



Sign made and assembled by: Mick Brown, Eugene Bustichi, Lonnie Moseley, Al Frischmann, and Dick Dennis.

Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545 Board of Officers & Committee Chairs of 2018-2019

Administrator	Pilgrim Perry James
Jr. Past Governor	Eugene Bustichi
Governor	Chris Grundy
Jr. Governor	Jim Norkoli
Prelate	Jeff Shaver
Treasurer	Jeff Duncan
1 Yr Trustee	Vince Martinez
2 Yr Trustee	Larry Beaman
3 Yr Trustee	Vacant
Sgt-At-Arms	Andy Bachtel
Inner Guard	Daniel James

"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 7 PM**
Thursday & Friday **4 to 10 PM**
For Saturdays and Sundays please see
bulletin calendars or go to
www.scmoose545.org/

Admin Assistant	Sue Moseley
Application Review	by Committee
Audit	Chris Grundy
Communications	J.D. Sotelo & Laurie Grundy
Community Service	Laurie Grundy
Endowment	Perry James
Facilities/Contracts	Ray Gibson
Family Activities	Chris Grundy
Fellowship	Perry James
Government Relation	Dene Bustichi
Heart of the	Perry James
Community	Laurie Grundy
Historical	Mark Filipowicz
Kitchen Manager	Dominic Carine
Ladies of 545	Laurie Grundy
Legion Activities	Lonnie Moseley
Lodge Grounds	Steve Woodruff
Lodge Maintenance	545 Retirees
Membership	Perry James
M/M Admissions	Chris Grundy
MYA Chairman	Chris Grundy
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



TO



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MARCH — APRIL 2019

Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545 Moose Men, Women and Families:

As my year as Governor comes to a close, I would like to THANK all of the men and women for your time and hard work. Thank you everyone that have stepped up in the kitchen - managing, cooking and serving the dinners, burgers and breakfasts. Thank you to everyone that keep the Social Quarters a great place to socialize with members, family and friends. Thank you everyone that have used 'elbow-grease' to keep the Lodge and grounds clean, maintained, decorated and inviting. Thank you to all of the members that have visited the lodge on a daily, weekly or monthly basis, attending food and other events or just to stop by meeting up with other members. Being proud of your Lodge shows - THANK YOU EVERYONE!

I would especially like to thank the elected and appointed Board of Officers and committee members that have served during the past year. All of you dedicated extra time to attend meetings and be a part of keeping the Santa Cruz Moose running smoothly, growing and changing. THANK YOU!

I would like to thank Perry James for continuing to serve as Administrator. Keeping the lodge in order and handling all of the paperwork is a tough job to fill.

Check the March and April calendars for events. Santa Cruz #545 is hosting the District Social on March 2nd. All Moose members are invited. On Thursday, April 4th the **ELECTION** for the 2019-2020 Board of Officers will be held. LOOM members, be sure to attend and vote - **your vote does count**. If you want to run for an office, you still have time with the 3rd Nominating meeting on March 7th at 7:00pm. Then, on Sunday, April 28th, the newly elected Officers will be installed. Everyone is invited to attend the ceremony, saying thank you to the outgoing Board and showing your support to the incoming Board. The installation will be at 2:00pm with a potluck to follow.

Finally, THANK YOU once again to all of the men and women that volunteer and attend events to keep the Santa Cruz #545 Moose Family Fraternity the best it can be. Remember we are all working together towards the same goals.....Service to Mooseheart "The Child City", Moosehaven "Our City of Contentment for Senior Members", Our Community and Our Lodge! Show pride in your lodge and continue to support the next years Board of Officers.

Fraternally, Chris Grundy, 545 Governor



****Loyal Order of Moose Members of Santa Cruz 545 Lodge****

Earn one free year dues !

DEADLINE to sponsor new members and count is March 31, 2019!

CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN APRIL

Mike Lara	1	Pamela LeeRoberts	14
Eugene Marks, Jr.	1	Julie Miller	15
Christine Jandreau	1	Chad Stallons	16
Janet Schmetz	1	Zayne Fassio	16
Susan Jones	2	Edward Wills	17
Todd Mays	3	Ronald Busenhart	18
Tim Baker	6	Markey Bachtel	18
Hank Crook	6	Ana Ferreira	18
George Hood	7	Lois Lansing	18
Mike Teri Huckobey	7	Robert Bramlett	20
Lewis Erickson	8	Carol Heinze	20
Rupert Hart	8	Dave Geistdorfer	21
Harrison Langford	8	William Morris	21
Pamela Gano	8	Sally Jo Huber	21
Stacy Palmer	8	Shari Silva	21
Flo Schilb	8	Dominic Carine	22
Mike Fliesler	9	Robert O'Neal	22
Carolyn Sue Moseley	9	Sandy Bauer	24
Leslie Berman	10	John O'Conner	28
Jeanne Taylor	10	Gavin Cullen	29
Daniel Aubert	12	Tianna Avilis	29
Tom Fleming	12	Peggy Hoogensen	29
Heather Burson	12	Sally Hoover	29
Carla Edwards	12	John Skinner	30
Chris Campbell	14	Janene Batz	30
Grant Wilson	14	Debbie Johnson	30
Kimberly Clark	14		

ALL MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE

One free Friday Night Dinner if your Birthday is listed in this current bulletin.

Please check in with ticket seller/server for your ticket.

Please show your paid up membership card!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY From Your Lodge!!

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

SOCIAL QUARTERS SPECIALS:

MARCH SPECIAL: \$1 off first Captain Morgan

APRIL SPECIAL: \$1 off first Sky Vodka

SUNDAYS: \$1.50 Bloody Mary or Mimosa

Ray Gibson, Social Quarters Manager



CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN March

Mindy Duncan	1	Eric Gerlach	18
Jay Chhotu	2	Ron Shoemaker	18
Robert Noren	2	Josie Schoonover	18
Steve Pappas	3	Terry Leonard	19
Loretta Schrodetz	4	Adrienne Zeeda	20
Gary Nickel	5	Jenny Coleman	21
Jim Walsh	5	Cory Gaines	22
Paige Krassow	5	Larry McWilliams	23
Norman Gillette	6	Partick DuBridge	23
Kristan Lindeke	7	Robert Weinmann	23
Lisa Bustichi	8	Benjie Barber	24
Lori Price	8	Romona Montgomery	24
Ron Daugherty	9	Vicky Overton	24
Howard Lowe	10	Christina Campriello	25
Laurene Beto	10	Joyce Fehn	26
Susan Goodwin	12	Bill Farley	27
Sean Prudhon	13	Tim Overton	27
Laura Gray	13	Karen Kufchak	27
Lonnie Moseley	14	Peggy Mallat	28
David Culver	15	Lisa Weiss	28
James Harris	15	Laura Zepeda--Lance	29
Dene Bustichi	16	Krista Brassfield	30
Gerald Haas	17		

545 SICKNESS and DISTRESS

TO THOSE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO ARE
SUFFERING ILL HEALTH OR HAVE SUFFERED A LOSS —

Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to You!

Les Pawlak suffered a broken foot.

Tim Nelson passed away.

Colleen Brennan passed away.

Charlie McGuire's brother-in-law (Agosta) passed away.



**** PRICE INCREASE NOTICE ****

With the raising cost of food, alcohol, supplies and utilities, the Santa Cruz Lodge can no longer hold our current prices. Unfortunately, there is a need to raise prices in both the Kitchen and Social Quarters, effective April 1, 2019.

Santa Cruz Moose Lodge Board of Officers

Members and Ladies of 545,

As of right now, our active members on the rolls are 315. To be at plus 1, we need 324. We have more than enough if all the expired members would pay their dues. The next Orientation should help some also if enough of the candidates attend.

There are many good meals happening at the lodge right now. Check your bulletin for dates and times for your favorite events. The lodge is also looking for more volunteers to do cooking, cleaning and other projects that are important to the daily, weekly and monthly operations of the lodge. Do you have a few minutes or an hour or two to help? Volunteers are always welcome.

The next Moose Legion Conferral for Golden Spot 15 will be April 14th. The Awards dinner will be the night before on the 13th. Hope to see all of 545's Moose Legionnaires and Fellows in attendance. The location for both days will be Sunnyvale 2049.

I would like to see more of our members attending the General Membership meetings which are usually held the first Thursday of the month. There can be a Town Hall meeting at 7:30 PM that evening if the WOTM want to get some information about what's happening. We only have Town Hall meetings when there are women who have questions or are planning events and want to let us know about them.

District Socials are another subject that needs to be addressed. Attendance has improved from Lodge members lately but could still be better. They take place, usually on the first Saturday of the month. They are from about 12:30 PM to about 3:00 PM normally. Lunch is served about 1:00 PM. It's another way to get more information about what's happening and have some fellowship with fellow Moose members. Try and attend one. You just might enjoy yourself.

Perry James, Administrator



SANTA CRUZ MOOSE #545 MOOSE OF THE YEAR

★★ Ron Shoemaker ★★

Ron was chosen by the Board of Officers as "Moose of the Year". Next time you see Ron, thank him for being an awesome MOOSE VOLUNTEER!



Welcome to our Newly Enrolled Members! Congratulations!



Santa Cruz 545 Enrollment Ceremony on Jan 18th

L to R—Sponsor Lesal Quitzan, Member Eugene Marks, Member Chris Sartain, Sponsor Aaron Yellano, Governor Chris Grundy, Sponsor Dominic Carine, Member Tommy Farfan, Sponsor Seth Gano, Sponsor Mike Pander, New Member Jim Cavanaugh, Member Chris Campbell.

VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH AWARDS

At the Moose Lodge #545 we have members who consistently show their heart for volunteering and the Board of Officers wants to recognize those members who exemplify the true meaning of volunteerism at this great Lodge. We are recognizing volunteer(s) of the month, which we will announce in our bulletins. In an effort to show our appreciation the Board will be picking up their dinner tabs for any Friday night dinners they attend during their month of recognition.

Volunteering is the backbone of any well-operated Moose Lodge.

For March 2019:

This couple exemplifies exactly what volunteers are, they see a need and they step in. They do dinners for the Lodge, have done hamburger night for a long time and are one of the original crews for Taco Tuesday, we love that and them!

Congratulations and thank you so much,

Judy and Tim Hutchison



For April 2019:

This volunteer couple volunteers every month with heading up crews for Sunday morning breakfast and a crew for Thursday Burger Night. This couple will step in if a need is noticed or a crew asks for help, there they are. We appreciate your dedication and efforts!

Congratulations and thank you so much,

Patty Swan and Mike Pander

Avenue of Flags Honors Nations Deceased Veterans Three Days Each Year Help us keep this important tradition alive.

The Avenue of Flags pays tribute to all deceased veterans who have ever served in the U. S. military to establish and keep our wonderful homeland strong and free for almost two and a half centuries. And to honor our service men who sacrifice today to perpetuate freedom for The United States of America in the hope that the world may one day live in peace for all times.

Avenue of Flags flies every Memorial Day, July 4th and Veteran's day to honor all Veterans who have served to keep our country free, whether they served in times of peace or in times of war. The United Veterans Council recognizes that services to our country and her cause do not end with the termination of Military Service. They continue their endeavors on behalf of an honorable world peace with a feeling of profound gratitude to God and to the men and women who gave their lives as their part of the cost of this noblest of causes.

MOOSE MEMBERS, WE NEED YOUR HELP !!! The Military Officers Association of America (MOAA) members are aging to the point that they are physically no longer able to put the flags up and take them down. They are reaching out to the LOOM 545 to take over this important task. We need 30 or more volunteers to meet at 7:00 am on those days and put up the flags at Oak-

wood Memorial Park on Paul Sweet Road. Then return at 3:00 pm to take the flags down and return them to the storage containers for the next event.

You are invited and strongly urged to participate in this commemorative public service project in memory of your loved ones. It has been stated and rightly so, that each and every flag in the "Avenue of Flags" has its own remembrances, its own significant history and as they fly, they express the national memory of America's Great, the labors and dreams of her pioneers and the sacrifices of her war dead.



LOOM #545 together with the Santa Cruz Military Officers Association of America (MOAA) fly the Avenue of Flags at Oakwood Memorial Cemetery.



Join your Moose Brothers and Sisters (WEATHER PERMITTING) at 7:am to put them up and at 3pm to take them down.

Please sign up by calling Jack Roberts at 831)234-6185.



MARCH 2019

All Friday Night Dinners are Family Events

Please note most dinners are 'Sign Up' and/or 'Pay in Advance'.

Signing up or money is required by the Wednesday prior!

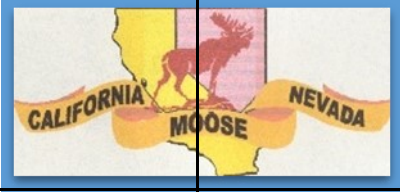










Please use sign up book in the Social Quarters

Members please note:

The calendars have been printed one and two months in advance.

All events are subject to change!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 6-7:30pm BBQ Chicken Salad Chef Benjie & Crew \$ 12	2 District Social— Santa Cruz 1pm Rib Lunch 2pm Social All Members Invited!
3 9-11:30am Breakfast by the Ladies of 545 \$7 	4 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	5 4pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$1.50 Tacos & \$1.50 Margaritas! Chefs: Chris & Crew	6 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	7 5:30-7 Burgers by JT & Crew 7:30 Town Hall /General LOOM Meeting! All Members Invited! 7pm-3rd Nominating Mtg	8 6-7:30pm Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes & Veggies Chef: Jim N. & Crew \$ 11	9 Pinewood Derby 11am—4pm 1 - 4pm Lodge Open  Private Party
10 9-11:30am SC 545 Legion Breakfast \$7 	11 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	12 4pm -7pm Open 	13 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	4 5:30-7 Burgers by Kathy,Les,Sarah 6:30 Planning Mtg 7pm House Committee 7pm-4th Nominating Mtg	15 6-7:30 Enrollment Steak Dinner by The Clampers \$ 13 7:30 Orientation 8pm Enrollment	16 1 - 4pm Lodge Open 
17 9-11:30am Breakfast by Chef Ron, Patti & Crew \$7 	18 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	19 4pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$1.50 Tacos & \$1.50 Margaritas! Chefs: Tim & Judy 6pm Ladies of 545 Mtg 	20 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	21 5:30-7 Burgers by Ron, Patti & Crew 6:30 Legion Mtg 7pm Officers Mtg -----CNMA Reno	22 6-7:30pm Pork Loin, Wild Rice & Veggies Chef: Gavin & Crew \$ 12 Convention -----	23 1 - 4pm Lodge Open 9am Lodge Clean up 9am Adopt-A-Highway 11am Bartenders Mtg ----- Private Party
24 LODGE CLOSED ----- 31 LODGE CLOSED	25 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	26 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	27 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	28 5:30-7 Burgers by Tim & Judy	29 6-7:30pm Chicken Fajitas Chef: Jeff S. & Crew \$ 11	30 1 - 4pm Lodge Open



APRIL 2019

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Please note most dinners are 'Sign Up' and/or 'Pay in Advance'.

Signing up or money is required by the Wednesday prior!

Please use sign up book in the Social Quarters

Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545





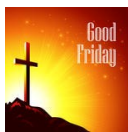




Phone: 831)438-1817

Located at 2470 El Rancho Road

From Hwy 17 N/bound between

El Rancho and Mt. Hermon Exits

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 4 - 7pm Lodge Open Pack 673 meeting	2 4 - 7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$1.50 Tacos & \$1.50 Margaritas! 	3 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	4 5:30-7 Burgers by Tom G. & Crew ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2019-20 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Meeting All Members invited!	5 6—7:30 Prime Rib Dinner by Chef Jim & Crew \$ 15 Prepay 50/50 Drawing	6 District Social— San Jose 1 - 4pm Lodge Open
7 9-11:30am SC 545 Legion Breakfast \$7 	8 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	9 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	10 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	11 5:30-7 Burgers by Kathy, Les, Sarah 6:30 Planning Mtg 7:00pm House Committee	12 6-7:30 BBQ Chicken Chef: Jim N. & Crew \$ 11	13 1 - 4pm Lodge Open 6pm Golden Spot Awards Banquet at Sunnyvale
14 9-11:30am Breakfast by the Ladies of 545 \$7 Legion Conferral at Sunnyvale Meeting 10am Conferral 11am	15 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	16 4 - 7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$1.50 Tacos & \$1.50 Margaritas! Jeff D & Crew 6pm Ladies of 545 Mtg	17 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	18 5:30-7 Burgers by Ron, Patti & Crew 6:30 Legion Mtg 7pm Officers Mtg 	19 NO DINNER 4pm Lodge Open 	20 1 - 4pm Lodge Open 
21 LODGE CLOSED 	22 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	23 24 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	24 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	25 5:30-7 Burgers by JT & Crew 6:30 Legion Mtg 7pm Officers Mtg 	26 6-7:30pm Steak Dinner Chef: Jeff S & Crew \$ 13	27 9am Lodge Clean up 9am Adopt-A-Highway 11am Bartenders Mtg 1 - 4pm Lodge Open
28 2:00 pm INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS Potluck to follow All Members invited!	29 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	30 4pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$1.50 Tacos & \$1.50 Margaritas! Chef: Ladies of 545 	1 MAY 8:30am Lodge Clean-Up! 4—7 pm Lodge Open	2 MAY 5:30-7 Burgers 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Meeting All Members invited!	3 MAY	4 MAY 1 - 4pm 545 SQ Open