Brothers and Sisters,

It’s the giving season - what better way to celebrate the holidays than by putting that charitable energy back into your community.

As we celebrate the holidays with our beloved family and friends, we should take the time to reflect on the charitable acts that took place in 2018.

Throughout the 2017 and 2018 fraternal year, more than $3,600,000 was donated to the Charity Foundation. Which is an impressive feat that exemplifies your hard work and selfless dedication to helping others.

Use this holiday season as a way to show your friends, family, and neighbors all the work we do and encourage them to join The Fraternal Order of Eagles. Take it one step further by involving the youth in your community, and act as a mentor to them, by showing them how much good they will be able to do as a member.

There is no better feeling than helping someone in need. There are countless ways that you can impact your community, whether it is with a local food drive or a fundraising effort for an important cause.

We’d like to show our appreciation for all your hard work this past year – we thank you for all the money and time you have put back into helping others and bettering your community. We wouldn’t be able to do what we do without people like you!

If you haven’t already, help your Aerie and Auxiliary make a difference in someone’s life this holiday season. There’s no better time of year to show just what “People Helping People” is all about.

Fraternally,

Carl Burnett
GWP

Althea Lane
GMP

Paradise Eagles #2960 Devastated By California Fires

Earlier this month, Paradise Eagles Aerie #2960 was lost due to the devastating Camp wildfire that ravaged Northern California. Members of the Paradise Eagles have lost homes and other possessions and are just beginning the process of picking up the pieces and starting a new.

In recent weeks, Chico Eagles #218 has assisted by welcoming those without a home into their Aerie and providing them with meals each day and a safe place to lay their heads at night.

For those interested in assisting the Paradise Eagles as they battle the after effects of this terrible fire, you can help by donating through the Grand Aerie.

Donations can be sent to:
FOE Grand Aerie
1623 Gateway Circle South
Grove City, OH 43123

Checks should be made payable to FOE Grand Aerie with Paradise noted in the memo line or on an attached letter. The Grand Aerie will be earmarking all donations and will distribute them as needed to those most in need of assistance.

If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact accounting@foe.com.

We appreciate your assistance in helping us provide aid to our California Brothers & Sisters.
2018 Operation Eagle Eagle Nominees

Read the full bios of the nominees on the Operation Eagles page.

Daniel Kent
Sponsoring Aerie:
North East Arkansas
#3354

David Moruzzi
Sponsoring Aerie:
Coeur D’Alene
#486

David Potter
Sponsoring Aerie:
Casper, Wyoming
#306

Kevin McCmann
Sponsoring Aerie:
John T. Bouchard
#3701

Russell Stilson
Sponsoring Aerie:
Deer Valley, Arizona
#3871

Marisa Minton
Sponsoring Aerie:
St. Joseph, Missouri
#49

Top Producers/
New Leaders
for November 2018

Aerie:
1. #4538 Yuma, AZ 69
2. #2809 Gig Harbor, WA 56
3. #486 Coeur D’Alene, ID 45
4. #1801 Somerset, PA 42
5. #4299 Lake Havasu City, AZ 42

Auxiliary:
1. #4273 Okahumpka, FL 29
2. #4538 Yuma, AZ 21
3. #4089 Port Orange, FL 20
4. #3865 Oroville, WA 19
5. #3207 Plainfield, IN 17
6. #2469 Grand Rapids, MN 17
7. #1387 Buckley, WA 17

Aerie (Individual):
1. William Loughrey 15
   Redford, MI #2265
2. Sarah Woods 15
   Folsom, CA #929
3. Wally Lowe 14
   Lake Havasu City, AZ #4299
4. Ronald Doty 13
   Burlington, IA #150
5. Amanda Lawrence #483 12
5. Gary Johnson #741 12
5. Tina Demonaco #4534 12

Auxiliary (Individual):
1. Michelle Silvis 11
   Yuma, AZ #4538
2. Connie Campbell 9
   Daytona Beach, FL #4469
2. Gayle Batchelder 9
   Grand Rapids, MN #2469
2. Lynora Zuchegno 9
   Massillon, OH #2370
5. Renee Sullivan 8
   Fredericksburg, VA #4123

The Fraternal Order of Eagles Soar
1623 Gateway Circle South
Grove City, Ohio 43123
www.foe.com

Call
General Questions - 614-883-2200
Marketing Questions - 614-883-2210
Membership Questions - 614-883-2177

Email
marketing@foe.com

Fax
614-883-2201
We Are People Helping People

Alberta
- Between the 2018 ADF Classic Car for a Cure and the Annual Rock'n August Week activities, St. Albert Aerie #2102 was able to give a combined contribution of $150,000 to the Alberta Diabetes Foundation. They were able to raise the funds from their various events, 50/50 raffles, and a button selling program, which contributed over $25,000 to the total.

Arizona
- Lake Havasu City Aerie #4299 partook in Chloride Campout's Old Miners Day Parade 2018 where they entered a float and won a 'Best Overall' trophy.

British Columbia
- Campbell River Aerie and Auxiliary #3097 presented an $8,150 check and donated a total of 1,447 food items to their local food bank. The money was raised through catering, pie, jam and bake sales, and dinners.
- Campbell River Eagles #3097 donated $5,000 to Kidney Cancer Research. This donation is special because it will be matched, and will turn into $10,000. These funds were raised through pie sales, caterings and a fashion show.

California
- Co-chairs Tracy and Debra Jennings raised $1,003 for Brisbane Eagles #3255's annual kidney fund.

Florida
- Lehigh Acres Auxiliary #3938 raised $1,950 during a benefit to help support a well-loved member, Judy. Judy is a long time member and volunteered as a waitress before she was diagnosed with cancer. The funds will help with her medical bills, and she was beyond thrilled and overwhelmed with how many people came out to show their love and support.
- Venice Nokomis Eagles #3482 held a benefit for homeless veterans, where they were able to raise over $3,000 in monetary donations, 2 truckloads of clothing, blanket, tents, and hygiene products.

Indiana
- Invincible Aerie #1771 held their 13th Annual Car and Bike show and was able to present $10,000 to Alternatives of Madison County from funds raised during the show.
- Vincennes Auxiliary #384 presented PACE Head Start & Early Head Start with a $1,000 grant during the Annual J.O.E's holiday dinner on November 11, 2018.

Kentucky
- Yellow Banks Aerie #4168 PSP John Shively presented a grant check for $2,500 to Hospice of Western Kentucky, in memory of his wife, Alisa Shively. Alisa just recently passed away. He was so pleased with Hospice and all their staff for being so kind and caring during Alisa's brief stay.
- Yellow Banks Aerie #4168 PMSP Sarah Just presented a $2,500 grant check to Cornerstone of Louisville for Autism.

Maryland
- During Maryland's 2018 State Convention in June, hosted by Frederick Eagles #1067, the Maryland State Aerie and Auxiliary announced that over $34,000 was raised for the Alzheimer's Association Greater Maryland Chapter.

Minnesota
- Morris Aerie #620 made a $700 contribution to the Morris Area High School toward the purchase of a new wrestling mat for the Morris Area Herman Chokio Alberta wrestling program.
- Morris Aerie #620 donated $750 to support the habitat and youth hunting programs in west central Minnesota.
- Morris Aerie #620 gave $1,100 to support the local D.A.R.E. program in the local elementary school.
- Morris Aerie #620 made a $125 donation that will go toward materials for elementary students so they can learn more about fire prevention.

Missouri
- Marceline Eagles #726 donated $1,370 to Wreaths Across America. They also sold $281 worth of raffle tickets, and donated those funds to Wreaths Across America.
- Marceline Eagles #726 presented the Food Pantry Administrator Bill Toops with a $500 check for the Marceline Food Pantry.
- Marceline Eagles #726 gave a $500 grant to the Linn County Humane Society, in conjunction with Allstate Insurance.

New Jersey
- Millville Eagles #1836 hosted the City of Millville Parks & Recreation Department for a community clean-up in our neighborhood in May. Working in pairs, approximately 50 people volunteered and removed 80 bags of trash, 30 tires, 15 TVs, one washing machine and a few shopping carts. They opened their doors for all participants for food and refreshment throughout the day, connected with their neighbors, and gave prizes for most trash collected.

Ohio
- Pleasant Eagles #2293 presented a check for $2,000 to the Brown County Ohio Peace Officers Association for the "Shop with a Cop" program which helps local children in need have a wonderful Christmas.
- Hillsboro Aerie #1161 recently donated $1,200 to the Lynchburg Police Department for the purchase of a new Taser.

Wisconsin
- Merrill Auxiliary #584 Community Service Committee presented personal hygiene items, t-shirts, and cleaning items to the Merrill Community Homeless Center.
News & Notes

Join Us In Louisville, Kentucky In 2019!
In 2019, the Fraternal Order of Eagles International Convention is headed back to the Bluegrass State as we return to Louisville’s Galt House Hotel, July 6-11.
Located along the Ohio River, the Galt House sits within walking distance of the Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory, the Muhammad Ali Center and the amazing Fourth Street Live!, which hosts a variety of restaurants and nightlife activities including Hard Rock Café, Guy Fieri’s Smokehouse, PBR Louisville and the Jim Beam Urban Stillhouse.
Aerie and Auxiliary Sessions, educational courses, the Grand Aerie Offices and Ritual will be housed inside the Galt House’s two buildings for the week, making it easy for you to access all the Convention has to offer.
Rooms are available now at a rate of $114 per-night. You may book your reservation through the special FOE reservation page or via phone by calling 1-800-626-1814.
Inside the hotel are several great dining and beverage options including the RIVUE rooftop restaurant, Café Magnolia, Thelma’s Deli, Jockey Silks Bourbon Bar, Down One Bourbon Bar and Jeff Ruby’s Steakhouse. While you’re there, relax at the Xhale Salon & Spa, enjoy the beautiful outdoor pool or workour in the Club 360 Fitness Center.

7th Annual International Winter Horseshoe Tourney!
Hosted by Deer Valley Eagles #3871 in Glendale, Arizona, the Winter Horseshoe Tournament will take place on February 15,16,17, in 2019. The entry fee is $20 and you must be an Eagle member in good standing to be eligible to register. The entry deadline is February 14, 2019. Rules and registration can be found on www.foe.com.

News & Notes

Important State/Provincial By-Laws Information
Due to changes made to Section 35.6 of the Grand Aerie Constitution & Statutes at the 2018 International Convention, Per-Capita Tax will move to one time per-year, beginning with the 2019-2020 fraternal year. Per-Capita Tax will be collected in November 2018 and May 2019, then again in May 2020. There will NOT be a Per-Capita Tax payment in November 2019. States & Provinces are urged to amend their State/Provincial By-Laws for the one-time collection of State/Provincial Per-Capita Tax collection at their upcoming Conventions. The Grand Aerie WILL NOT be calculating Per-Capita Tax for any states or provinces that choose not to move to one time a year for November 2019. States/Provinces in November 2019 would be responsible for using MMS to calculate membership totals on their own and invoicing their Aeries/Auxiliaries for payment. If you have any questions regarding this change, contact the Grand Aerie at help@foe.com or call 614-883-2200.

Now Accepting Children’s Day Entries
If your Aerie or Auxiliary held a special holiday event for Children in 2018, you are eligible to submit your event details in the 2019 Children’s Day Contest. Each year, the Grand Aerie awards a $3,000 grant from the F.O.E. Charity Foundation Children’s Fund to the Aerie or Auxiliary which holds the most imaginative and significant Children’s oriented event during the fraternal year. Visit the Children’s Day page at foe.com to download the official entry form and flyer.