

# *Fraternal Order of Eagles Coeur d'Alene Aerie 486*

209 E Sherman Avenue, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho 83814

## *July 2023*

### Aerie President's Message



Greetings Brothers & Sisters,

Here it is July already and we made it through the street closures for Car d' Lane and Ironman. After the 4th of July, we should all be able to relax and enjoy our town for a few weeks.

I appreciate the support I have received as I take on the role as your Worthy President this fraternal year. We have a couple of Past Worthy Presidents and Past Auxiliary Madam President who have supported me as I took on ever increasing roles of leadership in our Aerie and have mentored us to ensure we know what it is to be an Eagle and how to uphold the standards they set for us. A truly heartfelt thank you goes out to Jack Blanchard (Semper Fi) and Harold & Mavis Fuchs. You've seen qualities in me that I am just starting to uncover. This position is not something I ever aspired to, but with everyone's help, we can make this a successful year. While we may all have different ideas and may occasionally disagree, my goal is to help us all work together 'For the good of the order' and our community.

I want to thank our Junior Worthy Past President, Micheal Walker, for the hard work and steady leadership you have shown during the past year. I know you will be there when I call upon you for advice and guidance. I also want to thank all our Aerie and Auxiliary officers who volunteer their time and wisdom to lead our Aerie and Auxiliary into the future. I am particularly grateful for our four trustees, Rod, Neil, Matt and Jim. You have volunteered for one of the toughest and most rewarding positions we have. You each bring different life experiences and skill sets that will be beneficial this year.

Each year the Worthy President chooses a charity to focus many of our fundraising effort towards. I have chosen Habitat for Humanity. They work hard in our community helping people and families toward the goal of home ownership. I will be working with them to find ways we can help them with our time, as well as monetary donations.

Our volunteers are the ones that keep our fun events going throughout the year. We need volunteers for our 15<sup>th</sup> Street BBQ Night – there is a sign-up sheet by the Aerie Secretary's office. I am also in need of an Aerie member to fill a one-year term as trustee. The trustees work together to take on their many responsibilities, and this is a great way to learn how the officer positions operate before committing to a two-year term.

If you ever have any questions or concerns, I can be reached directly at: [president.cdaeagles486@gmail.com](mailto:president.cdaeagles486@gmail.com).

We will not have our Tacos and Trivia Night on July 4<sup>th</sup>, and our meeting dates will be adjusted due to officer travel for the Eagles Grand Convention at the end of July. Details will be on the calendar. Let's all be kind to each other and have a safe July 4<sup>th</sup> weekend.

With appreciation,

Laura Sutherland, Your Cd'A Aerie 486 Worthy President



## Auxiliary President's Message



Hello Sisters,

Well June is over, and I made it thru the Eagles State Convention in Hayden. I am now officially a State Officer. Starting to go thru the chairs...not sure what the heck I am thinking, but should be fun.

I forgot to thank a very important Officer last month...again I am so sorry...but Julie is our orientation person who meets with our new ladies that want to join, and Julie also helps so much with our 50/50 raffles on Thursday nights down at the Pavilion on 15th. Julie you are the bestest!!!! We are doing so good with this raffle. Thanks to everyone who participates. June is going to Family Promise, and July will be going to Meals on Wheels. Our Breakfasts will be on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month for a while, please check the calender.

Hope you all have a Happy and Safe 4<sup>th</sup> of July.

Happy Trails

Auxiliary President Cathy Hudson

## Aerie Trustee Message

Happy Summer from Your Eagles Board of Trustees,

THANK YOU for a wonderful Car d'Lane event this year. Everyone worked together to make sure all had a good time. We did have a few minor issues and those were resolved quickly thanks to observant members. Again, Thank You.

Please make sure you're familiar with the Aerie's By-laws. We've had a few suspensions lately mainly due to "actions unbecoming an Aerie." The Social Room is for the peaceful enjoyment of every Eagle member and disruptive behavior is not tolerated.

Your current Board of Trustees are:

- Neal Wright
- Jim Colla
- Matt Sullivan
- Rod Stach
- We are looking for a fifth – are you interested? Please see an Officer or current Trustee if interested. (Thanks!)

Just a few reminders: All guests are to be signed in at the door. Guests are allowed two visits to our facility before being required to become a member.

We are ALWAYS in need of volunteers for our different fund-raising events. If you have some extra time, PLEASE step up and support our continued fund-raising success.

Hope to see you at one of our meetings or in the Social Room.

Sincerely,

Rod Stach, Chairman – Board of Trustees

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## Last Chance to Pay 2023-2024 Dues

**All Aerie & Auxiliary members who have not paid their dues for this fraternal year (2023-2024) will be dropped on July 11<sup>th</sup>.** Anyone who is dropped from the membership system will no longer be a member in good standing and will be required to re-enroll by filling out an application, paying the re-enrollment fee and the membership dues. Anyone who has been dropped is not allowed to come into the Social Room, even as a guest.

Three dues reminders were mailed and one reminder phone call went out. If you have not received any dues reminders, your address may have changed and has not been updated with the Aerie or Auxiliary Secretaries or you may have an expiration date of 2024 or later. The way to be sure is to look at your yellow (Aerie) or white (Auxiliary) membership receipt where your name and expiration date is printed in red. If your door card is not working, check your membership card to see if it has expired.

Pay your dues directly to the Aerie or Auxiliary Secretary to ensure the payment is credited on time. **Do not wait until the last day!** Dues will not be taken at the bar.

The Aerie Secretary is in the office weekday afternoons. Addresses can be updated and dues paid over the phone at 208-664-5612.

The Auxiliary Secretary is available to update addresses and dues by phone at 208-765-1397.

## Eagles History

With the 4<sup>th</sup> of July here, did you know the Coeur d'Alene Eagles used to put in a float in the parade every year? We haven't put a float in the parade for many years, but through the 50's and 60's, we put together several floats. The Aerie and Auxiliary would get together and build a float together. We have several photos of long since passed members on our floats. One of the more notable floats was modeled after the steam ships that graced the waters of Lake Coeur d'Alene. The Coeur d'Alene Eagles has a rich history of supporting our community through parades, donations, sponsoring youth programs like baseball, basketball, and several other sports. The money that is generated by your generous donations through raffles, ticket sales, collections, bar sales, and direct donations get turned around back into our local community. This last year, we donated over \$50,000 dollars to local charities. We hope this continues to build.



## Eagles Fun Fact

Did you know that if you were initiated using the full initiation ceremony and you are killed while performing your job or serving our country, the Fraternal Order of Eagles through its Memorial Foundation offers thousand dollars in benefits to your children. Benefits that include education grants, medical, dental, and more for your kids. Medical benefits are until your kids are 18 and educational benefits are until they are 25. If you are unsure if you were initiated in the full ceremon., I would encourage you to go through initiation again and renew your pledge to the Eagles. Any member can renew their obligation to the Eagles at any time. If you are a member that has kids over 18 and 25, I encourage you to think about giving the gift of membership to your kids, so your grandkids are covered. Several older Eagles members pay for their kid's dues and have them get initiated, even though they may not be involved in the Eagles, so their grandkids are covered. Finally, if you are the legal guardian of your grandkids, your membership covers them until 18 and 25. If you want to learn more about the benefits of being an Eagle check out [www.FOE.com](http://www.FOE.com).

## People Helping People

### Aerie 486 Charity Chairman Message

Our last e-bike fundraiser of the season is on display at the Eagles. We will be drawing the winning ticket around the middle of July. Get your tickets early.

If you are housebound and want someone to visit you, we have Eagle members who would love to visit and say hello.

We had the check presentation at the Eagles for our new disaster dog named Eagle. He will be born in the Fall, and I will keep you updated on his progress.

Our hot dog/water sales during Car d'Lane was very successful, and we made money for the President's charity fund. Thank you to all the members who volunteered their time and worked at the sales stand. You, the volunteers, made it successful.

Need a new 65' or 70' TV for the upcoming football season? Stand by...it's coming.

Last but not least, **I have a few volunteer openings left for our hot dog stand during Art on the Green.** The stand will be open from 10am to 6pm on Friday and Saturday and 10am to 4pm on Sunday. The dates are August 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>.

Any suggestions or questions, please call me.

Gene McCloskey  
208-929-0634



## Aluminum Can Tabs - Help Ronald McDonald House/Davidson Family Hospitality Center

We will collect aluminum can tabs to donate to this organization helping our community. **If you want to help, bring in your tabs from home.** We will have a collection bin near the Aerie Secretary's office.

Julie Robinson, Auxiliary Madam Chaplain, drops off pull tab donation.



## Entertainment News

### Upcoming Events in July

#### **15<sup>th</sup> Street Concert Series – Thursday Nights – 5-8 pm**



July 6<sup>th</sup> – Cover 2 Cover  
July 13<sup>th</sup> – What About Bob  
July 20<sup>th</sup> – Wild Wooly Duo  
July 27<sup>th</sup> – Successful Hobo



#### **Burger Nights at 15<sup>th</sup> Street – Thursday Nights – 5-7 pm**

Come join us for a tasty burger and entertainment at the Pavilion.



#### **Tamarack Ridge Band – Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup> from 6-10 pm**

Come join us for live country music performed by the 2022 IN-CMA Favorite Band Winner – Tamarack Ridge Band. Open to members and their guests in the social room.



#### **Fleetwood Max Duo – Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup> from 6-10 pm**

Come join us for live Fleetwood Mac tribute music. Open to **members** and their guests in the Social Room.



#### **Rock Candy Band – Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> from 6-10 pm**

This local band will be performing your favorite 70s, 80s, and 90s rock tunes. Open to **members** and their guests in the Social Room.

## Reminders



#### **Desert Rose Band/Dance in the Ballroom – 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday Evenings from 7-10 pm**

Come join in the fun with live music, dancing and socializing opportunities. **Now open to members and non-members with no cover charge.**

## Upcoming Community Fundraising Events

We are often contacted by charities we have donated to in the past or by members who are involved with other charities in the community. We want to let our members know about these events, but do not want to flood your inboxes with emails. We will continue to put them in our newsletter with contact information, so you can find out more about these worthy causes.

#### **Safe Passage Golf Tournament – Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup>**

Enjoy a summer day on the green with friends, spirits, and festivities at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Safe Passage Golf Tournament on Saturday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at the Ponderosa Springs Golf Course! Featuring a beautiful 9-hole interactive course, contests with prizes, a catered lunch by Capone's, an epic Bloody Mary bar and microbrew beer tent,

entertainment by DJ Lama, and the opportunity to bid on fabulous silent and live auction items!

Recommended for teams of four players. Individual golf tickets are \$75 to participate in the tournament, lunch, and swag bag, or \$300 for four tickets to secure your team. Limited to 72 players or 18 teams.

Luncheon tickets (no game included) are \$40 each. The whole family is welcome! Free for children under 12. Enjoy drinks on the deck, music, activities, and lawn games!

More information and tickets are at [safepassageid.org](http://safepassageid.org). Listed under Get Involved - Events - Get Tickets.

Fundraising proceeds support 24/7 advocacy and crisis intervention for adults and children who are affected by domestic or sexual violence, along with efforts to prevent violence by providing education to individuals across North Idaho.



June 2023

Aerie Presidential Eagle of the Month: Teena Holley

For June, I want to introduce you to an Aerie member who many of you may recognize, but not know much about. **My selection for June's Eagle of the Month is Teena Holley.** Many of you may know her as Taco Teena or the Taco Tuesday Lady, because she is the volunteer that makes sure we have a good meal before we expend our brain power on the Trivia Night questions.

Teena has been a member for seven years and volunteered often when we asked for help. For the past few years, she has been leading the team twice a month for the tacos part of our Tacos and Trivia Nights. Teena works with the new volunteers to not only dish up the tasty tacos, but she also manages the set up and take down of the serving area, most of the prep work and washing up the dishes used. I appreciate how she works with new volunteers to mentor them in the intricacies of how our meals and clean-up work, pays attention to how sales are going, prevents food waste as much as possible and works with the trustees and social room manager to elevate their awareness of this well attended event.

Teena, I am especially thankful for your smile and the cheerful, encouraging words you share with everyone you meet. You help to make our Eagles, our community and the world a better place. I encourage everyone to join me in smiling and saying **thank you Teena** when we see her in the social room or around town.

May 2023 Eagle of the Month

**Penny Wright**



## House Rule or By-Law of the Month

**“Rude, Boisterous, Profane language and conduct unbecoming an Eagle or Auxiliary Member and guests are strictly prohibited within this building and will not be tolerated.”**

If you would like to review all of the house rules and by-laws, they are posted on the bulletin board near the dart board. If you would like a copy of the House Rules or By-Laws for your own records reach out to the Aerie Secretary, Scott Sutherland at [cdaeagles486@outlook.com](mailto:cdaeagles486@outlook.com).

## Noteworthy Eagle Members

Are you a country fan? If so, did you know that Charles Edward Daniels, founder of the Charlie Daniels Band made famous by the song “The Devil Went Down to Georgia” was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Charlie is known for his exceptional fiddle and guitar skills. His music fused rock, country, blues, and jazz, helping to create the genre we now know as Southern Rock. Mr. Daniels passed away on July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020, but he left all of us a legacy of music that will be enjoyed for generations to come.



## CDA Eagles Business Hours

Monday thru Thursday – 12pm - 9pm  
Friday – 12pm – 11pm  
Saturday – 10am – 11pm  
Sunday – 10am – 9pm

## Stay Connected with Your Eagles

Facebook: Cd'a Eagles - Coeur d' Alene Eagles Auxiliary - Eagles 15<sup>th</sup> Street Pavilion  
Aerie Worthy President, Laura Sutherland: [president.cdaeagles486@gmail.com](mailto:president.cdaeagles486@gmail.com)

Aerie Trustees: [486trustees@gmail.com](mailto:486trustees@gmail.com)

Aerie Secretary, Scott Sutherland: 208-664-5612, [cdaeagles486@outlook.com](mailto:cdaeagles486@outlook.com)

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We welcome your thoughts and ideas for consideration for upcoming Newsletters, please contact us at:

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# Coeur d'Alene Eagles Calendar – July 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<p>Aerie Secretary, Scott Sutherland 208-664-5612 <a href="mailto:cdaeagles486@outlook.com">cdaeagles486@outlook.com</a></p> <p>Auxiliary Secretary, Eleanora Capaul 208-765-1397 Leave Message <a href="mailto:eaglesaux486@gmail.com">eaglesaux486@gmail.com</a></p>		<p>Trustee Meeting Every Wednesday @ 5:30 pm Basement <a href="mailto:486trustees@gmail.com">486trustees@gmail.com</a></p>		<p><b>1</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Karaoke</b> 6–9 pm Social Room</p>
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>4<sup>th</sup> of July</b></p>  <p>Free Pool</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Auxiliary Orientation</b> 6 pm</p> <p style="color: green;"><b>Chili</b> – All Day</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>15<sup>th</sup> Street Concert Series *</b> 5-8 pm – 15<sup>th</sup> Street</p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Burger Night *</b> 15<sup>th</sup> Street – 5-7pm</p> <p><b>Thirsty Thursday</b></p>	<b>7</b>	<p><b>8</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Tamarack Ridge Band</b> 6-10 pm Social Room</p>
<p><b>9</b></p> <p style="color: green;"><b>Auxiliary Breakfast</b> 9-11 am - Dining Room</p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Aerie Orientation</b> 6 pm</p> <p>Free Pool</p>	<b>10</b>	<p><b>11</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Auxiliary Meeting</b> 7 pm</p> <p>Free Pool</p>	<p><b>12</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Aerie Meeting w/ Initiation</b> 7 pm</p> <p style="color: green;"><b>Chicken Street Tacos</b> All Day</p>	<p><b>13</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Desert Rose Dance</b> 7-10 pm – Ballroom – Free</p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Burger Night *</b> 15<sup>th</sup> Street – 5-7pm</p> <p><b>Thirsty Thursday</b></p>	<p><b>14</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Liquor Tasting</b> 3pm (Free to Members + 2 guests) Social Room</p>	<p><b>15</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Fleetwood Max Duo</b> 6-10 pm Social Room</p>
<p><b>16</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Aerie Orientation</b> 6 pm</p> <p>Free Pool</p>	<b>17</b>	<p><b>18</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Trivia</b> 6:30-8:30 pm Social Room</p> <p style="color: green;"><b>Tacos</b> 5-7 pm</p> <p>Free Pool</p>	<p><b>19</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Aerie Meeting</b> 7 pm</p> <p style="color: green;"><b>Pizza</b> All Day</p>	<p><b>20</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Burger Night *</b> 15<sup>th</sup> Street – 5-7pm</p> <p><b>Thirsty Thursday</b></p>	<b>21</b>	<p><b>22</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Rock Candy Band</b> 6-10 pm Social Room</p>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<p><b>25</b></p> <p style="color: blue;"><b>Auxiliary Meeting w/ Initiation</b> 7 pm</p> <p>Free Pool</p>	<p><b>26</b></p> <p style="color: green;"><b>Shepherd's Pie</b> All Day</p>	<p><b>27</b></p> <p style="color: red;"><b>Burger Night *</b> 15<sup>th</sup> Street – 5-7pm</p> <p><b>Thirsty Thursday</b></p>	<b>28</b>	<p><b>29</b></p> <p><b>30/31 (Sun/Mon)</b></p>

\* **15th Street Concert Series - Thursday Nights in July - 5-8pm**

7/6 - Cover 2 Cover    7/13 - What About Bob    7/20 - Wild Wooly Duo    7/27 - Successful Hobo