

Carson Valley Footprinters



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The President's Message

Our annual picnic was held on July 16, 2006 at Aspen Park in Gardnerville. Judging by the attendance (over 100), I'd say it was very

successful. More then that, my casual observations indicated everyone was having a fun time. The food was great, thanks to the superb catering skills of the Carson Valley Lions. A special thank you goes to those members who provided the fantastic desserts to finish off the luncheon. Thank you Vic Christ for volunteering your time to work the bar. Thank you Ray Hoyt (Secretary/ Treasurer) for coordinating all of the picnic activities that needed to take place. Thank you Sheriff Ron Pierini for securing the Bingo prizes that were donated for our event by the fabulous Carson Valley Inn. And, can you imagine this, the grand Bingo prize was donated

by your outgoing Sergeant-at-Arms, Kathie Kasper. It was a beautiful oil painting she had done herself. Thanks Kathie. Congratulations to all of you Bingo winners. If you didn't attend this picnic, you missed a good one.

Of course there was business that needed to take place that included the swearing-in of your new officers who are: Larry Gray – President, Fred Hersey – 1st Vice President, Barbara McRoberts – 2nd Vice President, Ray Hoyt – Secretary/Treasurer, Claudia Lowe – Sergeant-at-Arms, Phil Kasper – Immediate Past President, Ron Pierini – 3 year Director, Betty Miller – 2 year Director, Jim Terborg – 1 year Director and Lon Curtis – Past Grand President.

Additional new business that took place involved the swearing-in of our new IFA, Carson Valley Chapter #72 member, Dawn Gibbons. Congratulations Dawn and welcome to our group.

I thought you might be interested in who I am. My profile reveals that I retired as a manager from Pacific Telephone Co. after 30 plus years. My wife (Pat) and I moved from Danville, CA to Gardner-ville in 1999. Pat and I have been Footprinters for five plus years because it is a great organization. After my honey-do list, my hobbies include: landscaping, restoring muscle cars, shooting, golfing, hunting and fishing.

I will always be accessible to answer any questions you might have regarding our IFA, Chapter #72 organization. My Telephone No. is 775-783-9759. My E-mail No. is rabitbrush@aol.com. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve as your president.

larry



The Secretary-Treasurer's Message

We still have 17 members who have not paid their dues for the new fiscal year. Additionally, we have lost 11 other members who have either left the area or have indicated that they wish to

drop their membership. Along with the recent death of long-time Footprinter Frank Woomer, this totals a potential loss of 29 before the year really gets started. Those from whom we have not heard one way or the other are:

Assal, Janet Chaffin, Leo Cowden, Larry Dues, Marty & Shani Goldwater, Nancee Hand, Perry Heald, Phillip & Mary Johnson, Dennis King, Mary Kunde, Sheila Melin, Edie Scott, Keith Switzer, Diana Williams, Dock & Karen

To those of you listed above, we would love to hear from you. Preferably with a check, but if you do not intend to renew, please let us know. You can either call me at 267-4355, or email me at hotspace.net/hotspace.net/<a href="ht

New 2006-07 membership cards are beginning to arrive from the Grand Chapter. Those who regularly attend our dinners may receive them there; others will get them in the mail. The new cards have a new design and are quite attractive.

For those of you who attended our recent picnic at the Aspen Mobile Home Park picnic grounds, we used a new caterer this year – the local Carson Valley Lion's Club. Your Board of Directors is very interested in any feedback from our attendees on the food, service, etc. etc. In addition to the food, the Lion's Club was responsible for the tent and the extra tables and chairs.

See you at the August dinner.

Ray

Please call YES or

by **8/10** for the **8/17** meeting!

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Ray/Larna 267-4355 Larry 783-9759

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Or send E-mail to: Hersey.4-way@775.net

Vice Presidents' Stuff



1st VP Mumblings

Pres Larry Gray has handed off the baton to me along with a bushel of details and files, and I am now in possession of names and dates of future speakers that he has arranged, and I can start listing the open dates and calling

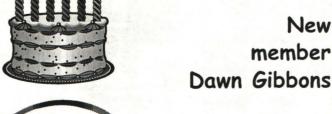
potential speakers. I am always ready to listen to your suggestions for future speakers. Call or email at 266-3435, or hersev.4-way@775.net. I will be happy to check them out.

August 17 will be Dick Stoddard of KOLO weather news, at Carson Nugget. September 21 at an unspecified venue, will feature Michael Archer, a Vietnam buddy of Lt. Orr, and author of "A Patch of Ground: Khe San Remembered." Mike will have a few copies of the book available for autographing. Tune in next month,

Fred

August Birthdays

Betty Williams 2 5 Alice Curtis Larry Gray Patricia Sikes 11 Jean Tomlinson 12 Earl Capehart 17 Lynda Lopez 20 Ray Peterson 20 **Betty Toudouze** 21 Perry Hand 26 Betty Miller 30



...and from our 2nd VP

Greetings to all! I hope your summer has been memorable. I'm sure many of you have been traveling and hopefully are home safely. I apologize for not being at the picnic. We were in the blistering heat of the East Coast at a family wedding. We are so happy to be home again.

The August 17, 2006 meeting will be held at the Carson Nugget in Carson City. The dinner meeting starts at 6:00 PM with a no host bar. Dinner begins at 7:00 PM with the pledge of allegiance. Dinner is buffet style and includes the following: four assorted salads. Fresh fruit platter, chicken, beef and shrimp entrees, potatoes and gravy, fresh vegetables and dinner rolls and butter. We can't forget about the delicious assorted desserts. The price of dinner is \$18.00 per person.

We hope to see you all there. Call your reservation in for the "Early Bird" drawing. Bring some guests and a gift for the "Pot-O-Gold" raffle if you can. I look forward to seeing you there!

Barbara

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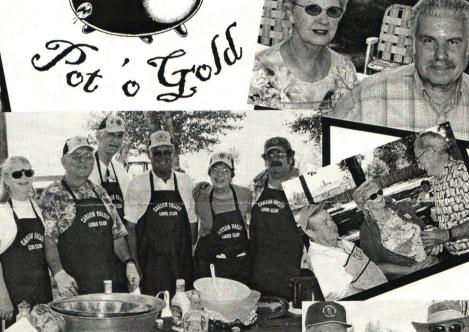




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