

Moose News

IOWA CITY LODGE 1096 & CHAPTER 509



Fight! Fight! For Iowa

Hawkeye Football season is upon us. Join us every Saturday to cheer the Hawkeyes on to victory!

SEPT—OCT 2016

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Deadline and information for articles and/or events to include in future issues of Newsletter/Calendar

- ⇒ Newsletter will be for two (2) months
- ⇒ Deadline for articles 20th day of December, February, April, June, August, October
- ⇒ Newsletter will be complete prior to 1st day of the month
- ⇒ Copies of newsletter will be in Lodge Social Quarters
- ⇒ Copies of calendar will be in Lodge Social Quarters
- ⇒ Send articles to Janet Enderle at janet.enderle@yahoo.com or leave at Social Quarters

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE

There is nothing I can say but thank you to our lodge women and men for your continued support to our lodge. We have undergone great changes throughout our lodge with the retirement of Keith who has served us for over 20 years we wish him nothing but the best on his

retirement. Thank you to Angie for taking over the position of manager you have shown your fraternal side and I see many great things to come from you. Also thank you to Renee for stepping up to take care of the books we really appreciate your time and effort to keep us going. I also want to thank Dan for becoming the administrator again I know we are still looking for the replacement but you have been a blessing.

Our lodge has been given the great pleasure of having the Supreme Governor Fritz Griswold at our lodge on Aug. 20th. Thank you all for making his visit a special one for him. He said and I quote "In all my visits this is the nicest lodge I have been to". That right there says a lot of who Iowa City is. Thank you.

Thank you to all the people that helped get the lodge in great shape for the visit.

Don't forget to come out for Iowa tailgate parties and root for the hawks!!!

Sunday Fun Day Football. Come out and root for the BEARS!!!

(Or any of the other inferior teams)

On a Special note to the Vikings fans. SORRY:)

God bless Mooseheart and Moosehaven.

Brian Sekafetz Governor



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MOOSE OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to Chris Witmer for being named the Moose of the Year for 2016.



I just wanted to say thank you for being picked to be The Moose of the Year for 2016. To say I was surprised would be an understatement. I feel really honored to be picked as the Moose of the Year. I am really happy to be a part of The Moose. I am so glad to have found so many people that I can call my friends.

Ya'll are like another family to us.

Thanks again. Chris Witmer

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE

The Annual Conference in Waterloo went well in August. The Supreme Governor and the Mooseheart kids came to our Lodge for a visit on August 20th and enjoyed the Annual Shrimp Boil.

The Women of the Moose are responsible for the meal on the 3rd
Friday of every month. If you have any suggestions on meals,
fund raisers or charitable organizations, please contact one of the Board
of Officers.

All suggestions are greatly appreciated.

Janice Irvin
Senior Regent



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MOOSE RIDERS

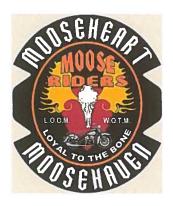
The Moose Riders will be serving "beer can" chicken for the Friday night meal on September 9th.

Save November 5th on your calendar.

We will be having another scavenger hunt.

Check for additional information in the Social Quarters.

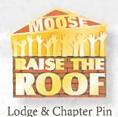
Drop by the Moose for great Friday night dinners and fun events & activities.



MOOSE - RAISE THE ROOF

May 1, 2016 - April 30, 2017

During the "Moose – Raise the Roof" membership campaign, we will continue to focus on our core values and growing our Lodges and Chapters. By raising awareness of the Moose and what we do for our children at Mooseheart, our seniors at Moosehaven, and our local communities, our potential for growth is limitless!



Sign 1 Member

"Moose – Raise the Roof" lapel pins are presented by your Lodge, Chapter or Moose Legion to members that sponsor their first member during this campaign.



Sign 5 Members

Help to re-roof the Administration Office at Moosehaven. Funds will be donated for every man, woman or Moose Legionnaire who qualifies by signing 5 members courtesy

of your Association, the Women of the Moose and the Moose Legion.

Sign 25 Members

Members attaining Sponsors of Distinction status by signing 25 members during the "Moose – Raise the Roof" membership drive will receive free basic registration for our 2017

International Convention, which is being held in Tampa, Florida. Additional information can be found on our website.

TOMMY MOOSE PROGRAM

The Tommy Moose® program aids in helping children overcome fears and anxiety during times of stress. Donated to Law Enforcement, Fire, and other Emergency workers, Tommy Moose plush dolls are presented to children in various traumatic situations. In addition to this service, the Tommy Moose character has grown to personify happiness, safety, and security through personal appearances, books, and on children's goods.





Service man and women emergency personnel can ease frightened or confused children by giving them a Tommy Moose plush doll





HAWKEYE FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 3, 2:30 vs Miami (OH)

Saturday, September 10, 6:30 pm vs Iowa State

Saturday, September 17, 11:00 am vs North Dakota

Saturday, September 24, TBA at Rutgers

Saturday, October 1, 11:00 am vs Northwestern

(homecoming)

Saturday, October 8, TBA at Minnesota

Saturday, October 15, 11:00am at Purdue

Saturday, October 22, TBA vs Wisconsin

Saturday, November 5, 6:30pm at Penn State

Saturday, November 12, 7:00pm vs Michigan

Saturday, November 19, TBA at Illinois

Friday, November 25, TBA vs Nebraska

Saturday, December 3, TBA vs TBD





Hawkeye Tailgating at the Moose

Woohoo Hawkeye College football is almost here!! It starts off on Labor Day Weekend against Miami (OH). We are doing the tailgating at the Moose. I am sooo excited for the Hawkeye season to start. ARE YOU??? There will be grab bags, sack pools, and squares to try your luck on. Along with the 50\50 and or Raffles!!

We are also going to have some black and gold fan contest, (who can be the most impressively dressed fan). These will be on the home games only!! You can still wear your black and gold on away games to show your hawk pride!! We will have the game on all the TV's including the big screen!! We will open an hour before game time, unless it is an evening game, then of course we open at 2:30.

This year we are working on the following Lodge
Improvements: playground equipment, Heat Exchangers for
the Great Room, and carpet for the Social Quarters and Great
Room. Whew, that's a pretty big list.

Let's get it done.

Be Moose Proud and Hawk Proud!! I am!!
Christine Garling

Moose Silent Auction

The Moose Silent Auction will be held on Saturday, October 15, 2016. It will start at 5pm and end at 9pm. There will a second Moose Silent Auction on

Saturday, November 19 2016. The time has yet to be determined. We are looking for donations for the Auction. Things that would be fun to bid on are any sports paraphilia, (Hawkeye, Bears, Steelers, Broncos, Cubs, Cardinals, to name a few), any household items, any fun filled Baskets, Gift certificates, anything you think would be fun to bid on and win.

We also need people to bid on items. Stop out for supper, put in a few bids, and sing a song. I'm sure there will be yummy food special. There is Karaoke also. You never know you could get in a bidding war. Or, who knows, you might get a really good deal on something. This fundraiser is for Lodge improvements. Some of the past silent auctions helped improve our Lodge.

Examples of the Lodge Improvements that were funded are:

Painting of walls in the Kitchen

New Kitchen stove, microwave, and pizza oven

New round tables in the Great Room

Painting of walls and ceiling in the Great Room

Fixing of the holes in the wall in the Great Room

New barstools, round tables, chairs in the Social Quarters

Fixing of the Heat exchangers in the Kitchen and Social Quarters

We have some new projects we are raising money for:

Playground equipment

Heat Exchangers in the Great Room

Carpet for the Social Quarters and Great Room

DIRECTORY OF SKILLS/SERVICES

We are trying to put together a listing of services provided by Moose Members in order to create a "Directory of Skills/Services".

From automotive to plumbing, landscaping to roofing, computers to accounting to painting, there always seems to be something that needs done. When you need something done, it is nice to know someone who can do it. Your Moose Lodge is trying to compile a list of members who have the special skills or work in specific fields to assist with these projects. The ultimate goal is to create a "Directory" that each and every member of the Iowa City Moose Lodge can reference when any of these needs arise that will allow you to contact someone you know and trust, a fellow Moose

Member, to get the job done. If you have a specific skill and would like to list it in our "Directory of Services". Please email a brief description of the service to rick.greiner.loom@gmail.com.

Please be certain to include the following information:

Your Name

Your Company (if desired)

Contact Number

Alternate Contact Number (if desired)

Email address

Description of the service

UPCOMING SOCIAL QUARTER EVENTS





The best season in Iowa is here again—Hawkeye Football Season!! Come join us every Saturday to cheer the Hawkeyes on to victory! The lodge will be open an hour prior to kick-off for all early games. For all games starting at 3:30 p.m. or later we will follow our standard Saturday hours. There will be food specials during every game along with other fun activities. It's always a great day to show your Moose & Hawkeye spirit!

Are you ready for some football?!?!



Join us every Sunday for NFL Football and enjoy great drink specials & \$10 2-topping pizzas all day long! Stop in during any NFL game (Thursday, Monday & Sunday) and sign-up for our weekly prize drawing!! "Anything goes on any given Sunday, especially Monday Night" — Jon Gruden

MOOSE MEAT BINGO



Every 3rd Thursday of the month we have Moose Meat Bingo. Games will being at 6:00 p.m. and will last until all prizes have been given away. The cost per card will be \$10 and you may purchase as many cards as you would like. Look for great food and drink specials during the games! Moose Meat Bingo is not your ordinary bingo! Stop out and see for yourself!

KITCHEN NEWS

KITCHEN HOURS!! Our new summer kitchen hours will be from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. We are working to bring you new menu options and improved specials over the next several months. Look for a new menu to be available soon.

PART-TIME COOK NEEDED:

We are still accepting applications for an experienced part-time Cook. If you know of any qualified applicants, encourage them to stop down and apply. We are looking for someone with previous kitchen experience, strong multi-tasking skills, attention to detail, cleanliness and the ability to self-direct. Questions can be directed to the Club Manager.

If you have suggestions for upcoming events or for our kitchen, please do not hesitate to contact the Club Manager. Your feedback is important!

IC COUNTRY DANCERS



Since January 2014, the IC Country Dancers have hosted a weekly country dance on Thursday nights at the Iowa City Moose Family Center. Dances are open to the public and all ages are welcome. There is a dance lesson at 7:00 pm and social dancing is from 7:30 – 9:30 pm.

\$5 admission and \$3 for students. Since we started dances at the Moose in January 2014, 100% of our admission fees have been given back to the Moose!

The IC Country Dancers group consists of men and women of all ages who come together to dance, perform, teach, learn and just have fun in the Iowa City and surrounding areas. We perform at nursing homes, fairs, town celebrations, parades, and sporting events. We were founded in 1995. We also volunteer and support the Crisis Center, Shelter House, and Systems Unlimited. The dancers are grateful to the Moose for the warm welcome, delicious food and drink available, and the beautiful wooden dance floor!

Website: http://iccountrydancers.com/

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/pages/IC-Country-

Dancers/134034949955514

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HELP OUR MOOSEHEART KIDS—IT'S EASY AND IT'S FREE!!!

Shoparoo gives money to schools for pictures of receipts.

Upload the Shoparoo app to your Smartphone. The app is free.

Pick Mooseheart School as your school of choice
and start snapping or drop them off at the lowa City Moose Lodge
Social Quarters and someone will submit them for you

Snap pictures of your receipts from any store, big or small, that sells grocery items to earn Roo Points (cash donations) for your school. Whether you're shopping at a supercenter, dollar store, or local convenience store it doesn't matter where you shop or what items you buy. Shoparoo will make a cash donation for every receipt!

Submit up to 20 grocery receipts within a rolling 7 day period.

Snap pictures of your receipts from any restaurant or other retailer (that doesn't sell grocery items) to earn entries for your school into Shoparoo's \$1,000 monthly sweepstakes and \$15,000 yearly sweepstakes! Each receipt counts as an entry into both monthly and yearly sweepstakes, so spread the word at your school. The more receipts you submit, the greater your school's chance is of winning.

Submit up to 50 non-grocery receipts within a rolling 7 day period.

Receipts must be submitted with 14 days of purchase date!!

Check out Shoparoo.com for more details!

How YOU Can Help!

Moose Charities is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization (EIN 36-3993740). We work to collect all donations for Mooseheart and Moosehaven. Your donations are tax deductible and go 100% toward the program or project of your choice at either Mooseheart Child City & School or Moosehaven retirement community. There are many ways to help the children and seniors.

Send a donation check to:

Moose Charities, Inc. 155 S. International Dr. Mooseheart, IL 60539-1100

Donate online

at www.moosecharities.org/Giving.asp Choose the Mooseheart or Moosehaven program or project you would like to support.



Choose **Recurring Gifts** option when you make a donation to provide a consistent, reliable income stream. Your monthly giving is an easy, efficient and tax-deductible way to lend your support.

Make a Tribute Gift **In memory of or In honor of** an individual or event. An

acknowledgment will be sent to the family or honoree.

Ask your employer about a **Matching Gift** program to double or even triple the impact of your donation.



Remember Mooseheart or Moosehaven in your will with **Planned Gifts**. It may surprise you to know that many plans provide you with lifetime income, significantly reduce your income taxes, increase the inheritance you leave loved ones, or reduce or eliminate capital gain taxes. Sign up for our Gift Legacy newsletter at our website www.moosecharities.org/qiftlegacy.asp

Mooseheart Boosters. Individuals donate annually to provide financial resources that fund the programs needed at Mooseheart School. Donate online at http://moosecharities.org



Recognition Programs

LEAGUE OF GUARDIANS

A very special group of Members are recognized for their cumulative fiscal year giving benefiting Mooseheart and Moosehaven (\$1,000 and up) programs and projects.

Each donation from each spouse is combined and counts towards membership in the League of Guardians.

DEFENDING CIRCLE SOCIETY

Includes donors who create gifts such as bequests (via will, estate, retirement plan), various types of trusts, charitable gift annuities, and life insurance.

DONORS CIRCLE

The Donors Circle recognizes donors like you for your individual tax-deductible Endowment Fund donations.

Your Endowment Fund donations are cumulative! Receive your first pin when you reach \$100.

Join the Donors Circle!

You secure the future of Mooseheart & Moosehaven.





AmazonSmile is a website operated by Amazon that lets you enjoy the same wide selection of products, low prices, and convenient shopping features as on Amazon.com. The difference is that when you shop on AmazonSmile, the

Amazon foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price to your charity of choice. On your first visit to AmazonSmile, you will be prompted to select a charitable organization to receive donations from eligible purchases before you begin shopping. Select Mooseheart Child City & School Inc. as the charitable organization you want to support and AmazonSmile will donate 0.5% of your purchase price to Mooseheart School.

LOOM OFFICERS:

Past Governor - Greg Childs

Governor – Brian Sekafetz

Jr. Governor - Rick Greiner

Prelate - Pat Brenneman

Administrator — Dan Monroe

Treasurer - Pete Greiner

Trustee – Art Dresden

Sergeant at Arms - Chris Witmer

Lodge Hours:

- Monday Thursday 2:30 PM -11:00 PM
- Friday Saturday 2:30 PM 1:30 PM
- Sunday 11:00 AM = 7:00 PM

Lodge contact info:

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- Website: http://www.iowacitymoose.com
- Moose International Website: http://mooseintl.org
- Moose News Committee: Janet Enderle, BJ Monroe, and Rick Greiner

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WOTM OFFICERS:

Senior Regent — Janice Irvin

Junior Regent — Ginger Hinrichs

Secretary/Treasurer — BJ Monroe

Recorder — Janet Enderle

Junior Graduate Regent – Linda Riggs

MOOSE LEGION:

Committee Chair - Rick Greiner

MOOSE RIDERS OFFICERS:

President – Robin Sheely

Vice President - Diane Feldman

Secretary – Gloria Herdlicka

Treasurer - Ken Herdlicka

Sargent of Arms — Marty Fellows

Road Captain - Scott Stillman



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Visit our website at http://www.iowacitymoose.com. On the home page, there is a link to input your mobile number. You can also stop by the Iowa City Lodge Social Quarters and add your name and number to the sign up sheet at the bar. You will be given the opportunity to opt out at any time.



September 2016



Sat	3 Hawkeyes vs Miami (Ohio) 2:30 pm	10 Hawkeyes vs Iowa State 6:30 pm	17 Hawkeyes vs Notre Dame 11:00 pm Karaoke 7 PM	24 Hawkeyes vs Rutgers TBA	47
Fri	2 Family Dinner by LOOM 5:30—8:00	9 Family Dinner by Moose Riders 5:30—8:00 Beer Can Chicken	16 Family Dinner by WOTM 5:3—8:00 Chicken and Noodles	23 Family Dinner by ML 5:30—8:00	30 Family Dinner: TBD 5:30—8:00
Thu	I Country Line Dancers 7 PM	8 6 pm Moose Riders Mig Country Line Dancers 7 PM	15 Moose Meat Bingo 6:30 PM Country Line Dancers 7 PM	22 Country Line Dancers 7 PM	29 Country Line Dancers 7 PM
Wed		7 Horseshoes 6 PM	14 Horseshoes 6 PM	21 Horseshoes 6 PM	28 Horseshoes 6 PM
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Mon		5 LABOR DAY LODGE CLOSED	12 6 pm Moose Riders Mtg KITCHEN CLOSED	19 KITCHEN CLOSED	26 KITCHEN CLOSED
Sun		4 Moose Legion Golf Tournament	11 AYCE Breakfast 8:30-11:30	18	25



October 2016



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Sun		2	9 AYCE Breakfast 8:30-11:30	16	23	30