



OLD DOMINION MOOSE LEGION #148 FALL 2012 QUARTERLY



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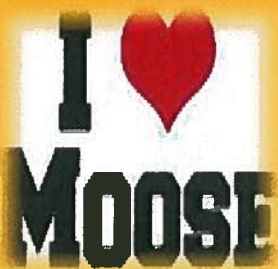
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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT...

The summer is winding down but the Moose Legion is still on the roll. Everyone had a blast in Tappahannock-Warsaw Lodge for our Summer Celebration. Their food and hospitality was great as always and they had fun and games for everyone to enjoy. The gas grill was won by Jeff Townson; we also had PICK 3 tickets left through the month of August. Tickets for the Shot Gun of Cheer will be on sale till October All State in Norfolk.

Let's talk about the All State Celebration in October. This is a celebration of all Moose Legions in Virginia coming together for the first time. This will take a lot of work and donations from all the #148 Moose Legions. We have asked for a two bottle donation from each Moose Legion for a fundraiser and we also asked for Lodges with less than 100 members for \$100 donation and lodges with 200 and over for a \$200 donation to help incur expenses. We have Virginia Moose Legion All State Celebration and Conferral Shirts. You must pay before they will be ordered. The price per shirt is \$30 from sizes Small to X-Large and XXL and above will be \$32 per shirt. Deadline for ordering is September 25, 2012 and can be picked up at the registration desk. As we get closer we will need food donations also most of you know what it takes to put on a hospitality room, so please help your ODML#148 out. Raffle tickets were handed out last November to each Lodge at the #148 Meeting in Hopewell for the All-State. They were yellow and the top prize was \$2,500.00 with a second and third prize awarded also. We have seen very few come back so far. One Lodge has sold all of theirs and has turned their money in. The Holiday Inn Virginia Beach Norfolk Conference Center will also be the same place for the Winter Celebration.

There have been two #148 meeting dates that have been changed. September meeting in Dinwiddie has been changed to the 13th and January's meeting at Manchester has been changed to the 14th. Please make a note of these dates.

A special Congratulations to Debbie Moore (editor) for second place for the year 2011-12 General Excellence Moose Legion Higher Degree Publications from Moose International. What would we do without her to keep us straight.

Doug Daniel

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FROM THE DESK OF THE SECRETARY...

The Summer Celebration held at the Tappahannock-Warsaw Lodge was not very well attended by most of our Lodge MLC's. What a shame. The Lodge, MLC and Chapter worked hard to put on a very enjoyable and fun filled weekend. I am not sure what it takes to get our membership to support other Lodges. You may well be wondering that yourself but if you don't attend their events they more than likely will ignore yours. Our appreciation and thanks goes out to the Tappahannock membership for an outstanding weekend.

The first Annual All State Moose Legion Celebration and Conferral is just around the corner. The block of rooms have to be released after September 21st. It will be hosted by all six of the VMA Moose Legions. We have a lot planned for you to come down and enjoy the weekend of fun. We still need the Lodge MLC's to run in their tickets and/or money for the Raffle being held. These tickets have been signed for and have to be accounted for by the October Celebration. Our official visitor will be Brother Pilgrim Shawn Baile from Moose International. Please come out and show Shawn a rousing welcome to the State of Virginia.

Louisa County MLC deserved to be recognized for being the leader in membership production in the Old Dominion Moose Legion #148. They are out producing the larger committees six to one. Very special thanks to a very recent Moose Legionnaire who has accepted the challenge. Albert Vaughan just recently joined our ranks and is currently #1 in the State and #2 Internationally in sponsoring new members. Great job Albert!!!

We still need your help and support. Donations for the Fall Celebration are needed. We have requested financial support as well as donations of cheer, food, paper goods, etc. to help offset the cost of the All State Celebration. Can you please help?

Fraternally,
Jim Cridlin, Secretary



Annual Moose Legion Assessments have been distributed and are due NLT November 1, 2012. Three (3) Lodge MLC's have already remitted their portion. Please get these mailed into me ASAP !! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. These assessments are from Moose International.



NLT 11/01/2012

ASAP



NOTE FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT...

Moose Legionnaires: We are about to start our 2nd (second) quarter and Summer is almost gone with Fall just around the corner. We have our upcoming first annual All State Celebration and Conferral in October at the Holiday Inn (Virginia Beach Norfolk and Conference Center).

Our quota for 2012-13 year is 109 and thus far we have only signed or reinstated 29 members so far. A small Lodge like Louisa is out signing all the other lodges. Way to go Louisa! Eligibility to become a member is more straight forward and simpler while it remains an "earned degree". To be eligible for advancement into membership in the Moose Legion, a lodge member must have **EITHER**:

- Held active Lodge membership for a minimum period of six (6) months or
- Sponsored his first (accepted) member into the Order.

Now with this new qualification(s) to become a Moose Legionnaire, it is a little easier to find new members. "Just Ask" if they are a Moose Legionnaire, if not sign them up.

Thank you to all who has signed up new members and thank you to all new members who has joined the best fraternity around! Keep up the good work!

Fraternally, Rick Harshman

**Do Some Good Thing...
For Someone Each Day**

MOOSE LEGIONNAIRES:

Fellow Moose Legionnaires; some of you have done a great job giving me information on your upcoming Moose Legion events. If you wish to have your events posted on our website and/or quarterly, please send me the information at r.spain59@yahoo.com. The same thing applies to sickness and distress. I only can report what the Moose Legion committees send or tell me by phone.

Upcoming events: Ashland MLC on September 8th @ 4:00 PM: Moose Legion Fish Fry / Fried Fish, Cole Slaw, and French Fries - \$1.00 burgers and dogs - Moose Milk \$2.00; Food to be served from 6-8 PM; Music, Corn Hole, Horseshoes and more!

Fraternally, Ryan Spain, Chaplain

NOTE FROM PAST

PRESIDENT...

Retention of our membership has become paramount for our fraternity. We are losing membership in the Moose Legion mostly from members dropping the Lodge dues. It is even more important that our Lodge MLC's and our Lodge Membership Committee work closer together. To save a Lodge Brother is to save a Moose Legionnaire.

Bobby Gibbs and myself will be working more closely with the MLC's to promote both membership and retention. They both work hand in hand. Want to do your part? Sponsor or re-enroll a new or former member. Retention list (drop list) is available if you are serious and want to grow this fraternity. If either one of us can assist you please do not hesitate to contact us.

Fraternally,
Sam Barnhill

NEVER PAY DUES AGAIN!!!

Just Sign **TWO** New or Former Members between
May 1, 2012 and April 30, 2013
and your Next Years Dues are **FREE!**



FINANCIAL DIRECTOR...

Hello Moose Legionnaires:

We had a great time at the Summer Celebration and thanks to Tappahannock-Warsaw Moose Lodge. Our grill raffle turned out good.

We still need a little more help on the raffles since the #148 does not have a Lodge. We rely on all the Lodges in our jurisdiction for support to survive. Remember what we stand for.

I hope to see everyone at the All State Celebration in October and to support our Moose Legion #148. It will be our first one, so please everyone come on out and support the Moose Legion.

Fraternally, Gary Easter

FRATERNAL DIRECTOR...

The Pick 3 fundraiser is progressing very well. I would like to thank all the Lodges that gave and continue to give their support to the Ritual Team. They are working hard to be the best. We still have tickets being sold in August because you are asking. All you need to do is ask.

I want to thank the Ritual Team for their guidance and their support selling tickets. This is a great team effort by all members. We will have a joint fundraiser with Sandston Moose Lodge in April. This will be a Dinner/Show/Dance with only 300 tickets being sold. Let's really show our support and attend. Watch for the flyers. This will be a fun night.

We will also have minor fundraisers throughout the year.

Fraternally, Jack Gaulin

SHAWN M. BAILE



Shawn M. Baile was appointed Director of the Membership Department of Moose International in October 2009. He had previously served as Director of the former Fraternal Programs Department since March 2007; he had served before that as Director of Moose Legion, Ritual and Community Service since 2006.

Under his jurisdiction in the Membership Department are responsibility for membership growth and direction of the fraternity's field staff of Regional Managers, plus Community Service, Family Activities, Sports, Youth Programs, and the Moose Travel Program.

Shawn joined York, PA Lodge 148 in 1997, and transferred to Gettysburg, PA Lodge 1526 in September 2004. Shawn served his Lodge as Treasurer, Prelate, Jr. Governor, Governor and Jr. Past Governor. He also holds membership in Mooseheart, IL Lodge 2655. Elevating to Keystone Moose Legion 41, he served that Moose Legion unit as Financial Director, Sergeant-At-Arms, then as Secretary from 2002-2006. Shawn was conferred as a Past President of Keystone in November 2006. He also holds membership in Mecca Moose Legion 9.

Shawn has also served the Pennsylvania Moose Association as a District Prelate and District Vice President, Scholarship Chairman, and as Community Service Chairman for the Southeast Region.

A member of the 75 Division of the Moose 25 Club, Shawn received the Fellowship Degree of Honor in 2003 and the Pilgrim Degree of Merit in 2009. He also received the Moose Legion Medal of Honor in March 2008.

Born and raised in the York area, Shawn received a bachelor's degree in telecommunications from Penn State University in 1996. He is also a member of the B.P.O.E. Lodge 1592, Red Lion, PA, and Squadron #543, of the Sons of the American Legion.

Shawn enjoys reading and golf in his spare time. Shawn, his wife Denielle, their daughter Emily, and son J.T. reside in North Aurora, IL.

MOOSE LEGIONS OF VIRGINIA



1ST ANNUAL

ALL STATE CELEBRATION

OCTOBER 11-14, 2012



Moose Legionnaire ID # _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Moose Legion Name _____ ML # _____

Member Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone _____ Email Address _____

Name of person(s) staying in room for emergency purposes and name badges.
Please list as you want to appear on badge
(including Moose Legionnaires name above)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Please reserve tickets for functions as indicated below:

| | # of tickets | Total |
|---------------------------------------------------------|--------------|-------|
| Moose Legion Luncheon (Fri-Oct 12 th) \$20. | _____ | _____ |
| Moose Legion Banquet (Sat-Oct 13 th) \$30. | _____ | _____ |
| Registration Fee (per person)* \$10. | _____ | _____ |
| *(this applies to ALL Attendees) | | |
| TOTAL CHECK ENCLOSED | _____ | _____ |

Make checks payable for the amount listed above to ▲

Blue Ridge Moose Legion #82
Robbie Robertson, Secretary
193 Trotter Lane
Concord, Virginia 24538-2496

LODGING

Holiday Inn

Virginia Beach Norfolk Hotel & Conference Center
5655 Greenwich Road Virginia Beach, VA 23462

| ARRIVAL DATE (CK ONE) | | | DEPARTURE DATE (CK ONE) | | |
|-----------------------|--------|--|-------------------------|--------|--|
| Thurs | Oct 11 | | Fri | Oct 12 | |
| Fri | Oct 12 | | Sat | Oct 13 | |
| Sat | Oct 13 | | Sun | Oct 14 | |

Please check the number of nights of stay:

_____ 1 Night (\$90.27 includes 13% sales tax)

_____ 2 Nights (\$180.54 includes 13% sales tax)

_____ 3 Nights (\$270.81 includes 13% sales tax)

Please make ALL checks for LODGING ONLY to the Holiday Inn.

Check # _____ Total Amount \$ _____

Credit Card Information (for lodging only)

Type of Card: _____

Name on Card: _____

Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: Month _____ Year _____

TOTAL AMOUNT CHARGED TO CREDIT CARD \$ _____

Mail all completed forms to:
Jimmy Cridlin
Housing Chairman
3326 Smokey Road Aylett, Virginia 23009

Separate payments must be provided

1. Registration Fees and Tickets for Luncheon made out to Blue Ridge Moose Legion #82
2. Lodging made out to the Holiday Inn
*HOLIDAY INN IS A NON-SMOKING AND PET FREE HOTEL. THERE WILL BE A \$250.00 CLEANING FEE FOR ANY VIOLATIONS.

1ST ANNUAL MOOSE LEGIONS OF VIRGINIA ALL STATE CELEBRATION



OCTOBER 12TH Thru 14th, 2012

AT

Holiday Inn

Virginia Beach - Norfolk Hotel and Conference Center

5655 Greenwich Road
Virginia Beach, VA 23462
Phone: 757-499-4700

Web Site: www.hivabeachnorfolk.com



PRIZE
GIVEAWAYS

ALL
WEEKEND

OFFICIAL VISITOR

INTERNATIONAL DIRECTOR OF MEMBERSHIP

"SHAWN BAILE"

PRE-REGISTER - \$10.00

ON-SITE REGISTRATION - \$15.00

ALSO FEATURING
2012 MOOSE REVIEW
PRESENTED BY
FREDERICKSBURG MOOSE CHORALE

HOSPITALITY

ROOMS



NEW LOCATION

**Holiday Inn
Virginia Beach - Norfolk
Hotel & Conference Center
5655 Greenwich Road
Virginia Beach, VA 23462**

**2013 WINTER CELEBRATION
OLD DOMINION MOOSE LEGION #148**

FEBRUARY 7-9, 2013

Room Registration Form

*****NO GUARANTEED ROOM NUMBERS***
REGISTRATION CUT OFF DATE - JANUARY 26, 2013**

Please **PRINT** Clearly



Moose Legionnaire: _____

MID# _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Name of person(s) staying in room for emergency purposes and name badges.
Please list as you want to appear on badge (including the Moose Legionnaire's name above)

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

Name: _____

| ARRIVAL DATE (PLEASE CHECK ONE) | | | DEPARTURE DATE (PLEASE CHECK ONE) | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|--|-----------------------------------|-------------|--|
| Thursday | February 7 | | Friday | February 8 | |
| Friday | February 8 | | Saturday | February 9 | |
| Saturday | February 9 | | Sunday | February 10 | |

All taxes have already been applied to Room Rates

Please check the number of nights:

| | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 Night = \$78.97 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2 Nights = \$157.94 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3 Nights = \$236.91 | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4 Nights = \$315.88 |
|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|

Registration fee of \$10 per person **MUST** be included with your remittance and **MUST** be included in your total amount due.
Forms **WILL BE RETURNED** if not completed with proper monies attached and non-legible

Registration Fee Total # _____ X \$10.00 = _____
(#attendees list above)

Lodging Total # _____ X \$78.97 = _____

SUB TOTAL _____

TOTAL PAID _____

AMOUNT DUE _____

Mail completed forms to: **Bob Blankenship
8201 Lyndale Drive
Richmond, Virginia 23235**



METHOD OF PAYMENT

Check # _____ Amount \$ _____

Please make all checks payable to the **Holiday Inn**



Credit Card: Type: _____

Name on Card: _____

Expiration Date Month _____ Year _____



OLD DOMINION FALL 2012 QUARTERLY

2012-13 BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR ODML#148

| TITLE | NAME | PHONE | EMAIL |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|
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| Hope | Charlie Curtis | pastgovloom@aol.com |
| Charity | Larry Hipps | |
| Loyalty | Angel Martinez | amartyjr@comcast.net |

INFORMATION FOR QUARTERLY

DUE ON OR BEFORE

| | |
|------------------|--------------|
| Fall Quarterly | Aug 9, 2012 |
| Winter Quarterly | Dec 12, 2012 |
| Spring Quarterly | Feb 18, 2013 |

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OLD DOMINION MOOSE LEGION #148 MEETINGS AND CELEBRATIONS

| DATES | PURPOSE | LOCATION | TIME | O.V. |
|---------------------|--------------------|------------------|------|-------------|
| September 13 2012 | Regular Meeting | Dinwiddie | 8 PM | |
| October 4, 2012 | Regular Meeting | Powhatan | 8 PM | |
| October 11-14, 2012 | All State MLC | Norfolk | | Shawn Baile |
| November 8, 2012 | Regular Meeting | Sandston | 8 PM | |
| December 12, 2012 | Regular Meeting | Colonial Heights | 8 PM | |
| January 14, 2013 | Regular Meeting | Manchester | 8 PM | |
| February 4, 2013 | Regular Meeting | Hopewell | 8 PM | |
| February 7-9, 2013 | Winter Celebration | Norfolk | | TBA |
| March 13, 2013 | Regular Meeting | Walkerton | 8 PM | |
| April 8, 2013 | Regular Meeting | Rich-East | 8 PM | |
| April 12-14, 2013 | Spring Celebration | Rich-East | | TBA |

*Tentative Schedule – subject to change

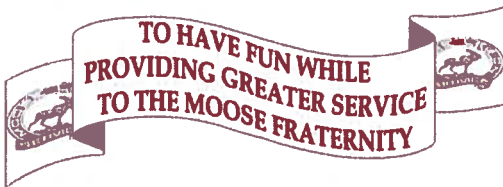
MOOSE LEGION COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

| # | LODGE NAME | ASST. SECRETARY | ALT ASST. SECRETARY | DIRECTOR |
|------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|----------|
| 2099 | Ashland | Dennis McNamee | | |
| 1084 | Blackstone | | | |
| 917 | Callao | Keith Williams | | |
| 2610 | Caroline | | | |
| 1980 | Chesterfield | | Jim Williams | |
| 1783 | Colonial Heights | | Angel Martinez | |
| 1993 | Dinwiddie | Jerald Mann | | |
| 1472 | Hopewell | | | |
| 2634 | King William | Penn Goggin | | |
| 1714 | Lakeside | Gill Maddox | Clay Ganzert | |
| 2527 | Lancaster | Artie Ransome | | |
| 2065 | Louisa | Albert Vaughan | Jim O'Neil | |
| 699 | Manchester | Charlie Curtis | Ross Kelley | |
| 2401 | Middlesex | | | |
| 2333 | Montross | | | |
| 1840 | Powhatan | Jim Meyers | | |
| 1947 | Richmond East | Ike Loving | | |
| 1937 | Sandston | Johnny Swigert | Davo Matro | |
| 2133 | Tappahannock-Warsaw | Keith Carpenter | Jim Brite | |
| 1163 | Tuckahoe | | Dave Bardon | |
| 2679 | Walkerton | Bobby Gibbs | Ron Morten | |

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Aylett, Virginia 23009

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October 11-14, 2012

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*Virginia Beach Norfolk Hotel &
Conference Center
5655 Greenwich Road
Virginia Beach, VA 23462*

Fall Celebration & Conferral

VIRGINIA MOOSE

BLACK DIAMOND #122

BLUE RIDGE #82

SHENANDOAH VALLEY #47

BULL RUN #185

OLD DOMINION #148

HAMPTON ROADS #199

LEGION ALL-STATE