



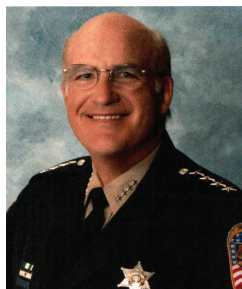
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The President's Message

Hello,

I want to thank my wife, Celeste, for filling in as our guest speaker at our monthly meeting on February 18th. Her topic was Lyme disease and the importance for everyone to be aware of "ticks" especially in the outdoors.

Celeste talked about her ten year dealings of having the disease and since then, she has made many presentations to the public about this disease in the hope of saving others from becoming a victim of this terrible bug.

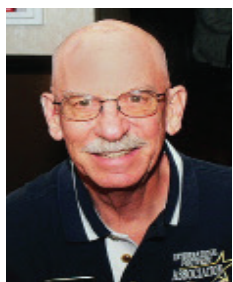
I also want to thank the Carson City Fire Department Chief Schreihans for selecting an outstanding employee to be recognized by our organization. Firefighter Para-

medic Matt Merritt received our award for his hard work.

Do not forget that our challenge of bringing new members into our club; the winner of recruiting the most new members this June will receive a great package of certificates from the Carson Valley Inn in Minden.

See you on March 17th.

Ron



From the Secretary—Treasurer

Chapter 2 of our Membership Drive (January through June) has started off with a bang. Camille Howard has recruited 4 new members already! A warm welcome goes out to Merrill and Jo Moore and to Roger and Jane Wade. Our membership now totals 113 regular

members!!

President Ron Pierini has appointed Larry Gray to chair the Nominating Committee to come up with recommendations for our next association year's officers and directors. Chair Larry Gray has drafted the following to serve on his committee: Ron Pierini, Bayan Lewis and Ray Hoyt. The committee will present recommendations at both the March and April dinner meetings with floor nominations also accepted at both meetings. Elections will follow the nominations at the April meeting. Newly elected officers and directors will take office on July 1. The reason that the nomination and election process occurs so early is that chapters are required by Grand Chapter Bylaws to report their election results to the Grand Chapter by May 1. The following positions are up for nomination: President, 1st Vice President, 2nd Vice President,

Secretary-Treasurer, Sergeant-at-Arms, Grand Director, and one or more Three Year Directors. Anyone who feels inclined to serve in any of these positions should contact one of the committee members named above.

Our turnout at the February dinner meeting was impacted by both the weather (significant snowfall the night before) and a variety of other issues. Fortunately, we have a cushion built into our budget to allow for these eventualities should they happen. Hopefully, things

will improve and our attendance will return to our usual levels.

Hope to see most of you at the March dinner at the Carson Valley Inn. Remember to RSVP.

Ray

Please Call

Yes

or

No

by 03/10

for the 03/17

meeting

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Or RSVP via website

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Vice President's Staff



From the 1st Vice President

Hello Fellow Footprinters,

The winter weather kept a few people away from our meeting in Carson City but we still had a wonderful time. Celeste Pierini shared the story of her journey to find out about Lyme disease. She discovered she had it after 6 long years and many misdiagnoses!! I want to thank her for her courage. I get deer in my yard almost every day so it sure opened my eyes to the dangers and what to look for.

At the meeting I passed around a signup sheet for a trip to China Spring. It is for a tour of the facility and to hear from the camp teachers and kids. It is March 15th from 3:00pm to approx. 4:30pm. The young people will provide appetizers. It is not required, but usually a small donation (\$5.00 or up) is nice to cover their expenses for food. I was pleased to have 31 members sign up. If you weren't at the meeting and want to attend please let me know at nvsmith1385@aol.com or call me 265-5332.

Next month our meeting is March 17, 2016 (Happy St. Pat's Day!) at the Carson Valley Inn in the town of Minden. The cost is \$21.00. Please RSVP by March 10th to get in on the Early Bird drawing for a free dinner. Social hour is 5:30pm and dinner at 6:30pm. Please bring a Pot "O" Gold gift and a friend.

Pat March Birthdays

Nancee Goldwater	03/19
Barbara McRoberts	03/24
Jim Terborg	03/27

*happy
birthday !!*



From the 2nd Vice President

Hello Fellow Footprinters,

It was great seeing everyone who braved the weather for our February meeting at the Nugget. Again, a big thanks to Celeste Pierini who did a fabulous presentation on Lyme Disease. Celeste bailed us out at the last minute and we are very grateful to her.

This month our guest speaker will be Mike Sherlock, the Executive Director of the Nevada P.O.S.T. (Police Officers' Standards' Training). Mike will talk about the challenges in training our future police officers.

Mike Mary is feeling better and is "back to work" and he will be our guest speaker in April. Let's all get to the March meeting and have a great turnout.



Paul



Pres. Ron Pierini kicks off his second membership drive for the IFA Carson Valley Chapter #72



Paul & Camille Howard - Camille has already started the President's new membership contest off with four (4) new members.



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Guest Speaker Celeste Pierini
discusses symptoms and treat-
ment for Lime disease



Pres. Ron Pierini, Guest
Speaker Celeste Pierini and
2nd VP Paul Howell



Deputy Chief Tom Tarulli,
Carson City Fire Department
acknowledging Fire Fighter Matt
Merritt's achievements in
connection with presenting him
with our Special Recognition
Award



1st VP Pat Smith talking about
the planned China Spring
Excursion



Deputy Chief Tom Tarulli, Fire
Fighter Matt Merritt & Pres.
Ron Pierini



Special Recognition Award
Recipient, Matt Merritt
Carson City Fire Fighter



Bill & Hedy Carter



Jo & Merrill Moore



Fred Asmann & Archie Marcum



Mike & Jan Rhoades



Bayan Lewis



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