



The Antler

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

Message from the Lodge Manager Roll Back

After a triumphant reopening, we are now closed again with a roll back. All of which is understandable due to the rising Coronavirus numbers in our county. **During the two weeks we were open, it was just beginning to feel like old times - slinging cocktails and chatting with Frank**



Helm. We had BINGO on our schedule and Friday, July 10th's Record Night, (B.Y.O.V. bring your own vinyl!), was amazingly fun, listening to members' impressive record collections (Thommy Palmer, who knew?!) while tapping our feet and singing through masked faces to familiar songs from every genre. But now, once more, the hall, hallways, social quarters and new patio are silent, which is starting to feel more familiar than odd. We are doing what we can. The Reuben sandwich curbside meal offered on Sunday, July 26th was a success. Thank you to volunteers and board members, Matt Jones for heading the kitchen with help from Jim Walker and Ben Gibson. These boys can definitely make a decent sandwich. Yum!

We are hoping to have some COVID approved outside events. There is talk of a brunch in the near future and a host of other events, stay tuned to emails for more information. In the meantime, to support the Lodge we are selling Santa Rosa Moose T-Shirts in gray and black for \$25 (images of the tees above and below). I'd like to thank, new member, Adam Troutman for his \$200 donation to get the ball rolling. These are high quality tees. The men's shirt simply has the Moose logo on the front and the women's front affirms "Find your inter Moose" with the logo. **They both share a common back, that states, "Community, Commitment, Collaboration" – words that depict what we represent as Moose members.** To order, simply call 707 546-0637 or email info@santarosamoose.org and make an appointment to swing by the Lodge and purchase and receive your shirt. Wear these awesome shirts to support the Lodge and show your Moose Pride.

Moose International has waived the \$20 application fee on all new member enrollments. Our Lodge is also including a \$5 Moose Bucks card to new enrollees. **If there was ever a time to invite a friend or family member into the Moose,**

now would be that time. The yearly dues of \$50 for men and \$30 for women, will be the only fee. All new members will need a sponsor's Moose ID number (displayed on your Moose card) to join. This offer will run until the end of September. [Click](#) here to enroll a new member. Please keep your personal Moose memberships current as well. [Click](#) here to pay your dues. We realize, during this pandemic, it isn't ideal to become a Moose member, or stay a member, but with your support, we will continue to socially thrive, aid our community and get through this extraordinary time. We're in this together, as a community and as a Moose Lodge.

The 3 blood drives we hosted in July were a great success. Thank you to all that gave blood. [Vitalant](#) was very grateful for the use of our lodge's hall. I'm sure in the future we will welcome them again to help keep our blood bank stocked.

I am continuing to do whatever improvements I can at the Lodge during the closure. Last week I trimmed the hedges in front of the building, acting as landscaper (nearly killed me) and next week, with the help of Mark Fuhri, will be adding additional shade to the patio and fix the kitchen swamp cooler. Big thank you to Chris Riebli for fixing the back step in the patio. **With the help of our amazing board, we will find new ways to streamline lodge expenses and offer whatever we can to our members.**

My sincere well wishes go out to all our members. Stay safe and healthy until the next time we meet.

Faithfully yours,

Kathleen Nelson
Moose Lodge Manager

Men's Shirts **Women's Shirts**

Moose T-Shirts
\$25
(high quality grey or black)

Message on back (both shirts)

Community Commitment Collaboration

Message from the Governor

Hello Moose #458 –

Good Day Santa Rosa Moose! Are you enjoying the roller-coaster ride? The high of opening back up the Lodge on June 28th with a quick fall and closure on July 7th... WOW! We continue to monitor our State and County Health Officials awaiting a notice to be able to reopen again soon. **Yes, it's quite frustrating... In the meantime, your Board will continue to serve membership with Curbside Meals and other "outside events", so stay tuned.** Speaking of Curbside Meals, a big THANK YOU to Matt Jones for leading and preparing last Sunday's Rueben Sandwich event. If you missed out on this delicious meal, there should be another one in August.

A quick reminder... please pay your dues! This current COVID event may be keeping many from not renewing memberships. We hope you reconsider and pay today! Don't wait for the Lodge to reopen before paying your fees!!

Stay safe and we'll see you at the Lodge soon!

Jim Walker
Governor

\$20
New Member Application Fee Waived
+ \$5 Moose Bucks to all NEW Members

Yearly Dues ONLY
\$50 men
\$30 women

SANTA ROSA #458
MOOSE
\$5
MOOSE BUCKS*

*Moose Bucks can be spent in the Social Quarter for food or drinks at the Santa Rosa Moose Lodge only (Moose Bucks cannot be used for dance tickets or special events.)

Message from the WOTM Sr Regent

Hello Ladies!

Unfortunately, our ability to open the Moose Lodge was short lived as the CoronaVirus cases have increased in Sonoma County. While we are not able to see you in person, know that your board continues to look for ways to bring us all together. **A "Zoom" Women of the Moose General Meeting and social time will be held virtually on August 6 at 6:00 pm.** Discussion topics include upcoming social activities, fundraising ideas and community service ideas. This is your meeting to help set the direction of what the Women of the Moose want to accomplish and how we are going to have some fun in the next year.

To login to the meeting click the link below from your computer or if you already have zoom installed on your computer enter the meeting ID and passcode below. It will be nice to be able to see friendly faces again, even if it is virtual since we cannot yet get together.

Topic: Women of the Moose General Meeting
Time: Aug 6, 2020 06:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting
<https://zoom.us/j/97776417050?pwd=ZVI4VnFINXIsVXphWmduQ3packRVZz09>

Meeting ID: 977 7641 7050
Passcode: 387093

Now that your new board has been installed, we need to fill the committee positions. Several positions are available including Guide, Assistant Guide, Membership/Retention, Community Service, Activities/Sports, Mooseheart/Moosehaven and the Higher Degrees Committee. Please let me know if you are interested in serving on a committee or as a committee chair or if you would like more information on the role and responsibilities. **As we are all volunteers, it is imperative that we have ladies to fill these roles to sustain our chapter.** The old saying is paramount – if we all do a little, nobody has to do a lot!

We have a fabulous opportunity to recruit new WOTM members. Currently the \$20 new member application fee is being waived. This means that new members only need to pay the \$30 annual dues. In addition, new members receive \$5 in Moose Bucks. This is a great time to get your friends signed up!

I am excited for our future as we move toward “One Moose”. I recently attended a District Meeting at the Clearlake Oaks Lodge with other officers from our district. It was exciting to see how we operate as a much larger organization than just our lodge. I felt the camaraderie with people I had never met but had a common purpose. I highly encourage you to visit other lodges if you are traveling (depending on their ability to be open during the CoronaVirus). They are very welcoming and love to have visitors.

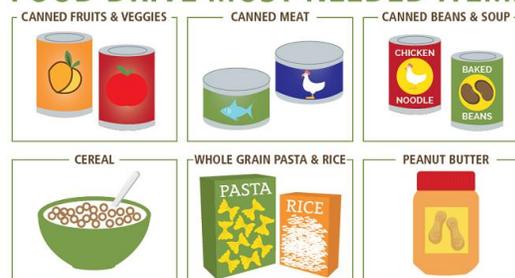
Stay safe and please reach out if you need any assistance during this trying time with the CoronaVirus. We are all in this together.

Bobbi Beelher
Sr Regent
Chapter 310



**Donate Food at the Lodge, call
707 546 0637 for drop off.**

FOOD DRIVE MOST NEEDED ITEMS



Loyal Order of Moose Officers 2019-2020

Governor	Jim Walker	707 322-7729
Jr. Governor	Aaron Prysock	707 217-2273
Administrator	Gary Packard	707 290-6271
Treasurer	Ben Lehr	707 217-1776
1st Year Trustee	Mat Jones	707 291-0934
2nd Year Trustee	Thommy Palmer	707 236-5703
3rd Year Trustee	Larry Hillix	707 508-5551
Past Governor	Ben Gibson	707 480-5320
Moose Lodge Manger	Kathleen Nelson	707 290 5137

Women Of The Moose Officers 2019-2020

Sr. Regent	Bobbi Beehler	707 478-7248
Jr. Graduate Regent	Melissa McCollum	707 978-0696
Secretary/Treasurer	Wendy Young	707 236-2589
Recorder	Danny Wilbrandt	508 330-2560

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