



# Merritt Island Moose Tracks

*A not-for-profit fraternal membership organization*



## Scholarship Winners

The Merritt Island Moose Lodge 2073 Moose Legion has awarded two one-thousand-dollar scholarships to two Brevard County seniors.

Hendrix "Rex" Wiendl attended Cocoa Beach High School. Before attending CBHS he attended H.B. Plant High School in Tampa, where he completed college coursework at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and Hillsborough Community College. He graduated with a weighted GPA of 4.01. Rex intends to attend Florida Institute of Technology, majoring in Aviation Meteorology Flight. He holds a Private Pilots License, Master SCUBA diver, and Lifeguard/CPR/AED certification. He has completed two years of Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps and is a Champion marksman. His interests include Club Crew, surfing, rock climbing, and the sea turtle protection society.

Sabrina Bree attended Merritt Island High School and graduated with a 4.0 Grade Point Average. She graduated with Honors earning Presidents list recognition. She had dual enrollment at Eastern Florida State College. She is a member of the National Honor Society, Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. She belongs to Women of Aviation and Experimental Aircraft Association. Her interests include golf, volleyball, aviation crewing, and symphonic Orchestra first chair bass. She plans to attend Florida Institute of Technology pursuing a degree in Meteorology with Flight.

Congratulations to Rex and Sabrina, and to all the Brevard County graduates this year!



**Marv Garner, Barry Miller and the Merritt Island Moose Legion present \$1,000 Scholarship awards to Sabrina Bree and Rex Wiendl.**

## Tropical Update

Hurricane Season is once again upon us. The Lodge has prepared some emergency material that conforms with Brevard County guidelines. This includes:

- Emergency Evacuation Map
- Emergency Evacuation Plan
- Hurricane Preparedness Guidelines

These materials are available on the Lodge website at <https://www.mimoose2073.com/advanced-topics/emergency-preparedness>

For detailed prep plans for any emergency, visit <https://www.brevardfl.gov/EmergencyManagement>



## Avoiding Scams

It seems there is a new scam every day and it's hard to keep up with all of them. Here's a few general guidelines that will help to keep you out of trouble:

- Anyone asking you to buy crypto or gift cards is scamming you. No exceptions. Absolutely none. Even if your family member is asking you and they're standing next to you.
- If your bank calls you, HANG UP and call the number on the back of your card.
- Never use the link or phone number in an unexpected message. Go to the app or website yourself.
- Anyone asking you to keep quiet about something or lie to your bank or a store is scamming you. No exceptions.
- Never give a verification code to someone who contacted you.
- For anyone who might be the victim of a romance scam: until you meet them, you are not in a relationship. Period. And anyone asking you to switch apps before you meet is a scammer.

Suspicious about a scam? Visit <https://www.reddit.com/r/scams> for all your scam identification needs.

## Message From the President

Hello all! As president, I would like to welcome everyone to the Merritt Island Moose Lodge #2073. For those that might not know me, let me introduce myself. My name is John Wallace, and my family and I have lived in the area since 1965. I went to Merritt Island High School and University of Central Florida.



**John Wallace, President**

I have worked at the Space Center as an engineer for 40 years. I became involved with the Merritt Island Moose Lodge about twelve years ago when my brother-in-law, Chris Pedone, asked if I could take a look at the Lodge's shuffleboard machine. I liked the people I met at the Lodge, and joined the Moose. Once learning of the Moose missions of Mooseheart, Moosehaven and community service, I could see that the Moose is a great organization dedicated to making the world a better place. I was later appointed as Inner Guard on the Lodge Board of Officers, and have served on the Board ever since.

Next Lodge meeting is on Monday August 3, 2026 at 7:30 pm. Lodge meetings are generally held on the first and third Mondays of each month. Lodge meetings are where Lodge business is discussed and membership approval is sought for business efforts and expenditures. All members are welcome at the Lodge meetings.

The current Lodge Calendar is posted on the Merritt Island Moose Lodge #2073 [Facebook page](#).

Come and enjoy our Lodge home. While enjoying friends and family, and making new friends, you are helping the children at Mooseheart, the seniors at Moosehaven, and our local community!

## Employee Spotlight



**Tabbi Dieterle**

This month the Spotlight shines on Tabitha "Tabbi" Dieterle. Tabbi has four kids and a Shi-Poo dog named Clarence she loves to spoil. She moved from Virginia to Florida when she was 9 and grew up in Melbourne Beach. She has worked here at the Moose Lodge on and off since 2021.

Bartending at the Moose is her dream job. She enjoys every bit of what

she can do for others to make them feel comfortable in their surroundings. Tabbi can adapt and overcome any situation she is put in!

## Daily Activities

**Game Night** every Tuesday – Mr. Trivia in the Social Quarters at 6:30 pm; and "Show Me the Money" on the patio at 6:45 pm.

Weekly Drawings: **Ace of Spades** every Wednesday at 6:30 pm; and **Queen of Hearts** every Sunday at 6:30 pm, followed by **Karaoke with Zak Donley**.

**Monthly Book** drawing is on the fourth Sunday at 7:00 pm.

**Lodge Bingo** on the first and third Thursday at 6:00 pm in the Hall (members and qualified guest only). \$15 package includes 10 games (paper, \$2 for daubers). \$5 for the final jackpot round.

**Line Dance Class** on the second and fourth Thursday at 6:00 pm in the Hall. \$5 per person, open to the public.

**Morning Cardio Workout** every Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 8:30 am in the Hall. Open to the public, \$2 members / \$5 non-members.

**Cigar Herf** every other **Wednesday** (new!) on the patio at 5:00 pm. August Herfs will be on the 12<sup>th</sup> and the 26<sup>th</sup>. We have a humidor stocked with Perdomos for \$7, available from the bar. More Herf info at <https://www.legendscigarherf.com>

**Texas Hold'em Poker** on Monday and Wednesday evenings at 6:00. Buy-in for \$20. We also have a gathering of **Euchre** players every Wednesday at 6:00 pm.

## Upcoming Events

**August 22** – Heroes United to Heal - Purse Bingo 3:00 pm

**August 28** – Atlantis Elementary PTO Bingo 5:00 pm

**August 29** – Show Me the Money – SQ 1:00

**August 29** – Tribute show: "Get Ready – Old School Motown"

**September 7** – Labor Day Picnic 12:00 pm

**September 11** – Bingo for Down's Syndrome 5:00

**September 12** – Encore Purse Bingo 5:00

**September 19** – Show Me the Money – SQ 1:00

**September 19** – Take It Easy – Eagles Tribute Show 7:00 pm

## 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration



**Independence Day crew:** Left – Mark Bianco, Thomas Di Vita, JD Weber; Right – Gary Block, Brooke Mazzula, Sara Alexander, Sharon McCluskey, Heather McQueen, Sue Gerkin, Jordan Gabbard, Kerri Gabbard

A special celebration on 4<sup>th</sup> of July this year. Hamburgers and hotdogs were grilled and served up free of charge to all Moose members in attendance. Excellent entertainment was provided by "DJ Percy."

## Get Ready – Old School Motown

This month's tribute concert, presented by *Allengang Entertainment*, is "Get Ready – Old School Motown" on August 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm.

The Motown Era brought soul, style and sophistication to a new level in American music. The world was mesmerized by the smooth harmonies like the Temptations, The Four Tops and Gladys Knight & the Pips. Our hearts were moved by the soul-stirring melodies of virtuoso vocalists like Stevie Wonder and Aretha Franklin. You might think that kind of performance is a thing of the past, but you'd be wrong.

We're bringing it ALL back with Get Ready! A Motown Experience. This cutting-edge musical tour pays homage to the Motown legends you love, but does it with a twist. Four spectacular young singers and dancers inject youth, energy and wit into a show that covers all the Motown bases, then throws in a few surprises along the way. Get Ready! It's not just "a" Motown experience. It's THE Motown Experience.

This event is open to the public. VIP seats are \$45 (includes cocktail service) and floor seats for \$35. For your convenience, we will be serving our Event Menu starting at 5:30 in the Hall. Includes burgers & sliders, wings & tenders, chef's salads & pizza and other shareables. Full menu is available in the Social Quarters (members and their qualified guests only) along with Surf & Turf (please only bring "carry-out" orders from the Social Quarters into the Hall).

Buy tickets here: <https://www.showtickets.live>

We can assist with ticket sales during office hours (Monday – Friday, 11:00 am to 5:00 pm)



Buy Tickets



After the concert, keep the party going and join us for "Moose After Dark" in the Social Quarters (members only and qualified guests) with "DJ Oxygen".

### Contact Us

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Get Ready performs the hits from the Old School Motown era.

### Resource List

Here is a collection of handy web sites, all in one place:

Merritt Island Moose Lodge **Official Page**:

<https://www.mimoose2073.com>

Merritt Island Moose Lodge **Facebook Page**:

<https://www.facebook.com/moose2073.org>

Merritt Island **Women of the Moose** Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/195029096075709>

Merritt Island Moose Lodge **Monthly Calendar**:

<https://www.mimoose2073.com/monthly-calendar>

Social Quarters **Current Menu**, see link in:

<https://www.mimoose2073.com/social-quarters-ballroom/bar-grill>

Moose **Legion Indian River 178**:

<https://www.facebook.com/p/Moose-Legion-Indian-River-178-100081096755013>

**Renew your dues online**:

<https://secure.mooseintl.org/quickpay/login.aspx>

**Sign up online**:

<https://secure.mooseintl.org/mooseonlineapplication/memberprompt.aspx>

**Moose Membership Card** on your phone:

<https://www.mimoose2073.com/about-us/moose-membership-app>

**Moose Rewards**: <https://www.mooseintl.org/moose-rewards-program/>

**Merritt Island Moose Online Calendar App**

<https://teamup.com/ks81hb54owmv3bsq58>

Or scan this QR Code with your phone to get a quick view of what's happening today and in the future.



Note: In case you're reading this from a hard-copy, these links are also presented on our website at

[https://www.mimoose2073.com/about\\_us/links](https://www.mimoose2073.com/about_us/links)



**August 2026**



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| <b>GET READY</b><br><b>Old School Motown</b>                                                                                    | <b>Get Ready</b><br>Motown hits from the 60s & 70s<br>August 29th, 7pm<br><a href="#">showtickets.live</a>                        | <br>Buy Tickets                                  | <b>VOTE!</b><br>Primary Elections will be held in the Hall Tue Aug 18                                                             | <b>Weekend Brunch</b><br>Saturday and Sunday From 9am to noon.<br>The Weekend starts here!                   | <b>SURF•TURF</b><br>All day Friday & Saturday Steak, Fish & Shrimp (Grilled or Fried)<br>Details on Specials TV | <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>SURF•TURF</b><br>Live music by <b>Teddy V</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                                                                           |
| <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>Q of Hearts 6:30pm</b> ★<br><b>Karaoke 8-11pm</b> with Zak Donley                                       | <b>BURGER DAY 3</b><br>Legion Poker 6pm<br>Lodge Meeting 7:30pm                                                                   | <b>Game Night 4</b><br><b>multitv</b> 6:30<br><b>Show Me the Money 6:45</b><br><b>WOTM Meeting 6:30</b><br>"Shepherd's Pie"         | <b>Wing Day</b><br>\$1 wings<br><b>Euchre 6pm</b><br><b>Legion Poker 6pm</b><br>Ace of Spades 6:30                                | <b>TACO DAY</b><br><b>&amp; MARGARITA SPECIALS</b><br>Lodge Bingo 6pm (members only)                         | <b>SURF•TURF</b><br>Live music by <b>Adam Sean</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                                 | <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>SURF•TURF</b><br>Live music by <b>The Tiki Band</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                                                                     |
| <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>Q of Hearts 6:30pm</b> ★<br><b>Karaoke 8-11pm</b> with Zak Donley                                       | <b>BURGER DAY 10</b><br>Legion Poker 6pm<br>   | <b>Game Night 11</b><br><b>multitv</b> 6:30<br><b>Show Me the Money 6:45</b><br><b>WOTM Bake Sale 5p</b><br>"Country Fried Chicken" | <b>Wing Day</b><br>\$1 wings<br><b>Cigar Herf Patio 5pm</b><br><b>Euchre 6pm</b><br><b>Legion Poker 6pm</b><br>Ace of Spades 6:30 | <b>TACO DAY</b><br><b>&amp; MARGARITA SPECIALS</b><br>Line Dance Class Hall 6pm (open to public)             | <b>SURF•TURF</b> ★<br>Live music by <b>Jack Flowers</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                            | <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>SURF•TURF</b> ★<br>Live music by <b>Jack Flowers</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                                                                    |
| <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>Q of Hearts 6:30pm</b><br><b>Karaoke 8-11pm</b> with Zak Donley                                         | <b>BURGER DAY 17</b><br>Legion Poker 6pm<br>Lodge Meeting 7:30pm                                                                  | <b>Game Night 18</b><br><b>multitv</b> 6:30<br><b>Show Me the Money 6:45</b><br><b>WOTM Meeting 6:30</b><br>"Spaghetti & Meatballs" | <b>Wing Day</b><br>\$1 wings<br><b>Euchre 6pm</b><br><b>Legion Poker 6pm</b><br>Ace of Spades 6:30                                | <b>TACO DAY</b><br><b>&amp; MARGARITA SPECIALS</b><br>Lodge Bingo 6pm (members only)                         | <b>SURF•TURF</b><br>Live music by <b>Beach Katz</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                                | <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>SURF•TURF</b><br>Live music by <b>Dynamics</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                                                                          |
| <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>Q of Hearts 6:30pm</b> ★<br><b>Karaoke 8-11pm</b> with Zak Donley                                       | <b>BURGER DAY 24</b><br>Legion Poker 6pm<br>Legion Meeting 6:00pm                                                                 | <b>Game Night 25</b><br><b>multitv</b> 6:30<br><b>Show Me the Money 6:45</b><br>"Meatloaf"                                          | <b>Wing Day</b><br><b>Cigar Herf Patio 5pm</b><br><b>Euchre 6pm</b><br><b>Legion Poker 6pm</b><br>Ace of Spades 6:30              | <b>TACO DAY</b><br><b>&amp; MARGARITA SPECIALS</b><br>Line Dance Class Hall 6pm (open to public)             | <b>SURF•TURF</b><br>Live music by <b>The Sting Rays</b><br>SQ 7-10pm                                            | <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>SURF•TURF</b><br><b>Show Me the Money 1:00</b><br>Tribute Concert: <b>Get Ready!</b><br>Hall 7-10pm - Open to Public<br>"Event Menu" in Hall at 5:30 |
| <b>Brunch 9am</b><br><b>Q of Hearts 6:30pm</b><br><b>Moose Legion Monthly Book 7pm</b><br><b>Karaoke 8-11pm</b> with Zak Donley | <b>BURGER DAY 31</b><br>Legion Poker 6pm<br> | <br>Calendar App                               | <b>Cigar Herf</b><br>Every other Wednesday From 5 - 7pm<br>"Help Us Solve the World's Problems"                                   | <b>Sponsored BINGO Days</b><br>(Open to the Public)<br>* 8/22 HU2H Purse Bingo<br>* 8/28 Atlantis Elem Bingo | <b>Show Me the Money!</b><br>Once a month by popular demand in the SQ<br>Sat, 8/29 1pm                          | <b>Moose After Dark</b><br>After the concert, join us in the SQ with "DJ Oxygen"<br>Aug 29, 9 pm- 12am                                                                       |

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**Next Month**  
**Labor Day Picnic 9/7**  
**New Member Orientation 9/14**  
**Eagles Tribute 9/19**

★ - private event in the hall.

**Member Activities Schedule**  
**Cardio Workout – Tues & Thur 8:30am**  
**Euchre – Wednesdays 6pm**  
**Shuffle Board – Saturdays Noon**  
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Front Office Hours: Monday – Friday 11am – 11pm  
 SQ Hours: Mon-Fri 11am – 11pm, Weekends 12pm – 11pm  
 Kitchen Hours: Mon-Fri 11am – 9pm, Weekends 12pm – 11pm  
 Pizza Hours: 7 days a week 11am – 9pm  
 Patio Bar Hours: Tuesday & Friday 4pm – 11pm



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