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August 23, 2022

All members Welcome

President's letter

August-2022

Were in the middle of summer and it's been very hot so far. The rivers should be getting somewhat lower, so I hope our club miners get out a find all that gold.

I want to thank the 10 members that went out and worked the claims we needed to complete all our mining assessments for the BLM. Great job! We had a special silver coin drawing for those 10 members. Our winner was Della Peterson from Santa Barbara Ca. Della handed in 4 Claim assessments that were on our hot list.

Next month September 17-18 our club will have a booth at Dayton Valley Days. We will have our tubs filled with water, stocked with club gold so everybody can have some fun and even take some real gold home. I meet some very interesting

people at this event. We need volunteers so join other club members and have some fun.

Wade Lavery our membership chairmen posted this event in our Gold Pan Newsletter.

Our claim documents for Nevada have been completed and processed. Our California claim documents are completed. George and I will take a trip to 3 California counties and the BLM for processing by the end of August.

There's still Gold in those hills and rivers so let's get out and find some Gold.

Gary Hagstrom
Vice President

Dayton Valley Days:

Next Month September 17th and 18th we will again be needing volunteers for our Dayton Valley Days. We will be setting up two tables for "Gold Panning Demonstrations" for the attendees.

October Guest Speaker

Tami Force

Webpage: NEVADA GHOST TOWNS & BEYOND - (nvtami.com)

For years I visited, photographed, and researched ghost towns and back roads as a hobby. Now I want to share the enjoyment of ghost towns with you while preserving information for future generations.

Growing up in Idaho, we often drove through Northern Nevada to visit family in the Gold Country. If I wasn't out exploring you would find me curled up on Aunt Erma's recliner reading Time-Life Old West or the Wagons West Series. My favorites were about people, challenges they faced and how they created a life out of nothing.

I didn't connect it until later, but this interest continued through my life. I earned a bachelor's degree in psychology with a minor in sociology followed by a master's degree in Social Work. I became a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and taught about people, families, and society at the local college. Who would have thought social work and ghost towns would be connected!

As my children grew older, I had more time to pursue photography. I began taking classes and started hanging out with the "Rough Crowd" of photographers—wildlife. As much as I love photographing bald eagles and our ranches owls, my real love is history. The blog has grown and been published by Nevada Magazine and Oregon California Trails Association. I can now say I'm a professional ghost towner, how cool is that?

I was raised in Idaho and moved to Nevada in 2000 when I married a native Nevada boy. We live on the family ranch along with our 4th generation Nevada kids, giant breed dog, cats, goats, chickens, and whatever other animals we decide to add to our family. If I'm not out exploring and photographing, I am researching my next trip, preserving our historic ranch buildings, or planning something—anything—seriously I love to plan!

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Classifieds:

No Current Classifieds. If you are selling your gold claim, gold equipment or any other mining related goods you might have. Please reach out to Rachelle Wolf for a free posting in your Gold Pan Newsletter to better help you sell to your local members.

Personal Ads: Are Free to Members for a maxium of three editions of the Gold Pan Newsletter

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Please reach out to the board if you are interested in Volunteering!

****All "Gold Pan" submittions are due 2nd Monday of the month****