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LITCHFIELD MOOSE FAMILY CENTER NEWS

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September & October 2018 Newsletter

IN MEMORY OF OUR RECENTLY DECEASED MEMBERS:

Stacy Donaldson & Louis Spires

PARTY-IN-THE-PARK BINGO: We will have Party-In-The-Park Bingo in the lodge hall on Friday, September 21st from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m., and Saturday, September 22nd from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Food will also be available. **All extra help will be appreciated.** There will be a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board for the different shifts.

CARDINAL BASEBALL MOOSE BUS TRIP: We are scheduling a Bus Trip to the St. Louis Cardinal Game on Saturday, September 22, 2018. The Bus will leave our Lodge at 3:30 p.m. Moose members can reserve a seat for \$30.00. Contact the Bartender to reserve your spot. Only 40 seats are available.

ANNUAL PREFERRED MEMBERS' DINNER: The Annual Preferred Members' Dinner is Friday, September 28, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. An invitation will be sent to all members who sponsored a new or re-enrolled member between May 1, 2017 and April 30, 2018.

MOOSE LODGE #1634 BIRTHDAY PARTY: We will have a Birthday Party on Saturday, September 29, 2018 in the Lodge. A Rib Eye dinner will be served at 5:00 p.m. for \$10.00. A Special Scholarship Drawing will be held at 6:30 p.m. The Strugglers Band will play from 8:00 p.m. to midnight.

MOOSE LEGION MEETING & BREAKFAST: The next Legion meeting & breakfast is Sunday, October 7th. The September Meeting/Breakfast is cancelled due to the Labor Day holiday weekend. The Breakfast starts at 9 a.m. All moose members, legionnaires & prospects are welcome. **(Please note the Legion Breakfast will be on the 1st Sunday of the month during Picker's Market season).**

ANNUAL MOOSE FAMILY PICNIC: The Annual Family Picnic will be held on Saturday, October 13, 2018 from 12:00 noon until 7 or 8 p.m. It will be at Walton Park. A Band will play from 2 p.m. – 6 p.m. The Lodge will close at noon. We are asking for everyone to bring a covered dish if possible. ***Come out and enjoy all the food, music and fun.***

MEN'S GOLF LEAGUE ANNUAL BANQUET: This year's annual banquet and meeting will be held on Thursday, October 11, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. We will have a short business meeting and open the floor for discussion. Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. All current league members and Subs (who have served four times during the season) are invited. **ALL ATTENDEES MUST BE CURRENT MOOSE MEMBERS!**

HALLOWEEN PARADE: The Halloween parade will be held on Saturday, October 27, 2018. We will have hot dogs and soda after the parade. Volunteers are needed to help serve the hot dogs and soda. Can we count on you?

NEW MEMBERS: Let's welcome our recently new and re-enrolled members with a big THANK YOU to their sponsors:

Member	Sponsor	Member	Sponsor
Greg Houser	Michael Roberge	Wayne Marshall	Jody Shreve
Dan Evans	Bud Street		

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION: We will have a New Member Orientation on Tuesday, September 18th and October 16th, at our Men's Lodge Meeting. All new members are encouraged to attend.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE: The next Red Cross Blood Drive is Tuesday, October 2, 2018 in the Lodge Hall.

DISTRICT MEETING: The next District #9 meeting is Sunday, September 23, 2018 at the Granite City Lodge and Sunday, October 28, 2018 at the Belleville/Swansea Lodge. Executive Board meeting at 9:30 a.m. District meeting following 10:00 a.m. breakfast.

CURRENT OPENINGS IN LOOM CLUB: We currently have some openings for the 2018 Loom Club. The Loom Club only accepts 120 members. With your membership, which costs \$1.75 per week, you will be entered to win weekly prizes as long as your Loom Club membership is current in payments. Another advantage of being a Loom Club member is the Loom Club will pay your \$50.00 Moose International Dues after you have been a member for 12 months. The Loom Club also has an annual free dinner for all its paid in full members from the previous year. Before the dinner we will have a free cocktail-hour and give away many prizes after the dinner. If you wish to join, let Bud Street or the Bartender know.

KITCHEN NEWS: We are serving lunches on Wednesday thru Friday from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. (September menu enclosed). The October menu will be on our website at a later date. Bingo has food on Wednesday nights. We have hamburgers, fries, etc. on Thursday nights starting at 5:30 p.m. Our Friday night Family Suppers will continue on October 5, 2018. We offer Homemade Pizzas on a daily basis. ***Please come and support our lodge.***

BINGO: We have Bingo on Wednesday nights. Food will be served. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and Bingo starts at 7:00 p.m. Volunteers are needed to help. Please see anyone on the Bingo committee if you can help.

DUE DATE FOR NEXT CALENDAR: If you would like to have something announced in our next newsletter/calendar, please submit it to Agnes by October 15, 2018.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Saturday, November 3, 2018 Dueling Pianos

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MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS: MEN & WOMEN – Please pay your dues when you get your notice. It will help to get your card quicker. You can **Quick Pay Your Dues Online at: www.mooseintl.org**. Thanks for your cooperation. L.O.O.M. Club members, bring your renewal notice to the Lodge for us to send it in for you. Men’s dues are \$50.00 annually, Legion dues are \$15.00 annually, and W.O.T.M. dues are \$30.00 annually. It will cost \$50.00 to sign up a new member with the Men and Women.

SAFE SURFIN’: The Loyal Order of Moose has formed a partnership with the *Safe Surfin’ Foundation*, a not-for-profit organization focused on ensuring safe use of the internet. This program was enacted in Virginia. L.O.O.M. is assisting them with trying to get legislation passed in all 50 states. The department of Fraternal Programs will be developing materials that our Government Relations chairman and committee members can take to the legislature.

REMINDER: Just a reminder to all L.O.O.M. members and W.O.T.M. members to carry your ID cards on you at all times. You must use your CURRENT ID card to unlock the doors to get into our Lodge.