# Official Communication for September 3, 2025

# **NASCAR Playoffs Continue This Weekend for Chastain**

Moose Fraternity and Trackhouse Racing's Ross Chastain finished 11<sup>th</sup> in Sunday night's 500-mile NASCAR Cup Series race at Darlington (S.C.) Raceway. The Darlington race marked the first of 10 playoff races. Two races remain in the first round of the playoffs, when four of the 16 playoff drivers will be eliminated. Chastain ran at the front of the field throughout Sunday night's race, battling for the lead and scoring points in both stages. His finish could have been a few spots better, but he was forced to save fuel in the closing laps and dropped from seventh to 11th.

"We were the best Chevrolet for a lot of the night. We were racing around the No. 5 (Kyle Larson), which we haven't been doing much this year, so that was step one if we want to do anything this year in the playoffs. We had to be faster and we were." – Ross Chastain

Chastain, who partners with the Moose Fraternity, moved up from 11<sup>th</sup> going into the playoffs to 8<sup>th</sup> place following the race. He travels to the St. Louis area this weekend to race in the Enjoy Illinois 300 at the World Wide Technology Raceway.

Prior to the race, Ross will be conducting a Meet and Greet in Nashville, IL on Saturday, September 6<sup>th</sup> from 12pm to 1pm at Lodge 2560's BBQ for the Backstoppers, which will be held at the Community Center in Nashville, 457 S Washington St, Nashville, IL.

Members looking to watch Ross in this week's Enjoy Illinois 300 can catch the race this Sunday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm ET on the USA Network.

## Heart of the Community Scholarship Program Applications Now Available

This scholarship program can help pay for your child's college education. Current High School Juniors, graduating in 2027, that have a father, mother, grandparent, step-parent or legal guardian who is a current member of the Moose are eligible. Students can earn up to a \$5,000 scholarship. Heart of the Community Scholarship applications for the Class of 2027 can be found online on our website <a href="www.mooseintl.org">www.mooseintl.org</a> under Programs/Events or by emailing <a href="mailto:darnold@mooseintl.org">darnold@mooseintl.org</a>. Please share this information with your members, making them aware of this great opportunity.

## **New Recognition Program Makes Heart of the Community Recording Easier**

Have you been logging your Volunteer Hours on your My Membership Records? The attached instructions can help you to do so. This new function, a part of the recently-announced Fraternal

Recognition Program, is a great tool for the Administrator or Heart of the Community Chairman to add the hours to the Quarterly HOC report.

## **Job Postings:**

#### Territory Manager – Territory 14 – Great Lakes Region, Ohio

The Membership Department of Moose International, Inc. is seeking individuals whom are energetic self-starters with knowledge suitable to operating a successful business operation; ideal applicants are knowledgeable on the workings of The Moose Fraternal Organization. Applicants with higher degree education in business and accounting; or have professional experience in business – especially restaurant and/or bar operations should identify this education and experience in their submission for consideration. Position requires travel four or more days per week, including overnight travel and applicants must have their own transportation (business miles are reimbursed per Moose International Policy); and be able to read and write the English language. The ability to use Microsoft products: Word, Excel, Outlook, and Power Point are a plus.

Position is paid an annual competitive salary (paid bi-weekly); and subject to current policies has the ability to earn commission and incentive bonus, offers employee benefits that include vacation leave, medical, dental, and vision coverage, 401-K, life insurance, and other benefits may be offered.

Territory Managers (TM) provide oversight to Moose Lodge operations, promoting programs of The Moose and other units of Moose International; Territory Managers also ensure Moose Lodges and members adhere to the General Laws of Moose International. Territory Managers assist with providing training to association and lodge leaders, as-well-as to Moose members in general. TMs serve as first line representatives of The Moose and all units and departments of Moose International, and provide assistance to members when questions or issues arise.

**Territory 14** consists of 30 lodges located within Ohio. The Territory currently has 53,924 members with 15 lodges earning the Premier Lodge Award in 2024-25. The Territory Manager for Territory 14 reports to the Great Lakes Region – Regional Manager – Gary Beck <a href="mailto:gbeck@mooseintl.org">gbeck@mooseintl.org</a>. The Territory is located within the Ohio State Moose Association.

Moose International is not offering any assistance for relocation to this Territory and will not reimburse any expense or cost associated with relocating. The Membership Department will cooperate to facilitate a smooth transition for the selected individual transferring; including reasonable time for the relocation. It's the desire of the Membership Department to fill this vacancy as soon as possible.

If interested in this position, email Assistant Director – Membership – Field Operations Troy King <a href="mailto:tking@mooseintl.org">tking@mooseintl.org</a>. The email must have attached your professional with (3) three references and Moose resume attached.

The body of the email must contain your answers to these questions:

- 1. Why I am interested in this position.
- 2. Why I should be considered for this position.
- 3. If offered this position I will be able to accomplish the following for The Moose.

#### Financial Review Specialist (FRS) – Plains West and West Coast Regions

The Membership Department is currently seeking candidates for the position of Financial Review Specialist (FRS) in the Plains West and West Coast regions, including CA, WA, OR, ID, MT, ND, SD, WY, NE, KS, CO, UT, IA, MN and AK. While primary assignments will be within these areas, travel may be required to any location across the U.S. and Canada. Applicants should possess—or be able to obtain—a valid U.S. passport for travel to and from Canada.

Deadline to submit: Until withdrawn

Interested applicants should submit both their professional and Moose resumes, along with a letter of interest that addresses the following questions:

- Why are you interested in the Financial Review Specialist position?
- What is your level of knowledge and experience with QuickBooks Online?
- What is your level of involvement and experience at the Lodge, Chapter, Moose Legion, District, Association, and International levels?

To apply for this position, please email Assistant Director – Membership – Field Operations, Troy King, at <a href="mailto:tking@mooseintl.org">tking@mooseintl.org</a>. Your email must include the following attachments:

- A professional résumé (with three references)
- Your Moose résumé

Ideal candidates will possess a college degree in business, accounting, or a related field, or have equivalent professional experience in management. Applicants must be self-motivated, goal-oriented, and capable of working independently with minimal supervision. Reliable transportation is required, and mileage is reimbursable. Overnight travel will be necessary. Strong communication skills are essential, including proficiency in email, phone, and written correspondence. Candidates should be able to prepare well-structured reports. Proficiency in Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and a working knowledge of **QuickBooks is also required**.