
Sagebrush Air News

Reno Area 99s Chapter Newsletter

January 2006

Chairman's Corner

A wonderful time was had at the Christmas Meeting/Dinner. I heard many nice comments about the food, service, and most of all the chance to visit with one another. Those who couldn't attend were missed. Everyone brought things for abused women and I delivered them on December 6 to the Committee to Aid Abused Women. They were very appreciative that we remembered them again this year.

One of the highlights of the evening was the arrival of Sandy Goetz and her announcement that she had earned her Glider Private on that morning. Needless to say she was still "flying." She tells us her oral and check ride lasted for about FOUR hours. Congratulations, Sandy.

We welcomed Carol Sill and her husband to our meeting as a prospective member. She is a long time pilot and lives in Minden. Linda Mae has "found" several other gals who are possible members and Shirley received the name of a Ventura 99 who has moved to Fernley. Several of us have been in contact with some members we haven't seen for awhile and hopefully, they will be able to attend meetings soon.

We have a busy spring ahead with the Southwest Section Meeting May 12 - 14 in Minden. We will be taking care of some business for the meeting in January and working on the mailing for our scholarship flyers.

I hope you had a happy holiday season and wish everyone a most Happy New Year!

Kathy

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Our sympathy goes out to Phyllis Ross and her family with the loss of her husband, DeWitt, on December 12. DeWitt was a man of many talents and used them to further aviation through his life work as a pilot for American Airlines and his inventions and interests including model aircraft. He will be missed by all of us.

Members in the news:

Ken and Pat Orcutt had a very nice article about them in the Dayton Courier the last week in December. The title is "Victorious over cancer, looking forward to philanthropy, life in 2006." We are fortunate to have many members who not only promote aviation but their communities. Pat and Ken are

definitely among those who continually give.

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Kim Roskey was called out — National Guard — to assist with problems during the flooding in Reno on December 31.

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January Meeting. Our January meeting will be held at B'Sghetti's Restaurant at 318 North Carson Street in Carson City. There is parking on Curry Street behind the restaurant to the west and parking in the City Hall lot behind the City Hall to the east. There are also some parking places on the street that might be available. The dinner (you may order from the menu) will be at about 5:30 p.m. And we will start the meeting at about 6:30. Kathy will have the flyers for this year's scholarship announcement. We will be addressing envelopes to mail them at the meeting. Phone number there is 775-887-8879.

Remember there is car pooling from Reno — meet at the Shopko area at Neil & South Virginia and leave from there at 5.

Ed Note: I am doing the dates to remember separately so you can save them. Pat O

DATES TO REMEMBER

- February 9 Meeting at Amelia's Restaurant, Reno. Dinner 5:30, Meeting at Mercury Air 6:30
- March 9 Meeting at the home of Linda Law. This will be a potluck (5:30ish) Followed by a meeting and stuffing of our "Goody Bags" for Section meeting
- April 13 Meeting at Amelia's Restaurant, Reno. Dinner 5:30, meeting 7:00.
- May 11 Meeting/dinner for all who are already at the Carson Valley Inn
- May 12-14 Southwest Section Meeting at Carson Valley Inn
- June 8 Annual recognition dinner/meeting. Installation of new officers.