

## "THE GUIDING LIGHT"

## **Loyal Order of Moose**

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January

"The Friendliest Lodge There Is"

2014





## HAPPY NEW YEAR

Your Moose Lodge has two great events (above) to start 2014 off with a bang. And every month we have something special for the membership. Of course we still have Nosh night on the second Saturday and AJ's Jukebox Karaoke the 1 and 3 Tuesday. Check the calendar for great meals, football and music. And don't forget the new member special that expires soon. When you sponsor your friends and relatives into the Moose or WOTM they won't have to pay any enrollment fee. They save money, and when you sponsor two new members we'll pay your next years's dues. There are many reasons for you to come to the North Port Moose including our new patio, plus you won't have to drive here in the snow or ice! See you at the Moose.

## From the Governor

Here we are in 2014 and I must say what a great 2013 we had. I promise the new year will be just as fun. We saw a few changes in 2013 with the main change being our outside expansion. We have come a long way and it's because of you our great members and all the support each of you have given.

Hope everyone had a great Christmas and New Year. Keeping up with our Christmas Eve tradition I hope everyone enjoyed our gift to you. A special thanks to Gene Herbst and Chuck Urbanek for the great Tom and Jerry. Thank you to all who came out to help us celebrate bringing in the New Year. Thank you to John, Terry, Mark, Gene and all who helped with Breakfast with Santa. And a special Thank you to the WOTM for making sure each child

I would like to thank our Man of contributions to the Lodge.

Don't forget about our Queen of Meat Bingo on Thursday. Please

Congratulations to
Dave Williamson,
January's Man of the Month.

the Month Dave Williamson for his

Hearts on Wednesday. And our make sure you read the news letter for

all the great things happening each month. And please come out for a great lunch or dinner prepared by our new Chef Raffel. Please read the notice about a Special Lodge Meeting on page 2, it's very important.

Fraternally, Ken Lipp, Governor

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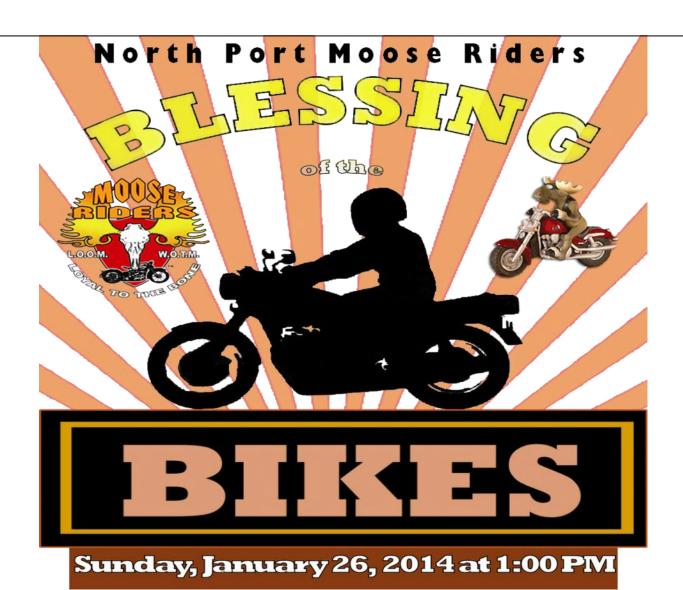
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## NOTICE of SPECIAL LODGE MEETING

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 North Port Moose Lodge # 764 will be held on Tuesday January 7, 2014, at 7:00 PM.

The business to be considered and voted on shall be as follows:

Vote to prohibit smoking in the Lodge and in the Lodge Social Quarters.



Did you know that you can use your smartphone or tablet to visit our website at <a href="www.northportflamoose.com">www.northportflamoose.com</a>? It is optimized for mobile devices and presents the information you need in a way you can use, including the newsletter, calendar and upcoming events.

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P. ANTHONY	HERBERT IVES	RONALD CLEARY	RICHARD PADYKULA	
ALBERT AUSDRAN	ALLAN JOHNSON	JOHN DANIELSON	MATT REEVES	
MONTE BARNES	PHIL KAISER	DOUGLAS DONALDSON	PETER RODGERS	
RON BARTON	XAVIER KNIPLING	JONTHON DRAPER	DAVID RUBIN	
RICHARD BEAULIEU	MARK KIRSTEN	STANLEY GEHO	BRIAN SERSEN	
WILLIAM BLATZ	FRANL LAVREY	SAM GENTILE	JOE SMITH	
COREY BRANDT	RONALD LENZ	KENNETH GOODSON	THOMAS TOTH	
GILBERT CAREY	GEORGE MOULDER	MICHAEL GRADY	RICHARD VESELKA	
GEORGE CAINES	MARK NOLAN	TONY GUARRASI	RICHARD WALCK	
		MARK GUITTARR	JOSEPH WLODYKA	

## The Moose Legion and You

Membership in the Moose Legion is the stepping stone to the Honorary Degrees of our Order - the Fellowship Degree of Honor and the Pilgrim Degree of Merit. Being called to receive these Honorary Degrees within the Loyal Order of Moose is only possible through recognized achievements in the Lodge and Moose Legion. A member is eligible to apply for membership in the Moose Legion if he has completed 6 months of Moose Lodge membership -

or - sponsored one (1) member into the fraternity.

The Moose Legion is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year and part of that celebration is a reduced membership rate: only \$10 to step up to the Moose Degree of Service. One of the guiding principles of the Moose Legion is "Do Some Good Thing for Someone Each Day"; do something good for yourself by saving money when you join the Moose Legion!

Moose Legionnaires lead and direct special programs supporting our Fraternity's three basic missions: Community Service, Mooseheart and Moosehaven. The North Port Moose Legion meets on the 4th Tuesday at 5:30 PM. Ask any Moose Legionnaire for an application.

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# Elected & Appointed Lodge 764 Officers

Governor: Ken Lipp

Jr Governor: Gene Herbst

Treasurer: Alan Reeves
Prelate: John Rizzo

Jr Past Governor: Tim Brooke

Acting Administrator: Curt McKay

Trustee: Gary Frohling

Trustee: Pete Karuba Trustee: Terry Frein

Sgt-at-Arms: Dave Harding

Inner Guard: Herb Ives

Outer Guard: Bill Kellermann

## **WOTM Chapter 1892 Officers**

vacant Senior Regent

Lynn Brown: Jr Grad Regent

Kelly Buckhalter Jr Regent Becky Brooke: Chaplain

vacant Sec/Treas

Angie Dileo Lipp: Recorder



WOTM Chapter 1892 meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday @ 6:30 PM



L to R:Pete Karursa, John Rizzo, Alan Reeves, Gene Herbst, Ken Lipp, Terry Frein, Gary Frohling.

not pictured-Tim Brooke, Bill Kellermann, Dave Harding, Herb Ives, Curt McKAy.

## **Moose Legion Officers**

Tim Brooke: LAS

Larry Brown: LAC

vacant: Vice Chairman

vacant: Secretary/Tres



## **Moose Riders**

Chairman: John Rizzo

Vice Chairman: Tim Brooke

Sgt-at-Arms: Terry Frein

Treasurer: Kristen Rizzo

Secretary: Kristie Frein

Chaplain: vacant

Road Captain: Dale Smith

Moose Legion meets 4th Tuesday @ 5:30 PM

Moose Riders Meet 2nd Monday @ 6 PM

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### **Meetings Schedule**

Second Tuesday of the Month: Jan 14, 2014

6:00 PM: Joint LOOM/WOTM meeting

-Board of Officers Meeting follows Joint Meeting

7:00 PM: General Membership Meeting

8:00 PM: House Committee Meeting

Fourth Tuesday of the Month: Jan 28, 2014

5:30 PM: Moose Legion Meeting

6:00 PM: Board of Officers Meeting

7:00 PM: General Membership Meeting

8:00 PM: House Committee Meeting



FBMA District 24 Meeting

2nd Saturday: Jan 11, 2014

begins at 12 noon Gulf Cove # 2554

FBMA Mid-year Conference Apr 3- 6, 2014 Orlando Rozen Plaza Hotel We're about more than just food and meetings here at the Moose: we also have fun

and share in fraternal activities. Come

by and see for yourself.

### **FUN NIGHT**

Every Wednesday night before Darts! Play "Queen of Hearts" game and you may be the big winner!



Nosh Night is the 2nd Saturday – **January 11** this month. Here's how it works.

- Bring a dish to share; receive 3 free tickets for raffle prizes. You may also purchase additional tickets.
- If you don't bring dish to share and wish to eat, please donate \$5; you'll get 3 raffle tickets.
- · Food starts at 6:00 PM.
- Music by Bad Moon Karaoke from 6- 10 PM.

## **BINGO Twice a Week**

Now on Monday & Thursday. Play Paint-Stick bingo every Monday starting at 7 PM for cash prizes. On Thursday we do Meat Bingo and the winner is paid in meat, saving a trip to the store. Meat bingo starts at 7:30 every Thursday.



## AJ's Jukebox Karaoke

Every 1st and 3rd (and 5th when it happens) Tuesday you get to "knock 'em dead" with your singing. January 7 and 21 from 5 - 7 PM. This is a very popular event so get here early!







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#### **SOCIAL QUARTERS NEWS**

By the time you read this our patio will probably be finished. Come out and enjoy our newest addition, the weather is perfect for sitting outside. We are still collecting for this project as we need furniture, fans etc. Remember if you donate \$100 or more, your name goes on the plaque by the new door.

Our newest chef's name is Rafael. Stop in and welcome him to the Lodge and enjoy a delicious meal.

Our annual Christmas Eve Party was once again a huge success. The Tom and Jerry's were fantastic. In January the Moose Riders will have a Chili Cook-off on January 25th at 2:00 and on January 26th at 1:00 will be the Blessing of the Bikes. Please come out and support these functions.

Until next month, remember that North Port Moose has it all: Food, Fun and Fraternalism!

Pam Frohling, SQ Manager

### Women of the Moose, Chapter 1892

Hello all, I hope all of you had a Merry Christmas and have a Happy New Year. We had a great success with our annual toy drive and breakfast with Santa, the children where very happy.

Jan 18 will be the WOTM dinner, which will be steak, followed by a Sock Hop featuring Raps-O-Dee. Tickets are \$10 per person.

Fraternally, Kelly Buckhalter, Junior Regent

#### Woman of the Month

Congratulations to **KRISTIE FREIN** for being Woman of The Month.



**Patio Pictures** Since last month when we showed you the early construction pictures of the new patio things have progressed. The slab is poured and construction is expected to be completed by the time you read this. In the meanwhile it was decided, to ensure future good luck, to christen the patio. Governor Lipp, SQ Manager Pam Frohling, AJ and Laurie each had a drink on the new patio once the concrete slab had cured. Now it's time for you to visit the Lodge and have beverage out in the fresh air while enjoying the patio.









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#### **Lunch & Dinner Menu**

Lunch served Sunday:12- 4 PM: Mon - Thu: 11 - 2:30 PM: Fri 11 - 2:00 PM Dinner is served Monday - Thursday: 5 - 7 PM and Friday from 5 - 8 PM

#### LUNCH -

#### **Monday - Friday**

#### **BURGERS**:

1/4 Pound Burger: Plain, + Cheese + Bacon Add Fries (Fresh/Frozen) (Lettuce, Tomato, Onion On Request)

#### SANDWICHES:

BLT; CLUB:Turkey, Ham, L/T, Bacon, Choice of Bread; Hot Dog

Chef Salad: Large or Small w/L/T/O, Green Peppers, Ham, Turkey, Cheese, Dressing; Fresh Cut/Frozen Fries

#### FINGER FOOD

Mozzarella Cheese Stix, Fried Chicken Fingers, Fried Mushrooms, Southwest Egg Roll;

Empanadas (flavors:Chicken Pot Pie or Tomato Basil Mozzarella); Corn or Mac and Cheese Nuggets; Coconut Shrimp; Jalapeno Poppers; Fried Pickle Spears; Nacho Chips w/Salsa & Cheese; Nachos Grande

#### **DINNER-**

#### ASK ABOUT DAILY SPECIALS

## **Thursday**

The regular football season is over but you can

watch all the NFL playoff games at your North

Port Moose Lodge and enjoy freshly prepared

food. Every Sunday during football season we

serve the following menu from 12 noon until 7

Sandwiches: French Dip, Philly Steak or Italian

Beef get a side order of French Fries (fresh/frozen) or have some of these great tasting goodies listed below.

Mushrooms, Pickles, SW Egg Rolls, Chicken Fingers

Football Food, Sundays from noon - 7 PM!

SALADS: Large or Small House Salad

PM. What are you waiting for?

Finger Foods: Chicken Wings

and Corn Nuts and more.

Burgers (add cheese and/or bacon),

Jalapeno Poppers, Mozzarella Stix, Fried

SANDWICHES: Hamburger/Cheeseburger Basket W/Chips; Hamburger/Cheeseburger Basket W/Fries; Philly Cheese Steak ...Whole or Half

LIVER: Liver cooked to order, onions & gravy, choice of potato &

FINGER FOOD: Mozzarella Cheese Stix, Fried Chicken Fingers, Fried Mushrooms, Southwest Egg Roll; Empanadas (flavors: Chicken Pot Pie or Tomato Basil Mozzarella); Corn or Mac and Cheese Nuggets; Coconut Shrimp; Jalapeno Poppers; Fried Pickle Spears; Onion Rings

#### **FRIDAY**

SALADS: House Salad, Large or Small

STARTERS: Crab Cakes 1-Homemade; Shrimp Cocktail Mozzarella Stix (5); Poppers (5); New England Clam Chowder (Homemade)

**PRIME RIB**: Queen Cut (8 oz) or King Cut (12 oz)

SEAFOOD (Fish Dinner) Beer Battered, Breaded, or Blackened; Clam Strips; Crab Cakes (Dinner Order - 2 Homemade)

SURF AND TURF: Prime Rib (Queen /King) & Homemade Crab

TWO SIDES: Baked, Mashed Potatoes, Fries, Vegetables, Cole Slaw, included with meals

#### ASK ABOUT DAILY SPECIALS

#### Monday

Pizza: 2 slices w/salad; 12" w/two or three toppings & salad Your choice of Caesar or House Salad

FINGER FOOD: Mozzarella Cheese Stix, Fried Chicken Fingers, Fried Mushrooms, Southwest Egg Roll; Empanadas (flavors:Chicken Pot Pie or Tomato Basil Mozzarella); Corn or Mac and Cheese Nuggets; Coconut Shrimp; Jalapeno Poppers; Fried Pickle Spears; Onion Rings

#### Tuesday

GRILLED STEAK (8 oz) with choice of Potato/Veggie TACOS: Hard or Soft Shell; Taco Salad; Quesadilla - Beef/Cheese; Burrito-Beef/Cheese; Nachos Chips/salsa; Nacho Chips/Cheese FINGER FOOD: Mozzarella Cheese Stix, Fried Chicken Fingers, Fried Mushrooms, Southwest Egg Roll; Empanadas (flavors:Chicken Pot Pie or Tomato Basil Mozzarella); Corn or Mac and Cheese Nuggets; Coconut Shrimp; Jalapeno Poppers; Fried Pickle Spears; Onion Rings

#### Wednesday

Wings & Things WINGS:Six (6) Wings; Six (6) Wings with Fries; Twelve (12) Wings; Twelve (12) Wings with Fries

TEN WING FLAVORS AVAILABLE: Naked, Mild, Medium, Hot!, Garlic, Parmesan, BBQ, Hot BBQ, Honey, Teriyaki

#### THINGS:

Mozzarella Cheese Sticks; "New" Fried Chicken Fingers; Empanadas.(Chicken Pot Pie/Tomato Basil Mozzarella flavor); Corn or Mac & Cheese Nuggets; Stuffed Jalapeno Poppers; Fried Mushrooms; Fried Pickle Spears; Southwest Egg Roll, Coconut shrimp; French Fries; Sampler Platter — any three (3) of above.

## Food Service

Lunch - Mon -Thurs:
11 - 2:30 PM,
Friday: 11 -2 PM
Dinner - Mon - Thurs:
5 - 7 PM, Friday: 5 - 8 PM
Saturday - See the Date
Sunday: noon - 7 PM
Don't miss our Mon-Fri
dinner-only Chef's Specials!

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# January 2014

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Social Quarters Open Every Day

Sunday: Noon - midnight

Monday - Saturday 10:00 AM- Midnight

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Sun	Mon ——dinner———	Tue ——dinner———	Wed ——dinner———	Thu ——dinner———	Fri ——dinner——	Sat ——dinner———
Hot & Fresh Football Food noon -7 PM	Pizza: whole or by the slice and Salad	Grilled Steak/ Tacos/Finger Food	Wings & Things	Liver/Onions Burgers Philly Steak	Fish, Seafood, Prime Rib	Varies, see each Saturday
29	30 • Paint Stick BINGO 7 PM	31 • New Year's Eve Dinner & Party 7 PM -? Entertainment by Bad Moon	1 • WOTM Fun Night 6:30 PM • Queen of Hearts 6 PM • Darts 7:30 PM	2 • Meat Bingo 7:30 PM	3 • Karaoke 7-11 PM <i>Bad Moon</i>	4 • NFL Wild-Card Playoffs
5 • NFL Wild-Card Playoffs	6 • Paint Stick BINGO 7 PM	7 • Jukebox Karaoke w/ A.J. 5- 7 PM • Special Lodge Meeting 7 PM	8 • Queen of Hearts 6 PM • Darts 7:30 PM	<b>9</b> • Meat Bingo 7:30 PM	10 • Karaoke 7-11 PM <i>Dan &amp; Sunny</i>	11     • District 24 @ noon- Gulf Cove     • Nosh Night Food 6 PM     • Bad Moon 6-10     • NFL Divisional Playoff
12 • NFL Divisional Playoff	• Moose Riders Mtg 6 PM • Paint Stick BINGO 7 PM	14 • Joint Mtg- 6 PM • Board of Officers follows Joint Mtg. • Lodge Mtg-7 PM • H/C Mtg-8 PM	• WOTM Business Mtg 6:30 PM • Queen of Hearts 6 PM • Darts 7:30 PM	16 • Meat Bingo 7:30 PM	17 • Karaoke 7-11 PM <i>Bad Moon</i>	18 •WOTM Steak Dinner •Sock Hop Raps-O-Dee Both for \$10 pp
19 • AFC and NFC Championship Games	20 • Paint Stick BINGO 7 PM	21 • Jukebox Karaoke w/ A.J. 5- 7 PM	• Queen of Hearts 6 PM • Darts 7:30 PM	23 • Meat Bingo 7:30 PM	24 • Karaoke 7-11 PM Dan & Sunny	25 • Moose Riders Chili Cook-off 2:00 PM
• Moose Riders Blessing of the Bikes 1:00 PM • AFC-NFC Pro Bowl	27 • Paint Stick BINGO 7 PM	• Moose Legion Mtg- 5:30 PM • Board of Officers Mtg 6:00 PM • Lodge Mtg - 7 PM • H/C Mtg - 8 PM	29 • Queen of Hearts 6 PM • Darts 7:30 PM	30 • Meat Bingo 7:30 PM	31 • Karaoke 7-11 PM <i>Bad Moon</i>	