

# Call of the Moose



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## Governor's Report

### HUG your Family and Friends with a WAVE

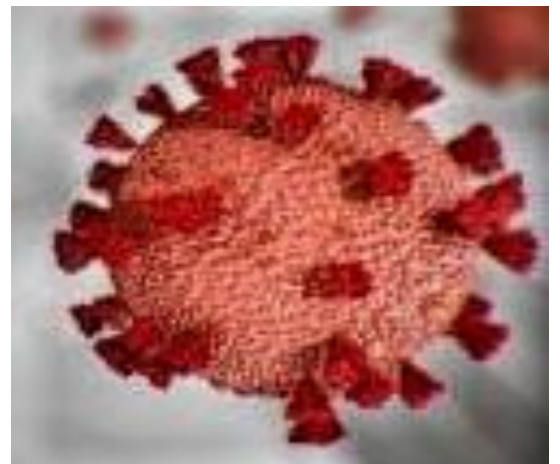
That's right! Hug your family and friends with a hand wave practicing social distancing at about six feet or more away. It's a war out there! Yes! It's a worldwide war to stay healthy. There is no shooting or hand-to-hand combat. We just have to have distance and stay out of everyone's way. It is called self-quarantining. Stay inside. Wash your hands before and after touching food, locks, switches, remote controls, cell phones, watches, computers, televisions plus other things you can think of and do not forget after using the bathroom. Try not to touch your eyes, nose and mouth. Why? Because there is a danger out there: "COVID-19/Corona Virus." It is killing people. **Reminder: Keep your distance, at least six feet or more.**



**To be on the safe side, just smile. Keep your distance. Do not cough or sneeze. Cover your mouth and nose. Now be sure and stay indoors; do not mingle. It is not time to protest.**

What I learned is that the virus is a protein molecule and is very fragile. It does not die easily but decays on its own. Temperature, humidity and where it settles determines its disintegration time.

Any soap or detergent and warm water is the best remedy to disinfect your hands. Rub your hands to create lots of foam for 20 seconds or more. The protein molecule will eventually break down.



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**THE 2019-2020**  
**BOARD OF OFFICERS**

**Elected Officers:**

Governor ..... Louis Gabriele  
 Jr. Governor ..... Richard Burrola  
 Jr. Past Governor ..... Vacant  
 Administrator ..... Don Thompson  
 Treasurer ..... Jack Wunderlich  
 Prelate ..... Mike Baldwin  
 1<sup>st</sup> Year Trustee..... Chuck Hughes  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Trustee..... Gerry Collins  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Trustee ..... Darren Azarian  
 Sergeant-At-Arms..... Blake Hyfield

**Committee Chairmen:**

Audit ..... Mike Baldwin  
 Moose Legion ..... Louis Gabriele  
 Legion Asst. Secy..... Richard Burrola

**2019-2020 CA/NV Moose**  
**Association Board of Officers:**

President ..... Bud Harwood, III  
 Vice President..... Johnny Robinson  
 Secretary ..... Fred Reichelt  
 Treasurer ..... Perry James  
 Prelate..... Bill Thompson  
 Past President..... Rick Balthazar

**VERDUGO HILLS MEMORIAL HALL AND  
 GLENDALE MOOSE LODGE #641 OFFICE  
 TEMPORARILY CLOSED**

To comply with the Governor’s stay-at-home order, both the VHMH and the Lodge #641 office are closed until further notice. No meetings will be held at the VHMH.

Even though the office is closed, Lodge business is still being conducted by phone, email and internet, and minimal staff using social distancing. Please contact the Lodge if in need of assistance.

We will announce any plans for reopening via email and on the website.

**MAY/JUNE**  
**BIRTHDAYS:**

**MAY**

James Tang, 5-6  
 Mike Baldwin, 5-8  
 Tom Forbes 5-11  
 Philip Becker 5-22  
 Ruben Razon, 5-23  
 John J. Gutierrez, Jr., 5-24  
 Kenneth Meek, 5-25

**JUNE**

Ralph Lillig, 6-20  
 Carl Tripp, 6-20  
 John C. Dyrness, 6-25  
 Edward Kameda, 6-25  
 Larry Stonebraker, 6-25



**FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR:**

When this terrible ordeal is over a time for celebration will be in order. The Lodge is ready, willing and able to accommodate any and all who desire to have a gathering of any sort. Remember we have a hall with multiple uses and as a member in good standing it is at your disposal. The activities committee is already planning some celebrations so stay tuned for better news and good times.

Respectfully,  
 Don Thompson

**Governor's Report (Continued from Page #1)**

I have been cooped up for such a long time, my neighbor decided to check up on me to see if I am OK. I am doing fine. I am hoping you are following the proper isolation and are doing fine too. We will get through this.

**Outside? Enjoy**

Enjoy Southern California, look out the window or get some exercise by going for a walk around the neighborhood. Cover your mouth and nose. Come on: wear a mask.



Do not forget the children. Remember Mooseheart and Moosehaven.

Donate!

By Louis Gabriele

**1-MOOSE CHANGES ANNOUNCED AT MID-YEAR COFERENCE**

On Feb. 29, 2020 at the Cal/Nev Moose Association's 86th Mid-Year Conference, Mike Rios, the Director of Membership from Moose International gave a presentation on Moose Membership, specifically on 1-Moose changes. Here are some of the highlights of the 1-Moose changes: On May 1, 2021, women can now become members of a Moose Lodge. This means that women can attend Lodge executive and membership meetings and participate in Lodge business and vote on issues. Men and Women are now 1-Moose. Women can now become candidates for Lodge Officer positions, however, a woman must also be a member of a WOTM chapter in order to qualify as a candidate for Officer Position. Some other changes are as follows: The titles for lodge officer positions have changed. The Governor is now President, the Junior Governor is now Vice President and the Prelate is now Chaplin. The Treasurer, Administrator and the Trustees remain the same, no change. The Past Governor is now Past President. A new requirement for a male member to be a candidate for a lodge officer position now requires him to be a Moose Legionnaire. There is no longer a House Committee. The Lodge Officers will now assume the responsibilities of the eliminated House Committee. It is believed that the 1-Moose concept will be more beneficial for our fraternity. Women will now become equal members of a Moose Lodge. God Bless Mooseheart, Moosehaven and God Bless our fraternity.

Richard Burrola, Junior Governor






## The Moose could help pay your child's college education!






**How? Enter your High School JUNIOR (Graduating Class of 2021) for a chance to win up to a \$5,000 scholarship with the Moose "Heart of the Community" Scholarship Program.**

*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 Moose "Heart of the Community" Scholarship is all about. The following requirements must be met in order to be eligible for the Moose "Heart of the Community" Scholarship Program.*

### **The applicant must:**

-  Be a student of the high school graduating Class of 2021 (to be verified by a high school official).
-  Have a father, mother, step-parent, grandparent or legal guardian who is a current member of the Moose in good standing (Applicant is NOT required to reside in the same household).
-  Have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale or equivalent verified by a copy of student's transcript.  
(Completing the above criteria qualifies for a chance for a **\$1,000** scholarship.)

**If the applicant completes one or more of the optional criteria below. He/she will qualify for a chance for a **\$5,000** scholarship:**

-  **In-School / Extra-Curricular activities** (i.e. school sports teams, band, chess club, theater, etc.)
  -  To satisfy this requirement a school official must verify this by completing their section of the application.
-  **Out-of-School activities** (i.e. employment, scouting programs, music lessons, non-school related sports)
  -  To satisfy this requirement Moose International must receive a letter or email from the student's supervising adult (boss, troop leader, etc.) no later than June 30, 2020. The letter should include: 1) The name, title, email, and phone number of the supervising adult; 2) Details of the student's participation; 3) The type of activities they engaged in; and, 4) The dates/date range of their participation.
-  **Volunteer on behalf of a fraternal unit of the Moose.** (To be verified by Lodge Administrator, Chapter Recorder or Moose Legion Secretary on the application or by email, fax or U.S. mail.)

The application can be found in the **Members Area** of [www.mooseintl.org](http://www.mooseintl.org). Click on the **Programs & Events** link located on the far left of the page, then scroll down and click on the **Moose "Heart of the Community" Scholarship Program** link.



Applications may be faxed to (630) 966-2225 or mailed to:  
**The Moose "Heart of the Community" Scholarship Program**  
 Attn: Gordie Dailey  
 155 S. International Drive, Mooseheart, IL 60539-1172

Faxed applications must be received by June 30, 2020. Mailed applications must be postmarked on or before June 30, 2020. Application must be completed in its entirety to be valid.

Winners are randomly drawn and will be notified by November 17, 2020. Scholarship checks will be mailed directly to the college of their choice.

Questions on the Moose "Heart of the Community" Scholarship Program can be directed to Gordie Dailey at [gdailey@mooseintl.org](mailto:gdailey@mooseintl.org) or by calling (630)-966-2214.



**May 1, 2020 - April 30, 2021**

Working together toward the same goal, side by side as equals, on the same team. Stronger together as we work to build our Fraternity for generations to come.

**Sponsor 1 Member** One Moose pins are presented by your Lodge, Chapter or Moose Legion to individuals that sponsor their first member during the campaign.



**Sponsor 5 Members** Funds will be donated toward the purchase of new golf carts for use throughout the Moosehaven campus. Plans are to purchase one multi-person golf cart and two regular golf carts. Contributions are courtesy of your Association, the Women of the Moose and the Moose Legion.



**Sponsor 25 Members** Members attaining Sponsors of Distinction status by sponsoring 25 members during the One Moose membership drive will receive free basic registration for our 2021 International Moose Convention in Cincinnati, OH. Additional information can be found on [www.mooseintl.org](http://www.mooseintl.org).



The program has been extended until 2022! Earn Rewards simply for doing things that strengthen the Order: sponsor a member; serve in office; renew your dues or complete training. Each activity generates points automatically that you can use to pay dues, contribute to Mooseheart/Moosehaven, or redeem for Moose gift store purchases. Check your Moose Rewards points total today at [www.mooseintl.org](http://www.mooseintl.org) to see how many you have earned! Also, look for special promotions throughout the year for your chance to earn greater rewards.

## MOOSEHEART ACTIVITY CENTER PROJECT AWARDS PROGRAM

Your CA/NV Moose Assoc. Special Projects Committee has developed a Recognition Awards Program to provide recognition to all Fraternal Units, Special Activity Groups, Committees and Individuals, at various stages of donation achievements. It consists of a multiple-step program based on monetary donations and is based on the minimum total donation expectation for the 3-yr. program of \$1140.00.

The steps and minimum donations for achievement are as follows:

Step 1 will be a Certificate of Achievement awarded when your donation level reaches \$380.00

Step 2 will be a Certificate of Achievement awarded when your donation level reaches \$760.00

Step 3 will be a Certificate of Achievement awarded when your donation level reaches \$1140.00

Step 4 will be a Certificate of Achievement awarded when your donation level reaches \$2280.00

Your Committee has also reorganized our **TOP DONOR PLAQUE AWARDS PROGRAM**. We have EXPANDED it to now include 7 Divisions: Individuals, Activity Committees, Chapters, Lodges, Districts, Moose Legion Jurisdictions and Councils of Higher Degrees.

Good Luck to everyone in your quest to be #1 in your respective Division. A gentle reminder, to properly receive credit donation checks are made to MOOSE CHARITIES with CNMA/MAC in the memo section and mailed to: MOOSE CHARITIES, 155 S. INTERNATIONAL DR., MOOSEHEART, IL 60539-1100.

If you or your Group/Committee does not have a checking account, please contact the Association Secretary for guidance and assistance with your donations.



## Your Membership Just Became More Valuable

Earn points for helping the Moose grow and prosper, then redeem your points for valuable awards, gifts and experiences.

It's simple – you can earn points for sponsoring members, attending meetings, holding office or just renewing your dues. Every member has an opportunity to participate and your points are awarded automatically without any paperwork or submissions.

Better yet, you can redeem points for LOOM or WOTM dues; Moose Legion dues; registration for the International Moose Convention; contributions to Mooseheart and Moosehaven; Moose gift store merchandise; gift cards and even cash!

All program access is online. Simply visit the “My Membership Record” section of the Moose website and your Rewards Record will be contained in your individual section.

Please visit the Moose Rewards page, [www.mooserewards.org](http://www.mooserewards.org), for the complete set of official rules and information.

Questions? Contact Member Services at 630-906-3658.



Members of Glendale Moose Lodge 641, American Legion Post 288 and VFW Post 1614 attended a fundraiser Bar-B-Que on Thursday, January 16, 2020 at the Crescenta Valley Sheriff's Station to support the passing of one of the Sheriff's staff, Felipe Leal. Felipe Leal was a 21-year veteran of the LA County Sheriff's Department.



The Glendale Moose Lodge 641 Donates \$500 to the Star & Shield Fund for the Montrose Sheriff's Department



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