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Several NYS Moose Members joined forces with many other Moose from across the Nation, and Canada to assist the St. Louis area School systems in many ways. At this school, landscaping, cleaning, prepping, painting, and other jobs were completed to assist the school to be ready for the coming school year. We also helped load, deliver and unload a bus full of donations from Chapters and Lodges across the country of backpacks, bags, and boxes filled with school supplies, nutritious snacks, food and clothing. So much that it filled two offices in the St. Louis District Offices. The women whose offices were used for storage were not at work that particular day; they were in for quite a shock when they arrived at work the next morning! Both offices had about enough room to get inside and turn around to close the door, everywhere else was stacked and packed with donations for the children and families of the St. Louis areas. The donation effort was on 2 different TV stations, Channel 2 did a two+ minute segment as a human interest story. It was truly a good and proud moment for the entire Moose organization. Making a difference; It IS what we do!

See more here: <http://via.fox2now.com/iCkSW>

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President's Message

Hello to all,

Sadly, this will be my last newsletter submission as N.Y.S.M.A. President. Our convention is Sept 8 thru the 11th in Binghamton. My wife and I have a great time visiting Lodges and district meetings all over NY State. All the great Moose members we have met and the miles we covered will be cherished.

In my travels I have been asked why a lot of our members don't know about the higher degrees or Mooseheart or Moosehaven. I think it is the responsibility of ALL the Pilgrims of our order to get into their respective Lodge and ask the board of officers if they can run some kind of orientation program to let the new member know who and what they are joining and why!! We still have a long road ahead we need to make **ALL** our moose brothers and sisters feel **WELCOME** in our Lodges. In my travels I have been to some of the friendliest Lodges and some not so friendly to a new face. We all belong to the same organization so I don't understand how someone new is not made to feel welcome in your Lodge. We all are striving for the same goal taking care of the children at Mooseheart and the seniors at Moosehaven. And making our Lodge the friendliest place to go to in town.

We went to St Louis to International convention and we watched a great Brother get sworn in as Supreme Governor; Franz Griswold from Dansville, NY a proud day for NY State. Myself, Pete Harrigan, and Robert Laux, Jr were the official greeters at the reception. His committee organized a reception for Fritz that will be hard to top by anyone else! Anyone from NY there will agree with me on that!! Now that Fritz is Supreme Governor we really have to really get to work on bringing our membership up to make him proud of NY State. I want to congratulate all the Lodges (14) in NY that made their Premier Lodge Award. Maybe more Lodges will strive to earn their Lodge Merit award !!!!

At this time I want to thank all the Lodges that we visited for making us feel like we belonged there we will never forget you all !!

Fraternally,

Paul

Paul Fleig N.Y.S.M.A. President



Message from the Deputy Grand Regent



Hello Co-Workers !

I am writing this on my way home from the 128th International Moose Convention and the 104th International Conference of the Women of the Moose held in St. Louis, Missouri. New York State was well represented by both the men and the women. We were able to show our NYS MOOSE PRIDE in a demonstration on July 2nd after Franz (Fritz) Griswold was nominated and elected Supreme Governor of the Loyal Order of Moose. What a great accomplishment for Fritz and an honor for all of us in New York. We were all able to celebrate with Fritz and Beth at a reception in his honor on Sunday evening. In case you missed it, there will be another celebration at our Annual Conference in Binghamton on Friday evening, September 9th.

During the International Conference we were also able to witness the conferral of 19 Academy of Friendship, 135 Star Recorders, and 332 College of Regents. Congratulations to all of the co-workers from New York who earned their degrees. Your hard work and dedication (and that of your Chapter) is very evident. Very special congratulations go out to two of our New York State co-workers: Christine Brooks from Horseheads Chapter #1832 was appointed Deputy Grand Regent for 2016-17 and Debbie Kelsey from Genesee Valley-Henrietta Chapter #1998 was appointed to the International Academy of Friendship Board. These two co-workers are so deserving of this honor. Congratulations again !!!

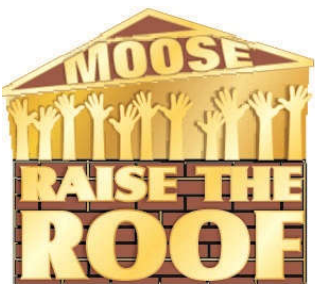
The Annual Conference of the Women of the Moose of New York State will be held in Binghamton from September 8th to September 11th. Horseheads Chapter will be our Hostess Chapter. I look forward to working with them and truly appreciate them agreeing to help me. It is with great pride that I welcome Jan Fregulia, Executive Director of Moose Charities, to New York as our Official Visitor. Jan is a member of Petaluma, California Chapter #574. She has served Moose International and the Women of the Moose in the following: Deputy Grand Regent for California/Nevada, Women of the Moose Grand Council, Women of the Moose Director of Sports and Ritual, Director of Chapter Development, Director of Fraternal Fundraising for Moose Charities, Grand Chancellor of the Women of the Moose and now as Executive Director of Moose Charities. The registration forms and agenda will be sent to the Chapters soon and will also be on the NYS website. I hope that we will have a great turn-out for our Annual Conference. I look forward to seeing you there !

GOD BLESS
MOOSEHEART AND MOOSEHAVEN

Fraternally,

Pat Parks

Deputy Grand Regent



One Week Focus — Year-Long Commitment



Hello Co-workers,

Wow, what an exciting time to be a Moose Member in New York State!

After arriving home from such a fun and exciting time at International Conference in St. Louis, I realize that New York has so much to be proud of as we celebrate and honor our new **“Supreme Governor”** Fritz Griswold of the Dansville, N.Y. Lodge and our very own PDGR Deborah Kelsey of GVH Chapter who has been appointed to serve on the **International Board of the Academy of Friendship**. We also had several chapters represented with co-workers receiving their College of Regents and Star Recorder Degrees I am proud and excited to say that I will have the opportunity to represent and serve along with these great leaders of our fraternity in our state as we work towards continuing to spread the story of our beloved **Mooseheart and Moosehaven**.

So now that we are all **“PUMPED UP”** to **“RAISE THE ROOF”** we need to continue to focus on our Membership goals and work hard on retaining our established members by keeping them involved in chapter functions and activities. Invite new and older co-workers to attend your chapter meetings and be open to accepting new ideas for fundraising projects and get together.

A chapter who works and plays together stays together!!!

Co-workers, our Membership Committee will once again be holding a fundraising raffle with prizes of a Homemade King Size Quilt and Cash Prizes to be drawn in September at our State Conference in Binghamton. The proceeds will go towards making a donation to the Moosehaven Centennial Project and to honor our Top Chapters and Co-workers who have sponsored 5 or more members during last chapter year of ending April 30th 2016. So please help to support this project.

Again Congratulations to all who received honors and I look forward to seeing each of you in September in Binghamton.



In Friendship & Fraternalism,

Christine Brooks, New York State W.O.T.M

Membership Chairman

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\$100

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James J. Davis, founder of Mooseheart

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\$500



\$750



\$1,000



\$2,500



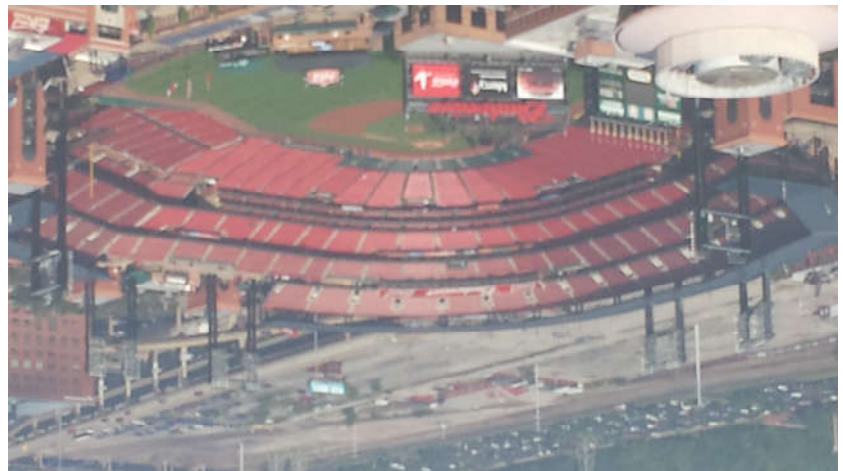
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\$7,500



\$10,000



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.



Lodge & Chapter Pin

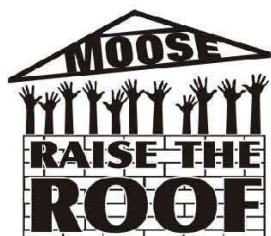


Moose Legion Pin



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.



*New York State
Moose Association
101st Annual Convention*

September 8-11, 2016

Doubletree - Binghamton

225 Water Street Binghamton, New York 13901

607-722-7575

Call for Reservations now

Standard Guestrooms

\$119.00 plus tax

Suites

\$179.00 plus tax

Conference Registration Form

Name _____ Lodge _____ # _____

Please check all appropriate Offices, Degrees and Titles:

Governor (current) _____	25 Club _____	Past District President _____
Administrator (current) _____	Legionnaire _____	Past State President _____
Past Governor _____	Fellow _____	
Delegate _____	Pilgrim _____	

Current NYSMA or Supreme Lodge Office/Title _____

Mail completed form & check to:

N.Y.S.M.A. Registration
 Chmn: Jay Banks
 1855 Price Rd
 Montour Falls, NY 14865

**DO NOT MAIL TO
STATE SECRETARY**

**Pre-Registration Fee is \$10.00. Make checks payable to:
 New York State Moose Association, Inc. On-site registration is \$15.00**

8th Annual 2016 New York State Women of the Moose Bowling Tournament Crystal Lakes - Ganung, NY				
TEAM Event				
	Team Name	Moose Lodge	Score	Earnings
1	<u>Here for the Beer</u> Carey Rivera, Heather McLoud, Roxanne Wager, Keely Andrews Captain: Lorie Hall	Penn Yan	3146	\$200
2	<u>Virgil's Dancing Queens</u> Wendy McFetridge, Maureen Wise, Rosanne Blauvelt, Donna Gelder Captain: Kathleen Gernold	Penn Yan	3074	\$150
3	<u>Mis Behavin' Mama's</u> Teresa Tyler, Carrie Pulver, Patricia Stahlman, Amy Gelder Captain: Tammy Hannan	Penn Yan	2982	\$105
4	<u>X Zone</u> Linda Patridge, Lisa Schwartz, Melody Harwood, Elizabeth Stauffer Captain: Sharon Crandall	Hornell	2943	\$75
5	<u>The Hoe's</u> Becky Bundy, Patty Rogers, Sandra Smith, Danielle Freeman Captain: Tina Day	Wellsville	2894	\$50
DOUBLES Event				
	Name	Moose Lodge	Score	Earnings
1	Donna Pratt & Mylinda Board	GV Henrietta	1325	\$150
2	Karyn Pratt & Teresa Hitchcock	GV Henrietta	1310	\$90
3	Chloe Vincent & Rita Anderson	Dunkirk	1290	\$80
4	Carrie Pulver & Amy Gelder	Penn Yan	1287	\$60
5	Kathy Farnum & Sheila Decker	Wellsville	1283	\$50
6	Lisa Schwartz & Elizabeth Stauffer	Hornell	1273	\$40
7	Lorie Hall & Heather McLoud	Penn Yan	1267	\$30
8	Patricia Stahlman & Teresa Tyler	Penn Yan	1247	\$22

SINGLES Events				
	Name	Moose Lodge	Score	Earnings
1	Amanda Witter	Wellsville	676	\$120
2	Karyn Pratt	Wellsville	672	\$80
3	Lorie Hall	Penn Yan	649	\$70
4	Wendy McFetridge	Penn Yan	644	\$60
5	Stacy Pyer	Hornell	639	\$40
6	Elizabeth Stauffer	Hornell	639	\$40
7	Bonnie Strait	Wellsville	637	\$30
8	Cheryl Felvus	Lock City	635	\$20
9	Shirley Salverno	Dunkirk	632	\$20
10	Tammy Hannan	Penn Yan	628	\$15
11	Patti Osgood	Wellsville	625	\$15
12	Linda Sharrett	Hornell	622	\$10
13	Tonja Beardsley	Wellsville	622	\$10
ALL Events				
	Name	Moose Lodge	Score	Earnings
1	Heather McLoud	Penn Yan	1936	\$100
2	Amanda Witter	Wellsville	1905	\$70
3	Elizabeth Stauffer	Hornell	1899	\$40
4	Lorie Hall	Penn Yan	1866	\$25

• Winners of Basket Raffle hosted by Corning Lodge: Lottery Board - Donna Stebbins
 Liquor Basket - Sharon Crandall
 Moose Basket - Nancy Mosier
 Animal Basket - Donna Pratt

Captain and Crew Tourney

NYSMA Captain and Crew Tournament has been changed to play in Holley, NY at Hickory Ridge Golf Course. It is a 45 minute to one hour drive to the course from Lockport. Lock City Lodge has decided to have the dinner at the golf course after the afternoon shift is completed. Prizes will be awarded at this time, as well. Albion and Brockport have motels for anyone wishing to spend the night.

I apologize for any inconvenience this has created. If you have any questions, please call me at 315-694-1412. I hope to see a nice turnout for this event. Jack Nichiporuk

NEW YORK STATE MOOSE ASSOCIATION MIXED CAPTAIN & CREW GOLF TOURNAMENT

TERRY MCMICHEAL MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

SAT AUGUST 20 2016
HOST LODGE LOCKCITY
GOLF COURSE HICKORY RIDGE
1516 LYNCH ROAD HOLLEY NY PHONE 5856384653
800AM AND 1230PM SHOTGUN STARTS
REGISTRATION AT COURSE
700-800AM
1130-1230PM

ENTRY DEADLINE WED AUG 15 2016 ENTRY FEE \$70.00 PER GOLFER INCLUDES GREEN FEES CART PRIZES DINNER AT THE GOLF COURSE

MS MAY CONSIST OF ALL MEN ALL WOMEN OR MIXED MEN & WOMEN FROM SAME LODGE AND CHAPTER ONETARY PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED FOR ALL CATEGORIES BASED ON PERCENTAGE OF TEAMS ENTERED

AFTER ALL EXPENSES HAVE BEEN PAID

TEAMS WILL COMPETE WITH THE MAJORITY OF THE GENDER ON THE TEAM

TEE TIME PREFERENCE MUST BE INDICATED ON THE APPLICATION

YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED ONLY IN THE EVENT ALL TEE TIMES ARE FILLED YOU REQUESTED

OPTIONAL SKIN GAME AT REGISTRATION \$20.00 PER TEAM

PRIZES AWARDED TO EACH CATEGORY

IN THE EVENT ALL SKINS ARE CANCELED MONEY WILL BE DIVIDED AMONG THE FIRST TEAMS WHICH ARE TIED WITH BIRDIE OR BETTER

ON HARDEST HANDICAP HOLE

PROPER ATTIRE IS REQUIRED (COLLAR SHIRT)

ALL FOOD BEVERAGE ON COURSE MUST BE PURCHASED THERE

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO PENN YAN LODGE 2030

SEND CHECK AND ENTRY FORM TO

NYSMA CAPTAIN & CREW GOLF TOURNAMENT

PENN YAN 2030

301 EAST ELM STREET

PENN YAN NY 14527-1313

TELE NO.

PENN YAN LODGE 3155369695

JACK NICHIPORUK CELL 3156941412

JACK NICHIPORUK HOME 6078683123

ENTRIES LIMITED TO 32 TEAMS MORNING SHIFT AND 32 TEAMS AFTERNOON SHIFT

FIRST COME ENTRY ACCEPTED REGISTER EARLY FOR YOUR SPOT

HOTELS MOTELS

ALBION HAS MOTELS 10 MINS OR BROCKPORT 20 MINS FROM GOLF COURSE

DOLLINGERS HAS THREE MOTELS IN ALBION

TEAM CAPTAIN _____ MALE FEMALE
PLAYER 1 _____ MALE FEMALE
PLAYER 2 _____ MALE FEMALE
PLAYER 3 _____ MALE FEMALE

CONTACT TELE. NUMBER _____

LODGE NAME NO. _____

CHAPTER NAME NO. _____

TEE TIME 800AM 1230PM CIRCLE ONE

ADDITIONAL DINNER TICKETS _____



NYS LADIES CAPTAIN & MATE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Host Chapter: Palmyra # 449

3808 Route 31, Palmyra, NY 14522

315-597-5328 or 597-6046

WHEN: Saturday, August 27, 2016 Tee off at 9:30 AM

WHERE: Crooked Pines Golf Course, 1148 S. Wayneport Road, Macedon, N.Y.

Phone 315-986-4455

Registration: Begins at 8:00 AM

Entry Fee: \$55 per golfer, included greens fee, cart, prizes and dinner

Dinner: To be announced

Format: Two ladies per team. Both players tee off, then play best ball to the hole

An optional skins game will be available to those who wish to enter. Entry fee for skins will be \$10/team. 100% payout.

SEND ENTRY FORM AND CHECKS TO: Donna Stebbins, 6 Jupiter Way, Macedon, NY 14502

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: PALMYRA MOOSE CHAPTER #449

Questions: Donna @ (315)573-4347 or Email: stebbinsdm@verizon.net or

Beth Griswold @ (585) 721-5281 or Email: bcgris3@yahoo.com

Rooms are available at Quality Inn, Newark 315-331-9500; Manchester Inn 585-289-3811; Palmyra Inn & Suites 315-597-8888

Entries must be in no later than August 12th, NO refunds after August 19th "We play RAIN or SHINE"

Please return bottom portion only

Captain: _____ Phone # _____ Email _____

Address: _____ Chapter # _____

Mate: _____ Phone # _____ Email _____

Address _____ Chapter # _____

Amount Enclosed for Golf \$ _____ Skins \$ _____



NYSMA SPORTS TOURNAMENTS

- ⇒ **August 20 ~ GOLF - 4-Man ~ Lock City**
 ⇒ **August 27 ~ WOMEN'S GOLF ~ Palmyra**

November 5&6, 12&13 ~ MIXED BOWLING ~ Wellsville
TBA ~ MIXED SHUFFLEBOARD ~ Sidney

Sports & Activities

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at kmh19@cornell.edu, at home (607) 865-4963 or (607) 435-6931.

Kim

Kim M. Holden, WOTM Sports Chairman

Sports Chairman Randy Budde 716-523-0531 or lodge617@mooseunits.org

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or email questions to request@moosecharities.org

**WOMEN OF THE MOOSE PRE-REGISTRATION
ANNUAL CONFERENCE, BINGHAMTON, NY – DOUBLETREE HOTEL
SEPTEMBER 8 - 11, 2016**

HOSTESS CHAPTER: HORSEHEADS #1832

Co-Worker Registration Fee: \$10.00

**Green Cap Matriculants:
Registration Fee: \$10.00 plus Matriculant Fee: \$15.00 = Total \$25.00**

**Mail Registration Form to: Mindya Kenney
115 Owens Street
Horseheads, NY 14845
Telephone: 607-259-2565**

**Please make checks payable to: Horseheads Chapter #1832 and
Pre-Register by August 27, 2016**

NOTE: We are not equipped to handle on-line registration.

**MATRICULANTS: Please remember proper attire for Green Cap Convocation
on Sunday and bring your Call Card.**

(Please Print)

CHAPTER: _____ **NUMBER:** _____

NAME: _____

MOOSE ID #: _____

STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

PHONE # _____ **E-MAIL ADDRESS:** _____

OFFICER/CHAIRMAN: _____

DEGREES:

___ **ACADEMY OF FRIENDSHIP** ___ **COLLEGE OF REGENTS** ___ **STAR RECORDER**

GREEN CAP MATRICULANT: ___ **YES** ___ **NO**

MOOSE CHARITIES UPDATE

As a Fraternity, the members of the Lodges and Chapters were able to make the School Renovation Project at Mooseheart a reality. A total of \$11.5 million was raised to complete this much needed project.

At the International Convention in Nashville a new project was introduced by Moosehaven Executive Director John Capes. The Moosehaven Centennial Project will improve the quality of life for our Moosehaven residents and reduce the operating costs. The goal of this project is to construct a new congregate living facility for Moosehaven's traditional residents. The scope of this project is to construct a three-story building with two wings. There will be 105 residential apartments, up-to-date technologies, an in-house kitchen and dining area as well as barber and beauty shops, a campus nurse program and also a covered tricycle parking area !!

The Supreme Council and the Moosehaven Board have approved the \$10 million Capital Campaign. All Lodges, Chapters, Moose Legions and Councils of Higher Degree are encouraged to send donations to Moose Charities earmarked either "Association Cent. Project" or "WOTM Cent. Project". The Women of the Moose have pledged \$2,000,000 to the Moosehaven Centennial Project.

Let's keep the momentum going – we have helped the children at Mooseheart, now it is time to help our seniors at Moosehaven.

Please support Moose Charities !!!

GOD BLESS MOOSEHEART AND MOOSEHAVEN

Jim and Pat Parks

New York State
Moose Charities Chairmen



Supporting Mooseheart Child City & School and Moosehaven City of Contentment



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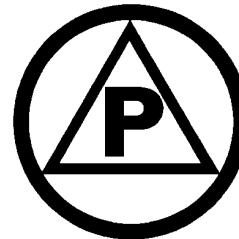
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