

**LODGE #399**

**&**

**CHAPTER #1248**

**ANTLERS**

**NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 2016**



**JOINT BOARD OFFICER'S MEETING 6:30 PM...1<sup>ST</sup> WEDNESDAY**  
**LOOM GENERAL MEETING 7 PM..... 3<sup>RD</sup> WEDNESDAY**  
**WOTM CHAPTER MEETING 8 PM.....2<sup>ND</sup> WEDNESDAY**  
**WOTM BUSINESS MEETING 8 PM.....4<sup>TH</sup> WEDNESDAY**

## **GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE**

Dear Brothers and Co-Workers:

I hope everyone had a great summer as we approach fall and winter.

Over the summer we had quite a few events that were extremely successful and I want to thank everyone that made the effort to come and support our lodge, and all that volunteered to make it happen!!!

We had a very successful Golf Outing, (85 players) and I want to thank all of the participants and volunteers that helped make it the success it was. I would like to congratulate Joe Murray and his team for finishing in first place.

We have a lot of events coming up over the next few months and I hope we can get some new volunteers out to help us.

We have been retaining our members, and I want to thank all of you!! I also want to give a big WELCOME to all of our new members on board. I'm sure you will enjoy your new "family".

As you will be reading in this newsletter, only the S.Q. will be opened on Thanksgiving, but there will be ham, turkey and salads put out buffet style for anyone that would like to come in.

Our congratulation goes out to **BILL CHILLEM!** for being nominated Ortleby Beach's **MOOSE OF THE YEAR**. Bill has been a big help to our Lodge ever since Sandy and we all thank you for being there for us.

There will also be a few Fridays in December that there will not be Friday night dinners in Hoffman Hall due to the holidays. (See below)

At this time I will take this opportunity to wish all of my Brothers and Co-Workers a wonderful **HOLIDAY SEASON**.

Sincerely,  
Bob Scanlon,  
Governor

**"IT'S EASY TO MAKE A BUCK. IT'S A LOT TOUGHER TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE"**

*Tom Brokaw*

## **SENIOR REGENT'S MESSAGE**

Happy Fall!

Our Chapter hosted the mid-year convention held in Mount Laurel in early October, where we enjoyed great success thanks to all the volunteers who came out to help, before, during and after the convention. We are the NUMBER 1 chapter in New Jersey thanks to all your hard work and generosity!

Our handmade sea glass necklaces were a huge hit. So much so, that we are offering the necklaces left for \$10 donation each. Look for them whenever you are at the Lodge.

We continue our work with two Toms River Elementary schools into the year. Thanks to all who donated school supplies and Halloween costumes for the little ones. Separately, WOTM has been asked to provide 20 Thanksgiving baskets to the schools as well. Look for a list of needed items and a collection bin in Hoffman Hall outside the WOTM office. We will need volunteers to assemble and deliver baskets to the schools during Thanksgiving week, so please look for sign-up sheets in both places as well. We are also collecting jackets, hats, scarves, gloves and socks for the little ones so please keep them in your thoughts. Again, you can drop off any clothing donations outside our WOTM office in Hoffman Hall.

For Christmas we will be supplying requested gifts, too. When that list becomes available, we'll let you know ASAP.

While WOTM and our Lodge Brothers have set aside funds to use for the schools, donations are very much welcome. We have been purchasing things for the children with those funds, but hope to make them last until June; so please think about donating.

There will NOT be a 5th Friday dinner on December 30th. Also, be sure to check out our monthly Sip and Stretch!

It may be a bit early to mention, but your board members and myself wish you a peaceful happy Christmas and a safe and healthy New Year.

I hope to see you at the lodge!

Ellen Burgujian, Senior Regent

LOOM 399 had a very successful fundraiser for *Linda Leggatt and Family*. Almost 200 people were in attendance and there were over 80 gift baskets to be auctioned off. It was wonderful to see so many people come out and support such a wonderful cause. Good Luck Linda our prayers and thoughts are with you.



### **RAFFLE DRAWING FOR MOOSE DISTRICT 65**

We are having a fund raiser for District 65 in the form of a raffle.

The tickets are \$10 each and the winner will be announced on Tuesday, November 8<sup>th</sup> at the LOOM Ortleigh Beach #399. The winner will receive a Char-Broil Model 800 Vertical Gas Smoker (pictured above) with adjustable dampers and heat control. See the Bar Steward in the Social Quarters to enter. Thank you for your support!!



THIS WILL BE THE THIRD YEAR THAT ORTLEY BEACH MOOSE LODGE #399 WILL BE PUTTING TOGETHER **AT LEAST 20 FOOD BASKETS** FOR THE LESS FORTUNATE IN OUR AREA SO THEY TOO CAN HAVE A HAPPY THANKSGIVING. THE LODGE WILL BE PUTTING ONE TURKEY IN EVERY BASKET.

PLEASE HELP BY DONATING SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

YOU CAN LEAVE YOUR DONATIONS IN HOFFMAN HALL ON A TABLE OR GIVE THEM TO KAREN.

**NEEDED BY 11/18**

DINNER ROLLS

LARGE CANS OF YAMS

LARGE BOXES OF MASHED POTATOES

CRANBERRY SAUCE

LARGE CANS OF CORN

LARGE JARS OF TURKEY GRAVY

STOVE TOP STUFFING

PUMPKIN PIES (EXPIRATION DATE BEYOND 11/24)

**GRILLE 399 & SQ .... IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON CLOSINGS AND TIMES:**

Saturday, December 24<sup>th</sup> the Grille 399 will close at 5 pm

Sunday, December 25<sup>th</sup> Grille 399 and the SQ will be closed in observance of Christmas.

## **WHAT'S HAPPENING**



**GRILL HOURS ARE AS FOLLOWS:**

**JOIN US AT "GRILLE 399"** ... Karen is introducing a lot of new items to our menu, so come in and give it a try. The grill is opened from 11 am to 7:45 pm (last call is 7:30pm) Sunday through Thursday and Friday and Saturday it is opened from 11 am to 9:45pm (last call 9:30pm). Come in and enjoy some of Karen's and Jeff's lunches, dinners and apps. Check the board for daily specials.



## *ARE YOU READY FOR SOME FOOTBALL?*

Join us for all of your favorite games in the SQ. Watch your favorite team on one of our 6 large TV's. Look for our food specials on Sunday afternoons and Monday nights.



Free **pool** is every Tuesday (after 8 pm) and Thursday nights.



Texas Hold'em every Friday night at 7 pm.



OR



Come to our Friday night dinner specials and stay to have some fun playing **“Left Center Right”** and **“Moose Rummy”** ( WOTM version of Michigan Rummy) presented by the WOTM beginning at 8 pm in Hoffman Hall.



Hall rentals for all occasions and catering is optional. Contact Kathy Ragazzo, “Hoffman Hall Rental Coordinator” (732)-300-3236 for information on pricing and a copy of our catering menu.



Friday night special dinners are available throughout November and December, look for our menus (page 9)



**CHARLIE MASON AND FRIENDS ARE HERE!!!!** Join them every Tuesday from 5 pm to 8 pm and enjoy some delicious food from Grille #399.



**Ma Taylor and Jimbo** our **“LOOM WEEKLY BREAKFAST HOSTS”** are making breakfast and drinks every Sunday from 8 am to 11 am in our Social Quarters. Come join Ma and Jimbo for Ma’s well known sandwiches and famous “Ma’s Bloody Mary’s”



Karaoke every Saturday night beginning at 8 pm. Come in for the fun.

**THERE WILL NO KARAOKE ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24<sup>TH</sup> OR DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup> DUE TO THE HOLIDAYS.**



GOOD BYE UNTIL NEXT YEAR!



I CAN'T TAKE IT!!

WOTM will be having there last breakfast for 2016 until Spring of 2017 on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup> . It is all you can eat for \$7.00....eggs, hash browns, pancakes, breakfast sausage, bacon, toast, coffee and juice. 8 AM TO 10:30 AM



**Stretch and Sip** presented by the WOTM the third Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm in Hoffman Hall. Donation \$5. Bring weights if desired.

Mark  
Your  
Calendar

**HOLD THESE DATES ASIDE FOR:**

A schedule of the Lodge and WOTM meetings are on our cover page. Please make an effort to attend.



**THANKSGIVING AT THE MOOSE**

On Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup> the kitchen will be closed; however, there will be turkey, ham & all the trimming available in the SQ at 1 pm. LOOM 399 wishes you a wonderful Thanksgiving.





## **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

Sunday, December 11, 9AM. Sign-up sheets will be posted in the SQ.



DECEMBER 31<sup>ST</sup> ....NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY INFORMATION TO FOLLOW  
(2015/16)



If it is your birthday, show proof to the bar steward for one free drink!!!!

**[For updates on our Moose Lodge functions, visit us on: Moose399.org](http://Moose399.org)**

**HALL RENTALS AND CATERING ARE AVAILABLE FOR GRADUATIONS AND WEDDINGS AND ALL OF YOUR SPECIAL OCCASIONS....RESERVE NOW BY CALLING 732-300-3236, OR SEE KATHY RAGAZZO, OUR "HOFFMAN HALL RENTAL COORDINATOR"**

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

\*Please check our new "A FRAME" information boards on the SQ's bar and in Hoffman Hall

\*Look for information on our SQ Bulletin TV in the SQ

\*Make sure you show your **Moose Card** to the Bar Steward, it may be worth a **FREE DRINK!!**



**FRIDAY NIGHT SPECIALS FOR NOVEMBER & DECEMBER:**



**NOV. 4<sup>TH</sup> & DEC. 2<sup>ND</sup>**

1<sup>ST</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT: Prime Rib Dinner \$15.00  
Or Fried Seafood Combo \$11.00



**NOV. 11<sup>TH</sup> & DEC. 9<sup>TH</sup>**

2<sup>ND</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT Chicken Parmesan with Pasta \$11.00  
Or Fried Seafood Combo \$11.00



**NOV. 18<sup>TH</sup> & DEC. 16<sup>TH</sup>**

3<sup>RD</sup> FRIDAY Stuffed Boneless Pork Chop \$11.00  
Or Fried Seafood Combo \$11.00



**NOV. 25<sup>TH</sup>**

4<sup>TH</sup> FRIDAY NIGHT: Beef Goulash over Egg Noodles \$11.00  
Or Fried Seafood Platter \$11.00

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24<sup>TH</sup> AND 30<sup>TH</sup> WE WILL NOT BE SERVING SPECIAL DINNERS IN HOFFMAN HALL.**

**THE BACK BAR IN HOFFMAN HALL IS OPEN FROM 5PM ON.**  
**FRIDAY NIGHT SPECIAL DINNERS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE SQ ALSO.**





# The Antlers

## Loyal Order of Moose Lodge # 399 & Chapter # 1248 September & October 2016

### Lodge Order of Moose #399

Governor	B. Scanlon	Prelate	E. Long
Jr. Past. Gov.	D.Ott	3 YR	H. Boxill
Jr. Gov.	J. Dunne	2 YR	"Rip" Ragazzo
Treasurer	J. Bell	1 YR	H. Mc Laughlin
Administrator	W. Kennedy	Lodge Sec.	E. Ippolito

### Women of the Moose Chapter #1248

Sr. Regent	E. Burgujian	Treasurer	N. Murnyak
Jr. Regent	P. Stryker	Jr.Grad. Reg.	P. Ust
Recorder	K. Nugent		

### CLUB HOURS

Sunday thru Thursday  
11:00 AM to 1:00 AM

Friday & Saturday  
11:00 AM to 2:00 AM

Last Call is 20 minutes before closing. There is no doubling up. Every member and Guest must leave by closing time.

**Board of Officers**

### Club Stewards

Rory Delaney Smith, Bar Manager  
Denise McCann  
Jimbo McCann

Kathy Ragazzo & "Hoffman Hall Rental Coordinator"  
Jeanette Giacinti  
Wendy Sharkey

### Cooks

Karen Taylor

Jeff Perez

### Editor

Elaine Ippolito

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	2 OFFICER'S MEETING	3 PLEASE GET YOUR FOOD DONATIONS IN	4 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 7 PM & TEXAS HOLD "EM 7 PM	5 KARAOKE 8 PM
6 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ WOTM ALL YOU CAN EAT BREAKFAST 8 AM TO 10:30 AM IN HOFFMAN HALL	7 LAST DAY TO GET YOUR RAFFLE TICKET FOR SMOKER	8 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED <b>RAFFLE DRAWING FOR SMOKER</b> BY FREE POOL	9 WOTM CHAPTER MEETING	10 FREE POOL	11 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 7 PM & TEXAS HOLD "EM 7 PM	12 KARAOKE 8 PM
13 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ	14	15 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	16 LODGE GENERAL MEETING  WOTM STRETCH & SIP 6:30 PM	17 FREE POOL  <b>LAST DAY FOR FOOD DONATIONS FOR THANKSGIVING IS TOMORROW</b>	18 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 7 PM & TEXAS HOLD "EM 7 PM	19 KARAOKE 8 PM
20 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ	21	22 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	23 WOTM BUSINESS MEETING	24 THANKSGIVING BUFFET IN SQ AT 1 PM 	25 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 8 PM & TEXAS HOLD "EM 7 PM	26 KARAOKE 8 PM
27 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ	28	29 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	30			

# DECEMBER 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 <b>DID YOU SIGNUP FOR BREAKFAST WITH SANTA?</b>	2 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 7 PM & TEXAS HOLD 'EM 7 PM	3 KARAOKE 8 PM
4 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ	5 GET YOUR RAFFLE TICKET FOR SMOKER	6 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	7 OFFICER'S MEETING	8 FREE POOL	9 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 7 PM & TEXAS HOLD 'EM 7 PM	10 KARAOKE 8 PM
11 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ <b>BREAKFAST WITH SANTA 9AM</b> 	12	13 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	14 WOTM CHAPTER MEETING	15 FREE POOL	16 DINNER SPECIAL 5 TO 7 WOTM CARD GAMES 7 PM & TEXAS HOLD 'EM 7 PM	17 KARAOKE 8 PM
18 LOOM 399 BREAKFAST WITH MA TAYLOR & JIMBO 8 AM TO 11 AM IN SQ	19	20 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	21 LODGE GENERAL MEETING  WOTM STRETCH & SIP 6:30 PM	22 FREE POOL	23 NO DINNER SPECIALS. FOOD IN SQ ONLY	24 <b>NO KARAOKE 8 PM</b> <b>KITCHEN CLOSSES AT 5 PM</b>
25 <b>CLOSED</b> 	26	27 CHARLIE MASON 5 PM TO 8 PM FOLLOWED BY FREE POOL	28 WOTM BUSINESS MEETING	29	30 NO DINNER SPECIALS. FOOD IN SQ ONLY	31 <b>NO KARAOKE 8 PM</b> <b>NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY</b>