

MICHIGAN STATE AUXILIARY FEBRUARY 2024



Hello Sisters

I would like to thank Williamston 4092 Aerie and Auxiliary for all of the generous donations that they have made to my charity.

> Thank you to Mason-Holt 3734 Aerie and Auxiliary for their donation to my charity from the Chili Cookoff. I am honored to share this with Grand Aerie President Chuck Webber as his charity is also Autism.

> I attended Jackson 612 on Saturday February 3rd for their joint anniversary celebration, 97 years for the Auxiliary and 120 years for the Aerie, what an outstanding accomplishment. I would like to express my sincere thanks for their generous donations to my charity.

I am very excited about the upcoming Pool Tournament that is going to be held in Kalamazoo 0526 this year on February 10-11 as we have not had one in the last few years.

Please plan on attending the Compliance Workshop that will be held on February 24th at Mason Holt 3734. All auxiliary members are invited to attend.

Please remember that Grand Auxiliary Madam President Becky Wilson will be touring Michigan Auxiliaries from March 1st through March 6th. Her itinerary will be noted in the bulletin.

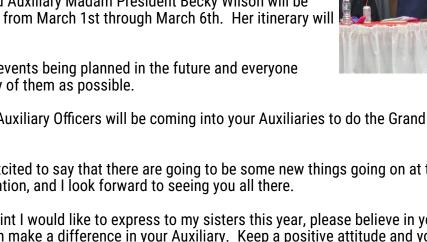
There are so many exciting events being planned in the future and everyone should try to attend as many of them as possible.

Please be aware that State Auxiliary Officers will be coming into your Auxiliaries to do the Grand Aerie Surveys in the upcoming months.

> I am excited to say that there are going to be some new things going on at this years State Convention, and I look forward to seeing you all there.

One point I would like to express to my sisters this year, please believe in yourself and know you can make a difference in your Auxiliary. Keep a positive attitude and your self worth will be greatly rewarded.

All My Love Five Dollar Dottie Your State Madam President Dorthy (Dottie) Shattuck



State Madam President's Charity

CMHA-CEI's Autism Support Team was established in 2009 to meet the growing need of children and adults with autism spectrum disorders in the tri-county area. The mission of this project is "To provide a supportive environment for children and adults with autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and their families by helping to facilitate a range of services to meet ongoing needs throughout the life span."



Michigan State Auxiliary Fraternal Order of Eagles

620 E. Slocum Street Whitehall., MI 49461 (231) 740-8580

State Madam President, Dorthy "Dottie" Shattuck will be escorting Grand Madam President, Becky Wilson of Springfield, MO, Auxiliary #294 on a visit to numerous Auxiliaries in March. As is out tradition, we will present a monetary gift to GMP, Becky Wilson from out Great State of Michigan. To make donation towards this gift, send a check made payable to Julie Kassner and send to 620 E. Slocum St. Whitehall, MI 49461 prior to February 23^{rd,} 2024.

Grand Madam President, "Becky" and State Madam President, Dottie will be visiting the following Auxiliaries:

Friday, March 1st – Mason/Holt Auxiliary 3734 – 5 p.m. Dinner & Overnight Saturday, March 2nd – Traverse City Auxiliary 383 – All Day (Cash Bash) Dinner & Overnight

Sunday, March 3rd – Kalkaska Auxiliary 4496 – Lunch around Noon

Sunday, March 3rd – Michigan Eagle Family Rec. Center – 4 p.m. Dinner & Overnight

Monday, March 4th – Mt. Pleasant Auxiliary 4463 – Lunch around Noon

Monday, March 4th – Vassar Auxiliary 2380 – 5 p.m. Dinner & Overnight

Tuesday, March 5th – Frankenmuth, MI – Lunch around Noon & Shopping

Tuesday, March 5th – Owosso Auxiliary 851 – 5 p.m. Dinner & Overnight

Sisters, please try to attend one of these visits to greet and meet Becky as she is a very dedicated Eagle from the State of Missouri a very deserving of the office she holds. Let's give a Mighty Michigan welcome to her, and have a nice money purse to present to her.

Fraternally,

Julie Kassner, State Secretary Michigan State Auxiliary, F.O.E. 620 E. Slocum St. Whitehall, MI 49461

Cc: State Madam President, Dorthy "Dottie" Shattuck

Here is a list of items that need to be completed.

- 1) Make sure you put all the <u>updated officers</u> in the MMS
- 2) We need to work on the IRS 990N E-postcards. If your auxiliary had less than \$50,000.00 you should do an e-postcard and a copy has to go to the Grand Aerie. When you have all your books audited you should get this form completed. It only takes 10 minutes to do this. The 990N e-postcard is due on October 15th. You are late. If you have an accountant and they can't get your 990 long form completed by the deadline have them file an Extension. You must sent a copy of the Extension to the Grand Aerie. Call this office if you need any help on completing the forms.
- 3) I sent out a New Officers Form to fill out. Local Auxiliaries, Districts and Zones. <u>NO</u> MMS Officers List. I will have a list of the Auxiliaries that have not sent in the Officers List to the State.
- 4) A lot of the Insurance Company's do not forward a complete copy of the Policy to the Grand Aerie. All Auxiliaries must be bonded. Can you help your Aerie's to get a full copy of the policy and send it in to the Grand Aerie. We have (19) Aerie's that need to get a copy of the Policy to the Grand Aerie. Auxiliaries must be bonded. We have (17) Auxiliaries that are not Bonded.
- 5) Now we have (3) Auxiliaries that haven't filed the 990N for (2022). We also have (19) Auxiliaries that need to get this past years 990N done. Secretaries should not get compensated if the work is not competed. The IRS is so far behind getting all taxes done. I am asking each of you to send me a copy of your acceptance report on the 990. This is mandatory to have this done and a copy must go to the Grand Aerie ASAP.
- 6) We have (9) Auxiliaries that haven't completed the Affiliation Agreement. A copy needs to go to the Grand Aerie. This is done every (5) five years.
- 7) Ladies, try and make sure you have your By-laws up to date not more than (2) years old.

If you have any of the above that is completed call Joan at the Grand Aerie to update your file. We will be sending State Officers out to each auxiliaries to get a Survey done per the Grand Aerie.

The State Auxiliary is here to help anyone that have questions or that need any help. Give the state office a call so we can help you with any issues.

A special Thank You to all the Auxiliary Secretaries that have completed all of the above that has been mentioned. Keep up the **Great Job Ladies** you have been doing for your auxiliary.

Have a great February, we are "People Helping People."

Fraternally,
Julie Kassner,
State Madam Secretary
231-740-8580
mistauxsec@gmail.com

		Grand	State				Affiliation
Auxiliaries		PCT	PCT	Insurance	Bonding	990's	Agreement
#497 Saginaw				xxxx	xxxx		
#612 Jackson	X					2 Yrs	
#925 Grand Haven				XXXX	XXXX		
#1230 Pontiac						XXXX	
#1282 Cheboygan						XXXX	
#1825 Gaylord				XXXX	XXXX		
#1944 Negaunee				XXXX			
#2094 Niles				XXXX			
#2148 Southgate						XXXX	
#2315 Allegan						XXXX	
#2441 Dowagiac						XXXX	
#2449 Hazel Park						XXXX	
#2566 Lincoln Park							XXXX
#2784 Fair Haven							XXXX
#3167 Hart				XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	
#3201 Houghton Lake							XXXX
#3306 Norton Shores						XXXX	XXXX
#3373 Clarkston				XXXX	XXXX		
#3485 Mt. Morris					XXXX	XXXX	
#3531 Schoolcraft				XXXX	XXXX		
#3544 Comins						2 Yrs	XXXX
#3575 Union Lake				XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	
#3609 Clio				XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	
#3634 Michigan Center	X					EXT	
#3677 Sanford				XXXX	XXXX		
#3690 Caseville						XXXX	
#3761 Lake				XXXX	XXXX		XXXX
#3762 Spruce				XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	
#3782 Woodland				1000	1.2.2.2	XXXX	
#3884 Lake City							XXXX
#3926 Clawson						XXXX	70001
#4046 Indian River						XXXX	
#4091 Williamston						XXXX	
#4099 Mayville						XXXX	
#4104 Wayne				XXXX	XXXX	2 Yrs	XXXX
#4141 Barton City				XXXX	XXXX	2 113	70000
#4217 Hale				XXXX	7,000		
#4310 Lawton				XXXX	XXXX		
#4413 Carrollton				7000	7000		XXXX
#4465 Cros/Lex				XXXX	XXXX		XXX
#4540 Weidman				XXXX	XXXX		
Grand Total		0	0	19	17	22	9





Greetings Sisters,

I received a letter from the Grand Aerie Membership Chairman (Tim Hoyt) requesting us to push for a positive net gain. There are only 4 months left to our fiscal year when the final membership numbers are tallied. I'm proud of the hard work the auxiliaries have put in to bring those members in so far this year. Reaching Net Gain or Net Gain +2% is a team effort. Remember to reach out every chance you get. Every member matters!

As of January 31st, these are our membership numbers:

Count = 26,260

Net Gain = -521

Net Gain % = -1.9

Details of each auxiliary are on the membership statistics spreadsheet (next page).

We need 1043 new members to reach a 2% net gain and 508 new members for a positive net gain.

Just a FYI the Aerie is currently at -1.92% net gain.

We now have 33 auxiliaries at positive net gain.

If you have any questions or concerns on membership, please feel free to contact me at 248-221-9592 or by email "newmes 1237@att.net"

State Membership Chairman

Debbie Newman



"Membership is like a pizza

You can never have too many toppings"

Jan 2024			2023-2024	MEME	JERSH	2023-2024 MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS	As of: J	annan	As of: January 31, 2024								
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#2148 Southgate	134	7	0	-11	9.7-	$\overline{}$	193	12	3	-26	-11.9	#1088 Escanaba	227	16	1	2	6.0
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#2566 Lincoln Park	148	2	0	-6	-5.7	#2380 Vassar	268	21	3	7	2.7	#2239 Ontonagan	46	2	0	-5	8.6-
#3861 Fairlane	102	3	1	-11	-9.7		824	20	8	19	2.4	#3755 Manistique	74	5	2	-11	-12.9
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#0612 Jackson	168	13	1	-14	1.7-	#0299 Battle Creek	81	0	1	-13	-13.8	#2887 Waterford	292	33	3	13	4.7
#1297 Morenci	137	1	,	-5	-1.4	#0526 Kalamazoo	106	8	1	4	-3.6	#3373 Clarkston	375	10	2	-14	-3.6
#2250 Ypsilanti	207	4	0	-71	-9.2		95	1	,	9-	-6.1	#3492 Walled Lake	385	13	3	-18	4.5
#2371 Adrian	241	19	4	-33	-8.4		141	8	3	0	0	#3575 Union Lake	159	4	1	-10	-5.9
#3634 Michigan Cent	588	14	3	-18	-5.9	#1907 Coldwater	242	6	4	-56	-9.7	#3613 Orion/Oxford	232	9	0	1-	-2.9
#3689 Irish Hills	315	77	2	-12	-3.7	#2094 Nil	88	10	3	5	9	#4076 Highland/Milfor	234	30	9	11	4.9
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#1269 Mt. Clemens	908	81	4	44	5.8		77	0	0	-3	-12	#3607 Howell	159	52	4	8	5.3
#2092 Royal Oak	229	8	2	6-	-3.8	TOTAL		66	25	-65		#3734 Mason/Holt	348	14	5	-11	-3.1
#2449 Hazel Park	114	9	1	-10	-8.1							#3782 Woodland	91	5	0	1	1.1
#2784 Fair Haven	347	15	2	-7	-5	#0668 Muskegon	317	12	0	2	9.0	#4091 Williamston	152	7	0	-15	6-
#2895 Roseclair	216	50	3	16	8	#0925 Grand Haven	1096	116	15	53	5.1	#4321 Greenville	210	13	2	-10	4.5
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#3814 Burton	195	6	7	-17	φ		247	19	2	3	1.2	#4540 Weidman	251	7	-	6-	-3.5
#3851 Durand	337	15	10	0	0	#1825 Gaylord	360	19	10	2	9.0	TOTAL		230	41	-63	
#4082 Imlay City	136	5	1	-11	-7.5		256	37	9	56	11.3						
#4090 Montrose	112	13	1	9	5.7	#3465 Grayling	211	7	3	-12	-5.4	DISTRICT #14					
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February 11th Kalamazoo #0526 - State Aux Pool Tournament**

February 17th Lapeer Aerie #2427 will have the Goat Races at 2:00p.m.

February 17th Allegan Auxiliary #2315 Sweetheart dance

February 18th Motor City Auxiliary #2265 74th Anniversary at 2:00p.m. Ritual Initiation

February 24th Compliance Training at Mason-Holt #3734. 10am - 2pm

February 24th Howell Auxiliary #3607 is having 49th Camaraderie Dinner from 4pm – 11pm

March 2nd Traverse City Auxiliary #383 Cash Bash starts at 1:00p.m.

March 16th Greenville Auxiliary #4321 Charity Fundraiser Dinner starts at 5:00p.m.

March 16th Mason-Holt #3734 Anniversary Dinner

March23rd Gladwin Auxiliary #3292 Fundraiser for our State President**

March 29th Mason Holt Auxiliary #3734 Fundraiser by the Wild Childs. Dinner at 5:30p.m.

April 6th State Spring Board Meeting at Davison Eagle #3589

That evening is a Fundraiser, the Piano player. Questions contact Tina Shephard

April 13th & 14th Annual Bowling Tournament Fenton Auxiliary #2460 hosting

April 13th Rose Clair Auxiliary #2895 Fundraiser**

April 20th Beaverton Auxiliary #3655 The Follies are back

April 27th & 28th Zone**

May 4th & 5th Zone**

May 10th Three Rivers Auxiliary #2303, Mother, daughter celebration. Cocktails at 5p.m.

May 11th Mason Holt #3734 Special Cash Raffle Dinner Fundraiser for SMP

May 11th Howell #3607 Horseshoe Tournament for both State Presidents' Charities

May 18th Cash Bash at the MEFRC starts at noon.

**More Details To Come

Do you have an anniversary, fundraiser or special event for our state coming up? To have them added to Invitations, please contact Madam State Secretary Julie Kassner/Campbell PSMP: mistauxsec@gmail.com or (231) 740-8580.



FEBRUARY 2024

4th ~ Barbara Swint PSMP19th ~ Carol Palen PSMP22nd ~ Sherry Ferris PSMP

MARCH 2024

7th ~ Linda Day PSMP

My Brothers and Sisters
each one is different and special.
Bless them and protect them
from harm.



Michigan State Auxiliary Officers 2023 ~ 2024

Jr. Past Madam President - Cynthia Conway
State Madam President - Dorthy Shattuck
State Madam President Elect - Tina Shephard
State Madam Vice President - Tina Gueits
State Madam Chaplain - Cynthia Fletcher
State Madam Secretary - Julie Kassner/Campbell
State Madam Treasurer - Norma Wooster
State Madam Trustee - Brenda Galla
State Madam Trustee - Deb Gagneau
State Madam Trustee - Val Timm
State Madam Trustee - China Ricket
State Madam Trustee - Debbie Goetterman
State Madam Conductor - Vicki Hoermann
State Madam Inside Guard - Marcia Knight
State Madam Outside Guard - Kathy Filipski

Hello Sisters!

Thank you for sending info & pictures to share with others! If you are at an event, please email over any pictures you can so that we can share what our Mighty Michigan State is up to! The bulletin deadline is on the 5th of every month. Please send any bulletin information, pictures or questions to: auxiliary3734@gmail.com.



Heather Dunivon Mason-Holt #3734



Thank You! Heather:)

BACK TO BASICS

Home, Country and Our God
Membership is like a pizza...
You can never have too many toppings!

Eagle Sisters and Brothers together working to knockout Autism!



MEFRC 2024 SEASON RENTAL INFORMATION

Starting **Feb 1 at 9:30 a.m.** we will start taking reservations for the 2024 Camping Season.

Reservations are made by calling or texting at 989-312-3293

Leave a message with your name and phone number

Messages will be returned in the order received

ONLY (1) CAMPSITE or CABIN CAN BE RESERVED PER PERSON

Cabin Rentals Guidelines

WHEN MAKING RESERVATIONS:

Only one (1) Cabin Reservation can be reserved at a time.

Full payments are required at the time of reservation.

Members can only reserve a Cabin for one of the Major events held at the MEFRC (Spring Cash Bash, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Fall Cash Bash) We want everyone to get a chance to stay in a Cabin.

If a Cabin is not available for the week or weekend you can put your name on a waiting list if one comes open, you will be contacted.

No members have priority over others. First come First reserved.

Members have up to 72 hours before forfeiting deposit.

Summer Price (May thru Oct) \$75.00 Per night

Winter (Nov thru April) \$50.00 Per night

Approved by MI STATE AERIE BOT

F.O.E. State Madam President Charity Pool Tournament "KNOCK OUT AUTISM"

Saturday February 10th & Sunday February 11th
Kalamazoo Eagles 526
1332 Branch St.
Kalamazoo, MI 49001





100% Payout on Entry Fees

1st Place = 50%

2nd Place = 30%

3rd Place = 20%

Check-in Begins @ 11am Blind Draw @ 11:45am Play Starts @ 12pm Sharp!

Game: 8-Ball
Blind Draw for Partners
\$10 entry fee. Limited to 40 players (20 teams)

Call your pocket "not your shot"
No ball in hand on Scratch shots
Format Double Elimination



For more information & to reserve a spot call Marsha Grzemkowski 989-284-2952

50/50 Raffles and Baskets Burger & Fries Special \$5



FEBRUARY 23, 2024 F.O.E CHARITIES DINNER & EGGSTRAVAGANZA!

5:30pm-10pm

Come join us for dinner and some egg-citement at a Fundraiser to benefit multiple F.O.E. Charities!

The Fraternal Order of Eagles believes every penny donated to our Charity Foundation should benefit the organizations who need it most - that's why we return 100% of all funds raised in the form of grants. Your full donation is being used to make a difference in the lives of the men, women and children in need. Learn more about or FOE Charities at www.mistaux.com/charities.

Chicken Francese (French) Dinner

Lightly battered pan-fried chicken breast with a white wine lemon sauce, side & homemade dessert



Dinner, Games, Raffles, and Fun!

Chicken Francese Dinner w/ side and dessert for \$15

DJ Music & Karaoke by Phyllis Wilson

\$5 an egg for your chance enter the Eggstravaganza!

All proceeds benefit FOE Foundation Charities

Online Donations at www.masonholteagles.com

MASON-HOLT EAGLES

1111 N Cedar Rd. Mason, MI 48854

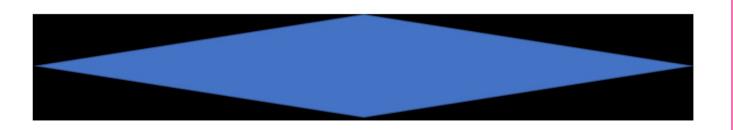
www.masonholteagles.com

Questions contact Janet Rulison at 517-204-2399



Come Join Us! Auxiliary Compliance & Officer Duty Training





Date: February 24th, 2024

Time: 10:00am - 2:00 pm

Place: Mason-Holt Eagles #3734 1111 N. Cedar St

> Mason, MI 48854 517-244-0684

Come and learn how to keep your Auxiliary in compliance.
All members in good standing are encouraged to come and learn about how you can help your club be the best that it can!

Lunch will be available for \$5.00.

Please contact Heather @ auxiliary3734@gmail.com if you plan on attending.

Win a weekend at the MEFRC

@ the Spring & Fall Cash Bash-2024

The Board of Trustees' are giving away:

1st place-Free Cabin for the weekend of the Spring Cash Bash
And
2nd place-Free Cabin for the weekend of the Fall Cash Bash

3rd place-A \$150.00 gift certificate to the MEFRC

(use it for a cabin, campsite, big house or in the social room)

Tickets are 3 of \$5.00

The drawing is at Mason Holt on Saturday March 16 @ 4:30 pm

Need not be present to win!

The proceeds will be used to purchase (3) exterior signs for the social room building....

Tickets will be available for purchase by the middle of January.

Check with your Aerie & Auxiliary Secretaries & State Officers for tickets.

Thanks for your support and come and see your beautiful new MEFRC.

We have the full support of:

State President(s) Pat Pockrandt & Dottie Shattuck



Grand Madam President

Becky Wilson

Sunday, March 3rd 4-7 PM

MEFRC Social Room 6656 Garfield Ave. Lake, MI 48632

All Membership Welcome



FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES

MICHIGAN STATE AERIE AND AUXILIARY



STATE PRESIDENTS ANNUAL CASH BASH FUNDRAISER



PATRICK POCKRANDT
OPERATION INJURED SOLDIERS
BRAVE HEART ESTATES



DORTHY "DOTTIE" SHATTUCK
CMHA-CEI'S AUTISM
SUPPORT TEAM

March 2nd, 2024@ 1pm



DRAWING STARTS AT 2PM

TRAVERSE CITY EAGLES #383 409 W. 14TH ST TRAVERSE CITY, MI 49684



\$25 per ticket admits (2)

Includes entry into cash drawings - -prize payouts (see below) plus every 25th ticket drawn will receive \$25, Appetizers, Draft Beer and Fountain Pop also included.

1ST PLACE ~ \$1,200.00

2ND PLACE ~ \$500.00

3RD PLACE ~ \$200.00

4TH PLACE ~ \$150.00

5TH PLACE ~ \$100.00



RAFFLES
CHINESE AUCTION
50/50'S
AND MORE.....
DONATIONS
APPRECIATED

Sponsored by TC Aerie and Auxiliary #383

Hotel Information Baymont Inn & Suites 231-933-4454 Mention Eagles If you have questions please email bkschaub72@gmail.com

To purchase tickets you may stop into Traverse City Eagles Club

Steak Cards for Autism

Sat. March 23rd.

Autism A

3:00-5:00 pm

Stuffed Chicken Breast Dinner

Includes Potatoes, Corn, Green Beans and Dessert. \$12.00 Donation 5:00-7:00

Music with "Mike Odette Band" (M.O.B.) 7:00-10:00 pm

All Welcome to one or ALL events!!

Meet our State Auxiliary State President <u>"Dottie Shattock"</u>

We are honoring those special people involved with giving, caring, helping and loving those affected with or by Autism

Hosted by: Gladwin Aux. 3292 101 N. State St. Gladwin, MI

65th Annual Michigan FOE State Bowling Tournament



Fenton Auxiliary # 2460 will be hosting the Tournament.

April 13 & 14, 2024

The opening ceremony will begin 10:30am, Sat. April 13th at **Fenton Lanes** - 3014 W. Thompson Rd, Fenton. Check in at 10:00 am with Auxiliary dues card and Sanction cards if bowling as a sanctioned bowler. The team event will be on Sunday, April 14th at 11:00 am.

Tournament entry is on a first come first served basis.

I have a block of 20 rooms reserved at The Comfort Inn - 17800 Silver Parkway, Fenton (810)714-7171 (6 miles from bowling alley & 3 miles from club). King or 2 queen bed room sizes available; indoor pool, hot tub and continental breakfast. Book at the following link https://www.choicehotels.com/reservations/groups/MV39S4

Fenton Eagles - 1490 N. Leroy, will have a Taco Bar on Friday April 12th, and Saturday April 13th we will have a catered dinner (not yet determined) at the club.

Looking forward to a GREAT time!

Sincerely,

Wendy Wagner
Fenton Aux. Secretary
1490 N. Leroy
Fenton, MI 48430
Cell # (810) 333-0850
Sec.2460@gmail.com

65th Annual Michigan FOE State Auxiliary 2024 Sanctioned & Non- Sanctioned Bowling Tournament Host Auxiliary – Fenton Eagles # 2460

Tournament Certification # 06397

Handicap 90% from 220

Check in 1 hour before bowling time on Saturday with Auxiliary Dues Cards & Sanction cards if bowling as a sanction bowler.

Prize Fund	\$7.75					
Bowling \$9.00						
Tournament Expenses	\$3.25					
Total	\$20.00					
Sanctioned & non-sanctioned bowlers \$60.00 per person all three events						
\$1.00 (optional) all events						
\$61.00 total includes all events						
Non-Sanctioned Bo	Non-Sanctioned Bowlers					
Add \$5.00 participation fee to go t	o Madam Presidents					
charity						
Prize Ratio at least 1 to	10 entries					
Prize money returned 100%						

Team Name

Address

Entry Fees

Bowling at

Fenton Lanes 3014 W. Thompson Rd Fenton, MI 48430 (810) 629-4000

Doubles & SinglesSaturday

Sunday

11:00 am 11:00 am

Opening ceremony @ 10:30

Bowling Weekend April 13 & 14th 2024

Phone	Optional Phone	E-mail			
	order you wish to bowl				
NAME		Average	Sanction#	Doubles	Entry
1.					
2.					
3					
4.					
Singles & Doubles	Name		all events	Yes	No
Entry in Singles must enter Doubles AUX:	1.				
AUX No	1.				
	2.				

Captain

City, State & Zip

Certifications of averages & rules: I certify that I familiarized myself and teammates with the rules of the tournament and state that the averages listed are correct as published in our 2021-2022 association directory, or bowl.com

*Check or money order payable to Fenton Auxiliary, in memo please put MI State Aux Bowling Tournament * Must Accompany this Application.

MICHIGAN STATE AUXILIARY F.O.E TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1) All monies used for tournament Expenses and profits from tournament will go to the HOST AUXILIARY
- 2) Tournament for 2024 is a Sanctioned and NON-Sanctioned Handicap Tournament consisting of Four Women Team Event, Doubles, Singles and All Events A Participation fee of \$5.00 for non-sanctioned bowlers, this fee to State Madam Presidents Charity
- 3) All bowlers must be AUXILAIRY MEMBERS in good standing at the time of bowling. EAGLES RECEIPT MUST BE SHOWN with Sanction Card if bowing as a sanctioned bowler. BEFORE THE START OF BOWLING. AUXILIARY PER CAPITA TAX MUST BE PAID.
- 4) ONLY HOST AUXILIARY TO RUN ANY JACKPOTS
- 5) All USBC Rules and Regulations will govern this tournament. USBC rule 319d will not apply Rule 319e will be enforced, 15 or more pins increase in average, bowler must report and use higher average.
- 6) The Tournament shall be conducted on a handicap basis of 90 percent of the difference of your highest league (book average) and 220 as of July 31st, 2023, 21 games or more. A bowler without 21 games averages as of July 31st, 2023, shall be permitted to use her current average if she has 24 or more games by the time she bowls the tournament (bowler must provide a league standing sheet or other proof of average.) An entrant with no established average must use a 150 average, plus handicap.
- 7) It shall be each bowler's responsibility to verify the accuracy of her scores. All scoring corrections must be turned into Tournament Secretary no later than 24 hours after bowling or will be disqualified
- 8) Team captains must report to Secretary Office One (1) hour before bowling. NO change in lineup will be made except for substitutes. In case of substitutes, the Captain will make changes.
- 9) NO more than two (2) substitutes will be allowed for each team. All averages subject to rule 5.
- 10) Price per event will be left to the Host Auxiliary, as the price of bowling varies in different cities. Those wishing to enter All events must send all event fees with entry blank.
- 11) Women may bowl twice in team event with a change of two bowlers from the original line up. Twice in doubles with a change in partner. Once in singles and all events. First scores from team event, doubles and singles will make up all events score.
- 12) Any Player or team arriving late will begin with the frame being bowled receiving zero for the missed frames
- 13) REVERVATIONS BY MAIL OR BLANK ENTRY AND FEES ONLY. Entries will be treated on a first come basis. An acknowledgement will be sent back within 48 hours. Entry blanks must be filled out in full for the records and all entry fees must accompany the entry blanks. No fees will be accepted after the close of entries.
- 14) Individual awards for Team, Doubles, Singles and All Events will be based on Handicap scores only.
- 15) Average submitted by team or individuals winning prize will be verified. Failure to use correct averages shall disqualify score if submitted average is lower than correct average. Prize winnings shall be based on the submitted average if it is higher than the current average. CORRECTION IN AVERAGES MAY BE SUBMITTED UP TO THE COMPLETION OF THE FIRST GAME OF THE SERIES BOWLED.
- 16) All prizes will be determined by number of entries received. At least one (1) prize for each ten (10) entries or major fraction thereof will be paid in each event. All prize fees paid in each event will return 100 percent as prizes in that event. It is not necessary to enter all three (3) events unless you complete for All event prizes. Entrants must pay for doubles and singles; however, they do not have to bowl in both but must declare which they are bowling on entry form. When bowling the second time you only have to pay for the event you are bowling.
- 17) No monies will be refunded after being received by the Tournament Secretary.
- 18) Host Auxiliary must have the entry blanks out for the tournament by November 15th, 2023
- 19) A prize list and prize monies will be sent to MICHGAN STATE BOWLING CHARIMAN AND ALL TEAM CAPTIANS within thirty (30) days of end of tournament.
- 20) Only Team Captains will vote for the next Host city for the MICHIGAN STATE EAGLES AUXILIARY BOWLING TOURNAMENT with team consent.
- 21) THREE (3) HOURS WILL BE ALLOWED FOR TEAM EVENT, FOUR (4) HOURS WILL BE ALLOWED FOR DOUBLES AND SINGLES.
- 22) ALL ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID BY MONEY ORDER, CERTIFIED CHECK, OR AUXILARY NO PERSONAL CHECK ACCEPTED.
- 23) THERE CAN BE NO CAMPAIGNING BY THE HOST AUXILIARY TO THE NEXT TOURNAMENT
- 24) ANYONE BEING INTOXICATED, DISORDERLY OR USING ABUSIVE LANGUAGE MAY BE REMOVED FOR THE PREMIES. YOU MAY NOT BRING ANY ALCOHOL INTO THE BOWLING CENTER
- 25) Any team that does not complete their bowling in the required time, many be disqualified.

Tournament Chairman: Wendy Wagner e-mail: Sec.2460@gmail.com Phone (810) 333-0850 (cell)

Make checks payable to: **Fenton Auxiliary** in memo: State bowling tournament TOURNAMENT MAIL ENTRIES TO:

Wendy Wagner 1490 N. Leroy Fenton, MI 48430

Please note change to rule # 2 that this will be a Sanctioned and NON- Sanctioned Tournament for 2024 a **\$5.00 participation fee for all non-sanctioned bowlers**. Fee to go State Madam President Charity



RAFFLE

MAY 11, 2024 CHARITY CASH RAFFLE & FUNDRAISER

Please join us for a fun day of raffles, games, music, and food. All proceeds benefit our current State Madam President, Dottie Shattuck's charity, Autism Awareness.



CMHA-CEI's Autism Support Team was established in 2009 to meet the growing need of children and adults with autism spectrum disorders in the tri-county area. The mission of this project is "To provide a supportive environment for children and adults with autism

spectrum disorders (ASD) and their families by helping to facilitate a range of services to meet ongoing needs throughout the life span."

Tickets will be made available through fellow auxiliary members and online at <u>www.masonholteagles.com</u>.

SMP's Charity Cash Raffle Autism Awareness 1st Prize: 25% of Collected 2nd Prize: 15% of Collected 3rd Prize: 10% of Collected Bread: Need not be present to win Drawing on 5/11/2024 at 7pm at Mason-Holt Eagles, 1111 N. Cedar St, Mason, MI 48854 Meson-Holt Eagles #3734 Auxiliary License #C31499 0054



5pm-10pm
Drawing at 7pm

Taco Dinner Provided by Mason Holt Skyhawk Youth Club

Outdoor games, raffles, 50/50s and more!



MASON HOLT EAGLES

1111 N. Cedar Rd. Mason, MI 48854 www.masonholteagles.com

Fraternal Order of Eagles 76th Michigan State Convention 2024





June 13th, 14th, & 15th Lansing, Michigan

Convention Bulletin

Lansing, Michigan - Double Tree Hotel/Lansing Center - June 13th, 14th, and 15th, 2024

Madam Secretary - Please, read to your Auxiliary and keep, for reference.

The 76th Annual Convention of the Michigan State Auxiliary F.O.E. Headquarters will be at the Double Tree Hotel/Lansing Center, Lansing, Michigan. The State Aerie and State Auxiliary will host the Convention as they have in the past. The Auxiliary will start registration on Wednesday, June 12, 2024 starting at 2:00 p.m. at the Convention Headquarters on the 2nd level of the hotel.

All the Convention Committee meeting room numbers will be posted at the Registration Desk. If you are asked by the State Madam President to serve on a committee, your meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday. NOTE: The Credential Committee will meet at 12:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 12, 2024, in the Double Tree Regency 1 Room, so the committee will be ready to open Registration to the Delegates and Members at 2:00 p.m.

<u>PAID ITS PER CAPITA TAX IN FULL</u> based on the June, 2023 Annual Report not including Dual Members – one (1) vote for each twenty-five (25) members or major fraction thereof. This means that if you are 13 more into the next 25 members your Auxiliary gets one more Auxiliary vote. This does not mean you must send a Delegate for each vote, as an Auxiliary delegate may carry as many as three (3) Auxiliary votes, and if she is a PMP or TYS she gets one additional vote. If she is not an Auxiliary Delegate, but a Past Madam President or Ten Year Secretary and wishes to vote, she must register paying the required Registration fee. No registration changes in category will be permitted once registered. <u>NO SISTER MAY CARRY MORE THAN 3 AUXILIARY VOTES</u>, however if they are a Past Madam President or a Ten Year Secretary, she would get one (1) additional vote, and if she is also a State Officer or a Past State Madam President she would get one (1) more vote.

The credential sheets, three (3) for listing Auxiliary, delegates, and alternates and ALL Past Madam Presidents, are enclosed. Secretaries – please read the instructions before filling out the credential sheets. DO NOT REDUCE THE DELEGATE SHEETS, AS THEY ARE USED FOR OUR REGISTRATION AND ELECTION BOOKS.

List Auxiliary Delegates first, write the name of the delegate, then $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$ for Auxiliary delegate after her name. If the delegate is a Past Madam President, write her name and put a $\underline{\mathbf{D}}$ and $\underline{\mathbf{P.M.P.}}$ after her name. Now after the delegate list the alternate and add $\underline{\mathbf{A}}$ after her name (do not give the alternate any votes). Now skip two lines and then list $\underline{\mathbf{ALL}}$ the "alive" Past Madam Presidents or Ten Year Secretaries (TYS), even if they do not plan to attend the Convention. Many times they will change their mind, and unless listed on the credential sheet, she may lose her vote.

Example: Members on which State Per Capita Tax has been paid <u>388</u> as of June 30, 2023 (this means number of members on your rolls <u>NOT</u> including Dual Members). Total Auxiliary Votes <u>16</u> (you will note that in the sample this Auxiliary only used <u>9</u> of their <u>16</u> votes loosing 7 votes).

Credential	NAME OF DELEGATES, ALTERNATES	AUX.	PMP/	STATE	TOTAL
Number	& PAST MADAM PRESIDENTS	VOTE	TYS	OFFICER	VOTES
	(List Delegates First)		VOTE	VOTE	
	Nancy Hayes, D - PMP	3	1		4
	Sally Long, D	3			3
	Rose Livingston, PMP, PSMP	3	1	1,	5
	Cathy Pine, A				
					-
	Sandy Drew, TYS				
	Beverly Sweet, PMP				
	Susie Walker, PMP				
	Janice Brown, PMP				
	Cynthia Cook, PMP				
	Leslie Zelinski, PMP			L	

All three (3) credential sheets must be identically filled out with the Auxiliary <u>SEAL</u> on each and mailed to the State Secretary, Julie Kassner, at 620 E. Slocum St. Whitehall, MI 49461.

PLEASE DO NOT WRITE IN THE CREDENTIAL NUMBER COLUMN, as this column is used by the State Secretary to assign the delegate credential numbers. Do not enter the Grand Aerie ID number in this column.

NOTE: A sister that receives her Gold Card prior to the State Convention <u>IS</u> considered a Past Madam President and should receive her PMP vote – the same for a sister that receives her Gold Card prior to State Convention that she is a Ten Year Secretary (TYS).

<u>NOTE</u> – Our State Madam President appoints the Convention Committees from the Credential Sheets, so please mail it back to the State Secretary prior to <u>April 17, 2024</u> so a copy may be given to her.

<u>NOTICE:</u> Late changes in Auxiliary Delegates or Alternates, must have a letter from the Auxiliary Secretary to present to the Credential Committee at the Registration Desk. <u>The Auxiliary Seal must be affixed to the letter.</u>

MEMBER PRE-REGISTRATION – This form is used for registering members that are coming to the Convention that are not delegates or a Past Madam President.

<u>MEMORIAL SERVICES</u> – The Joint Aerie and Auxiliary Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, June 13, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. in the Lansing Center Banquet Rooms 1-8.

<u>SESSIONS</u> – The first Michigan State Auxiliary Session will begin on Thursday, June 13, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. <u>SHARP</u>. All sessions will begin at 9:00 a.m. <u>SHARP</u>. Sisters, please remember that we have a dress code for our sessions. <u>NO SHORTS, HALTER TOPS, SPANDEX or ATTIRE ABOVE THE KNEE</u> is permitted and the Guards at the doors will enforce this.

REGISTRATION – Delegates Registration is \$40.00 and Banquet tickets are \$40.00. Each Auxiliary must allow their accredited Auxiliary Delegates, expenses over and above registration and banquet tickets. Please make out separate checks for the Delegate Fees and the Banquet Tickets. All checks should be made payable to Michigan State Auxiliary F.O.E. Convention Fund and must be an Auxiliary check, and signed with three signatures. Send to State Secretary, Julie Campbell, along with the Delegate sheets and the Banquet Ticket Reservation form. SEND ALL THREE (3) COPIES OF THE DELEGATE SHEETS AND THE TICKET RESERVATION FORM PRIOR TO APRIL 17, 2024. One copy of the Delegate sheet is used by the State Madam President to appoint the Convention Committees, one copy is used by the Registration Committee, and one copy is used by the Election Committee. Please make sure all three copies are signed by the Madam Secretary with the Auxiliary Seal affixed. Past Madam Presidents not wanting a Banquet Ticket may register for \$40.00, which includes a badge and a program book. A Member Registration is \$40.00, which includes a badge and a program book. A separate Member Registration sheet is enclosed. A Past Madam President or Ten Year Secretary is considered a delegate even if she is not a delegate sent by the Auxiliary this year.

BANQUET FORMAT- Banquet reservation form is included in this bulletin. Please return with a check or money order prior to **April 17, 2024**. This form is used for ordering tickets for your delegates as well as any visitors or guests that wish to attend. If your group wishes to sit together, we must receive the form and check together.

- All tables will be assigned on a first come basis at the time of purchase, and no changes can be made after the table is assigned.
- The first ticket purchased will be at table #1, next Table #2, and so on.

It is very important to make sure that if you want to sit with someone in particular, you must purchase the tickets together. A designated person may pick up the Banquet Tickets at the Registration Desk. If a ticket is purchased for one's spouse or guest, be sure to indicate after that person's name and the number of tickets that they will receive.

NOTICE - REMEMBER THAT EACH AUXILIARY IS STILL OBLIGATED TO PURCHASE A BANQUET TICKET FOR EACH DELEGATE ALONG WITH THEIR REGISTRATION FEE IF SHE WISHES TO ATTEND THE BANQUET.

REGISTRATION HOURS WILL BE:

NO DELEGATE CREDENTIALS AVAILABLE ON SATURDAY

DECEASED MEMBERS LIST FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE – The State Auxiliary will be announcing the Deceased Sisters at the Memorial Service. Please send the names of your deceased members on the enclosed form for the fiscal year 2023-2024 (WE DO NOT ACCEPT PAPER WORK FROM THE MMS PROGRAM). Please send to the State Secretary by May 22, 2024, as the list must be typed up for the service. Be sure to indicate any Past Madam Presidents, Ten Year Secretary and/or Charter Members. DO NOT SEND PRIOR TO MAY 22, 2024.

JOINT INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS -- The Joint State Aerie and State Auxiliary Installation of Officers will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 15, 2024, in the Lansing Center Convention Exhibit **Hall B...

<u>RESOLUTIONS</u> – If your Auxiliary has a resolution for the State Convention, please follow the proper procedure. The resolution must be passed by your Auxiliary at a regular meeting and signed by the Madam President and the Madam Secretary. It must have the <u>Auxiliary Seal affixed</u>. Please have the resolution drawn up correctly and submit three (3) copies to the State Secretary no later than May 31, 2024. This will give the State Auxiliary Committee time to present them for consideration and refer them to the Resolutions Committee.

<u>BY-LAWS</u> – If your Auxiliary wishes to submit a by-law change for the State By-Laws, please follow the procedure of section 42.1 of the Rules and Regulations and Section 9.4 of the State By-laws, and the suggested change must be turned into the State Secretary prior to May 22, 2024.

**ROOM RESERVATIONS - Use the link below not before 9:00 a.m. on March 11, 2024.

**https://www.doubletreehotelsamericas.com

**Use Promotion Code - FOE **

- Once you select the room type, complete the Hotel Booking Form.
 - For date adjustment needs, please change Check-in and Check-out date box at the top
 of the site.
- · The booking form will ask for the guest details and email address.
- Secure Payment Option is the section of the booking form that holds your credit card details.
 Input your credit card information.
- Once you have completed this step, click the "Book Now" button and your reservation will be sent immediately to the Hotel.

**Here is the voice reservation:

To make a room reservation by phone call (800) 774-1500. It is important that each of your
guests identify themselves as part of your group, and provide us with the guest's name and
requested type of room for the dates of the event. Use the Promotional Code: "FOE" to
receive your discounted group rate.

<u>AUXILIARY WORKSHOP</u> – The Auxiliary Workshop will be held on Thursday, June 13, 2024, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please place all questions in the question box at the Thursday morning meeting.

MEMBERSHIP WORKSHOP will be held on Friday, June 14, 2024 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. All membership awards, contest awards, challenges and other awards will be given at this workshop.

<u>AWARDS</u> – Again this year the <u>Isabel Vallie/Imogene Harac Award</u>, as well as the <u>Hall of Fame</u>, will be presented at the Convention at the <u>Saturday Morning Session</u>.

Letters listing the rules and instructions for these awards were mailed earlier in the year. If the instructions were followed properly, the Committees will consider all applications received in choosing the recipients of these two coveted awards. **Isabel Vallie/Imogene Harac Award** letter is included in this mailing.

Forms are included in this mailing regarding the International Alta Browning Smith Award and the International Hall of Fame Award. Letters of recommendation are to be sent to the State Secretary no later than May 22, 2024 so that the Delegation in session at the 76th State Convention will have a say in the person's name to be sent on to the Grand Auxiliary to be considered for one of these coveted Awards.

**AUXILIARY FLAG PRESENTATION – Auxiliary Flag Presentation will take place on Thursday Morning, June 13, 2024. Entry form is enclosed in this mailing and is to be sent to the State Flag Chairman.

**R.E.A.C. CONVENTION – R.E.A.C. Convention will be held on Wednesday, June 12, 2024 at 12:00 noon in the Double Tree Capitol IV Room. You may contact the State Auxiliary Chairman, Grace Comstock, at 32600 Concord Dr., Apt. 713, Madison Heights, MI 48030, to purchase your tickets.

AUXILIARY HALL OF FAME LUNCHEON - All Michigan Hall of Fame recipients are invited to this Luncheon on Thursday, June 13, 2024, at 12:00 noon in the Convention Center Banquet Room 5-8.

<u>STATE YOUTH CONVENTION</u> – There will be a Youth Talent Contest held at the Convention on Friday afternoon, June 14, 2024. For further information contact State Auxiliary Youth Chairperson, Debbie Betts, at 7380 Katherine, Taylor, MI 48180.

<u>GOD, FLAG & COUNTRY COMPETITION</u> – Will take place after the Youth Talent Contest on Friday afternoon June 14, 2024. For further information contact State Chairman, Cindy Jados, at 1970 Terrace St., Muskegon, MI 48442. Prizes will be awarded at Saturday Morning Session.

<u>CHECKS FOR STATE AUXILIARY CHARITY</u> – CMHA-CEI's Autism Support Team – Make checks payable to Michigan State Auxiliary, F.O.E and send to Julie Campbell, at Whitehall, MI 49461. Mark in the memo of the check: **State Charity**.

NOTICE: the State Auxiliary closes this special account on **May 15, 2024**. All checks received after this date will not be given credit by the State Chairman at the Convention.

CHECKS FOR THE MICHIGAN EAGLE FAMILY RECREATION: Make checks payable to Michigan State Aerie, F.O.E., and mail to Michigan State Aerie F.O.E., Keith Brock at 646 13 Mile Rd. Sparta, MI 49345. Please list MEFRC in the memo at the bottom of the check.

REMEMBER ALL OTHER CHARITY CHECKS must be sent by May 1, 2024 to the Fraternal Order of Eagles Grand Aerie, at 1623 Gateway Circle S., Grove City, OH 43123, and made out according to the information received from the Grand Aerie.

<u>CHARITY MARCH</u> – The Charity March will be held at Thursday Session only. <u>NO CHECKS</u> will be accepted. The State Treasurer will give a report of the Charity March at Saturday's Session.

<u>NOTE</u> – Enclosed you will find an Advertising Contract to fill in and return with your Ad on the reverse side. Be sure your ad is either typed or printed. Make checks payable to F.O.E. Michigan State Aerie Convention Fund and mail to – Dennis Korn, at 1625 Sanborn Dewitt, MI 48820, or email to him at nchs78@gmail.com. The deadline for this is April 30, 2024.

NOMINATION FOR STATE OFFICE — If you are nominating a sister from your Auxiliary to run for a State Auxiliary Office, please write or call Julie Campbell, State Secretary for a form for your nominee to fill out and return with your letter of nomination. This form is not necessary if she is a current serving State Officer. Should your Auxiliary wish to nominate a sister from your Auxiliary for a State Auxiliary Office, send a letter of recommendation with her name and qualifications, and the office to which she is

seeking, only if she is seeking a certain office. The Madam President, the Madam Secretary, and a Past Madam President MUST sign the letter. Should your Madam President or your Madam Secretary be the one being recommended, then she should not write or sign the letter. A Past Madam President should sign in her place. The letter to the Nominating Committee should contain the date the motion was made on the Auxiliary floor for the approval of the Nominee, AND BE VERY SURE THE AUXILIARY SEAL IS ON THE LETTER. No person other than a Past Madam President or a Ten-Year Secretary of a local Auxiliary shall be eligible for office in the State Auxiliary, and she shall be in good standing in her home Auxiliary. Nominations may be made from the floor at the State Convention Session with the nominating speech limited to three (3) minutes by a member of the Nominee's Auxiliary. REMEMBER to use the Candidates legal name, the name on her Official Receipt, when placing her name in nomination.

ANY NOMINEE NOMINATED FROM THE CONVENTION FLOOR MUST BE NOMINATED BY A MEMBER OF HER OWN AUXILIARY.

<u>ALL NOMINATING LETTERS MUST BE SENT BY CERTIFIED MAIL TO;</u> - State Madam President, Dorthy Shattuck, 1934 Carson St., Lansing, MI 48911, postmarked no later than May 31, 2024. Be sure to mark the envelope in the bottom left hand corner – <u>ATTENTION STATE NOMINATING COMMITTEE</u>.

**One representative from your Auxiliary, along with your nominee, may have an audience with the State Nominating Committee on Wednesday, June 12, 2024, between the hours of 1:30 and 3:00 p.m. Appointments may be made with the Secretary of the Nominating Committee, PSMP <u>Cynthia Conway</u>.

<u>NOTICE - DISTRICTS - PLEASE DO NOT</u> send support or recommendation letters for a nominee for State Office, as the only letter that will be considered will be the one from the nominee's home Auxiliary by the State Nominating Committee.

<u>RITUAL COMPETITION</u> – All Ritual Competition will be held at the Double Tree Hotel, Lansing, on Tuesday, June 11, 2024. To enter the Ritual Competition you must request the necessary entry forms from the State Ritual Chairman, Tina Gueits, by calling 517-599-7908, or email her at tgeagle56@gmail.com. She needs to know in advance how many teams will be competing so that she can do the necessary scheduling and notify the teams and individuals. All entries must be returned to the State Ritual Chairman by May 1, 2024.

<u>All Auxiliary members</u> of the Ritual Team must be registered for the State Convention to enter competition per the State Auxiliary by-laws section 9.1a. And <u>all Judges MUST BE A REGISTERED</u> <u>DELEGATE</u> to be a Judge in any and all Competitions.

<u>REMEMBER</u> - State Auxiliary by-laws section 9.1 states that all Michigan State Ritual & Drill units must be entered in competition at the State Convention to be eligible to enter competition at the National Convention.

PRIZES -	Team Class	1st Place	2 nd Place	3rd Place
	One Woman	\$125.00	\$100.00	\$ 75.00
	Class C Team	.\$400.00	\$375.00	\$300.00
	Class B Team	.\$300.00	. \$275.00	\$200.00
	Class B-3Team	.\$300.00	\$275.00	\$200.00
	Sure Shot	. \$ 50.00	\$ 25.00	

Anyone wishing to watch competition, provided the competing team will permit spectators, must have a paid up Auxiliary membership receipt. You cannot watch a Team if your Auxiliary Team is entered later on the day of competition and you are a member of the team.

IN ORDER TO PLACE IN THE MONEY YOU MUST BEAT A BLIND SCORE OF 93.5 IN CLASS "B", "B-3", "C", AND ONE WOMAN. BLIND SCORE FOR SURE SHOT WILL BE 18.7.

TEAM QUALIFICATIONS:

Class "C" Team consists of 5 Ritual officers and 8 Drill Members

Class "B" Team consists of 5 Ritual officers only

Class "B-3" Unit shall consist of any member in good standing in Michigan.

No Auxiliary may have more than two members on a team in this category.

"One Woman Class" consists of one individual that does all of the Ritual chairs.

"Sure Shot" consists of one Ritual officer wishing to compete in a different Ritual Chair than she competed in her team event. Her name will be placed in the hat for that office, which will be drawn by lot by the Ritual Chairman, and she shall notify you if you are competing or not.

CONVENTION DEADLINES - KEEP FOR REFERENCE

Program Book Ads	April 01, 2024
Credential Lists & Pre-Registrations	April 17, 2024
Banquet Tickets Reservations	April 17, 2024
Entries for Ritual Competition	May 01, 2024
Auxiliary Flag Entry	May 01, 2024
State Charity Checks	May 15, 2024
By-Law Changes	May 22, 2024
International Alta Browning Smith Award & Hall of Fame	. May 22, 2024
Deceased Members List	
Letter of Nominations	
Resolution Letters	. May 31, 2024

<u>Auxiliary Secretaries</u> – It is your duty to read this Convention Bulletin in its entirety to the Auxiliary Members at a Regular Meeting.

Included in this Convention Bulletin is a copy of the events of the State Convention. Please make copies of this for your delegates to bring with them to Convention. It has the names of rooms that the events will be held in and times that the events will take place.

If you have any questions concerning any part of this bulletin, please contact me. Please follow all instructions, particularly those related to delegates, and make this an outstanding Michigan State Auxiliary 76th Annual Convention for our State Madam President, Dorthy Shattuck.

Fraternally, Julie Kassner, Secretary Michigan State Auxiliary, F.O.E. 620 E. Slocum St. Whitehall, MI 49461

Phone - 1-231-740-8580

PLEASE NOTE:

Any Member not attending the Convention as a registered Delegate, Past President, Ten Year Secretary or a Member must register at the cost of \$40.00 to participate in any Hospitality Rooms, per Michigan State Aerie.

NO Aerie or Auxiliary is permitted to sell local Aerie or Auxiliary Raffle tickets or items at the State Convention; this privilege is for the Michigan State Aerie and Michigan State Auxiliary and their appointed committees, as well as the District Hospitality Rooms. Action will be taken to any member found selling these at the State Convention.



Michigan State Auxiliary Fraternal Order of Eagles

620 Slocum St. Whitehall, MI 49461 231-740-8580

February 7th, 2024

Re: Isabel Vallie/Imogene Harac Award

Dear Auxiliary Sisters,

Since 1989 the Michigan State Auxiliary, has been awarding the "Isabel Vallie/Imogene Harac Award" to an Auxiliary Sister who has given unselfishly of her time in furthering the welfare of her Auxiliary, and the Fraternal Order of Eagles. IN ADDITION SHE HAS GIVEN OF HER TIME TO HER COMMUNITY.

If your Auxiliary wishes to submit a Sister for this award, the following rules MUST be complied with:

1. An Auxiliary may submit only one name each year.

The applicant MAY NOT be a State Officer or Past State President.

- Any member in good standing who has been a member of your Auxiliary for Ten (10) years or more may be nominated.
- Your letter MUST include the date the nominee was initiated.
- She need not be a past or present officer of your Auxiliary
- Submit a letter of your sister's qualifications, and include the date the motion was
 passed on the Auxiliary floor. The President, Secretary and a Past President <u>MUST</u>
 sign the letter, with the <u>AUXILIARY SEAL ON IT</u>. If the President or Secretary's name
 is submitted, a second Past President must sign the letter.
- Send your entry by <u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> postmarked no later than <u>MARCH 20, 2024</u> to Michigan State Auxiliary, F.O.E. Julie Kassner, State Secretary, at 620 E. Slocum St. Whitehall, MI 49461.
- 8. ON THE BOTTOM LEFT HAND CORNER OF YOUR ENVELOPE Place "ATTENTION: ISABEL VALLIE/IMOGENE HARAC AWARD COMMITTEE".

Please make sure you follow all of the rules, as some letters have been disqualified in the past, due to the Auxiliary **NOT** following **ALL** of the rules.

We are sure there are many deserving sisters throughout our State, so let's hear from you.

Fraternally yours, Julie Kassner, State Secretary

cc: State Madam President, Dorthy Shattuck

GRAND AUXILIARY Alta Browning Smith nomination form

Nominee:		
Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Auxiliary name and number:		
Nominee joined her auxiliary:	Month	Year
Eagle o	career informatio	n
Local & state offices held (if any):		
Eagle auxiliary "Important facts":		
Miscellaneous facts about nominee:		
Return this form and or letter no later 2024 State Convention to: Julie Kassner, State Secretary Michigan State Auxiliary, F.O.E. 620 E. Slocum St. Whitehall, Mi. 49461		2024 for consideration at the

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Do you have some patron supporters that would like their names in the Convention Program Book? If you do, please have them sign this sheet and \$1.00 for each name and submit to: Dennis Korn – 1625 Sanborn Dr. Dewitt, Mi 48820 before April 30°, 2024.

PLEASE PRINT & COPY THIS PAGE AS NEEDED

Aerie or Auxiliary Name & Number	Name