

# Ebbetts Pass Bullhorn

**Ebbetts Pass Moose Lodge #1123, CA  
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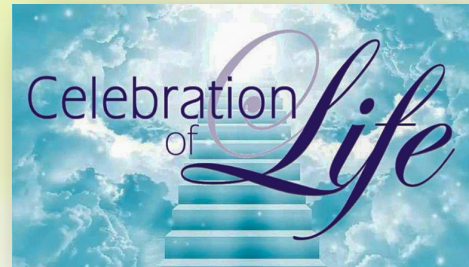


**CRAB FEED**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 9**

**OYSTERS FOR PURCHASE 3 to 5 PM**

**DINNER AT 6 PM**



**C.O.L. FOR BOB & DELLA**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 29**

**POTLUCK AT 1 PM**

**PLEASE BRING A DISH TO SHARE**

## **MARCH HIGHLIGHTS:**

**MARCH 5—BINGO GAMES RESUME! DOORS OPEN 5:30, GAMES AT 6 PM.**

**MARCH 8—CRAB FEED 6 PM. APPETIZERS FOR PURCHASE TO ALL 3–5 PM.**

**MARCH 15—TRADITIONAL ST PATRICKS DAY DINNER 6PM—SIGN UP REQUIRED**

**MARCH 22 –ARNOLDS ANGELS DINNER—PIZZA BY RAY BERTOLINO**

**MARCH 28—DINNER & KARAOKE—MENU TO BE ANNOUNCED**

**MARCH 29— CELEBRATION OF LIFE POTLUCK FOR DELLA TAYLOR  
& BOB BURNS AT 1 PM. PLEASE BRING A DISH TO SHARE.**

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



**Hello Everyone,**

Happy March and welcome to all our new members! February was a fun month. We had a lot of great dinners and we will have more great events in March. Please check your weekly email and Facebook reminders and come join the fun!

As always folks we are always looking for volunteers to cook, serve and help in the kitchen. Other volunteer options are also available. If you are able to be a volunteer, please add your name to the list in the lodge lobby bulletin board and tell us what you would like to do. Joining in for our monthly Work days (usually the first Saturday of each month) is also a great way to help support your lodge.

Come out and join us on Monday nights for Queen of Hearts; it's always a fun night. We are working hard to serve dinners every Monday night. We will have another New Member Orientation on Monday, March 17, at 4:30 p.m. Attendees receive a free meal and drink ticket.

Another reminder that we are in the middle of the 2025-2026 Board of Officer Elections. Any member in good standing desiring to run for an elective office must submit his or her name with an "Intent to Run" form to the Nominating Committee by Tuesday, March 11. Forms are available from the Administrator with a list of responsibilities for each Office. Place the "Intent to run" form in the Administrator's office door.

### **Office Eligibility:**

President – Has been an active member of the lodge for at least 6 months immediately prior to the date of election and has completed at least 1 year in another elected office (not a combination of offices) of the lodge in which he or she seeks office.

Vice President – Has been an active member of the lodge for at least 6 months immediately prior to election

Chaplain – Has been an active member of the lodge for at least six 6 months immediately prior to the election

Treasurer - Must be an active member of the lodge

Trustee - Must be an active member of the lodge

### **General Election:**

Voting will be held Tuesday, April 1, between 3 - 7 p.m. in the Dining Room. If there are multiple candidates for any office, the vote will be by ballot. If there is only one candidate for all offices, the vote will be by show of hands at the membership meeting. The Election Committee will make their report to members at the April 1 general membership meeting.

**Moose of the Month** goes to Gary Devore. Gary is a trustee of our board, one of our regular Bartenders and also helps in the kitchen. I want to thank him for all his hard work and support at the Moose lodge.

**Fraternally Yours,  
Bob Barron  
President  
209-286-9036**

# Administrator's Update



## Greetings Moose Family,

Thank you all that attended the February Crab Feed. Was a great night for all. Our next one is on March 8. We combine all proceeds from the 2 events. We will share the profits made off these events after the March event. The profits get split 25% to the Moose Legion, 25% to the WOTM, and 50% to the Lodge. Please come by the Lodge to see the 4 Silent Auction Items on display now to raise money. You don't need to be at the Crab Feed to bid on these items. The winners will be announced at the March 8 dinner.

Big shout out to the Building Committee for getting all the chairs and barstools recovered in the Social Quarters. They look amazing!

An update on the playground – we have raised \$4,807.59 so far. Instead of flowers, Bob Burns' family has asked that our members donate in his name to the Moose Lodge Playground in memory of Bob. Mail donations directly to the lodge, or drop it in the Administrator's mailbox. Thank you.

We want to thank all of you that helped with getting Raffle items to Patti for the gift baskets for the March Crab Feed. They turned out great! Now we need you buy lots for raffle tickets at the Crab Feed. Don't forget to bring some extra cash as Janice will be doing the live auction of many wonderful desserts.

The saying "It takes a Village" is such a true statement. We couldn't do what we do without help from you! Thank you! We have seen many people jumping in to help. The Crab Feed alone takes over 20 volunteers. Thanksgiving takes over 30. This year Marjie Norte is compiling the names of the volunteers so that when events come up, we can reach out to you. But please, don't hesitate to reach out to us. Come join the fun.

We will need volunteers for the Burn Foundation BBQ on Saturday, July 26. We do a lunch up at Bear Valley and a spaghetti dinner at the Lodge for children who have suffered burn injuries. It is a very heart-warming event. There are usually about 30 kids. If you can help, please reach out to Patti Corcoran to volunteer.

**Fraternally Yours,**  
**Patti Corcoran**  
**Administrator**  
**510-427-8569**

## MEMBERSHIP STATUS Ebbetts Pass Moose Lodge #1123

**As of: 2/28/2025**

**Active Members last month 902**

**Expired Members last month 164**

**MYSTERY NUMBER: 18943454** (Is this your membership number? Contact Administrator for a free meal ticket!)

**JACKPOT WINNER: None**

**CRYING TOWEL:** John Kuster, Nick Pappageorge, Meredith Orman, Norman Freeman, Lisa Hailey, Donald Weems, Andy Krajewski, Gerome Ybarro, Joe Lestanguet, Dan Flaherty, Gregory Wilson, Chris Murray, Debra Croll, Tony Atnip, Nick Hough, Yvette Roullier, Terra Coakley, Kimberly Ulrey, Dewaine Ware, Peter Regan, David Alassa, Shelly Fontes, Josh Heller, Michael Hegel, Ian Alton, Jeff Del Dotto, Steven Mach

Drop your quarter & sign in at the end of the bar when you're in the Lodge. If your name is drawn and you signed in that day, you win the Jackpot!! If your name is drawn but you did not sign in that day, you're on the crying towel!



## ***Senior Regent's Update***



### **Brothers and Sisters.**

A Celebration of Life for long-time Woman of the Moose, Della Taylor will be at the Moose Lodge on Saturday March 29, at 1 p.m. Details are in this bulletin. Della's ashes will be placed in her family plot in Angels Camp as her final resting place.

We honored Mary Ann Fabian on February 21 for receiving the "Chapter Member of the Year for 2024". Mary Ann was nominated by the Past Sr. Regents. Last year she did her 10<sup>th</sup> Car Show/Chili Cookoff. This event raised over \$8,000 for the Women of the Moose. All profits go back to "our" community. On behalf of the WOTM congregation's and thank you for being such a vital part of our Chapter.

Marjie Norte had a new and exciting event at the Lodge - a paper crafting class. Everyone who attended had a great time. Marjie's next class is on Sunday March 16 at 4pm. Sign up by March 9. Fourteen members have signed up so far and there's a 20-spot limit, so don't wait to sign up.

We want to thank everyone that came out to the Valentines Dinner on February 14. We served 45 people! The profits of \$290 went to the Lodge to help with the Fire Insurance. The next WOTM meal for Fire Insurance is on Wednesday, March 26. Menu details to come!

The WOTM want to give a big Shoot out to Don & Renee Taylor for their Karaoke events. They come to the Lodge once a month and make the evening so much fun. If you haven't been to one, please come. We will be announcing the date in March soon.

Moose of the Month – Bonnie Phillips. Bonnie has really stepped up to the plate this year to help the Chapter and Lodge in many areas. Bonnie is in the kitchen helping with many dinners whenever Paul schedules a dinner for the Lodge. She also joined the Board of offices as the Chaplin this year. Bonnie handles the Raffle displays and sales, 50/50 sales at all of the big events. Anytime I ask her to help me she is right there. Hats off to Bonnie!

**Fraternally Yours,  
Patti Corcoran  
Senior Regent  
510-427-8569**





## MOOSE LEGION NEWS



Hello Legionnaires,

The Moose Legion has committed to a minimum of 2 dinners per month. We will do at least one BURGER NIGHT and one TACO NIGHT each month to raise money for our next project— a Bocci Ball Court in the backyard.

Thanks to everyone who came out to support Taco Night last Monday, February 17. Please be sure to join us on Monday, March 10 for BURGER NIGHT! Our THURSDAY NIGHT TACOS kick off March 20, and will continue the third Thursday of each month.

We are committed to growing our Moose Legion Fraternity in 2025. We've had a number of new members in the past few months. Thank you gentlemen for signing up! I'd like to welcome our newly conferred men, Rob Barclay, Paul Lucero, Barry Macler and Ronan Norte.

The Moose Legion is known as the Degree of Service.

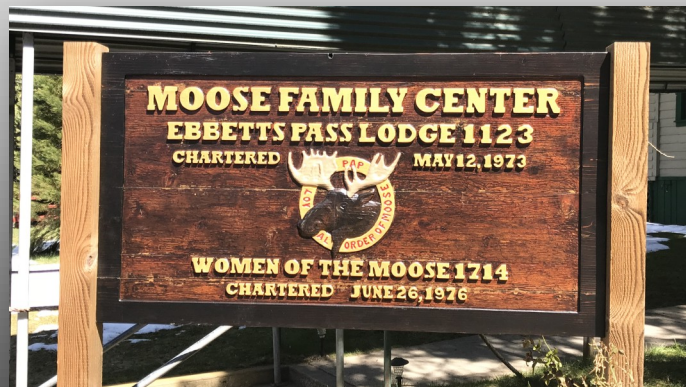
Our mission: To have fun while providing service to the Moose Fraternity.

Our Vision: Persuade all qualified Lodge members to join the Moose Legion and do some good thing for someone each day.

Our next Moose Legion meeting will be on Thursday, March 20 at 5:30 pm. Hope to see you there!

Fraternally Yours,

Damon Bortz  
Moose Legion Chairman  
209-890-3813





## EBBETTS PASS MOOSE LODGE #1123 MARCH 2025 CALENDAR

PLEASE CALL THE LODGE TO SIGN UP FOR MEALS 209-795-3112



# March 2025



Sunday 9am—3pm	Monday 3pm—7pm	Tuesday 3pm—7pm	Wednesday 3 pm—7 pm	Thursday 3pm—7pm	Friday 3pm—7pm	Saturday 3pm—7pm
2 BREAKFAST 9— 11:30 am Special: Cowboy Omelet \$15	3 Queen of Hearts 6pm DINNER Chicken Enchilada Casserole by Tess & Rob	4 Board of Officers' Meeting 4PM General Members Meeting 5PM	5 BINGO 6PM Doors open at 5:30 pm	6	7	1 WORKDAY 9 AM DINNER 6PM— Susanne St. Charles
9 BREAKFAST 9— 11:30 am See Board for Special	10 Queen of Hearts 6pm BURGER NIGHT by the Moose Legion	11 WOTM Chapter Meeting 5PM	12 BINGO 6PM Doors open at 5:30 pm	13 DINNER 6 PM, by the WOTM—menu to be announced	14	15 DINNER 6PM—St. Patty's Day Menu, by Susanne St. Charles
16 BREAKFAST 9— 11:30 am See Board for Special Paper Crafting 4PM	17 Queen of Hearts 6pm FISH N CHIPS w/ Clam Chowder by Doug Herman	18 Board of Officers' Meeting 4PM General Members Meeting 5PM	19 BINGO 6PM Doors open at 5:30 pm	20 Moose Legion Meeting 5:30pm, TACO DINNER 6 pm	21	22 DINNER 6PM— Arnold's Angels Fund- raiser—Pizza by Ray Bertolino
23 BREAKFAST 9— 11:30 am See Board for Special	24 Queen of Hearts 6pm BURGER NIGHT by Scales/Campfield	25	26 BINGO 6PM Doors open at 5:30	27	28 DINNER 6pm & KARAOKE 6:30 PM— Menu TBA	29 Celebration of Life for Della & Bob 1 PM POTLUCK
30 BREAKFAST 9— 11:30 am See Board for Special	31 Queen of Hearts 6pm DINNER to be announced					



# HAPPY HOUR

**MONDAY-FRIDAY  
FROM 4-6 P.M.**

**\$1 OFF ALL DRINKS**



Do you have a family member  
graduating from any high school?

**YES!**

Ebbetts Pass Moose Lodge is offering  
scholarships to its members  
children/grandchildren, etc

For more information

**Please contact ASAP**

**Colette Scales**

(EP Scholarship chairperson)

**209-795-5020 cell**

[colettes66@hotmail.com](mailto:colettes66@hotmail.com)

# KARAOKE

EBBETTS MOOSE LODGE 1123



**MARCH 28**

**6:30 - 9:30**

HOSTED BY DON AND RENEE TAYLOR



**BINGO IS BACK STARTING  
WEDNESDAY MARCH 5, 2025.**

**DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 PM**

**GAMES BEGIN AT 6:00 PM**

**THESE GAMES ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.  
EVERY WEDNESDAY**

**VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED  
TO HELP RUN THE GAMES.**

**IF YOU CAN HELP, PLEASE CONTACT  
ANGELA DESMOND AT 209-768-6581**



## St Patrick's Day Dinner Saturday, March 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm

**Potato Leek Soup with Irish Bread, Guinness  
Steakhouse Corned Beef, Irish Champ  
Potatoes, Trio of Vegetables with Parsley  
Mustard Sauce and Pot of Gold Dessert.  
Acoustic Irish Music & A Raffle Basket**



Greetings Brothers and Sisters,

I hope you have all noticed the improvements being made to the Game Room and Social Quarters this year. The building committee has been busy upgrading things for your enjoyment.

There are several new board games you'll find in the new cabinets, thanks to a generous donation. The bar stools in the game room have been reupholstered, and we are in the process of reupholstering the bar stools and table chairs in the Social Quarters.

We last sent a request for donations in November 2019. With those monies collected we were able to install a generator to keep the lodge running during power outages. We also made repairs to the outside of the building and painted the entire building. And of course, one of the biggest projects was installing a new roof on our lodge last year, all thanks to generous donations made by our members.

At this time, Ebbetts Pass Moose and Women of the Moose board members are reaching out to our membership asking for help by donating toward funds to help pay for Fire Insurance. As you know our insurance increased last year from \$8000 to \$21,997.13. In addition, we've been planning to install a handicap bathroom and upgrade the women's bathroom, which we've needed for some time, as well as further upgrades to the Social Quarters.

A separate fundraising effort is also underway to upgrade the playground in our backyard. For those of you who aren't familiar with the lodge history, our building was built in the 1930's and was originally the Blagen Sawmill headquarters. The Moose Lodge started leasing the building in 1978. We are blessed to have such a unique and beautiful location. As stewards of the lodge, we want to make sure it is here for future generations to enjoy and most importantly to continue to help others in our community.

Any monetary donation to help us with the next phase of building improvements or funding of Fire Insurance would be greatly appreciated. Please make your checks payable to EP Moose #1123, with memo line: Lodge Building Fund, mail to LOOM, PO Box 121, Arnold CA 95223. You may also drop donations off in the mail slot of the Administrator's office in the lodge.

We thank you in advance for your generous donation to help keep our lodge amazing.

Bob Barron

President

Patti Corcoran

WOTM Senior Regent

## IN LOVING MEMORY OF BOB BURNS & DELLA TAYLOR



We invite you to join us in honoring and celebrating the life of Bob Burns and Della Taylor. Bob and Della touched the lives of so many with their kindness and love. Family and friends are welcome to come together as we pay tribute to Bob and Della and share memories that will forever remain in our hearts.

Saturday, March 29, 2025 @ 1:00 pm

Moose Lodge 1965 Blagen Road, Arnold, CA 95223

Pot Luck - Please bring a dish to share

For questions or ways to help contact Patti Corcoran 510-427-8569



The Scholarship Committee has been considering how best to apply scholarship funds to our community and members. We will expand our reach in two ways; first, any youth considering Trade School will be eligible and second, our youth that is affiliated with our Ebbetts Pass Moose members will be prioritized.

With this expanded approach we are offering assistance by contacting our members who have (or know of) an eligible Moose youth that will graduate high school in 2025. If you have a child, grand-child or are otherwise related to or affiliated with a student at ANY high school, please let us know.



## March Birthdays

**Have a free drink on the MOOSE anytime during the month of your birthday!**

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|---|---|
| <b>1</b> Sandra Beals, Frank Krauland, Sharon Kruse   | <b>19</b> Andrea Regan, Robert Steve Schuzrmann, Mark Stivers   |
| <b>3</b> Dorothy Atchison, Sylvia Edwards, William Smith Jr., Joshua Wilkinson                      | <b>20</b> Gary Paris, Gary White  |
| <b>4</b> Chris McConnell  | <b>21</b> Sheryl Holshevnikoff, Michelle Lemos, Keith Zuffa   |
| <b>5</b> Daniel Denning, Mark Enea, Jerry Hromyko, Ron Langer, Sandy Theis                          | <b>22</b> Frank Isla  |
| <b>6</b> Robert Barclay, Deanna Ferris, Diane Freier, Richard Gibson                                | <b>23</b> Tyler Ross  |
| <b>7</b> Christye Hatfield, Roger Hennes, Stephanie Meneses   | <b>24</b> Stephanie Devore, Phil Melicker   |
| <b>8</b> Sheri Channell   | <b>25</b> Aaron Brackin, Michael Griffiths  |
| <b>9</b> Max Charlton, Sarah Jones  | <b>26</b> Steve Bristow, Carolyn Jensen, Karen Ann Killian, Cathryn J. Kirby, Kathryn Richards, Rich Thomas |
| <b>10</b> Debbie Bertini, Eric Mortensen, Victoria Rice   | <b>27</b> James Raymond Allison, Debi Lamb, David Maxwell   |
| <b>12</b> Ruth Abreo, Cyndie Hawkins  | <b>28</b> Crystal Rogers  |
| <b>14</b> Richard Brockett, James Lautz   | <b>29</b> Catherine Brady-Brown, David Jackson, Marie Sevier  |
| <b>15</b> Mike Alvord, John Felix, Dixie Kibbee, Earl Rogers  | <b>30</b> Robert Platter  |
| <b>17</b> Debbie Long, Patricia Sweeny  | <b>31</b> Jason Lemon, Michele McLarty, Tim Webb  |
| <b>18</b> Kevin Baxter, April Diliberto, Ruben Gaytan, Evonne Schwandt, Colleen Theis, Chris Walker |   |

## 2024-2025 The MOOSE and WOTM Officers & Chairmen

### MOOSE LODGE #1123

President - Bob Barron	209-286-9036
Administrator - Patti Corcoran	510-427-8569
Vice President - Bill Osincup	209-770-4449
Chaplain— Bonnie Phillips	209-986-8694
Jr Past President - Patti Corcoran	510-427-8569
Treasurer - Doug Bartl	408-515-9677
1 Year Trustee - Kris Bortz	209-890-3813
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3 Year Trustee— Kathy Ganley	209-481-4494
Sgt-at-Arms - Willie Ganley	209-890-7085
Inner Guard - Kathie Mendez	925 813-1676
Outer Guard - Mike Silva	209-890-3855

#### Committees

Application Review - Patti Corcoran	510-427-8569
Financial Review – Scott Corcoran	209-890-3674
Moose Charities - Terry Wong	510-306-7901
Bingo— Angela Desmond	209-768-6581
Heart of Community – Patti Corcoran	510-427-8569
Family Activities— Laurie Ahlberg	408-616-9727
Fellowship - Damon Bortz	925-984-9098
Moose Legion - Damon Bortz	209-984-9098
Lodge Calendar – Kris Bortz	209-890-3813
Medical Equipment – Bob Barron	209-286-9036
Scholarships - Colette Scales	209-795-5020
Membership - Terry Wong	510-306-7901
Communications— Kris Bortz	925-984-9511
Public Relations – vacant	
Ritual Orientation - vacant	
Sports Golf— Kathy Ganley	209-481-4494
Valued Veterans - vacant	
Loss Prevention - Bob Barron	209-795-6871
Workday Coordinator— Barry Macler	
Lodge Website— Hillary Cloud	559-284-3055
SQ (bar) Manager—Maryann Fabian	650-888-6082
Maintenance Committee—vacant	

### WOTM CHAPTER #1714

Senior Regent - Patti Corcoran	510-427-8569
Treasurer – Kim Ulrey	209-329-9882
Secretary - Marjie Norte	619-895-0223
Junior Past Regent—Laurie Ahlberg	408-616-9727
Guide - Share Peterson	209-795-6401

#### Committees

Membership - Terry Wong	510-306-7901
Higher Degrees – Colette Scales	209-795-5020
Fraternal Activities – Maryann Fabian	650-888-6082

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Application Review— Terry Wong	510-306-7901
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