

2017-2018 OFFICERS

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LADIES AUXILIARY OFFICERS

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Trustee (2nd Year)Open
Trustee (1st Year)Nelly Stees
AuditorSue Weber

FROM THE AERIE SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Welcome New Brothers- New – Andrew Chesney, Michael Strohecker,

Patron winners- Rip Huenefeld, Wayne Oppold, Jim Haas, Dennis Miller Sr, David Loring

Departed Brothers- Wayne Fogel, Bruce Olson

Don't get DROPPED! – Pay your Dues before the Grand Aerie drops you after June 30. If you are “dropped”, to rejoin you must pay a \$10 initiation fee plus dues.

Men's Dues: Benefit \$40 / Social \$30.

THANK YOU!

A big THANK YOU to those who helped with our Mother's Day Brunch. We were short-staffed and you made it a great success anyway. We served 220 to 250 people!

Roof Fund Update

Keep the donations coming! Donation and Raffle monies have built our Roof Fund this Fiscal Year from \$24,704 by \$16,802 to \$41,506. Again, thank everyone for participating in the raffles and the daily and weekly draws as well as donations that are helping us to reach our goal. See the Growth Charts in the Club Room for more details and a listing of Donors.

We are advertising Daily Specials for each week day of the month in the Newsletter Calendar, Website and on Facebook. Our assistant cook Troy has some DELICIOUS meals lined up – ask those who have tasted them!! Sunday there's snack food, for the games or races.

Price Increases

We have held off increasing food & drink prices for years. We can no longer do this if we wish to stay in business. Starting this month you will see price increases.

FOE 679 Men & Women Golfers:

July 21st is set for the Club's annual Charity Golf Outing! Last year's golfers should have gotten their registration letters already. Modifications for this season's team registration are being made, a copy of the changes are posted in the Members bar on the “Golf Notes” board. Please get your registration in by mid-June!

Committee members and phone numbers are listed for questions.

- 2018 Golf Committee.

Advertisers

Remember to **patronize the advertisers in our newsletter** when you are in need any of their goods and services. Their cards & brochures are in the front lobby.

Those who wish to continue to place ads in the newsletter please contact me (Mike @ Club 815-232-5615 or cell 815-541-5190). A new year has started and ad fees are due. We have a format change coming up with slightly bigger ads. Some newsletters will be sent by e-mail so we may be able to link to your website or send you an e-mail.

Installation of Aerie Officers for 2018-2019 will be at the June 4th meeting.

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Monday, June 4th.....Aerie Meeting

Thursday, June 7th.....Men's Stag

.....Reservations by 1:00 p.m.

Monday, June 18thAerie Meeting

Thursday, June 21st.....Men's Stag

.....Reservations by 1:00 p.m.

MAIN BAR GRILL HOURS

Monday – Friday 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Monday – Thurs 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm - **Now open Fridays!**

Saturday 11:00 am - 2:00 pm & 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Thursday Stag Night.. 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm

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Wednesday7:30 pm

Monday & Thursday..... 1:30 pm

If you are looking to book a party please call

Kathy Downing

She can be reached at the

Eagles Club - 815-599-8615

for all your meeting, reception, or party needs.

Email Address:banquet@freeporteaglesfoe679.com

Book your Banquet Rooms early!

LADIES AUXILIARY

PAPER BINGO

Every Monday Night at 6:30 pm - **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**

Bull's Game & Two Progressive Jackpots of \$250

NEW MEMBERS: Dixie Bottoms, Deb Brinkmeier, Kelsey Curry, Valerie Brookman, Lynn Cuplin, Heather Pfeiffer, Marlene Merget, Anita Marsh, Patsy Ortmeier, Kathy Richard, Dawn Thrumman, and Michelle Wiederholtz

MEETINGS: June 5th, 19th

BINGO: June 4th, 11th, 18th, No Bingo June 25th

We are in need of help for Bingo on Mondays 5 to 9pm Call Diana Ethridge- 815-275-0680. Deb Cox also needs your help in the Bingo kitchen and serving 4 to 9pm – 815-238-1086

Events

- June 5 Installation of Officers (bring finger food) also make up of 2018-2019 calendar
- Eagle's State Convention June 24-27
- **Note change of invitation of new members is June 19**

REMINDER YOUR DUES NEED TO BE PAID

Ladies Dues: \$24 Non-Benefit Members & \$25 Benefit Members

Father's Day Brunch – June 17, 2018

Step away from the grill, take off your chef's cap, and relax. **Let us cook for you!** Come and celebrate the Father's Day – buy Dad BRUNCH from 10am-2pm! Everything from Eggs & Sausages to Ham and Prime Rib. Adults: \$15.00, Dads & Grandpa \$2 off!! Ages 4-11yrs: \$8.00, Under 4yrs Free. **RESERVATIONS preferred – 815-232-5615 – OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**

Volunteers are needed to help – contact any Officers.