



The Fraternal Order of Eagles is an international non-profit organization uniting fraternally in the spirit of liberty, truth, justice, and equality, to make human life more desirable by lessening its ills and promoting peace, prosperity, gladness and hope. Our Motto: People Helping People

**Member Appreciation Picnic – Thank You** A quick thank you to the committees of the Auxiliary and Aerie that helped to make this event a success. There was a lot going on that weekend in September but we still had a good turnout. It was good seeing everyone together!

**Halloween Party** – As a reminder, we will be having our annual Halloween party on Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. Live entertainment by The Strugglers will be from 8:00 pm til 12:00 am. There will be drink specials and a costume contest with prizes. The club will be supplying hot dogs and bratwurst as a main course and we are asking that those who attend please bring finger foods to share. A good time will be had by all!

**Christmas Party** – Our annual Christmas Party has been scheduled for Saturday, November 29<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 – 12:00 am. We have scheduled this party early due to the fact that there are not as many weekends in December of 2014 as usual and people get busy this time of year. We wanted to make sure that everyone had the opportunity to attend. The club will be deep frying 2 turkeys and we are asking that members who attend please bring a side dish to share. Food will be served from 6:00 pm til 8:00 pm. Entertainment will be provided by a 2 man band featuring Ben Pulley from 8:00 pm til 11:00 pm.

**Children's Christmas Party** – Our annual Children's Christmas Party will be on December 7<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 pm until 5:00 pm. Santa will be stopping by and hot dogs, snacks and drinks will be provided for the kids. Please try to stop by!

**Drink Prices** – We have had to slightly raise our drink prices due to cost increases from our suppliers. We have kept the increase to a minimum and hope that patrons of the club understand. We are fortunate to have volunteer bartenders supply their time at no charge, but we still need to keep the lights on. If there are any questions, please stop by the club. We still believe that we have the best drink prices in town

**Thanksgiving Meals for Shut Ins/Needy** – We will need help preparing and delivering Thanksgiving meals the morning of Thanksgiving between 8:00 am and 10:00 am. The American Legion has graciously let the Eagles use their kitchen to prepare this meal. If you are interested in volunteering to prepare the meal, please contact Pam Voyles at 217-246-4833.

**Christmas Turkeys** – We will be delivering Christmas turkeys for the needy on December 20<sup>th</sup>, the Saturday before Christmas. We will need help delivering these so please come by the club on Saturday morning and support a good cause. 9:00

**New Year's Eve Party** – Will Reeser will perform at the club on New Year's Eve from 9:00 pm til 12:00 am. We will supply party favors and have a champagne toast at Midnight. Please bring your favorite finger foods and dips to share with everyone.

**Social Media** – Please check our Litchfield Eagles Aerie #4499 page on Facebook." Like" us and visit as this is a good way to keep up on local events involving the club. Again, thanks Andy!

**Winter Entertainment** – We are still trying to schedule club entertainment for the winter months. Please continue to keep an eye out for future newsletters and e-mails about entertainment and times and dates.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve the club.

Respectfully,

Mark J Jennings (P.W.P. – Past Worthy President)