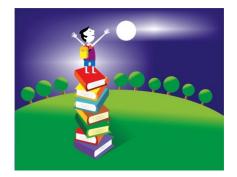




September comes in bringing another heat wave but we can be assured this late in the summer season, it won't stretch out for long.



For the first time this September also brings some swinging fun to all the golf lovers out there. The 1st Annual Golf Outing and Fundraiser event will be held September 10th at the Prairie Creek Golf Course in Maquoketa. Shotgun start at 12:00 pm so don't be late. Cookout, raffle winners, and prizes afterwards. Don't miss the fun...only \$30 per person. Plus, you will have the knowledge that you are contributing to a very worthy cause. Funds raised will go toward supporting the Dolly Parton Imagination Library Program. This program provides children ages 0 - 5, regardless of income, free books to promote reading skills and healthy creative thinking and imagination. Isn't it great to be able to have fun while giving at the same time? Everyone's a winner that way! Never golfed before? Doesn't matter...a great opportunity to do so for the first time among friends. Call the Eagles' today for more information or to get signed up!





Anyone feeling hungry? The Eagles' Auxiliary will be holding another brat stand on September 17^{th} from 10:00 am - 2:00 pm. Always a good deal and another great way to support your club and the many charitable organizations our Eagles' Club contributes toward.

Still hungry...then mark September 24th down on your calendar. It will be Rib and Chicken night at the Eagles'. Details are still be working out but if you ever attended a dinner in the past you can rest assured you will be getting great food at a fantastic price. Call the Eagles' for more information or better yet...stop in and read the details on the board. And while you are there getting details, don't forget to sign the book for your chance to win Tuesday nights' drawing.



The Halloween committee met for the first time in August to begin planning for the annual Halloween bash. Date will be October 29th and as usual the children event will be earlier in the day with adult fun later in the evening. Watch for more specific details later.

It's not too early to start thinking about Charity Night. This year our State charity is for Multiple Sclerosis (MS). The date is November 18th so mark your calendars now. There is much planning involved and it takes great effort of many individuals to make this night a success. We expect to have delicious food, a silent auction, entertainment and more. Volunteers and donations will be needed so please be generous.

There's always something going on at the Eagles' whether it's playing cards, watching a game on the wide screen TV, visiting with your friends or trying your luck at the games, or by playing Bingo. Come on down today and support your Club. Open Mondays through Thursdays from 2:00 pm till close. Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, and certain holidays open at 10:00 am till close.

Please note that September 5th is Labor Day. The Eagles' Club opens at 10:00 am. However, the Auxiliary meeting has been rescheduled until September 12th. Use the calendar attached to this newsletter to help you keep track of Aerie and Auxiliary meeting and other special event dates.

Did you know the first Labor Day was celebrated on September 5, 1882 with a parade in New York City? It is not always the 5th but it is always the first Monday of September. Although many people think of it as a day to designate the end of summer it is really a creation of the labor movement and is dedicated to the social and economic achievements of American workers. In essence it is a national tribute to the contributions workers have made to the strength, prosperity, and well-being of our country. Peter McGuire, known as a "disturber of the public peace" in his time was the prominent figure behind the creation of this holiday. In 1894 Congress voted to make it a federal holiday.



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11 West Central Regional Conf.	12 Auxiliary meeting 7:00 pm	13 Drawing 6:30 pm	14	15 Bingo 6:30 pm	16	17 Auxiliary Brat Stand 10:00 am – 2:00 pm
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