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**Highland Lodge #2479  
meets the second Monday of every month  
at 7:30 P.M. at area businesses  
and  
the fourth Monday of every month  
at 7:30 P.M. at the  
Helvetia Sharpshooters Building  
(unless notified otherwise)**

**Highland Lodge #2479**

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**Highland Moose Meetings**  
 Board Meeting 6:30 P.M. • General Meeting 7:30 P.M.  
**July 28 - Sharpshooters Hall**  
**Aug. 11 - Charlie Dave's**  
**Aug. 25 - Sharpshooters Hall**

**Dates to Remember**  
 (Also see calendar page)

- July 27 - District 9 Breakfast at O'Fallon
- Aug. 2 - Highland Triathlon Traffic Help
- Aug. 10 - Family Picnic
- Aug. 21 - MAD Thursday
- Sept. 13 - Moose Night Out at The Back Porch
- Sept. 28 - Highland Moose Golf Outing
- Oct. 4 - Special Olympics Bocce at Glik Park
- Oct. 19 - Chili Cookoff at Sharpshooters
- Nov. 8 - Chicken & Beer & Gun Raffle at Sharpshooters

**Family Picnic**

The Highland Lodge Family Picnic will be held at the Sportsmen's Club on Sunday, August 10. This is open to members, guests and prospective members, and of course, children. The Moose will provide beverages, fried chicken, bratwurst and hot dogs and all attendees are asked to bring a covered dish or dessert. There will be pinatas with candy and toys for the children in addition to fishing, bean bag toss, playground, etc. Adults will have bocce ball, bean bags, fishing, fun and fellowship. This is a fun time. The Highland Moose Lady of the Year will be presented. There will be a 50/50 drawing, Queen of Hearts and the Summer Raffle for the vacation packages. (Please sell those tickets!)

**Sunshine Child at Mooseheart**



Regular correspondence is important to the children. Children love to receive mail on their birthdays, on holidays or just a little note letting them know you are thinking about them. Gift cards or cash are always welcome.

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the address below.

Please send all correspondence:  
 Jeff Leigh II, c/o Sunshine Department  
 115 James J. Davis Drive, Mooseheart, IL 60539

**Dues Coming Due**

We will be listing a month in advance when your Moose dues are due. This will be a "heads up" in case you missed the mailing from Moose International. Those due in August: (Note: Some may have already paid)\*

- |                 |               |                 |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Don Carnley     | Barry Duhasek | Mark Voegel Sr. |
| Gary Bargetzi   | Brad Michael  | Jason Wiegand   |
| David Ellis     | Chuck Taylor  | Gaye Michael    |
| Justin Fitterer |               |                 |

\*REMINDER: you must be current to qualify for the Queen of Hearts.

## Membership



Sign one (1) member - receive lapel pin and free dinner at Highland Lodge annual Anniversary Banquet.

Application fee \$20.00 - total fee - \$60.00

Welcome New Members:

*Member*

Luke Kapp  
Ron Hoette  
Nick Sparlin  
Matt Powers  
Ezra Pino

*Sponsor*

Michael Gentry  
Mark Hoette  
Marshall Rinderer  
Jon Gould  
Jon Gould

## Happy Birthday

to the following members with a July birthday:

Chad Fergesen  
Adam Wilke  
Roger Young, Sr.  
Steve Krotz  
Aaron Gelly  
Anthony Zappia  
Daryl Merkle  
Dwight Rutz  
Randy Donaldson  
Leonard Niggli  
Tom Head  
Kyle Talleur  
Adam Hanebrink  
Steve Heimsath  
Don Willeford  
Don Gunter, Jr.  
Clarence Kapp



Ron Kapp  
Ted Mettler  
Dennis Rinderer  
Randy Manley  
David Wirz  
Bob Frank  
Kent Korte  
Tim Lawson  
Russell Heuberger  
Wayne Keeven  
Jim Schmitt  
Dan Ashford  
Ron Zbinden  
Joe Dodd  
Marshall Rinderer  
Paul Sanford  
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**Special Birthday Drawing** – All names of members with a July birthday will be put in a “hat” for \$10.00. You must be present to win. June winner was Torre Rutz.

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## Moose-ings

Congratulations to Dennis Rinderer, who retired from Bradford Bank with a thank you ceremony on July 7. Nice going, Dennis!

Thanks to Broadway Battery and Tire for loaning us a refrigerator, Cygan-Delaney for the use of their grill and Rural King for providing the LP for the pork steak stand at the Schweizerfest.

Thanks to Mark Voegele and Marx Brothers for hosting our July 14 meetings.

Queen of Hearts Update: Dave (Ishkabible) Knebel's name was drawn at the Anniversary Banquet, but he drew the 4 of Clubs. Mike Wetzel's name was drawn at the July 14 meeting and the 6 of Diamonds was drawn for him. Next drawing at the July 28 meeting at the Sharpshooters with the jackpot over \$4900.00.

Thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Dane Meink for donating a computer tablet to our “Sunshine Child”.

Congratulations to Derrick “Lambo” Lambert, who won the \$27 50-50 at the July 14 meeting and donated it to the Food Pantry.

Special thanks to Rodney Griffith who donated \$100 back to the Bowling for Boobies from his 50/50 winnings!

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## From The Governor

Thanks to all who helped with the projects this past month and those who attended the Anniversary Banquet. Looking forward to seeing everyone at the upcoming events.

Ken Kapp, Governor



# DOWN MEMORY LANE

The Highland Moose Lodge 2479 1st visit to Mooseheart, The Child City and School, was in September 2006.



Pictured left to right: Mr. & Mrs. Dave Wirz, Mr. & Mrs. Roscoe Ammann, Mr. & Mrs. Dan Talleur, Mr. & Mrs. John Kutz, Mr. & Mrs. Mike Lengermann, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Pacatte, Mr. & Mrs. Darrel Rinderer.

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## Moose Logo & Items

Moose logos that can be put on shirts, jackets, sweatshirts, etc. are available for \$5.00 at Compustitch on the square. Take your apparel to them and they will sew it on for you.

## Highland Youth Triathlon

Highland Lodge 2479 has volunteered to help with traffic control on Saturday, August 2. Meet at the pavilion by the swimming pool in Lindendale Park by 8:15. Event should end by 10:00.

## MAD Thursday

We would like for each member to wear his Moose shirt on the 3rd Thursday of each month. The next MAD Thursday (Moose Awareness Day) will be on August 21. If you "get caught" by a Highland Member without your Moose shirt (if you are permitted to wear one to work), you will be fined \$1.00 which will go to the Food Pantry. Show your Highland pride.

## Moose Call Sponsors

The annual ad fee (\$50.00) is due in August. Dave will be contacting all current businesses to see if they wish to continue and if any changes are needed to their ad.

## Condolences

The members and families of Highland Lodge #2479 offer their prayers and extend their deepest sympathy to the family and friends of:

Alice Luitjohan (Pete Korte's sister)  
Aloys Lengermann (Jim Lengermann's father)  
Gladys Lanphere (Dean Lanphere's wife)  
Cliff Gruenenfelder (Julie Ammann's uncle)  
Burnell Hartlieb (Phyllis Sandlin's brother)  
Darlene Schlegel (Lisa Lange's mother)  
Jay Rinderer (Darrell & Jean Rinderer's son)  
Lorraine Jakel (David S. Korte's sister)  
John Wellen (Linda Heimsath's father)

## 17th Anniversary Banquet

We had over 100 Moose members, wives and guests for the Anniversary Banquet and Appreciation Night on June 30.

Special thanks to the following for making our 17th Anniversary Banquet a success:

- Chef Todd Schrage, Daryn Riechmann and Garry Werner - cooked the ribeye steaks
- Highland's Tru Buy - prepared the cheese and sausage trays and supplied the ribeyes dipped in Andria's sauce
- Red-E-Mix LLC - donated 4 St. Louis Cardinals baseball tickets and the BBQ grill to use
- Jon Gould - donated 2 sets of St. Louis Cardinals baseball tickets
- Preston Smith - donated 4 St. Louis Cardinals box seat tickets
- Helvetia Sharpshooters - furnished the meeting hall and great hospitality
- Cygan & Delaney Catering - prepared the salad, potatoes, etc.
- Cindy Gall - typed the certificates
- Thanks to the following businesses for donating attendance prizes: Hi Top, Ethel's, Diamond Mineral Springs, Sharpshooters, Flanagan's, Popeye's, Trenton House, Marx Brothers, Tru Buy, Sam's Pizza, Broadway Bar & Grill, Highland Country Club, Corner Keg, Blues 501, Charlie Dave's, Shaw's Shack, Ed & Millie's, Copper Dock, Randy's BBQ, Rail Shake, Tomahawk, Michael's, Dave Knebel, Floyd's.

50/50 winners were Ron Sandlin, Kent Korte and Randy Weiss.

The Highland Moose Lodge presented Certificates of Appreciation at the Anniversary Banquet to businesses and individuals that supported the Lodge in 2013-2014: Affiliated Insurance, Anthony Supply Co., ARCO Construction, The Back Porch, Bank of Edwardsville, Battery Specialists & Golf Cars, Bi-State Construction (Chris Korte), Blake Kohlbrecher, Blues 501 Club, Bradford Bank, Broadway Bar & Grill, Broadway Battery & Tire, Bulldog Barber Shop, Carpenters District Council of Greater St. Louis, Charlie Daves BBQ, Compustitch Embroidery, Copper Dock Winery, The Corner Keg Pub, Wayne Sackett / Coldwell Banker Brown, Cutting Connections, Cygan & Delaney Catering, Diamond Mineral Springs, Donnewald Distributing, EF Express, EL Flanagan's, Ed & Millie's Tavern, Eric Ross Designs, Everlasting Etch, Executive Drive Mini Storage, The Finish Line, First Cloverleaf Bank, First Mid-Illinois Bank & Trust, Floor Layer's Local #1310, Floyd's Bar, Foresight Services, Gall Equipment, Inc., Gelly Excavating & Construction, Gould's Flooring Services, Grant's Crane Service, Helvetia Sharpshooters Society, Highland Chiropractic, Highland Country Club, Highland Journal Printing, Highland Machine & Screw Products, Highland Moto Mart, Highland Parks & Recreation, Highland Pistol & Rifle Club, Highland Rural King, Highland Sportsmen's Club, Highland's Tru-Buy, Hi Top Bowl, Ethel's Tavern, Home Telephone Co., Huddle House, Hydraulic Repair Services, Jerry's Tackle Shop, K-Five Contracting, Kent's Painting, Korte & Luitjohan, Korte Meat Processing, Kunkel Commercial Group, Langhauser Sheet Metal, Lee's Loans Jewelry & More, L & G Distributing, L & L Vending, Linda Manley – Edward Jones, Lisa Sauer – State Farm Ins., Lucco Financial, Marx Brothers Lounge, Mazzio's Italian Eatery, McGinley, Inc., McKay NAPA Auto Parts, Michael's Restaurant, Munie Trenching & Excavating, Munie Trucking, 9th Street Café, Northtown Chiropractic Clinic, Oakbrook Golf Club, Oberbeck Grain Co., Ozzie's Detail & Car Wash, PAI Hypnosis, Parkview Café, Personal Preference Landscape Care, The Pioneer, Plaza Dental Care, Plocher Construction, Popeye's Chop House, Poplar Junction Lanes, PROBUILD, Randy's BBQ, Randy's Towing & Hauling, Red-E-Mix LLC, Riechmann Transport, Rusty Rodz, Sakai America, Sam's Pizza, Sandy's Barber Shop, Scheffel & Co. PC CPA, Schuette's Market, Scott Credit Union, Shaw's Shack, Smokehouse, Spengel Boulanger Funeral Home, State Bank of St. Jacob, Steve Schmitt, Inc., Tina Bradley, Three Way Creations, Tomahawk Bar & Grill, Trenton House, Univar, Werner Construction.



## Schweizerfest 2014

Boneless pork steaks were offered this year and again they were very good. The weather Saturday was wonderful, but Father's Day on Sunday put a damper on our sales.



Tommy H(ighland) Moose in the parade walking and on the float! Thanks to the "Grantfork Guys" for handing the float.



Set up on Friday night



Co-Chairmen Al Stoecklin and Jim Schmitt - great job!



Thanks to all Moose members, wives and guests for helping.

## Photos from the 17th Anniversary Banquet



Rich Blake mixing up the Queen of Hearts tickets.



Gov. Ken Kapp addressing the crowd with co-chairmen Lenny Gall and Dave Wirz in the background.



Some of the recipients of the appreciation certificates.

## Moose Garden

The Highland Moose Lodge garden, located at Ken Kapp's farm and tended by Ken Kapp, is producing zucchini, cucumbers, sweet corn, green beans, etc. and the produce is being taken to the Highland Food Pantry. Thank you Kenny!



## Jug Fishing June 7, 2014

A good time was had by all even though we rained out early. Thanks to Dave Knebel for spearheading this event. Also thanks to all who helped, fished, and supplied boats. A special thanks to Don Willeford for cleaning all the fish caught due to Ishkabile falling out of his boat and cracking ribs.

Winners were 1st - Ken Kapp - 7.5#; 2nd - Dave Koerkenmeier - 2.7#; 3rd - Kevin Kleinik - 1.48#; 4th - Dave Koerkenmeier - 1.3#; 5th - 501 Friday Breakfast Club - 1.08#; 6th - Allison Grapperhaus - 1.03#; 7th - Wayne Keeven - 1.01#; 8th - Blake Grapperhaus - .97#; 9th - Grant Grapperhaus - .95#; 10th - Phil Marti - .94#.



## New Moose Legionnaire

Moose Brother Brian Rinderer was inducted into Illinois Moose Legion 101 on Sunday, July 20 at Litchfield Lodge 1634.



Pictured left to right: Bill Ambuehl, Moose Legion 101 Chaplain and Sponsor, Brian Rinderer, Darrell Rinderer, Moose Legion 101 Assistant Secretary and Dave Koerkenmeier, Moose Legion 101 Financial Director.



## Hart Donation

The Bowling for Boobies committee presented the proceeds from the Scotch Doubles Tournament to HART Foundation.



Pictured left to right are: Brenda Plocher, Brian Korte, Patty Kohlbrecher, Debbie Huff, Michelle Lambert, Pat Harper, Lili Moad, Phyllis Sandlin, Pam Elliott



## Food Pantry

The Food Pantry needs the following items: fruit cocktail, canned peaches, canned beets, spinach, tuna, sauerkraut, saltine crackers and graham crackers, cereals, canned pasta (spaghetti & meatballs, ravioli, etc.), white potatoes, chili and chili beans, mac and cheese, chicken noodle soup, tomato soup, vegetable soup and cream soup.

Cash donations are always welcome.

## Change of Mailing & E-Mail Addresses

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## Summer Raffle

Highland Moose Lodge 2479 is holding a Vacation Raffle with a portion of the proceeds to the John Kutz Memorial Scholarship. The winner will be drawn at the Family Picnic on August 10, 2014. Tickets are available from Kevin Kruse.

### Highland Moose Lodge #2479 Vacation Raffle

Drawing will be at the  
Family Picnic on Aug. 10, 2014

Winner to choose between:  
**3 nights, all inclusive roundtrip  
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for 2 to Riviera Maya Resort:  
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- or -

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## Moose Night Out

The bi-monthly Moose Night Out was held at Michael's Restaurant on July 19. Special thanks to Gaye and Susie Michael for the complimentary toasted ravioli, Italian meatballs and bruschetta appetizers. The next Moose Night Out will be at the Back Porch (Grantfork) on September 13. Please be sure to contact Lenny or Dave if you are planning to attend.



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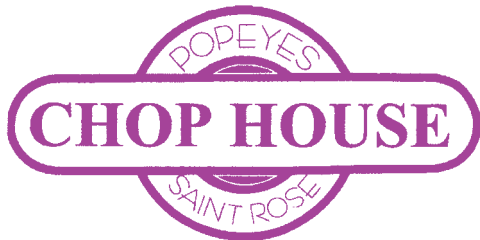
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JULY 27  District 9 Breakfast at O'Fallon 9:30	28  Board Mtg. 6:30 General Mtg. 7:30 Sharpshooters	29	30	31	AUGUST 1	2  Youth Triathlon Lindendale Park 8:30 a.m.
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10  Family Picnic Sportsmen's Club Eat at 1:00	11  Board Mtg. 6:30 General Mtg. 7:30 Charlie Dave's BBQ	12	13	14	15  Grantfork Homecoming Parade at 6:30	16  Grantfork Homecoming Parade at 6:30
17	18	19	20	21  MAD Thursday (Wear Your Moose shirt!)	22  IMA Convention Decatur	23  St. Paul Kirchenfest
24  St. Paul Kirchenfest	25  Board Mtg. 6:30 General Mtg. 7:30 Sharpshooters	26	27	28	29	30
31	SEPT. 1	2	3	4	5	6

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