

EAGLES 2228 NEWSLETTER



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Member Appreciation Sunday March 3rd Noon-4:00 PM



- Members only no spouses/guests that are not members.
- Members must show card at the door and will get 1 free drink for attending and 1 drawing ticket for door prizes.
- ❖ Each member that renews their dues (\$40 Aerie/\$25 Auxiliary) that day will get another free drink ticket.
- Non-members can join that day (\$55 Aerie/\$40 Auxiliary) and receive a drink ticket and door prize drawing ticket.
- Drink specials.
- Food Specials
- Music by Med City Misfits from 1:00 4:00 PM.
- The club will reopen to the public/non-members at 4:00 PM.



When: Sunday, March 10th

Time: 11 am - 2 pm

Where: Rochester Eagles Club

- Bar Olympics not your typical events!
- Bucket Raffles Something for everyonel
 - Pluck-a-Duck

Come for the fun and help us raise **\$\$\$** for the Eagles Cancer Telethon!

Questions? Drop us an email at: sundayfundayforacure@gmail.com



PLEASE NOTE: Due to Member Appreciation, the Club will open at 11:00 AM on Sunday March 3rd.

MEMBERS ONLY

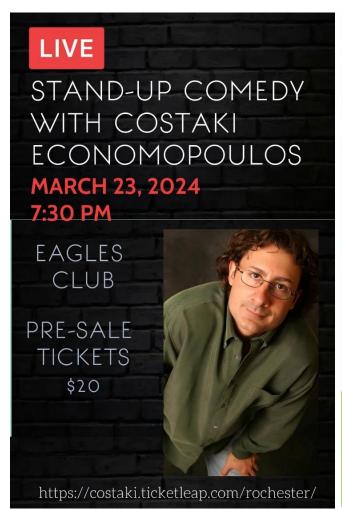
rochester caledonian pipe band



Performing at the Eagles March 17th 7:30 – 8:15 PM



Club will stay open until 9:00 PM







Fools Five Road Race April 6, 2024

The Eagles Club will sponsor <u>Eagle Members</u> interested in participating in the Fools Five Road Race held in Lewiston on April 6. Registration forms are usually mailed to previous participants but will also be available in the pool room or on the Fools Five website https://foolsfive.org. Please drop off completed forms (signed and dated) in the Aerie Secretary box at the club or mail to the club to the attention of the Secretary. Forms <u>must be received by March 17th.</u> Race starts at 1:00 PM and carpooling is suggested. Any questions can be directed to rentschr1@gmail.com.







70th Annual Eagles Cancer Telethon Over \$1,016,000 and Counting!

You can still make donations on the website (www.eaglescancertelethon.org) or mail them to the Eagles Club



Monthly Cash Raffle!! \$5 /Ticket 90% Pay Back **400 Tickets Max Sold**

January Winners Drawn Feb 3

<u>Winner</u>	Cash Amount	Ticket #
Darla R	\$700	170
F Deats	\$500	149
Don H	\$300	029
Mark M	\$200	204
Dillan Z	\$100	087
	Purchase Tickets at the Bar	

Next Drawing Will Be Held March 2nd @ 7:00 PM

EAGLES PICKLEBALL LEAGUES

BEGINNER/INTERMEDIATE SUNDAY EVENINGS @ 4PM

STARTING APRIL 14TH

ALL LEVELS

THURSDAY NIGHTS @ 6PM STARTING APRIL 11TH

DOUBLES

ANY COMBO OF MEN/WOMEN

\$50 PER TEAM

SIGN UP FORMS IN POOL ROOM





2024 Eagles Scholarships



The Fraternal Order of the Eagles #2228 Aerie and Auxiliary will again be offering scholarships to students in the surrounding public, private, and parochial schools. All high school seniors considering postsecondary education or training are eligible to apply for the Aerie

Scholarship. The Auxiliary Scholarship has specific eligibility criteria (see that application for details). Applications can be found on the Eagles website or copies are available at the Club. Applications are due April 7th!

Membership Dues

Increase in Aerie Membership Dues

As we all know, the cost of everything is going up and the Eagles Club is no exception. The Aerie has increased the membership fees beginning with the upcoming 2024-2025 year. Renewal fees will be \$40, with new membership and re-enrolling fees at \$55. The Aerie fees have been \$30 for the last 15 years! If you consider the buy-one-get-one free drink each month, the food credit and the other Members Only events such as Member Appreciation Day on March 3rd, it's still a great deal and supports our Aerie! You will be receiving membership renewal notices from the Grand Aerie. Please remember that we do not send those out, but we are charged for them, so please pay at soon as you can after March 3rd!

2024 Brother and Sister Eagle of the Year

The <u>Aerie</u> is now accepting nominations for <u>2024 Brother Eagle of the Year</u>. If you know of someone that gives their all for the club, please contact Renee or any Aerie Officer and they can walk you through the process. <u>Deadline is April 1st</u>. This is truly a great honor to bestow on a deserving and worthy member.

We all know an <u>Auxiliary Sister</u> that embodies the true Eagle spirit of "People Helping People" and has contributed greatly to the good of the club and the community. We are now accepting nomination letters for Sister Eagle of the Year to be awarded to a deserving Sister. In the nomination letter, please note the involvement and impact the Sister has had in the last year. Please remember NOT to include the name of the Sister in the body of the letter but place it in an envelope accompanying the letter. We will need the nomination letters in February or early March, and they may be placed in the Auxiliary Secretary's box. The Sister Eagle of the Year Committee will meet in March to review nominations and select this year's recipient. Our Sister Eagle of the Year will then have her letter forwarded to the District for the nomination process. Please take the time to nominate that special someone for this year's honor.

Aerie Updates

New Aerie Members: Daniel Hoisington, Steve Monahan, and Judy Hickey.

<u>Deceased Member</u> You probably saw in February's newsletter that there was a planned birthday celebration for long time and beloved member, Bill Fischer. Unfortunately, Bill passed away one week before his 90th birthday. He will be missed.

Aerie Secretary: Renee Tschumper secretary@rochestermneaglesclub.com

Auxiliary Secretary: Cindy Novotne auxiliary2228@gmail.com

Eagles Website www.rochestermneaglesclub.com

Presidents Letter

Brothers and Sisters,

Here we are in March! With weather like this it's hard not to think about Spring. Maybe you've turned your sites on getting out the golf clubs (or maybe you never put them away) or you've been out to play on the pickleball courts here at the club....the nets are up! Or maybe you've begun spring cleaning. Kevin has had the floors spruced up and some touch ups done to keep our Club looking great and ready for the summer.

Events abound this month starting with Membership Appreciation on March 3. It's a great time to see your fellow members, pay your dues, get a free drink (or maybe 2) and an even better time to sign up new members as they will get some perks too....like 3 free months of membership.

Speaking of membership, please be aware that the Aerie dues have increased to \$40 a year. Still a great deal for members. We also want to remind you that the Grand Aerie will be mailing out reminders around the 3rd week in March. While we don't mail them, the Grand Aerie charges us for them so please pay your dues soon to avoid unnecessary costs to the Aerie and Auxiliary. Also, please bear in mind that they compile the list of unpaid members 3 times before May 31st and while you may have paid your dues, you may still get a notice until the rosters are updated.

Coming on March 10th is the 3rd Annual Sunday Funday for a Cure. This is another event that benefits the Eagles Cancer Telethon and is a great family friendly event with games for all ages and no special skills required. It's all about fun and raising funds.

The Eagles Club is once again proud to be part of the Rochester Caledonian Pipe Band Pub Crawl on St Patrick's Day, March 17th, at 7:30 PM. It's really something to see and hear. While it's tough to celebrate the Irish on a Sunday night, the Pipe Band is well worth the effort.

New this year is an Adult Easter Duck Hunt on March 24th. Something for the adults to have some fun and find ducks worth prizes. Cost is \$5 per duck and prizes range from gift cards, drinks, scratch offs, and other items.

Please note that the club will be closed on Easter Sunday. Enjoy the day with your family.

In closing, "may good luck follow you wherever you go, and your blessings outnumber the shamrocks that grow."

Your Eagles Sister and Brother,

Denise Haefner Madam President deni69chevy@msn.com Dan Hanson Worthy President Boone75@live.com



Daylight Saving Time starts March 10. Remember to "spring" forward.

18TH ANNUAL EAGLES CANCER TELETHON GOLF TOURNAMENT



Friday Aug 2 2024, Maple Valley

THE "FUN\$RAISER"



REGISTRATION: 9:30 AM SHOTGUN START: 10:30 AM

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE EAGLES CANCER TELETHON

COST: \$500** PER TEAM OF 4 - LIMITED TO 46 TEAMS

Includes: 18 holes plus ½ cart per person
All par 3 Greenies and course events
Chances to win Hole in One Prize
Dinner & Entertainment

Upcoming Golf Tournaments Forms in Pool Room





Jeff Hanson Memorial Car Cruise -In!!!

Anyone interested in sponsoring one of the 2024 car shows should contact Kevin at 507-289-5931 or

KGHanson13@yahoo.com





Club Hours

Monday – Friday 11:00 AM – Until Close
Saturday 10:00 AM – Until Close
Sunday 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM



Sun - Wed Thursday Friday Saturday Chef's Choice Rib Dinner Fish Dinner Prime Rib Sandwich





DONATONS

Eagles Charitable Gambling donated to these organizations
In February

- ☐ KM Girls Softball Booster Club
- ☐ Byron H.S. Post Prom Party
- □ Zumbro Valley Bass Masters
- ☐ Sertoma 700
- ☐ Upper Mississippi Ducks Unlimited
- ☐ Rochester Host Lions Club
- □ Bear Creek Services
- □ Camp Victory

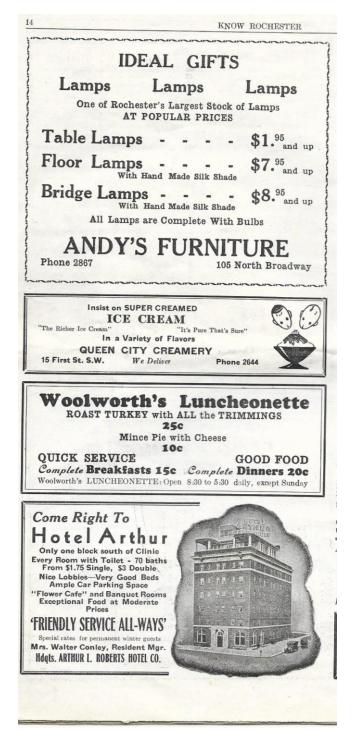




Happy Birthday to Ed Wagner He will be 98 on March 27th!

Remember When....

Thanks to Dewey Day for providing a copy of Know Rochester, the Civic Weekly. This is from December 16 -22,1938





If you have historical articles or pictures that may be of interest to Eagle Members, please send to rentschr1@gmail.com or drop off at the Eagles Club...attn Secretary.





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