2025 Washington State Convention

Yakima Washington

June 12, 13, and 14, 2025

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Washington State Aerie and Auxiliary are looking forward to hosting the 2024 WA. State Convention in Yakima Wa. We have compiled the information that we feel you will need to get prepared for the Convention. All Aerie and Auxiliary meetings will be held at the Yakima Convention Center.

CONVENTION BOOKLET

We will be putting together a souvenir booklet for you. For better quality of your ads, we ask that you send them to us camera ready. Ad prices for the booklet will be the same as last year at:

	Format	Full Page	Size	Half Page	Size
Regular AD	Color	\$175	5 X 7	\$100	2.5 X 3.5
Inside Front/Back Cover	Color	\$300			
Back Cover	Color	\$450			

Please email your ad to amyemcgrath@gmail.com and mail to Amy McGrath at the below address. Phone number (206)850-1346. Photos can be color or black & white — no Velox's please unless they are the size you want them in the ad. (Velox — photos with a dot pattern). Please put the person or person's name, Title, and Aerie or Auxiliary number on the back of each. Photo deadline for ads is April 15, 2025. Please make Ad checks payable to the **Washington State Aerie** and mail them to:

Amy McGrath

PO Box 586

North Bend Wa 98045-0586

MOTEL ACCOMODATIONS

The Red Lion Hotel Yakima Center (Aerie and Auxiliary Headquarters) Phone (509) 248-5900 has Eagle's contracted room rates of \$109.00 per night for 1 or 2 people, \$119.00 per night for 3 people, or \$129.00 per night for 4 people. The room rate includes a daily breakfast for up to the total number of

people registered in that room. Room taxes are not included in the contract rate. For Reservations at the Red Lion Hotel please contact PSP Bill Stotko (425) 387-

9840. We have a block of rooms under contract with contract pricing available at the Red Lion Hotel only. You can contact the Red Lion directly at (509) 248-5900 and get the same price if you let them know you are with the Eagles but your reservation will only provide a room not a room location. **Again, these contract prices do not include taxes.** Or you can reach the Holiday Inn Express Yakima at phone (509) 249-1000, the Holiday Inn Downtown Yakima (across from the Convention center) at (509) 4947000, or the Fairfield Inn & Suites, at (509) 452-3100. These locations do not have contract pricing. Each Aerie or Auxiliary and individual is responsible for making his or her own reservations. **If you have a person with a wheelchair, please let the Red Lion know so they do not get put on the second floor.** If no first-floor rooms are available, you may need to use another hotel.

Please make your reservations early. Reservations DO NOT guarantee a Room Number or Floor.

RV PARKING. parking is available at Yakima RV (formerly Trailers Inn), 1610 N. First St, Yakima WA. 98901, (509) 452-9561 or Circle H RV Park, 1107 S. 18th St. Yakima WA 98901, (509) 457-3683.

Each Aerie or Auxiliary and individual is responsible for making his or her own reservations. Please make your reservations as early possible, as spaces are limited in Yakima.

MEAL TICKETS

We are enclosing a pre-order sheet for meals. Please make your reservations early. Please make sure you print your name, Aerie and/or Auxiliary number **CLEARLY** on your order form, along with your phone number in case of questions. A fixed number of meals must be reserved prior to the Convention. Meals include:

Wednesday Membership Lunch - \$23.00 Starting at 2 PM. Thursday Banquet - \$36.00 Starting at 6 PM. Friday Prayer Breakfast - \$23.00 starting at 7 AM doors open at 6:45 AM. Past Aerie and Auxiliary Presidents Luncheon \$23.00 starting at noon. All meals open to everyone except Past State Madam Presidents luncheon.

The deadline for meal tickets is **April 15, 2025. DO NOT** plan on tickets being available when you arrive at Convention. PLEASE NOTE, you will be assigned a table number for seating at the banquet and prayer breakfast. Tables will be assigned in the order they were received. This makes seating at the banquet and prayer breakfasts go smoother. Tables will have a seating arrangement of ten (10) per table. Grant givers are responsible for purchasing the banquet tickets for their recipients.

NAME	AERIE/AUX NUMBER
NAME(Please Print)	
WEDNESDAY MEMBERSHIP LUNCH (2 PM)	
French Dip, Home Fries Soup and Salad Buffet	X \$23.00 = \$
THURSDAY BANQUET TICKETS (6 PM)	
Roast beef w brown gravy	X \$36.00 = \$
Bale breaker chicken	X \$36.00 = \$
Primavera Pasta VEGETARIAN X \$36.00 = \$	
FRIDAY PRAYER BREAKFAST TICKETS (7 AM) (Doors open at 6:45)	X \$23.00= \$
FRIDAY PAST PRESIDENTS LUNCHEON (Noon)	
Herbal Chicken	X \$23.00 = \$
	Total \$

Jim Holmes,
201 Union S.E. 161

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Booster Ads

We are also enclosing a sign-up sheet for those members who would like to support the Convention. By spending just \$1.00, their names will be placed on the Booster Page under their Aerie and/or Auxiliary number. Please make sure that they PRINT THEIR NAMES along with their Aerie and/or Auxiliary number clearly. Aerie and Auxiliary Presidents please appoint someone to take over this job for you. \$1.00 Per Name. You will be added to the booster page(s) under your Aerie or Auxiliary number.

AERIE AND/OR AUXILIARY NAME AND NUMBER
Booster Ad Deadline is April 15, 2024. Amount Enclosed \$
Please make checks payable to: Washington State Aerie and mail to: Amy McGrath
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SCOOTER Service

Scooter service can be arranged by calling Howard's Medical Supply, 1101 N 16th Avenue, #104, Yakima, WA 98902, 509-654-9899. You eed to make arrangements as far in advance as possible.

We are looking forward to seeing you in June. Just remember that the brothers and sisters that are working at the Convention are volunteers and are trying to make your stay enjoyable. Bring new brothers and sisters. If you have any questions, please call Co-Chairmen Bill Stotko (425) 387-9840), Ken Schnorr (425) 941-2862 or Mike Simonds (360) 671-5455.

Fraternally yours,

You're Washington State Aerie Site Selection Chairmen

PSP Bill Stotko PSP Mike Simonds PSP Jim Holmes