

### Moose Lake News by Jim Onarheim

There were eight ladies who played pinochle last Thursday at Louie's Landing. When all the dust settled Muriel Janitschke took top prize, Penny Broberg took second and Carlene Dalesandro won the boobie prize of a bunch of dimes. The dimes are accumulated every time a player gets set by not making her bid. She then must put a dime in the pot. These dimes are paid out at the end to the person who ends up in last place.

The count-down has officially begun. The Moose Lake Festival will open this Saturday morning Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup> at Louie's Landing. Set up begins on Wednesday July 31<sup>st</sup> and will continue every day until Friday evening Aug. 2<sup>nd</sup>. We are still in need of volunteers. Everyone is welcome to volunteer, especially residents of the Town of Round Lake and the Town of Hunter. The proceeds go to your Fire Department & the Chequamegon Lions Club. Please support us by helping. You will not want to miss the chance to win one, or more, of the great prizes at the Fest. Ken Woodie made and donated a beautiful 4 ft. pine bench that could easily serve as a unique coffee table. Once again, Mark Tamm will have his one of a kind "rocking moose" for a lucky youngster. The autographed Packer football is a real must see this year. Donn Stoffer has handcrafted plywood silhouettes of an entire moose family, perfect for your up-north yard.

#### **Prizes that will be in the bucket raffles are as follows.**

Hi-Ho Silver – Butterfly Earrings, Milwaukee Brewers – Two Club Level Tickets, Timber Ford – Silver Level Detail Package - \$160.00 value, Northwest Sanitary GC - \$150 Septic/Holding Tank Service, Hayward Power Sports GC - \$350 towards winterization & shrink-wrapping, Seven Winds Casino – one night lodging for 2, with gift certificates for food and gambling, Big Fish Golf Course Gift Certificates – 4 Rounds, Steve Braddish – Handcrafted 7 ft. medium action bait casting rod, Joe & Louann Lewandowski – Handcrafted 7 ft Medium Action Spinning Rod, Mary Braddish – Wine Basket with accessories, Patti's on 70 – Bucket of Margaritas Making with accessories, Challeens, Koehlers, Cucullus, Nilsens, and Winters – Bluegill Wood Sculpture, Hayward Piecemakers Quilt Guild – Quilt, Tana Isaacson – designed an handcrafter shawlette, Michele Fleszar – quilted wall hanging, Jackie Olson – 2 Floral paintings (Moose Lake Artist), Pat Feldner – Swan Photo (Moose Lake Photographer), Lures of the North – Old Hayward Photo, Katie George – Moose Painting (Lion Artist), Nancy Schryer – Landscape Painting (Lion Artist), Tim & Julie Dallman and Larry & Karen Dallman – white pine bench, constructed of locally harvested wood, from Bill Vogel's shop, Therese Lochterhand – hand crafted Snowman Stacked Boxes, Therese Lochterhand – hand crafted Moose Stacked Boxes, Stove Works – Metal Planter, Mark Tamm – Rocking Moose for a young child, Nancy Zalewski, Champion Lumberjill – 2 ½' Welcome Moose carved by Champion Lumberjack Dave Jewett. Mel's Outdoor Power – Airhead Tube, The Carter Family – NW Basket, with 3 carved bears, Joan and Bob Ackerman – Pet Zone Victorian Birdfeeder, Jim Bichler – radio weather alarm and 2019 Sawyer County Plat Book, From a generous Moose Laker – Rolling Cooler filled with goodies, The Farmstead – Gift Basket, Hayward Home Center – 5 x 7 rug, From a generous Moose Laker – Pendleton Lux Throw, George Duewerth - DeWalt drill driver/impaction driver combination kit.

**SPECIAL \$5.00 BUCKET RAFFLE – Cary & Amy McDonald – Handcrafted Adirondack Chairs.**

**SPECIAL Auctions:** Handmade Burlled Lamp made by Bill Vogel, one of his last projects, donated by his wife, Betsy, to honor his support of the MLF especially all the work he did with starting the kid's birdhouse building project. Mike Williams – Float Plane Ride for 2 people. 4 – Jim Henchel carved cutting boards will be auctioned off during the pie auction. This will be a

special tribute to Jim for all that he has done for the Town of Round Lake and the Moose Lake Festival.

I hope to see everyone at the festival on Saturday. We will have some of our Emergency Vehicles on site.

August 8<sup>th</sup> is the date to build and complete our Moose Lake Fish Cribs. This is the last and final phase of this two-year project. We are looking for as many volunteers as possible. Please contact Dave Wiltrout at 715-462-9475 or e-mail him at DVMWeePaws@aol.com Everyone is asked to meet at Louie's Landing at 8 AM on the 8<sup>th</sup>. The rain date will be August 9<sup>th</sup>. Dave needs your e-mail so he can keep in touch with everyone. Please bring a pair of leather gloves. Tools drinking water & lunch will be provided. If everything goes well the project should be completed by early afternoon.

Last week I was on a little vacation in the North Woods of NW Ontario. I was visiting a very good friend of mine Mike Henry. Yes, I spent 5 days on the water, & I look and feel like a baked potato. Maybe a little too much sun. It was in the 80's every day. I caught over 200 walleyes and several Norther Pike. The walleye ran from 15 inches to 24 inches which was my largest. Jig and salted minnow or half of a night crawler was the answer. We fished a lake called Smooth Rock. This is a very large body of water. Over 25 miles long. We had a very good time and I will be back again this year.

Happy Birthday to the following people. Vickie Palya & Esper Lueschen both on Aug. 1<sup>st</sup>, Paulette Ross on the 3<sup>rd</sup> & Pete Sievert on the 7<sup>th</sup> of August. There is only one anniversary this week. Anniversary wishes, go out to Pete & Jean Vukovich on August 1<sup>st</sup>.

Well that is all for this week. Stay safe and have a great week.

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