



# Carson Valley Footprinter



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## The President's Message

Another successful, informative and fun meeting was had by all. When we have new guests, new members, great Pot 'O' Gold and exceptional speakers; it doesn't get much better than that, and we had it all this last meet-

ing. Debbie Posnien, Executive Director for the Suicide Prevention Network addressed this important, but not often spoke about issue, that is happening all too often in our Valley. In fact Douglas County's suicide rate is the highest of all Nevada Counties. We all commend her for her valuable service and appreciate the time she took to speak to our group. Hopefully, those members missing due to vacations, holidays and such, will be back with us next month.

Talking about next month, once again it is time for our annual Members Appreciation Picnic that will be held at the Aspen Mobile Home Park in Gardnerville. In

addition to the great BBQ that will be prepared by the Lions Club, we will be swearing in our new officers and directors for the coming fiscal year and playing usual lively bingo games for great prizes.

Jan and I would like to express our thanks to all of you for allowing us to serve as your President and Sgt-at-Arms this past year. It has been a fun experience for us and we know the new officers will do an exceptional job.

See you all at Aspen Mobile Home Park in Gardnerville on 7/19, at noon or thereabouts.

*Mike*

Please Call

Yes

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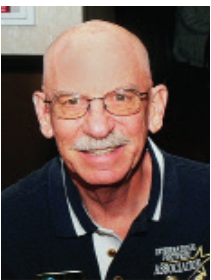
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for the 07/19 Picnic

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Or RSVP via IFA website  
at: <http://cvfootprint.org>



## From the Secretary—Treasurer

I'm happy to report that almost 80 of our members have paid their dues for the fiscal year beginning July 1st. I'm hoping that the remaining members will come to the picnic prepared to square up with the Treasurer!!

As reported in last month's newsletter, our annual Member's Appreciation Picnic is scheduled for Sunday, July 19th at the Aspen Mobile Home Park picnic grounds (the usual place!). The barbecue lunch will be served at or near noon, and will again be provided by the Carson Valley Lion's Club. At this event, we will swear in the new group of officers and directors who will lead our chapter for the ensuing year. After

a few presentations, we will again play a few games of bingo. Make plans to attend. We will have a dessert table for those who bring some "goodies" to share. The tab will be \$5 per person - please come see me when you arrive. The usual RSVP ritual will be in effect; let me know by phone or email your intentions by July 12th.

I hope to see you at the picnic.

*Ray*

## Vice President's Staff



### From the 1st Vice President

Hello Footprinters,

The party is over and so it's time for me to bid you farewell in connection with being your 1st VP in charge of venues. We had a few bumps in the road these past two years but I would say overall our meeting/eating establishments treated us very well. This job will be handed off to Pat Smith who is more than equal to the task. As a matter of fact, she is already on-board and has had contact with her venue representatives. Now, I thank all of you Carson Valley Footprinters so much for your support and giving me the opportunity to serve you.

Our next unofficial meeting will be at the Aspen Mobile Home Park in Gardnerville on July 19th. The fun starts around noon. The charge is \$5.00 per person and don't forget to bring one of your favorite desserts. We call this gathering our Members Appreciation Picnic.

See you there.

*Joan*

### From the Grand Director

Hello Footprinters,

What a great turnout for Guest Speakers Debbie Posnien Executive Director – Suicide Prevention Network and Denise Castle, Board Member – Suicide Prevention Network. Over 50 members and guests listened to their presentations relating to the suicide issues here in Douglas County. We also learned how to identify people who appear to be in stress and the actions to be taken.

Next month (after the swearing-in of new officers) at our Members Appreciation Picnic scheduled for July 19th, your new 2nd VP (Speakers) Paul Howell will be taking over his newly founded responsibilities. Paul is probably over qualified for his new position. Even though this is case, he will still be looking for support from the members, so let's help him out when the opportunity presents itself.

See you at the picnic.



*Larry*

## July Birthdays



Pat Dorrance	07/02
Chuck Lowe	07/02
Charles Harris	07/19
Arlene Terborg	07/20
Terry Taylor	07/23
Robert Allgeier	07/25
Dorman Dane	07/27

*happy birthday !!*



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**Dennis & Kathleen Slavin**

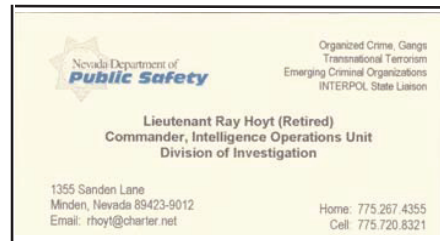


**Phil Kasper & Pat Smith**

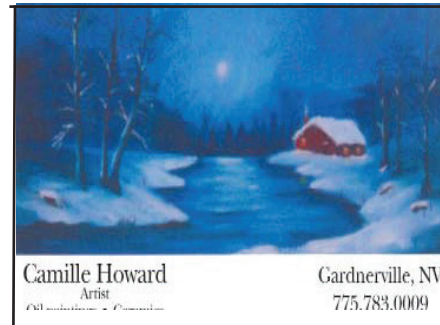




**Denise Castle, Board Member  
Suicide Prevention Network.  
Denise was also one of our  
Guest Speakers**



**Paul Howell,  
Guest Speakers  
Debbie Posnien &  
Denise Castle and  
Pres. Mike Rhoades**



**Debbie Posnien. Executive  
Director - Suicide Prevention  
Network. Debbie was our  
primary Guest Speaker**



**Warren & Bev Thayer**



**Betty Miller & Claudia Lowe**



**George Lamonica & New  
Member Gene Duncker**



**Allison Joffe & Kathie Kasper**



**Ray Hoyt, Hersey Ann & Fred**



**Paul & Carolyn Cooper**



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