



# The Eagles Nest

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### 2011-2012 Officers

#### Aerie

- Jr. Past Worthy President ...Kathy McNeil
- Worthy President.....Ted Chavez
- Worthy Vice President.....Billy Archuleta
- Worthy Chaplain.....Richard Wise
- Worthy Conductor.....Vacant
- Worthy Inside Guard.....Daniel Oller
- Worthy Outside Guard.....Vacant
- Worthy Secretary.....Tim McCabe
- Worthy Treasurer.....Vacant
- Worthy Trustees.....Abe Praznik  
Mark Martinez  
Phil Vallejos  
Doyle Halterman

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

### Thornton Auxiliary #3226

#### 2011-2012 Officers

#### Auxiliary

- Jr.Past Madam.....Darlene Prazink
- Madam President .....Barbara Vallejos
- Madam Vice President...Jeanne Gomez
- Madam Chaplin.....Claudia Smith
- Madam Conductor.....Sandy Younger
- Madam Secretary.....Timmie Torres
- Madam Treasurer.....Betty Horn
- Madam Inside Guard.....Mary Dewey
- Madam Outside Guard...Lorraine Gonzales
- Madam Trustees.....Angelina Duran  
Amy Reed

Hello my Eagle Brothers and Sisters.

I know it's a little late but, Happy New Year. We are off to a great start. If you haven't been to the club lately you need to come by and check out the new carpet up and downstairs. This new carpet was made possible because of one of our members' whom is also our Aerie Inside Guard, Daniel Oller. The company he works for, Otten Johnson Robinson Neff Ragonetti donated it to our club after he asked if we could have it since they weren't going to use it. I had to write them a letter to request the donation and they approved it. Thank you Daniel and Co. and thank you to all those that helped with this.

We have been making many improvements. A lot of us have spent a lot of time helping to make these improvements. We all have a lot to be proud of.

We've also been very busy with our hall rentals and I expect that to pick up even more as nice as everything is looking. If you are interested in renting our hall please book it early. I have bookings as far out as next October. Call 303-657-0861 if you would like to book the hall or get more information.

I would also like to thank Dixie Rios. She has offered to take over as our newsletter editor. I think she is going to do great with it too. Thank you Sandy for all the time you have put into it in the past.

Those of you who have e-mail, I hope the updates I send you are helpful. For those of you that do have e-mail but haven't been getting the updates please e-mail me so I can add you to my list. Please send it to [tchavez@thorntoneagles.com](mailto:tchavez@thorntoneagles.com). You will get your newsletter e-mailed to you as well as any updates that may come up during the month.

You also need to checkout our website. Richard Wise does an awesome job with it. Thank you Richard. The site is [www.thorntoneagles.com](http://www.thorntoneagles.com).

We have a lot of things going on in February including me and Bridget cooking for our Sweetheart dinner and dance on February 11th. I guess that's the price we have to pay for being last years King and Queen. Please look over our calendar of events for details on all our other events we have coming up.

Until next time,

Your Worthy President,  
Ted Chavez

Madam President Corner

Wow how time flying; hope everyone had a great holiday. I know we all had a good time with the ladies brunch and the bartender appreciation party. I want to thank all of you that participated. It was nice to see all of you who attend.

We have lots of things going on here at the club. Please check your calendar for upcoming events.

Please remember when coming to the club that you Do Not park in the bartender spot. These ladies at night sometimes have to leave the club alone, we do not want them to walk very far because you never know who is out there.

I want to thank all the volunteers members for all that you do. Without you we wouldn't have a wonderful home.

If at anytime anyone has any ideas please don't hesitate to let us know. We are still looking for people who would like to volunteer and come in and help cook.

Best wishes,

Barbara Vallejos  
Madam President

Chaplin Corner  
No report at this time

From The Editor

Please fill free to leave any changes of address, articles, and any little tidbits you would like printed in the news letter leave with the bartenders or Ted. We will let you now when a box will be put up for these. Dead line date for March news letter is February 24 2012.

Thank You  
Dixie

Did You Know?

Remove ink stains from clothes by soaking them in milk for 1 hour. Then cover the stain with a paste of vinegar and cornstarch . When paste dries, wash the garment as usual.

Most any old wood glue can be softened for removal. Simply wet the glued area down with vinegar, and keep it wet overnight.

Trustees Corner

Hello Brothers and sisters,

Well, we made it through another year. Isn't it great! And were still looking proud. We want to thank all the brothers and sisters for all the support our home gets. We have had some great functions and awesome dinners and this year hope it will be better.

We are in the process of getting new carpet and paint in the aerie social room.

The trustee's want to thank Milton Roy for all the hard hours this last fall and into the winter months for the work he did keeping the grounds looking sharp, especially along Milky Way where the evergreens were taking over the sidewalk. Milton has taken a big load off the trustee's when he pops in from Alaska. Fred Sanchez and Kris Taylor are there as usual when we come short of help to render their services, you guys are like the cavalry. Thanks go out to Steve Kessel for the extra help in the kitchen and operating the snow beast, keeping the side walks clean, which keeps us legal in the cities eyes. It is great when members like this jump in and without being asked to do it. OH! We cannot forget the bingo account with Doyle at the helm, great job! Our secretary Tin McCabe has our books in the utmost best order and this is also a thankless job. If you have not been on our web site, please check it out and thank Richard Wise. Remember, all trustee's and officers put a lot of hours in the aerie home, so all help is invited. If we forget to thank anyone who has put extra time in to help, please let the trustee's know and accept our apology and we will get you in the next news letter.

Everyone, please remember our bartenders as their time is all volunteer, kind of like the heart of the aerie social room, and without them we would have no customers and you know what that would mean, so please support them.

The aerie without a doubt would like to thank the ladies auxiliary for all the help with functions, keeping the kitchen cleaned, well stocked and keeping our burger night alive. This does take a lot of time.

Just to go a little state level, Thornton Eagles are meeting all Grand Aerie Requirements. When traveling to the anniversaries of the other aeries though out the state, our Thornton Eagles name is heard more than ever. It's Great!!

As a final note, remember, this is a private aerie and everyone should be proud to be a part of it, so in the future, please use your OFFICIAL RECIEPT in the door instead of ring the bell. This does put a burden on the bartenders. HAPPY NEW YEAR AND GOD BLESS!

Sincerely,

Aerie Trustee's

Abe,Phil,Mark,& Doyle