



CARSON VALLEY FOOTPRINTER



PAT SMITH

The President's Message

Despite the weather we had a wonderful turnout at The Carson Nugget to hear Donna Axelson share stories about her brave son, Navy Seal Matthew Axelson. Gold Star parents Donna and Corky Axelson have been on an incredible journey honoring their son and others who gave their lives for our country. It was really inspiring.

You have all been doing a great job getting your reservations in early. Thank you. Our 1st VP was able to get another month at CVI at our current rate, so I hope to see you all there. Bill has done a lot of work trying to keep our dinner price down and find alternatives when possible. Thank you Bill.

Phil Kasper, our Nominating Chairman, gave you an overview of the positions we need to fill on the board this coming year. If anyone is interested, or just has more questions about what the position involves, please call any of us on the committee, Phil, Ray Hoyt, George Lamonica or me. Our numbers are in the newsletter. We would be happy to hear from you.

Happy Easter,

Pat





From the 1st Vice President

Hello Fellow Footprinters

It was great to see everyone at the last meeting.

BILL
PETERS

What an emotional talk Mrs. Axelson gave. The Axelson's have certainly been through hell and back with the loss of their son Matthew. We have to remember that even though the war is "over there", the price we pay is here. It is a very real loss which is borne by too many. I thank the Axelson's for their sacrifice and for not letting us forget that it's more than just a daily headline.

Our next meeting is April 19th at CVI. The price is \$24.00. Doors open at 5:30 PM. This will probably be the last meeting at CVI for at least the near future. As you are all aware, they've raised their prices significantly and I believe I've found a less expensive alternative in Jethro's located in the Rancho's. I'll give the address in the next newsletter for those who are not familiar with the venue.

Please remember to give a real thought to volunteering your time to fill the upcoming vacant positions. I find it hard to believe that with a membership over 120 people, we cannot find a few volunteers to cover the positions. If everyone sits on their hands and lets the "next person" volunteer, we may not have a Footprinters to belong to. Please give it some thought and see if you can't find it inside yourself to help out the organization. We won't let you flounder about. I was given lots of help by our president Pat Smith when she handed over the reins to me before becoming president, and I'll gladly help out anyone who asks for it, no matter what the position. *Bill*



YES OR NO
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From the 2nd Vice President

I guess the best word to describe our last meeting at the Carson Nugget is “Powerful”! Donna Axelson’s presentation was amazing and I cannot thank her enough for giving us her time and more importantly, sharing her most special memories of her son, Matthew. I learned a lot about Navy SEALS and the sacrifice they make for our wonderful Country. Thank you Donna and Corky!



CELESTE
PIERINI

Our next speaker will be Steve “Dink” Achard. He is the great-grandson of H.F. Dangberg (the Dangberg Ranch). A true Carson Valley ranching native, having been raised on the Dangberg Ranch. Steve is a one-of-a-kind! If you’ve ever wanted to hear about the way it “used to be” (or are interested in Carson Valley lore), then this is a presentation not to miss!

I am very happy to see the turnout at our monthly meetings and I hope you enjoy our evenings together as much as Ron and I do!

I am looking forward to our next get-together and I hope to see you all there!

-Celeste

Our next dinner meeting is

Thursday, April 19th

At the Carson Valley Inn

Doors open at 5:30 PM





RAY HOYT

From the Secretary - Treasurer

We again welcome some more new members this month – Teresa Duffy, sponsored by her husband Joe Duffy; and Robert Jones, sponsored by Sam and Debbie Wonnell. Teresa Duffy is a Douglas County Deputy Sheriff, and Robert Jones is a retired LAPD Captain. Welcome to all.


The chapter's newly appointed Nominating Committee Chair Phil Kasper has announced his committee members who are Pat Smith, George Lamonica, and me. Nominees are being sought for all offices and for one or more 3 year Directors. At the April meeting, he will give his report on the committee's recommendations, as well as soliciting nominations from the floor. Elections will follow. I would like to repeat my plea from last month's column regarding the Secretary-Treasurer's position. *"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 realize that this job does not usually have a tendency to attract a large number of interested prospects, but there must be someone out there that would just love to take it on. Don't wait for the other guy; I'll be waiting for your call (267-4355 or rhoyt@charter.net)...

Ray




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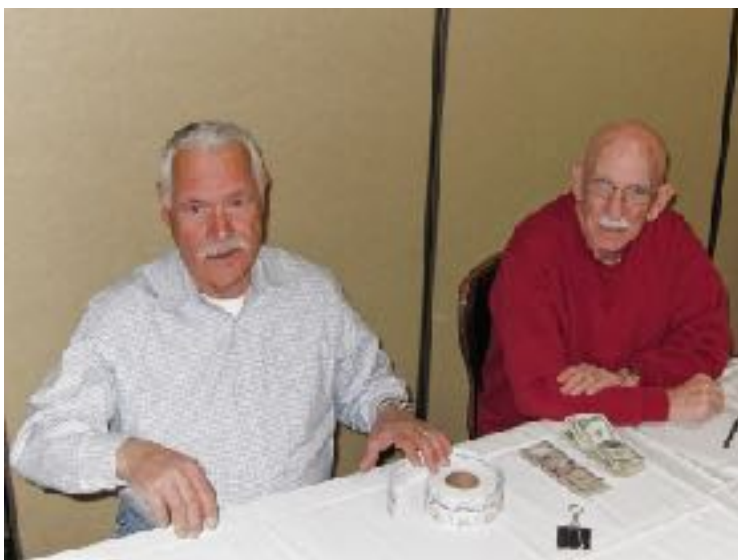
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March 2018 Meeting Highlights

Photos by Bill Peters





China Spring Youth Camp 2018 Plant Sale



China Spring will be growing a selection of vegetables and selling them at two locations this year, starting May 21, 2018.

Plants include; Herbs, Melons, Beans, Peppers and Tomatoes.

Pick ups are available at the Camp
between 8 am and 4 pm Mondays thru Fridays
or at the Minden Farmer's Market on Tuesdays beginning May 22, 2018.

Plants will be available throughout the summer and while supplies last!
Please call Andrea Pawline and/or Cory Smith with any questions.
Phone: 775.265.5350 or Email: apawling@douglas.nv.gov ;
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Phillip Kasper April 4th
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