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BRAINERD EAGLE NEWS AERIE #287



Message on Behalf of the Worthy President Doug L. Boser

Greetings Brothers: August will be here before we know it. I hope you all have been enjoying the hot summer, sticky, steamy weather we have been having...I for one am not a big fan of hot, sticky or steamy weather...but fair time also means hot weather. We will need as many "volunteers" as we can get for our food booth at the county fair coming up. Please sign up to help out. This is our biggest fundraiser of the year. At the same time the men's restroom at the club will be getting remodeled along with doing some cosmetic fixes in the women's restroom. The club is closed while we are open at the fair.

New Members: If you're looking for a way to get involved in the Eagles consider helping out for a few hours in the food booth at the Fair it's a great way to get involved and meet fellow eagles. Speaking of new members please consider bringing in 1 new member each year. If each current member could bring in 1 new member, we would double our membership!!!! It does not seem like this would be a hard thing to do as we all must know one other person who is currently not an Eagle member, such as a family member, coworker, relatives, etc. If they are a first responder, fire, police, EMT, or in the armed forces their first year is free to join. Please help us out with membership, it would be awesome even if we brought in 50 new or re-enrolled members (these are people who were once a eagle member but have dropped out for whatever reasons). Have a great rest of the summer everyone and come down and support the club and the organization that you have joined ...the FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

Message on Behalf of the Worthy Secretary Kim Bachman

Hi everyone, as you can see we have a new format for our newsletter due to the program no longer being supported ~ so on to something new! (So if I messed up, please forgive me 😊).

Membership Cards Update: Starting in July, all members in good standing will receive hard membership cards mailed directly to them. After delinquent members are dropped on July 11, the Grand Aerie will send the eligible member list to the card printer, with cards printed and mailed throughout July. Secretaries will no longer be printing & distributing membership cards. The Grand Aerie will cover the cost of the hard cards. Cards will be mailed using the member's home Aerie or Auxiliary as the return address, so undeliverable cards will be returned there for follow-up and address updates in MMS. For 2026-2027, both yellow dues receipts and hard cards will be accepted as official dues receipts. Beginning in 2027-2028, only the hard card will be recognized. Address Changes: This year I have had a number of returned cards, due to incorrect addresses. Please call the Club or email me if you have an address change.

Message on Behalf of the Madam President Aubrey Lindsay

Hello Sisters: I hope everyone is enjoying the last days of summer! As we head into August and September we have lots of opportunities to volunteer and connect with friends! The county fair is here and it's our biggest opportunity to showcase our Eagles while raising funds for the club! Please sign up at the club or contact one of our members to volunteer! Watch the calendar for upcoming bingo activities, meat raffles and more! We look forward to seeing everyone at the fair and at the Eagles!

Message on Behalf of the Madam Secretary Laurie Johnston

Greetings Sisters! I hope you are staying cool during this hot summer and staying hydrated (with water of course!). I was asked to remind all volunteers to please use the drink chips you've been given for volunteering in the kitchen. The bar is running short on them and we don't want to have to buy more when we have an ample supply sitting in peoples dresser drawers or wherever! Come on into the club and use them up and visit at the same time!! Our progressive cash pot for attending a meeting is at \$130. Members drawn since the last newsletter who missed their opportunity to win were Kathi Nubbe, Christine Bradley, Peggy Butler and Connie Kruchten.



Please note that the Club will be **CLOSED** from Sunday, August 2nd through Sunday, August 9th. During this time, the men's bathroom will be renovated, and the women's bathroom floor will be replaced. We understand there have been many concerns regarding the women's bathroom, and the Trustees are very aware of the issue. However, the repairs could not be completed until the Club was closed.



It's Crow Wing County Fair time!

Please consider signing up to volunteer at the Fair. If you're unable to volunteer, we'd still love to see you—stop by and enjoy a meal!



Meat raffles are the second Friday of each month at 6pm. The selection of meat packages from Emily Meats is out of this world. We raffle off approximately 6-10 \$20 packages and one \$80 package. The kitchen opens at 5pm.

Bingo Schedule:

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



BAND SCHEDULE

- August 21 Hillbilly Rock Show
- November 16 Artisan

****MORE TO COME VERY SOON****



Free Poker Network: A BIG thank you to Mark Secora for hosting our weekly poker games; we could not do it without him. Games are Tuesdays at 6pm. Stop by and play it is open to all. OF NOTE: Tuesday, August 4th the Club is closed however, the bar will be open 4-9pm for poker. Kitchen will be open at 5pm. 🍀🍀🍀🍀



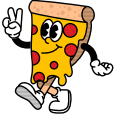
Welcome New, Renewed & Transferred Aerie & Auxiliary Members

We welcome all our new, renewed & transferred members, and are glad to have you as a fellow member. Jeffrey Anderson, Danielle Gunderson, Candyce Hesch Connie Kruchten, Mary Riddle, Cindy Spaulding, Russ Spaulding, Mary Spence, Holly Wolf, Samantha Wolf.

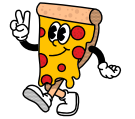


Congratulations to our 2026 scholarship recipients! We gave away \$8,400 in scholarships this week. Thank you to all that stop by and support our Club; your business enables us to give to our future generation. GREAT JOB Ayden Bednarek, Isabell Bednarek, Micayla Caughey, Brianna Cherne, Addison Dabill, Tori Oehrlein, Cali Richter, Jediah Soxman, Natalie Stueven, & Kayty Warta ~ reach for the STARS!! Presenting scholarships to our graduates is Past Worthy President Dan Witt, Gambling Manager Christy Lou Heidelberg, Worthy Vice President Wayne Hanson.

August 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Club Opens 4pm Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm Auxiliary Meeting 6pm				1  Bingo 1pm (Downstairs) No Kitchen
2	3	4 	5	6	7	8
Club Closed for Repairs						
9  Club Closed for Repairs	10  Bingo 1pm Aerie Meeting 7pm	11  Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm	12  Kitchen 5pm BINGO 6pm	13  Kitchen 5pm Packet Bingo 6pm	14  Kitchen 5pm Meat Raffle 6pm	15  Kitchen 12n Bingo 1pm
16 Sunday Breakfast at the VFW	17  Bingo 1pm	18  Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm Auxiliary Meeting 6pm	19  Kitchen 5pm BINGO 6pm	20  Kitchen 5pm Packet Bingo 6pm	21  Kithchen 5pm BAND: Hillbilly Rock Show 7pm	22  Kitchen 12n Bingo 1pm
23 Sunday Breakfast at the Legion	24  Bingo 1pm Aerie Meeting 7pm	25  Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm	26  Kitchen 5pm BINGO 6pm	27  Kitchen 5pm Packet Bingo 6pm	28  No Kitchen Pizza Beer/Pop Special	29  Kitchen 12n Bingo 1pm
30  Sunday Breakfast at the Club 8:30am- 12n	31  Bingo 1pm					

September 2026

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1  Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm Auxiliary Meeting 6pm	2  Kitchen 5pm BINGO 6pm	3  Kitchen 5pm Packet Bingo 6pm	4  No Kitchen Pizza Beer/Pop Special	5  Kitchen 12n Bingo 1pm
6 Sunday Breakfast at the Elks	7  Bingo 1pm	8  Kitchen 5pm Free Poker Network 6pm	9  Kitchen 5pm BINGO 6pm	10  Kitchen 5pm Packet Bingo 6pm	11  Kitchen 5pm Meat Raffle 6pm	12  Kitchen 12n Bingo 1pm
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Members & Guests Always Welcome

Members: We would greatly appreciate it if you would please forward your email address to the Aerie/Auxiliary Secretary. Postage costs for mailing our newsletter have increased significantly, and email helps us keep everyone informed while reducing expenses.

Events at a Glance

- **Saturday, August 1**
Bingo 1pm (Downstairs) No Kitchen
- **CLUB CLOSED August 2-9***
- ***Tuesday, August 4-Club opens at 4pm**
Kitchen 5pm, Poker 6pm
- **Monday, August 10**
Bar Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday, August 11**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, August 12**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, August 13**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, August 14**
Kitchen 5pm, Meat Raffle 6pm
- **Saturday, August 15**
Kitchen 12n & Bingo
- **Monday, August 17**
Bar Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday, August 18**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, August 19**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, August 20**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, August 21**
Kitchen 5pm, BAND: Hillbilly Rock Show
- **Saturday, August 22**
Kitchen 12n, Bingo 1pm
- **Monday, August 24**
Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday, August 25**
Kitchen 5pm & Free poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, August 26**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, August 27**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, August 28**
Pizza & Beer/Pop Special at the Bar
- **Saturday, August 29**
Kitchen 12n, Bingo 1pm
- **Monday, August 31**
Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday September 1**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, September 2**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, September 3**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, September 4**
Pizza & Beer/Pop Special at the Bar
- **Saturday, September 5**
Kitchen 12n, Bingo 1pm
- **Monday, September 7 - Labor Day**
Club Closed
- **Tuesday, September 8**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, September 9**
Kitchen 5pm Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, September 10**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, September 11**
Kitchen 5pm, Meat Raffle 6pm
- **Saturday, September 12**
Kitchen 12n, Bingo 1pm
- **Sunday, September 13**
Breakfast at the Club 8:30a-12n
- **Monday, September 14**
Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday, September 15**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, September 16**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, September 17**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, September 18**
Working on a Band
- **Saturday, September 19**
Bingo 1pm (Downstairs)
- **Monday, September 21**
Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday, September 22**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, September 23**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm
- **Thursday, September 24**
Kitchen 5pm, Packet Bingo 6pm
- **Friday, September 25**
Working on a Band
- **Saturday, September 26**
Kitchen 12n, Bingo 1pm
- **Monday, September 27**
Bingo 1pm

- **Monday, September 28**
Bingo 1pm
- **Tuesday, September 29**
Kitchen 5pm & Free Poker Network 6pm
- **Wednesday, September 30**
Kitchen 5pm, Bingo 6pm

Aerie / Auxiliary Meetings:

Aerie 2nd & 4th Monday 7pm
Auxiliary 1st & 3rd Tuesday 6pm
Joint Meetings 5th Tuesday 6pm

Aerie Officers

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

Auxiliary Officers

Jr. Past Madam President: Carolyn Hyatt
Madam President: Aubrey Lindsay
Madam Vice President: Lori Heinrich
Madam Trustees: Judi Vopatek, Gloria Leonard,
Joan Underland
Madam Secretary: Laurie Johnston
Madam Chaplain: Anna Vogt
Madam Conductor: Lisa Villnow
Madam Treasurer: Cyndi Burnard
Madam Inside Guard: Kay Deist

The Eagles "People Helping People"