



**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

Membership Dues

If you haven't paid your membership dues for 2010 they absolutely must be paid by May 7th or you will be dropped from the membership, so if you haven't paid those, please do that your membership is very important to us. You may pay those at the club during regular business hours or send them to P.O. box 443 Litchfield Ill 62056.

Mouse Races

Don't forget about the Mouse Races being hosted by the woman's auxiliary. The mouse races this year will be at the Litchfield VFW hall at 215 west Ryder st. Litchfield Ill. 62056. Proceeds from the Mouse Races benefit the Litchfield Eagles Scholarship fund. If you've never been to the mouse races you've got to check this out ,it's the most fun you'll ever have for only \$10.00 ,that's right only \$10.00 gets you in the door all the beer and soda and snacks are included in the \$10.00 so pencil it in on your calendar May. 1st doors open at 6:30pm races start at 7:00 and last till around 10:00.

Eagle Riders

The new Eagle Riders Group is kicking off very well, we have around twenty members already paid and that number is growing. If you want to become an eagle rider it's not to late, you have until June 6th to be paid and get your name on the Charter. The next Riders meeting is may 8th at 11:00.The cost to become an Eagle Rider is \$25.00 per person or \$40.00 per couple. We are planning an Eagle to Eagles poker run on June 5th with proceeds to benefit the Litchfield Public Safety Memorial. We are also planning an overnight ride to the Garden Of The Gods in southern Ill. On Aug 21st if you have any questions contact Kevin Birch at 556-0866.

Public Safety Memorial Benefit May 22nd

The Litchfield Eagles along With The Amvets and the Litchfield Moose will be hosting a block Party on may 22nd with all the proceeds to benefit the Litchfield Public Safety Memorial witch is a lighted bronze statue to be erected in library park at a cost of \$40.000 to honor Fallen Police and Fire fighters of Litchfield. Events that day will begin at 1:00 pm and last until midnight. There is going to be a live auction ,a cake walk, Mouse Roulette, food ,washer tournaments, three bands,karroke,50/50 drawing,proffesser long hare will be there to entertain the kids and more. You will be able to take your drink on the street but you must purchase them in one of the three clubs and they must be in the cup provided by the club absolutely no open containers on the street.

Club Improvements

We recently received a very generous donation from Marty Stephens and the Maverick Steak House, they donated four booths tables and chairs, we tore out that small wall in the social room and added the booths and chairs and it looks a lot better in there. Gary and Travis Baker along with several officers and members of the club spent a weekend tearing out walls and dry walling the back room this was a huge improvement. Bob Corrado donated his services and made a sign to hang on the outside or the building.

A very special thanks to EVERYONE who is donating there time and services to make this club what it is!

Niehouse Appriciation Days May15th and 16th

We will be raffling a gas Grill That Kathy Fenton got donated by walmart. There is a signup sheet on the board at the club for that event. Proceeds from that grill will be going to the Eagles State Diabetes Project. Thanks Kathy!

Party in the Park Beer Tent, July16th, 17th

The Litchfield Eagles will be hosting the beer tent at the Party in the Park for the third year in a row, this is a very big event for us and we rely a lot on volunteers from the club for this event. We will be setting up the tent on Thursday the 15th, this will be considered our regular meeting, so there wont be a meeting at the club that night but if you want to help Just show up at the old Tom Boys lot across from city hall on Thursday at 5 or 5:30 There will be a sign up sheet on the board at the club for this event soon please sign up to help us out.

Sincerely/President Vernon Thrasher

4/26/10

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 '10'

Join us at the bi-monthly meetings at:

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

Aerie Meetings: 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month Auxiliary Meetings: 2nd and 4th
Thursday of each month

Initiations: Aerie – 3rd Thursday of the month Auxiliary –4th Thursday of the month