



"THE GUIDING LIGHT"

The Moose

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North Port Family Center 764

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"A Burden, heavy to one



is borne lightly by many."

JULY

"The Friendliest Lodge There Is"

2022

From the Administrator



Brothers / Ladies

July is going to be hot out so why not spend some indoor time at your lodge, relax, have a cold drink and something to eat, and all the while enjoying some fellowship with friends and family.

I would like to share a few words about my earning the Pilgrim Degree. What a fantastic day and honor to spend with our children at Mooseheart to watch 14 young men and women graduate and move forward with their young lives—going to college and (1) going into the Navy. Every Moose member should know that these young people know that the Loyal Order of Moose Fraternity has made a difference in their lives, and it would not be possible without our members signing members and our members renewing their dues. These young men and women are counting on us, so please take the time to look at your membership card; if it's expired then renew. If it's close to renewal you can go online to www.mooseintl.org and renew there or, better yet, come and see me and let me do the work for you. Either way, they need us, and don't forget about those seniors at Moosehaven because they are counting on us as well.

Events during July: No Bingo on Saturday, July 2 because of the holiday, and most of the officers will be in Orlando for the International Convention from June 29 through July 4. On Saturday, July 16, at 11 AM North Port Moose Lodge will host Florida Moose Association District 22's BINGO fundraiser. Most of the tickets have been sold so if you purchased a ticket we look forward to seeing you. The doors will open at 8 AM for breakfast (8-11 AM).

I would like to thank all those that came out for our Moose Crawl and Spaghetti dinner on June 25 to, again, support our District 22 fundraiser. A big thank you to Scott Souza from Englewood Moose Lodge for organizing the moose crawl and to all those who purchased tickets/ We can't do these functions without your support. District 22 will hold the District picnic here at the North Port Moose Lodge on Saturday, August 13. The fun starts at noon and the price is \$12 per person. The menu is pulled pork, chicken quarters, hot dogs, baked beans, and coleslaw. Everyone that buys a ticket will be placed in a drawing for a \$250 cash drawing! Notice though, that you must be present to win and have your ticket stub. So come out and support your District. Tickets are on sale at the bar.

I would like to thank Ed Mell and Jim Godshall who have stepped up and are the new Moose Legion Chairman and Assistant Secretary respectively. I know our Moose legion will grow under their leadership.

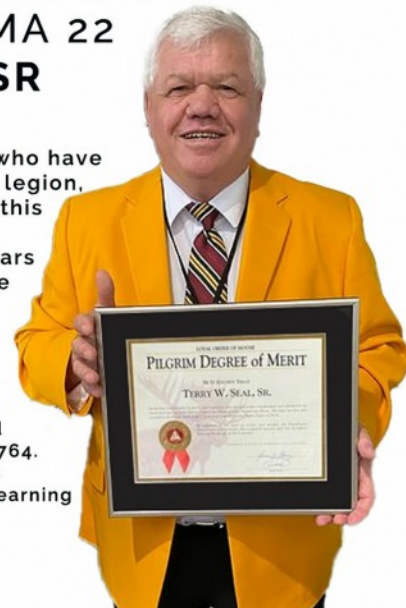
I know I say thank you a lot but I truly mean every word I say, and every time I say it—we cannot run the events without our great volunteers who make a difference every day in our Lodge, and our fantastic

**Congratulations to our newest Pilgrim
North Port Lodge Administrator
and President-FMA 22
TERRY SEAL, SR**



It is a great honor to be recognized as a Pilgrim of the Order. Only lodge members who have served their lodge, advanced to the Moose legion, and volunteered further are considered for this degree. Generally it is attained only by devoted members who have given many years of service to and for our program. They have volunteered to cook, clean, serve as an officer, mentored others, and been fraternal leaders along the way.

When you see Terry, and you will if you visit the Lodge with any frequency, congratulate him and thank him for all his work at North Port Moose 764. He has served on the Board in various roles plus Jr Governor, Governor, and Junior Past Governor, earning the Moose Legion and Fellowship Degrees.



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From the Senior Regent

Hello to all Brothers & Sisters:

I hope that this finds you all safe & healthy. We held our pie bake sale & a thank you goes out to all who helped with your purchases, & ladies who baked, hope you enjoyed, it was a great success. We plan on changing up our bake sales every month so check our chalk board to see every month what goodies we will be making.

Coming up in July our Fraternal Activities chairman will be holding a 50/50-month long raffle. Tickets are 3/\$5.00 or 9/\$10.00. The drawing will take place at Lodge on July 31 after Bar Bingo so get your tickets soon as they go fast- starting July 1. See Susan Runge, Kristie Frein, Mel Dagger, or any officer to get your tickets and good luck to all & thank-you for your support.

As your Senior Regent I can't say enough on how we need your support. Once you join the Lodge, please consider joining the WOTM also. It's with your support we can grow and be a successful asset to our Lodge, as well as our community and the charities that are so important to us as Moose Heart & Moose Haven. So please take time to join us, we would love to have you! And if you join you will receive .50 cents off any drinks on Sundays excluding draft beer, plus \$1 off breakfast on Saturdays.

Also please remember to show your Moose card to bar tenders, even if they know you, this is a required law from LCB. Never know when they are there, so please follow this. On that note, please join us, God Bless be safe and healthy. We do care about all of you!

Cordially & Fraternally Sr. Regent Ann Mell & Officers

JULY 4th *Independence Day*
12:30
3:30
PM
COUNTRY EXPRESS BAND

RAFFLE! 50/50
RAFFLE! RAFFLE!
ALL MONTH LONG
THIS COULD BE HUGE!
SO LET'S SEE HOW BIG WE CAN BUILD THE POT.
JULY 1, 2022 ~ JULY 31, 2022
TICKETS: 3/\$5 OR 9/\$10
ONE TICKET DRAWN ON JULY 31 AFTER BAR BINGO
WOMEN OF THE MOOSE CHAPTER 1892
HALF PROCEEDS GO TO MOOSE CHARITIES.
SEE SUSAN RUNGE, KRISTIE FREIN, MEL DAGGER
FOR INFO & TICKETS, OR ANY WOTM OFFICER.
IT ONLY TAKES ONE TICKET TO WIN; DON'T FORGET
TO WRITE YOUR NAME AND PHONE NUMBER ON YOUR TICKETS.

North Port Moose Lodge
BINGO
Sat, July 16 @ 11 AM
\$40 pp includes (1) 9-face bingo book,
extra face books \$10 ea
140 Tickets Will be Sold
(7) Games payout \$300 ea
(1) Jackpot Game payout \$1000
FUNDRAISER FOR FMA DISTRICT 22

Moose Lodge #764 Meetings Schedule

General Membership Meetings (men & women attend)

Second Tuesday of the Month: **July 12 @ 7 PM**

Fourth Tuesday of the Month: **July 26 @ 7 PM**

July 13

6:00 PM

Chapter meeting

Aug 10

6:00 PM

Chapter meeting



**LODGE &
CHAPTER
OFFICERS
2022 - 2023**



President	Thomas Creighton
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

Sr Regent: Ann Mell

Secretary: Teresa Sekscinski

Treasurer: Brenda Seal

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

FMA District 22

July 9

Punta Gorda # 1693



Moose Legion meets 4th Wednesday @ 6:30 PM in the Moose Lodge meeting room (annex).
LAC-Ed Mell, LAS-James Godshall, VIC/LAC Dalon Liles

From the Lodge President

Brothers and Sisters:

Congratulations to **Brenda Seal**, our moose volunteer of the month of June. Thanks to all members who attended our District 22 meeting in Englewood. Our next district meeting will be in Punta Gorda. Please try to attend and support your lodge and District President Terry Seal.

We are continuing our work on the bar, there will be no bingo Saturday, July 2. Don't forget about our District Bingo on Saturday, July 16 at 11 am. Everyone is welcome to come out and celebrate our Independence Day—4th of July celebration. Starting at 12:30 and running to 3:00 PM. For your entertainment, Country Express will be playing. We will also have hamburgers, hot dogs, baked beans, and potato salad for \$10 per person. So bring your friends and celebrate with us. We will also be having our queen of hearts at 6 PM. Everyone has a chance to win big money.

JukeBox Dreams will be playing on July 16 from 6 - 9 and Ron Harris will be here July 16 from 6 to 9. Oncoming Storm will be here for your entertainment on July 23 from 6 to 9 PM.

We are still collecting tennis shoes, new and old. Thanks to everyone who made our food drive last month a success.

Fraternally,
Tom Creighton, Lodge President

**SATURDAY,
AUGUST 13
STARTS
@ NOON!
TICKETS \$12 pp**

FMA DISTRICT 22

PICNIC

D22

D22 Lodges: Venice, North Port, Punta Gorda, Englewood, Port Charlotte & Gulf Cove

Pulled Pork - HotDogs - Burgers-Chicken -Baked Beans-Coleslaw

COLD BEER

COLD SODA

Picnic Fee tickets entered into \$250 Raffle. Must be Present to Win & Have Ticket.

Bridget Phillips
Live Music
5 - 8 PM

PICNIC HELD AT NORTH PORT MOOSE LODGE #764

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members who come out each and every day to support your lodge and to support our mission at Mooseheart and Moosehaven. May God bless Mooseheart, Moosehaven, and may God bless all of our members. Last item—thanks to everyone who donated to our Food Drive in June, making it a success.

Fraternally Terry W. Seal Sr., Administrator, North Port Moose Lodge #764

NORTH PORT
LODGE 764

CHAPTER
1892

**WOMEN
OF THE
MOOSE**

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**NEW MONTHLY MEETING DATE
IS THE 2ND WEDNESDAY
OF EVERY MONTH AT 6:00 PM.
JULY MEETING IS JULY 13**

**ALL FEMALE MEMBERS OF THE LODGE ARE
INVITED TO JOIN WITH US.**

**SENIOR REGENT ANN MELL
SECRETARY TERESA SEKSCINSKI
TREASURER BRENDA SEAL**

MEETING NOTICE

NORTH PORT MOOSE LODGE 764

**Moose
Legion**

LAC - Ed Mell, LAS - James Godshall, VIC/LAC - Dalon Liles

**THE NORTH PORT MOOSE LEGION HAS
A NEW MEETING DAY AND TIME!
ALL MALE MEMBERS OF THE LODGE ARE
WELCOME TO OUR MEETINGS
ON THE 4TH WEDNESDAY OF EVERY
MONTH AT 6:30 PM IN THE LODGE
MEETING ROOM(ANNEX BLDG).**

Moose Legion News

To all Moose Legionnaires, I want to let you know that I'm your new LAC, chairman of the Legionnaires, and that we have changed the Legionnaire meetings to the fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:30 PM. The meetings are being held in the meeting room in the Moose annex, also James Godshall is your new LAS, secretary and Dalon Liles is your new Vice-Chairman.

We are off to a good start by the number of Legionnaires coming to the first new meeting. I want to thank all that came. We are now selling lotto boards to generate funds and are working well and coming up with new ideas for this and special events. The Moose Legion is a very important part of the Moose and you should be proud that you are a Moose Legionnaire so please help support us by coming to the meetings and being a volunteer.

We had a Moose Legion conferral at Naples Moose on June 18 and had 37 applicants inducted into the Moose Legion. It was a nice time to get together for a special event like this. The next conferral will be at our Moose Lodge 764 on September 17 at noon, please plan on attending.

The Moose Legionnaires Manatee #58 picnic that was held at Port Charlotte Lodge on February 20 was a record crowd and brought in the highest revenue of all. Thanks to John Bienkowski, then president of Manatee #58 and all that volunteered.

Fraternally yours: Chairman Ed Mell