

# CARSON VALLEY FOOTPRINTER



PAT SMITH

### The President's Message

Thank you for the many kind wishes and prayers for me and my family as we said goodbye to my father. A big thank you to Ron Pierini for leading our February meeting while I was away. I heard we had a great turn out and what a colorful speaker! I am so sorry to have missed out on a fun night and the chance to meet a Hollywood icon like Max Baer Jr.

As Bill Peters our 1st Vice President mentioned, the Carson Valley Inn has increased their dinner price by \$5 per person. Bill has been working hard to find us an alternative location and the board will meet soon to review our options. A concern is that once a venue raises their prices, the other venues will follow.

Pat





BILL PETERS

### From the 1st Vice President

Hello All,

Thanks for everyone attending February's meeting. I never in my life thought I'd meet Jethro Bodine. What an interesting person. He's experienced more in his lifetime than I'd experience in three lifetimes. I really had a good time and I

hope you all enjoyed it as much as I did. Our guest honoree Carson City Fire Department Captain Jon Pedrini has seen a lot during his military tours and thankfully not only survived it, but brought his working knowledge back to us so we may benefit with more lives saved.

As I mentioned at the meeting, CVI has raised their price by \$5.00, bringing the total to about \$27-\$28 per person. It's not only the dinner that has gone up, but lunches have also seen a price increase. The board of directors will meet shortly and the membership will be given choices to vote upon. But this will take some time, so be on the lookout for emails so decisions can be made quickly. The need for a fast response is because our April meeting is scheduled for CVI and if at all possible we'd like a decision to be made prior to this.

Our next meeting will be held on March 15th, starting at 5:30 pm for the social hour at the Carson City Nugget. Price is \$24.00 plus money for your raffle tickets. Please remember to notify Ray by Thursday, March 8th, 12:00 noon so I in turn can give the Nugget our count. I would also like to thank everyone for their diligence in paying whether or not you're able to attend once you've given your commitment to Ray. This will make a big difference for our bottom line, and increase the amount of money we'll be able to give out towards a good cause.

Bill

## From the 2nd Vice President

We had such a great turn-out for our February meeting! Thank you to all who were able to attend and listen to Max Baer Jr. speak. Max is quite a character and I really enjoyed hearing about "old Hollywood" and how he got the role of "Jethro".

Next month we will have Donna and Corky Axelson, Gold Star Parents to Navy SEAL Matthew Axelson, share their son's incredible and selfless story.



CELESTE PIERINI

I am beyond touched that they have agreed to bring us Matthew's heroic and selfless story and discuss all that has been done in his honor. This is definitely a meeting not to miss.

I look forward to our March meeting and hope to see you there!

### - Celeste

P.S. Please don't forget to RSVP!



Our next dinner meeting is Thursday, March 15th At the Carson Nugget Doors open at 5:30 PM



RAY HOYT

## **From the Secretary - Treasurer**

This month's newsletter comes from our new Editor, Jacie Peters, and photos courtesy of member Donna Schehl. You will notice a couple of new advertisers in this issue... everyone can help in recruiting more advertisers. It only costs \$25 per year for a business card ad.

We welcome some more new members this month. Sam and Debbie Wonnell, sponsored by the Coopers; Randy Duvall, sponsored by his mother and longtime member Alice Duvall; and Violet Etherington, sponsored by Jacie Peters. Welcome to all.

Remember that our newly appointed Nominating Committee will be searching for willing volunteers to fill a number of officer and director positions for next fiscal year. Those up for nominations are President, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President, Secretary-Treasurer, Sergeant-at-Arms, Grand Chapter Director, and 3 year Director(s). Other offices and directors are either automatic or are serving multiple-year terms. Please consider volunteering.

Since this will be my last term as your Secretary-Treasurer, I am especially interested in having a willing volunteer step up and run for this job. I did this job for 13 years the first time, then after a two-year break, I am finishing up another 4 years. It's time for new blood. Let me know if you might be interested, and we'll chat...

I hope to see many of you at the March 15<sup>th</sup> dinner at the Carson Nugget. Remember to RSVP by the end of the day on March 8<sup>th</sup>. Our guarantee count must go in a week in advance.



Ray

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A huge thank you to all our members who bring raffle items and to those who purchase raffle tickets!



These raffle items and ticket sales are our main source of fundraising each year!

Want to help? Just bring a gift of value around \$10 to contribute to the fun. Don't have time pick up a gift, no problem, just make sure you purchase some raffle tickets when you check in at our next meeting.











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