

THE MESQUITE

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February 2018

SAVE THE DATE

FEB 3, 2018,
Silver Tea 1 p.m.

FEB 9, 2018
Business Meeting 1 p.m.

FEB 16, 2018,
Regular Meeting 1 p.m.

MAR 2, 2018
Fine Arts Day 1 p.m.

MAR 9, 2018
New Member
Orientation 12 p.m.
Closed Business
Meeting 1 p.m.

MAR 16, 2018
Community Service
Fundraiser
11 a.m. Social
12 p.m. Luncheon

Mar 17, 2018
Shredding Day

EVENING

FEB 6, 2018, Ways & Means
Fundraiser 6 p.m.

FEB 20, 2018, Program/
Business Meeting 6 p.m.

MAR 6, 2018 Business
Meeting/HCA Nominations
6 p.m.

MAR 20, 2018
Business Meeting
6 p.m.

MAR 24, 2018
On-site Community
Service Activity
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Partnering to work smarter, not harder, supporting our local community.



Welcome to February,

This time of year love is in the air. This is also the time for our Silver Tea, where we celebrate the Club anniversary as well as honoring the dedication of our members. Please join us.

We have our ongoing projects, and we plan to keep our table available so that you can add your donations. Evening Community Service Supply Drive for City Impact Center Chair - Bonnie Crawford; Daytime Doris French Supply Drive Chair - Johanna Kennedy; Dress for Success Supply Drive Chair - Sue Churchill. Please feel free to contact the chairs listed here with any questions about donations.

I need your help and support with several projects that I want to create committees for;

- ♦ Variety Show on Sunday, May 6, 2018, suggested time 3 p.m. We are planning this with Phyliss Bell, she performed at our Holiday Bake Sale. We need about three (3) members that will help to plan the event and get invitations out for the event to the local community and other organizations. Phyliss would help to get the talent. We can find a food truck that would support this and offer a portion of the sales of their food. This could become a recurring event, supporting the Ways and Means committee.
- ♦ High Tea at the Las Vegas Country Club—I have been in touch with the catering manager at the Club and I have a menu. We need a small committee, about three (3) people, who will chose a date and get the invites done. We need to include other clubs in the community. This would be a great event for moms, grand moms and young girls. It could be on a Saturday or a Sunday. Please consider working on this. This could also become a recurring event for others to look forward to.
- ♦ A Potluck for the Embracing Project girls. This would entail, coordinating with Esther a date that girls can join us at the Clubhouse. We would prepare a potluck and just enjoy the company of girls who need the interaction of positive women.

These projects can be planned for a weekend so that all members can be included, as well as including ladies from other local clubs. Please consider working on any of these that speak to your heart.

Yes, I have lofty goals for the Club, but I know what our members can accomplish for our local community. I have set the templates for these projects, I need committees to take the reigns and run with it. PLEASE, help me out with this, or I may just be calling you for your help. Thank you for your support, I am honored to serve as your president.

Cherie Lee Williams

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE MESQUITE CLUB!



**Mesquite Club Annual Silver Tea
Club Anniversary and Service Awards
Friday, February 2, 2018 - 1 p.m.
Mesquite Clubhouse
702 E St Louis Ave
Las Vegas, Nevada 89104**

Join us for an afternoon of inspiration. We will Celebrate the 106th Year of Service to the Las Vegas Community. We will also honor members that have been doing the hard work for many years.

We hope to see you there and please bring a friend.

**"Staying Safe:
Perspectives from a trauma surgeon."**

**Friday, February 16, 2018
1 p.m.
Mesquite Clubhouse
702 E St Louis Ave
Las Vegas, Nevada 89104**



Deborah A. Kuhls,
MD FACS FCCM

Dr. Kuhls is a Trauma and General Surgeon and the Chief of the Section of Critical Care in the Department of Surgery, The Program Director of the Surgical Critical Care Fellowship program, The Medical Director of the Trauma Intensive Care Unit at University Medical Center of Southern Nevada (UMC) and chairs UMC's Critical Care Committee.

Dr. Kuhls, will speak to us about the challenges of staying safe from trauma. This will be a very informative presentation.

We hope to see you there and please bring a friend.

THE ROARING Twenties

Murder at the Mesquite Club

Friday, March 16, 2018

11 a.m. Social—12 p.m. Luncheon

Save your seat for \$25 by March 10, 2018

Who done it at the Speakeasy?

Come as a Flapper or come as you are!

Help us solve the mystery!

**To reserve your spot, send a check to:
Mesquite Club Attention: Nancy Zangl
P.O. Box 95662, Las Vegas, Nevada 89193**



Oh, You Beautiful Doll!

Ways and Means Fundraiser

Friday, April 6, 2018

**11 a.m. Social—12 p.m. Luncheon
\$50**

**Spend an afternoon with the
Beautiful Dolls of the Mesquite Club!
Fashion Show by Dress Barn!
Special, surprise entertainment!**

**Spedini's Restaurant—JW Marriott Hotel
221 North Rampart Drive
Las Vegas, Nevada 89145**

*We need Silent auction items
Contact Joan Dimmitt @ (702) 242-9012*

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EVENING: CHAIR LETTER; EVENING EVENTS



Dear Members of the Mesquite Club,

We have a lot of activities in the works, and all members are needed to make them happen. Thank you for your continued dedication to the Mesquite Club.

Judy Stebbins announced that one new member joined us for the second half of our Club year. We welcome Christina Frausto to Evening Mesquite. We also welcome Elaine Richardson and Kathleen Bryan who also joined us later in the fall, and Jacie Urquidi Maynard joined us at the beginning of the program year.

Pat Garcia, Pamela Ivey, Sunnie Rae Grigsby, and Irene Armijo agreed to serve as our ad-hoc committee to review the applications that we will have received from area nonprofits. The deadline for the nonprofits to submit the applications is February 15. The committee will start reviewing the applications as we receive them, and select the four agencies that they would invite to present at the March 6 meeting. I will serve as an ex-officio, non-voting member of the committee unless there is a tie.

Pat Garcia and Dolores Martinez continue their lunch socials that have been a great way for members to get to know each other better. The February 17 lunch will take place at Grimaldias (9595 S Eastern Ave. #100, Las Vegas, NV) at 11:30 a.m. Please get your reservations into either Pat or Dolores at least a week prior to the luncheon.

Bonnie Utton has planned the Winter Olympics Bunco Fundraiser for Tuesday, February 6, 2018, at the Mesquite Clubhouse. We will enjoy her terrific buffet meal, basket raffles, 50-50 raffles, and of course, Olympic prizes for the Bunco games. A flyer for the event is included in this newsletter. This event is important for us to meet our goal of Evening's contribution to the Mesquite Club budget. Plus, the evening will be a lot of fun!

On March 24, 2018, the Evening Ladies of the Mesquite Club will volunteer at the opening day of Miracle League of Las Vegas. It will be the perfect opportunity to see our Holiday Craft Auction money put to good use as we cheer on the players and help with the games.

Connie Macauley, as nominating chair, will be asking you to volunteer for leadership positions in the Evening Mesquite Club. Please complete her form and indicate how you want to serve in 2018-19.

Pam Ivey is recruiting readers for the applicants of the three scholarships that we will present in May. The readers will get an e-mail from Public Education Foundation in early March. The more readers we have, the fewer applications each member will need to read. It is a touching experience to read their stories so I encourage everyone to be involved.

We do have some busy months ahead. You are an important part of the Mesquite Club, and your participation is greatly appreciated!

In Federation friendship,

Jane Reid, 2016-17
Chair of the Evening Chapter of the Mesquite Club
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Mesquite Club Creed

Cherishing my membership in the Mesquite Club, it is my honest endeavor to sustain the high tradition of accomplishment for which it was created, and I pledge myself to uphold the Club in its good work and to guard its reputation as long as I am a member.



**The Mesquite Club salutes
USA athletes at the
WINTER OLYMPICS with its
BUNCO GAMES**

6 PM, Tuesday, February 6, 2018
Mesquite Clubhouse
702 E. St. Louis Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89104
\$20.00 Admission

**Olympic Buffet Dinner
Basket Raffles
50-50 Raffle
Bunco Awards**

Proceeds to fund the Evening Ways and Means

MEMORIAL FUND, SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS; UPCOMING EVENTS



birthdays, anniversaries,
congratulations, family members as well as sympathy.

Make checks payable to:

Mesquite Club Memorial Fund. Mail to:

Mesquite Club, P.O. Box 95662, LV, NV 89193.

Memorial Fund Report
For January, 2018

Activity

Number of Donors: 6

Donor
Jane Reid

Lois Evora
Betty Miller

Connie Macauley
Marilyn Rebman
Johanna Kennedy

In Memory of
Dave Macauley,
Marilyn Freeman
Alice Eubank
Sara Southard,
Alice Eubank,
Marilyn Freeman
Marilyn Freeman
Marilyn Freeman
Rita Isom

Beginning Balance:	\$ 9,055.41
Donations:	
12/20/17-1/15/18	\$500.00
TOTAL	\$ 9,555.41

Respectfully Submitted,

Ilene Baker,
Memorial Fund Chair

Morgan Stanley

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UPCOMING EVENTS! Mark Your Calendar!

All events are at the Clubhouse, unless otherwise indicated

- ♦ Fine Arts Day-Friday, March 2, 2018, 1 p.m.
- ♦ March 17, 2018 Shredding Day 10 a.m.
- ♦ April 6, 2018 Ways & Means Fundraiser
11 a.m. Social—Noon Luncheon
- ♦ Garden Tea-Friday, May 4, 2018, 1 p.m.
- ♦ Memorial Service-Friday, May 11, 2018, 1 p.m.
- ♦ Closing Luncheon-Friday, May 18, 2018,
11 a.m. Social—Noon Luncheon



GFWC 2018 Events

GFWC NEVADA STATE CONVENTION

April 27 - 29, 2018 - Elko, Nevada

GFWC ANNUAL CONVENTION

June 22-26, 2018 - St. Louis, Missouri

GFWC WSR CONFERENCE

September 13-16, 2018

Tuscany Hotel and Casino - Las Vegas, Nevada

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RELAY FOR LIFE—HELP TO FIGHT CANCER

Support Samantha Burke from Green Valley

Las Vegas Relay for Life
Saturday, April 14, 2018
10 a.m.-10 p.m.
The Linq
3535 S Las Vegas Blvd
Las Vegas, Nevada 89109



Henderson Relay for Life
Saturday, April 28, 2018
10 a.m.-10 p.m.
M Resort & Spa
12300 Las Vegas Blvd S
Henderson, Nevada 89044

Team: Suessville ~ Walmart-Relay Theme: Dr. Suess

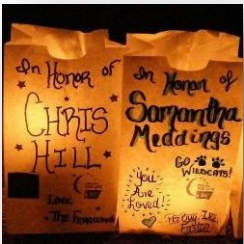
Samantha's personal link for more information :

<http://main.acsevents.org/goto/SamanthaBurke2018>

If you are a survivor, please register with My team. You will receive a Survivor shirt, you will also receive a goody bag made up by the teams and the community. If you or someone you know would like to donate to the survivor goody bags, please let me know. Caregivers please register also, you will get your own caregiver shirt.

We kick off Relay with the Survivors walking at Relay then the Caregivers join their survivors on the track. Survivors and Caregivers will have a lunch or dinner provided for them. Throughout the day there will be different activities, presentations, and more. Each team has their own onsite Fundraiser as well.

We are working to get Silent Auction and Raffle Items. We will have several fun laps throughout the Relay. Miss Relay is when a man from every team dresses up as a woman, does their talent on stage, gets asked pageant like questions then goes around raises money on the track. What a fun time.



We will have an amazing Luminary Ceremony and there will be an amazing Slide Show. The bags that Honor, Support and Remember our loved ones line the track are lit with led lights. Light up your community and honor every life touched by cancer. Dedicate a Luminaria to a loved one lost, someone currently battling, or anyone who has overcome cancer.



My goal this year is to raise at least \$2500, that is just \$100 for every year

My sister has been cancer FREE. Donations are tax deductible.

If you need more information, please contact Samantha. Thank you.

~Samantha Burke

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BOARD BRIEFS; CLUB FINANCIALS

BOARD BRIEFS



CALL TO ORDER: The January meeting of the Mesquite Club Executive Board was called to order by President Cherie Williams at 10:11 a.m. President Williams led the Pledge of Allegiance and the Collect.

December Board Meeting Minutes: The December Board Minutes, by Barbara Bolling, were filed as emailed.

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT: Annette Dorman reported that the afternoon Tea on January 5, was well attended. Annette reminded meeting chairs to call John at least one day before the scheduled meeting.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY: Sylvia Phillips read a letter from Marj Pepper, a guest at the Holiday Luncheon, thanking the club for such a wonderful event and thanking the members for making our community a better place to live.

TREASURER: Lynda Schultz handed out the December financial data for the Mesquite Club. It was filed as submitted.

FINANCIAL SECRETARY: Nancy Zangl said that total income for December was \$6,154.96. Her report was filed as submitted.

Elected Chair Reports

Ways and Means: Barbara Bolling read Joan Dimmitt's report. It mentioned successful projects such as the Mariachi Luncheon, Terry Lynn Nuts and the bake sale, as well as the private luncheon. Diane Holtz had to resign as Co-Chair of the committee, due to health issues.

Community Service: Sandy Holiday, reporting for Corrinne Mewhirter, said the Mystery Party, slated for March 16, is going to be great and to please bring a friend.

EVENING CHAIR REPRESENTATIVE: Jane Reid reported that the evening group had a great Holiday Dinner, with good attendance, on December 5. Marilyn Freeman's memorial service was held on December 15, with many Mesquite members present. They are meeting this evening and will have a Ways and Means event on February 6.

Building: Cathi Poer reported that we are having issues with the front air conditioner. John and Lynda Schultz are researching to make sure we don't pay for parts that were already replaced. There are two leaks in the roof and John will check to see if some areas need resealing.

DIRECTORS:

Joan Doubrava reported that By-Law changes must be submitted to her committee by January 15.

Sandy Holiday submitted a written report for Community Service that encompassed June through December, 2017.

Lois Evora reported that she had spoken with the Principal at Doris French and that the Principal thanked Mesquite Club for helping make the school a FIVE STAR SCHOOL. Lois said the library that the club helped start is amazing.

New Business

Barbara Bolling suggested that we start a memorial wall outside, on the eastside of the clubhouse. Discussion was held as to where it should be placed and discussed using tiles versus bricks. The board feels that a committee should be formed to look into this project. Barbara will help research costs.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting was adjourned at 11:07.

\$ MESQUITE CLUB FINANCIAL STATEMENT \$

Mesquite Club Treasurers, Lynda Schultz,

Report for December 2017 given on January 9, Board Meeting.

Balance ending Nov 30, 2017 \$51,892.76

Interest for Dec \$2.20

Total Savings Dec 31, 2017 \$51,894.96

Interest earned/Savings \$143.00

Maintenance Reserve \$15,000.00

General savings \$36,751.85

Total savings 12/31/2017 \$51,894.96

B/ A Checking 11/30/2017 \$50,197.87

Deposits for Nov + \$6,126.25

Subtotal \$56,324.12

Nov expenses, cleared - \$7,387.14

Balance Checking 12/31/2017 \$48,936.98

B/A Savings \$51,894.96

B/A Checking \$48,936.98

Total in Bank Accounts 12/31/2017 \$100,831.94

Checking \$48,936.98

Less Designated Funds - \$30,931.98

General Operating Funds 12/31/2017 \$18,005.00

Designated Funds

Choir \$692.84

Community Service, Day \$3,423.00

Community Service, Eve. \$11,509.67

Crafts \$4,836.51

Landscaping \$825.00

Memorial Fund \$9,139.41

We Care \$505.55

Total Designated Funds \$30,931.98



**Hamilton will be at the Smith Center from
May 29, thru June 24, 2018**

New Deadline dates

For group sales, you need a minimum of 10 people. Group sales will be available in March. The pricing for the shows has not been determined, but I have been given that approximate price. If you are interested in group tickets to see Hamilton. We are hoping to acquire group tickets to this show. If you are interested in tickets, please let me know by sending a **\$225 per ticket deposit to Cherie Lee Williams P.O. Box 26185, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89126. Please send this no later than March 15, 2018.**

I hope to start negotiations for tickets before the end of March. This deposit is to ensure that when the tickets are available, they can be purchased on the spot. If we are not able to get the tickets for you, this will be refunded to you. I will also have information for the available dates as well.



February



2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 Silver Tea 1 p.m.	3
4 	5 Crafts 10 a.m.	6 Board Meeting 10 a.m. Evening Meeting 6 p.m.	7 10 a.m. Art Class 12 Noon Poker	8	9 Business Meeting 1 p.m.	10
11	12 Crafts 10 a.m.	13	14 10 a.m. Art Class 12 Noon Poker 	15	16 Regular Meeting 1 p.m. 	17 Social Event Grimaldias 9595 S Eastern Ave. #100, LV, NV 11:30 a.m.
18	19 Crafts 10 a.m. 	20 Business Meeting 6 p.m.	21 10 a.m. Art Class 12 Noon Poker	22	23	24
25	26 Crafts 10 a.m.	27	28 10 a.m. Art Class 12 Noon Poker	March 1	March 2 Fine Arts Day 1 p.m. 	March 3



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



Nancy Alf 02/01

Joan Doubrava 02/04

Phyllis Noblitt 02/07

Joan Lapan 02/10

Helga Caggiano 02/13

Lilly Partridge 02/24

PLEASE NOTE!

THE NEXT DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 15
FOR THE ISSUE MARCH
DON'T WAIT 'TIL IT'S TOO LATE!

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