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congratulates all 2006 Inductees
into the Nevada Broadcasters Association
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love of and commitment to their craft.

PROGRAM

- Welcome** – Dave Courvoisier, KLAS TV
- Salute to America** – Nevada Army National Guard
- Opening Video** – To Remember, To Honor and To Thank
- Board of Director's Welcome** – Lawson Fox, KTVN TV
- Video Greeting from NAB President** – Dr. David Rehr
- Remembering Manny Cortez** – Presented by Gene Greenberg, KVBC TV
- Community Presentation to Brian Willett** – Adrienne Abbott, Nevada SECC Chair
- Honoring Lamar Marchese** – Tom Axtell, KLVX TV
- In Appreciation of Congressman Jim Gibbons** – Dane Wilt, Lotus Broadcasting

DINNER AND DANCING

With The Tommy Thompson Project

- NBA History Project** – Congressman Jon Porter
- Oral History Video** – featuring Ted Quillin, Gordy Alsum, Bob Bailey and Gwen Castaldi
Produced by Lee Diskin, KTUD TV
Lee Diskin, who edited tonight's Oral History Video, is a producer for KTUD TV Las Vegas, and is an award-winning independent filmmaker.

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HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2006

SOPHOMORE CLASS

Howard E. Cadot*	23 years
Ginger Bruner	20 years
Terri Foley	20 years
Jeff Gillan	20 years
Robert Martinez	20 years
Denise Rosch	20 years
Rosalee Stucki	20 years
Carol Wilkinson	20 years
Leesa Dillon	21 years
Henry Harris	21 years
Dennis King	21 years
Mark Sturcken	21 years
Steve Wolford	21 years
Laurie Adamson Murphy	22 years
Eric Bonnici	22 years
James "JD" Davis	22 years
Kliff Kuehl	22 years
Sue Manteris	22 years
Chuck Reeves	22 years
Tim Stoffel	22 years
Terri Hendry	23 years
Kevin Ross	23 years
Shari Singer	23 years
Darrell Soltero	23 years
Stan T.	23 years
Emelda Wright	23 years
David Riggelman	25 years
Nancy Byrne	26 years
Mary Garland	26 years
Paula Jackson	26 years
Elizabeth Rose MacLean	26 years
Patricia Miller	26 years
Dan Schwarz	26 years
Charlie McGraw	28 years
Ronald Moore	28 years
Jay Davis	29 years

JUNIOR CLASS

Aggie Roberts*	30 years
Christopher Roman	30 years
Nathan Tannenbaum	32 years
Susie Giamanco	33 years
Ron Comings	34 years
Erik Fogg	35 years
Michele (Babbitt) Kane	35 years
Bill Croghan	36 years
Jack Bowe	37 years
Norm Ciccarelli	37 years
John Farrell	37 years
David E. Reese	37 years
Travus T. Hipp	38 years
Maurice Ottey	38 years
Rich Wexler	38 years
Art Bell	39 years

SENIOR CLASS

Pat O'Gara	41 years
Craig Caples	42 years
Jack Joseph	48 years
Steve Harrison (Dizzy Don Roberts)	51 years

*POSTHUMOUS

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David Rehr Inaugurates NBA Radio Studio



On the morning of April 22nd at 8:45 AM, a black limousine drove up to 1050 East Flamingo Road in Las Vegas, the new President and CEO of the National Association of Broadcasters, Dr. David Rehr, got out of the car -- and together with two members of his staff Dennis Wharton and Sharon Kinsman, entered the building and walked into Nevada Broadcaster Association history. For the first time ever -- a leader of the NAB visited the offices of the NBA; and for the first time ever -- a leader of the NAB recorded a radio program at the office of a state broadcasters association.

For a little over an hour, David Rehr met together with some of the NBA staff -- Bob Fisher, Suzanne Smith, Adam Sandler and DeShawna Whitmore. He toured the new NBA facilities and asked questions about the NBA's role in the development of the Nevada AMBER Alert Plan, the Hall of Fame Gala, the History Project and the 2006 Governor Debate. He even sat down at a computer with Bob Fisher and together -- navigated the NBA website, <http://www.nevadabroadcasters.org/>. Some time was even set aside to discuss our relationship with the Nevada congressional delegation.

During his visit to NBA Central, David Rehr inaugurated the new NBA Radio Studio and became the first guest to record Bob Fisher's award-winning public affairs program, OBSERVATIONS at the studio. The show was broadcast on radio stations throughout the state of Nevada.

Also present at the recording was Academy Award winning engineer, Ed Efron and his Technical Consultant, Pat Valentino. Ed, is the owner of Edward Efron Computerized Studios LLC -- the company who designed and built the new NBA Radio Studio.



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Living Tree Children's Memorial



Clark County became the fourth Nevada county to be home to a Living Tree Children's Memorial on May 12, 2006. Two trees, two benches and one plaque were placed in Children's Memorial Park. One tree honors the memory of LVMPD Sgt. Henry Prendes and the other honors the memory of Crystal Figueroa (Jane "Cordova" Doe.) The Southern Nevada memorial is the fourth in a series of memorials that are being dedicated throughout the state of Nevada to honor slain children. Ultimately, there will be 17 memorials placed in public parks throughout the state.

Over the past several years, Living Tree Memorials have been dedicated on the grounds of the State Capitol in Carson City, Stoddick Park in Douglas County and Idlewild Park in Washoe County. Through the vision and efforts of child activist Tonja Brown and as a result of the original partnership between the Nevada Broadcasters Association and the Reno Gallery of Furniture, the dream of having a Living Tree Memorial in each and every Nevada county is gradually becoming a reality.

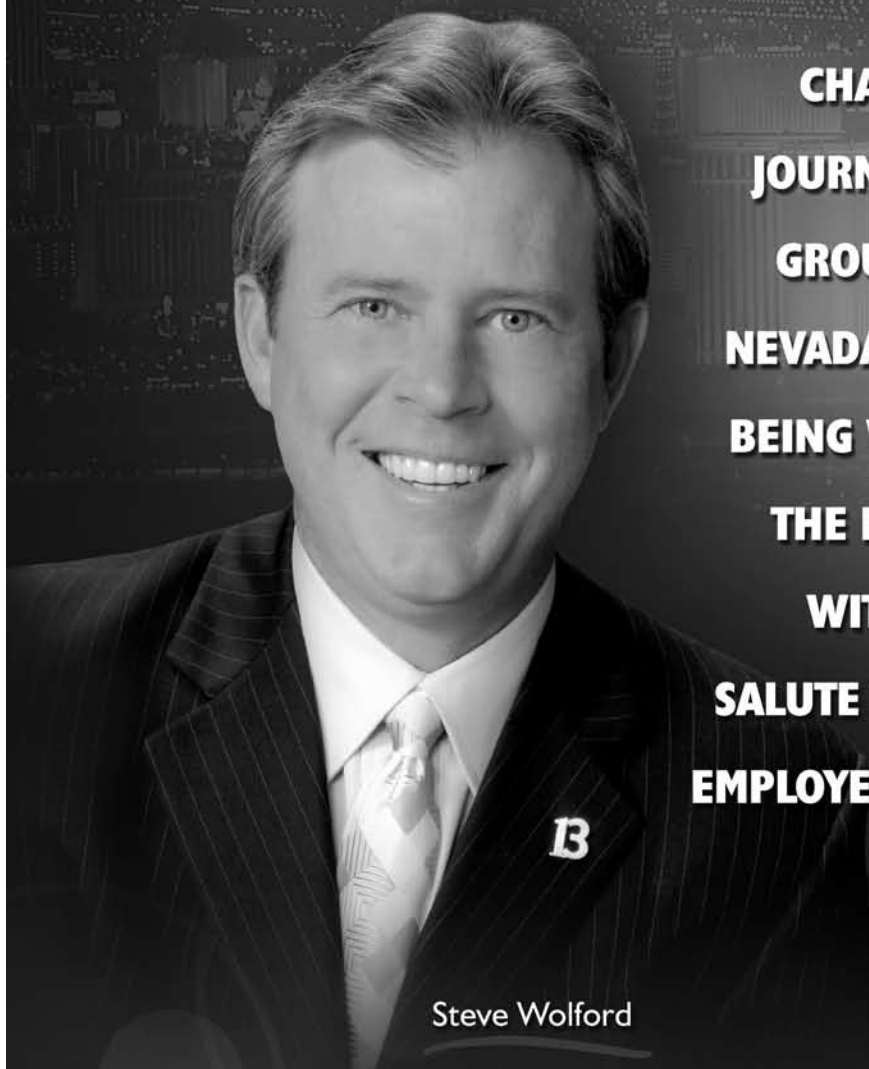




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ADVENTURES IN ABIP

Just what's so adventurous about inspecting radio and television stations for FCC compliance? After all, I get asked, isn't it just a lot of paperwork? It might seem that way in the beginning, but then there's always that afternoon trip to the transmitter site.

I love it when General Managers and Chief Engineers ask me if I really want to go to the transmitter sites because "the road is really bad". I've come to find that the definition of "really bad" can vary. Now, there's no doubt that the road to Mt. Potosi is treacherous. In fact, we never made it to the top the first time Bill Croghan took me up there. The snow wasn't that deep—it was the end of April, after all—but a cell phone company crew had managed to strand three four-wheel drive trucks and a flatbed trailer in six inches of spring snow. Bill parked his truck and we walked around that traffic jam all the way to the top. Three hours later, when we got back to the Silverton, it was 82 degrees.



Stuck In the Snow on Mt. Potosi



Looking towards Pahrump from the top of Mount Potosi

Of course, Northern Nevada has its share of rough mountain roads. McClellan Peak and Slide Mountain have their own quirks. But it's not just the washboard and potholes and hairpin turns. It seems like every trip in the Sierra includes a thunderstorm, usually just as I'm getting ready to take that all-important GPS reading at the base of the station's big metal tower.

But there's been nothing that matches the trip up to the KRNG transmitter site on Two Tips Mountain east of Reno. Just how bad can a trip without snow, drop-offs and blind corners be?

Storm over KTVN Tower



The view going up Two Tips Mountain



KRNG Power Sources



You won't see any utility poles on Two Tips Mountain. The terrain is too rough even for Sierra Pacific crews. KRNG gets its power from a wind turbine and solar array.

So you can see that it's not all papers and computers when it comes to your ABIP inspection. But your interest and support in the program make every inspection an adventure!

Adrienne Abbott Gutierrez

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NAB 2006 State Leadership Conference

One of the Nevada Broadcasters Association's most important roles is bringing together members of our industry with our elected officials. In February NBA members gathered in Washington, D.C. for the annual NAB Leadership Conference.



NBA President Bob Fisher, KRVN General Manager Mary Beth Farrell and Lotus Reno General Manager Dane Wilt walking into the Capitol Building

Senator Reid listened closely to our comments about the "Must Carry" legislation.



Lawson Fox, KTVN General Manager, led the discussion on ownership rules and Digital Must Carry with Senator Reid.

NAB 2006 State Leadership Conference



Senator Ensign asked detailed questions.



Breakfast with Jim Gibbons at The Capitol Hill Club



Congressman Jon Porter

Not pictured -- Our evening with Congresswoman Shelley Berkley

In the long run, there is probably no more important role for members of the Nevada Broadcasters Association than that of meeting with our elected officials and advocating our positions.



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THE NBA ORAL HISTORY PROJECT

In 2002, NBA Board Chairman Tony Bonnici, established the NBA Oral History Project. The purpose of the project was to preserve the history of broadcasting in Nevada, through the filming of in-depth interviews with pioneer broadcasters.

Julie Neil was appointed chairperson, and formed a committee that included Dan Schwarz, Bill Utton, Alex King and Bob Fisher. Joe DeFrancesco has been doing final editing of the first broadcasters who were interviewed. Each interview is approximately one hour in length.

The credit for tonight's brief video introduction to the Oral History Project goes to Lee Diskin. He is a producer for KTUD TV Las Vegas, and is an award-winning independent filmmaker.

We are honored to have preserved the history of the following broadcasters:

**D. Ray Gardner
Hank Thornley
Johnny Gunn *
Howard Anderson
Betty Stoddard
Bill DiMeilo *
Jackson Fleming
Andrea Boggs *
Tad Dunbar
Brian Greenspun
Jorge Santanilla
Ted Quillin
Gordy Alsum
Bob Bailey
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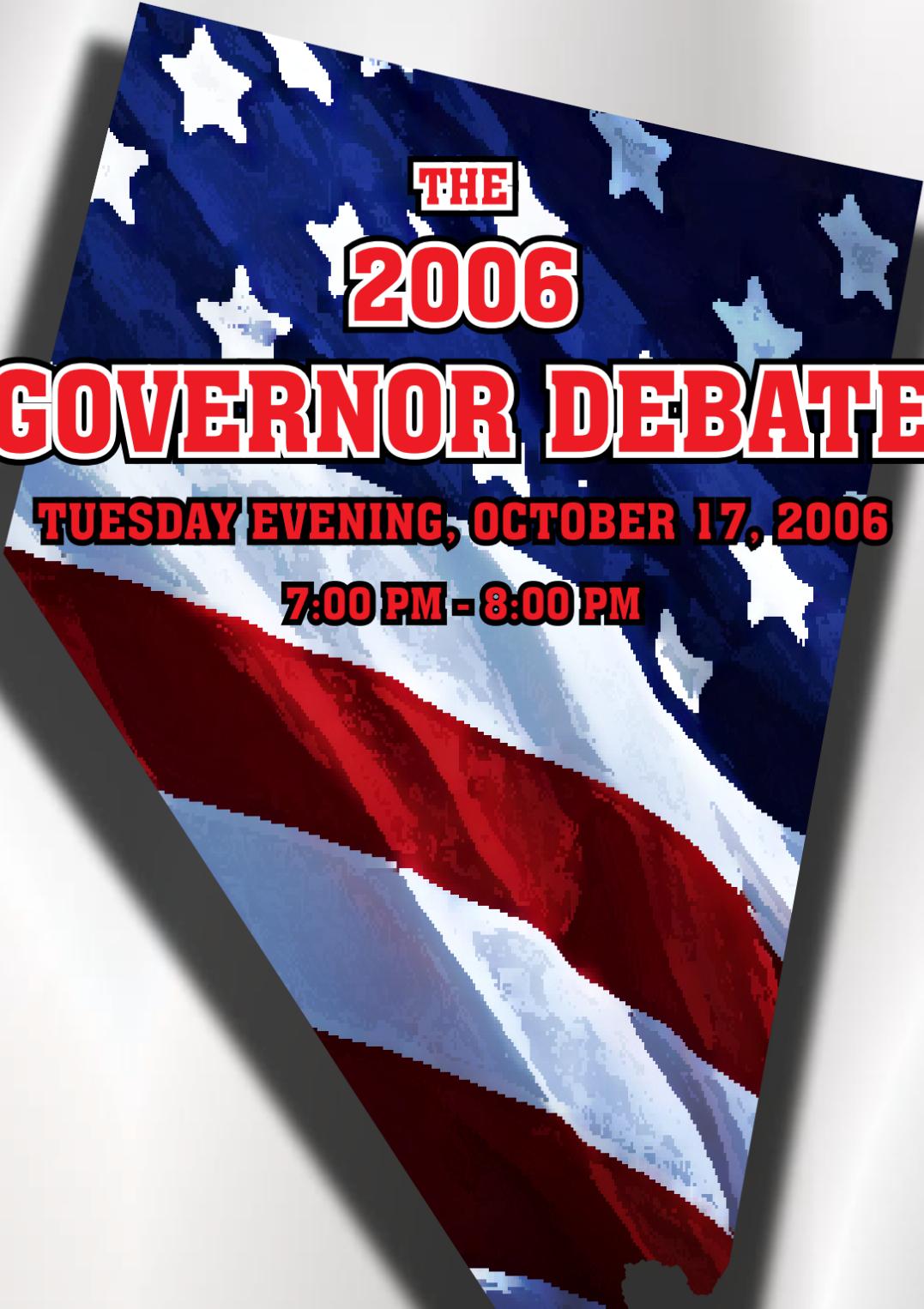
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