

# People Helping People



Aurora, CO Aerie #3224

April 2015

## FROM THE WORTHY PRESIDENT



Of all of the tasks associated with this office, writing these newsletter articles is by far the toughest thing for me to do. I made a promise to myself that this space would not be used for “newsy” commentary but instead a venue for offering up something of substance. It’s a mental ‘arm-wrestle’ every month. You’ll have to tell me if I’ve kept my promise.

We initiated a new member at the last Aerie meeting who originally came from Dublin, Ireland.

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## MADAM PRESIDENT FRONT AND CENTER



April is that time when the election sheet goes up and we hope we can fill all of the chairs. I was wondering what makes someone want to become an officer and thought I would share how it came about for me. I was sitting at the table with a dear friend, who has since passed, and she said "Why don't you become an officer? You go put your name down on that list." So I did, as I respected her and trusted her beliefs. I was then approached by a current officer, who has since become my friend,

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## BAR MANAGER'S CORNER



Hope everyone who attended the St. Patrick's Day party had fun. Mike McGinnis and crew did a great job for the very low attendance. A big thank-you to Allyn Burt for the great band he referred to us.

Our hearts go out to Glatis Hoffman and family, Lloyd will be greatly missed.

Mark your calendars for April 5, Easter Sunday. Bonnie Peters and crew will be putting on a fantastic brunch. Check at the club for more info.

Until next month,  
Kathy

(Worthy President continued)

When asked why he came to the Eagles he said he had researched us, discovered all of the volunteer work and charitable fundraising we Eagles do, and he wanted to join us in what he called the “Barter of Life.” In essence, he was referring to “You have to give to receive.” We give not for the recognition but to try to make the lives of others better, and in doing so, increase our own feelings of self-worth. And we throw in a little fun along the way. It seems like a pretty fair trade to me. If you aren't already involved you should try it. Ask any one of us and we'll show you how.

Lanny

Thought: *Don't be afraid to innovate. Be different. Following the herd is a sure way to mediocrity.*

(Madam President continued)

and inquired if I knew how hard the chair was and if I really thought I would be elected as no one knew me? I assured her that if I was elected I would do my best. My nomination was finally recognized at the meeting by the Madam President, and an election was held. I won that election and tried to keep my promise to do my best, and have never looked back. So listen to that friend that gives you a nudge or an encouraging word by a fellow officer that you should sign up. I promise you, I will recognize your nomination. Become a part of something bigger than yourself and see what we can accomplish together.

Sincerely,

Vicki Hanley

Email: [vickimarty@msn.com](mailto:vickimarty@msn.com)

## Many Thanks

Thank you for the food and for helping with the wonderful lunch after the services for Boyd Davis.

Thank you also for the flowers, cards, phone calls and support.

Carol Davis

## FORE!

Mark the date. This year's golf tournament will be on Monday, June 22nd, with a 7:30 a.m. shotgun start at Aurora Hills Golf Course.

## INDOOR GAMES

The remaining tourney will be on April 12. Put that date on your calendars for fun playing pool, “corn hole,” darts, shuffleboard and beer pong.

Entry fee will be \$10 per person with a registration time noon and an estimated start time of 1:00 p.m. There will be a blind draw for your partner. Feel free to show up early and enjoy the breakfast before the games begin.

## From the Trustees

Brothers and Sisters,

Again this year we had a great and fun Kids' Easter Party. Thank you for bringing the kiddos. The St. Patrick's Day float and parade - again this year - was a huge success. Thank you to all who participated. A HUGE thank you to Don Kelley for the use of your trailer!

PLEASE NOTICE if you haven't noticed - in the last couple of newsletters, Gayle Discoe has put an actual picture of what an official receipt looks like (Thank you Gayle). THIS MUST BE WITH YOU UPON ENTERING THE CLUB AT ALL TIMES. If you do not have it, you MUST sign the guest book! We suggest you place your official receipt with your white entry card. You have to use your entry card each time you enter the club - so you will have both with you upon entering the club.

As you are aware, club membership dues were due March 1. Please note: we will be checking for official receipts at least twice this month at any given time. Once for sure at BINGO so please be ready to show your new official receipt upon asking for it.

The bar has noticed a shortage of drink chips. Please, ladies and gentlemen, if you have a bunch of these lying around your house, feel free to either donate them back to the bar, hand them out to the patrons or use them. It costs the bar money to purchase more.

A friendly reminder, the newsletter is on-line at <http://www.3224eagles.com/>. If you decide you would rather receive the newsletter online, please let us know by writing your name on a piece of paper and putting it in the Aerie or Auxiliary mailbox. If more people did this, the cost of postage to mail the newsletters would go down. Please consider it.

Spring is right around the corner. Watch for the volunteer sign-up sheet for our annual spring cleanup around the club. Help is always needed to keep our grounds clear of weeds and trash.

Trustees: George Biel, Byron Fugleberg, Frank Navarro, Chuck Stephens, Eric Walsmith, Terri Fugleberg, Cindy Lacey, and Sandy Stephens

### OFFICIAL RECEIPT

**Fraternal Order of Eagles** R. 5952332

**GAYLE L. DISCOE** on February 13, 2014  
Has Paid Auxiliary 3224 AURORA, CO  
thirty-seven and xx / 100 dollars For MEMBERS/BENEFIT

Expiration Date **March 31, 2015**

GAID#: 964865 Member Since 1998  
BENEFIT MEMBER OFFICER - TREASURER

*Gayle L. Discoe* Member Signature  
*Sherry Holly* Secretary Signature



## Auxiliary By-Law Addition

### MISCELLANEOUS

The Auxiliary By-Law should read:

SECTION 15: If there are not enough candidates to fill the chair, the Outside Guard position will be eliminated for that year. If there are enough candidates, the chair will then be filled.

## Eagle Rider News

Hello Eagles and Eagle Riders,

Another fun St. Patrick's Day Parade! The Aerie was well represented with the float, bikers, and walkers. Well done everybody!

Thanks so much for all those who support our meals! Our April dinner will be Chicken-Fried Chicken with all the fixin's and a full salad bar. Join us on April 10th.

Also, we are about 6 to 7 weeks away from the 14th Annual B.A.D. Run coming up on May 17th. We've received a lot of support in recent years for the event. Tell everyone you know that the Aurora Eagles #3224 is the place to be that day!

Again, if you'd like to volunteer your time ... give me or Scott Maz a holla!

See you around the Aerie!

Frank Longobardi  
Eagle Rider President

## A Great Way to Sell Your Stuff

A Collectibles Show will be held at the Aerie, 1151 S. Galena St., from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 14. There will be 50 6-foot tables available to fill with Americana, art and crafts, comics, sports memorabilia, toys and much more.

You can rent a table to sell your own items for \$20.00 for members and \$25.00 for non-members.

For more information, contact Allyn Burt at 303-669-5280.

Breakfast and a snack bar will be available.

## Notes from the Aerie Secretary

Hello, all, I hope everyone enjoyed St. Patrick's Day and is ready for spring.

I will be sending out dues reminders to all who have not yet paid. If you have already paid and receive one, please disregard. Remember dues are \$39.00. Also, if husband and wife are paying by check, please pay with separate checks.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the club this month.

Thanks,  
Jim

## Attention Poker Players

The next Rocky Mountain RAPTORS Poker Club Texas Hold 'em Tournament, the "Classic" Special, will be held on April 11th, the 2nd Saturday in April. Registration is at 10:00 a.m., cards in the air at 10:30 a.m.

Buy-in of \$120.00 receives \$15,000 in chips.

Sign-up online to play at:

**RAPTORSPOKERCLUB@gmail.com**  
(Early registration gets \$500 in bonus chips)

OR sign up on the clipboard hanging on the wall in the poker room.

Entry reservations must be received by 6:00 p.m. on April 4th.

Lunch will be provided for a nominal cost - \$6.00 - served at 1:00 p.m.

## Eagle Officers 2014-15

### Aerie

JPW President-Bob Rohan  
W. President-Lanny Bennett  
W. V. Pres.-Tom Dixon  
W. Chaplain-Bob Lacey  
W. Conductor - Bill Foust  
W. Secretary-Jim Neubert  
W. Treasurer-Joe Caponiti  
W. Inside Guard-Kevin Langford  
W. Trustees - George Biel  
Byron Fugleberg  
Frank Navarro  
Chuck Stephens  
Eric Walsmith

### Auxiliary

JPM President-Ruth McDonald  
M. Pres.-Vicki Hanley  
M. VP-Trish Ham  
M. Chaplain-Gladys Witt  
M. Conductor-Angie Longobardi  
M. Secretary-Sherry Stoltz  
M. Treasurer-Gayle Discoe  
M. Inside Guard-Catherine Sandy  
M. Outside Guard-Dody Engel  
M. Trustees - Terri Fugleberg  
Cindy Lacey  
Sandy Stephens

On April 3rd, Good Friday, the Auxiliary will offer the option of burgers or fish sandwiches for dinner.

## Let's Eat

### Bart's 2nd Sunday crew breakfast menu is:

- #1 - Your way: eggs as you like them, any style, with potato patty, 2 sausages, 2 bacon, toast or ½ order biscuits and gravy
- #2 - Denver omelet with sautéed bell peppers, onion, ham and cheese served with potato patty and toast
- #3 - Plate full of 2 biscuits smothered in sausage gravy with 2 eggs cooked your way
- #4 - Breakfast burrito stuffed with eggs, potatoes, onion, bell pepper, and chopped breakfast meat in a flour tortilla smothered with Bob's famous green chili and cheddar cheese.
- #5 - French toast, 2 sausages, 2 pieces of bacon and potatoes.

All BART breakfasts are \$6.00.

### Friday, April 3, Dinner, 6-8 p.m.

The Auxiliary will prepare your choice of 1/2 pound hamburgers or cheeseburgers or fish sandwiches with fries or onion rings.\$6

### Sunday, April 5, Easter Brunch, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Bonnie's fabulous Easter brunch. Information flyers are at the club.

### Friday, April 10, Dinner, 6-8 p.m.

Eagle Riders dinner will be Chicken Fried Chicken with all the fixin's and a full salad bar.

### Friday, April 24, Dinner, 6-8 p.m.

Gayle, Sherry, Jack and crew will prepare and serve breaded shrimp, choice of salad, baked taters, and dessert. \$8

## EDITOR'S NOTES

To submit articles for the newsletter, either leave them in the newsletter box in front of the Social Room underneath the sign-in register, or email them to [gldiscoe01@aol.com](mailto:gldiscoe01@aol.com).

The deadline is the 15th of the month for the following month.

Thank you for your promptness and your support.

*Gayle Discoe*

## Newsletter Online

Now that we have our website up and running we need to know who would like to get their newsletter online rather than mailed. As you know, it is more costly to mail them. Please email me at [gldiscoe01@aol.com](mailto:gldiscoe01@aol.com) if you will be getting the newsletter online so that we can take you off the mailing list.

The website address is <http://www.3224eagles.com/newsletters.html>

## FROM THE AUXILIARY SECRETARY

In February we initiated Tina Ling sponsored by Denise Boyd, Phyllis Sanchez sponsored by Karen Hass, Leeann Montoya sponsored by Michie Talavera, Kay Torgeson sponsored by Kerry Varney, Theresa Moran sponsored by Sue Bovey, Helen Paxton sponsored by Lynne Maury, and Amy Fester sponsored by Irma Herrera. Welcome to all our new ladies. Keep up the good work in bringing in new members. We have passed our quota of 60 for this year already.

Remember, anyone applying for membership needs to include only the \$15 initiation fee with their application. They then pay their pro-rated dues on the night they are initiated.

Think "S," not snow, but spring and summer. Warmer days will be here soon and lots of good meals and doings will be happening at the Aerie. 'Til next month...

Sherry

[Auxiliary3224@hotmail.com](mailto:Auxiliary3224@hotmail.com)

## HORSESHOE TIME!!

The 2015 Horseshoe Tournaments are just around the corner! The Tourneys will begin on May 3, 2015 and then will be on the following dates: May 31, June 14, June 28, July 12, July 26, August 9, August 23, and September 13. The Tourneys will have the same format as last year: blind draw for partner, double elimination and paying top 3 places for each tourney. You will accumulate points according to your finish for "Player of the Year." Registration will begin at 11:00 a.m. with the Tourney to start around noon. The complete schedule is posted on the back bulletin board.

Come out and have a ball with your fellow members and support the Aerie at the same time.

There will also be a Memorial Day Tourney and a Labor Day Tourney, both of which will follow the same format but will NOT count towards Player of the Year.

Jack Harris

## Daily Drawing

- 2/16 Ron Shearer
- 2/17 Robert Alais
- 2/18 Janet Craft
- 2/19 Donna Baumert  
Winner - \$1,000.00
- 2/20 Dan MacLean
- 2/21 Laura Coats
- 2/22 Jeanette Richie  
Winner - \$815.00
- 2/23 Frank McCurdy
- 2/24 Jim Rynaski
- 2/25 Charlene Hoover
- 2/26 Michael Kaskie
- 2/27 Leslie Walker
- 2/28 Bonnie Rader
- 3/1 Jeff Davenport
- 3/2 Mavis Parker
- 3/3 Ron Rau
- 3/4 Scott Beadle
- 3/5 Janice Swartz
- 3/6 Margaret Lupton
- 3/7 Laura Lawson
- 3/8 Theo Sutton
- 3/9 Cameron Killpack
- 3/10 Rita Giant
- 3/11 Carmen Johnson
- 3/12 James Hamaker, Jr.
- 3/13 Vicki Woodcook
- 3/14 Ivan Mavery
- 3/15 Eldon Holtz
- 3/16 Don Long  
Winner - \$644.50

## Bands for April

- Apr. 3 - Marty and Laura
- Apr. 10 - The Hildees
- Apr. 17 - TBA
- Apr. 24 - Bryce and Cindi

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>29</b> 9-11:30 .- George Biel Breakfast	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Noon-1:30 p.m.- Reuben sandwich 6:30-Bingo	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 7 p.m.- Aerie meeting & initiation	<b>3</b> 6-8 p.m. Auxiliary hamburgers	<b>4</b> 4-Bingo
<b>5</b> 9:30 a.m.- 12:30 p.m. Easter brunch	<b>6</b> 7 p.m.- Auxiliary meeting	<b>7</b> Noon-1:30 p.m.-Beef burritos 6:30-Bingo	<b>8</b> 7 p.m.- Meal & event planning meeting	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> 6-8 p.m.- Eagle Riders	<b>11</b> 10-Raptors Poker 4-Bingo
<b>12</b> 9-11:30 a.m.-BART Noon - Indoor games	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> Noon-1:30 p.m.- Lunch 6:30-Bingo	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 7 p.m.- Aerie meeting	<b>17</b> 6-8 p.m.- Dinner	<b>18</b> 9-Casino bus 4-Bingo
<b>19</b> 9-11:30 .- George Biel Breakfast	<b>20</b> 7 p.m.- Auxiliary meeting & initiation	<b>21</b> Noon-1:30 p.m.- Lunch 6:30-Bingo	<b>22</b> 7 p.m.- Eagle Rider meeting	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> 6-8 p.m.- Gayle's shrimp dinner	<b>25</b> 4-Bingo
<b>26</b> 9-11:30 .- Breakfast	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> Noon-1:30 p.m.-Hot roast beef sandwich 6:30-Bingo	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1</b> 6-8 p.m. Auxiliary hamburgers	<b>2</b> 4-Bingo

## April 2015

Or Current Resident

BIRTHDAYS IN APRIL		
<b>4/1</b> Maggie Roll Paul Abdo	<b>4/10</b> Dave Bennetts	<b>4/15</b> Gail Riffle
<b>4/2</b> Carolyn Ingebritson	<b>4/11</b> A. "Tom" Georges Maxine Primm Shirley Holtz	<b>4/16</b> Roger McKee Douglas Weeks Greg Horn
<b>4/3</b> Steven Kochanied Karen S. Shuss Nelson Oosternink	<b>4/12</b> Danny Cruz Michele Gillman Floyd A. Viall Steven Humphrey L. Dean Maxwell Howard Wisher	<b>4/17</b> Allan Randall Virginia Morris Karen Taylor
<b>4/4</b> Del Madsen Lyle E. Colberg Ralph Papineau	<b>4/13</b> John Candelaria Kristi Fisher	<b>4/18</b> Gary Neuburger <b>4/20</b> Tracy Frye Art Kubik Mary E. Moore Tricia Metsgar
<b>4/5</b> David R. Johnson Elbert Berger Beckie Davenport Karel E. Steele Zandr'a Gibson Nate Carter	<b>4/14</b> Vicky L. Hawkins Patrick Garescher Patricia Ellis	<b>4/21</b> Barbara Shuman Lee Gallegos Shane Wienborg <b>4/22</b> Judy Stobel Richard J. Phillips Scott D. Beadle Willard Housley Sr. <b>4/23</b> William R. Holbert Gladys Witt Sally Hawley
<b>4/6</b> Ron Washburn Charlie Martinez Les Roudebush Vincent Velasquez	<b>4/15</b> Jeannie McGinnis Claire Harvill Janet K. Morrison Thomas E. Scott Michelle Buchi Grady Mars	<b>4/24</b> Glen A. Morrison Jane Peterson Ranee Webb Marjorie Bosier Debra Dolph <b>4/25</b> Karl Young Lisa Hanley Virginia Singletary <b>4/26</b> David L. Frank Marie Thornton Michael D. Hewitt <b>4/27</b> Vi Esparza Michie Talavera <b>4/28</b> Myron J. Melnick Maryann Jensen Angela Hoegee <b>4/29</b> Mary Ann Harris Sheila Gaccetta <b>4/30</b> Julie Frick Kathy Graham Beatrix Rosinsky Thomas Larimer Leonard J. Pavak Raymond Bryslan