

**MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND
MOOSE ASSOCIATION
89th. ANNUAL CONVENTION
AUGUST 22nd thru 25th 2024**

Headquarters – Chicopee Falls Moose Lodge #1849
244 Fuller Rd
Chicopee Falls, MA
413-594-6485

HOC Project “socks and underwear for homeless”

OFFICIAL AGENDA

Official Visitor- Mark Penzkover
Association Liaison/ Territory Manager – Heidi Chase

Thursday, August 22nd, 2024

Registration at Chicopee Lodge 2pm to 5pm
State Golf Tournament Chicopee C.C. 10am start
Cook out, car show, raffles, and awards 3pm to 6pm
6:00-8:00 PM Meet and Greet
Chicopee Falls Moose Lodge

Friday, August 23rd, 2024

9:00 AM. State Board Meeting/ Resolution Committee
10:00 AM. Nomination Committee Meeting
8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Registration

12:00 PM
MAIN HALL

Memorial Service

Ray Tompkins Director

March of Higher Degrees (All in Regalia)
Memorial Mass Vic Garrard

Session 1 - 1:00 – 4:00 PM

MAIN HALL

Opening Session - Presiding Officer	Dawn Maxwell
Safety Briefing	Sean Mahoney
Invocation	Patty Bylicki
Pledge of Allegiance	Dawn Maxwell
Credentials Report	Ed Porky Strong
Convention Obligation	Dawn Maxwell

Presidents Obligation and Presentation of Gavel

JR. Past President Dawn Maxwell

Declaration of Convention Officially Open	Vic Garrard
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C.E.O. Scott Hart Video

Opening Remarks	Vic Garrard
Introduction of Official Visitor	Vic Garrard
Remarks from OV	Mark Penzkover

Recognize 1st. Time Attendees & Valued Veterans

Vic Garrard

Roll Call of Officers and Chairpersons	Sean Mahoney
Roll Call of Lodges	Sean Mahoney
Rules and Order	Ray Tompkins
State Secretary Report	Sean Mahoney

Section 51.5 (Attendance)

Barb McPherson Video

Chapter Advocate Remarks	Judy Hendy
Report of State President	Vic Garrard

TRIVIA #1

Ross Chastain Video

Heart of the Community Report	Cindy Mavroules
Tommy Moose	Amanda Vose

Valued Veterans
Youth Awareness
Approval of Association Minutes
Report of Nomination Committee
Report of the Resolution Committee
Announcements

Isaac Mass
Linda O'Maley
Sean Mahoney
Sean Mahoney
Ray Tompkins
Sean Mahoney

**50/50 Drawing
Endowment Fund Collection**

6:00 PM ASSOCIATION 5 / 25 CLUB PARTY
(INVITATION ONLY)
SMALL HALL

Saturday, August 24th. 2024

7 AM – ASSOCIATION BREAKFAST - *MAIN HALL*
(Must have ticket for breakfast)

ALL new Higher Degree recipients since April 2024 are FREE

8 AM to 5 PM Registration - Foyer

8 AM Fellowship Conferral – **Small Hall**

Moose Legion PowerPoint – Shawn Baile

8AM WOTM Meeting – **Main Hall**

Session 2 - 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Main Hall

President Presiding

Jackie Grimes

MARCH OF NEW HIGHER DEGREE RECIPIENTS

Safety Briefing

Sean Mahoney

Roll Call of Officers and Chairmen

Sean Mahoney

Roll Call of Lodges

Sean Mahoney

Report of District Presidents

District 1

Doug Grier

District 2	Dave O'Connor
District 3	Rick Knox
District 4	Richard O'Keefe Jr

Director of Higher Degree Video Shawn Baile

Moose Legion Past Presidents Report	Lloyd Erickson
Moose Legion Past Ambassador Report	Patrick Cronin
Moose Legion Area Manager Report	Rick Robash
<i>Chief Compliance Officer Video Rick King</i>	
Moose of the Year Presentations	Heidi Chase
Remarks from OV	Mark Penzkover

TRIVIA #2

Mooseheart Video / Report	Deb Deery
Moosehaven Video / Report	Jane Balutis
Moose Charities PowerPoint/Report	Dawn Maxwell
Activities Report	Dave O'Connor

International Sports Dates

Loss Prevention Report	Doug Grier
Lodge Safety Checklist, Safety reports	
Lifetime Achievement Award	Sean Mahoney
Training/ Fraternal Education	Sean Mahoney
Announcements	Sean Mahoney

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Lunch Break Noon to 1:30

Pilgrim & Past WOTM International Officer Luncheon

**Social Quarters dining area
(Ticketed meal)**

Pilgrim breakout- Main Hall

Past WOTM International Officer – Social quarters dining area

Session 3 - 1:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Main Hall

Presiding Officer	Vic Garrard
Roll call of Officers and Chairmen	Sean Mahoney
Roll Call of Lodges – District Presidents	
Report of State Treasurer	Lloyd Erickson
Financial Review Committee Report	Sue Demaris
Budget Report 2023-2024	Sean Mahoney
Financial Report of State Secretary	Sean Mahoney
By-Laws/ Policy Report	Rick Robash
Vote on Policy updates and Changes	
Remarks of Official Visitor	Mark Penzkover
<u>TRIVIA #3</u>	
Communication Report	Victor Garrard
Membership Video	Mike Rios
Liaison Report	Heidi Chase
<i>Moose Rewards Program – Earning & Using</i>	
<i>Top Association – Review & Goal</i>	
<i>Grant Review “How to apply for it”</i>	
<i>Membership Review & Goals:</i>	
<i>Production – Retention – and Plus “1” Goal Member Benefits</i>	
Election of Officers	Sean Mahoney
COHD Report	Bernie McDonnell
Remarks from OV	Mark Penzkover
Final Credentials Report	Ed “Porky” Strong
Announcements and Dates	Sean Mahoney

Location & Dates of 2025 Mid. -Year Conference

50/50 Drawing

Endowment Fund Collection

5:30 PM Cocktail Party in Social Quarters

6:30 PM Awards Dinner

BUSINESS FORMAL DRESS CODE

Welcome all in attendance	Vic Garrard
Dinner Prayer	Patty Bylicki

Remarks from President	Vic Garrard
<i>Introduction of Official Visitor (Mark Penzkover)</i>	
Official Visitor Remarks	Mark Penzkover
YA Check Presentation	Linda O'Maley
Moose Legion Presentation	Rick Robash
Presentation of HOC award	Cindy Mavroules
Resolution Presentation	Vic Garrard
Presentation of Association Moose of the Year	Vic Garrard
Presidents Choice Award	Vic Garrard
Premier Lodge – President & Administrator Leadership Award	
Heidi Chase	
March of Checks	Vic Garrard
9 O'clock Ceremony Patty Bylicki	
Endowment Collection	
Installation of New Officers	Dawn Maxwell
Remarks from New State President	
Remark from State Secretary	Sean Mahoney
Closing Prayer	Patty Bylicki
Adjournment	Vic Garrard

Sunday, August 25th, 2024

**7:30 – 9:30 AM Breakfast at Lodge
available in social quarters**

9:00 – 10:00 Rehearsal for Golden Ceremony

10:00 AM GOLDEN GAVEL CEREMONY

Main Hall

(ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND)

**ALL DISTRICT PRESIDENTS, AND THOSE MAKING PRESENTATIONS
WILL BE EXPECTED TO BE IN THE FRONT OF THE ROOM, DRESSED
IN BUSINESS FORMAL.**

**ALL COCKTAIL WILL BE SERVED AT LODGE PRICES
TIPPING OF THE SERVERS IS AT YOUR DISCRETION**