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Message on Behalf of the Worthy President Dan Witt.

Greeting to all our Aries members young and old . This is my last message as President in our Eagles newsletter. I will be a Past Worthy President as we have a new President coming in. Reflecting back on the 3 years as President after taking over from Worthy President John Vogt, we have come a long way on staying a vibrant and healthy club. We have gained new members and completed major remodeling in the club . Let's keep up the good work together Aerie/Auxiliary on our upcoming projects/events! Have a great summer. **See you at the Club. Dan!**

Message on Behalf of the Worthy Secretary Kim Bachman

As Laurie states below, paying your dues is greatly appreciated. Our per capita will be due June 1st and dues payments are used to pay the invoices. Last year the Grand Aerie per capita was \$3,800 and the State was \$550. Thank you in advance for paying early; thank you for being a member of this amazing Club!

Message on Behalf of the Madam President Aubrey Lindsay

Hello all! Summer is finally here! We are looking forward to a fun and busy summer! Lots of Twins games at the club to watch and the fair happenings close behind! Let someone know how you can help or participate! Enjoy the warm weather and bring a new friend with you to the club! **Aubrey ♥**

Message on Behalf of the Madam Secretary Laurie Johnston

Hello! If you haven't done so already, please get your dues paid - they expire on May 31 of each year. Auxiliary dues have increased to \$30.00 due to the increase in Per-Capita tax from the Grand Aerie. At the time that I am writing this, the progressive pot for attending an Auxiliary meeting is up to \$150. Members drawn since the last newsletter who were not present were Janice Bourassa, Sandra Mertens, Jane Duerr and Doreen Elkins. Congratulations to Anna Vogt who won \$100 at the Mother/Daughter banquet for attending meetings. ALSO, we are always in need of volunteers for the Kitchen. Please contact Pam Boehmer at (612) 597-0677 if you can help.

Aerie Meeting Date Change

MEETING Reminder: Aerie meetings will now be held the 2nd & 4th Mondays at 7pm.

The 2025-2026 Officers

Aerie:

- Worthy President: Doug Boser
- Vice President: Wayne Hanson
- Jr. Past President: Dan Witt
- Chaplain: Christy Lou Heidelberg
- Secretary: Kim Bachman
- Treasurer: Amanda Bachman
- Conductor: Larry Paige
- Inside Guard: Barb Nash
- Trustees: Keith Bachman, Dan Bourassa, Dave Kuhn, Rod McCulley

Auxiliary:

- Jr. Past President: Carolyn Hyatt
- President: Aubrey Lindsay
- Vice President: Lori Heinrich
- Chaplain: Anna Vogt
- Conductor: Lisa Villnow
- Inside Guard: Kay Deist
- Secretary: Laurie Johnston
- Treasurer: Cyndi Burnard
- Trustee #1: Judi Vopatek
- Trustee #2: Gloria Leonard
- Trustee #3: Joan Underland

Thank You Breakfast Crew!

A special thank you to the 2024 breakfast crew for donating the money from their tips to pay for striping the parking lot!! It looks great.

Band Schedule:

We will continue to have one band per month in the summer and are working on the Fall/Winter schedule. Please forward questions/concerns to the Trustees.

- June 6th DuChane Brothers 7pm
 - July To be determined
 - August 16th Ron E. Cash 7pm (Saturday)
 - September 26th Alan Godage & the Sundown Band
 - October 31st Kevin Kimmel & The Sideliners
 - November 15th Hillbilly Rock Show (Saturday)
- Member Appreciation Dinner



Bingo Schedule:

- Monday 1pm Progressive Bar Bingo
- Wednesday 6pm Bar Bingo
- Thursday 6pm Packet Bingo
- Saturday 1pm Bar Bingo



Free Poker Network Continues!



Free Poker Network will continue every Tuesday at the Club starting at 6pm. The kitchen will be open most Tuesdays (pending volunteers signing up to cook). This has brought in new community members (we even secured a few new members) and has been a money maker for the Club. Stop by for a game sometime—it's FREE!



Crow Wing County Fair

We are very much in need of volunteers to serve on the County Fair Committee. The Fair booth is our biggest Club money maker, so please consider volunteering.

Welcome New, Renewed & Transferred Aerie & Auxiliary Members



Welcome Sheri Schafer, Bob Sherman, and Kristina Strader. We welcome all our new and renewed members, and are glad to have you as a fellow member.



June 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Sunday Breakfast 8:30am—12 noon At The Elks	2 Bingo 1pm	3 Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm MEETING Auxiliary Meeting 6:00pm	4 BINGO 6pm Kitchen Open 5pm	5 Kitchen 5pm Packet BINGO 6:00pm 	6 BAND Kitchen Open 5p BAND: DuChane Brothers 7:00-11:00pm 	7 Kitchen Open 12n BINGO 1pm
8 EAGLES Sunday Breakfast 8:30am— 12 noon	9 Bingo 1pm MEETING Aerie Meeting 7pm	10 Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm 	11 BINGO 6pm Kitchen Open 5pm	12 Kitchen 5pm Packet BINGO 6:00pm 	13 Kitchen Open 5p Meat Raffle 6pm MEAT RAFFLE	14 Kitchen Open 12n BINGO 1pm
15 Sunday Breakfast 8:30am—12 noon At The VFW	16 Bingo 1pm	17 Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm MEETING Auxiliary Meeting 6:00pm	18 BINGO 6pm Kitchen Open 5pm	19 Kitchen 5pm Packet BINGO 6:00pm 	20 No Kitchen Pizza and Pop or Beer Special 	21 Kitchen Open 12n BINGO 1pm
22 Sunday Breakfast 8:30am—12 noon At The Legion	23 Bingo 1pm MEETING Aerie Meeting 7pm	24 Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm 	25 BINGO 6pm Kitchen Open 5pm	26 Kitchen 5pm Packet BINGO 6:00pm 	27 No Kitchen Pizza and Pop or Beer Special 	28 Kitchen Open 12n BINGO 1pm
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Two breakfasts this month!



July 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm  MEETING Auxiliary Meeting 6:00pm	2  BINGO 6pm Kitchen Open 5pm	3  Kitchen 5pm Packet BINGO 6:00pm	4  4th of July Kitchen 12n Bingo 3pm	5  Kitchen Open 12n BINGO 1pm
6 Sunday Breakfast 8:30am—12 noon At The Elks	7  Bingo 1pm	8 Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm  MEETING Auxiliary Meeting 6:00pm	9  BINGO 6pm Kitchen Open 5pm	10  Kitchen 5pm Packet BINGO 6:00pm	11  Kitchen Open 5p Meat Raffle 6pm MEAT RAFFLE	12  Kitchen Open 12n BINGO 1pm
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Members & Guests Always Welcome

MEMBERS: It would be GREATLY appreciated if you please forward your email address to the Aerie/Auxiliary Secretary; postage to mail our newsletter has increased significantly.

Events at a Glance

- Monday, June 2
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, June 4
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, June 5
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Packet Bingo 6:00pm
- Friday, June 6
 - * Kitchen 5pm
 - * **BAND: The DuChane Brothers 7pm**
- Saturday, June 7
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Sunday, June 8
 - * **Breakfast at the Club 8:30a-12n**
- Monday, June 9
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, June 11
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, June 12
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Packet Bingo 6:00pm
- Friday, June 13
 - * Kitchen 5pm
 - * **Meat Raffle 6pm**
- Saturday, June 14
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Monday, June 16
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, June 18
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, June 19
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Friday, June 20
 - * Pizza & Beer/Pop Special at Bar (No Kitchen)
- Saturday, June 21
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Monday, June 23
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, June 25
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, June 26
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Packet Bingo 6:00pm
- Friday, June 27
 - * Pizza & Beer/Pop Special at Bar (No Kitchen)
- Saturday, June 28
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Sunday, June 29
 - * **Breakfast at the Club 8:30a-12n**
- Monday, June 30
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, July 2
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, July 3
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, July 4—4th of July!!**
 - * Kitchen 12n
 - * Bingo 3pm
- Saturday, July 5
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Monday, July 7
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, July 9
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, July 10
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Packet Bingo 6:00pm
- Friday, July 11
 - * Kitchen 5pm
 - * **Meat Raffle 6pm**
- Saturday, July 12
 - * Kitchen 12n, Bingo 1pm
- Sunday, July 13
 - * **Breakfast at the Club 8:30a-12n**
- Monday, July 14
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, July 16
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, July 17
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Packet Bingo 6:00pm
- Friday, July 18
 - * Pizza & Beer/Pop Special at Bar (No Kitchen)
- Saturday, July 19
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Monday, July 21
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, July 23
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- Thursday, July 24
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Packet Bingo 6:00pm
- Friday, July 25
 - * No Kitchen—Pizza & Beer Special
- Saturday, July 26
 - * Kitchen 12n & Bingo 1pm
- Monday, July 28
 - * Bar Bingo 1pm
- Wednesday, July 28
 - * Kitchen 5pm & Bingo 6pm
- July 29—August 2
 - * Club Closed Tuesday-Friday



Free Poker Network
Tuesdays at 6pm
Stop by & play—open to all!!



The Eagles—"People Helping People"