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HELLO BROTHERS AND SISTERS,

Well I don't know about everyone else, but I am about over the winter that we are having. I may be wrong but cold winds and snow do not make a pleasant time. We have had to cancel many things due to weather, but we must remember our most concern is the safety and health of all. Hopefully March will bring us better conditions.

February has been an exciting month, Great turnout for the Super Bowl Sunday Funday Thanks to all for the planning and making this a great time. Sundays in March will continue to be a great time to come out and watch a race or ball game on all our new TV's. Also we have had great participation for Redneck Bingo and Trivia nights, thanks to all involved. If you have not experienced one of these event, you don't know what you are missing.

Thanks to all that have donated and participated in all the raffles and benefits supporting our brothers and sisters in Paradise California, I know that our donations will be greatly appreciated. Wild fires can do great damage not only to property, but also mentally. We still need to keep all affected in our prayers. On that note, remember to come out on March 22 to further extend our help to them.

Another reminder goes out to all Aerie brothers, if you have any concerns, ideas, or if you just want to experience the privilege of being and Eagle, we meet on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, I swear no Eagle has ever been harmed at any of our meetings. Check one of them out!

In closing spring is just around the corner, Mother Nature will soon give us better weather, until then drive carefully and if you see someone struggling give them a helping hand. We are "PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE."

See you all around the " OL 150 "

Dick Seager, Worthy President

TACOS AND TACO BOWLS DINNER FRIDAY 1st

Tacos and Taco Bowls will be on the menu this Friday evening from 6:00 - 7:30 PM. This meal will fill you up fast so bring your appetite. Don't miss out. Fresh made Taco, just add your own fix'ins and enjoy. Songbird Entertainment will finish off the evening with DJ and Karaoke. Playing from 7:30-11:00.

GRILLED OUT RIBEYE STEAK DINNER FRIDAY, 8th

How about this to tempt your taste buds, "Grilled Out" Ribeye Steaks. The crew will be serving from 6:00 to 7:30. Come on out and join the fun. Watch the Hawkeye Happenings for more details. The steaks are cooked to perfection so don't miss out.

CHICKEN STRIPS OR SHRIMP BASKET FRIDAY 15th

Serving from 6 to 7:30 for you to come and enjoy. The meal will be a Shrimp Basket with French Fries & Cole slaw, or Chicken Strip Basket with Fries & Cole Slaw. This is a great meal so don't miss out. Desserts Available.

PARADISE CALIFORNIA EAGLE AERIE AND MEMBERS BENEFIT DANCE FRIDAY, 22nd

AERIE #2960 AND MEMBERS WHO LOST THEIR AERIE
AND HOMES IN THE CALIFORNIA FIRES
6:00-11:00 PM

MEAL-6-7:30 GRILLED PORK LOIN, MASHED POTATOES,
GREEN BEANS, ROLLS & BUTTER

SPEAKER - GRAND AERIE TRUSTEE, BRIAN ROGERS,
SUNNYSLOPE AERIE #2957 FROM PHOENIX, AZ

MUSIC - 8-11:00 (LMNOP)

SILENT AUCTION - MEAT RAFFLES - 50/50s
THROUGHOUT THE EVENING

Sue Carter and Linda Fuller, Co-Chairs

TRIVIA NIGHT THURSDAY, 7th

The Eagles will be hosting Trivia. We will be play starts at 6:30pm with four rounds of 12 questions each. Happy hour drinks during the game. Get your team together, 2-4 players per team. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team. Hope to see you there.

Connie & Chuck Borschel, Co-Chairs

REDNECK BINGO THURSDAY, 21st

We will be playing Red Neck Bingo starting a 6:30pm in the Social Room. For those who have never played it is quite entertaining. We usually have a full house so come early and we would like to thank all those who came to play and please spread the word. Happy Hour drink prices during the game. It's always the 3rd Thursday every month starting at 6:30pm.

DRINK OF THE MONTH

Drink of the Month - Shamrock \$2.50

Shot - Leprechaun \$2.50

**EACH MONTH A NEW DRINK AT A SPECIAL PRICE WILL
BE AVAILABLE IN THE SOCIAL ROOM.**

"Auxiliary News"

Sisters and Brothers,

I hope everyone is tolerating this Iowa winter. We've had some changes this past month. The Bingo kitchen has been closed, so the Auxiliary will be looking for different ways in which to earn funding for our charities. So far we have been doing well.

We will be offering desserts with both the Auxiliary and Aerie meals. When this weather clears up I know we can come up with more inventive and fun ways to continue making money for our worthy charities, so please bring your thoughts and ideas with you to our next Auxiliary meeting which will be held the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

Both the Auxiliary and Aerie will be joining forces to raise funds for our fellow Sisters and Brothers in Paradise California. This fund raiser will be held on March 22nd with a good meal and a band will be playing for your entertainment. Please come out to support this effort there will be a lot of fun and fellowship to be had. We have invited all area Eagles to come and participate as well as other dignitaries including representatives from the Grand to help with this worthy cause.

Looking forward to spring and I sure hope it comes in like a lamb. Remember to be kind and respectful to one another in both thought and deed.

Sherry Seager, Madam President

CARD PARTY AT THE EAGLES

The card party will be held at noon on Thursday, February 7th Plan to attend and bring a friend or two for an afternoon of card playing. All types of game are being played. One that has just started is Cribbage. If your friends are not members, that's all right, as this day of playing cards is open to everyone men and women. We will be providing coffee, ice tea, lemonade and water for a small donation. Please bring a favorite snack to share. If you have any questions, please contact Helen Rawlings at 319-750-9759.

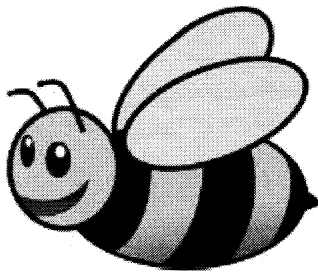
Helen Rawlings, Chairperson

DUES RENEWAL FOR AUXILIARY

Dues notices will be mailed by the Grand Auxiliary to each member with dues expiring on May 31, 2019. If you pay your dues before March 25th to your local secretary, the Grand Auxiliary will not mail out a notice to you and will save your Auxiliary from being charged for the mailing of your dues notice. Please try to pay your dues prior to this March 25th date. Auxiliary dues are \$24 per year. If you are a beneficial member, check your membership card for your amount. If you are not paid by May 31st, you only have 30 days or you will be delinquent and will be dropped from membership and have to re-enroll. If you are a beneficial member you will also lose your beneficial status. Please check your membership cards for this information.

KID'S EASTER PARTY

The Easter bunny will be hopping into our Eagles next month, watch the April newsletter for more details. A sign-up sheet for your children or grandchildren will be available in the social room. There will be games & crafts for the kids to enjoy. Lunch will be served, pictures with the Easter bunny, Easter baskets and more!



MEMBERSHIP AND INITIATION

New and re-enrolled applicants voted on and approved on February 20th are Tara Keller sponsored by Cathy Dekeyrel and Shannon Wehrle sponsored by Linda Fuller. Welcome Tara and Shannon to Auxiliary #150.

For those of you who have been voted on and have not been initiated yet, please remember you must be initiated within six months in order

to become a member and get your membership card. Our next initiation will be held on March 19th. If you have not been initiated, please plan to attend by contacting Secretary, Marilyn Mintun at 319-752-4781.

If you plan to invite someone to become a member during the month of March, the dues will be \$10 initiation fee and \$4.00 member fee for a total of \$14.00 that will pay their dues until May 31, 2019. An extra \$24 (yearly dues) will pay you through May 2020.

Remember that all Auxiliary and Aerie dues are due and payable on or before May 31st of each year.

The Auxiliary yearly dues are \$24 for non-beneficial members and \$25 for beneficial members. Your membership card will tell you how much your dues are for the year.

Remember that you are encouraged to attend our regular auxiliary meetings held at 6pm on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month.

AUXILIARY NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS

According to our Auxiliary By-Laws, we have a Nominating Committee consisting of two past presidents and two members in good standing which this year consists of the following members: Linda Fuller, Chair, Judy Amenell (both Past Presidents) and Holly Logas and MacKenzie Greene. This committee will be meeting for the first time on March 4th. The committee will try to fill each and every office and those people must be contacted and willing to accept the office. If you would like to be an officer, please contact one of these individuals or if you know of someone that you think would make a good officer for your auxiliary please let one of these individuals know before this date. According to our rules, the Nominating Committee will announce their recommendations at the last meeting in April. The nominee must be present at that meeting or have a letter of acceptance given to one of the committee members prior to meeting time. After the nominating committee announces their choices, the Madam President must ask for any nominations from the floor starting with the office of Madam President and if there are nominations from the floor and those people accept the nomination, there will be a follow up election at the first meeting in May for those offices that have more than one candidate. All of our regular Auxiliary meetings are open to all members in good standing and are entitled to vote.

AUXILIARY 150 BY-LAWS

This is the first of three Beak & Talons announcements that your By-Laws committee is letting 150 Auxiliary members know we will be reading proposed changes to our by laws with first reading on Tuesday, April 2, second reading Tuesday, April 16, and the third and final reading and Auxiliary vote taking place Tuesday, May 7.

Your By-Laws Committee



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Tacos /Taco Salads 6-7:30pm Songbird Karaoke/DJ	2 Ol' Timers 10 am - Noon
3 Bingo 5:30pm	4 Drummies & Fries 5-6:30pm	5 Auxiliary Meeting 6 pm	6 Bingo 6:30pm	7 Trivia Tonight Starting @ 6:30pm Card Party Starting @ Noon	8 Grilled Out Ribeye Steaks 6-7:30pm	9 Ol' Timers 10 am - Noon Karaoke w/ Rena 7:30-11:30pm
10 Bingo 5:30pm	11	12 Aerie Meeting 7 pm	13 Bingo 6:30pm	14	15 Chicken Strips or Shrimp 6-7:30pm	16 Ol' Timers 10 am - Noon
17 Bingo 5:30pm	18	19 Auxiliary Meeting 6 pm	20 Bingo 6:30pm	21 Redneck Bingo Starting @ 6:30pm	22 Benefit Dance 6-11pm Grilled Pork Loin Dinner 6-7:30pm	23 Ol' Timers 10 am - Noon
24/31 Bingo 5:30pm	25	26 Aerie Meeting 7 pm	27 Bingo 6:30pm	28	29	30

EMAIL OR ONLINE BEAK & TALONS

As most of you know we have been working to convert our Beak & Talons to online or email only. Most of the Aeries including the Grand Aerie offer on line only. We understand some members don't have access to email, internet or may not live nearby. We want to insure those members will still receive the newsletters by mail. This is one of the many benefits of membership. If you have an email address please email it to foe150editors@mediacombb.net and it will be added to the list. The Beak & Talons will be emailed to you by the first of each month.

The newsletter will also be available on the www.burlingtoneagles150.com Web Page. This will offer the quickest way to access Aerie and Auxiliary information and events. Please help us cut down on the high cost of mailing and printing.

ICE AND SNOW, TAKE IT SLOW

With the cold weather and the "S" word setting in, (SNOW), be very careful in the parking lots and along the building. It is not always possible to get the ice and snow cleared as fast as we would like too.

The Trustees

AERIE SCHOLARSHIP FORMS ARE AVAILABLE NOW

Scholarship forms are available in the Social Room. The completed forms must be returned no later than April 15th, **NO EXCEPTIONS**. The Aerie #150 scholarship is open to children and grandchildren of Aerie #150 members only. Full eligibility requirements and application instructions are included in the form.

The scholarship committee

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Please have the articles you would like published in the April Beak & Talons in by March 15th. They can be sent in an e-mail message to: foe150editors@mediacombb.net. If you would like to receive the Newsletter by email please send an email to the editors. The more we can send to your email it will save on postage and printing costs.

BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY BOOK

Please update your birthday or anniversary. If you would like your special date listed on the reader board, please ask the Bartender to update your listing in the book or you can have yours added or removed.

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AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP FORMS AVAILABLE

Auxiliary scholarship forms are now available in the Social Room. These forms are available for children and grandchildren that are graduating seniors and /or current college students of Auxiliary #150 members only. \$2,000 worth of scholarships will be given this year by Auxiliary #150. Completed applications must be returned or postmarked by April 1st. Scholarships will be awarded at the Auxiliary meeting on the 1st Tuesday of June.

Auxiliary Scholarship Committee Eligibility requirements:

- *Eligibility is limited to persons planning to attend an accredited college, university, school of higher learning (tech school), and/or on-line college courses.
- *Candidate must have an affiliation such as self, parent or grandparent, step-parent, step-grandparent or legal guardian, who is a paid up member of our local FOE 150 Auxiliary.
- *Applicant must have taken an active role in the community as well as school activities.
- *Student must display good character and pride within the school and community.

The applications will be available at the Burlington Eagles Club by February 15th of each year. The completed application must be returned to the Auxiliary Scholarship Committee no later than April 1st.

VALENTINE DANCE THANK YOU

A big thank you to all that attended or donated to the benefit Valentine Dance for Paradise, CA on Friday, February 15th. A total of \$647 will be donated to the Paradise, CA Eagles benefit fund. The \$100 Martini Gift Card was won by no other than our Aerie Secretary's wife, Krista Martin. Also a thank you goes out to Holly Logas and her crew that prepared the Goulash dinner that night. It was a very cold night and the attendance was low but once Donita, Songbird Entertainment got the music started everyone danced the night away or visited with friends.

Sue Carter and Linda Fuller, Co-Chairs

WE ARE ON FACEBOOK

Check out the Eagles Facebook page. Like us and you get a weekly update on events and happenings for the week. Just go to Burlington #150 or Eagles #150 and check us out. Also check out our web site at www.burlingtoneagles150.com.

COOKWARE LEFT BEHIND

The Kitchen is getting out of control with cookware, pans, cookie sheets, dishes, etc. left behind.

If you have brought in food for a function please come and get your items. The back counter and shelves are getting very full again.