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In this issue... 2013 Membership Renewals, Congrats West & Dita,

Email any submissions, photos, etc to: BigHornEditor@ngra.com

For the third year, IGRA University will be held in St. Louis, Missouri, January 11-13, 2013, at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, Downtown. It's a great way to learn all about rodeo and rodeo associations. NGRA will reimburse the registration fees of up to ten members who verify that they attended at least two classes at IGRA U.

If you're planning on going to IGRA University, please let Trustee Guy Puglisi know by e-mailing trustee@ngra.com.

-Dr. Shaun Franklín-





FROM THE EDITOR:

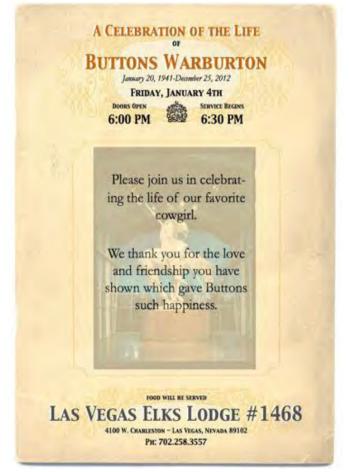
Well 2012 has come and gone, and so many of us had our fair share of ups and downs this past year. But, that which does not kill us, definitely makes us stronger according to Kelly Clarkson.

I would like to congratulate our 2013 NGRA Royalty team: Mr. NGRA 2013 West Fisher & Miss NGRA 2013 Dita B. You two will do amazing things and we all look forward to seeing what you all will accomplish!

The Rodeo Planning Committee for BigHorn 16 is underway! Please see Laura Scott, Doug Graff, or Matt Cox for more information on how to get involved! Every committee can always use more volunteers. Please, find a way to get more involved in your NGRA.

Feel free to email me at anytime with ideas, letters, photos at bighorneditor@ngra,com.

-JOEL CASTILLO BIGHORN GAZETTE EDITOR





Fundraising Committee Report

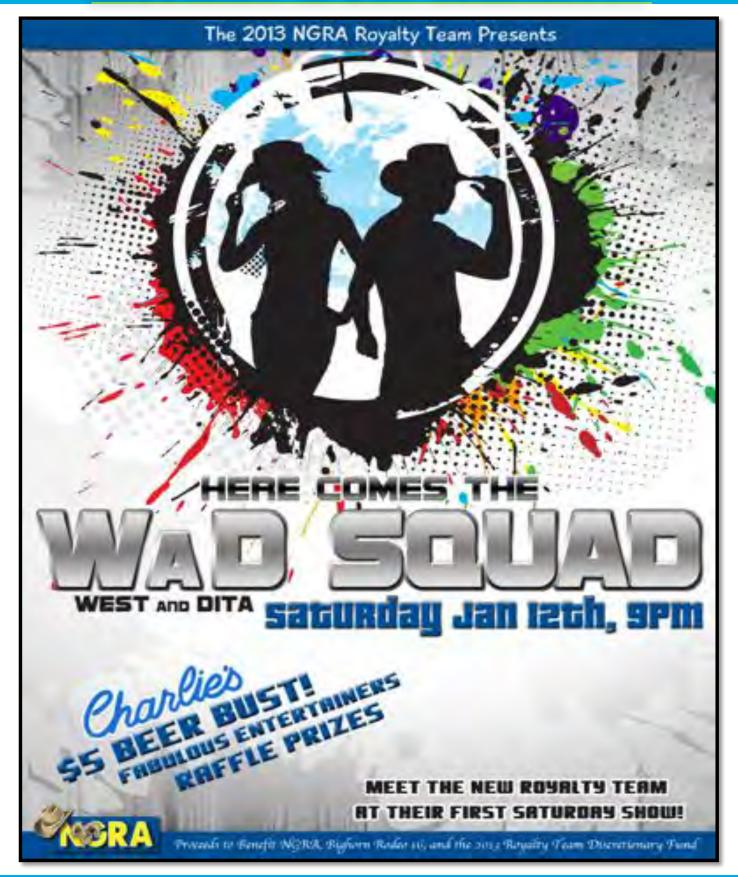
Your 2013 Fundraising Committee is off and running! Please be part of the fundraising, creative ideas, and part of making the magic happen for NGRA & BigHorn 16! The next fundraising meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 15, 2013 at 7:00 PM at The Center.



From the WaD Squad



Happening in our Community....



NGRA ROYALTY COMPETITION





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NGRA Members Celebrating Birthdays in January: Ted Caldwell January 1 Ken Wells January 6 Jeffrey Neal January 10 Matthew Cox January 12 Bill Trunzo January 15 Katrina Davenport January 15 Jimmy Gattis January 26 **CRA Member of the Month**

2013 MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL INFORMATION

Renewal payments made prior to January 31, 2013 are \$24.00. Renewal payments made between February 1, 2013 and February 29, 2013 will be assessed a \$10.00 late fee (\$34.00). Memberships not renewed prior to March 1st will be cancelled.

Membership Renewal payments can be made on the NGRA website at <u>www.ngra.com</u> or via postal mail to the following address:

NGRA - Membership Renewal PO Box 96055 Las Vegas, NV 89193

If you've renewed your membership - Thank you! If not, please do so prior to the January 31st deadline.

Thank you for your continued support of NGRA.



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January 2013

| Sun | Mon | Tue 1 HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!! | Wed | Thu 3 | Fri 4 | Sat 5 |
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| 6 * WaD Squad Presents "Mouth Watering" @ Charlie's 4PM | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 IGRA University in ST. Louis, MO | 12 * "Here comes the WaD Squad" at Charlie's 9PM |
| 13 | 14 Rodeo Planning Committee Meeting at The Center 6:30 PM | 15 Fundraising Committee Meting at 7:00 PM at The Center | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| 20 | 21 NGRA Board & General Membership Meeting at The Center 6:30 PM | 22 | 23 Deadline for all Newsletter submissions | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |
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