

September
2026

Newsletter



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

URGENT HELP NEEDED

We **NEED** grill & fryer volunteers for the kitchen **EVERY** Tuesday Burger & Bango Night.

And we need Friday night dinner ideas & crews to cook, serve, & cleanup. We also need other entertainment night help! Please sign up during a meeting, with a board member, or email eagles3531news@gmail.com

Bar News

ALL members are **REQUIRED** to show membership cards each day you visit the bar. We will

ALL be receiving new "hard cards" very soon!

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.

Dear Fellow Eagles,

As many of you know, August was incredible. From the Bud Israels Golf Outing to Members Appreciation Weekend- and everything in between- we reached nearly every measure of success. I can say with confidence that we have seen a significant increase in re-enrolling members returning to the club. I hear often that we are on the right track toward creating an inviting, fun atmosphere where people feel comfortable and recognized. Let's keep that momentum going by greeting new members with a hello or handshake; you never know who you run into here. We have begun reaching out to members who want to volunteer but may be hesitant to step forward. To make getting involved easier & clearer, we will host a Volunteer Workshop. The goal is to make volunteering feel more fun than work-because who really needs more work? Keep your ears open; I believe this could become a wonderful surprise for everyone and a great benefit to the club.

Will Park, President

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 in October.

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. Annual Dues: \$10

Use eagles3531news@gmail.com for any questions or help.

Address Changes:

Aerie-send to 3531secretary@gmail.com

Auxillary-send to carold12@comcast.net

Spotlights

1. Every Member **MUST** carry their membership card at all times while you are in the club. If you are utilizing the bar, you will be asked to show your card. The state has the right to come in and ask you to show it. If this is violated, you may be fined by the state along with the bartender. Please protect the club and yourself by following this rule.
2. You **MUST** be 18 years or older to play Bango & Pull Tabs, per state law.

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.

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.

Reach Mary Peterson for more:
269-679-4520

Upcoming Events/ Entertainment

September 3rd & 10th:
Rhythmology Trivia Night
starts at 6:15pm

September 12th:
Band: Barefoot Blonde 7pm-10pm

Members entry - \$5
Non Members entry - \$10

September 13th:
Lions Football Watch Party
starts at 1pm. Food specials will
be available sometime during the
game!

September 20th:
Eagle Riders Meeting at 2pm.
Ride afterwards, weather permitting.

September 20th :
Music Bingo
starts at 6pm

September 25th:
Game Night 7-10pm
Bring your favorite games to play!

September 30th:
Music Bingo
starts at 6pm

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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!

Room Rentals

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

Gratitude

We are so appreciative of
ALL of our volunteers in
August! We had a wonderful
& successful Bud Israels Golf
Outing & Membership
Appreciation Weekend!
From our prize donations,
generous participants, the
donated pig, to the potluck
contributions and our Iron
Chef competition
participants! Thank you!
And to our regular
committed volunteers who
help often, we certainly
couldn't do it without each of
you! Let's make our fall
another HUGE success!
"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 September 8th at Berries Pancake House on Westnedge!**

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.

This month's meeting will be Sunday September 20th at 2pm for all members and those interested in learning more. We will ride after the meeting, weather permitting.

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 in August.
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.**