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Monthly Newsletter October 2018

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Worthy President's Report

Aerie Meetings are the 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the Month

Fellow Eagles,

I would like to thank Gary Smith and all his volunteers, for the great job they did on the Hoedown. The band (Taylor Tucky) was awesome. We even got a couple new applicants from the band.

I would like to welcome the new JOES advisor board. Chairman Toni Watkins, Advices Jim Shrove and Lisa Ochelak. Good luck with your new endeavor.

Oct 8, 2018 is the next meeting for the SEMPER FI FUND Fundraiser committee. Donations are coming along. However we could still use more volunteers.

The annual Halloween party will be Oct 26,

2018, There will be a costume contest with Prized for 1st \$75.00, 2nd \$50.00, 3rd place \$25.00 costumes. There will be a creepy dessert contest with a prize \$25.00. Happy Haunting.

Fraternally, John Watkins -Worthy President



Madam President's Report

Auxiliary Meetings are the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the Month

Dear Sisters,

I hope everyone enjoyed their summer, but it is now back to school and our fall activities.

Just a few dates we need to go over:

Zone is @ Motorcity Eagles on October 6th and 7th. October 6th, check in is at 4:00pm and the meeting starts at 6:00pm. October 7th, check in is at 8:00am and the meeting starts at 9:00am.

District is @ Van Buren Eagles on October 14th, check in is 1:00pm and the meetings start at 1:30 pm sharp.

Our **Meat Auction** will be held on October 19th at 7:00 pm.

The **kids Halloween Party** is Saturday, October 20th from 1-3 pm. We still need candy donations for the party. There is a box located in the social room if you would like to make a donation. There will be a sign up sheet located in the front entry-way.

Sincerely, Madam President -Toni Watkins



EAGLE RIDERS 3996 NEWS



EAGLE RIDERS OFFICERS:

President: Jerry Fulner * **Vice-President:** John Neal * **Secretary:** Mark Thetford * **Treasurer:** Cindy Poma * **Road Captains :** Jack Bogan and Jack Easley

Thanks to everyone who attended our HOG Roast on September 15, 2018 and the HOE down on September 8, 2018. The food was excellent for both events; thank you Noah Caincross. The pork was great at the HOG Roast and the vittles were great at the HOE Down. Thanks to Gary and Linda Hunt for great cakes. Both activities were very successful. **Thanks to the usual crew of dedicated workers, who make these events possible.** The events last tireless hours but many, many more hours are necessary to set up and stage these activities. We are very happy that so many people enjoy all the effort put into the events. Although we are ex-

hausted now we look forward to next summers Steak Roasts and HOG Roast.

The charities that the funds raised for at these events are very grateful to all who participate by attending and/or work at these fundraisers. Thanks again to all.

We are talking about a few events this winter and will have more on this in future editions.

Jack Bogan

Adult Halloween Party

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26TH 5PM-12AM

VAN BUREN EAGLES #3996

\$5 donation per person to defray the cost of the band.

Entertainment will be provided by
Southern Heat

Wear Your Costumes!!!

Costume Contest

1st prize \$75

2nd prize \$50

3rd prize \$25

***Everyone is encouraged to dress up!!**

Dinner will be for sale

starting at 5 pm from our kitchen. This is a change from last year, so please do NOT bring a dish to pass this year.

HAPPY HALLOWEEN

Creepy Dessert Contest

Everyone is invited to bring a yummy or creepy dessert (this is OPTIONAL) to share.

- The dessert must be edible.
- The dessert will be judged on originality and creepiness.
- Judging at 7:30 pm.

All creepy desserts will go into a contest to win a \$25.00 cash prize.



Eagles Helping the Belleville Food Closet

We are collecting canned soup—(no cream soups) . .

You can put your donations in the collection box in the social room. Thank you!



RETIRED EAGLES ACTIVITY CLUB

REAC Officers:

President: Dave Walker * **Vice President:** Open * **Secretary:** Pam Hixon * **Treasurer:** Virginia Truran * **Sergeant-at-Arms:** Sharon Manier

Come join us at our meetings on the first Tuesday of the month. Our social outings are on the third Tuesday of the month. If you have any suggestions for social outing, bring them to the meeting.

1) 60 years or older, 2) between 55 and 60 and retired, 3) under 55 years of age but permanently retired because of a physical disability, and 4) a candidate shall be a member in good standing of the Van Buren Aerie #3996 or the Ladies Auxiliary.

ARE YOU A VETERAN??

IT'S QUILTING SEASON AGAIN

Hope everyone had a great summer. It's time to start working on our warm quilts! We will be meeting October 8 and 22. Bring your current or future donation quilt materials.

We also need to find a good way to find more of our members who were/are in the service to apply for their Quilts.

If you have an idea, please see Shellie Gueli.

Visit the Van Buren Eagles web page

www.foe3996.com

For updates and photos from past events, blogs, and tons of information!

JUNIOR ORDER OF EAGLES REPORT



JOE's Members,

We have made changes to our J.O.E.'s Staff the Chairperson is Toni Watkins and the advisors are Lisa Ochelak for the Auxiliary and Jim Shrove for the Aeries. Welcome to our new board. Our meetings are on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month. We are having a special meeting on October 20th, @ noon before the kids Halloween Party.

If you are interest in becoming a J.O.E.'s member please stop by the club and pickup an application.

The application fee is a \$1.00 and the Dues are \$3.00 per year.



**COME FOLLOW US ON
FACEBOOK!!**

Please make sure to follow us at
**Fraternal Order of Eagles Van Buren
-AND-
Eagle Riders of Van Buren #3996**



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20TH

Game time announced week of game—Doors open 1 hours before game time

Van Buren Eagles #3996

9961 Beck Road, Belleville



Bring your snacks or appetizers to share and wear your colors. Come early to hold a table.

Contact the club at 734.699.8836
or your hosts, Keith & Ginger
Bruder at 734.461.2498



Wine down Wednesday!

Wine is \$.50
off all day!



OCTOBER IS
BREAST CANCER
AWARENESS MONTH



THE HOEDOWN WAS A HUGE SUCCESS

The Hoedown was a big success and put us over the top in terms of what we needed for our property taxes! The highlight of the day was Taylor Tucky and the country songs they cranked out for 5 hours. They did an awesome job. The number of people on their feet line dancing agree!



In addition to the music, we also had great food provided by our Van Buren Eagle Riders. They grilled hamburgers, hotdogs, and sausage all afternoon to go along with their cowboy beans. Thank you, Riders. We can always depend on you to step up and help our club.

There were a few "varmint" that caused problems throughout the afternoon, but our sheriff, Gayle Bellamy, wasted no time rounding them up and throwing them in jail. We hope they learned their lesson! I'd like to thank Tom Fountain and Thom Price for building the jail for us, and also all the members who helped our sheriff. They made great deputies!

Finally, it took months to plan and execute this event, and *it wouldn't have been possible without the help of dozens and dozens of our members.* I want all of them to know that I appreciate their help and thank them for stepping up. I'm also thankful for the businesses and organizations that sponsored our Hoedown t-shirt and the people who bought tickets and attended the event. *It wouldn't have been a success without their participation.*

PWP Gary Smith

EYEGLASS & HEARING AID RECYCLING



The Lion's Club of Belleville has placed a collection box in our Aerie.

Please donate your used eyewear and hearing aids. *Thank You!*

We can mail the newsletter to you for a small fee of \$10 a year. If you're interested, please make out a check to the Van Buren Eagles #3996 and send it to the Aerie Secretary, Jeff Gueli. Thank you.

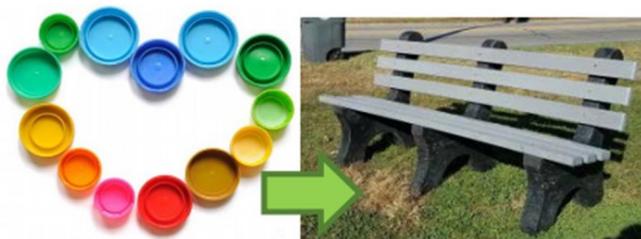
Children's Halloween Party

Saturday, October 20th 1:00 to 3:00 PM

We need donations of candy for the kid's party.; there is a box in the social room for donations. We will be posting a signup sheet for the kids to attend.



Benches for Belleville



1. COLLECT CAPS

ACCEPTABLE CAPS

medicine bottle caps	drink bottle caps
milk jug caps	flip-top caps (ketchup, mustard)
detergent caps	spout caps (mustard)
hair spray caps	spray paint caps
toothpaste cube caps	ointment tube caps
deodorant caps	caps w/ RECYCLE NUMBERS of (2) (4) (5)

ACCEPTABLE LIDS

cottage cheese container lids	cool whip container lids
mayonnaise jar lids	coffee can lids
yogurt lids	cream cheese container lids
peanut butter jar lids	butter container lids
ice cream bucket lids under 8"	Prescription bottles labels removed

2. DROP OFF CAPS – TO FIND DROP OFF LOCATIONS

- EMAIL BenchesForBelleville@gmail.com
- On Facebook @BenchesForBelleville
- Look for Buckets and Boxes with the Benches for Belleville Logo

"People Helping People"

Our club #3996 is now a *PUBLIC drop off location* for caps/lids being collected for **Benches For Belleville Michigan**. There is a bin in the Social Room where you can put them.

This is a city-wide project a local 12-yr old girl has started. We are a drop-off location. The city goal is to collect 400lbs of lids—400lbs=(1) 8ft bench.

For more information you can pick up literature in the social room explaining this project, or you can visit Benches for Belleville Michigan on Facebook.

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October 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 *\$2.00 Beer from 12-5 PM	2 *Member Appreciation Day \$.50 off cocktails & beer *Free Pool	3 Aerie Meeting (7:00 pm) *\$.50 off Wine	4	5 *Entertainment- Whitey	6 *Zone Meeting- 4pm
7 *Zone Meeting- 8am	8 *\$2.00 Beer from 12-5 PM *Honor Quilters *Fundraiser Planning MTG	9 *Member Appreciation Day \$.50 off cocktails & beer *Free Pool **REAC Meeting	10 Auxiliary Meeting (7:30 pm) *\$.50 off Wine	11 *Eagle Riders Meeting 6:30PM	12 *Entertainment- DJ Betty	13
14 *District Meeting- 1pm	15 *\$2.00 Beer from 12-5 PM	16 *Member Appreciation Day \$.50 off cocktails & beer *Free Pool *REAC Outing	17 Aerie Meeting (7:00 pm) *\$.50 off Wine	18	19 *Meat Auction 7pm *Entertainment- Whitey	20 *Kids Halloween Party
21	22 *\$2.00 Beer from 12-5 PM *Honor Quilters	23 *Member Appreciation Day \$.50 off cocktails & beer *Free Pool	24 Auxiliary Meeting (7:30 pm) *\$.50 off Wine	25	26 *Adult Halloween Party	27
28	29 *\$2.00 Beer from 12-5 PM	30 *Member Appreciation Day \$.50 off cocktails & beer *Free Pool	31 *\$.50 off Wine			



Fraternal Order of Eagles

Mission Statement

The Fraternal Order of Eagles, an international non-profit organization, unites fraternally in the spirit of liberty, truth, justice, and equality, to make humanlife more desirable by lessening its ills, and by promoting peace, prosperity, gladness and hope.



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Sun-Thur: Noon to Midnight Grill closes 10pm
Friday: Noon - 2 am Grill closes 12am
Saturday: Noon - 2 am Grill closes 12am



Ways to Contact the Club

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