



## **Litchfield Eagles Aerie #4499 and Auxiliary**

### **Our Mission Statement:**

**The Fraternal Order of Eagles, an international non –profit organization, united fraternally,  
In the spirit of liberty, truth, justice, and, equality**

**Dear fellow members**

**The Litchfield Eagles Auxiliary Scholarship Mouse Races, March 31<sup>st</sup>**

**This year the Mouse Races will be held at the Litchfield VFW Post 3912-at 215 W. Ryder.**

**Doors open at 6:00 P.M. and Races start at 7:00 P.M. Admission to this fundraiser is only \$10.00 and that price includes beer, popcorn, and soda. There will be sloppy Joes and chips for an additional \$3.00.**

**Where else can you go on a Saturday night and for \$13.00 get your food, drink, and entertainment and help support a great cause, The Litchfield High School Scholarship Fund. The Auxiliary has done this for several years and if you haven't been to a mouse race these things are a BLAST! Must be 21 years old to enter, for more info. Contact Gail Niehaus-556-3114, Vicki Corrado-556-8434 or Cheri Nail-710-3934 Scholarship applications are available at the club and must be turned in by April 13<sup>th</sup>. The auxiliary will be giving out three \$500.00 scholarships this year, two of them will be given to Litchfield High school seniors, and one will be given to the child of an Eagle member in good standings for more than one year that has graduated in 2011 or 2012-. There will also be a silent Auction.**

**Notice to all Auxiliary members of a change in meeting nights.**

**At the Feb. 7<sup>th</sup> meeting of the women's Auxiliary a vote was taken and passed to change the women's meeting night to the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month at 7:00 pm.**

### **Nomination and elections**

**Just a reminder that Nominations for office will take place the last meeting in April and Elections will be held the first meeting in May, and installation of new officers will be the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting in June. If you would be interested in holding office at the Litchfield Eagles please attend the last meeting in April.**

### **Live music by Jason Mcelroy and friends**

**On March 24<sup>th</sup> we will have Jason Mcelroy and friends on the main stage from 8 till midnight, so come on out and check these guys out they are AWSOME!**

### **\$100.00 Gas cards**

**We have two pot shot boards at the club and we are selling chances at a \$100.00 gas card. The cost is \$5.00 per square and there are only 42 squares on the board. After we give away the first \$100.00 gas card we will start another board and do it again, who couldn't use \$100.00 worth of gas these days?**

### **April 7<sup>th</sup> Fish Fry**

**On April 7<sup>th</sup> we will have another Fish Fry. This time we will serve a fish sandwich fries for \$3.50 from 6 till 8 pm and then we will have Karaoke by Big Al and T man from 8 till 12 pm.**

**If you haven't seen these guys they have a 10ft. blow up TV screen and they have a huge variety of music so come on up to the club and check these guys out!**

## **Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans!**

On March 30th and 31<sup>st</sup> we will be teeming up with the VFW Post 3912, the Moose, The Am vets and several other local originations in Litchfield to welcome home all Vietnam Veterans.

There will be an open house on March 30<sup>th</sup> beginning a 2:00 pm and all Vietnam Veterans will be welcome to join in on a meal and social time at the VFW hall. The woman's Auxiliary will be helping with that meal on Friday.

On Saturday March 31<sup>st</sup> there will be a Welcome home Parade beginning at 1:00 pm at Sihler School and ending at the War Memorial on Monroe Street, where there will be a small speech and then another meal at the VFW hall.

Everyone is encouraged to march in the parade, but if you don't want to march please help to line the parade route to show your support for all the Veterans that help keep our country free !

## **Reminder of Delinquent Dues**

This is just a friendly reminder that the Aerie still has several members and the Auxiliary also still has several members that have not paid there dues for 2012. It is very important to us that you keep your membership current and it's not to late to catch up. The men's dues are still \$25.00 a year and the Auxiliary's dues are still \$20.00 and can be mailed to P.O. 443 Litchfield Ill. 62056 or the Aerie dues can be paid at the club; remember your membership is VERY VERY important to the success of this club.

## **Nomination of Officers to the Auxiliary**

This is a notice of nomination of officers.

Nominations for office to the Auxiliary are the second meeting in April and the Elections are the 1<sup>st</sup> meeting in May if you wish to hold office in the Auxiliary you must attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting in April.

Sincerely/President Vernon Thrasher

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### **NEW Hours of Operation**

**Wed.5:00 pm -9:00pm**

**Thursday – 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm**

**Friday – 5:00 pm to? Saturday-5:00 pm to?**

**Don't forget to sign up a new member or two in '12'**

**Join us at the bi-monthly meetings at:**

**Eagles Aerie #4499 and Auxiliary 116 W. Ryder Litchfield, Illinois 62056  
217-324-4554**

**Aerie Meetings: 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month Auxiliary Meetings: 1st and 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Monday of each month at 7: pm**

**Initiations: Aerie – 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month Auxiliary –3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month**