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97th Anniversary Week Celebration

Come join your fellow Brothers and Co-Workers to celebrate our anniversary. There will be many fun events for the week, to start off the week: Sunday, May 3rd - Food Special 97¢; Monday, May 4th - 2 Hot Dogs 97¢; Tuesday, May 5th - 1/2 & 1/2 shots 97¢; Wednesday, May 6th - Children's Meals 97¢; Thursday, May 7th - Draft Beer 97¢; Friday, May 8th - Children's Meals 97¢, Free Birthday Cake, Family Bowling 97¢ lane; Saturday, May 9th, Tacos 97¢, Shuffleboard and Pool free. Children must have supervision.



10th District Meeting

The TENTH DISTRICT MEETING will be held at the Michigan City Moose Family Center #980 on Sunday, May 17th at 2:00 p.m. Hear special guest, State President **Mac Short**.

Come one, come all - let's win the Attendance Award again. Show your support, mark your calendar and make sure to attend. It's a lot of fun and the good food is FREE. You also hear what other lodges are doing and meet old and new friends.

Can we count on you? See you in here on the 17th. Let's support our own **Lynn Bowman** - 10th District President.



Indiana Moose Association Membership Campaign

March 23rd - September 30th, 2009
Sign 3 New or Former Members
Receive a Jacket compliments of
Indiana Moose Association
Look for a display in your Lodge

Help Support Your Lodge
Help Support Your Fraternity
Help Support Our Children

At Mooseheart, always remember
YOU MAKE A DIFFERENCE



www.moose980.org

EUGENE SMITH SCHOLARSHIP MIXED GOLF SCRAMBLE

June 7 • 8:30 a.m. EST Shotgun Start
Stone Crest Golf Course,
9300 S. Bennett Lane, Bedford, IN
Entry Deadline May 30
\$50 per man • \$200 per team

Includes food & drink

Must have 2 Men & 2 Women

ALL AWARDS GIVEN AFTER SCRAMBLE AT CLUB HOUSE
GOLFERS 65 OR OVER MAY HIT FROM SENIOR TEES

Entry Fees must accompany Team Entry Form.

Forms available at the Lodge



10th District News

To find out what is going on on the Lodges of the 10th District (Chesterton, LaPorte, Knox, Elkhart, Mishawaka and Michigan City), please check out our District website:

www.loomin10.org



Memorial Day

It's that time of year again. Time to remember the graves of our Departed Brothers.

Families of deceased Brothers should see to it that their Moose flag holders are easily visible, not behind shrubbery or headstones. Any family who needs a flag holder should contact the office as soon as possible, as there is a limited supply.

The Departed Brother's family is responsible for obtaining and maintaining the Moose flag holder.

We will be placing Moose memorial flags in the gravesite markers on Wednesday, May 20th. If you can volunteer an hour or less, it would be really appreciated. We will meet near the Veteran's Circle at Greenwood Cemetery at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 20th. Rain date is Thursday, May 21st.



Dues Payers Banquet

Tuesday, May 19th, is set for the annual Dues Payers Banquet. All members with paid up dues are invited. Everyone should have received their letter and tickets in the mail. Dinner will be served from 6 to 8:30 p.m. all other festivities will follow. Come up and let's all get together!



We Need Your Newspapers!

The Moose #980 Corps no longer receives newspapers for recycling from the *News-Dispatch* or the *Chicago Tribune*. This leaves a huge hole in their fundraising efforts. 394694 If you can bring your newspapers to the Lodge or call 872-3828, we can tell you where the drop off area is located. WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!



Anniversary Night

For the members of the Moose Family Center #980 who have an anniversary in March, April or May, our Anniversary Night is on Saturday, May 30.

Our culinary delight for the evening will consist of a grilled pork chop (and believe me it is a big pork chop) done by our own Chef 1 1/2 (Gov. Tom), baked potato, and of course who can forget the apple sauce, all for \$8.00. Dinner will be served from 5:00-7:30 p.m. and for your entertainment Eddie Karosa will be providing music for the evening.

So please give Jim or Joyce your name if you had an anniversary during March, April and May. Tickets for the dinner will be available behind the bar or you can stop in the office.

Hopefully Carol and I will see you up there for a good time and to share some fellowship at the Lodge.

Take care,
Gov. Tom



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TUESDAY & THURSDAY SPECIALS

Every Tuesday
All 12 oz. long neck beer \$1.25
Every Thursday
Pikey Draft \$1.50



Lodge Website

There is a new website to view news about your
Lodge and Chapter.
Please look at
Moose980.org



WORD SEARCH

*Tongue Twister: Seven silly sheep
slowly shuffled south.*
Find the hidden words.

- flowers
- spring
- blossoms
- gardens
- yardwork
- cleaning
- lawns
- mowing
- showmold
- dandelions
- baseball
- fishing
- bluegills
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- swimming
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 LEGION BINGO 7:00 P.M. MEMBERS ONLY KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH & DINNER SALAD BAR	2 KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH 11 A.M.-3 P.M. COOK'S CHOICE
3 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE LODGE OPEN NOON-6 P.M.	4 BINGO 8:30 A.M. BOY SCOUT MEETING 6:30 P.M. MONDAY GOLF LEAGUE	5 DUES PAYERS BANQUET 6:00 P.M. \$1.25 LONG NECKS	6 WED. SPECIAL BBQ RIBS CHICKEN BREAST CASSEROLE DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER & FRIES \$5.75 BINGO WEDNESDAY GOLF LEAGUE	7 980 LEGION CLUB MEETING 7:00 P.M. \$1.50 PIKEY DRAFT	8 LEGION BINGO 7:00 P.M. MEMBERS ONLY KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH & DINNER SALAD BAR FAMILY BOWLING 6:00-8:30 P.M.	9 KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH 11 A.M.-3 P.M. TACOS LODGE 97TH ANNIVERSARY
10 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE LODGE OPEN NOON-6 P.M.	11 BINGO 8:30 A.M. W.O.T.M. CHAPTER MEETING - 7:00 P.M. BOY SCOUT MEETING 6:30 P.M. MONDAY GOLF LEAGUE	12 L.O.O.M. MEETING 7:30 P.M. \$1.25 LONG NECKS RITUAL PRACTICE AFTER MEETING	13 WED. SPECIAL BBQ RIBS BEEF TIPS & NOODLES DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER & FRIES \$5.75 BINGO WEDNESDAY GOLF LEAGUE	14 \$1.50 PIKEY DRAFT	15 LEGION BINGO 7:00 P.M. MEMBERS ONLY KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH & DINNER SALAD BAR	16 KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH 11 A.M.-3 P.M. GRILLED CHEESE & TOMATO SOUP
17 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE LODGE OPEN NOON-6 P.M. 10TH DISTRICT MEETING HERE! 2 P.M.	18 BINGO 8:30 A.M. W.O.T.M. BUSINESS MEETING - 7:00 P.M. BOY SCOUT MEETING 6:30 P.M. MONDAY GOLF LEAGUE	19 HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 7:00 P.M. \$1.25 LONG NECKS	20 WED. SPECIAL BBQ RIBS PORK ROAST DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER & FRIES \$5.75 BINGO WEDNESDAY GOLF LEAGUE	21 \$1.50 PIKEY DRAFT	22 LEGION BINGO 7:00 P.M. MEMBERS ONLY KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH & DINNER SALAD BAR FAMILY BOWLING 6:00-8:30 P.M.	23 KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH 11 A.M.-3 P.M. ITALIAN BEEF PILGRIM CONFERRAL MOOSEHEART MOOSEHEART GRADUATION INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
24 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE LODGE OPEN NOON-6 P.M.	25 BINGO 8:30 A.M. LODGE CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY	26 L.O.O.M. MEETING 7:30 P.M. \$1.25 LONG NECKS RITUAL PRACTICE AFTER MEETING	27 WED. SPECIAL BBQ RIBS BURRITOS DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER & FRIES \$5.75 BINGO WEDNESDAY GOLF LEAGUE	28 \$1.50 PIKEY DRAFT	29 LEGION BINGO 7:00 P.M. MEMBERS ONLY KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH & DINNER SALAD BAR	30 KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH 11 A.M.-3 P.M. COOK'S CHOICE ANNIVERSARY NIGHT GRILLED PORK CHOPS MUSIC BY EDDIE KAROSA
31 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE LODGE CLOSED	JUNE 1 BINGO 8:30 A.M. BOY SCOUT MEETING 6:30 P.M. MONDAY GOLF LEAGUE	2 HOUSE COMMITTEE MEETING 7:00 P.M. \$1.25 LONG NECKS	3 WED. SPECIAL BBQ RIBS LIVER & ONIONS DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER & FRIES \$5.75 BINGO WEDNESDAY GOLF LEAGUE	4 980 LEGION CLUB MEETING 7:00 P.M. \$1.50 PIKEY DRAFT	5 LEGION BINGO 7:00 P.M. MEMBERS ONLY KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH & DINNER SALAD BAR	6 KITCHEN OPEN LUNCH 11 A.M.-3 P.M. TACOS
SOCIAL QUARTER HOURS: MON-FRI 12 NOON-12 MIDNIGHT SAT 10 AM-1 AM SUNDAY (WHEN OPEN) NOON-6 PM		★ "BINGO" ★ MONDAY • WEDNESDAY 9:30 AM 6:30 PM FRIDAY MEMBERS ONLY 7:00 PM			KITCHEN OPEN FOR LUNCH & DINNER WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY	

Are you moving soon? Please don't forget the Moose Lodge when you change your address. Full name, address and zip code are needed so we may keep you posted on the time your dues are due; the mailing of "THE INFORMER" and the magazine from Mooseheart.

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Women of the Moose Chapter No. 935

Dear Co-Workers,

Welcome to a new year for Chapter #935! May is Academy of Friendship month and **Carol Root** is our chairman. You will all remember the great job that she did with the Sweetheart Steak Fry last February, no pressure Carol!



*Karen Wipperman,
Senior Regent*

There are still a few chairs to be filled so don't be shy just step up and ask what you can do to help. We are a limited few in regular attendance and team work is what is all about!

You know how the new year starts with trying to write an article for items that haven't happened yet so here goes...The International Convention in Chicago will be a blast! There will be lots of information to share at the meetings so please plan to attend. The Installation on April 26, 2009 of officers and chairman was beautiful. A special thanks to **Betty Margraf**, Installing Regent, **Joannie Hoffman**, Installing Chairman, **Erica Krachinski**, Installing Chaplain and **Jenny Knoll**, Installing Guide. What a wonderful afternoon.

A big thank you to **Tom Root** for cooking all the great food for our member appreciation dinner, **Roger Baker, Derald Borton** for all the help they gave to make the night so memorable.

A welcome to the new officers for the upcoming year: **Karen Wipperman**, Senior Regent, **Ruth Pagos**, Junior Regent, **Sue Borton**, Chaplain, **Sandy Staback**, Secretary Treasurer. The job of Recorder is in limbo at this time until we hear from International.

Watch the bulletin board at the meetings for upcoming events at the Lodge for ladies and remember this: We are all unique and have unique gifts. Please don't expect someone to change for you, or you for them. Only be concerned about what you can control and let the rest go. Your life will not only become less burdensome but happier as well!

Fraternally yours,
 Karen Wipperman
 Senior Regent

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