

Good Afternoon All!

The Bonanza Kennel Club board decided to cancel the January 3, 2017, general membership meeting due to the weather forecast of a big snow storm and bad roads. Several members had already contacted us to tell us they could not attend that meeting due to the weather. Because our bylaws state the January meeting is the annual meeting, we couldn't just cancel it and meet in February.

After careful consideration, the board has decided to call a "Special Meeting" (per Article II, Section 2 [page 5] of our Constitution & Bylaws) in order to conduct the business at hand – the election of our 2017 officers. We have chosen Tuesday, January 17, as the meeting date. It will be held at our normal meeting place and time, in the Bonanza Room of the Carson City Community Center, 850 East William Street, at 7:00 p.m.

In accordance with our bylaws, the meeting "*notice shall state the purpose of the meeting and no other Club business may be transacted thereat.*" We have two items of business for this meeting.

- Discussion and action regarding the upcoming session of the Nevada Legislature. During past sessions we have set a budget of \$500 for our Legislative Liaison to use towards necessary expenses. The 2017 Legislative Session begins on February 6 – the day before our next monthly meeting.
- 2. Annual Election.

Candidates running for office are:

PRESIDENT – Candy Roper VICE PRESIDENT – Sieg Goepner, Steve Durand TREASURER – Bob Newman CORRESPONDING SECRETARY – Gal Spieker, Cindy Craig RECORDING SECRETARY – Judy Davis BOARD MEMBERS (2) – Elaine Oxborrow, Bob Kinney, Carol Colavecchio, Susanne Haug

Your dues must be paid in order to vote or hold an office. Dues are \$10 per member. There are no dues for Junior or Lifetime members. You can bring your dues to the meeting or mail them to:

Bob Newman, Treasurer Bonanza Kennel Club 3935 White Pine Drive Carson City, NV 89704

We have been working on our mailing list the past couple days and have found there are current members who were missing from the list and past members who have not been removed. If you have not been receiving newsletters and should have been, you can visit the club website to catch up. The website is <u>www.BonanzaKC.com</u> – you will find newsletters under the "About Us" link right below the logo. If you are no longer a member and have received this email in error, please send me an email and we will remove you from the list. We apologize for this oversight!

We'll see you January 17 when we hold our elections!

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