

**April 08, 2009 Update**

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are living proof of  
this promise . . .**

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**the promises**  
of the



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The road to achieving 25 Club status has several mile-markers: It begins in your first year as a Moose member with sponsoring that first applicant; then, four more times that year, you sponsor applicants, thus achieving the 5 Club status, which grants you the opportunity to enjoy a great evening at Mid-Year or Annual Convention, and, on sponsoring five each year for five years, you waltz into the 25 Club where you receive your gold lapel pin which entitles you to participate in subsequent 25 Club events, state and International.



Following are our most recent outstanding preferred-member sponsors:



## 5 Club

**Penny Buchanan, Lima 052**  
**Sharon Miller, Mount Vernon 100**  
**Lisa Kordenbrock, Cincinnati 101**  
**Debra S Goodman, Napoleon 158**  
**Mildred Gaul, Galion 177**  
**Kay Barber, Middletown 183**  
**Linda S Sayre, Miamisburg 224**  
**Emilia M Fitzgerald, Parma 397**  
**Tamara C Mettler, Fremont 624**  
**Sue Wetzel, Fremont 624**  
**Jean Johnston, East Liverpool 642**  
**Sherry Floyd, Brewster 637**  
**Teresa Henson, Kenton 863**  
**Joyce Jtrak, Elyria 907**  
**Sandra K Adams, Medina 958**  
**Patricia Dotson, Tiffin 1001**  
**Bev Bland, Defiance 1246**  
**Jamie Derringer, Defiance 1246**  
**Jo Whittaker, Willard 1779**  
**Suzette Dunn, Chillicothe 2044**  
**Betty J Bartley, Crystal Lakes 2105**  
**Beverly Jean moore, Lafferty 2109**  
**Julie A Gustafson, Whitehouse Waterford 2245**  
**Sharon N Moore, Whitehouse Waterford 2245**

**Roy Eagan, Jr., Dayton 73**  
**Jeffrey A Harris, Trumbull 186**

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Roy Eagan, Jr., Dayton 73  
Jeffrey A Harris, Trumbull 186  
Robert K Wolf, Norwood 301  
Don Woodmansee, Galion 303  
Danny R Albert, Mansfield 341  
Harry Lewis, Clyde 393  
Robert Stuck, Kenton 428  
Jan Bowling, Middletown 501  
John V Carnavale, Middletown 501  
Larry Turner, Middletown 501  
Victor Guillaron, Steubenville 619  
Jay Rice, Findlay 698  
Jim Lewis, Ironton 701  
Robert A Leuenberger, Barberton 759  
George J Oberlin II, Barberton 759  
Ralph T Shiley, Tiffin 846  
Thomas N Wolf, Marion 889  
Robert L Warne, Coshocton 935  
Terry Keller Sr., Cortland 1012  
James E Miller, Cortland 1012  
Keith Day, Bryan 1064  
Harold T Neff, Mogadore 1082  
Dale R Matter, Brewster 1102  
Niles R Thompson, Delaware 1167  
Paul Richards, Glouster 1197  
Donald Copley, Creston 1224  
L Joel Marquis, Fremont 1286  
Ben Pelphrey, Fremont 1286  
Rick Wayne Ellinger, Van Wert 1320  
Dan Waldo, Ashland 1383  
Michael T Thatcher, Lafferty 1462  
Garry Winget, Celina 1473  
Michael P Smith, Sylvania 1579

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Freddie Stamper, Miamisburg 1645  
Bill Heidenreich, Wadsworth 2070  
David M Derringer, Defiance 2094  
Fonzie Campo, Willard 2153  
Doug Hughes, Willard 2153  
Jerry Shorter, Hilliard 2236  
Corby Kitts, Lowell 2382  
Rusty Green, Circleville 2440  
Jeff Sosbe, Whitehouse-Waterville 2537  
Floyd E Llewellyn Sr., Colonial City 2555

## 25 Club Division

Debbie Ward, Cincinnati 101  
TJeffrey A Harris, Trumbull 186  
William E Ward, Delaware 1167

## 75 Division

Doc Miller, Indian Lake 1533

## Century Division

Suzette M Pfefferle, Fremont 624  
Geraldine Sarnes, Whitehall 865  
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## 175 Division

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**to report any changes**

**Congratulations!  
Charles J. Serfozo,  
Fremont 1286 and  
Maumee Valley Moose  
Legion 30, achieves a  
diamond in his Moose  
Legion Medal of Honor  
pin!**

# Whitehouse-Waterville 2537 Holds A Benefit April 18th!

Mark this date in your calendar - April 18th. Why? One Ohio Lodge hopes to keep its doors open and is trying desperately to generate revenues to enable it to do just that -- stay open -- never mind the quotas, never mind the Premier Lodge Award, never mind whatever.

Whitehouse-Waterville, a struggling "beginner" lodge, boasts a great facility and desperately needs funds to tide it over into the summer influx of revenue by increased membership and activities. Accordingly, the Lodge is holding a benefit on Saturday, April 18th, starting at NOON. The proceeds will go to the Lodge to help it to keep the doors open.

ALL Ohio Moose are welcome to attend.

The Lodge is located at 11900 Jeffers Road in Grand Rapids.

Come one-come all!

If you can't attend but would like to help a fellow Moose lodge stay alive, please make a donation. Make your check payable to Whitehouse-Waterville Moose Lodge 2537 and send it to Regional Manager Dwaine Brown at

P. O. Box 933  
Galion, OH 44833

And while you're at it, remember that you can invest in your Lodge's future by signing new and/or former members today!

# How to say "Happy Birthday" to Ohio's children at Mooseheart!

Eight Ohio children presently dwell at Mooseheart . . .

**Trace Lee Shrimplin, (born 12/27/05)**  
sponsored by Colonial City 2555

**Ukiah Michael Shrimplin, (born 07/24/03)**  
sponsored by Colonial City 2555

**Nupee Weah 'Aldrin,' (born 06/19/96)**  
sponsored by Columbus 11

**Evello 'Love' Coker, (born 08/08/01)**  
sponsored by Montpelier 312

**Candace Casey, (born 03/21/96)**  
sponsored by Norwood 301

**Brianna Casey, (born 10/13/99)**  
sponsored by Norwood 301

Please put these children's' names on your Lodge calendar -- both Lodge and Chapter -- and be sure to send them birthday cards and gift packages, along with notes of encouragement for their progress in school.

# What Attracts Your Members to Your Lodge?

## WHAT MAKES POPCORN POP?

When my husband and I walk into our home Lodge, we smell the heavenly scent of fresh popcorn. We find a seat, order a beverage, and, on occasion, throw a couple of quarters in the donation jar and snack on the popcorn.

But the fresh popcorn is not the only reason we go to our Moose home three or four visits per week; so, we ask ourselves the real question, "Why do we visit our Moose home?"

When we joined the Lodge and Chapter, we both went through the enrollment ceremony and, during that process, met many new friends. The new friends are just one reason we support our Moose home.

We got involved and had many laughs going through the chairs. During those years, we learned everything we could about this great fraternity. Knowledge is a powerful thing. The more we knew about the Moose, the more comfortable we were in talking to non-members and inviting them into our Moose family. The knowledge we now have is still just another reason we support our Moose home.

**FOOD** -- the one thing everyone has in common; we all have to eat. Our Moose home offers a variety on the menu for lunch and dinner. Special dinner and dance nights lead to a full belly and then make an appearance or two on the dance floor for the exercise. Still, the food is just another reason we support our Moose home.

**UNFORGETTABLE** -- that's the only way to describe my first visit to Mooseheart and Moosehaven. The great appreciation from our seniors for all we do for them is truly touching. We have all been taught to respect our elders. If you never make it to the gates of Moosehaven, you can all show respect for our elders/seniors by keeping your dues current. It's a very good reason to support your Moose home.

**MOOSEHEART** -- The smiles on the faces of the girls as they showed us around their house, the pride in their eyes as they showed us the "A" received on a homework paper, the handshakes and many thanks from the football team when our lodges rose to the task of raising enough money to resurface the football field, the tears and hugs on graduation day -- these are things that only members see and feel and become the best reasons to support our Moose home.

The children at Mooseheart have gone through some tough times in their lives, and then they found us in hopes of making things in their lives make sense. When we experience tough times, we can't give up; there are too many people counting on us. We just have to get tough enough for all of us.

What makes popcorn pop? Who really cares as long as the real question gets answered!