

The West Seattle Talon Tribune October 2024



Come See our new pool table surface!

Our guys raised the money, sourced the contractor and got it done!



*Tom Moriarty
Ron Weglin
David Bertram
Mark Hemmert
(not pictured)*

Ron Weglin joined the club with his lovely (and very helpful!) wife Anne at the end of 2023. Ron, a pool player, quickly became one of the guys upstairs regularly playing pool. He, David, Mark, and Tom decided to get the pool table repaired to tip top shape early in 2024. They approached the trustees about providing food for the street fair (Summerfest 2024 in July) to raise funds. During the street fair, they cooked brats and sauerkraut, and raised \$1,000 for their cause! Work started in August, including sending out the rails to a factory in the Midwest to get repaired, then the table top and felt were finished by September. Congratulations to our pool people for identifying a problem, and volunteering their time and effort to solve it!

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Social Room Hours:

Sunday: 2pm-10pm
Monday: 3pm-11pm
Tuesday: 3pm-11pm
Wednesday: 3pm-11pm
Thursday: 3pm-11pm
Friday: 3pm-12am
Saturday: 12pm-12am

All guests must be signed in, and the member that signed them in is responsible for their actions.

\$10.00 minimum for all debit and credit cards.

* It is the bartender's discretion to stay open past the hours posted.

** Social Room may open early for televised sports or special events.

Washington Huskies Schedule 2024

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	W-L (CONF)
Sat, Aug 31	vs Weber State	W 35-3	1-0 (0-0)
Sat, Sep 7	vs Eastern Michigan	W 30-9	2-0 (0-0)
Sat, Sep 14	vs Washington State*	L 24-19	2-1 (0-0)
Sat, Sep 21	vs Northwestern	W 24-5	3-1 (1-0)
DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	TV
Fri, Sep 27	@ Rutgers	5:00 PM	FOX
Sat, Oct 5	vs Michigan	TBD	
Sat, Oct 12	@ Iowa	TBD	
Sat, Oct 26	@ Indiana	TBD	
Sat, Nov 2	vs USC	TBD	
Sat, Nov 9	@ Penn State	TBD	
Fri, Nov 15	vs UCLA	6:00 PM	FOX
Sat, Nov 30	@ Oregon	TBD	

* Game played at neutral location



How to Watch Husky Football at the Club!

The social room opens at NOON on Saturdays now that it's college football season again. However, since the UW is now part of the BIG10 conference, they still haven't worked out the schedule and/or television broadcast details as of this writing. As the NCAA decides on times and broadcast channels, we will keep up with it and spread the word as soon as we can about just how we're going to show the games. So keep your eye out for flyers in the social room for the latest information!



2024/2025 Trustees:

Paul Leonardo
Steven Spadoni
David Wolff
John Ledeman PWP
John Nowak



Speak with the Aerie Trustees!

Yes, YOU (Any Aerie or Auxiliary Member) can come to a Trustee Meeting (Every Tuesday at 6:00) and ...

- Ask questions
- Request changes to the building or social room
- Propose a change to a social room policy
- Bring up an idea about improving the club infrastructure
- And many many more!

Our friendly and welcoming trustees are happy to spend the first part of the meeting listening to members concerns and ideas. Not sure if your thought is something the trustees should be informed of? Come anyway and just ask!

Trustees meet every Tuesday at 6:00 in the main hall!

Photo Shoot Test Success



Very special thanks to my guinea-pig volunteer practice models that participated in my first portrait photo shoot practice on Saturday, September 21st! This was the first time I have done indoor portraits with real lighting and a background. I learned a lot, and will be ready for the actual **Officer's Photo Shoot** on Saturday, October 19th. Not only did your volunteering help me a lot, we had a lot of fun too! It was a great day.

~Anthony Evans Evans

A Message from our Worthy President



Hello brothers and sisters

Welcome to October. Summer is pretty much over and our beautiful fall colors and mild temperatures has arrived. I hope everyone finds themselves in good hand prosperity

It has been a busy summer and the aerie is still picking up the pace. The entertainment committee has bands lined up all month and meals are scheduled for most weekends. Check your calendar for dates, times, prices and meal.

Grant will be doing trivia the third Wednesday with tacos. Texas hold em poker is the last Thursday of the month and our queen of hearts is at \$5000.00

Lastly I want to thank all of the officers, new and old, for working hard to keep our aerie running smoothly and efficiently, while also working to make improvements everywhere possible. It is greatly appreciated by means hopefully our membership all acknowledge and appreciate their efforts as well

Fraternally yours

Russell Martiens

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Worthy President

Sorry, there will be NO Oktoberfest event this year. The Eagles who usually plan this event are in Germany at this time.



A Message from our Madam President

Sisters and Brothers

And just like that – the Seahawks are 3-0! But alas, my Mariners aren't going anywhere this year :(

Fall is here and I love this weather. It also means that the bands will now be playing inside, and our Friday and Saturday night dinners are heating up. Lots of fun stuff happening.

Thank you to everyone who bought a heart! We raised almost \$600 for the Washington State Heart Fund. What an easy way for everyone to contribute to a charity. We will be selling pumpkins during the month of October. I will let everyone know which charity will be chosen for this month.

Our calendar/planning meetings are the second Tuesday of each month at 5:30. Would love to see some new faces joining us and volunteering for a dinner or event. The more the merrier. If you are worried about using a kitchen you don't know, there are many of us who would be happy to show you around and explain the procedures.

The Auxiliary is getting very close to net gain. What this means is 7/1/24 anyone who has not paid their dues were dropped from our membership rolls. We were down 39 to start the new Eagle year. I am happy to say, that once we get everyone initiated, we will be above and beyond net gain. I am so excited to see all of you new sisters joining and enjoying our club. Auxiliaries are dropping all over, so it is very important that we keep our Auxiliary going strong.

Thanksgiving sign up sheets should be up soon. Please sign up if you are able to help either the day before for prep or on Thanksgiving day. This is a wonderful event our Aerie puts on. Free to the public.

We will be yet again having a giving tree. We are contemplating having two – one for Mary's place and another for an assisted living facility or some such. More news in the months ahead.

Put on your calendar that the Kid's Christmas Party is on December 8th this year. Sign up at the bar for your kids.

Fraternally yours,

Linda Fittro

Linda Fittro
Madam President



We want to say THANK YOU to our bartenders for helping the Auxiliary make the heart sales happen! Over \$500 raised!! Thank you 2643! Bar Manager Cheryl, Bartenders Vicki, Dolores, Michelle, and Staci. Huge thank you to everyone who bought a heart to help us help our PMP Mary Lou Wilkerson raise money for her State Charity.

Aerie #2643 Events Calendar October 2024

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday



1
Trustee Meeting 6:00

Aerie Meeting 7:30

2
Taco Night

3
Auxilliary Meeting 6:30

4
Bar Food 5:30

5
Michigan at Huskies 4:30
Shepherd's Pie 5:30 \$12
Band: Joe Ross and the Birdwatchers

6
New York Giants at Seattle Seahawks 1:25

7
Bar Food 5:30
Queen of Hearts

8
Calendar Meeting 5:30

Trustee Meeting 6:00

9
Taco Night
Cribbage 6:00 (New group! 2nd Wednesday of each month)

10
San Francisco 49ers at Seattle Seahawks 5:15
Dinner by Barbara 5:30??

11
Obie's Steak Night 5:30 \$20
Karaoke 8:00

12
Private Memorial 12-3
Bar Food 5:30
Huskies at Iowa
Band: Spyrographs

13

14
Queen of Hearts

15
Trustee Meeting 6:00

Aerie Meeting 7:30

16
Taco Night
Trivia 6:30 with Grant Varney - \$10 per person, or groups \$35 up to 7 people.

17
Auxilliary Meeting 6:30

18
Bar Food 5:30

19
Cribbage 1:00
PHOTO SHOOT 12:00
Bar Food 5:30
Band:

20

21
Bar Food 5:30
Queen of Hearts

22
Trustee Meeting 6:00

23
Taco Night

24
Bar Food 5:30

25
Dave's Broasted Chicken 5:30 \$15
Karaoke 8:00

26
Meatloaf & Mashed Potatoes etc. 5:30 \$12
Huskies at Indiana
Band: Ambaum Dukes

27

28
Bar Food 5:30
Queen of Hearts

29
Trustee Meeting 6:00

30
Taco Night

31
Cincinnati Chili 5:30
Poker 6:30



**Officer's Photo Shoot (Other members welcome too!)
Saturday, October 19th in the banquet hall
12:00-6:00 PM.
Come any time within those hours looking sharp!
(free digital photos (not prints) for anyone who wants 'em!)**

Happy Hour!

Drink discounts will be determined
by the spinning wheel!

Sunday through Thursday 8pm to Close
(Bartenders reserve the right to adjust the hours)

YOUR AD HERE



Yes, YOU can place an ad here in our newsletter!
Quarter page, half page, or full page! Ask a trustee.
VERY reasonable monthly rates.

MONDAYS

QUEEN OF HEARTS

\$5,000

RAFFLE TICKETS SOLD UNTIL 6:45. DRAWING AT 7:00

Live MUSIC

Every SATURDAY
NIGHT IN OCTOBER!

Joe Ross and the Birdwatchers
October 5th



Spyrographs
October 12th



TO BE DETERMINED
October 19th



Ambaum Dukes
October 26th



Food at 5:30

Music from 7:00 PM to 11:00 PM



**2024-2025
Aerie Officers**

Jr. Past Worthy President	John Ledeman PWP
Worthy President	Russell Martiens PWP
Worthy Vice President	Steve Rallins
Worthy Chaplain	Thomas Maddy
Worthy Secretary	Marcus Higbee PWP
Worthy Treasurer	
Worthy Conductor	Anthony Evans
Worthy Inside Guard	Ken Spencer
Trustee	Paul Leonardo PWP
Trustee	David Wolff
Trustee	John Nowak
Trustee	John Ledeman PWP
Trustee	Steven Spadoni
Aerie Father	Zane Fitterer PWP



**2024-2025
Auxiliary Officers**

Jr. Past Madam President	Donna Klippert PMP
Madam President	Linda Fittro PMP
Madam Vice President	Amy Ojendyk
Madam Chaplain	Gisela Grieb PMP
Madam Secretary	Debbe Myers
Madam Treasurer	Barbara Ball PMP
Madam Conductor	Lexi Fittro
Madam Inside Guard	Michelle St. Amour
Trustee	Debbie McGee
Trustee	Susie Klein
Trustee	Sue Irvin
Auxiliary Mother	Jennifer Young PMP
Auxiliary Grandmother	Mary Lou Wilkerson PMP

State and Grand Schedule

District 5 Meeting Schedule 2024-2025

2024

November 16th Burien #3523\

2025

January 18th West Seattle #2643

February 15th Salmon Bay #2141

March 15th Burien #3523

April 19th White Center #2568

May 17th Salmon Bay #2141

Sunshine Report

Sympathy

Dolores Anderson Loss of Ex Husband
Evon

David Anderson Loss of Father

Julie Kelley Loss of Father

Thinking of You

Mike Drake Injury

Judi Ervin Injury

Lexi Fittro Illness Grandmother

Linda Fittro Illness Mother

Mollie Haukup Illness Mother

If you know of any Aerie or Auxiliary members that could benefit from a card or a visit, please notify

Barbara Ball
(206) 715-2219
bball58.gov@gmail.com

People Helping People

Do you have some free time and would like to have a more active involvement in our club and community? Come and talk to an officer and see what you can do to be a part of our raising money for charity and benefiting our community.

There are lots of opportunities to participate without spending a ton of time. Anything from doing dishes for a dinner or checking IDs during street fair or another event helps the club greatly.

If you want to take an even more active role in the club, talk to us about what is involved in becoming an officer. A couple hours a month is a worthy investment in helping to direct our path moving forward.



Our Mission Statement

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.

Did you Know?

You can search for a nearby Aerie by going to www.foe.com and clicking on the Aerie locator. Perfect for when you are planning a trip this summer.

Or, you can pick up a book listing all the aeries in our social room.

Recurring and Upcoming Events

Aerie / Auxiliary Events:

Trustee Meetings

are held every Tuesday at 6:00 PM.

Aerie Meetings are held twice a month on the first and third Tuesdays at 7:30 PM.

Auxiliary Meetings are held twice a month on the first and third Thursdays at 6:30 PM.

Calendar Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 5:30 PM.

Joint Officer Meetings are held quarterly. All Aerie and Auxiliary officers. Next meeting: December 10th, 2024 at 6:00 after the Calendar Meeting.

Recurring Events:

October, 2024

Events are subject to change. Keep an eye on the white board in the club entrance area and on Facebook for the most current information.

Mondays

Queen of Hearts. Dinner at 5:30. Raffle Tickets sold until 6:45. Drawing at 7:00 PM.

Wednesdays

Taco Wednesday. \$2.00 per taco, or three for \$5.00. From 5:30 until sold out.

3rd Wednesday: **Trivia Night by Grant Varney.** 6:30 PM to 8:00 PM.

Thursdays

Last Thursday: **Poker tournament.** \$40.00 buy in. 6:30 in the game room. Members only.

Fridays

Usually, there is an Aerie or Auxiliary dinner served at 5:30.

2nd and 4th Friday: **Karaoke** from 8:00 to midnight.

2nd Friday: **Obie's Steak Night** - 5:30 \$20

4th Friday: **Dave's Broasted Chicken** - 5:30 \$15

Saturdays

Usually, there is an Aerie or Auxiliary dinner served at 5:30. If no dinner is scheduled, Bar Food is usually served.

Live Music most Saturday nights 7:00 to 11:00 PM inside the banquet hall

3rd Saturday: **Cribbage** at 1:00 PM.

Upcoming Special Events

Officer's Photo Shoot

Saturday, October 19th 12:00-6:00

Anthony Evans will have the photo studio set up again in the banquet hall from noon until about 6:00 before the band sets up. All officers are requested to come any time within those hours and get their official picture taken! All other Eagle members welcome too! Free digital photos (not prints) will be available for anyone who wants them. The photo studio will be set up other days too, so if you can't make it this time, don't worry. It'll happen again! Most likely on a Saturday because of setup and takedown time.

Seahawks Sunday Breakfast

Sunday, October 20th, 10:00 \$12.00

The Auxiliary will be putting on a breakfast buffet for the early Seahawks game! Come and enjoy great food, a bloody mary, and have a good time!