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Official Communication for December 5, 2018



Deadline to submit Member Retention Week Forms is today, December 5, 2018

Today is the final day to submit your Member Retention Week form via the Admin Menu. If you have any questions, please contact the Helpdesk at 630.906.3658.

Deadline for Final Membership Workshop is today, December 5, 2018

The deadline to register for the final Regional Membership Workshop on Saturday, December 8, 2018 in South Haven, MI is today, December 5th. Workshops cover topics such as new trends, retention strategies, member study results, and more. Registration is free for these one-day, interactive sessions and both men and women can sign-up today. See attached form for additional information.

ACH Deposit Date

When pulling your deposit history from the Admin Menu for the purposes of entering them into QuickBooks, please note that we were unable to process the weekly ACH deposit on 11/19/2018. Even though you will see a deposit listed in the Moose Admin (example below) for 11/19/2018, this deposit did not actually reach your bank until 11/30/2018.

Charge Type	Amount	Paid Date
Membership Dues	\$1,800.00	12/04/2018
Membership Dues	\$828.00	12/03/2018
Membership Dues	\$1,170.00	11/19/2018
Membership Dues	\$1,458.00	11/12/2018
Membership Dues	\$1,422.00	11/05/2018

Please know the deposits shown in the Admin Menu with the dates of 12/03/2018 and 12/04/2018, were actually received at your bank on those dates.

Moose International Offices Closed For Holidays

The offices of Moose International will close at 11:45AM Central Time Friday, December 21, 2018, and reopen at 8:00AM on Monday, December 31, 2018, to enable our employees to spend time with their families, friends and loved ones at this special time of year.

While membership dues can be paid during the holidays, NO posting of payments will be done during the office closure; therefore it is important to remind your members that have a December 31, dues expiration date to plan accordingly and pay their dues early if they have plans to participate in a lodge function requiring their dues being paid. In order for members to be assured their card will be received in time, they should plan to have their payments received no later than December 17th. For all on-line payments, please advise members to print their payment receipt for proof of payment.

Tommy Moose Sale

The holiday season is upon us. As you prepare to spend the next few weeks with family and friends, please remember community service and the need to help others, do not take time off to celebrate. The Tommy Moose Project is one of the Loyal Order of Moose's most successful community service projects to date. To help remind you to keep giving during this busy time of year, Catalog Sales has dropped the price of Tommy Moose Plush to **\$75/dz**. Not only are you saving \$5 per box of Tommy's, but Catalog Sales is still picking up the shipping costs to get Tommy to your destination. This is a great way to fulfill your community service requirements while helping children overcome devastating situations. Contact Catalog Sales to order your Tommy Moose Plush today!! Call: 630.966.2250, Email: catalogsales@mooseintl.org or purchase online with a credit card: <https://shopmoose.mooseintl.org/Tommy-Moose-130>

Attend A Regional Membership Growth & Retention Workshop!

This fall, Moose International's Membership Department will be conducting a series of regional workshops to discuss recruitment and retention challenges, as well as methods to address common issues expressed by Lodges and Chapters throughout the Fraternity.

Scheduled workshops include:

- November 10th – Longmont, CO Lodge #1548
- November 17th – Crawfordsville, IN Lodge #6
- November 17th – Chicopee Falls MA Lodge #1849
- December 8th – South Haven, MI Lodge #697

What you will learn from attending:

- New trends to help attract and retain members in 2018 and make your lodge more profitable.
- Strategies for retaining members through a monthly program of communication, programming, and activity tracking.
- Review of the Member Rewards program and how you can take advantage.
- Communicating the value of the Moose to potential members.
- Best membership practices from around the Fraternity.

Details:

- All interested Loyal Order of Moose or Women of the Moose members are invited to participate.
- There is no fee to attend.
- You may attend any workshop on the schedule, regardless of your location.
- All workshops run from 10:00am – 3:00pm, allowing most individuals the option of driving in and out the same day.
- A working lunch is provided by each Lodge at a cost of \$7.00 per attendee. Cash will be collected at the Lodge the day of each workshop.
- All workshops are business casual-to-casual dress.
- Sessions are meant to be interactive between participants and presenters. Please bring questions and suggestions.
- Please check the Lodge websites for any evening activities prior to or following the workshops.

- RSVP's are required to attend in order to allow for the proper amount of materials and food.
 - **Email the following information to the appropriate address below:**
Membership Growth & Retention workshop (followed by):

Your name; MID#; Lodge/Chapter #; Lodge/Chapter office you hold (if any); names of others accompanying you; a contact phone #; and an email address

- For Longmont: bcavanaugh@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Wednesday, November 7th)
- For Crawfordsville: dobrien@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Wednesday, November 14th)
- For Chicopee Falls: bpowell@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Wednesday, November 14th)
- For South Haven: joconnor@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Wednesday, December 5th)

Questions? Please email the contacts above for information pertaining to a specific site.



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Nov 7, 2018 - Dec 31, 2018

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