



The Antlers

Santa Rosa Moose Lodge #458 • WOTM Chapter #310 • February 2020

Message from the Moose Lodge Manager January Enjoyed

Hello Moose Friends!

With 5 Fridays and weekend football playoffs, January brought a whirlwind of events to the Santa Rosa Moose Lodge. Starting with **Football Sundays** and the excitement of watching the 49ers make it through each game until finally reaching the ultimate Super Bowl goal. This married with quiet **yoga** with a virtual instructor and Mimosas in the hall—weekends at the Moose were packed full of cheers and calm stretches the likes the Lodge has never seen. A grateful thank you goes out to volunteers Aaron (bartender) and Sarah (yoga brainchild) Prysock for their month long weekend dedication to both events. They truly represent all that is good in a Moose volunteer, unwavering dedication. I bow to you both and am grateful to have you on our Moose team.



The month continued with our **Friday Night Dance** with band, Good Old Boys and **Bingo**, where an astounding 85 people showed up to raise \$530 for the Santa Rosa Boy & Girls Club. **The following Friday Open Mic brought entertainers to our small Social Quarter's stage to perform everything from country originals and sing-along classics to ukulele strumming and Sinatra serenading.** This eclectic mix would be hard to repeat. Larry brought his A game and fed listeners small plates of pork sliders, prime rib tacos, Mac n Cheese balls, Caprese salad, smoked chicken wings and potato salad. Larry you give all other Larry's a bad name (chuckle).

And last but not least, Ian's Mystery Meal was a yummy success. **He served Coq au vin which is chicken in a red wine mushroom sauce over mashed potatoes with caramelized carrots on the side.** Thank you Ian for making one my favorites. And thanks goes out to Jim Walker, our Treasurer, for calling out the trivia for team play.

February will bring the Coffey Park pay-it-forward charity event on Saturday, February 22. This Free Spaghetti Dinner is not for members, but for our neighbors, who lost their homes in the 2017 fire. This is our way to welcome them back to the neighborhood and invite them into the Moose. Several members have stepped up to volunteer to help out at the event, but if anyone else is interested please give me a call at 707 546-0637 or email info@santarosamoose.org.

On the news front, my efforts to get a SRJC culinary student to cook on Fridays for work experience has not panned out. Apparently, Sonoma County has a high need in the food service industry and students are working several jobs while attending school. Ben Gibson, have no fear I will keep trying to find someone. If anyone out there would like to volunteer to flip burgers on Fridays in our amazing kitchen please let me know.

I am told if any of our members volunteer elsewhere, Moose International would like to know. Moose members volunteering improves our status with the organization so please inform me if you're doing good deeds in our community.

Something big is happening in March! On Saturday, March 28th we will be having a Bootlegger Ball Dance and Casino Night. This is a Gatsby era, flappers and fedoras event, so roaring 20's dress is key. There will be a 15 piece swing band playing in the hall, blackjack and roulette tables in the bar and lobby and catered appetizers all night long. Tickets are \$40, which includes dance, casino, food and 10 gaming chips. This event should appeal to any age member so **MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

A new *In Memoriam* board has been established in the hallway, so if you know of any members who have sadly passed, please feel free to post their Obituary and/or photo with information on the board.

Also, please don't forget that we collect canned goods for the food bank, coats/hats/gloves for the homeless and hygiene products/socks for our veterans. You will find three bins in the hallway to accommodate your donations.

A BIG thank you goes out to Frank Helm, Vern Schuck, Don Davis and John Burton for trimming the hedges in front of the building. It looks fantastic! If only we had a way to get some free mulch (wink)—the work never ends. I'd also like to give my gratitude and thanks to Tommy Palmer and Tito Loprez who patched the leak in our roof and repaired the ceiling in the hall. They donated their time and materials—what great guys! Without these volunteer efforts our lodge would have to pay professionals. Please shake these guys hands next time you see them.

For all new members or whoever would like to know more about the Moose we will be having a Moose Orientation Mixer on Thursday, March 13th from 5-6:30pm. Free appetizers will be provided. Get to know about the Moose and each other at this casual but informative event.

Faithfully yours,

Kathleen Nelson
Moose Lodge Manager



Serve on the Board

If you would like to become an officer on the board or serve as any committee Chair please submit your name to one of the current board of officers (see bottom of newsletter or information). We would like to get all nominees no later than February 17th. Also feel free to call any current officer for more information. New officers will be elected in May.



Message from the Governor

Hello fellow members,

I would like to thank the women of the Moose for stepping up when we need help with any event. Your participation is noticed and appreciated.

I was able to sell all the books of raffle tickets for Cal/Nev, I hope we have a winner here at our lodge.

Moose International sent me the Rocking Chair Endowment for February to help our kids at MooseHeart and our seniors at Moose Heaven. So if you would like to contribute, it would be much appreciated.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the Bootlegger Ball on the last Saturday of March. It's going to be a huge event so buy your tickets early!

Ben Gibson
Governor

Message from the WOTM Sr Regent

Hello Ladies – Happy Valentine's Month

Here we are already into February, WOW – time does fly by fast. Don't forget our February 28th Pajama Sockhop Dance and Pizza Party. Get out there and find those funny PJ's and crazy socks for a fun night with DJ Wayne and Bruce spinning sounds from the 50's and 60's along with pizza and salad for \$7, dance \$10, see Barbara or Joy for your tickets and to make your pizza order.

Remember that the WOTM yearly dues have increased this month to \$30 a year.

See you at the lodge,

Joy Baker
Sr Regent
Chapter 310

January Events at the Moose Lodge



Friday, Feb 21 - 6:30pm

\$5 8-game card pack

**Fundraiser for Santa Rosa Boy & Girls Club
Winning Cards Receive Prizes**



**West Coast Swing
Lessons**

Tuesdays • 6pm • \$8
(starting February 11)



February is an exciting month at the Lodge with some new activities and charitable events starting on Tuesdays. **We will be adding West Coast Swing dance lessons in the hall for \$8 taught by Edna and Dick, 20 year dance instructor professionals.** If you always wanted to learn swing dance, now is your time or if doing something with your significant other is on your fun check list, come on in and have some fun. Free hot dogs on Tuesdays will still be offered with a purchase of a beverage. So grab a dog before or after you dance. And don't forget that line dancing will still be happening on Wednesdays.

Friday, February 21st, Bingo is happening as usual on the third Friday. Have fun and raise money for the Santa Rosa Boys and Girls Club. If you haven't attended this popular event don't miss it. **This is what the Moose is all about—having fun while doing some good for our community.**

Our Coffey Park pay-it-forward event happens this month on Saturday, February 22. This is a free Spaghetti Dinner for our neighborhood friends finally moving back into their house after the fire of 2017. If you would like to volunteer for this event don't hesitate to give me a call 707 546 0637 or email info@santarosamoose.org.

And finally on the last Friday of the month, the WOTM are hosting a Pajama-Sockhop Pizza Dance Party. Wear your cosy PJ's or wear your crazy socks. Music from the 50's, 60's and today will be provide by DJ Wayne and Bruce. The dance is \$10 and Pizza and Salad is \$7. To pre-order pizza see Barbara or Joy. Dinner is from 6-7pm and the dance starts at 7pm.

SANTA ROSA MOOSE #468

**Welcome Back to the Neighborhood
Coffey Park!**

We were lucky that awful night in 2017, our Lodge was spared and we'd like to pay it forward with a

FREE Spaghetti Dinner
Saturday, February 22nd
Drop by anytime between 5-7pm for dinner

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**Pajama-Sockhop
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Friday, February 28th
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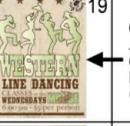
Dance \$10
Pizza and Salad \$7

includes 2 peices of pizza
(Hawaiian, Veggie or Meat)
To pre-order Pizza see
Barbara or Joy

Wear your
PJ's or
Crazy Socks

**Dinner at 6-7pm
Dance at 7pm**

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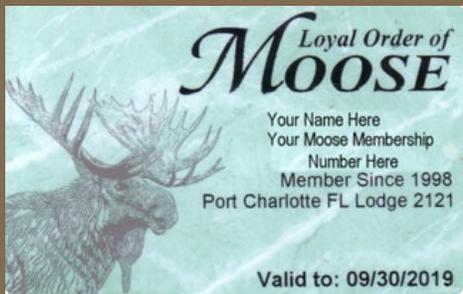
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			6 pm LOOM General & Board Meeting (Wednesday 5th)			1 Closed
					DANCE Good Old Boys Dance \$12.00 - 7pm Bar Menu 4-8 pm	8 Closed
9 Closed	Closed 6.00pm WOTM Board of Officers 6:30pm Chapter meeting (Tuesday, 11th)				14 Closed (private rental)	15 Closed
16 Closed	17 Closed			6 pm LOOM Joint Meeting 6:30 pm General Board Meeting (Wednesday 19th)		22 Welcome Back to the Neighborhood Leifing Park! FREE Spaghetti Dinner Saturday, February 22nd Bring by longest distance 2:00pm for dinner
23 Closed	24 Closed					29 Closed

Important Links

Click [here](#) to see our upcoming events, Friday night band and meeting schedule.

Check your email for promotions informing you about any upcoming events.

REMEMBER you can check out our website's Events page for Friday night band and meeting schedules along with news and events at www.santarosamoose.org



Starting NOW we will be checking EVERYONE'S Moose card. Even if you are a long-time regular we will be checking Moose membership cards. So make sure you bring your card to the Lodge. Don't leave home without it.

Community Service

SCHOOL BACK PACKS DONATION OF MONEY OR SUPPLIES OR BACK PACKS NEEDED.

Many of the children need these back packs and school supplies to help them further their education to carry their books and homework. The school supplies helps many children who's parents do not have the means in which to purchase them...so be generous and help these children.



FOOD BANK

Moose brothers and sisters we need your help to support the food bank. There are families in need of help with groceries please donate to the F.I.S.H. food bank. Our Moose Lodge needs your help so please continue to bring in canned goods and non perishables so that we can deliver to the food bank. Thanks for your help in the past but food is needed

CLOTHING DRIVE

We still have a lot of weather changes and are collecting donations for family's in need of coats, blankets, socks, long johns, hats and gloves to help keep them warm during the cold mornings and evenings.



HELPING OUR VETS

We love and appreciate all the veterans that have served our country and we need them to feel appreciated....so go through your homes and see if there is something you can put in the donation basket. We are collecting hygiene products, tee shirts, socks and the women can use hair spray, lotion and perfume, etc.

Loyal Order of Moose Officers 2019-2020

Governor	Ben Gibson	707 480-5320
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Sr. Regent	Joy Baker	707 974-5728
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