

Is there a High School Junior In Your Life?

Enter your Class of 2010 high school students **NOW** for a chance to win a \$1,000 R. Robert Dale Scholarship!

There is no better way to help the youth of the Fraternity than to offer them the opportunity to further their education, and that is exactly what the R. Robert Dale Scholarship is all about.

The following requirements must be met in order to be eligible for the R. Robert Dale Scholarship. The applicant must:

- Be a student in the graduating Class of 2010
- Have a father, mother, step-parent, grandparent or legal guardian who is a paid up member of the Moose
- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 (C+) or higher on a 4.0 scale
- Send the completed application by deadline (application must be completed in its entirety)

The application can be found in the members-only section of www.mooseintl.org at:

<http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/Publications/Press/RRobertDale.asp>.

or inquire with your Lodge Administrator/Chapter Recorder.

Applications may be faxed to (630)966-2225

or mailed to:

R. Robert Dale Scholarship
Member Benefits

155 S. International Dr.
Mooseheart, IL 60539-1183

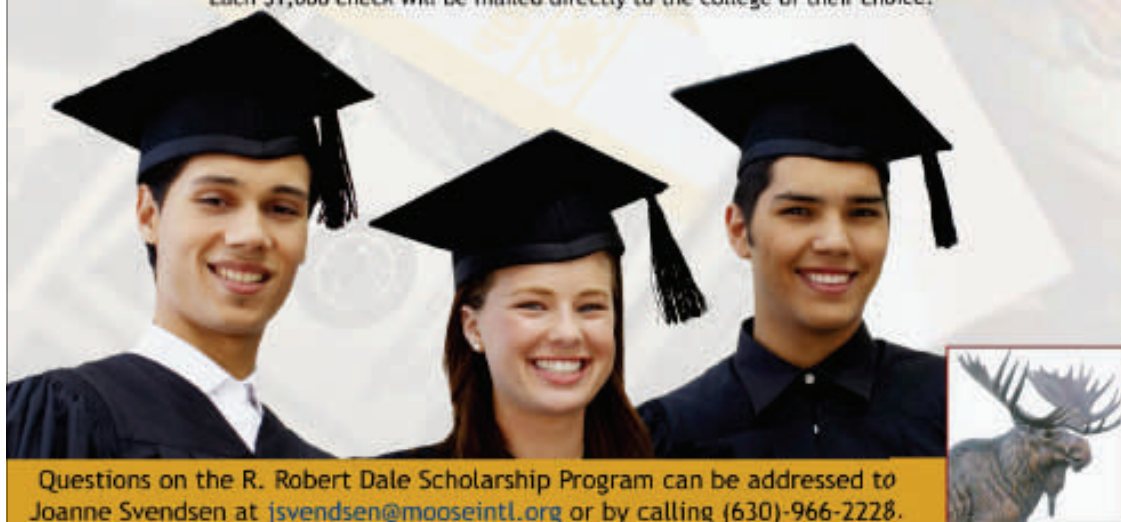
Faxed applications must be received by June 30, 2009.

Mailed applications must be **postmarked** on or before June 30, 2009.

(due to the volume of applications submitted, we cannot confirm their receipt)

Winners are randomly drawn and will be notified by November 15, 2009.

Each \$1,000 check will be mailed directly to the college of their choice.



Questions on the R. Robert Dale Scholarship Program can be addressed to Joanne Svendsen at jsvendsen@mooseintl.org or by calling (630)-966-2228.

SANTA CRUZ MOOSE NEWS

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Your **NEW** Board of Officers For 2008—2009

Governor	Vince Martinez
Jr. Past Governor	Chris Grundy
Jr. Governor	Dave Hostetler
Prelate	Scott McAvoy
Administrator	Perry James
Treasurer	Lonnie Moseley
1 Year Trustee	Eric Miller
2 Year Trustee	Randy Manson
3 Year Trustee	Brian McAvoy
Sergeant-at-Arms	Barry Nolan
Inner Guard	Your name here!

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Applications Review	by Committee
Audit	Jerry Pitman
Bulletin Editor	J.D. Sotelo
Community Service	J.D. Sotelo & Laurie Grundy
Darts	Eric Miller
Decorating	Event Chairperson
Endowment	Dick Dennis
Facilities/Contracts	Ray Gibson
Family Activities	Geo/Lynn Cordova
Food Drive	Lou Avelar
Government Relations	Brian Murtha
Historical	Mark Filipowicz
Ladies of 545	Laurie Grundy
Legion Activities	Lonnie Moseley
Legion Lodge Work	Mick Brown
Lodge Maintenance	Mickey Lundin
Lodge Grounds	Ernie Avelar
Membership	Perry James
M/M Admissions	Dave Hostetler
MYA Chairman	J. D. Sotelo
Moose Scholarship	Perry James
Orientation	Mike Stephens
Ritual Team	J. D. Sotelo
Social Quarters Manger	Ray Gibson
Sports Events—	Call Lodge at—
Horseshoes, Softball, etc.	438-1817
Webmaster	Mark Filipowicz
Website—	www.scmoose545.org

SOCIAL QUARTERS

Monday to Wednesday	4 to 8 PM
Thursday & Friday	4 to 10 PM
Saturday & Sunday	Please see calendar

Brother Members and Ladies,



The Moose Year of 2008-2009 has passed and it was my pleasure to represent Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545 and its members as your Governor. On April 26th the new Lodge Executive Board was installed and I will again be serving you as Governor for the 2009-2010 year. It was a great year that passed. There have been so many great Friday night dinners, Thursday night hamburgers, Legion breakfasts, and charitable events. Yes, our members and ladies gave their time to volunteer in the community they live and serve in and I, and the Moose Fraternity, thank them for their efforts.



The lodge has undergone many maintenance improvements and I thank all the volunteers who gave of their time & hard work.

Our Friday night dinner cooks, Thursday night cooks and their helpers should be thanked for the delicious food that was prepared. Our Friday enrollment and prime rib dinners also were well prepared and I thank Lew Erikson, Tom Cannel, Dick Walton, Corky Roberson and their many volunteers.

As our new Moose Year approaches I ask that our Committee Chairs continue to serve in their positions and if there is someone who wishes to step down, please let me know so I can find a replacement.

The board appointed position of Inner guard remains vacant. If there is a member out there who wishes to serve as our Inner Guard please contact me. It is a great position to begin serving on the Board of Officers.

Last year we enrolled sixty-nine new members, I think that this was a record amount for our Lodge. It was quite a large number for the size of our Lodge. And, when I mentioned it at our District Socials while giving our Lodge Reports it was met with gasps at our achievement by the other lodges in the District.

You sponsors should be proud of yourselves, keep up the good work in the coming year.

To all our new members, please give our Lodge a good try, attend our dinners, hamburger nights, and volunteer for our charitable events. You will see that the Santa Cruz Moose Lodge is a great place to be!

To our long time members, keep giving & attending our Lodge dinners & events. We need your help and attendance. Visit our newly remodeled Social Quarters, ably staffed and operated by our Social Quarters manager Ray Gibson and his hard working bartenders. It is my pleasure to serve and represent Santa Cruz Moose Lodge # 545 as your Governor in the coming year.

Thank You,



Vince Martinez,
Governor, Santa Cruz
Lodge 545.

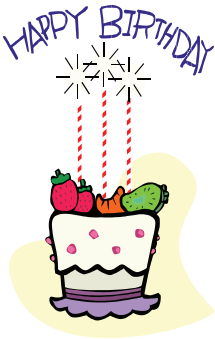


CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE MEMBERS CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS IN

MAY

Bill Cowan
Mary Thuringer
George Fitzwater
Manuel J. Alvarez
Paul Gurney
Ralph Storment
H. Chamberlain
Thomas Motter
John Wagner
Ed Lake
Steve Urick
Archie Coley
Mario Esposito
Laurie Grundy
Dave Hostetler
Julie Miller
Tracy Marsh
Jeffery Thomas
Richard Walton

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JUNE

June Strodder
Corky Roberson
Tony Brassfield
Mark Schoonover
Pat Nichol
Gene Berry
Gary Curto
John Christman
Steve SanFilippo
Frank Allaire
Barbara Green
Mike Filey
Frank Hayden
Bonny Scott
Robin Kennedy
Sandra Brown
Eric Moon
Kim Welch
'Bud' Galipeaux
Jerry Andrade
Leslie Austin
Ernest Avelar

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Birthday celebrants please read
the ad box in the Calendar page!

545 SICKNESS and DISTRESS



Barry Nolan is under the weather.
Mick Brown undergoing knee replacement therapy.



TO THOSE MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES WHO ARE SUFFERING ILL HEALTH,
OR HAVE SUFFERED A LOSS—
Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to All.

++ *Lodge, Moose Legion & Ritual News* ++

Members of 545,

Once again the baton has moved to the next Board of Officers. Thanks to all the new Officers who have stepped up to assure that Santa Cruz 545 Moose Lodge remains an asset to the Moose Fraternity. Also thanks to the old Officers who have signed on for another term. It gets easier the second time because you already know what to do and can get it done more effectively.

Moose International is having a few problems with members moving and not getting the information/ membership cards to them. If you have moved or know someone who is not getting their calendar, Please leave me a note with the SQ with the updated information so I can update our computer in turn updating Moose International. Thanks.



As many of you already know, our Quota for the last year was 28. We doubled it with extras. Thanks to all the sponsors for a job well done and let's do the same next year.
Perry Lee James, 545 Administrator



Golden Spot 15



May 10 and June 14, Sunday 9am—Legion Breakfasts at our Lodge 545.

May 21 and June 18, Thursday, 7:30pm—our next 545 Legion meetings.

July 19, Sunday, 1pm—our next Golden Spot 15 Moose Legion Celebration at San Francisco Lodge #26.

July 23-25 —The 12th Annual CNMA Moose Legion Conference & Ritual Competition at Santa Maria, Ca.

Please come down and be a part of this higher degree of service!
Thank You, Lonnie Moseley, 545 Legion Chairman



International Ritual Competition at Chicago

Members and Friends,
SC 545 and San Jose 401 will be the only two teams representing the Calif-Nevada Moose Association competing at the final Lodge Ritual Competition! Wish us all the best and stay tuned for the International report in the next issue!

Thank you for all the support you have given us in the form of kind words, encouragement and funds!

JD Sotelo, 545 Ritual Chairman



Welcome to our Newly Enrolled Members!!



March 20, 2009 participants left to right—Maitreya Maziarz, Philip Brett, Wendell Read, Craig Underwood, Past Governor Ray Gibson, Trustee Eric Miller, Governor Vince Martinez, Dennis Brady, Paul Wilson, Tracy Marsh, Eugene Bustichi, and Robert Oneto!



April 17, 2009 participants left to right—Corky Roberson, Bob Oneto, Michael Hughtett, Aaron Hinde, Steve Woodruff, Paul Arana, Governor Vince Martinez, Tim Rose, John Justice, Jared Roesch, Rudy Cabigas, Duane Rasmussen, Tom Fleming, Christopher Mennis and Jim Riss.

Santa Cruz Lodge 545 Officers, Chairs & Volunteers welcome all our new members to their new Moose Family Center. Please, come down and enjoy your new home! Also, thanks to our Lodge sponsors for fulfilling their obligation to strengthen our order.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW 545 OFFICERS FOR 2009-2010!

Pictured are 545 Officers Installed on Sunday, April 26, 2009



Governor
Vince Martinez



Jr. Governor
Dave Hostetler



Administrator
Perry James



Jr. Past Governor
Chris Grundy



2nd Year Trustee
Randy Manson



Prelate
Scott McAvoy



Installing Officers—
Past Governor JD Sotelo &
Sgt-At-Arms Ernie Avelar



And of Course our Installing Ladies, l to r— Kathy Cowan, Julie Miller, Cheryl Grijalva, Cindy James, Sandy Brown and Laurie Grundy. Special thanks to Past Governor Ray Gibson for our rehearsal and to Lou Avelar for the Flowers!

Officers elected but not present were —Eric Miller, 1st Yr Trustee; Brian McAvoy, 3rd Yr Trustee, Barry Nolan, Sgt-At-Arms, Inner Guard TBA, if you are interested please contact Governor Vince!



++ COMMUNITY SERVICE NEWS ++

Santa Cruz 545 Members help raise \$2,421.42 for Big Brother, Big Sisters!

CONGRATULATIONS to the Moose members that bowled on April 25th for the Big Brother, Big Sister – Bowl for Kid's Sake 2009.

We raised a total of \$2,421.42 and beat last years record again.

“THANK YOU” to everyone, you all did an awesome job? Ernie was the high scorer. He smoked us with his 207. The first place team with an average of 144 was “The Strikers” – Team Captain Scott, Chris, Mike and Kathy. The second place team with an average of 138 was the “Moose Strikers” – Team Captain Brian (not pictured), Ernie, Perry and Eric (not pictured). Third place team with an average of 97 was “The Pinheads” – Team Captain Laurie, Teresa, John, Ray and Dominic.

Fourth place team with an average of 80 was “Thanks Paul” – Team Captain Julie, Sarah and Jeremiah. Kudos goes to Mike Stephens for raising the most in sponsorship money.

Great job everyone! Community Service by Laurie Grundy.



545 Community Service Goes International!!

On Saturday, May 9th we will be having an all you can eat Spaghetti Dinner to Benefit the Karimu Foundation from 4pm to 7pm, \$12.. In July 2007, Don Stoll and Marianne Kent-Stoll, high school teachers in Santa Cruz., traveled to East Africa to the village of Bacho in Tanzania. After watching the students of the Ufani Primary School try to learn in classrooms with dirt floors, glassless windows, and empty doorframes, they decided to help. Because the volunteers paid all their own travel costs, all the money raised went to buy building materials and to pay skilled local workers. The construction project and the experience turned out so well that the villagers have invited Don and Marianne to return with more volunteers in the summer of 2009. They aim to continue improving and also to expand the Ufani School, which remains too small to accommodate all the children in the village. Please come and help support this fantastic effort to benefit children of the world! C.S. Chair, JD Sotelo

Ladies of 545:

Once again we will be showing off our cooking skills and relieving the 545 Moose Legion for the Father's Breakfast on June 14th. If you would like to help out, be sure to attend our “Ladies of 545” meeting on Thursday, May 14th at 6:30pm or email me to volunteer your skills. We will need cooks, servers and clean up crew. Thank you to all of the Ladies that have continued our tradition of providing desserts on Friday night. We have some open nights available, please check the calendar and sign up to share your favorite dessert. Laurie Grundy, Ladies of 545 Chairs.



Email: Ladiesof545@scmoose545.org



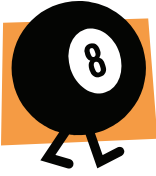
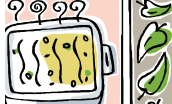
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YOUR FAMILY CENTER EVENTS

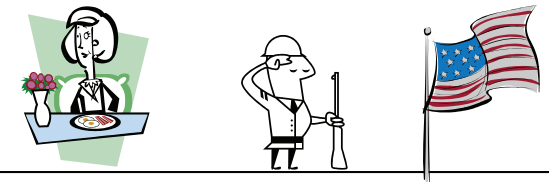
All Friday Night dinners are Family Events

For reservations please call 438-1817

Santa Cruz Moose Lodge #545
Located at 2470 El Rancho Drive
Between El Rancho and Mt Hermon
exits off northbound Highway 17
Lodge phone—831/438-1817

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 5:30 – 7:00 Pizza Dinner By Chef Cindy \$6 	2 5:00 District Executive Board Mtg at Campbell 6:00 District Social at Campbell #1811 
3 Lodge Closed 	4 4pm Social Quarters Open	5 4pm Social Quarters Open 6pm Darter's Potluck 7pm 545 Dart League	6 4pm Social Quarters Open 	7 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Howard Lowe 7:30 Regular Meeting	8 6:30 – 8:00 BBQ Oys- ters/Tri-Tip Dinner by Chef Gino \$10 	9 545 <i>International Community Service Fundraise Event</i> at 4pm, please see <i>article on page 9!</i> Legion Awards & Din- ner at Campbell 1811
10 MOTHER'S DAY! 9:00 – Noon Breakfast by the Legion 10-11 Family Activities 	11 4pm Social Quarters Open	12 4pm Social Quarters Open 6pm Darter's Potluck 7pm 545 Dart League	13 4pm Social Quarters Open	14 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Jim & Mary T 6:30 Ladies of 545 Mtg. 7:30 Planning Meeting 8:00 House Committee	15 6:00 – 7:30 Enrollment Dinner by Chef Lew \$10 7:30—Orientation 8—Enrollment 	16 9am Lodge Clean-up! All hands welcomed! 
17 Lodge Closed	18 4pm Social Quarters Open	19 4pm Social Quarters Open 6pm Darter's Potluck 7pm 545 Dart League	20 4pm Social Quarters Open	21 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by John A. 7:30 Legion Meeting 8:00 Officers' Meeting	22 6:30 – 8:00 Lasagna Dinner by Chefs Kathy & Rose \$8 	23 Lodge Closed
24 Lodge Closed	25 MEMORIAL DAY! 1—3 Lodge Barbecue Chicken & Ribs \$8	26 4pm Social Quarters 6pm Darter's Potluck 7pm 545 Dart League	27 4pm Social Quarters Open	28 5:30—7:00 Burgers by Dick Dennis	29 6:30—8:00 Chicken Enchilada Dinner by Chef Moses \$8 	30 Lodge Closed
<< International Convention & Ritual Competition at Chicago, Ill						
31 Lodge Closed						

FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 545 WISHES
OUR LADIES A
HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY,
WE SALUTE ARMED FORCES DAY AND
WE HONOR MEMORIAL DAY!!!



SUNDAY, MAY 10, 9—NOON
BREAKFAST BY THE LEGION
\$5 FOR 'THE WORKS'



FRIDAY, MAY 15 6-7:30 pm
STEAK DINNER BY CHEF LEW \$10
Orientation at 7:30 and
Enrollment at 8:00

*All Members are
Cordially invited
to attend, come see
Ritual at it's Best!*



— ALL MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE —

**Free Friday Night Dinner if your
Birthday is listed in the bulletin for the
current month. You must check in with
server for your ticket and**

**show your paid up
membership card.**

Happy Birthday!
**(Please note RSVP and
Sign-Up requirements)**





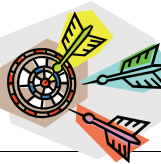
JUNE 2009

YOUR FAMILY CENTER EVENTS

All Friday Night dinners are Family Events

For reservations please call 438-1817

Members please note This month's Calendar has been printed one month in advance! All events are subject to change. Please call Lodge to RSVP or confirm your event.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 4pm Social Quarters Open	2 4pm Social Quarters Open Dart League season over, contact Eric for any ??	3 Shuffleboard or Pool 4pm Social quarters Open	4 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Dave & Rose 7:30 Regular Meeting 	5 6:00 – 7:30 Prime Rib Dinner by Chef Corky & Helpers with music by Mr. Amore \$10 Reservations Needed!	6 5:00 District Executive Board at Los Gatos 6:00 District Social at Los Gatos #1996
7 Lodge Closed 	8 4pm Social Quarters Open	9 4pm Social Quarters Open	10 4pm Social Quarters Open 	11 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Brian A 6:30 Ladies of 545 Mtg. 7:30 Planning Meeting 8:00 House Committee	12 6:00 – 7:30 Baby Back Ribs n Fixins Dinner by Chef Judy D	13 7pm “Pink Prom” Fundraiser for the Avon Breast Cancer Foundation please see Calendar ad box
14 9:00—Noon Father's Breakfast by the Ladies of 545!! \$5 10—11AM Family Activities	15 4pm Social Quarters Open	16 4pm Social Quarters Open 	17 4pm Social quarters Open	18 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Ernie & Perry 7:30 Legion Meeting 8:00 Officers' Meeting	19 6:00 – 7:30 Steak Dinner by Chef Tom \$10 7:30 Orientation 8:00 Enrollment;	20 Lodge Closed
21 FATHER'S DAY Lodge Closed 	22 4pm Social Quarters Open 	23 4pm Social Quarters Open	24 4pm Social quarters Open	25 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Kathy & Les	26 6:00—7:30 Chicken Cacciatore Dinner by Chef Scott McAvoy \$8	27 Lodge Closed 
28 Lodge Closed 	29 4pm Social Quarters Open	30 4pm Social Quarters Open	July 1 4pm Social Quarters Open	2 5:30 – 7:00 Burgers by Lonnie & Sue 7:30 Regular Meeting	3 6:00 – 7:30 Pizza Dinner by Chef Cindy \$10 	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY! 1–3pm 545 Picnic & Barbecue! District Social moved out to July 11 at Monterey 876

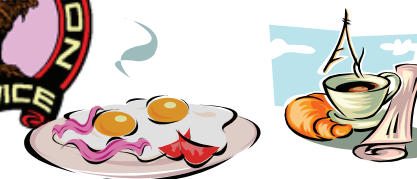
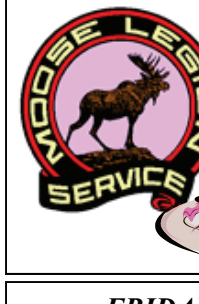


**“THE PINK PROM”
BREAST CANCER BENEFIT**
Please wear “Pink”!

June 13th at 7:00pm
Raffle/Door Prizes/Silent Auction
Appetizers served

*All proceeds will go to the
Avon Breast Cancer Foundation*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 14, 9—NOON
BREAKFAST BY THE LEGION
\$5 FOR ‘THE WORKS’**



**FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 6—7:30
Dinner by Chef Tom \$10,
Orientation at 7:30
And enrollment
at 8:00**

*All members are
cordially invited to
attend!*



**SATURDAY, JULY 4TH, 1 — 3
545 Independence Day Picnic and
Barbecue \$8**

