

CARSON CITY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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January 2017 Newsy Letter (Published early February)

Dear Members and Friends,

We're sorry for getting out the January Newsy Letter late. In any case, farewell to 2016 and its problems, and welcome to 2017 and its SOLUTIONS!

We're starting 2017 with five **new members** (as of this writing): SHERRY & TOM GRUNDY, MARLA MILES, MARIAN & STEVE PANTER. WELCOME to each of you, and we hope to see you at the various activities from now on.





This leads us to DUES, which are now due! We normally ask you to make the effort to pay your annual dues within the month of January 2017, so please do so as soon as possible. Our membership chair, MARY DEFELICE, and treasurer, D.D. SPENCER, will appreciate the simplified record keeping. Mail your check to CCHS, 112 N. Curry Street, Carson City, NV 89703. Single membership is still only \$25; couple membership is at a bargain \$35. A

membership list will be included in a future Newsy Letter. Information about additional membership levels is on the next page.

The **Carriage House** has received its Certificate of Occupancy and is being used for all CCHS meetings.

Restoration of the Foreman-Roberts House: Brian Foote, Belfor Restorations, attended the January Board Meeting and described restoration procedures. While the two insurance claims have been paid, there are insufficient funds to have Belfor clean everything.

We appreciated SUE & GARY BALLEW, JEANELL PEVEY, BONNIE & KIYOSHI NISHIKAWA, GILLIAN & FRANK MELLOR, and SUE COOK joining the January Board meeting and participating in the discussions. You, too, are invited to join the Board at their monthly meetings (normally second Monday of each month). February 13, 2017, is the next Board meeting, and we hope to see you then.

IDEAS for the Foreman-Roberts House:

- Return the Nevada State Museum's items with our grateful thanks for the use of their inventory over the 40-some years.
- Replace all but the most valuable items with donations of antiques from members, which might give a more cohesive look.
- Have only 2 rooms as a house museum and remainder of house as a Carson City Museum. Displays could be on only pertinent/relevant City events, organizations, people, etc.

Other unique ideas could be implemented. Gary Cain, President, has requested you mail or call your ideas and opinions on changing Foreman-Roberts House emphasis to him by February 3, 2017, or as soon as possible (Gary Cain, 412 N. Curry St., CC, NV 89703 - 885-7643). The Board will then have guidance for the February 13 meeting to which you are most welcomed to attend. A membership vote will be held in the future before any change is made.



Carriage House Challenge: David and Elinor Bugli have challenged Members and Friends to match any and all donations up to \$1000 by February 17, 2017, for needed item for the Carriage House. A listing of items is being prepared. To join this marvelous group of caring contributors, please send your checks, marked "Carriage House Challenge," to CCHS, 112 N. Curry St., Carson City, NV 89703. THANK YOU!!

Recent "Carriage House Challenge" contributors: PATRON (\$50 or more) - Susan Lombardi, Pat Holub HISTORIAN (\$100-\$249) - Lynn Mallett CURATOR (\$250-\$499) - none yet PRESERVATIONIST (\$500-\$999) - Marian and Steve Panter CURRY (\$1000-\$4999) - none yet FOUNDER (\$5000 and above) - none yet

Looking forward to Valentine's Day!



Carson City Historical Society Board

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP LEVELS:

| Individual member | \$25 |
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| Family (couple) membership | \$35 |
| Patron | \$50 to \$99 |
| Historian | \$100 to \$249 |
| Curator | \$250 to \$499 |
| Preservationist | \$500 to \$999 |
| Curry | \$1000 to \$4999 |
| Founder | \$5000 or more |

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