ST. CHARLES MOOSE LODGE #1368

November/December 2026 Edition



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Upcoming Events

Nov. 8th – Moose Legion Family Breakfast 9:00-11:00AM
Shenanigans Sunday 12:30-3PM
Nov. 14th – SQ Bingo 7:00pm
Nov. 22nd – More Than a Turkey Raffle 1:00pm
Nov. 25th – Tortellini Night 5-7pm
Nov. 26th – Lodge Closed for Thanksgiving
Nov. 28th – SQ Bingo 7:00pm

Dec. 12th –SQ Bingo 7:00PM
Dec. 13th – Breakfast with Santa 9-11AM
Dec. 16th – Annual Cookie Walk
Dec. 18th – Xmas Tree Drawing
Dec. 19th – Mecca 9 Wine Tasting 5pm. Music Bingo 7pm
Dec. 20th – WOTM X-Mas Party
Dec. 25th – Lodge Closed Merry Christmas
Dec. 26th - SQ Bingo 7:00pm
Dec. 31st – New Year's Eve Party 4-8pm

Lodge Hours

Lodge Hours:

MONDAY-THURSDAY - 3:30 – 9:00PM
Friday - 3:30-11:00pm
Saturday - 3:30 - 11:00pm
Sunday – 12:00 - 6:00pm

Lodge Hours could change as necessary.
We will keep you posted.

MORE THAN A TURKEY RAFFLE

Sunday – November 22nd
starting time 1:00pm

Join us for our annual More Than a Turkey Raffle! To make it even more fun bring a dish to pass to add to our tables. It is a Bears Game Day!



LOOM NEWS

Hello St Charles 1368 Members

I hope you are all doing well for the start of the holiday season. It's hard to believe there are only two months left of 2026. As we approach Thanksgiving weekend, I am very thankful and appreciative for all the members that continually step in to whatever the various roles we need to have filled by our Lodge volunteers. I am also hopeful to see some new faces help out to prevent fatigue.

Many hands make light work; this is what helps our Lodge move in the direction of progress. We are always looking for fresh outlooks. If you have any suggestions for fun Lodge and our kids' activities, please talk to a board member or come to one of our bi-monthly meetings. They are held at 7:00 p.m. in Till Hall on the first and third Monday of each month. Please be willing to help execute your events and ideas. It takes many people to make it possible.

Please remember to check the weekly blasts and the monthly calendar for current and upcoming activities at our lodge. If you are not receiving the weekly blasts, feel free to scan the QR code next time you are in the lodge to subscribe and start getting weekly reminders of upcoming activities.

Fraternally,

St. Charles 1368

Board President

Mark Bowser

NEW – NEW - NEW

Introducing our new Lodge Library!

Winter is coming when we spend more time inside so – why not pick up a book or puzzle to spend some time with?

It's bring a book or puzzle and take a book or puzzle. Gently used please.

Our library rack will be located in the front hallway.

Enjoy! Lynn Clesen

SICK & DISTRESSED

We pray for all St. Charles LOOM, WOTM and Moose Legion members who are not well and/or dealing with loss and sorrow.
You are all part of the Moose family and we are here for you.

VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

November – Angela Lawson
December – Jill Vergara
Thank You for all you do to support Moose Lodge 1368, WOTM Chapter 512, Mooseheart, Moosehaven and the Community.

SOCIAL QUARTERS BINGO

November 14th & November 28th
December 12th & December 26th

Time: 7:00PM

Price: $14 for 7 games
Doors Prizes
Light Meals for purchase available
5:30-7:00pm Come join the fun!!

SWEET SHOP NEWS

Well, another successful craft show is in the books. Thank you everyone for your donations and support. Without your volunteering we wouldn't be able to accomplish all that we do.

Starting in November we now have a birthday book we're introducing so if you are in on Wednesday during your birthday week you'll get a Free desert. Just a small thank you for your support and a little way for us to celebrate you!

Coming during the holiday season I'll be asking again for your help. Especially with our annual cookie walk. This year's date is December 16th so please think of us when you're making your cookie list. Reminders will be coming on the weekly blast also. As always a heartfelt thank you to each of you.

Sweetly Yours,
Lynn Clesen

WOTM NEWS

The holidays are quickly approaching, and Chapter 512 is hosting some fun activities at the lodge.

Our annual "More than a turkey" fundraiser is being held 11-22 from 1-4 pm. We will have turkeys, hams, ribs and steaks to just name a few. Tickets as always are 6 for $5.00. All non winning tickets will be held for the final turkey to be given away. Also the chapter will be providing food to all who participate in our fundraiser. December brings the annual "Cookie Walk". This favorite event will be held Wednesday 12-16 starting at 5:30. If you wish to donate cookies or candies please reach out to the ladies at our Wednesday night "Sweet Shop" table.

On December 20th the chapter will be hosting a Christmas Party in the hall for all WOTM members beginning at 1:00pm. There will be food and games. A sign up sheet will be posted at the lodge in the coming weeks. Cost will be determined soon along with what we will be serving. Please join us to celebrate Christmas at the lodge.

If you wish to volunteer for any of these upcoming events please reach out. I am at the lodge every Wednesday for dinner.

Happy Holidays to all

Patti, Senior Regent

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MOOSE LEGION NEWS

We are at the halfway point of the 2026-2027 moose year. The campaign Moose “Growing to Serve”.

As I mentioned in the last newsletter the moose legion breakfast is back on the 2nd Sunday of the month from 9:00 to 11:00 am come out for a freshly made breakfast buffet.

Yes, the moose legion is still running the two breakfast specials. The special we started is when you pay $14 for you, then either your spouse, or friend, or guest is only $10 for that person. That is continuing still.

MOOSE LEGION NEWS CONT’D

The Moose Legion also offers a punch card promotion: earn one punch for each $14 buffet breakfast purchased. After four paid meals, your fifth buffet breakfast is free. Join us for the Moose Legion Breakfast on November 8!

On December 12, the Moose Legion will help prepare the Lodge Breakfast with Santa.

As I mention during the Monthly breakfast, we will be hosting one of the Mooseheart homes for breakfast. So come and meet the students from one of the homes. In November, the children from the Antionette Home will be at breakfast. Then at the December breakfast, it will be the North Carolina Home.

The St. Charles Moose Legion invites the Lodge’s valued veterans to enjoy a free buffet breakfast on November 8 as a small token of thanks for their military service.

Here is a breakdown on where a portion of the annual dues of $20 for the moose legion goes to:

- $2.50 to Moosehaven Operations
- $2.50 for the Moosehaven Senior Medical Fund
- $1.75 for the operation of Mooseheart’s Camp Ross
- $3.25 for International Moose Legion Operations

Additionally, each jurisdiction donates to our annual Moose Legion projects including:

- A designated amount per member toward an annual capital project
- A minimum of $0.60 per member toward scholarships awarded at the annual Moose International Youth Awareness Congress and fund Mooseheart student trips. Of course, the moose legion also collects monies and raises funds to support the Mooseheart / Moosehaven Endowment Fund.

So, for $20 a year you can join the moose legion and start having more fun. We have fun with moose legion monthly breakfast, summer time cookouts, and Steak fry’s, and we also hold raffles throughout the year.

Upcoming Moose Legion events, in addition to the breakfast, include: Annual Moose Legion Christmas tree raffle

December 5th is the tree Lighting at Mooseheart, watch for more information on this and other events.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jim Buenrostro, Assistant Moose Legion Secretary

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