



# MOOSE NOTES

## JANUARY 2019

### FREDERICKSBURG MOOSE FAMILY CENTER

L.O.O.M. 1655  
11917 Cherry Rd Fredericksburg, VA

W.O.T.M. 1592  
540-786-8963/9165



**"The Friendliest Place in Town"**

**Social Quarters Hours**  
Tuesday – Noon – 11 PM  
Friday – Noon – 2 AM

Sunday – 8 AM – 10 PM  
Wednesday – Noon – 11 PM

Monday – Noon – 11 PM  
Thurs – Noon – 11 PM  
Saturday – Noon – 2 AM

#### PARADISE, CA MOOSE LODGE #2227

I am writing this letter to all Moose Members across our great country, Canada and England. Paradise needs your help!!

Much has happened since November 7th here in Paradise California. On November 8th a fire broke out in Pulga Gap and raced up the hill into the towns of Paradise, Concow, Magalia, Centerville and Chico California. That day this is what happened 85 of our fellow community members lost their lives, 13,696 homes were lost, 462 homes were damaged, 528 businesses were destroyed and 102 were damaged. These quiet foothill towns awoke to a new normal on November 8th.



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#### Monthly Highlights

- 1/17-20 VMA Mid-Year Conference - Norfolk
- 1/26 Winter Celebration - Arlington

#### Band Schedule

- 1/4 Big Rob Etc
- 1/5 Cheap Whiskey
- 1/11 Road House
- 1/12 Real Deal
- 1/18 Broken Angel
- 1/19 Swamp Trash
- 1/25 Legal Action
- 1/26 Wild @ Heart
- 1/30 2 Guys Karaoke

# Membership Meetings

LOOM – Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>

WOTM – Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup>

# From the Governor



The holiday season is over and the New Year is just getting started. I want to say thank you to the staff and the Board of Officers for the great job that was done. The Women of the Moose have done well and thanks to all the Committee Chairmen also. This year's Christmas Party and Dance was a BIG success. Thanks to Glen and Barbara Poe for all your time and effort.

Everybody had a great time and the music by Rewind had the hall rockin'. I'm sure the New Year's Party will be a big hit. Also, it sold out early, and Wild @ Heart always puts on a great show.

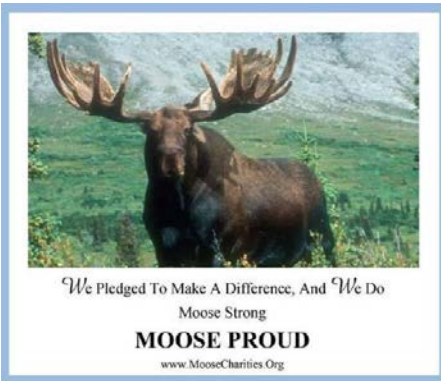
We've been having some good turnouts for the Queen of Hearts on Thursday nights, with the pot over \$15,000. The Lodge has been getting busy. On Dec. 20th with the Queen of Hearts, Powerhouse sponsored a Member Appreciation Giveaway. Many thanks to Vick the DJ and the Powerhouse crew for making the event a huge success. From 6 to 9 p.m., the Lodge was giving away cash prizes! The last and largest cash prize was awarded to Bridgett Thurston. Thank you Powerhouse for what you do.

The next orientation meeting will be held on January 14th at 7 PM. This is specifically for all new members and their sponsors. Any member is also welcome to attend. Our Membership Chairman Dave Cramer does a very good job in his presentation. He and the Board of Officers will be glad to answer any questions you might have concerning the Lodge.

Here's a big reminder from the Governor: Members please stay informed with what is going on in your Lodge. The way you do this is to attend the Lodge meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of every month! In these meetings the financial status of the Lodge is covered and the minutes of the previous Board of Officers meeting are read. With this information you will be able to stay informed with what's going on in your Lodge.

I want to thank everyone for coming out and supporting the weekly activities going on in the Lodge! With Darts on Monday, Trivia and Shuffle Board on Tuesday, Pool on Wednesday, Queen of Hearts on Thursday and the Friday night dinners that are always good - there is something for everyone. I just want to say THANK YOU to everyone for supporting your Moose Lodge with the activities and events that are ongoing in your Lodge. I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and want to wish everyone a Happy New Year!

Fraternally, Cory Clark Governor



## OFFICERS/CHAIRMEN

### LOOM #1655

Governor	Cory Clark
Junior Past Governor	Jim Auclair
Junior Governor	Glenn Poe
Prelate	Larry Mastin
Treasurer	Sam Thomas
Administrator	Sam Thomas
Three Year Trustee	Mark Collins
Two Year Trustee	George Harper
One Year Trustee	Mike Meyer
Sergeant-at-Arms	Scott Travernicht
Asst. Sergeant-at-Arms	Sean Donohue
Inner Guard	Logan Craig
Outer Guard	Sean Knuckles

### LOOM COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Activities	Cory Clark
Applications Review	Sam Thomas
Auditing	Scott Travernicht
Building and Grounds	Sam Thomas
Communications/Internet	Kim Denniston
Community Service	Bob Guest
Entertainment	Mark Collins
Family Activities	George Harper
Fellowship/Pilgrim	Wayne Noel
Government Relations	Bob Guest
Historian	Michael Payne
Loss Prevention	George Harper
Massey Cancer	Jim Auclair
Membership	Dave Cramer
Moose Charities	Kim Denniston
Publications	Michael Payne
Ritual	Dave Cramer
Sports	George Harper

### WOMEN OF THE MOOSE #1592

Senior Regent	Vacant
Junior Regent	Jacqueline Lynch
Secretary/Treasurer	Vacant
Recorder	Paulette Jones
Junior Graduate	Cher Seeley

### WOTM COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Activities/Sports	Brenda Hall
Application Review	TBD
Audit	TBD
Community Service	Maria Auclair
Guide	Debra Jessup Auclair
Assistant Guide	Vicky Hensley
Higher Degree	Susan Malove
Membership/Retention	Denise McGee
Mooseheart/Moosehaven	Lynda Cooper

### MOOSE LEGION COMMITTEE

Chairman	Larry Mastin
Vice Chairman	Mark Collins
Junior Past Chairman	Cory Clark
Assistant Secretary	Tim Bliss
Chaplain	Scott Trauernicht
Marshal	Al Smith
Assistant Marshal	TBD



We hope everyone had a great Christmas and a Happy New Years!

I would like to thank everyone who helped with the Children's Christmas party. Even with the snow it was a lot of fun for the kids. Also thank you to the men with their support in this event.

The WOTM will be starting to do 50/50 on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and the Friday night we do our dinner. The money raised is going towards our 50<sup>th</sup> charter anniversary coming up in May.

Our dinners this month are.

January 11<sup>th</sup> - Salisbury steak w/ mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed veg, salad and dessert.

January 18<sup>th</sup> - Taco Salad

Our first meeting of the New Year will be January 8<sup>th</sup>. Looking forward to seeing you all there.

See you all at the Moose!

Jackie Lynch

Jr. Regent



# Moose Legion

The holiday season is over and the Moose Legion Committee had a really good 2018. Now it's time to say "Happy New Year and Welcome to 2019"! Let's get this year started and make it as successful as we can.

There will no Moose Legion meeting at our lodge this month. In its place is the Winter Celebrations being held at the Arlington Moose Lodge on 26 January beginning at 11:00 AM. If you need any information please see me.

The Moose Legion breakfast will be on Sunday, 20 January, from 8-11 am. Come on out and start your day at the Moose. Nothing could be better than good food and friends!

Come enjoy the Moose Legion Prime Rib dinner, it's on Friday, 25 January, from 6-8 pm. The cost includes sides, \$12 for Queen and \$14 for King. It's still the best meal in town for the cost!

Fraternally,

Larry Mastin

Moose Legion Committee 1655 Chairman



# Moose Riders

Here it is 2019 - WOW, where did the year go? Hopefully everyone had a joyful Christmas and a safe New Year. We want to thank all of you for your dedicated

support of our dinners each month. Without you, the members, we couldn't donate to the worthwhile causes that we do. I will try and have the totals for the year, so that you can see the total dollars that you so generously give for us to donate.

Now. I want to give you a trivia question to think about. Don't worry, I'll give you the answer too. What area of the United States has the highest percentage of Veterans in need of a Service Dog? I think the answer will surprise you, it sure did me. That same area has a significant number of Veteran suicides each month too. It's right here - the Greater Fredericksburg Area. We have worked to help the Service Dog end of this for three years now with our November Steak Night, which benefits Paws4Vets. We have decided to up the ante on this, starting in January we will be selling raffle tickets on a Ruger, model 1911 pistol. Tickets are \$10.00 each, and only 600 will be sold. Flyers with more info will be posted in the Lodge. The drawing will be at the March 23<sup>rd</sup> MLC meeting at which they will be having a donation Spaghetti dinner to raise more funds for Paws4Vets. Please buy some raffle tickets and support this worthwhile cause. If we sell all the tickets, we will be able to name a puppy in the program.

The January 4<sup>th</sup>, steak night will be raising funds to help a family member of one of our Moose family. Brent Hudson's sister, Brenda Wilson, has some serious health issues and is living on a fixed income. We will be helping her with funds toward her rent and electric bills for one month. Hope to see you then.

Ride Safe, Pappy

## ADMINISTRATOR'S CORNER

All wall locker fees are due by Jan. 31, 2019. Fees may be placed in an envelope and left with the bar tender. Include your name and locker number on the envelope. All locker fees are \$20 until midnight Dec. 21, 2018 – after that the fee will be \$25. The proceeds of locker fees are designated to the Massey Cancer Fund.  
Sam Thomas

## EDITOR'S NOTES

Our current membership (LOOM and WOTM) hovers in the 1,800 range – but our email distribution of the newsletter goes out to less than 150 of those members. When we stopped sending the newsletter out via mail, the distribution list for the newsletter was built from individuals who submitted their email address to be added to the distribution. I am sure there are other members who would like to receive the newsletter via email – if you know of anyone, please tell them to send an email to:

[loom1655@aol.com](mailto:loom1655@aol.com) or

[newsltr1655@yahoo.com](mailto:newsltr1655@yahoo.com) to be added to the distribution.



## FACEBOOK PAGES

The Lodge has three primary Facebook Pages.

Moose Family Center 1655, Fredericksburg, Virginia – public page visible to anyone on Facebook,

Moose Family Center #1655 – Internal Group – closed group that can be accessed by LOOM 1655/WOTM 1592 members in good standing only,

WOTM Fredericksburg Chapter 1592 – WOTM 1592 public group.

Fredericksburg 1655 Moose Riders – MOB Page

Please be selective on which group/page you post to.

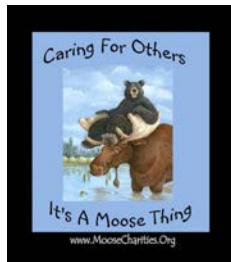
## PARADISE, CA MOOSE LODGE #2227

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This is what our Paradise Moose Lodge looked like on the morning of November 8th.



I am writing this letter to solicit your help in rebuilding our lodge. Going to Moose Conventions has taught me one thing and that is how caring, thoughtful and giving Moose Members are! We as a lodge are strong in our commitment to rebuild. Here in Butte County we call our community strength “Butte Strong” but I feel with the help of the Moose Community that we can start a new saying “Moose Strong”. All we are asking is a help up from all of our Moose Family and help in whatever way you can to recover from this tragic fire. Lodges and Chapters across California and Nevada are putting their hard-earned efforts into helping us recover. Lodges are doing fund raisers, sending gift cards, and sending funds for us to use in our rebuilding efforts. I know that we can count on you to step up and assist us in this time of need. If you would like to help; the address to send donations to is:



Paradise Moose Lodge 2227, Paradise, CA 95967.

May God bless us all!

Fraternally,

Cy Morris

Paradise Moose Lodge 2227 Administrator

(From The Moose Channel – Facebook)

## NEW MEMBERS

LOOM	
Balkanloo, Fred	Williamson, Lynda A
Barton, Kendall	Jones, Dennis Michael
Bois, Jim	Borja, Audrey
Clarke, Nick	Thomas, G Alan
Howard, Norman L	Constant, Robert
Jenkins, William Douglas	Stoddard, William C
Koishal, Joey	Griffis, Kenneth
MacKinnon, David	Macbryde, Louis
Powers, Randall G	Bliss, Timothy R
Rivera, Jerry	Rhoads, Stan
Schmidt, Bryan E	Thomas, Samuel L
Seekford, Zackery Lee	Seekford, Tammy
Balkanloo, Fred	Williamson, Lynda A
WOTM	
Anders, Debbie	Mason, Margaret L
Blithe, Sieglinde	Rodnite, LindaMay
Elliott, Robin	Eastridge, Melody
Grubb, Helen	Moravetz, Mathew
Harding, Angela Denise	Cole, Jade
Hogland, Sheila	Donaty, Rene
Kleeman, Ariana	Wiseman, Cory
Lewis, Veronica M	Jones, Paulette G
MacKinnon, Colleen	Macbryde, Louis
McCarty, Katlynn	Jones, Mason
Morgan, Virginia	Cornett, Troy
Petties, Joanna S	Clark, Margaret
Powers, Donna	Bliss, Janet P
Schmidt, Zhanna	Jones, Paulette G
Smith, Carolyn	Wiseman, Cory
Vilosin, Ariel M	Goldsmith, Janice

## Moose Riders Raffle and MLC Dinner



The Moose Riders of Frederickburg Moose #1655 are holding a Raffle to Benefit Paws4Vets Raffle Item is a Ruger 1911 in 45ACP and includes Hydro Dipping of EITHER the slide or grips by Clever Girl Graphics Winner is responsible for meeting all State and Federal laws and will receive gun from GFR LLC 30 Walsh Lane, Fredericksburg, Va Only 600 tickets will be sold at \$10.00 each Drawing will be held on March 23rd during a MLC donation Spaghettj Dinner from 4 to 8 pm at the Fredericksburg Moose Lodge 11917 Cherry Rd, Fredericksburg, Va Raffle and Dinner is open to the public for tickets see any Moose Rider Member or call 540-379-9113 and leave a message

# SOCIAL QUARTERS HOURS

Sun – 8 AM – 10 PM  
 Mon – NOON – 11 PM  
 Tues – NOON – 11 PM  
 Wed – NOON – 11 PM

Thurs – NOON – 11 PM  
 Fri – NOON – 2 AM  
 Sat – NOON – 2 AM

## ACTIVITIES – JANUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Bands will play on the Non-smoking side on the second and fourth Friday and on the Smoking side all other nights – except for special occasions.</i></p>		1	2	3	4	5
		Shuffleboard 6:45 PM Trivia 7 PM	Card Club 12 PM  Ritual 7:30 PM Pool 7:30 PM	Fellowship Pilgrim Meeting – 7 PM  Queen of Hearts 8:30 PM	Big Rob Etc 9 PM-1 AM	Cheap Whiskey 9 PM-1 AM
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Hogz Losers Drawing–Noon  Happy Hour 4-8 PM	BOO Meeting 6:30 PM  Darts 7 PM	WOTM Meeting 7 PM  Shuffleboard 6:45 PM Trivia 7 PM	Card Club 12 PM  Dance Club 7 PM Pool - 7:30 PM	LOOM Meeting – 6:30 PM   Queen of Hearts 8:30 PM	Road House 9 PM-1 AM	Real Deal 9 PM-1 AM
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27	28	29	30	31		
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### WALL L

#### LOCKER FEES ARE DUE

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# MENU – JANUARY 2019

Lunch (Blue Text) – 12-3 PM – Dinner (Black Text) 6-8 PM – Monday-Friday///Noon-8 PM Saturday & Sunday

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>Breakfast is served 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 8-11 AM</b>		<b>1</b> Black Eye Pea Soup \$5.00	<b>2</b> Chicken Salad Cold Plate \$5.00	<b>3</b> Italian Sub \$5.00  Ham & Turkey Sub & Chips \$6.00	<b>4</b> Flame Cooked Cheeseburger \$5.00  MOB Steak Night \$13.50	<b>5</b> Moose Burger & Fries \$7.00
		<b>6</b> Breakfast 8-11 AM  Sunday Specials	<b>7</b> Cold Sandwich Menu Price  Flame Cooked Cheeseburger \$5.00	<b>8</b> Cook's Choice  Chicken Salad Sub & Chips \$5.00	<b>9</b> Egg Salad Sandwich \$4.00  Chicken Sandwich & Fries \$6.00	<b>10</b> Bowl of Chili \$4.00  Fish Sandwich & Fries \$6.00
<b>13</b>  Sunday Specials	<b>14</b> Cold Sandwich Menu Price  BBQ Sandwich \$4.00	<b>15</b> 50¢ Wings  Chili & Grilled Cheese \$5.00	<b>16</b> Fish Sandwich & Mac Salad \$5.00  Pizza Burger & Fries \$7.00	<b>17</b> Spaghetti Lunch \$6.00  BBQ, Slaw & Chips \$6.00	<b>18</b> Open-faced Roast Beef & Fries \$6.00  WOTM Taco Salad TBD	<b>19</b> Reuben & Wedges \$7.00
<b>20</b> Breakfast 8-11 AM  Sunday Specials	<b>21</b> Cold Sandwich Menu Price  Italian Sub \$5.00	<b>22</b> Grilled Ham & Cheese \$4.00  BLT Sub & Chips \$6.00	<b>23</b> Popcorn Shrimp \$4.00  Mushroom & Swiss & Fries \$7.00	<b>24</b> Chicken Filet Sandwich w/ Bacon \$5.00 Chili Cheese Hot Dog & Fries \$6.00	<b>25</b> Crab Soup \$5.00  MLC Dinner Prime Rib \$12.00-14.00	<b>26</b> Philly Cheesesteak & Fries \$7.00
<b>27</b>  Sunday Specials	<b>28</b> Cold Sandwich Menu Price  Fish Sandwich \$4.00	<b>29</b> Steak Lunch \$8.00  Wings & Things \$6.00	<b>30</b> Ham & Turkey Sub \$5.00  Shrimp & Crab Legs 6-8 PM	<b>31</b> Cook's Choice  Chef's Delight		

## WALL CALENDAR

If the need arises to make a correction or change to the calendar hung by the shuffleboard, please contact Barbara Hudgins. She will usually have plenty of time to make whatever change is necessary in a timely manner. If it's an urgent change that must be done immediately, just scotch tape whatever the change may be to the metal frame. When such changes are affixed to the plastic it is extremely difficult to remove.

# Happy Birthday!

LOOM WOTM

1 Paul Dziok	17 Ronald Chewning Mark Collins Sr. Gordon Lynch Jr. Paul Rossi Jeff Lamoy	1 Katherine Jones Pamela Howsmen Phyllis Clark	13 Candis Butcher
2 Carl Apperson Joseph Zovack III Adam Taylor Randy Castleberry		2 Sharen Swadley Susan Meeks	14 Kay Cheek Kathryn Downhour
3 Timothy Bliss Bryan Harper Anthony Heflin	18 Gary Norris James Johnson	3 Ruby Stephens Susan Bortz Marilou Campbell	15 Barbara Bryce
	19 Bernard Jenkins		16 Diana Short-Bresley Jennifer Griffis
4 Paul Bird Scott Trauernicht Michael Burke	20 Theodore Genco Gregory Nye Mario Dasilva	4 Bridgette Thurston Karen Dove Tara Mulea	17 Melissa Coillot Kristin Rank Elizabeth Griffiths
6 James Skinner Sr. Roger Lee Jacques Pons	21 John Marshall III Gary Wiseman John Wilcox	5 Lillie Mills Sandy Dent Terri Arthur Allison Fitch	18 Bernice Siraco Bernice Smith
7 James Stacy	22 Charles Clore Fred Pruitt	6 Debra Auclair	19 Barbara Weaver Dianne Stafford
8 Newton Dawson Sam Kogel Russell Roch Barry Thomas	23 Jack Iden Jr. Donald Cochran	7 Deborah Gates April Jones Donna Snelson	20 Terri Montgomery Debra Ritchie
	24 Alex Hernandez	8 Betty Spencer Laura Green	21 Marie Patterson
10 Killian Laschalt Edward Snyder Jason Poulter Walter Cox Robert Monroe	25 James Lunsford David White John Hildrup	9 Betty Stewart Judith Clinedinst Gloria Kowalski Susan Nolan Carol Knight Elizabeth Heflin Colleen MacKinnon	22 Pauline Wratten Tabitha Kasik
11 Gerald Reed Larry Robinson Sean Nuckols	26 Bill Burge Kevin Monell Jay Kline Mike Canaday Jr. James Malove Mathew Moravetz	10 Elizabeth Vaquera	23 Peggy Enevoldsen Nancy Poulter
12 Steve Doljac Danny Ward Todd Drake	27 Donald Nails Scot Ryder	11 Carrie Martin	24 Vicki Browne
13 Richard Sullivan Kim Denniston Bedford Beedle III	28 Harry Payne	12 Shuma McGrady Maxine Schremp Robin Edenton	25 Gloria Burdette Danielle Cain Maria Giambo Nichole Giambo
14 William Marrs Bernie Hess	29 Darien Boutchyard		27 Christine Taylor
15 J W Clinton Sr.	30 James McGhee III Walter Embry II		28 Marietta Forster Patricia Barrett Carole Mess
16 Timothy Trend Sr. Samuel Brooks Michael Seeger	31 Bob Clarke Marshal Maready Oscar Emerick III		30 Laura Gamble Cindy Mason Dori Hairfield Pansy Mercer

