



THE EAGLE EYE

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LETTER FROM THE EDITOR - AUGUST EDITION

August - The “dog days” of summer. The technical end of summertime fun. We hope you enjoyed your 4th of July and while we still enjoy or maybe lament the heat of these late summer days, the Fall equinox is not yet here. However, we are pushing the envelope towards the end of the summer season. In the meantime the weather is good and the temps have been great for swimming or maybe some camping or hiking and we still have a few weeks left before the kids return to school and the Labor Day holiday is upon us.

Nothing much happens in August except for maybe vacations and time spent enjoying the month with more summer bbq's. And speaking of bbq's the **Aerie picnic will take place on August 25th**. See more info in this newsletter. In August we have no major holidays but still there is no time to waste in preparation for the upcoming fall/winter that inevitably finds us every year. How will you spend these “dog days of summer”? If I may, I would like to offer a few suggestions...In August on the 10th and 11th there are the Eastern Regionals Mens Softball tournaments at Walla-Walla point park and of course there are Applesox games to go see. Then on the 16th there is the Quilt and Fiber Art Fest at 9:00a.m. and on the 24th there is the Wine and Food Festival 6-9:00p.m. both being held at Town Toyota Center and on the 27th REO Speedwagon will be there for a concert as well and Dave Matthews is playing at the Gorge on the 30th. Tickets are available on line. Also of course there are the races. Events, times and dates vary so check with the track. AND as always there are area winery's for your tasting pleasure or maybe some golf? OR just come into the club on a Sunday and join us for one of the shuffleboard tournaments! They are open to all members. These are just some suggestions for venues of various entertainment through August. And included in this newsletter I've taken this opportunity of a “slow month” to write on some historically significant items of interest for your reading pleasure. Enjoy!

PLEASE NOTE: Items of interest or events at the club aren't always scheduled or submitted at the time of submittal deadlines for this monthly newsletter to be ready to go to print and circulation prior to the end of each month. Therefore, I have no way of knowing or mentioning them in the current newsletter. Last month due to a late scheduling date I wasn't able to inform you of the Burlesque show that was due to happen in July. I apologize for that. It was no ones fault. It was just a matter of timing when scheduled. And because of that I'm sure many of you men might have missed a fun evening here at the club. When able I do insert a blurb the following month about the results of such events. So please, when able, inform the office staff of any items that you think may be of interest to the members no later than the 20th of each month as we need the last week of each month to write or edit story lines so that they can be printed and mailed for circulation before the first each month. I can accept items no later than 22nd, if necessary, and the Secretary's office will post informational changes within the club or send an email to members when necessary. Also please make sure the office has your current email address.

Please take note of the NEW office hours here at the club.

PAST PRESIDENTS STEAK DINNERS

AUGUST 6TH

Please come join us on the first Tuesday of each month. Your Past Eagle Presidents will be here to serve you one of the best steak dinners in town.

Steak dinner is \$15.00 and includes a baked potato, salad & garlic bread

*Salad Bar & potato \$8.00 OR
Salad Bar only \$6.00*

Please support us for this event and support your local Aerie!

AUXILIARY DINNERS

AUGUST 26TH

These dinners take place on the 4th Monday of each month. The menu varies and the cost is \$8.00 for the full buffet or \$6.00 for the Salad Bar only. Dinner is served starting at 5:30 p.m.

Please join us for these dinners. Each benefits a particular charity and they help support your local Auxiliary #204.

This month's dinner will benefit the Jimmy Durante's Youth Charity

EVENT PLANNING?

Rent the big Aerie Hall or the smaller room. Anyone is allowed to rent so please pass the word around! For information contact: Tina at 509-679-1862

MONTHLY THINGS TO REMEMBER!



TUESDAY NIGHT IS THE QUEEN OF HEARTS DWG.

You do NOT need to be a member to buy tickets for THIS drawing. Tickets are \$1.00 each but, you MUST be present to win. Tickets sold from 5:00 to 6:45 Drawing is at 7:00 pm.

THURSDAY NIGHT IS THE ACE OF SPADES DWG.

MAXIMUM PAYOUT is \$5,000.00. To participate in this drawing you MUST be a current Eagles member and you MUST be present to buy tickets and/or to win in the Ace of Spades. Tickets sold from 5:00 to 6:45 Drawing is at 7:00 p.m. The cost for tickets is \$1.00 each.



CRIBBAGE CLUB NEWS



*The Cribbage Club that plays here at the Eagles on Tuesday and Thursday nights is known as the Club 379 Apple Capital Peggers. They are Eagles and members of the American Cribbage Congress. Starting in September they will commence their 10th season with the cribbage congress. If you play you should note that the summer league changed over to 7 games on both Tuesdays and Thursdays until **September** and then there will be a change in the schedule again flipping the normal 9 game night with the 7 game night. Please watch for the update in the monthly calendar in September. Anyone is welcome to play at the club on Tuesdays or Thursdays but you must be an Eagles member and the cost to play is \$6.00. Thursdays are not a league night. However, if you choose to play on Tuesdays, League play is 36 weeks and you will need to join the league or not be eligible for cash. Please note: Remember there is a change of how many games are played once the Fall season starts in September. They will go from 7 to 9 games in league play.*

SHUFFLEBOARD LEAGUE NEWS

The Summer Season League will go three months with playoff games in September. Sunday tournaments still take place at 1:00 p.m. Sign up is at 12:30, BUT on the LAST Sunday of each month there will be a blind draw for partners. It's fun and anyone who wants to play is welcome. It just takes two for a team. You can sign up as a single player but a team is required to play so if there are enough single players you can be matched up to play on that particular Sunday. The cost to play on Sundays is always \$5.00 per team. The first of the Blind Draw Sundays was held at the end of June and a great time was had by all! It should be noted that while League play is in season any scheduled matches will take precedence at the shuffleboard for league use. Therefore, if you happen to be using the board at the time of a scheduled match you will be required to relinquish it in favor of league play. Your patience is appreciated.



AERIE FAMILY PICNIC!

This year's family picnic will take place on Sunday, August 25th starting around 12:00p.m. and will be held at Bill & Darlene Walton's located at: 1828 Methow Rd. in Wenatchee. The Aerie will provide the meat and has requested that anyone attending please bring a dish to pass and consider it a BYOB. If you plan to attend please call Greg Whitman so he will know how many to plan for. He can be reached at: 509-881-8203. A great time will be had by all as we just enjoy some time together as fraternal family so come on out and join us for a relaxing day in the sun!

**ON THIS DATE IN WENATCHEE EAGLES #204 HISTORY...**

According to the records...The Wenatchee Aerie meeting dated August 22, 1903 was a special meeting called to order to process some important business matters. The meeting was called to order by President F. Keller and a communication was read from A.E Partridge regarding a Proxy request made to the Grand Aerie after which a motion carried that the proxy be awarded to W.S. Pullover of Seattle Aerie #1. The secretary was instructed to write up the change and forward the information to the secretary of New York City. A committee was formed and arrangements were then made for a "blow out" or "general good time" to take place on September 14th of the following month to celebrate the new allegiance with Seattle Aerie #1.

Some famous events and dates in Eagle history include the creation of Mother's Day thanks to the efforts of Past Grand Worthy President, Frank E Hering in 1904. It became official in 1914 when President Woodrow Wilson signed the proclamation. Also the FOE played a prominent role in passing the Social Security Act in 1935 and the nationwide "jobs after 40 program" enacted in 1957. We were the first organization to top one million in donations to St. Jude's Children's research hospital in 1985. There are many items of historical interest that the Fraternal Order of Eagles have accomplished in committing themselves to the goal of "making human life more desirable by lessening the ills and promoting peace, prosperity, gladness and hope" while standing for "Liberty, Truth, Justice and Equality".

OFFICIAL LOGO OF THE FOE AUXILIARY

*For years women were accompanying male members of the Order to social events. As early as 1914 women were in attendance for the organizations Grand Aerie conventions, eventually inspiring them to become their own wing of the Eagles; The Ladies Auxiliary. Pressure increased to formally recognize the Auxiliary and in January 1926 an official circular was issued explaining the time had come for definite action in regard to the formal creation of an Auxiliary. When the Eagles assembled for the 28th annual Grand Aerie convention in August 1926 delegates formally approved the formation of the "Ladies Auxiliary". And while Eagle Auxiliaries had existed before a GRAND AUXILIARY was formed, the first being founded on March 24, 1927 in Pittsburg, Kansas and then three days later a second Auxiliary was established in Frontenac, Kansas. By March of 1951, 965 local Auxiliaries were in existence, totaling 130,000 members and by the end of that same year, 22 state and provincial auxiliaries were also operating. However, a **New Era** for the women of Eagledom began when an amendment was proposed to the Grand Aerie Laws to allow for the establishment of a Grand Auxiliary and it was passed unanimously at the 1951 Grand Aerie Convention in Rochester, New York. It all became official on August 14, 1952 when Past Grand Worthy President Lester Loble of Montana who was serving as the institution deputy for the Grand Auxiliary appointed Alta Browning Smith as the first Grand Madam President. Some of our famous female members include but are not limited to: Bess Truman, Eleanor Roosevelt, Louise Mandrell, Virginia Graham, and Susan Wagner. The ladies Auxiliary maintains the same values as the Aerie and supports the efforts of same in the charity work we all do as a club and as an organization. The motto always has been and remains for all Eagles: PEOPLE HELPING PEOPLE And the motto for this Auxiliary is: For Home, For Country and For God"*

FOLLOW-UP BLURB HITS

The fireworks sales that the #204 Auxiliary did for this year went extremely well and the auxiliary was able to put a good sum amount into our fund account. Thank you to all who volunteered their time to sell fireworks or anyone who bought fireworks from us this year!

Also as reported by the Past Madam President of #204 Auxiliary the Relay for Life that took place on June 21st had a good turnout. And the Aerie has asked that I thank all those members who graciously volunteered some time or baked cookies for the Nason Creek rest stop in July and wanted it noted that help will be needed again in September from the 23rd - 27th.

SOME POINTS OF INTEREST...***How do they get the Word out?***

*Vets on the Farm. What's that I say? I said **VETS ON THE FARM**. You may know a Veteran who is looking for work or a farmer who is looking to retire. Maybe your farm or the farm mechanic has more work that he/she can complete alone and needs some help?*

The Vets on the farm program works to pair farmers who need help with veterans transitioning back into civilian life. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to, small scale production agriculture, livestock management, equipment maintenance and custom farm work. South Douglas Conservation District is starting a new program in Douglas County. Spokane has a strong growing program. All conservation districts in Washington State hope to develop this program. So if you need an extra hand feel free to contact the website at: southdouglascd@conservewa.net or just take a look at the website to understand how the program works. ON THIS DATE IN

SOME WENATCHEE HISTORY...

On August 20, 2004, 83 Tow trucks rolled through the streets of Wenatchee, Washington in an event arranged by the Washington Tow Truck Association. The “Guinness Book of World Records” dubbed it the world’s largest parade of tow trucks. The WTTA organized the August 2004 tow truck parade as part of its annual Tow show & Road-E-O event. Wenatchee’s tow truck world record came under assault from at least two quarters in 2008. In Hampton Beach, New Hampshire, that May 18th, more that 250 tow trucks took part in a single-file parade organized by the New Hampshire Towing Association (NHTA). According to that article in the Hampton Union newspaper, all kinds of trucks - “Flatbeds, wheel-hook tow trucks, massive 72 ton big rig wreckers” participated in the parade which was followed by a driven skills competition and tow truck beauty contest. However, Rene Fortin, president of the NHTA, said that his organization had unofficially broken Wenatchee’s record in 2005 with a parade of 235 trucks. Never-the-less as the parades never fit Guinness’ long list of requirements, they hadn’t been accepted and could NOT claim the title.

THE NUMERICA PERFORMING ARTS CENTER OF WENATCHEE***“THE MIRACLE ON WENATCHEE AVENUE”***

What is known to locals as the Numerica Performing Arts Center or PAC for short located on Wenatchee Avenue should never have happened if you consider what the what those who wanted it had to go through to get it built. The idea of a small group of thespians proposing to build a multi-million-dollar center in Wenatchee was preposterous, ridiculous. But persistence often pays! And today there is not only a 550-seat theater free of debt, but another 160-seat theater built primarily with volunteer labor that is the home of Music Theater of Wenatchee. And attached to Wenatchee’s Convention Center is an Exhibition Hall that was only a dream in the early 1990s. A lot of favorable things had to occur to make these projects possible, including the ability to overcome a number of unfavorable events. It all started in 1989, when the Mission Creek Players, a small theater group, asked Wenatchee’s Allied Arts to study the needs of the community for a performance facility—its size, type, and location. Looking back, the Title of this history is The Miracle on Wenatchee Avenue. But in truth the success of the Performing Arts Center has rested on the determination of local citizens. They refused to be defeated, despite political downturns, the negative reputation, and the huge capital cost that faced them. It is a tribute to the commitment of people who saw a vision for the community—a vision that finally has come true!



CURRENT WENATCHEE #204 OFFICERS for 2019/2020

“WE WILL UNSELFISHLY STRIVE TO LIVE FOR HOME, FOR COUNTRY AND FOR GOD”.



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DAN MICHLIG		TRUSTEE	CHAR HANSBOROUGH
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BILL THOMAS		TRUSTEE	

NOTE: THERE WILL BE NO JOINT OFFICER'S MEETING IN AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER.

ON MEETING CLUB GOALS...

As always there is a need to do repairs and general upkeep somewhere on the property and yes, we are all responsible as members. Unfortunately it can't always be done by only a handful of the same people all the time so this is a plea to ALL to please jump in and at least offer to help when you can. No doubt some of you are quite talented in areas that might just be beneficial to the club. And even if you don't have special skills your help is ALWAYS appreciated. Please give this some thought. In addition, making sure your dues are paid on time helps to keep things afloat. Might not cover all the bills but it's a major start and we also do extra events which we often need helping hands for so please give that some thought. With your help we will continue to meet all the club goals in the future. Thank you for your patronage!

RESULTS OF THE “CRYING TOWEL” DRAWINGS from MONTHLY MEETINGS

AERIE CRYING TOWEL DRAWING

AUXILIARY CRYING TOWEL DRAWING

- 6/19 - Chris > Miller NP \$500
- 6/26 - Connie Franklin NP 500
- 7/3 - Russel Hayes NP \$500
- 7/10 - Charles Ashbrook NP \$500

- 6/26 - Cheryl Dechand NP \$81.75
- 7/11 - Vicky Carey Fitzpatrick NP \$85.50



IN MEMORIAM

May blessings be upon those who have gone before us and may peace come to those who honor them.

- Jerilyn Sapp 26 yr. Member
- Fred Stehr 27 yr. Member



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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Shuffleboard tournaments Sundays starts 1:00pm Register by 12:30p.m. \$5.00 per team	Pinochle every Monday @ 1:00 Auxiliary Dinners every 4th Monday night. Also Ladies night drink Specials	QUEEN OF HEARTS DWG. 7:00 pm Every Tuesday Nite Tickets sold 5:00-6:45 pm Also every Tuesday it's Cribbage nite	CLUB MEETING NIGHTS NO Joint Officers Mtg. in August Also Guy's night Specials	ACE OF SPADES Dwg. 7:00 p.m. Tickets sold 5:00-6:45 pm Every Thursday also Cribbage nite 6:30	WEEKENDS IT'S KARAOKE! Friday and Saturday Nights 8:00pm	Karaoke at 8:00 p.m.
LAST Sunday of each month is random draw Shuffleboard 1:00 pm Register by 12:30			NOTICE: Trustees will meet twice monthly prior to Aux and Aerie mtgs.	1 ACE OF SPADES Dwg. 7:00 p.m. Cribbage 7 game 6:30	2 BBQ Burgers & Dogs w/all the fixins 5:30 p.m. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.	3 Breakfast Served 9:00 a.m. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.
4 Breakfast Served 9:00am Shuffleboard tournament 1:00 p.m.	5 Ladies Night Drink Specials 5-Close	6 PEP Steak Dinner \$15.00 Queen of Hearts 7:00 pm Cribbage 7 game 6:30	7 Aerie Mtg. 7:30 Guy's Night Specials 5-Close	8 ACE OF SPADES Dwg. 7:00 p.m. Cribbage 7 game 6:30	9 Prime Rib Dinner 5:00 p.m.. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.	10 Breakfast Served 9:00 a.m. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.
11 Breakfast Served 9:00am Shuffleboard tournament 1:00 p.m.	12 Ladies Night Drink Specials 5-Close	13 \$5 TACO BAR Queen of Hearts 7:00 pm Cribbage 7 game 6:30	14 Aux. Mtg. 6:30 Aerie Mtg. 7:30 Guy's Night Specials 5-Close	15 ACE OF SPADES Dwg. 7:00 p.m. Cribbage 7 game 6:30	16 BBQ Burgers & dogs w/all the fixins 5:30 p.m. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.	17 Breakfast Served 9:00 a.m. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.
18 Breakfast Served 9:00am Shuffleboard tournament 1:00 p.m.	19 Auxiliary Dinner Charity for the month is Jimmy Durante's Youth 5:30 pm Full buffet \$8.00	20 Taco Tuesday Queen of Hearts 7:00 pm Cribbage 7 game 6:30	21 Aerie Mtg. 7:30 Guys Night Specials 5-Close	22 ACE OF SPADES Dwg. 7:00 pm Cribbage 7 game 6:30	23 Prime Rib Dinner 5:00 p.m.. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.	24 Breakfast Served 9:00 a.m. Karaoke 8:00 p.m.
25 Aerie Picnic 12:00 p.m. Breakfast Served 9:00am Shuffleboard 1:00 p.m.	26 Ladies Night Drink Specials 5-Close	27 Taco Tuesday Queen of Hearts 7:00 pm Cribbage 7 game 6:30	28 Aux. Mtg. 6:30 Aerie Mtg. 7:30 Guys Night Specials 5-Close	29 ACE OF SPADES Dwg. 7:00 p.m. Cribbage 7 game 6:30	30 BBQ Burgers & Dogs w/all the fixins 5:30 p.m. Karaoke 8:00	31 Breakfast Served 9:00 a.m. Karaoke 8:00 pm

GETTING READY FOR GRAND CONVENTION
2019 – JULY 8 THROUGH 11

After the State Convention this year, I was trying to get it together. The Grand Convention was just around the corner. This meant that I would have to prepare for the Hospitality Room at Grand. I was thinking that all the equipment was in my basement and that a brother was going to haul it all to Louisville. So I went about the business of collecting the things I would need to make it the best convention hospitality room at the convention. There would be three boxes of Applets and Cotlets and local distilled whiskey, Brandy, Gin and many others. Lady Diana booked the airplane flights and had the trip all planned out. I had a huge box of records and CD's for our 50's theme.

Two days after Diana had booked all the tickets to Louisville the brother that was to haul everything called, it was all bad. He had lost his job and a granddaughter was in bad shape at the hospital. His dad had developed Alzheimer's; this took all the money he had saved, as the lawyers would get the rest on the transfer of the family land titles that had to be changed. Now this was a shock. The tickets were nonrefundable for the air flight. There would be no driving now on my part and most of it was impossible to get to Grand. Mark Crochet was driving and could take a lot of it. Half the booze was open so that was not to go. But there was a little luck there as Mike Serles was in charge of the booze for the Past Presidents and when his house had burned he had lost all of it. Now there in part was a replacement. Mark was going to drive as much as he could to Grand.

I took two suitcases as one was used for the candy and the local booze was forgotten and off the two of us went to the airport. Diana had booked a flight that left at eight in the morning. It was the fact there was a park, sleep fly hotel and the car left in storage that had us real tired before the two of us got on the plane that set the stage for a long tiring plane ride. Yet the ride had breakfast. In Minneapolis there was a plane change. Lady Diana had a little trouble walking, but she made it without a wheel chair or walker. The flat moving sidewalks sure helped. The second plane was small and full. In Louisville there was a Thrifty Car Rental that Diana had booked a car out of. The man at the counter liked us and said there was a black Jaguar that was not being used and wanted to know if I would consider taking it. I said yes, and he gave it to us for the price of the car we would have gotten. It was almost new with all the Bells and whistles. The driver's manual had to be used a bit. It was like driving in the twilight zone, what a trip.

Diana had booked a room at the Galt House Hotel for two nights as holidays had forced us to go early. This meant a little touring was in order. I took photos of downtown, Slugger Museum, Churchill Downs, and many other hot spots. Two bats were ordered and shipped home for later charity raffles. There were restaurants, and a trip to White Castle.

On Friday our Hospitality Rooms were ready and we had to move from one side of the hotel to the other. Lady Diana was not enjoying all the walking. After settling in the Hospitality Rooms, Bill and Carrie Stotko came in. Bill and Carrie took care of eighty percent of all the shopping. Cheryl and Tom came in soon after. By that evening the Hospitality Room was ready for the Washington State Delegation. Registration started on Friday and I sold Grand Convention pins and went shopping with Diana. We crossed the bridge into Indiana for groceries. There I found a Kroger's store and a fifth of Climax Moonshine. You know that show on TV, the one about moonshining? Well Tim, the star is on the tag on the bottle. It will be raffled off for charity. The official opening of the hospitality room was on Saturday and the work was on! There was a portable boom box that I shopped for that was broken. After all there had to be 50's music, so having no tools to fix it, Diana and I went back to Indiana and I bought a new one. Stay Tuned for the Second Half of the Story – THE BEST HALF.

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