

# THE MESQUITER

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Issue 5

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December 2016

## SAVE THE DATE

**DEC 2**, 1 pm; Holiday Tea; Ways and Means Holiday Bake Sale and Craft Mart

**DEC 9**, 1 pm; Business Meeting  
Norm Clarke Speaker.

**DEC 16**, 11 am Social; Noon Luncheon; "A Holiday in Whoville." Las Vegas Country Club, 3000 Joe W. Brown Drive

**JAN 6**, 1 pm Afternoon Tea

**JAN 13**, 1 pm Business Meeting

**JAN 20**, 1 pm Regular Meeting

## EVENING

**DEC 6**, 6 pm Evening Holiday Party, Guiseppe's Italian Grill

**JAN 3**, 6 pm Business meeting; program "New Year, Healthier Living for Women"

**JAN 17**, 6 pm Business meeting; Hands on Community Service Project.

## REMINDER:

Annual Rummage Sale

March 17, 18, 19

Bring your donations to the clubhouse as soon as possible!



[www.gfwc.org](http://www.gfwc.org)

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

*Working smarter, not harder, to support our local community.*



The holiday season is upon us!

November was a very exciting month. "An Afternoon with Helen J. Stewart," was a wonderful success. We had over 90 in attendance, and Dr. Linda Miller was wonderful interpreting Mrs. Stewart. We had members from many other

organizations in the community. I encouraged them to partner with us and build strong connections in our common goals. The program was so exciting that we had several new members join us at that meeting.

On November 11, we had Pat Keay from Heifer International speak to us, Just before my 5K walk on Saturday night. I represented the Mesquite Club and raised \$850 for this worthy cause. Next year I hope to have more on my team. Thank you to all that helped me reach this goal. The Holiday Craft Auction was a wonderful success, Jane will give you more information in her letter on page five.

December will have fun and festive events for your pleasure. On December 2, is our Ways and Means Holiday Bake Sale and Mart. See the ad on page three for more information. At our upcoming business meeting, we will have Norm Clarke come to speak to us. He always has wonderful tales to share and he will have his book available for sale.

December 16, will be our annual Holiday Luncheon, at the Las Vegas Country Club. I am so looking forward to "A Holiday in Whoville," It sounds like it will be a very festive party. See the ad on page three for more information and to find the meal choices.

There is a lot going on as we do our work to support our local Las Vegas community. When coming to the clubhouse, you will find a USO mailbox to deposit your letters for our soldiers. During the holidays, please take time with your family to write a letter to a soldier. It does not take much time and the letters are greatly appreciated. You will find guidelines listed on page four. There are cards and stationery at the clubhouse, but feel free to use your own. Also, if you have any unused cards, please consider donating them. These are given to soldiers as they are deployed. They generally do not have a Hallmark store to go to on their deployments.



I want to take this time to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope that you have time with family and friends as well as remembering those that are no longer with us. I am so blessed to be supported by so many phenomenal women on this journey. As you go about your day, talk about the good work that we do. I have reminded people that we are here strong and doing what we do best, supporting our local community with flair and grace.

Wishing you all the best holiday ever,

*Cherie Lee Williams*



# MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM THE LADIES OF THE MESQUITE CLUB

*Janice Lennartz*

*Phyllis Noblitt*

*Mary Gafford*

*June Eckenroth*

*Nancy Zangl*

*Lynda Schultz*

*Elsa Torgerson*

*Robin Dobbs*

*Helga Caggiano*

*Joan Lapan*

*Lois Evora*

*Joan Doubrava*

*Barbara Bolling*

*Luana DeVol*

*Joan Dimmitt*

*Jan White*

*Kay McClure*

*Joan Powell*

*Kathy Fehr*

*Sue Ann Churchill*

*Diane Holst*

*Cathi Poer*

*Sandy Holliday*

*Karen Ziegler*

*Jane Reid*

*Connie Macauley*

*Joanie Twitchell*

*Antonia Babbish*

*Dolores Martinez*

*Judy Stubbins*

*Ellie Watts*

*Bonnie Utton*

*Toby Power*

*Ruth Larson*

*Irene Armijo*

*Cherie Lee Williams*



## DECEMBER EVENTS



Come to the Mesquite Club Holiday Mart and Bake Sale

Friday, December 2, 2016 - 1pm

**Homemade Baked Goods!**  
Homemade Baked Goods!

A festive day of shopping. Homemade baked goods, Homemade soup mixes,

Fresh Homemade soups, Vendors selling their wares.

A choice of two homemade winter soups; ❖ Italian Sausage ❖ Chicken Tortilla— in 32oz containers, selling for \$6 each.

This is the perfect time for you to get started shopping for the holidays.

Pre-wrapped Mesquite Cookbooks; Holiday Craft items; Jewelry items; A few surprises!

Mark your calendar to get into the holiday mood!

This is a great time to pick up early gifts for the  
Holidays and supporting the Mesquite Club!



For information or contact

Barbara Lacy @ (702) 489-4194 or Laurie Hartig @ (702) 595-2104

## "A Holiday in Whoville"

Friday, December 16, 2016

Social 11 am - Lunch 12 Noon

Las Vegas Country Club

3000 Joe W. Brown Drive



Reservations MUST be made by December 7th

Menu choices are: ❖ Parmesan Crusted Chicken Breast ❖ Ginger Orange Grilled Salmon

Includes: Iced tea, coffee and hot tea. Cocktails, wine & soft drinks extra

Send a check for \$35 and your entrée' choice to:

The Mesquite Club, Inc. Attention: Nancy Zangl

P.O. Box 95662 - Las Vegas, NV 89193-5662



## UPCOMING MEETINGS; LETTERS TO USO; GFWC MEMBER BENEFITS



Business Meeting  
December 9, 2016  
1pm

### Speaker:

**Norm Clarke;** was an American gossip columnist for the Las Vegas Review-Journal in Las Vegas, Nevada. His column, "Vegas Confidential," covered celebrities and near-celebrities and their doings in the bright lights of "Sin City."

He will have copies of his book, *"Vegas Confidential: Norm! Sin City's Ace Insider 1,000 Naked Truths, Hot Spots and Cool Stuff."*

This will be a very entertaining meeting, be sure to bring a friend.

### GFWC INFORMATION

**The GFWC Website is a wealth of information, check it out:**

<http://www.gfwc.org/>

**The GFWC Club Manual** is a living document that is constantly changing. Check it out for current issues:

<http://www.gfwc.org/membership/club-manual/>



**Awards, Contests, and Grants:**

<http://www.gfwc.org/membership/awards-contests-and-grants/>

**Membership Benefit Programs:**

<http://www.gfwc.org/membership/membership-benefit-programs/> (There are great benefits of membership.)

**Events:** <http://www.gfwc.org/events/>

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GFWC offers resources so that we can:

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### "Saying thank you to all who serve"

My president's project is the USO. One easy way to support is to write letters. I will be supplying note cards and patriotic stationery. You can use your own if you chose. Here are some guidelines for writing.

I would like to have these ready to deliver in early December. You can also as your family members and children or grandchildren. They will be greatly appreciated.

There are no rules to writing letters to soldiers, and as long as they come from the heart there's really no wrong way either. Sometimes it's just hard to get started so here are a few tips to help you get started.

You can choose any one of these points.

- ◆ Keep things light.
- ◆ Share things about yourself like hobbies or interests.
- ◆ Write about your life but keep it positive.
- ◆ Thank them for their service.
- ◆ If you have connections in the military, mention that.
- ◆ Be positive.
- ◆ Stay away from political or polarizing topics.
- ◆ Tell them what's going on at home but stray away from things happening in the news.
- ◆ Let them know you support them.
- ◆ Your letters don't have to be long, just write from the heart.
- ◆ Write like you speak and show your personality.
- ◆ Include questions for conversation.
- ◆ Encouraging quotes are always nice.
- ◆ Never share anything negative, personal struggles, your own thoughts about controversial subjects, or ask their opinion about controversial subjects.
- ◆ You may begin your letter by writing "Dear Service Member" to be inclusive of all branches of service and both male and female service members.
- ◆ If you would like to provide an opportunity for your Soldier to respond, feel free to include your return address and/or e-mail address. However, do not expect that you will get response. Remember, they are serving in a combat zone.

Thank you all for your support with this project, I would like to be able to take at least 100 letters and cards after the New year.

**Let's let them know how much that we appreciate their service!**

## **EVENING: CHAIR LETTER; EVENING EVENTS**



Dear Members of the Mesquite Club,

The 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Holiday Craft Auction is in our rearview mirrors, and we can declare it a success! The Ladies of the Evening Mesquite Club worked so hard to create a memorable evening for everyone who attended. While Marilyn Freeman frantically added up the gross proceeds that evening not all of the expenses were in at the time of writing for the *Mesquiter*. We can report that we did raise over \$15,000 thanks to the wonderful baskets, the terrific live-auction items, the prizes for the grand-prize raffles, and the delicious appetizers, dinner, and desserts. We all worked so hard to make the event the success it was. Toby Power and Ruth Larson were fantastic Holiday Craft Auction co-chairs!



**Nicole Hughes, Pets for Vets  
with President Cherie Williams**



On December 6, 2016, the Evening Mesquite Annual Holiday Party will be held at Giuseppe's Italian Grill (2630 W. Horizon Ridge, Henderson NV). The cost of the dinner is \$30 see ad below for details. There will be a new gift exchange (\$15 value) for those people who want to participate. At the party, we will present the check (60 percent of the net proceeds) to Nicole Hughes, Pets for Vets of Las Vegas. The Evening Ladies deserve to celebrate so please get your checks to Pat.

On January 3, our program will focus on "New Year, New You" with a presentation from a physician at Dignity Health arranged by Linda Shapona, program chair. At the business meeting, a list of potential

nonprofits to be sent a Request for Proposal of the Holiday Craft Auction Proceeds next November will be presented and reviewed, and an ad-hoc committee will be selected to review the applications and decide which three or four nonprofit organizations will be invited to present to the full membership in March. Our January 17 meeting is designated as a community-service project led by Bonnie Crawford and Toby Power, community-service co-chairs followed by a business meeting.

Also, please try to attend the socials planned by Pat Garcia and Dolores Martinez. The next one will be held at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, January 14, 2017, at the Brio Tuscan Grille (420 S. Rampart Blvd., Las Vegas). The socials have NO agenda and give members a chance to get to know each other. Please contact Pat or Dolores if you plan on attending.

It has been a pleasure working with such a talented and dedicated group of ladies in preparation for the Holiday Craft Auction and other business of the Evening Chapter of the Mesquite Club. I wish everyone happy holidays and hope that each of you has some peaceful times to recharge since we do have a lot to accomplish in 2017!

In Federation friendship,  
Jane Reid  
2016-17 Chair of the  
Evening Chapter of the Mesquite Club  
Home: 702-463-7942; Mobile: 330-518-5406  
E-mail: j.reid5@cox.net

**Evening Mesquite Annual Holiday Party**

**Tuesday, December 6, 2016**

**6:00 PM**

**Giuseppe's Italian Grill**  
2630 W. Horizon Ridge  
Henderson, NV 89052

**Menu Choices**

**London Broil**  
Mashed Potatoes & Vegetable

**Chicken Marsala**  
With Pasta

**Broiled Tilapia**  
Mashed Potatoes & Vegetable

**\$30.00 per person**

**Includes**  
Salad, Bread, Cake  
Soft Drinks, Coffee, Tea

**Please pay/make check to Pat Garcia**  
2743 Summerchase Lane  
Henderson, NV 89052

## WAYS AND MEANS FUNDRAISER; GFWC UPCOMING EVENTS;

### MESQUITE CLUB WAYS AND MEANS LUNCHEON AND FASHION SHOW



Friday, February 17, 2017

Social Hour: 11am Luncheon: Noon

\$50

SIENA GOLF CLUB

10575 Siena Monte Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89135



Luncheon choices:

❖ Chicken Picata ❖ Dover Sole ❖ Pasta Primavera

Includes: Siena House Salad and Artisan Bread basket; soft drinks, water, juice, iced tea or coffee, and Chef's Dessert Display

We will have a 'silent auction' – raffles – Fashion Show courtesy of Chico's and more surprises!

Invite your friends to attend with you!

As always, we appreciate your support for our Clubhouse – as this is the Ways & Means Spring

Fundraiser.

Send a check for \$50 and your entrée' choice to: The Mesquite Club, Inc. Attention: Nancy Zangl, P.O. Box 95662, Las Vegas, NV 89193



### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

#### 2017 GFWC NEVADA STATE CONVENTION

March 30 thru April 2, 2017 - Carson City, Nevada

More information to come

#### 2017 GFWC Annual Convention

If you have never been to a GFWC International Convention, this is your chance. It will be within driving distance.

Join us for the GFWC 2017 Annual Convention in Palm Springs, California from June 23-26, 2017.

*Can you say Caravan!*

**For more details: <http://www.gfwc.org/>**



### IRS Tips for Year-End Gifts to Charity

If you want to claim a tax deduction for your gifts, you must itemize your deductions. There are several tax rules that you should know about before you give. Here are a few tips from the IRS that you should keep in mind:

**Qualified charities:** You can only deduct gifts you give to qualified charities.

***Mesquite Club, Inc. is a qualified charity.  
Tax ID #: 88-6003112***

**Monetary donations:** Gifts of money include those made in cash or by check, electronic funds transfer, credit card and payroll deduction. You must have a bank record or a written statement from the charity to deduct any gift of money on your tax return. This is true regardless of the amount of the gift. The statement must show the name of the charity and the date and amount of the contribution. Bank records include canceled checks, or bank, credit union and credit card statements. If you give by payroll deductions, you should retain a pay stub, a Form W-2 wage statement or other document from your employer. It must show the total amount withheld for charity, along with the pledge card showing the name of the charity.

**Year-end gifts:** You can deduct contributions in the year you make them. If you charge your gift to a credit card before the end of the year, it will count for 2016. This is true even if you don't pay the credit card bill until 2016. Also, a check will count for 2016 as long as you mail it in 2016.

**We appreciate your support.**

### 2017 Western States Region Conference

#### In Helena Montana

September 7 thru 10, 2017

Radisson Colonial Hotel—Helena.

More information to come!

We hope to see you at one of these upcoming events!

*Living the Volunteer Spirit!*



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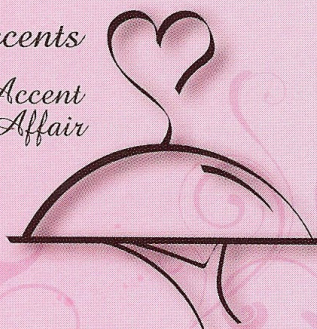
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# BOARD BRIEFS; CLUB FINANCIALS; MEMORIAL FUND

## BOARD BRIEFS



The November meeting of the Mesquite Club Executive Board was called to order by President Cherie Williams at 10:04.

**PRESIDENT'S REPORT:** President Williams reported on her many activities this past month on behalf of the club and spoke of the club receiving a \$500 donation from Bob Coffin and of receiving several decrees of proclamation on behalf of the upcoming Helen J. Stewart Day.

**MINUTES:** The September minutes were approved as emailed and amended.

**FIRST VICE PRESIDENT:** Barbara Bolling reported that there will be a change in honorees on April 7. Doris Wartman has asked not to be honored.

**SECOND VICE PRESIDENT:** Elsa Torgerson reported that there will be new member orientation on November 11.

**FINANCIAL SECRETARY:** Nancy Zangl reported total revenues were \$6,270.30.

**CORRESPONDING SECRETARY:** Joan Lapin reported that she has sent thank you letters to Bob Coffin and Judge Rena Hughes for their \$500 donations. From now on our tax identification number will be included on each donation letter. Estimates of worth will not be included on thank you letters for rummage sale. All non-members will receive thank you letters for rummage sale donations.

**WAYS & MEANS:** Open – The Holiday Craft Sale on December 2 will feature baked goods, soups, and other goodies for sale. The craft group will offer craft items as well.

**COMMUNITY SERVICES:** Mary Gafford reported plans are in place for the luncheon honoring Helen J. Stewart on November 4. She is hoping for a good article in the newspaper regarding the incredible community service that Mesquite Club has provided to our community over the years. Raffle and silent auction items are being collected.

### DIRECTORS:

Johanna Kennedy for Evening Mesquite reported that nine Mesquite members attended the Meriam McQuaig funeral. It was mentioned that the USO is our main Community Services project this year. She reminded the board of the photo and essay contests sponsored by GFWC.

### NEW BUSINESS:

It was so moved and passed: Kay McClure has been appointed Memorial Fund Chair.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at 10:40.

## \$ MESQUITE CLUB FINANCIAL STATEMENT \$

Balance ending, Sept 30, 2016	
B/ A Savings Sept 30, 2016	\$51,862.52
Interest for Oct	\$2.20
Total Savings Oct 31, 2016	\$51,864.72
Interest earned/Savings	\$112.87
Maintenance Reserve	\$15,000.00
General Savings	\$36,751.85
Total Savings 10/31/2016	\$51,864.72
B/A Checking 09/30/16	\$37,209.01
Deposits for Oct	+ 6,270.30
Sub total	\$43,479.31
Less Oct expenses, cleared	- 7,817.34
Balance Checking 10/31/2016	\$35,661.97
B/A Savings	\$51,864.72
B/A Checking	\$35,661.97
Total in Bank Accts 10/31/16	\$87,526.69
Checking	\$35,661.97
Less Designated Funds	-12,899.89
Gen Operating Funds 10/31/16	\$22,762.08
<b>Designated Funds</b>	
Choir	692.84
Community Service, Day	1,252.64
Community Service, Eve.	1,716.40
Crafts	2,563.95
Landscaping	825.00
Memorial Fund	5,343.51
We Care	505.55
<b>Total Designated Funds</b>	<b>\$12,899.89</b>
Respectfully submitted, Lynda Schultz, Treasurer	



## MEMORIAL FUND REPORT

According to the Standing Rules of the Mesquite Club, the Memorial Fund is used for the purpose of major improvement or repair and maintenance of Mesquite Club

property.

The Memorial Fund welcomes donations for birthdays, anniversaries, congratulations, family members as well as sympathy. Make checks payable to Mesquite Club Memorial Fund and mail to: Mesquite Club, P.O. Box 95662, Las Vegas, NV 89193.

**Memorial Fund balance: \$5,343.51**

Thank you for the following donations:

### In honor of Meriam McQuaig

Thank you: June Eckenroth, Nancy Zangl,  
Johanna Kennedy

### In honor of In honor of Carl Partridge, Sandra Frank & Bill Eubank

Thank you: June Eckenroth



## ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE; NEW MEMBER; YEAR BOOK UPDATES; PRIVATE LUNCHEONS

### Mesquite Club Annual Rummage Sale



**We are accepting donations for this event.**

**March 17, 18 and 19, 2017**

**We are in need of someone to chair this event for day and evening. Please consider stepping up for this annual event.**

**Contact: Johanna for day or Jane for evening.**

**Thank you in advance for your support with this event.**

### NEW MEMBER



**Audra Damore**

Please welcome Audra Damore to Mesquite Club. She just moved to Las Vegas in June with husband, Daniel, and two teen-aged daughters Juliet and Victoria.

Audra grew up in California and is the daughter of Diane Holst who became a new Mesquite member last year. Audra's mother and grandmother were GFWC clubwomen in California. Audra was too busy working and raising a family to join a club at that time.

Currently Audra is a real estate agent but the work that she most enjoyed in the past was owning and operating a coffee shop. She sold it to move here.

Audra is looking forward toward being a Mesquite member and working with our members on projects.

Please greet Audra and get to know her.

### YEAR BOOK UPDATES

#### NEW MEMBERS

- ❖ Audra Damore, Daniel, 7420 Arborcr3est Ave LV 89131, audradamore@yahoo.com, 209-620-0555, C: 702-907-0552, Jan 24
- ❖ Jenny Muller, Leo Durant, 3930Youngson Dr, LV, 89121, jenny@cjbacaters.com, 702-732-1834, c: 702-245-7741, 09/17
- ❖ Ann Hatfield-Merritt, AnnMerritt@aol.com, C: 303-810-9641

#### UPDATES

- ❖ Ann Edmonson, 1851 Hillpointe Rd, #1012, LV 89074, aedmonson@ashworthlaw.com
- ❖ Diane Holst, Phone #: 702-823-4868  
New E-mail is: dianeh9255@gmail.com
- ❖ Kay McClure has agreed to be Memorial Fund Chair



### Schedule your Private Luncheon

The **Ways and Means Committee**, is offering Private Luncheons this year. This is always a popular event, It is a great way to spend quality time with other members. **Yes**, you can bring a friend.

Check your calendar and call Nancy Zangl to get your luncheon on the schedule. These sell out quickly.

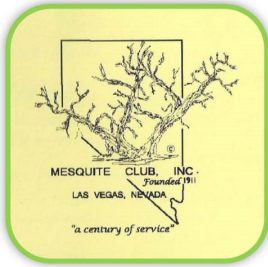
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Contact Nancy Zangl at  
(702) 564-3216

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## REMEMBER THE MESQUITE CLUB, Inc. IN YOUR WILL



Your attorney will be able to explain the tax advantages to you of making bequests to The Mesquite Club, Inc. In terms of actual costs to your estate, the deductibility of such bequests for Federal estate tax purposes mean that the actual dollar outlay may be far less than the face amount of the bequest. This is particularly true if you are a person of considerable means. Your attorney can acquaint you, in an approximate way, with the actual savings you may envision for your estate by means of such bequest. You need not make the bequest in outright form, but you may plan them so

That they will take effect only upon the death of

other members of your family for whom you have made prior provisions in your will. In this way, you may accomplish the two-fold result of providing security for your closest loved ones while seeing to it that, when the funds are no longer needed for their support, the funds will be put to constructive use.

Your bequests can take the form of furthering the general purposes of The Mesquite Club, Inc. or, if you wish, or can be earmarked for some particular phase of The Mesquite Club, Inc. activities that specifically interest you. Although The Mesquite Club, Inc., will welcome and be grateful for such bequests for specific purposes, The Mesquite Club, Inc., prefers that bequests not be restricted., so that after your death, the money can be used for whatever programs are then in need of funds.

If you are thinking of making a bequest to The Mesquite Club, Inc., you should explore this matter fully with your attorney. They will be able to assist you in effectuating a plan which will best achieve your particular testamentary objectives. For the guidance of attorneys drafting wills which make bequests to The Mesquite Club, Inc., there are shown below a few samples of the different forms such bequests may take. Of course, these forms must be adapted by the attorney who makes use of them to the requirements of the particular instrument that they are drafting. They must be aware of the interrelationships between such bequests and the other provisions of your will.

### UNRESTRICTED BEQUEST

I give and bequest the sum of Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_) to The Mesquite Club, Inc., having its clubhouse at 702 E St Louis Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89104, for its general purposes.

### RESTRICTED BEQUEST

I give and bequest the sum of Dollars (\$\_\_\_\_\_) to The Mesquite Club, Inc., having its clubhouse at 702 E St Louis Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89104, for the purpose of (Name the specific program that you desire to support.)




### BEQUEST AFTER TERMINATION OF TRUST

Upon the death of my wife/husband, \_\_\_\_\_, I give, devise and bequeath the principal trust for her/his benefit, as it shall be constituted to The Mesquite Club, Inc., having its clubhouse at 702 E St Louis Ave, Las Vegas, NV 89104, for its general purposes.





# 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>The craft group meets most Mondays, 10 am till about 1 pm. There are no classes or instructions, just a nice group of ladies sharing ideas and working on what fits their skill, style or personality. Everyone chooses their own projects to make for the craft sale table. There is no chair person and everyone works together. We have a variety of supplies on hand. It is a very amicable laid back way to spend time and get to know the members. Afterwards we often go for lunch. Contact Sue Churchill 702-731-9856 for additional information.</p>					<p><b>2</b> Ways and Means Holiday Craft and Bake sale 1pm</p>	<p><b>3</b></p>
<p><b>4</b></p>	<p><b>5</b> Craft Group</p>	<p><b>6</b> Board Meeting 10am Evening Holiday Party 6pm</p>	<p><b>7 Art Class</b> 10 am <b>Poker</b> 12 noon</p> 	<p><b>8</b></p>	<p><b>9</b> Business Meeting: Norm Clark, Vegas Confidential 1pm</p>	<p><b>10</b></p>
<p><b>11</b></p>	<p><b>12</b> Craft Group</p>	<p><b>13</b></p>	<p><b>14</b> Art Class 10 am <b>Poker</b> 12 noon</p>	<p><b>15</b></p>	<p><b>16</b> Holiday Luncheon at Las Vegas Country Club 11 am Social Noon Lunch</p>	<p><b>17</b></p>
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