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FERNLEY MOOSE "BUGLE"



*"The Black Hat
Lodge"*



**Lodge #2468
Chapter #2150**

**450 West Main Street
P. O. Box 2468
Fernley, NV 89408**

**Social Quarters
775-575-2468**

**February
2012**



PLATINUM - 2011

LODGE OFFICERS
2011 - 2012

Governor..... Sean McCann
 Junior Past Governor David Woods
 Junior Governor..... “Woody” Jones
 Prelate Joseph Rigazio
 Treasurer Tommie McFarland
 Administrator Mac McClurg
 Three Year Trustee Earl Karr
 Two Year Trustee Justin Hanson
 OneYear Trustee..... David Blomeyer

CHAPTER OFFICERS
2011 - 2012

Senior Regent Patie Jones
 Junior Graduate Regent..... Terry Woods
 Junior Regent Karen Kelly-Blomeyer
 Chaplain..... Randi Wasikowski
 Recorder..... Lydia Sittman
 Secretary/Treasurer..... Cassie Hanson

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FERNLEY MOOSE LODGE #2468 AND CHAPTER #2150
 PROUD MEMBERS OF CALIFORNIA/NEVADA MOOSE ASSOCIATION

(Winner of the Premier Lodge Platinum Award - 2011)



Stop by the Social Quarters during the week of your birthday and enjoy a drink of your choice, compliments of the Lodge.

L.O.O.M.

W. O. T. M.

Keith Swearingen	1	Beverly Hill	3
Jess Nelson	5	Leslee Saderup	4
Daryl Franklin	5	Bobbi Rigazio	6
George Dickerson	6	Linda Sanders	11
David Stephan	8	Rita Schmidt-Timm	18
Duane Cross	12	Barbara Gamboa	21
Donald Szymczak	12	Patricia Jones	22
Jerome Chandler	13	Loya Bennett	26
James Hicks	14	Dawn McNaughton	27
Floyd Loney	17	Lydia Sittman	27
Max Ryan	19	Susan Mainarck	28
Robert May	20	Mary Price	28
Matt Reidy	20		
Lawrence Biral	21		
Michael DiMilo	23		
Jack Bennett	26		

If any names have been missed, please contact the Lodge Administrator or Newsletter Editor.

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Secretary - Mike Richie
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Jr. Past President Joe Rigazio

FROM THE GOVERNOR



We have received the final word on the date for the arrival of the Supreme Governor. He will be here on the 15th of April. This is a big event for our small lodge and I hope that all of you will plan on being here to meet him.

We have a lot of things to do before his arrival and we will need all the help that we can get. Anyone that can help with the preparations and planning, please get hold of one of your lodge officers (LOOM/WOTM) and submit your name to help.

We have a reader board in the social quarters now and it's full of information on upcoming events, social quarter's activities and meals. There is something for everyone. Please come down and check it out.

I would like to thank Woody, Earl, Tom, Cory, Dave and Brandon for their hard work in getting this going. Putting the T.V. up was no small task and they did a fine job. A very special thank-you goes out to John Kendek (District President) for providing the laptop that the presentation runs on. Thanks John.

We have our Super bowl party on the 5th. Our annual Sweethearts dance is on 11th with music provided by Norm. Both of these events are a lot of fun and we hope to see you there.

Fraternally,
 Sean McCann

FROM THE SR. REGENT



Happy Valentine's Day everyone . Is it February already? We have a Sweethearts

Dance on the 11th, who will be King and Queen of the dance this year I wonder? Cassie L will be cooking for the 1st time for us. Karen will be cooking breakfast on the 19th. Both Karen and Cassie could use a little help. We have been averaging 1 dinner and 1 breakfast per month, we sure would love to do more if we can get a few more helpers. Anyone interested?

It's time to start getting ready for the next election. We will be holding nominating committee meetings on 2/11, 2/25 and 3/10 at 11am. The nominating committee member list is posted at the social quarters. Please contact any member if you are interested in holding an office next term or if you would like to nominate someone.

Beth's chicken taco casserole was really great, we may see that again soon. Stevie and Bear served Beef & Mushroom Stroganoff during the Minute to Win it game. Thank you to Stevie and Leslie M for helping with the game set up. Thank you to Woody for being our game show host. We all looked silly, but we did have fun! I hope I didn't forget to thank anyone who helped, if I did well...Thank You so much!

Patie Jones
Sr. Regent



SICKNESS & DISTRESS:



Doug Riley is reported to be doing well after back surgery last month.

Dave Blomeyer is home after recent surgery in Reno.

BINGO
Sunday, the 12th and Sunday the 26th



FROM THE EDITOR:



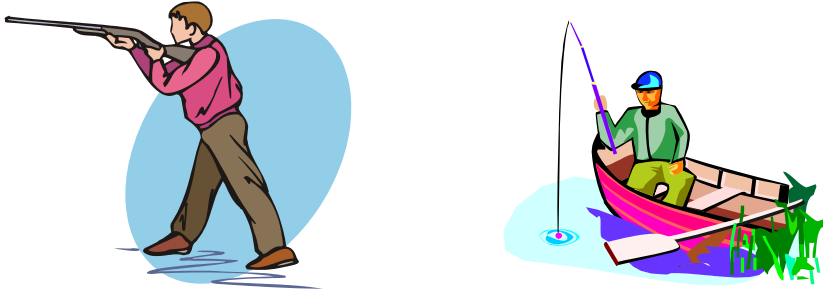
Our thanks to all the members who contribute their thoughts, ideas and happenings that help our members keep up with the activities of our lodge.

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Rod and Gun Club News

With winter set upon us, the Rod and Gun Club will be focusing more on indoor activities this month. Lee Jones will be instructing our reloading classes on the 11th and 25th. Officers meeting will be held on Saturday the 4th at 1:00 p.m.

We ask that all members attend our general meeting on Saturday the 11th at 1:00 p.m. so that we may discuss ideas and events of mutual interest to all. Your input and participation is important to the Club.

Fraternally,
Woody Jones
Secretary/Treasurer

SPECIAL FUND RAISING EVENT

Saturday the 25th

Past Governor Woods will donate and prepare a special meal to raise funds to send the Administrator and Governor to the International Convention in Tampa this year.

SWISS STEAK
MASHED POTATOES AND GRAVY
SALAD - VEGGIE— ROLL
\$7.00 DONATION
50/50 DRAWING



FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR:

As the Governor mentioned in his article, we are anticipating a visit from our Supreme Governor in April. This is certainly an honor for a small lodge such as ours. He has four days scheduled for our Association which currently has about 126 lodges, most all of which are considerable larger than ours. To visit each one means he would have to visit over 30 each day. We can truly feel honored by his decision to visit ours.

Perhaps it was the fact that we were the only one in our Association to win the coveted Premier Lodge Platinum award, also one of less than 60 in the entire fraternity. We are most fortunate to have accomplished this fete last year and one that will be difficult to accomplish again. Membership is the big key and we have a limited population to draw from. Each year we must have at least one more member than the previous year, also one more dollar than the previous year. With the economy in its present state, that may be an unattainable goal.

There are various programs running through the remainder of the year in which you can get your next year's dues paid and win some cash to boot. That's worth at least \$60.00 to you so think about a couple of friends that you can sponsor and win some money and help improve our membership figures.

Happy Valentine's Day to all!!

Mac

Thanks to Governor McCann for all his fine work in getting our reader board up and running. Come see it for the latest activities. (Updated every Monday)



COMMUNITY SERVICE

Participation from our lodge has been great this season. Those that donated food and clothing deserve a great thanks. You have personally helped someone in our community, and I don't know about you, but for me it feels great. As community service chairman, I am proud of you and I have a fantastic feeling of how much you participated.

We only have one month left for the two barrels that are in the Social Quarters. Any donations you can give will be greatly appreciated by our community and our lodge.

Thanks Again!!

Joe Rigazio
Community Service Chairman



YOUTH AWARENESS PROGRAM



Time is running out for our students. They have less than one month to get their reports in to me so they can get their possible rewards.

We have one possible student who has a real chance and hopefully she will make it. I am working with South Lake Tahoe and southern Nevada, to get any reports they may have. Will have more information for you next month.

Joe Rigazio
Youth Awareness Coordinator



GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS
By
Walter Zawrotny



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Quote: "Keep Close to Natures Heart and break clear away once in a while and climb a mountain or spend a week in the woods. Wash your spirit." John Muir

**ASSOCIATION AND INTERNATIONAL
UPCOMING EVENTS**

**CA/NV MOOSE MID YEAR CONFERENCE
RENO - MARCH 22-25**

THEN IT'S



JUNE 27 - JULY 4

MEMBERSHIP PROMOTIONS
 Have you sponsored a new member lately?
 Some of the rewards are shown below.

\$0.00
APPLICATION
FEE
JANUARY 1ST
Thru
APRIL 30TH



FERNLEY MOOSE LEGION



Howdy everyone! Last month was a busy one for the Legion with the meals and the quarterly celebration. Thank you to Sean for cooking chili dogs on the 12th. Our volunteers are always appreciated.

This month we will be preparing bacon cheeseburgers and fries on the 18th and rib-eye steak and eggs on the 12th. It'll probably be too cold for outdoor activities so why not come down and have fun at the lodge? See you all there.

Anyone wishing to join our Degree of Service (and Degree of Fun) can contact any Legionnaire for information and an application.

Fraternally,
 Woody Jones



BLUE AND GOLD CLUB



We had a good turnout for our taco bar last month. Our next meal will be on the 4th of this month. The menu will include pork chops, real mashed potatoes, mushroom gravy, dinner roll and for dessert we will have peach cobbler.



A big "thank you" to our Pilgrim member, Bob Mackay and his lovely bride Alice, for donating and preparing this meal for our club. They are traveling from Shingletown, California to host this dinner. I hope to see a good turnout from our members for this event.

Again, I would like to thank all of our members who support our functions and our lodge.

Earl Karr, Chairman



P. S. Congratulations to Bob for winning the rifle.

