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Official Communication for September 22, 2015

Lodge Safety Inspection Forms Deadline is October 1, 2015

Lodge Safety Inspection Form is due by October 1, 2015. **Forms are being accepted any time prior to that date.** Lodges that fail to submit the completed form by October 1, 2015 will have a Compliance Modifier added to their 2016-2017 Risk Pool Assessment, which will increase the amount the Lodge pays for the Risk Pool Coverage.

The form has been revised to reflect the **OCTOBER 2015** due date and lists a revision date of 6/11/2015 on Page 4. **This is the only form that will be accepted.** To access the October 2015 form [click here](#) and follow these instructions: Go to "Members Area" – "All Forms & Documents" – "Lodge Operations" – "Legal/Risk Management" – "Lodge Safety Inspection Form – October 2015". You can use the same link to access the Power Point slide show to assist in completing the form.

SUBMIT YOUR FORM TODAY!

If you have any questions regarding the October 2015 Lodge Safety Inspection Form, please contact Ann Price at 630-859-6615 or aprice@mooseintl.org; or Cherie Staples at 630-859-6637 or cstaples@mooseintl.org.

Attend a Regional Membership Growth and Retention Workshop!

This fall, the Moose International Membership Department will be conducting a series of regional workshops to discuss recruitment and retention challenges, as well as methods to address common issues expressed by Lodges and Chapters throughout the Fraternity.

Scheduled workshops include:

- October 17th – Ocala, FL Lodge 1014
- October 17th – Bridgeport, CT Lodge 289
- November 7th – Ventura, CA Lodge 1394
- November 21st – Woodstock, IL Lodge 1329

What you will learn from attending:

1. Results of a survey of dropped members outlining **the most common reasons individuals do not continue as members** of the Moose

2. Strategies for **retaining members through communication, programming and activity tracking**

3. **Onboarding recommendations** for new members

4. Highlights of the **new Member Rewards program** and how you can take advantage

5. Communicating **the value of the Moose** to potential members

6. **Best membership practices** from around the Fraternity

Details:

- All interested Loyal Order of Moose or Women of the Moose members are invited to participate
- There is no fee to attend
- You may attend any workshop on the schedule, regardless of your location
- All workshops run from 10:00am – 3:00pm, allowing most individuals the option of driving in and out the same day
- A working lunch is provided by each Lodge at a cost of \$7.00 per attendee. Cash will be collected at the Lodge the day of each workshop.
- All workshops are business casual-to-casual dress
- Sessions are meant to be interactive between participants and presenters. Please bring questions and suggestions
- Please check the lodge websites for any evening activities prior to or following the workshops
- **RSVP's are required** to attend in order to allow for the proper amount of materials and food
 - Email the following information to the appropriate address below: Membership Growth and Retention Workshop (followed by) Your name; MID#; lodge/chapter #; lodge/chapter office you hold (if any); names of others accompanying you; a contact phone #
 - For Ocala: jmonk@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Weds. Oct. 7) – Jerry Monk
 - For Bridgeport: hchase@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Weds. Oct. 7) – Heidi Chase
 - For Ventura: cvolden@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Weds. Oct. 28) – Cheryl Volden
 - For Woodstock: sbaikie@mooseintl.org (RSVP Deadline: Weds. Nov. 11) – Scot Baikie

Questions?

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