November 2026

Newsletter

Hours:
Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm
Friday-Saturday 10am-11pm
Sundays 12pm-9pm

AUXILLARY HELP NEEDED

We need grill & fryer volunteers for the kitchen EVERY Tuesday Burger & Bango Night.
We also need Friday night dinner ideas & crews to cook, serve, & cleanup. Please sign up during a meeting, with a board member, or email eagles3531news@gmail.com

Dear Fellow Eagles,

What an incredible and memorable close to Summer 2026. We have had a full experience of celebrations, farewells, and welcoming new faces.
We have so many new members, and I would ask for legacy members to take the opportunity to introduce ourselves and share a story. Who doesn't love stories?
For November, as some friends head to their winter homes, let's take this time to savor the end of Summer 2026. Safe travels, folks!

Will Park, President

Bar News

ALL members are REQUIRED to show membership cards each day you visit the bar. Many of us have received the new "hard cards" in the mail! If you haven't, just use your old card for now.
Credit Cards accepted for bar purchases, including lunches. An additional 3.5% surcharge is added to use your credit card.
Eagles has our 3531 plates for sale for $15! Keep it or trade with other FOE's. Passports & Bracelets for sale at the bar for $5 each.

Weekly /Monthly Meetings

ALL MEMBERS are welcome and encouraged to attend our meetings! You will benefit by helping support the club & learn about all opportunities.

1) Aerie Members: 7pm on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays each month, Initiations on the 3rd Wednesday. Initiates posted on the bulletin board & bar. Annual Dues: $45

2) Joint Board Members: Quarterly. Next meeting is Wednesday January 13, 2027 at 6pm.

3) Auxillary Members: 6:30pm on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday each month. Annual Dues: $35

4) Eagle Riders Members: Meet 3rd Sunday of each month at 2pm, riding after weather permitting. If you are interested in becoming a member, feel free to come and get more information. However, the next meeting will not be until Sunday January 17, 2026. Annual Dues: $10

Spotlights

Use eagles3531news@gmail.com for any questions or help.
Address Changes:
Aerie-send to 3531secretary@gmail.com
Auxillary-send to carold12@comcast.net

1. We have MANY new committee opportunities, where your voice and volunteering can really make a huge difference in this club. Please check with a committee member or speak to the Aerie President, Will Park, Aerie President, Will Park, to learn more.

2. November's Fundraising Event will be for all Thanksgiving Day items to donate to 12 Baskets, thru November 21st. Please help with a Turkey or any fixings to help those in need have a special day.

Weekly Activities

Sunday-Saturday

Lunches are served 11am-3pm and OPEN TO THE PUBLIC! No lunches served if any events scheduled during these hours.

Tuesdays:



Burgers & Bango 5-7pm
$1 Bango Tickets, $2 for the last game. Winners on each round.

We are looking for Bango Callers & Helpers, interested in learning to be on a rotating schedule. Please contact the Entertainment Committee.

Fridays: Cash only

Dinner 5:30pm-7pm
Meals are $13, with FREE dessert!
(Looking for volunteers to prep meals each month)

Funeral Luncheons

Auxillary offers funeral luncheons for members in good standing for 2 years or more. There is a minimum charge of $300 for up to 100 guests, or $400 over 100 guests. Also available to parents, children, or siblings of the member.
Deb Taylor for more:
269-998-6704

Upcoming Events/ Entertainment

November 6th:
DJ J.T. after dinner
From 7pm-10pm

November 9th:
Music Bingo
starts at 6pm

November 8th & 22nd:
Lion's Watch Party!
Both days kickoff at 1pm
kitchen specials will be offered

November 14th:
Band Night: Johnson Brothers
From 7pm-10pm

November 21st:
Band Night: Fields & Decker
From 7pm-10pm

November 26th:
Thanksgiving Day we are Open!
Dinner for those who don't have somewhere to go, please come in for dinner from 2pm-4pm!

Stay Connected

Follow us on Facebook & Instagram or check out our website for the latest updates and news. Don't forget to share your experiences and ideas with us!

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Room Rentals

For information about the activity room rental for parties or events, Please contact:
Krysti Druckenbrodt
317-695-7545

Gratitude

We know groceries are costly, so we thank every single one of you who were able to donate to our food drive to help South County Community Services fill up their stock before the big holiday season! They help a lot of people in need!
Also, thank you to all of the many new and seasoned volunteers who helped make the very busy October happen! Again, we cannot do this without you!
"People Helping People"

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2026/2027 Officers

Aerie Officers:
President: Will Park
Vice President: Mike McCrary
Past Worthy President: VACANT
Secretary: Krysti Druckenbrodt
Treasurer: Tom Kasinec
Chaplin: Ken Wood
Conductor: Sheila Park
Inside Guard: Marc Misasi
Outside Guard: VACANT
Trustee: Bill Hurst
Trustee: James Klingerman
Trustee: Roger Keyes

Auxillary Officers:
President: Denise VanderHorst-James
Vice President: Linda Bloomquist
Past Worthy President: Deb Cunningham
Secretary: Carol Davison
Treasurer: Dawn Klingerman
Chaplin: Melissa Perry
Conductress: Judi Corwin
Inside Guard: Val Misasi
Outside Guard: JoAnne Roberts
Trustee: Deb Bellinger
Trustee: Mary Peterson
Trustee: Deb Taylor

R.E.A.C.

Retired Eagles Activity Club is available to all Aerie or Auxillary members over 55 and retired. Annual membership is just $5. You can join any 2nd Tuesday of the month.

This month's REAC luncheon will be at 12pm:
Tuesday November 10th will be at Yogi's in Vicksburg!

Eagle Riders

Join the Eagle Riders! (you do NOT have to be a rider to join) Annual membership is just $10. We do activities at the club when weather doesn't permit riding. Reach out to Paul White for more information. Come in if you are interested.

Meetings are generall the 3rd Sunday of each month, for those interested in learning more. However, the next meeting is not scheduled until January 17, 2027.

Eagle Riders Officers:
President: Paul White
Vice President: Andrea Craft
Secretary/Treasurer: Cheryl Arendt

Bud Israels Scholarship Fundraiser Info

This year's Bud Israel's Scholarship Golf Outing was on Saturday August 1st.
We have begun collecting donations/memorial contributions for the 2027 scholarships.
Checks made payable to: FOE 3531 Scholarship Fund
Donations/Memorial Contributions directed to:
Bud Israels Scholarship Fund Committee and mailed to our Eagles Club.