

# COMMUNITY BILLBOARD

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 or fax to (702) 380-8102  
 At least 2 weeks in advance of the event

## Entertainment / Arts

### First Friday's of Las Vegas Monthly Mixer

Friday, October 3, 6:30 pm- 9:30 pm, Safari Club, 2797 S. Maryland Parkway. The premiere networking organization of Las Vegas is having their monthly mixer. Come out and network with Las Vegas' finest professionals! 681-8515.

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### Midnight Darkness - Gospel Play

Friday, Saturday & Sunday, October 3-5, West Las Vegas Library, 951 West Lake Mead Blvd. The Las Vegas Black Gospel Theatre headed by Mary-Etta Sayles Clinton present this play. For tickets, please call 594-2235.

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### American Cancer Society Hosts Annual Gospelfest

Sunday, October 5, beginning at 3 pm, Clark County Library Theater. KLASTV 8's Juana Hart will serve as mistress of ceremonies for the event. Featured performers: Gospel Keylites, the Gaston Family Choir, Mountain Top Faith Ministries, the Gospel Tornados and many more. Tickets are \$6 in advance, \$7 at the door. 798-6877.

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### Fashion Show to Benefit St. Judes Ranch for Children

Saturday, October 11, 2 pm, Official AllStar Cafe, Diamond Room, 3785 S. Las Vegas Blvd. Nevada Association of Fashion Design is putting on the fundraiser for the benefit of the children. Ticket Donation \$25.00.

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### The Magic School Bus Inside the Earth

Through Oct. 12. Lied Discovery Children's Museum, 833 Las Vegas Blvd. North. Special Activities: Erupt your own volcano, make a fossil imprint, grow crystals at home, use microscopes. For more info call 382-3445.

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### Scouting for the Disabled Activity Day

Saturday, October 25, 8 am- 5 pm, Cashman Field, 850 N. Las Vegas Blvd. Registration, information booth & assistance for the Disabled will be provided. Contact Bob Mello, 735-3625 or Dick Brasher, 736-4366.

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## Church Announcements

### Knight's of Columbus Hosts Fish Fry

Friday, October 3, 4 pm- 7 pm., St Viator's Community Center, 4320 Channel 10 Drive. Join the Festivities & Catch the Spirit. Contact Frank Lenzo at 641-7654.

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### Walk-A-Thon & Church Picnic

Saturday, October 11, 9 am, Jaycee Park (Eastern & St. Louis). Mountaintop Faith Ministries sponsors this event. Each family is asked to bring a covered dish. Hot dogs, hamburgers and drinks will be provided. 367-1636.

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### 1997 Community Service Directory on Sale

Help of Southern Nevada's new 1997 Community Service Directory, listing over 400 non-profit and government agencies, is now on sale at the HELP office located 953-35B E. Sahara Avenue, Suite 208. Call Tony at 369-4357.

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## Auditions

### Southern Nevada Musical Arts Society

Sunday evenings, 7 pm- 9:30 pm, UNLV Alta Ham Fine Arts Building, Room 147. The Society which is currently holding auditions for its new season invites interested singers (choisters, college students, newcomers) from the community to participate. Call Music Director, Dr. Douglas R. Peterson at 451-6672.

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## Announcements

### Bereavement Support Groups

Thursdays, October 2 and October 16, 10:00 am and 7 pm, Nathan Adelson Hospice, 4141 South Swenson Street. Open-ended support groups; members giving and receiving emotional support in a non-threatening environment. Free! Call Mike Mas at 733-0320.

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### Boys Middle School Basketball League Registration

Through October 3. Interested teams can call 455-7699 or stop by Von Tobel Community Center at 3610 E. Carey for more information. Season starts October 15th. Proof of age required at time of registration. \$175 team fee.

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### Nevada Senior Fall Olympic Games

The Nevada Senior Games, Inc. (NSG) is taking applications for the fall Olympic Games which will begin October 3rd and run through October 13th. NSG will be conducting a State Championship not only for gold, silver and bronze medals, but will obtain a State ranking in their sport and age bracket. The cost is \$30. For info. call Roger Owens, 294-2954.

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### Stop the Violence: Healing Hurting Families

Saturday, October 4, 9 am- 3 pm at Reformation Lutheran Church, 580 East St. Louis Avenue. The day will focus on spousal abuse with the use of an award-winning video, a presentation of local facts and statistics and a panel discussion. The event is open to all concerned about brokenness in families struggling with domestic violence who want to promote healing and wholeness. Laurie Kimmel at 645-3491 or Peggy Bowker at 796-6115.

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### Caregiver Support Group

Thursdays, October 9 and October 23, 10:00, Nathan Adelson Hospice, 4141 South Swenson Street. Members share concerns and frustrations in regards to caring for the terminally ill and offer each other emotional support and practical advice. Call Mike Mas for more information 733-0320.

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### NLV Tree Planting Celebration! Volunteers Needed!

Saturday, October 18, beginning at 9 am. The City of North Las Vegas is looking for volunteers interested in helping. Tree planting instructions will be given to all participants. Tony Taylor at 633-1175 for more information.

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### Community Action Against Rape

Volunteers are needed to staff hotline and monitor the courts. Training is provided at no cost. For more information and an application, call 385-2153, M-F, 8:30 am- 5 pm.

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### UNLV's Counseling Services Center

The Center has immediate openings for adults, children and couples who could benefit from counseling. Appointments are available afternoons and evenings. For more information or an appointment, call 895-3106.

**Nathan Adelson Hospice Volunteer Education Course**  
 Training and education at no charge for those applicants willing to make a commitment of 3-6 hours weekly at the conclusion of the course. Volunteer applicants learn guidelines and practical skills that are utilized while providing emotional and practical support to the terminally ill and their families. Call 796-3185

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### HELP of Southern Nevada

HELP is seeking volunteers to work with several of their programs, Information & Referral, Community Alternative Sentencing, Displaced Homemakers and Family Resource Centers and others. Please call 369-4357 for information.

## Meetings/ Workshops

### Tuskegee Airmen, Inc.

The Nevada Chapter of the Tuskegee Airmen Inc., Nevada Chapter will meet at 1:00 pm the first Saturday of every month. West Las Vegas Library, 951 West Lake Mead. The meetings are open to all persons interested in the organization. Contact James Knighten 248-8490 or George Sherman, Membership Chairman, 451-4465.

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### North Las Vegas Library Features "BOOK IT!"

Every Thursday, 4 pm at 2300 Civic Center Drive. This program is for Elementary-aged students. They'll be making books modeled on artifacts from cultures around the world. 633-1070.

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### Toastmasters

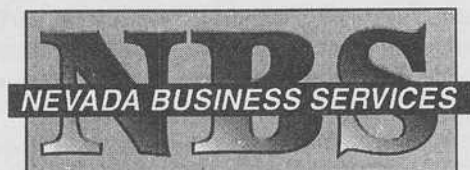
Discover the advancement available through Toastmasters. Enjoy an hour with any of the more than 30 clubs around town. Weekly meetings are available at times and places convenient to most everybody. Call Harry L. Johns at 438-2847. Let's talk.

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### AARP Meetings

The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), Chapter 4395, meets on the third Thursday of each month from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the West Las Vegas Library, 951 W. Lake Mead Blvd. This is a national, non-profit — volunteer organization established to represent the interests of older Americans and to lead in determining the role and place of older persons in our society. Membership is open to all persons age 50 and over. Call 732-7887 or 458-9577.

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