



# Carson Valley Footprinter



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## The President's Message

Our Annual Carson Valley Footprinters, Chapter #72, Members Appreciation Picnic was held on July 22, 2007 at the Aspen Mobile Home Park in the Town of Gardnerville. All of the members I spoke with or observed seemed to be having a fun time. The Aspen Mobile Home Park's picnic facilities located next to the Carson River were outstanding. The local Lions Club for the second year in a row served up a fine barbecued chicken and rib luncheon. We had two tables of desserts (brought by our attending members) that were to die for. Vic Christ always tends bar in a superior manner. He was able to satisfy everyone's refreshment requests. How was he able to do this? Because he is good! We dispensed with the swearing in of new officers as no changes were made. After a fabulous luncheon, we moved right into our Bingo event. Paul Conrad is/was our Master of Ceremonies for the Bingo Games. The Change Girls selling the bingo cards were: Claudia Lowe, Betty Miller and Pat Gray. Thanks Paul, Claudia, Betty and Pat for your contributions in making our Bingo fund raiser so successful. The lucky winners happily walked away with four \$25.00 gift

certificates donated by the Carson Valley Inn; one \$25.00 gift certificate for Melvin's Car Wash in Minden and the grand prize was a beautiful original oil painting, painted and donated by Kathy Kasper. Kathy, thank you so much for your very generous gift. All in all and with an attendance of 98, I will say our Picnic was a huge success!

Your Footprint Association, Carson Valley Chapter #72 Officers and Team for the years July 1, 2007 thru June 30, 2008 are as follows: Larry Gray, President; Fred Hersey, 1st Vic President; Barbara McRoberts, 2nd Vice President; Ray Hoyt, Secretary-Treasurer; Claudia Lowe, Sergeant-at-Arms; Phil Kasper, Immediate Past President; Fred Hersey, Grand Director; Jim Terborg, Three Year Director; Ron Pierini, Two Year Director; Betty Miller, One Year Director; Suzi Pippin, Chapter Newsletter Editor and Don McRoberts, Chapter Webmaster. If you have any questions or concerns about our Chapter's organization or its operations, any one of the people listed above will be happy to satisfy your needs.

I will echo Ray's welcome to our new members. Here is a great big Carson Valley Chapter #72 Footprint **Welcome** to our four newest members, they are: Glen and

Vangie McCracken sponsored by Betty Miller; Rick Russell sponsored by Jane and Paul Tanaka and Jack O'Donnell sponsored by Pat and Larry Gray. Be sure to look for Glen and Vangie, Rick and Jack at our meetings. Go up to them and introduce yourself. Make them believe they made a right choice in joining our organization.

You have a choice on how to receive the Chapter's Newsletter, Snail mail or E-mail. E-mail will get the Newsletter to you two days sooner than Snail mail. An E-mail choice saves the Chapter about \$0.85 per month, per member. An E-mail selection also saves production time for our volunteer Chapter Newsletter Editor, Suzi Pippin. We are currently sitting at slightly over 50% of the members who have chosen E-mail as a means of delivery for their Newsletter. We are targeting for 80% participation which might be a stretch. If you use a computer to any extent, make the smart E-mail choice and call Ray Hoyt now at 775-267-4355. He will finalize the necessary arrangements.

See you at the Carson Valley Nugget for our next meeting on August 16, 2007.

*Larry*



## From the Secretary-Treasurer

I'd like to welcome four new members during July: Glen & Vangie McCracken, Rick Russell and Jack O'Donnell. Rick and I had an interesting conversation at the annual picnic; it seems that not only did we both survive a 30+ year career in law enforcement relatively unscathed, but we grew up about 4 blocks from each other and played in the same playground as kids (but never knew each other). Small world!!!!

There are only a handful of you from whom I have not heard on whether or not you plan to renew your memberships. Your prompt responses with your checks have truly been appreciated. Membership cards for the new association year

have been received; most of you at the picnic got your new ones. The rest will go out in the mail.

Thanks continue to go out to our webmaster, Don McRoberts, who posts our monthly newsletter, *The Carson Valley Footprinter*, on our website. It seems like he has it posted the instant he receives it from the editor. Not only that, he graciously answers questions from those members who experience difficulty in maneuvering through cyberspace to get to it!!! Remember to check out our website: <http://www.cvfootprint.org> for all you need to know about our Chapter.

See you at one of our dinner meetings...

*Ray*

Please call

☐ **YES**

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by **8/9** for  
the **8/16**  
meeting!

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### 1st VP ramblings:

The annual BBQ picnic was certainly a rousing success; we barely managed to keep the count under a hundred!

And again the Lions Club prepared a sumptuous feast for us. Again, several rounds of bingo for the highly competitive members. Weather? I don't know how it could have been more glorious. Let's do it again. How about next July?

August meeting? Our featured speaker will be Terry Taylor, Captain Inspector/Investigator for the East Fork Fire and Paramedic Districts. He is going to tell us about the special wildlife considerations in the Tahoe Basin.

September's Guest Speaker will be Chief Bob Milby of the Nevada Legislative Police. He is going to tell us the many things they do. Hey, I can't do it.

*Fred*



## August Birthdays

Betty Williams	2
Alice Curtis	5
Larry Gray	7
Pat Sikes	11
Jean Tomlinson	12
Glen McCracken	15
Earl Capehart	17
Lynda Lopez	20
Ray Peterson	20
Betty Toudouze	21
Robert Tupa	25
Perry Hand	26
Betty Miller	30

**Happy Birthday!**



## Vice Presidents' Stuff

### Greetings from the 2nd Vice President

We all had a wonderful time at the picnic. The weather was great and not too hot. The food was wonderful and of course the company was even better. We also had a fun time playing bingo, which Paul Conrad called for us. Thanks Paul!

Our next meeting will be at the Carson Nugget on August 16th. Social hour begins at 6:00 PM with dinner at 7:00 PM. I'm looking forward to seeing all of you there. Remember to please call in your reservations so we can get an accurate count for the Nugget.

*Barbara*



Many thanks to Paul Conrad for all of this month's photos!



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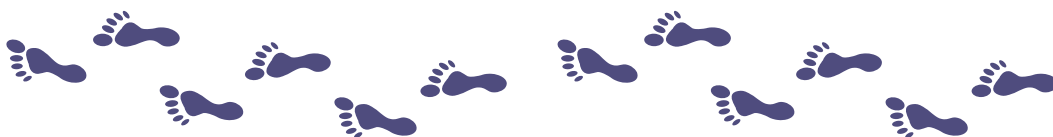
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