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Editor's Highlights of May's Events

We started out the month of May with our monthly Planning Committee and Board of Directors Meetings, held at the LGBT Center on Thursday evening, May 4, 2017. Prior to these meetings, we met for an early dine-out at Dona Maria's Tamale Restaurant. May 8, 2017 we began our 9th Annual Western Regional Gathering, which was held at the Stratosphere Hotel/Tower. We enjoyed 4 days of fun and camaraderie with guys from all across the country plus from one from Ireland and two from England. On Tuesday, May 16, 2017 we dined at Mimi's Café in Henderson and we had a great turnout for this event. Our Bar Night Out was held at the Spotlight Lounge on Tuesday, May 23, 2017. We had our monthly Breakfast at Joker's Wild Casino and after breakfast, we held our monthly General Meeting at the same location on May 27, 2017. This was a first for us and it seemed to go fairly well. We will continue with this format for the time being.

President's Column

Our Las Vegas Western Regional Gathering is now a memory, but I would like to highlight some of the wonderful things we took away from the event.

We learned a lot about Las Vegas History and its ties to the mob at the seminar on The Mob Museum. One lucky person even won two free tickets to the museum.

Will Damron did an excellent presentation on his life as a police officer in Oakland, CA. Several attendees were lucky enough to purchase his book and even got it autographed.

Two AARP volunteers presented an interesting seminar on how to protect ourselves from fraud and scams. Many hints were given to help keep ourselves safe from these types of activities.

Blue Montana from The Center presented information about the transgender community. He also shared some interesting facts about his life.

Michael Dimengo, the former CEO of "The Center", gave an interesting talk about his life as well as getting the audience involved in sharing about ourselves.

The Las Vegas Convention Visitors Authority shared an interesting video presentation of the highlights of our area and future promotions for Las Vegas. This is the group that always donates the Vegas pins, mints and numerous brochures for us.

We had many men from all over the country. Our largest chapter representations came from Las Vegas, Palm Springs, San Antonio and Phoenix. We had men from 14 different states representing Alaska to Florida and California to Virginia. We were also fortunate to have visitors from Ireland and England.

We had something new this year. DMG Photo Booth out of Ventura, CA was at our event and they took a lot of pictures of many of our attendees, in and out of costume.

Everyone seemed to stay busy with our seminars, hospitality suite or sightseeing. Our final banquet on the 108th floor was delicious and provided us with fantastic views of the strip.

All of this would not have been possible without the help of the 14 men who volunteered to assist our guests. From the registration room to the seminars to the hospitality suite and the banquet. These men deserve our thanks for making this a great four-day event.

Ray Plummer, President

Board and Planning Committee Meetings - May 4, 2017





Early Dine-Out - Dona Maria's Restaurant - May 4, 2017





Dine-Out - Mimi's Café - May 16, 2017





Breakfast at Joker's Wild Casino AND Monthly General Meeting at Joker's Wild Casino Saturday - May 27, 2017









The Trials of Getting Older

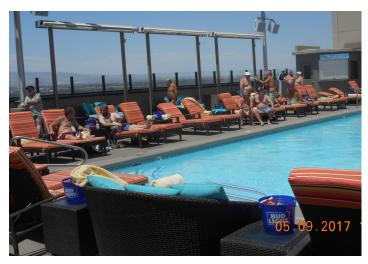
Three Elderly Gentlemen were discussing the trials of getting older. One said, "Sometimes I catch myself with a jar of mayonnaise in my hand, in front of the refrigerator and can't remember whether I need to put it away or start making a sandwich." The second old man chimed in, "Yes, sometimes I find myself on the landing of the stairs and can't remember whether I'm on my way up or on my way down." The third one responded, "Well, I'm glad I don't have those problems, knock on wood, " as he raps his knuckles on the table.....then says, "That must be the door, I'll get it."



Meet and Greet Night



Entrance to Roof-Top Private Pool Party



Roof-Top Pool Party



Buffet Line at Final Night's Banquet



Final Night's Buffet Banquet



More final Night's Buffet Banquet

Upcoming Events in June

Thursday - June 1, 2017

RSVP Event

Early Dine-Out - 4:00 PM - Main Street Station Buffet - 200 N. Main St.

Planning Committee & Board Meetings - 6:00 PM - Board Room - LGBT Center - 401 S. Maryland Pkwy

Wednesday - June 7, 2017

Bar Night Out - 6:00 PM to ???? - Charlies Bar - 5012 Arville, Suite #4

Tuesday - June 13, 2017

RSVP Event

Dine-Out - 6:00 PM - Bagel Café - 301 N. Buffalo Dr.

Saturday - June 17, 2017

RSVP Event

Pool Party - 1:00 PM to 7:00 PM - Richard Elliott's Home - Details to Follow

Saturday - June 24, 2017

RSVP Event

Breakfast at Joker's Wild Casino - 10:00 AM - 920 N. Boulder Highway @ Warm Springs Rd. - Henderson, NV

Saturday - June 24, 2017

General Meeting will follow our Breakfast at Joker's Wild Casino. Approximate time: 10:30 AM

NOTICE: This is something new we are trying out, since the Center is no longer open on Saturdays

PLEASE RSVP To the Person Who Emails the Notice too you.

"OTHER COMMUNITY EVENTS OF POSSIBLE INTEREST"

Wednesday - June 7, 2017

Gay Pride Bingo - 6:30 pm - Alexis Park Resort - 375 E. Harmon Ave.

Every Monday

Senior Act III - 10:00 am to 3:00 pm - LGBT Center - 401 S. Maryland Pkwy.

Be sure to Display your Flag
on June 14th



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newsletter@lasvegasprimetimers.com



If you <u>DO NOT</u> want your photo taken at events, please Inform the Photographer

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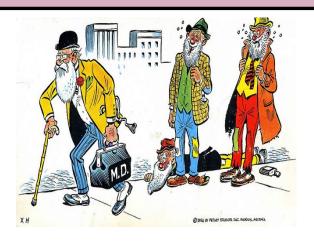
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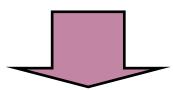
Ken Freeman

For those of you who are fortunate to still have your Fathers around, don't forget to wish them a HAPPY FATHERS DAY on June 18th





BIRTHDAY LIST



June 04 - Gary Payne

June 13 - Randy Coryell

June 16 - Stuart Berman

June 16 - Daryl Kazmier

June 22 - Will Damron

June 24 - Loren Albertson

June 25 - Roger Cappel

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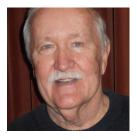
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