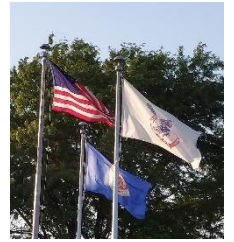




EAGLES 2228 NEWSLETTER



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4TH OF JULY
CASH RAFFLE
\$100/TICKET 250 SOLD
\$2500 GRAND PRIZE
2ND - 9TH PLACE
\$1000 EACH
10TH - 18TH PLACE
\$500 EACH
TICKETS AT THE BAR
AND PULL TAB BOOTH
DRAWING 8 PM JULY 4
at Deer Creek Speedway

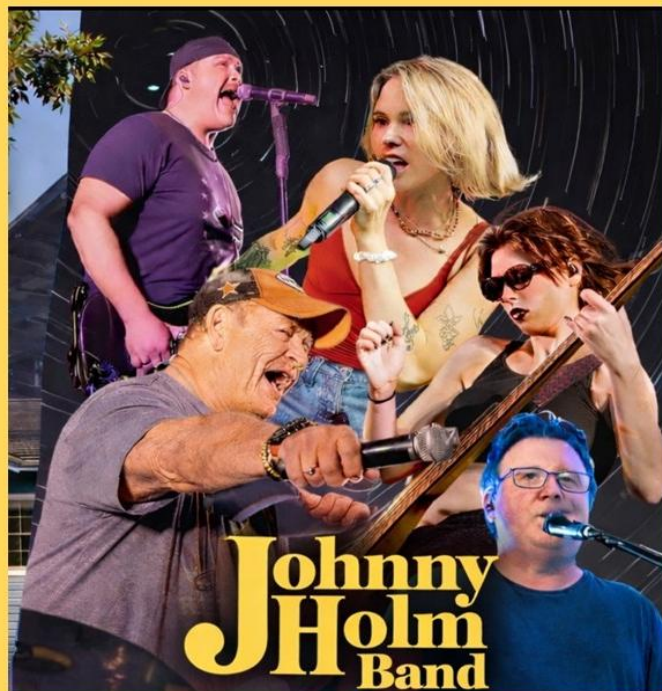
4TH OF JULY
Pickleball
Tournament
\$50/Team
8:00 AM Check In
8:30 Start
Social, Intermediate
& Open Divisions
Sign up in the pool room or on the web
www.rochestermneaglesclub.com
Questions? Call
Eric 507-458-1582

Volleyball
Tournament
July 4
For details and sign up
check the pool room and
the web at
www.rochestermneaglesclub.com

Rochester Eagles Club
250 Years of
Freedom
★ ★ ★
FOURTH
OF JULY
We are open from
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM



3rd Annual
EAGLE STOCK
AUG 1 2-10 PM
MUSIC . FOOD . DRINKS .
MUSIC BY
COLT 45 | DARR FAMILY |
| LOST FACULTIES |
| VINTAGE TONES |
COST \$5 MEMBERS . \$10 NON MEMBERS



Friday August 7

6:00 – 9:00 PM

On the Patio

(weather permitting)



Advance tickets:

\$10 Members

\$15 Non-Members

\$20 at the Door

20th Annual Eagles Cancer Telethon Golf Tourney for Aug 7 is FULL!

We are OPEN

Mon - Fri 11 AM to Close
Sat 10 AM to Close
Sun 10 AM to 8 PM

HAPPY HOUR EVERY DAY SUN-SAT
3:30 - 6:30 PM

KITCHEN OPEN MON - SAT UNTIL 8PM SUN 7 PM

EAGLES CLUB		DAILY SPECIALS	
MONDAY CHICKEN FRIED STEAK 	MONDAY BUILD YOUR OWN PIZZA 4-8 PM 	TUESDAY MEATLOAF 	WEDNESDAY CASSEROLE 
FRIDAY FISH FRY 	SATURDAY PRIME RIB SANDWICH 	SUNDAY ALL DAY BREAKFAST 	1ST MONDAY OF THE MONTH LIVER & ONIONS 
KITCHEN HOURS MONDAY - FRIDAY 11AM - 8 PM SATURDAY 10 AM - 8 PM SUNDAY 10 AM - 7 PM			



JEFF HANSON

MEMORIAL CAR CRUISE-IN

EVERY WEDNESDAY AT 5PM

July 1 Northern Beverage
July 8 Auto Value
July 15 Kuehn Motors
July 22 South X Southeast
July 29 Apples R Us
July 1 5:30 - 7:30 PM
Ron Bublitz

July 11 Eagles Member Night at Deer Creek Speedway



Get Your FREE Tickets at the Bar Eagles Members Only!

Limit 2 Tickets/Member; Kids 12 & Under Free
 Gates open @ 5 PM; Racing @ 7 PM
 Full Bar, Great Food, E-tabs, Pull Tabs & Racing

CHRISTMAS IN JULY



MED CITY MISFITS
 12:30-2:30 PM
OUTDOOR BAR OLYMPICS
GIVE AWAYS
FOOD/DRINK SPECIALS
 MAYBE AN APPEARANCE BY SANTA (HOPEFULLY NOT IN A SPEEDO!)

JULY 26
12-5 PM

Eagles Club JULY MUSIC



JULY 1 RON BUBLITZ
 5:30-7:30 PM
JULY 10 LOST FACULTIES
 6-9 PM
JULY 17 LAST CHANCE
 6:30-9:30 PM
JULY 26 MED CITY MISFITS
 12-2:30 PM
 ALL MUSIC ON THE PATIO WEATHER PERMITTING

May Cash Raffle Winners



\$500	Robin O	#012
\$250	Mark M	#053
\$150	Dan S	#102
\$100	Michael H	#100
\$50	Rich O	#047

Winners Drawn May 31 Next Drawing June 30 @ 7 PM
 \$10/Ticket 120 Tickets Sold
 Purchase Tickets at the Pull Tab Booth

NEW MENU



Coming Early August

Eagles Club HAPPY HOUR



Sunday - Friday
 3:30 - 6:30 PM

New Aerie Members

Jeff Holmes	Peg Ryter	John Shonyo	Scott Nelson	Steve Devinny
Dave Omodt	Connie Saunders	Nancy Blondell	Trevor Baker	Tom Troutman
Beth Timm	Alex Block	Susan Bessingpas	Megan Flannigan	Tim Martinez
Daine Larson	Audre Kraus	Butch Erath	Mary Jordan	Jim Vogen
Matt Wiginton	Barb Toomey	Mary Erath	Gus Braja	Susan Bessingpas
Nancy Zschunke	Amanda York	Megan Flannigan	Laura Van Houten	Thomas Ryan
Gary Tesmer	Deceased Members: Dave Kirkeeng, Bud Swee, Stan Rathke, & Ronald Stephen			

Presidents Letter

Hello Brothers and Sisters,

We are all experiencing a busy summer and will keep our letter short, so you have a few more minutes to enjoy the summer.

What an exciting year as we celebrate our Country's 250 birthday and the 20th anniversary of our Eagle home with our great facility. Plans are in the works for the December anniversary and celebration of the great Eagles home we have built.

Members, remember to take note of the Tuesday meeting dates for the Aerie and Auxiliary at 6 pm. Always check the monthly schedule for the live music, activities and all the fun. We are a quiet and under recognized asset to the community with our event space, fantastic patio, green space, volleyball and pickleball courts along with availability to provide an outdoor wedding venue.

Exciting things have been happening. For the past several months, our staff has been working on a new menu. The current plan is for you to see new food options around mid-July. A great time to enjoy the patio, grab a bite and cocktail.

As we recognize and celebrate our nation's birth and the Fourth of July;

- Remember and reflect on the meaning of patriotism, democracy and the principles of our freedom.
- Celebrate the spirit of our independence.
- As Eagles members, we acknowledge and recognize our Country and our values.
- Enjoy all the activities with family and friends at the Eagles or at community events.
- No matter where or how you celebrate, PLEASE BE SAFE!

Sincerely and Fraternally,

Denise Haefner Madam President deni69chevy@msn.com

Eric Averbeck Worthy President beck_am87@hotmail.com

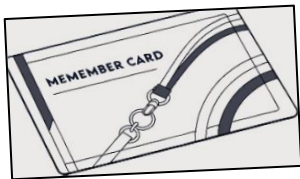
Auxiliary Updates

Your Auxiliary has selected **Jameson Exley for the 2026 scholarship**. Jameson plans to attend Arizona State to pursue a business finance degree. Jameson's grandmother, Katherine Radke is an Auxiliary member. Congratulations to Jameson and good luck for the future. Thank you to the other applicants who applied. Each application includes instructions and criteria required to be considered for the Auxiliary scholarship process. It is unfortunate several scholarship applications were denied because of the failure to meet these requirements.

BAKE SALES: The Auxiliary officers discussed the possibilities of continuing the bake sales. The bake sale is a fundraising event to give us the ability to make donations to our local non-profits/charities. To continue with the bake sales and donations, our Auxiliary officers need your help. We are looking for a few members to form a committee to organize and facilitate these events. Usually there are three sales to plan. The tentative plan would be to look at September for the first sale event. We appreciate your support and if you are interested in helping coordinate a bake sale or would like more information, please email deni69chevy@msn.com.

2026-2027 Officers

<u>Aerie</u>	<u>Aerie 2228</u>	<u>Auxiliary</u>
Dan Hanson	Past President	Judy Hanson
Eric Averbeck	President	Denise Haefner
Darold Sharar	Vice President	Rosemary Lutzi
Tim Macken	Chaplain	Deb Nordine
Renee Tschumper	Secretary	Cindy Novotne
Jim Backus	Treasurer	Paulette Lloyd
James Hayden	Conductor	Vicky Schoonover
Lloyd Cureton	Inside Guard	Jeanne Hanson
Gary Rudolph	Trustee	Sue Franken
Bruce Buchardt	Trustee	Liz Grodahl
John Mueller	Trustee	Gladys Shea
Gambling Manager: Larry Ritten Club Manager: Kevin Hanson		



Notice to Membership!! New Hard Membership Cards Are Coming!

In July, the Grand Aerie will be transitioning to hard membership cards for all members. For the 2026-2027 year, both the current yellow (or white for Auxiliary) dues receipt and the new hard card will be recognized as official membership cards. Starting with 2027-2028, only the hard card will be recognized. **If your address is**

not updated in our system, the new card will be returned to our Aerie and you will be contacted to pick up your card in person. **Please note that if you lose your hard card, there will be a fee to replace it**, and you will need to contact the Grand Aerie to get a replacement.

New Grill at the Club!

You may have noticed that at the first few car shows, the burgers were not grilled. They were still tasty, but Olmsted County Public Health required that we get a new “certified” grill which cost the Club a chunk of change. The new grill has arrived and been used a few times now and we’re back to having our amazing patio

experience with grilled burgers and brats. We are lucky to be able to afford it but there will be 50-50 sales at the Car Show with half the proceeds going to the winner and half going to pay for the grill. So make sure to buy 50-50 tickets and enjoy some great grilled food!



**Official
Certification**

AUGUST 9 NEWTON, IA
NASCAR RACE
BUS & RACE TICKET \$225

SIGN UP AT
THE BAR
KIDS
WELCOME

DONATIONS

Eagles Charitable Gambling Donated to These Organizations in June

- ❖ Dodge County Wild Cats Girls Hockey
- ❖ High 5 Foundation
- ❖ Olmsted County Agricultural Assn/Fisheries Div

Thank You Notes Received From:

- ❖ Byron Post Prom
- ❖ Cy's Place

Do These Young Women Look Familiar?



They are the **Olmsted County 4-H Horse Judging Team**, and you may have seen them selling meat trays at the Eagles this past winter to support their trip to Fort Worth for competition. One of the many ways we at the Eagles can support our outstanding local youth.

Thank you to Heidi Feldman for helping the young women sell meat trays, attending the competition with them, and for providing the following write up and picture.

The Olmsted County 4-H Horse Judging Team topped the nation at the American Paint Horse Association World Championship Show, held on June 20 in Fort Worth, Texas.

The junior team, consisting of Savannah, Brennan, and Delia, were the overall junior champions. As individuals, Brennan was the overall champion, Delia 4th overall, and Savannah 11th.

In addition, Olmsted County took home top honors in the Limited Division, with Madyson named the overall champion, Katelyn 8th, and Brianna 9th overall.

Additional members of the Olmsted County team who competed as individuals were Ellie, Karoline and Alena.

Congratulations to these Olmsted County 4-H'ers for their hard work this past year and their outstanding showing at the national contest!

Olmsted County 4-H is sincerely grateful for all of the support and fundraising help from the Eagles and its members. We couldn't have done it without you!

Well, those of us who know **Jim Gansen** always knew he was a clown, but he certainly proved it June 20th at the **National Tractor Pull Association Event at Deer Creek**. Jim provided "entertainment" and updates between divisions and he did not disappoint us! Thanks, Jim, for all you do for the community and the Eagles Club. Just another example of Eagles members helping out wherever they can. If you have a picture of a Member in Action helping in the Community, let us know.



July Events at Aerie 2228

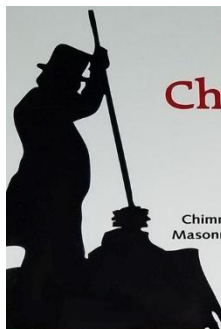
July 1	Car Show	5:00 PM
July 1	Ron Bublitz	5:30 – 7:30 PM
July 4	Happy July 4!	Club Open 8 AM - 4PM
July 4	Pickleball Tourney*	8:30 AM Start
July 4	Volleyball Tourney*	9:00 AM Start
July 4	Cash Raffle @ Deer Creek	8:00 PM
July 7	Aerie Meeting	6:00 PM
July 8	Car Show	5:00 PM
July 10	Lost Faculties	6:00 – 9:00 PM
July 11	Eagles Night @ Deer Creek*	Racing at 7PM
July 14	Auxiliary Meeting	6:00 PM
July 15	Car Show	5:00 PM
July 17	Last Chance	6:30 – 9:30 PM
July 21	Aerie Meeting	6:00 PM
July 22	Car Show	5:00 PM
July 26	Christmas in July	12:00 – 5:00 PM
July 26	Med City Misfits	12:00 – 2:30 PM
July 28	Auxiliary Meeting	6:00 PM
July 29	Car Show	5:00 PM
July 31	Monthly Cash Raffle	8:00 PM

Save the Dates

Aug 1	Eagle Stock*	2:00 -10:00 PM
Aug 7	20 th Annual Cancer Golf Tourney	Full!
Aug 7	Johnny Holm Band*	6:00 – 9:00 PM
Aug 9	Nascar Race in Newton, IA*	All Day Event

All music will be outside, weather permitting

* Indicates advance registration required or ticket purchase suggested



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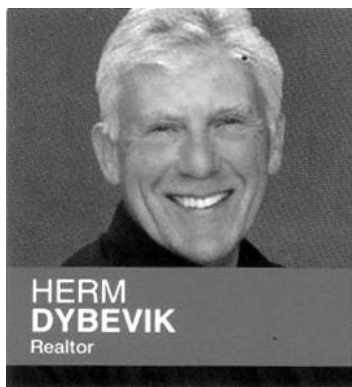


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