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Be ready for Annual Convention at Independence



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Supreme Councilman James F. Henderson, Sr. Will Be Official Visitor at Convention

Jim brings a wealth of experience in the Moose to our Convention; we expect to learn a great deal from him. Check out his spots on the agenda and highlight them.

James F. Henderson, Sr., was elected to the Supreme Council in June 2002 at the 114th International Convention in Orlando. Prior to his election, he had served seven years on the Moosehaven Board of Directors, and 11 years before that on the International Endowment Fund Board.,

Jim joined Mt. Clemens, MI Lodge 1278 in 1969; he served that Lodge as Sergeant-at-Arms for one year before transferring to Glendale, AZ Lodge 2243. There he served as Sgt.-a-Arms, Treasurer and Administrator, and was conferred as a Past Governor. From 1985 to 1997 Jim served as Administrator of Phoenix, AZ Lodge 708; he is now a member of East Mesa Lodge 2082.

Jim elevated to Sun Valley Moose Legion 193 in 1977 and served all chairs, including that of North Moose. An active Ritualist in both the Lodge and Moose Legion, he captured top honors in state competition several times and three times placed in International Moose Legion competition.

Jim has served the Arizona/New Mexico Moose Association as District Secretary and President, and as Association President in 1985. He also served three years as Deputy Supreme Governor and three years as Deputy Director of Conservation.

A member of the 800 Division of the 25 Club, Jim received the Fellowship Degree of Honor in 1979 and the Pilgrim Degree of Merit in 1985.

Jim resides in Mesa with his wife Joyce. He has six children, 21 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.



Supreme Governor Visits Ohio Next Week!



Remember that Supreme Governor James J. Gallagher visits central Ohio beginning with a stop at Indian Lake on Wednesday July 9th for a meeting of the Executive Board; then he goes on to Celina Moose Family Center 1473 on Thursday for a Fun Night and Bean Bag Tourney.

On Friday July 11th, Supreme Governor Gallagher swings over to Marion Lodge 889 and the Ohio State Moose Association's Seniors' Golf Outing before heading to Kenton Moose Family Center 428 for an evening of fun at their weekly Pizza Night.

Saturday, July 12th, will see Supreme Governor Gallagher at Wapakoneta Moose Activity Center 2654 for the Sponsor Recognition Picnic, an all-day affair with all kinds of activities.

Supreme Governor Jim concludes his Ohio tour Sunday morning, July 13th, back at Indian Lake 1533 where a special class enrollment will be held in his honor at 11:00 A.M.

Time permitting, Supreme Governor Gallagher will visit the OSMA Museum and Gahanna Moose Family Center 2463.

You owe it to yourself to select one of the above dates and to make that trek to visit with Supreme Governor Jim.



Ohio State Moose Association Announces Appointment of Deputy Supreme Governor for 2008-2009

The Loyal Order of Moose has approved Regional Manager Dwaine Brown's appointment of Daniel E. Bobbitt, Circleville Moose Lodge 2440 to the one-year position of Deputy Supreme Governor. A most responsible position, a Deputy Supreme Governor must stand ready to promote the program of the Moose across the state.

Further, he may be required to investigate trouble spots and make incisive decisions on behalf of the Fraternity. Only highly qualified individuals may be appointed to this somewhat daunting task.

What are Bobbitt's qualifications for this appointment?

Dan joined Circleville Moose Lodge 2440 on March 24, 1998, where he immediately jumped into the Lodge's sports programs and actually started a co-ed softball team and started a bowling league in District 9.

Continuing his sports involvement, Dan next turned his attention to the Moose Legion when in 2000 he became a member of the Second Degree. That same year, he attended leadership school and made his first trip to



Daniel E Bobbitt

Moosehaven.

The following year, Dan was Ohio's Rookie of the Year, and continued to concentrate on the Moose sports programs.

2002 saw Dan nominated for Moose of the Year, and he worked on the committee to build a new lodge. But the highlight of his year was visiting Mooseheart for the first time.

Becoming Lodge Governor in 2005, Dan also reached the 25 Club pinnacle and was elevated to the Fellowship degree (again in Las Vegas).

2006 found Dan in the driver's seat as District 9 President, and this same year saw him purchase a life membership in the Order.

Shifting his responsibilities, he became Chairman of the OSMA Cornhole Tournament in 2007.

In 2008, Dan attended International Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada, where on he was officially enjoined as Deputy Supreme Governor.

Ohio Moose will enjoy Dan's enthusiasm when he visits their Lodges, and they'll especially like his message of the Moose.

More importantly, so far as the Association is concerned, will be Dan's testimony for the validity of the sports programs of the Ohio State Moose.

We think you'll really like Dan's down-to-earth involvement and understanding of the workings of the Moose Fraternity.





Jim Monroe, Administrator of Celina Moose Family Center 1473, Wins Shining Star Award For Lodge




Past President of the Ohio State Moose Association and long-time administrator of Celina Moose Family Center 1473, Jim Monroe receives International recognition for his innovative programs and forward-thinking ways of marketing his Lodge's operation.

Jim and his wife Linda reside in Celina with their children.



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BRINGIN' HOME THE BACON
NOVEMBER 16-20, 2008
 Golden Nugget Hotel and Casino
 Las Vegas, Nevada

Who should attend? ALL Lodge and Chapter Officers, bartenders, waitstaff, doormen, office employees and all other Moose members interested in providing the finest customer service possible to our Lodge and Chapter members.

Discover methods to:

- increase Lodge and Social Quarter revenue
- improve customer satisfaction
- build greater participation in Moose Activities

Registration forms are available in the Registration area in Bully's and the Display area in Paris.

Return completed forms and fees to:
 Moose International
 Attn: Bringin' Home the Bacon
 155 So. International Drive
 Moosecourt, IL 60539-1180

OR Register on line at www.mooseintl.org under Member's Only section. Click on the Las Vegas meeting hotlink

Registration Deadline is October 1, 2008

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Be Sure To Get In On This Intensive Seminar On Providing Customer Service In Your Moose Lodge!

Moose International reminds you that it is still not too late to register for this most valuable seminar which has been designed particularly for lodge employees.

If you need additional information or help, please call OSMA Secretary John R. Sipes at 419/468-1555 after 10:00 A.M.

Logan Moose Lodge 873 Announces its 3rd Annual Car Show on August 3rd

Registration is from 10:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. with a \$5.00 entry fee.

Trophy presentations will take place at 4:00 P.M.

Logan Moose Lodge 873 is located at 701 East Front Street.

If you have questions, call Administrator Cullen Rutter at 740-385-3784.

Moose of the Year and Rookie of the Year forms were due yesterday, July 1st.

Co-Worker of the Year and Novice Co-Worker of the Year forms were due yesterday as well.

Although the deadline was yesterday, July 1st, you are still obligated to get these nominations in to Moose International. Please do so AT ONCE!

