



INTERNATIONAL FOOTPRINT ASSOCIATION
ERNIE HARRIS RIDGECREST CHAPTER 60



We meet the 2nd
Wednesday of every
month at 6:00 PM at:

The Knights of Columbus
Hall
725 W. Ridgecrest Blvd.
Ridgecrest, California

Dinner Cost: \$10.00

Desert Footprints

Board of Directors meets
the last Wednesday of
every month 6:00 PM at:

The Knights of Columbus
Hall
725 W. Ridgecrest Blvd.
Ridgecrest, California

Members are encouraged to
attend.

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\$20.00 Reward Somewhere hidden within this newsletter is a membership number. If its your number, bring your copy of the newsletter to the dinner meeting and the \$20.00 is yours. If no one claims the reward \$5.00 will be added every month until claimed. Last Month's winner would have been David Saint-Amand.

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Purpose

To foster good fellowship, mutual respect, and helpfulness between Peace Officers, Federal Law Enforcement agencies, Business and Professionals and all persons having a sympathetic attitude and understanding toward Law Enforcement and Law Enforcement Agencies and to promote the true spirit of Americanism.

President's Corner

Well the holiday season is definitely upon us. I hope everyone had an enjoyable Thanksgiving last month. Thanksgiving is one of my favorite holidays because we take the opportunity to get together with friends and family.



Can you believe, before you know it Christmas will be here and, then it will be 2009 shortly after?

Even in this busy season your board is planning for next year. One of the events coming is the Respect for Law Dinner sponsored by Your Footprinter Chapter, the Exchange Club, the Kiwanis Club, the Optimist Club, and the Elks Lodge. This program

is where we honor an Officer of the Year from each of the law enforcement agencies in the Indian Wells Valley. We'll keep you posted when we have a date and other pertinent information.

Even though this is a busy time of year for us all I hope you take time to join your Footprinter brothers and sisters next Wednesday December 10th for dinner. This will be our last dinner meeting for 2008, so plan to make it.

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See you next Wednesday.

Yours for Bigger and Better Footprints,

Paul



Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

November Photos



President, Paul Hape, calls new members forward to be sworn in.



President Paul administers the membership oath to our newest members. From L - R Scott Garver (Assistant D. A.), Kristen, Hanley (Det. RPD), Mike Braem (Deputy Sheriff), & Kim Winchester. (RPD Ret. Dispatcher).



Kim Winchester listen as members sing Happy Birthday to her. Kim was 29 this week. 😊



Sgt.-at-arms, Ed McIntyer, presents cold cash to the 50/50 drawing winner, Kristen Hanley.



Member Ed Winchester (Center) with the two Mrs. Winchesters; Former Mrs. Winchester (Left) and Current Mrs. Winchester (Right).



Kim's Birthday Cake.

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December 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

December 7 - Pearl Harbor Day

December 10 - Dinner meeting

December 21 - Winter Begins

December 25 - Christmas Day

December 31 - New Year's Eve

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January 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

January 1 - New Year's Day

January 14 - Dinner meeting

January 19 - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

January 28 - Board Meeting



Dinner - Dec. 10, 2008

Chef Skip will prepare his usual delectable delight for our dinner this night

**We're on the web
www.IFA60.org**