



OLD DOMINION MOOSE LEGION #148

"The Old Dominion Quarterly"

"2011 Spring Celebration"

Message from the President Jack Beck

Moose Legionnaires, This will be my last article as President of ODML #148, in the words of the Director Staff, I can be considered a "SHORT" timer. I did learn this year that there are many ways the "S" word can be used as all Directors and the Secretary used it many times in their monthly reports. There were many memorable moments for me, just to name a few. The reserved sign at Hampton Winter Celebration on the short urinal in the men's room, at our monthly meeting a booster chair that was placed at my seat, the milk crate at the podium, it was a fun filled year.

On the flip side, we experienced unsatisfactory fund raising. Some Moose Legion Committees gave no or very little support, some gave a little support and a small hand full gave outstanding support. The net result, expenditures were more than income.

Our Spring Celebration will be held at Manchester #699 in April. At this time the new Board of Directors will be installed for the coming year. This group of volunteers needs a commitment from all Moose Legion Committees in our jurisdiction to give outstanding support in all areas of operation. The Time Is Now, we can not blame the economy if no effort is put forth.

I would like to thank the current Board of Directors, Keith Williams, Sam Barnhill, Steve Williams, Doug Daniel, Rick Harshman and appointment officers Ryan Spain, Bryan Shinault and especially Jim Cridlin for their support during this year.

Proud to have served!

ANNUAL ELECTION FOR THE 2011-2012 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Sunday, April 17, 2011

Manchester Moose Lodge

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM



President	Sam Barnhill
Vice-President	Doug Daniel
Chaplain/Publicity	Steve Williams
Financial Operations	Rick Harshman
Fraternal Operations	Ryan Spain



Message from the Vice-President Sam Barnhill

At this past Winter Celebration, The Board of Directors presented Jeryl Mann of Dinwiddie Moose Legion, with the Watch for being the first Moose Legionnaire to sign five (5) new members into Old Dominion Moose Legion #148. Thank you Jeryl!

The Spring Celebration is coming up. Manchester #699 is hosting this event. Please fellow Moose Legionnaires, sign a new member or re-enroll a former member. THE TIME IS NOW! Remember,

when you sign two (2) you will get your dues paid for the next year.

At the Winter Celebration the Membership Trophy went to a tie. Lakeside Moose Legion will keep it until the #148 meeting in Chesterfield #1980 and Richmond East will get to keep it till we get a winner at Manchester during the Spring Celebration.

Keep up the good work!



Message from the Past President Keith Williams



I would like to thank everyone for all their support during my six (6) years as a director of the Old Dominion Moose Legion #148. It was been a pleasure working with each of you and hope you continue to support the upcoming directors in the Moose Legion.

I would like to also thank Brother Robert "Poindexter" Maxey for keeping us straight and making sure we were dressed appropriately including socks during our meetings.

The Time is Now to keep our membership up, up and up. We need to retain the members that we have as well as sign on new members. MLC's check with your administrator or membership chairman and see who is dropping and see if there is anything the Moose Legion can do to keep them enrolled. Remember if they drop their dues as a Moose Member, they also drop being a Moose Legionnaire.

We will see you at the Spring Celebration!

ANNUAL "DARE DAY" IN THE PARK

The date for the Annual DARE Day in the Park is April 9, 2011. The event will be held at Three Lakes Park off of Wilkinson Road in Henrico County. This year more than ever we will need not only your financial assistance but your manpower as well. The Mechanicsville Lions Club will not be participating. We will need to furnish lunch and beverages. Please send your donations earmarked for the DARE Program made payable to Old Dominion Moose Legion #148 ASAP!!!

Thanking you in advance for your support.

Message from the Secretary Jim Cridlin

The Winter Celebration went as well as expected. The hospitality rooms did everything that was asked of them and there were little to no problems. The hotel under new management had several problems ranging from individual room accommodations, meeting rooms not ready as promised, coffee no longer provided in registration area, shortage of staff, etc. We may very well be looking for a new location next year. Those that showed up and took part in the celebration seemed to have had a good time (even with the problems listed above).

It's again time to elect your new Directors for the 2011-2012 Moose Legion Year. Please attend the Spring Celebration and take part in the election process. The following slate was voted and approved last month:

- President Sam Barnhill (Walkerton)
- Vice President Doug Daniel (Powhatan)
- Chaplain Steve Williams (Lakeside)
- Financial Director Rick Harshman (Richmond East)
- Fraternal Director Ryan Spain (Manchester)



International Moose Legion President Bruce Berger and his wife Donna sent a letter thanking all of us for our hospitality and friendship that was extended to both of them.

During the Golden Ball Ceremony held in their honor a total of \$453.00 was collected. Our thanks to all that participated and to the hospitality rooms participation.

Do not forget the Special Membership program initiated by Moose International. No enrollment fees until April 30th. As of this letter we have sponsored 86 new applications. Our goal for the year is 105. Please help us make quota.

The annual election and installation of officers will take place Sunday April 17, 2011. Past President Keith Williams will be the inducting officer.

Thanks to the volunteers that assisted us during the Winter Celebration. I look forward to working with the new Board and their suggestions.

Message from the Director of Fraternal Operations Rick Harshman

Another Winter Celebration has come and gone. Hopeful a good time was had by all. Thanks to the hospitality rooms and the members who worked so hard to make your time enjoyable. The Ritual Team 50/50 was \$508 dollars to the winner which was won by Mike Harris of Chesterfield Lodge. To the short time left in this year, I will be helping the Financial Director Doug with a progressive 50/50 to benefit #148 Moose Legion.

Message from the Chaplain / Publicity Steve Williams

Our Defending Circle has been broken and our ranks diminished. ODML 148 Charter member and good Brother Frank Hopkins lost his battle with cancer on Saturday, February 26. Frank was bestowed with the title of Honorary Past President at the 45th Anniversary Celebration in October. He was one of three surviving Charter Members and will be greatly missed. May he rest in peace.

If you or someone you know is ill or in distress, please let me know by email at stevedelta@hotmail.com or by phone at 804-832-3861. Every effort will be made to call and/or visit.

Moose Legion Events:

Very little has been reported since the last newsletter. Please, if you are planning an event, let us know so we can pass the word!

- **Richmond-Lakeside 1714** will have their annual Memorial Day Duck Race and Picnic on May 30th. The picnic will be from noon to 6:00 PM with the Duck Race at 4:00 PM. In the usual "Everything's a Dollar" style, there will be hot dogs, burgers, side dishes, sodas and Moose Milk. There will be a Horseshoe Tournament, Corn Hole and a Water Slide along with activities for all age groups. The Duck Race tickets will be \$5.00 each with only 300 available. Prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

Plan ahead so you can get your events listed in the Newsletter. Send the information to stevedelta@hotmail.com. Your fliers can also be posted to the ODML 148 as well as the VMA web site.

Communication:

- **We need to talk!** During the past quarter, I have received only a handful of emails and almost no phone calls from our members regarding sickness or events. The vast majority of the email from members is not even Moose Legion related. It is difficult to help increase participation in your events if you do not communicate your plans.

If you have an email address, simply send me an email with your name and Lodge in the subject line. This way, we will be able to get vital event information to you and your members in a timely fashion.

Message from the Director of Financial Operations Doug Daniel

First I would like to thank everyone that helped us on the last fund raiser for the 148 Moose Legion in Hampton. What a way to get together with Moose Legionnaires from all of the 148 area and some from the other area (199). Everyone had a blast, some more than others. The TV went to a member of the Dinwiddie Lodge, the Jim Kelly went to a member of the Powhatan Lodge, and the shot gun went down Walkerton way. Our next fund raiser

for the Spring Celebration and Conferral at the Manchester Lodge 699 on April 15-17 2011 will be a Progressive 50/50. Who does not like to win a pile of money? Please help support your 148 Moose Legion. I will have the tickets soon and will be calling on you. Find out what is going on in the 148 by coming to the monthly meetings and bring what is going on in your lodge and spread the word. See you at the next meeting.

Old Dominion Moose Legion #148

Past North Moose Past Presidents

PAST NORTH MOOSE	
1965-1966	Sonny Clay
1966-1967	Johnny Kreynus *
1967-1968	Howard Pape *
1968-1969	William Traylor *
1969-1970	Harold Matthews *
1970-1971	Edgar Rochell *
1971-1972	Harlie Munsell
1972-1973	Charles Mason *
1973-1974	Dale Pufhal *
1974-1975	Howard Pape *
1975-1976	Ray Crerry *
1976-1977	Bob Hurt *
1977-1978	Ray Hodge
1978-1979	Phil Stack
1979-1980	Robert Gwaltney *
1980-1981	James Skeeter Crumpler *
1981-1982	Charles Myers
1982-1983	Mason Hester
1983-1984	Robert P. Maxey
1984-1985	Phil Siegle
1985-1986	Edgar Carwile *
1986-1987	Gilbert Johnson
1987-1988	Clyde Marshall
1988-1989	Mike Walta *
1989-1990	Jeff Powell *
1990-1991	Bob Parker *

PAST GRAND NORTH MOOSE	
1976-1977	Charles Mason*
1985-1986	Robert B. Hurt*

PAST INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENTS	
1984-1985	Sonny Clay
2007-2008	Robert P. Maxey

PAST INTERNATIONAL AMBASSADORS	
	Clyde Marshall
	Ken Emerson
	Bob Miller
2009-10	Bob Blankenship

PAST PRESIDENTS	
1991-1992	George Jacobs *
1992-1993	Leon Gifford
1993-1994	Zac Horn *
1994-1995	Wilber Jarrell
1995-1996	Mason Hester
1996-1997	Mo Loving
1997-1998	Steve Sawyer
1998-1999	Billy Powers
1999-2000	Ken Emerson
2000-2001	Jim Cridlin
2001	Roy Groome (#)
2002-2003	Charles Curtis
2003	Curtis Sheffield (#)
2003-2004	John Tate
2004	Jay Bohn (#)
2004-2005	Paul Davis
2005-2006	Jim New
2006	Guy Barker (#)
2006-2007	Bob Blankenship
2007-2008	Eddie Cross
2008-2009	Dave Bardon
2009-2010	Keith Williams
2010	Frank Hopkins (#)*
2010-2011	Jack Beck

*Denotes Deceased

#Denotes Honorary

<p>April 15, 2011</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dinner in Social Quarters from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM Menu includes: Steak with Baked Potato and Salad, Tea or Coffee - \$12.00 pp• Karaoke in Social Quarters from 8:00 PM to 12 Midnight
<p>April 16, 2011</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Golf Tournament at Rivers Bend Golf Course Tee Time @ 8:30 AM – finishing up around 2:00 PM Golfers Banquet and Awards – 2:30 PM• Corn Hole Tournament – 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM \$5 pp to enter – Winner takes all• Pool Tournament – 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM \$5 pp to enter – Singles Tournament / Double Elimination• Spaghetti Dinner in Social Quarters – 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM \$6 pp• Live entertainment in Social Quarters – 8:00 PM to 12 Midnight
<p>April 17, 2011</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• MLC Breakfast – 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM \$5 pp (all u can eat)• Board of Directors / Asst Secretaries Meeting – 9:30 AM• Annual Elections of Board of Directors 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM• Conferral Ceremony – 11:00 AM• Installation of Board of Directors directly after ceremony• Lunch to follow

ODML #148 SPRING CELEBRATION GOLF TOURNAMENT RIVER'S BEND GOLF COURSE



Tee Time will be at 8:30 AM at the River's Bend Golf Course. Captain's Choice format as in the past will be used. If there are enough teams, Shotgun start will apply. After the conclusion of the Tournament, all players will be treated to a free lunch back at Manchester Moose. Awards will be given to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finisher's; along with the ODML#148 Traveling Golf Trophy.

Cost of entry is \$60 pp = \$240 per team

Please fill in your team's member's below:

Player	Name	Contact #
1		
2		
3		
4		

Make checks payable to: Manchester Moose Lodge

Once complete, please mail checks and form to:

Ryan Spain
10132 Ronaldton Road
Richmond, Virginia 23236



OLD DOMINION CELEBRATIONS SCHEDULE AND MEETINGS

DATE	PLACE	WHAT
March 9, 2011	Chesterfield #1980	ODML#148 Meeting
April 11, 2011	Manchester #699	ODML#148 Meeting
April 15-17, 2011	Manchester #699	Spring Conferral Ceremony

ALL REGULAR MEETINGS BEGIN AT 8:00 PM

EMAIL: ODML148@AOL.COM

WEBSITE: WWW.ODML148.COM

MOOSE LEGION COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS

Name	Asst Secretary	Director
Ashland Moose Lodge #2099	Dennis McNamee	Jack Beck
Blackstone Moose Lodge #1084	Willis Cullop	Jim Cridlin
Callo Moose Lodge #917	Dwayne Snyder	Steve Williams
Caroline Moose Lodge #2610	Jimmy Sadler	Jack Beck
Chesterfield Moose Lodge #1980	Preston Burton	Keith Williams
Colonial Heights Moose Lodge #1783	Roy Snyder	Doug Daniel
Dinwiddie Moose Lodge #1993	Jerald Mann	Jim Cridlin
Hopewell Moose Lodge #1472	Larry Higgs	Doug Daniel
King William Moose Lodge #2634	Penn Goggin	Rick Harshman
Lakeside Moose Lodge #1714	Rusty Clarke	Sam Barnhill
Lancaster Moose Lodge #2527	Bobby Forrester	Steve Williams
Louisa Moose Lodge #2065	Ron Walker	Jack Beck
Manchester Moose Lodge #699	Jerry Maddy	Sam Barnhill
Middlesex Moose Lodge #2401	Tim Estep	Steve Williams
Montross Moose Lodge #2333	Randolph Hones	Steve Williams
Powhatan Moose Lodge #1840	Tim Wood	Sam Barnhill
Richmond East Moose Lodge #1947	Greg Gilliam	Sam Barnhill
Sandston Moose Lodge #1937	Carl Nelson	Keith Williams
Tappahannock-Warsaw Moose Lodge #2133	Keith Carpenter	Rick Harshman
Tuckahoe Moose Lodge #1163	Dave Bardon	Keith Williams
Walkerton Moose Lodge #2679	Bobby Gibbs	Rick Harshman



to sign up new members

Application Fee Waived for all New or Re-Enrolled Members!
through April 30, 2011.

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Information for Summer "ODML Quarterly" will be due no later than May 23, 2011

If you are having any Moose Legion functions in your Lodge and would like to see it in this quarterly; please send to Publicity Chairperson, Steve Williams or to ODML#148@aol.com

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April 15-17, 2011

Manchester Moose

2011 Spring Conferral Ceremony