



**Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545**

**Board of Officers for 2014 - 2015!**

Administrator	Perry James
Jr. Past Governor	Chris Grundy
Governor	Bobby Oneto
Jr. Governor	Ken Beto
Prelate	Eugene Bustichi
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1 Yr Trustee	Lonnie Moseley
2 Yr Trustee	Larry Ainsley
3 Yr Trustee	Brent Campbell
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Inner Guard	Mick Brown
Administrative Asst.	Sue Moseley

*"The first time I visited Mooseheart ... well, if you've ever been there, you will never drop your dues, Period"*

— Member, Moose

**Social Quarters Hours**

Monday to Wednesday **4 to 8 PM**  
 Thursday & Friday **4 to 10 PM**  
 For Saturdays and Sundays please see bulletin calendars or go to [www.scmoose545.org/](http://www.scmoose545.org/)

**545 Committee Chairs**

Application Review	by Committee
Audit	<b>vacant, Help us!</b>
Communications	J.D. Sotelo
Endowment	Dick Dennis
Facilities/Contracts	Ray Gibson
Family Activities	Michael Presz
Food Drive/VCUM	Laurie Grundy
Government Relations	Brian Murtha
<b>Heart of the Community</b>	J. D. Sotelo & Laurie Grundy
Historical	Mark Filipowicz
Kitchen Manager	Mick Brown
Ladies of 545	Laurie Grundy
Legion Activities	Lonnie Moseley
Lodge Grounds	<b>vacant, Please</b>
Lodge Maintenance	<b>vacant, Help us!</b>
Membership	Perry James
M/M Admissions	Bobby Oneto
MYA Chairman	Bobby Oneto
Moose Scholarship	Perry James
Orientation	Mike Stephens
Ritual Chairman	J.D. Sotelo
Social Quarters Mgr.	Ray Gibson
Sports Events --	Call Lodge at
Horseshoes, Darts, etc.	831.438.1817
Webmaster	Mark Filipowicz

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**SANTA CRUZ MOOSE NEWS**

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Governor's Message for September/October, 2014

I'd like to start off by letting you know some of the things our lodge has done for our community in the last few months. We hosted the "Pink Prom" a fundraiser for breast cancer, we had "Back to School Night" in July to raise money for Valley Churches United, we donated money to Women Care an organization helping women with cancer, and we sponsored a Pop Warner team. These are just a few of the things our lodge does to support our local community as well as our continued support of Mooseheart and Moosehaven.



Please understand how much more your Moose membership is than dinners and the social quarters. That being said if you know any qualified candidates please invite them to the lodge. Every new member means more we can give back and more people we can help.

I'd like to thank everyone who has volunteered with a special THANKS to our out going kitchen manager Jeff Duncan for a job well done! Believe me no one appreciated all you did more than I did.

Starting in September we will be having only 3 Sunday breakfasts a month. Even though they were a big hit with an average of 60 breakfasts every Sunday we do not have enough volunteers to cook. Also we might have to reduce Thursday night burgers if more volunteer cooks don't come forward. Remember a burden heavy to one is borne lightly by many. If you are interested in cooking or volunteering in any way please contact an officer so we can get you started.

We have a Labor Day BBQ coming up as well as a Casino Bus Trip on September 20<sup>th</sup> tickets are limited. And don't forget our Friday night dinners and burger nights.

Thank you for your involvement and support of Santa Cruz Moose 545 and I look forward to seeing you at the lodge.

Bob Oneto,  
Governor, Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN OCTOBER!**

Mark Mancuso	2	Michael Klein	18
Ron Fossum	3	Pete Galli	19
Stephen Reese	4	Paulo Meluyk	19
Peter Rothschild	4	Donald Reeves	19
Jeanne Burke	6	Brian Deutschar	20
Jason O'Dell	8	Carla Ainsley	21
Vicky Weddington	8	William Martin	23
Georges Cordova	9	Paul McKeller	23
Ted Burke	10	Bill Bredl	24
Debra Villarreal	10	Cathy Andrade	25
Kurt Christensen	11	Vera Chesnut	25
Patricia Spaulding	11	Darwin Hoogensen	26
Jerry Bennett	13	Alyce Paul	26
James Dearing	13	Daniel Crumpley	28
Battista Bregante III	14	Craig Stenberg	28
Jerre Holbrook	14	Tina Ciraola	29
Laura Balint	15	Louis Rittenhouse	29
Shaun Blackwood	16	Rey Perez	30
George Hansen	16		

***DOST THOU  
LOVE LIFE?  
THEN DO NOT  
SQUANDER  
TIME;  
FOR THAT'S THE  
STUFF LIFE IS  
MADE OF.  
Ben Franklin***



**ALL MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE**

*Free Friday Night Dinner if your Birthday is listed in this current bulletin.*

*Please check in with ticket seller/server for your ticket and*

**Please show your paid up membership card!  
HAPPY BIRTHDAY From Your Lodge!!**

*(Please note exceptions, RSVP &  
Sign-Up requirements)*

*Welcome to our Newly Enrolled Members!*



*545 Enrollment Ceremony of July 18, 2014*  
*l to r- Jimmy Phillips, Paul McCain, Bob Rittenhouse, Louis E. Rittenhouse, Governor Bob Oneto, Kevin Zamani, Hassan Zamani, John Callahan, Harry Rienert, Marty Levy and Brett Levy*



*545 Enrollment Ceremony of August 15, 2014*  
*l to r- Cory Gaines, Admin Perry James, Anton Wolf, Howard Lowe, Steve Pappas, Tom Cannell, Eilif "Al" John Land, James Spring, Pro Temp Governor Eugene Bustichi (Job well done tonight Gov!), John Mariner, Pete Bachtel, Steve Martenuk, Andy Bachtel, Larry Oneto, Al Costa and Howard Waage*

**CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN SEPTEMBER!**

Moses Bedolla	2	Lesal Quitzau	16
Janice Presz	2	Darrel Wheaton	16
Colleen Brennan	3	Ron Ballauf	17
Stanley Paramore	3	Chalon Carnahan	17
Jimmy Smith	3	Lisa Greenly	18
Raymond Villamor	3	Teresa Kidwiler	18
Richard Burke	4	Dick Deane	19
Rosemary Vukich	4	Dominick Mennite	19
Gary Dubinsky	5	Patricia Amann	20
Terry Boyd	6	James Baird	20
desAnge DiNapoli	6	Jerry Wenger	20
Dennis Brady	9	Jennifer Meadows	21
Donna Geddes	10	Jocelyn Rogers	21
Christine Moore	10	Ken Schmidt	21
Chris Mitchell	11	Burton Gibson	25
Jordan Bergstrom	12	Mike Pander	25
Kathy Cowan	12	Wayne Rustigan	25
James Johnston	12	Eric Linden	26
Robert Charlton	13	Michael R. Stephens	28
Kevin Pylant	14	Perry Lee James	29
Dave Rinde	14	Marty Levy	29
Thomas 'Dan' Goodwin	16	Charles Elias Jr	30



*"No Man Stands So Tall and Straight, As When He Stoops To Lift Up A Child"*

**545 SICKNESS and DISTRESS TO THOSE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO ARE SUFFERING ILL HEALTH OR HAVE SUFFERED A LOSS-**

Patsy Spaulding was in hospital and now in rehab facility for recovery from surgery.

*Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to All*

*From the desk of Administrator Perry. . .*  
Greetings Moose members,

The Lodge is doing fine, but could use more help in several areas. The LOOM is doing breakfast on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month and could use more volunteers. More volunteers means the more people are doing it every time and helps prevent burnout. It could even be Coed if that is what they want to do. The 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday the Lodge will be closed and also the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday, if there is one, because of lack of interest in helping out. Remember, A burden heavy to one, is borne lightly by many.

As of right now, our membership stands at 368 with 62 in arrears. That's better than last bulletin but still not good enough. I want to see it below 45-50 members. I won't complain if it falls below that either.

The District Socials are going back to every month except there are no Socials in May, July or September. I want to invite ALL members to attend and especially encourage all Lodge Officers to attend. It's another way to socialize and learn what other Lodges in our District are doing.



Perry James, 545 Administrator

### *Golden Spot Moose Legion 15 Activities*

To Moose Legionnaires, L.O.O.M members and Ladies of the Moose, the Golden Spot #15 Moose Legion is planning a Casino Bus trip to Graton Indian Casino for Santa Rosa on Saturday Sept. 20th. The cost is \$35 with \$10 credit back for gambling. The bus will be leaving the Sunnyvale Lodge at 8:00 am for a pick-up at the Pacifica Lodge at 9:00 am. We will then proceed to the Casino. You can see me for tickets.

Thank you.  
Vince Martinez,  
Past President,  
Golden Spot Moose Legion  
# 15  
*Pictured with  
DG Scott Hart*



My office window on the Mooseheart campus looks directly out at the Campanile Clock Tower, so knowing the time of day is always a breeze. Fairly large gears keep the hands of the clock moving day and night, whether I am watching or not. When I think about everything Moose, I see a lot of similarities with the magnificent Campanile and its clock feature. We as Moose, stand strong and mighty, ready to provide aid to those in need at any hour. You, the member, are at work in your Lodge, Chapter, Moose Legion and community, providing valuable aid, whether I am watching or not. Your Lodge home is the Heart of the Community and whether it is the bottom of the hour or the top of the hour, we stand unified, resonating the same chime — "It's good to be a Moose!" Director General Scott D Hart

Each Memorial Day, 4th of July and Veterans Day-  
November 11,  
the Casket Flags of 400 departed Vets are flown.  
Thanks and Bless you. If you have any questions, call  
"J. R." aka Jack Roberts 831-234-6185

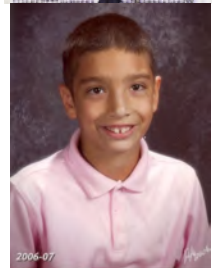


*Santa Cruz 545's 'Sunshine Child', Juan Solis,  
is all grown up!*



Gary Urwiler, Mooseheart Executive Director, and Juan Solis reminisce about his 16-year journey at Mooseheart. This picture/article was in the Moose Magazine of Aug/Sept 2014, page 3. Here's a link to the magazine <http://editiondigital.net/publication/?i=219476>

A few of his pictures that he sent the Lodge along with his thank you cards. . .!



Seeing Juan so grown up, supported by 545, brings a lump to our throat. . .

**++ 545 Happenings ++**

**\*\* LODGE UPDATES \*\***

- A. Breakfasts: Breakfasts will only be served on the first three Sunday's of the month starting in September.
- B. Friday Night Dinners: Signups for dinner will not be allowed after closing on the Wednesday prior to the Friday night dinner.
- C. Dinner Prices: Friday Night dinner prices will be determined by what is being prepared. Prime Rib dinner prices have been lowered to \$13.
- D. Meeting Times: Some of the meeting times have been changed, please check the calendar for the correct time.
- E. Entry Door: The new card reader is installed. Your active/current Moose membership card will now get you through the Social Quarters door.

Thank you! From the 545 Board of Officers

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**\*\* Moose 'Private Policy' Updates \*\***

- There are no limits to the number of times a spouse may be admitted as a guest
- Family members over the age of 21 are limited to two visits as a guest
- Current exemption for lady friends or gentleman friends is eliminated and these would be covered under the "two visits" rule for guests

See August/September 2014 Moose Magazine Page10 & 11 to see the changes to the General Laws as of July 1, 2014. To download your copy of the laws please go to <http://www.mooseintl.org/members/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2014/06/General-Laws.pdf>

## ALZHEIMER'S WALK & APPEAL

### Our mission

To eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.

### Our vision

A world without Alzheimer's disease.

It's that time of the year again when I Captain our Santa Cruz Moose Lodge 545 Team Fundraising efforts to support the Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk. This year to be held at Seascape Resort & Park on Saturday, September 27, 2014. My focus will be to raise funds via email requests for online web donations.

Please go to [act.alz.org/site/TR/walk2014/](http://act.alz.org/site/TR/walk2014/)

Click on Teams and enter Santa Cruz Moose Lodge 545 , enter, then, Click on our team name, then click on Donate to My Team!!

Thank You!!

If you wish to donate by mail, please email me at [jdsotelo@aol.com](mailto:jdsotelo@aol.com) or call me at 831.295.2656 and I will get you the snail mail form!

Do you enjoy people? Do you like to drive?

Would you like to be part of a very special community?

WomenCARE ([www.womencaresantacruz.org](http://www.womencaresantacruz.org)) is a non-profit

offering a wide array of free services (practical and emotional) to any woman with any kind of cancer. With a

growing number of direct referrals from the medical community and calls from women, themselves, one of our most requested services is for transportation to and from medical

appointments. We could use your help!

To learn more and to set up an interview:

LaVerne @ 457-2273.

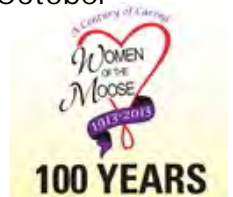
Family Service Agency of the Central Coast serving Monterey, Santa Cruz, and San Benito counties

THANK YOU everyone that contributed to the July 25<sup>th</sup> Friday night "Back to School" event benefiting Valley Churches United Missions. Between the \$2 of each dinner sold and the money raised on the prize raffle a total of \$274 in cash was collected.

Fourteen new backpacks and a great assortment of school supplies were donated by members. Fun was had by all with the "Are You Smarter Than a Fifth Grader" tests and guessing who was who on the Moose members school pictures. Thank you to everyone that helped out with the dinner, bringing in the great raffle prizes, donating, and helping out with the games.

Thank you to all of the Ladies that have been stepping up for breakfasts, burgers nights and Friday night dinners. If you would like to help, we can always use an extra hand or two. The next "Ladies of 545" meetings are September 25th and October 23rd at 7pm.

Laurie Grundy, "Ladies of 545 Committee"  
[Ladiesof545@yahoo.com](mailto:Ladiesof545@yahoo.com)



Also Friday, October 3rd on Prime Rib night, our own Cub Scout Pack 676 will be participating in the annual national Fall Popcorn Sales. Other than 545 support, this is their only Fundraiser, proceeds for the event go 33% District Council, 33% Popcorn Supplier and 33% to the Pack. 676 monies earned go to Scout awards, camping trips and community service events! Scouting is supported by the Moose as "Heart of the Community"!