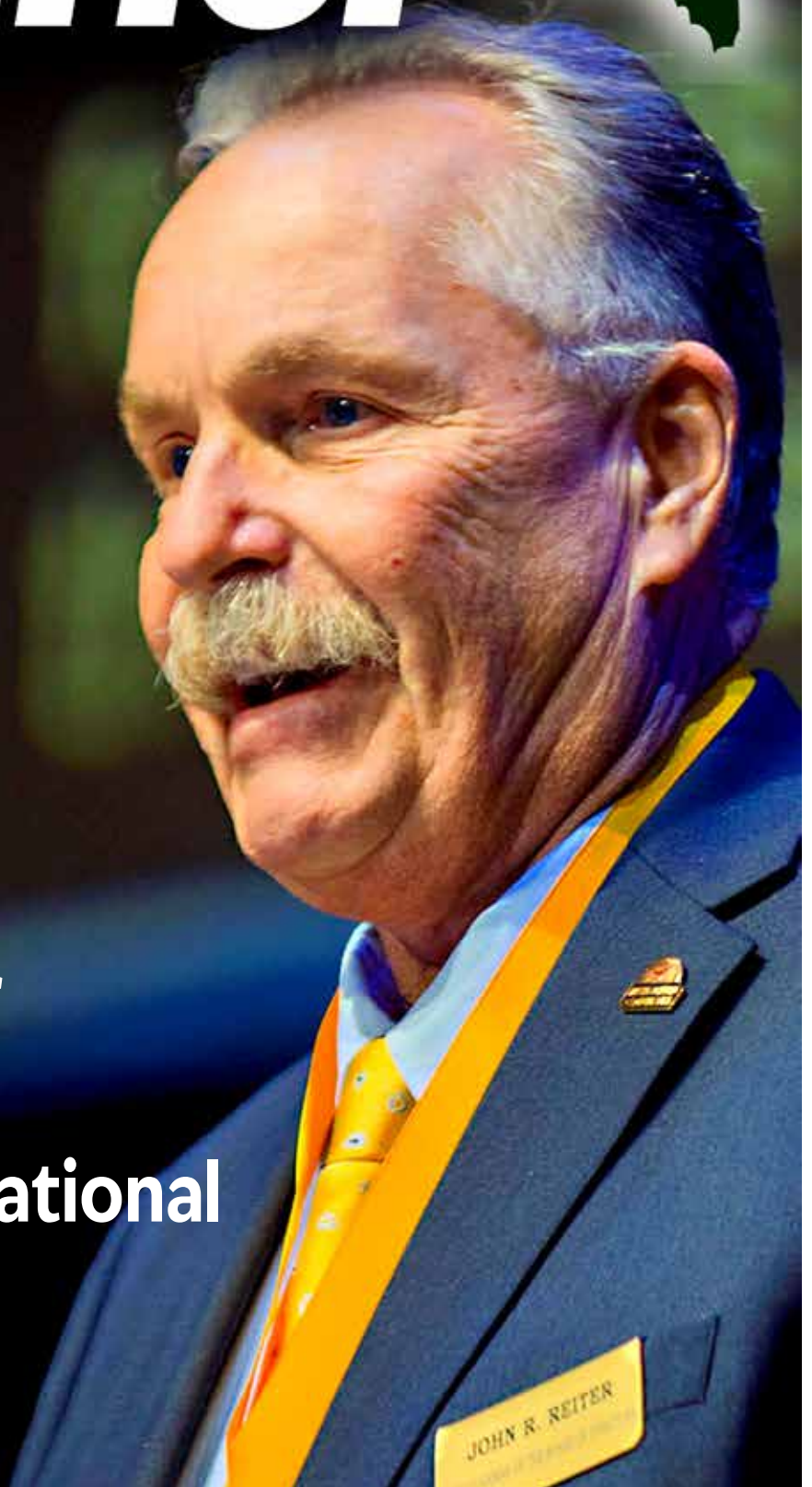


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**John R. Reiter
installed as
Moose International
Chairman of
the Board** pg5



From the Editor

Florida members have a lot of reasons to be MOOSE PROUD.

The 137th Meeting of The Moose was held in Milwaukee, WI May 23-27, 2025 and full of excitement.

John R. Reiter was elected as the new Moose International Chairman of the Board, Rodney Hammond was presented the Moose International Lifetime Achievement Award, new Moose International Appointments were made, new members of the College of Regents were conferred along with new Pilgrims, Fellows, and Stars.

They, along with so many others are what keeps our Lodges, Chapters, and Moose Legions continuing to meet the obligations we all committed to when we joined The Moose.

The lives they impact, the giving of themselves, the use of their talents, and the drive they have to make things happen... wow!

They don't only impact the lives of children at Mooseheart, seniors at Moosehaven, and those in their community, they also impact the lives of those who they come into contact with in and around our Lodge homes.

The July/August issue of The Courier is dedicated to these men and women. We should look to these individuals for guidance, knowledge, and leadership.

Thank you to everyone who contributed stories, Heart of the Community photos, and information from events around the state. Your commitment to sharing our Moose news

Veterans Day is in a few months and I would love to see how your lodge honors its veterans for an upcoming story. Email me at TheCourierFMA@gmail.com.

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Chairman of the Board John R Reiter addresses those in attendance at the 2025 Moose International Installation of Officers.

Photo courtesy of Darryl Mellema

INSET PHOTO: John R Reiter is sworn in as Moose International Chairman of the Board.

Special thanks to the following Boosters:

PLATINUM: Dan O'Neal, R & R Shockley, Walter Wommack, In Memory of Donna Kern, Nancy Gebhart, John Sallee, Bob & Jackie Robinson, Ronald Rodman, Davie WOTM 1686, David Lodge 1798, Dennis and Ellen Shindle, Willie & Karen Williams, Paula Stevens. **GOLD:** Christine and Scott Duncan, Peggy Clifton, Tom Akers, In memory of Charlie Titheridge. **SILVER:** Ann Mell, Scott Thomas, Edward Mell, Jacqueline Poiret.

"Community Service is a very important aspect and should be in everybody's lives.. if there is any way that you can make it any better then that's what you should do..."

CHURCH LADY

Hello Florida Moose Brothers & Sisters,

Moving Forward, Giving Back is our new campaign for the new Moose year!

To all the members that attended the Moose International Convention in Milwaukee, I want to thank each member that was there who made 'noise' when FLORIDA was announced. It was impressive to look back at the crowd from the stage and see that Florida was well represented.

Congratulations to John "The Rip" Reiter for being installed as Chairman of the Board and to all the new appointments that were installed to the Moose International level.

Congratulations to all the Fellows who were elevated to the Pilgrim degree at Mooseheart, the Moose Legionnaires that were conferred to the Fellowship degree.

To all the Women of the Moose that received their College of Regents Degree and their Star honors, your dedication to the Chapters is recognized. Be proud of your honors.

All of us on the FMA Executive Board are proud of you and your accomplishments and hard work you endeared to get these honors.

District Presidents, we are entering the end of your term serving as District President, (unless you are running for a 2nd term), I personally thank you for the endless work you put in month after month. Elections should be taking place now in your respective districts, make sure that all the correct actions are being held at your meetings, and all the correct paperwork is being turned in on time. If you have any questions or concerns please reach out to us and we will help you. Please make sure that you thank your Board of Officers that supported you throughout the year! Keep fighting until September 30.

A big shout out to the FMA Education Committee chairman, Key Bygler, and all the trainers who 'trained' everyone at the Inaugural Moose Training Jamboree.

It was a great opportunity to get all your training done to become a stronger leader in your lodge and in the Moose. Thank you everyone for all that you do!

I hope that everyone has a safe and exciting summer. Julie and I will be trying to get to as many lodges and districts in the next few months and we look forward to visiting when we are in the area.



FMA PRESIDENT

TODD ANDERSON



FMA LIASON

SCOTT DUNCAN

Keep leading the way

As we begin our new fiscal year, it's hard not to take a moment and savor the fun and memories we made in Milwaukee.

Congratulations to our new Stars, College of Regents, Fellows, and Pilgrims.

To be on the grounds of Mooseheart to experience the laughter of the children and the specter of the moments. These are the times we will never forget.

To share a story, you may even have one like this of your own... I was able to get a list of Birthdays for May at Mooseheart, some were of teachers, Mooseheart Staff, yes Mr. Urwiler had a birthday in May, and some were students. Well, I sent cards to everyone of them.

So in between all the activities on this huge campus, I was walking from the House of God to the Moose Museum and came across a group of girls, dressed to the nines and having fun while eating lunch.

I walked up to the group and asked if any of them had a birthday in May and one of the girls said yes.

I asked if she received any cards, to which she replied, "yes, just one." I then asked, Where did it come from?" She replied "Florida". I said "Palm Bay, Florida? Was it from Chris and Scott?"

Her eyes lit up and look at me with a surprise and said "Yes," again, to which I introduced myself. Without even a thought she ran up to me and gave me a hug.

What an amazing connection and an amazing memory to get a response like that for a card.

Now, I have to tell you, there was no gift, no money, just a card. Just a good thought and a wish for her to have a happy birthday.

That is the type of fraternalism I wish we all could feel at times when it gets really tough.

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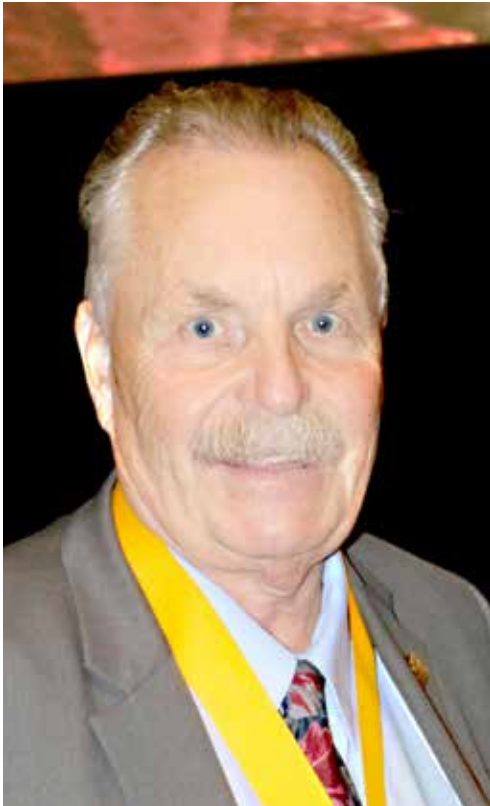
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Running Down a Dream

John R. Reiter
Chairman of the Board
MOOSE INTERNATIONAL

John R. Reiter was installed as the Moose International Chairman of the Board during the 137th Moose International Convention in Milwaukee, WI. Below is his address:

"CEO Scott Hart, Grand Chancellor Barb McPherson, International Board Members, members of this great fraternity, and guest, 36 years ago as I sat in an enrollment class, like most I was excited and nervous as what this was all about.

I remember listening to the ritual staff and the words spoken that night trying to learn what the Moose was about. Time has erased most of the words, but a few statements have stayed with me throughout all these years.

I will never forget the Orator, Norman Nix, he was a fairly big man who had a deepen voice that would draw your attention to him.

As he took his place on the floor and spoke these words "Strong and majestic, the moose is unique in all the animal kingdom", it was like a magnet that attached itself to my brain.

He continued to say, "The moose uses his size and strength not to dominate, but to protect".

These sayings have held true since the beginning of the moose fraternity.

How strange is it that in 1888 Dr. Henry Wilson and his friends would choose the Moose as the name of the fraternal organization.

They had no clue as to what the future would have in store and how appropriate the Moose would be as a mascot.

How could they ever know that James J Davis would create Mooseheart and Moosehaven, and like the Moose animal, the newly founded organization uses its strength to protect the young at Mooseheart and our seniors at Moosehaven.

Our Moose Fraternity has never tried to dominate the outside world, but just like the animal we move quietly and use our strength to protect.

As members of this esteemed fraternity, we are bound by a common purpose that goes beyond camaraderie and fellowship; it is our duty to uplift and safeguard those around us. The moose fraternity has long been a beacon of support in our communities.

Our guiding principles instill in us the values of kindness, compassion, and accountability.

We are not just brothers and sisters in the Moose; we are guardians. We have the power and the responsibility to make a positive impact in the lives of those who may be struggling, or in need of assistance.

In a world that can often feel divided and chaotic, our fraternity stands as a reminder that unity and empathy can prevail.

Protecting others means being vigilant and aware, lending a helping hand to those facing adversity, and standing up for what is right.

Whether it's through our charitable initiatives, community service, or simply offering a listening ear, we have the opportunity to create meaningful change.

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Each year, Venice Moose Lodge #1308 presents \$1,000 scholarships to Venice High School Seniors who have enrolled in colleges and technical schools. This year, we awarded 24 scholarships to VHS class of 2025 students, including 10 students who completed the requirements of the Youth Awareness program. Pictured with many of the happy students are Lodge President Donald Green, Vice President Richard Kenney, Scholarship Chairperson Deborah Sunderland and Heart of the Community Chairperson Joe Toth.

***Submitted by Joe Toth, Lodge 1308
Heart of the Community Chairman***



The North Bay Moose Lodge #2373, adopted the City of Oldsmar street that spans a length of St. Petersburg Drive that runs in front of their Lodge. Thirteen members showed up and worked for two hours cleaning up garbage and debris.

***Submitted by Cathy Schaecher
Lodge 2373 Trustee / Chapter 2303 Senior Regent***

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
MANDARIN 42, PALATKA 184, FORT PIERCE 248, SUWANNEE RIVER 325

CHAIRMAN, from page 5

While remembering that protecting others is not just about taking action in times of crisis; it's about fostering an environment where everyone feels valued and safe.

We must strive to be role models, demonstrating the virtues of respect and understanding in our daily lives. By doing so, we not only strengthen our fraternity but also inspire others to join us in our mission. As moose members we donate time and money to help members of our community when they are in need.

We use our size and strength to protect them and help them. Part of this protection can be seen with the Tommy Moose Dolls.

How rewarding it is to see and hear stories of how these dolls bring comfort to a child going through a crisis. That doll is letting them know that we are there and care for them. It lets them and their families know that the Moose will protect them.

I hope as Moose members, you are as proud as I am in how our fraternity gives back and steps up to help those in need.

"Strong and Majestic the Moose is unique" yes we are unique.

Members like you, do wonderful things for each other and our communities.

We are always giving back.

Almost daily you can read or hear about our members helping others in need. Lodges and associations help each other when disasters like flooding, tornadoes, hurricanes, and fires come into play.

Like the moose we are unique in many ways.

What other organization will you find its members donating thousands of hours running lodges, doing community service, and raising funds for the operation of Mooseheart and Moosehaven.

The success of the Moose Fraternity is because of you, our members, who believe in our fraternal pledge. It's because of your continuation to "Giving Back" with donations, of time and or money in our communities.

When you look at how we as Moose members have adapted and changed over the years proves just how unique we are. Our growth is proof that these changes were the right decision.

**The success of
the Moose fraternity
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in our fraternal pledge.**

JOHN R. REITER



Moving forward is often the hardest thing to do.

We as members are reluctant to make changes and to step out of our comfort zone. But to keep success in our lodges and fraternity we must adapt to a changing society and venture into the unknown.

"The road to success is often blocked with fear of failure." I have shared this quote many times and ask that you as members take some chances, think outside the box, and provide ideas and ways to keep our fraternity moving forward.

Until recent years, the Moose has been one of the so-called secret organizations. With the help of our leaders and social media the moose is fast becoming a common name in our communities. We must continue to look into the future, move forward and pay it back.

Every person in this room has ideas on how we can strengthen our fraternity. Each of you have talents that others might not have.

Each of you are willing to help in some way, and each of you come from different backgrounds, but the love of our fraternity and what we do as moose members make all of us unique. .

As we look to the future, let us remember that our mission is not confined to the walls of our lodges. The spirit of the Moose fraternity must be carried into our communities, our neighborhoods, and our homes.

Each of us has the power to be a source of strength and support for others, and together, we can create a ripple effect of positivity that reaches far and wide.

Moving Forward, I urge each one of you to embody the values of the Moose fraternity in your everyday lives. Let us continue to be a pillar of support for one another and for those in need. Together, we can protect, uplift, and empower, ensuring that the legacy of our fraternity endures for generations to come.

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Fort Walton Beach Moose Lodge recently made a donation of \$2,000.00 to District 1 of The American Legion Department of Florida for their local Boys State. The Moose Lodge's dedication to "Caring for Young and Old, Bringing Communities Closer Together, and Celebrating Life" beautifully aligns with District 1 of The American Legion Department of Florida's commitment to supporting the Military and Veteran Community and investing in the development of future leaders through programs like Boys State.

***Posted on the Rogers-Hinson Post 235 Fort Walton Beach
American Legion Facebook page***



Venice Moose Lodge #1308 presented Special Olympics of Florida with a check for \$17,129, the results of a golf tournament held last month. Receiving the check in the front row (left to right) are Special Olympics Regional Director Jessica Ott and Special Olympian Molley O'Connell. Presenting the check (back row, left to right) from the Moose Lodge are Heart of the Community Chairman Joe Toth, President Donald Green, Administrator Lydia Ferri and Vice President & Golf Tournament Chairman Richard Kenney.

***Submitted by Joe Toth, Lodge 1308
Heart of the Community Chairman***

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
PORT ST LUCIE 513, PENSACOLA 557, GULF GATE 608, LAKE CITY 624

Because Florida Cares campaign

Success in meeting... and exceeding... \$10,000 goal

TROY BROUGHTON, FMA Endowment Chairman

Last June was truly outstanding – 95% of Florida lodges successfully remitted their monthly endowment. A huge shout-out to all of you for your commitment!

Because Florida Cares donations are rolling in. As of June 11, 30 Florida lodges and five out-of-state lodges have contributed, totaling an impressive \$18,965.46! Thank you all for your generosity.

Please remember: make checks or electronic donations payable to Moose Charities, just as you would for your monthly endowment. Do not send do-

nations to the FMA.

Be sure to write "Endowment/FMA Cares" in the memo line.

These contributions will count toward your new year's Moose Charities giving.

I've been honored with an invitation to attend the full board meeting this month at Moosehaven.

Just like last year, I will be presenting last year's endowment awards to each district president. District endowment chairpersons can then distribute them at the upcoming district meetings.

BECAUSE FLORIDA CARES CONTRIBUTIONS

Arcadia Lodge #1327	\$182.00	Orlando Lodge #766	\$127.00
Big Pine Key Lodge #1585	\$210.00	Palm Harbor Lodge #433	\$223.00
Brandon Lodge #1880	\$59.00	Palmetto Lodge #2117	\$250.00
Brandon Lodge #1880	\$41.00	Panama City Lodge #1389	\$150.00
Brandon Lodge #1880	\$16.00	Punta Gorda Lodge #1693	\$168.00
Cocoa Lodge #1717	\$50.00	Riverview Lodge #2158	\$34.00
Crystal River Lodge #2013	\$60.00	Ruskin Lodge #813	\$517.00
Davie Lodge #1798	\$125.00	Sanford Lodge #1851	\$250.00
Fort Myers Lodge #1899	\$200.00	Sarasota Lodge #1319	\$2,350.00
Fort Walton Beach Lodge #2193	\$1,327.00	Sarasota Lodge #1319	\$243.40
Fort Walton Beach Lodge #2193	\$1,145.00	Satellite Beach Lodge #2367	\$500.00
Fort Walton Beach Lodge #2193	\$1,000.00	Sebring Lodge #2259	\$1,000.00
Fort Walton Beach Lodge #2193	\$169.00	Silver Springs Lodge #1199	\$62.00
Fort Walton Beach Lodge #2193	\$96.00	Tamarac Lodge #2267	\$500.00
Fort Walton Beach Lodge #2193	\$58.00		
Golden Gate Lodge #1654	\$91.00	DONATIONS FROM OTHER STATES:	
Gulf Gate Lodge #608	\$374.00	VIRGINIA	
Jacksonville Beach Lodge #1558	\$200.00	Franconia Lodge #1076	\$3,628.81
Key West Lodge #1760	\$75.00	PENNSYLVANIA	
Lake Wales Lodge #2391	\$35.25	Clarence Lodge #1565	\$1,677.00
Naples Lodge #1782	\$500.00	Nanty Glo Lodge #207	\$550.00
\North Hillsboro Lodge #1741	\$250.00	Slatington Lodge #1375	\$50.00
Ocala Lodge #1014	\$75.00	NEW JERSEY	
Ocala Lodge #1014	\$31.00	Newark Lodge #237	\$50.00
Ocala Lodge #1014	\$16.00		
Okeechobee Lodge #1753	\$250.00		

Not all donations have been recorded as of this publication date.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE CLASS OF 2025



Silver Springs 459: **Esther Plaster**. Punta Gorda 777: **Jane Kloszewski**. Leesburg 1034: **Jacqueline M Hill**. Winter Haven 1152: **Paula Stevens**. Sanford 1404: **Mona Adams**. Palm Beach Gardens 1471: **Barbara A Fox**. Englewood 1582: **Shay Kelly**. Brandon 1596: **Melissa Bennett**. Anna Maria Island 1601: **Joy Shames**. Miramar 1698: **Linda Swerdloff**. Panama City 1756: **Patricia L Reid**. Big Pine Key 1810: **Diane Rullan**. Kissimmee 1849: **Roxanne Bartosek**. North Port 1892: **Ann M Mell**. Palatka 1915: **Tia Lingle**. Pine Castle 1917: **Kathleen Buckley** and **Deborah Manoni**. South Lakeland 1970: **Donna Wilson**. West Volusia 2202: **Joanne L Coates**. Wakulla County 2224: **Pamela Thomas**. Highlands County 2256: **Beth Reese**. West Boca Raton 2273: **Carrie L Otis**. Fort Myers 2461: **Kathy Cagle**.



Lake Worth 46: **Lori Statzer**. Deland 1003: **Rhonda Miller**. Melbourne 1046: **Judy Dagly**. Marathon 1058: **Frances Hagemann**. Lake Shore 1495: **Paula A Dion**. New Smyrna Beach 1515: **Jacqueline Poiret**. Brandon 1596: **Diane Barile**. Bonita Springs 1611: **Gina M Chiki**. Dunnellon 1662: **Karen S Garland**. Big Pine Key 1810: **Frances Hagemann**. West Boca Raton 2273: **Andrea Dougherty**. Fort Walton Beach 2320: **Amy Dallas**.

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Jose Becerra, president of the Valued Veterans committee at Dunnellon Moose Lodge 2308, hands a \$300 check to Richard Floyd, president of the Citrus County Veterans Coalition, to support local veterans and their families. The committee also donated food items for the Coalition's food pantry. Charlie Zittle, Vice President of DML Valued Veterans, Richard Floyd, President of Citrus County Veterans Coalition, and Jose Becerra, President of DML Valued Veterans, are pictured together in front of pantry items.

Submitted by Floyd Blodgett Dunnellon Moose Lodge 2308



Merritt Island Lodge 2073 Moose Legion Chairman Barry Miller and Indian River 178 President Marv Gardner and Moose Legion members proudly present a \$1,000 Scholarship check to Sierra Lydic who graduated from Space Coast Jr/Sr High School with a 4.0 gpa. Sierra has been actively involved in volunteering in the community and is a member of the National Honor Society. She will be attending Palm Beach Atlantic University in Project Management/Business

Submitted by Marv Gardner

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
INTERBAY TAMPA 912, WINTER HAVEN 1023, MARIANNA 1026



PILGRIM CLASS OF 2025

It is a great honor to be recognized as a Pilgrim of the Fraternity. Only lodge members who have served their lodge, advanced to the Moose Legion, and volunteered further are considered for this degree.

Generally, it is attained only by devoted members who have given many years of service to and for our program. They have volunteered to cook, clean, serve as an officer, mentored others, and been fraternal leaders along the way.

Like the Fellows, the Pilgrims are encouraged to meet and continue to perform good acts to assist our program at all levels of the fraternity. That includes helping to encourage and select good lodge officers, supporting programs of the districts and associations, and rendering what support they are able for our philanthropic cause of serving childhood and old aged.

The official regalia of a Pilgrim include a gold blazer featuring the Pilgrim logo, with coordinated necktie, white shirt, black trousers, and black footwear. It distinguishes them as men of meritorious service to the Fraternity. The degree remains with them for life, as long as both their Lodge and Moose Legion memberships remain in active status.

A special Pilgrim Jacket Ceremony will be held Friday, September 19, 2025 during the 2025 FMA Annual Convention.

The following men were conferred at the House of God on Saturday, June 28 at Mooseheart:

Lake City 624: **Robert Gerhardt**. Brooksville 1676: **Robert Hall**. Palm Harbor 433: **John Holbach**. Sanford 1851: **Scott Kern**. Pompano Beach 2157: **James Kochersperger**. Big Pine Key 1585: **William Lechtmar**. Marianna 1026: **David Linahan**. Tice & the Shores 1297: **Kevin Lydick**. Okeechobee 1753: **Warren Martin**. Arcadia 1327: **Jeff Pitch**. Zephyrhills 2276: **Larry Robertson**. Interbay 912: **Ken Rogers**. West Pasco 2366: **Frank Venditti**. Dunnellon 2308: **Theodore Williams**. Melbourne 1406: **Ralph Wyon**.



The following men were conferred with the Fellowship Degree at the Moose International Convention in Milwaukee, WI: Four Townes 655: **Jerry Bartel**. Daytona Beach 1263: **Scott Bender**. Spring Hill 521: **David Brezin**. Mandarin 42: **Alvin Jose Camacho**. Four Townes 655: **Timothy R. Cooper**. Bonita Springs 1454: **Chris Dalton**. Lake City 624: **James Davis**. Wakulla County 2510: **Robert A. Estevez**. New Port Richey 1747: **Scott Fesler**. Fort Pierce 248: **Douglas Genereux**. Winter Haven 1023: **Gregory O. Gilmore**. Deland 1126: **Nick Hazel**. Tallahassee 1075: **Johnny K Hightower**. Punta Gorda 1693: **Kelvin Hill**. Pensacola 557: **John Manley**. Gulf Gate 608: **Joseph Anthony Mascis**. Vero Beach 1822: **Mark Moreland**. Orlando 766: **James Moser-Barker**. Jupiter-Tesquesta 2237: **Mark Sartory**. Anna Maria Island 2188: **David W Shevchik**. Tice & the Shores 1297: **Jimmy O Smith**. Fort Pierce 248: **Edward Stachura**. Fort Myers 1899: **Bradley Joe Stewart**. Tice & the Shores 1297: **Jaycob Warner**.

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NEWS

Chapter, District, and
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In June, Brandon Moose Lodge #1880 proudly welcomed officers, victim specialists and other leaders from the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office for a special appreciation luncheon. Through fundraisers over the past year, the lodge successfully raised enough to also donate 19 cases of Tommy Moose dolls to HCSO, which will be distributed to provide comfort to children in distress. The gathering was a heartfelt way to recognize and thank local law enforcement for their dedication to the community and highlights the lodge's ongoing commitment to supporting those who protect and serve.

**Submitted by Gregg Burrage
Brandon Lodge 1880**

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
TALLAHASSEE 1075, DELAND 1126, ST PETERSBURG 1145, MIRAMAR 1150

2025-2026 Moose International Appointments

MOOSE INTERNATIONAL

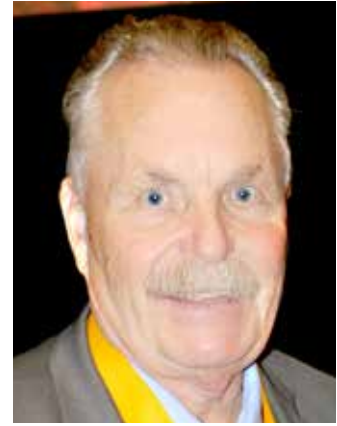
Board of Directors	JOHN R REITER	Chairman	Inverness 2112
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Moosehaven	HELEN TAYLOR	Executive Director	Lake Shore 2020
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Moosehaven Board of Directors	JOHN R REITER		Inverness 2112
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John R. Reiter

John R. Reiter serves as Chairman on the Moose International, Inc. Board of Directors.

He was elected to this post in May, 2025 at the 137th International Convention in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Prior to this post, he served on the Moose International Board of Directors as Vice Chairman (2024-2025), Director/Chaplain (2023-2024) and as a Director (2017-2023), on the Moosehaven Board of Directors (2012-2017 and 2008-2010), Moose Charities Board of Directors (2010-2012) and as Deputy Supreme Governor (2000-2001).

John joined the fraternity as a member of Ocala, FL Lodge 1014 in 1989; he served through all the chairs, including Governor; and became a Life Member in 2006.

His primary membership is now held in Inverness, FL Lodge 2112 and he also holds membership in Palmer, AK Lodge 793, Iowa City, IA 1096, Antler, VA 2726 and Ocala Forest, FL Lodge 2535.

John elevated to Cypress Moose Legion 202 (FL) in 1989.

He was a charter member of the Council of High Degrees and has served that body in all chairs, except President.

He also holds Moose Legion membership in Mississippi Valley, (MS) 141 and Mount McKinley, (AK) 51.

At the Association level, John has served the Florida/Bermuda Moose Association as District President, Loss Prevention Chairman, Mooseheart/Moosehaven Admissions

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**CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
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South Lake County Moose 1615 and Women of the Moose 1170 members Carol Felder Yapaolo, Jim Bever, Joe Gunn, and Tony Guzman present a check for \$2,500 to Cornerstone Hospice.

Submitted by Troy Broughton

South Lake County Moose Lodge 1615 and Chapter 1170

A Legacy of Giving for Compassionate Care

TROY BROUGHTON, Special to The Currier

For nearly two decades, South Lake County Moose Lodge 1615 and Women of the Moose Chapter 1170 have been the kind of neighbors every community hopes for—selfless, generous, and unwavering in their commitment to others.

This year, their charitable spirit once again took center stage at their annual golf tournament, raising an impressive \$2,500 for the Mike Conley Hospice House. With this year's contribution, their total donations have now surpassed \$100,000, a milestone that reflects both compassion and consistency in service.

As a long-standing partner in the region, the Lodge has proven itself a cornerstone of the community, not only through fundraising but by lifting up those who dedicate their lives to care and comfort—like the remarkable team at Cornerstone Hospice.

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**CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
JACKSONVILLE BEACH 1558, SOUTH LAKE COUNTY 1615, CRESCENT CITY 1641**



SUMMER CAMP

at the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches

SARAH JACKSON, Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches

When Braydon leaned back and stared up at the high ropes course, he wasn't afraid. A stout log ran from beam to beam, thirty feet across and thirty feet up. Even higher than that was the taught wire, a second level challenge for only the bravest campers.

Braydon wasn't afraid of heights. He'd had a long three days at camp so far, and this was not at the top of his list of concerns.

When his mom proposed the idea of attending summer camp, Braydon was not excited. He and his family had been having some trouble, and his mother was looking at the Youth Ranches as an option.

"My mom wanted to send me [to the Ranch], and she thought if I went to camp, it'd be like a bit of a trial run," Braydon explained.

Braydon didn't want to leave home. But his behaviors and relationships with his family were starting to get out of control.

"The kids back home were sort of in their own worlds. They knew everybody and thought they knew what everyone else was like."

Braydon found himself stuck in this same mindset. No curiosity, no motivation. Socializing wasn't his strong suit, and he didn't see much purpose in branching out of his own world.



"Being out of my comfort zone at camp changed that," Braydon said.

Over the course of the week, Braydon began opening himself up to the people around him. He learned to be patient with people he didn't understand.

"I used to give up too quickly on other people," Braydon admitted. "At camp, it wound me up a lot, working with the kids there. They weren't bad kids, just pretty unruly. Having patience made it a lot easier."

Braydon's efforts paid off quickly.

Once he opened himself up to accepting other people, his cabinmates turned into friends.

Now, looking up at the tall beams of the high ropes course with his new friends at his back, he felt himself drawn to the challenge.

It wasn't until the camp counselor explained the belay system that Braydon felt a flutter in his stomach.

He would be harnessed to a safety line, wearing a helmet, and supported by... a person. A staff member and other members of

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CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
KEY WEST 1760, PUNTA GORDA 1693, COCOA 1717, NEW PORT RICHEY 1747, SILVER SPRINGS 1199, DAYTONA BEACH 1263

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Endowment giving up over last year

TROY BROUGHTON, FMA Endowment Chairman

We are thrilled to announce that we the FMA have surpassed last year's year-end total for endowment giving by an incredible \$51,003.78, reaching an unofficial year-end total of \$829,405.32.

This remarkable achievement would not have been possible without the generosity and dedication of each and every one of you.

A special thank you to everyone who donated and to those who performed the 9

O'clock Ceremony. Your commitment and support are truly inspiring.

We also extend our gratitude to everyone who purchased a Cradle and/or Rocker. Every dollar contributed has made a significant impact in securing the future of our Mooseheart Child City and our Moosehaven City of Contentment.

Thank you all from the bottom of our hearts for your unwavering support and dedication.



Membership Recognition

District 16 President, Don Green, presents Kim Small her ring from Moose International for signing 500 members.

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
OKEECHOBEE 1753, VERO BEACH 1822, SANFORD 1851, BRANDON 1880



Rodney Hammond receives Lifetime Achievement Award

Rodney Hammond is a long-time Moose member, having enrolled as a Charter member of his lodge in 1978.

He was appointed to the original Board of Offices and was subsequently elected as Administrator, where he served for 20 years.

Rodney was an important part of the lodge team that earned recognition as one of the best in the fraternity, and the only State lodge to earn Premier Lodge Award for each of the first 14 years of the program.

Individual service included Deputy Supreme Governor, Chairman of the first Int'l Family Activities Committee chairmanships of many Association committees, and as an appointed Association Officer. He has served as Regional Manager, Chairman of the Moosehaven Board of Directors, a top five finalist for the Shining Star Administrator of the Year award.

Rodney received the Fellowship Degree in 1983 and the Pilgrim Degree in 1991.

He's an active member sponsor of more than 500 lodge members and 150 Moose Legion members, a Life member of the lodge and Moose Legion, which he served as Secretary for his jurisdiction for three years. He is a generous donor to all levels of The Moose, and earned League of Guardians recognition in every year of the program.

Rodney's best trait is mentoring other men and women of The Moose. He leads by example and continues his willingness to cook, clean, fundraise, etc., and truly cares about The Moose, his fellow man and community.

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
TITUSVILLE 1962, HAINES CITY 2083, INVERNESS 2112, PALMETTO 2117, ISLAMORADA 2151, LAND O'LAKES 1903, ENGLEWOOD 1933

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Thank you for all the hard work you put into your Lodges, Chapters, Moose Legions and Council of Higher Degrees.

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Thank you for all the hard work you put into your Lodges, Chapters, Moose Legions and Council of Higher Degrees.

You provide an avenue for yourself and others to give the way I did, and feel the way I feel.

I will visit my newest friend each time I go to Mooseheart. That connection will be there forever.

There was a lot of information shared at the

convention, opportunities to meet Ross Chastain moments after winning at Charlotte. That ring was huge.

He had no sleep, but there was nothing that could take that smile off his face.

But, this is just the beginning.

Mooseheart will become even bigger than James J. Davis could have imagined. There is no doubt, we will be reaching for that million member mark. It begins with you, and Florida will always lead the way!

Learning how to make friends, trust and relate to others is an important life skill, one that Braydon now uses every day.

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his cabin, holding the line would keep him from hitting the ground should he lose his balance on the log.

"I'm not scared of heights or falling or the dark," Braydon explained. "I'm scared of having to trust other people."

When it was Braydon's turn, the cabin-mates he'd made extra effort to talk to and befriend began to cheer him on.

"People were cheering me on and I kind of felt the pressure—not peer pressure, because there was no negativity to it. It was more a constructive sort of pressure. They wanted me to go and succeed."

Braydon steeled his nerves and allowed himself to be harnessed and helmeted.

He approached the ladder that would get him up to the beginning of the log, and started climbing, one rung at a time.

With his cabin cheering him on and the belay team supporting him, Braydon made it across the log. It changed his perspective in a major way.

"I realized I could trust people. I still struggle sometimes to trust other people to keep me safe, but it opened my eyes to the fact that I'm not as unlucky as I would think."

Today, Braydon lives at the Ranch. His summer camp trial run was a success, and he agreed to try a more permanent solution. The patience he learned at camp helped him make new friends at the Ranch.

Summer camp isn't just about learning how to canoe or fish or shoot a bow and arrow. It helps youth like Braydon get out of their comfort zone and try something new.

"If I weren't here right now, I would probably be in Juvie," Braydon said. "I don't think I ever would have gotten close to where I am today if it weren't for coming [to camp]."

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
POMPANO BEACH 2157, FORT WALTON BEACH 2193, LARGO 2205, SEBRING 2259



CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
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Florida Moose members join 25 Club

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MOOSE LEGION: St. John's River 227: **Scott Kern**. Gulfstream 189: **Keith Delano**.

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE: Sanford 1404: **Janice Darlene Brogdon**. Vero Beach 1541: **Lisa M. Plourde**. Anna Maria Island: **Cheryl J. Humphry**. Spring Hill 1765: **Kimberly S. Marks**.

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A Honoring Life with Cornerstone Hospice

Cornerstone Hospice stands as a beacon for individuals and families navigating life's most delicate chapters.

Founded in 1981 by a group of dedicated nurses in Eustis, Florida, Cornerstone was born from a desire to bring dignity and compassionate care to the dying.

What began as grassroots caregiving has evolved into one of the most respected providers of hospice care in Central Florida and beyond, now serving communities across seven Florida counties and parts of Georgia.

Their approach is deeply personal: each patient receives a tailored plan of care focused on comfort, dignity, and emotional support. This isn't just about medicine.

Cornerstone's mission is to deliver extraordinary care and empower every individual

to enjoy meaningful time with loved ones in their final days.

With a team recognized nationally for both care and grief education, Cornerstone embodies values of compassion, excellence, and innovation.

A Partnership Rooted in Heart

The enduring partnership between South Lake County Moose Lodge and Cornerstone Hospice is a shining example of how local Moose Lodges can make a profound impact.

Their fundraising doesn't just support a facility—it uplifts families, honors patients, and enables caregivers to provide exceptional end-of-life care.

In an age where community spirit can feel fleeting, the Moose Lodge 1615 and Chapter 1170 stand tall, proving that when people come together for a cause greater than themselves, the results are nothing short of extraordinary.

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Chairman and all other appointed and elected chairs, including State President.

John is a member of the 300 Division of the Moose 25 Club.

He received the Fellowship Degree of Honor in 1997 and the Pilgrim Degree of

Merit in 2005.

Outside of the Moose, John enjoys hunting, fishing, golfing and spending time with his family.

John and his wife, Sharlyn, reside in Ocala. They have three children and three grandchildren.

CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:

PINE CASTLE 2345, NASSAU 2352, SATELLITE BEACH 2367, NORTH BAY 2373, LAKE PLACID 2374, LAKE WALES 2391, CALOOSA HATCHEE 2395

AROUND THE STATE

SPORTS

Submitted by Cindy Barnhart
FMA Sports Chairman

FMA Golf Tournament 2025



CONGRATULATIONS PREMIER LODGE AWARD QUALIFIERS:
LA BELLE 2398, COUNTY LINE 2427, WAKULLA COUNTY 2510, GULF COVE 2554

Moose International Leadership Awards

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SAT, JUL 19
9:00 AM

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SAT
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SUN
SEP 6

Moose Legion Cypress 202 Conferral

Golden Triangle 874



SUN
SEP 14

Moose Legion 46 Conferral

Miramar



THU-SUN
SEP 18-21

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SUN
DEC 7

Moose Legion 46 Conferral

Boca Raton



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DEC 7

Moose Legion Cypress 202 Celebration

Boca Raton



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MAR 8, 2026

Moose Legion 46 Conferral

Davie



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SAT
JUN 13, 2026

Moose Legion #46 Conferral

Naples Get-A-Way



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