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# The Voice of the Moose

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Eureka Moose Lodge #636

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## Governors Word

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Hello Fraternal Brothers and Co-Workers:

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Well! This will be my finale post as your Moose Lodge Governor. It has been an honor to serve as the Governor for the past two years. Although I was unable to complete some of the goals I set for myself, the completion of the men's restroom and hallway is a great improvement for our lodge. I am also proud of our lodge's hosting of the first health fair, our success with the fundraisers for the Valley Fire Victims and our continued support of the community.

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Again, I would like to thank the many volunteers who give their time throughout the year as we continue to hold our weekly breakfasts and dinners. These activities are vital to the success of our lodge; and, we need more help. Every member should volunteer for some activity at the lodge. We cannot continually rely on the sacrifice of just a few members. Our core volunteers are doing way more than they should have to in order to keep our lodge going. All we are asking is for new volunteers to help with dinners, breakfasts, bingo, snack bar (on Tuesdays), or just helping on any other project. **Please be reminded that it is only through our volunteers that we can continue to operate this lodge.**

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Congratulations to the new Lodge Governor and Board of Officers and to the new officers of WOTM.

### MOOSE BINGO

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

Please remember the rules of our fraternity regarding guest of members. Guests must be signed in; they must always be accompanied by the member, they are limited to two visits as guests; and, the member is responsible for his/her guest at all times.

### CRIBBAGE CLUB

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

Dan Lovett, Governor

Hello Moose Brothers and Sisters,

Let me take a moment and thank Dan Lovett for faithfully and honorably serving our lodge as governor for the last two years.

My name is Blaine Ryan, I am excited to serve as our lodges new Governor. Our lodge is just that, it is our Moose Lodge and is as strong as its volunteers and members make it. Get involved!

What do you enjoy, bring that enthusiasm, thoughts and ideas to the next calendar meeting. Calendar meetings are where new ideas take root.

We have a great lodge with wonderful Moosers. To continue as a great lodge we need your involvement.

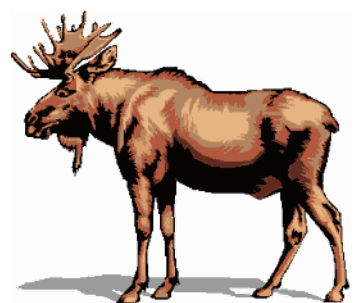
As your newly elected governor, I am excited to build and strengthen the relationship between the WOTM and LOOM. For without the WOTM, the lodge will struggle to survive. The WOTM are back on track and moving full steam ahead. Stay vigilant in your recruitment of more women.

Our lodge faces many challenges and has many projects on our horizon as a lodge we will prevail!

Thank you for your trust, in serving as your governor. I am available any time, call or text 707 599 5824, or approach me at the lodge.

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

Fraternally yours



Blaine Ryan  
Governor Elect 636



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The new fiscal year starts May 01. As I reflect on the past year, I particularly want to thank our outgoing Governor, Dan Lovett. He has been very active in this Lodge and has devoted many hours of service. Dan consistently has demonstrated that his leadership focuses only on what is beneficial for this lodge and its members. I also want to thank Tom Fridley and Bob Davis for their service on the Board. Both worked diligently for the members' interests. Our Board of Officers for this new year will have some new faces and some of the same. But, again, I am confident that this group of officers will continue to look out only for what is best for the membership and this Lodge. I am pleased to welcome Hilton Barlow as a new Lodge Trustee and the return of Patrick Bent as our new Treasurer. Joe Soares has stepped up to be our new Jr. Governor and Blaine Ryan will be the new Lodge Governor. All will do a fine job.

I cannot overemphasize the dedication that the Board of Officers demonstrates. They donate countless hours toward continual improvement in your lodge enjoyment. This is difficult when actions have to be based only on the presumed benefit to the members. You can make their job easier if each of you would participate in these decisions by attending the general meetings. You see: each and every member has the same voting rights as the Officers – 1 vote each. If you don't attend any of these meetings to voice your concerns or ideas or to vote, the board of officers can only assume what is best for you. That is a most difficult and unfair predicament for any dedicated officer. So please, make a resolution now to attend at least some of these general meetings to assist these officers to do what is best for you and the lodge.

As an important aside, that I am sure you are tired of hearing, volunteers are the only driving force in this fraternity's survival. If you invest no time as a volunteer, it is likely that you will witness the ultimate demise of this lodge. On the other hand, if you volunteer just a few hours you can insure the survival of your lodge and, I guarantee, will enjoy a whole new dimension in this family fraternity. Important: All members: Come to the new "Moose Lodge Dance Club" events on Monday nights. Dance to live music and enjoy the company of many dedicated Moose members. Thank you to those members who have formed this new addition to our Lodge. Let's support them.

Fraternally,  
Rich Newell

## New Members

Milo Johnson  
Ty Eby  
Mel McCornack  
James Lasell  
Jesiah Meng  
Elwood Price  
James Scheid  
Al Mendes  
Robert Martinez  
William Dann  
Jack Cline  
Bill Moehnke  
Thomas Testerman  
Aaron Kennedy  
Dave Klanecky

## Sponsors

Max Fletcher  
Kathleen Kirwan  
Dan Lovett  
Robert Lorensen  
Curt Meng  
Mary Kinones  
David Hayes  
Joy Frazier  
Rich Newell  
Kathy Webster  
Leona Baskette  
Robert Davis  
Bill Nichols  
Jay Haymaker  
Dan Lovett

## Happy Birthday!!!!

### May

Travis Ford 2  
Darrel Butterfield 5  
Robert Johnson 5  
Dan Gallagher 6  
Lowell Dell'era 8  
Steven Caprile 8  
James Miller 10  
Robert Bohrer 10  
Jim Widdoes 13  
Thomas Testerman 14  
Aaron Brown 14  
Michael St Clair 16  
Robert Hitchcock 17  
Dana Hendricks 18  
George Chase III 18  
Kent Battle 18  
Steven Cave 20  
Curt Meng 22  
Gary Chapman 23  
Raymond Costa 24  
Allen Hay 25  
Blaine Ryan 26  
Andre Coray 27  
Arlie Eglan 30  
Paul Bones 30

### June

Ed Dare 1  
John Tucker 1  
Byron Hauger 2  
Charles King 2  
Donald Burres 3  
Donald Murphy 3  
Marc Cram 5  
Joe Brown 6  
Richard Fridley 7  
Ken McClung 12  
David Hayes 14  
Nyle Henderson 14  
Brandon Ray 22  
Jerry Koval 22  
Mike Shanafelt 24  
Jason Slyter 25  
Ranjan Hatch 25  
Fred Keplinger 26  
Laroy Hake 26  
William Bowles 27  
Weston Parley 30



## NEWS BRIEF

This is my last newsletter I want to personally thank all my Board of Officers, Committee Chairman, and Volunteers that helped to make this year successful. I also want to introduce our new Senior Regent, Nita Brake-Mills, please read her letter below. Kathy Houx is returning as recorder, Kathy Webster is also returning as Secretary/Treasurer, and Sheila Stickney is Jr. Grad Regent. Please step up and fill the chairman seats.

Fraternally,  
Liz Anagnost  
Senior Regent

### May Birthdays

Vida Fry 1  
Bonnie Sanders 1  
Deedra Alexy 9  
Sheila Stickney 10  
M Fernanda Rhead 14  
Ann Klar 15  
Monique West 15  
Dorann Wolf 15  
Betty Foster 17  
Mary Riedel 21  
Ann Ferguson 22  
Marilyn Dunn 25  
Brenda Harp 25  
Betty Brennen 26  
Kristi Janowski 30  
Sarah Cory 31  
Pamela Stoner 31

### Happy New Year 2016/2017!

I am honored to be the newly elected Senior Regent of Eureka Women of the Moose Chapter #752. I have high hopes for this year. I am hoping to get more women involved in the WOTM meetings, which, by the way, **are the first and third Wednesday of the month beginning at 7 PM.** The Chapter is looking to build membership participation. I still have Committee Chairs to fill and request your help in keeping the Eureka Women of the Moose alive and thriving! We don't care if you joined the Moose to dance or play cribbage or bingo, we are looking for you to join us. Plan, make dinners, bake, create, have fun. Drink tequila, play games, have secret pals, the list is endless. I want your ideas! But it is up to us, the Women of Eureka Moose. We have a lovely lodge and lovely grounds and I inspire you to see and do much more. TOGETHER. I joined the Moose to make new friendships, and most importantly, to have fun! Why did you join?

Together we can help our local community and support our charities, Mooseheart and Moosehaven. We could sponsor a little league team. We could even become a new venue for the Jazz Festival. Please, turn that TV and computer off, and come join us. Bring us your talents, enthusiasm and love for your fellow co-worker-sisters in the Eureka Chapter of Women of the Moose. If you need help with transportation, please call one of us for ride. If you are a new member, please expect a welcome call from one of us. We will be getting a new phone number and will post it in the social quarters and in the next newsletter. We can encourage you to attend and to take a part in this wonderful fraternal organization. Chapter #752 looks forward to working with the newly elected Governor, Blaine Ryan and the Legion and I want to thank our new Board Members, Kathy Houx, Kathy Webster, and Sheila Stickney for stepping up to the plate. I wish Eureka Lodge and it's members the best for New Year 2016/2017!

Fondly,

Nita Brake-Mills (707) 834-4964  
Senior Regent Elect

### June Birthdays

Athleen Baker 1  
Joyce Hayes 2  
Colleen Smith 8  
Ann Poole 9  
Kathy Webster 9  
Sharon Bostwick 10  
Kathleen Combs 13  
Laurie Millerbis 17  
Jane Hanson 19  
Janeen Monon 19  
Bettie Albright 20  
Patricia Moe 22  
Janette Lytle 24  
Linda Hamm 26  
Kathryn McFarland 26  
Nancy Hodgson 30

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## LOOM & WOTM Officers and Committees

### Loyal Order of the Moose #636

### Women of the Moose Chapter #752

Jr. Past Governor.....Dan Lovett  
 Governor.....Blaine Ryan -(707)599-5824  
 Jr. Governor.....Joe Soares  
 Prelate.....Russel Mills  
 Administrator.....Rich Newell  
 Treasurer.....Patrick Bent  
 \*\*1 Year Trustee.....Steve Caprille  
 \*\*2 Year Trustee.....Tom Shaw  
 \*\* 3 Year Trustee.....Hilton Barlow  
 Sergeant at Arms.....  
 Inner Guard.....  
 Outer Guard.....

Jr. Grad Regent.....Liz Anagnost  
 Senior Regent.....Nita Brake-Mills - (707) 834-4964  
 Jr. Regent ..... Sheila Stickney  
 Recorder.....Kathy Houx  
 Secretary/Treasurer.....Kathy Webster  
 Chaplain.....  
 Guide.....  
 Assistant Guide.....

#### 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

#### Standing Committees

Academy of Friendship (Aug).....Fern Powell  
 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).....  
 Community Service (Dec).....  
 Educational Advancement (Jan).....  
 Moose Charities (March).....  
 Health Awareness (April).....  
 Membership Retention (May).....  
 Publicity (June) .....  
 Youth Involvement (July) .....

Loyal Order of the Moose  
 P.O. Box 6099  
 Eureka, CA 95502  
 Lodge Phone (707) 443-1073

Women of the Moose  
 P.O. Box 6617  
 Eureka, CA 95503

The Moose Dance Club will be meeting at Lodge #636,  
4329 Campton Road every Monday Night from 7 to 10 pm.  
There will be live music and the bar is open for your convenience.  
\$5.00 per person at the door

Band Schedule for May:

- May 2nd Real Country Plus
- May 9th Austin Alley
- May 16th Kenny Rae and the Mighty Rovers
- May 23rd Midnight Special

Band Schedule for June:

- June 6th Midnight Special
- June 13th Real Country Plus
- June 20th Yokels
- June 27th Real Country Plus



# Happy Mother's Day !

**May 8**  
**Mother's Day Breakfast**  
**8:30-8:30-11:00**  
 Omelets, Chicken fried pork

**May 13**  
**FISH & CHIPS**  
**BY BOB**  
**\$9.00**

**May 14**  
**Texas Hold'em**

**May 27**  
**NEW YORK STEAK**  
**By SAL**  
**\$16.00**



# Happy Father's Day



**June 10**  
**BBQ RIBS**  
 By SAL—\$12.00

**June 18**  
**Reuben Sandwich**  
**French-Canadian split pea soup**  
 by Sonia—\$7.00  
**Texas Holdem**

**June 24**  
**DEEP PIT BBQ**  
 By Tony, Tree & Crew  
**\$14.00**

**\*\*\* Special Event \*\*\***  
**Crabs Baseball & Barbeque at the Park**  
**Saturday July 2**  
**Details to follow**  
**Contact Blaine (707)599-5824**