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Moose Lodge No. 329

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2017-2018 Greenville Moose Lodge

Table listing officers and their names: Governor Randy Hines Jr., Past Governor Phil Ayette Jr., etc.

2017-2018 W.O.T.M. BOARD OF OFFICERS

Table listing W.O.T.M. officers: Senior Regent Barbara Potter Jr., Regent Sharon Girdler, etc.

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Governor's Corner

Happy Holiday Season. I hope you are staying warm.

It has been a good Fall here at the Greenville Moose Lodge.

A big thank you goes out to Russ and Barb Potter and all of their volunteers for putting on a great Halloween Party for the kids.

I hope you have been able to enjoy some of the activities we have had going on. Thank you to all of the men and women who make all of the fun and exciting things happen.

Just a reminder, there is a Lodge meeting every second Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. All male members are always invited to join us. This is the time where you can bring up any questions, concerns, and suggestions.

With a busy holiday season coming up, I would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. As always, I hope you have a great time, but please stay safe. As always, if you feel like you have had maybe one too many adult beverages, please seek out a fellow Mooser to drive you home. We are all family and want everyone to stay safe.

I'd also like to take this time to recognize some of the most recent donations that have been given towards our current lighting issues. The effort is to reduce our lodge's electric consumption. We have slowly, but surely, been changing out our old style fluorescent bulbs to the newer LED bulbs over the past months. These newer style bulbs produce more lighting with fewer bulbs being used and with far

less electricity consumption. This will reduce our lodge's electric footprint and save us money. It is our hope to fully replace all the old style bulbs with new LED style fixtures in the very near future. This change over will create a safer and better lit lodge for all to come and enjoy. My thanks goes out to the most recent donors towards this goal. Thanks to Joe & Sandy Thomas, Red & Pat Wogoman, and Rick & Terri Honeyman. They have generously given \$600 as a group towards the lighting project of the Moose #329 Lodge. Also, thank you to the past donors for their contribution to the lighting project. Thank you Bob & Carol Cox, John Blinn, Rick & Terri Honeyman, Red & Pat Wogoman, and Steve Marshall. If any Moose member would like to donate towards the effort of reducing electricity cost, please contact any of the Moose Trustees for more information.

See you at the Moose, Randy Hines, Governor

Moose Legion

Our next two Moose Legion Meetings will be on December 20, 2017 and January 17, 2018. Both meetings will start 7:00 p.m.

Our Steak Dinners and Fish Fries have started out very slow. This is one way our Moose Legion can help the Lodge for things they need to have they wouldn't be able to get. Please support us, so we can help the Lodge. Our next two Steak Dinners will be on December 9, 2017 and January 13, 2018 from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m. Our next two Fish Fries will be on

December 16, 2017 and January 20, 2018 also from 5:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Our \$5 drawing for September was won by Tom Frazer - not signed; October was Bob Vehorn - not signed; November was Robert Birt - not signed.

I would like to take this time to wish all our Members to have a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Russ Potter, Moose Legion Secretary

Lodge of Sorrow

Brother Moose Members:

When a fellow Moose member passes away, the Moose Lodge is often requested to perform a short ceremony for the benefit of his family. This service is called a Lodge of Sorrow and is about 15 minutes long. This is the final tribute given in the member's honor. It makes no difference whether or not you know the member. The tribute is for the family and friends of the deceased. If you would be interested in helping to do this tribute, all you need to do is call Larry Blinn at 621-3694 and ask to be put on the Lodge of Sorrow calling list. When a Lodge of Sorrow is requested by the family of a deceased member, you will receive a call or text message giving the member's name, the date and time of the service, and the name of the funeral home. You will not need to read a part. Your presence is all we ask. If you would like to read a part, you will be welcome to do so. We generally meet at the Lodge and car pool to the funeral home.

MOOSE NEWS

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Family Activities

THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY IS SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17TH. HOPE YOU ALL GOT YOUR KIDS AND GRANDKIDS SIGNED UP TO SEE SANTA. WORD HAS IT THAT HE WILL BE HERE AROUND 1:00 P.M.

A BIG THANK YOU to everyone that helped in any way at the Kid's Halloween Party. It was greatly appreciated.

Russ Potter,
Family Activities Chairman

GREENVILLE MOOSE MEMBERS BENEFITS PROGRAM

The following businesses are included in this program -

BIRT'S SEWING CENTER
544 Wagner Ave. • Greenville
(937) 548-2220

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(PIZZAS & SUBS)**
101 Pine St. • Greenville
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**GREENVILLE TRANSMISSION
& ENGINE REPAIR**
Martz Street • Greenville

Recipe "PECAN PIE CHEESE CAKE"

READY IN: 2 hours 30 minutes YIELD: UNITS: 1 - 9" cake US

Graham Cracker Crust

1 1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs

1/3 cup sugar

Pecan Filling

6 tbs. unsalted butter

1/2 cup packed light brown sugar

3/4 cup dark corn syrup

1 1/2 cups chopped pecans

Cheesecake Filling

24 oz. cream cheese

1 cup packed light brown sugar

1/4 cup all purpose flour

Pecan Topping

4 tbs. unsalted butter

1/2 cup packed light brown sugar

1 1/2 cups toasted pecans, chopped

8 tbs. butter, melted

2 eggs, beaten

1/2 tsp. vanilla extract

1 pinch of salt

4 large eggs

1 cup heavy cream

1/3 cup heavy cream

1 pinch of salt

1. Preheat oven to 325 degrees F. In a large bowl, combine graham cracker crumbs, sugar and butter. Press evenly into bottom and halfway up the side of a 9" springform pan. Bake for 6-8 minutes; set aside to cool.
2. In a small sauce pan over medium heat, melt 6 tablespoons butter. Add 1/2 cup light brown sugar and cook, stirring occasionally until starting to bubble and sugar is dissolved, about 2 minutes. Remove from heat and stir in dark corn syrup, 1 1/2 cups chopped pecans, eggs, vanilla extract and salt. Pour into prepared crust; set aside.
3. In a stand mixer with paddle attachment, beat cream cheese, 1 cup light brown sugar and flour until fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating after each addition until just combined. Add 1 cup heavy cream and stir until well combined. Pour over pecan pie filling and place springform pan on a baking sheet. Bake for 60-70 minutes until cake jiggles slightly when moved or toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean. Turn off oven and leave cake in for 1 hour, then remove from oven and let cool completely.
4. To make the Pecan Topping:
5. Melt butter in a small sauce pan over medium heat. Add brown sugar and cook until bubbling, about 3-5 minutes. Remove from heat and stir in 1 1/2 cups toasted pecans, 1/3 cup heavy cream and pinch of salt. Let cool to room temperature then spoon over cooled cheesecake.
6. Slice to serve or store in refrigerator.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR DECEMBER 2017



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
					1 Ribeye Steak	2
3 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	4 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	5 Euchre 6:00 p.m. Lasagna	6 50c Wings, Burgers and Fries 5:30 p.m. - ??	7 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. Officers Mtg. - 6:30 p.m. W.O.T.M. Chapter Meeting - 7:00 p.m.	8 Pulled Pork	9 Legion Steak Dinner
10 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	11 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	12 Euchre 6:00 p.m. Beef & Noodles	13 Officers Meeting 6:00 p.m. Lodge Mtg. - 7:00 p.m. Taco Night 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.	14 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m.	15 BBQ Ribs	16 Legion Fish Fry Bounty Hunter 8:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. W.O.T.M. Christmas Party 6:00 - ?
17 Kid's Christmas Party 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Euchre - 6:00 p.m.	18 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	19 W.O.T.M. Bake Sale Euchre - 6:00 p.m. Meat Loaf	20 Moose Legion Meeting 7:00 p.m.	21 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. W.O.T.M. Business Meeting - 7:00 p.m.	22 Chicken Parmesan	23
24 Lodge Closes at 6:00 p.m.	25 Merry Christmas	26 Euchre 6:00 p.m. Baked Steak	27 House Committee Meeting 6:00 p.m. Taco Night 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.	28 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m.	29 Brats & Sauerkraut	30
31 New Year's Eve Party 8:00 p.m. - ? Triple Nickle						



CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR JANUARY 2018



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
	1 Happy New Year	2 Euchre 6:00 p.m. Goulash	3 50c Wings, Burgers and Fries 5:30 p.m. - ??	4 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. Officers Mtg. - 6:30 p.m. W.O.T.M. Chapter Meeting - 7:00 p.m.	5 New York Strip Steak	6 Singles Dance 8:00 - 11:00 p.m. \$3.00 Charge
7 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	8 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	9 Euchre - 6:00 p.m. Green Beans Red Potatoes & Smoked Sausage	10 Officers Meeting 6:00 p.m. Lodge Mtg. - 7:00 p.m. Taco Night 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.	11 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m.	12 Spaghetti Pizza	13 Legion Steak Dinner
14 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	15 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	16 W.O.T.M. Bake Sale Euchre - 6:00 p.m. Chicken & Noodles	17 Moose Legion Meeting 7:00 p.m.	18 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. W.O.T.M. Business Meeting - 7:00 p.m.	19 Beef Stew	20 Legion Fish Fry
21 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	22 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	23 Euchre 6:00 p.m. Lasagna	24 House Committee Meeting - 6:00 p.m. Taco Night 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.	25 DCSC Cards 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. W.O.T.M. Dinner 5:30 p.m. - ?	26 Chopped Beef Steak	27
28 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	29 Charity Bingo 7:00 p.m.	30 Euchre 6:00 p.m.	31			

W.O.T.M. NEWS

December 7th - Officers Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
at 7:00 p.m. - In honor of:

December 21st - Business Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

January 4, 2018 - Officers Meeting at 6:30 p.m.
at 7:00 p.m. - In honor of:

January 18th - Business Meeting at 7:00 p.m.

January 25th - W.O.T.M. DINNER, 5:30 p.m. - ?

Hello Ladies,

This year the women are trying something different. We are having a Breakfast with Santa on Saturday, December 9th at 9:00 a.m. There will be copies of the registration at the bar and the cost is \$5.00. Registration is open till December 2nd. Come out and see Santa before he gets too busy.

WELL, IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN. WE ARE LOOKING FOR OFFICERS - SR. REGENT, JR. REGENT, SECRETARY/TREASURER AND RECORDER. We will be

having nominations in February, so watch for the post in the newsletter and help out the women and also the Lodge.

Some of the officers will be traveling to the convention in February. It will be in Independence, Ohio again this year. They will be bringing back things they have learned to help the Chapter and hopefully the Lodge.

LADIES PLEASE: If you move, please turn in a change of address. Otherwise you won't get your newsletter or anything else from Moose International.

Keep sponsoring new members and we would like to see more Ladies at the meetings. We meet twice a month on the first and third Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

Keep a look out for things to come. There will be posters put up in the Lodge.

BARB POTTER, SENIOR REGENT

W.O.T.M. Board of Officers

Would like to thank everyone for bringing out baked goods for our monthly bake sale. It is very appreciated.



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COMING ATTRACTIONS

DO YOU LIKE TO DANCE???????????

COMING ATTRACTIONS — Triple Nickle will be at the Lodge for New Year's Eve from 8:00 p.m. - 12 a.m. Meal to be served at break. The cost will be \$15.00 for single & \$25.00 for a couple.

We will be having Single Dances January 6, 2018, February 3, 2018, March 3, 2018 from 8:00 - 11:00 p.m. at a cost of \$3.00 per person.

TEXAS HOLD'EM POKER: To all members that like to play Texas Hold'em Poker, we have games on the second and fourth weekends from September to May. These games might be played on a Saturday night or a Sunday afternoon, but they will always be on the second and fourth weekends. Call the Moose Lodge if you want more details. Mid #10895482

THANKS!
Ron Kerg



Have an event coming up and need a place to hold it? Call STEVE MARSHALL AT THE LODGE AND RENT THE HALL. (937-548-2662)

WE COULD STILL USE SOME SPONSORS FOR THE NEWSLETTER. THE COST IS ONLY \$100.00 A YEAR AND YOU GET YOUR BUSINESS NAME TO MANY PEOPLE.

ANYONE WANTING TO PUT ANYTHING IN THE NEWSLETTER, NEEDS TO HAVE IT INTO TONJA SHELL NO LATER THAN THE 15TH OF THE MONTH, BEFORE THE NEWSLETTER IS TO COME OUT.

Please remember our members who are sick or have lost a loved one this past year and may you all have a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year.

Remember to put your money in the sign-up boxes when signing for a drawing. Also, you may not sign for another member if they are not present.

SENIORS NEWS WANTED - We are still looking for a few Euchre players on Thursdays at 12:30 - 3:30 p.m. **SNACKS AND GOOD TIMES. Come out and have some fun with us.**

Moose Bucks - Guess who didn't find his number to claim his MOOSE BUCKS, Robert Birt. The next one will be worth 25 Moose Bucks.

WELCOME NEW AND FORMER MEMBERS: Sorry these men and women didn't get in the last newsletter, but WELCOME AND I HOPE YOU ARE ENJOYING YOUR MEMBERSHIP. Holli James, Kelli Price, Stephanie Christman; Welcome Ladies. Mark Addington, Jody Billenstein, Scott Burns, Christopher Etzell, Stephen Evans, Brian Hagg, David Huffman, Tanner Kirchner, Kent Klosterman, Tommy Lam, Allen Potter, Ralph Runner; Welcome Gentlemen.

Congratulations to our new Military and First Responder Members. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE.

Remember, till the end of April, you can still sign up **FIRST RESPONDERS, MILITARY, LAW ENFORCEMENT AND THEY GET THE FIRST YEAR NO DUES.**

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT MEMBERSHIP IS EVERYONE'S JOB AND CANNOT BE LEFT TO THE ADMINISTRATOR AND THE BOARD OF OFFICERS. WITHIN THAT LAST YEAR, OVER 175 MEMBERS DID NOT RENEW THEIR MEMBERSHIP. WHY?

MEMBERS SHOULD ALWAYS TREAT MEMBERS WITH A SMILE AND RESPECT AND MAKE THEM FEEL WELCOME IN OUR GREAT LODGE. LET'S WORK ON GETTING OUR MEMBERSHIP BACK UP.

FROM THE EDITOR - If you know a lady member who did not get a newsletter, but would normally get one, please let me (Tonja Shell) know. When my computer went down, I lost that information. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. FROM MY FAMILY TO YOURS, WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH EACH AND EVERYONE OF YOU A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR. MAY ALL YOUR DREAMS AND WISHES COME TRUE! HERE'S TO A GREAT NEW YEAR - CHEERS. Tonja Shell