



# Carson Valley Footprinter



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## The President's Message

Greetings from your new Footprinters Board. Some new faces, and some experienced Board members make up this year's Board - together we'll try to make this another successful year for Chapter #72. I first, wish to offer not only mine, but the thanks of all our Chapter members, to last year's Board, and especially Claudia, who for two years has steered our ship on the right course. She was a wonderful President and it was a pleasure to watch her at our helm.

The picnic was a very successful event, with good food, great company, and a pleasant setting. Our own Sheriff, Ron Pierini, expertly called the bingo numbers, and may indeed have a career calling when he decides to leave public service.

One of the difficult issues we face and have faced for several years, is our declining membership. Recruiting is never easy, but in today's social setting, it is even more difficult. It is not just our chapter. Ray Hoyt showed me statistical information from the National Chapter data sheet

that shows Footprinters across America declining in membership. But it is not just Footprinters, it is most social and charitable groups and clubs who are finding it harder to fill vacancies. I believe it reflects a sea of change in our social processes, as fewer young white collar and professional people opt to join these philanthropic groups. They may indeed donate to charities of their choice, but they don't care to socialize as our generation, and indeed the generations before us, did. As our society becomes even more reliant on electronic communication, the ability and desire to socialize by face-to-face group meetings will erode even further.

So, each of us needs to work a little harder to get those new members and keep our very worthwhile Chapter healthy and vibrant. Keep up the effort and remember to bring those Pot of Gold gifts for our next meeting.

*Bayan*



## From the Secretary-Treasurer

From all indications, our annual picnic at the Aspen Mobile Home Park in Gardnerville was another success. The Carson Valley Lion's Club again barbecued chicken and ribs for us. Thanks to all who attended, and especially to those who brought desserts.

Welcome to new member Jill Marcum, Archie Marcum's wife. She and Hank & Bobbie Hetzel are our newest members; please make them feel welcome when you see them.

With the newly elected 2nd Vice President Cindi Osowski having to bow out of the job due to other pressing matters, our new President Bayan Lewis with the approval of the Board of Directors has appointed Janet

Asmann to serve out the term. Janet was inducted along with the other officers and directors during the July picnic.

It appears that we will lose at least six members who have indicated that they are not renewing their memberships for a variety of reasons. Additionally, there are eleven others from whom I have not heard regarding their intentions. Hopefully, we will keep most of those. Our grace period for paying dues runs until September 30th. I will send out reminders to them sometime in August.

Looking forward to seeing you at the next dinner...

*Ray*

Please call

YES

or

NO

by 8/12 for the 8/19 meeting!

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### Hello from the 1st Vice President

Hello everyone!

If you didn't attend the July Picnic you missed a great event!! As usual the Lion's Club provided a great BBQ lunch, the beverages were icy cold and the dessert tables were laden with wonderful goodies! Thanks to all!!

Our August meeting will be at Casino Fandango where we will enjoy their wonderful buffet! Their special pricing has been extended into August, so our cost will be \$14!! Remember cocktails, beer & sodas are all \$1, too!!

This is a great month to bring your Pot 'O Gold raffle gift AND a friend or two!!

*Charlene*

### Vice Presidents' Stuff

### From the 2nd Vice President

From the East Fork Fire and Paramedic District, Fire District Chief Tod Carlini will be our guest speaker for the August 19th IFA meeting. He will be speaking about the costs involved to run the fire district, and the level of service that the district can provide because of these costs.



*Janet*  
*the annual*



Thanks to Larry Gray for providing all of this month's photos.

### August Birthdays

- Alice Curtis 5
- Larry Gray 7
- Pat Sikes 11
- Jean Tomlinson 12
- Glen McCracken 15
- Earl Capehart 17
- Norman Svensrud 17
- Perry Hand 26
- Allison Joffe 30
- Betty Miller 30





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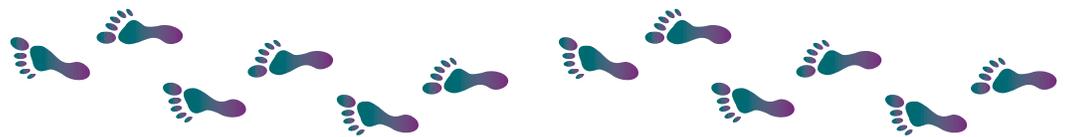
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1995-96	Ray Hoyt
1996-97	Lon A. Curtis, <i>deceased</i>
1997-98	Elza Turkington, <i>deceased</i>
1998-99	Bob Minton
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2001-02	Clay Hill
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