

# DAFFODIL NEWS

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## From Your Worthy President



We have made it through the first year in our new building and we had a great potluck celebration! Thank you to all the volunteers that made it a great success.

With summer finally here, it's picnic time! We are still looking for volunteers in all areas, please contact Bryan or Valerie Hamby if you would like to help (Picnic2308@gmail.com). This year's picnic will be at the Swiss Park in Bonney Lake on August 20. Raffle baskets are needed too!

As a reminder, the Aerie meetings are on the first and third Wednesday of the month. If you have any questions or concerns, please come to a meeting. Also, District meetings will be starting in September with our first one at Wilkeson. I encourage all Aerie members to come out and support your fellow Aeries.

And congratulations to Dave Andrews who is our new Washington State Worthy Chaplain!

**Steve Naccarato**  
Aerie  
Worthy President  
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*Steve*

## Daffodil #2308 Summer Picnic

**Saturday, August 20**

**Location:**

Swiss Park  
9205 198th Ave  
Bonney Lake, WA 98391

**Picnic Entry Fee:**

Member w Potluck Item \$5  
Member w/o Potluck Item \$7  
Non-Member \$10

## From Your Madame President



Summer is finally here! Hope everyone is getting outside to enjoy our beautiful weather. We have the cover on our outdoor area now, so rain or shine we can sit outside.

Several Auxiliary and Aerie Daffodil members attended the State Convention in June. We received awards and acknowledgments for all the hard work our various fund-raising committees did last year (Cancer, Heart, Kidney, Alzheimer, Diabetes, Parkinson, & Jimmy Durante funds). We raised over \$20,000! Pretty impressive for the first year in our new Aerie and working through all the kinks! Thanks to all the charity Chairs for your hard work, and to all the Brothers and Sisters who generously donated to those fundraisers. Also, we were first in state for Auxiliary meeting attendance! Thanks to the Chairs who do meeting attendance, membership, visitation, interviews, by-laws, audits, funerals, holiday, State MP visit, Sunshine report, Eagle Valley, conciliation, past presidents', picnic, historian, building, children's activities, and newsletter. It takes a lot of volunteers to make all this happen!

I'm also excited to announce that we have three Puyallup Daffodil Eagles as new State Officers! Congratulations to:

- Loni Andrews, Madam Inside Guard
- Robin Sheffer, Madam Trustee
- Dave Andrews, Worthy Chaplain

All Sisters are always welcome to attend our meetings every 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM. It's a great way to meet people, learn about programs, and to get involved in any of our events and programs!

**Debi Calhoun**  
Auxiliary  
Madam President  
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*Debi*



Picnic Raffle Tickets only \$1 each • Top Prize is \$200 Fuel Gift Card



**Dave Andrews**  
**Aerie Secretary**  
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## FROM THE AERIE SECRETARY

As of July 11, all members who had not paid their 2022-2023 dues were dropped by the Grand Aerie. At this point if they wish to be a member in good standing, they **MUST RE-ENROLL**. Also note that Aerie Dues have now officially increased to \$48 per year, and Initiation and Re-Enrollment fees are now **EQUAL** at \$15. Dual Dues have decreased and are now only \$24.

**A big thank you to all of the volunteers who are keeping the club alive. Every bar worker, wait staff, kitchen worker, and event person you see is a volunteer, giving up their time to support the Aerie. BE NICE TO THEM. Without them, we wouldn't have an Aerie. They deserve your respect and patience!**

**Upon entering the Aerie bar, it's your responsibility (and required by WA State liquor law), to show your card to the bartender. Don't make them ask you to see it, and if they ask you multiple times throughout the night, show them multiple times without contempt. It's not only their job to do so, it's the law. ~ Aerie Trustees**

## AERIE PICNIC • SATURDAY, AUGUST 20 • SWISS PARK IN BONNEY LAKE

We are excited to have our Aerie picnic back!

- Registration - Open at 11:00 am
- Food - Start Serving at 12:00 pm
- Horseshoe Tournament - \$10 Fee • Starts at 1:00 pm
- Live Music by the Bandemix
- Raffle Drawing at 3:00 pm (ticket sales end @ 2:30 pm)

### Volunteer Areas:

- Alcohol Servers for beer truck (MAST card required)
- Food Prep/Assistants
- Cooks
- Registration Table
- Raffle
- Kid's Activities
- Setup and Clean Up

**Need to borrow BBQs too! Gas is preferred.**

### 2022/2023 DISTRICT #7

#### MEETING SCHEDULE:

Sept 11 Wilkeson #1409

Oct 9 Orting #3480

Nov 13 Buckley #1387

Feb 12 Tacoma #3

Mar 12 South Tacoma #2933

Apr 16 Puyallup #2308

May 7 Eatonville #3158

Breakfast usually available around 8 am (cost TBD)

Joint meeting @ 10 am followed by separate Aerie & Auxiliary meetings

## FROM YOUR AERIE TRUSTEES

As you read this, the new Aerie is celebrating its one year anniversary. There have been a few rough spots over the past year but we have come through with a fully functioning Aerie. Everyone needs to take a little time to say a word of thanks to the volunteers who have tirelessly worked thousands of hours to get the Aerie open, maintained, and running. The move and subsequent opening of our new building has cost the Puyallup Eagles around \$300,000 out of our own pocket. This is not due to any one entity but several and includes items not covered by Sound Transit, fees and requirements levied by the City of Puyallup, lawyers, and upgrades to our new building. Again, this number would be much higher if not for the volunteers who did the work and who are doing the work to make your experience at the Eagles the best it can be. While the Aerie may not have all of the amenities yet of the old facility, one thing holds true, it is all ours. Aerie 2308 does not owe a dime to any creditor or government agency. There are several Aeries that are on the verge of closing down due to debt they have accumulated and cannot repay.

As we enter our next year, we hope to begin Bingo, limited bands with dancing, and more restaurant activity. Through the summer we will be having food trucks on site at various times for dinner options.

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.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Chicken Dijon Dinner on 8/26</b> <b>5:30 – 7:00 pm</b> <b>\$13.00 each (pre-sale)</b> <b>\$15.00 at door</b> <b>Only 75 tickets available</b>	<b>1</b> Golfers Meeting 5 pm	<b>2</b> RV Club Meeting 7 pm  <b>Food Truck</b> <b>4:30 – 7:30 pm</b>	<b>3</b> Aerie Trustees Mtg 5:30 pm  Aerie Meeting 7 pm	<b>4</b>  <b>No Eddie's Spaghetti this month</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b> Soup & Sandwich 12 – 1 pm
<b>7</b> Queen of Hearts Drawing 5 pm  Bar closes at 6:30 pm today only	<b>8</b> <b>Tickets go on sale for the 8/26 Chicken Dijon Dinner \$13 ea (or \$15 at door)</b>	<b>9</b> Eagle Riders Meeting 7 pm	<b>10</b> Aerie Trustees Mtg 5:30 pm	<b>11</b> Auxiliary Meeting 7 pm (Initiation)	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Soup & Sandwich 12 – 1 pm
<b>14</b> Queen of Hearts Drawing 5 pm	<b>15</b> Past Presidents Meeting 7 pm	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> Aerie Trustees Mtg 5:30 pm  Aerie Meeting 7 pm (Initiation)	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> <b>CLOSED FOR</b> <b>Aerie Picnic 11 am – 6 pm</b> <b>Swiss Park in Bonney Lake</b>
<b>21</b> Queen of Hearts Drawing 5 pm	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Aerie Trustees Mtg 5:30 pm	<b>25</b> Auxiliary Meeting 7 pm  <b>Burger Dips 4:30 – 6:30 pm</b>	<b>26</b> <b>Chicken Dijon Dinner 5:30–7:00 pm</b> Chicken Dijon, salad, mashed potatoes, veggie, roll, and dessert	<b>27</b> Soup & Sandwich 12 – 1 pm
<b>28</b> Queen of Hearts Drawing 5 pm	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Aerie Trustees Mtg 5:30 pm  <b>Joint Officer Mtg 7:00 pm</b>	<b>HOURS OF OPERATION:</b> Mon & Tues 3 PM – 9 PM Wed, Th, Fri 3 PM – 10 PM Saturday 12 PM – 10 PM Sunday 1 PM – 7 PM  <i>(HOURS SUBJECT TO CHANGE)</i>		



**Fraternal Order of Eagles**  
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### IN MEMORIAM

So often the passing of one of our Aerie Brothers goes unnoticed to the Membership. To this end we will publish the names of those who have passed and were reported to the Secretary each month.

The passing of the following Aerie Brothers were reported to the Secretary:

- Gerald Grove, 34 Year Member.
- Robert Leighton, 33 Year Member
- Gerald Williams, 59 Year Member

#### **Be Kind...**

The Aerie is open to enjoy because **volunteers** show up to work the kitchen, bar, and special events. Please be courteous and kind.

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