



Eagles News

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Around the Aerie

The 60th Anniversary Dinner was a smashing success! Thank you to all who attended and contributed that evening and a very big thank you to the Joint Anniversary Committee for their hard work leading up to the dinner. The food was delicious, and the music inspired many to dance and enjoy the evening. A good time was had by all.

April is going to be a busy month for us. All the events have flyers that you can check out attached to this newsletter. Come out and support our events and help us raise money for our charities. That's what we are all about, correct? Do your part.

The Double-Dutch Pool Tournament is well under way and continuing throughout the month. Stay tuned for information about the next pool league, a three-person team event, starting up in May.

Both the Auxiliary and the Aerie are nominating their next slate of Officers this month. This is something you can do to add to our success: put yourself forward for a term in office. Or, if you want to just "dip your toe in the water" and not take an Officer position, volunteer for a committee. Both the Worthy President and the Madam President have committee openings. Sick & Visiting, Gaming, Events and other committees exist and need your help! Step up and volunteer.

One other way to support our Aerie is to come to dinner. Chef Evan is on a roll, serving up some tasty entrees at affordable prices. Proceeds from our nightly dinner menu help pay our utility bills and the salaries of our employees.

See you all at the Aerie this month!

April 2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	<p>1</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Baked Ziti</p> <p>5:30 pm - 9:00 pm 📺 Line Dancing</p> <p>6:00 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 Trustee Meeting</p>	<p>2</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Meatloaf</p> <p>6:30 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 JOM</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:30 pm 📺 Auxiliary Meeting</p>	<p>3</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Chicken and Veggie Prima Vera</p>	<p>4</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm 📺 Free Birthday Dinner</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Lasagna</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:30 pm 📺 Aerie Meeting</p>	<p>5</p> <p>2024 Mason-Dixon Conference</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special – Steak Night</p>	<p>6</p> <p>5:00 pm - 7:30 pm Auxiliary Dinner</p>
<p>7</p>	<p>8</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Chicken Quesadilla</p> <p>5:30 pm - 9:00 pm 📺 Line Dancing</p> <p>6:00 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 Trustee Meeting</p>	<p>9</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Open Face Turkey Sandwich</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:30 pm 📺 Eagle Riders Meeting</p>	<p>10</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Baked Fish</p>	<p>11</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Fried Chicken</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:30 pm Events Committee Meeting</p>	<p>12</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Steak Night</p>	<p>13</p> <p>8:00 am - 3:00 pm Flea Market</p> <p>5:00 pm - 7:00 pm Delegates Club Dinner</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Raffle to support Melanoma Cancer Research</p>
<p>14</p> <p>9:00 am - 11:00 am 📺 Aerie Delegates Brunch</p>	<p>15</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Fish and Chips</p> <p>5:30 pm - 9:00 pm 📺 Line Dancing</p> <p>6:00 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 Trustee Meeting</p>	<p>16</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Beef Stew</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Nomination of Auxiliary Officers</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:30 pm 📺 Auxiliary Meeting</p>	<p>17</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Shrimp Quesadilla</p> <p>6:30 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 Ritual Team Practice</p>	<p>18</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Salisbury Steak</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:00 pm 📺 Aerie Meeting</p> <p>7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Nomination of Aerie Officers</p>	<p>19</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Steak Night</p>	<p>20</p>
<p>21</p>	<p>22</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Steak Quesadilla</p> <p>5:30 pm - 9:00 pm 📺 Line Dancing</p> <p>6:00 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 Trustee Meeting</p>	<p>23</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Open Face Roast Beef Sandwich</p>	<p>24</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Chicken Picatta</p>	<p>25</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Roast Pork</p>	<p>26</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Steak Night</p>	<p>27</p>
<p>28</p>	<p>29</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Chicken Parmesan</p> <p>5:30 pm - 9:00 pm 📺 Line Dancing</p> <p>6:00 pm - 7:00 pm 📺 Trustee Meeting</p>	<p>30</p> <p>5:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Special - Roast Pork</p>	<p>Save the Dates!</p> <p>May 4 – Kentucky Derby Party</p> <p>May 12 – Delegates Club Brunch Free to Eagle Moms!</p> <p>May 18 – State Conference in Winchester</p> <p>May 27 – Aerie Memorial Day Picnic</p> <p>June 16 – Father’s Day Breakfast</p> <p>June 20-22 – State Convention in Piedmont</p>			



Fun and Games

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Kills, slangily
- 5 Make up your mind
- 8 Padlock fastener
- 12 Polio vaccine pioneer
- 13 Born
- 14 Sheltered, at sea
- 15 Reacted to sun glare
- 17 Hot dog holder
- 18 Sugar suffix
- 19 Charged bit
- 20 Chin indentation
- 21 Kreskin's claim
- 22 Montana or Namath
- 23 Baghdad resident
- 26 Feast
- 30 Frill for Fonteyn
- 31 Bear hair
- 32 Radius neighbor
- 33 In need of laundering
- 35 Bishop's headdress
- 36 Present
- 37 Corral
- 38 Engine
- 41 Fish's flipper
- 42 Fire residue
- 45 Pinnacle
- 46 Hotel chain
- 48 Enticement

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- 49 Ostrich's kin
- 50 A bit too tight
- 51 Doctrines
- 52 "Gosh!"
- 53 Skillets
- DOWN**
- 1 — buco
- 2 Webpage list, often
- 3 Chimney channel
- 4 Tackle the slopes
- 5 Winning
- 6 Hammerhead part
- 7 Slugger Williams
- 8 Buffoon
- 9 Lotion additive
- 10 Ego
- 11 Hide
- 16 Unless, in law
- 20 Opposed
- 21 They occur in March and September
- 22 Pickle container
- 23 "Monty Python" opener
- 24 Trench
- 25 — standstill
- 26 Unopened flower
- 27 Last: Abbr.
- 28 Away from WSW
- 29 Pitch
- 31 Only a small number
- 34 Neither mate
- 35 Carte
- 37 Fit of resentment
- 38 Neighbor of Niger
- 39 Piece of work
- 40 Expression
- 41 Notoriety
- 42 Actress Paquin
- 43 Dazzle
- 44 Crones
- 46 Journey segment
- 47 AOL, for instance



HRCVO Items: The Veterans Day parade Grand Marshal election will be held at the HRCVO meeting of 22 April. There were two nominations for Grand Marshal submitted at the March meeting.

Aerie - VA Hospital: Donation of Health & Comfort drive starts Saturday, 20 April and ends Sunday, 19 May. Acceptable items:

Deodorant, Soap, Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Disposable razors, Shaving cream, After Shave (non-alcoholic), Denture Cleaner, Shampoo, Hand/Body lotion, Comb, Baby Powder, Emery Board, Nail Clippers, Mouthwash (Non-alcoholic), Shower Cap, Shower Shoes, Feminine Hygiene Items, Chap Stick, Sun visors, Sunglasses, Pocket size sewing kit, Composition notebooks, All occasion cards, Stamps and Paperback books (no hard cover books excepted due to space limitations). Please place donated items in the container marked 'VA Hospital' located outside the social room. Aerie donations are made to the Veterans in the VA Hospital each Memorial Day and Veterans Day. This has been an on-going joint effort that is supported by Hampton Roads Council of Veterans Organizations and Aerie 3204. Thank you for your kind support.

VA Claims: The VA announced surviving spouses and children of Veterans who died from illnesses now covered by the PACT Act can apply for survivor benefits if their claim was previously denied. Many Veterans organizations will assist people for free. The PACT Act is a new law that expands VA health care and benefits for Veterans exposed to burn pits, Agent Orange, and other toxic substances.

TRICARE Home Delivery: Accredo is an industry-leading specialty pharmacy available for TRICARE beneficiaries filling specialty medications. Accredo will help manage your care if you choose TRICARE Home Delivery. Visit www.accredo.com/dodspecialty# for more information.

HRCVO: Next meeting Monday, 22 April at 7 PM. All are invited to attend. Meetings are held at VFW Post 392. Visit www.hrcvo.org for more information on Veterans.

April 2024 important dates that may affect Veterans and others in Aerie:

- 04/01: April Fool's Day, CPO Grade established in 1893
- 04/02: JOM 6:30 PM, Auxiliary meeting 7:00 PM,
- 04/04: Aerie meeting 7 PM
- 04/06: Army Day
- 04/09: Eagle Riders meeting 7 PM, National Former POW Recognition Day
- 04/11: Submarine Force Day established in 1900, Persian Gulf War Official Ceased Fire 1991
- 04/13: National Borinqueneers Day
- 04/14: Aerie Brunch (Men's Delegate Club) 9:00 to 11:00 AM
- 04/15: Income Tax Day, Patriots' Day
- 04/16: Auxiliary meeting 7:00 PM (Nomination of Officers)
- 04/17: Patriots Day
- 04/18: Aerie meeting 7 PM (Nomination of Officers), Doolittle Raid over Tokyo 1942
- 04/20: Start Aerie Health & Comfort donation drive for VA Hospital
- 04/22: HRCVO meeting 7 PM at VFW Post 392, Earth Day, Passover Begins at Sunset
- 04/24: Administrative Professionals' Day
- 04/26: Arbor Day
- 04/30: Passover Ends at Sunset

Be sure to check the Aerie & Auxiliary calendars for more important days in April.

Questions concerning the above can be directed to Bob Freitag (757-497-3337), Aerie 3204 Veterans Day Chairperson.



Ladies Auxiliary

VaBeach Aerie 3204 - 1061 Newtown Road

APRIL DINNER

Chicken Lo Mein \$12

This classic Chinese noodle dish will be served with lumpia and raspberry poke cake for dessert.

Saturday, April 6
from 5 to 7:30 PM

**50/50 TO
BENEFIT THE
PARKINSON'S
FUND**

MUSIC FROM
6 TO 10 PM

By

DJ SHANNON



Virginia State

CORNHOLE

Tournament

FREDERICKSBURG FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES
21 COOL SPRINGS ROAD | FREDERICKSBURG, VA 22405

APRIL 12TH AND 13TH

FRIDAY, APRIL 12TH

**BLIND DRAW TOURNAMENT
SIGN-UPS 6:30 | BAGS 7PM
\$20**

SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH

***BRING YOUR OWN PARTNER
SIGN-UPS 9:30 | BAGS AT 10
\$25**

**BLIND DRAW TOURNAMENT
FOLLOWING THE BYOP TOURNAMENT
\$20**

**MUST BE A MEMBER WITH YOUR
VALID MEMBERSHIP CARD TO PLAY IN
THE SATURDAY BYOP TOURNAMENT*

*LUNCH PROVIDED ON SATURDAY FOR
THE PLAYERS*





FUNDRAISER

Auxiliary Raffle

*Ask an Auxiliary Officer for your
Tickets before they sell out!*

TICKET SALES WILL BEGIN: March 2

DRAWING WILL BE HELD: April 13

Tickets \$20 Each

Only 100 Tickets Will Be Sold

Two \$500 Winners Will Be Drawn

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT MELANOMA RESEARCH

RESERVE
SPACE NOW.

Fraternal Order of Eagles
3204 Auxiliary
1061 Newtown Road, VaBeach

Flea Market



APRIL 13, 2024
8AM-3PM

First Table Rental \$15

Additional Tables \$5 Each

For table rentals or more information
contact: Tom Sharpe 757-831-8192

RAIN OR SHINE!



SHREDDED CHICKEN DINNER

Saturday, April 13
From 5 to 7 PM

With Homemade
Mashed Potatoes & Gravy,
Garlic-Bacon Green Beans
and a roll

JUST
\$10



50/50 to
Benefit the
Cancer Fund

PREPARED BY THE AERIE DELEGATES CLUB

VaBeach Aerie 3204 - 1061 Newtown Road



Aerie Delegates Club

VaBeach Aerie 3204 - 1061 Newtown Road

Sunday Brunch

April 14

9 AM to 11 AM

All You Can Eat

For \$9



EAGLE RIDERS ANNUAL PORK & CHICKEN PICKIN'



SATURDAY, APRIL 27

1PM to 4PM

\$12.00 PER PERSON

ALL YOU CAN EAT

EAGLE RIDERS PLEASE BRING A SIDE DISH

50/50 RAFFLE PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT THE VB SPCA!

FOOD PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE EAGLE RIDERS' GENERAL FUND





AERIE 3204

Robert Bobby Hooten
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

2024

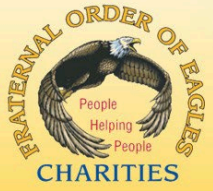
APPLICATION PROCESS

April 1, 2024 Scholarship Packages available for pick-up at the Aerie Secretary Office

April 30, 2024 6:00 PM Deadline, late applications will be disqualified - No Exceptions

Packages may be turned at any time to the Aerie Secretary PRIOR to the deadline

May 3, 2024 Winner to be announced at the Aerie Meeting



Any (not expired) food items are gladly accepted.
 The current suggested request is for soup.

— King Crossword —
 Answers

Solution time: 21 mins.

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**VA Hospital
 Health &
 Comfort
 Drive**

Collecting From
 April to May 24

Drop Off Any Time During
 Aerie Hours of Operations

Monday - Thursday
 4 to 11PM

Friday
 4PM to 2AM

Saturday
 12PM to 2AM

Sunday
 12 to 10PM

A VA Hospital Collection
 Box is located in the Aerie
 entrance hallway



Aerie 3204
 Thank you for your
 kind support!



DONATIONS NEEDED

Toiletries

Deodorant, Soap and Body Wash, Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Disposable Razors, Shaving Cream, After Shave (non-alcoholic), Denture Cleaner, Shampoo, Hand/Body Lotion, Comb, Brush, Baby Powder, Emery Board, Nail Clippers, Mouthwash (non-alcoholic), Shower Cap, Shower Shoes, Personal Hygiene Products, Chap Stick

Miscellaneous

Sun Visors, Sunglasses, Pocket Size Sewing Kit, Composition Notebooks, All Occasion Cards, Stamps and Paperback Books (no hard cover books accepted due to space limitations)

For More Information Contact Bob Freitag 757-497-3336

Order Form

Name: _____

Telephone No.: _____ Aerie/Aux. No.: _____

2024 Convention Banquet Tickets

No. of Tickets	Ticket Type	Protein Choice
_____ X	Package Deal (Thursday @ Aerie 4420 and Friday & Saturday banquets) \$90 each = \$_____ Total After 06/14 \$120 each = \$_____ Total	Friday _____ # of Prime Rib _____ # of Chicken Saturday _____ # of Ham _____ # of Roast Beef
_____ X	Friday Banquet \$50 each = \$_____ Total After 06/14 \$60 each = \$_____ Total	Friday _____ # of Prime Rib _____ # of Chicken
_____ X	Saturday Banquet \$50 each = \$_____ Total After 06/14 \$60 each = \$_____ Total	Saturday _____ # of Ham _____ # of Roast Beef
_____ X	Thursday @ Aerie #4420 \$10 each = \$_____ Total After 06/14 \$20 each = \$_____ Total	N/A
TOTAL OF ALL SECTIONS	Total Due: \$ _____	Friday _____ # of Prime Rib _____ # of Chicken Saturday _____ # of Ham _____ # of Roast Beef

HOW TO ORDER

Payment by Check (payable to "FOE Aerie #4420"):

Mail Order Form & Check to: Sharon Schellin
1820 Monroe Bay Circle
Colonial Beach, VA 22443

Electronic Payment:

E-Mail Order Form to: SharonSchellin@yahoo.com

Send Payment to:

- Venmo @Sharon-Schellin
- CashApp \$SharonSchellin
- PayPal SharonSchellin@yahoo.com

Virginia State Convention Preliminary Information

June 20-23, 2024

Stratford Inn Conference Center

149 Piney Forest Road, Danville, VA 24540

Phone (434) 792-2672

Registration: Thursday, June 20th @ Aerie 4420 1-6 p.m.

(Hospitality Room in the Aerie Home (\$10) 7-9 p.m.)

Friday, June 21st @ the Stratford Conference Center 7-9:00 a.m.

(Memorial Service begins at 9:30 a.m.)

Saturday, June 22nd @ the Stratford Conference Center 8-9 a.m.

Banquets Friday and Saturday at the Stratford Inn (\$75/person to attend both) 6-10 p.m.

Installation of Officers: Saturday 5-6 p.m. at the Stratford Inn

Piedmont Aerie is working on getting shuttles to and from the Convention Center, which is 10 miles from the Hotels.

Send your convention booklet ads to Lisa Limerick at lisa52077@hotmail.com. Aerie 3204 has completed this item.

A Golf Tournament is set for Thursday, registration at 8:00 a.m. at the Goodyear Golf Club in Danville.

Registration fee for all delegates \$5.00

