

WEST BEND MOOSE NEWSLETTER!

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**OUR NEW CAMPAIGN FOR
2023/2024**

**"PROUD PAST,
BRIGHT FUTURE"**



- Jeana Church
- June Hibbard
- Nicholas Marx
- Jeremy Dahm
- Blake Elliott
- John Church
- Jeanette Nichols
- John Salamone
- Joshua DeVriend
- Andrew Witte
- Jerome Dahm
- Mike Schuster
- Mark Erd
- Rayburn Frank
- Ken Sharbuno
- Kathy Fish
- Joseph Pasqualone
- Michael Gentry
- Scott Nelson
- David Wagner

Mooseheart's Senior Class
Visiting

West Bend Lodge 1398!

Saturday, April 20th

All You Can Eat Taco Bar
\$7.95/person

Please come and support
Mooseheart's Senior Class!
They will be arriving to the Lodge
at 5pm.

Doors Open at 4pm.

**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

MOOSEHEART
Child City & School Inc.



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,

Wow how time flies. Only 46 days left in our 2023-2024 Moose year, and it was a great year. Our membership is up by 126 members and we are 54 members away from our yearly goal. Our members are signing up new members every week. Please keep up the great work so we can make our goal by 4-30-24. We are at 81% of our goal.

We also accomplished many improvements this past year and it was all because of our great members. We couldn't of done it without all that you do for your Lodge. Thank You from the Board of Officers.

The slate of officers was read this past Monday for your new Board of Officers for the next year. Elections will be held on April 1, 2024 at the Membership meeting. Installation will be held on Monday April 15, 2024; so please attend and greet your Board of Officers for the 2024-2025 Lodge year. We would especially like to see our new members that joined our family this past year.

There are a lot of activities already planned for the next few months; some old ones and some new ones. Keep reading the newsletter and visiting the Lodge for the activities planned. If anybody has ideas for fun activities or community service projects contact a board of officer and let them know.

Last but not least I want to Thank everyone for letting me serve you as your Lodge President this past year. It was a learning experience. Made so many new friends. Hope to see more of you at our monthly membership meetings the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month. Take Care and God Bless all of you.



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

Fraternally Yours,
Carol Jung
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!**

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 enjoying the warmer weather!

April is Fraternal Activities month & Chairman, Marlene, has some fun plans for us this month! Her and her committee plan on having healthy snacks at the first meeting along with a guest speaker from Love & Blessings Homeless Shelter, and healthy filling snacks at the second meeting! She is also holding a Bake-less Bake Sale for the month!

Marlene is working with Love and Blessings Homeless Shelter of Wisconsin for the month! They are collecting a few items with the warmer spring and summer months coming up fast! They are collecting: 17-inch Backpacks, Spring Backpacks, Rain

Ponchos, Sunscreen, Small Notebooks, Pens, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Floss, Small First-Aid Kits, Travel size Shampoo & Conditioner, Small Soap Bars, Deodorant, Paper Towel, Insect Repellent, All-purpose Cleaner, Gallon size Ziplock Slider Bags, Wipes, Individual Snacks, Socks, etc. If you wish to give a cash donation instead, please mail it to the chapter and mark it for the April Fraternal Activities committee.

As we are rolling into the Spring/ Summer months, you may see me roaming around the lodge more frequently on Tuesdays or Thursdays! Please feel free to stop me and say hi, but also contact me at any time you need anything, or have questions!

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



Craft Night!!!

Wednesday, April 17th at 6pm

Craft: USA Foam Dice Man

Please bring foam dice from Dollar Tree and a glue gun. I will have all other supplies needed for this project!

Any questions, ask for Katti Schneider!



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!

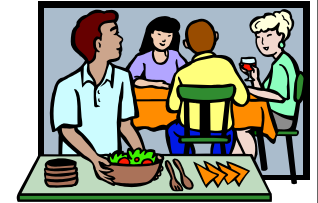
Bartenders are available \$10/hour additional to rental fee. Tablecloths and decorating available for additional charge.

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.*****



2024 BLESSING OF THE BIKES

Join us on Saturday, May 18th for a ride you'll never forget through Mooseheart's campus! Read more for details.

Large Foam Dice, 2-ct. Packs

SKU: 186251

★★★★ 4.6 (23) Write A Review



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!





APRIL 2024



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 <u>MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM</u>	2 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM	3 Chicken Dinner 4:30pm - 6:30pm	4 BAGGS LEAGUE MEETING	5 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>LOGAN RAMEY</u>	6 BRAT FRY <u>10AM - 2PM</u> STEAK NIGHT <u>BUCKSHOT</u>
7 <u>BRAT FRY</u> <u>10AM - 2PM</u>	8 <u>WOTM MEETING 7PM</u>	9 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM <u>BAGGS LEAGUE</u>	10 SPAGHETTI DINNER 4:30 - 6:30PM	11	12 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>SAMMY RAY</u>	13 <u>BRAT FRY</u> <u>10AM - 2PM</u>
14 SHEEPSHEAD TOURNAMENT & BRAT FRY	15 <u>MEMBERSHIP MEETING 7PM</u>	16 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM	17 <u>CRAFT NIGHT!</u> <u>WING NIGHT!</u>	18 VOLUNTEER DINNER 6PM BAR OPENS 5PM	19 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>THE MUSIC MAN</u> <u>JEFF MUELLER</u>	20 BRAT FRY <u>10AM - 2PM</u> <u>MOOSEHEART SENIORS VISIT</u>
21 BREAKFAST <u>9AM - 11:30AM</u> <u>BRAT FRY</u> <u>10AM - 2PM</u>	22 <u>WOTM MEETING 7PM</u>	23 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM <u>BAGGS LEAGUE</u>	24	25 <u>HORSESHOE MEETING</u>	26 FISH FRY 5:00-8:00PM <u>DJ BOB BONENFANT</u>	27
28 <u>BRAT FRY</u> <u>10AM - 2PM</u>	29	30 TACOS/BURGERS 4:30-6:30PM				
			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!



Cribbage at the Lodge!

Every Thursday night at 6pm, starting April 4th until
Horseshoes starts.

Located down in the basement of the Lodge. Bring your own
board!

\$6/person to play.

See Dave Herman if interested.

♥ Sheephead ♦ Card Party

Playing both Diamonds & Hearts Sheephead

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**



Entertainment for the Month

Entertainment for April!

Remember all Entertainment on Fri night starts at 6 pm
and Sat starts at 5:30 pm

Nice weather is finally arriving. Thank Heavens for that. April is
bringing us a full month of some Great Music Entertainment!

Starting this month with NEW TO THE LODGE.

Friday, APRIL 5th LOGAN RAMEY

I met Logan in Branson when he was 12 years old; now 19. I'm
excited to catch up with him and see how his voice has changed since
then. Logan will be doing 3 sets of Elvis' Younger Years Army Set
dedicated to all our military serving and our Veterans. Then ending
with the 70 concert years. Logan has some beautiful jumpsuits so I
anxiously wait to see what one he will wear.

Sat April 6th Will be STEAK NIGHT

Entertainment by BUCKSHOT

The Lodge will present a young musical student from our High School
a \$500 scholarship, kindly donated by a member of our Lodge who
wishes to remain anonymous. Come on out and
congratulate him.

Friday, April 12th.

We again have a new Entertainer. Sammy Ray!

Sammy has been performing around the area for several years and I
finally have been lucky enough to book her 8 months out to have her
at the lodge. She plays a variety of music we all will enjoy.

Friday, April 19th

Spring has sprung with the return of our member "The Music Man" ~
Jeff Mueller. He and his lovely wife retire to FL for winter.

Friday, April 26th

The crowd asked and I was able to please by getting him back, DJ
BOB BONENFANT returns Fri April 26th with his DJ-ing and Trivia.
Put on them thinking hats for a fun night!

Thank you to all our members who donate desserts and items for
basket raffles to keep our music going at the lodge. This year I was
able to secure more entertainment because of your help. I appreciate
you. If you have any questions regarding upcoming entertainment
please feel free to stop and talk with me when you see me at the
Lodge and ask or send me a pm on Facebook or email me at
lvselvis@gmail.com. When words fail, Music Speaks!

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!

Wisconsin Women of the Moose Rally Days

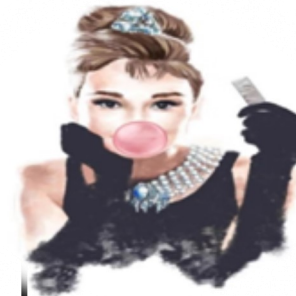
Where: Kenosha Moose Lodge #286 / Chapter #155

Address: 3003 30th Avenue, Kenosha, WI 53140

When: August 9th – 11th

Breakfast at Tiffany's

SAVE THE DATE



Smiles for Miles

Senior Class Trip
Fundraiser

Grab your 2024
Commemorative Plate at
your local lodge-
just \$10!

- * **April 14th - Sheepshead Card Party**
- * **April 18th - West Bend Volunteer Dinner at 6pm**
- * **April 20th - Mooseheart Seniors visiting West Bend Moose Lodge**
 - * **April 21st - Moose Legion Celebration**
- * **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!**





Happy Birthday April!!!



- Al Pawlicki
- Amanda Polze
- Anthony Spaeth
- Brendan Sullivan
- Bruce Biendarra
- Carol Habram
- Charles Krentz
- Chris Jenkins
- Cory Brayshaw
- Craig Thull
- Dan Sutherland
- Darlyne Rauh
- Dave Smithers
- David Denis
- David Kreutzer
- Dennis Phillips
- Dennis Cybela
- Dimitra Anderson
- Donald Haug
- Ed Draeger
- Eileen Keith
- Elaine Krause
- Emma Kaebisch
- Gary Spiel
- George Ploof
- James Kiesow
- James Flitter
- James Reetz
- Jane Dreckmann
- Jane Fellenz
- Jason Kemnitz
- Jeana Church
- Jennifer Spaeth
- Jeremy Springer
- Jeremy Moore
- Jim McConnell
- Joan Casetta
- John Spors
- Judith Mottl
- Judy Duschene
- Karen Roethle
- Kathie Teeter
- Kathy Montag
- Kay Shaffer
- Kenlyn Knop
- Kenneth Betz
- Kim LaPoint
- Kim Ehardt
- La Mont Albers
- Leticia Chavez
- Linda Scherwinski
- Lloyd Uelmen
- Louise Crass
- Marles Biskobing
- Mary Fisher
- Melissa Huttner
- Michael Wolf
- Michael Schwai
- Mike McNeese
- Nichole Baird
- Paul Britz
- Peter Jurcek
- Randall Liepert
- Raymond Montag
- Richard Fait
- Robert Klass
- Robert Steffen
- Ronald Guse
- Ronald Massingale
- Rosalie Ritger
- Rosella Blum
- Ryan Laduke
- Sarah Grotkiewicz
- Scott Abel
- Scott Hoogester
- Scott Jurss
- Stacy Feltes
- Steve Miller
- Suzanne Stadelmayer
- Teri Krell
- Tim Kunick
- Torey Olstad
- Tyler Mintzloff
- 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

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 & International Sports News

Upcoming Tournaments!

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

The 301 CO_ED Dart tournament was held in Muskego on February 3rd, 2024. We had a wonderful turnout of 49 teams from 8 lodges from around the state including: West Bend, Green Bay, Saukville, Muskego, Racine, EKM, Sheboygan and Kenosha.

1st place Devin & Jamie Sheboygan
2nd Place Jeremy & Alicia Racine
3rd Place Dan & Lynette Muskego

We also run a Luck of the Draw tournament later in the day and all money is paid out in the prize fund.

We had 30 teams entered and the top team was:

1. Michelle /Jeremy Muskego/Racine

Next year's tournament will be held in Saukville on February 1st, 2025.



WOTM Chapter 732 Highlights!!

MONTHLY COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

Love & Blessings Homeless Shelter

This month's community service project we will be collecting 17-inch Backpacks, Spring Backpacks, Rain Ponchos, Sunscreen, Small Note-books, Pens, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste, Floss, Small First-Aid Kits, Travel size Shampoo & Conditioner, Small Soap Bars, Deodorant, Paper Towel, Insect Repellant, All-purpose Cleaner, Gallon size Ziplock Slider Bags, Wipes, Individual Snacks, Socks, etc.



Thank you!

Academy of Friendship

April 24th, at 6pm

**\$10/person - RSVP to Tammy Schmidt
Dinner includes Turkey, salad, mashed potatoes & gravy, stuffing & cranberries.
Bring you Secret Pal reveal gift!!!**



WOTM Meetings

April Meetings

Monday April 8th and April 22nd at 7pm

All WOTM in good standing are encouraged to attend!

Wisconsin Moose Legion 31 Highlights!!

Next Celebration

April 21st, 2024

West Bend Lodge

Council of Higher Degree Meeting at 11am

Moose Legion at 1pm



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!!!