





Official Communication from Territory 25 Manager Matthew Moeggenberg for Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi 6/6/2024

### Free Fraternal Lodge Moose Sign

With the closing of the Natchez, MS. moose lodge there are backlit signs panels that any lodge that can have for the taking. The panels are about 2 years old and 3 feet by 4 feet. Please let me know if you would like to collect them or any questions you may have concerning the sign frame and pole which is also available if you have them removed.

There will be a lodge grant for signage however your fraternal lodge has to have your President and Administrator or one of them or a designated delegate attend the international convention along with other items therefore if your fraternal lodge needs a sign then lets get this one for your lodge.



### **Annual lodge Survey and Social Quarters Analysis.**

I have sent out calendar requests to each of the lodges with the required documents I need to complete these two reports. If you have not received the request or if the date and time will not work please let me know right away as I have a very limited time to complete these reports.

#### Moose of the Year Nominations

Please have your Junior Past President head up your committee to nominate your fraternal lodge moose of the year. The Premier Lodge Award requires your fraternal lodge to nominate.

#### **Important Date Calendar Events**

I have begun to send out calendar requests for important dates. If you accept these dates than you will have a reminder every time you have an important task to complete every year. Please accept these requests to have them add to your email calendar.

#### **New Lodge Visit Report**

After my lodge visits you will receive an action plan for items that need to be corrected. This is not a "Write up" but a list of items that need to be corrected with a date and person to correct the noncompliant issue. A sample of the action plan is below. Each board member will be emailed the action plan if they are responsible for an action item.

#### **ACTION PLAN**

ITEM TO BE COMPLETED	RESPONSIBLE PARTY	DATE TO BE COMPLETED
Attach the missing bank statements	President Mike Rynearson, Vice President Jimmie Woods	3/31/2024
Appoint Outer Guard, and Membership	President Mike Rynearson	4/1/2024

### 23-24 PLA Appeals Deadline 6/9 and Leadership Awards Deadline 6/13

If you believe you have completed all the required items to receive the Premier Lodge Award please send me your concerns and I will submit your appeal. Time is limited therefore do not let this appeal opportunity pass send me your concern and proof of compliance and you can ensure your membership does not lose their opportunity to be even more prideful of their fraternal lodges' achievements.



Territory 25 has over 11,000 members and yet we only have 152 members registered to attend our Annual Convention. The President and the Administrators are to attend the annual convention per general law Sec. 35.1 and Sec. 36.12.

#### Online registration link:

https://secure.mooseintl.org/MooseRegistration/login.aspx?id=obkhsClV%2bE9sVdKhYxlghg%3d%3d

# 2-HOTT Class Registration Form

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete all of the information on this form and then email to mmoeggenberg@mooseintl.org \*\*\*\*\*\*\* No Later than Thursday June 20, 2024 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **PART I – 2-HOTT Class Information:** Class Location: Meridian, MS. Moose Lodge # 7405 Old Hwy 80 W, Meridian, MS 39307 @ 7405 Old Hwy 80 W, Meridian, MS 39307 Please bring your computer to class. If need be, 2 people may use the same computer. You may print the manuals on LCL WEB as well as the Quickbooks from the Moose International website. Go to Moose training and pull up forms and documents. You will find the manuals under the resource button. The charge for the class will be \$40.00. There will be lunch at the Lodge for a nominal fee. Class Dates & Times: June 22, 2024 at the Meridian Lodge from 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. **PART II – Student Information:** Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MID #\_\_\_\_ Street:

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_ Phone #: Email \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Lodge/Chapter/Legion Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_/ Current Office Held: **YOUR** Experience (check one for each row): With QuickBooks: New User Some Experience Experienced User With LCL: New User Some Experience Experienced User

(typing, navigation, software installation, etc.)

IMPORTANT: Please contact your Registration Contact immediately if you need to cancel your attendance for any reason!

With Computers: Novice Basic Skills Advanced Skills

### Moose International Membership Campaign for 2024-2025



# Moose: "Embrace Our Community"

"Embrace our Community" highlights the good that our Fraternity has provided to our local communities for the past 100+ years and promotes what we will continue to do into the future. We embrace our communities with awareness of the Moose, ask how we as a Fraternity can assist, and invite them to join us in support of their/our community.

## No Application Fee for Online Applications with Two Year's Dues

Beginning today, the \$20 application fee will be waived for new and re-enrolled members who sign up to join a lodge through the online application for two years. This promotion is scheduled to run through December 31, 2024. Only individuals who are signed through the ONLINE application and commit to TWO years will have the application fee waived. All other applications will still incur the \$20 fee. The online application is available on <a href="https://www.beamoose.org">www.beamoose.org</a> or can be accessed through the Moose Membership Mobile App

# Lodge "Plus One" Incentive Offered

The Moose International Board of Directors has approved a new incentive for fiscal year 2024-25 that will rebate the ABCD portion of dues paid to Moose International (\$38) for every member over the lodge's final active member count from fiscal year 2023-24 (which ended on April 30, 2024). For example, if a lodge has a final active member count of 100 at midnight on April 30, 2024, and has a final active member count of 115 at midnight on April 30, 2025, the lodge would receive \$570 back from Moose International. Lodges achieving a gain of 1-29 members will receive the credit to their A/R, while lodges achieving a gain of 30+ members will receive a check following the end of this next fiscal year. There is no cap or limit to the number of cash rebates a lodge can earn.

# **Alternative Lodge Annual Convention Delegate letter**

Your lodge can use the letter below to create a Lodge letterhead if you need to have an alternate delegate for the Annual Convention. It is imperative that you have a lodge representative at the annual convention. You will need to have the General Membership vote for your chosen delegate and then complete the letter with the chosen delegates Name and Moose ID number.







TUSCALOOSA MOOSE LODGE 804

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(205) 556-8778

Dear Cherie Staples,

The general membership of our fraternal lodge has voted on xx/xx/2024 for xxxxxxxxx xxxxxx with a Moose international ID # of xxxxxxxxx to serve as our alternate delegate for the Administrator or President at the Moose International Convention.

President's Signature	Administrators Signature	
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State President's Signature		
Lodge seal applied below (if available)		

Email this letter to your State District president for approval before mailing to Cherie Staples.

Mail to:
Cherie Staples
Executive Assistant to the Chief Executive Officer
Compliance Office
Moose International
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