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November 2017 Newsy Letter

Dear CCHS members and friends,

There are several announcements and reminders to share with you, especially in hopes that you will join us for our Holiday luncheon party and year end member meeting at the Bliss Mansion to celebrate a productive year for CCHS.

Holiday Party - You may have already received an invitation, by mail or email, to our **December 3 party at 1:00** at the **Bliss Mansion**, 608 Elizabeth Street, Carson City. The cost is \$30 per person which includes a light buffet lunch and a wine bar. We will dine to the entertaining music of "Squeek," a well-known pianist, and Larry, a banjo player, both from Virginia City. Following lunch, Dr. Michael Fischer will give a lively and informative historical presentation that will leave you enlightened and entertained. And, we will be electing next year's officers for the Board, giving a year-end report, and conducting a bit of other business.

Please be sure to RSVP to Paula Cannon at 775-887-8865 by November 27! You may pay when you arrive, but a final count to the caterer is needed by 11/28. If you make a reservation and don't attend, we will still need to pay the caterer, so please come if you have made a reservation. Thank you!

Nominations - for the incoming Board are as follows: Debbie Lane, President; Loretta Williams, 1st Vice President; Bonnie Nishikawa, 2nd Vice President; David Bugli, Secretary; Kiyoshi Nishikawa, Treasurer; and Mary DeFelice, Membership Chair. We will open the floor to nominations for these roles, but if you know you are interested, please contact Paula Cannon to express your interest to be on the Board.

Bylaws Change - We will also be asking for support of a Bylaws change to add up to three elected, voting members to the Board of Directors. This would allow us to add future roles to the Board such as a Collections Management Director, a Special Events Director, or other leadership roles necessary to accomplish a host of goals for 2018 and beyond. Since a change to the Bylaws requires two Membership meetings to approve, this change would not go into effect until early 2018, if passed.

Membership - Finally, **January 1** is the beginning of our membership year, so please consider paying your dues at the Holiday party or send them to Mary DeFelice c/o CCHS, 112 N. Curry St. Carson City, NV 89703. They are as follows: Single-\$25; Family-\$35; Supporting-\$100-500; Benefactor-above \$500.

Thank you for supporting the Carson City Historical Society!