

WEST BEND MOOSE NEWSLETTER!

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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"**



- Chad Eibs
- Mary Dotzler
- Cynthia Jahn
- Timothy Jahn
- Martha Heltsley
- Tom Backler
- Beth Moser
- Ariel Guilluame

WELCOMING
OUR NEW MEMBERS



Lego Show at West Bend Moose Lodge 1398!

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

Bring all your friends and family down for an amazing
2 days of fun with everyone's favorite toy, THE LEGO!!!

Saturday, January 24th

Sunday, January 25th

Great Opportunity to make new friends and
invite new members to join!

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

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

Letter from our President

Hello Brothers and Sisters,

I hope you had a wonderful holiday season with friends and family. Thank you to everyone that came down to the Moose Lodge and enjoyed all the different events we had. I would like to thank all the volunteers that helped and/or organized these events.

In January, we are starting to look for new board of officers for next year. If you're interested in learning more, then please feel free to reach out to me or any of the Lodge board of Officers. We would love to have some new members so we can get some new ideas for events.

Have you volunteered at the Moose since May 1st, 2025? We have started to plan our volunteer dinner for this year. Please see your newsletter in February or stop in for more information.

We now have a Power Point presentation that has the upcoming events along with other information for our members. Please check out the information while you're here.

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.

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**

All Past Regents Month!

**Celebrating all our Leaders who have
helped guided our**

Chapter to where it is today!

**If you see one of our Past Regents,
say Hi and thank her!**

**Without them, our Chapter wouldn't be
as successful as it is!**

Letter from our Senior Regent

Hello Sisters!

Welcome to 2026! A new year brings us endless possibilities. Be the highlight in someone's day and reach out to them with a phone call, invite for a cup of coffee or better yet, dinner at the lodge.

Have you wondered what the Women of the Moose do and why be a member of Chapter? Women of the Moose Chapter members provide social, sports, family and community service opportunities in a fraternal setting. Chapter members dedicate many volunteer hours to those in need, not only in their own Chapter but, more importantly, to those in their communities. Come to the 2nd or 4th Monday night meeting at 7pm or talk with a Chapter member to learn more.

**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.

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

**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.

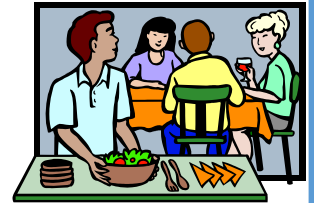
Contact us today to book your next event!!

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!**





JANUARY 2026



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM	3 <u>BRAT FRY</u> <u>10AM - 2PM</u>
4	5 <u>MEMBERSHIP</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u>	6 <u>DART NIGHT</u> TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM	7 STEAK SANDWICH	8	9 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>JOE KADLEC</u> <u>6-9PM</u>	10
11	12 <u>WOTM</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u>	13 <u>DART NIGHT</u> TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM	14 SPAGHETTI DINNER 4:30 -7 PM	15	16 <u>FISH FRY</u> <u>5:00-8:00PM</u>	17
18 	19 <u>WOTM</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u>	20 <u>DART NIGHT</u> TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM	21 <u>CRAFT NIGHT!</u> <u>WING NIGHT!</u>	22	23 <u>FISH FRY</u> <u>5:00-8:00PM</u> <u>BOB BONENFANT</u> <u>6-9PM</u>	24 <u>LEGO SHOW!</u> <u>OPEN TO THE</u> <u>PUBLIC!</u> 
25 <u>LEGO SHOW!</u> <u>OPEN TO THE</u> <u>PUBLIC!</u>	26 <u>MEMBERSHIP</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u>	27 <u>DART NIGHT</u> TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM	28	29	30 <u>FISH FRY</u> <u>5:00-8:00PM</u>	31
			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!

Winter Sheepshead League!

If you are interested in joining the Wednesday night Sheepshead league, please contact Darlene Myers at 262-629-9121. Our next session begins on January 7th and ends on February 25th.

Must be a Moose Members to play!

Craft Night!

January 21st at 6pm

This month's craft project will be Mason Jars!
You can bring your own jar or if you would like Victoria to pick you up some, then payment can be made the night of the craft. Any questions, please call or text Victoria!
Victoria (262-685-7329)



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!

Interested in an Afternoon Tea Party???

We are looking to organize a committee for all those interested!

January 14th at 6pm

We will discuss how to plan this awesome event while enjoying some spaghetti dinner!

SAVE THE DATE

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

- * **January 21st - Mason Jar Craft Night**
- * **January 24th - 25th - Lego Show at the Lodge!**
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!
- * **February 15th - Sheepshead Card Party**
- * **February 22nd, - Cribbage Tournament**
- * **March 31st - Dart Banquet**

Sheepshead **Card Party**

Playing both Diamonds & Hearts Sheepshead

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Location: West Bend Moose Lodge, 1721 Chestnut St.

Date: February 15th, 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**





Happy Birthday January!!!



- Abbe Duenkel
- Adam Eckl
- Allen Rothman
- Andy Maney
- Beverly Ritger
- Bob Chipman
- Bonnie Christ
- Bonnie Cybela
- Candace Benter
- Cathy Schwai
- Charles Larson
- Cheryl Hay
- Chris Jones
- Chuck Weir
- Daniel Breuer
- Daniel Coulter
- David Publitz
- David Wagner
- Don Shane
- Donald Dricken
- Earl Lebakken
- Ellie Olson
- Elmer Woods
- Erica Albrecht
- Evelyn Wolf
- Frank Monroe
- Georgia Fiedler
- Helen Wolf
- James Braatz
- James Schwai
- Jeffrey Winkel
- Jennifer Kilgore
- Jennifer Stange
- Jerald Esselmann
- Jerome Wiedmeyer
- Joan Dow
- John Biskobing
- Jon Marx
- Joseph Zwirlein
- Josh McCutcheon
- Karen Kivell
- Kathleen Mulvihill
- Kenneth Kaster
- Kim Biskobing
- Kim Halsey
- Kurt Ullrich
- Larry Crass
- Lucille Sincere
- Maegen Sienko
- Margaret Becker
- MaryKuehl
- Maryann Koreen
- Matthew Wimmer
- Michael Bath
- Michael Bodden
- Michael Koehn
- Pamela Carter
- Patricia Dornacker
- Patrick Brown
- Richard Fisher
- Richard Hirschboeck
- Roger Breuer
- Rudy Smick
- Sally Jurss
- Sami George
- Samuel Schmidt
- Sarah Guillaume
- Scott Glamann
- Sharon Mueller
- Stanley Steinert
- Steve Binkley
- Steven Lehman
- Steven Naumann
- Theresa Russell
- Thomas Ihlenfeld
- Thomas Spors
- Tony Perez
- Trisha Faber
- Vickie Pretsch
- Walter Grotelueschen
- Wayne Sodemann
- Wendy Werner
- William Klemp
- Wm Kesting



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

February 11th at 7pm

West Bend Lodge 1398

Come get involved at the District Level!

HOSTED BY
MOOSE
LEGION 31

CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2026

\$30/PERSON

DOORS OPEN AT 10AM
GAMES START AT 12PM

RAFFLES ALL DAY LONG!
FOOD + DRINKS AVAILABLE
ALL DAY!

WOTM Chapter 732 Highlights!!

MONTHLY COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

We look forward to all our community service projects in the New Year! If you have any



suggestions or ideas, please bring them to your WOTM Board!

Thank you!

Academy of Friendship

Fall 2025

February 14th at 9am

Main Street Cafe

RSVP to Tammy Schmidt



WOTM Meetings

January Meeting Nights

Monday, January 13th & 27th 7pm

All WOTM in good standing are encouraged to attend!

Wisconsin Moose Legion 31 Highlights!

Next Celebration

January 18th, 2026

Saukville Lodge

Higher Degree Meeting at 11am

Moose Legion at 1pm

