

# WEST BEND MOOSE NEWSLETTER!

April 2026 Monthly Publication

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Loyal Order of Moose #1398 and Chapter #732

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**OUR NEW  
CAMPAIGN FOR  
2025-2026**

**"MOVING  
FORWARD,  
GIVING BACK"**



- Michael Kuhnike
- Elysa Schill
- Mary Klumb
- Troy King
- Kelley Limbech
- Joan Truog
- Douglas Crass
- Nancie Crass
- Adeline Peters
- Dawn Giove
- Joseph David
- Katelyn David
- Harold Rose
- Tracy Ko Hun
- David Weske
- Jean Yahr
- Steven Yahr
- Alison Staehle

## Current Lodge Hours

Monday: Meetings 7pm

Tuesday: 4:30pm - Close

Wednesday: 4:30pm - Close

Thursday: CLOSED

Friday: 4:30pm - Close

Saturday: Brat Fry

10am - 2pm



# Letter from our President

## Lodge Board of Officers

### Lodge #1398

President - **Debbie Guillaume**  
Vice President– **John Guillaume**  
Jr. Past President - **Carol Jung**  
Chaplin - **Ken Knopp**  
Administrator - **Jeff Kaebisch**  
Treasurer - **Kathleen Kaebisch**  
Trustee - **Bob Miller**  
Trustee - **Mike Schwai**  
Trustee - **Sue Herman**  
Sgt. at Arms – **Penny Norman**  
Inner Guard – **Ron Hausner**  
Outer Guard - **Tom Holtz**

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

**Hello Brothers and Sisters,**

As we come to the end of our Moose year, please help us finish our year strong.

Continue to invite your family and friends to join us at our Moose home. We have a membership dues special running from now until April 30, 2026. Pay for three years dues for \$100.00 and you will save \$20.00.

This promotion needs to be paid at the lodge only. You can pay your dues early if you want to enjoy the discount.

Thank you to all our volunteers who came to the volunteer dinner on March 26th . Without you, we couldn't keep holding all the events, dinners, fundraisers and keeping out lodge home clean.

Congratulations to Sue Mansmith on being our Volunteer of the Year.

I would like to invite you to our joint installation on April 20th with the Chapter's officers being installed at 6:30pm and the Lodge officers being installed right after. This is a great way for you to know who the officers are and to share any ideas for events with us. Plus we hold an orientation meeting after the lodge membership meeting on the third Monday of each month. If you have never attended one, please feel free to join us.

Just a friendly reminder, that as of August 1st a spouse can enter the lodge as a qualified guest (2) two times regardless if they have been entering in the past with no limit. After their two visits they must join or not enter the lodge as a guest. This is a new general laws rule that was voted on at the International Convention. Any questions, contact the TM, Mike Rynearson, for clarification. Thank you to everyone who keeps sponsoring new members into the Lodge.

Join us for Lodge Meetings on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month at 7pm.

Fraternally Yours,  
**Debbie Guillaume**  
President



**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!**

**2025/2026 Chapter Board of Officers**

**Chapter #732**

Senior Regent - **Carol Purgett**

Jr. Past Regent - **Vacant Position**

Secretary - **Michelle Knop**

Treasurer - **Katti Schneider**

**WOTM Chairmen**

Membership/Retention - **Carol Jung**

Fraternal Activities - **Marlene Wilde**

Mooseheart/Moosehaven - **Wendy Werner**

Higher Degrees - **Kae Anderson**

Application Review - **Helene Springer**

Financial Review - **Penny Norman**

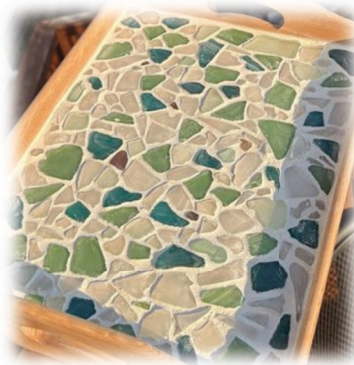
**Craft Night!**

**April 15th at 6pm**

**Mosaic Tray**

**Supplies needed**

- Patterned plates/ bowls or sea glass pieces
- Tray of your choice
- Sponges
- Putty knife
- Premixed grout
- Hot glue gun/glue



# **Letter from our Senior Regent**

## **Hello Sisters!**

Believe it or not, it is actually suppose to be Spring.

Wishing everyone a Happy Easter.

Mid Year conference in Brookfield was a sight to behold. The theme was patriotic and everyone was showing true spirit with their colorful outfits. Shout out to Tammy Schmidt and her parade team for placing first in the float parade.

Chapter elections have concluded, and installation will take place in the near future. Further details will be provided soon.

Marlene Wilde is the Fraternal Activities chairperson for April and will host mystery raffle baskets to raise funds for Wanaki Wildlife Rehabilitation Center. Tickets are available on Tuesdays and Fridays. A small mystery basket is drawn each Friday at 8pm, and the large mystery basket will be drawn on April 24th at 8pm. April committee members should contact Marlene for ways to help.

If you like playing bingo, you'll want to come Saturday, April 18th. Chapter will be sponsoring a Gift Card Bingo to raise funds for the cooler urgently needed for the kitchen or any other lodge bill that needs immediate attention. Doors open at 11am. Games to start at 12pm and conclude at 4pm. We are looking for gift cards/ certificates as prizes; for example, gas, grocery, spa, beauty, fast food, restaurant, etc. Any donations can be placed in the WOTM mailbox outside the lodge office door or see a Chapter board officer. Members and qualified guests only. Pre-registration is HIGHLY RECOMMENDED!

We hope to see you at our next Chapter meeting which are held the 2nd and 4th Mondays at 7pm.

**Fraternally Yours,  
Carol Purgett, Senior Regent**



**Women of the  
Moose**

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

**DO YOU KNOW OF A MEMBER WHO HAS PASSED? OR IN NEED OF A CARD,  
WELL WISHES OR THOUGHTS & PRAYS?**

**PLEASE CALL CAROL PURGETT (262) 677-2890 for all Chapter Members who have passed, are sick or in need of some cheering up**

**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.**

Have You Moved? Change your  
phone number?

Or got a New Email Address?

Please make sure you reach out to the Lodge and WOTM Boards to update all your current information! In order to stay up to date with all that is going on at the Lodge, we want to make sure our members are getting the necessary information!

Please make sure your phone numbers, emails and address are current with our Moose Lodge!

**In Home Membership  
Renewing Special!**  
Starting November 1st  
through April 30th, 2026.

If you renew your dues **AT THE LODGE ONLY**, then you can renew for 3 years of membership for only \$100!

You will save \$20!

This only happens if you renew your Lodge dues at the Lodge!!!  
Save today!



# Help Support 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.

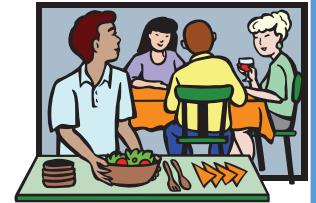
We offer catering! A large menu of options! Bartenders are available \$10/hour additional to rental fee. Tablecloths and decorating available for additional charge.

Contact us today to book your next event!!

\*Contract & deposit due upon reservation\*

\*For Reservations : Moose Lodge Office 262-338-8122,

Ask for Kathy Kaebisch (wbmoosehallrental@yahoo.com)



\*\*\*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!!**

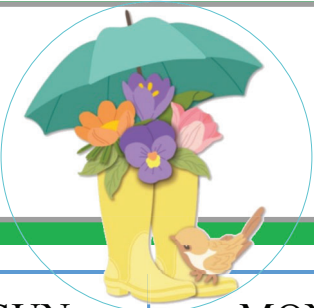
**Please remember if you visit the Lodge as a GUEST, you are ONLY allowed 2 visits & then you have to become a member!**

**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!





# APRIL 2026



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 STEAK SANDWICH	2	3 <u>FISH FRY</u> 5:00-8:00PM	4 <u>BRAT FRY</u> 10AM - 2PM <u>KID'S EASTER PART!</u>
5	6 <u>MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM</u>	7 <u>BAGGS LEAGUE TACOS/BURGERS</u> 4:30-6:30PM	8 SPAGHETTI DINNER 4:30 -7 PM	9	10 <u>FISH FRY</u> 5:00-8:00PM <u>JUKEBOX DAVE</u> 6-9PM	11
12 <u>SHEEPSHEAD CARD PARTY</u> DOORS OPEN 11:30AM	13 <u>WOTM MEETING 7PM</u>	14 <u>BAGGS LEAGUE TACOS/BURGERS</u> 4:30-6:30PM	15 <u>WING NIGHT!</u> <u>CRAFT NIGHT!</u>	16	17 <u>FISH FRY</u> 5:00-8:00PM	18 <u>BRAT FRY</u> 10AM - 2PM <u>WOTM GIFT CARD BINGO!</u>
19 <u>BRAT FRY</u> 10AM - 2PM	20 LODGE & CHAPTER INSTALLATION <u>MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM</u>	21 <u>BAGGS LEAGUE TACOS/BURGERS</u> 4:30-6:30PM	22	23	24 <u>FISH FRY</u> 5:00-8:00PM <u>JESSE &amp; JAMES FUNDRAISER</u>	25 
26 <u>BRAT FRY</u> 10AM - 2PM	27 <u>WOTM MEETING 7PM</u>	28 <u>BAGGS LEAGUE TACOS/BURGERS</u> 4:30-6:30PM	29	30 <u>HORSESHORE MEETING</u> 6:30PM		
			<b>Kitchen Specials every week!</b> Check our Facebook page or come in to see what's new.		<b>For more entertainment information &amp; times check out the Entertainment portion of our Newsletter!</b>	

## Events at the Lodge!



**MOOSE LODGE 1398**  
**2026**  
**GOLF OUTING**  
MONDAY  
**JUNE 22, 2026**  
REGISTRATION 8:00 - 9:00 AM  
SHOTGUN START 10:00 AM  
DINNER 4:00 PM

**YOU'RE INVITED TO HELP SUPPORT MOOSEHEART & MOOSEHAVEN!**

HON E KOR GOLF COURSE, KEWASKUM, WI

**\$150 PER GOLFER INCLUDES:**

- CART, 2 DRINK TICKETS
- FOUR PERSON 18 HOLE SCRAMBLE
- ALL YOU CAN EAT: BREAKFAST SANDWICHES (9-11); BRATS AND BURGERS (11-2)
- DINNER: PORK STEAK DINNER
- RAFFLES & MONEY PRIZES
- BEAT THE PRO 50/50
- 27 MAJOR HOLE PRIZES
- PUTTING GREEN

**\$30 PER PERSON DINNER ONLY (LIMIT 216 GOLFER)**

- 2 WINNERS: 1/2 BEEF RAFFLE
- BOOZE RAFFLE
- WIN A RENTAL CAR
- PERKY'S SPIRITS

**REGISTRATION DUE BY SATURDAY, JUNE 13**  
**SCHWAI'S INC.**  
**262-692-2731**



## Why Join the Women of the Moose

While the Women of the Moose (WOTM) have changed over the past 112 years, the mission and purpose has not.

**WOTM are the sole providers of the following:**

- Moosehaven Daily Needs
- Mooseheart Feed a Home in December
- Mooseheart Boys & Girls Athletic Programs
- Moosehaven vision, hearing and dental needs
- Christmas on both campuses
- Mooseheart Music Program
- Mooseheart Special Activities fund
- Mooseheart Physical and Occupational Therapy
- Moosehaven Pharmacy Assistance
- Mooseheart Photography
- Mooseheart new child Right Start
- The Moose Lodge(s) do not donate to any of the above monthly projects.

**As you see how important the works of our chapters are. Please consider this if you are thinking about joining a chapter or renewing your \$15 Chapter dues.**

# Dates to Look Forward to!

## Cornhole League!

If you are interested in joining the Lodge Cornhole League, we will start on April 7th and run for 5-6 weeks. Games will start either at 6pm or 7pm, depending on number of teams that sign up.

Please contact Debbie Guillaume to sign up at [dguillaume2015@gmail.com](mailto:dguillaume2015@gmail.com)

**Must be a Moose Members to play!**



**Playing both Diamonds & Hearts  
Sheepshead**

## **Card Party**

**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

**Location: West Bend Moose Lodge  
1721 Chestnut St.**

**Date: April 12th, 2026**

**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 items for the food pantry**



**SAVE THE DATE**

- \* ***April 4th - Kid's Easter Party***
- \* ***April 7th - Cornhole League Starts***
- \* ***April 12th - Sheepshead Card Party***  
***(OPEN TO THE PUBLIC)***
- \* ***April 18th - WOTM Gift Card Bingo***
- \* ***June 22nd - Lodge Golf Outing***
- \* ***July 12th - Moose Night at Slinger Speedway***  
***Moose-a-Thon - June 19th - 20th***

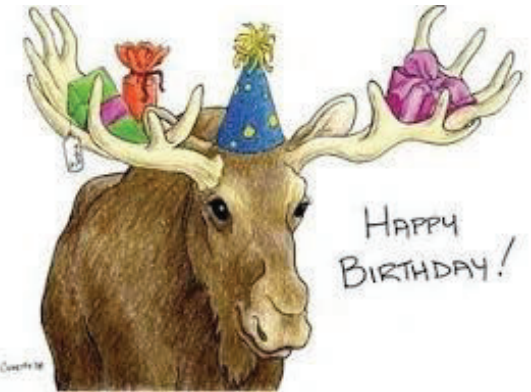
**Save the Date!**



# Happy Birthday April!!!



- Al Pawlicki
- Amanda Polze
- Ange Jones
- Bill Becker
- Brenda Hetebrueg
- Bruce Biendarra
- Carol Habram
- Carol Hurth
- Carol Martin
- Charles Krentz
- Chris Jenkins
- Cindy Marx
- Cory Brayshaw
- Dan Sutherland
- Darlyne Rauh
- Dave Smithers
- David Denis
- David Kreutzer
- David Schwanz
- Debbie Puestow
- Dennis Cybela
- Dennis Phillips
- Donald Haug
- Ed Draeger
- Emma Kaebisch
- Gary Spiel
- Glenda Krystosek
- Jack Baker
- Jackie Koller
- James Flitter
- James Reetz
- Jane Fellenz
- Jason Kemnitz
- Jean Stopar
- Jeana Church
- Jennifer Spaeth
- Jeremy Moore
- Jeremy Springer
- Joan Casetta
- John Spors
- Joseph Herbst
- Judith Mottl
- Judy Duschene
- Karen Roethle
- Kathy Fish
- Kathy Montag
- Kay Shaffer
- Kenlyn Knop
- Kenneth Betz
- Kim Ehardt
- Kim LaPoint
- La Mont Albers
- Leticia Chavez
- Lila Smick
- Linda Scherwinski
- Lloyd Uelmen
- Louise Crass
- Mark Starszak
- Mary Fisher
- Mary Mueller
- Matt Ehardt
- Melissa Huttner
- Michael Schwai
- Michael Truog
- Michael Wolf
- Nathan Norton
- Nichole Baird
- Paul Britz
- Pete Smith
- Randall Liepert
- Ricardo Almeda
- Richard Fait
- Robert Klass
- Robert Steffen
- Ronald Guse
- Rosalie Ritger
- Rosella Blum
- Ryan Laduke
- Sarah Grotkiewicz
- Scott Abel
- Scott Hoogester
- Scott Jurss
- Stacy Feltes
- Steve Miller
- Teomarly Herrers
- Teri Krell
- Tim Kunick
- Torey Olstad
- Tracy Jurgensen Barnes
- Tyler Mintzlaff
- Walter Pretsch
- Wayne Scherwinski



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

Moose Legion Ambassador & Assistant Territorial Manager -

**Jeff Kaebisch**

State Moose Charities School  
Support Chairman - **Amy Kreutzer**

State Sports Chairman - **Debbie Guillaume**

Donor Circle Chairman - **Vickie Pretsch**

WMA Activities Chairman - **Tammy Schmidt**

301 Darts Chairman - **Jim Guillaume**

Horseshoe Chairman - **John Guillaume**

## District 3

**Next Meeting**

**April 8th at 7pm**

West Bend Lodge 1398

Come get involved at the District Level!

WOTM Chapter 732

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Gift Card  
**BINGO**

April 18th

Doors Open: 11am  
Games: 12pm - 4pm

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**Moose Members  
& Qualified Guests  
Only!**

**10 Games (6 cards/game) - \$30**

**Additional 3 cards/game - \$15**

**Coverall Game - \$10**

**Pre-Registration is  
HIGHLY RECOMMENDED!**

**Register with Katti Schneider**

**Call or Text (920) 207-3175**

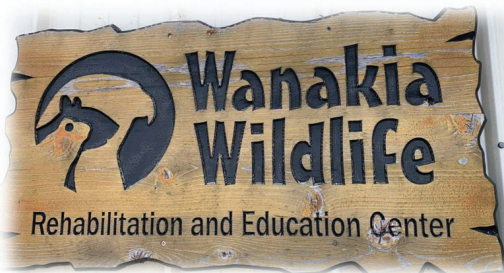
# WOTM Chapter 732 Highlights!!

## MONTHLY COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

### Wanaki Wildlife Rehabilitation Center

Please join us at one of our monthly meeting to learn how you can help support and collect

necessary items to help our friends at the Wanaki Wildlife Rehabilitation Center.



## **Academy of Friendship**

April 22nd at 6pm  
The Kettle in Slinger  
RSVP to Katti Schneider



## WOTM Meetings

April Meeting Nights  
Monday, April 13th & 27th 7pm

*All WOTM in good standing are encouraged to attend!*

# Wisconsin Moose Legion 31 Highlights!

## **Next Celebration**

**April 19th**  
**Racine Moose Lodge**

**Higher Degree Meeting at 11am**  
**Moose Legion at 1pm**

