



Eagles Newsletter

Alva Aerie 871



August 2026 – October 2026

Secretary's Report

Due to the new gaming regulations set by the state our donation list is too long to address individually. Last quarter we donated \$74,000 to different organizations locally and across the US.

If you have a favorite charity, you'd like us to donate to, please come to a meeting to make a proposal. As always, we thank you for your continued support.

Dee Dee Hodge
Worthy Secretary

Chaplain's Corner

Dear Eagles,

Fall is a time for beginnings. Kids start back to school and the cooler weather starts, and we gear up for the start of football season. I really enjoy this time of year as I prefer the cooler weather and the return to routine after vacations and travels in Summer. Just in time to gear back up for the Holidays. How fast the year moves on us.

As always we are thankful for our family, our friends and our community. Out of our abundance we are able to assist others. The goal of our organization is the betterment of our world. We strive for peace and prosperity to allow all to enjoy the fulfillment of God's promise. Thank you for your continued commitment to our values of liberty, truth, justice, and equality.

The Eagles is a great organization which builds up our members and supports each other in many ways. We wish all of you a great Fall and look forward to seeing you at the Aerie. If you or anyone you know could use our support or assistance, please let us know. Contact the Office at 703-548-1362.

May God bless you, your family, and our community and thank you.

Terry Enright
Worthy Chaplain

President's Message

Brothers,

The next Fraternal Order of Eagles Quarterly Conference will be held August 15, 2026 in Staunton, VA. All members are invited to attend. This year the International Conference will be held in Dallas, Texas from August 10th through the 13th, 2026.

The Aerie's Old Timer's Day (Fraternal Day) will be held on October 18, 2026. The Social Hour will start at noon and end at 1:00 pm. The Award of Pins Ceremony will start at 1:00 pm. The following State and Grand Aerie Officers have committed to attend: State Worthy President Doug Horn and his spouse Linda; Grand Aerie Inside Guard Gayle Rock Ruark, Past State Ladies Auxiliary President Gena Ruark.

The Aerie had three members step up to be first time Trustees and Conductor, during the 2026-2027 term.

The Aerie needs volunteers to assist the Aerie with the Friday night dinners, brunch, when dates are scheduled for cleanup day, picnic, crab pick, etc. New and longtime members can help by volunteering at least 1-2 hours per month for these events. If the Aerie can't obtain a sufficient number of volunteers the events might have to be cancelled.

The Aerie is open for the Members and their Guests to socialize and make new friends. REMEMBER TO BUS AND CLEAN YOUR TABLES. Stay safe and I hope to see you at the Aerie.

Jake Jacobs, Worthy President
ALVA Aerie 871

Trustee Notes

“Unless someone like you cares a whole awful lot, nothing is going to get better. It’s not.” – Dr. Seuss

As we kicked off the summer season, we welcomed two new Trustees to the Board, Bob Williams and George Lukes. We also added two Special Assistants to the Trustees, Susanna Hans and Scott Pion. A big thank you for all that stepped up and to our outgoing Trustees, Jeff Livingston and Jon Reedy. We appreciate your service to the club and your fellow Eagles.

ALVA 871 now has license plates and they are only \$10 dollars at the bar. Show your Eagle’s spirit and take one with you the next time you travel. We also have started to display our plates from fellow visitors and that has encouraged more to come in and bring us one from their hometowns. It’s a good way to show pride in our club and others.

Due to the popularity of Old Town and to curb walks offs, we will distribute member-only parking decals and start enforcing towing in the next few months. Ask the bartender for your parking sticker the next time you are in the club. We’ve had some issues the past couple of months and want to ensure our members have a place to park to enjoy the bar and during all our monthly meals.

As always, we run almost completely on volunteers, so please remember to donate an hour or two a month and help your fellow Eagles. Also, if you have any suggestions or ideas to help the club thrive, please grab a Trustee or come to a meeting.

Please mark your calendars for these important upcoming events: Annual Crab-Pick, August 15th and FOE Annual 871 Picnic, Saturday, September 19th .

To stay up to date with all club announcements, please check the announcement board at the club, as well as your emails and text messages. To receive text updates, sign up by texting “EAGLES871” to 78859.

Auxiliary Notes

Alva Auxiliary #871

This Eagle Year has started off with our Auxiliary continuing to sell desserts on Shrimp and Wing Night each month. We have plans to have a table of items to sell at the Friday, September 4th Steak Night. Stop by the Aerie if you are in the neighborhood. We might find something you cannot live without. The Aerie and Auxiliary will be collecting T- shirts and Socks for the local Carpenter Shelter the month of August and September. How great it would be if every Auxiliary member donated one pair of socks and one t-shirt.

The Grand Aerie approved the formation of Ladies Auxiliaries to the Fraternal order of Eagles at their 28th Convention in Seattle, WA. Sisters that means the Ladies Auxiliary is 98 years old. What a Milestone this is as we approach 100 years of existence.

So, let's continue to make money and give it away.

Birthdays: August 2026 – Susan Abisso, Shea Barnes, Nikol Browning, Barbara Clark, Danielle Collins, Patricia Hall, Mireille Nastri, Jane Peregoy, Bonnie Rathbone, Regina Ruark, Sally Shifflet **September 2026** – Megan Brown, Kylie Butler, Michelle Gallahan, Natasha Hlywiak, Deborah Hudson, Pamela Leckner, Amanda Missigman, Carla Nickle, Delores Owens, Barbara Peyton, Stacie Ross, Elizabeth Vazquez **October 2026** – Lynn Brautigan, Nancy D'Agostino, Donna Hanback, Roni Larsen Preat, Darlene Phillips, Colette Seegars, Lisa Tillman, Ellen Wilson, Jacqueulin Wysong

*Until next time,
Jean Oliver, Madam Secretary*

Monthly Recurring Events

Aerie Meetings

- 1st and 3rd Wednesdays
- Trustees Meeting 5:30 p.m.
- Officers Meeting 6:00 p.m.
- General Meeting and New Member inductions 7:00 p.m.

Auxiliary Meetings

- 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

New Membership Applicant Interviews

- 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month at 6:15 p.m.

Bloody Mary Breakfast

- 1st Sunday every month 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.
- \$15.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children
- Breakfast includes buffet style meal with eggs and pancakes cooked to order and one Bloody Mary or screwdriver

Pork Chop Dinner

- 3rd Fridays 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
- Grilled pork chops and sides for \$15.00

Steak Dinner

- 1st Fridays 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
- 12 oz steak with all the sides for \$20.00

Shrimp Dinner

- 4th Friday 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
- Shrimp, Wings, and Cole Slaw for \$15.00
- Shrimp and Cole Slaw for \$10.00
- Wings only (full order of 13) \$12.00

Officers of the Aerie

Worthy President	Jake Jacobs
Jr. Past Worthy President.....	Allen Flanigan
Worthy Vice President.....	Joe Hodge
Worthy Chaplain.....	Terry Enright
Worthy Conductor	Mickey Hansen
Worthy Secretary	Dee Dee Hodge
Worthy Treasurer	Pam Cericola
Inside Guard	Paul Zanowski
Trustees	Tracy Kidd (<i>Chairman of the Board</i>)
.....	Blair Larkins
.....	George Lukes
.....	Steve Mecartney
.....	Bob Williams
Assistants to the Trustees.....	Susanna Hans
.....	Scott Pion

2025-2026 Auxiliary Officers

Jr Past Madam President	Sher Blair
Madam President	Maryann Barvinski
Madam Vis Presiden	Jessica Collins
Madam Chaplain	Cathy Knowles
Madam Conductor	Jenny Flanigan
Madam Secretary	Jean Oliver
Madam Treasurer.....	Lynn Brautigan
Madam Inside Guard.....	Mary Butler
Madam Trustees	
.....	Mary Wantrobski
.....	Colette Seegars
.....	Liz Ruana

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Upcoming Birthdays

August 2026

Larry D Adams Jr
Rebeckah F Adcock
Justin Andersen
Ann I Arnold
Allan R Bader
Lisa Baker
Taylor Barnes
Carolyn D Bell
Drew Bewick
Sharon L Blackwell
Alex Boesenberg
Robert C Borden
Dillon H Boyer
Ryan C Bradel
Bruce A Brown
Christine Brown
Michael Browning W
Rich A Brune
Mason Carpenter
Cody Chalkey
Jeff A Choudhry
Heather A Cole
David A Conine
Daniel J Couch
RJ J Deaton
Paul S Doerrerr
James J Donatone
Robert A Dye
Curtis P Dyer
Kate Eltzroth
Kelli A Emerick
Trish V Enright
Nancy Erdly
James Fagan
Sam R Farran
J Richard Faulkner Jr
Nat Fink-Humes
Julie C Forsht
Amy S Furr
Patrick Gallagher
Allison L Galloway
Jay Gosh
Ralph K Groube
Leigh B Gunn
Christopher M Hansen
Ethan D Hausman
Blaise Hazelwood
Michael C Holland
Churchill Hooff
Robert L Kidd
Don H Klakamp
Oksana S Kluchko
Carl J Kohler
Noah Komnick
Danny Kraus
Tom Lacey
Dee Dee Lancaster
Jeffrey Larson
Mike Lord
George E Lukes
Hayley Mackin
Nancy Marlow
Carol M McDonough
Steven M McCartney
Frank Montero
Willie M Moses
Bill Nicholls
Sydney J Olson
David Y Paik
Chu H Pak
William R Palmer
Peggy I Polomlean
Bob J Powers
Allison L Priebe
John V Purtill

James B Quasebarth
Stephen Reidy
Eric P Reinholtz
Nancy S Rettig
Steve W Rex
David A Rife
Casey L Rogers
Erik A Rosales
Alicia D Sanchez
Marc W Sanders
Jim E Schuler
Monique Senter
Larry Seyfried
Bonnie J Sigwalt
Mike S Silver
Joe Sliger
James D Sprandel
Scott A Stanton
John B Sterling
Michael A Strutton
Anthony Swietlik
Rachel V TEmple
Carlos A Toledo
Robert Tufts
John D Versaggi
Pamela D Williams
Wayne W Williams
Norman M Worthen
Martin J Yeager
September 2026
Mike Adam
Nicholas E Africano
Heidi Barker
Michael Barker
John D Barnes
Daniel J Bernstein
Paul B Boroughts
Scott G Bousum
Duana E Butler
Lani C Cadow
Matias Camacho
Amanda E Cernik
Kasey J Chapman
Pablo Clemente-Colon
William C Cleveland
Oliver E Cole
Katie Connolly
Alexia K Cook
Michael A Coolican
John R Cory
Chris J Dattaro
Dale R Davis
Christopher M Diloranzo
James C Dudney
Trent Duffy
Patricia Feeley
Mary E Ferrara
Mike Foster
James Galkowski
Gladis C Griffith
Ryan M Hambleton
Stacy A Hickman
Peter Hlywiak
James P Howe
John M Hubbard
Caleb Johnson
Dickran Kavaljian
Peter J Kelly
Jay Kenny
Chris Kiros
Nathan L Klein
H Lashkari
John V Lease
Kathryn H Lehman
Rebecca Lira
Jeff S Livingston
Nick K Lunneburg
Rick Lyon
Shelly Malur
Nancy M Marchetti
James G Mazol
Taylor M McCarty
Thomas McWalters
Rafael Mendoza
Michael C Merola
John L Milewski
Brian P Mohr
Lawson Moore

Robert Moss
Joan Mundt
Adam D Newton
Thomas F O'Neil
Steven R Patterson
David M Popp
Danielle S Raab
Rabeya Rahman
Arnie Reid
Clifton E Rodgers
Dori G Rutherford
Ramona Santiago Vega
Reena Sarai
Chris T Saulnier
Richmond Sheedy
Andrea Smith
Vaughn Spencer
Brandon K Steiner
Joanie Stewart
Ronald L Stokes
Adam L Temple
Maceo C Toney Jr
David P Tovey
Seraph Townsend
Tommy "Coach" Tuberville
Jeffery T Twardy
Joe C Van Cleve
Heather L Wade
Alexander P Wantrobski
Bob M Waters
Anthony J Wilson
Scott A Wiltshire
Douglas K Wood
October 2026
Gayle Anderson
Terry Anderson
Maxmillian Angerholzer III
Ginger L Arnold
Dave W Barton
Randy Bennett
Christine H Bernstein
Thomas C Bijak
Mark D Blackwell
Andrew K Bradford
Norman K Bradford
Stephen F Brown
Charles M Bufano
John Kevin Bulman
Scott A Bupp Jr
Christine S Byrnes
Neil C Cannon
Ricky Carter
Gregory J Cassidy
Gordon Chase
Donna J Chilson
Walter C Clarke
John E Clements
Adam B Cross
Joshua D Davidson
Keith Doce
Marie S Donovan
Michael J Driscoll
David E Dumais
Nathan L Eikost
Robert J Elder
Roy Elkins Sr
John P Elwood
Joseph C Erfe
Christy M Esteve
Robert C Fields Jr
Shirley J Folsom
Aaron J Frank
Sean P Gallagher
Chuck R Greenfeld
Susan J Gruskiewicz
Paul W Hanley

Hadan W Hatch
Frank B Henry
Katherine Heubert
Ted Hoener
Cheryl Hubbard
Charles H Huffman Jr
William Jagg
Heather G James
Susan T Johnson
Nawal M Kassem
Kevin M Keefer
Vincent P Kelso
Matt D Kendall
Daryl F Knopf
Karry K La Violette
Natalie Leggoe
Kirk H Logie
Iley E Lorne
James E Mahoney
Chris C Maneval
John Martin
Michael M Mataulipaaa
Dotti I Mavromatis
Dan McDermott
Sarah E McElveen
Alex Meehan
Alvaro A Mendoza
J T Mertins
Christine Mica
Glenn S Morrill
Jane M Newell
Robert A Nickle
Marc A Otero
David L Peele
Casey W Phillips
Mark R Poskaitis
Charles M Rammel
Jon Reedy
Robert Rosado
Seth W Salyers
Camila N Sanchez
Diedre Schexnayder
Stephanie A Scott
Tim S Sellner
James Sersland
Gregory B Smith
Wendy J Smith
Chris A Snowling
Randall A Snowling
Mary H Souder
Mary Kate Sparrow
Douglas K Spitnale
Wayne T St. John
David P Strawbridge
James A Swift
Valerie M Swords
Andrew H Tabler
Noah E Taylor
Alan G Thornton
Bert (Ram) J Todd
James A Viola
Chris Von Guggenberg
Justin M Weiner
Allison Melia Welch
Harry Williamson
Lizann Wood
Eve A Young
Santos R Zelaya