

ST. CHARLES MOOSE LODGE #1368

November/December 2025 Edition

St. Charles Moose Lodge 1368
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Women of the Moose, Chapter 512
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Upcoming Events

Nov. 8th – SQ Bingo 6:30 pm
Nov. 9th – Moose Legion Family
Breakfast 9-11 AM
Mecca 9 Wine Tasting - Noon
Nov. 16th – More Than a Turkey
Raffle 1:00PM
Nov. 22nd - SQ Bingo 6:30pm
Pizza Party 5-7PM
Nov. 26th – Lodge Annual Tortellini
Night 5-7PM
Nov. 27th – Lodge Closed, Happy
Thanksgiving

Dec. 7th – Chili Cook-Off & Bears
Jersey Drawing
Dec. 13th – SQ Bingo 6:30PM
Dec. 14th – Breakfast with Santa
9:00-11:00am
Dec. 17th – Annual Cookie Walk
Dec. 25th – Lodge Closed, Merry
Christmas

Lodge Hours

Lodge Hours:

Monday - Closed
Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday – 3:30 – 9:00PM
Friday - 3:30-11:00pm
Saturday - 1:00 - 9:00pm
Sunday – 12:00 - 6:00pm

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

MORE THAN A TURKEY RAFFLE

November 16, 2025
Please bring a dish to share!

Join us for a fun day of turkeys, ham and more!

Raffle starts at 1:00PM



LOOM NEWS

Hello fellow members. Yet another 2 months have gone by and things are continuing to roll on and more things are getting done. Around the Lodge's bulletins boards you will see an updated lodge improvement list. All but 3 things have been completed and 8 more projects have been added and completed. We have a little bit more to do on the inside of the building like painting the pantry, painting what I call the ice machine room and painting all of the floors with a non skid paint.

We have turned the supply room in Social Quarters into the new kids and the old kids room in Till Hall into the supply room. I would like to give a huge shout out to Mike Stengler for helping me with a lot of the projects that are on the lodge to do list. He has always been there for me whenever I have needed help and I cannot thank him enough so kudos Sir.

We have a new Treasure on the Board by the name of Mitchell Vincent he brings to us a can-do attitude and much needed younger ideas so, if you see him around the Lodge please congratulate him.

We are seeking donations for the "Operation Bar Stool". We have the list of donors names on the wall over by the popcorn machine and a goal thermometer with a goal of \$12,000.00. We are a little over half way to our goal. If you would like to contribute to this very needed cause please see one of the bartenders or a board member. Mitch Katkus from MK Movers has given us a very healthy donation of three smart TV's and the complete NFL package. This means you can now watch any NFL game here at the Lodge on five different TV's so come on out and enjoy the games along with Dans Dogs. A HUGE thankyou to MK Movers for this generous donation.

In closing I would like to thank all of you for your support and patience with us moving forward.

Sincerely,

Daniel C. Orland

President

VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

November – Mike Stengler

December – Donna Holbrook

Thank You for all you do to support Moose Lodge
1368, WOTM Chapter 512, Mooseheart,
Moosehaven and the Community.

SOCIAL QUARTERS BINGO

November 8th & November 22nd
December 13th & December 27th

Time: 6:30PM

Price: \$14 for 7 games

Doors Prizes

Light Meals for \$5.00 available
5:30-7:00pm Come join the fun!!

SICK & DISTRESSED

We pray for all St. Charles LOOM and WOTM
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.

CHILI COOK-OFF

December 7th during the Bears vs. Packers Game
bring out your award-winning Chili!

Tasting will be during Halftime of the Bears Game.
\$5.00 donation to enter & \$5.00 donation for
tasting.

Competitors, please have your Chili warm and
ready to serve.

Also, you have a chance to win a Bears Jersey!

WOTM NEWS

Where has the time gone, we are already looking forward to the holidays! We have a lot to be thankful for, our families and friends The children at Mooseheart and Our Seniors at Moosehaven. We have a meat raffle on November 12th from 5:30-7:00 for Mooseheart and Moosehaven.. Then on Saturday November 16th we have MORE THAN A TURKEY RAFFLE so please come join us and win some meat

We have our famous COOKIE WALK on December 17th from 5:30-7:00. Please bring your cookies, candies etc so others can buy them. If you have any ideas for fund raisers please let us know we welcome all ideas. Please keep your dues current so that we can fulfill our obligations to support Mooseheart and Moosehaven, we do so much for each. We hope that you and yours have a very safe and wonderful holidays!.

Sincerely
Shari Young, Senior Regent

MOOSE LEGION NEWS

It's November already, the holidays are right around the corner. Before you know it, we will be wrapping up 2025, and welcoming 2026. As I have mention before the St Charles Moose Legion is looking for men that would like to step up to the next part of the Lodge Fraternalism. The moose legion is the first step, The next step in the moose legion is the Fellowship degree of Honor. As I stated in my previous newsletter article. There are requirements to earn the Fellowship degree of Honor. Those requirements are posted on the Moose Legion section of the Bulletin board outside of the office. There are 5 basic requirements that a moose legionnaire must meet in order to be eligible to be considered for the Fellowship Degree of Honor.

MOOSE LEGION NEWS CONT'D

addition to those mandatory five items, they must also satisfy eight (8) of twelve (12) items on the list. Reports are run monthly to determine if a member has met the criteria. If you have questions Take a copy of the requirements that's on the bulletin board to review. If you have questions, then ask a moose legionnaire fellow.

I am happy to report that the moose legion steak fry on September 30th was a success. We served 99 dinners that night. I would like to thank all who made the evening a success

The moose legion meets right after the Queen of Hearts drawing about 7:10 at the St. Charles lodge on the first Tuesday of the month. Don't forget to come to the St. Charles Moose Legion Sunday breakfast. It is on the 2nd Sunday of the month. As you all know, the moose legion had to raise the cost of breakfast to \$14 and \$6.00 for children. For \$14 where can you get a nice hot all you can eat buffet breakfast that includes coffee, orange juice and milk. The Moose Legionnaires are in the kitchen early that Sunday making everything fresh.

At the November 9th Moose Legion breakfast, the moose legion would like to honor the veterans with a free breakfast. So, if you are a St Charles Lodge Value veteran, just show you card for a free breakfast. It's our way of saying thank you for your service in the military

Moose Legionnaires, if you missed the Moose legion fun day we had in August, We Had a baked Potato bar and Tacos, and those in attendance enjoyed a afternoon of games and good food. Watch the blast, or banners at the lodge for our next one.

The St Charles Moose Legion unit is always looking for members, so men if you would like to become a Moose Legionnaire, please see a Moose Legionnaire for more information. Our dues are only \$20 a year, As I stated earlier the moose legion meets the first Tuesday of the month, right after the Queen of Hearts drawing. If you join now and attend the conferral the Moose legion will pay your dues for the second year. If you have any questions please ask myself or Mike Vergara Moose legion Chairman.

Jim Buenrostro
Moose Legion Assistant Secretary

NOVEMBER EVENTS



Breakfast BUFFET

**2nd Sunday
Every Month
9:00-11:00AM
ALL YOU CAN EAT**

Scramble eggs, Made to Order Omelets, Bacon, Sausage, Cheesy Potatoes, Hash Browns, French Toast, Pancakes, Biscuits & Gravy, Corned Beef Hash, Fruit, Coffee, Orange Juice and Milk are included.

Prepared by the
St. Charles Moose Legion



Wine Tasting Event

\$15.00 per person

Sunday, November 9th at Noon
St. Charles Moose Lodge
2250 Lincoln Hwy., St. Charles IL

Please RSVP to
Todd 630-675-4232
For Moose Members
and Qualified Guests

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Mecca 9



MORE THAN A
**TURKEY
RAFFLE**

**TURKEYS,
HAMS & MORE**

**NOVEMBER 16TH
1:00-4:00PM**

*Potluck Bring a
Dish to Share!*



St. Charles
Moose Lodge

TORTELLINI NIGHT

November 26th

SERVED 5:00-7:00pm

DECEMBER EVENTS

"Turn Up the Heat & Taste the Flavor!"

CHILI Cook-Off

Join Our Chili Cook-Off 2025
SUN. DEC 7TH
DURING THE BEARS/PACKERS GAME
TASING WILL BE AT HALFTIME

\$5
ENTRY
DONATION

\$5
TASTING
DONATION

COMPETITORS PLEASE BRING YOUR
CHILI WARMED & READY TO SERVE

ST. CHARLES MOOSE LODGE



JOIN US
FOR A
PIZZA PARTYS

NOV. 22 & DEC. 13 : 5-7PM

Menu List :

- Cheese-\$16
- Pepperoni-\$18
- Sausage-\$18
- Supreme-\$20
- Additional Toppings-\$2

Made to Order!!
PreOrders are encouraged



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

December 14th
9:00-11:00AM



Women of the Moose Annual

COOKIE WALK

Fundraiser

Wednesday | December 17th
5:30-7:00pm

**Come out and purchase
all your favorite
holiday treats!**

If you would like to donate
cookies, please have them to the
Lodge by 5PM on December 17th



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MOOSE
MOVING FORWARD, GIVING BACK
May 1, 2025 - April 30, 2026

Our Fraternity has made a commitment to being ever present in our communities. By continuing our positive momentum, we make our meaningful contributions a reality. To move forward, we must make a positive impact on our society, by giving back.

Sponsor 5 Members

Members attaining Sponsors of Distinction status by sponsoring 25 members during the **MOVING FORWARD, GIVING BACK** membership drive will receive free basic registration for our 2026 International Moose Convention in Oklahoma City, OK. Additional information can be found on www.mooseintl.org.



lapel pins are presented by your Lodge, Chapter or Moose Legion to individuals that sponsor their first member during the campaign.

Sponsor 1 Member

MOVING FORWARD, GIVING BACK

Funds will be used toward the purchase of a backup generator for Moosehaven's computer server room. This is important for keeping their offices running in case of power failure, protecting the residents' electronic records. Contributions are courtesy of your Association, the Women of the Moose, and the Moose Legion.

Sponsor 25 Members



Moose Legion/Women of the Moose pin