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Bruce Bledsoe, Editorial Page Editor  
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Dear Mr. Bledsoe:

I would like to submit the following items for inclusion in your "Winners/Sinners" column:

**Winners:** American Federal Savings Bank, American Bank of Commerce and the Harris Family Trust, for sponsoring this year's Mini-Medical School, presented by the University of Nevada School of Medicine. This year's program, "Matters of the Heart," concentrated on the anatomy and physiology of the heart, what happens when disease invades, medications used to combat disease, and the role emotions play in heart disease. Because of these generous sponsors, the four-session course was free to the community.

**Winners:** Sons of Italy for their 14 years of support of the University of Nevada School of Medicine's Savitt Medical Library. This year's contribution of \$1,500 was donated to the library for the purchase of books and medical journals on birth defects and genetic disorders. The Grand Lodge of California, the Guiseppe Verde Lodge in Sparks and the Christopher Columbus Lode in Reno all participated in the fund-raising activities.