

WEST BEND MOOSE NEWSLETTER!

October 2023 Monthly Publication
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Loyal Order of Moose #1398 and Chapter #732

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**OUR NEW CAMPAIGN FOR
2023/2024**

**"PROUD PAST,
BRIGHT FUTURE"**



- Joseph Schacht
- Karen Callen
- Brooke Carter
- Cynthia Carter
- Bonnie Herman
- Keith Herman
- Linda Felkner
- Dennis Liepert
- Brenda Klumb
- Maria Gutierrez Gurrola

Chapter Rally Days



West Bend Chapter 732

Invites you to a

Wicked Witches Weekend Getaway!

October 13th – 15th, 2023



October 14th - Saturday Night Dinner Reservations are REQUIRED!!!

Your choice of Chicken Corden Bleu or Beef Tips with sides, salad bar & dessert.

Please make your reservations with Kailyn Anderson (262) 808-3428

by October 4th!!!

Current Lodge Hours:

Monday: Meetings 7pm

Tuesday: 4:30pm-Close

Wednesday- 4:30-Close

Thursday- CLOSED

Friday: 4:30pm-Close

Saturday- Brat Fry 10-2pm

Sunday- CLOSED

Lodge Board of Officers
Lodge #1398

President - **Carol Jung**
Vice President- **Mike Schwai**
Jr. Past President - **Walter Pretsch**
Chaplin - **John Guillaume**
Administrator - **Jeff Kaebisch**
Treasurer - **Robert Miller**
Trustee - **Kathy Licht**
Trustee - **Russ Guillaume**
Trustee - **Eileen Mueller**
Sgt. at Arms-**Tom Holtz**
Inner Guard- **Carl Schad**
Outer Guard- **Ken Knop**

Letter from our President

Hello Moose Brothers and Sisters,

It's been a very busy month of September. Fall colors are starting to show and cooler temps are coming soon.

There were 21 members from our Lodge that attended the Wisconsin State Moose Conference in Stevens Point, WI earlier in the month. We came home with 3 awards! Wally Pretsch was awarded the Premiere Lodge Award for the year of 2022/2023. Jeff Kaebisch was awarded the Lodge Leadership Award for all of his work that he does for this Lodge and he was also awarded the Top Moose Legion award for Moose Legion 31. So please congratulate these 2 gentlemen when you see them at the Lodge.

MEMBERSHIP NEWS. We are down to 20 members on our expired list from May 1st till 08/28/2023. As of that date, we have 1,023 members. We gained 18 members and we have 38 new applications all since May 1st and our renewal rate is at 85%! Only 2 Lodges out of 29 are at this rate so we are on the right track! Keep up the good work of paying your dues when they come due.

Read the newsletter for all the upcoming events at the Lodge Remember our Motto for the year PROUD PAST BRIGHT FUTURE and things are looking bright at our Lodge.

Fraternally Yours,
Carol Jung
President



Dear Brother and Sisters,

General membership meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month except holidays & occasional special events. We invite you to attend these meetings, meet some of your fellow members & join in socializing that usually follows our meetings. Here you will learn about the workings of the lodge and the activities that we hope you and your family will enjoy.

Fraternally yours,
Carol Jung
Membership Chairman

The West Bend Lodge received the Premier Lodge coin during Convention at Stevens Point. THANK YOU to all our Moose Members for helping us in 2022-2023 for receiving this award!

~Past President Walter Pretsch



Join us for Lodge Meetings the 1st and 3rd meeting of the Month!
Meeting begins at 7pm. All members in good standing are encouraged to attend!

2023 Chapter Board of Officers
Chapter #732

Senior Regent - **Sarah Guillaume**
Jr. Past Regent - **Penny Norman**
Secretary - **Katti Schneider**
Treasurer - **Kae Anderson**

WOTM Chairmen

Membership/Retention - **Amy Kreutzer**
Fraternal Activities - **Marlene Wilde**
Mooseheart/Moosehaven - **Tammy Schmidt**
Higher Degrees - **Vickie Pretsch**
Application Review - **Helene Springer**

Chapter Rally Days!

It's HERE!!! IT'S FINALLY HERE!
Our LAST meeting is October 5th at 6:30pm.

Chapter Rally Days is October 13th - 15th. If you have not registered, please do so ASAP! Keep in mind, for all Members who are not joining us during Rally Days, but would like to join for Dinner on Saturday, it is by

RESERVATIONS ONLY!

Please make your dinner reservations with me by October 4th

Kailyn Anderson (262) 808-3428

Letter from our Senior Regent

Hello Sisters,

Welcome to a new month! I hope you all are having a great start to the month and are enjoying the cooler, fall weather!

October is our Mooseheart/ Moosehaven month, and our chairman Tammy, has some fun plans in store for all of us! She is holding a basket raffle this month on October 21st at the Kids Halloween party! Our community service project this month is a School Supply drive! Tammy will have a list posted of the desperate needs of the school right now, but other items like fruit snacks, granola bars, and other snacks are certainly welcomed as well! The first meeting of the month we will be having a Dip night! Committee members will bring their favorite dips to share after the meeting with everyone! The second meeting of the month, we will have Halloween themed snacks!

We are coming up fast on our annual Chapter Rally Day weekend! Sisters, I want to invite you to please come join us for a weekend of fun with our fellow sisters from throughout the state, and even a few from out-of-state! Chapter Rally Days will be held on October 13th - 15th! You can still sign-up, but please let our Rally Days chairman, Kailyn, know ASAP!

See you all around the lodge soon!

Fraternally yours,
Sarah Guillaume
Senior Regent



**Women of the
Moose**

**Join us for Chapter Meetings the 2nd & 4th Mondays of the
Month at 7pm!**

DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE IN NEED OF A GREETING CARD?

PLEASE CALL ELEANOR MURASKI 262-689-6256 FOR ALL CHAPTER MEMBERS

***IF YOU KNOW OF A FEMALE MEMBER THAT IS ILL, HAS DIED, NEEDS CHEERING UP, HAD A BABY, GOT MARRIED, ETC.
MAKE SURE YOU HAVE THEIR ADDRESS READY WHEN YOU CALL***

PLEASE CALL THE LODGE 262 - 338 -8122 FOR ALL LODGE MEMBERS



Help Support the Lodge

Craft Night ~ October 18th Pumpkins!!!

Supplies Needed: Genic Jenga pieces
Moss, ribbons, foam block, hot glue
gun, scissors. I will have the stems
& Jenga pieces.

Looking ahead:

Nov 15, 2023 Star Shelf

Curt Carter and I are building these
and need to be preordered.

3 stars (about 35" tall) \$20

2 stars (about 24" tall) \$15

1 star (15") \$10



Please reach out to Katti if you
would still like a Star Shelf but did not order one in time to
receive by September's craft night!

Any questions, ask for Katti Schneider!



German Night at the Lodge!!!

October 21st

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED!!!

\$12/person - Goulash Spaetzle, Red
Cabbage & Rye Bread

\$12/person - Pork Shank with garlic bread spaetzle,
red cabbage or kraut

Desserts included!!!

Make your reservations with the Lodge!

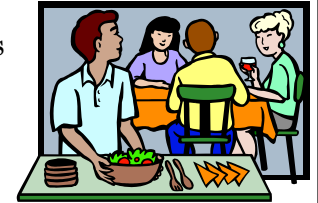
Need a Place for Your Party?

We have the perfect venue for you! We offer the lower level for \$150 per day, or the main level for \$250 per day! A \$50 deposit is due at the time of reservations, which will be returned when the hall is cleaned after the event.

We offer catering! A large menu of options! Bartenders are available \$10/hour additional to rental fee. Tablecloths and decorating available for additional charge. Contact us today to book your next event!!

Contract & deposit due upon reservation

***For Reservations : Moose Lodge Office 262-338-8122, Ask for Jeff**
*****Any Rental Lodge that Includes Dinner, 20% gratuity will be added to the bill.*****



ANY OPEN TO THE PUBLIC LODGE EVENTS, WE WELCOME YOU TO TAKE FLYERS AND POST AROUND THE AREA TO HELP GET INFO OUT IN THE PUBLIC EYE!! GRAB SOME ON YOUR WAY OUT!!

Please remember if you visit the lodge as a Guest, you are only allowed 3 visits & then you will have to become a member!

We value our members & need to encourage our guests to join our Moose Family! Thank you!!!

Bricks are still available for the Memorial Plaza! You can pick up a registration form at the lodge!





OCTOBER 2023



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Bulldogs BRAT FRY 10-2PM	2 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM	3 DARTS 7PM	4 CHICKEN DINNER 4:30PM - 7PM	5 CHAPTER RALLY DAYS MEETING 6:30PM	6 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM CHRIS HODGEN	7 BRAT FRY 10-2PM STEAK NIGHT! BOB BONEFANT
8 PANCAKE BREAKFAST 9-11:30 BRAT FRY 10-2PM	9 WOTM MEETING 7PM	10 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	11 Spaghetti Dinner 4:30pm - 7pm	12	13 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM GENE GRUBER	14 BRAT FRY 10-2PM
15 SHEEPSHEAD CARD PARTY MOOSE LEGION CELEBRATION LOWER LEVEL	16 MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM	17 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	18 WING NIGHT! 4:30 - 7PM CRAFT NIGHT	19	Chapter Rally Days Weekend!!!	
22 PANCAKE BREAKFAST 9-11:30 BRAT FRY 10-2PM	23 WOTM MEETING 7PM	24 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM	25	26	20 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM FUNDRAISER FOR JADON!	21 BRAT FRY! KID'S HALLOWEEN PARTY! GERMAN NIGHT! RESERVATIONS ONLY!
29	30	31 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM			27 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM JUKE BOX DAVE	28 BRAT FRY 10-2PM
			Kitchen Specials every week! Check our Facebook page or come in to see what's new.		For more entertainment information & times check out the Entertainment portion of our Newsletter!	

Events at the Lodge!

FISH FRY *Fundraiser* FOR JADON

WHEN?
FRIDAY OCTOBER 20
DRIVE THRU: 4:00-7:00PM
DINE IN: 5:30-8:30 PM

WHERE?
MOOSE LODGE
1721 CHESTNUT ST,
WEST BEND, WI 53095

FUN EVENTS
-50/50 RAFFLE
-RAFFLE BASKETS
8:00 PM DRAWING

DOWNTOWN HARRISON
WILL BE THERE

On July 15th, Jadon was in a life threatening motorcycle accident. Thankfully he was wearing a helmet, but the accident did extensive damage to the rest of his body. So far he has had 3 surgeries to help repair his very broken body. Jadon will be spending a few months in a wheelchair because he is not able to walk and put pressure on his broken pelvis. As of now the doctors are predicting that he will not be able to return to work for at least 12 months. Currently he lives on his own and has monthly bills to pay. Lets help him out and make sure he can continue to live on his own when he is all healed up.



Sheepshead League

♥ Sheepshead ♦ Card Party

Playing both Diamonds & Hearts Sheepshead

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Location: West Bend Moose Lodge, 1721 Chestnut St.

Date: October 15th, 2023
Starts at 1:00pm
Doors open at 11:30am
\$10 Entry Fee

Includes Lunch

Cash Prizes, Door Prizes, Raffles!!

\$1 off entry fee with donation of non-perishable food items for the local food pantry



October 21st, 1-4pm

Kid's Halloween Party!

The Lodge will be having Halloween games, crafts & costume contest! Kitchen & Bar will be open!

Basket raffles, treats & so much more!

Candy donations by Oct. 15th

Opened to Members & Qualified Guests ONLY!



Entertainment for the Month

Entertainment for October !

Fri-Oct 6th: Chris Hodgson is back with his country and classic rock music we all enjoy . ~ 6 pm to 9 pm ~

Sat-Oct 7th: Steak Night with a little something different as DJ Bob Bonelant will entertain us with playing a variety of music along with Trivia.

~ 5:30pm to 8:30 pm ~

Fri-Oct 13th: WOTM Chapter Rally Days weekend! We have a new entertainer who came very highly recommend by members. Gene Gruber will be entertaining us with a variety of music to enjoy our evening ~ 6pm to 9pm ~

Sat-Oct 14th: WOTM Chapter Rally Days

Saturday night entertainment at 5:30pm we have Island Karaoke & DJ Service with Mike and Robin Thompson. Witches night! Dress as a Witch!

Fri- Oct 20th: **Open to the public**

Fundraiser event for a young family member of dear members of the Lodge with a entertainer we all love at the Lodge ~ **DOWNTOWN HARRISON!**

Sat- Oct 21st: Tommy & Kathy Schwai are putting together a GERMAN FEST Night with entertainment by Roger Boll 5:30 pm.

Fri- Oct 27th: Juke Box Dave 6pm to 9pm celebrate Halloween style. Great idea Most nights with entertainment have wonderful desserts made by members for sale for \$2.00 & will also have Baskets Raffles for Breast Cancer Awareness month.

Money will go to our entertainment fund to be sure we keep having

great entertainment for all to enjoy.

As always any questions regarding entertainment you can address to me at the lodge or by emailing me at lvselvis@gmail.com .

You can also find me on Facebook and pm me your questions.

We appreciate all your love and support .

Sincerely,

LaDawn Lemerond, Entertainment Chairperson

Reasons to Sponsor or Renew Members

In Home Renewing Special

If two people in your home
1 male & 1 female
 renew at the same time
 you will receive

Buy 1 Get 1 Fish Fry Coupon

This has to be in the **Lodge ONLY!**



Sponsoring Special

When you sponsor 3 members into the lodge, you will receive a coupon for a

FREE Steak Dinner!

Special good until April 30, 2024!

New Lodge Membership Special!

If you sign up 5 members, then you get your choice of 1 year's Lodge dues for FREE or a gift certificate.

Lifetime Members will get a gift certificate

Interested???

Talk to your Lodge Board for more details!



MOOSE MEMBER CASINO BUS TRIP!!

Where	Wisconsin Dells Ho Chunk Casino
When	Friday, October 27 th
Time	Leave West Bend Moose 7:45am returns 4:15PM Meet in Moose Lodge parking lot by 7:30AM.
Cost	\$50.00 per person—includes bus trip, \$35 free play at Ho Chunk and a fish fry dinner at the Moose Lodge upon return to the Lodge.
Sign up	Sign up with Linda Michaud or available bartender—sign up sheet available behind bar—full payment due when signing up. This will be a fun day with your friends from the Lodge. You can bring snacks and drinks of your choice on the bus. Lots of fun and games on board! Maximum Passengers 54. Call Linda Michaud 414 750 2619 with any questions.



On October 7th, our fellow Moose Members will be apart of the Mission 71 Honor Flight.

Thank you to our members for your continued service to our Country!

We are honored to have you and all our Moose Veterans as part of our Moose Lodge 1398!

- * Bob Guth
- * Milt Renniecke
- * Darlene Walls
- * Bob Schmer

- * **October 13-15th - Chapter Rally Days**
Dinner reservations are required on the 14th
- * **October 15th - Sheepshead Card Party**
- * **October 21st - German Night at the Lodge!**
Reservations are REQUIRED!
- * **October 21st - Kid's Halloween Party!**
- * **December 15th - Christmas Spectacular with Duo "The Gebel Girls"! Featuring Rachel Christine from the Voice!**



Happy Birthday October!!



- Alan Jansen
- Alan Bruendl
- Alexander Pickering
- Amanda DeRuyter
- Ashley Dietrich
- Barbara Van Beek
- Beth Schmitt
- Billie-Jo Seiser
- Brad Boivin
- Brenda Anderson
- Brenda Klumb
- Brian King
- Carol Mueller
- Carolyn Lindemann
- Charles Gehring
- Chris Hodgson
- Christa Lange
- Craig Fischer
- Dan Duschene
- Daniel Guse
- Darlene Myers
- Dena Weber
- Dennis Leiberg
- Dennis Hopfensperger
- Duncan Kivell
- Eileen Mueller
- Ellen Prost
- Ellen Dolnick
- Eric Schmitz
- Evelyn Slais
- George Krueger
- Geraldine Schladweiler
- Glenn Naumann
- Irene Fechter
- James Fellenz
- James Stadelmayer
- Janet Dujmovic
- Jeff Kaebisch
- Jeffrey Mueller
- Jeffrey Biskobing
- Jennifer Kaebisch
- Jerome Strasser
- Jesse Witzlib
- Jessica Doinc
- Jill Waala
- Joan Beck
- Joanne Silbernagel
- John Carter
- Joie Alliet
- Joseph Schacht
- Kathey Schwai
- Kathleen Raether
- Kathy Schlafer
- Lawrence Spaeth
- Linda Johnson
- Lyle Hader
- Mary Pfeiffer
- Mary Maeder
- Mary Turenske
- Mary Ann Saueressig
- Michael Hay
- Milton Renniecke
- Miriam Radcliff
- Nick Mistrioty
- Noelle Mueller
- Patricia Kudronowicz
- Phyllis Odermann
- Richard Hills
- Richard Peters
- Rita Hanson
- Robb Elliott
- Ronald Vigo
- Ronald Ten Haken
- Ronald Epping
- Sean McGlenn
- Steve Fechter
- Susan Meyer
- Tamara Glodowski
- Terry Felkner
- Terry Suminski
- Thomas Gassner
- Thomas Woltring
- Thomas Holz
- Tom Hoogester

IF YOU DO NOT SEE YOUR BIRTHDAY HERE, PLEASE CONTACT US WITH YOUR BIRTHDAY TO UPDATE OUR SYSTEM. SORRY!



BRING THIS COUPON IN DURING YOUR **BIRTHDAY MONTH ONLY** TO REDEEM **1** FREE DRINK!



Wisconsin & International Moose Highlights!



State Chairmen

State Community Service Chairman- **Helen Kiefer**

State Moose Booster Chairman - **Jeff Kaebisch**

State School Support Chairman - **Tammy Schmidt**

State Sports Chairman - **Debbie Guillaume**

Donor Circle Chairman - **Vickie Pretsch**



Wisconsin State Sports News

Upcoming Tournaments!

- * State Pool: October 21st, Kenosha Lodge 286
- * 2025 State Horseshoes ~ West Bend Lodge 1398!

Thank you to all the volunteers that helped for the State Horseshoe Tournament on August 18th -20th . It truly takes a village to make things happen and this Lodge has the best village anyone could ask for!

Here are the results for our players:

- Men's Class A doubles Dan Duschene & Tom Costa 4th
- Men's Class B Jeff Schwitz & Dale Kufahl 3rd ; Dewey Ajack & Cory Wiedmeyer 4th
- Women's Doubles Class A Debbie Guillaume & Emma Kaebisch 2nd ; Pam Carter & Jo Smith 3rd
- Women's Doubles Class B Judy Duschene & Kris Costa 2nd ; Judy Lehmann & Sarah Guillaume 3rd ; Jennifer Kaebisch and Rita Boegel 4th.
- Singles Women's Class A Jo Smith 2nd ; Debbie Guillaume 3rd.
- Singles Women's Class B Sarah Guillaume 4th.
- Singles Women's Class C Judy Lehmann 1st ; Judy Duschene 2nd
- Men's Class A Tom Costa 3rd ; Jerry Zieja 4th
- Men's Class C John Guillaume 3rd
- Men's Class D Cory Wiedmeyer 2nd ; Dewey Ajack 3rd ; Dale Kufahl 4th
- Men's Class E Josh Guillaume 3rd ; Jeff Schwitz 4th ; Dan Duschene 6th
- Mixed Doubles Class A Jo Smith and Huntzie Puestow 2nd ; Debbie Guillaume & John Guillaume 3rd
- Mixed Doubles Class B Tom Costa & Kris Costa 1st ; Jeff Schwitz & Judy Lehmann 3rd ; Judy Duschene & Dan Duschene 4th ; Sarah Guillaume & Dale Kufahl 5th

In total we made 81 team points to get to keep the 43 year old team trophy.

OCTOBER 21, 2023

WISCONSIN MOOSE STATE POOL TOURNAMENT

KENOSHA MOOSE LODGE 286

\$60.00 ENTRY FEE PER TEAM EVENT
\$80.00 ENTRY FEE PER TEAM EVENT
(If mailed/postmarked after October 5th)

\$10.00 PER PERSON FOR SINGLES EVENT

8:00 – 10:00 AM REGISTRATION

10:00 – 6:00 TEAM TOURNAMENT

SINGLES TOURNAMENT AFTER COMPLETION OF TEAM TOURNAMENT IF TIME PERMITS

CASH PRIZES BASED ON AMOUNT OF EN-

TRIES

SEND AND MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO
KENOSHA MOOSE LODGE 286
3003 30TH AVENUE – KENOSHA – WI –
53144

FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE DURING THE TOURNAMENT

AS WELL AS RAFFLES, 50/50'S AND MUCH MORE!!

COME HAVE A GREAT TIME WITH US!!



WOTM Chapter 732 Highlights!!

MONTHLY COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

School Supply Drive!



We will be collecting items that schools in our area desperately need now and throughout the school year! Tammy will have a list of those specific items. Fruit snacks, granola bars and other snacks are always needed!

Thank you!

Academy of Friendship

October 25th, 2023

\$10/person

Please RSVP to Vickie Dretsch



WOTM Meetings

October Meetings

Monday 9th & Monday 23rd at 7pm

All WOTM in good standing are encouraged to attend!

Wisconsin Moose Legion 31 Highlights!!

Next Celebration October 15th

West Bend Lodge 1398

We will be conducting our meeting in the lower level of the Lodge.

Come join us!



Moose Legion 31 was awarded Top Moose Legion Award at our annual conference back in September up in Stevens Point, WI.
Way to go Moose Members!!!