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PRELATE—ELMER SHEPPLER
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WOTM OFFICERS

SENIOR REGENT—CHRISTY RUSSELL
JR REGENT- SAMANTHA EBNER
RECORDER—MELISSA EBNER
SEC/TREAS—MARY ELLEN ADAMS
JR. GRAD REG—BILLIE JO KLINGER
GUIDE—GINA GUTSHALL
ASST GUIDE—PEGGY JENKINS

(Chapter meets 2nd &4th Tuesdays 7:00pm)

MOOSE LEGION OFFICERS

PRESIDENT—PHIL KAUFFMAN
VICE PRESIDENT—JEFF VUXTA
SECRETARY—TOM FOLTZ

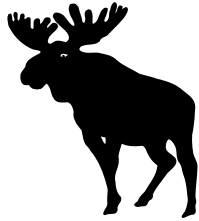
SOCIAL QUARTERS HOURS

MON—THURS 1 PM—11 PM
FRI & SAT Noon—2 AM
SUNDAY Noon—11 PM

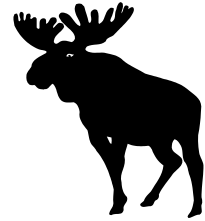
LODGE MEETINGS ;
2ND & 4TH THURSDAYS 7:30 PM.

Joint Lodge & Chapter Meetings—3rd Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

VISIT THE E-TOWN MOOSE WEBSITE: [HTTP://LODGE596.MOOSEPAGES.ORG/](http://Lodge596.MoosePages.org/)



**ELIZABETHTOWN
MOOSE FAMILY CENTER
LODGE 596 CHAPTER 701**



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District 5 Memorial Service At Our Lodge On Sunday, May 7

Our District 5 will hold its annual Memorial Service at our Lodge on Sunday, May 7, at 2 p. m. This event honors those Moose members and Co-Workers who have left our Defending Circle during the past Moose Year. All members of our Moose Fraternity are welcome to attend this special service of tribute and memory. A meal will be served to those attending the program.

Spring Cash Bash & Ham Party A Rousing Success

Call it a success from a financial perspective, but the March 25 Spring Cash Bash & Ham Party was even more a tribute to what can be accomplished when the units of our Lodge work together. A total of \$6,664 was raised for our roof replacement project at this standing room only event. Governor Mark Adams said it was encouraging to see the Board of Officers, the Chapter, the Moose Legion and the Moose Riders pitching in and taking an active role in working together for the common good and needs of our Elizabethtown Moose.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED TO SERVE IN COMING YEAR

A new slate of officers for our Lodge and Chapter were elected and installed last month. This group of volunteers in service are listed on the back page of this newsletter. We wish to thank those who served in those seats, on committees and as volunteers this past year and encourage all members to offer their support and help to the new officers as they fulfill the duties and responsibilities they are shouldering.

Last year's Governor Mark Adams will again serve in that capacity and Christy Russell takes on the job as Senior Regent, both great fraternalists with many years of service to our Lodge and Chapter to their credit. If you can help them by volunteering on any of our many committees or events, please step up and let them know of your willingness to help!

Easter Egg Hunt A Winner Thanks To So Many Of You

Incoming Junior Regent Samantha Ebner served this past year as Chair of Activities & Sports Committees for the Women of the Moose Chapter 701. She has expressed a special thanks to those who assisted with the annual Kid's Easter Egg Hunt.

"To our members and guests who helped out and those who contributed through financial donations, I can only say how grateful we are," she offered. "Thanks also to Jack Wetzig, who donated all the Hot Wheels cars. For those of you who may not know, every kid attending walked away with a goodie bag full of candies and toys. It is the members like you who made it the success it turned out to be!"

Poker Nights Continue On Monthly Basis... Free Poker Nights are held in the Ballroom the second Monday of every month starting at 7 p.m. Food is available during this event.
District Meeting in June will be Sunday, June 4, at the Millersburg Lodge beginning at 1:30 p.m. for all Lodge and Chapter members.

There will be free Bar Poker on Sundays starting at 6:30 p.m. and running every half-hour until 8:30 p.m. Winners get \$5 in Moose Bucks!

Entertainment in May: 5/6– Kim & Dan Good
12/13– Jen & Dan Coppens
19/20– Jen & Dan Coppens
20– Open Jukebox
27– Lonnie Coots

Entertainment in June: 2– Kim & Dan Good
9– Earl David Reed & 105.7X (tentative)
10– Jr. Lee (Tim)
16– DJ D (Derek Butler) karaoke & DJ
23/30– Jen & Dan Coppens

(For summer months starting in June, entertainment Fridays, open jukebox on Saturdays)

Pennsylvania Moose Picnic Slated For July 15 At Knoebel's Grove

Been to a picnic with over 1,000 people, including our Kids From Mooseheart? Well Saturday, July 15, is your chance. That's the date of the Pennsylvania Moose Association annual picnic at Knoebel's Grove Park. And, the price is right! Tickets are just \$10 each and each attendee gets \$10 in ride tickets...along with a great picnic meal and games like Bingo available. If you are interested, please let Administrator Fran Vuxta know by the end of June and he can make your reservations!

Moose Riders All-State Coming To Huntingdon Moose In August

While you have your calendar out, mark down August 18-20. That's the date of the Pennsylvania Moose Riders All-State Event that will be held at the Huntingdon Moose Family Center 223 (not far from Lake Raystown). See any Moose Rider in our Lodge for details.

Show Your Colors—The Lodge has a supply of Elizabethtown Moose shirts for \$15. Most sizes available. See Administrator Fran Vuxta to get your shirt.

Women of the Moose Bar Bingo Mondays at 6:30p.m.

Meat Tray Raffles Will Be Held In Our Social Quarters Every 2nd & 4th Friday

Memorial Day Parade, Monday, May 29—It's Just Out Our Front Door. Stop On By And Show Your Colors & Support Our Town!!!!

Mid-Summer Craft Show In The Ballroom on July 22

If you're into crafts (make them or buy them) then plan to be in the Moose Ballroom on Saturday, July 22. That's the date of the Craft Show. Contact Nancy Gusler for details at yourdefensepro@hotmail.com or by phone at 717-575-9121. Cost for a booth is set at only \$40. at a first come first serve basis. The show will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and admission is free.

JOINT MEETINGS OF THE CHAPTER AND LODGE BOARDS ARE HELD THE 3RD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH STARTING AT 6:30 P.M.

One-Day Bus Trip Interest Turns Into Reality August 5

Our Moose Legion Activities Committee is planning a one-day bus trip for Saturday, August 5. This was asked for by many members who were unable to take part in the February Mystery Bus Trip. The cost is \$50 per person and will include refreshments on the bus. Details on the itinerary and stops the bus will make will soon be posted. Payment will be due when you sign up. This will be a first-sign, first-ride program. This is a great chance to visit other Lodges and meet their members as well as having a relaxing time. The bus will depart from and return to our Lodge on August 5 at the times to be posted. For more details, please see Craig Nissley or Dave Giulliano.

CONGRATULATIONS TOM FOLTZ & HARVEY REEM

We are pleased that two of our own Moose Legionnaires have been elected and installed as Moose Legion Keystone 41 top officers. Tom Foltz takes over the position as president from outgoing Phil Kauffman and Harvey Reem is now the new financial director for the group, which represents Moose Lodge Legionnaires from throughout 20 lodges in the mid-state area. Our congratulations to both of these dedicated members who will do an outstanding job in leading this group.

Want To Join The Moose Legion?

Joining the Moose Legion is easy and fun. Applications are available in the Social Quarters. You must be a Moose member for at least six month, or if you sponsor a Moose Legionnaire, you can join right after you became a Moose member. Meetings are held the first Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. The activities and service this group provides are not only amazing, but are also steeped in the fun of working together.

By the way, the Keystone 41 Moose Legion Annual Picnic is on tap for Saturday, August 12, in Gettysburg.

Moose Riders Weekend Bash...Dates Are May 19-20; Details Coming

New Kitchen Hours: The kitchen will be open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday from 5:30 to 9 p.m. and on Fridays from 5:30 to 11 p.m. (with breakfast available).

NOW, FOR THOSE SPECIAL MEALS... The Men's meals are planned for Thursday, May 4, and Thursday, June 1, from 5 to 7 p.m. The Women of the Moose special meals will be on Thursday, May 18, from 5 to 7 p.m. and Thursday June 15, from 5-7 p.m.

Upcoming Bingo Event...

June 25—Donegal Athletics Bingo (doors & kitchen open at noon, bingo starts at 2 p.m.)

A Thank-You From Your Governor....

“It would be impossible to thank everyone enough for your support and work during this past year. As you know, the work of the Moose and our Lodge is never done. I hope you will continue your spirit of involvement in the leadership and activities of our Lodge.”

-Mark Adams, Governor