

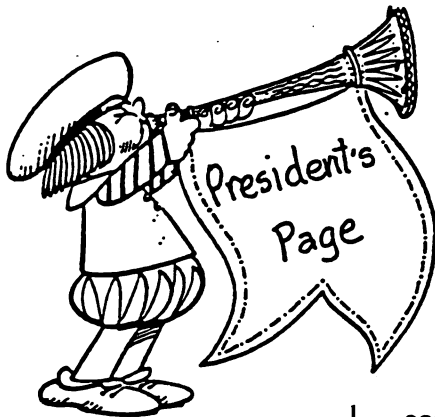


The Mesquiter



Issue 2

July 1996



“SERVE WILLINGLY, ACHIEVE PROUDLY”

Your President's Theme for 1996-1997

As many past presidents have noted, the month of June is BUSY and I am in complete agreement with them. The newly formed committees have been meeting and the plans that are being made will make the 1996-1997 year a year of service and achievement, beyond our greatest expectations. I hope every Mesquite Club member will exhibit the enthusiasm and acquire the supportive attitude and show the cooperation, I have observed in attending these committee meetings.

Thank you for affording me the opportunity to attend the International GFWC Convention in Nashville. It was a very busy time and a very learning time. Congratulations to Colleen Haycock, who was installed as Western States Secretary, by Past International GFWC President, Alice Donahue. I was very proud to be able to attend her installation. I will be giving a report on the convention at the Opening Luncheon.

Twenty one ladies, members of Mesquite Club, Junior Mesquite Club and the Boulder City Women's Club attended the Parliamentary Procedure Workshop on June 22. This seminar served as a refresher course in Parliamentary Procedure to some and brought us up to date on Robert's Rules and will help us to expedite the business of our respective clubs.

The New Sound Choir hosted a lovely Luncheon and Card Party on June 21. The array and variety of salads offered, outdid a Las Vegas Buffet. I wonder if the Choir might share the salad recipes for a price. I would gladly pay for the recipes!

You will find elsewhere in this issue of the Mesquiter, the summer functions that are being planned for us and I will look forward to seeing our members at the GFWC Fashion Show and Luncheon and the Evening Mesquite Club Ways and Means Luncheon.

Lovingly,

Beverly

FINANCIAL SECRETARY REPORT

WE CARE COMMITTEE REPORT

July 2, 1996

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REVISED MEMBERSHIP:

**304 Members
+6 Honorary
310 Total**

PAST PRESIDENTS BIRTHDAYS:

July 27	Blanche Zucker Bozarth
August 4	Katherine Symons
August 10	Betty Miller
August 10	Alice Pearson
August 14	Audrey Wickman
August 15	Paula Mendenhall
August 16	Alva Shelton

RESIGNATIONS:

Phyllis Bowgren	Wanda Hoopes
Marilyn Hart	Linda Symonds

JULY AND AUGUST BIRTHDAYS:

July	August
17 Bette Butler	6 Sally McKenney
17 Ruby Heath	7 Kathy Fehr
20 Joanne Downer	8 Marcheta Cook
21 Rita Collins	9 Beverly Cochran
22 Bernice Fischer	9 Edna Ansett
23 Rochelle David	10 Nony Davis
25Tove Allen	12 Peggy Casey
27 Jerrie Pearson	14 Rosie Essex
28 Mary Lathrop	14 Marilyn Harding
29 Janice Lennartz	14 Joyce Murdy
30 Maude Holler	16 Mildred Cotner

DEATHS:

Barbara Butler 6-17-96

**ADDRESS—TELEPHONE—BIRTHDATE
CHANGES:**

**Margaret Crockett
17 Princeville Dr.**

**Alva Shelton
3890 Nobel Dr. Suite 1506
San Diego, CA 92122
619-597-8122**

**Ruth Egan May 7
Bette Lodle Aug.28**

**Gloria Todd (Belch) Harvey
823 Sea Pine
Las Vegas, NV 89107
878-2918

Sandy Sheets **258-0005

Respectfully Submitted,

Joan M. LeMere

THOUGHTS

What dreadful hot weather we have! It keeps me in a continued state of inelegance.
Jane Austen

GET WELL CARDS:

Pat Duncombe	Rachel Estrin
Colleen Haycock	Phyllis Hendrickson
Nicholas Smith(son of GFWC-Nevada President, Kathy Smith)	

THINKING OF YOU CARDS:

Jane Hubbard	Mary Heenan
Nadine Ricks	Barbara Butler
Tove Allen	

SYMPATHY CARDS

**Bette Butler—death of brother
Martha Butler—death of member, Barbara Butler**

Alice J. Pearson.

Chairman, We Care Committee

Dear Friends and Members of Mesquite:

Thank you so much for your beautiful cards, notes prayers, thoughts and concern during my recent surgery. I truly appreciate each one of you and the kindness you have shown. Fondly,
Nadine Ricks

Words cannot express how grateful I am for your calls, prayers, cards, notes and Memorial Donations for my beloved Charley. It helps to know he was loved by so many. Thanks, too, to our "We Care" chairman, Marilyn Essex, who arrived quickly with so much help. Love to all,
Nony Davis

WE CARE, (continued from page 2)

I want to thank all of my wonderful friends who were so supportive during this trying time. Your cards and calls and most of all your prayers were greatly appreciated.
Thank you so much. *Mary Heenan*

MEMORIAL FUND

Month of June

We wish to acknowledge the following contributions:

Donors

Honor of Lois Mahood: Virginia Longley
Rosemary Dehn
Alice Latimer
Ruth Bostic

Memory of Charlie Davis: Virginia Longley
Alice Eubank
Beverly Sawinsky
Maude Holler
Peggy Simon
Col/Mrs Robert Murdy
Dr/Mrs Max Dubrava

Memory of Mal Morledge: Peggy Simon

Memory of Barbara Butler: Dolores Kology
Sara Southard

Honor of Gloria (Belch) and
Harvey Todd (Marriage) Bob & Jo Waters

We thank you for your continuing support toward our club's capital improvements.

Memorial Committee Chairman

*June Eckenroth***NOTE:**

Due to an editing error in last months Mesquiter the contributions for the following should have been credited to Lois Freeman:

Honor of Nony & Charley Davis
Memory of Virginia Culley
Memory of George Alf
Memory of Dorothy Preston
Honor of June Eckenroth

ENTERTAINMENT! ENTERTAINMENT!

Ladies, as you know, the 1996-1997 ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS will be sold by the Ways and Means Committee. The sale of the ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS will be on a pre-order basis to facilitate sales without disruption of our weekly meetings. Please send your checks at your earliest convenience to Joan LeMere, 4576 El Escorial Ct., Las Vegas, NV 89121. Your check should be made out to Mesquite Club, Inc. in the amount of \$30.00 for each book. Your pre-ordered ENTERTAINMENT BOOK will be available for pickup early October.

ANNOUNCING THE BIRTH OF A NEW**PRODUCT SOON!!!!**

A totally new item will be front page news soon....and will make its first appearance at the "Country Store" on November 22, 1996, Its a must for every home, takes very little storage space, and its entertainment for any age. Check the August Mesquiter for further details.

Rose Irwin

Ways and Means Chairman

THOUGHTS

The very essence of leadership is that you have to have vision. You can't blow an uncertain trumpet.

Theodore Hesburgh

It is the greatest of all mistakes to do nothing because you can only do a little. Do what you can.

Sydney Smith

If you truly want to understand something, try to change it.

Kurt Lewin

BOARD BRIEFS

- ◆ In the future, all Business Meetings will have a very short program.
- ◆ Side rails will be placed on steps of stage.
- ◆ The Proposed Budget was approved.
- ◆ Opening Luncheon will be September 20th.
- ◆ Correction to Appointive Chairmen as appeared in June Mesquiter:

Rose Garden Liaison: Flo Mlynarczyk

**WESTERN STATES REGIONAL
CONFERENCE**

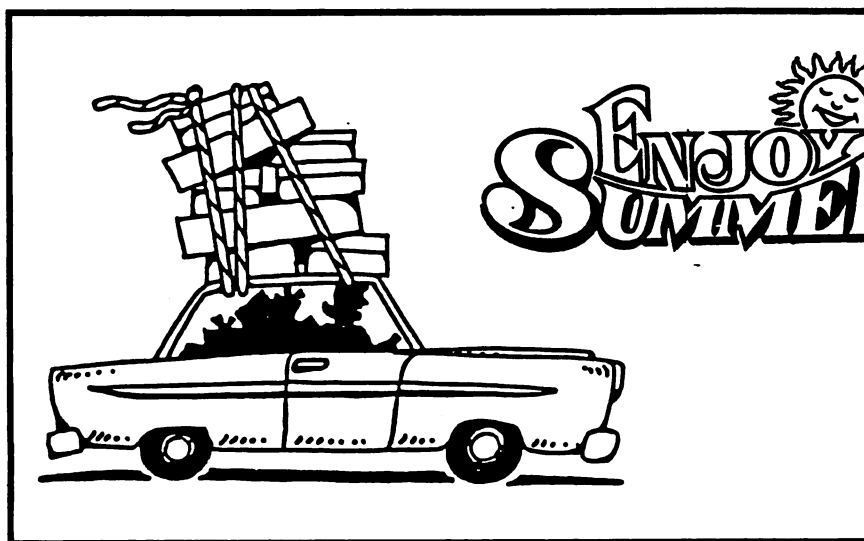
Where: Salt Lake City, Utah
Red Lion Inn

When: October 11 - 13

Registration Deadline - September 30, 1996

For further information please call:

Rose Irwin
457-4577

**MARATHON BRIDGE UPDATE**

It is not too late to sign up for the Mesquite Marathon. Remember Ladies, this is a fund raising event for the club, an opportunity to know more people and have an enjoyable time while helping with club finances.

To complete our schedules we need :

two more pairs for the First Wednesday Bridge
at the club house

and one more pair for couples bridge.

Call 656-1357

Trish Heinzmann

EDITORS NOTE

- ◇ Deadline for material to be included is end of Board Meeting on first Tuesday of the month
- ◇ Must be submitted in writing (preferably typewritten) and signed. Please—not all upper case.
- ◇ All names must be spelled correctly.
- ◇ If special graphics are desired, please submit with copy, or discuss with Editor.
- ◇ No "Thank You's" from Committee Chairman to Committee.
- ◇ If Mesquiter is to be sent to an address other than the one listed in book, a 32 cent self-addressed envelope is to be furnished to Editor, as Bulk Mail does not forward.

◇ Thank you

◇

Jo Waters

Luncheon & Bridge

Saturday - August 3

11:00 - Social Hour

11:30 - Luncheon

Luncheon is \$10.00. Wine is \$1.00 per glass.

*RSVP not later than Sunday, July 28 to
Kay McCauslin - 451-3288*

*Luncheon and Bridge will be hosted by
Evening Mesquite Ways and Means Committee*



You know the old saying.....

*“One Mans’ Trash
Is Anothers Treasure”*

The Junior Mesquite

Is Having a “Trash and Treasures” Sale

Mesquite Clubhouse

July 26th and 27th

9:00 AM ‘Til It’s All Sold



*Bobbi Jo Lauderdale
Third Vice President
Jr. Mesquite*

To a Bird on My Lamp Post



You look around the world and down,
As I look up:
And the moon shines on both of us.

We sit alone
I am silent, but your songs are solace and wonder to me.

You call, but no other bird joins you.
A fitting, screeching one pauses for a moment on the line to listen.
And your music becomes intense;
But the smaller bird flies away.

Night after night you call and call, but there is no answer.
Sometimes you leave your perch, but only for seconds.
No one notices you.

Do you ache to join the others?
Are you happy making sounds that only you can understand?

Soon the song ceases, but still you watch.
Then one night you disappear,
Leaving me with bowed head and the memory of your melodies
and of your cacophonies
And question after question about the mind of God and Universe.


Barbara Butler

First Place Winner
GFWC Poetry Contest, 1989

TO THE MEMORY OF BARBARA BUTLER

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JULY 1996

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	1	Board Meeting	3		5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	GFWC-NV Lunch & Fashion Show
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	Jr. Mesq. Sale	Jr. Mesq. Sale
28	29	30	31	August 1	August 2	Evening Mesq. Luncheon & Bridge

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 Award Winning
 Poem*

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