

The Guide

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The Moose is an international organization of men and women dedicated to caring for young and old, bringing communities together, and celebrating life.

MOOSE IN ACTION

DOYT SIMMONS *President*

Summer is coming and kids are out of school. I hope you will come enjoy the lodge and take advantage of the benefits that awaits

Bring a guest and sponsor them into the Moose fraternity and they will not have to pay an application fee thru July.

We will be having a fish and calf fry June 15 at 5:30.

This is a fundraiser by donation to help cover international convention expenses.

Donna will be doing a chicken fried steak meal on the 17th at 6:30 p.m. These are dine in meals so come, bring a guest and enjoy an evening of fun and fellowship for a good cause.

We have been asked to help cook burgers and hot dogs on June 4 during the rodeo. This will be from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. downtown. Bring an apron and help if you can, and let our community see our moose in action.

I hope to see you at your moose home soon.

SHARE THE MOOSE LEGION FUN

J.C. PATTON *Moose Legion*

We're about ready to "spring into summer"!

This month we'll experience the longest period of daylight for the year. and with more daylight the majority of us will fill it up with honey-dos, projects, vacations, and bar-b-ques. Ahh, the joys...

But amidst all that, let's not put our Moose Legions on the back-burner.

We just finished busting our humps at the end of the year to pull up the slack and try and finish on the positive side of the numbers game.

So take a moment and think of this: we need to work smarter not harder!

What's say we work on getting our numbers just a few at a time over the next 12 months, and draw others in to help "embrace our community".

We're the fun group so let's have some fun and share it with others.

Our next Moose Legion gathering will be June 8 with a meal at 7:00 p.m. and our 'group think' at 8:00 p.m.

Look for the flyer for info and plan on joining us for rocky mountain oysters (and, yes, fish for the faint of heart).

Hope to see you at the lodge.

IT'S ABOUT FRIENDS, FAMILY, AND FUN

KIMBERLY KELLY *Editor*

Twelve years ago I joined the Women of the Moose after attending a membership tea with my mom.

Little did I know that my Moose journey was about to go full speed ahead.

The first step was to become a chairman, hold a fundraiser in the months that were assigned to me, and bring in two new members.

I served as the Youth Involvement Chairperson.

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The WOTM bring a special passion and commitment to the Moose.

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They told me that if the Chapter earned the Award of Achievement that year I would earn my first degree.

My what?

Higher Degrees are absolutely crucial for moving your volunteerism to the next level in our Moose organization.

The Women of the Moose provide female members with leadership opportunities and incredible charitable fund raising.

The Women of the Moose offer three higher degrees: Academy of Friendship, Star Recorder, and College of Regents.

The Academy of Friendship degree is the

first degree.

Members earn it by serving as a chair of a committee or an officer, sponsoring new members, and ensuring the chapter earns the "Award of Achievement."

The degree is conferred at the state Mid-year Conference or International Conference, and recipients wear a light blue jacket.

I was conferred with the honor on April 12, 2015.

June is the Women of the Moose Academy of Friendship month.

Women of the Moose chapters across the country join together to contribute to the

Feed a Home in December program on the Mooseheart campus.

Through our contributions, Mooseheart Family Teachers and children continue to budget, purchase, prep, and cook meals in their campus homes.

These are all great independent living skills that our kids will need once they graduate and move on from Mooseheart.

Our gifts will feed a home of 10 girls or 10 boys for a month and support our Mooseheart community.

Who knew doing so much good would be so much fun?

NO Application Fee

May 1 — December 31, 2024
to join **The Moose** online

Beginning May 1, 2024, the **\$20** application fee will be waived for new (enroll or re-enroll) applicants paying **2 years of dues** and using the **online application process only**. This will not only promote and encourage use of the available technology but incentivize member production, giving the lodges an extended opportunity to showcase the benefits of Moose/ lodge membership to include our fraternal endeavors as well as the local lodge amenities. This program will be evaluated on an ongoing basis and is scheduled to end Dec. 31, 2024.

Anyone interested in learning more about the Moose organization is encouraged to view the video message on our www.beamoose.org website where they will also have an opportunity to access the online application.

If you are a current member looking to sponsor a prospective member into the Moose Fraternity, please use our online application at www.beamoose.org.

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JUN 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30 CARDS PITCH	31 BLIND DRAW DARTS 7:30 PM	1
2	3 LODGE OFFICERS 7:30 PM LODGE MEETING 8:00 PM	4 POOL	5 DARTS 7:30 PM	6 CARDS PITCH	7	8 WOTM TRAINING MOOSE LEGION 7:00 PM MEAL 8:00 PM MEETING
9 WOTM 2HOTT TRAINING	10 WOTM ACADEMY OF FRIENDSHIP 7:30 PM BOO TO FOLLOW	11 POOL	12 DARTS 7:30 PM	13 CARDS PITCH	14 BLIND DRAW DARTS 7:30 PM	15 FISH AND CALF FRIES 5:30 PM
16	17 CHICKEN FRIED STEAK 6:30 PM LODGE OFFICERS 7:30 PM LODGE MEETING 8:00 PM	18 POOL	19 DARTS 7:30 PM	20 CARDS PITCH	21	22
23	24 WOTM CHAPTER ACTIVITIES NIGHT	25 POOL	26 DARTS 7:30 PM	27 CARDS PITCH	28	29
30	1	2	3	4	5	6