



Help Desk - Moose International

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MESSAGE FROM THE GRAND CHANCELLOR January 2008

This is a late but nonetheless sincere HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!! I hope all had a healthy and happy holiday season.

We have 3-1/2 months left in this chapter year. It is essential that each officer review all chapter requirements for the Award of Achievement. At your next Board of Officers meeting, each officer should have their Officers Handbook and all officers should be looking at the Checklist - and check off each item that has been completed and mailed to Chapter Records. We will be sending another "vacant position" and "missing document" mailing some time between February 15 and February 29 - upon receipt, if anything is listed, please just send in a copy of the original report to Chapter Records. Remember, we have two staff members who receive, enter and file all reports from all 1600+ chapters and oversights can happen.

In addition, it is essential that each officer carefully reviews all requirements for the Academy of Friendship, Green Cap, Star Recorder and College of Regents Degrees and verifies what each member may still need to accomplish in order to receive the specific Call Letter.

The Moose Leader will probably be in the mail in early to mid February. Please read it carefully - share it with the attendees at your next meeting and post it on the chapter's bulletin board for all members to review. It will also be posted on the Moose International website.

The Audit Committees should not only be reviewing all financial transactions, they should also be verifying that all applications have been entered with the correct sponsor information and that all applications successfully balloted upon have been entered as enrolled and transmitted successfully.

I also hope all officers will attend their respective Midyear Conferences. And, I hope each officer has encouraged other co-workers to attend as well. We have prepared an agenda that will include a slide show of Mooseheart and another of Moosehaven - Friday morning and Saturday afternoon. We have a PowerPoint presentation workshop on

Friday afternoon that should be informative and beneficial to all and a PowerPoint on Saturday afternoon addressing proper procedures and reminders of the requirements for personal honors and degrees.

Great news!!!! For those Collegians who would like to be a member of the Convocation Conferral Staff, the Conferral Coordinators (previously known as WOTM State/Province Ritual Chairman) will have the new and improved Convocation program and procedures by January 31st. If you wish to be considered for a position on the Conferral Staff, please contact your Coordinator. The list of Conferral Coordinators will be e-mailed to all chapters, as well as posted on the Women of the Moose Website, by January 31st. She will give you the necessary information and advise as to when the "tryouts" will be conducted. You will need to memorize the part you wish to be considered for and will be judged by the judging committee. There will also be a need for alternates - so please, if you wish to be a part of this new program, contact your Coordinator as soon as possible.

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