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Happy Easter!



DAFFODIL NEWS



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From your Worthy President

Spring brings forth many fun activities!

It looks like Spring is finally here for a while. While I like the beauty of fresh snow, man am I glad it's gone!

Spring also brings so much beauty to our months to come. Children in the sun trying to find the perfect amount of Easter eggs, the flowers in bloom, wildlife with new babies, and the nice days and nights out with family and friends all make the wait all the more rewarding.

This month will also have plenty of activities for you to take part in, more than I can remember, so please check the calendar and enjoy yourselves.

April also brings us one month closer to our dues date, so don't forget to check and update your membership before the end of May.

As always, enjoy your membership and take advantage of what the Aerie has to offer.

— *Fraternally,*
Jonas White, Your Worthy President

Heart Fund Spaghetti Feed Sunday, April 14

Daffodil Aerie #2308 will be holding a spaghetti dinner on Sunday, April 14 from 3 to 6 p.m., plus a 50/50 raffle with proceeds going to the Max Baer Heart Fund. You can enjoy our delicious spaghetti, salad and garlic bread for \$8!

Spread the word and bring a friend to support this last event for the Heart Fund this calendar year. Sign up a new member or pay your dues for next year while you are here!

Daffodil is also hosting the District #7 Meeting earlier in the day. We hope to have a good turnout for the last District Meeting to be held in our current building. The District Meeting will be held from 10 a.m. to around noon with breakfast being served from 7:30 to 10:30 a.m.

We are looking forward to a full day spent with our Eagle Brothers and Sisters!

— *Gary Plumb,*
Washington State Aerie Heart Chairman

From your Madam President

Let's work our garden together

Well, Spring is finally here and it is time we all start working on our gardens. Some people only have a floral garden, others just vegetables, and then there are those who have both. What does it take to make a garden grow, to come back to life after winter, and what must occur to sustain the usefulness of the garden?

The Eagles is our garden. We have both vegetables and flowers of various kinds. Each plant must be helped in order to sustain this organization. Some

plants provide food to sustain life, and some provide beauty bringing happiness. There are also plants that like to take over more of the garden denying others the needed nutrients for survival. The Gardener is the one who must find a balance to help maintain the needed foods for life, the beauty to bring in happiness, and trimming some so that other plants can grow and be useful for the whole.

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From your Madam President

What part of the ‘Garden’ are you?

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First comes the tilling of the soil. This helps to rid the area of weeds, moss, and other creatures that have been growing over the winter months. The next step is to strengthen the soil and replace the nutrients lost to help sustain the plants that return on an annual bases, plus making room for the new plants that will be added. Now the Gardner must help the returning plants accept and help the new plants and what they have to offer in sustaining life and beauty.

When the Gardener changes, and works the garden using different methods, tools and different nutrients to help sustain the life of the whole garden, some of the older returning plants find the new changes as a threat to their survival, or cannot see how the new plants can be useful for survival, or what beauty they will bring sustaining, and increasing the value of the

whole garden.

When this occurs, the Gardener must help the plants learn to accept the changes. When you are a new Gardener, sometimes you do the right thing, and sometimes not. Testing new methods has some risk involved. New methods, new ideas, different interpretations of beliefs and instructions, can cause conflict. Hopefully, the pollinators (birds and bees) will help make the changes easier. It all comes back to the birds and bees, and how they move various pollens (changes) within the garden and beyond.

In closing I would like you to ask yourself what part of the “Garden” you are. Are you the older plant, the new plant, are you one that provides food, or beauty? What do you want to be able to do? Think of this, and when you see me, let me know. Let’s talk, let’s work the garden together.

*Colleen Horton,
Your Madam President*

Golden Age Fund benefit

Spring cleaning silent auction set for April 28

Are you ready to purge and donate unwanted, slightly used or new items? We are having a Silent Auction on Sunday, April 28 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Aerie. Contact Carol Walther at (253) 223-0372 or cawdew@gmail.com to donate or come down and get in on the bidding. It is always a fun time to see what treasures you can go home with!

A taco bar will be available from 3 to 6 p.m. for \$7 per person.

Proceeds from this event are benefiting the FOE Golden Age Fund, specifically to help sponsor the Patriotic Party in July and the Annual Picnic at the Senior Center here in Puyallup.

What is the Golden Age Fund? After a unanimous

vote during the 1971 Convention, the Golden Age Fund was created with a promise to provide assistance for programs to improve the lives of senior citizens. The fund was inspired by the Eagles’ role in the passing of the Social Security Act, the Jobs After 40 Program, Medicare and other national initiatives promoting the well being of seniors.

We hope to see you on April 28!

*— Carol Walther,
Washington State Auxiliary Golden Age Chairman*

Eagle Riders bottle raffle set for April 12

Member of the Eagle Riders #2308 are holding a bottle paddle raffle on Friday, April 12, along with a 50/50 Raffle. from 4 to 8 p.m. Come on down and get in on the action!

Eagle Rider members, please let Gary Plumb know if you have a bottle to donate!

The Funaddicts band is also playing from 8 p.m. to midnight for your dancing enjoyment!

Thanks, and see you on the 12th!

— Gary Plumb, (253) 691-2109

It’s time to nominate for Daffodil’s ‘Hall of Fame’

Its that time of year again to consider who among your Aerie Brothers is worthy of being nominated for Daffodil’s “Hall of Fame.” If any Brother comes to mind, fill out one of the forms that are located on the bulletin board in the lobby.

— Dave Andrews, Chairman

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Daffodil 2308 CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR**APRIL, 2019**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Steak Night Or Bar Menu 3 - 8 pm Golf Meeting 6:00 pm Poker Room	Tacos 3 - 8 pm Bingo 7:00 pm Daffodil Roamers RV Club Meeting 7:00 pm	Aerie Trustees Meeting 5:00 pm Philly Steak Sandwich 3 - 8 pm Aerie Meeting 7:00 pm 1st Reading Of By-Law Changes	Eddie's Spaghetti 4:45 - 6:45 pm Cribbage 7:00 pm	Dining 5 - 8:30 pm Salmon Or Chopped Steak Dance To Rockin' Aces 8 pm - Midnight	Soup & Sandwich 11 am - 1 pm Dining 5 - 8 pm Reuben Sandwich Dance To Sundance 8 pm - Midnight
7	1	2	3	4	5	6
Breakfast 7:30-10:30 am Hot Cakes, Eggs, Bacon, Ham, Sausage, Juice, Coffee Texas Hold'em. Food 1 - 4 pm	Steak Night 3 - 8 pm Scouts 6 pm.	Tacos 3 - 8 pm Bingo 7:00 pm Eagle Riders Meeting 6:30 pm	Aerie Trustees Meeting 5:00 pm Philly Steak Sandwich 3 - 8 pm	Auxiliary Meeting 7:00 pm Initiation Mushroom Swiss Burger 3 - 8 pm Cribbage 7:30 pm	Dining 5 - 8:30 pm Salmon Or Pork Loin Dance To Fun Addicts 8 pm - Midnight	Soup & Sandwich 11 am - 1 pm Dining 5 - 8 pm Chef Salad Dance To Michael Crain 8 pm - Midnight
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Breakfast 7:30-10:30 am Breakfast Buffet District #7 Meeting HEART FUND DINNER	Steak Night 3 - 8 pm Scouts 6 pm	Tacos 3 - 8 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	Aerie Trustees Meeting 5 pm Aerie Meeting Initiation And Nomination Of Officers for 2019-20 7:00 pm 2nd Reading Of By-Law Changes Philly Steak Sandwich 3 - 8 pm	Mushroom Swiss Burger 3 - 8 pm Cribbage 7:30 pm	Dining 5 - 8:30 pm Salmon Or Chicken Fried Steak Dance To Waylaid 8 pm - Midnight	Soup & Sandwich 11 am - 1 pm Dining 5 - 8 pm Fish Burger Karaoke 8 pm - Midnight
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Past Presidents Easter Breakfast \$9.00 7:30-10:30 am Club Closed	Steak Night 3 - 8 pm Scouts 6 pm	Tacos 3 - 8 pm Bingo 7:00 pm	Aerie Trustees Meeting 5:00 pm Philly Steak Sandwich 3 - 8 pm	Auxiliary Meeting 7:00 pm Nominations Of New Officers For 2019 - 2020 Mushroom Swiss Burger 3 - 8 pm Cribbage 7:30 pm	Dining 5 - 8:30 pm Salmon Or Meatloaf Dance To Rock & Roll Magic 8 pm - Midnight	Soup & Sandwich 11 am - 1 pm Dining 5 - 8 pm Patty Melt Dance To Rock & Roll Magic 8 pm - Midnight
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
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28	29	30				

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Trustees corner

Here's a lesson about our House Rules

In this edition of The Trustees Corner, your Trustees will continue to highlight the Aerie House rules.

HOUSE RULE #5

The Board of Trustees shall be responsible for the preservation of the orderly and gentlemanly conduct of all members and guests in the buffet and social rooms and said board shall have the power to deny social room privileges for a specified period of time not to exceed 90 days.

This rule gives the Board of Trustees authorization to impose up to 90 day suspensions for violations of House Rules.

HOUSE RULE #7

The posting of signs, notices, posters, etc., with tape, nails, tacks, push pins, etc., on Aerie walls, doors, etc., by anyone is prohibited. Clips for hanging such items from ceiling cross bars are to be used for this purpose and must be approved by the Board of Trustees and the membership at a regular meeting.

Any signs or posters must be approved by the Trustees. Any signs or posters that have not been authorized will be removed without notification to the member who placed the sign or poster.

HOUSE RULE #22

This establishment reserves the right to refuse service of an alcoholic beverage or any other type of service to anyone.

The Aerie Bar Manager has the ultimate authority to refuse service. If the manager is not on the premises, the Head Bartender has the authority to refuse service (cut off) any patron deemed to be intoxicated, obnoxious, or unruly. If the offending member gets too out of hand, they will be referred to the Board of Trustees. See House Rule #5

HOUSE RULE #27

The use of any tobacco products is not allowed in the Aerie. The use of vapor cigarettes is not allowed in the Aerie. The first violation will result in a 30 day suspension.

There is a smoking area on the north side of the building for those members who wish to smoke prior to coming into the Aerie.

The House Rules are put in place to ensure all members understand their responsibilities while on the Aerie premises. Any grievances, questions or clarifications of the House Rules should be directed to the Trustees, either through the suggestion box or

by attending a Trustees meeting on Wednesday evenings at 5:30 p.m.

The Trustees would like to encourage all members to attend Aerie and Auxiliary meetings. At the member meetings, you can learn and understand how the Aerie and Auxiliary function, learn about the finances and business of the Aerie and Auxiliary, and maybe win a raffle or drawing.

As always, feel free to leave comments in the suggestion box. If there is a subject you would like to see written about, leave that too in the suggestion box.

Come to a meeting, be a part of the process. It's ***your*** Aerie, support it.

— Your Aerie Board of Trustees

Thanks everyone for for your Heart Month help and contributions

Debi Calhoun and Diane Kubicek would like to thank all of you who participated in the Auxiliary's Heart Charity Fund — for buying hearts to post in the lounge, for donating lovely gift baskets and baking fantastic desserts. We had lots of much-needed help and generous donations, and we all had fun at our heart dance. Thanks again!

Thank you Daffodil Aerie for helping to remember Darrell

The Brothers and Sisters of Wilkeson Eagles Aerie and Auxiliary #1409 offer a heartfelt thank you to members of Daffodil Aerie and Auxiliary #2308 for their help, food and monetary donations for the “Remembrance Party” for Brother Darrell Sharick on March 23.

Thanks to the Eddie's Spaghetti crew for making a generous donation to the bar so the drinks could be on Darrell one last time.

Darrell, a Past President of both Daffodil Aerie and Wilkeson Aerie, will be sorely missed.

— Your Brothers & Sisters at Wilkeson #1409



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Texas Hold'em

9 March players enjoy the Luck of the Irish!

The Luck of the Irish came to nine Texas Hold'em players who had their eyes set on that Pot of Gold at the end of the rainbow. Here they are: First, Don Shaffer; second, Andy Gee; third, Eric Strom; fourth, Denny Cowen; fifth, Joel Moulton; sixth, Thomas Dean; seventh, Mel Garland; eighth, Bob Shepherd; and ninth, Donna Dilger. Great job folks. We had one girl power at the final table.

We were so happy to see Ted Staab again. He's looking good after a nasty bout with cancer. Prayer warriors are needed for Brad Stevens' mother. She is having surgery for colon cancer.

Our next game will be on Sunday, April 7 at **noon**. Bring food and receive a \$1,000 chip or bring a non-member or someone who has not played for a year

and get a \$500 bonus chip.

We will be having a bucket raffle/silent auction for Abused Kids. So bring a couple extra \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ and help the cause. If you have something to donate, please call me (253) 535-6706 or (253) 230-2308. We could also use another helper with the raffle. This might be the last raffle for Abused Kids. We are using all the items that we have received in the past. Aerie Members have been very generous and donated a lot. Thanks for caring. Thanks to Bob and Mary, our State Aerie Father and Mother and State Jimmy Durante Chairmen. And thanks to our valued volunteers: Brad, Judy, Donnie, Sean, and Mary. We couldn't do it without you.

— Bob Reynolds & Crew

