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MOOSE TRAILS-August 2011

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Familiar Faces?

They should be!

These shots were taken at our Christmas in July Party. From the looks on the faces I would say good times were had by all!



Here, two of our well known (and liked) volunteers at the Tiki Bar on the Patio. Thanks Rick & Kathy

"Table 18 " Gang in Full swing for the Christmas in July Party. Is that "holiday cheer they are drinking



No Christmas complete without a "White Elephant" gift exchange. Good chance to get rid of something you don't want! No disappointments-just lots of fun!

Daily Events

Mondays-	Wii Bowling & Wraps
Tuesdays-	Ladies Nite Tacos & Drink Specials
Wednesdays-	Dinner with Abby
Thursdays-	Men's Nite Wings & Drink Specials
Fridays-	Fish Fry DJ/Karaoke
Saturdays-	See Calendar for Events

Upcoming Events at a Glance:

- Aug 3 Pork Chop Dinner 5:30-7
- Aug 5 Karaoke Contest Finals
- Aug 10 Dinner with Abby
- Aug 12 Vocal Impressionist Billy Fischer
- Aug 13 Musicians Jam Nite (patio side?)
- Aug 17 Swiss Steak Dinner 5:30-7
- Aug 19 Casper Karaoke
- Aug 26 Free Juke Box!
- Sept 2 Ward Karaoke
- September -Clambake Oct -Centennial

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"Elyria MooseLodge"

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2010-2011

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Dennis Mahl Sr.

3 YR TRUSTEE

Bob England.

SGT AT ARMS

Nick Chase

LODGE MEETINGS 8:00 pm

1ST AND 3RD THURSDAY

Volunteers

Events brought to you, start with ideas brought about by... people.

Once decided to act upon, planning takes place by...people.

The logistics are considered by...people...

The preparation work is done by..people

All this being done with the hope and expectation it will be supported and enjoyed by... people.

If you are a "people" why not consider helping other people!

You may be just what we are looking for!

Administrator's Notes..

Many of you may already know that our pull ticket gaming can give you a lot of enjoyment as well as give you the chance to "get lucky" in an environment that will not tolerate some of the behavior you might see in a public facility.

But, do you know it is the income generated from these tickets that help private organizations like ours to have the lights on when you choose to visit us?

There are a lot of places to spend your gaming money these days but please be mindful of the potential side effects.

We are proud to give percentages of our gaming proceeds to such wonderful causes as American Red Cross, and hospice organizations, etc. Where does the internet gaming proceeds go? Where does the proceeds from casino gaming go? Only into the hands of the owners!

You, the members of this Lodge are "the owners".

"Bet" you didn't think of that!

Till Next Month,

-Ed

 **Your Ideas and Help Matter !**

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Words can not express how much this Lodge will miss Conni. It would be hard to find anyone else who consistently stepped up and helped as much as she did.

On a lighter note-come check out the championship dart tournament Sat Aug 13th. Teams from as far away as Freemont will be playing for trips to Nevada and cash. The action will start at 9 am and continue well into the evening.

Tickets for the September clam-bake will be out this month. Only a limited number will be sold so get yours early so you don't miss out!

The staff and officers work hard to offer various things to do at the Lodge. If you have any ideas let us know. I am looking for someone to run a Texas Hold-Em event..- Anyone?

Les Glauner

Prelate Thoughts

Get well wishes go out to Bob Popernack, Dave Smith, Dick Foglyano, Frank Leonard, Marge Beal. It was good to see Ray Bidinger up and about here at the Lodge.

Special Condolences go out to the family of our very own cashier and close friend to many: Conni Wiech. She will be missed dearly!

If you call the Lodge about someone in need, please be sure to tell us where he/she is at. Address allow us to contact them and help keep our records straight.

Until September-enjoy August, stay healthy, and be safe!

Tim Exum

**CHAPTER 907
OFFICERS
2010-2011**

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Shirley Wise

SENTINEL

Grace Kresanic

MEETINGS 2ND AND 4TH

THURSDAY BOTH AT

7 PM

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

CHAPTER 907

Ladies,

I hope you are all enjoying the summer. Take time to smell the flowers and relax. I think we all deserve to do that.

Thanks to the Ladies for your support at our dinners. We appreciate your help and if you would like to volunteer to help at a Lodge function, please let an officer know. I know the men would always welcome extra help as well.

Many new activities are coming to our Lodge. I hope you can take the time to enjoy some of them.

I would like you to take a moment to think about our members who have passed away this last two months. Life can be shorter than we realize and we need to make the most of what we have. Everyone is important to someone, and we feel all of our members are important to us. The sudden and unexpected loss of our very own Conni sent shock waves throughout our Chapter and Lodge. We should all take the time to tell someone how much they are appreciated.. while we can!

Please have a safe enjoyable summer-what we have left of it! Remember to visit our Lodge often. You are important to us all!

Joyce Jirak

Senior Regent 2011-2012

WOTM

MEMBER NOTICE

If you have any questions in regards to your membership or need a hand scan for the door, please feel free to contact either Tame' Fischer at 440-315-8002 or you may contact Lisa Workman at 440-281-5426 to arrange a time that is convenient

From the Kitchen..

I would like to thank Dolly, Lisa, Tami, Nick & Chuck for all of their help with the car show breakfast. I couldn't have done it without you all! Thank-you Again!!!! - Carol

The kitchen is in bad need of forks and knives again. NO spoons please! Also needed are bag clips and two gallon freezable plastic containers. Any donations can be dropped off in the kitchen.

We are considering starting breakfasts up again this fall. We would need 6 to 8 people who will commit to one Sunday a month with a rotation schedule. Your help would be appreciated. If interested please see Carol in the kitchen!

Sports News

Come cheer for our **softball team** on Thursday evenings. We play at West Rec Park so it is just a few minutes from the Lodge! Our guys and gals are having fun (when we don't have a rain out) and we would welcome some familiar faces!

Horseshoe pitching in the back also on Thursdays as well. All are welcome, so join in the fun.

Pool League is now up and playing on Wednesday evenings

Dart League play teams meet on Tuesday evenings.

Fall league pool & dart teams being put together for upcoming play. Look for postings in the Social Quarters or see Les Glauner for details.

Summer Jam Nite

August 13th

Bring your Instruments

Or just come

For the Fun !



GOLDEN MOOSE NEWS

FROM ANN

Our business meeting and pot luck was held on Thursday July 14th.

On Aug 23rd we will be going to River Casino in Pittsburgh. This Vegas style casino has all the newest slots and table games. The casino will put \$15 on your card and give you \$5 for food. The cost is \$35.

Golden Moose price is only \$30.

If interested, or if you have any questions, please contact Dolly Morris at 440-327-8564.

In September we'll be going on an over-niter to Belterra.

The casino will put \$10 on your card and give you complimentary breakfast and dinner buffet. The price is \$140. Golden Moose price is \$115. A \$25 deposit is due now. Final payment by Sept 1st.

Ann Poperneck,

President

Shout-Outs !

I would like to take this opportunity to give a special shout-out of thanks to someone who was not only very special to the people of this Lodge, but because of the time she gave to this Lodge due to her dedication as a volunteer, Ardie and I, as well as many others, had the pleasure to know her as a Good Friend.

Conni was committed to help both WOTM and of course, Lodge 778. She took on the responsibility of running our back hall cash register with commitment

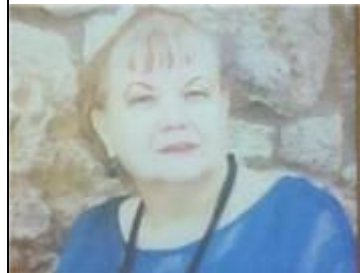
and an open willingness.

To Conni-on behalf of both the women and men of your fraternal family..

.we say

THANK YOU!

Our Loss is Heaven's Gain!



**This page
bears repeating!**

Swiss Steak Success

Well, you asked for it and you got it! Swiss Steak Dinners are back on the 3rd Wednesday of the month! We made more dinners for the month of July than we did in June and we still SOLD OUT. From the comments and attendance, I would have to say it was a success!

Some people like their Swiss steak "brown gravy" style, some people like it with the "tomato base" style...how should we cook it? How about both! That's right! In addition to Abby's regular Wednesday dinners, we asked Abby to prepare both types of Swiss steak for our members and using a red sauce recipe from her grandmother.. well I just have to say her Grandmother taught Abby well!

So which ever your favorite is, or if you like, you can choose a portion from each pan and decide for yourself, join us in the back hall on the
3rd Wednesday of the month.

**Next Chance to get Yours.. August 17th
5:30-7:00**



Your I nvited to a Party!!!!

Just in case you didn't know..... Saturday October 8th

We will be celebrating our **100 years** of serving members and our community! What a mile-stone!! Special dinner with music by "Marshall Law" , and a chance to take a walk back in time. With that being said, we are looking for as much "history" as we can get our hands on to assemble and share at our Centennial Celebration coming in October. There is much work to be done, so if you would like to be part of our centennial committee, or would be willing to loan us some photos or share some history with us, please stop in at the office or let either Ed Smith or Les Glauner know!



How about utilizing your own newsletter to get the word out to other members about your business!

We would like to promote a

“members helping members” campaign of sorts.

If you need to hire someone to do something for you...
why not hire a fellow member?

If you are going to advertise for business... why not
reach out to your fellow members?

For a limited time.. You can get your business card
sized ad placed in this publication for..... FREE.

That's Right-no up's no extra's Free!

Stop in at the office or look me up to get the details.

Live Long and Prosper (“hann-nu nann-nu”)

Ed