

"THE GUIDING LIGHT"

Loyal Order of Moose

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FEBRUARY

"The Friendliest Lodge There Is"

2021

From the Administrator

Brothers / Ladies: What a month. I can't thank our members enough for all your continued support. February is going to be a very busy month. You'll see that we try and plan interesting and fun events for our members, so come out and enjoy.

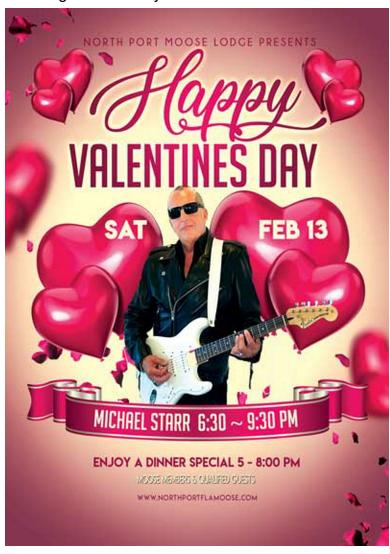
Saturday, February 6 we have Classics in Concert with dinner specials. Also that same day we have our **Mega Bingo** at 11 AM and Ship-Captain-Crew. The game of Ship-Captain-Crew starts at 2 PM on this, the first Saturday of each month, the rest of the month the popular game begins at 1 PM. Celebrate Valentine's Day on February 13 at our **Valentine's Dinner and Dance**—music by Michael Starr. Dinner tickets are on sale now at the bar for \$20 pp with reserved seating. This month is our second annual **Pig Roast and Corn Hole** tournament (Feb 20). John Anthony and his crew will be cooking and serving starting at 3 PM while the Corn Hole tourney start warm ups at noon and begins at 1 PM. Sign-up sheets are posted: \$10 entry fee pp with cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Music that night by Bridget Phillips. Closing out this short month, on Saturday, February 27 the WOTM are hosting a **twisted beauty contest** from 6:30 - 8:30 PM, with music by DJ Scotty Dog. Cash prizes for the winning contestants. This should be very interesting and fun for all.

Now let's add in all the other events we host every week starting with Monday: at 6 PM is Queen of Hearts.

Tuesday: Stephanie and her crew do a great job with Show Me the Money starting at 5 PM. Wednesday: play Bar Poker at 1 PM with Lee or Jim, later we have Dart Night at 6 PM. Thursday: cash bingo opens 7 PM with Angie and her crew. Friday: Karaoke night starts at 6:30 PM with Don Guido. Saturday is always music and dinner specials, see the calendar and BB for who's playing when. After football season we plan to host moose races every Sunday. Details coming soon but you can see there is always something to do at your lodge.

Let's not forget we have our general membership meeting on the second and forth Tuesday of each month at 7 PM and the Moose Legion meets at 5 PM on the forth Tuesday of each month. Wednesday, February 17 we're having the New Member Orientation at 6:30 PM. This is open to all new members and not-so-new Moose members who want to learn about the Moose and all the good things your membership does for our children and seniors.

Now let me speak about keeping your membership current. I can't make you pay your dues, but I don't mind asking you to please take a second and look at your Moose Membership card to see if it has expired. Renew now if it's about to expire; you can go online to www.mooseintl.org and renew, or stop by the lodge



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From the Governor

Men and Women of Moose Lodge 764 and Chapter 1892:

I want to take this time to thank everyone for your support of our lodge during these tough times and to have a blessed, happy, healthy and safe new year.

I also want to thank you, the membership, for signing up new members. This helps the lodge to grow. You need to show your card to the bartenders, they will ask you for it. We know that they know you but due to the IRS laws and Moose International rules you must present it with your first purchase of the day—every day. Also remember you can only sign a guest into the Lodge twice within a year; the third time they must join. If your dues have expired you can't be signed in by anyone and must renew your membership. See Lodge Administrator Terry Seal at the club or do it online at mooseintl.org.

The New Year's Eve dinner and dance was a huge success, the food was excellent and matched by the music. Everyone seemed to have a good time. Celebrate Valentine's day here at the

lodge at our dinner/dance on February 13 from 6:30-9:30 with great live music by Michael Starr and company.



From the Senior Regent

Hello WOTM:

I am your Sr. Regent Ann Mell and I hope this finds you all safe, healthy, and well. As your Sr. Regent I would like to extend a warm welcome and invite you to our meetings which are held every 2nd and 4th Wednesday every month from 6 to 7 PM. Our meetings are not only fun, but this way you too can be a great support on our endeavors of planning fund raisers as well as seeing what we need as far as paying bills and our monthly obligations to our Lodge as well as to being there to help the lodge administrator and governor and their respective officers in any way needed.

We are busy with the raffle that was held on Jan. 30 for Visani's Comedy Club. Congratulations to the winner and thanks for supporting WOTM, enjoy! On Feb. 2 we'll raffle off our smart TV, thank you again for your support. On Feb. 13 at our Valentine's dinner and dance we will raffle off a "Cupids basket" full of great gift cards to enjoy. And are you ready? On Feb. 27 we are holding a Twisted Men's Beauty Pageant, Yes, you read that right! Twisted Men's Beauty Pageant, this is going to be a fun night. Starting at 6:30 -8:00, with DJ Scotty Dog from 6:30 thru 9:30. Sign up sheet on WOTM bulletin board to enter, and



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LOOM Meetings Schedule

Second Tuesday of the Month: Feb 9, 2021

Fourth Tuesday of the Month: Feb 23, 2021

Lodge Meetings begin 7:00 PM

LODGE & CHAPTER OFFICERS 2020 - 2021

Governor: Ed Mell

Jr Governor: Rick Novack

Prelate: Tom Creighton

Treasurer: Terry Frein

Jr. Past Governor: Mike Lambert

Trustee: Don Caron
Trustee: Jim Godshall

Trustee: Paul Stevens

Administrator: Terry Seal

FMA District 22 February 13 @ 12 noon Venice #1308



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a \$2 pp cover charge for all. Prizes for the 1st, 2nd & 3rd place winners. Do your best men, after such a year of Covid we all can use some lifting up, smiles and fun.

Thank you all for your help, your support and love. I am not perfect, only human and doing the best I can, and I care and love you all.

God Bless, Cordially & Fraternally, Ann Mell, Sr. Regent

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Remember that lodge general meetings are the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month at 7 PM in the office annex beside the SQ. The Moose Legion meets of the fourth Tuesday at 5 PM. FMA District 22 meets at noon on February 13 at Venice Lodge 1308. A big turnout would really be good for our lodge. We won the attendance award in December and January so let's see if we can do it three months in a row— that would be a District record. Everyone is invited.

We have a lot going on during February, so please check out the website, monthly calendar, the app and posters at the lodge for upcoming events. The Yeti cooler basket ticket will be pulled at our annual pig roast/corn hole tournament on February 20, so make sure you get your tickets.

Feb 10 6:00 PM Chapter meeting



Feb 24 6:00 PM Chapter meeting

Sr Regent: Ann Mel

Jr Regent: Charlene Gannon

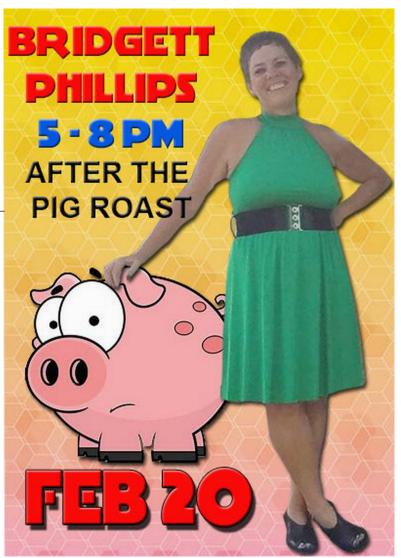
Jr Graduate Regent: Brenda Seal

Sec/Treas: Teresa Sekscinski

Recorder: Becky Brooke

Women of the Moose Chapter 1892 meet on the second and forth Wednesday of every month at 6:00 PM in the annex. The Board of Officers meet on the 2nd Tuesday at 5:30 PM: All women in the the North Port Moose are invited to join our

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and see me and I will help you. Remember, it's not just for you, it's for those in our care at MooseHeart and MooseHaven and in our community.

Breakfast is coming to the North Port Moose Lodge! Starts Saturday, February 6 and every Saturday and Sunday from 8 AM until 1 PM. Come in and enjoy a hot, fresh breakfast.

Let me close by thanking Governor Ed Mell and all those that give of their time and effort each and everyday to keep our lodge running. This includes our great bartenders, our wait and kitchen staff and all those members who give their time each week to help run the games and to make North Port Moose Lodge the best we can be. Remember to do something good each and every day for someone.

Fraternally, Terry W. Seal Sr., Administrator



Welcome to the North Port Moose Lodge. Want a drink, meal, or take part in one of our many activities? Then show your Moose Membership Card.

It's just like shopping at Costco or Sam's club (and in a few months-BJ's). Like them, we are a member organization and we offer great benefits to our members. But first, you gotta prove that you're in the club. So show your card with your first purchase, every time, every day. And, just like the commercial outfits mentioned above: No card, No service.

