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The President's Message

Well - I missed my first meeting this year, but was told it went wonderfully. I have a reasonable explanation for not being there, I was across the hill (the Sierras) instructing emergency responders in Sustained Operations in a disaster. The course was in Pleasanton, Calif. and many of the participants were from the Hayward area. There is real concern that the next place for the Ring of Fire system of faults to erupt could be Northern Mexico or California. With Chile last year, New Zealand and then Japan, all with near or over an 8 on the Richter Scale (Japan with a 9.1) the pressure is on the area where there has been no relief recently. The Hayward Fault is a prime spot which could release that pressure. As it is part of the San Andreas Fault system, the whole Bay area could be impacted. We here on the east side of the Sierras would probably not be effected unless there were sympathetic shocks which relieve pressure across a wide fault fan. Little chance though.

I'm off to see the Reno Rodeo today - watch the cowboys try to master the beasts which make up so much of their lives, horses, cattle, bulls, Jack Daniels, etc. Brings to mind the term cowboy (or cow-boy) was not always said with approbation as is the case today. In the 1870's and 80's when the Texas cow-boys were pushing herds north into Kansas to rail heads to ship east to the packing houses, the towns like Dodge and Wichita had mixed emotions when the cow-boys showed up in town after the drive. They were often cattle rustlers and just plain trouble. Calling a man a cow-boy was intended as a slur, indicating he and his friends were so low and violent that no evil act was considered beneath them. The cowboys I'll see today are considered the young heroes of the new west. Quite a change.. See you all at the picnic.

Bayan



From the Secretary-Treasurer

As Welcome to our three newest chapter members: Stephen Dickerson, Fred Barker, and Sandy Hannah. Please make them feel welcome when you see them.

Dues renewal time is here. Annual dues continue to be \$24. Notices have gone out to the membership, and many of you have already sent in your payments. The sooner that dues are paid, the easier it is for me to prepare a proposed budget for the coming fiscal year for consideration by the new Board of Directors. As always, thank you for your timely responses.

The July gathering will be our annual picnic. It will be at the usual place, the Aspen Mobile Home Park picnic grounds in Gardnerville, on Sunday July 17, 2011. Minimal cost will be \$5 per person which includes food, drink and bingo. The noon meal will be catered by "The Best Barbeque Catering Company" of Gardnerville. The reservation call-in system will be used in order to predict the turnout, so please call if you are planning to attend.

Ray

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YES

or

NO

by **7/10** for
the **7/17**
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Vice Presidents' Stuff



Hello From the 1st Vice President

Hello ...

It has been a long time since I have led a meeting of any kind. Thanks to all of you for being such a receptive crowd and making me feel so comfortable!! A crowd it was - such a great turn out we had at CV I - thanks to all who attended.

Janet's speaker was most interesting; I know we will be reading Mr. Borg's books!!

July 17 we will be meeting for a fun day outdoors at Aspen Park, in Gardnerville, for our annual picnic. This is always a fun event!!! Time is 12 noon and the price is a mere \$5 Please come join us. No Pot O' Gold this meeting but if you RSVP a week in advance your name will be included in the drawing for a free dinner!!

Charlene



July Birthdays

Patricia Robertson	2
Charles Lowe	2
Ed Bryant	5
Mary Jane Harding	15
Arlene Terborg	20
William Glenn	21
Terry Taylor	23
Robert Allgeier	25
Dorman Dane	27
Clay Hill	28



From the 2nd Vice President

Todd Borg gave such an interesting talk. Wow, it takes so much up-front thinking and planning before you can even take pen to paper when writing a book. It was fascinating to see how a writer's mind works. I hope all of you who bought some of his books enjoy them as much as I did (and still do).

Next month, of course, is our picnic and swearing in of officers (same'o as last term(!)) and our "guest" will be Sheriff Ron calling BINGO. We have new caterers and a new self-serve bar, so I hope you all enjoy our slightly different picnic this year.

When we get back to our regular meetings starting in August, I have some really special people to talk to us. Twins Everett and Ernie Steddman and best bud Gary Dykes joined the service to fight for our country when they were just 17 years old. They were gunners in B24's over Europe (Italy and France) during WWII; then they re-up'd for Korea and did the same in B52's. They have a talk and picture slide-show that will knock your socks off. We will also be honoring one of Douglas County Sheriff's Office finest officers that evening. Soooo... Be sure to be there!! (Plaza Convention Center in Carson City on Aug. 18).

Janet



Guests - Mike Rogers and Mike and Joan Francis



Paul Howard and Fred Asmann



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Mystery Author

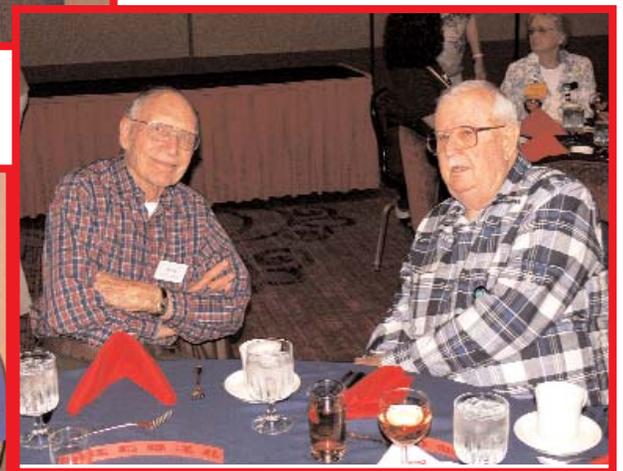


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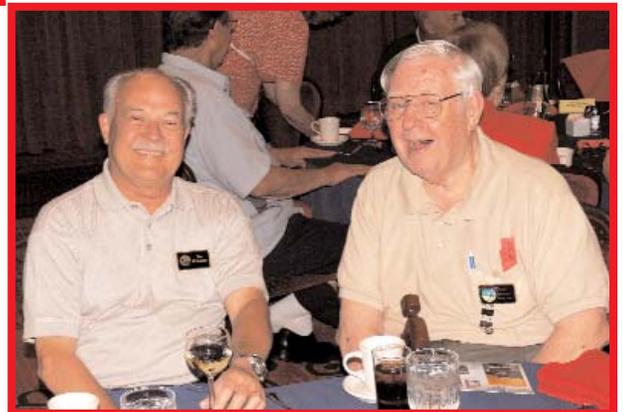
Bob Dutton and Warren Thayer



Bev Thayer, Betty Miller and
Claudia Lowe

1st VP Charlene
Spinner filling in
for Pres. Bayan
Lewis

Don't forget to
make
your
reservations
for the Annual
Picnic **NOW!!**



Don McRoberts and Paul Conrad

In Memoriam

EMIL "ROCKY" TOUDOUZE

07/28/1923 - 05/26/2011

In Memoriam

AMELIA "EM" DANE

05/15/1918 - 03/15/2011



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