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### A Message from the Worthy President

As we kick off a new fraternal year, I want to thank everyone who has stepped up to be an officer or serve on a committee. If you're interested in getting more involved in any capacity, be sure to let someone know. I'm a believer that you can get out of this organization what you put into it.

June is a big month for us here in Virginia Beach this year. Things get kicked off with the Auxiliary doing a baked ziti dinner on the 3rd. The next morning is one of two brunches this month with the other being on the 18th for Father's Day. Our June JOM will have a representative from ABC to answer any questions as well as to help educate us. June 22nd- 24th we are hosting the Virginia State Convention. Thursday's early bird will take place at the Aerie, with the rest of the weekend happening down at the Holiday Inn. OBX Aerie 4506 and State President John Sanborn had asked us to host this event in Virginia Beach, but it is still their convention, and we will do everything we can to help them make it a success. Be sure to come out to learn, meet new people, and have a great time.

On a personal note, I'm very thankful for all of the support everyone has shown me over the years and has expressed to me with my new role. 3204 has always been home to me, and the people in it are family. Just know that I'm always accessible and willing to listen to new ideas or help anywhere I can. I'm very proud to represent 3204 and humbled that the Aerie is in my corner as I run for state office. Let's continue to work hard and push ourselves, 3204, and the Fraternal Order of Eagles to new heights.

Jon Hooten



#### A Message from the Madam President

I can't believe how the months are flying by! We had a successful Ways and Means dinner on May 6. It was fun to see everyone's creative side for the Kentucky Derby Hat contest, Corinne Smith was the winner. There were a lot of big events in May. The State Horseshoe Tournament was at Strasburg, Aerie 4186, on May 13. A big one for us was the Mother's Day breakfast put on by our Aerie Delegates Club on the 14th. It has to be one of the best breakfasts in town. We also had the Alzheimer fund dinner on the 13th, which was delicious. The State Conference was on May 19 and 20, with fun activities like Paint 'n Sip night with Christian and Brother Ray had his steak and fish dinner, with Larry Wilbee assisting.

Our Installation of Officers was on May 27. I would like to thank everyone for their support.

Your new Auxiliary Officers:

Madam President Dot Pearson

Madam Vice-President Corinne Smith

Junior Past Madam President Karen Norris

Madam Chaplain Linda MacDonald

Madam Conductor Ann Bowser

Madam Secretary Regina Ruark

Madam Inside Guard Mary Kenney

Trustees Tricia Hartman, Brenda Kearns, and Penelope Oberst

Our Memorial Day picnic was on May 29. Past Worthy President, Perry Pearson, and I placed a wreath at the Veterans Memorial in Virginia Beach. A Virginia ABC Board representative will be at our Joint Officers Meeting on June 6 at 6:30 PM. All are welcome to attend, I am sure it will be a very informative meeting.

Our State Convention is June 22-24. Registration opens at noon on June 22 at the Aerie and continues the next day at the Holiday Inn. Volunteers are needed. Please contact me if you're interested in helping.

**Dot Pearson** 

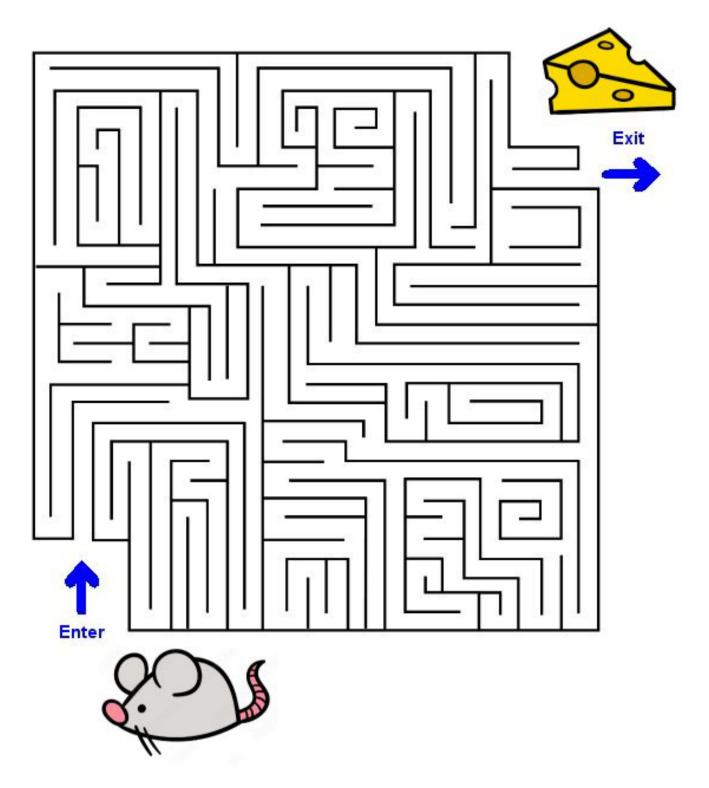


# June 2023

JN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28	29  12:00 pm - 3:00 pm Memorial Day Picnic  5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Stuffed Shells	30 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Salisbury Steak	31 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Wings / Mushroom Swiss Burger	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Salibury Steak 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm Free Birthday Dinner 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	2 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak	3 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm Auxiliary Dinner
4 9:00 am - 10:30 am Sunday Brunch	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Chicken Teriyaki and Fried Rice	6 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Baked Fish and Shrimp 6:30 pm - 7:00 pm JOM 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm Auxiliary Meeting	7 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Pot Roast	8 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Stuffed Chicken Breast	9 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak	10
11	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Stuffed Flounder	13 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Meatloaf 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm Eagle Riders Meeting Meeting	14 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Chicken and Dumplings	15 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Salibury Steak	16 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
9:00 am - 10:30 am Father's Day Brunch	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Chicken Fried Chicken	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Shrimp and Grits – Cheddar Biscuit 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Pepper Steak	State Convention 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Aerie Kitchen Closed	State Convention 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak	State Convention
25	26 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak Teriyaki and Fried Rice	27 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Fried Chicken	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Chicken Enchiladas and Spanish Rice	5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Country Fried Steak	30 5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak	5:00 pm - 10:00 pm Auxiliary Dinner



## Help the Mouse find his Cheese!





Our Worthy President Jonathan Hooten has approved the continuation of the Aerie's Veterans Committee for FY2023-2024.

The next HRCVO meeting is Monday, 6/26 at 7 PM VFW Post 392, all are invited to attend.

VA Hospital donation: Aerie 3204 sent its Installation of Officers raffle winnings to the hospital in order to purchase Health & Comfort items. This money and the two baskets of donated goods were well received by our Veterans. A big THANK YOU to all that helped make this drive a success, 'Well done Aerie 3204'.

Virginia Beach City invitations were handed out to those that attended the Memorial Day wreath laying ceremony on 29 May. Pictures of the ceremony are available for reviewing at www.hrcvo.org.

Need copy of a DD-214 (Separation from the Armed Forces): A request for a military personnel record, archival or non-archival, should include the Veteran's complete name used in service, service number, branch of service, date and place of birth, and dates of service. Submit a letter or Standard Form 180 (available on-line) with the above information to: National Personnel Records Center, 1 Archives Drive, St. Louis, MO. 63138.

The Aerie approved the purchase of 50 tickets to the Veterans Day Luncheon. More information will follow at a later date on the luncheon.

June important dates that may affect Veterans and others in Aerie:

06/01: Aerie meeting 7 PM

06/06: JOM 6:30 PM, Auxiliary meeting 7:30 PM, D-Day

1944

06/08: USS Liberty incident (Israeli attack 1967)

06/13: Eagle Riders meeting 7 PM

06/12: Women Veterans Day

06/13: Navy Nurse Corps established 1908

06/14: Flag Day

06/15: Aerie meeting 7 PM

06/17: U.S. Navy Hospital Corps established 1898

06/18: Father's Day

06/19: Juneteenth (Freedom Day)

06/20: Auxiliary meeting 7:30 PM (Note: Grand approval of recent bylaw change could change time to 7 PM)

06/21: First Day of Summer

06/22: At Aerie 3204: Registration for State Convention

1 PM to 7 PM

06/23: At Holiday Inn: Registration, Memorial Service 9:30 AM, follow by State Meetings, Dinner, Program &

Dance

06/24: At Holiday Inn: Registration, State Meetings, Installation of State Officers, followed by Dinner,

Program & Dance

06/23: USCG Auxiliary Founded 1939

06/25: North Korea invades South Korea (1950)

06/26: HRCVO meeting 7 PM

Be sure to check the Aerie & Auxiliary newsletter calendars for more important days and items in June.

Questions concerning the above articles can be directed to Bob Freitag (497-3337), Aerie 3204 Veterans Day Chairperson.



Baked Ziti

\$12.00

This classic Italian-American comfort food will be served with a salad, garlic toast and lemon cake for dessert

Dinner served from 5 to 7:30 PM

Jukebox Jamboree from b to 10 PM

50/50 to benefit the Spinal Cord Injury Fund

# Aerie Delegates Club Sunday Brunch

June 4 From 9 to 10:30 AM All You Can eat For \$9





## SCHEDULE OF CONVENTION EVENTS 2023 Virginia Beach, VA

THU	IRS	DA	Y.	JU	NE	22

Registration - Auxiliary	1:00 - 7:00 PM	Virginia Beach Aerie 3204
Registration - Aerie	1:00 - 7:00 PM	Virginia Beach Aerie 3204
Kitchen Hours	5:00 - 8:00 PM	Virginia Beach Aerie 3204
Happy Hour	5:00 - 7:00 PM	Virginia Beach Aerie 3204
DJ	7:00 - 11:00 PM	Virginia Beach Aerie 3204

	FRIDAY, JUNE 23	
Registration - Auxiliary	7:00 - 9:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel Lobby
Registration - Aerie	7:00 - 9:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel Lobby
Joint Memorial Sevice	9:30 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel
State Auxiliary Meeting	11:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel
State Aerie Meeting	11:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel
Dinner	6:30 PM	Holiday Inn Hotel
Program	7:30 PM	Holiday Inn Hotel
Hospitality Room - DJ Shannon Closed when meetings are in session	? - ? PM	Holiday Inn Hotel

	SATURDAY, JUNE 24	
Registration - Auxiliary	7:00 - 9:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel Lobby
Registration - Aerie	7:00 - 9:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel Lobby
Past State Presidents Breakfast	8:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel
Auxiliary Meeting (Depending on Voting)	11:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel
State Aerie Meeting	11:00 AM	Holiday Inn Hotel
Joint Officers Installation	5:00 PM	Holiday Inn Hotel
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