



Norwood Moose Lodge #301
Monthly Newsletter
UPCOMING EVENTS AND LODGE UPDATES
January - February 2026

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GRILL ROOM HOURS:

SUNDAY: 12:00 PM – 10 PM
MONDAY-THURSDAY: 2:00 PM – 12 AM
FRIDAY: 2:00 PM – 1:00 AM
SATURDAY: 12:00 PM – 1:00 AM

2025-2026 LODGE OFFICERS:

Administrator: Jim Brown
President: Craig Spille
Jr. Past President: Michael Moore
Vice President: Tim Monopole
Chaplain: James Arthur
Treasurer: Larry Moore
Trustee 1 year: Megan Noe
Trustee 2 year: Melissa Lohr
Trustee 3 year: Phil Cintron

LODGE MEETING DATES:

General Membership Meeting:

1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month at 7 PM

- January 7th & January 21st
- February 4th & February 18th

Planning Meeting :

- February 2nd at 6 PM

Please consider attending the next Planning Meeting. We will be planning events for *March and April 2026* and would love to have your input on ideas for activities here at the Moose Lodge. This is your club and we want to plan events that you would enjoy attending.



Monthly Highlighted Events:

January

- **1st** - New Years Day. Lodge Open 2PM-12AM. Left Right Center Played All Day. QOH & Split the Pot. (Donations to Autism Society).
- **3rd** - Take Down Christmas Decorations 2PM. Volunteers Needed.
- **4th** - Bengals VS Browns Time TBD
- **5th** - Singo 6:30PM-8:30PM. Kitchen Open 6PM-8PM. All Regular Menu Items Available.
- **6th** - Grover E-Bingo Slot Tournament. Starts at 6:30PM Buy In: \$40. Food Provided For Participants.
- **7th** - Officers Meeting 5:45PM. Membership Meeting 7PM.
- **8th** - QOH & Split the Pot (Donations to Lydia's House).
- **10th** - Steak Hoagie & Fries \$8 5:30PM-7:30PM. Texas Hold Em 7PM - \$30 Buy-In.
- **15th** - QOH & Split the Pot (Donations to Baby Bear).
- **16th** - Nacho Bingo 6:30PM-8:30PM. Bingo Cards \$1 each. Loaded Nachos \$8.00. Served from 6PM-8PM.
- **18th** - Middletown Lodge: Moose Legion Meeting 11AM. District Meeting 1PM.
- **19th** - Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Kitchen Open 6PM-8PM.
- **21st** - Officers Meeting 5:45PM. Membership Meeting 7PM.
- **22nd** - QOH & Split the Pot (Donations to Norwood Senior Center).
- **24th** - Kitchen Open 6PM-8PM. All Regular Menu Items Available. Music & Karaoke With DJ Tim 7PM-11PM.
- **29th** - QOH & Split the Pot (Donations to Mooseheart).
- **31st** - DEADLINE TO PAY OFF \$100 SUPER BOWL SQUARES

February

- **2nd** - Planning Meeting 6PM. (March & April) Singo 6:30PM-8:30PM. Kitchen Open 6PM-8PM. All Regular Menu Items Available.
- **4th** - Officers Meeting 5:45PM. Membership Meeting 7PM.
- **5th** - QOH & Split the Pot. (Donations to Autism Society).
- **8th** - Super Bowl Party. Lodge Closes 5PM & Reopens 5:30PM For Party. MUST ALREADY BE SIGNED UP ON \$35 BOARD TO ATTEND.
- **10th** - Grover E-Bingo Slot Tournament. Starts at 6:30PM. Buy In: \$40. Food provided for participants.
- **11th** - Nominations For Officers Positions Open. OSMA Convention Cleveland.
- **12th** - QOH & Split the Pot. (Donations to Lydia's House). OSMA Convention Cleveland.
- **13th** - OSMA Convention Cleveland.
- **14th** - Valentines Day Party. Chicken Parmesan Dinner (Spaghetti Marinara, Garlic Bread, and Salad) \$10. Starts at 5:30PM. DJ Tim 7PM-11PM. OSMA Convention Cleveland.
- **15th** - OSMA Convention Cleveland.
- **16th** - Presidents Day
- **18th** - Officers Meeting 5:45PM. Membership Meeting 7PM. Ash Wednesday.
- **19th** - QOH & Split the Pot (Donations to Baby Bear).
- **20th** - Fish Fish Fry 6PM-8PM. Late Night Freeway Band 7PM-11PM.
- **21st** - Open Faced Roast Beef Dinner \$10. Served 5:30PM-7:30PM. Texas Hold Em 7PM - \$30 Buy-In.
- **26th** - QOH & Split the Pot (Donations to Norwood Senior Center).
- **27th** - Fish Fry 6PM-8PM. Acoustic Mayhem Band 7PM-10PM.
- **28th** - Nacho Bingo 6:30PM-8:30PM. Bingo Cards \$1 each. Loaded Nachos \$8.00. Served 6PM-8PM.

Brothers and Sisters,

I would like to thank all of you for the honor of representing you and our Lodge this year. I would like to extend great thanks to all of the volunteers for our many events that keep this place fun. The lodge does not operate without your efforts.



The Lodge Adult Christmas Party took place on 12/13/25 despite the snow, and of course was a great time. The Lydia's House and the Lodge Kids Christmas Party were as usual a great success and I'm sure the kids really appreciated the party. The volunteers for all of these events are greatly appreciated and deserve thanks from everyone.


Even though the Bengals season is a bust I look forward to seeing a good crowd for the remaining games with good food. This season we have had a Chili and a Soup Cookoff, both of which were delicious and fun, even though I couldn't take first in either. We have many events scheduled to include Slot Tournaments, Trivia, and Singo to name a few. Our major event still to come is the Superbowl party, which has the food planning well underway. The \$35 board still has a few spots remaining, purchase will guarantee entry to the party which includes all food and drinks during the party (Beer and Bottom-Shelf Liquor). The \$100 board is sold out and if you still owe money, it must be paid off by 1/31/26.

We are always looking for ideas to keep the Lodge active and all ideas are welcome, please feel free to communicate with any Board Member. You're always encouraged to attend an upcoming General Membership Meeting or the Lodge Planning Meeting to learn more about what is taking place at the Lodge. Please remember your Moose Family and continue your support of the Endowment Fund, and the 9 O'clock ceremony. Don't forget our Holiday Hours will be Regular Hours on Christmas Eve, Closed on Christmas Day, 2PM-10PM on New Years Eve and Regular hours on New Year's Day (Left, Right, Center all day on New Year's Day). There will be no Queen of Hearts drawing on Christmas.



Make sure you mark your calendars for Fridays starting 2/20/26 for the Lodge Fish Fries. I look forward to seeing you around the Lodge this Winter!

Fraternally yours,
Craig Spille, President

 **SUPER BOWL PARTY** 

 **Sunday, February 8th**

**Lodge closes at 5:00 PM
Reopens at 5:30 PM for the party**

 **Must already be signed up on the
\$35 board to attend** 

 **FISH FRYS ARE BACK!** 

Every Friday

 **February 20th – March 27th**

 **Fish Platter – \$10**

Includes:

- Fish
- Cole slaw
- Mac and cheese
- French fries

2025-2026 Norwood Moose Lodge 301 - \$2,500 Scholarship

Norwood Moose Lodge 301 is offering a \$2,500 scholarship to a 2025 Graduating High School Senior attending a 2 or 4 year college or trade school.

Requirements To Qualify For The Scholarship:

- Parent, Grandparent or Guardian must be a member of Norwood Moose Lodge 301
- Student must have a grade point average of 2.5 - 4.0 or 83 on a 100 scale
- Student must submit a signed official transcript includes the first half of their senior year
- Student must submit a no more than 2-page essay on the subject "The Value of Volunteerism with a supervisor's signature

Applications accepted after January 1st, 2026 and before April 2026

Submit applications to: Moose Lodge #301 - Scholarship. 2006 Mills Ave Norwood, Ohio 45212

Questions regarding the Loyal Order of the Moose organization or the Scholarship may be directed to the Board of Officers by email at norwoodmoose301@gmail.com

The Norwood Moose Lodge #301 is looking to hire a General Contractor or skilled handyman to help with maintenance and repair projects around the Lodge. If you or someone you know is reliable, experienced, and interested in helping, we'd love to hear from you! Types of work may include: General drywall and painting, renovating behind the bar, basic electrical and plumbing, and tile work. If you're interested or have a recommendation, please email norwoodmoose301@gmail.com.

Get Engaged!

Stay up to date by using the Norwood Moose Lodge #301 website norwoodmoose301.org. You will find the monthly newsletter and calendars, information about the Moose Fraternity, a link to Moose International on how to join or for payment of dues and more!

Be sure to check Facebook for weekly updates, reminders, calendars and occasionally a fun picture or two.

EMAIL ADDRESSES NEEDED:

It is important that the Lodge has your current email address. The Lodge sends notifications of special meetings, calendars and newsletters electronically. Please send your name and email address to norwoodmoose301@gmail.com so our records can be updated accordingly.