



Message from the Lodge Manager July Happenings

June was such an exciting month at the Lodge! **We packed the patio with a sold-out Blind Chardonnay tasting, Benny Bassett entertained a full house with an amazing performance and our Patio Big Red Cup Party had members forming Congo lines dancing to the summer sounds of Caribbean steel drums.** June will be a hard month to beat, but for those of you not vacationing in July, we have a number of things to look forward to, including \$2 Street Taco on the 1st and last Thursday and Rick B and Friends performing on the last Friday of the month. Not to mention other events, like Wine Tasting, Free Hot Dog Thursday, Bingo and Vinyl night with yours truly as DJ (always wanted to do it). So post your Moose calendar, where you can be reminded of all the great things happening at the Lodge in July.

June was also unique in another way, we had a 4 day financial review from Moose International specialist, Chris Maher. It was an interesting experience. We were reminded about regulations that we have let slip including guests are not allowed to pay directly for alcohol/beer, the member who brings them in is required to pay. Also, ticketed events are supposed to be for members only. We are allowed to have public event with a special dispensation from Moose. There was a lot of "advise" about how we operate. **I continue to think that what we are doing here at our Lodge is both innovative and inspiring.** The increased numbers of new members, support this. Our dream team board has truly taken our Lodge to a whole other level from where we started. I, personally, am very proud of what we have accomplished. The energy of our membership uplifts me every day.

Some of you may have noticed higher prices at the Lodge for food and some drinks. We don't have to make money, but we do have to sustain ourselves. We are only keeping up with the current cost of goods which, in some cases, have nearly tripled. Please, understand that we must occasionally increase prices to keep up with expenses.

I'd like to remind all members everyone is welcome to attend our General Membership Meeting on the third Monday of the month, starting at 6:30pm. **See your board in action, make your suggestions as a member and contribute to**

the future of the Lodge's operations. The next meeting is on Monday, July 19th. The bar will be closed as this is a business meeting. Enter through Hall doors.

Exciting things are on the horizon, including a Country Hoedown fundraiser for kids in September, another Moose mixer with free appetizers and dances with bands coming back once-a-month in the hall on Saturday, August 21st. So stay tuned to the monthly mailed calendars and daily emails.

Faithfully yours,

Kathleen Nelson
Social Quarters Manager



Message from the President

Happy July to all you wonderful Moose! I had the wonderful experience of checking in almost every ticket holder for the red cup hat party on June 26th, and boy was that a great experience.

Nothing makes me happier than to see bright, smiling faces coming through the door to enjoy another great time at the lodge. And a big thank you to Sharon for giving me the moose hat that I was wearing that night.

July is a pretty busy month for me, with fishing trips, family reunions, holiday parties, and spending as much time outside doing the things that I love to do. Spent a couple days on Tomales Bay recently looking for some Halibut, and even though I didn't catch any when we were out there I still chalked the day up as a success because I was where I wanted to be and doing what I wanted to do with the people that are special to me. It truly was a happy place, and I hope that you are finding yours this summer as well.

On another note, the lodge is always in need of people who are happy and willing to volunteer once or twice a month. **Please talk to any board member if you would like to volunteer.** As always, we have a fun filled calendar this month. Hope to see you at the lodge soon.

Warmly,

Aaron Prysock
President



Message from the Administrator

Good Day Moose,

Summer heat is upon us and I've noticed a few new faces inside the Social Quarters these last few weeks. I guess the word is spreading... The Santa Rosa Moose Lodge #458 is a great place to be! Kathleen, the Board and myself knew once the pandemic slowed

and things got back to "normal", our membership would grow... and grow is has! **We have welcomed over 50 new members in June alone – this is an average of 3 new members every day we are open. Tremendous!!**

Our Lodge was visited by a Financial Review Specialist from Moose International last month and he spent a few day reviewing our operations. **The primary reason for this visit was to check on the documentation and the conditions of the financial systems of the Lodge, along with the checking on the operating procedures and usage of the lodge.** Here are a few highlights:

- President needs to appoint the Financial Review Committee. This is one of a few committees we are lacking here in Santa Rosa (more on that later).
- A new Point of Sale (POS) system is needed – one that can better serve our growing lodge and integrate better with lodge's QuickBooks accounting system. The lodge will invest in a new Clover POS system and should be up and operational by the end of summer.
- As of 6/21/2021, Santa Rosa #458 is reporting 499 members. This is 42 more than our "plus one goal" of 457 members!

At our last Board meeting we discussed how our Lodge could recruit members to

various committees and increase attendance to our monthly General Meeting held 3rd Monday of each month. Over the few few meetings, we will further discuss and begin asking/encouraging members to participate. **If you are reading this and would like to participate in any of these Lodge-essential committees, please contact me or Aaron, your President.**

Lastly, I want to encourage all to go to the Moose International website www.mooseintl.org/ and learn more about this fraternal organization you have joined!

The Moose is more than a great place to meet friends and enjoy discounted food and drink. Our Lodge supports a school for disadvantaged children (Mooseheart) and seniors (Moosehaven). Take a look, I bet you will be surprised!

Jim Walker
Administrator

Images from June's Events

Patio Big Red Cup Party

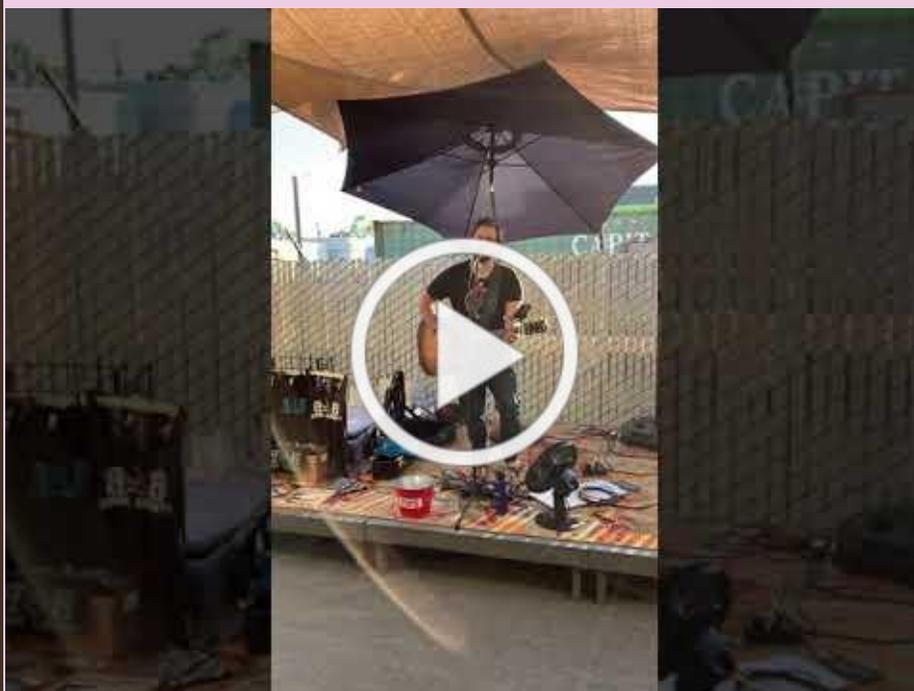
MOOSE PATIO PARTY GRAND OPENING
Summer Start-up
LIVE Steel Drum Music Caribbean Connection
Kids \$10 (12 and under)
\$30 includes dinner
Music 5-8pm
RENT VIP Lounge for your crew
• BBQ Dinner from 5-7:30pm (choice of tri-tip or chicken served with choice of 2: beans, potato salad or Caesar salad)
SATURDAY, JUNE 26th
• RED CUP HAT Contest (create a hat out of red cups for prizes)
BUY YOUR TICKETS TODAY!







Benny Bassett perform on the Patio



This Month's Events - July

SANTA ROSA #458
MOOSE

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



Thursday, July 15th

BINGO SANTA ROSA #458 **MOOSE**

9	22	34	59	68
10	25	32	49	74
7	27	FREE 627	57	75
3	20			
13	17	37	56	70

Friday, July 16th - 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



FLIGHT NIGHT
\$15
FEATURING 4 BEERS
OR COOPERAGE BREWING COMPANY
Thursday, July 22nd SERVING DURING OPEN HOURS

SANTA ROSA #458 **MOOSE**

\$15 TRI-TIP DINNER SPECIAL
mashed potatoes & mixed veggies

featuring DJ Kick'n'it Kathleen

ALL GENRES OF MUSIC
VINYL NIGHT - B.Y.O.V BRING YOUR OWN VINYL
FRIDAY JULY 23RD 5-8 PM

SANTA ROSA #458 **MOOSE**

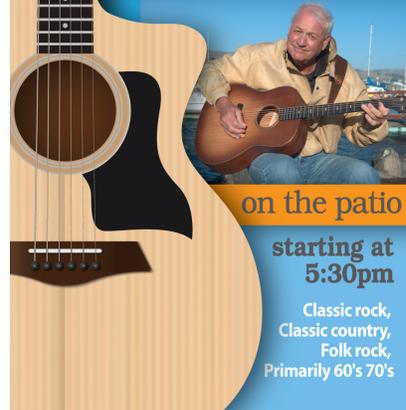
Street Taco Thursday
\$2
July 1st & 29th



SANTA ROSA #458 **MOOSE**

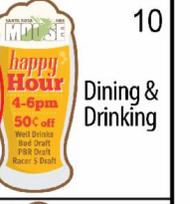
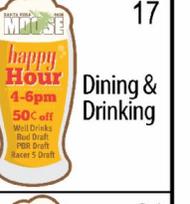
Rick B and Friends
Friday, July 30th

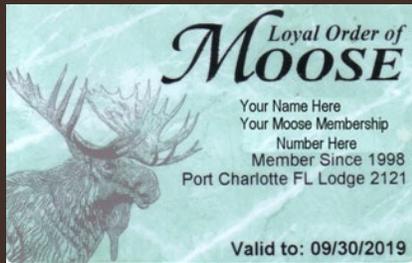
on the patio
starting at 5:30pm
Classic rock,
Classic country,
Folk rock,
Primarily 60's 70's



For a printable Calendar click [here](#)

July 2021 *Inside and Patio fully open!*

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Hours: Wed & Thu 4-7pm Friday 4-9pm Saturday 2-9pm	 <p>\$2 Taco Thursday</p>	 <p>STEAK DINNER 2</p> <p>\$20 Ribeye steak, baked potato & green beans</p>	 <p>Happy Hour 3</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>
 <p>Happy Hour 7</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>	 <p>Blind Wine Tasting 8</p> <p>Thursday, July 8th 5 Sauvignon Blancs \$20 event starts at 5:30pm (includes a cheese plate)</p>	 <p>Trivia Night 9</p> <p>Friday, July 9th Think you're so smart? Prove it! Starts at 6pm</p>	 <p>Happy Hour 10</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>
 <p>Happy Hour 14</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>	 <p>FREE Hot Dog 15</p> <p>with a purchase of a beverage 4-7pm</p>	 <p>BINGO 16</p> <p>6:00pm</p> <p>9 22 34 59 68 10 25 32 40 74 7 27 5 15 3 20 41 5 17 37 56 70</p> <p>\$5 8 game card pack</p>	 <p>Happy Hour 17</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>
 <p>Happy Hour 21</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>	 <p>FLIGHT NIGHT 22</p> <p>\$15 TRIP DINNER SPECIAL (includes appetizer & main course) Thursday, July 22nd SEATING, BARING, OPEN HOUSE COOPERAGE</p>	 <p>VINYL NIGHT - B.Y.O.V 23</p> <p>\$15 TRIP DINNER SPECIAL (includes appetizer & main course) ALL GENRES OF MUSIC Vinyl Night - B.Y.O.V</p>	 <p>Happy Hour 24</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>
 <p>Happy Hour 28</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>	 <p>Street Taco Thursday 29</p> <p>\$2 Taco Thursday</p>	 <p>Rick B and Friends 31</p> <p>Friday, July 30th on the patio starting at 5:30pm</p>	 <p>Happy Hour 31</p> <p>4-6pm 50¢ off Well Drinks, Bud Draft, PBR Draft, Baker's Draft</p>



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.

FOOD DRIVE MOST NEEDED ITEMS



Loyal Order of Moose Officers 2021-2022

President	Aaron Prysock	707 217-2273
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Administrator	Jim Walker	707 322-7729
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1st Year Trustee	Matt Jones	707 291-0934
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