

Official Communication for June 8, 2022

Chastain Races on West Coast Before Midyear Break

Ross Chastain will race the No. 1 Trackhouse Chevrolet Camaro this weekend in Sonoma, CA after finishing eighth in a contentious race while representing the Moose Fraternity in the Enjoy Illinois 300 this past Sunday. Chastain received plenty of media coverage during and after the race for brush-ups with Denny Hamlin and Chase Elliott, but accepted full responsibility for his actions and vowed to do better in the coming weeks.

Prior to the race, Ross visited with the children on Mooseheart's campus, as well as with members and the staff of the Fraternity during graduation/Pilgrim week ceremonies. On campus he discussed the current season, but also his dedication to the Moose and the missions we support. Ross, a Five-Club member signer, continues to represent the Fraternity in the best possible light.

To watch him race in this Sunday's Toyota / Save Mart 350, tune into Fox Sports 1 at 4:00pm ET. Following this race, the NASCAR schedule will have a one week break and resume in Nashville on June 26th.

Order your own life-size Ross Chastain Stand-Up for Your Lodge!

You can now order NASCAR driver and Moose ambassador Ross Chastain as a stand-up display for your lodge, complete with Moose fire suit. Image 1 includes the GEICO 500 trophy that he won in April while driving the Moose Fraternity Chevrolet Camaro, and Image 2 features just Ross in his Moose fire suit.

Please see the Order Information document above for the two available images and instructions on how to order. You will need the attached "Substitute Image" as well to complete your order.

2022-2023 Moose of the Year Selection Open (Lodges only)

This program recognizes each Lodge's selection of its most outstanding lodge member (man or woman) as their **Moose of the Year**. Since ALL active members of The Moose may be considered as a Lodge's Moose of the Year nominee, it is our belief that **no Lodge has an excuse to not participate in this recognition program**. Submitting a timely Moose of the Year is one of the criteria for a Lodge to earn the Premier Lodge Award.

The Moose of the Year is selected by the Lodge's Junior Past President, serving as Chairman, and at least three other Past Presidents/Governors of the Lodge. If three (3) active Past Presidents/Governors are not available, the President may appoint other Lodge Officers to the selection committee. Additionally, if the Junior Past President is not available to serve as Chairman, the President may appoint any Past President/Governor of the Lodge to serve in this capacity. The Moose of the Year selection should be based upon the member's overall record as a Moose during the past year, with particular attention paid to their membership efforts, their support of Moose Charities and their contributions to the Lodge and community.

Electronic Submission. The Lodge's Moose of the Year selection will be submitted to Moose International electronically, via LCL Web. **On-line entry is now open and will be accepted through Friday, July 8, 2022.**

As a reminder, Lodges are required to submit a Moose of the Year nominee as part of the criteria for the Premier Lodge Award.

Registration For The 2022 International Golf Tournament

Come join your fellow Moose members this summer in Crawfordsville, IN, for the 2022 golf tournament! The Scramble will take place on Friday, July 29, and the tournament will take place Saturday & Sunday, July 30-31, 2022. Register online or download the registration form from the Moose International website, at www.mooseintl.org, under: '*Programs & Events*' / '*Sports*' / *Golf*. All registrations must be postmarked no later than Thursday, June 30, 2022 to be accepted.

A Message from Moose Charities regarding March of Checks

As you prepare for the 2022 International Moose Convention in Orlando, please plan time in your schedule to stop by the Moose Charities booth with donations for the annual '**March of Checks**.'

Donors of \$500.00 or more will receive a 'gold receipt' that serves as the ticket to take part in the March of Checks at the convention and will be recognized on stage during the Moose Charities workshop on Sunday, July 3rd.

Also, please be sure to include the fund or project on the memo line of the check where your March of Checks donation should be applied. This is a very important step to ensure your donation is handled correctly.

We greatly appreciate every donation received! Your spirit and generosity keep our Moose Fraternity strong and helps us to continue doing what we do best to benefit our children and seniors in our care.

Please contact Pam Amundsen at Moose Charities with any questions.
pamundsen@moosecharities.org or (630) 966-2200.