



# MAWAGA NEWS



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**MEETING: December 11, 2018**  
**MEAL AT 6:00 P.M. MEETING AT 7:30 P.M**

## Kitchen Committee:

COME ONE, COME ALL!! Chef Gary will be serving up our traditional December meal of roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetables, with salad and his famous homemade soup ALL FOR \$7.00! Bring your family! Bring your friends! Bring your friend's family! Come down and have a nice hot meal to support your club.

## Fall News:

Members please note that the assessment that was voted and approved by the membership is coming due! ALL members except for Lifetime members from prior to 2018 are assessed a \$40 fee for the tree cutting in addition to yearly dues. ALL PAYMENTS are due by December meeting and you are encouraged to pay with a check!

## Annual Membership Dues:

It's that time of year again! Please make checks payable to Mawaga Sporting Club. You may submit your payment to Matt Jodoin at the December meeting, or mail it to the club at:

Mawaga Sporting Club  
P.O. Box 57  
Agawam, MA 01001

## Proposed Bylaw Amendments:

The following bylaw changes are being proposed. What is to be removed is crossed out with the proposed new language immediately following in bold, and standalone additions are in bold.

- Article III - Members
  - Section 1.
    - The membership of this corporation shall be limited to ~~180 members~~ **200 members**.
- Article VI - Board of Directors
  - Section 3.
    - Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the discretion of the Board and in January of each year after the annual meeting of the members of the corporation. Meetings of the directors may be called at any time, by the chairman of the Board or any three directors. Sufficient notice shall be served on every member of the Board of Directors in writing, by telephone, **or texting** of every such proposed meeting.

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- Article VII - Officers of the Corporation
  - Section 3.
    - The Recording Secretary shall record the minutes of all meetings of the members in ~~a book or books provided for that purpose~~ digital form and managed within Mawaga's Digital Document Management System.
- Article IX - Standing Committee
  - **Refer to document on standing committee. The standing committees will follow all language set forth within this document.**
- Article X - Amendments **to the bylaws**
  - ~~○ Section 1.~~
    - ~~▪ These by-laws may be amended or altered by a quorum vote of those present at any regular or special meeting of the members of the corporation, provided notice of the proposed amendment shall have been incorporated in the call for meeting on two (2) consecutive occasions.~~
  - ~~○ Section 2.~~
    - ~~▪ Each proposed amendment shall be presented to the Board of Directors before being presented to the corporation for consideration, and the Board of Directors shall indicate its approval or disapproval of the proposed amendment.~~
    - These bylaws may be amended or altered by presenting each amendment to the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall indicate its approval or disapproval of the proposed amendment. If the amendment is approved it will be presented in the following newsletter prior to any regular or special meeting of the members of the corporation for them to discuss and vote.

**We wish you all a safe, healthy, and happy holiday season!**

"The best preparation for tomorrow is doing your best today." – H. Jackson Brown Jr.

**GATE POLICY**

***WHEN ENTERING THE MAWAGA CLUB GROUNDS, OPEN THE GATE, DRIVE IN AND CLOSE THE GATE. UPON LEAVING THE CLUB, OPEN THE GATE DRIVE OUT AND CLOSE THE GATE. THE GATE IS TO BE CLOSED AT ALL TIMES (EXCEPT DURING CLUB FUNCTIONS).***