

MICHIGAN STATE AERIE NEWSLETTER
NOVEMBER
WORTHY STATE PRESIDENT
PAT POCKRANDT
ROYAL OAK #2092

YOUR STATE OFFICERS

2023 – 2024

State Jr. Past President
Dave Ross
Fruitport #3666

State President Elect
Dennis Korn
Mason Holt #3734

State Vice President
Phil Satterla
Madison Heights #3206

State Trustee (Chairman)
Al Ott
Mason Holt #3734

State Trustee
Dave Zemer
Michigan Center #3634

State Trustee
Jesse Barrow
Coldwater #1907

State Trustee
Keith Erdman
Highland Milford #4076

State Trustee
Richard Ricket
Greenville #4321

Chaplin
Michael Robertson
Waterford #2887

State Conductor
Mike Chorba
Michigan Center #3634

State Inside Guard
Dean Galla
Traverse City #383

State Outside Guard
Henry Conway
Negaunee #1944

State Treasurer
Bill Kluger
Lapeer #2427

State Secretary
Keith Brock
North Kent (Sparta) #3430
646 – 13 Mile RD NW
Sparta, MI. 49345
Office 616-383-7031
Email: mifoesecc@gmail.com



My Brothers,

The month of October slowed down just a little bit, but it has been very humbling to say the least!

October 6-7 the first lady and I went to the zone 1 conference at Waterford #2887, we had great conference. Dave Zemer did an outstanding job as Zone 1 Chairman.

Janice and I want to thank Waterford for the Awesome gifts of snacks and a speaker Koozie that were in the room when we arrived. The dinner and breakfast were excellent, the entertainer did an excellent job also. Dottie and I were given donations for our charities during that weekend also.

October 14th was my testimonial, some of us met up at my home Aerie before heading over to the VFW for the roasting and dinner. I want to thank Judy Miller and her crew from Motor City for catering the meal, Walled Lake for donating the lasagna and cupcakes. Cass Young and Lori Roberts for being the MCs for the evening and taking care of the reservations. Mickey Bell for the running the basket raffles, Dave, and Sandy Williams for helping with the check-in and tipping the tapper for the beer. And all who gave close to \$16,000 raised to my charity, Brave Hearts Estates. THANK YOU!!!

I want to thank everyone that came out for my testimonial, Special thank you to Dottie and the State Aerie and Auxiliary officers in attendance.

Janice and I have been out and about visiting some of you and enjoying your hospitality, with dinners, fundraisers, which most have been on the spot when we dropped by. I still have sellers out with Challenge coins and pins sets and shirts. If you see me, just ask.

BE SAFE, AND HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO ALL!!!

The answer to last month's question: 5 pens

This month's question is:

How many "Eagles Care" Houses are there around the world were there?

7, 16, 29.

OCTOBER 2023 MEMBERSHIP REPORT

TOP 10 AERIES for October 2023

1. Grand Haven #925	39
2. Caseville #3690	26
3. Whitehall #3214	23
4. North Kent #3430	22
5. White Cloud #4170	22
6. Harrison #3541	21
7. Lake City #3883	19
8. Hale #4217	19
9. Lake #3761	18
10. Fair Haven #2784	17
Paw Paw #4310	17

TOP 10 AERIES for the FISCAL YEAR

1. Grand Haven #925	229
2. Whitehall #3214	167
3. White Cloud #4170	144
4. East Tawas #2588	139
5. Harrison #3541	113
6. Fruitport #3666	105
7. Mt. Clemens #1269	102
8. Three Rivers #2303	96
9. Hale #4217	96
10. Caseville #3690	91

TOP 5 STATES IN THE NATION

STATE NUMBER REPORT

#AERIES

	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	TOTAL
1.OH	1184	1541	1455	1236	1285								6701
173													
2. MI.	903	1071	1088	938	784								4784
116													
3.WA.	795	1123	978	843	908								4647
82													
4. PA.	728	656	783	684	673								3719
76													
5.FL	675	786	715	664	665								3505
76													

Our new goal for this year 7% net gain. If your Aerie could get 10% of members to propose new members we will make that goal. I know MIGHTY MICHIGAN CAN MAKE THAT GOAL. We have 14 Aeries have already made net gain. Need 2,724 new and reenrolled members to net gain I know we can make that goal we had 555 member gain in October.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN
STATE AERIE SECRETARY
KEITH BROCK

2023 OCTOBER MEMBERSHIP

DISTRICT #1

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#2148 Port District	347	3	22	-11.7
#2265 Redford	398	1	19	-11.8
#2504 Northville	491	2	53	-0.4
#2566 Lincoln Park	276	0	16	-8.6
	0	0	0	0
#3861 Dearborn Hgts	162	8	12	-14.7
#3996 Van Buren	510	8	46	-3.6
#4104 Wayneland	214	4	20	-7.8

DISTRICT TOTALS 2398 46 -21.9

DISTRICT #2

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#0612 Jackson	230	1	8	-8
#1297 Morenci	180	0	10	-4.8
#2154 Ann Arbor	356	3	20	-8
#2250 Ypsilanti	497	3	21	-10
#2371 Adrian	369	4	25	-11.1
#3634 Mich Center	459	3	35	-4.2
#3689 Irish Hills	472	2	22	-1.9
	0	0	0	0

DISTRICT TOTALS 2563 40 -11

DISTRICT #3

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#1269 Mt. Clemens	1272	7	102	1.7
#2092 Royal Oak	521	3	30	-4.6
#2449 Hazel Park	222	6	17	-8.6
#2784 Fair Haven	767	17	38	-5.2
#2895 Roseclair	369	11	42	-1.9
#3206 Madison Hts.	308	1	28	-3.1
#3619 St. Clair Shores	399	7	46	2
#3702 Port Huron (Blue)	937	10	58	-6.1
#3926 Clawson	310	2	27	-2.5

DISTRICT TOTALS 5105 64 -28.3

DISTRICT #4

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#0629 Flint	219	3	18	-11.7
#0851 Owosso	607	1	46	-10.5
#2427 Lapeer	529	3	33	-8.5
#2460 Fenton	294	0	32	-8.1
#3485 Auto City	367	7	36	-8.3
#3589 Davison	666	2	43	-6.7
#3609 Clio	554	10	57	-5.6
#3814 Burton	321	3	20	-14.9
#3851 Durand	583	8	32	-8.3
#4082 Imlay City	354	8	26	-2.2
#4090 Montrose	188	7	11	-1.6

DISTRICT TOTALS 4682 52 -86.4

DISTRICT #5

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#497 Saginaw	297	7	17	-15.4
#1010 Bay City	239	8	20	-4.8
#2380 Vassar	331	2	18	-6.2
#3690 Caseville	1074	26	91	-1
#4099 Mayville	344	7	24	-6
#4413 Carrollton	161	4	20	-13
#4465 Cros/Lex	310	6	10	-1.9

DISTRICT TOTALS 2756 60 -48.3

DISTRICT #6

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#0299 Battle Creek	381	5	24	-18.4
#0526 Kalamazoo	135	6	20	-10.6
#1265 Albion	225	5	28	0.9
#1314 Sturgis	254	2	23	-12.7
#1907 Coldwater	260	1	9	-12.2
#2094 Niles	226	2	19	-6.2
#2303 Three Rivers	513	9	96	6.4
#2315 Allegan	478	7	41	-3.4
#2441 Dowagiac	223	8	62	-24.9
#3531 Schoolcraft(Portage)	416	6	34	-7.1
#4310 Paw Paw	536	17	44	-12.6

DISTRICT TOTALS 3647 68 -100.8

DISTRICT #7

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#0668 Muskegon	1436	15	66	-3.6
#0925 Grand Haven	2207	39	229	-0.9
#1354 Ludington	321	1	29	-5
#2535 Big Rapids	420	6	14	-7.1
#3167 Oceana	704	8	47	-3
#3214 Whitehall	1980	23	190	2.9
#3306 Lakeside	245	3	9	-6.8
#3430 North Kent	699	22	80	1.3
#3666 Fruitport	1780	0	105	-2.4
#4170 White Cloud	799	22	144	-3.5
#4360 Stanwood	388	6	52	-0.8
#4467 Sand Lake	593	12	51	-8.8

DISTRICT TOTALS 11572 157 -37.7

DISTRICT #8

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#1241 Alpena	245	0	11	-7.5
#1282 Cheboygan	480	6	48	-0.4
#1583 Boyne City	746	1	79	3.3
#1825 Gaylord	580	9	30	-7.5
#2462 Petoskey	521	12	63	-2.6
#3465 Grayling	372	0	33	-4.4
#3544 Comins	482	3	24	-2.6
#3762 Ossineke	205	0	8	-42.9
#4046 Indian River	522	5	18	-16.6
#4077 Atlanta	320	4	19	-4.5
#4141 Barton City	331	6	31	-0.6
#4237 Oscoda	366	0	22	-10.7
#4482 Millersburg	310	3	16	-1.3

DISTRICT TOTALS 5480 49 -98.3

DISTRICT #9

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#1088 Escanaba	227	0	20	-3.4
#1122 South Range	88	2	7	-2.2
#1944 Negaunee	182	2	13	4
#2239 Ontonagon	68	0	2	-4.2
#3755 Manistique	167	5	17	-10.7

DISTRICT TOTALS 732 9 2.7

DISTRICT #10

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#1230 Pontiac	217	1	6	-5.2
#2634 Rochester	604	5	76	-7.6
#2887 Waterford	465	6	52	-2.3
#3373 Clarkston	868	16	45	0.9
#3492 Walled Lake	447	0	34	-3.2
#3575 Union Lake	252	2	9	-5.3
#3613 Orion-Oxford	358	4	26	-8.4
#4076 Highland	310	2	28	-6.3
DISTRICT TOTALS	3521	38		14.9

DISTRICT #11

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#1039 Lansing	385	6	11	-9
#3552 Charlotte	342	10	19	-4.2
#3607 Howell	610	16	43	-2.6
#3734 Mason-Holt	347	6	33	-5.2
#3782 Woodland	320	5	27	-10.5
#4091 Williamston	190	2	14	-6.4
#4321 Greenville	669	4	72	-8.7

DISTRICT TOTALS 2863 49 -46.6

DISTRICT #12

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#2110 Midland	382	5	38	-8.4
#2588 Tawas Bay	1029	16	139	3
#3201 Houghton Lake	653	13	50	-3.3
#3292 Gladwin	365	7	60	7
#3541 Harrison	335	21	113	30.4
#3646 West Branch	639	8	69	-6
#3655 Beaverton	673	7	57	-3.2
#3677 Sanford	326	8	40	-9.7
#3761 Lake	282	18	35	-12.4
#3884 Lake City	388	19	36	-3
#4087 Marion	354	1	45	-1.7
#4121 Secord Lake	1195	12	71	-3.3
#4217 Hale	990	19	96	-1.6
#4463 Mt. Pleasant	237	3	15	-6.7
#4540 Weidman	616	3	49	-3.8
DISTRICT TOTALS	8464	91		15.6
Total members	55607			

DISTRICT #14

	TTL	MO	YTD	NT GN
#3313 Benzie County	521	14	84	0
#3503 Interlochen	429	11	51	-3.4
#4496 Kalkaska	366	1	30	-3.9
#383 Traverse City	508	12	41	-5.9
DISTRICT TOTALS	1784	8		5.6

Trustee's Corner.....

November 2023

The Holidays are around the corner. Happy Thanksgiving from the Board of Trustee's. The fall has shown lots of activity at the rebuild of the MEFRC. We cannot thank Jason Brock for his hard work and leadership to take charge. Also, thanks to Keith Brock, Jack Stanaway, Brian Madach and everyone else that got down and dirty. Also, thanks to Karl Ervin and his MEFRC member that did more staining on the cabins.

The BOT are reviewing price changes for across the street. They are coming and will have to approved by the membership at the annual meeting in June in Lansing. Seasonal & nightly rates will be increasing.

The BOT along with Jason Brock will be repairing the lights in the parking and adding an entrance light off of Garfield Rd.

The BOT are also reviewing all of our cost of good across the road for all products that we sell and use to prepare the meals and drinks. When vendor prices increase, the food and drink prices will increase.

The BOT want to continue to thank Lori Roberts for her dedication to the MEFRC and handling the reservations. This is a non- paid position and she does a great. Please be a good Eagle when speaking to Lori. She has a tough task.

In closing, we have some State Officers that have some health issues that they are dealing with. The next time you are praying for family, friends & relatives. Please keep this Men & Women in your prayers.

Fraternally,

Al, Dave, Jesse, Keith & Rich.



Al the Red Nose Fundeer

What:
Rec Center Christmas Party

Where:
Michigan Eagles Family Recreation Center
6656 Garfield Ave.
Lake Mi. 48635

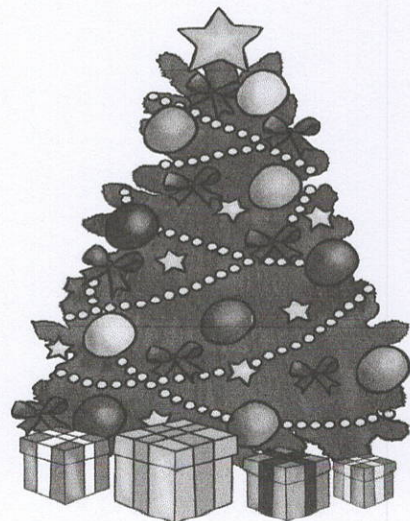
When:
December 2, 2023
5:00 pm.

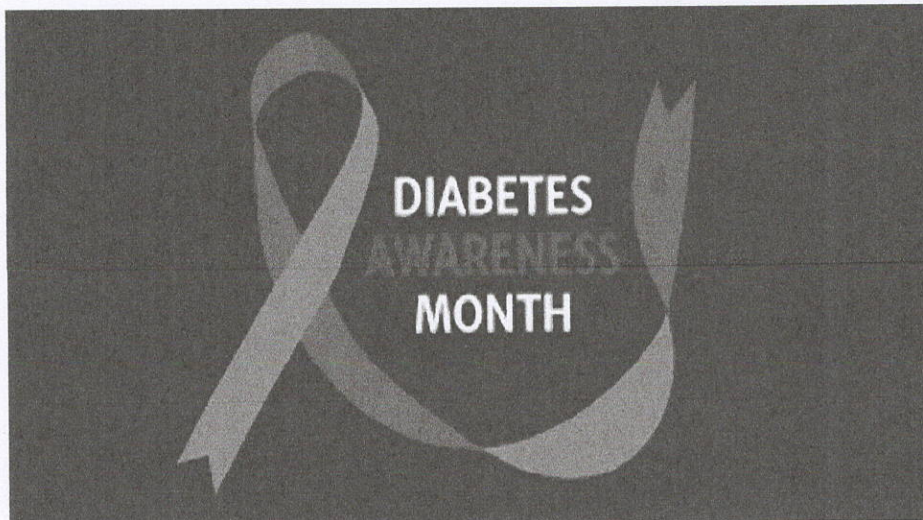
Food Fun Music Dancing and lots of
Laughter
Santa & The Mrs. just might
show up for this party.

Hotel Information

Oseola Grand Hotel
940 W. 7th St.
Ewart MI. 49631
231-734-0470

Mention: Eagles Rec Christmas
\$119.00 +tax per night





NOVEMBER 8, 2023
5:30PM -9:00PM

Join us in honor of Diabetes Awareness Month

\$10 Dinner & Lots of Fun!

Grilled Chicken or Steak Skewers w/ Roasted Vegetables and Homemade Peach Cobbler



All proceeds will benefit the Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center Charity.

The Diabetes Research Center, which opened Aug. 23, 2014, occupies 1.5 floors (20,000+ sq. ft.) within the John and Mary Pappajohn Biomedical Discovery Building. A team of 100 researchers works daily conducting a variety of research studies centered around maintaining, preventing and, ultimately, curing diabetes.

Dinner & Dollars for Diabetes Fundraiser!

\$10 Dinner

Pin the Waddle on the Turkey !

\$5 Turkey Walk to win all your favorite Thanksgiving fixings!

50/50's and Other Games!

MASON HOLT EAGLES

1111 N. Cedar Rd.
Mason, MI 48854

www.masonholteagles.com

Questions:

Helene Hendrickson at
517-206-9394



Please join us for

VETERANS DAY

Dinner



DINNER INCLUDES:

Pork Loin wrapped in Bacon, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Corn, Roll
& Dessert. Cost \$12.00

All Veterans and Active Duty eat FREE with ID.

★ **SATURDAY/ NOVEMBER 11/ 4:30 PM**

MICHIGAN CENTERE EAGLES 3634

302 Fifth St., Michigan Center

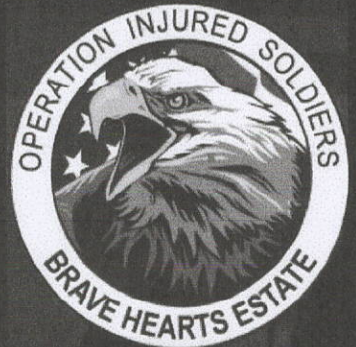
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO
Operation Injured Soldiers-Brave
Hearts Estate

BURTON 3814

STATE PRESIDENTS



FUNDRAISER SPAGHETTI DINNER



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH

4PM TO 8PM

ENJOY A NIGHT OF MUSIC WITH IMAGE BAND!

**Raffles
50/50's**



On Stage @ 8pm

**Pat & Dottie
Will Be Here
To Visit With!**



Come join us.

Aerie / Auxiliary



Compliance .&

Date: November 11th, 2023

Time: 10:00am – 2:00 pm

Place: Van Buren Eagles # 3996

9961 Beck Rd

Belleville, MI 48111

734-699-8836

Training is on keeping your Aerie or Auxiliary in compliance, along with officer training, Current officers and members wishing on becoming an officer this training is open to all officers and members in good standings.

Lunch will be available for \$5.00.

Please contact Lisa @ 734-732-3809 if you are planning on attending

BURTON 3814

STATE PRESIDENTS



FUNDRAISER SPAGHETTI



DINNER

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH

4PM TO 8PM

ENJOY A NIGHT OF MUSIC WITH IMAGE BAND!

**Raffles
50/50's**



**Pat & Dottie
Will Be Here
To Visit With!**

On Stage @ 8pm

50/50's

FOE
State



Texas Hold'em

Food Tournament Fun!


Sunday, November 12

Buy-In \$40

Registration 12pm

All Proceeds go
to State President, Pat
Pockrandt's charity
Braveheart Estates

Royal Oak Eagles #2092
401 Fourth St, Royal Oak MI

License # 



50/50's

FOE
State



Texas Hold'em

Food Tournament Fun!

Saturday, March 23

Buy-In \$40

Registration 12pm

All Proceeds go
to State President, Pat
Pockrandt's charity
Braveheart Estates

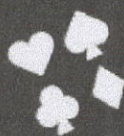
Mason-Holt Eagles #3734
1111 N. Cedar St., Mason, MI

License #



50/50's

FOE
State



Texas Hold'em
Food Tournament Fun!

Saturday, January 27

Buy-In \$40

Registration 12pm

All Proceeds go
to State President, Pat
Pockrandt's charity
Braveheart Estates

Madison Heights Eagles #3206
604 W 11 Mile, Madison Heights, MI

License #



50/50's

FOE
State



Texas Hold'em

Food Tournament Fun!

Saturday, February 24

Buy-In \$40

Registration 12pm

All Proceeds go
to State President, Pat
Pockrandt's charity
Braveheart Estates

Williamston Eagles #4091
835 High St, Williamston

License #



MICHIGAN STATE EAGLES MEMORIAL FOREST

@ MEFR, 7500 Garfield Avenue

Contact Person: Jason Brock, State Chairman
547 Blauw, Sparta, MI 49345
616-710-5203

Please make your check payable to the "Memorial Forest" and send your check along with this completed form to Jason Brock at the address above.

Tree prices start at \$200, Evergreen's \$250, Oak \$300. This includes the cost of the tree, a name plaque, maintenance and planting materials. This form must be returned no later than April 25th, 2022 to be recognized at the Memorial Service.

Your donations help support and keep the spirit of our past brothers and sisters with us.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

TREE ORDER FORM - Were they a Veteran? Yes _____ No _____

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Tree Dedicated To: _____

Aerie or Auxiliary Number: _____

Tree Dedicated From: _____

Aerie or Auxiliary Number: _____

AVAILABLE TREES: (Please circle selection)

Crim Cloud	Plum	Autumn Blaze Maple	Red Maple
Norway Maple	Crimson King Maple	Crimson Maple	Lilac
Cherry	Spruce	Pine	Fir
		Oak	Birch

State Sports Coordinator

Rick Praski * (989) 721-1054

Your one call for any Eagle State Sports related Questions



www.mifoe.com

Your place for Sports Information, Results, Applications, and More.



2023 Men's Pool

Sanford #3677



Men's Singles
Dave Williams
(248) 766-2415
Jan 27th-28th-29th

2023 Cornhole

Gaylord #1825



Winter Event
Chas Tower
(810) 397-8680
Feb 18th & 19th

2023 Men's Pool

Sanford #3677



Jack & Jill Doubles
Dave Williams
(248) 766-2415
Mar 3rd-4th-5th

2023 Men's Bowling

Cheboygan #1282



Spare Times Lanes
Chuck Portman
(231) 881-2443
March Weekends
April Weekends

2023 Men's Pool

Sanford #3677



Men's Doubles
Dave Williams
(248) 766-2415
Apr 7-8-9

2023 Softball

Open for Bids



Kerby Hull
(248) 250-1683
June / July

2023 Mens Golf

Port Huron #3702



Marysville GC
Rick Praski
(989) 721-1054
July 08th & 09th
July 15th & 16th

2023 Mr&Mrs Golf

Vassar #2380



Willow Springs GC
Rick Praski
(989) 721-1054
August 12th & 13th
August 19th & 20th

2023 Cornhole

Davison #3589



Summer Event
Chas Tower
(810) 397-8680
August 26th-27th

2023 Horseshoes

Howell #3607



Dan Clacher
(517) 404-4599
Sep 08th-09th

2023 Mr&Mrs Bowling

Cheboygan #1282



Spare Times Lanes
Chuck Portman
(231) 881-2443
Weekends
Sep - Oct

2023 Men's Pool

Open for Bids



Team Event
Dave Williams
(248) 766-2415
Nov 3rd-4th-5th

Pool

mifoe.com/Pool

Men's Bowling

mifoe.com/Bowling

Softball

mifoe.com/Softball

Men's Golf

mifoe.com/MensGolf

Cornhole

mifoe.com/Cornhole

Mr&Mrs Bowling

mifoe.com/MRnMRSBowling

Horseshoes

mifoe.com/Horseshoes

Mr&Mrs Golf

mifoe.com/MRnMRSGolf