

The Antler

Santa Rosa Moose Lodge #458 • August 2021



Callie Watts performs on the patio Friday, September 3rd.



Message from the Social Quarter's Manager Full-on Fall!

September was a super busy month, starting with Callie Watt's soulful performance on the patio Friday the 3rd, opening for Sunday Football on the 12th and ending with a full house on the 24th for Oktoberfest. **The attendance for Oktoberfest was**

double what I had anticipated (around 100 members) and is forcing me to rethink how to host special events. I'd like to apologize for the long waits to receive dinner and drinks. We were inundated, to say the least. I'd like to thank Administrator, Jim Walker and Angle Lehnhardt for stepping up to help serve and clean.

I will be instituting changes during special events to accommodate members and alleviate stress on staff. **First**, we will only be offering one special meal, not the regular full menu and food will be served in a 2-hour span at a maned buffet, so members can come up and eat at their leisure. **Second**, special events will be attended either by ticket sales or RSVP so we have a head count in planning. **And third**, with large number reservations, an additional bar will be available off the hall from our new small bar room or via a portable bar in the patio. All of these things together will make our large special events more enjoyable for everyone. **Please continue to remember, we're not a restaurant but a lodge, and we are working our hardest to serve members.** Volunteers are always needed as runners, servers and bussers, especially on Fridays and during special events. Please let me know if you'd like to help.

Every active member, should have gotten their October Calendar by now. **A couple of events worth noting - Ricky B and Friends are coming back to perform on the patio Friday, October 8th.** Members thoroughly enjoyed his performance last time by singing along and dancing in front of the stage. We will be offering a Cajun Chicken Pasta at this event. **Dinner and a Movie** is back with an October appropriate movie, *Ghostbusters*, along with a pork chop dinner special.

Our big event in October will be the Halloween Party on Saturday, the 30th. **Walk through our haunted hallway to a \$15 spooky spaghetti**

dinner buffet (pesto or red sauce, Caesar Salad, garlic bread and dessert), which will be offered between 5-7pm (kids eat FREE). For an additional \$15, stay for Band Good Old Boys at 7pm (dinner and dance together \$25). There will be prizes for best costume and treat bags for kids. Following our new special event protocol, **you must RSVP for the dinner, call (707) 546-0637 or email info@santarosamoose.org.** I am looking for volunteers to help decorate the day of the event. Please call or email if you can help. We will also be welcoming the YWCA to the lodge at the event, with a booth on the patio, to share information about their special therapeutic preschool, where children who have experienced trauma are counseled. Please stop by their booth to participate in a special fundraising raffle to support a very needed community institution.

As colder weather encroaches, we will be turning on the heat lamps in the patio. **Don't hesitate to enjoy the patio, it is a toasty, warm place under the lamps to eat and drink.** We are lucky to have such a great place to offer members.

Our hours have changed on Saturday to 3pm-8pm. Susie will close early if attendance is low, so if you still want Saturday to be day that we remain open, stop by for a beverage or bite to eat (food served from 4-7:30pm). **Try some of the new items on our fall menu like soup, Mac n cheese, meatloaf and pumpkin pie.**

Faithfully yours,

Kathleen Nelson
Social Quarters Manager

If any members have taken photos at any of our events please share them on our [Facebook page](#) or email them to me at info@santarosamoose.org to share in this newsletter.

Do you have skills?

We are always in need of help from plumbers, electricians, carpenters, etc. Please [email](#) or call 707 546 0637 if you would like to volunteer your skills at the lodge.



Aaron's Great Pumpkin.



Message from the President

Hello fellow Moose,

As I write this, I am still reminiscing about Oktoberfest and the great party that lodge put on for us all last week. **Drinking beer from a stein never tasted so good! It was wonderful to see so many**

people in attendance, old and new members alike.

I have been bartending on Sundays for football, but will be taking the next month off to hand the bar to some other familiar faces. Come on in and see who's behind the bar each Sunday.

Speaking of taking the month off, I will be celebrating my 50th lap around the sun this month, and while that may seem like a teenager bragging about getting their driver's license, for some of you, it's pretty monumental for me. I'm thinking that 50 is the new 30, who's with me?!

And lastly, I'm not sure how many of you know that I have been growing a Giant Atlantic pumpkin this season, but I am harvesting it on the 8th and taking it to Elk Grove for a weigh off. It's no world record, but I'm hoping to get between 1200-1300+ pounds out of it. I'll let you know.

Welcome to October, everyone. Time to bundle up, break out those sweaters, and get ready for the Holiday Season!

Cheers!

Jim Walker
Administrator



Message from the Administrator

Good Day Moose,

Today is a beautiful fall day! Blue skies, mild temps and no smoke. One that reminds us how fortunate we are to live here in Sonoma County! **Over the past month, our Lodge hosted a number of visitors outside our area and they have express just how beautiful our Lodge is.** They are not wrong! Have you had an opportunity to visit another Lodge? How did it compare to Santa Rosa #458??

Two weeks ago, I was able to represent our lodge at the 88th Annual CA/NV Association Moose Convention in Sparks, Nevada. I can hear the snickers now... did we all wear antlers? How about moose calls? Well, if they did, I must have missed the fun. I was, however, able to meet other Lodge Administrators and Presidents and discuss issues/opportunities facing our Lodges and the greater fraternal organization. Many have the same issues as Santa Rosa – keeping members motivated to help the organization, membership recruitment and retention. **Other Lodges were amazed to hear how well he have done on new member recruitment (ranked 5th in the Association) and our assorted and “restaurant like” menu offered!** I am very proud of what our Social Quarters Manager, Kathleen Nelson and catering team, led by Cesar Orozco, has done to make our Social Quarters one of the best in the Association. Hat's off to Kathleen & Cesar!!

Lastly, we need you to volunteer! It may be working one Friday night to help deliver food/drinks or clean off tables? It might be working the door one night collecting dance tickets? It might be a trade... plumbing, electrical or mechanical work? How about roof inspection or repair? These are all things that are needed to keep our Lodge in tip-top shape and if we can save a few bucks, it goes towards making our Lodge profitable. If everyone does a little, no one has to do a lot! Please let Kathleen, Aaron or myself know if you can help.

Jim Walker
Administrator

Oktoberfest - September 24



This Month's Events - OCTOBER

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1ST
STEAK DINNER

\$20
 Ribeye steak,
 baked potato
 & green beans

SANTA ROSA AREA MOOSE

BLIND
Wine TASTING

Thursday, Oct 7th
 featuring **5 Red Blends**
 event starts at 5:30pm

\$20
 price includes a cheese plate

SANTA ROSA #458 MOOSE

Ricky B and Friends
Friday, October 8th



on the patio

starting at 5:30pm

SPECIAL \$15
Cajun Pasta

Classic rock,
Classic country,
Folk rock,
Primarily 60's 70's



SANTA ROSA #458 MOOSE

Street Taco Thursday
\$2



Oct. 17th & 28th

BINGO **SANTA ROSA #458 MOOSE**



Friday, Oct. 15th - 6pm

\$5 8-game card pack

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

Offering our Yummy Menu
must dine to attend

SANTA ROSA #458 MOOSE

FREE Hot Dog
with a purchase of a beverage
4-7pm



Thursday, October 21st

SANTA ROSA #458 MOOSE

Comedy Series

Pork Chop
mashed potatoes
& veggies \$15



Friday October 21st
MOVIE starts at 6pm



Dinner and a Movie
playing on a 8 ft screen

movie snacks for sale
popcorn & candy

SANTA ROSA #458 MOOSE

Trivia night

SPECIAL TRI-TIP
mashed potatoes
and a Veggie
\$15

Friday, October 29th

Think you're so smart?
Prove it!

All NEW Questions

Starts at 6pm

Compete for Moose Bucks!

KIDS & ADULTS WELCOME

SANTA ROSA LODGE MOOSE

HALLOWEEN PARTY

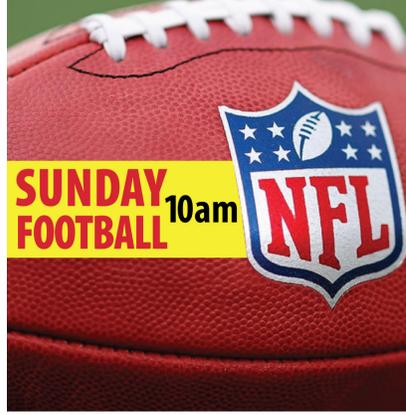
Dinner/Dance
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30TH
featuring Band Good Old Boys
DINNER 5-7PM Buffet Served • \$15 Kids eat FREE
DANCE 7PM • \$15 (DINNER & DANCE \$25)

MUST RSVP DINNER
 Standard Menu NOT being offered

SPOOKY SPAGHETTI
 Red or Pesto Sauce, Garlic Bread, Caesar Salad
FREE DESSERT

TREAT BAGS FOR KIDS
 *prizes for BEST COSTUME

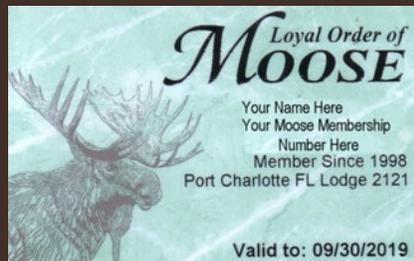
WALK THROUGH OUR HAUNTED HALLWAY



For a printable Calendar click [here](#)

October 2021 For detailed event information log onto santarosamoose.org

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
OPEN: Wed/Thu 4-7pm Friday 4-9pm Sat. 3-8pm Sun, 10am-3pm (10/31 49er game only 10am-12ish)	NEW items on Oct. Menu (see backside)	STEAK DINNER Lodge Favorite, STEAK NIGHT Baked Potato Veggies \$20	Happy Hour 4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks Bud Draft PBR Draft Racer's Draft	SUNDAY FOOTBALL 10am NFL
Happy Hour 4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks Bud Draft PBR Draft Racer's Draft	WINE TASTING Thursday, Oct 7 th featuring 5 Red Blends event starts at 5:30pm price includes a cheese plate \$20	Ricky B and Friends Friday, October 8 th on the patio starting at 6:30pm	Happy Hour 4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks Bud Draft PBR Draft Racer's Draft	SUNDAY FOOTBALL 10am NFL
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Bring your Moose Card!

It's important to bring your Moose ID card when you come to the Lodge. We are required to check everyone's ID. If you need to renew, click [here](#).



**Donate Food at the Lodge
during open hours.**



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