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“Membership: Friendship and Service, Now More Than Ever”

Spring is here, and Mesquite Club still has busy weeks ahead before the end of May. By the time you read this, we will have elected new officers and chosen our charity recipients for next year. Time certainly flies when we are working hard and helping our community! The partnership with the City for a shredding day and prescription drug take-back resulted in over 100 cars coming through our parking lot. Everyone was invited to attend our Rummage Sale, and membership information was distributed.



The next community event will be the Rummage Sale, which takes the efforts of all our members working together to make it a success. You don't want to miss this. We have so many wonderful items for sale at unbelievably low prices!

On May 7th, our Clubhouse will travel back in time as it becomes the setting for “A 1920's Spring Tea.” The event will honor our members for their hard work and offer a membership opportunity to our guests. Find your 1920's style and come for fun, food, and entertainment. The last event for this year will be the “Crazy Daisy” Closing Luncheon on May 21st. Our new officers will be installed, and Freedom House will be presented with the generous proceeds from the Community Service fundraisers. I hope you will plan to attend both these events so you can celebrate with us.

Our theme for the year has been “*Membership: Friendship and Service, Now More Than Ever.*” I want to express my thanks to the Mesquite Club Board and all the members for carrying out the spirit of this theme so fully. Also, I thank you for the support I have received as President this year while we have been on a journey through uncertainty and ever-changing circumstances. The Mesquite Club always rises to challenges, and this year has been a wonderful example of the strength of our volunteers and the optimism of our volunteer spirit. Thank you for the opportunity to serve as President of the very best woman's organization in Las Vegas! I hope to see you all soon at the Mesquite Club!

Cathi Poer

SAVE THE DATE!

Mesquite Club

Annual Rummage Sale

Friday April 30, 2021 - 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Saturday, May 1, 2021 - 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Evening Scholarship Awards

Tuesday, May 4, 2021 - 6 p.m.

Garden Tea

Friday, May 7, 2021 - 1 p.m.

Evening Calendar Meeting

Tuesday, May 11, 2021 - 6 p.m.

Memorial/Business Meeting

Friday May 14, 2021 - 1 p.m.

Evening Installation

Tuesday, May 18, 2021 - 6 p.m.

Closing Luncheon

Friday, May 21, 2021 - 11 a.m. \$30

2021-2022 Calendar Meeting

Tuesday, May 25, 2021 - 10 a.m.

Clubhouse Inventory

Tuesday, June 1, 2021 - 12 p.m.



You Are Invited To Join

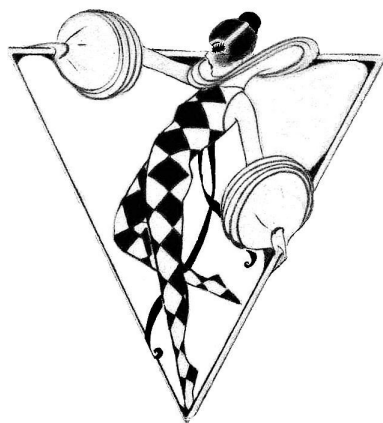
The Mesquite Club
for

A 1920's Spring Tea

Come for an Afternoon Recalling the Style of a Century Ago

Enjoy

An Elegant Tea with
Delightful Delicacies and Pastries
and
Entertainment



Friday, May 7, 2021, 1p.m.

*The Mesquite Clubhouse
702 East St. Louis Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada 89104*

RSVP by 4/30/21 - \$30 per person

To make your reservation, mail your check (Memo: 1920's Spring Tea) to:

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CRAZY DAISY



Afternoon at the Mesquite Club
Friday, May 21, 2021
11 a.m. Social—Noon Luncheon
\$30



R.S.V.P. deadline is May, 14, 2021

You are invited to join us as we close our Club year.

This has been a year like no other,
in the midst of a pandemic, we have been able to continue our good work.
Join us as we celebrate the year, install new officers, and make our
presentation to Freedom House



To reserve your space, send your payment to:
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Mesquite Club 2021-2022 Slate of Officers

Congratulations to our new officers!

Evening Officers

Evening Chair
Dolores Martinez
Chair Elect
Open
Devotions and We Care
Melissa Clary
Programs
Pam Ivey
Hospitality
Connie Macauley/Toby Power
Membership
Linda Shapona
Recording Secretary
Jane Reid
Financial Secretary
Jane Reid
Community Service
Bonnie Crawford/Ruth Larson
Ways and Means
Pat Garcia
Nominating Chair
Dolores Martinez
Historian
Toby Power
Evening Mesquite Representative
Arlene McCroy
Social Events
Cheryl Musser/Irene Armijo
Holiday Craft Auction
Bonnie Utton
Public Relations
Kelly Wallace
Scholarship
Toni Babbish/Poly Schmitt

Mesquite Club Board Chairs & Directors

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Barbara Bolling
President Elect
Open
First Vice President (Hospitality)
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Cherie Williams-DeWitt
Community Service
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Nominating
Lynda Schultz
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Jenny Durant/Sandra Ackerman
Evening Board Representative
Arlene McCroy

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Cathi Poer Lois Evora
Sandra Holliday Joan Doubrava

Nominating Committee

Annette Dorman
Julia Van Cise Tai Gregory
Elsa Torgerson Linda Zesiger

EVENING CHAIR LETTER; COMMUNITY SERVICE PARTNER



Dear Evening Mesquite Ladies,

How nice to see you all at both of the April meetings. Fifteen members attended the April 6 meeting, with three ladies participating through Zoom, and

we went one better on April 20, with 16 members attending the meeting in person, and one member Zoomed. I am looking forward to the time when Zooming is not necessary, and all members are comfortable with attending meetings at the Clubhouse! On the subject of Zoom, I would like to give a shout out and thank Vicki Lambert for providing the access to Zoom on her account and Linda Shapona for facilitating our being able to have Zoom at the meetings with her laptop. Thank you both so much!

Both meetings were very productive and showed signs of us, as a Club, moving forward. Two sign-ups were circulated, one for the Rummage Sale, to help with set-up and working the Sale, and the other for Chairs, for the 2021 HCA. Bonnie Utton, HCA chair, is in need of members to lead different committees that are necessary for a successful Holiday Craft Auction, so please consider getting involved, either as a leader or a committee member.

On April 20, three charities, Blind Center of Nevada, Foster Kinship, and Rebuilding Together Southern Nevada, presented in hopes of being the benefit recipient of our 2021 HCA. Each presentation was well done and very informative, making for a difficult Decision. In the end, Blind Center of Nevada won the vote and will be the 2021 HCA Benefit Recipient!

May will be a busy month, with us presenting Scholarships to three young ladies, on May 4, thanks to our very successful *"Best Gala That Won't Happen,"* back in November. On May 11, we will have a Calendar meeting for next Club year 2021-2022, and on May 18, we will install our chairs and new members.

Although May 18 is our last meeting for this Club year, there will be meetings during the Summer, for the HCA. I hope to see all your smiling faces at those meetings so that we can start planning and getting things going for the best HCA ever!

Remember, dues are due! Bring your checkbook to the May 4th meeting!

Thank you for your support. Love you all,

Dolores Martinez
Evening Chair 2020-2021

2021-2022 Community Service Partner

On Friday, April 23, we had three worthy organizations give presentations to members at the meeting.

Nevada Senior Services, Inc., they provide compassionate care and services to adults facing challenges of chronic diseases, disabilities, and aging.

The Embracing Project in association with Rite of Passage, this organization supports human trafficking survivors. They are the sole providers of Drop-in services for Commercially Sexually Exploited Children in the greater Las Vegas area.

Las Vegas Natural History Museum, since 1991 the Museum has been dedicated to opening the minds of children to science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) as well as natural history through its Open Door Field Trip Program and free Virtual Education Presentations for children, schools, and families.

Congratulations to **Las Vegas Natural History Museum**. It was a difficult choice, and it was decided that we can support the other organizations in many ways as well. A job well done by the donations committee.

Corinne Mewhirter, Chair

**The Mesquite Club,
supporting the
Community hosting a
shredding day in the
Clubhouse parking
lot!**

**The locals were very
Grateful!**



MAY

**Nancy Zangl
05/07**

**Annette Dorman
05/11**

**Arlene McCroy
05/14**

**Vera Knox
05/15**

**Tobylyn Power
05/20**

**Jane Reid
05/25**

**Diane Holst
05/31**



**Cathi Poer, Olivia Diaz, Cherie
Williams-DeWitt**



We had 105 cars come through.



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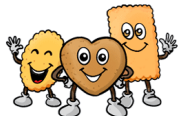


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2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Mesquite Club Rummage Sale April 30, 2021 & May 1, 2021 9 a.m. till 4 p.m.			1  <i>May Day</i>
2  WORLD LAUGHTER DAY	3	4 Board Meeting 10 a.m. Evening Meeting 6 p.m.	5  CINCO DE MAYO	6  National NURSES DAY	7 Garden Tea 1 p.m.	8
9  <i>Mother's Day</i>	10	11 Evening Calendar Meeting 6 p.m.	12  ART Classes	13	14 Business Meeting 1 p.m.	15  ARMED FORCES DAY
16	17	18 Evening Closing Meeting 6 p.m.	19  ART Classes	20  National Rescue Dog Day	21 Closing Luncheon 11 a.m.	22  <i>International Day for Biological Diversity</i>
23  WORLD TURTLE DAY	24	25  National Wine Day	26  ART Classes	27	28  <i>National Burger Day</i>	29  NATIONAL BISCUIT DAY
30  World MS Day	31  MEMORIAL DAY					

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**The deadline is June 15
For the Summer issue**

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Notes from your editor.

The year is coming to a close. What a year we have had. I am looking forward the upcoming year. After surviving the pandemic, we can do anything. It is time to renew our dues. I have submitted my check, have you? Don't forget to attend our final events of this year. We will end this challenging year with a bang.



I have attached an advertising form for your convenience. I encourage you to either place an ad in the newsletter or pass the form along to a business friend and ask them to support us. We can always use support!

I look forward to seeing you at an upcoming event. Remember that you are welcome to submit your recipes, stories, or any tips that I can include in a future newsletter. This newsletter belongs to the members and it thrives on your input. Thank you in advance.

Cherie



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