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"The Friendliest Lodge There Is"

2022



From the Administrator

Brothers / Ladies

We hope all of our members had a great Thanksgiving. It's hard to believe December is here and Christmas Is just

days away. For those that are staying in Florida for the holidays and your families are coming in, please enjoy your time with them. Those that may be traveling please be safe and always remember that you have your moose family here and we will be open Christmas day from 10 AM until 5 PM. We will have election for lodge president on Dec 27 at the regular meeting. See the calendar for activities as there are too many to list here.

Our Veterans Day dinner and dance went very well great music and fantastic food. On behalf of all of the Board of Officers we would like to thank each of our veterans for your service to our country, and remember all gave some and some gave all. May God bless our veterans and may God bless the United States of America.

In closing my newsletter, I would like to thank all of our great staff, they work very hard each and every day to make our lodge the very best we can be. I wish each and every one of them the very best Christmas and a very safe and happy New Year. I also need to shout out to our volunteers. I want each and every one of you to know that without your support each and every day our lodge would be in deep trouble. Your dedication to your lodge makes Moose Lodge 764 what truly is the very best and friendliest lodge in town. Thank you all so very much and may God bless you and your families throughout out the coming year.

I also want to thank our members without your support each and every day our lodge could not remain strong. Please remember that we have a responsibility to our Child City Mooseheart and our Seniors at Moosehaven may each and every one of you have a blessed Christmas and a safe and happy New Year

Fraternally Terry w. Seal Sr.

Moose Legion News

My fellow Moose Legionnaires: First, I want to thank you for being a Moose Legionnaire - the Moose Degree of Service. Your annual dues directly help fund Mooseheart and Moosehaven. So please don't drop your Moose Legion dues—if anything, think of the children and seniors you help support for that small amount of \$17.

I hope everyone had a happy Thanksgiving. We are blessed that you are a member. Venice Moose had a mini conferral in November with a good turnout. A regular conferral will be held on December 17 at Cape Coral at noon, so those of you that could not make the November conferral please attend this one.

We discussed several upcoming events at the November meeting. We will conduct a gun raffle during December, with tickets for \$10 each. The winning ticket will be drawn on December 31. This raffle replaces the monthly lotto board. Please come to our next meeting on December 22 at 6:30 PM. Note! — In January, our meeting date and time changes to the first Wednesday of each month at 6:00 PM (January 4), so please attend. We need your input to develop things we can do in the months ahead. Remember that this is your lodge, not just my lodge.

Legionnaires, we need some help at 9 AM on Wednesday, December 7, here at our lodge. We will be assisting in a joint venture with AllCare Senior Focus Primary Care in stuffing 160 bags to be handed out to Meals on Wheels, and your help will be greatly appreciated for just this small amount of time out of your life.

That's all for this month, so please have a safe and blessed Christmas and a happy New Year. But remember one thing, you get more in life by giving than receiving, not only in money but the time that you give up to help with what we stand for: our children and our seniors.

Your Moose Legion Chairman, Edward J. Mell

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Moose Lodge #764 Meeting Schedule

General Membership Meetings (men & women attend) Second Tuesday of the Month: Dec 13 @ 7 PM Fourth Tuesday of the Month: Dec 27 @ 7 PM

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President	Vacant
Vice President	James Godshall
Chaplain	Patricia Groves
Treasurer	Fred Leonard
Administrator	Terry Seal
Jr Past Pres	Ed Mell
Trustee	Don Caron
Trustee	Paul Stevens
Trustee	Mike Gomez
Sgt-at-Arms	William Hostetler
Asst. Sgt-at-Arms	Anna Marie Mitchell
Inner Guard	Scott Fusco
Outer Guard	Dominic Russo

LODGE & CHAPTER **OFFICERS** 2022 - 2023



Dec 14 6:00 PM Chapter meeting



Jan 11 6:00 PM Chapter meeting

Sr Regent: Ann Mell Secretary: Gail Soderman Treasurer: Brenda Seal

Women of the Moose Chapter 1892 meet on the second Wednesday of every month at 6:00 PM. All women in the the North Port Moose are invited to join our Chapter.

> FMA District 22 December 12 Gulf Cove #2555



on Monday

Moose Legion meets 4th Wednesday @ 6:30 PM at the Lodge. Beginning in January, meetings will be on first Wednesday at 6:00 PM .

Activities and events listed in this newsletter / calendar are for Moose members & their Qualified Guests.

