

CRYSTAL RIVER AERIE 4272 NEWSLETTER

JULY 2024



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WORTHY PRESIDENT



Once upon a time, an old man spread rumors that his neighbor was a thief. As a result, the young man was arrested. Days later he was proven innocent. After being released, he sued the old man for wrongly accusing him.

In court, the old man told the judge, "They were just comments, they didn't harm anyone."

The judge, before passing sentence on the case told the old man
"Write all the things you said about him on a piece of paper. Cut it up into little pieces. Throw the pieces out your car window. Come back tomorrow to hear your sentence.

The next day, the judge told the old man "Before receiving your sentence, I want you to go out and gather up all the pieces that you threw out your car window yesterday."

The old man said I can't do that! The wind spread them all over the place and I won't be able to find them."

The judge replied, "the same way simple words and comments may destroy the honor of a person to such an extent that they will not be able to fix it.

If you cannot speak well of someone, don't say anything at all. Let's be masters of our mouths, so that we will not be slaves of our words.

Gossip is worse than thieves because they steal another person's dignity, honor, reputation and credibility which are impossible to restore.

So, remember this: When your feet slip you can recover your balance, But when your tongue slips you can never recover your words.

IF I CAN NOT SPEAK WELL OF AN EAGLE, I WILL NOT SPEAK ILL OF HIM!!!

Chuck Monahan
President4272FOE@gmail.com

MADAM PRESIDENT

Happy July!

We just got back from the State Convention, and it was wonderful! It is awesome to hear all the good work the Eagles do to help people! Pat yourself on the back for being part of an amazing organization.

Hurricane season is upon us. Be safe and let's hope for the best. The auxiliary will be raffling off a basket this month with all sorts of goodies needed during a storm or power outage. \$5 a ticket, please support us. The money will be going to Crest School. We'll also have a box on the back table for any school donations. Thank you in advance.

Remember, the wheelbarrow of booze raffle is still going on. The drawing will be on July 4th. There's still time to get a ticket.

Our auxiliary meetings are Tuesday July 2 and July 16 this month. We'd love to see some new faces. Please try to attend.

Diane Fuller, MP



Officers 2024-2025

Aerie Officers

Jr. Past Worthy President	William Boudreau
Worthy President	Chuck Monahan
Worthy Vice President	William Ries
Worthy Chaplain	Rich Hutchins
Worthy Secretary	Sheryl Stone
Worthy Treasurer	Crystal Hennen
Worthy Conductor	Bob Tompkins
Inside Guard	Owen Brent
Worthy Trustees	Cal Bright, Debbie Bright, Doug Fuller, Clay Scott, Brian Seggerty

Aerie Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at 7:00 pm. Please come and support your Aerie.

Auxiliary Officers

Jr. Past Madam President	Shelley Foraker
Madam President	Diane Fuller
Madam Vice President	Tammy Favorite
Madam Chaplain	Shirley Brent
Madam Secretary	Betty Clark
Madam Treasurer	Constance Deering
Madam Conductor	Marcella Smith
Madam Trustees	Patti Kiedrowski, Joleen Elpers
Madam Inside Guard	Alicia Stotler
Madam Outside Guard	
Auxiliary Auditor	Marilyn Barco

Auxiliary Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 7:00 pm. Please Come and support your Auxiliary

Eagle Riders Officers

President	Peter Fiorentino
Vice President	Bob Tompkins
Chaplain	Jim Smith
Secretary	Diana Stefanyk
Treasurer	Cathy Seymour
Road Captain	Denny Karcher

Eagle Rider Meetings are held on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 11:00 am. Please come and support your Eagle Riders.

TRUSTEE REPORT



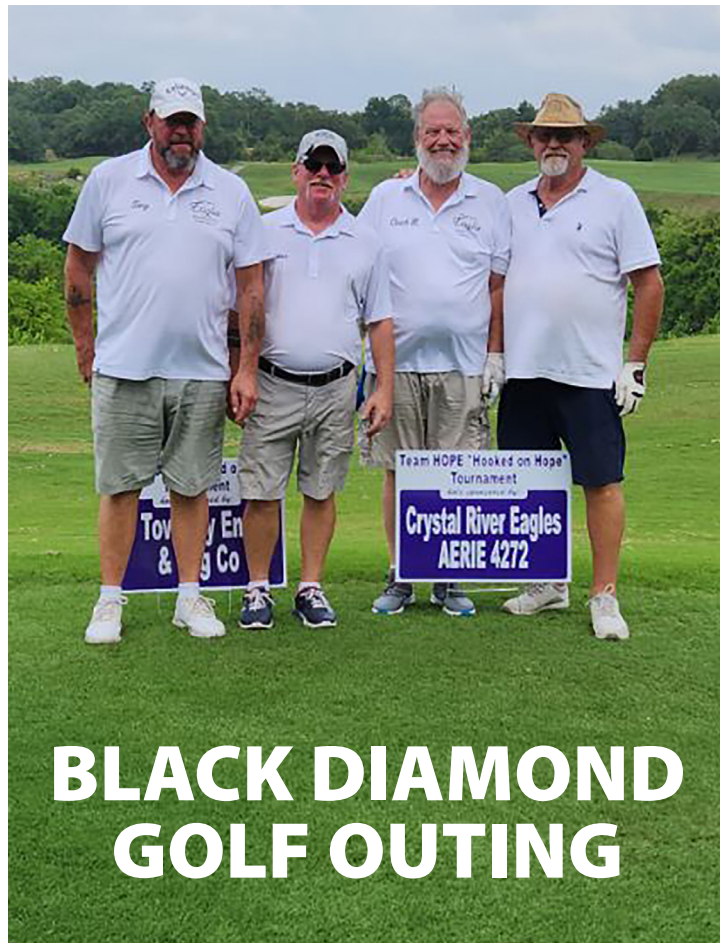
Happy 4th of July!

Hope all is well and in good health. We are holding our 4th of July Wheel Barrow/booze drawing on the 4th at 5:00 pm. You need not be present, but we would love to have a big turnout. The money raised is for the Aerie, Auxiliary, and the riders for charity. You may purchase tickets with the bartender up to just prior to drawing. More outside maintenance is being done. Cleaning up around flagpole is on hold until the New Eagle arrives, there will be a second Eagle where the previous was. We could still use a few volunteers for lawn clean up, power wash, etc..

Remember "if I cannot speak well of an Eagle, I will not speak ill of him"

So, kick back and enjoy the month of July!

Trustees



BLACK DIAMOND GOLF OUTING

WORTHY SECRETARY



Hello members.
Happy 4th of July!

The wheel barrel of booze will be drawn on the 4th at 5 pm you do not need to present. Tickets are still available at the bar. Thank

you all for getting your dues paid. Please remember to pick up your cards at the bar. It's hot out there so come in and enjoy the club, play some games, and have a cold one!

One of our members and Eagle rider, James McQueen, is very sick, and we will be having a fundraiser to raise money for medical bills. The event will be on July 27th from 12-6:00 pm. Please see the flyer in the newsletter. We need donations for gift baskets, monetary, and bake sale items- so please make your favorite dessert! If you have any questions, please contact me either by email 4272aeriepb@tampabay.rr.com or 413-923-4444.

Thank you in advance!

Your Secretary,
Sheryl Stone

WORTHY CHAPLAIN



Fellow Eagles, July is a month for remembering our independence. More importantly, how we received and continue to enjoy our freedom. That thought allowed me to reflect what our Eagles Club represents. Yes, we

are here for more than cheap drinks, we are here for friendships born of shared experiences, of shared goals and to SERVE... Service to others did not end when we left our own branches of service! As we celebrate our freedoms, may we also remember we are here to serve others. Perhaps that is our most important freedom.

Matthew 20:28 "Even the Son of Man came not to be served, but to serve and give life as a ransom for many"

Chaplain Rich Hutchins

WEDNESDAY WINGS!!



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- Education in air traffic control, flight, & meteorology | ERAU & UND
- Background in Law Enforcement | VHPD Police Explorer Program
- Winner of 2023 Neighborhood FAVES Award - nextdoor

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- Honda Pilot EXL SUV, Tan leather interior
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- DashCam system, Multi-cable charge-port
- Magazines, Complimentary water/snacks
- Multi-zone climate control, XM Radio


MADAM SECRETARY



**Happy
 July!**





JAMES McQUEEN

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JAMES McQUEEN

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 REGARDING HOW TO
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 YOUR SUPPORT!
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 APPRECIATED!

ANY & ALL DONATIONS ARE A HELP!!

ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TOWARDS
 MEDICAL NEEDS & EXPENSES

The event will be held at **Crystal River Eagles**
July 27th 12-6pm
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James is a member of the Eagles
 and belongs to the Eagles Club!

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4272 Eagle Riders NEWS



EAGLE RIDERS PRESIDENT



The Month of July is going to be a very hot riding season. Make sure to drink plenty of water and be sensible when riding. Not much is planned for the month of July as of yet. If Riders have some ride interests, please let our Road Captain know so he

can try to make it happen. Sami's Run is only four months away and we are now accepting donations for raffles and auctions. One of the hardest things to do for a poker run is setting up stops. I have been asking for some suggestions for stops so we can set up a route for the ride. We also have to get permission from the establishments so they can get ready for us. Meanwhile enjoy the 4th and be safe out there.

Ride on, Right On
Eagle Rider Pres. Peter Fiorentino 2024

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MADAM CHAPLAIN



We will be celebrating Independence Day this month. Celebrate your freedom in this country, as they are trying to take our freedoms away! Had a great time at the state convention in Altamonte Springs, Florida. Don't forget to get your

tickets for the wheel barrel drawing, will be drawn on July 4th. We are getting into hurricane season make your plans now and stock up on water, charcoal, and many more items, always stay safe. May God Bless all of our members.

Shirley Brent
Auxiliary Madame Chaplain



*"If I cannot speak
well of an Eagle,
I will not speak ill of him."*

*Happy Birthday
to all the
July Babies!*

AERIE & AUXILIARY MEETINGS

FIRST & THIRD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH:

AUXILIARY OFFICERS MEETING 6:00 PM

AUXILIARY MEETING 7:00 PM

SECOND & FOURTH THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH:

WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NOVEMBER

AERIE OFFICERS MEETING 6:30 PM

AERIE MEETING 7:00 PM

EAGLE RIDERS MEETINGS

SECOND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH @ 11:00 AM

Booster Club

Jack & Jan Ryan	05/03/2025
Lorraine Casucci-Childs	12/14/2024
Jay Berry & Judy Grime	08/01/2024
Doug & Connie Deering	10/01/2024
Karen & Anthony Otero	10/01/2024
Kelli Coppla	05/01/2024
Bill & Cathy Lutes	06/01/2024
Dana & Ken Weaver	06/01/2024
Roxanne Radakovich	07/01/2024
Lillian Roberts	06/01/2025
Dianne Crawford	10/01/2024
Gary Oaborne	06/01/2024
Donald Hemme	06/01/2024
Richard Reiss	06/01/2024
Peggy Marshall	06/01/2024
Ron & Cheryl Sasfai	06/01/2024
Lynn & Judy Fisher	08/01/2024
Barbara Sasfai	10/01/2024
Raymond & William Boudreau	02/01/2025
Winston and Judith Fisher	05/01/2025
Doris Kline	05/01/2025
Gordy & Pat Kiedrowski	05/01/2025
Thomas White	06/01/2025
Kelli Coppla	05/01/2025
Ron & Cheryl Sasfai	06/01/2025
Barbara Sasfai	06/01/2025
Shay Barnes	07/01/2027
Jas & Kate Corr	05/01/2025
Billy's Tree Service	06/01/2025
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10/01/2024

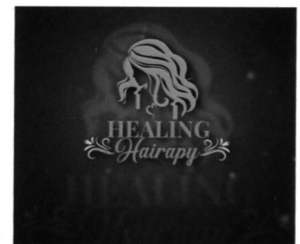
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HAPPY HOUR MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY - 2:00 TO 6:00 PM

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
7 AUX CHARITY GAMES 3:00 PM DARTS 6:30 PM KITCHEN OPEN 2 - 6 PM	1 AERIE CHARITY GAMES 5:00 - 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	2 KAREN'S BINGO 4:00-6:00 PM JOINT OFFICERS MEETING 6:00 PM AUX OFFICERS 6:00 PM AUX MEETING 7:00 PM	3 BINGO 12-3:00 Q OF HEARTS 6:00 2ND DRAWING 7:00 POOL TOURNAMENT 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	4 TRUSTEE MEETING 5:00 PM BAR POKER 2:00 - 4:00 PM HAPPY 4TH!!!	5 RED SHIRT FRIDAY LEFT, RIGHT, CENTER 3:00 PM THE JOES 6- 10:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	6 BETTER THAN NOTHING 6:00-10:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5-8:00PM
14 ER CHARITY GAMES 3:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 2 - 6 PM DARTS 6:30 PM	8 AERIE CHARITY GAMES 5:00 - 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	9 KAREN'S BINGO 4:00-6:00 PM TEXAS STAMPEDE 7 PM KITCHEN OPEN 4:30 - 8:00 PM	10 BINGO 12-3:00 Q OF HEARTS 6:00 2ND DRAWING 7:00 POOL TOURNAMENT 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	11 TRUSTEE MEETING 5:00 PM BAR POKER 2:00 - 4:00 PM OFFICERS MEETING 6:30 AERIE MEETING 7 PM OPEN TO AERIE MEMBERS	12 RED SHIRT FRIDAY LEFT, RIGHT, CENTER 3:00 PM LAST CHANCE 6- 10:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	13 ER OFFICERS MTG 10:30 ER MEETING 11:00 AM COOL CHANGE 6- 10:00 PM LADIES NIGHT 1/2 PRICE DRINKS KITCHEN OPEN 5 - 8 PM
21 AUX CHARITY GAMES 3:00 PM DARTS 6:30 PM KITCHEN OPEN 2 - 6 PM	15 AERIE CHARITY GAMES 5:00 - 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	16 KAREN'S BINGO 4:00-6:00 PM AUX OFFICERS 6:00 PM AUX MEETING 7:00 PM	17 BINGO 12-3:00 Q OF HEARTS 6:00 2ND DRAWING 7:00 POOL TOURNAMENT 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00	18 TRUSTEE MEETING 5:00 PM BAR POKER 2:00 - 4:00 PM	19 RED SHIRT FRIDAY LEFT, RIGHT, CENTER 3:00 PM JOE'S GARAGE 6:00-10:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	20 ER CHARITY MOTORCYCLE RACES 6:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM
28 ER CHARITY GAMES 3:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 2 - 6 PM DARTS 6:30 PM	22 AERIE CHARITY GAMES 5:00 - 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	23 KAREN'S BINGO 4 - 6:00 PM TEXAS STAMPEDE 7 PM KITCHEN OPEN 4:30 - 8:00 PM	24 BINGO 12-3:00 Q OF HEARTS 6:00 2ND DRAWING 7:00 POOL TOURNAMENT 7:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00	25 TRUSTEE MEETING 5:00 PM BAR POKER 2:00 - 4:00 PM OFFICERS MEETING 6:30 AERIE MEETING 7 PM OPEN TO AERIE MEMBERS	26 RED SHIRT FRIDAY LEFT, RIGHT, CENTER 3:00 PM T TOWN 6:00 - 10:00 PM KITCHEN OPEN 5:00 - 8:00 PM	27 JAMES MCQUEEN FUNDRAISER 12-6:00 PM FREE JUKE BOX

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SCHEDULE OF CHARITY GAMES

MONDAY- SHOW ME- 5 PM

TUESDAY-KAREN'S BINGO- 4 PM

2ND AND 4TH TUESDAY- TEXAS STAMPEDE- 7 PM

WEDNESDAY- BINGO- 12-3 PM

WEDNESDAY- QUEEN OF HEARTS- 6 PM

THURSDAY- BAR POKER 2-4 PM

FRIDAY- LEFT RIGHT CENTER- 3 PM

3RD SATURDAY- MOTORCYCLE RACES- 6 PM

SUNDAY- SHOW ME- 3 PM, DARTS- 6 PM

Welcome

New members- we look forward to meeting you.

Please enjoy our club and
remember to follow the rules.

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