SEPTEMBER 2021

When an Elephant Talks, Everyone Listens

The Rumbler

SNRW is a unit of the Nevada
Federation of Republican Women.
We are a Political Action
Committee (PAC), working
at the grassroots level to get out
the vote for Republican
candidates. We also devote our
attention to educating voters on
matters concerning
Douglas County, Nevada,
and our nation.

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NO SNRW LUNCH MEETING THIS MONTH INSTEAD WE INVITE YOU TO A SPECIAL DINNER



Sunday, September 12th



Grand Ballroom Doors Open at 5 p.m.,
Plated dinner served at your table at 6 p.m.
Menu Choices: Herb and Pepper Crusted Prime Rib,
Crab Stuffed Filet of Sole, or
Mushroom Ravioli with Basil Cream Sauce

Guest Speakers include:

Ret. Lt. Colonel Brad Spires, Nevada Civil Air Patrol, Rich Lammay, Sr. Pastor, High Sierra Fellowship

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Events Calendar



September

9/01 DCRW Lunch Meeting (See dcrwnevada.com)
9/06 Labor Day
9/06 Rosh Hashanah begins
9/09 DCRCC Meeting*
9/12 NO REGULAR MONTHLY
SNRW MEETING. Instead join us for our Patriot Day Dinner at Carson Valley Inn in remembrance of those who were injured or died during the 9/11 terrorist attacks in the U.S.

RESERVATIONS A MUST!

9/15 Yom Kippur begins 9/21 First Day of Fall 9/25 DCRCC Heritage BBQ

SIGN UP NOW

10/22-23 NvFRW Biennial Convention at South Point Casino Hotel in Las Vegas. (SEE PAGE 7)

October

10/02 Emigrant Trail Tour (trip is sold out.
10/05 SNRW Board Meeting
10/06 DCRW Lunch Meeting (See dcrwnevada.com)
10/11 Still Columbus Day in
Nevada
10/13 SNRW Membership
Meeting—C.O.D. Casino

10/13 SNRW Membership Meeting—C.O.D. Casino 10/14 DCRCC Meeting* Emigrant Trail Bus Tour 10/29 Nevada Day 10/31 Halloween

November

11/02 SNRW Board Meeting 11/03 DCRW Lunch Meeting (See dcrwnevada.com for details)

11/10 SNRW Membership Meeting—C.O.D. Casino 11/11 DCRCC Meeting* 11/25 Thanksgiving 11/30 SNRW Board Meeting

December

12/01 DCRW Lunch Meeting (See dcrwnevada.com)
12/08 SNRW Membership
Meeting—C.O.D. Casino
12/21 Winter begins
12/25 Christmas Day
12/31 New Year's Eve
DCRCC Meeting T.B.A.*

*Douglas County Republican Central Committee (DCRCC) meets at the Elks Lodge 1227 Kimmerling Rd., Gardnerville, 6:30 p.m. Social, followed by the Meeting at 7 p.m.

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Note: President is a ex-officio (voting) member of all Committees (but not counted in a quorum) except for Nominating.

President's Message

This has been a tough summer with the tremendous heat and the terrible smoke from the scorching fires in Nevada and California. We hope and pray that cooler temperatures will arrive and the fires will soon be extinguished. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the firefighters working so hard to protect our beautiful America.



Our first meeting at the C.O.D. Casino went well. We had a large attendance plus an outstanding speaker, Dr. Robin Titus. She gave lots of information about how we can go forward as Republicans.

A couple of reminders: you can enter the room through the door to the non-smoking room on the side of the casino; we must wear masks at all times during the luncheon unless we are actually eating or drinking. Please remember to turn off your phone so the meeting will not be interrupted.

As we move into autumn, it is time for our members to consider signing up to be on the SNRW Executive Board. My thanks to the nominating committee including Cynthia Sawyer, Mary Lou Gervie, Jan Muzzy, Cathy Stapleton, and Bev Turner for taking on the task of contacting members to serve on the board. It is an important way we can remain effective in continuing the work of supporting our Republican candidates.

The 36th Biennial Convention Nevada Federation of Republican Women will be held October 23 and 24, at South Point Casino in Las Vegas. SNRW can send seven delegates to the convention and Mary Porter was elected to represent our club. If you are interested in being a delegate, please let me know as soon as possible and we can make that happen. Please see the Convention Agenda and website address for further details on page 7 of this newsletter.

Our September meeting will be a very special and patriotic dinner event (rather than a lunch) as we memorialize the 20th anniversary of the 9/11 tragedy. Pastor Rich Lammay and Ret. Lt. Colonel Brad Spires will be our guest speakers at Carson Valley Inn on Sunday, September 12. Both gentlemen were personally involved in the event and its aftermath.

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Democrats versus Republicans on Tax Issues

By Mary Lou Gervie



The 2020 Democratic Party Platform

The Democratic Party Platform clearly states that President Trump's tax system was "rigged against the American people by big corporations and their lobbyists, and by Republicans who dole out tax cuts to their biggest donors while leaving working families to struggle". Their position is that President Trump's tax and trade policies encouraged corporations to ship jobs overseas in order to avoid paying their share of taxes. Their Platform states that they will make the wealthy pay their fair share in taxes, raise corporate tax rates, and raise estate taxes back to the historical norm. They want to make sure that investors pay the same tax rates as workers.

The 2016 Republican Platform

The Republican Platform was not revised in 2020 but their position on taxation has been consistent over the last several years.

Whenever tax rates penalize thrift or discourage investments, they must be lowered. Wherever current provisions of the code are disincentives for economic growth, they must be changed. We will not divide the American people into winners and losers. We will eliminate as many special interest provisions and loopholes as possible and curb corporate welfare, especially where their erosion of the tax base has created pressure for higher taxes.

The Democrats have clearly demonized President Trump throughout their Platform and plan to make their tax system unfair to all Americans.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (continued)

The historical tour of the Emigrant Trail is quickly approaching. On October 2, Eileen Cohen, our professional tour guide, will chronicle the story of the trail, the Mormon settlers, and how they wound up in Genoa. It is going to be a great day and a fantastic fundraiser for our club. The tickets sold out immediately, and there is a waiting list if you are interested.

The DCRCC Heritage Fall BBQ is on Sept 25, 2021, if you haven't purchased your ticket yet please see page 7 of this newsletter. It will be an outstanding day of food, music, speakers, and conversation. Let's support the Douglas County Republican Central Committe! Thank you for all that you do for your SNRW.

Blessings, Sondra



8NRW 73 Members 49 Associate Members



Please consider bringing a guest to one of our SNRW meetings



What is Patriot Day?

By a joint resolution approved December 18, 2001 (Public Law 107-89), the Congress has designated September 11 of each year as "Patriot Day."



President Trump further declared the following: On September 11 in observance of Patriot Day, the flag of the United States of America should be displayed on the homes of Americans, the White House and all United States government buildings. The flag should be flown at half-staff as a mark of respect to those who died on September 11, 2001.

Many people choose to observe a moment of silence at 8:46 a.m. (E.S.T.). This marks the time that the first plane flew into the World Trade Center. Some communities, particularly in the areas directly affected by the attacks, hold special church services or prayer meetings. People who personally experienced the events in 2001 or lost loved ones in them, may lay flowers or visit memorials.



PATRIOT DAY REMEMBERS THOSE WHO LOST THEIR LIVES DURING THE 2001 TERRORIST ATTACKS IN THE UNITED STATES.



INVITE A FRIEND TO OUR SEPTEMBER 12th ANNUAL 9/11 REMEMBRANCE EVENT WHERE GUEST SPEAKERS WILL SHARE THEIR FIRST-HAND EXPERIENCES. ON THAT HISTORIC DAY



TO READ A WONDERFULLY INSPIRING STORY ABOUT THIS TERRIBLE DAY, PLEASE SEE WEBSITE: https://deltavan1.wordpress.com/2014/03/29/delta-flight-15-on-911/

Message from Shirley Brooks-Jones

Thanks a million for inviting me to put something together for you. Just know that 9'll be thinking of all of you on September 12, Hard telling what 9'll be doing that day. One thing for certain—those Newfoundlanders will keep me busy! Hugs and love, Shirley

It seems impossible that nearly three years have elapsed since I had the privilege and honor of speaking at the 2018 Sierra Nevada Republican Women annual dinner commemorating 9/11. During the intervening years, it has been extremely difficult to fully comprehend the many ways our world has been torn apart, but I would like to share a brief update on a few things that have occurred since I talked with you about my 9/11 experiences in Newfoundland.

2019 marked my 29th return to Newfoundland (lovingly called "The Rock") when I presented scholarships to the 17th graduating class of Lewisporte Collegiate (high school) since the first scholarships were presented in 2002. As I left The Rock, my thoughts were of Trip #30 coming up in 2020. But that was not to be! The pan-

demic prevented travel in 2020 and 2021; however, the graduation ceremonies and scholarship presentations were done virtually, and there have now been 341 recipients of the Lewisporte Area Flight 15 Scholarship established by passengers and crew of Delta Flight 15 as well as many friends around the world. The kids have gone on to accomplish marvelous things in their communities, and I am so proud of them! One young woman from the first class in 2002 went on to obtain two Masters and her Medical degree and was recently named "chief of staff" of her local hospital. A young man from the Class of 2019 is majoring in Marine Engineering and is currently doing a 7-week internship aboard one of Canada's steamship lines.

Great news: I've just been able to make reservations to fly to Newfoundland for the 20th anniver-

sary of 9/11. After a talk to the Columbus Metropolitan Club at noon on September 8, I'll go di-

rectly to the airport for a flight to Toronto, change planes to Halifax where there will be a horrendously long layover before flying to Gander, arriving there mid-afternoon on the 9th. Return flights will be similar—leaving Gander for Halifax mid-afternoon on the 17th, another long, long layover in Halifax

until the flight to Toronto at 5:25 a.m. on the 18th. Flight from Toronto will get me back in Columbus midmorning the next day. I know I will be weary, but will be truly happy to have been able to once again set foot on The Rock!

I'm so happy that the hit Broadway musical Come From Away will once again be

once again be playing to audiences all across North America. Its performance in Columbus, Ohio had to be postponed in 2020 but is now scheduled for February 8-13, 2022 and I am delighted to learn that the Executive Producer and James Earl Jones II who portrays me in the musical, will be in town. Will be lots of fun catching up with them.

I shall be thinking of all of you on September 12 as you gather once again to commemorate 9/11. My thanks to all of you, and my love to you as well.

Finally—a saying by the Dalai Lama: "BE KIND whenever possible." It is ALWAYS possible.

Shirley Brooks-Jones Passenger, Delta Flight 15 (9-11-01) Founder & Coordinator, Lewisporte Area Flight 15 Scholarship



The Day the World Came to Town

As we commemorate 9/11 at our Patriot Dinner this year, I am passing along Shirley Brooks-Jones' recommendation that you take a look at Jim DeFede's just published update describing the events that occurred on 9/11 in Gander, Newfoundland. Those of you who attended our 9/11 Commemorative Dinner in 2018 will recall that Shirley was our guest speaker.

The original version of this book, "The Day the World Came to Town," was recommended to you following Shirley's presentation. This edition includes more information about how the residents of Gander touched the lives of the thousands of passengers forced to land in Gander on 9/11. These stranded passengers, including Shirley, were treated with an overwhelming display of friendship and goodwill.

The update also describes some friendships that developed between these passengers and residents of Gander, friendships that have lasted for 20 years. Scholarship funds have been provided to the children of Gander, and securing

funding for the scholarships has become a significant part of Shirley's life. Since September 11, 2002, she has returned to Newfoundland every year (2020 excepted) to present scholarship awards.

Take Shirley up on her reading recommendation. You most likely sure could use a positive story at this time.

—Many Porter



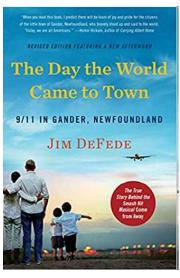
The Nevada Federation of Republican Women
36th Biennial Convention and
2021 Fall Board of Directors/Membership Meeting
Friday, Saturday, Sunday, October 22-24, 2021
South Point Hotel Casino & Spa
9777 South Las Vegas Blvd., Las Vegas, Nevada 89183

FROM THE OFFICIAL CALL

In accordance with the Bylaws of the Nevada Federation of Republican Women (NvFRW) [Article IX, Sec. 1], I, Janet Freixas, President of the Nevada Federation of Republican Women, hereby issues the Official Call to the Nevada Federation of Republican Women 36th Biennial Convention and 2021Fall Board/Membership Meeting and requests that the delegated representatives of the members of the NvFRW present themselves for the Convention with regular members on October 22-24, 2021 at South Point Hotel Casino & Spa, Las Vegas, Nevada.

The Agenda will be issued later and will include such business as should properly be conducted at the Convention by the Delegates,

By Jim DeFede



including Election of Officers for the 2022-2023 term, proposed Bylaw amendments and Resolutions, and any additional business appropriate for consideration. All members are encouraged to attend as the Convention may include training seminars, workshops, exciting and informative speakers, and networking opportunities – all to be determined.

Please check the SNRW website sierranevadarepublicanwomen.com for the remaining items of the official call: a tentative schedule of events, registration page with Eventbrite link, hotel room block page, and hotel link. A second Call to Convention with a Preliminary Agenda will be issued September 18, 2021, and a Final Agenda on October 19, 2021.

2022 SNRW Executive Board

his year's Nominating Committee comprised of Jan Muzzy, Mary Lou Gervie, Bev Turner, Cathy Stapleton, and Cynthia Sawyer was presented and approved by the membership at the August SNRW Luncheon. The Committee will present the names of the SNRW Board candidates for 2022 at the October luncheon as well as accept nominations from the floor.

The membership will vote on the 2022 slate of board candidates at the November SNRW Luncheon.

Cynthia Sawyer Committee Chair



Our Next Regular Meeting is October 13th

We will again meet at C.O.D. Casino 1593 Esmeralda Avenue, Minden

Meeting room doors open at 11:30 a.m. \$5 will be collected to pay for the rental space and our non-alcoholic drinks. Grab a beverage and come join us for socializing between 11:30 and noon when our meeting begins. Sorry, all Nevada gambling establishments require customers to wear masks.

If you arrive before 11:30, you may enjoy the casino and perhaps try your luck at the slots!

You are welcome to BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH to our gathering or support one of our many local take-out restaurants.

We need a headcount, so please let us know if you plan to attend by contacting SALLY GRANT: 805-377-8044 or Email SierraNVRepWomen@gmail.com

News from the 2nd Vice President/Membership Chair

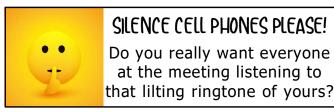
Hello SNRW Members and Associates,

I hope you have purchased your tickets to the 9/11 Patriot Dinner on September 12. As you know, we will be holding a silent auction as part of the dinner. If you wish to donate anything to the silent auction, please get the item to me no later than September 6. Or, call me to pick it up at 775-781-0563. Thank you in advance for your donations.

As of this writing, we have 73 members and 49 associates. Please invite your friends or neighbors to our lunch meetings. We would love to increase our membership.

I look forward to seeing you at the 9/11 Patriot dinner.

Barbara McRoberts 2nd VP/Membership Chair





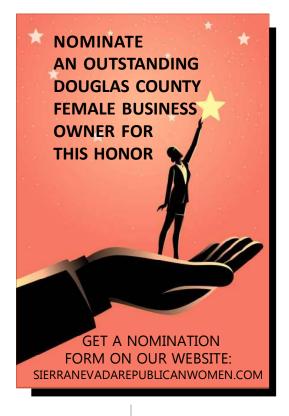
Place Your Nomination for Entrepreneur of the Year before October 13th

In appreciation and support of Republican women entrepreneurs, SNRW will once again be giving the Entrepreneur of the Year award at our November meeting.

The Committee is requesting nominations for this award be submitted by October 13. The nominee must be a registered Republican and a business owner. Only SNRW members, associates or members of the committee may nominate and provide their rationale for the nomination. The form requires the following information:

Name, Business, Political Affiliation, Phone Number, Why

Nominated, and a Biography.



Please contact Jann Fargnoli, Committee Chair with any questions at 775-781-0267, or email jannfargnoli@gmail.com.

Past Recipients of the SNRW Entrepreneur Award

2020 Kim Harris, History Alive 2019 Lynn Falcone, *The Chocolate Shoppe* 2018 Cynthia Ferris-Bennet, Sierra Chef 2017 Shari Whipple, Deja Vu Salon 2016 Cassandra Jones, Heritage Law Group 2015 Natalia Vander Laan. Vander Laan Law 2014 Bobbi Thompson, ABS Aviation 2013 Ansie Scossa. Aurora Salon & Boutique 2012 Robin Tapp, Penny Lane Consignment





SIERRA NEVADA REPUBLICAN WOMEN August 11, 2021 Lunch Meeting Minutes, C.O.D. Casino

Meeting called to order at 12 noon by President Sondra Condron who then welcomed everyone and reminded everyone to silence their phones. Prayer was given by Mary Lou Gervie. Pledge of Allegiance led by Anita Kornoff.

Condron introduced attending dignitaries: Amy Burgans, Douglas County Clerk-Treasurer; Cassandra Jones, Douglas County East Fork Justice Court Judge; Jim McKalip, Gardnerville Ranchos General Improvement District Trustee and Chair of the Douglas County Republican Central Committee; Tony Magnotta, Douglas County School Board Trustee; Marie Schnock on behalf of WAVE.

Guest Speaker

Interim 1st Vice-President Mary Porter introduced guest speaker Dr. Robin Titus, Minority Leader of the Nevada Assembly. She spoke about the state of the State of Nevada under the administration of Governor Sisolak; her impression of what happened during the 2021 State Legislative Session under Democrat control; stressed the importance of electing Republicans to the State Legislature and Constitutional Offices; September/October Special Session of the Legislature for redistricting.

Officer Reports

Interim 1st Vice President (programs) **Mary Porter** September—9/11 Patriot Dinner, Pastor Rich Lammay and Lt. Colonel Brad Spires (ret.) October — Congressman Mark Amodei

November — Amy Burgans, Douglas County Clerk Treasurer

2nd Vice President (membership) **Barb McRoberts**73 members; 49 associates.
Introduced 10 guests and returning member Kory Miller
Requested gift cards/certificates/items for the 9/11 Patriot Dinner Silent Auction.

Recording Secretary Jan Muzzy

Approval of July 14, 2021 minutes M(Jacie Peters)/S(Sally Grant)/P.

Treasurer **Jacie Peters**Account balance reported.
9/11 Patriot Day Dinner—Currently 40 reservations.

Corresponding Secretary **Cynthia Sawyer**

Sent thank you note to July's guest speaker, Blayne Osborn.
Announced Nominating Committee for 2022 Executive Board:
Mary Lou Gervie, Jan Muzzy,
Cynthia Sawyer, Cathy
Stapleton, Bev Turner who will nominate candidates to the
Executive Board. Nominations also may be taken from the floor.
Election will be held at the November luncheon.

Old Business

Bylaws Committee Update — Sally Grant reported revisions will be presented after the NvFRW and NFRW Fall meetings to make sure the SNRW Bylaws conform to any changes made. Recommended changes will be

sent to the General Membership 10 days before the SNRW November meeting so a vote can be taken then.

Bylaws contest winners— Porter reported that Nancy Jarvis and Anita Kornoff each won a ticket to the 9/11 Patriot Dinner for finding the most typos/errors in the current SNRW Bylaws.

Standing Rules update—To clarify when annual dues must be received from renewing members and associates, the Executive Board added to Rule 1 "Members and Associate Members failing to have paid their annual dues by March 31 will be removed from the Club roster."

Historic Emigrant Trail Tour—Eileen Cohen, Tour Director, reported the tour has sold out (56 seats) and there are 10 people on the waiting list.

DCRCC—McKalip promoted
1) Heritage BBQ: guest speaker
will be Loren Spivack, known as
the Free Market Warrior, and is
an author, economist, political
activist. David John and the
Comstock Cowboys will provide
entertainment. BBQ provided by
Carson City Barbecue. Event is
scheduled Saturday, September
25, noon-4 p.m. at the Twisting TBar Ranch, 1290 Centerville Lane,
Gardnerville. Cost \$75 per person, includes \$6.19 Live Entertainment tax.

- 2) Basque Fry Saturday, August 14.
- 3) DCRCC Meetings held the 2nd Thursday of the month.

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SNRW AUGUST MINUTES (CONT'D.)

New Business

NvFRW Convention—Condron reported the Convention is scheduled for October 22-24 in Las Vegas. SNRW is allowed 7 delegates and 7 alternates. Mary Porter nominated and voted as a delegate. M(Peters)/S(Gervie)/P. Anyone interested in attending should contact Condron.

Announcements

- August 25 is the deadline to place items in The *Rumbler*.
- Porter stated previous 9/11 speaker Shirley Brooks-Jones will submit an article for The Rumbler. She was on one of the planes that was diverted to Newfoundland during the 9/11 attacks. She raises scholarship money for the students of Gander, Newfoundland.
- Marie Schnock reported WAVE received \$161 in donations today.
- Jann Fargnoli reported Entrepreneur of the Year applications are now available and the winner will be announced at the November meeting. Asked members to talk with business owners and if they are not a Republican they can register online, at Republican Headquarters, or at the Clerk-Treasurer's Office.
- Tony Magnotta—reported schools are in trouble and encouraged people to attend School Board Meetings which are held at 4 p.m., 2nd Tuesday of the month at the Airport. (Note: there will be no meeting in Sept.)
- Doug Robbins—stated to reclaim Nevada, a strong Republican leader/supporter is needed in Washoe County to counter-balance the Clark County influence.

Meeting adjourned at 1:07 p.m. Jan Muzzy, Recording Secretary



Why a Heritage BBQ?

By Tom Deputy, DCRCC



he Douglas County Republican Central Committee is proud to announce the 4th Annual Heritage BBQ to be held on September 25, at the Twisting T-Bar Ranch in Gardnerville. The concept of having a "Heritage BBQ" started a number of years ago to showcase working ranches throughout the Carson Valley. In the past and present, our local ranchers and farmers have raised cattle, sheep, horses, hay, and crops on the valley's fertile ranchlands. Many of us drive by these ranches often to see the animals grazing or watch the harvesting of hay but have you ever wondered what these ranches look like from the *inside looking out*. The purpose of our Heritage BBQs is to give folks an up-close view of them and honor our agricultural and ranching heritage and culture.

This year's venue is the Twisting T-Bar Ranch located along the east fork of the Carson River. Please join us on September 25 at noon for an *fun in the sun* with entertainment provided by Virginia City's David John and the Comstock Cowboys western band, and opening music by local teenage singing artist Jakota Wass. A delightful western BBQ will be served by Carson City BBQ.

Guests are encouraged to dress in their best western wear and compete for a \$250 cash prize each for best female and male western outfits. There will be a live and silent auction that is sure to have just the perfect treasure for that very special person. Nationally renowned speaker Loren Spyvack will provide guests with a light-hearted and playful conservative slant on today's political climate.

(PLEASE SEE FLYER ON NEXT PAGE FOR MORE INFO.)

NOTE: DUE TO FILE SIZES
THIS ISSUE IS BEING SENT
IN TWO SECTIONS.
FLYERS FOR THE HERITAGE BBQ
AND DCRW'S FUNDRAISING EVENT
ON PAGES 14 AND 15 ARE ALSO DISPLAYED
SEPARATELY ON OUR WEBSITE.
SIERRANEVADAREPUBLICANWOMEN.COM

Ramping Up for Nevada Day 2021

hether native-born or transplanted,
Nevada residents share a special kind of pride. So beloved is Nevada that it is one of the only states to celebrate its Admission into the Union.

This year will be our 157th birth-

day, and 2021 also marks 83 years since the Nevada Day Celebration moved to the State Capitol. Except for last year, a large downtown parade has taken place along Carson Street, beginning at the intersection of William Street and N. Carson and ending at Stewart Street and South Carson.

Since we were unable to celebrate much of anything last year, plans are to make it a big event this year. The theme, "Historic Moments in Nevada" was chosen to focus on moments throughout history that helped to shape and define this state. From the day Nevada was admitted to the Union, October 31, 1864 (during the Civil War), to today, here are some periods in time during the 157 years of statehood that tend to set us apart from the other 49. The Nevada Day Committee will reflect on some of these happenings in our history. Highlighted will be moments from the historic Gold and Silver Boom in the Comstock, legalized gaming and prostitution, quickie divorces, Women's Suffrage, UFO sightings (and possible landings), and even a more recent decision to legalize Cannabis.

The people who make this event happen are part of a small nonprofit organization known as *Nevada Day Inc.* They keep this tradition alive despite facing many challenges such as rising costs, volunteers coming and going, and tightenening



rules and regulations. Yet they never tire of seeing the pride and joy of fellow Nevadans as we celebrate our state's birthday.

This year's event promises to feature some extra energy to make up for missing 2020.

Putting on the Nevada Day Cel-

ebration takes a Community. To find out how you can get involved by volunteering, becoming a sponsor, or even entering the parade (*deadline for this is October 1*), please check out their website nevadaday.com.



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HISTORIAN: Mary Lou Gervie

HOTLINE/EMAIL BLAST: Anita Kornoff

LEGISLATIVE: Kathryn Zogorski

LITERACY: OPEN

MEMBERSHIP: Barb McRoberts NEWSLETTER: Anita Kornoff

NOMINATING: Cynthia Sawyer, Mary Lou Gervie, Jan Muzzy, Cathy Stapleton, and Bev Turner

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2021 Board of Commissioners

- Meets on the first Thursday of the month in Minden, at 1 p.m., at Douglas County Historic Courthouse.
- Meets on the third Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m., at Lake Tahoe Transportation Center.

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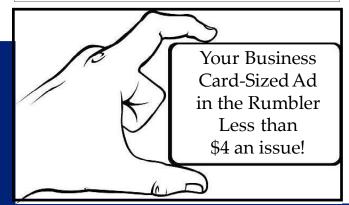
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