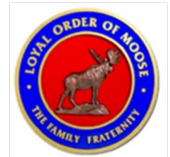




# LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE

## Independence Lodge #2414

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October 2020

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Treasurer**  
Heather Pennell

### From the Administrator

It has been a few months since I have been able to put time aside just to reflect and write something for the newsletter. First let me start by saying Wow! I feel honored and am very appreciative of all the support and confidence the general membership has place in me as the new Lodge Administrator. I hope that I am worthy of the support and can maintain it as we brave these troubled waters of 2020. With that said, I want to be up-front, open, and honest with everyone, we need support. We need events. We need to return to the Lodge home and we need your derriere in the seats. There are a lot of plans on the table for upcoming events that include meals, bike runs, and games. All ideas are fundraisers for the WOTM, Moose Legion, LOOM, Moose Riders, and outside charities. Please consider attending, wear a mask, be diligent about sanitizing and kindly remind others to do the same. We have spaced our games out and all are running. Darts, bowling, golf, and pool are returning soon. If you are uncomfortable returning to the Lodge, there are still ways to show your support. Reach out to another member or officer to submit a donation or get into the raffles - you do not need to be present to win for most of them. Some of the meals that we will be selling will be served in to go containers and you can call your order in and pick it up under the car port all without every having to leave your car.

There will be a special election for 2nd and 1st Year Trustees held at the Lodge October 28th 3-6pm.

Finally I want to give a big thanks to those who have stepped up and helped with the Lodge during and after the shutdowns. There were many involved in doing Lodge repairs, upgrades, and deep cleaning. Daniel Wilkinson, Tim Morgan, Jeremy Tweedy, Jerry Knight your work did not go unnoticed and the Lodge looks amazing. Thank you to Jeff Crites from Certified Carpets for donating air ionizers during the first shutdown. Thank you to Jeff Braley "The Bug Man" for also donating air ionizers and continuing to bring them in on a regular basis. Thank you to Vickie Larson who has donated masks, wipes, and sanitizer and for not being afraid to use them on any of us. Most of all, thank you to Gretchen Dugan for keeping us all safe, for being a Moose, for being a friend, and for being you, we will all miss you.

*Rick Eidson*

*Administrator/Social Quarter Manager - Independence Moose Lodge 2414*

*Financial Director - Moose Legion MoKan4*

*Prelate - KC Lodge 10 Sugar Creek*

*Moose Legion Assistant Secretary - Independence Lodge 2414*



### From the Senior Regent

I would like to announce that Vickie Larson has been selected as our co-worker of the month.

Vickie has been a big part of the Moose family for many years. She has been a great friend to us all and has really gone above and beyond during this pandemic to keep us all safe.

We all appreciate you, congratulations.

Speaking of the pandemic, the annual Halloween parade has been canceled as most large events have been.

We will be hosting our annual Trunk or Treat October 24th 1pm-3pm. We will have safety measures in place to keep everyone safe and will follow all the rules set forth by the health department.

If you have any questions or want to participate in any events please reach out to myself or another WOTM officer. We are always looking for volunteers and new ideas.

Thank you and stay safe.

*Crystal Wolfe*  
*Senior Regent*

**Moose Birthdays**

Barbara Hall	10/01
Richard Zey	10/01
Charles Cox	10/01
Angela Flees	10/02
John Quirk	10/03
Kay Harris	10/04
Patty Hemberger	10/09
Sara Mayfield	10/09
Bobby Dotson	10/09
George Jones	10/10
Sylvia Krei	10/10
Jeannie Ownsbey	10/11
Lisa Young	10/13
Michael Chambers	10/13
Michael Jennings	10/14
Mike Gray	10/16
Julie Lynch	10/16
Donna Miller	10/16
Kimberly Doak	10/17
Glenda Harris	10/18
Joe Hemberger	10/18
Dean Brunkow	10/19
Carl Robinson	10/21
Linda Clemens	10/23
Michele Krause	10/23
Thomas Howard	10/24
Renee Griffith	10/24
Jerry Knight	10/24
Ron Knisley	10/24
Bruce Carter	10/25
Simon Olvera	10/27
Ginger Reddell	10/27
Sue Stufflebean	10/29
Frankie Liebi	10/29
James Walden	10/30

Happy Birthday  
Moose Brothers and  
Sisters!

**Moose****Anniversaries**

Bobby Benedict	1996
John Cichacki	1996
Jeffrey Grubb	1996
Neila Crist	1998
Diane Sanders	1998
Donna Schafer	1998
Shirley Schumacher	1998
Jo Slusarczyk	1999
Nancy Peters	2000
Patricia Collins	2001
James Parsons	2001
Mary Narramore	2004
Tearance Murphy	2004
Dale Higginbotham	2006
John Tripp	2007
John Bloom	2010
Steven Newman	2012
Doyle Dempsey	2012
Glenna Burris	2013
Melinda Barker	2014
Ray Brown	2014
Debi Moore	2017
Pam Burnham	2018
Brenda Kehler	2018
Rick Kehler	2018
George Jones	2018
Sondra Vanoster	2019
Renee Griffith	2019
Logan Zeigler	2019
James Coatney	2019

Thank you for your on  
going support and  
commitment!

**Lost your membership card?**  
**Call Rick 816-674-7542 or email**  
**lodge2414@mooseunits.org**

**Important Dates!**

**October 9th-11th** - Moose Legion Celebration KCK Moose Lodge 1999.

**October 24th 1pm-3pm** - Trunk or Treat (subject to Jackson County)

**October 24th 6pm** - Lodge Halloween Party - Ghoulish Dinner, games.

**October 28th 3-6pm** - Lodge Special Election

**November 7th 3pm** - Lodge Veterans Day Celebration

**Taco Kitchen is Back!**

Starting October 15th - 1st and 3rd Thursday - 5pm-7pm.

**Moose Legion Quarterback Combine!**

Football season is back and the Chiefs are stronger than ever! The Moose Legion has started a new fun and exciting game to play at each Chiefs game. The Moose Legion Quarter Back Combine will be played before the start of each game and during halftime. You toss a football into different holes for points. Each week the 1<sup>st</sup> place winner will get a liquor gift set and a Golden Ticket to hold on to until the Superbowl party. You can win more than once, but you will only get a single Golden Ticket. Full rules will be posted at each game.

**Halloween Party!**

We will be having our annual Halloween Party on Saturday October 24th at 6pm. Dress up and enjoy some fun, trivia and games. Ghoulish Dinner is just \$5 a bowl!

**Moose Legion Family Fun Day and Meeting!**

On Saturday September 12th the Moose Legion hosted it's first Family Fun Day! It was a great time. Members brought their children up to the Lodge to play games, blow bubbles, eat, dance and have fun in a safe environment. Everyone had a great time and we were all reminded of why we are Moose.

Starting in November, Moose Legion Family Fun Day will be the 2nd Saturday of each month. It begins with the monthly Moose Legion Meeting at 11:30am. All Moose Legionnaires in good standing may attend the meeting. Immediately following the meeting there will be activities either at the Lodge or outside the Lodge, such as bowling, mini-golf or trips to the area parks. That evening from 6pm-9pm, any Moose Legionnaire that attended the morning meeting will receive drink discounts at the Lodge Social Quarters.

We hope to see you all at the next Family Fun Day and remember  
*"Do some good thing for someone each day"*

**Raffles, Raffles, Raffles!****Moose Legion Samsung 43" Smart 4k UHD TV**

Tickets are \$5 each or 6 tickets for \$20.

Drawing will be Sunday November 22nd During the Chiefs Game.

**WOTM Baskets**

Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5.00. Write your name and phone number on the ticket and drop in the container for the basket you wish to win. Winners will be announced on Friday, October 2nd.

Italian Dinner Basket!  
Coffee Time Basket  
COVID-19 Survival Basket  
Sip and Enjoy - Wine Basket  
Kids Fun Basket

**Mo-Kan-Show-Me All-State Golf Tournament**

Painted Hills Golf Course  
Tee Time 8am October 10th  
2-Man Scramble  
\$75 Entry per golfer

For more information call Terry Mast 913-944-0068  
Or Rick Kaminski 913-909-5230

**Moose Riders**

The Moose Riders have not been real active this year due to the pandemic. However, we are planning a few rides before the season is over. Please join our Facebook group to stay up to date on our events. If you want more information about the Moose Riders or joining the group, please see our President, John Felton or Vice President Shawn Wolfe. We would like to see our group grow and welcome you all with open arms.




**Membership Retention**

Membership Retention Week is November 1st-7th and it's coming up fast! But there is no need to wait! If you know of someone who has not paid their dues, please reach out to them. It is important that we all continue to support the Moose. The Children at Mooseheart and Seniors at Moosehaven are dependent on our support.

**More Moose on our Facebook Page. [facebook.com/moose2414/](https://facebook.com/moose2414/)**

# October

Calendar subject to change. Check out the Rolling Billboard at the Lodge for updates and new events.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						
4	5 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	6 LOOM Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	7 WOTM Chapter Activity Night 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	8 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	2 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM	3 Poker - 1:00 PM
11 Moose Legion Conferral Lodge 1999 10am Moose Riders Meeting 6pm	12 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	13 LOOM General Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	14 WOTM Officers Meeting 6:30 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	15 Taco Night 5:00PM-7:00PM Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	16 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM	17 Poker - 1:00 PM
18	19 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	20 LOOM/WOTM Joint Meeting 6:00 PM Moose Legion Meeting Pool League 7:30 PM	21 WOTM Business Meeting 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	22 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	23 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM	24  Trunk or Treat - 1-3pm <div> <b>Halloween Party!</b>            6pm - Ghoulash Dinner.            Games, Prizes         </div>
25	26 Bowling League 6:00 PM Golden Tee Golf League 7:00 PM	27 SPECIAL ELECTION - 3-6pm LOOM General Meeting 6:00 PM Pool League 7:30 PM	28 Pool League 7:00 PM	29 Dart League 7:00 PM Pool League 7:00 PM	30 Queen of Hearts - 6:30 PM Moose Races - 7:00 PM	31 Poker - 1:00 PM

**Moose Legion Celebration  
Lodge 1999 KCK**  
 Golf Tournament, Horse Shoe Tournament, Dinners, and live music.

**Moose Legion  
Conferral  
Lodge 1999  
10am**

**Halloween Party!**  
 6pm - Ghoulash Dinner.  
 Games, Prizes

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