

**1st Thursday
May 2nd
Taco Bar**

**Chicken Ropin"
Saturday,
May 4th
@5:30**

Moose Lodge #602 May Newsletter

MOOSE HAPPENINGS

As I start to write this May newsletter, I realize this is my last writing as Governor of Moose Lodge 602. Where did the time go? During the 1st meeting in May we will be electing the new officers and at the 2nd meeting those in new positions will be seated and Mr. Trent Boner will begin his term as your Governor. Trent is very energetic with great ideas and high expectations and goals for himself and the new board. Nothing but the best of luck to Trent and all of the new board members. The members of this great Lodge do not often receive the recognition they deserve. Look at what you have done in the last two years: new roof on the lodge, new emergency door in the bar area, fire place upgrade, cleaning, paint and equipment upgrade and new lighting in the kitchen, complete remodel of both mens and women's restrooms, Lil' Pokes room, and last but not least new freezer, storage area with new electrical and lighting. It was all made possible by the involvement, support and hard work of everyone! Thank you and keep it up. To everyone who has helped me and the current board through the past 2 years, I can't express enough how much it has meant. I was completely unprepared when I joined the board in 2014. So many people have "been there" when needed and called upon that I will not attempt to name them, but you know who you are-and THANKS

Queen of Hearts

With 14 cards already turned face up, the pot continues to grow. We are going into May with a total pot of \$9,468. It has been good to see the "snow birds" returning and coming to the Moose to play the game. As we go into the new fiscal year it is my hope to "share" the ticket sales duty with others. Anyone interested in working the ticket sales please let me know. It would be great to work an alternating schedule with others, much like the cook schedule. Think about it.

Lodge Activities

May 2nd - First Thursday - Queen of Hearts and Taco Bar

May 4th - Kentucky Derby on the big screen doors open at 4:00

May 4th - Chicken Roping - kids rope at 5:30 and adults start at 6:30 there will be a calcutta for each roping

Scholarship Fundraiser

We are proud to announce that we have a new scholarship committee and they are hitting the ground running. They are raffling off 4 club level tickets to see the Denver Broncos vs the Buffalo Bills on Nov. 24th at New Era Field In Orchard Park, NY. The winner receives 4 club level tickets and \$2,000 in travel money! In case you forgot, Wyoming's own Josh Allen is the starting quarterback for the Bills!!!

Tickets are \$50 and will be sold at all 1st Thursdays as well as by committee members. Contact Breck Wagstaff 351-1295, Raegen Hubbard 359-0574 or Kyle Haar 359-0808 for tickets.

In Closing

It has been a good fast and productive couple of years. Our lodge is way ahead of the curve in the Wyoming-Nebraska region. We are the youngest (in ave. age), most active and highest in membership coming in and retention. We enjoy the least amount of winning and sniveling and negative comments in the Mountain Region! Tim Tillard asked me, "How is our Moose Lodge compared to others around the area of same size?" I told him and I am telling all of you, There are none that can compare and there is not even a fairly close 2nd place. Congratulations

Happy Trails - Until Next Time
3 G'S
Great Grandpa Gomez

YOUR OUTGOING BOARD MEMBERS

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