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# FOE *Connection*

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## Burlington, Fort Dodge lead state in membership

To all the ladies in Ft Dodge, the home auxiliary of MSP Rochelle, congratulations for having signed 12 members in September which makes your year to date total 20. Burlington is ahead of your overall total by two. Great job girls!

The number one producer in the state at present is Mary Ann Cutting of Ft Dodge who has signed up 11 recruits for the USS Eagle- dom. For her efforts, she will be receiving the "Unit Citation" ribbon (5 members) as well as the "Silver Star" (10 members) and she's not too far away from getting the "Purple Heart" (15 members). Good job, Mary Ann.

There are a couple more that aren't too far from getting the "Unit Citation" – Susan Kacena of Sioux City and Lisa Miller of Dubuque keep up the good work. Just a couple more for each of you and you'll be receiving your ribbons.

Currently, Three Rivers District in is the lead with 25 signed up in September for a year to date total of 81 which makes them at 56 percent of their district quota. Running a close second is South-

east Lakes District with a year to date total of 60, followed in third place by Hawkeye District with an overall total for the year of 52. Tallcorn District you're doing well, too, because you're at 46 percent of your district quota. West Pottawattamie is doing ok, but come on girls; I know you can do better.

As for the bets we've made, Iowa is ahead of Kansas and Nebraska right now but we're trailing Missouri. The Aerie also is a little ahead of us, but that's ok, I'm confident that it won't be long and we'll be ahead of them. But the kind of neat thing about the Iowa Aerie and Auxiliary is that in looking at the top 15 new members by state, Iowa ranks in 11th place in both the Aerie and the Auxiliary. Talk about a team effort!

So congratulations to all who are working so hard to get those recruits and re-enrollments on board. Granted times are tough right now and it's hard to sign members. But when you are signing up a member, remember we're striving for quality more so than

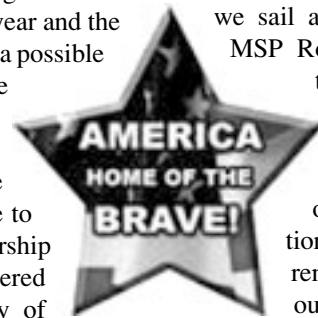
quantity. Get out there and get those members who want to be involved and, just like you, will be dedicated to the FOE and who will be there paying their dues next year, the next year and the year after that. Tell a possible new recruit what the Eagles is about, what we stand for, what charities we support and be sure to mention the partnership the FOE has entered with the University of Iowa for the Fraternal Order of Eagles Diabetes Research Center. That alone should make people want to join us in order to be part of history in the making.

Also, want to welcome aboard to the ladies of Spencer. On Oct

11, their auxiliary was re-insti- tuted. There were 32 new sisters initiated and a full slate of officers was installed. We're looking forward to you girls joining us as we sail across the state with MSP Rochelle and be sure to get involved with all the Eagles has to offer. You girls have just joined one of the best organiza- tions in the world and remember, you'll get out of the Eagles what you put in to it includ- ing several lifelong friendships.

Until next time, everyone keep up the good work.

Captain Haidsiak  
Membership Chm



## Mid-Winter Board Meeting

Mid Winter Board Meeting will be held January 9 and 10th at the Newton Inn in Newton, Iowa. Motel reservations can be made by calling 641-792-4200.

### IOWA STATE AERIE & AUXILIARY

# RAFFLE

Cost:

**\$2<sup>00</sup> /Ticket**

Winners will be drawn at  
Mid-Winter Board Meeting  
January 10, 2009.

1ST PLACE WINNER-----\$1,000.00  
2-2ND PLACES WINNERS-----\$500.00 EA.  
3RD PLACE WINNER-----\$300.00

For more information contact Larry Hanshaw 877-377-8578  
or Shelley Zimmerman 641-782-4386.

## 19th Annual State REAC

The 19th Annual State R.E.A.C. Conference was held in Davenport on Oct. 11th & 12th. Davenport did an outstanding job hosting this Conference and 44 members from across the State were in attendance. President Gregg Cook conducted some informative meetings and fellowship was enjoyed by all.

The new officers for 2008-2009 are:

Past President/Trustee Gregg Cook – Clinton,  
President – V. Jeanne Barber – Waterloo,  
Vice President – Dale Meyer – Cedar Rapids,  
Chaplain – Robert Willits – Davenport,  
Sgt.at Arms – Joyce Claude – Cedar Rapids,  
Secy-Treas – Cindy Balsanek – Cedar Rapids  
Trustees – Don Miller – Cedar Rapids and  
Steve Meeker – Clinton

The 20th Annual R.E.A.C. Conference will be held in Clinton, IA on Oct. 3rd & 4th, 2009. We hope to see more of you at next year's conference so mark your calendars. Have a great year!

Cindy Balsanek  
2007-2008  
Publicity ChairmanC

# Plow them up for 'Deere John'

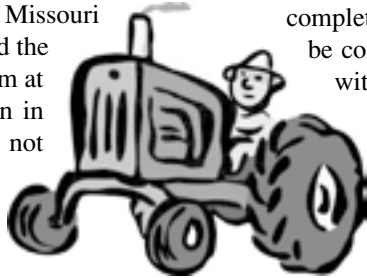
I hope everyone had a Happy Halloween!

I have handed out the prizes for those of you who have earned them as of the beginning of September. Some of you received them at Western Zone at Missouri Valley in September and the rest of you received them at Eastern Zone at Clinton in October. If you were not able to be at Clinton someone from your Aerie or your District Director will be getting them to you shortly.

For those Secretaries that are still filling out the new member

reports by hand, I contacted you around the middle of October to set up a time to assist you in swithing to the MMS system. For those Secretaries that are not using the MMS system completely I will be contacting you within the next month as the dead-line for swithing over is December 1st.

As of the first four months we are at 52% of our quota for the



entire year. 157 members ahead of this time last year. Keep up the good work.

Please, feel free to contact me with any ideas or activities that you have so that we can help each other.

Steve Langton  
319-521-5274

sdlangton@yahoo.com

Let's get out, have fun and sign up some members for our great organization

"Plowing them up for Deere John"

Iowa State Membership Team:  
Steve Langton – Chairman (Cedar Rapids)

Steve Zimmerman (Creston) and Miles Dixon (Burlington)

## The Heart Connection

Hello Brothers and Sisters,

We were in Chariton last week and they did a super job. Made lots of money. That's what I like to see. We are going to Maquoketa this weekend, then on to Davenport.

The weekend Of October 18, 2008 is the Chili Cook Off. Can't wait for that!!! They got some HOT CHILL. We have a very good start on "The Heart Connection." So when you know we are coming dig deep into your pockets to help this very worthy cause.

We will be having special people speaking at some of our auctions, so be sure to come and hear what they have to say.

If you have not setup a date yet, please do so soon. The dates are filling up fast. Can't wait to see you all on the Eagle trail to make money for "The Heart Connection."

Joe, Nellie, John, and Rochelle



## Atlantic to Host 2008 Iowa FOE State Pool Tournament

Iowa FOE State Pool Tournament  
Nov. 14-15-16, 2008  
Atlantic Aerie & Auxiliary. #3763  
307 Walnut Street  
Atlantic, Iowa

Friday Nov. 14th at 7:30 PM there will be a Single's tournament double elimination.

Sat. Nov. 15th--4 Person Team start at 9 AM--Round Robin.  
Entry Fee: \$40.

Sun. Nov. 16th--Finish Team Tournament,  
then Scotch Doubles Nine ball double elimination.  
Must have dues receipts paid to date and  
Per Captia Taxes paid

### Motel's Plus Taxes

A-Ford-O	Turkey Creek Lodge
Singles 1-1 \$30	1 Bed \$30
Doubles 2-1 \$34	2 Beds \$35
Doubles 2-2 \$38	3 Beds \$40

Super 8
Doubles \$79.88
Spa \$98.88

More information go to [www.foeiowa.com/](http://www.foeiowa.com/) also get Entry form.  
Contact: Barb Jensen 712-249-6490  
ladyeagl@mchsi.com

## MINK MOTEL RESERVATIONS

Contact: Ramada Inn  
4016 Frederick Ave.  
St. Joseph, MO 64506  
816-233-6192

\$78.00 - single or double occupancy plus tax. - Includes hot breakfast buffet.

Be sure you mention you are with the Fraternal Order of Eagles MINK Conference to get the special rate.

Reservations have to be made before March 3, 2009.

*With Our Sympathy*

**DONNA SNYDER**

105 Cedar Street  
Atlantic, Iowa 50022



## Deere John . . .

We have had a great fall so far, just been to Chariton and Maquoketa State Charity nights and had a great time. Joyce and I would like to thank both of them for the hospitality. They both had an auction and raised money for a great cause, The Heart Connection Children's Cancer

Program of Iowa. Please attend any State Charity night in your area. They are fun and we have the opportunity to meet great people. We will be heading to Davenport on the 18 of October and then on to Clinton for the Eastern Zone and then to Shenandoah, Glenwood and Red Oak last week-end of the month. It has become busy, but very rewarding. Please watch the Iowa Web-site to see what's happening in Iowa at [www.foeiowa.com](http://www.foeiowa.com)

It will be great to see our Grand Worthy President Jim Roberts and wife Pat as they travel Iowa this month. I hope you will be able to make one of their visits. They are super people and I am proud that they will make Monticello one of their visits.

Just a note to remind you that we still have some dates available for



state charity nights, please contact Joe Roe to set them up.

On membership, we were down to (3) goose eggs last month, but there is no reason for any. We have given you two great programs this year to help with membership with a free years membership to law enforcement, firemen and EMT's and the new Diabetes Research Center being built in Iowa City. There must be one in you community that you can sign up, otherwise look at your drop list and go out and visit them and sign them back up.

In closing, please make an effort to attend your district meetings and your zone conference, there is much information passed out at these and the only way to learn what is happening with the Eagles in Iowa.

I will see you down the Eagle trail.

John Goffinet  
Iowa State President  
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home phone 319-465-4079  
cell 563-543-0156

## EAGLE RIDERS...



Hello Members, with fall here our riding time is limited to nice days and I'm afraid that there might not be as many as we would like. With the change of the season's we will have time to look toward different ways we can have fun being Eagle Riders. I have looked at the Eagle Riders web site at some of the other states and they have some good ideas of things to do during the off season. The Mid-Winter State Board Meeting will be in January and that will be the next State Eagle

Riders Meeting. We will discuss what is planned for the new year and answer any questions that there might be. I hope that everyone has a great Thanksgiving and even though it might snow sooner or later, Spring is out there somewhere and we will be back on the bikes in no time.

Iowa Eagle Riders State Coordinator

Dennis "Chief" Walkup



He asked, and she said yes...  
or was it the other way around?

However it happened

*Kathy Carruthers*

and

*Randy Woods*

are getting married  
and they ask you to join them  
on Saturday, November 22, 2008  
at 4:00 PM

Eagles Club  
1530 Avenue F  
Council Bluffs, IA

Reception immediately following

No gifts please

## Reminder to *Auxiliary Secretaries*

I would just like to take a moment to remind all of the Aux. Secretaries that any money for Charity donations should be mailed to me. The State Chairman only receive the report that you send at the end of the year- not the money. Thank you for your help with this.

Cindy Balsanek  
IA State Aux. Secretary

Visit our Website.....  
[www.foe.com/iowa](http://www.foe.com/iowa)

## Calendar of Events

November 1---State Charity Night---Red Oak  
 November 9---West Pott. District Meeting---Atlantic  
 November 15---State Charity Night---Oskaloosa  
 November 14, 15, & 16---State Pool Tournament--Atlantic  
 November 16---Hawkeye District Meeting---Cedar Rapids  
 November 16---Tall Corn District Meeting---Sioux City  
 November 16 -- Southeast Lakes District Meeting--Chariton  
 November 22---Randy and Kathy's Wedding---Council Bluffs  
 November 23---3 Rivers District Meeting---Clinton

December 6---State Charity Night---Atlantic  
 December 13---State Charity Night---Hawarden  
 December 14---West Pott. District Meeting---Council Bluffs

January 9 & 10---Mid-Winter Board Meeting---Newton  
 January 17---State Charity Night---Council Bluffs  
 January 24---State Charity Night---Cedar Rapids  
 January 31---State Charity Night---Iowa City

February 7---Wild Game Feed/State Charity Night---Manchester  
 February 8---West Pott. District Meeting (Aerie Only)---Glenwood  
 February 14---State Charity Night---Albia  
 February 15---3 Rivers District Meeting---Asbury  
 February 15---Hawkeye District Meeting---Guttenburg  
 February 15---Tall Corn District Meeting---LeMars  
 February 20---State Charity Night--Burlington  
 February 21---State Charity Night---Ottumwa  
 February 22---Pancake Breakfast---Iowa City  
 February 28---State Charity Night--Clinton

March 7---State Charity Night---Waterloo  
 March 8---West Pott. District Meeting---Red Oak  
 March 13---State Charity Night---Creston  
 March 14---State Charity Night---Grinnell  
 March 15---Tall Corn District Meeting--Sheldon  
 March 15---3 Rivers District Meeting---Dubuque  
 March 15---Hawkeye District Meeting---Manchester  
 March 21---State Charity Night---Tama-Toledo  
 March 27---State Charity Night---Des Moines  
 March 27, 28, & 29---Western Zone---Des Moines

## WCR Auxiliary Heart Chariman

Hello my Iowa and Nebraska Sisters;

Just a note to let you know that I am your West Central Regional Heart Chairperson this year, and I need your help. I have to send a quarterly report on what the Auxiliaries are doing for the "Heart Fund." So if you are having anything for the Heart Fund please let me know.

Heart Disease can strike anyone young or old. So I hope that all of you Heart chairpersons are doing something large or small as it all adds up. Those of you that have done something already please let me know. If you have something you are planning to do for the Heart fund please let me know when, where and what you are doing.

Thank You, I will be looking for your letters.  
 Nellie Morehead, WC Regional Heart Chairperson  
 1008 S Prospect Dr. Lot #61  
 Toledo, IA, 52342

## CASH BASH

FLOOD RELIEF FUNDRAISER  
 for CEDAR RAPIDS

### EAGLES Club Members

CASH BASH for FLOOD RELIEF will be on Saturday, December 6, 2007

**\$20.00 ALL YOU CAN EAT & DRINK from 5 - 8 pm**

LIVE GIFT BASKET AUCTION from 8:00 - 8:30 pm

THE CHILI DAWGS Band will be performing - from 8:30 pm - 12:30 am

1 - \$ 500 CASH PRIZE

2 - \$ 250 CASH PRIZES

## Buy your tickets now!

FOR EVERY \$20 DONATED YOU WILL BE ENTERED FOR A CHANCE  
 IN THE CASH PRIZE DRAWING

For more information or tickets contact  
 Mike and Debbie Gilson at  
 319-365-5584 or 319-241-9499.

## State REAC News

The 19th Annual State REAC Conference is in the books, and personally I think well attended, 44 signed in from around the State. We are very proud of our Davenport REAC team that put this together.

On the State level, I wish to thank State REAC Secretary, Cindy Balsanek for all of her help and advice via E-mail and phone calls. Past President Greg Cook and Bylaws Chairman Steve

Meeker, your input made planning much easier.

2009 Conference will be in Clinton, Iowa the 1st week end of Oct. Thanks again to all.

Check future articles in the Iowa Connection and on the FOE Iowa web site.

Till the next time, see ya',

Too Tall Tim Pashia  
 State of Iowa REAC Chairman  
 tmpandmdl@aol.com  
 563-340-5022

## CARD OF Thanks

We would like to thank all our Eagle Brother and Sisters for the Happy Anniversary cards and e-mails. The Fraternal Order of Eagles Brothers and Sisters are the greatest.

Thank you,  
 Keith & Janice Heston

# To All Auxiliary Secretaries

As you all know GMP Pat Durham will be making her official visitation to Iowa sometime this year. We do not know when she will be visiting yet but we want to give her a big IOWA WELCOME when she comes. If your Auxiliary would like to be included in the gift that MSP Rochelle will be presenting to Pat at her official visit please send your donation to me and mark your check as "GMP visit". Please let's have 100% participation so we can show this great lady our Iowa hospitality. Your checks can be sent to the address below. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 319-364-2117 (Evenings) or 319-350-3966 (Cell).

Also, GMP Pat will be visiting Fort Dodge, the home of MSP Rochelle and if your Auxiliary would be interested in hosting a visitation by GMP Pat please let me know

As soon as possible.

Thank you all for your help with this.

Cindy Balsanek

Iowa State Aux. Secretary

1804 I St. SW

Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

# Auxiliary Membership Reports

AERIE #	DISTRICT	TOTAL ON ROLLS	MONTHLY QUOTA	YEARLY QUOTA	SEPT 2008	YEAR TO DATE
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**W POTTAWATTAMIE-CAROL HEROLD, PAM BOLAND, DONNA SNYDER**

104	Council Bluffs	294	3	36	0	5
1398	Creston	186	2	24	1	5
2715	Red Oak	161	1	12	1	2
3763	Atlantic	59	1	12	1	9
3849	Shenandoah	111	1	12	0	1
3876	Missouri Valley	136	1	12	1	3
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>947</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>25</b>

**SOUTHEAST LAKES -BARB ROUSH, ROSE SCHWAB, FAYE GUTHRIE**

114	Ottumwa	216	2	24	0	0
150	Burlington	409	3	36	3	22
276	Oskaloosa	183	2	24	2	6
1287	Fort Madison	179	1	12	3	12
1927	Fairfield	160	1	12	3	7
2675	Centerville	155	1	12	0	2
2774	Chariton	131	1	12	2	3
3495	Osceola	154	1	12	1	3
3583	Albia	69	1	12	0	5
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1656</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>60</b>

**HAWKEYE- DEBBIE GILSON, MARY HAMMER, JOYCE CLAUDE**

764	Waterloo	479	4	48	0	18
2272	Cedar Rapids	312	3	36	2	18
3538	Manchester	59	1	12	2	8
4074	Cedar Falls	84	1	12	0	0
4114	Guttenberg	79	1	12	1	5
4466	Monticello	161	1	12	0	2
4512	Anamosa	12	1	12	1	1
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1186</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>52</b>

**CENTRAL-**

109	Des Moines	331	3	36	6	8
2545	Grinnell	230	2	24	3	6
2828	Tama	345	3	36	1	4
3369	Fort Dodge	47	1	12	12	20
4423	Perry	27	1	12	0	0
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>980</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>38</b>

**TALLCORN - GAYLEEN MEANS, MARY MORRIS, EVELYN MISAR**

77	Sioux City	133	1	12	3	4
1381	LeMars	107	1	12	1	4
1865	Hawarden	90	1	12	2	8
2297	Sheldon	103	1	12	0	6
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>22</b>

**THREE RIVERS - TERESA DYER, JUDY WHEELER, COLLEEN BRYANT**

235	Davenport	338	3	36	3	9
568	Dubuque	154	1	12	4	9
695	Iowa City	287	2	24	2	18
705	Clinton	271	2	24	3	11
815	Muscatine	179	1	12	3	9
3866	Maquoketa	176	2	24	5	10
4458	Asbury	124	1	12	5	15
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1529</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>81</b>

# Fin Club Members as of 10-15-08

THEODORE J JAFVERT	SPENCER	69
LONNIE GLASSCOCK	FT. MADISON	22
KARL L KRUSE	SPENCER	14
PAT READY	ASBURY	13
DAVID A. KLEPPE	CEDAR RAPIDS	9
GREGORY T MARTIN	BURLINGTON	9
RANDY K WOODS	COUNCIL BLUFFS	9
LONNIE L WELDON	IOWA CITY	8
MIKE ALBAUGH	BURLINGTON	8
BERNARD J FEEHAN	CHARITON	8
KENNETH D CUTTING	FT. DODGE	8
JOHN W GOFFINET	MONTICELLO	8
VALLIE K PEARCY	OSCEOLA	7
ROBERT E. LYNOTT III	HAWARDEN	7
STEVE EHRISMAN	MONTICELLO	6
MARK E CHRISTNAGAL	FT. DODGE	6
ROBERT D BOYLE	BURLINGTON	6
PAT J KNAUSS	BURLINGTON	6
MICHAEL DUEHR	DUBUQUE	6
JOHN H LENIUS	WATERLOO	5
JOSEPH F ROE	IOWA CITY	5
LAWRENCE L LEE	DUBUQUE	5
MARK KENNEDY	COUNCIL BLUFFS	5
JAMES M FARNES	SPENCER	5
WALTER J BRINSON	MUSCATINE	5
DARRELL D WILLIAMS	CRESTON	5
PETER N GUILLAUME	GRINNELL	5
MIKE D BLAIR	SPENCER	5

# Aboy, Mates

I cannot believe that a whole month has gone by since my last letter. It has been a very good month, starting in Mo. Valley at the western zone. The Aerie and Auxiliary did a wonderful job as host and hostess. Great hospitality and good food. Congrats to Diane on a job well done conducting the meetings. And, congratulations to our new grandmother and mother of Western Zone, Theresa Patterson and Janice Heston. And, what a huge surprise I had at Saturday night's banquet when Kim presented me with "The Flag" and certificate that had been signed

by Gov. Culver. What an honor! I ended the week-end with a motorcycle ride with Bob Lynott from Hawarden. It was great to feel the autumn air blowing in my face and smell the fresh air of Iowa.

The following week-end we were onto Chariton for their state charity night. It was another night of fellowship, good food and raising money for the "Heart Connection". With Darwin at the helm as



auctioneer, Chariton had a good auction for the "da kids". Thanks to everyone who just donated because they care.

The 11th of the month we went to Spencer for the reinstatement of the Auxiliary. They have some young women that have assumed the offices and are real enthusiastic about the F.O.E. We hope to see some of them down the Eagle

trail. Thanks go to the installing team of: Junior Past Madam President Dorothy Anderson; Installing President Carol Simpson; Madam Vice President Kim Haidsiak; Madam Chaplain Carol Herold; and Madam Conductor Janice Heston.

Until next time, God Bless!  
Admiral Rochelle McKay, State Madam President

## Red Oak to host State Charity Night Saturday

Red Oak to host State Charity Night Saturday, Nov 1  
Come join us for food, fun & entertainment while helping raise money for



**The Heart Connection**  
A Camp for Kids with Cancer

We also will be celebrating November Birthdays  
(If you're planning on attending and have a birthday in November, please get in touch with Kim Haidsiak to make sure your name is added to the list)

Dinner to be served beginning at 5:30 pm  
Auction to follow  
Raffles throughout the night  
50 / 50 drawings  
Music by Str8 Shot

### Motel Information

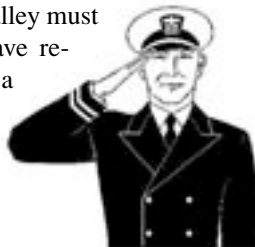
(Please make your own reservation)

Red Coach Inn	Super 8
1200 E Senate Av (Hwy 34)	800 E Senate Av (Hwy 34)
Red Oak, IA	Red Oak, IA
712-623-4864	712-623-6919

## 'Chief Petty Officer'

The words of wisdom given at Missouri Valley must have worked! 97% of Iowa Auxiliaries have reported delinquency! The 3% left to send in a report, I will be contacting the secretaries to see how I can help! Keep up the great work; the barracks are looking better everyday. Have a fabulous Thanksgiving!!

Tiffany Phillips, Chief Petty Officer



## Oskaloosa Aerie to hold State Charity Event and 106th Anniversary

Oskaloosa Aerie #276 will celebrate their 106th Anniversary and State Charity night on Nov. 15th, 2008. Initiation will be held at 3:00. Social time will be from 4:00-5:30. The dinner and short program will begin at 5:30. An auction for the State Charity will be held following the banquet and we will end the evening with

karaoke. State Presidents John and Rochelle, and State Charity Chairmen Joe and Nellie will be here, so please come and join us.

Following are a list of the motels available. Please make your own reservations:

- Comfort Inn 641-676-6000
- Super 8 641-673-8481
- Red Carpet Inn 641-673-8641

### To Contact the Aerie State Secretary

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## Article Submissions

Deadline for articles to be included in the *Connection* is **the 15th of the month prior to publication.**

Send Items to:

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303 South Elm Street • Creston, Iowa 50801-3608  
Telephone: (641) 782-4386  
Cell Phone: (641) 344-6486  
24 hr. FAX: (641) 782-2272  
Email: [bulletineditor@mchsi.com](mailto:bulletineditor@mchsi.com)

**Aerie Membership Reports****TLC for Children & Families Inc**

As West Central Regional Chairman for GWP Jim Roberts' charity, TLC for Children & Families Inc, I would like to encourage everyone to think about Jim's slogan "We Remember The Reasons – Charities, Membership, Ritual." Keep in mind how this organization was founded, the need to grow in membership and always remember the rituals of the Order. When working for the charities this year, I would ask that you also include some sort of fund raising event for GWP Jim's special charity. Funds raised during Jim's year as president will directly benefit the children and families of TLC, located in Olathe, KS, through providing living essentials, nutritional food, educational services and much more. Please send reports on any fund raiser you have for TLC to:

John Haidsiak WCR Chairman  
710 S 4th St  
Red Oak, IA 51566  
Phone: 712-623-4205  
Email: kjhaid@iowatelecom.net

**State Auxiliary Bowling Tournament Report**

Grinnell was host to the 48th Annual Eagle Aux. State Bowling Tournament Oct. 4th and 5th. We had 8 teams - Red Oak, Dubuque, Tama-Toledo, Muscatine, Cedar Rapids and 3 Grinnell teams. 43 bowlers total participated. We were honored to have State Madam President Rochelle and Roland join us for the first shift on Saturday and Rochelle kindly got us started by throwing the first ball. We hope everyone had fun. This was a great learning experience for me and my committee. Thank you all so much for coming and participating.

Deb Tharp - State Bowling Chrm.

**To Contact the Auxiliary State Secretary**

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AERIE #	DISTRICT	TOTAL ON ROLLS	MONTHLY QUOTA	YEARLY QUOTA	SEPT 2008	YEAR TO DATE
<b>CENTRAL</b>						
109	Des Moines	345	3	36	9*	15
2545	Grinnell	398	3	36	3	7
2828	Tama	571	5	60	2	8
3369	Fort Dodge	137	1	12	6	16
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1451</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>46</b>
<b>TALLCORN - Ron Morris, Director</b>						
77	Sioux City	161	1	12	5	5
1381	LeMars	308	3	36	3	7
1865	Hawarden	175	1	12	1	9
2273	Spencer	118	1	12	14	113
2297	Sheldon	327	3	36	2	8
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1089</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>142</b>
<b>THREE RIVERS – Dale O'Brien, Director</b>						
235	Davenport	375	3	36	3	9
568	Dubuque	470	4	48	8	19
695	Iowa City	1023	9	108	16	45
705	Clinton	699	6	72	5	23
815	Muscatine	132	1	12	0	4
3866	Maquoketa	292	2	24	3	10
4458	Asbury	284	2	24	5	26
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3275</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>136</b>
<b>W POTTAWATTAMIE-Tom Knapp, Director</b>						
104	Council Bluffs	541	5	60	7	28
1398	Creston	357	3	36	9	19
2715	Red Oak	153	1	12	2	5
3763	Atlantic	107	1	12	4	11
3784	Glenwood	135	1	12	2	6
3849	Shenandoah	129	1	12	1	6
3876	Missouri Valley	188	2	24	2	6
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1610</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>81</b>
<b>SOUTHEAST LAKES-Larry Hill, Director</b>						
114	Ottumwa	282	2	24	2	6
150	Burlington	817	7	84	8	48
276	Oskaloosa	303	3	36	2	7
1287	Fort Madison	224	2	24	4	23
1927	Fairfield	339	3	36	7	15
2675	Centerville	223	2	24	2	7
2774	Chariton	164	1	12	7	10
3495	Osceola	184	2	24	3	9
3583	Albia	96	1	12	1	5
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2632</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>130</b>
<b>HAWKEYE-Jim Zumbach, Director</b>						
764	Waterloo	554	4	48	9	22
2272	Cedar Rapids	525	4	48	7	29
3538	Manchester	108	1	12	3	8
4074	Cedar Falls	175	1	12	0	1
4114	Guttenberg	142	1	12	1	4
4466	Monticello	226	2	24	3	12
4512	Anamosa	75	1	12	0	4
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1805</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>80</b>



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## *Salutes...To Our Navy!*

Salutes to our Veterans and a Big Thank You for your "Tour of Duty" that you have done for your Country. Yes, November has rolled around and the Fall Zones have passed. But don't take a leave of absence yet! You must still stay on task to see if in the Spring, things will meet Admiral Rochelle's approval. Fall zones were Fun and exciting with good food (of course) and getting our crews up and marching to our theme song. Plus, it's al-

ways Fun to have combat with the Aerie Men! The Auxiliary Navy Rules! Anyway, I can't stress enough to keep on getting those

AWOL members back on board. There will be no reprimands for them, we just want them! Happy Thanksgiving and be safe in all you do.

Over and Out!  
Chief Brenda Youngbear

## **WCR Auxiliary Alzheimer's and Parkinson's Fund Chariman**

It is time once again to start on our charity fundraisers. Pat Durham, GMP, appointed me to be Golden Eagle, Alzheimer's & Parkinson's Fund, West Central Regional Chairman. I know many of you have great ideas on raising funds for the charities. So, let's get to work Sisters and see how much we can raise for the people that are struck with either of these diseases. Everyday we hear or read about someone having this problem.

It does not matter how much is raised or how we raise it, but that we made an effort to do something. I know everyone of you can put your heart towards this charity and do your best. I know you can do it Sisters, so let's get going and have some fun doing it.

Fraternally,  
Elvera Kuhlman WCRC  
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## **WCR Auxiliary Diabetes Chairman**

As your WCR Auxiliary Diabetes Chairman, I would like to encourage everyone to have a fund raiser for this dreadful disease. Large or small, every penny adds up to help with research to find the cure. Dinners, raffles, 50/50's, there are many ways to raise money. We, as Eagles, know what has to be done to make it happen. I know that we can make Grand Madam President Pat proud with the amounts we raise during her year. If you are holding a fundraiser that you would like me to attend, please contact me and I will make every effort to be there.

Quarterly reports are sent in to share ideas, so please keep me informed of what you are doing in your Auxiliaries.

Thanks so much in advance for helping,  
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