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Nashville International Conference - July 2-7, 2010



Check out the recent updates to <http://www.moose2010nashville.org/>. We are currently taking reservations for your hotel stay during our International Convention/Conference. Rooms are going fast!

The Gaylord Opryland Resort is a city within a city. It offers, shopping, great food, shopping, golf, shopping, paddle boat rides, and more shopping! You will be able to visit downtown Nashville by your own power (walking), taxi or bus. Quaint shops, the Nashville Zoo, Botanical Gardens, Mansions and Plantations, and the Wild Horse Saloon are all "must see" attractions. Be sure to bring some comfortable walking shoes, a hat and sunscreen!

Check, Bet or Bluff?

Co-workers, you are invited to attend and participate in the 2010 Moose International Texas Hold 'em Tournament! You can play, shop, visit the famous Las Vegas strip and play some more. Visit <http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/FratPrograms/2009TH.asp> for complete details. It is easy to register for the tourney on line. I hope to see you and your chips at the tables! 😊



Quarterly Community Service Report forms

Can be found at: <http://www.mooseintl.org/portal/forms/ComSvc/CSQT.pdf>. The Fraternal Programs Department is not accepting 2009-2010 information submitted on outdated forms. The incorrect form will be sent back to the chapter to be resubmitted on the proper form. This may cause your Community Service report to be received after the deadline date and therefore be considered late. Always refer to the Moose International website for the most current and up-to-date forms, reports and information!

Entering the Application Code on a New Application

After entering the application date click the **Application Code** drop down arrow and select the Application Code from the menu based on the desired application:

1-New

An Applicant that has never been a WOTM Member.

1-Multiple Membership (a, d)

WOTM Member of another chapter applying for membership in this Chapter.

2-Re-Enroll (b, d)

A previous WOTM Member whose membership expiration date occurred more than 12 months ago. **Remember** when using this application code, the co-worker will lose all prior years of service.

3-Reinstate (d, d)

A previous WOTM Member in your Chapter whose membership expiration date occurred between 12 and 24 months ago (Dropped status). Back dues must be collected to update the member's dues date. When using this application code, the co-worker will retain prior years of service.

5-Transfer In (a, d)

WOTM Member transferring from another Chapter. The member's dues date must be current in their existing Chapter and the **Fees Paid** button must be checked.

L-Comp Member

A non-member that is entered so that a label can be printed. Comp Members do not get transmitted and when you save the application it will immediately go to the Inactive Member List.

Notes

(a) When you choose **Multiple Membership** or **Transfer In** as the application code, enter the member's ID in the Member ID field and then Press Enter or Tab. You will be prompted to connect to Moose International to retrieve real-time applicant information. Be sure to check the address.

(b) If a **Re-Enroll** application code is selected, enter the previous WOTM Member's MID in the Member ID field (or, if re-enrolling in the same Chapter - Click the 'Don't Know ID' button, select the previous WOTM Member from the Drop Down Box) and then Press Enter or Tab. If the previous WOTM Member is in the FRU database as an inactive member the information will be used to automatically populate the application. Otherwise, you will be prompted to connect to Moose International to retrieve real-time applicant information. Be sure to check the address.

(c) If a **Reinstate** application code is selected, enter the previous WOTM Member's MID in the Member ID field (or Click the 'Don't Know ID' button, select the former Member from the Drop Down Box) and then Press Enter or Tab. The previous WOTM Member's information will be used to automatically populate the application.

(d) After the information is automatically filled in, you must verify and edit any information that is displayed, **except** in the Name Information Box. Changing the applicant's Name information will result in the application being rejected.

Forms and Reports via U.S. Mail



Please include the Chapter Name and Number on all correspondence sent to WOTM Headquarters. This will help insure proper credit of receipt for all reports, forms, and correspondence coming into our office.

Form 114 and U.S. Mail

All 114s and donations must be sent via U.S. Mail - do not email the 114. The 114 and donations must be received together for the chapter to receive proper credit.



Halloween



The excitement of children and adults at this time of year sometimes makes them forget to be careful. Inviting your members and their families to the Lodge Home for a Halloween Celebration can be fun, safe and happy. Everyone will have a spooky good time!

Chocolate Ghost Cookies

Ingredients:

- 1 lb. white chocolate coating
- 1 pkg. Nutter Butter Peanut Bars
- 1 pkg. mini chocolate chips



Preparation:

In the top of a double boiler melt white chocolate coating. Dip cookies into coating covering completely. Set on waxed paper to cool. Spread melted chocolate to areas that did not get covered. Use mini chocolate chips as eyes.

