

# The DC Bee

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## Reno's Schools

**Docent Council Meeting**  
**Thursday, June 2, 2022 at 10:30 a.m.**  
**Doors open at 10:00 a.m.**

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# Notes from your Docent Council Board

## NHS Artown Tours and Presentations in July

July 6 at 10:30—**Collecting We Will Go: Dr. Wier’s Southern Nevada Trip**

July 6 at 1:00—**Miss Wakayama, Peacemaker**

July 13 at 10:30—**Bill Fong’s New China Club**

July 13 at 1:00—**Wahmonie: Nevada’s Last Bonanza Discovery—Or the First**

July 20 at 10:30 and 1:00—**The Winters Family of California and Nevada**

July 27 at 10:30—**Tsars, Tea, and Volunteerism at the Nevada Historical Society**

July 27 at 1:00—**If Streets Could Talk**

All talks will be at the Nevada Historical Society. After each talk, docents will be in the museum galleries to chat about artifacts and answer questions.

**A few openings remain for gallery hosts and greeters. Please contact Linda Burke if you are interested in helping.**



## Docent Orientation

The next docent orientation will be held on **Friday, September 9** from 10 am until noon. We can always use more docents, so let your friends know about this upcoming opportunity.

## Upcoming Docent Birthdays

### June

- 6/4 Steve Weidman
- 6/6 Debra Brastoff
- 6/20 Angie Persigehl

### July

- 7/15 Linda Burke
- 7/27 Roger Steininger
- 7/31 Betsy Morse
- 7/31 Kathleen Phillips

### August

- 8/2 Neil Carlson
- 8/10 Gabriel Foster
- 8/11 Marc Ullom
- 8/12 Joyce Cox
- 8/12 Danny Pearson
- 8/23 Kitty Umbraco

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### Not Getting E-Mail Notices About Upcoming NHS Events?

Several docents have recently reported that e-mail notices from the NHS have wound up in their spam folders, even though they never had trouble with them before. This also is happening with notices from other museums in the Nevada museum system.

The question you want to answer: ***Did I receive e-mail notification in May about the American Gaming Archive Fireside Chat on May 25 and the High Noon lecture on May 19?***

If you didn't, chances are that the spam filters used by your e-mail server have been tightened and these messages are being flagged as spam. The reason they may be flagged is because they show that they are from one entity via another. For the NHS notices, they are sent from Constant Contact and the sender looks like this in your e-mail:

**Nevada Historical Society** [via nevadaculture.ccsend.com](mailto:nevadaculture.ccsend.com)

If you dig deeper, the sender looks like this:

**Nevada Historical Society** <shayeszorn@nevadaculture.org>  
[via nevadaculture.ccsend.com](mailto:nevadaculture.ccsend.com)

It's that *via nevadaculture* part that seems to be tripping up some e-mail servers' filters. It makes the message appear suspect, as though someone other than shayeszorn@nevadaculture.org is sending the message. Constant Contact asserts that it is following the authentication guidelines which should prevent this from happening, so you may need to make some changes at your end to keep the messages from getting stuck in your spam folder.

Unfortunately, each e-mail server is different, so what works for Yahoo may not work for Google or AOL or others. However, there are some basic steps you can take:

1. Let the e-mail server know that the message isn't spam. This usually involves marking a message as not being spam in your spam folder.
2. If that doesn't work or only works once, add the e-mail address to your contacts list.
3. If that doesn't work [editor's note—both of the above used to work for messages from the NHS to my e-mail server but now don't], then you may need to create a filter which tells the e-mail server that everything with this address is to be allowed to go through. Instructions on doing this will vary by e-mail server.
4. Check your spam folder periodically.

Good luck!

## Summer Break Time!

This is the last **DC Bee** until the September issue. The next **Docent Council general meeting** will be on Thursday, September 1.

### Upcoming Docent Council Meeting Speakers

**10:30 a.m. in the NHS unless noted**

**September 1—Boyd Cox and Dave Andrews on *Nevada Gaming Equipment Enforcement: Preventing and Catching Cheats***

**October 6—Janet Phillips on *Tahoe Pyramid Trail: Following the Truckee River***

### High Noon: Shootout with Neal Cobb

**At noon on ZOOM. Sign up at <https://events.washoecountylibrary.us/>**

**June 6—Barbara Ting on *Verdi History Center and the Verdi Public School Restoration Project***

**July 21—Mark Bassett on *Nevada Northern Railway National Historic Landmark—Steamin’ 35 Years***

**Aug 21—Sharon Honig-Bear on *Northern Nevada’s Hebrew Cemeteries***

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### NHS Hours

Wednesdays 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
docents, researchers, and  
museum visitors welcome.

Thursdays and Fridays 10 a.m. -  
4 p.m. docents welcome.  
Researchers and museum visitors  
by appointment only.