

Scotts Valley, CA 95067-6292 #545 Loyal Order of Moose







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 2020-2021

Administrator	Chris Grundy
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Jr. Governor	Larry Beaman
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Inner Guard	Vacant

"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

Limited hours during food service only due to current County CDC Rules. For more up to date information, please check Facebook or go to the website. www.scmoose545.org/

Admin Assistant	Laurie Grundy		
Application Review	Committee		
Audit	Committee		
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Bulletin	Laurie Grundy		
Community Service	Committee		
Endowment	Committee		
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Family Activities	Jim Norkoli		
Fellowship	Committee		
Government Relations	Committee		
Heart of the	Jeff Duncan &		
Community	Laurie Grundy		
Historical	Mark Filipowicz		
Kitchen Manager	Dominic Carine		
Ladies of 545	Laurie Grundy		
Legion Activities	Lonnie Moseley		
Lodge Grounds	Committee		
Lodge Maintenance	545 Retirees		
Membership	Committee		
M/M Admissions	Committee		
MYA Chairman	Committee		
Moose Scholarship	Committee		
Orientation	Ray Gibson		
Social Quarters Mgr.	Ray Gibson		
Sports Events	Call Lodge at		
Horseshoes, Darts, etc.	831)438-1817		
Webmaster	Mark Filipowicz		





GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Hello Moose Family-

A lot has happened since the last newsletter. I hope you and your families are safe and well. I am really proud to be part of an organization that came together for our community during the wild-fires and honored to serve the 545 as Governor.

We've got exciting things going on here at the lodge, and we're continuing our donation efforts for the community. We held our first general meeting as your new board and welcomed several new members to our fraternity. We now have the ability to accept payment with cards at the lodge, so we're not cash only anymore . We have some great meals coming up, so be sure to check out the calendar and come dine in, dine out, or takeout a dinner

We've all gone through a lot this year, and we're still here, stronger than ever!

I hope to see you all at the 545 soon!

Your Governor, Jeff Shaver

*** WANTED !! ***

Cooks / Cooking Teams / Servers / Helping Hands in the Kitchen
In order for your Lodge to survive these hard times, more meals and events need to be planned, which means more volunteers. Please talk to an officer on the Board if you are interested in volunteering.

Thank you!!

*** HOURS OF OPERATION/EVENT UPDATES ***

Since it is difficult to plan ahead under the current CDC rules we must follow, please keep checking the Lodge website, Facebook and Instagram account for changes.

If you haven't signed up to receive email notifications, please do so on the website or go to this link:

http://www.scmoose545.org/memberindex.htm

JR. PAST GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

Greetings members,

It's been a while since I last sent out communication. Lot's has happened since our last news letter and I have forgotten where we even left off on sending the last one. My days still get confused with this new schedule of limiting pretty much everything you do in life.

Most of you know we opened an emergency evacuation center at the lodge during the CZU fires. We housed about 40 evacuees most of them Moose members. We were feeding about 60 people a day meals. We were also running supplies up to the volunteer fire stations including Zayante, Felton, Ben Lomond and Boulder Creek. We provided meals and drinks to Scotts Valley PD, CHP, SC Sheriff, AMR, Cal-Fire along with a bunch of assisting police and fire crews from around the state. We supplied truck loads of water to Boulder Creek for people to grab when they had none or couldn't use what they had.

We had a huge outpouring of members and non members donating time and supplies including other lodges. I wish I could list out all of the people that helped us. The Moose brothers and sisters that worked thankless for so many days. These men and women made me proud to be a Moose!

Currently we are finishing up with a fundraiser for the volunteer departments. We are over \$5,500 with the help of Cami and the Mustang Club.

I have passed on the torch to Jeff Shaver as Governor. I was blessed to serve you all as the Governor. Thank you all that supported me while in office. I would also like to take a moment to recognize my wife Valerie for her love and support with all my time away from her while focusing on the Moose.

Fraternally yours,

*** 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!

VCUM FUNDRAISER

~ FRIDAY, DEC 4TH AND SATURDAY, DEC 5th ~

Prime Rib Dinner (Chef: Jim N. & crew) - Pre-pay \$20

~ Check calendar dates for seating times. ~

MUST RSVP/PAY by 12/2 by sign up or email (See calendars at top)
Limited inside dining, outside dining or take home.

Drive-thru drop-off donation collection of:
*New Toys / *Clothing / *Non-Perishable Food / *Cash



Who knew the thunder and lighting that awoke most of us on a warm night would in a few days turn the Lodge into an evacuation center. Moose members and non-members, rolled up their sleeves and volunteered. Business' cooked meals, donated food, a generator and use of a trailer. Individuals and other Moose Lodges, donated money, items and services to keep the first responders and evacuees fed and comfortable.

Thank you to the Board of Officers, especially Jim Norkoli, Jeff Shaver, Larry Beaman and Benji

Barber, who were there everyday, despite being evacuated themselves with their families. The Evacuation Center would not have happened if it wasn't for them. Thank you to all of the volunteers for donating financially and physically in any shape or form that you could. We apologize if your name or business was not included, we can bet someone was missed.

THANK YOU!!

A Tool Shed Bruno's BBQ William Anderson Erin Buchla Heather Burnson Atascardero Moose Lodge #2067 Benjie & Brenda Barber Eugene Bustichi Larry, Maddy & Lars Beaman Cal/Nev Moose Association Kate Bellamy Mike Cameron Kenn & Laurene Beto **Dominic Carine Better Brands** Jimbo Cavanagh Marquez Blanchard Bill Chapman Branciforte ECV #1797 (Clampers) Marcella Combs

Community Covenant Chruch Mint Canyon Lodge #2173

Concord Chapter #2446 WOTM Lonnie Moseley

Cami Corvin Jim, Val & Em Norkoli

Cruise Coffee Company Wendy Norkoli
Dick Dennis Fritz Oesterle

Angeline Dixon Tiffany & Emily Oldham

Dover (NH) Moose Lodge #443 Pacifica Moose Lodge #1944

Jeff & Mindy Duncan Mike Pander

Faith Filey Red Rock Moose Lodge #252

Hema Ganapathy Mickey Robertson

Ton Ghio Mari Rossi

Ray Gibson Royalty Trucks (Jessie Guzman)

Glendale Moose Lodge #641 San Jose Lodge #401
Daniel Goodwin Santa Cruz Mustang Club

Haden Goodwin Stephaine Schaefer
Andrew Grabin Scotts Valley Host Lions

Dennis & Cyndi Grazian Jeff, Sabrina, Jeffrey & Kelsey Shaver

Chris & Laurie Grundy Ron Shoemaker Alan, Ava, & Abbey Grundy Mike Stephens

Devin Guluzzo Will & Abby Sterling

Jerry & Nancy Haas Sunnyvale Moose Lodge #2049
Ken & Arlene Henry Scotts Valley Historical Society

Wlater & Julie Herrmann Patti Swan

Robert & Jolene Hoffman Wendy Tritt-Reed

Honey Bucket Man Wess & Rena Willendorf

Saskia James David Williams
James Johnston Dale Williams
KSCO 1080 AM Radio John & Cathy Woo
Dina Lada Sommer Zehrung

Lodi Chapter #488 WOTM Annette & Husband (last name not known)

Howard & Joan Lowe Katie & 2 sons (last name not known)

Vince Martinez

Trina (last name not known)

Maya's Mexican Restaurant

Leatha (last name not known)

Charlie McGuire James & 2 sons (last name not known)

Welcome to our Newly Enrolled Members! Congratulations!



Santa Cruz 545 Enrollment Ceremony on October 8, 2020

Left to right—top to bottom: 1)Sponsor-Larry Beaman, Baby Moose-Stoney Godet; 2)Sponsor-Lisa Quitzau, Baby Moose-Paul Metzger; 3)Sponsor-Jim Norkoli, Baby Moose-Dennis Grazian (spouse-WOTM-Cyndi Miller); 4)Sponsor-Ray Gibson, Baby Moose-Joe Cox; 5)Benjie Barber, Baby Moose-William Anderson; 6)Baby Moose-David Williams, Benji Barber; 7)Sponsor-Benjie Barber, Baby Moose-Paul McGowan, 8)Sponsor-Daniel Goodwin, Baby Moose-Michael Dickson, Sponsor-Haden Goodwin. Welcome them to your Moose home when you see them!

The "August Match Challenge" was put on hold because of the fires.

Revised: "MATCH CHALLENGE for NOVEMBER"

Chuck Cheatham challenged 545 Moose members to match his \$1,000. The total is now at \$300. You can donate any amount. Let's meet the challenge! The tax-deductible donations are being collected in the Social Quarters or can be mailed to the lodge Post Office Box.



ADOPT—A—MOOSE LIGHT \$25.00 per Light



Fundraiser for the dining hall lights is still in process. Donations are being collected in the Social Quarters or can be mailed to the lodge Post Office Box.

CZU August 2020 Fire
Evacuation Center

















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NOVEMBER 2020

All Friday Night Dinners are Family Events

Please note all Friday dinners are 'Sign Up' and/or 'Pay in Advance'. Signing up or money is required by the WEDNESDAY prior to dinner! Please sign up at the lodge or email: moose545@sbcglobal.net

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 11:00am to 1:30pm Firefighter's Appreciation Barbecue	2	3	4	5 5:00-7pm Burgers 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Mtg	6 5-7:30 pm BBQ Chicken w/"Woo" Fried Rice Chef:s: Jeff N. and the Woo's \$13	7 District Social @ San Jose Hosted by: Pacifica
8 9-11:30am Breakfast SC 545 Legion \$10	9	10 5pm -7pm Lodge Open Taco Tuesday	11	12 5:00-7pm Burgers	13 5-7:30 pm Spaghetti Chef:s: Ladies of 545 \$ 12	14 LODGE CLEAN-UP DAY Between 9AM-2PM (Inside & Outside)
15 9-11:30am Breakfast Clampers \$10	16	17	18	19 5:00-7pm Burgers 6:30 Planning Mtg 7pm House Committee 7:30pm Officers Mtg	20 5-7:30 pm Pulled Pork Sandwiches Chef: Benjie & Crew \$13	21
22	23	24	25	26 NO BURGERS THANKSGIVING DAY	27	28
29	30	1 DECEMEBER	2 DECEMEBER	3 DECEMEBER 5:00-7pm Burgers 7:30 Town Hall / General LOOM Mtg	4 DECEMEBER Prime Rib Dinner VCUM Fundraiser: Prepay- \$20, Pg 10 6-7:30pm	5 District Social @ San Jose Hosted by: Sunnyvale Prime Rib Dinner VCUM Fundraiser: Prepay- \$20, Pg 10 Two Seating Times: 5-6:30 / 6:30-8pm





DECEMBER 2020

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27	28	29	30	31 N E W Y E A R' S E V E	1 JANUARY 2021	2 JANUARY