

THE GUIDE

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE
**WOODWARD
MOOSE LODGE 452
CHAPTER 2121**



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WOODWARD, OKLAHOMA



KIMBERLY KELLY, EDITOR

Moosehaven is just under a three hour drive from my home here in Florida.

I had the opportunity to spend a few days there in January. Although the weather wasn't the best, the Moosehaven campus was beautiful.

They say it's never too late to have fun, and boy is that the truth.

That's why when they told us about Moosehaven's AAA Project I was so excited.

In case you were wondering, AAA stands for Always Active At

Moosehaven. And that's what this project is aimed to continue.

You see, Moosehaven's New York building is in need of an upgrade, expansion, and well, a whole lot of new stuff.

But before they can do that they have to raise enough funds to cover the cost.

The cost? Well, things are still in the planning stages and they don't know exactly what it is going to take to cover all the expenses but estimates are around \$10 million.

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They anticipate it to be a three-year project.

The one thing that is certain, the change is going to enhance the lives of our senior residents who live there.

The Sports and Recreation Complex will be the social area for all to enjoy. It will include a four-lane bowling alley, electronic darts, billiards, indoor shuffleboard, a golf simulator, and a card room.

The Amenity Center will feature a complete remodel of the indoor therapeutic pool, a new outdoor patio with a fire pit, multi-purpose room, and gym equipment designed for seniors.

Residents will enjoy picnics and evening events under a pavilion that overlooks the St. Johns River and large enough to seat all residents under the same roof.

It will have lighting, ceiling fans, and restrooms, and even a Tiki Bar.

You are going to hear a lot about this project in the coming months as plans are finalized and the full scope of the project is introduced.

When it is completed it will offer so much for the seniors in our care at Moosehaven. It will be a wonderful improvement that will take them, and us, into an "Always Active At Moosehaven" future.

OUR DEFENDING CIRCLE HAS BEEN BROKEN

**We wish to express our deepest sympathy
to the Family and Friends of**

Fellow Randy Toney

Fellow Bob Bergeron

Fellow Ray Myers

SICKNESS AND DISTRESSED

**JC Patton, Molly Teeter, Rella Latta
Kevin Kornele, Carol Harris, Mike Caldwell,
Billy Maples, Lisa Faris, Kristy Snider,
and Deb Myers.**

Dress Code set for Social Quarters and Lodge Home

No clothing with obscene, profane or offensive language or art. No tank tops, sleeveless or muscle shirts, cut off shorts or shirts, boxer (worn as outside clothing) or lounge (pajama) pants can be worn by men. For women, it means no tube tops, halter tops, crop tops, sports bra (worn as outside clothing), cut off shorts, boxer (worn as outside clothing) or lounge (pajama) pants.

If any article of clothing not specifically mentioned above is deemed inappropriate by the House Committee, you may be asked to cover it and/or ask not to wear it again.

Celebrating Life

AND HELPING OTHERS

NICK SHROUT, PRESIDENT

Thank you to all our volunteers who stepped up and helped with the New Year's Eve party and with the funeral dinners.

We start February off with our Moose Legion meeting on February 4th and end with the ABATE Chili cook off on February 25th.

We will be needing judges for the chili cook off I have a few that have volunteered but more are welcome. Please contact me or leave your information with the bartender and I will

get back with you about being a judge.

We will be raffling off a two-burner Blackstone tabletop griddle for a ritual team fundraiser.

Most importantly please join me and Moose members from across the fraternity on February 18th at 3:00 p.m. for our local Fellow Ray (Catfish) Myers's Celebration of Life.

Following the Celebration of Life will be a meal and social time that evening. Everyone is invited to attend. No Regalia please.

Welcome New Members

NEW MEMBER

- Ed Day
- Lon Hutchinson
- Trever Kilker
- Mike Cook
- Melinda Hosier
- Celso Arellagno
- Ronald Watson

SPONSOR

- Bob Head
- Gene Cole
- Kelsey Kornele
- Jack Pierce
- Bruce Snider
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- Nick Shrout

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President - Nick Shrout. Vice President - Alan Shive. Chaplain - John McVicker.
 Treasurer - Don Parella. Past President - Bob Head. Administrator: Bruce Snyder.
 Trustees - Robert Smith, Sean Baker, Donna Turner. Sargent at Arms - Greg Faris.

Volunteers needed in a variety of areas

STEP UP AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE

CAROL HARRIS, TREASURER

Well we are coming into a busy time for the chapter. We are in the middle of nominations for Chapter Officers.

The last nominating meeting is February 6 at 7:00pm.

Offices available to run for are Senior Regent, Secretary and Treasurer.

Names must be submitted prior to the meeting. Contact a member of the Board of Officers if you are interested in one of these positions.

You must be a member in good standing with both the lodge and chapter to run.

Monday Night Meals are still going. Watch Facebook and the Newsletter calendar for menus.

Still need volunteers to cook for March and April. If you would like to do a Monday Night Meal contact Pam Pierce.

District 1 Meeting is Feb 19 at 1:00 p.m. at the Alva Lodge. Lunch provided at noon.

OSKMA Midyear conference is scheduled for March 16-19 at the Tulsa Lodge.

If you are holding a call card for your Academy of Friendship, the conferral will be on Sunday March 19.

This is the only opportunity to get your AOF this year.

Thank you for all you do!! Until next month, stay warm, stay healthy and I'll see you at the lodge.



Nominating Committee Schedule:

February 6, 7:00 p.m.

Second nominating meeting

February 13

Slate of nominees will be read on floor at Chapter Activity Night.

March 13

Elections for New officers

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Senior Regent - Tina Howard, Jr. Past Regent - Nicole Twyman.
Secretary - Pam Pierce. Treasurer - Carol Harris. Guide - Zetha Gann.
Mooseheart / Moosehaven Chairman - Sarah Edwards. Higher Degree Chairman - Trish Parella.

February 2023

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		POOL	1 DARTS	2 CARDS	3 BLIND DRAW DARTS TOURNAMENT 7:30 PM	4 MOOSE LEGION MEETING 7:00 PM
5	6 NOMINATING 7:00 PM LODGE OFFICERS 7:30 PM LODGE MEETING 8:00 PM	7 POOL	8 DARTS	9 CARDS	10	11
12	13 WOTM OFFICERS 7:00 PM CHAPTER ACTIVITIES 7:30 PM	14 POOL	15 DARTS	16 CARDS	17	18 RAY (CATFISH) MYERS CELEBRATION OF LIFE 3 PM
19	20 NOMINATING 7:00 PM LODGE OFFICERS 7:30 PM LODGE MEETING 8:00 PM	21 POOL	22 DARTS	23 CARDS	24	25 ABATE CHILI COOK OFF
26	27	28 POOL	 <p>WOODWARD MOOSE LODGE 452 3702 1ST STREET, WOODWARD, OKLAHOMA 73801 (580) 256-6969</p>			

EVENTS OPEN TO MEMBERS AND QUALIFIED GUESTS.