

SYLVANIA MOOSE LODGE 1579



Social Quarters: 419-885-4953
LOOM Office: 419-882-8553

www.sylvaniamoose.org

AUGUST 2020

LOOM

Jeff O'Keefe, Administrator
Mary Lou O'Mara, Office Manager

ELECTED OFFICERS

Mike Strube, Governor
Steve Kiker, Junior Governor
Greg Muter, Past Governor
vacant, Prelate
Ron Zomkowski, Treasurer
Joe Stramel, 1 Yr. Trustee
Doug Roemer, 2 Yr. Trustee
Don Briskey, 3 Yr. Trustee

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Brad Birr, Outer Guard
Bob Turco, Inner Guard
Brad Ledingham, Sergeant at Arms

LEGION COMMITTEE

Jeremy Hopkins, Chairman
Greg Muter, Vice Chairman
Jack Meyers, Secretary
Marvin Cowden, Marshal
Brad Ledingham, Sergeant at Arms

WOTM

ELECTED OFFICERS

vacant, Senior Regent
vacant, Junior Regent
Kim Hetherington, Jr. Grad. Regent
Anita Campbell, Sec./Treasurer
Marsha Warrington, Recorder

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Wendy Sherman, Guide
Kathy Beckmann, Asst. Guide

VALUED VETERANS

Tom Malicki, President
Ron Bushrow, Vice President
Kim Bushrow, Sec./Treasurer



TEMPORARILY AMENDED

LODGE HOURS

SUN—THU NOON TO 10 P.M.
FRI & SAT NOON TO 11 P.M.

DECK PARTY & RE-OPENING PARTY

Friday, August 14

5:30 to ??

MUSIC & FUN!

FREE HOTDOGS AND CHIPS!

(until 8:30 p.m.)

SYLVANIA MOOSE LEGION

The Maumee Valley #30 Moose Legion Celebration is Sunday, August 2 at 2 p.m. at the Bryan, Ohio Moose Lodge

If you have joined the Legion but never attended an enrollment, please plan to attend!

If you would like to become a Moose Legionnaire member, please contact me or any Moose Legion member!

Jeremy Hopkins
Legion Committee Chairman

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION Thursday, August 20

WOTM—6 p.m. LOOM—7 p.m.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Pick up LOOM and WOTM Scholarship application from any employee....deadlines are approaching! Qualifications:

- must be a child, stepchild, grandchild, or legal dependent of a member of Sylvania Lodge 1579 or Sylvania Chapter 1788.
- Must be entering/attending any year of college or technical school in the fall.
- Must have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher (on a 4.0 scale).

WOTM Chapter 1788—One-\$500. Drawing Friday, August 7, 2020 (deadline: August 3)

AUGUST 7 from 5:30 to 8 p.m.

\$8—BAKED CHICKEN, cheesy potatoes, green beans, dessert

LOOM Lodge 1579—Two-\$500

Michael J. Binkowski & Richard C. Fowler Memorial Scholarships.
Drawing Friday, August 21, 2020 (deadline: August 17)

AUGUST 21 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

****GRILLED DINNERS****

N.Y. Strip, Chicken Breast, Shrimp Skewers
with Baked Potato, corn on the cob, roll

FROM YOUR GOVERNOR

Hello members. We are now moving forward with regular drawings and events at our lodge. Please stop in and enjoy the lodge so we can keep more events on the calendar. Support from our membership keeps our lodge open and our employees count on you as well.

Join me in welcoming Saba's Bistro as they open officially in our kitchen August 4th.

Stay safe and respect proper physical distancing in the lodge. Help us keep the lodge clean and safe for all. We will get through this difficult year together!

FRATERNALLY, MIKE STRUBE

LADIES, WE NEED YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS

As communication is changing, it is important that we add your email address to your Moose Records. Recently, we were required to hold a Chapter meeting, informing all Chapter members by email or by a letter (mailed 9 days in advance of the meeting). Many Coworkers stated they still didn't receive the letter until after the meeting was held. We had over 500 ladies that we had to mail letters to, costing our chapter over \$300.

You can add your email yourself by going to My Moose Records at www.ohiomoose.org and then creating a user name and password (if you don't already have one). You could also email me at chapter1788@mooseunits.org and I will add it for you.

The lodge is making an effort to send out emails regarding events at the lodge, and we also want to keep you informed of changes in our chapter as the One Moose initiative becomes a reality. *I promise we will not bombard your Inbox!* Any questions or concerns, just ask!

Marsha Warrington, Recorder

GUN RAFFLE HAS BEEN POSTPONED. FUTURE DATE IS TO BE DETERMINED.

(previously scheduled for 3/28 and 8/29)



THE KITCHEN OPENS TUESDAY, AUGUST 4!

LUNCH: Tues, Wed, Thurs from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. DINNER: Sun, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Sat from 5 to 8 p.m.

Saba's Bistro is looking to hire an experienced broiler cook.

Contact Bruce or Tracy Saba or the Lodge Office if interested.

ONE MOOSE - WHAT LADIES NEED TO KNOW

As many of you are aware, beginning May 1, 2021 we will be One Moose. There are many rumors going around about what this is all about. In the coming months, I hope to include articles to explain a little bit about what this entails. But for now, I just want to write to you about how your dues will change, which directly affects all of the ladies.

Beginning whenever your dues are due after May 1, 2021 your dues for the lodge will be \$50, the same as the men. The Chapter will still exist and will work similar to our Moose Legion. So there will be an additional \$15 to be a member of the Chapter, just like the Moose Legion has additional dues. However, Moose International will cover your Chapter Dues for three years after your current dues expire.

So how can you save some money....if you are a Lifetime Member, both your Lodge and Chapter dues are paid for the rest of your life. If you don't feel like that's an option you want, you could pay additional years of Chapter dues (\$35) and you would be covered through that date (plus three more years of free chapter dues).

Currently the cost of the Lifetime Membership is a "tiered" cost, based on your years of membership. **Watch the September newsletter and postings in the lodge for additional savings on Lifetime Memberships.** The WOTM Chapter Board of Officers are working on a savings plan that will be voted on at our August meeting.

I know this is a lot to take in, and many of you have questions. We will try to get all the information you need as soon as possible. In the meantime, please feel free to ask questions.

WOTM Board of Officers, Chapter 1788