

Moose Lodge 1558 Monthly Update

July 2026

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Message from the President

Happy July 1558! I hope we are surviving the heat and getting through the summer. Remember, we are halfway to Christmas (and don't think Nancy Dilley isn't already on it!)

The Lodge continues to grow and improve, and it depends on YOU to keep it on-track. WE are on the MOVE! From Kickball to Family Fued to upcoming bands oyster-roasts, and comedy shows, there is something for everyone. We will be celebrating our 70th Anniversary on Saturday, August 22nd so save the date!

In addition to all our activities, we also remain a strong fraternal organization with a generous heart! Wiyh Back to School around the corner, we will be collecting School Supplies to help out! Please be sure to log your volunteer hours on your app., we all get credit!

Stephanie continues to make fabulous meals, Brandon keeps our facilities running, and Tracie and her crew keep us hydrated. Give them a smile (and a tip when appropriate). Bill (our new administrator) and your Board are some of the most hard working people I know. They really do everything with Moose members interests as their goal! Smile at them occasionally as well! They are working for you.

We want to continue to develop fun programs and activities for our members, and we need your suggestions. Any ideas are welcome. Let's start some leagues.....poker, cards, scrabble, jinga, anything that keeps us inside and air conditioned for just a few more months. And don't forget pool tournament on Sunday morning.

FIFA has been such a fun treat to watch. The Moose is offering bucket specials during soccer games, and we have been using expanded hours to catch those USMTS games (although, I've loved seeing the Scots, the Brits, and the Norwegians). Come watch some games and get a great deal on buckets of beer!

Have a great summer y'all, The board, members and staff wish each and everyone of us a happy, relaxed, Moose kind of summer!!

Fraternally,
Wendy

Girls from Mooseheart Visit



**A Morning at the
Beach....
And the Weather
Cooperated!**



“Girls just Wanna Have Fun!”



**A Busy
Afternoon at
our Lodge,
Dancing
Gifts and
Making
Jewelry!**



Save the Date!

Moose Lodge 1558

70th Anniversary Celebration!

Saturday, August 22nd 2026



Our Lodge under Construction and ready for the roof.

February 3 1962

What was Happening in 1956?

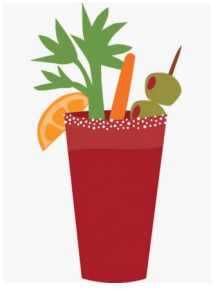
- ♦ The Price of a gallon of gas?
- ♦ Top TV Shows?
- ♦ Most Popular board game?
- ♦ Top Baby names?
- ♦ Oscar Winners?

NASCAR Continues!



**Races
Every
Sunday
Through
Nov. 8th!**

**Fill in the weekly NASCAR board for
your chance to win \$80!**



A Bit of History.....

Bloody Mary



Any members who have ever had the pleasure of having a nice, spicy Bloody Mary on a Sunday, served either by Jan or Carol, should know about the real 'Bloody Mary'. Mary Turdo or "Mary the 1st" of England, the oldest daughter of Henry VIII, was known as Bloody Mary for a good reason. During her five-year reign she tried and failed to bring England back to Catholicism. This was done by execution, with beheading and burning at the stake the leading methods, hundreds of leading Protestant theologians of the time.

Mary had been raised by her divorced Mother "Catherine of Aragon", who was the daughter of Ferdinand and Isabella of very catholic Spain, and the first wife of Henry VIII. Mary's brutal methods in her ill-fated attempt to restore England to a Catholic State were what earned her the title of "Bloody Mary".

And..... how might this act remind any history-minded Moose nerd of Moose Lodge 1558? The simple fact is Mary died of stomach cancer in 1558. One Hundred and Seventy-Seven years before Mary's demise, England underwent another significant historical uprising.

From late May through June 15th, 1381, came what was called the Peasants Rebellion (or revolt). This uprising took place because of mass outrage over rigid new taxes the English Monarch, fourteen-year-old Richard the Second, had imposed on all citizens. Wealthy folks as well as paupers resented the new taxes and did not support the ongoing Hundred-Year-War with France, which was the reason the taxes were levied in the first place.

On June 13th, a mob of several thousand, led by a roof tiler named Wat Tyler, marched from Canterbury all the way to London in a brief period of time. Richard the second chose to meet with Wat Tyler and other leaders at Smithfield, just outside London. A scuffle broke out and Tyler wound up executed, drawn and quartered, with his head stuck to a pole over London Bridge. Nineteen years later, Richard paid a similar, though arguably more painful execution as he was starved to death while in prison under Henry the Fourth; ironically, a fore-father of Henry the VIII, the father of Mary the First (ole Bloody Mary Herself).

There we have it folks, 1558 and 1381 all neatly tied together at your favorite Moose Lodge.

(Article provided by Fred Flynn)

A Heart Of Community Event

Our annual Back-to-School Supplies Collection will run from July 15 to August 10. School supplies will be tax-exempt from July 20 to August 20. All donated items must be new and unopened. For a full list of needed items, visit First-dayschoolsupplies.com. Please drop off donations at the Lodge by the 10th of Aug, and we will ensure they are delivered to schools in need.



Sunday, Aug. 2nd 2-5pm



50¢ Wings and More
(6 wing Minimum)

Just Before his Birthday we will
Celebrate the life of our Friend,

Carl Daniels

**Wear you favorite
Hawaiian Shirt as was his style**

**Bring in your Pictures,
and Share your stories!**



WHAT'S UP? Wanna Know?

**Come to your Lodge's
General
Meeting on the
1st and 3rd Monday
of each Month
at 6:00**

The Lodge "Kickball Bunch"!



Members ask what events are happening in the Florida Moose Association. If you don't see anything posted on our bulletin board, go to floridamoose.com and on the first page lists all of the upcoming events and how to sign up. Don't miss out on something you enjoy doing or would like to try. It also has information on the latest charity events, drives, and conventions. Check it out!

July 2026

Events & Dinners are Subject to Change - Social Quarters Phone # 904-595-5644

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

250th
ANNIVERSARY
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



Trivia
6:30-8:00

2 Board Meeting
2pm
Spaghetti
Dinner 6:00
Queen Of ♥
7PM

3 Fish & Shrimp
Dinner 5:30-7:30
 Karaoke 7:30

July 4th
Celebrate with
your friends at
The Moose
Chilly Rhino
4-8 pm
Steph's Cookin'

5 11:30am Pool
Billy's Wings
12 noon
Nascar

6 Canasta 11:30
General
Membership
Mtg. 6-7

7 Show me the
Money 6:30-8
Taco Tuesday
6-7:30

8 Trivia
6:30-8:00

9 Spaghetti
Dinner 6:00
Queen Of ♥
7PM

10 Fish & Shrimp
Dinner 5:30-7:30
Karaoke 7:30

11 Stephanie's
Specialties" 12-4
Blackwater
7:30

12 11:30am Pool
Billy's Wings
12 noon
Nascar

13 Canasta 11:30

14 Show me the
Money 6:30-8

15 Trivia
6:30-8:00
Moose Legion
Meets 6:30 pm

16 Board
Meeting 2pm
Spaghetti
Dinner 6:00
Queen Of ♥
7pm

17 Fish & Shrimp
Dinner 5:30-7:30
Karaoke 7:30

18 Stephanie's
Specialties" 12-4
District Meeting
Southside 12:00
Drunkin' Chick'n
7:30

19 11:30am Pool
Billy's Wings
12 noon
Nascar

20 Canasta 11:30
General
Membership
Mtg. 6-7

21 Show me the
Money 6:30-8
Taco Tuesday
6-7:30

22 Trivia
6:30-8:00

23 Spaghetti
Dinner 6:00
Queen Of ♥
7PM

24 Fish & Shrimp
Dinner 5:30-7:30
Don Kibbee
Rogue Duo
7:30

25 Stephanie's
Specialties" 12-4

26 11:30am Pool
Billy's Wings
12 noon
Nascar

27 Canasta 11:30
WOTM
5pm Board
6:00 General
Meeting

28 Show me the
Money 6:30-8
Taco Tuesday
6-7:30

29 Trivia
6:30-8:00

30 Board Meeting
2pm
Spaghetti
Dinner 6:00
Queen Of ♥7pm

31 Fish & Shrimp
Dinner 5:30-7:30
Karaoke 7:30



Pool Anyone?

Check out our Sunday morning pool Tournaments at 11:30.
\$5.00 to buy in and a Full Payout! All levels are welcome.
Sign up board near the Pool Table. Moose members only!

New Members

Aaron	Leshar
Brandi	Laue
Seven	Mauch
Harold	Robinson
Lorin	Mitchell
Pameela	Nielsen
Patricia	Wolfe
Colsey	Paddock
Brittany	Adamson
Mitchell	Gayne
Madison	McDaniel
Michael	Ventouras
Mike	Vivas
Sebastian	Lazcano
Gregory A	Mc Daniel
Clinton	Flanagan
Janice	Knight
Debra	Gusafson
David	Fogg
Christina	Rice
Earl	Hood
Kimberly	York
Darryll	Weeden
Curt	Matulich
Rebecca	Matulich
Frank	Brunson

Board of Officers for 2026-2027

Officers

President:	Wendy Wolfe
Vice President:	Nancy Dilley
Jr. Past President:	Stephanie Bair
Administrator:	Bill Bissonette
Chaplain:	Walt Maier
Treasurer:	Richard Neel
1 Year Trustee:	Stacey Herring
2 Year Trustee:	Conan Herring
3 Year Trustee:	Martin Manley
Sargent at Arms:	Kelly Letellier

WOTM Board of Officers for 2026-2027

Senior Regent:	Terry Gaylord
Treasurer:	Kelley Letellier
Secretary:	Annette Bissonette
Past Regent:	Vivian Burnett

Moose Legion Seminole 81 Board of Officers

Chairman:	Walt Maier
Secretary:	Bill Bissonette
Marshal:	Ryan Lechleiter

Jacksonville Beach Moose Lodge Hours

Sunday-11:00-8:00
Monday-Thursday 11:00-10:00
Friday-11:00-12:00 **Bar Manager**
Saturday-11:00-12:00 **Tracie Visalli**

The Queen of Hearts drawing



continues on!
Each Week the
"Pot" increases!
Come next
Thursday and be
here early
to buy your tickets!