

WEST BEND MOOSE NEWSLETTER!

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**OUR NEW CAMPAIGN FOR
2023/2024**

**"PROUD PAST,
BRIGHT FUTURE"**



- Debra Jurcek
- Peter Jurcek
- Tiffanie Roewer
- Ronald Lehmann
- Jim McConnell
- Helen Wolf
- Eddie Gray
- Rose Spartz
- Kenneth J Betz
- Karl Wendtlandt
- Tabitha Guzman
- Mary Woodhull
- Charles Woodhull
- Dean Wegner

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

The Luck of the Irish



Happy St. Patrick's Day

Letter from our President

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**

Hello Moose Brothers and Sisters,

Remember number 72 !!!!!!!!!!!

I hope there are no more surprise snow storms for us. But like they say, you never know in Wisconsin. I'm ready for spring and I hope all of you agree with me.

February was a good month at the Lodge. We want to thank everyone who came for the Spaghetti Dinner, especially since it fell on Valentine's Day and Ash Wednesday. All of our volunteers were happy to serve you.

We have 2 months left to our year ending on April 30, 2024. This means a lot to our Lodge for members earning honors, community service, Moose Charities and most importantly MEMBERSHIP. They gave us a beginning goal for the year of bringing in 181 new applications. I'm happy to say that we are 72 applications away from this goal. I know we can meet this goal and be a top Lodge in Wisconsin. We had 14 new applications to vote on this past Monday. We have 2 months to accomplish this goal. So lets get together and do this. What an honor that would be for all of us. Best time to take advantage of the Membership Specials at the Lodge.

With the year coming to an end we are accepting applicants for who would like to serve on the Board of Officers and also committee members. If you are interested give your name to a board member or Ken Knop. We welcome new members.

Lots of activities coming up at your Lodge in March. Read your newsletter when they are and come and enjoy yourselves.

There are sign up sheets for some of the activities at the entrance table.

The west Bend Board of Officers want to wish all of our members a Happy Easter. Take Care and God Bless.

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

**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 Kreuzer**
Fraternal Activities - **Marlene Wilde**
Mooseheart/Moosehaven - **Tammy Schmidt**
Higher Degrees - **Vickie Pretsch**
Application Review - **Helene Springer**

**Are you interested in getting
more involved in our Chapter?**

**Join the Chapter Board of
Officers!**

The position of Senior Regent is currently vacant for the upcoming Chapter Year 2024-2025.

If interested, please submit a bid to the current Board of Officers with our intent of filling the position of Senior Regent.

Letter from our Senior Regent

Hello Sisters,

Welcome to a new month! I hope you all are having a great start to the new month, and are staying warm in the winter weather!

March is Membership month, and Chairman, Amy, has some fun plans for us this month! Her and her committee plan on having St. Patty's Day snacks at the first meeting along with door prizes, and Spring themed snacks at the second meeting with door prizes! She is also holding a Dog themed basket raffle basket on: March 8th, 15th, and 22nd from 5-7 pm!

Amy is also working with the West Bend Food Pantry for the month, and are making up some Birthday Boxes! She is collecting cake mixes, disposable pans, birthday candles, frosting, small plates, and napkins! If you wish to give a cash donation instead, please mail it to the chapter and mark it for the March Membership committee.

As we are rolling through the winter months, you may see me roaming around the Lodge more frequently! Please feel free to stop me and say hi, but also contact me at any time if you need anything!

Fraternaly 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

Craft NIGHT

Craft Night!!!

Wednesday, March 20th

at 6pm

Craft: Fishbowl Easter Bunny

Please bring 2 bubble bowls 4.9x3.9, glitter, glue gun, bunny ears or felt to make ears, mod podge if you already have it or I have some. I will have plenty of bunny faces and ribbon.

Any questions, ask for Katti



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!

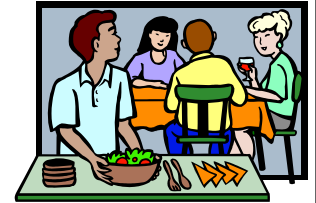
Bartenders are available \$10/hour additional to rental fee. Tablecloths and decorating available for additional charge.

Contact us today to book your next event!!

Contract & deposit due upon reservation

*For Reservations : Moose Lodge Office 262-338-8122, Ask for Jeff.

Any Rental Lodge that Includes Dinner, 20% gratuity will be added to the bill.



♥ Sheepshead ♦ Card Party

Playing both Diamonds & Hearts Sheepshead

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Location: West Bend Moose Lodge, 1721 Chestnut St.

Date: April 14th, 2024

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



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!





MARCH 2024



| SUN | MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT |
|--|--|---|--|-----------|--|---|
| | | | | | 1 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>SCOTCH MIXERS</u> | 2 <u>BRAT FRY</u> 10AM - 2PM |
| 3 | 4 <u>MEMBERSHIP</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u> | 5 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS 7PM | 6 Chicken Dinner 4:30pm - 6:30pm | 7 | 8 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>JOE KADLEC</u> | 9 |
| 10 | 11 <u>WOTM</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u> | 12 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM | 13 SPAGHETTI DINNER 4:30 - 6:30PM | 14 | 15 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM | 16 |
| 17 | 18 <u>MEMBERSHIP</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u> | 19 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM | 20 CORNED BEEF! 4:30PM - 7PM <u>CRAFT NIGHT!</u> | 21 | 22 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>ROGER BOLL</u> | 23 |
| 24 CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT! DOORS OPEN AT 11AM | 25 <u>WOTM</u> <u>MEETING 7PM</u> | 26 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM DARTS BANQUET | 27 | 28 | 29 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM JORDAN <u>BLANCHARD</u> | 30 |
| 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!



MOOSE MEMBER CASINO BUS TRIP!!

LAST TIME WAS A BLAST....LETS DO IT AGAIN

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|----------------|---|
| Where | Wisconsin Dells Ho Chunk Casino |
| When | Friday, March 15, 2024 |
| Time | Leave West Bend Moose 7:30am returns 4:00PM Meet in Moose Lodge parking lot by 7:20AM. |
| Cost | \$60.00 per person—includes bus trip, \$35 free play at Ho Chunk, a fish fry dinner at the Moose Lodge upon return to the Lodge and a drink (up to \$5.00 for drink). |
| 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. |



Entertainment for the Month

Entertainment for March!

HAPPY SPRING! HAPPY EASTER!

SAVE THE DATE: OPEN TO THE PUBLIC NIGHT!

Fri - March 29th. JORDAN BLANCHARD. COUNTRY SENSATION. NASHVILLE SINGER/SONGWRITER, A TRUE WISCONSINITE LETS GIVE HIM A WARM WELCOME BACK.

When we have open to the public nights as the 29th, I am looking for help to get flyers out and around your areas and for you to invite all your family and friends. Flyers are on the table when you come in so please help distribute them.

I'd appreciate it.

MUSIC STARTS AT 6 PM ON FRI. AND 5:30 PM ON SAT.

Fri - March 1st. Scotch and Mixers. This Trio is Part of the 6 piece band of Scotch and Soda. It will be a fun night of variety music.

Fri - March 8th. Joe Kadlec is back to perform his music for dancing.

Fri - March 22nd. Mr. Accordion Man Roger Boll is at Lodge with a Variety of Music including Polkas for those polka dancers to enjoy.

For every one of you bakers who have brought in amazing desserts and or items for a basket Raffle Basket for our Friday night entertainment night, I truly Thank You!

I can be reached at the Lodge on most Friday nights or email me at lvselvis@gmail.com or contact me on Facebook. I love doing what I do for entertainment to keep our Lodge hopping. I would like to hear your input on entertainment. We all have different likes and tastes on music so I try my best to please everyone.

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!



- ***March 15th - Wisconsin Dells Ho Chuck Casino Moose Member Casino Bus Trip!**
- * **March 29th - OPEN TO THE PUBLIC - Jordan Blacard & Friday Fish Night!**
 - * **April 14th - Sheepshead Card Party**
 - * **June 14th - 15th - 8th Annual 24 Hour Moose-a-thon!**
 - Looking for Volunteers & donations for gift baskets!**
 - * **July 7th - 3rd Annual Moose Night at Slinger Speedway!**

West Bend Moose Lodge
 Presents



(Back By Popular Demand)
Nashville Singer/Songwriter
 A New Era of Honky Tonk Music



Open to the public - Non Members \$5.00
 Doors Open at 4:30pm

March 29th, 2024 6pm-9pm

FRIDAY NIGHT FISH FRY

1721 Chestnut St., West Bend WI 53095

\$2 High Life Pints All Night Long





Happy Birthday March!!!



- Aaron Schladweiler
- Aaron Schlodweiler
- Alan Melichar
- Amy Kreutzer
- Andrew Jurss
- Angeline Bodoh
- Arnold Peterson
- Barbara Laughrin
- Bernard Wolf
- Beth Kohler
- Beverly Dobberstein
- Beverly Walter
- Blayne Edwards
- Bonnie Streese
- Brooke Carter
- Bryan Larsen
- Calvin Meyer
- Carol Casadonte
- Cornelia Milligan
- Cory Wiedmeyer
- Craig Mansmith
- Craig Verran
- Curt Rosbeck
- Daniel Mayer
- Daniel Mueller
- David Gering
- David Nycz
- Deanne Ciardo
- Debra Emmer
- Dennis Wolff
- Diana Meyer
- Donald Fechter
- Donna Koehler
- Ellissa Plaskey
- Gerald Faber
- Herbert Tennies
- James Anderson
- James Helmke
- James Wagner
- Jason Springer
- Jeffrey Schwitz
- Jerome Theisen
- Jewel Dawson
- Jim Shutes
- Joel Wilde
- John Petite
- John Scharrer
- Joseph Esselmann
- Joseph Schmidt
- Judy Nonhof
- Karen Callen
- Karen Fay
- Kathleen Vaughan
- Keith Kirchner
- Keith Laufer
- Kim Kiefer
- Kristine Costa
- Krystal Kaster
- Kurt Deruyter
- LaVerne Coon
- Lenore Michaud
- Linda George
- Lisa Beder
- Lisa Wagner
- Loretta Lloyd
- Lori Turenske
- Lucille Derler
- Maria Almeda
- Marilyn Straub
- Mark Steiner
- Mary Beth Emmer
- Matthew Leithold
- Matthew Rohlinger
- Michael Hembel
- Michael Wojtasiak
- Michele Piechowski
- Nikky Naumann
- Norene Johnson
- Patricia Pitrof
- Paul Rhoads
- Rita Kannenberg
- Robert Schotzko
- Robin Pickering
- Roger Johnson
- Ronald Kudronowicz
- Rosemarie Schwai
- Ruth Abel
- Ryan Rosbeck
- Shannon Kreutzer
- Stephanie Jung
- Steve Duckwitz
- Stuart Goforth
- Susan Klein
- Susan Nielsen
- Thomas Luedtke
- Tracy Hetebrueg
- Walter Huf

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**

District 3

Next Meeting

April 10th, at 7pm

West Bend Lodge

Come get involved at the District Level!



Wisconsin State Sports News

Upcoming Tournaments!

- * State Bowling - Janesville March 9th - April 14th
 - * 2025 International Horseshoes ~
West Bend Lodge 1398!
- * 2025 International Bowling ~ West Bend Lodge

Cribbage Tournament

West Bend Moose Lodge



Sa **Sunday, March 24th**

\$25/per person

Doors Open at 11am

WOTM Chapter 732 Highlights!!

MONTHLY COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

West Bend Food Pantry

This month's community service project we will be collecting items to create a birthday boxes. Here are the following items being collected: collecting cake mixes, disposable pans, birthday candles, frosting, small plates, and napkins!



Thank you!

Academy of Friendship

March 27th, at 6pm

\$10/person - RSVP to Tammy Schmidt

Dinner includes Ham, baked potato, stuffing, green beans, coleslaw and rolls.



WOTM Meetings

March Meetings

Monday March 11th and March 25th at 7pm

All WOTM in good standing are encouraged to attend!

Wisconsin Moose Legion 31 Highlights!!

Next Celebration

April 21st, 2024

Saukville Lodge

Details to come!



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!!!