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COMING EVENTS

Fun-Vention May 3-5 Baker City
SWP Homecoming May 18 Springfield
SMP Homecoming May 25 Portland 4
State Convention Jun 19-22 Salem
Int. Convention Jul 6-11 Louisville KY
Eastern District Sep 13-15 Prineville
NW District Sep 20-22 Woodburn
SW District Sep 26-28 N. Lincoln
PNWRC Oct 18-20 Cranbrook, BC

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STATE WORTHY PRESIDENT - **Toby Brekstad**



Thank you, Brothers and Sisters, for the support you have given me. I invite all of you to my Home Coming the 18th of this month.

I got my visitations done except Toledo which will be done this month. That's all I got at this time.

Fraternally,
SWP Toby
Brekstad



Aerie State Officers

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Worthy President
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Trustee
Guy Baron– Albany
Trustee



STATE MADAM PRESIDENT - Rusty Hankin

Dear Sisters,

My year as your State Madam President is almost over, and what a year it has been. I will cherish this year for all the rest of my life. I will continue to support the Eagles in any way I can as they are a major part of me.

FunVention May 3-5 in Baker City, followed by SWP Toby's Homecoming, May 18th in Springfield and my Homecoming will be the following weekend May 25th at Portland 4. Then, we're on to State Convention June 19-22 and the beginning of a new year. Bless you all,
SMP Rusty



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Trustee

HAPPY MEMORIAL DAY!



Let's use this day to remember those who have served for our country's freedom.



MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORS

Dear Brothers,

Congratulations to Pendleton #28, they are 20 members, or 10%, over net gain. They are doing a great job in bringing in new members and reenrolls. But they do have some competition for state recognition and awards; Coquille, Newport, are close behind. Please, all of you, keep up the good work.



Greg Jones
Aerie
2018-19

I'm looking forward to these final weeks of our Eagle year. We have a real shot at having a net gain for the year. We haven't had a net gain for 10 years. So, with a little more effort, we can make it. Please brothers, let's go out and get it done. Thank you, my Brothers.

Fraternally,
Greg O. Jones
Membership Chairman

Sisters,

Thank you sisters, for working very hard at bringing in new and re-enrolled sisters. I have enjoyed this year making awards and hope you like them.



Laurel Gosnell
Auxiliary
2018-19

At the districts, we have had some great answers to my questions. Don't forget to speak kindly to others, smile, get involved, don't let a sister slip out the door and is being an Aerie member that important to just get a vote. But the best one is: after a year waiting is she still going to rejoin the FOE.

Please do a great job for the new incoming membership chairman. I know she will work hard for you.

See you at the meetings,
Laurel Gosnell
Membership Chairman

Legendary Charlie Daniels Band Headlines 2019 Convention Entertainment Lineup



Country legend Charlie Daniels and the Charlie Daniels Band will headline the entertainment lineup for the 2019 Fraternal Order of Eagles International Convention in Louisville, Ky.

Daniels will kick off the week's festivities on Sunday night as the main act for the Welcome to Louisville Show, which is free for all registered attendees.

On Monday night, country artist Jenny Tolman returns to headline the Ladies'



Auxiliary Night Out banquet. Tickets for the banquet are \$40 each and include full meal and entertainment.

On Tuesday, Ricky Skaggs and Kentucky Thunder will be performing their one-of-a-kind full country show with an 11-member band for guests of the Aerie and Auxiliary Banquet (tickets are \$45 per-person). Opening for Skaggs is comedian Mrs. Hughes.

A Very Thoughtful Letter!

Hello, I am a member of the Newport, OR #2817 Aerie and I would like to acknowledge the accomplishments of the little guys. We hear a lot about the big beautiful Aeries and their large memberships and accomplishments, but the small struggling Aeries who aren't large enough to have a publicity chairman to sing their praises, are in the shadows.

I would like to acknowledge one of the smaller Aeries with a big heart. We may be small, but we work very hard for our Aerie and our community.

This last month is a prime example of dedication, devotion, and heart. It starts with people like John and Linda Sullivan. John is approaching his 60th year as an eagle and Linda 30 years. They have been involved on many levels of the F.O.E. They are truly the epitome of 'People helping people.'

They were the chairmen for the Jimmy Durante Children's Fund and along with a number of other hard working members, they were able to present a check for \$2500.00 to the charity.

So, let's hear a cheer for a small coastal Aerie. We can make a difference!

Respectfully,

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Toni Boswell, Auxiliary Secretary, Newport Eagles #2817

Max Baer Heart Fund Reports

Hello my Brothers and Sisters,

As our fiscal year is almost upon us and we are getting ready for our State and Provincial Conventions, as your PNWR Chairman for this year's Max Baer Heart Fund. I am asking any Chairman that you contact me with any events that you may have done or are planning to do to raise funds for the Heart fund. My email is bull_dog57@yahoo.ca

Fraternally Yours,
Marty Kennelly, Heart Fund Chairman

State Auxiliary By-Laws Submission

Dear Auxiliary Sisters,

With State Convention coming up soon, if there are any changes or additions to our State Auxiliary By-Laws, now is the time to get them in. Please submit them in proper format. The Article #, As reads first then the change. I need them to me by May 20th. You can send them by mail to, Peggy Aeh, 18971 SW Sammy Dr., Aloha, Oregon, 97003 or email to me at harleybabe_6@outlook.com. See you in Salem.

Piano Player Needed for State Convention!!!

Sisters,

The Escort Captain is looking for someone who would be willing to play the piano at the installation. If you're interested, call Marna at 541-731-1299. Leave a message.

Thank you in advance, Happiness always, Marna

Auxiliary 'Our Lady of Charity' Nominations

Our Lady of Charity not only follows her oath in her home lodge but also puts her heart and soul into her community helping in charitable ways. She is selfless, and is always there to lend a hand in charitable ways to help those most needy. Sisters, please look around your Auxiliary home, I know there are a lot of your sisters who qualify for this honor.

Please send me your letter of nomination by the 15th of May, 2019, so I have time to have everyone on my committee help me pick the most deserving person! Thank you, Jenny Wood

Don't Forget Aux. Golden Eagle Fund!

Hello Sisters,

Some of you might know me! I am the OR St. Aux. Golden Eagle Chairman for the year 2018 - 2019. I am asking all Aux. Chairman to please send me your reports so I can compile them for Oregon State Convention.

Let's show the State of Oregon and all our visitors how hard we work for our charities. I hope to hear from you soon, "As JUNE IS RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER"! Please send your reports to me at: PO Box 8, Logsdan, Oregon 97357.

Fraternally, PMP Linda Sullivan, Aux. OR State Golden Eagle Chair

Aerie By-laws Needed

Brothers,

If you have any new By-laws to submit, please send them to:

rjb541@gmail.com.

The cutoff date will be June 12th.

Thank you,
Ron Beardsley,
State By-laws Chairman

NO BAKE SALE FUNDRAISER

for Gloria Williams' Grand Reception Fund
in Kentucky 2019

From all the Oregon State Auxiliary & Aerie Members

Many times we've heard people say, 'I would rather give a "dollar" than bake today'. So we have a plan that's bound to be a success... Join our 'No Bake Sale' and keep your kitchen spotless.

Just send Kathy Lindsay the money it would take to bake a dozen brownies or a homemade cake or send in the money it takes to buy a box of cookies or a sweet apple pie.

You'll save time and calories, that's for sure, but more importantly, you'll help make this GRAND, for her!!

Please mail to: Portland 4 Auxiliary, PO Box 230594,
Tigard, OR 97281

ATTN: Kathy Lindsay for Gloria Williams Reception Fund

Call Kathy Lindsay (503) 799-5270 for any questions,
Thank you!

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