



## LODGE #698 NEWS LETTER

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2017

### From our Administrator, Steve Rettig

It was a very busy September and October that included the State Mixed Golf, Volunteer cookout, parking lot addition, electrical upgrade to the beer garden, and of course our Mortgage Burning Party. Thanks to all that helped with these events. They wouldn't have been as wonderful as they were without all of your hard work.

Looking forward over the next two months, its more fun events which includes the kids and adult Halloween party, Las Vegas Poker qualifier , Christmas parties, and a New Years Eve party, among many other fun events. All of these we work towards and for, are to benefit our youth and elderly in the end. So if you have spare time that you would like to donate, please see me. We can always use more help in helping others!  
THANKS!

Sincerely, Steve Rettig

### From our Governor, Dan Schumacher

I would like to start out with a big "THANK YOU" to our Mortgage Burning Committee: John and Deb Courtney, Lotta Bosserman, Karol Smith, and Peg Seagraves. You guys did a outstanding job.

If it wasn't for these members, we could not have done what we did and what we can do in the future of this Lodge. I would also like to Thank the volunteers who help around the Lodge and activities we do. The Board members appreciate what you do. Thank You again.

Also get ready for the OSU vs. Michigan Party, November 25, 2017.

In conclusion, I would like to Thank the WOTM for all your help at the lodge and again all the activities you are involved with.

Oh, just remember, you can have the popcorn machine back anytime! (haha)



Fraternity yours,  
Dan Schumacher

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**Moose Lodge #698**

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[www.ohiomoose.com](http://www.ohiomoose.com)

### LODGE HOURS

Monday: 11am-1am

Tuesday: 11am-1am

Wednesday: 11am-1am

Thursday: 11am-1am

Friday: 11am-1am

Saturday 11am-1am

Sunday: 12pm-11pm

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## LOOM OFFICERS

### Governor

Dan Schumacher

### Junior Governor

Bud Rucker

### Past Governor

John Shearer

### Prelate

Brian Bell

### Treasure

Edward C. Beers

### Three Year Trustee

Christian Richardson

### Two Year Trustee

Tom Nesbitt

### One Year Trustee

Tom Ludi



## WOTM OFFICERS

### Senior Regent

Jan Boltz

### Junior Regent

Peg Seagraves

### Secretary -Treasure

Susie Malone

### Recorder

Penny Benroth

### Junior Past Grad

### Regent

Nancy Beers

## MENS NEWS

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LOOM Meeting are the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. 6:00pm LOOM Officers Meeting then at 7:00pm LOOM Member meeting. Come a learn what we are all about and what we do!

## LEGION NEWS

Ed Beers

The Moose Legion served 79 breakfasts in September and 78 breakfasts in October. **PLEASE NOTE THE DATE CHANGES FOR NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER BREAKFASTS.** The next breakfast is Sunday, November 19th from 8 am to 11 am. In December breakfast will be held Sunday, December 17th also from 8 am to 11 am. There will be a Moose Legion meeting to follow each of those dates. I Want to thank all Moose Legionnaires who have come out and helped wit our breakfasts.

Projects that we are sponsored since the Moose Legion has become active, to name a few, are: Donating money for the Halloween Parties, Easter Parties and the Kids' Christmas Parties; Sponsoring a Sunshine Child; donating money to Sara's Garden and to Levi Cortez's Eagle Scout project. We approved the purchase of hardware for the women's restroom in the Social Quarters and also partitions for the men's restroom. We have donated to the Friends of Santa Christmas Tree and also to the Thanksgiving Food Baskets.

Items we have purchased for the Lodge include a large coffee pot, waffle iron and chopper for the kitchen, cabinets for the kitchen register and back bar register, a wall fan for the kitchen, ten long tables to replace wooden tables, two televisions for the Lodge Social Quarters and a charging station for cell phones.

As you can see, it is very beneficial to become a Moose Legionnaire to help our lodge grow and prosper.

The next meeting of the Maumee Valley Moose Legion #30 is January 14, 2018 at the Kenton Lodge. 1pm for Officers, 2pm for Members. If you have anyone who would like to become a Moose Legionnaire, they need to come to our meeting in Kenton.

Everyone please have a Happy Holiday Season.

Ed Beers, Findlay Moose Legion Chair

## WOMENS NEWS

Jan Boltz

New Members, New Adventures. Orientation to start. Come to learn. Leave to Serve.

As of November 1, 2017 any new co-worker needs to attend orientation to receive your book number for the multiple drawings that the Lodge provides and to meet other members and enjoy the time together with new friends.

WOW, what a party! The Family Picnic was awesome. Good food, good friends, a bouncy ship, fire truck rides, animals too. Even a gold fish throw. K9 Police dog "Sonny" and officer trainer Tom Miller gave us a "Dog at Work" demonstration.

We had speakers there also. Karol Smith- Supreme Justice Being, Dan Schumacher- Governor and John Sipes- Secretary of OSMA. We had friends from other Lodges . Kenton, Upper Sandusky and Fostoria to help celebrate with us. Thanks to everyone for all the team work. Be proud.

Watch for the winners of the Kids Halloween Party in the January/February newsletter.

Women meet the 1st Thursday of each month at 6:00pm with a pot luck. And the 3rd Thursday at 7:00pm.

**EUCHRE Winners for August, September, October**

August 23: 1st: Steve Cramer 2nd: Marty Steinman 3rd: Trish Schies  
 August 30: 1st: Tim Hill 2nd: Doyle Watson 3rd: Marty Steinman 4th: Deb Badertscher  
 September 10 1st: Bob Thomas 2nd: Deb Linhart 3rd: Tim Hill  
 September 13 1st/2nd tie: Jerry Blem/Julie Graber 3rd:/4th tie: Teresa Howard/Deb Badertscher  
 September 20: 1st: Tim Hill 2nd: Marty Steinman 3rd: Deb Linhart  
 September 27: 1st: Doyle Watson 2nd: Fern Holmes 3rd Tie: Steve Linhart/Dee Dillerman  
 October 4: 1st: Marty Steinman 2nd: Bill Martin 3rd Tie: Trish Schies/Larry Gibson  
 October 11: 1st: Tom Gerke Sr. 2nd: Doyle Watson 3rd: Amy Cravens  
 October 18: 1st: Judy Vangeloff 2nd: Dee Dillerman 3rd: Amy Cravens



**KIDS CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Will be held on December 16th

There will be more information soon so watch for the details!!



Come for some fun and maybe a BIG surprise!

**New Member Orientation Program**

Starting Sunday November 12th, 2018 the Lodge will be holding an Orientation Program for all new members to inform them on what the Moose Lodge is all about. What we do as a lodge, some of the rules we have, and much much more!

It will be at 2:00pm the 2nd Sunday of each month.

Once again the Findlay Moose Lodge #698 will be giving away another 50 Thanksgiving baskets to families in need.

We are asking for your help in filling these baskets. The Lodge is furnishing the Turkeys and the dinner rolls will be furnished.

Here is a list of what we need to provide a nice dinner:

Dressing

Boxed Potatoes

Gravy

Pudding

Vegetables:

Corn, Green Beans,

Peas, Mixed Vegetables

Cake mix and frosting

Monetary gifts would also be appreciated.

You can give your donations to the LOOM office or to Lotta Bosserman and we will go out and get whatever is needed to complete the baskets.

See Lotta Bosserman or Kris Gilts if you have any questions.

Please deliver to the Moose Lodge by **November 17th, 2018**

The winners of the LIFETIME MOOSE MEMBERSHIPS ARE:

Men's: Ronald Pahl

Women's: Lotta Bosserman

Way to go!!!

Queen of Heart Dates for November & December

- Saturday November 4
- Saturday November 11
- Saturday November 18
- Saturday November 25
- Sunday December 3 6:00pm
- Saturday December 9
- Sunday December 17 6:00pm
- Saturday December 30



!!! Payouts on drawings and Queen of Hearts ARE NOT AVAILABLE Until 1:00pm that next day but NO payouts on Sunday!!



**Upcoming Ohio State Moose Association Sport Events**

**Mixed Bowling** November 4-5 Marion Lodge #689 Dave Maggeret 740-805-8542

**Upcoming International Moose Sports**

9th Annual Texas Hold' Em Poker Tourney

Golden Nugget, Las Vegas, Information is on the bill board by the office

January 14-17 2018

For more information on these events: [www.mooseintl.org](http://www.mooseintl.org)



Findlay Moose Lodge Pool League

Every Thursday at 7:00pm

MEMBERS ONLY

Contact Steve Rettig in the office for information



**Las Vegas Qualifying Texas Hold'em Poker Tournament**

November 5, 2018

Findlay Moose Lodge #698

Sign in at 1:00pm Tournament starts at 2:00pm

Winner advances to Moose International Poker

Tournament January 14-18 in Las Vegas.

Moose Lodge #698 to pay winners entry, hotel and shirt.

\$25.00 Buy-in and NO re-buys

For complete details so the official flyer or contact the office



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Come have some fun cheering on your favorite team on Saturday November 25 starting at 12:00 noon!


If your child plays in the playroom, you are responsible for that child/children and for the clean-up before you leave.

Leaving the playroom a mess is not cool!


We at the Findlay Moose Lodge #698 want to wish you all a very Happy and Healthy Holiday Season.



# NOVEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>HAPPY HOUR</b> 4pm-6pm Everyday \$1.50 Domestic Beer & Well Drinks		1 L/D: Mushroom Swiss and Side Salad 6:30 Euchre	2 L: Roast Pork Sandwich and Baked Beans D: WINGS 6:00 WOTM Officer Mtg. 7:00 WOTM Meeting	3 L: Ham Steak and Au gratin Potatoes D: BBQ Chicken Breast 8:00 Drawing	4 8:00 Queen of Hearts
5 2:00 New Member Orientation 4:00 Century I	6 Recognizing Valued Veterans L: Grilled Ham & Cheese & Soup D: Country Fried Steak 8:00 Drawing Recognizing	 7 L/D: TACOS 8:00 Drawing	8 L/D: Sloppy Joes and Curly Fries 6:30 Euchre	9 L: Liver and Onions D: WINGS	10 Free lunch for Valued Vets L: Sausage/Cabbage/Potato Stew D: Steak or Chicken 8:00 Drawing	11 10:30 Moose Bus Trip 8:00 Queen of Hearts
12 2:00 New Member Orientation 4:00 Century I	13 L: Pizza Sub D: Chili Mac/Salad/Bread 8:00 Drawing	14 L/D: TACOS 6:00 LOOM Officer Mtg. 7:00 LOOM Meeting 8:00 Drawing	15 L/D: Chicken Club Sandwich 6:30 Euchre	16 L: Beef and Noodles D: WINGS 6:00 WOTM Officer Mtg. 7:00 WOTM Meeting	17 L: Brats and Kraut D: RIB NIGHT 8:00 Drawing 8:00-11:00 Karaoke	18 8:00 Queen of Hearts 8:00-12:00 Rock and Roll Outlaws
19 District Meeting @Celina 8:00-11:00 Breakfast 2:00 Legion Meeting	20 L: Cooks Choice D: Chicken Fettuccini Alfredo 8:00 Drawing	21 L/D: TACOS 8:00 Drawing	22 L/D: Grilled Rueben 6:30 Euchre	23 THANKSGIVING LODGE CLOSED 	24 L: Tuna Noodle Casserole D: FISH FRY 8:00 Drawing	25 12:00 OSU vs. U of M Party 8:00 Queen of Hearts
26 4:00 Century 2	27 L: Cooks Choice D: Baked Steak 8:00 Drawing	28 L/D: TACOS 6:00 LOOM Officer Mtg. 7:00 LOOM Meeting 8:00 Drawing	29 L/D: Shredded Chicken & Fries 6:30 Euchre LAST DAY TO SIGN THURSDAY BOOK	30 L: Hamburger & Noodle Casserole D: Chili Cheese Dog 8:00 Drawing		
Kitchen Hours: Monday—Friday-11:00am-1:30 pm. AND 5:00pm—8:00 pm (SUMMER HOURS) **Saturday—4:00 pm –8:00pm (OPEN ONLY ON QUEEN OF HEART NIGHTS) other wise CLOSED on Saturday Kitchen is open Sundays 4:00pm –7:00pm for the Queen of Hearts. Please check your calendar for these date changes!!						

# DECEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 L: Chicken Parm D: Beef Stroganoff 8:00 Drawing	2
3 6:00 Queen of Hearts 	4 L: BBQ Beef & Fries D: Chicken Fritter/ Mashed Potatoes 8:00 Drawing	5 L/D: TACOS 8:00 Drawing	6 L/D: Ham & Cheese Hoagie/Cup of Soup 6:30 Euchre	7 L: Lasagna D: WINGS 6:00 WOTM Officer Mtg. 7:00 WOTM Meeting	8 L: Pot Roast D: Steak or Chicken 8:00 Drawing	9 8:00 Queen of Hearts 
10 2:00 New Member Orientation 4:00 Century 1	11 L: Buffalo Chicken Salad D: Chicken and Noodles 8:00 Drawing	12 L/D: TACOS 6:00 LOOM Officer Mtg. 7:00 LOOM Meeting 8:00 Drawing	13 L/D: Italian Sausage/Au Gratin Potatoes 6:30 Euchre	14 L: Meatloaf D: WINGS	15 L: Goulash D: RIB NIGHT 7:00– 11:00 Midnight Riders 8:00 Drawing	16 2:00 Kids Christmas Party 6:00 EMPLOYEES PARTY <b>LODGE CLOSED</b> At 6:00pm after 6:00 drawing
17 8-11 BREAKFAST 2:00 Legion Meeting 4:00 Century 2 6:00 Queen of Heart: 	18 L: Cooks Choice D: Boiled Dinner 8:00 Drawing	19 L/D: TACOS 8:00 Drawing	20 L/D: Roast Pork & Dressing 6:30 Euchre	21 L: Liver & Onions D: WINGS 6:00 WOTM Officer Mtg. 7:00 WOTM Meeting	22 L: Spaghetti & Meatballs D: FISH FRY 8:00 Drawing	23
24 <b>CHRISTMAS EVE</b> Lodge closing after 6:00 drawing	25 <b>CHRISTMAS</b> <b>LODGE CLOSED</b> 	26 L/D: TACOS 6:00 LOOM Officer Mtg. 7:00 LOOM Meeting 8:00 Drawing	27 L/D: Grilled Cheese & Chili 6:30 Euchre <b>LAST DAY TO SIGN THURSDAY BOOK</b>	28 L: Chicken Chunks & Fries D: Brats And Kraut 8:00am-4:00pm Blood Drive 8:00 Drawing	29 L: Baked Steak D: Pork Chops & Hash browns 8:00 Drawing	30 8:00 Queen of Hearts 
31 <b>NEW YEAR EVE PARTY</b>	<b>Kitchen Hours: Monday—Friday-11:00am-1:30 pm. AND 5:00pm—8:00 pm (SUMMER HOURS)</b> <b>**Saturday—4:00 pm –8:00pm (OPEN ONLY ON QUEEN OF HEARTS NIGHT) other wise CLOSED on Saturday</b> <b>Kitchen is open Sundays 4:00pm –7:00pm for the Queen of Hearts. Please check your calendar for these date changes!!</b>					