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Christmas Hamper Collection

We are collecting for Christmas hampers for three families.

We invite you to contribute items such as: non-perishable and canned goods, new toys, blankets and new clothing items.

Items can be dropped off at the hall or passed along to any of our members.

Collecting hats, scarves, and mittens for the mitten tree!



BECOME A MEMBER!

Membership is the driving force behind the FOE and the Ladies Auxiliary.

It is only with your help and participation that we can remain one of the most storied and influential non-profit fraternal organizations.

Forms are available at the lounge!

We have 3 baskets to be won!

~ Tickets are 3 for \$5 ~
all money will buy gift cards for the three families.

DRAW DATE ~ DECEMBER 22

Stop by the Club to get your tickets!



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President's Message

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It sure was a great summer and fall, but the snow is going to be here shortly.

I would like to thank Carole Bonne for selling (with some help) the Grey Cup tickets and for organizing the Grey Cup Party. Carol and her sister Darlene put on a great dinner. (Everything was great except the GAME). Thank you, ladies.

The Friday night gathering is still going strong and everyone is welcome.

I would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I would like to thank Orval and all the volunteers for doing such a great job on their bingos. I also want to thank all the trustees for doing so much for the success of the Eagles Club.

Season's Greetings to everyone and I look forward to what 2025 will bring.

Sincerely,

Ken Moore ~ President, The Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie #3870

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
to everyone celebrating in December!

| | | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| G. Baete | F. Homann | L. Omand |
| B. Berg | K. Kehler | R. Moquin |
| D. Cherniak | V. Lamoureux | F. Richardson |
| B. Dickieson | K. Learning | W. Stepushyn |
| K. Hewko | K. McKie | |

Fun Facts: People born in December are dynamic and capable of achieving great things. They have a thirst for adventure and love to travel. December people have a big heart but are quite opinionated and have a mind of their own.

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SPECIAL RATE FOR MEMBERS!

Ladies Auxiliary Madam President's Message



The snow had arrived, the winter season is upon us.

The Remembrance

Day Ceremony on November 11th was well attended. The Cenethah is located in the Parish St. Norbert Cemetery with many persons who came to pay their respect to the fallen soldiers. Thank you to the Ladies Auxiliary, students from the Collège St Norbert Collegiate who served, cleaned etc. A special thank you to Peter Ginakes from the (Pony Corral) for the donation for the Luncheon.

Our Deepest Sympathy to the family, children Wayne, Denis, Rachelle & Leanne for the passing of our beloved sister Simone Grandmont on November 6th, 2024. Simone will be missed by everyone.

The Ladies Auxiliary with friends participated in the Wreath making event on November 18th.

All the wreaths were unique with a creative touch. Everyone enjoyed their time together.

All the Grey Cup tickets were sold. Congratulations to the numerous winners. What a game! Unfortunately Winnipeg didn't win the cup but with Winnipeg hosting next year anything is possible.

The Ladies Only Night Out is on December 2nd at 5:30. We are expecting over 80 ladies. Supper will be at 6:30 with the bar open. We will be having door prizes, 50/50 draw, Raffle draws. Bring a gift & take a gift. We will also have a Mitten tree and a tin for the bin.

I personally extend a THANK YOU to all the Ladies Auxiliary volunteers who have helped to make our events, activities a huge success.

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year in "2025".

Fraternally yours,
Michelle Wowchuk, President
~ Ladies' Auxiliary Aerie #3870



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LADIES' AUXILIARY
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THE LADIES' AUXILIARY was chartered on Jan 31st, 1981. Auxiliary members have the same rights and privileges of membership as in the Fraternal Order. All nationalities and religious beliefs are accepted into the Order.

OUR MISSION

We believe in home, country, God and loyalty and unite in carrying out charitable, humanitarian, patriotic and other efforts to which the Order is dedicated.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Aerie #3870 has donated over \$70,000 to various charities since its inception.

Cribbage every Tuesday afternoon from 12:30 - 3pm

Games are friendly one-on-one and entry is \$5 per person.

Please call
Lorraine VanKooten at
204-470-5156 or
Lorna Moore at 204-782-9720

Grab a partner and come on down!

ENJOY A DAY AT CLUB REGENT CASINO!

Casinos of Winnipeg will provide free transportation from our area. The bus leaves St. Norbert between 10 and 10:30 am and arrives back mid- to late afternoon.

Senior's Days are the second Tuesday of each month: **DECEMBER 10TH** ~ There will be double discounts in the restaurant and gift shop and random awards.

To reserve your seat, call Heather Derkson at 204-269-8003.

~ BRING A FRIEND OR TWO ~
WE NEED AT LEAST 5 PEOPLE
TO ARRANGE THE BUS!



Grey Cup Pool Winners!

| 1st Q | Winners |
|-------|----------------------|
| | J. Rodych |
| | D. Kosowan |
| | L. Lewko |
| | R. Caners |
| | D. Maslow |
| 2nd Q | Winners |
| | K. Wazny |
| | T. Settle |
| | C. Jackman |
| | S. Dobson |
| 3rd Q | Winners |
| | C. Audette |
| | R. Jahn / S. Kuznier |
| | C. Cameron |
| | J. Kehler |
| 4th Q | Winners |
| | S. Richy |
| | G. Reynolds |
| | A. Bonne |
| | B. Tilden |
| | B. Brown |
| | T. Zilke |
| | J. Messler |
| | J. Lamers |



A heartfelt congratulations to all the winners of this year's Grey Cup pool! We appreciate everyone who participated and made this competition exciting.

Thank You to All Grey Cup Pool Ticket Sellers!

A huge thank you to everyone who sold Grey Cup tickets this year! Your hard work and dedication are truly appreciated. Because of your efforts, we were able to make this event a great success. Your contributions helped build excitement and brought us all together for this amazing event. Thank you for your invaluable support and enthusiasm!

Sincerely,
 Carol Bonne, Bar Trustee
 ~ Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie #3870

BINGO News

New Bingo
 Starts November 30
 11am to 3pm



The REAC bingo is still going strong on Wednesday. It starts at 12:55 pm.

The prizes are as follows:

Early Bird - \$1900, Lucky Star - \$1225, Triangle - 1,550, Letter E - \$2550 and Bonanza - \$1,000. On Nov. 20th Rose Penner won the Bonanza ~ **congratulations Rose!**

We have fresh sandwiches made by Elkie for sale ~ Come down and check us out!

Lorna Moore, Chairperson
 ~ Retired Eagles Activity Club #3870



2025 HALL AND LOUNGE RENTAL RATES

Effective January 1, 2025

Hall Rental - MEMBER \$650 + GST

Hall Rental - NON MEMBER \$850 + GST

Half Hall Rental (100 people or less) \$450 + GST

Meetings / Showers 3 hour Max - \$225 + GST

Damage Deposit for Hall Rental non meeting remains at \$400 will be returned following event so long as there has been no damage to the venue.

Celebration of Life Rental - MEMBER NO CHARGE

Celebration of Life Rental - NON MEMBER \$300 + GST

LOUNGE RENTAL RATES

MEMBERS: No Charge provided it is during club business hours. (Wednesday- Saturday 5pm - 10pm)

Outside of Business Hours: \$75 per hour + GST. If bar service is requested, additional charges apply.

Saturday Afternoon Cards

Starting January 4, 2025, join us every Saturday afternoon for some exciting card games! We'll kick off at 3:00 PM sharp, so bring your best game face and be ready for some fun and friendly competition.

Looking forward to seeing you there!
Carol Bonne

SAVE THE DATE!


Shuffle Curl is Back!

Mark your calendars for February 14 & 15, 2025! Shuffle Curl is making a grand return, and you won't want to miss it. Join us for two days of exciting games, friendly competition, and plenty of fun.

Get ready to shuffle and curl your way to victory!

The Eagle's Eye Newsletter Update

Starting January 2025, our newsletter will be printed bi-monthly. We're excited to bring you all the latest updates, stories, and information every two months. Keep an eye out for our upcoming issues!



I want to also take this opportunity to thank Carol Bonne, Kayla Mogus and Michelle Wowchuk and the Ladies Auxiliary for their ongoing support and assistance. It is very much appreciated.

To one and all I wish you a Merry Christmas and a safe, healthy and prosperous 2025.

Lawrence Tepleski, Hall Trustee
~ The Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie #3870

Merry Christmas

WORD SEARCH

Find the following words in the puzzle.

Words are hidden → ↓ and ↘

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|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| ANGEL | EGGNOG | ORNAMENTS |
| BIRTH | FEAST | PRESENTS |
| CANDY | FOOD | REINDEER |
| CARDS | FROSTY | SANTACL AUS |
| CAROLS | HOLIDAY | SCROOGE |
| CELEBRATE | HOLLY | SNOW |
| CHESTNUTS | MISTLETOE | WINTER |
| CHRISTMAS | MYRRH | |

O M I S T L E T O E M F R O S T Y C
P W S C A O X F O O D F C A R D E E
C I X E E N R R C H R I S T M A S P
A N H G B L T N E S C A R O L S L R
N T O G I I E A A I C O A F S L J E
D E L N R S C B C M N R V K E W E S
Y R I O T H R U R L E D O M S A W E
U K D G H L D K I A A N E O Y N S N
Z I A Q U S D I X H T U T E G R Y T
D P Y V S N O W Q D R E S S R E R S
R U B C H E S T N U T S A N G E L H
T T T V G D L H O L L Y X P H Q Z M

Deck the Halls

Deck the halls with boughs of holly,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

'Tis the season to be jolly,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Don we now our gay apparel,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Troll the ancient Yuletide carol,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

See the blazing yule before us,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Strike the harp and join the chorus,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Follow me in merry measure,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

While I tell of Yuletide treasure,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Fast away the old year passes,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Hail the new, ye lads and lasses,
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Sing we joyous all together!
 Fa la la la la la la la!

Heedless of the wind and weather,
 Fa la la la la la la la!



Fruitcake Christmas Cookies

Total Time: 40 minutes

Main Ingredients: Butter, sugar, candied cherries, candied pineapple, nuts

Level: Intermediate

Ingredients

- 1 cup butter, softened
- 3/4 cup packed brown sugar
- 1 large egg, room temperature
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1-2/3 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1-1/2 cups dates, finely chopped
- 4 ounces red candied cherries, halved
- 4 ounces candied pineapple, diced
- 1/2 cup whole hazelnuts, toasted
- 1/2 cup coarsely chopped pecans
- 1/2 cup coarsely chopped walnuts

Directions

Preheat oven to 325°. In a large bowl, cream butter and brown sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in egg and vanilla.

In another bowl, whisk together flour, baking soda and salt; gradually beat into creamed mixture. Stir in remaining ingredients.

Drop dough by tablespoonfuls onto greased baking sheets. Bake until golden brown, about 15 minutes.

Store in an airtight container. (Best served after a few days.)



Nutrition Facts

1 cookie: 118 calories, 7g fat (3g saturated fat), 14mg cholesterol, 65mg sodium, 14g carbohydrate (9g sugars, 1g fiber), 1g protein.

Source: <https://www.tasteofhome.com/recipes/fruitcake-christmas-cookies/>

Tips for the perfect cookie:

Chill the dough for 30 minutes after mixing in the dry ingredients and before adding the mix-ins. This will make it easier to handle and shape. It will also help prevent the cookies from spreading too much during baking.

You can easily substitute different nuts or fruits in this recipe. Feel free to use your favorite dried fruits like cranberries, apricots or raisins instead of the candied fruits. You can swap out the hazelnuts, pecans and walnuts for almonds, macadamia nuts or cashews, depending on your preference.

December 2024 Calendar



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| 1  Bingo! Doors Open 4pm | 2   | 3 Cribbage! I♥Cribbage! 12:30pm to 3pm | 4  REAC AFTERNOON Bingo! Doors Open 11am | 5 MEDIA BINGO Doors Open 5pm   |
| 8  Bingo! Doors Open 4pm | 9  Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting 7pm | 10  Cribbage! 12:30pm to 3pm | 11  REAC AFTERNOON Bingo! Doors Open 11am | 12 MEDIA BINGO Doors Open 5pm   |
| 15  Bingo! Doors Open 4pm | 16  Happy National Chocolate Covered Anything Day! | 17  I♥Cribbage! 12:30pm to 3pm | 18 REAC AFTERNOON Bingo! Doors Open 11am FOE Aerie Meeting 6:30pm ALL MEMBERS WELCOME | 19 MEDIA BINGO Doors Open 5pm   |
| 22  Bingo! Doors Open 4pm | 23  | 24  | 25 MEDIA BINGO Doors Open 5pm   | |
| 29  Bingo! Doors Open 4pm | 30 HAPPY MONDAY | 31  | Happy New Year! Welcome 2025 | |

Lounge Hours
WEDNESDAYS, THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS, AND SATURDAYS:
5p to 10p

MONDAYS, TUESDAYS, AND SUNDAYS:
Closed

If feasible, closing times may be extended.

* All closing times are strictly at the bartender's discretion

* Times may vary with special events

YOUTUBE MEDIA BINGO CARDS
SEE MARCEL IN THE LOUNGE ON SUNDAYS BETWEEN 4-8pm

December's FUN Quote
"Before you criticize someone, you should walk a mile in their shoes. That way when you criticize them, you are a mile away from them and you have their shoes."
- JACK HANDEY -

If you would like more information on these or any upcoming events at the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie #3870, please call, visit our website or follow our Facebook page!

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