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OVER 50 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE DEFIANCE AREA COMMUNITY

KIDS EASTER PARTY FRIDAY, MARCH 25th

KIDS' FESTIVITIES BEGIN AT 6:30 p.m.

KITCHEN OPEN FROM 5:30 until 8:30

MUSIC BY A&E SOUND FROM 6:00 until 10:00

FREE CANDY AND GIFTS ARE LIMITED TO
CHILDREN 10-YEARS OLD AND YOUNGER.

HOWEVER, OLDER BROTHERS AND SISTERS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

A SIGN-UP SHEET IS LOCATED IN FRONT OF THE KIDS' ROOM.

DEADLINE IS MARCH 20.

CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN OF DEFIANCE MOOSE MEMBERS ONLY.

MUST PRESENT MEMBERSHIP CARD AT THE DOOR
IN ORDER TO PARTICIPATE.

**MOOSE 2094 LEGIONNAIRES —
YOUR TACO ACES — PRESENT**

TACOASIS

Build-your-own-Tacos & Nachos Food Bar

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From 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. (or until gone)

First Tuesday of the month,

prior to the monthly drawing.

FIRST SATURDAY ROCK N ROLL DANCE PARTY 7:30 – 11:30 p.m.

MARCH 5 – JUNK YARD BAND

(The bosses of Buck Lake preside over the Shimmy and Shake)

APRIL 2 – JOE VASQUEZ BAND

(Soon to be Nationwide Stars Recording Artists)

MAY 7 – ELEMENTS

(Move and Groove, Slip and Slide)

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NEVER A COVER CHARGE

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Defiance Moose Family Center

Lodge #2094

SATURDAY, MARCH 26th

11:00 a.m. Sharp!

DIEHL PARK

Open to all children of the

Community

FRIDAY FISH FRYS

All-you-care-to-eat – Still only \$7

MARCH 4 & 18 • APRIL 1 & 15

5 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

SATURDAY STEAK FRY

DELMONICO - \$10

MARCH 26 & APRIL 23

5 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

WOTM DINNERS

Saturday, March 12

Homemade Noodles and Chicken

Mashed Potatoes & Green Beans

Saturday, April 9

Beef Manhattan

Mashed Potatoes, Tossed Salad, Dessert

Both dinners just \$7.00

5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

WOTM BAKE SALE EASTER WEEKEND

NEWSLETTER REQUEST FORM

Yes, I wish to receive the Moose Family Center
Lodge #2094 Newsletter by United States Postal Delivery.

Please send the newsletter to:

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City, State, Zip: _____

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**COMING MAY 30
MEMORIAL DAY
BREAKFAST
2nd Annual Full
Menu Breakfast**

MOOSE 2094 LEGIONNAIRES - YOUR TACO ACES - PRESENT

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in the Park

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**COMING JULY 29
PARTY IN THE PARK**
Featuring **WALLY &
THE BEAVS and VENYX**

FROM THE GOVERNOR

Here it is; my last Governor's letter. Hopefully, forever. Not because I didn't like doing the jobs that are associated with the position, but because we need young people with fresh ideas to help our membership grow even larger. I don't know what the younger members would like scheduled for activities. I enjoy what we do now but that may not be what the younger members want to do. All the officers try to come up with new ideas, but we get very few suggestions as attendance at our lodge meetings is wanting. What we need are fresher ways of doing things.

Sure we will always have our Fish and Steak Dinners and, hopefully, TacOasis will be there for the First Tuesday drawing. But that doesn't mean, with younger members in charge, other things can't be tried. What about the music on Saturday nights? I enjoy the First Saturday rock nights but how many would like to hear more current music occasionally? There is a lot of the new music that even I like, but I don't want to make things the way I want. We need to accommodate all the members in some fashion or we will stagnate and cease to exist.

When asked to join, my first response was what's in it for me? The reply was it was a family based organization that helped support children and the aged, also cheap food and drinks. I came out a few times before joining to check things out before I put my money down. As far as I'm concerned it has been some of the best money I've spent. It hasn't been a bed of roses all the time - there have been weekends spent at the lodge during different functions and days I would have rather been somewhere else enjoying other things. I've worked with and argued with other member but in the end we accomplished some great things for our lodge. We need to continue with new ideas and events, which need new thoughts on how to accomplish these goals.

Let's make our lodge a great place to be!

Fraternally,
Matthew J Seibert, Governor

CHAPTER CHATTER

Here it is March already - with spring just around the corner. March also means elections are coming up soon. Anyone who might be interested in running for office, see any of our present officers.

We have so much fun doing our fundraisers, and we would like to have you come out and join us. Attend our meetings to see all the good things our Charter accomplishes.

Our events for March and April are:

- March 12 - WOTM Dinner of Chicken and Homemade Noodles over mashed potatoes.
- March 4 & 18 - All-you-can-eat Fish Fry
- March 25 & 26 - Annual Spring Bake Sale (Co-workers, expect our calls)
- April 9 - WOTM Dinner: Beef Manhattan
- April 1 & 15 - All-you-can-eat Fish Fry

God Bless,
Tammy, Senior Regent

STRAIGHT FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

I have a favor to ask of the members whose dues expire on March 31st. Could you please renew your membership before the end of the month? I know (from my experience last year) that several of you loyal members wait until your membership has expired to pay your dues. I guess you rely on being "locked out" as a reminder that your dues are overdue when you attempt to enter the social quarters in April. Each Moose Lodge strives to have a membership gain of at least one over the previous year. This is a criteria for reaching the Premier Lodge status that we have attained for the last two years. Although our fiscal Lodge year ends on April 30, the membership totals are calculated at the end of March. Your timely payment in the month of March will go a long way in helping us reach Premier Lodge status for a third year in a row.

At the recent Ohio State Moose Association Mid-year Conference we had the opportunity to take part in several break-out sessions. One segment offered information on retirement opportunities at Moosehaven. I think there are several members of our lodge that could benefit from this information. Some of you senior members might think that, because of your financial situation, it is an impossible dream to spend your elderly years in Florida. However, from what I heard at the session, Moosehaven might be the answer. I am in the process of acquiring more information on Moosehaven to share with any of you who might be interested. Let me know if you are interested in finding out more about retirement opportunities at Moosehaven in sunny Florida.

At press time, the following members have had envelopes filled with money waiting for them behind the bar for several weeks: Jackie Lemaster, Greg Butler and Dana Schmidt. To claim your award, be sure to bring your current Moose International membership card (dues current) and a photo ID. If you've already stopped in...congratulations.

Fraternally,
Bill Hesselschwardt

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MARCH 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Monthly Drawing 7:30 p.m. TacOasis 5 until 7:00 p.m.	2	3 Breakfast Sandwich, Hashbrown & Coffee \$3 - 9 to 11 ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	4 FISH FRY 5:00-7:00 p.m. Full Band Sound of James Wesley 6:30 p.m.	5 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Do the Jerk, Baby "JUNK YARD BAND"
6 Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m.	7 LOOM Reg. Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	8	9	10 Breakfast Sandwich, Hashbrown & Coffee \$3 - 9 to 11 ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	11 OPEN JUKEBOX "We Pay - You Play"	12 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. WOTM DINNER - Chicken & Noodles \$7 - 5-7 p.m. TBA - Live Dance Music 7:30-11:30
13 Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m. Daylight Savings Time Begins. Set Your Clocks Ahead 1 Hour.	14 WOTM Officers Mtg. 6:30 p.m. WOTM Chapt. Mtg. 7 p.m. LOOM Officers Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	15	16	17 Breakfast Sandwich, Hashbrown & Coffee \$3 - 9 to 11 ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	18 FISH FRY 5:00-7:00 p.m. Full Band Sound of James Wesley 6:30 - 10:30 p.m.	19 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. Weekly Drawing Every Saturday at 10:30 p.m. The Perfect Moose Band "HOEDOWNERS"
20 OSMA District 4 Business Meeting 2 p.m. and Meal 2:45 p.m. Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m. Palm Sunday - Spring	21 Moose Legion 6:30 p.m. LOOM Special Mtg. 7 p.m. LOOM Reg. Mtg. 7:15 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	22	23	24 Breakfast Sandwich, Hashbrown & Coffee \$3 - 9 to 11 ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	25 KIDS EASTER PARTY 6-10 p.m. Music by A&E Sound WOTM Bake Sale → Good Friday	26 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. Community Easter Egg Hunt 11 a.m. STEAK FRY 5 to 7 p.m. The House Favorite "ALL-NIGHT POSSE"
27 Lodge Closed Easter	28 WOTM Chapt. Mtg. 7 p.m. LOOM Officers Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	29	30	31 Breakfast Sandwich, Hashbrown & Coffee \$3 - 9 to 11 ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.		

APRIL 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 FOOLS' FISH FRY 5:00-7:00 p.m. Full Band Sound of James Wesley 6:30 to 10:30	2 Saus. Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. The Next Big Thing in New Country "JOE VASQUEZ BAND"
3 Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m.	4 LOOM ELECTION OF OFFI- CERS 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. LOOM Reg. Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	5 Monthly Drawing 7:30 p.m. TacOasis 5 until 7:00 p.m.	6 <i>Army Day</i> 	7 Breakfast Sandwich 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	8 OPEN JUKEBOX "We Pay - You Play"	9 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. 5-7 p.m. - WOTM Dinner Beef Manhattan - \$7 Dance The Clouds Away "THUNDER ROAD"
10 Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m.	11 Joint WOTM/LOOM Mtg. 6:00 p.m. WOTM Officers Mtg. 6:30 p.m. WOTM Chapt. Mtg. 7 p.m. LOOM Officers Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	12	13	14 Breakfast Sandwich 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	15 FISH FRY 5:00-7:00 p.m. Welcome The Special Sounds of Duo "HALF TIME"	16 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. Weekly Drawing Every Saturday at 10:30 p.m. Toledo's Doo-Wop Kings "ROCKET TONES"
17 OSMA District 4 Meeting 2 p.m. Napoleon Lodge 788 Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m.	18 Moose Legion 6:30 p.m. LOOM Reg. Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	19	20	21 Breakfast Sandwich 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	22 OPEN JUKEBOX "We Pay - You Play" Earth Day / Passover	23 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. STEAK FRY 5 to 7 p.m. Flowing w/Talent Wilder Than A Mile "RIVERBEND"
24 Weekly Draw 4:30 p.m. WOTM Chapter Officer Installation 1 p.m.	25 WOTM Chapt. Mtg. 7 p.m. LOOM Officers Mtg. 7 p.m. QUEEN OF HEARTS 8 p.m.	26	27 <i>Administrative Professionals Day</i>	28 Breakfast Sandwich 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. ----- Shrimp & Burger & Beer Specials - 5:00-10:00 p.m.	29 OPEN JUKEBOX "We Pay - You Play"	30 Sausage Gravy & Biscuits 9-11 a.m. Careful, Don't Burn Yourself "RUBY'S FLAME"

NOTICES

- In accordance with the requirements of the General Laws of the Supreme Lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose, you are hereby notified that a special membership meeting of Defiance Lodge No. 2094 will be held at 7:00 p.m. on March 21, 2016 at the lodge home. The business to be considered and voted on shall be as follows:

The removal and replacement of a 27' by 60' concrete pad behind the building; and the erection of a chain-link fence with vinyl privacy inserts to surround the dumpsters and provide a storage area for aluminum cans that will likely exceed the expenditure of \$5000.00 from our general fund.

Your attendance at this meeting is important. Please attend!

- Election for Lodge 2094 Officers for the upcoming Lodge year will be held on Monday, April 4th. If you would like to be considered for nomination to become an officer of the lodge take a form from the bulletin board in the foyer, fill it out and give the completed form to any member of the nominating committee. Committee members' names are listed on the bulletin boards throughout the social quarters. Requests for nomination must be turned in by 6:30 p.m. on March 21st.

SATURDAY WEEKLY DRAWING	SUNDAY WEEKLY DRAWING	MONTHLY
12/12/16 Anne Marie Adkins – no	12/13/16 Edward Marshall –no	<u>1/5/16</u>
12/19/16 Darci Wendell – yes ½	12/20/16 James Saman – no	1. Tiffany Lyons – no
12/26/16 Rick Roddy – no	12/27/16 Guadalupe Lopez – yes ½	2. James E Huffman - no
1/2/16 Harold Conner - no	1/3/16 John L Brown – yes all	3. Minnie Crummit – no
1/9/16 David D Eis – no	1/10/16 Juan Diaz – no	<u>2/2/16</u>
1/16/16 Dwanye Lloyd – no	1/17/16 Fred March – no	1. Ruth Weber - no
1/23/16 Lucretia Hageman – no	1/24/16 Julie Kleman – no	2. Edith Sholl – yes ½
1/30/16 William Cline – no	1/31/16 Sharon L Meyer –no	3. Perlie Lang – yes ½
2/6/16 Josie Gonzales – yes ½	2/7/16 Amy I Green – no	
2/13/16 Pamela Pierce – no	2/14/16 Tonie D Morris – no	

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