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

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Jr. Governor	Jeff Shaver
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2 Yr Trustee	Benjamin Barber
3 Yr Trustee	Daniel Goodwin
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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

Thursday & Friday

For Saturdays and Sundays please see

bulletin calendars or go to

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GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Greeting members,

We have had a couple of amazing events in February. I would like to thank you all who came and supported our multiple fundraiser events. There was also support from several other lodges at the 'Light It Up Blue Gala Ball' to benefit the 'Autism Family Network Santa Cruz' that we attended (see picture below).

We are still in need of support in the kitchen. Taco Tuesday is an easy night if you want to try something a little easier. You can also come jump in with an existing cook team if you want to test the waters. Thank you to all of the volunteers and crews that help make our meals a success.

I would like to thank Mari and Vince for significantly donating to our Building Fund. We have several costly projects coming up and these donations will offset the total on the loan we need to obtain.

Fraternally yours, Jim Norkoli





Light It Up Blue Gala / Autism Family Network Santa Cruz
February 1, 2020



CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN APRIL

Mike Lara	April	1	Chris Campbell	April	14
Eugene Marks Jr.	April	1	Zayne Fassio	April	16
Todd Mays	April	3	Chad Stallons	April	16
Hank Crook	April	6	Edward Wills	April	17
Tim Baker	April	6	Ana Ferreira	April	18
Teri Huckobey	April	7	Lois Lansing	April	18
Sarah Butler	April	8	Ronald Busenhart	April	18
Pamela Gano	April	8	Sally Jo Huber	April	21
Lewis Erickson	April	8	William Morris	April	21
Rupert Hart	April	8	Robert O'Neal	April	22
Carolyn Sue Moseley	April	9	Dominic Carine	April	22
Mike Fliesler	April	9	John O'Conner	April	28
Jeanne Taylor	April	10	Gavin Cullen	April	29
Heather Burson	April	12	Colleen Isenhower	April	30
Tom Fleming	April	12	Debbie Johnson	April	30
Daniel Aubert	April	12	John Skinner	April	30
Grant Wilson	April	14			

ALL MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE

<u>One</u> 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 <u>active</u> membership card! HAPPY BIRTHDAY From Your Lodge!!

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

*** WANTED—VOLUNTEERS***

Your lodge can only survive if there are people to volunteer their talents and services. If you can cook, clean, repair, set up and clean tables, vacuum, etc., anything at all! Please contact a lodge officer OR just step right in to help!

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!

Val Kaufman had foot surgery.

Bill Morris is undergoing cancer treatment.

Lou Avelar recovering from cancer surgery.



CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN MARCH



Mindy Duncan	March	1	Dene Bustichi	March	16
Robert Noren	March	2	James Ferree	March	16
Jay Chhotu	March	2	Gerald Haas	March	17
Steve Pappas	March	3	Tess Butler	March	18
Erik Rozite	March	3	Josie Schoonover	March	18
Cami Corvin	March	4	Ron Shoemaker	March	18
Loretta Schrodetz	March	4	Eric Gerlach	March	18
Gary Nickel	March	5	Terry Leonard	March	19
Jim Walsh	March	5	Ben Chandler	March	20
Norman Gillette	March	6	Catherine Martinez	March	22
Dave Duppen	March	6	Mari Rossi	March	22
Kristan Lindeke	March	7	Cory Gaines	March	22
David Wagner	March	7	Larry McWilliams	March	23
Lisa Bustichi	March	8	Patrick DuBridge	March	23
Kristi Danielsen	March	8	Benjie Barber	March	24
Ron Daugherty	March	9	Ramona Montgomery	March	24
Laurene Beto	March	10	Vicky Overton	March	24
Howard Lowe	March	10	Joyce Fehn	March	26
Susan Goodwin	March	12	Karen Church	March	27
Laura Gray	March	13	Bill Farley	March	27
Sean Prudhon	March	13	Tim Overton	March	27
Lonnie Moseley	March	14	Peggy Mallat	March	28
Larry Heiman	March	15	Lisa Weiss	March	28
James Harris	March	15	Evan Eaton	March	28
David Culver	March	15	Gary Austin	March	29
			Krista Brassfield	March	30

Pinewood Derby on January 25th at the Capitola Mall.







Welcome to our Newly Enrolled Members! Congratulations!







Santa Cruz 545 Enrollment Ceremony on January 17, 2020

Left to right—top to bottom: Sponsor-Thomas Wheeler, Baby Moose-Aaron Moss; Sponsor-Eugene Bustichi, Baby Moose-Harvey Rodgers; Sponsor-Aaron Zalaukas, Baby Moose-Joe Gregory; Sponsor-Tiffany Oldham, Baby Moose-Rob Ramer. Welcome them to your Moose home when you see them!



Mari Rossi challenged Moose members to match her generous donation to the Building Fund and Vince Martinez accepted the challenge.





* ELECTION OF THE 20/21 BOARD OF OFFICERS *

SECOND NOMINATING: March 5, 2020 @ 6:00pm THIRD NOMINATING: March 19, 2020 @ 6:00pm

ELECTION OF 2020/21 OFFICERS: April 2, 2020 @ 7:00pm

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That's Music to My Ears!

Hey Moose members – there's a new sound in the house! Beginning February 2020, we will be hosting Santa Cruz's ONLY Barbershop Chorus, appropriately named, *The Gold Standard Chorus*! They will be practicing in the dining hall from 7:00-9:30 every Wednesday night.

Historically they are one of the first (and only) mixed Barbershop Choruses who featured both male and female singers! They have performed at local events such as the SC Warrior's games, at the Holiday Christmas train, Scotts Valley Fourth of July Celebration (not officially), ValenGrams (yes, even at the Moose Lodge), the Sheriff's Posse House, New Brighton Beach campfire night, various retirement homes, weddings, and even 100 birthday celebrations!

The Gold Standard Chorus is renowned for their sponsorship of the "Sing for Your Life" program which is a concert that showcases the local high school choruses, brings in a world class barbershop quartet to perform, and offers scholarships to graduating seniors planning to continue in music education. The entire chorus as well as their individual quartets have competed in both regional and district competitions!

We're looking forward to having them as musical entertainment at some of our events such as the car show, Veteran's Day bar-b-que, Friday night dinners and oth-

er events! And listen up! They'd like to invite **any** Moose member who has the desire to sing, to join them at their rehearsals! They are a fun group who enjoys giving back to the community and would love to meet as many Moose members as possible!

For more information, either come by on a Wednesday night, go online to www.scbarbershop.org!





ADOPT—A—CHAIR \$25.00 per Chair

Fundraiser to replace the hall dining chairs.

Tickets are being sold in the Social Quarters

DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE!

SC #545 LEGION NEWS

Hello Out There,

Our Santa Cruz #545 is alive and well! The Golden Spot #15 Conferral on January 19th was hosted by our Lodge and was a total success! Eleven new candidates were enrolled. Four from our Lodge: Tom Ghio sponsored Joe Ghio and Mike Flielser, Eugene Bustichi sponsored Carl Wilson and Jay Chueto. Our lunch was french dip sandwiches by Governor Jim Norkoli.

The Crab Feed on February 8th fed over 70 hungry crab eaters! It was totally organized and stressed over by Tom Ghio and a great crew of faithful volunteers. Thank you Tom & Team! The amount of \$640.00 was donated to Autism For Kids. Way to go to our Lodge supporters....

Our Legion breakfast on Sunday February 9th was also a great success. we want to thank the Moose members and families for supporting us!

Upcoming Events

- --March 20th (Friday) The Spring Fling begins at the Santa Rosa Lodge. This event is designed to bring more Lodges together for fun & camaraderie. Our Santa Cruz Moose Legion will be cooking the Santa Rosa Lodge menu for the dinner (similar to our Thursday burger night) and Saturday afternoon. The Santa Rosa Lodge also has Friday night Bingo... Buy in is \$5.00.
- --March 21st (Saturday) at noon is the Official Spring Fling sign-in with games, Bar food menu for lunch, dinner, band & dancing! Cost for Moose Legionnaires and Spouse...\$15.00 each. Non-Moose Legionnaires \$20.00.each. Also join Golden Spot #15 in Santa Rosa for a free dinner. This is a state event in the hope of getting many more Lodges involved.
- --April 4th. District Social in Monterey.
- --April 11th. Autism Fundraiser Dinner at the San Jose Moose Lodge
- --April 18th. Moose Legion Awards Banquet Sunnyvale Lodge.
- --April 19th. Moose Legion Conferral at Sunnyvale Lodge,
- -- June 13th. Moose District at San Jose Moose Lodge.

These events take a lot of people power! We want to Thank all of the Legionnaires and Volunteers who put in their time and hard work! Thank you all so much and always remember to do at least one good deed for someone each day.

Lonnie (Moe) Moseley Legion Chairman







MARCH 2020

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 **CLOSING ON THE TUESDAY** 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! www.scmoose545.org

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 9-11:30am Breakfast by the Ladies of 545 \$8	2 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	3 4pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$2.00 Tacos & \$2.00 Margaritas! Chefs: Tim & Judy	4 8:30am Cleanup 4pm -7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	5:30-7 Burgers by Kathy, Les & Sarah 6:00 Nominating Mtg 6:30pm Legion Meeting 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Mtg	6 6-7:30pm Chicken & Dumpling Dinner Chef: Val & Crew \$ 12	7 1 - 4pm Lodge Open San Jose Lodge: 9am-3pm Membership Seminar 3pm Executive Board 3:30pm Golden Spot Mtg
8 9-11:30am SC 545 Legion Breakfast \$8	9 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	10 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	11 8:30am Cleanup 4pm -7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	5:30-7 Burgers by Tom G. & Crew	13 6-7:30pm Chicken & Ribs Dinner Chef:s: Jeff & Jim \$ 13	14 1 - 4pm Lodge Open 6-7:30pm Corned Beef & Cabagge Chefs: Moose Legion \$12.
9-11:30am Breakfast Co-Ed Team \$8	16 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	17 4pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$2.00 Tacos & \$2.00 Margaritas! Chefs: Sandy & Crew 5:30 pm Ladies of 545 meeting	18 8:30am Cleanup 4pm -7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	19 5:30-7 Burgers by Tim, Judy & Crew 6:00 Nominating Mtg 6:30 Planning Mtg 7pm House Committee 7:30pm Officers Mtg	20 6-7:30 Steak Dinner Chef: Jeff S & Crew \$14 8pm Enrollment > >Santa Rosa	21 1pm - 4pm Lodge Open Legion Spring Fling > > >
9-11:30am Breakfast Chefs: Clampers \$8	23 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	24 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	25 8:30am Cleanup 4pm -7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	26 5:30-7 Burgers by Ron, Patti & Crew	27 6-7:30pm Lasagna (Meat & Vegetarian) Chef: Rick, Doug, Sandy & Pat \$ 12	28 9am Lodge Clean up 9am Adopt-A-Highway 11am Bartenders Mtg 1pm - 4pm Lodge Open (Private Party)
NO BREAKFAST LODGE CLOSED	30 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	31 4pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$2.00 Tacos & \$2.00 Margaritas! Chefs: Ladies of 545	1 APRIL 8:30am Cleanup 4pm -7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	2 APRIL 5:30-7 Burgers by Kathy, Les & Sarah 6:30pm Legion Meeting 7:00pm ELECTION 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Mtg	3 APRIL 6-7:30pm Prime Rib Chef: Jim N. & Crew Pre-pay \$15	4 APRIL 1 - 4pm Lodge Open District Social Monterey





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July July	14 th Amilian ary		1 8:30am Cleanup 4 - 7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	2 5:30-7 Burgers by JT & Crew 6:30pm Legion Meeting 7pm ELECTION << 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Meeting	3 6-7:30pm PRIME RIB Chef: Jim N & Crew Pre-pay \$ 15	4 1 - 4pm Lodge Open DISTRICT SOCIAL MONTEREY
5 9-11:30am Breakfast by Ladies of 545 \$8	6 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	7 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	8 8:30am Cleanup 4 - 7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	9 5:30-7 Burgers by Kathy, Les & Sarah	10 GOOD FRIDAY 6-7:30pm Fish Fry Chef: Chris & Crew \$ 12	11 1 - 4pm Lodge Open Autism Fundraiser Dinner at San Jose Lodge
12 Happy Easter LODGE CLOSED	13 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	4 - 7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$2.00 Tacos & \$2.00 Margaritas! Crew: Tim & Judy	15 8:30am Cleanup 4 - 7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	16 5:30-7 Burgers by Tom G. & Crew 6:30 Planning Mtg 7pm House Committee 7:30pm Officers Mtg	17 6-7:30pm Pot Roast Chefs: Heather & Benjie \$12	9am Lodge Clean up 9am Adopt-A-Highway 11am Bartenders Mtg 1 - 4pm Lodge Open MOOSE LEGION AWARDS BANQUET at SUNNYVALE
19 9-11:30am Co-Ed Breakfast \$8 LEGION CONFERRAL at Sunnyvale	20 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	21 4 - 7pm Lodge Open	22 8:30am Cleanup 4 - 7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	23 5:30-7 Burgers by Tim, Judy & Crew	24 6-7:30pm Beef Stroganoff Chef: Marc & Crew \$ 11	25 RUMMAGE SALE 1 - 4pm Lodge Open
26 2:00 PM INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS POTLUCK TO FOLLOW ALL MEMBERS INVITED !!	27 4pm -7pm Lodge Open	28 4 - 7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday! 5:30-7pm \$2.00 Tacos & \$2.00 Margaritas! Crew: Sandy & Crew	29 8:30am Cleanup 4 - 7pm Lodge Open 7pm Barbershop Chorus	30 5:30-7 Burgers by Ron, Patti & Crew	1 MAY 6-7:30pm	2 MAY 1 - 4pm Lodge Open