose Legion meal, Fettuccini Alfredo with chicken or shrimp

9-29: Mountain Oysters Night

HUTCHINSON MOOSE LODGE #982 SEPTEMBER 2023 CALENDAR

SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT

01

5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN
6-7:30 pm
CHICKEN FRIED STEAK OR
SHRIMP SUPPER
8 pm
DRAWING
8:10pm
LEGION MEETING
KARAOKE

02

6pm
S.Q OPEN
8PM-11PM
**ALL SCHOOLS
REUNION**

DJ STING

03

**NO
BINGO**

04

CLOSED

05

5pm
DANCE
LESSONS
6-7 pm
HAMBURGERS
7pm
GAMES

06

5 pm
S.Q. OPEN
5:30
WOTM BOARD
MEETING
6:30
WOTM
MEETING

07

12 pm
BINGO
5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS
OPEN
6:30-9:30 pm
GAMES

08

5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN
6-7:30 pm
STEAK OR PORK CHOP
8 pm
DRAWING
8:10 pm
KARAOKE

09

6 pm
S.Q OPEN

8PM-11PM
NO TIME BAND

10

CLOSED

11

CLOSED

12

5pm
DANCE
LESSONS
6-7 pm
HAMBURGERS
7pm
GAMES

13

5 pm
S.Q. OPEN
6 pm
LODGE BOARD
MEETING
7:30 pm
LODGE
MEMBERSHIP
MEETING

14

12 pm
BINGO
5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS
OPEN
6:30-9:30 pm
GAMES

15

5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN
6-7:30 pm
SMOTHERED PORK CHOPS
8 pm
DRAWING
8:10
KARAOKE

16

6 pm
S.Q OPEN

17

CLOSED

18

CLOSED

19

5pm
DANCE
LESSONS
6-7 pm
HAMBURGERS
7pm
GAMES

20

5 pm
S.Q. OPEN

21

12 pm
BINGO
5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS
OPEN
6:30-9:30 pm
GAMES

22

5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN
6-7:30 pm
ALFREDO
(SHRIMP or CHICKEN
8 pm
DRAWING
8:10
KARAOKE

23

6 pm
S.Q OPEN

8PM-11PM
**SOUTH
CENTRAL
BAND**

24

CLOSED

25

CLOSED

26

5pm
DANCE
LESSONS
6-7 pm
HAMBURGERS
7pm
GAMES

27

5 pm
S.Q. OPEN
6 pm
LODGE BOARD
MEETING
7:30 pm
LODGE
MEMBERSHIP
MEETING

28

12 pm
BINGO
5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS
OPEN
6:30-9:30 pm
GAMES

29

5 pm
SOCIAL QUARTERS OPEN
6-7:30 pm
MOUNTAIN OYSTERS
8 pm
DRAWING
8:10
KARAOKE

30



**CARD CHAIRMAN
JAN DICK
620-259-8050**

SYMPATHY

Jeannine Rayl Family
Steve & Joanne Scheuller Family

THINKING OF YOU

Jesse Hensel
Dave Bartlett
Sue Shive

GET WELL

RaeLina Tesch
Mike McDonald
Steve Scheussler



We have decided to name two people for volunteer of the month starting this month moving forward. So here goes!!!

**MALE VOLUNTEER ANDY
ANDERSON
FEMALE VOLUNTEER LINDA
ELLIOTT**

GREAT job you two!
If you'd like to be named VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH, join in helping out where ever needed as we are always in need of VOLUNTEERS!

VOLUNTEERS

We greatly appreciate anyone who has volunteered whether it was in the kitchen, at Bingo, cleaning, maintenance, mowing, selling 50/50, baking pies, or any

SOCIAL QUARTERS HOURS

TUESDAY 5-8 PM
WEDNESDAY 5-8 PM
THURSDAY 5-8 PM
FRIDAY 5-11 PM
SATURDAY 6-11 PM

***Hours may be extended at bartender's discretion.

OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY 5-8 pm
WEDNESDAY 5-8 pm
THURSDAY 10 am - 3 pm
FRIDAY 5-8



"Thank a Veteran".

Support CKVCP to make a difference in the lives of area veterans.

Log on to www.CKVCP.org to learn more.
Know a vet in need Call CJ 620 966 1232

BULL MOOSE

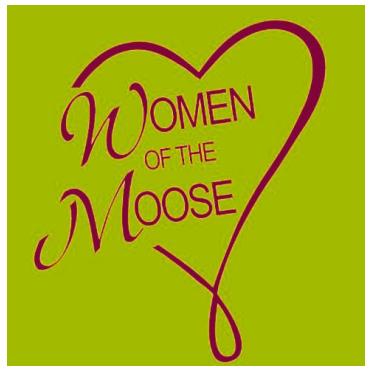
The Bull Moose is the current member who was the last person to sign up a new member into the Hutchinson Moose Lodge #982. They are entitled to one free drink

of the many other things that only get done because someone has volunteered to do it. Thank you! And thank you in advance for all that you continue to do.

each day they come into the lodge. They remain as the Bull Moose until another member signs up a new member thus becoming the Bull Moose.

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WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

We have a new Treasurer. Thankfully we have filled the position of Treasurer for the Chapter. We welcome back Marlene Jefferis to the Women of the Moose Board. She has previously been the Sr. Regent and Jr. Past Regent.

The position of Sr. Regent is still vacant. So, if you are a Woman of the Moose, please consider doing it.

Our next meeting is going to be on September 6th at 6:30 due to the Holiday weekend. The Women of the Moose Board Meeting will be held prior to that at 5:30pm on 9/6.

The September 15th supper will be smothered pork chops, mashed potatoes, gravy, salad, corn, ice



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cream cake.

Thank you for being a Woman of the Moose!



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