



QUICKSILVER COUNTY PARK NEWS

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It was a beautiful day, October 8, 2016, for our 35th Pioneer Day at Historic Casa Grande. The Cornish Cousins were here in grand fashion telling stories of their ancestors' activities in English Camp. Part of the day was dedicated to the pathway in front of the Casa Grande and the new bench installed in honor of Patricia Johnson, whose grandparents, the Job family, lived in Cornish Camp.

The Ukulele Band's 25 members, under the direction of Gillian Altieri, added a nice touch to the gathering of our Pioneers. They played all the old songs that the group could listen to and enjoy singing. What a great time for us with that terrific music.

Enclosed in this newsletter you will find the stories told by our Pioneers, Gage McKinney, Randy Job and our archivist, Art Boudreault.

Now on to our next endeavors of keeping the History of New Almaden Quicksilver alive. The water tank at Casa Grande, the barn in English Camp, the upkeep of the outdoor museum, the clean-up of the Yellow Kid trail, and perhaps a new trail, the Incline Railroad Trail, will be on our agenda for projects in 2016-2017.

HAPPY PIONEER DAY!!!

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