FRA, LOW COUNTRY BRANCH 269

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FRA, LOW COUNTRY HOME, Inc.

99 Wisteria Road
(843) 569-2692

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Hours of Operations

Mon-Sat 1000-2400 * Sun 1000-2000
Happy Hour – 1600-1900 Mon-Fri

FROM THE HOME COMMITTEE

G'day to ya. Hope everyone has or had a fine Halloween. Some of the up-coming events at The HOME to remember for the month of November: New Year's Party ticket sales starting on the 2nd of November, at 10:00 AM. Ticket prices will be $20.00 per person. Ticket prices will increase to $25.00 per person after Christmas. As with last year, there will be breakfast served on the New Year at The Home. Entertainment will be FOUR + ONE, and I think everyone remembers how well that turned out. Also, the Branch will be hosting a Pancake Breakfast on the 10th of November in conjunction with all the Veterans Day festivities going on in the Greater Charleston area. Anyone wishing to volunteer for this Honorable and Illustrious duty, see Shipmate Larry Cox. We mustn't fail to mention November 11th Veterans Day Parade and Indoor Picnic… All are invited…Please attend. I'd like to talk briefly about something we just started in October, and by that I mean the Random Door checks being done on Fridays and Saturday (Randomly of course!) These checks are not being done for any reason other than to fulfill the requirements of the State of South Carolina Liquor Laws and Non-profit /Tax Exempt requirements. So far, there has been little, if any hardship associated with these checks. So, I think maybe, just maybe we're doing some good here. Remember, if you have a complaint, use the suggestion box or, dag-nab-it, and come to the HOME Meeting. We're gonna have good entertainment for November and we always have Friday Night Scotch Doubles and Saturday Night 8 Ball in house Tournaments. See ya

Nate, Home Committee Director/Guest Penmanship Dude

HOME FINANCIAL REPORT

31 AUGUST 2007

NET PROFIT	$1,381.83
BUILDING FUND	$31,642.04

NATIONAL VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION NOVEMBER 8th-11th

See brochures at the Home or visit their website at http://www.nationalveteransdaycelebration.org/ for other activities.

CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE MEMORIAL

The dedication ceremony is November 5th at 1000hrs on the former Charleston Naval base at the North Charleston Riverfront Park.

GOOSE CREEK HS BREAKFAST & ASSEMBLY

Goose Creek High School has invited 15 Shipmates to attend a Veteran's Day breakfast and assembly on November 9th from 0800-1045hrs. There's a sign-up list, with additional information is on the Branch's bulletin board at the Home. Sign-up by November 6th. First 15 Shipmates only.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

November 10th 0830-1130hrs

Branch and Unit 269 will host a "Thank You Veterans" Pancake breakfast 10 November 2007, 8:30 – 11:30 A.M. at The Home. This event is **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!**

Menu includes buttermilk, blueberry and chocolate chip pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage patties, bacon, toast, coffee, juice and milk. Bring your kids, bring your neighbors and support this effort to support our veterans.

VETERAN'S DAY FLAG PLACEMENT

November 11th 0800hrs

Muster at 0800hrs on November 11th at Plantation Memorial Gardens on Route 17A for flag placement honoring Veterans' Day. We'll return at 1700hrs to retrieve the flags.

VETERAN'S DAY PARADE

November 11th 1400hrs - Downtown Charleston

The Branch and Unit have once again rented a float for the Veteran's Day Parade in downtown Charleston. The parade is on Sunday, November 11th and starts at 1400hrs. You can park at the VA medical center and be shuttled to the parade route. Best be there by 1200hrs.

There will be an indoor picnic at The Home after the parade, starting at 1600 hrs.

BRANCH PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Thank you to the Branch and Unit members that showed up Saturday morning to pick-up trash on our highway, NAD Road in Goose Creek. I'd like to say a good time was had by all, but for picking up trash, it was an "alright" time!

This month, we have lots of things going on in connection with Veterans' Day. The National Veterans' Day Celebration is in Charleston, hosting four days of veteran-related events. The Branch and Unit will be sponsoring a float in the Charleston parade on Sunday the 11th. Park at the VA Hospital and take the bus to King Street. After the parade, we'll dine at The Home for our annual Veterans' Day Indoor Picnic. We'll be placing flags at Plantation Memorial Gardens at 0800 and retrieving them at 1700. On Saturday the 10th, we'll be hosting a pancake breakfast at The Home. Whew! I'm getting tired just typing all this stuff! On Friday the 9th, we'll have breakfast as guests of Goose Creek High School. A sign-up sheet is at The Home. And on Monday the 5th, we've been invited to the dedication of the Charleston Naval Base Memorial.

Our FRA Branch 269 Winter Golf Tournament is slated to take place on Saturday, the 3rd with a 0900 shot gun start.

The Branch is adopting ten active duty military families for Thanksgiving. Our "Adopt a Military Family" program will buy Thanksgiving food baskets for ten active duty families, who can use our help. We'll meet at The Home on Tuesday, 20 November to put the baskets together and deliver them to the families. Stop by The Home! We can use your assistance!

Oh yeah! Have you recruited a new member this month? Recruiting is everyone's job! Congratulations to S/M's Doug Cattell and Don Kopczynski the newest member of the FRA's 2007-2008 recruitment drive.

In Loyalty, Protection & Service
Chuck

BRANCH TREASURER'S REPORT

Checking	$10,241.93
Savings	$4,427.95
Total	$14,669.88

CHRISTMAS EVE at THE KEOHANE'S

S/M Ed and Lady Karen Keohane invite one and all to their home on Christmas Eve for a drop-in social, starting at 1700 hours. Their address is 303 Reynard Drive, Goose Creek in the Foxborough subdivision.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the family of

Hugh Blevins, ETCS, USN-Ret

who transferred to the

Staff of the Supreme Commander

BRANCH & UNIT CHAPLAINS' PEW

Our prayers and best wishes to those who may be in poor health. Anyone knowing of any illness or death among our Shipmates or Auxiliary members please contact **Branch Chaplain Bobbi Sutton @ 875-4010** or **Unit Chaplain Nancy Bullis @ 278-2736.**

BRANCH MEMBERSHIP REPORT

New or Reinstated Members	6
Transferred into Low Country Branch 269	1
Transferred to the Staff of the Supreme Commander	1
Suspended members	21
Members past due	21
Transferred from Branch 269	1
TOTAL MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING AS OF 30SEP07	1006

WELCOME ABOARD SHIPMATES

New, Reinstated, & Transferred Members

Donald Heinie	Brian Murray	Robert Rebeck
Lisa King	Gary Odekirk	
Robert Kokinda	Robert Oyer	

UNIT CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIPS

Evelyn MacDonald 28yrs	Wanda Brown 6yrs	Elfie Campbell 2yrs
Yoshie Kelly 8yrs	Angie Clark 5yrs	Elaine McIntire 1yr
Barbara Farmer 8yrs	Frankie Brown 3yrs	Erin Griesemer 1yr
Loretta Schaffer 7yrs	Patricia Pruitt 3yrs	Nancy Bullis 1yr
Laneta Gardner 7yrs	Kelley Houglan 3yrs	Barbara Bonham 1yr
Maria Lewis 7yrs	Michelle Owens 3yrs	Linda Eldridge 1yr
Barbara Addington 7yrs	Joan Grainger 3yrs	Virginia Finney 1yr
Doris Rash 7yrs	Elizabeth Mullins 2yrs	Frances Feidt 1yr
Yvonne Aguilera 6yrs	Lynda Monnig 2yrs	Doug Cattell, Jr 1yr
Jean Tscheulin 6yrs	Maxine Schaffer 2yrs	Doug Cattell, III 1yr
Thelma Boone 6yrs	Norma Gussler 2yrs	Barbie Sullivan 1yr
Faye Pyatt 6yrs	Marjorie Hoffman 2yrs	

WEEKLY DRAWING at THE HOME

Names drawn lately: 9/25 – Edward Feidt, not signed, 10/2 – Name not written down, not signed; 10/9 – Conrad Shaw, not signed; and 10/16 – D.J. Robinson, signed not present.

You must be a member of the Branch or Unit in good standing and you must be signed in the log. You can sign up until 1800 hours, the day of the drawing. The drawing is held every Tuesday night at 2030 hours.

AMERICANISM-PATRIOTISM ESSAY CONTEST

The subject for this year's essay is: "Why I am Proud To Be An American".

Entry forms and rules can be obtained at the FRA Home or from FRA National's website, www.fra.org or by contacting S/M Cox.

Any questions may be directed to S/M Larry Cox at (843) 553-9025 or e-mail: LCOX486@COMCAST.NET

Entries must be postmarked no later than December 1, 2007. We can provide a sponsor for you. You will have a sponsor!!!! Please submit your entry to: Larry Cox, FRA Branch 269 Essay Chairman, 99 Wisteria Road, Goose Creek, SC 29445-3472

FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK

darlene.hines@comcast.net

BOD Motion - S/M Bolz seconded by S/M Nathan made motion that the Branch Christmas Party meal tickets will be $5.00. Voice vote, carried, 1 nay. Food will be served from 1900-2000hrs. An ornament exchange will start at 2000hrs with value of not more than $5.00. Deadline for tickets will be December 16th.

BOD Motion - S/M Cox seconded by S/M Rein made motion to purchase 25 U.S. car flags not to exceed $85.00. Hand count, 7 for, 5 against, carried.

BOD Motion - S/M Nathan seconded by S/M Bourgeois made motion to allocate up to $50.00 for a camera memory chip for the Branch's historian. Voice vote, carried.

Motion - S/M Nathan seconded by S/M Cattell made motion to accept bylaw changes and additions as read. Voice vote, carried, 2 nays.

Motion - S/M Bolz seconded by S/M Pearson made motion to provide Thanksgiving food baskets to ten active duty families at a cost of up to $750.00. Voice vote, carried.

Motion - S/M Nathan seconded by S/M Cox made motion to allocate up to $8000.00 of Home funds to purchase and install three additional smoke eaters. Voice vote, carried, 4 nays.

Motion - S/M Bolz seconded by S/M Nathan made motion to host the 2008 SE Regional Convention. Voice vote, carried

Merry Widows Support Group

The Merry Widows will meet at the FRA Home on Nov. 13th at 11:30 A.M. We will have the book exchange, door prize and play a game. Call someone on the membership list and offer a ride, we have several who don't drive, Also call a member who hasn't attended in a long time and encourage them to attend.

Yours in Loyalty, Protection and Service,
Betty Harris, 552-1416 or 412-6753

BRANCH & UNIT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, December 22nd will be the annual Branch and Unit Christmas Party. Meal tickets are **$5.00** each and the deadline to purchase them is December 16th. Come out and enjoy the evening. Dinner will start at 1900-2000hrs. Tickets are available at The Home.

Christmas Ornament Exchange

Let's do it again! Bring a wrapped Christmas ornament the night of the Branch and Unit Christmas Party. Starting at 2000 hours, we'll have an ornament exchange. Please bring ornaments of at least $5.00 value.

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY

TICKETS GO ON SALE NOVEMBER 2nd @ 1000hrs

The party starts at 8:00pm Party Favors, Hors d`oeuvres, Champagne at Midnight, Breakfast at one, Tickets $20.00 per person, $25.00 after Dec. 25th. Cash bar. See your Bartender for Tickets.

Your entertainment will be **Four Plus One** with a all new show. Don't miss it.

The Home is going to be hopping. Get your tickets soon.

BRANCH CONTINUOUS MEMBERSHIPS

Congratulations!!! This is your anniversary month.

HAVE YOU RENEWED??? PLEASE DO, *IF* YOU HAVE NOT!!

Richard Best 39yrs	Charles Smith 8yrs	Vicki Laberge 2yrs
Thomas Evans 35yrs	Ervin Sumner 8yrs	James Hutton 2yrs
William Curley 35yrs	Stanley Sanders 8yrs	Fayette Thornal 1yr
Joseph Wiehl 33yrs	Robert Allen 8yrs	Donald Craddock 1yr
Frank Duncan 33yrs	William Turoski 8yrs	Daniel Lindler 1yr
Paul Gonya 31yrs	David Smith 7yrs	Edward Stank 1yr
Richard Cleeve 31yrs	Thomas Krieger 7yrs	Todd Kozey 1yr
Arthur Pittman 29yrs	Pedro Garcia 7yrs	Richard Martinez 1yr
Frank Eldridge 29yrs	Richard Dougherty 5yrs	Kay Riebe 1yr
Myron Law 28yrs	Scott Bassett 4yrs	Merlin Brignall 1yr
Raymond Montminy27yrs	Michael Scott 4yrs	Randy Reed 1yr
Norman Muller 26yrs	Dean Clouser 4yrs	Donald Staton 1yr
John Waite 24yrs	Lawrence Denapoli 4yrs	Charles Carley 1yr
Ronald Aycock 23yrs	James Heath 4yrs	L. Sue Snodgrass 1yr
Jack Stiegelmeyer 15yrs	Pamela Scott 4yrs	William Boyd 1yr
Donald Sponic 15yrs	Kyler Smith 3yrs	Melvin Marks 1yr
Dean Dupont 15yrs	Gordon Fisher 3yrs	John Sloane 1yr
William Johnson 15yrs	Charles Nelms 2yrs	John Pomfret 1yr
Lewis Steed 15yrs	Bill Ansel 2yrs	Howard Luper 1yr
Thomas Blalock 15yrs	James Whetzel 2yrs	Timothy McNally 1yr
William Nelson 14yrs	Robert Savage 2yrs	William Taft 1yr
Thomas Chilton 12yrs	Stephen Jeffery 2yrs	Carter Kirk 1yr
Frank Bartow 10yrs	Frank Bohannan 2yrs	Kelly Harrell 1yr
Glen Houck 9yrs	Carmelo Olmo 2yrs	Angela Chapman 1yr
Steve Naert 9yrs	Richard Day 2yrs	Thomas McFarlane 1yr
Alfred Bauer 9yrs	Carl Pigott 2yrs	

MADAM PREZ's CORNER

Happy Holidays to All Happy Turkey Day to all

Our Tuesday night meeting was excellent. We had a wonderful turn out, but I would still like to see more members come. Remember this is your Unit too!!!!!!!!!!!!!

A lot was accomplished. First of all I was honored to give Virginia Pidde her 50 year pin as a member of the Auxiliary.

I am also very happy to say that Branch and Unit 269 will be hosting the 2008 Southeastern Regional Convention—so everyone get your thinking caps on—let the fun begin!!!!!!!!!!!! We are looking for donations of liquor or wine bottles to help out in our hospitality room. This is one way that you as members can help out.

I understand that a lot of members have not received their membership cards. I was advised that you can either contact Sue Cattell our secretary or call 1-800-372-1924 can they will be happy to help you.

Members, please remember a lot of you probably do out side work, like helping in your community, doing the voting polls, visiting hospitals, contributing to cancer funds, Red Cross etc. Please, this is work that you can bring to the Unit. We prepare reports each year, showing the accomplishments that Unit 269 has done. So please let me, or one of the committee members know this.

A box will be placed in the Home for Donations of cans goods, dry foods etc. which will be divided between the nursing home and men's shelter for Christmas, so please be generous.

Speaking of nursing home. The auxiliary will be visiting Twin Oaks Villa on Dorchester Ave Nov 17, @ 2:00. I am hoping to see a lot of members even branch members attend. We will be having an ice cream social, which they love ice cream. You can either meet us there at 2:00 or we will meet at the home around 1:30pm.

Dates to remember

November 10, the home will be hosting of Pancake Breakfast—looking for some volunteers

November 11 Veterans Day-7:00 placing of flags, 1:00 parade downtown, in door picnic to follow at the home @ 4:00pm, pick up flags to follow.

My heartfelt sympathies, to those who lost of loved one. To those who are sick or recovering from an illness, I wish you a speedy recovery. If you are celebrating a Birthday or Anniversary in the month of October, I wish you many happy returns.

I remain yours in L/P/S
Pat Suckow

SUPER BOWL- February 3rd

It's just around the corner. See S/M Larry Pepper, he's got the plan.

YOU SAY IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY!

If you are a Branch 269 or Unit 269 member, stop by the FRA, Low Country Home **on your birthday** for a **FREE BIRTHDAY LUNCH**. It's your choice from the lunch specials of the day. If your birthday falls on a weekend, stop by Friday or Monday.

Murrell Wilson 11/01
Danny Leonhardt 11/01
Donald Wolfe 11/01
Joseph Polk 11/01
Vernon Harr 11/02
James Finney 11/02
Paul Langan 11/02
Linda Brinson 11/02
Chris Laforce 11/02
Virginia Finney 11.03
Betty Wirick 11/03
Stacy Power 11/04
Keith Morris 11/04
Tracy Haselden 11/04
Thomas Seay 11/05
Yachiyo Bauer 11/05
John Newby 11/05
Kurt Stauff 11/05
Karen Warhurst 11/06
Larry Starland 11/06
Pedro Garcia 11/06
Charles Baylor 11/06
Rob Dudley 11/06
Carmelo Olmo 11/07
Robert Beilstein 11/08
Terry Gomez 11/08
Carroll Sandefer 11/08
Linda Harris 11/09
Robert Hughes 11/09
Larry Turner 11/09
Ken Gray 11/10
Francis Shenton 11/11
John Woodside 11/11
Brian Cecil 11/11
Sarah Lucas 11/11
William Johnson 11/12
Stephen Black 11/12

Barbara Moore 11/13
Kathleen Langan 11/13
John Houck 11/13
Gareld Landis 11/14
Samuel Hewitt 11/14
Carol Bailey 11/14
Nancy Bullis 11/14
Anthony Pyatt 11/14
Ed Roche 11/15
Thomas Blalock 11/15
Paul Gonya 11/15
Jones Kersey 11/15
Larry Larkins 11/15
Gerald Ott 11/15
William Adams 11/15
Cheryl Christopher 11/15
Kevin Kerns 11/15
Lee McClenny 11/16
Frank Duncan 11/16
Stephen Lowdermilk 11/16
David Mueller 11/17
Kenneth Miller 11/18
Linda Cox 11/18
Ken Pilcher 11/18
Michelle Holmes 11/18
David Johnson 11/19
Linw ood Murrow 11/19
Carter Kirk 11/19
Peter Pugliese 11/19
Dorothy Cotton 11/20
Kiyoko Muessig 11/20
Paul Viering 11/20
Stan Rhorer 11/20
James Heath 11/20
Lawrencse Case 11/20
Barbara Hayes 11/21
Roger Rader 11/21

Georgia Cathcart 11/21
Robert Olsen 11/21
Dan Gay 11/21
Charles Carley 11/22
Richard Best 11/22
Jeuel Seal, Jr 11/22
David Sexton 11/22
Joseph Ondo 11/23
John Brown 11/23
Thomas Lawson 11/24
Joseph Schmitt 11/24
Linda Holmes 11/24
Ron Litzenberger 11/24
Elizabeth Crisantu 11/24
Tim Stevenson 11/24
Doris Stuhr 11/25
Talmage Hughston 11/25
James Price 11/25
Charles Moss 11/26
Len Monnig 11/26
Jeff Elliott 11/26
Ken Seal 11/26
Leonard Ogle 11/26
Carl Baybo 11/26
Robert Duke 11/26
Don Kalkreuth 11/27
Loyce Lovett 11/27
Luis Santiago 11/27
Paul Zewan 11/28
Evelyn Calhoun 11/29
Gary Green 11/29
Glenn Yawn 11/29
George Well 11/30
Maxine Schaffer 11/30
James Houchin 11/30
Larry Brodie 11/30
Andrew Bergamo 11/30

SHORT STAY 2008

The dates are set for May 16 & 17, 2008. Villas are blocked in the name of **Shannon**, as in CMDCM Bob Shannon. The numbers to call are 761-8353 or 1-800-447-2178.

Thank you Master Chief!

NOVEMBER 2007

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
				1 Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**2** Lunch 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Poweroke**	**3** **0800 Golf Tournament** Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 - Poweroke**
4 FREE POOL **ALL DAY**	**5** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**6** Lunch is served 1100-1300 **WINGS NIGHT 1700-2100hrs** **1900 SER '08 Convention Meeting**	**7** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100 **Vietnam Vets Meeting**	**8** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100 **1900- Sub Vets Meeting**	**9** Lunch 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Croon -A-Tune**	**10** **0830-1130 Pancake Breakfast** Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 - Croon -A-Tune**
11 FREE POOL **ALL DAY** **Veterans Day** **1400 - Parade Downtown Chas. Indoor Picnic to Follow @ Home**	**12** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**13** Lunch is served 1100-1300 **WINGS NIGHT 1700-2100hrs** **Merry Widows' 1130 – at the FRA, Home** **1900 – Home Committee Meeting**	**14** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**15** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100 **1800– BRANCH BOD** **1900- BRANCH General Assembly**	**16** Lunch 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Poweroke**	**17** **0900 - Field Day** Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 - Poweroke**
18 FREE POOL **ALL DAY**	**19** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**20** Lunch is served 1100-1300 **WINGS NIGHT 1700-2100hrs** **1130- Unit Luncheon @ The HOME** **6:30 – UNIT BOD** **7:00 – UNIT General Assembly**	**21** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**22** THANKSGIVING HOME iS CLOSED	**23** Lunch 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Croon -A-Tune**	**24** Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Croon -A-Tune**
25 FREE POOL **ALL DAY** 5:00-7:00 Halloweenie Roast	**26** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**27** Lunch is served 1100-1300 **WINGS NIGHT 1700-2100hrs**	**28** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**29** Lunch is served 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2100	**30** Lunch 1100-1300 Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Poweroke**	**Dec 1** Galley is open 1700-2300 **2000 – Poweroke**

UP COMING EVENTS at FRA, LOW COUNTRY HOME

Mark your calendar, watch for details, watch for additions

Friday nights, 1900hrs – Scotch Doubles, 8-ball Tournament
Saturday nights, 2000hrs – In-House 8-ball Tournament
Nov 3rd – Golf tournament
Nov 10th – Pancake Breakfast
Nov11th – Veterans' Day Parade and indoor picnic after parade
Dec 22nd – Branch and Unit Christmas Party
Dec 31st – New Years Eve Party
Jan 26th – Mardi Gras
Feb 3rd – Super Bowl Sunday
Feb 15th – Valentine's Dinner
Subject to change and additions.

NEWSLETTER IS NOW ON OUR WEBSITE
www.fra269.org

Our webmasters Dana & Charlotte Johnson are doing a bang up job with our website. You've gotta see it!!!!!!!!!

Now, to save on printing and postage, you can retrieve the newsletter from the website. Previous months' copies are there as well.

Anyone and everyone who would like to just go to www.fra269.org and read the newsletter **PLEASE** contact S/M Darlene Hines at 824-2589 or darlene.hines@comcast.net or leave a note in the Pass Down Log (PDL) at The Home to be removed from the snail mail list. Still over a thousand copies are printed and mailed each month. Do the math.

Those who were getting via e-mail will be informed to go to the website.

KEY CARDS (gets you in the door faster!)

Key cards are available at the bar for $5.00 and are only sold to members of Branch 269 and Unit 269, in good standing. Only one card per member.

Key cards are not to be loaned or transferred to anyone. You must keep your dues current or your key card will be removed from the programming. If your key card is lost or stolen, report it, so it can be removed from the program and you can purchase another card.

ANGEL FOOD PROGRAM

Want more **BANG** for your **BUCK**? There's a non-profit food program called Angel Food. At the cost of $25.00, you'll receive a number of food items valued between $50.00 and $75.00. Each month a different menu is offered. There are specialty items for an additional charge. There are no forms to fill out or questions asked. Just come to the host sight and sign up. Only cash or EBT cards accepted. You can purchase each month or not, you decide. For more information you can access their website at www.angelfoodministries.com, or contact S/M Bobbi Sutton at 875-4010.