

THE GUIDE

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WOODWARD MOOSE LODGE 452 | CHAPTER 2121 | LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE WOODWARD | OKLAHOMA



Members making their mark on Moose fraternity

Woodward Moose Lodge 452 receives Premiere Lodge Award



KIMBERLY KELLY | EDITOR

The 2021 Moose International Convention were exciting times for Woodward Moose Lodge members.

Amid all the regular excitement the convention brings special accolades, honors and installations were held, all with Woodward participation.

Pam Pierce was appointed and installed as the Women of the Moose Higher Degree President.

Pierce joined the WOTM Woodward, Oklahoma Chapter 2121 in 1999 where she holds a life membership.

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Pam Pierce poses for a photo after being installed at the Women of the Moose Higher Degree President at the Moose International Convention July 4, 2021.

Welcome to our New and Returning Members

Lorinda Rose
Bruce Snider
Charlene Hanneman
Bob Head
Zetha Gann
Bruce Snider
Shawna Bergeron
Bruce Snider
Felix Tapia
Bruce Snider
Wendy Dunlap
Bruce Snider
Betty Penrice
Bruce Snider
Jon Sanchez
James Coleman

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Renew Your Membership Today!

Our Neighbors in need.
Our 190 Children
at Mooseheart
and Our 250 Seniors
at Moosehaven
need Our Support.
If Not US then Who!!!

When you receive
your renewal,
complete form
and return immedi-
ately with check or
money order to
Moose International.

Write your ID# and
Lodge452, Chapter
2121 in memo Area.

Mail to:
Moose International Dues
Processing Center
PO Box 88065
Chicago, IL 60680-1065

Pay online
mooseintl.org
Click Pay Dues
enter ID#
and follow the directions.

Sickness and Distress

If you become aware
of sickness or death
of one of our members
or member's family

Please notify

Prelate John McVicker
or Treasurer Carol Harris
office 580 256-6969.

This way we too may pay
our respects.

From the Desk of the Administrator

BRUCE L SNIDER

Moose International convention a success for everyone

I have recently returned from the Moose International convention in Cincinnati, Ohio. What a convention! Close to 5000 Moose members from around the United States were there to show our support of this great fraternity.

Many were there for five days and we showed our support for the city of Cincinnati, Ohio. This was the first convention they have been able to hold since the start of this pandemic.

It was reported that the Moose Convention boosted the local economy by \$6 million dollars!! No wonder our wallets are lighter!! Doing what Moose members do best. Helping others.

The Moose Fraternity had a community service event in Cincinnati that raised \$67,000+ plus for a local charity! Moose proud!!!

We will be attending the Oklahoma/Southern Kansas Moose Association's annual convention in Hutchinson, Kansas in August.

Looking forward to reporting state awards that your Woodward Moose Lodge will bring home.

I am so proud of what our Lodge has

accomplished this past year. We have had a rough patch with declining membership and our horrible economy.

Our Governor last year, Doyt Simmons, led by example. He worked every day at the lodge, either cooking, cleaning, repairing or just being there for moral support. My hats off to Doyt Simmons.

He also had many members, men and women, that helped make our past year a huge success. Thanks to all who helped by volunteering, sponsoring, or participating in the social quarters' activities. It takes everyone to achieve these awards.

Remember, volunteers are not asked! What can I do to help?

Come to your Woodward Moose Lodge and find out how.

We are fighting our way through the slow period of the year. Looking forward to the fall and activities in our lodge.

Keep your eyes peeled for special food nights, free social quarter games and kids' activities. Please help your lodge to expand during this normally slow period of time.

Be Moose Proud and One Moose. Until we meet again...

**Moose
Fraternity
community
service event
raised over
\$67,000
for local
charity**

Kimberly Kelly is the editor of *The Guide*.

Please email her with your feedback, story ideas, input, and photos.

The next deadline for *The Guide* is Wednesday, August 18, 2021.

The Guide is a monthly publication of Woodward Moose Lodge #452, 3702 1st Street, Woodward, OK 73801 and is for the benefit of the members of Woodward Moose Lodge #452 and Woodward Women of the Moose Chapter #2121.

From the President

BOB HEAD

Honors abound

Congratulations to all who received these awards and positions of honor

Congratulations to the Woodward Moose Lodge #452. We recently returned from the Moose International convention in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Our Lodge brought home many awards. Woodward Lodge was awarded the Premier Lodge Award.

The lodge ritual team consisting of JC Patton, John Latta, Don Parella, Trevor Hepner, Roger Turner and Ray Myers, won 1st Place in the Lodge Ritual team competition. They were the best out of 1500+ lodges. Congrats for all of your hard work on behalf of the Woodward Moose Lodge!!

Past Governor Doyt Simmons achieved the Lodge leadership Award as did Administrator Bruce Snider.

I was honored with receiving the prestigious Fellowship degree of service, receiving the blue jacket. What an honor.

Pam Pierce was appointed to the po-

sition of President of the WOTM higher degrees board. Congrats to Pam Pierce.

Bruce Snider was installed as a member of the Board of Directors of Moosehaven for his 6th term.

Woodward Moose Lodge 452 Ritual Team won 1st Place out of 1500+ lodges in the country

Also honored was Carol Harris and Nicole Twyman with the Star Recorder Degree.

Woodward Lodge was very well represented at the International level. Congratulations to all who received these awards and positions of honor.

On August 27, 2021, at the lodge home, we will host the "Summer Bash".

The lodge will furnish hamburgers, hot dogs, sausage, etc. We will cook out on the back patio. Members bring your favorite side dish or dessert.

Bring the kids, grandkids, grandparents, and any qualified guest you would like to introduce to our lodge.

There will be games and fellowship. Starts at 6:30 p.m. See you there.

Lodge and Chapter Prayers

Please pray for our ill:

- ♥ Jean Smith
- ♥ Trish Parella
- ♥ Wendell Baxter
- ♥ Gary Harris
- ♥ Pam Thompson
- ♥ Jim Powell
- ♥ Don Parella

Our Defending Circle is broken

It is with a heavy heart and deep sadness that we inform you of the passing of

Territory
Manager

Howard Welsh

Vernon Chaote

The brother of
Carl Whitworth

The son of
Jesse Wales

Woodward Lodge #452 and Chapter #2121 wish to express our deepest sympathy to the Family and Friends.

Moose Legion

NICK SHROUT | TREASURER/MOOSE LEGION CHAIRMAN LODGE 452

Take note of these dates

Hope everyone had a great time with friends and family for the 4th.

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OSKMA in Hutchinson is August 19 – 22. Congratulations to the Woodward Lodge ritual team for taking 1st place.

The next Moose Legion meeting will be Saturday August 7 at 7:00 p.m.

Please join us at the lodge on Friday August 27 for the End of Summer Bash.



WOODWARD LODGE 452

BOARD OF OFFICERS

PRESIDENT
Bob Head

VICE PRESIDENT
Steve Stewart

CHAPLIN
Alan Shive

TREASURER
Nick Shrout

3 YEAR TRUSTEE
John McVicker

2 YEAR TRUSTEE
Robert Smith

1 YEAR TRUSTEE
Jack Pierce

PAST GOVERNOR
Doyt Simmons

ADMINISTRATOR
Bruce Snider

MOOSE LEGION
Nick Shrout

Women of the Moose

NICOLE TWYMAN | SENIOR REGENT

Chapter meetings move back to 2nd and 4th Mondays



Hello everyone! We have a lot of things coming up and some changes as well.

First off, I'd like to let all of you know we have decided to go back to having two Chapter nights a month instead of one Chapter night. They will be on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

We would love to see you there!

We have OSKMA state conference August 19th-22nd in Hutchinson, Kansas. We have pre-registration forms on the bulletin board in the social quarters. They are due back in by August 12th.

We will be starting up Monday night meals beginning in September. Please let me know if you are interested in doing one, so I can get it scheduled.

The Chapter still needs a Mooseheart/Moosehaven committee chairperson, so if anyone is interested, please let me know.

I would like to remind all our sisters that the lodge meetings are open to ALL members, (that includes women).

Those meetings are held on the first and third Monday's at 8:00 p.m.

Until next month, everyone take care!

Lodge Details

Woodward Moose Lodge 452

3702 1st Street Woodward, Oklahoma 73801 Phone: (580) 256-6969

Admission to the Lodge:

All members of Loyal Order of the Moose in good standing and their qualified guests.

QUALIFIED GUESTS

- Member in good standing of Women of the Moose.
- The spouse of a member in good standing.
- A prospective member accompanied by his/her sponsor.
- Prospective members must be properly signed in, cannot make purchases and their third visit must be to attend an orientation or enrollment.
- All guest must leave with member signing them in.
- Only LOOM and WOTM members may make purchases.
- Former members may be a guest.

Social Quarters Dress Code:

No clothing with obscene, profane or offensive language or art.

MEN

No tank tops, sleeveless or muscle shirts, cut off shorts or shirts, boxer (worn as outside clothing) or lounge (pajama) pants.

WOMEN

No tube tops, halter tops, crop tops, sports bra (worn as outside clothing), cut off shorts, boxer (worn as outside clothing) or lounge (pajama) pants.

Note: if any article of clothing not specifically mentioned above is deemed inappropriate by the House Committee, you may be asked to cover it and/or ask not to wear it again.

MEMBERS *from page 1*

She has served her Chapter as Community Service Chairman, Recorder, Senior Regent, Junior Graduate Regent, Moose Charities Chairman, Secretary/Treasurer and is presently the Membership Retention Chairman.

She was appointed as Assistant Regional Manager in 2006, and is currently serving as the Chapter Analyst, Area Trainer Coordinator and By-Laws Committee Chairman for Oklahoma South Kansas Moose Association.

Pierce previously served as the College of Regents Board of the Women of the Moose from 2018-2020, and served as Deputy Grand Regent for Oklahoma in 2011.

She earned her Academy of Friendship in 2003, Star Recorder Degree in 2005, and College of Regents in 2009.

Aside from her Moose activities, Pierce is employed and enjoys traveling with her husband Jack. They have been blessed with three children, eight grandchildren, and two great grandchildren.

Bob Head has been instrumental in many of past fundraising efforts to help those in need and was honored for his services over the years through these activities and programs with the Fellowship Honor.

Head joined the Moose in 2014, elected 3-year trustee in 2016, 2-year trustee in 2017, Junior Governor in 2018, then President in 2021. He has sponsored 19 members in to the Moose Fraternity.

In 2015, Head joined the Sooner Moose Legion, has sponsored 11 in the Moose Legion, and served as Sargent at Arms.

He has also served as Sargent at Arms for the state association.

Two Chapter 2121 members were honored with the Star Degree.

Nicole Twyman joined Woodward Moose Chapter 2121 in 2001, where she

holds her lifetime membership. She has signed up 28 members and is a member of the 5/25 club.

Twyman has served her Chapter as sentinel, Academy of Friendship chairman, Membership/Retention chairman, Application Review chairman, Audit chairman, Senior Regent, Junior Regent, Junior Graduate Regent, Secretary/Treasurer, Chaplain, and Recorder.

She also holds dual memberships in Norman, OK and Duncan, OK.

Prior to earning her Star Degree in Cincinnati this year, Twyman earned her Academy of Friendship degree in 2007, College of Regents degree in 2015.

She is currently serving as the WOTM Deputy Grand Regent for Oklahoma/Southern Kansas and also serves as the state Mooseheart Marketing Representative, is on the State Academy of Friendship conferral team, and the state Green cap ceremony conferral team.

"The star degree means a lot to me," Nicole Twyman said. "A lot of people don't realize all of the work, time, and effort that goes into being a treasurer. You have monthly audits you have to do, enter and transmit applications, enter and make deposits, send in monthly forms, take training classes, etc. If you are lucky enough to earn your degree. It truly is an honor! It shows all the hard work you put into trying to earn this degree."

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Carol Harris agreed.

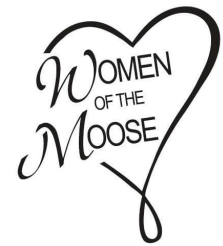
"Having been Recorder as many years as I have I would say it is validation of your hard work," Carol Harris said.



Nicole Twyman, PDGR and current Chapter 2121 Senior Regent earned the Star Degree.



Bob Head wears his blue Fellowship Jacket after receiving the honor in Cincinnati, Ohio.



WOTM CHAPTER 2121

BOARD OF OFFICERS

SENIOR REGENT
Nicole Twyman

SECRETARY
Jeannine Latta

TREASURER
Carol Harris

APPOINTED POSITIONS

**HIGHER
DEGREE**
Trish Parella

**MEMBERSHIP
RETENTION**
Pam Pierce

**FRATERNAL
ACTIVITIES**
Sarah Edwards

GUIDE
Jeannine Raulston



Carol Harris, PDGR and current Chapter 2121 Treasurer earned the Star Degree.



Past Governor Doyt Simmons earned the Governor's Award of Excellence.

Top Right Photo: Teena Landers Midwest City, OK, Tina Johnson Stillwater, OK, Carol Harris, and, Nicole Twyman celebrate together after receiving their Star Degree.

Bottom photo: Woodward Moose Lodge 452 Lodge Ritual Team took first place honors in the ritual competition. Pictured left to right are John Latta, Trevor Hepner, JC Patton, Ray Myers, Don Parella and Roger Turner



MEMBERS, from page 5

"I think that the star recorder degree is the hardest one to earn. You've got to make sure all of your I's are dotted and T's are crossed. If the recorder makes one mistake it could cost the entire chapter their honors."

Harris, like Twyman, earned the Star Degree in Cincinnati.

Carol Harris initially joined the Moose in 1998 but the Chapter folded. She rejoined in 2003 and has since served her Chapter through numerous positions including Argus (2008), Junior Regent (2009), Senior Regent (2010), Junior Graduate Regent (2011), Secretary/Treasurer (2012), Chaplain (2013), Recorder (2015, 2016), Audit Chairman (2017), Membership Retention Chairman (2018), Recorder (2019, 2020), and Treasurer (2021).

In addition to earning her Star in 2021, she previously earned her Academy of Friendship Degree in 2002, Past Regent in 2012, College of Regents in 2013.

Harris served at Deputy Grand Regent

in 2016, is a life member of the Moose, is a member of the Moose International 25 club 50 division and has sponsored 59 members to date.

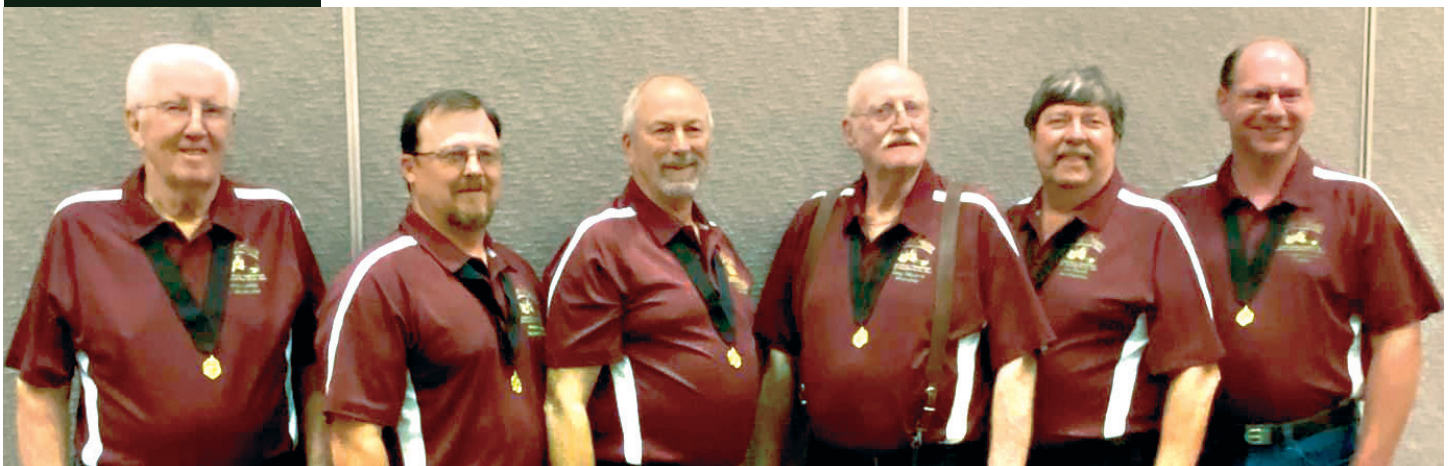
She has been a member of the League of Guardians for five years, is the OSKA Conferal Coordinator, the Vice President of District 1, a WOTM and 2-Hott Trainer, and was the recipient of the OSKA WOTM Lifetime Achievement Award in 2020. She is a past state Mooseheart Admissions Representative.

Harris is a 15-year Veteran of the U.S. Navy, is in the Moosheart International Valued Veterans Program, and is married with one child and two grandchildren.

Additional honors went to the Lodge Ritual Team who placed First in the ritual competition

Both Past Governor Doyt Simmons and Administrator Bruce Snider were awarded the Lodge Leadership Award.

He was also installed as a member of the Board of Directors of Moosehaven for a sixth term.





**Moose.
Stronger
together.**

August 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Lodge Officers Mtg 7:30PM Lodge Mtg 8PM	3	4 Kitchen Open Darts 7-9PM	5 Cards Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM	6 Blind Draw Darts 9PM	7 Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM
8	9 WOTM Officers Mtg 7 PM WOTM 7:30PM	10	11 Kitchen Open Darts 7-9PM	12 Cards Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM	13 Blind Draw Darts 9PM	14 Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM
15	16 Lodge Officers Mtg 7:30PM Lodge Mtg 8PM	17	18 Kitchen Open Darts 7-9PM	19 OSKMA HUTCHINSON Cards Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM	20 OSKMA HUTCHINSON Blind Draw Darts 9PM	21 OSKMA HUTCHINSON Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM
22 OSKMA HUTCHINSON	23 WOTM 7:30PM	24	25 Kitchen Open Darts 7-9PM	26 Cards Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM	27 END OF SUMMER BASH 6:30PM Blind Draw Darts 9PM	28 Free Play Darts / Pool / Golf 6-9PM
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