

# Carson Valley Footprinter Newsletter

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## The President's Message



KATE BROWN

Dear Friends:

Despite the snowy/sleety evening, 40 of us gathered at CVI for our May meeting and had a good time. It was SO nice to not be 'masked up' and feel free to mingle again!

Greg Brown was our Speaker and dressed in the character of Hatfield from the 1939 movie Stagecoach, which gave us a clue about his topic. Greg spoke and showed us a movie about Stagecoach travel in general and Genoa's important role as a transportation hub for stagecoach travel as the West was settled. Greg is heading up a committee to help acquire a Stagecoach for Genoa which will be a meaningful addition to the town. If you are interested in assisting with this project, please email [genoastagecoach@yahoo.com](mailto:genoastagecoach@yahoo.com). As an aside, the question was asked "what were Stagecoach drivers paid?" Top Drivers were aristocrats of the road and well paid. In addition to \$300 a month salary, they received free drinks and cigars at each stop. Not bad!

We welcomed several guests, including Colleen Schiller who came as the guest of Carson City Sheriff, Ken Furlong and left as a new member! (Thanks Sheriff..) Again, Welcome Colleen. Colleen has a background helping various Sheriff's Departments, which now includes Carson City.

Below, you will see a photo of the \$1,000. Check Presentation that several Board members made on behalf of IFA#72 to Carson Valley Sheriff Dan Coverley and Sgt Bernadette Smith for Douglas County's

Good Neighbor Program, a very worthy cause.

The Board approved the additional \$1,000. donation be made to the Douglas County Sheriff's Search & Rescue (at the suggestion of Sheriff Coverley). This is a non-profit group made up of professionally trained volunteers who work under the auspices of the Douglas County Sheriff's department. Some of the Events they respond to include: Avalanche Rescue/Recovery, Fire Evacuation, Lost/Injured Skier Search, K-9 Search Teams, Wilderness Searches, Swift Water Rescue, Flood Rescue, Basic Emergency Medical Services and High/Low Angle Rope Rescue. A motion to donate the additional \$1,000 to this Group was made (and seconded) to members at our May meeting and was approved. We will therefore make arrangements to present the donation in the near future. Ron Pierini will ask someone from the DCS Search & Rescue team to talk to us at a future meeting.

The above donations to these worthwhile organizations are made possible by your generous raffle gifts and the purchase of raffle tickets at our meetings. Thank you all again for your participation in our program. While on this subject, I want to ask that you please put your name on any gift you bring. We do want to acknowledge your contribution.

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## The President's Message—continued from page One

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday, June 17, 2021, at Fandango in Carson City. Claudia provides further details below. As usual, we start mingling at 5:30 pm with the meeting beginning at 6:30 pm. Please respond early with your reservations so you will be eligible for our Early Bird drawing (\$25 Gift Certificate to CVI and its affiliates). Bev Anderson was the lucky recipient at our May meeting. While on this subject, PLEASE make your reservations EARLY (at the latest by noon the Thursday before our meeting). We were unable to accommodate some members/guests at our May meeting. We hate to do this but numbers of attendees had already been turned into the establishment and our hands were tied.

Ron has another interesting speaker lined up for our June meeting and gives details below.

One other reminder, our Annual picnic will be held at Mormon Station State Park, Genoa on Sunday, July 18, 2021. It will be a potluck and we'll start eating at Noon. Arrival should therefore be between 11 am and 11:30 am. See all details below.

I look forward to seeing you at Fandango in June.

*Kate*

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## Claudia Lowe — First Vice President



Claudia Lowe

### ***From the 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President***

Dear Members,

Dinner at CVI was great. I asked Carrie to tell her Chefs what a fine job they did for our club.

Next meeting will be at Fandango's. The dinner will be \$30. a person and includes soft drinks.

Please call early and remember to bring your raffle gifts.

It has been my pleasure to be a part of your board in one position or another for over 15 years. But it is time to step down. I have met many of the new members and know you have many great people to fill our board. A great example is the woman who will be taking my place as 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-President, Beverly Anderson. She has done similar jobs with other groups and will do a fine job.

Thanks,

*Claudia*

## Ron Pierini — Second Vice President



Ron Pierini

### *From the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President*

This month our guest speaker will be Daria Winslow from the Partnership Douglas County. Daria is the Grant Manager and she is going to talk to us about some recent trends we are seeing in Douglas and resources available in our County. She works hard and makes a positive difference for many people; you will enjoy her.

Have fun this summer and see you soon.....

*Ron*

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## Virginia Irlakis — Secretary



Virginia Irlakis

### *From the Secretary*

We will hold the annual IFA #72 Picnic this year. It will be on Sunday, July 18th at Mormon Station. See the flyer on page 5 of this newsletter for additional details.

**NOTE: Please RSVP to me not later than Sunday, July 11th so we can plan accordingly.**

*Virginia*

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## Ray Hoyt — Membership Chair



Ray Hoyt

### **WELCOME NEW MEMBER**

At the May dinner meeting, a new membership application was received from Colleen Schiller. She is the Volunteer Coordinator for the Carson City Sheriff's Office. She was sponsored by Carson City Sheriff Kenny Furlong. She was approved for membership by unanimous vote. Welcome aboard, Colleen!

### **DUES RENEWALS**

Dues notices went out by regular mail to all of our members in early May for the annual period beginning July 1, 2021. Dues are due and payable by July 1, and should be sent to IFA72, P.O. Box 2242, Minden, Nevada 89423.

As I write this column, over half of you have already sent in your dues. Thank you very much for your quick responses.

*Ray*

## Ray Hoyt — Grand Director



Ray Hoyt

*From the Grand Director,*

### ELECTIONS

As the result of elections recently held, the following members will fill the officer and director positions for the Fiscal Year 2022 period, beginning July 1, 2021:

President

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2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President

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Ray Hoyt

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Phil Kasper,

Mike Rhoades

Jacie Peters,

Bayan Lewis

*Ray*

# Footprinters

## Chapter #72

### Annual Picnic

Sunday, July 18, 2021

Mormon Station State Park

2295 Main St. Genoa, NV 89411

Parking will be on Jack's Valley Road (at the park), across the street, or on Nixon Street.

#### POTLUCK

Bring your favorite appetizer, salad, main dish or dessert. Water, ice, and cups will be provided. If you want wine or sodas, please bring your own.

There are 8 long tables and some chairs in the pavilion. If you wish to sit in the grassy area, please bring your own chairs and table.

Lunch will be served at Noon followed by Bingo. Arrival should be between 11am and 11:30 am.

We always have fun and it is usually nice under the trees. Your family and friends are always welcome.

N75ew and returning officers will be installed.

Please RSVP to Virginia Irlakis no later than July 11<sup>th</sup> so we can plan accordingly.

**(INCLUDE in your RSVP what food item you are bringing for the POTLUCK)**

RSVP or questions: [ifa.virginia@gmail.com](mailto:ifa.virginia@gmail.com) or 805-857-8820

June 2021 Dinner Meeting  
Thursday, June 17<sup>th</sup>  
at  
Fandango

Cost for the Meeting will be \$30.00

Doors open at 5:30pm  
Dinner is served at 6:30pm

Dinner Items:

Two Entrée Buffet

The meeting portion of the meeting begins after dinner

RSVP: Virginia Irlakis via our website at  
<https://cvfootprint.org>

Must be made NO LATER than 12 Noon on  
Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup>



Presentation of \$1,000 check to Carson Valley Sheriff Dan Coverley and **Sgt. Bernadette Smith for Douglas County's Good Neighbor Program**



Sgt Bernadette Smith, Sheriff Dan Coverley, former President Pat Smith, President Kate Brown, Grand Director Ray Hoyt, Secretary Virginia Irlikis, Sgt at Arms Janice Rhoades and Director Mike Rhoades

Photos from the May Meeting at Carson Valley Inn - Minden, Nevada  
Presenter: Greg Brown  
Genoa Stagecoach Project



Kevin and Gloria LaPlant (Gloria was one of our Greeters)



Chuck Lowe, Claudia Lowe (1st VP), Betty Miller and Larna Hoyt



Yvonne Liddell, George Liddell, Dianne Ford, Donna Schehl and former President Pat Smith



President Kate Brown, with Lynne Bowersock



Guy Sapp, Guest Peter Thompson, Sue Leinweber, Christine Blackburn and Guest Kathryn Thompson



Guest and now New Member, Colleen Schiller, Carson City Sheriff Ken Furlong and Giora LaPlant



Photos from the May Meeting at Carson Valley Inn - Minden, Nevada  
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Genoa Stagecoach Project



Director Phillip Kasper and  
1st VP Claudia Lowe



Phillip Kasper Jr and Sheila Kasper



Speaker Greg Brown portraying Hatfield  
from the 1939 movie, Stagecoach



President Kate Brown presents Footprinters Certificate of Appreciation to Speaker Greg Brown



A lively table!

Cynthia Sawyer, Webmaster and Newsletter Editor Don McRoberts, Barbara McRoberts, Tony Magnotta (Welcome Back Tony!), Director Jacie Peters, Bill Peters and Bill Carter

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*June Birthdays*



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|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <i>Cindy Nunes</i>      | <i>June 1<sup>st</sup></i>  |
| <i>Ken Furlong</i>      | <i>June 4<sup>th</sup></i>  |
| <i>Anthony Magnotta</i> | <i>June 4<sup>th</sup></i>  |
| <i>Steven Orr</i>       | <i>June 4<sup>th</sup></i>  |
| <i>Fred Barker</i>      | <i>June 6<sup>th</sup></i>  |
| <i>Fredrick Wolin</i>   | <i>June 16<sup>th</sup></i> |
| <i>Larna Hoyt</i>       | <i>June 21<sup>st</sup></i> |
| <i>Paul Cooper</i>      | <i>June 27<sup>th</sup></i> |
| <i>Jill Marcum</i>      | <i>June 28<sup>th</sup></i> |



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