



# Carson Valley Footprinter



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## The President's Message

Hello Footprinters,

I am sitting in my office at beautiful Lake Tahoe watching the snow fall outside. I have the best job in the world. I hope and pray for a great winter because we need the water and the ski business. I truly enjoyed October's dinner meeting at the Carson Valley Inn (CVI); it seems like forever since I have seen all of you. I know CVI's accommodations are a little small, but I thought the CVI staff did a great job. Next month we will be at our favorite Casino Fandango and eating at the buffet. I love their food but often find myself eating too much, but you only live once. The Carson City Sheriff's Office will be selecting their Footprinters honoree and we will present our Service Recognition award.

As a point of order, there is one more item under new business I should have taken care of at our October meeting and that was; I have appointed Bayan Lewis (and he has graciously accepted) to back fill the two year Director's position that was vacated when I appointed Claudia Lowe to the position of 2nd Vice President.

I would like to thank all of the IFA Carson Valley

Chapter #72 Footprint Officers and Directors who were sworn in for the service to our organization they provide. They are the true backbone of our organization that makes everything flow and run smoothly for Carson Valley Chapter #72.

I look forward to our November 21st meeting at the Casino Fandango in Carson City and hope everyone had a great Nevada Day and Halloween.

David



## From the Secretary-Treasurer

Happy Halloween to all of you.

I thought I'd shed some light on one of the origins of the "spooky" day/night.

Halloween had its beginnings in an ancient, pre-Christian Celtic festival of the dead. The Celtic peoples, who were once found all over Europe, divided the year by four major holidays. According to their calendar, the year began on a day corresponding to November 1st on our present calendar. The date marked the beginning of winter. Since they were pastoral people, it was a time when cattle and sheep had to be moved to closer pastures and all livestock had to be secured for the winter months. Crops were harvested and stored. The date marked both an ending and a beginning in an eternal cycle.

Dressing up in costumes and going "guising" (trick or treating) was prevalent in Ireland and Scotland at Halloween by the late 19th century. Costuming became popular for Halloween parties in the US in the early 20th century, as often for adults as for children. The first mass-produced Halloween costumes appeared in stores in the 1930s when trick or treating was becoming popular in the United States.

Walt

## Vice Presidents' Stuff



### Hello from the 1st Vice President

Please excuse my absence at the October 17th meeting as I was dealing with some medical issues that are about to be resolved.

Our next meeting will be held on November 21st at the Casino Fandango in Carson City.

Social hour is at 5:30 pm. The meeting will come to order and dinner will be served at 6:30 pm. Cost will be \$15.00.

Try to bring a guest and a Pot 'O' Gold gift. Also remember to RSVP by November 14th to get your name entered into the drawing for a free dinner.

See everyone at the meeting.

*Joan*



### From the 2nd Vice President

Our thanks to Phillip Earl for his very entertaining talk on early American law enforcement history at our October meeting. It was a great pleasure to have Phil and his lovely wife Jean Earl attending our meeting. Jean is an author and we hope to have her back soon as a guest speaker.

Our speaker for November will be John Lambrose. He is a recently retired Federal Public Defender. Hope you will join us to welcome this new speaker.

Please remember to R.S.V.P. early. Also, consider bringing a guest and don't forget those raffle prizes.

*Chandia*

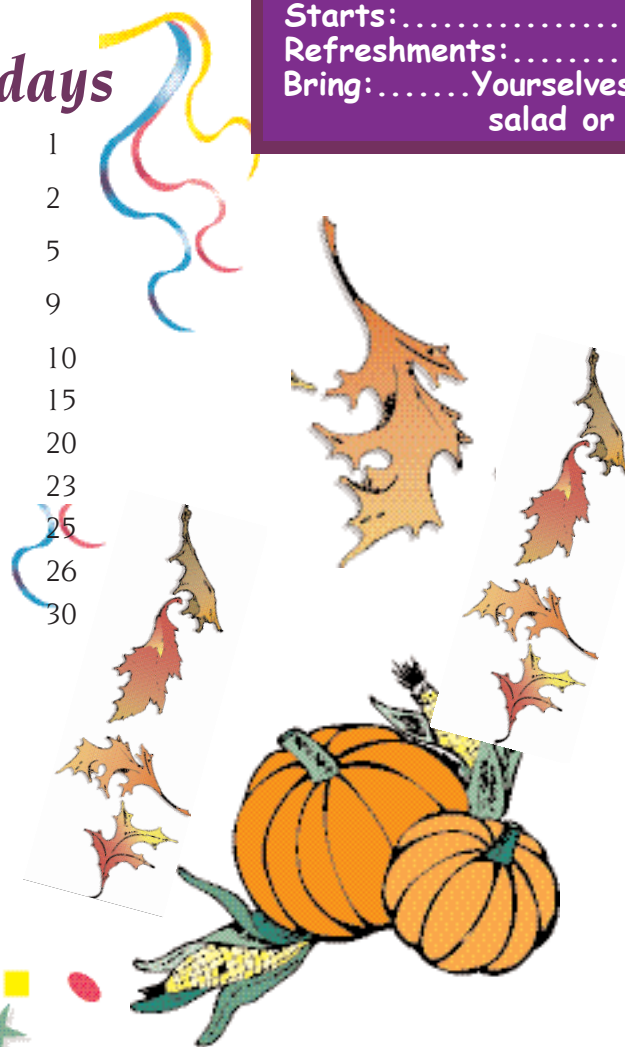
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#### It's a Christmas Pot-Luck Gathering

Where:.....Ray and Larna Hoyt's Home  
1355 Sanden Ln., Minden, NV 89423  
When:.....Sunday, December 8, 2013  
Starts:.....2:00 pm Ends: ?  
Refreshments:.....Provided by the Hoyt's  
Bring:.....Yourselves and a favorite dinner, salad or dessert dish.

## November Birthdays

Judy Conrad	1
Archie Marcum	2
William Harding	5
Fred Hersey	9
Marjorie Runyon	10
Jack Hendee	15
Paul Howard	20
Marianne Isaacs	23
William Isaacs	25
Debbie Lamonica	26
Wesley Rice	30



Please call

**YES**


or

**NO**

by 11/14 for  
the 11/21  
meeting!

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or RSVP via the IFA #72  
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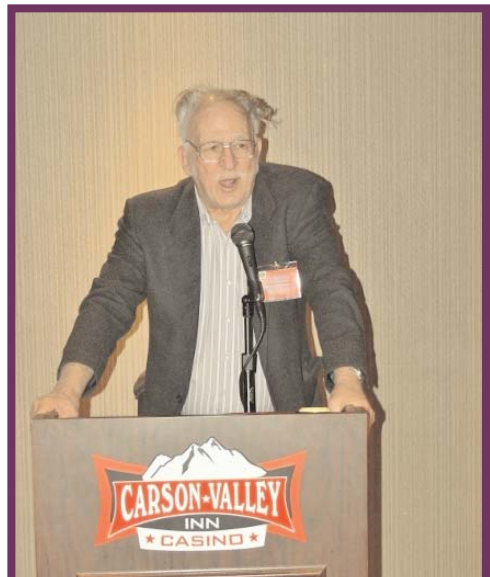
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Happy



Thanksgiving

To: