



Aerie Officers

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Trustee	Jim Thompson
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Auxiliary Officers

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Secretary	Rita Cherry
Treasurer	Peggy Briegel
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Trustee	Carla Wiegand-Mendenhall
Guard	Cammie Sees
Jr. Past President	Debby DeYoung



Grand Aerie Website: www.foe.com
State Aerie Website: www.mifoe.com



Crusade For Toys

There is still time for members to drop off your donations for the Crusade for Toys. Make sure you have all of your donations at the club before December 6th. We would love to make this a great event for families of the West Michigan area.



EVENTS IN Q1 2026



People Helping People

Grand Aerie Mission Statement

The Fraternal Order of Eagles, an international non-profit organization, unites fraternally in the spirit of liberty, truth, justice, and equality, to make human life more desirable by lessening its ills, and by promoting peace, prosperity, gladness and hope

Aerie News

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

We have a lot of events this month. On Saturday December 6th we are having our Kids Christmas party upstairs from 2:00pm to 4:00pm. We are also doing Crusade for Toys so please drop off toys in the boxes here before December 6th. We will also be open to the public that day due to the high volume of people downtown. This tends to be a great day to get some new members into the club and makes it a lot easier on our officers and bartenders.

Our Membership appreciation Party will be on December 24th with closing time at 6:00pm that day so our employees will be home to celebrate the holiday with friends and family! We will be closed on Christmas day. We wish our employees and fellow members a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Speaking of New Years... We will also be having a New Years Eve party with food, party favors and Champagne. We have a great band to welcome in the new year. This is a free event to members so come down and enjoy the fun.

As we approach the holidays I would like to personally

wish all of you a great holiday and wish you well into the new year. We have a lot of events coming up over the next few months so keep an eye on upcoming newsletters and emails so you are informed. We are very appreciative to members who have volunteered throughout this last year. Thank you. Remember we now have the foundry serving eats for our membership and guests. Come down and check it out. Happy New Year!!!!

David Fritz, Aerie President

Chris Houghtaling, Aerie Secretary

DJ Westerhouse, Aerie Trustee Chairman

Auxiliary News

Deck the Halls and Welcome our new members: Renee Frazer, Beth Howard, Angela Johnson, Shelley Lawie, Beth Nash, Cynthia Radel, Nancy Steketee and Re-enroll Brenda Peterson, Jennifer Howe. Fa, la, la, la, la, la...

Our Club will be Open to the Public on December 6th on Jingle Bell Parade Day. This is always a busy, festive event and our Social Room will be busy! Please have patience and goodwill toward our hardworking bartenders. The Aerie and Auxiliary are working together to host the annual Kids' Christmas Party from 2 to 4pm. We welcome volunteers for set up and decorating on 12/2 and 12/3 in the evening. Donations to the Kids' Christmas Workshop would be appreciated. Workshop ideas are kitchen towels, scarves, golf balls, journals, tool sets/kits, nice pens, nail polish, blankets, gloves, hand lotion, compact mirrors, socks, ties, key rings, notepads – any items that a child would choose to give to a parent, a sibling, a teacher, or a friend.

December 9th after the Auxiliary's short meeting, we will have our annual Christmas party. If Auxiliary members wish to attend, please bring a \$10 value wrapped gift to exchange, an appetizer item to share, and a warm weather item we can donate to a local charity. Meeting will start at 6:30pm.

No Auxiliary meeting on December 23, no initiations in the month of December due to the busy holiday season. January 13, 2026, will be a double meeting at 6:30 PM with initiations.

Meatballs are Early this year! February 7 is our 4th Annual

Meatball Challenge!! Calling all cooks! Get your recipes and booth ideas together; sign up shortly after Christmas. If you would like to be part of the Meatball Committee please email Rita Cherry @ auxiliary925.secretary@gmail.com.

From your Auxiliary Secretary: Ladies, please keep in mind if you are re-enrolling or have a friend re-enrolling, please have them fill out an application pay the \$15 application fee and the \$37 dues fee and the time of renewal. Once the board votes on them and they are approved, I can then print their receipt. Just paying the \$15 application fee, I cannot print a receipt, and a card cannot be printed. Also, if you are requesting a re-printed dues receipt, please pay at the time of request to the bartender a \$5 re-print fee. As of December 2024, our by-laws state a \$5 fee for re-printed dues cards due to the increased requests.

Have a Blessed and Wonderful Holiday!

Amy Miedema, Auxiliary President

Carla Wiegand-Mendenhall, Auxiliary Trustee Chairman

Rita Cherry, Auxiliary Secretary



QUEEN OF HEARTS

Progressive Raffle



\$2.00 a ticket

7:45pm winners announced

Need not be present to win

See Chet to purchase Tickets

Drawings Every Thursday

LIC# C32866

Euchre Tournament

Every 1st Saturday of the Month
Starting at 1pm

Next: **DECEMBER 13th**



Weekly Fish Frys are back!!!!!!!

Every Friday from 5:00 to 8:00

Serving Chicken, Fish,
and Shrimp dinners

Call in and to-go orders
available for pickup



Ever wanted to volunteer for your club and weren't really sure how you can help? The Grand Haven Eagles are in need of door guards every Friday and Saturday night. Door guards are responsible for checking peoples cards to ensure they are up on their dues and signing in any guests that may be with them. This is one of the most important jobs for volunteers of our club. It helps to keep our liquor license safe and ensure our club can continue to operate. If you are interested in helping out, there is a sign up sheet next to the kitchen window or see Trustee Pam Regelin for more info.



The Foundry Grill has officially opened their Grand Haven location downstairs at the Grand Haven Eagles. They are serving up appetizers, sandwiches, salads, wings, and of course, their signature smash burgers. Come down and try it out for yourself.

They have online ordering available on their Facebook page as well.

Kitchen Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 4:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Friday (When no fish fry): 4:00 PM - 10:00 PM

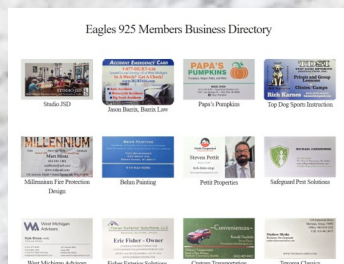
Saturday: 12:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Sunday: 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM

To visit their Facebook page, [CLICK HERE](#)

IF YOU HAVENT CHECKED IT OUT...THE BUSINESS DIRECTORY IS LIVE ON THE GRAND HAVEN EAGLES WEBSITE!!!!

Head over to www.grandhaveneagles925.com



Select the "MEMBERSHIP INFO" tab

Select "Business Directory"



Edit Your Membership Online

Visit www.foe.com and log into our Members Only section (you must have a Members Only account to edit your information or simply click Register to create one). Once logged in, click on your name in the toolbar, click Change Mailing Address and fill out

December 2025



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Aerie Meeting 7:00pm	2 Kids Christmas Party Setup at 6:30pm	3  Dollar Beer Day	4 7:45pm Drawing   All Day \$.25 off drinks	5  Fish Fry 5:00 - 8:00  Long Story Short	6 Kids Christmas Party 2p - 4p  Katy Couch + The Lazy Boys OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
7	8	9 Auxiliary Meeting and Christmas Party 6:30pm	10  Dollar Beer Day	11 7:45pm Drawing   All Day \$.25 off drinks	12  Fish Fry 5:00 - 8:00  Big Nick + The Rhythm Kings	13  Euchre 1:00pm  Distracted
14	15 Aerie Meeting 7:00pm	16	17  Dollar Beer Day	18 7:45pm Drawing   All Day \$.25 off drinks	19  Fish Fry 5:00 - 8:00  Velvet Mushroom Syndicate	20  Bent Carrot
21	22	23	24 Eagles open from 12p - 6p	25  Eagles Is Closed	26 No fish fry  PlatyPu5	27  Decades
28	29	30	31  NYE Party  Frank + The Red Hots	1  Eagles Is Closed		

NEWSLETTER & WEBSITE

If you would like to include any information in the newsletter or on the website, please email to: eagles925@aol.com. Please title your subject line "Eagles Newsletter" The deadline for the newsletter is 6:00 pm on the 15th of the month. Information (including pictures) must have approval from a board member of your group
Website Address: GrandHavenEagles925.com Social Room (616) 842-4330

 Indicates band name
Band plays 8:00 - 11:30 unless otherwise stated
T.B.D. - Band is to be determined