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Governors Word

Hello Fraternal Brothers and Co-workers,

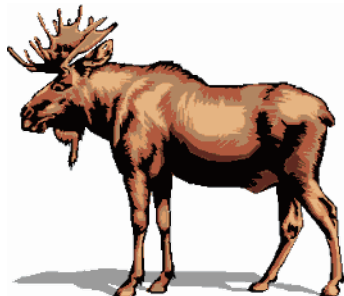
As I am leaving the office of Lodge Governor at the end of April, I wanted to remind all that new officers will be needed for the new fiscal year beginning May 1. The nominations committee will begin meeting March 09, 2016, so if you think you may wish to hold one of the positions as a Lodge officer, please contact me or the Lodge Administrator. We certainly will need to fill some positions.

I would like to thank the many volunteers who give their time and effort throughout the year to keep this lodge operating. It takes a lot of volunteers to keep our breakfasts, dinners, snack bar, social quarters running as well as for all activities and we can sure use your help. Any amount of, time you can volunteer will be appreciated by this membership.

The Lodge hosted a benefit dance on January 30 with music donated by the band "Backstreet". The event was for the purpose of helping those who suffered losses from the Lake County Valley Fire. With the money raised from this event and from an earlier rummage sale, the lodge will be donating \$1,500 to this cause. Thank you all who participated in this event.

Finally, keep in mind the privacy rules of all Moose lodges when non-member guests are brought in. Guests must be signed in by the member and the member is responsible for that guest. Children must be supervised at all times by the member or members that brought them in. Remember that a guest other than the spouse of a member or persons under the age of 21, may only visit the lodge twice before they must join the Moose. Guests in the lodge can only be in the lodge while as long as their sponsoring member is present. We hope that all guests will be treated in a fashion that will encourage them to become a part of our Moose family.

Dan Lovett, Governor



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MOOSE BINGO

**Every Tuesday
Early Birds start at 6 p.m.
Open to the Public.
80% payback.
Snack Bar Available.
JOIN THE FUN!**

CRIBBAGE CLUB

**Every Tuesday at 6:15 p.m.
9 Games \$7:00
Call Peggy or Rick Shea
444-3161**

**Want to learn how to play
cribbage? Call Peggy or
Rick Shea 444-3161**



Administrators Corner

As you know, increasing costs are affecting us all. As a result some price increases will be necessary within the Social quarters and possibly the kitchen. Any price increases will be made only as dictated by the increasing costs. In the Social Quarters well drink prices will not be increased. There is always reluctance to raise prices, but if we plan on enjoying this lodge in the future, it is prudent that we be able to pay our bills.

As always, I am bombarded with really great ideas. Many I think would be worth trying. The problem, however, usually relates to not having anyone to perform the work. We could do so many more things if we just had a few more members volunteer. It is so difficult to convince members to volunteer just a little time to their Lodge. This is true even though those that do take the plunge usually find that they enjoy the experience more than they ever expected. On that note I would like to recognize one of our newest members, Aaron Brown. Since he joined the Lodge, he has helped with breakfasts every Sunday. Further I would like to thank Sal Piazza for his dedication and commend him for taking the position of Kitchen Manager. He is doing a fine job and he will always help and encourage anyone who is reluctant about volunteering in the kitchen.

Lastly, Moose International requires that members show their membership card to the server in the Social Quarters when the order their first drink. To encourage this, the House Committee voted to grant a \$.50 discount on their first drink to members who volunteered their card. The purpose of this was to encourage showing the card and to help bartenders do their job. We believe this program has fulfilled its goal of apprising the membership of the requirement of showing their card. We can no longer afford this practice so the discount will be curtailed. The requirement of showing you card is still mandatory.

Fraternally,
Rich Newell



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New Members

Charles Graham, sponsor, Tom Fridley
Nathan Freeman, sponsor, Rich Newell
Joel Schroeder, sponsor, Tony Ruptak
Tracy McHatton, sponsor, Ken Bullis
Andre Coray, sponsor, Diann Allen
Jay Haymaker, sponsor, Blaine Ryan
Ray Spradling, sponsor, Warren Watkins
Dana Hendricks, sponsor, Robert Davis
Duane Kempf, sponsor, Robert Davis
Levi Clarkson, sponsor, Pat Bent

Happy Birthday!!!!

March

April

Max Corning	1	Michael Hill	1
Harold Slate	2	Howard Duckey	2
Stephen Owens	3	Chris Shelton	2
Robert Coffan	9	Tony Ruptak	4
Paul Nicklas	9	James Rossi	5
Rick Turk	10	James Hammann	7
Dave Davis	11	Marino Comesi	9
Lynas Elder	11	Gene Stiles	10
Steve Seagren	11	Roy Denning	17
John Arruda	12	Randy Kruger	17
Alfred Harter	12	Mike Willwand	19
Bob Meng	12	Walter Godsey	20
Mark Schall	13	Mickey Hulstrom	22
Walter Luper	14	Tom Kelsey	24
Kenneth Wenzel	15	Chris McBeth	26
Charles Graham	17	Gary Coleman	28
Patrick McNeil	17	David Smith	28
Robert Sylvester	17	Duke Diltz	29
Richard McKenna	19	Rick Robertsen	29
Lawrence Sousa	21		
Sal Piazza	22		
Robert Westberg	22		
Rick Priolo	24		
Larry Anderson	26		
Nicholas Williams	28		



Women of the Moose



Senior Regent

The Nominating Committee will be meeting in March, anyone that would like to be an Officer or a Committee Chairman, please contact a current Officer and let them know. Elections will be April 20 and Installation is on April 23. I want to personally thank all my Board of Officers, Committee Chairman, and Volunteers that helped to make this year successful.

Fraternally,
Liz Anagnost
Senior Regent



WOTM Fundraiser
Friday March 11
Prime Rib
By Fern-\$18.00
Karaoke by Duke

Please RSVP by Thursday at 5

Academy of Friendship
Fundraiser Dinner
Beef Stroganoff
Saturday April 16th

Please RSVP by Thursday at 5



Check out our Face Book
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&
Web site
<http://mooselodge636.org/>



LOOM & WOTM Officers and Committees

Loyal Order of the Moose #636

Jr. Past Governor.....Robert Davis
 Governor.....Dan Lovett
 Jr. Governor.....Blaine Ryan
 Prelate.....Russel Mills
 Administrator.....Rich Newell
 Treasurer.....Tom Fridley
 **1 Year Trustee.....
 **2 Year Trustee.....Tom Shaw
 ** 3 Year Trustee.....Steve Caprille
 Sergeant at Arms.....
 Inner Guard.....
 Outer Guard.....

Committee Chairmen

Membership.....Pending
 Ritual Director.....Pending
 Endowment Fund.....Rich Newell
 Audit.....Pending
 Public Relations.....Rich Newell
 Review Committee.....Pending
 Mooseheart-Moosehaven.....Pending
 Moose Legion.....Rich Wooten
 Sports.....Pending
 Family Activities.....Pending
 Community Service.....Rich Newell
 Government Relations.....Rich Newell
 Bingo.....Dan & Cindy Levett
 Publications.....Rich Newell/Diane Bent

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Women of the Moose Chapter #752

Jr. Grad Regent.....Shelia Miranda
 Senior Regent.....Liz Anagnost
 Jr. Regent Nita Brake-Mills
 Recorder.....Kathy Houx
 Secretary/Treasurer-Pro Tem..Kathy Webster
 Chaplain.....Nita Brake-Mills
 Guide.....Leah Rogers
 Assistant Guide.....Regi White

Standing Committees

Academy of Friendship (Aug).....Pending
 Star Recorder (Sept)Marie Wooten
 College of Regents (Nov).....Barbie Fields
 Family Involvement (Feb).....Pat Hill
 Ways & Means.....Board of Officers

Committee Chairmen

Mooseheart/Moosehaven (Oct).....Sheila Stickney
 Community Service (Dec).....Regi White
 Educational Advancement (Jan).....Janet Walling
 Moose Charities (March).....Fern Powell
 Health Awareness (April).....Diane Bent
 Membership Retention (May).....Donna Graves
 Publicity (June)Sonia Verville
 Youth Involvement (July)Pending

Women of the Moose

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Dear fellow Moose members,

I'm preparing for a monumental journey and I couldn't be more excited! From June 5th– June 11th, I will be riding my bicycle 545 miles from San Francisco to Los Angeles to support the life-saving services offered by the San Francisco AIDS Foundation and the Los Angeles LGBT Center, in the fight to end HIV/AIDS.

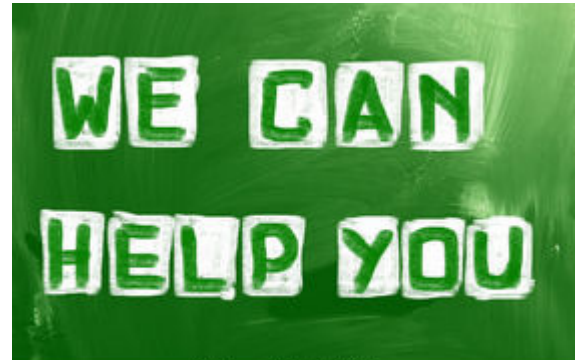
Preparing for this journey will require countless hours of training and preparation. As a participant in the AIDS/Life Cycle event, I will need to raise a minimum of \$3,000 to ride. For that, I'm asking you to support me by donating as generously as you possibly can. Every dollar counts for the people who rely on these services to survive. And every dollar brings me closer to being able to participate in this once-in-a-lifetime experience.

The money that is raised through the AIDS/Life Cycle also extends well beyond these two amazing organizations. Through the federal and state advocacy efforts of the San Francisco AIDS Foundation, Humboldt County continues to receive funds to support HIV/AIDS education, testing, and treatment in our community. This is why I am riding.

In addition, I will be hosting a Lasagna Fundraiser Dinner and Raffle at the Moose Lodge 636 on March 26 between 6 - 9pm and we would love it if you would join us!

If you want to find out more about the AIDS/Life Cycle event, the beneficiaries, or to donate, please visit <http://www.aidslifecycle.org/> . For any other questions, I have included my contact information below.

With much gratitude,
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 AIDS/Life Cycle
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Apr. 29, 2016 fundraiser

One of our members, George Reeves, has a horrible terminal illness. He is being cared for in his last days by his daughter who has limited funds. They need our help. The Mexican dinner on April 29 is being done by the Newells: Barbara, Richard, Sheila, Ruth and Sheila Miranda. They are donating the food. All of the proceeds will therefore be donated to this cause. There will also be a raffle. Please come and support this young man. He is the member who did the concrete work at the lodge's back entrance.