

# MOOSE CALL



January, 2015  
**Loyal Order of Moose**

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**Governor's Message: Governor's Message:**

Well now, a new year has started. I wish all brothers, co-workers, their families and special guests a very healthy & prosperous New Year. May we all help the lodge be the happiest lodge in the country.

We have special events for Jan. & Feb. See calendar. Rose Bowl Jan. 1; National

Championship Jan 12 – Go Ducks!! Superbowl Feb 1. Our district meeting will be Jan 10th & 11th at the Wilsonville lodge. Our state meeting is in April at the K-Falls lodge. Attend if possible.

I want to remind our members & friends that our Moose Call is now online. There are also copies in the lodge office. Please come in and pick up your copy. By putting this publication and current events online, it will save the lodge a substantial amount of money. And as we all know, expenses are going up. It's time to be frugal.

Fraternally,

Your Governor, Joe Parker

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2014-2015

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2014-2015

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**Moose Call Editor/ Webmaster**

John Yezeguelian

**Moose of the Month**

**Aaron Winegar**

**WOTM Sr. Regent's Message:** Happy New Year! I would like to thank all the members who helped make our Kids' Breakfast with Santa a big hit by donating toys and helping out. And a big Thank You to Terry and Traci and DOA Wrestling for their toy donation. Keep your eyes open for the new date for our charity breakfast for Shelly.

Thank you!

– Dawn Snow, Sr. Regent

**Lodge Hours**

SUN. 9:00 A. M. - 9:00 P. M. THUR. 3:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M.  
MON. 3:00 P. M. - 9:00 P. M. FRI. 3:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.  
TUE. 3:00 P. M. - 10:00 P. M. SAT. 2:00 P.M. - 12:00 A.M.  
WED. 3:00 P. M. - 11:00 P.M.

**SEE CALENDAR FOR OTHER EVENTS!**

# Lodge 1891 Moose Call January, 2014

## Letters to the Editor:

I would like to give a special thank-you to Cathy Lovely, Diane Collins, Rose Murphy, Jeanie Germaine and all the other wonderful ladies who have helped to make Gael Hebenton's and Scotty Waring's memorial services such a wonderful and heartwarming experience. Thank you!

– **Dawn Snow, Sr. Regent**

## From the family of Scott Waring:

Scotty's family would like to extend our heartfelt THANK YOU to the East Portland Moose lodge for the "Celebration of Life" that was held at the lodge on October 27, 2014, honoring Scott's memory. As a member of this lodge for over 12 years, I have had the privilege of contributing to the memorials that are held at the lodge when our members pass away. I can't tell you how much it meant to me to have this service provided to me and my family on this day. Not only did the Women of the Moose provide a great meal after the service, but they went above and beyond and decorated the lodge with Scotty's beloved Oregon State Beavers.

It was brought to my attention that many members might not know of this service that is provided by the Women of the Moose. They are responsible for bringing the food and setting up the tables and, in some cases, decorating, when a lodge member passes away. Currently, there is just a small group of volunteers who act upon this much cherished method of honoring our members. I'm asking you to find out how you can contribute to this in the future for such occasions. Just contact Dawn Snow, your Senior Regent, Mary Knowles, or Cathy Lovely.

We would also like to send a special thank you to Cathy Lovely, Diane Collins, Mary Knowles, Cathy and Aaron Winegar, Mona Caldwell, Brooke and Janet Jensen, Patty, Ken King, Danny Washam, Rose Murphy, and everyone else who contributed or helped. Thank you for your love and dedication to our family in the planning of this Celebration Of Life, and for making it so memorable for our family. – **Nina Waring**

## From Your Activities Director:

I want to thank everyone who helped, donated or took part in the pet food drive to benefit the shelter. Because of your generosity, some of the *other* homeless among us will have a happier new year! Please keep them in your thoughts all year long, and remember to adopt! – **Patty Loftus**

## From your new Editor/Webmaster:

Bill Chin is a powerhouse. Two times Governor, some 20 years as editor of the Moose Call, and all of that service without a hint of ego. But it goes much farther than that. Billy comes from an era when typesetting was done by hand, painstakingly, one word or letter at a time. Computers today have made all of this so much easier, it's hard to imagine such tedium. But that is the world Billy grew up in, and so that's how he has done the Moose Call all of these years – one word, one letter, one symbol at a time, each carefully placed alongside the other so that it looked straight and clean. Coming into the computer era in my teens, it's hard to imagine doing all of that every time, month after month, year after year. Yet that love and devotion is what Bill gave us, without ever saying a word.

As I take over the editing of the Moose Call and bring Lodge 1891 into modern technologies, things will be much easier, and allow us to expand the services to our members. You'll be able to get the Moose Call there at home on your computer, check the calendar online. The website will be improved and kept current. I am glad to be able to lend my expertise to our worthy, noble organization. But I'll always be humbled by Bill Chin's dedication. Even as he passes the mantle to me now, 87 years young, standing just 5'6" tall, I find myself having to fill the shoes of a giant, and hoping I'm up to the task.

Thank you, Mr. Chin, for so many years of selfless service. Enjoy the break. You've certainly earned it

– **John Yezeguelian, Editor/Webmaster**

**P.S.** *Should have known he couldn't sit still for long. Bill is now heading up the Friday Night Bingo!*

# Lodge 1891 Calendar


## January 2015

December '14

S	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

February '15

S	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Every Sunday BREAKFAST 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 	2 Fried Chicken Every Monday 5:30-7:30	30 W.O.T.M. BINGO For Groceries 6:30 P. M. FOOD at 5:30 Every Tuesday	31 New Year's Eve Steak Dinner \$12.00	1 New Year's Day Bowl Games Potluck Free Rum!	2 Food Every Friday 5:30-8pm	3 Food Every Saturday 5:30-8pm
4	5	6	7 Officers Joint Board Meeting 7:00 P. M.	8 Mexican Dishes Served EVERY THURSDAY WOTM MEETING 7:30 P. M.	9 Bill Chin brings BINGO BACK 6:30 pm	10 PASTA DINNER District meeting in Wilsonville
11 District meeting in Wilsonville	12	13	14 L.O.O.M. Regular Meeting 7:30 P. M.	15 MOOSE CALL DEADLINE	16 Cribbage Tour 16th-18th	17 Chili Cookoff
18 Cribbage Tournament	19 ML King Day	20	21 Officers Board Meeting 7:00 P. M.	22 WOTM MEETING 7:30 P. M.	23	24
25 Hold 'Em	26	27	28 L.O.O.M. Regular Meeting 7:30 P. M.	29	30	31 Fish & Fried Oysters (Benefits Electric Readerboard) 5:30-7:30 pm
1	2 Groundhog Day	Notes				

**Woman of the Month**  
**Rose Murphy**

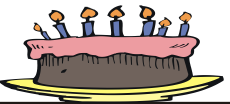


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Birthday This Month ???

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Any Dinner At Half Price From Menu  
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# Lodge 1891 Moose Call January, 2014

## Why I Am Proud To Be A Moose

As if MooseHeart wasn't enough in and of itself.

When my best-laid plans for relocating to Portland fell apart and I was unable to find a place that would allow me to pay to park my motorhome, it wasn't any of the many friends I'd made (and helped repeatedly) over the years who came through for me. One by one, each of them came up with some excuse. It wasn't my ex business partner. It wasn't any of the people who had reason to return the favors I've given them over the years. It was the Moose.

When some had issue with my motorhome being parked behind the lodge (though I was making donations and contributions,) people like Joe and Aaron stood up for me and did the right thing. People who grew up in the Moose welcomed me to the lodge without judgment.

Those who volunteer regularly seemed the most welcoming. Perhaps those of us who volunteer are just built a bit differently than most of the world. If that's the case, I'm very glad to be in such good company. To me, that's what Moose is all about – caring and helping when most people refuse to be bothered. From the orphaned and needing kids accepted into Mooseheart to the long-time members enjoying their sunset years in MooseHaven, to the family who is in dire straits because their child got sick, to the animals at the shelter, and on, and on, and on, it's we, the Moose, who don't hesitate to help. And that's something rare in the world. That's something to be very proud of.

I'll eventually forgive (and forget) those who drummed up excuses when I needed their help. But I'll never forget Joe, Barb, Aaron, Patty, and the rest of you who were so welcoming and understanding. So many good people! People like Bill Chin, who after decades of service, welcomed me to the East Portland lodge and put me up before the board to fill his shoes as editor of the Moose Call. And all the WOTM, ever selfless. I hope I never ever forget what it is that makes this fraternity so very special, why I'm so very proud to be a Moose.

*– John Yezeguelian, Moose Call editor, Webmaster*

### Administrator's Message:

What a December! A special thanks to Dave Lancaster for his excellent dinner! Starting in January, we have Bingo on the 9th at 6:30 pm. Also, a Chili Cookoff on the 17th, Cribbage Tournament on the 16th-18th. Hold'em starts on January 25th, and Russ & Mary King's oyster dinner is on the 31st.

*– Aaron Winegar*

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## **From Our Office Manager:**

I am sure most of the members do not know that the lodge turns in a community service report that shows who in the lodge has volunteered and what they did. Also, I am sure there are more than 4 or 5 members who do community service without thinking about it.

We have a form at the lodge for volunteers to put their efforts on, so it can be sent to Mooseheart.

Volunteers can be people who are giving care to a person, giving rides to doctors, hospitals, appointments, mowing lawns, cleaning houses, doing repairs for people, grocery shopping, babysitting, writing letters for them, picking up laundry, doing laundry, and a million other things that need helping hands.

So don't be shy! Let us know what you do. Come in and fill out a form for the good things you do. Every volunteer helping others makes your lodge a caring lodge, and lets Moose International know we are truly what the moose stands for. "Helping others, doing good work in our community.

Thank you to all those volunteering Moose who care.

– Barbara, Office Manager

May each and every one of us have a very  
**Happy, Healthy & Prosperous New Year!**

## **NEW MEMBERS**

Let's give a warm Moose welcome to our newest members:

Steve Soden, Russ Emerson, Brian Killeen, Jeremy Gurtner, Mike Cigler and Daniel Linduist.

WELCOME TO THE FRATERNITY!

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