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Official Communication for July 13, 2011

\$50,000 Goes Unclaimed in Anaheim International Moose Convention "Crack The Safe" Challenge
No one won the \$50,000.00 at the 'Crack the Safe' during the International Convention. Three members were 'bonus winners' and received a free CSI Campaign Shirt. They were:

Gary McCoy, Grand Prairie, TX Lodge 1818 Barbara Bush, Havelock, NC Chapter 2292 Marsha Castoe, North Pole, AK Chapter 1977

2011 Premiere Lodge Award and Governor's Award of Excellence Recipients Posted To Website

2011 Premiere Lodge Award Recipients

<http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/Convention/2011Anaheim/Reports/PlatLodgeAwards.pdf>

2011 Governor's Award of Excellence Recipients

<http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/Convention/2011Anaheim/Reports/GovernorsAwardExcellence.pdf>

Lodges that are not included on the posted list, and feel they should have qualified to receive a Premiere Lodge Award, or listed Lodges that feel they should have received a higher level Premiere Lodge Award, may request in writing or via e-mail, to have their award eligibility reviewed. Requests for review must be received by Friday, August 5, 2011, which is thirty days following the close of the International Moose Convention. Governors who believe they should have received the Governor's Award of Excellence also have until Friday, August 5, 2011, to appeal the posted results.

Appeals should be sent to the attention Darrell O'Brien, at the Moose International, Lodge Operations Department. The e-mail address is dobrien@mooseintl.org. E-mailed requests for review must be sent from the Lodge's official "mooseunits.org" e-mail address and response will be made back to that e-mail address. Supporting documentation must accompany all requests for review of Premiere Lodge Award and/or Governor's Award of Excellence eligibility.

Over 100 Members Already Registered For 3rd Annual Moose International Texas Hold 'Em Tournament

The 3rd Annual Moose International Texas Hold 'Em Tournament is scheduled for January 8 - 12, 2012. Over 100 members have already registered for this increasingly popular event. It will once again be held at the Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino in downtown Las Vegas. Last year's tournament drew over 750 participants and boasted a total prize fund of over \$150,000, with \$15,000 going to tournament winner Tim Donovan of Greeley-Evans, Colorado.

Packages including the tournament buy-in and four nights accommodations at the Golden Nugget are \$500 for one player in a room and \$825 for two players sharing a room. A tournament entry with no lodging is available for \$350. For more information and registration materials please visit,

<http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/news/2011/2012-TexasHoldEm.asp>

"Making Change" Special Seminar Scheduled For January 5 - 7, 2012 in Las Vegas

These special sessions will combine presentations from Moose International staff with opportunities for participants to share their comments and ideas on shaping the future of the Moose fraternity. Participation is limited to current Lodge and Association Officers and all Past Governors of the Order.

The \$250 registration fee for one participant in a room, or \$175 each for two participants sharing a room, includes three nights accommodations at the Golden Nugget Hotel in downtown Las Vegas, one slot tournament entry, a seminar shirt and materials for the seminar, for each participant. Additional slot tournament entries are available for \$20 each and extra shirts may be purchased for \$30 each. ALL registration for this special seminar will be done online. No mailed or faxed entries will be accepted. For additional information and to register for the "Making Change" Special Seminar please visit <http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/news/2011/2012-MakingChange.asp>

If you are participating in both the seminar and the poker tournament, plan on arriving in Las Vegas by January 5th and departing after the poker tournament concludes on January 12th.

July Catalog Sales Special - Moose

The July 2011 Moose Catalog Sales E-mail Special is the Moose Handicap Parking Sign. This metal sign, measures 15 inches by 15 inches, is shown on page 21 of our # 79 catalog, item number 719, or check us out in our online catalog at www.mooseintl.org. The sign has been reduced from \$12.95 each to only \$11.00 each (plus S&H). All Moose Lodges need these signs in their parking lots! July Special ends August 1, 2011. Call (630) 966-2250, Fax (630) 859-3505 or E-mail - catalogsales@mooseintl.org.