



# The Mesquiter

***“We Rise By Lifting Others.”***

Our calendars indicate January is the beginning of the year, but I disagree. In September, after school begins, first comes cooling trends, which always reminds me to haul down my somewhat droopy fall décor, from the garage. Then I KNOW OUR NEW CLUB YEAR HAS BEGUN.



Autumn is filled with the possibilities of not only exciting Club and community activities, but as residents of the Mojave Desert, we see cooling temperatures as renewal. Our energy levels rise. We all look forward to milder weather, especially after surviving through several months of extreme heat. *“Enough, we cry.”* We will grab HEAT by the throat and hurl it away...send it to the moon! BUG-OFF HEAT! We are done with you. Now, bring me my fuzzy slippers, hot chocolate, and pumpkin recipes.

Connie Sue Hines, Linda Zesiger, and the new member committee did an excellent job with hosting the Opening Day Luncheon. The committee, comprised of new members, was phenomenal. It brought joy to our hearts to see our new members working together, so very much engaged in their efforts as they put together one of the best luncheons...ever. It was a “beary” good picnic, which included fried chicken and humongous slices of apple pie. Besides, who doesn’t love a Teddy Bear? We were happily surrounded by them. Thank you again, ladies.

Meanwhile, as we forge ahead, please plan on attending the many, wonderful October events we have planned. First a Tea with honorees, then onto both a Board and a Business Meeting. We have two Ways and Means fundraisers. One is sponsored by the day group, and one by the evening group. Please check the calendar for dates and times during this busy month.

My admiration continues for the Executive Board of Directors, the Chairs, both day and evening members, as well as their officers. I see many of you working tirelessly. Thank you for your continuing participation and involvement. I salute you!

Barbara Bolling, President

## SAVE THESE DATES!

**Friday, October 1, 2021**

*Afternoon Tea 1 p.m.*

**Tuesday, October 5, 2021**

*Evening Tour of The Blind Center of Nevada 1 p.m.*

**Friday, October 8, 2021**

*Business Meeting 1 p.m.*

**Friday, October 15, 2021**

*Octoberfest Luncheon \$30  
11 a.m. Social 12 p.m. Luncheon*

**Friday, October 22, 2021**

*Silk Screen Class, 1-3 p.m. \$30*

**Saturday, October 23, 2021**

*GFWC Nevada Fall Board Meeting  
Mesquite Clubhouse 9 a.m.-3 p.m.*

**Friday, October 29, 2021**

*Evening Ways & Means \$20  
Low Down Hoedown, 12 p.m.*

**Tuesday, November 2, 2021**

*Evening HCA working meeting 6 p.m.*

**Wednesday, November 3, 2021**

*An Afternoon with Edith Head \$40  
A GFWC Nevada Fundraiser 1 p.m.*

**Friday, November 5, 2021**

*Afternoon Tea 1 p.m.*

**Thursday, November 11, 2021**

*Ways & Means Cooking Class  
12 p.m. - \$50*

**Friday, November 12, 2021**

*Business Meeting 1 p.m.*

**Friday, November 19, 2021**

*LVN History Museum Tour 1 p.m.*

**Friday, November 19, 2021**

*Holiday Craft Auction 5:30 p.m.  
\$25*



Hey, it's time to jump into your lederhosen,  
grab your bier stein, and yodel your way over to our haus.

It's an Oktoberfest Celebration!

Friday, October 15, 2021

11 a.m. Social - 12 p.m. Luncheon

\$30

Mesquite Club Clubhouse

702 E St Louis Ave, Las Vegas, Nevada 89104



To RSVP Send your check to:

Mesquite Club Financial Secretary

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

Or email: [mesquiteclublasvegas1911@gmail.com](mailto:mesquiteclublasvegas1911@gmail.com)

You may pay at the door by credit card.



So...bring yourself and whomever else you think would enjoy some  
kraut and bier for an afternoon of wholesome German fun!

*"Wir sehen uns dort" (See you there.)*

# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE MESQUITE CLUB?



Ways & Means Events!  
Cooking Classes with  
Chef Jenny  
\$50 per class

## Upcoming Classes

Thursday, January 13th French "Bon Appetit"  
Thursday, April 14th Italian

12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Limited seating only 10 each class!



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to:

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Las Vegas, NV 89193

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Thursday, November 11, 2021

## Holiday Menu

Warm Lemon and Rosemary Olives with Blue  
Cheese Ciabatta  
Butternut Squash Soup  
Steak Diane  
English Roasted Potatoes and Peas  
Sticky Toffee Pudding

Evening Members of the  
Mesquite Club present:

*Winter Wonderland*  
*36th Annual Holiday*  
*Craft Live Auction*

Friday, November 19, 2021  
Doors open at 5:30 p.m.

Mesquite Clubhouse  
702 E. St. Louis Avenue  
Las Vegas, NV 89104

*Drinks--Buffet Dinner--Raffles*  
*Table Seating!*

*\$25 donation per person to attend*

Proceeds to Benefit:  
The Blind Center of Nevada  
Evening Mesquite Scholarship Fund

## Silk Screen Class

Friday, October 22

1 p.m.

\$30



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

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# EVENING CHAIR LETTER; EVENING EVENTS

Dear Ladies of Evening Mesquite Club,



I'm so sorry I missed our first meeting of our club year, because by all accounts, it was a great, Welcome Back meeting, with 20 ladies attending, including two day members, two new members, and one guest! Linda Shapona, and her committee, organized a very welcoming meeting with "A Fresh Start to the New Year!" There were EXPO tables showcasing our committee programs and events, and she kicked off our All Club Membership Campaign, with a goal to recruit 15 new members this club year.

Well, we are off to a good start, with two new members, Jessica Fox and Laura Nelson, and Barbara Grogan, signing up during the meeting. I understand that day has two new members. Great job ladies of Mesquite club; that's a third of the goal already! I want to thank all the ladies involved in making this meeting a huge success, especially Linda Shapona, her committee, and Toby Power for chairing the meeting in my absence. I also want to mention Linda's Mexican Lasagna, which I heard was delicious!

On Tuesday, October 5, we will be visiting the Blind Center of Nevada, our HCA recipient, at 1 p.m. We will tour the facility and enjoy a light meal. Members will be able to bring old electronics, that they would like to donate. I will be sending out an email with more information about this program and location.

Let's not forget about the Ways and Means "Low Down, Hoe Down" on Friday, October 29, at noon, at the Clubhouse! Pat Garcia and her committee are planning a fun afternoon, with a live band, raffle baskets, a western buffet, and games! You can RSVP to Pat, at her home, 702-734-5978, her cell, 702-498-5754, or email, bird48@cox.net. If you forget to RSVP, not to worry, "Come on Down Anyway!"

Our next regular meeting at the Clubhouse will be November 2. This will also be a work meeting for the Holiday Craft Auction. Remember, all Evening Members are required to donate an item for the live auction, and November 2, is the deadline for a description and value of your item, to be sent to Jane Reid.

Thank you all for your "Membership, Friendship, and Service,"

Dolores Martinez, Evening Chair



**Dust off your hats, polish your boots and bring your partner!**

**Join us for a**

**LOW DOWN, HOE DOWN!**

**Friday October 29, 2021 - 12 p.m.**

**Mesquite Club Clubhouse**

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

**Live Band—Raffle Baskets—Games—Western Buffet**

**Donation: \$20**



**RSVP Pat Garcia (home) 702-734-5978 (cell) 702-498-5754, Email: bird48@cox.net**

**RSVP to: Mesquite Club, Inc.**

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

**You may pay at the door.**

**If you forget to RSVP or decide at the last minute, "Come on Down Anyway!"**

# SPEND AN AFTERNOON WITH EDITH HEAD!



## AN AFTERNOON WITH EDITH HEAD A GFWC NEVADA FUNDRAISER



An incredibly successful costume designer with eight Oscars to prove it, Edith Head's dazzling career continues to inspire new generations of designers. She dressed the biggest stars to shine over Hollywood. Adored by some, hated by others, Edith Head's highly competitive and secretive nature drove her career to a meteoric height. Join educational entertainer, Martina Mathisen, to discover why Edith Head was the most influential, costume designer in Hollywood history.

Using your **imagination**, you will be **transported** to a time not so long ago:  
To the **Golden Age of Hollywood...**

... to a new, employee-orientation meeting in a costume department workroom  
where you will meet **your new boss and mentor...** **Costume Designer: Edith Head!**



**We hope that you get the job!**

You are invited to your new employee meeting in the costume department at the Mesquite Clubhouse

Wednesday, November 3, 2021

1 p.m. sharp – Edith does not like late comers

\$40 processing fee, includes tea and refreshments

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

For more information: email: [gfwcnevada@gmail.com](mailto:gfwcnevada@gmail.com) - Contact Edith's assistant, Cherie @ (702) 405-9422

**To reserve your place, mail your check for \$40 made out to GFWC Nevada.**

**GFWC Nevada**

**C/O Joan Doubrava**

**5505 Indian Hills Avenue - Las Vegas, Nevada 89130**





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10/01

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10/09

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10/10

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10/12

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10/24

Helen Holland

10/25

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10/30

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Your donation here helps with major improvements to the Clubhouse.

Thank you to the following members:

Betty Miller, Jan White, Sue Churchill

in memory of Max Doubrava

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Joan Doubrava and her family would like to thank the Ladies of the Mesquite

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Club for the cards, flowers, love and support.

It is greatly appreciated,  
Thank you!

## 7 RULES OF LIFE

1. **SMILE**  
*IT ALWAYS WORKS OUT IN THE END!*
2. **BE KIND**  
*YOU HAVE THE POWER TO MAKE PEOPLE FEEL GOOD!*
3. **DON'T GIVE UP**  
*IF IT DOESN'T WORK THE FIRST TIME, FIND ANOTHER WAY!*
4. **DON'T COMPARE**  
*EVERYONE'S ON A DIFFERENT JOURNEY!*
5. **AVOID NEGATIVITY**  
*AVOID NEGATIVE THOUGHTS, SITUATIONS & PEOPLE!*
6. **MAKE PEACE WITH YOUR PAST**  
*FOCUS ON BEING PRESENT & CREATING A BETTER FUTURE!*
7. **TAKE CARE OF YOUR BODY & MIND**  
*ONE STRUGGLES TO SURVIVE WITHOUT THE OTHER!*

Thought  
for the  
month

# OCTOBER

# 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>October 2021 is Observed as: Breast Cancer Awareness Month Domestic Violence Awareness</p>					<p>1 Afternoon Tea 1 p.m.</p>	<p>2  NAME YOUR CAR DAY</p>
3	<p>4  NATIONAL TACO DAY</p>	<p>5 Board Meeting 10 a.m. Evening Meeting Blind Center Tour 1 p.m.</p>	<p>6 10 a.m.  12 p.m. </p>	7	<p>8 Business Meeting 1 p.m.</p>	<p>9  LEIF ERIKSON DAY</p>
<p>10  World Mental Health Day</p>	<p>11  Columbus Day</p>	<p>12  ADA LOVELACE DAY</p>	<p>13 10 a.m.  12 p.m. </p>	<p>14  NATIONAL DESSERT DAY</p>	<p>15 Octoberfest 11 a.m. Social Noon Lunch \$30</p>	<p>16  World Food Day</p>
<p>17  National Pasta Day</p>	18	19	<p>20 10 a.m.  12 p.m. </p>	21	<p>22 Silk Screen Class 1 to 3 p.m. \$30</p>	<p>23 GFWC Nevada Fall Board Meeting 9 a.m.</p>
<p>24  United Nations Day</p>	25	<p>26  National Pumpkin Day</p>	<p>27 10 a.m.  12 p.m. </p>	<p>28  National Chocolate Day</p>	<p>29 Evening Hoe Down 12 p.m. \$20</p>	<p>30  NATIONAL CANDY CORN DAY</p>
<p>31  HALLOWEEN</p>						

## Notes from your editor.

### Vol. 3 Issue: October

This newsletter is published 10 times annually for members and friends of the Mesquite Club, Inc.

**The deadline is October 15  
For the November issue**

***DON'T MISS THE BOAT!  
LATE SUBMISSIONS ARE NOT GUARANTEED  
TO BE INCLUDED***

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submission of articles, contact:**

**Cherie Lee Williams**

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### Clubhouse Rental Information

Members can rent the Clubhouse for an event. Here are the requirements.

- ◆ All rentals must be sponsored by a Club member.
- ◆ Refundable Security Deposit: \$400
- ◆ Per Day Usage Fee \$450;  
Main Room & Restrooms
- ◆ Per Day Usage Fee \$600; Main Room,  
Restrooms & Kitchen
- ◆ Rentals are for a total of six (6) hours, including set-up and break-down. If the rental extends more than six hours, there will be a \$50 an hour additional charge.

**Rentals help with the upkeep of the building.**

If you are interested in renting the Clubhouse for your event, contact Cherie at [cherieleewilliams@earthlink.net](mailto:cherieleewilliams@earthlink.net).



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with the  
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