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5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

July, 2018



#### **Venture Out**

5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

#### **ADMINISTRATION OFFICE**

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#### MISSION STATEMENT

"Venture Out is an active 55+ retirement community where friendship, cooperation and volunteerism are highly valued, and where residents are involved in diverse activities, while keeping the park safe, secure, progressive, costefficient, and responsive to changing needs."

# CANADIAN AND FOREIGN OWNERS – IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOU MARICOPA COUNTY TAX BILL

Please be advised that in January of 2017 the Maricopa County Tax Assessor changed their policy and will no longer mail tax bills to property owners that reside outside the United States of America. It will be up to the property owners to log into the county website at:

https://mcassessor.maricopa.gov

to view your tax bills. When the page opens enter your address and click ENTER. Then click on APN to see property details.

You can also make payment after you have clicked on APN. Then choose <u>VIEW/PAY TAX BILL</u>; enter your <u>PARCEL #;</u> then choose <u>PAY ONLINE</u> – in the <u>Green Box</u> under the <u>PARCEL #</u>. Then follow the prompts to pay your bill and print a receipt.

If you have any questions, please call the Admin office at 480-832-0200 or toll free 866-410-0114.

#### SECURITY DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY REPORT MAY, 2018

The Security Staff logged in 3,152 vehicles at the front gate for the month. The total amount of gate access by residents, contractors and visitors totaled 25,596. The total number of cars does not represent the total number of persons inside the cars. The original 25,596 cars should be multiplied by an average of 2 persons equaling a total of 51,192 people the staff assisted during the month of April.

Outside Guests for Activities – 347 Medical Alert - 0 Work Orders - 36 Suspicious persons/activity calls - 4 Total Incident Reports - 31 Assistance to residents - 460 Bikes Stolen - 0

\*Speed Violation Notices does not include verbal warnings given to violators by Security monitoring traffic every day. This is strictly citations served.

Alarms - 4

911 Calls - 6



# CHILDREN'S SWIMMING HOURS ARE SUSPENDED FOR THE SUMMER

#### SUMMER OUT-LINES

The next publication of the Out-Lines will be Friday, July 27. The deadline for submissions is Noon Monday, July 16. Out-Lines will be available during normal business hours from Activity Office and Administration Office. Copies will also be placed in the Baja Bistro for your convenience. You may visit Venture Out's website at www.VentureOut RVResort.com to browse current and past editions.

#### **Notice**

All offices will be closed, with the exception of Security, July 4 in observance of Independence Day.

#### Venture Out Condominium Board Presidents Report June 18, 2018

I do hope that you all have been enjoying your summer. The Condo Board met, via conference call on June 14, 2018. During the meeting we talked about the following:

Shuffleboard kitchen/bathroom status. The Club had asked for one bathroom and for their kitchen to be updated. At budget time, the kitchen only was approved. The city of Mesa in reviewing our plans, is requiring 2 handicap bathrooms be added, based on occupancy load of the courts including the bleachers seating. To build both bathrooms and a kitchen may require that 2 shuffleboard courts be removed and would run the project over what was budgeted by quite a bit. Our Board action was to defer to fall before making any decision, as we feel it is very important to get input from the entire club membership before moving forward. Keep in mind that we would still then have to sort the financial side of whether to do it or not. Lorraine Hee, Social Board President will be communicating this decision to the Shuffleboard Club

**Bridge at Pet Walk**. Following discussion of possible building materials and such, we agreed to verify additional construction and design information and to look at more cost estimates before making a final decision. We had budgeted \$10,000 for this project and early estimates are at double that figure. We do recognize the necessity of replacing the bridge – to bring it up to code and into ADA compliance. In the meantime work will be done to ensure the rail/structure is as sturdy as it can be.

**Insurance**. A complete evaluation of our VO insurance coverage was done this spring by Gail Miller, one of our Board members. Gail has insurance experience in his background and worked with Mary Schmit, our General Manager to get quotes from both our current and another company that specializes in HOAs like ours. Gail presented his analysis and a decision was made on future coverage. Our insurance expense runs around \$120,000 per year. Anyone who wishes to have more detail in the fall, please just ask. We owe Gail a big thank you for spending many hours on this project.

**Bicycles and Stop Signs**. A motion was passed to rescind the motion that was passed this spring that stated that bicycles do not need to stop at stop signs. Not stopping is against both Mesa and Arizona traffic law. We will be looking at this bike/stop sign issue again this fall.

A request from Greenfield Village to use our swimming pools while their pool is being repaired this summer was discussed at length. The request was approved pending development of guidelines that spell out for the West Pool only, hours limitations, duration of use and security issues. The Board will review the guidelines when developed and make a final use decision at that time.

**Meetings**. The Condo and Social Board officers will meet via conference call on August 14<sup>th</sup> to continue to keep communication open. Lorraine Hee and I continue to talk weekly in our efforts to work more closely. The next Condo Board meeting is scheduled for August 16<sup>th</sup>. Of course there is a chance we won't need to meet...probably wishful thinking on my part!

Alice Anderson
Condominium Board President

# Social Board President's Comments July Newsletter

Alice and I continue to converse weekly to keep each other abreast of what's happening both in Venture Out, the Social Club and the Condo Board. The Condo Board conference call was held last Thursday. There was an update on the status of the Shuffleboard remodel; the Pet Walk bridge, an insurance update; and rescinding the motion regarding bikes stopping at stop signs.

Mary, Teresa, myself and some residents will discuss restrictions for allowing Greenfield Village residents to use the West Pool while theirs is under construction this summer.

I continue to meet with Teresa weekly during the summer to work on various projects; including updating proposed Club Rules and Guidelines.

Teresa also provided the Board with a list of approximately 80 projects that the Recreation Department, including the floor staff, completed through the months of April and May. She will continue to keep the Board informed of all of the projects that are completed monthly.

Enjoy your summer and cool weather. We are now experiencing triple digit weather daily.

Lorraine Hee Social Board President

#### **ATTENTION RESIDENTS**

In attempts to keep Venture Out Owners informed of suspicious activity in our park, Security will start sending out a notification and information in a Fast Mail to those inside the park at the time of the incident.

Security takes every suspicious activity call seriously and we feel the owners should know and be aware of what's going on in our park.

> Thank You Brandon Fowers, Chief of Security

# Summer Lounge

The Sonoran has been converted to the Summer TV Lounge with AIR CONDITIONING, BIG SCREEN TV, SOFT PLUSH SEATING and a REMOTE CONTROL. Enjoy!

Note: Instruction for operation of the TV is provided underneath the screen.





Good food and good company at the Memorial Day Potluck

The summer computer is now available in the Community Center Lobby for your convenience-

#### No Password needed

Do not shut this computer down. This is an energy efficient system.

### THE SUMMER It's BISTRO FXCHANGE

Do you have something you don't want or no longer need but hate to throw away? Exchange it for another item from the Summer Bistro Exchange Table located



Dishes Mugs Vases Games Small tools **Stationery Jewelry** Candles And more...

PLEASE NO LARGE ITEMS, **CLOTHING OR FOOD** 

### Water Drive

Bring new, unopened water bottles to the Activity Office during the months of July and August. Bring a single bottle, a case, a gallon or anything in between. Water will be donated to homeless shelters in Mesa.

"Water Drives Save Lives!"



# SUMMER

You are invited to come enjoy coffee and light refreshments which will be provided by various summer residents. Come meet your neighbors and friends, starting at 7:30 and running until 9:00 am - Sundays, May through September

Bring your own cup and an appetite!

#### **Everyone** welcome!

Remember to bring vour own coffee cup. Sponsors Needed! Sign up in the Activity Office if you wish to sponsor & serve



**SUNDAYS** 7:30 - 9:00 AM • CABANA

# Dog Day Tuesday

Come for a delicious grilled 1/4 pound jumbo hot dog served with your choice of - Ketchup, Mustard, Relish & Onions

> \$1.50 at the event

Bring your own beverage or purchase a soda for \$1.00



**Every other Tuesday!** 

**TUESDAY • JULY 3, 17 & 31** 12:00 - 12:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO



Remembering our fallen on Memorial Day

#### **Note**

People throwing away needles need to use a "red box" which can be purchased at Walgreen/CVS ETC; or use an empty coffee can with the lid taped closed with duct tape written on the outside "needles" and thrown in the trash. This is a request from the Safety & Security Committee and owners/residents

# ICE CREAM SOCIAL

- Vanilla
- Chocolate
- Mystery Flavor

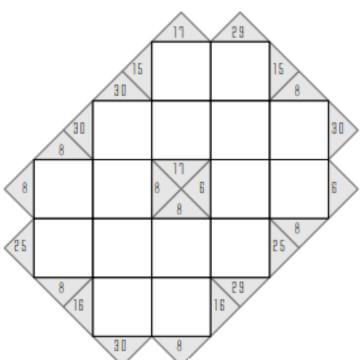


\$1.00 a scoop with free toppings!

Please bring your own bowl & spoon.

Tuesdays • July 3, 17 & 31 12:30 - 1:00 pm • Baja Bistro

### Kakuro



Kakuro puzzles are like a cross between a crossword and a Sudoku puzzle. Instead of letters, each block contains the digits 1 through 9. The same digit will never repeat within a word. If you add the digits in a word, the sum will be the number shown in the clue. Clues are shown on the left and right sides of "across" words, and on the top and bottom sides of "down" words.

### 4th of July Potluck Brunch & Pool Games



Join hostess Robby Oldemar for a morning of red, white & blue fun!

Bring your favorite dish to share, table service, beverage glass & money for a 50/50 Raffle (\$1.00 per ticket)

Wear "pool" attire for games.
"Glass" around pool not allowed

Wednesday • July 4
Pool Games 9:00 am
Brunch Potluck 10:00 am • Cabana

# Ed's Grill Hamburgers & Cheeseburgers

Your Choice ....

— Special of the Day — Menu items subject to change. All lunches include a soda.

<u>July 5</u>

Two zesty tomato sauce meatball sliders with chips

July 12

Tri color chicken tortellini in a white cheddar garlic cream sauce & garlic toast <u>July 19</u>

Southwest chicken egg rolls served with pineapple ranch slaw

<u>July 26</u>

Liver & onions with mashed potatoes

Also available...Bratwurst with sauerkraut \with chips and a soda - \$4.00

Table service included. Bring your own container for left-overs.

THURSDAYS 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

# BAKED POTATOES

\$4.75 Tickets from the Activity Office Deadline: Tuesday, July 3, 10:00 am

#### MENU

Huge Baked Potato Loaded with Your Choice of BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE

Butter • Sour Cream Shredded Cheese Chili

Chili Salsa

Onions · Bacon Beverage provided



#### Tuesday • July 10 12:00 pm • Baja Bistro



We Remember



#### HAPPY HOUR IN THE BAJA BISTRO

WITH MUSIC BY "CHUCK-E-BABY"



Monday • July 16 3:00 - 5:00 pm • Baja Bistro

# Creative Craft Class

\$8.00 includes instructions and supplies for 2 Greeting Cards & Gift Baglette



Class instruction provided by resident Pam Klocke

Sign up & view samples in Activity Office (Pay at Class)

Wednesday • July 18 9:00 am • Activity Office Conference Room



Ho Ho Ho!



What a way to spend Memorial Day!

# SCATTERGORIES WATERMELON PARTY

How many Dean Martin songs can you name?



Name as many songs as you can that begin with the letter "L" Join us for a musical game of scattergories! All Group Play!

Free watermelon for all participants. Sign up required by noon, Thursday, July 19

Ice & Water Provided

Monday • July 23 1:30 pm • Baja Bistro

# Christmas

July

Holiday Mody Hammond Hammond

Tickets \$8.00

Tickets available in the Activity Office. Deadline: 10:00 am Wednesday, July 18 Minimum of 30 needed to hold this event

#### Menu

Turkey, mashed potatoes & gravy, stuffing, green beans, cranberry sauce, pie & beverage

Please bring your table service a \$3.00 wrapped present for gift exchange and wear ugly shorts

TUESDAY • JULY 24 • 4:30 PM HAPPY HOUR 5:00 PM DINNER • BAJA BISTRO GIFT EXCHANGE & UGLY SHORTS CONTEST FOLLOWING DINNER

### Ugly Shorts Contest

It's not an ugly sweater but an ugly shorts contest!

Put on your most obnoxious, unsightly, hideous, ugliest pair of shorts and compete for fabulous prizes - Competition to be held following the Christmas in July dinner



Women & Men's categories

TUESDAY • JULY 24
FOLLOWING CHRISTMAS IN JULY
BAJA BISTRO

## **Coffee & Donuts** Mary & Teresa

Come for an update on tree trimming, summer activities and more!

General Manager Mary Schmit **Activity Director** Teresa Beally available for your questions.



Free coffee & donuts

#### **MONDAY • JULY 30** 9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO



http://www.lukesurl.com



#### **UPCOMING** BUS TRIPS!

Jul 11-13 LAGUNA BEACH/CATALINA GETAWAY \$629 pp dbl; add \$200 single. 3 Days / 2 Nights Accommodations at the Laguna Hills Inn with daily breakfast. Experience the magnificent Pageant of the Masters and the Festival of the Arts at Laguna Beach. Relax during a 1 hour cruise to Catalina Island, and enjoy a guided scenic tour of the island, with time to try a lunch spot of your choice, and visit shops or just relax in this beautiful setting. Dinner is included this evening. Tour the RMS Queen Mary before your return home. Includes 2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 1 dinner.

Sept 23 10th ANNUAL SEDONA WINE FEST \$99 pp. \$515 per person dbl /Add \$120 for single. \*Hold your space now with a \$75 per person Deposit 5 Day/4 Nights - Guided tours of Santa Fe & Acoma Pueblo (aka Sky City), Old Town Albuquerque and

130th TOURNAMENT OF ROSES PARADE

Dec 29, 2018 — Jan 1, 2019. \$799 pp dbl; add \$300 for single. Reserve your spot with a \$100 deposit per person! 4 Days / 3 Nights Accommodations at the Fairfield Inn & Suites, Buena Park with daily breakfast. Reserved Grandstand Seating for the Rose Parade. Close up viewing of floats, lunch at Claim Jumper Restaurant, and tour of Warner Brothers Studio. Tour the Reagan Library including lunch at the Air Force One Pavilion, enjoy dinner and entertainment at Medieval Times, and more! Includes 3 breakfasts, 3 lunches & 1 dinner. Selling

#### TO BOOK CALL ROBBIE **OLDEMAR AT 480-396-9987**

#### **7:30 AM WEST POOL EXERCISE** Robbie Oldemar 480-396-9987

The weather is warm. Time to join us all summer in the West Pool for morning exercise. 7:30 am, Monday through Friday. See you there. It's a great way to start your morning. Questions, please call Robbie.

#### 9:00 AM EAST POOL **EXERCISE**

We are in full summer mode at the East Pool. Exercise is one of the best ways to strengthen your body to prevent falls. It is a soft impact to the body and will still strengthen the muscles and unsteadiness. So come join us and make it not only a fun activity but a healthy one. We are prepared to make it a great experience. Join us Monday through Fridays at 9:00 am. Class Cancelled July 4.

#### ARIZONA PARTY Judy Lally 360-610-1958

You are cordially invited to our annual Arizona Party. Mark your calendars: Friday August 24<sup>th</sup> Happy Hour: 4:00 pm Catered dinner 5:00 pm. Great food, great fun with Trivia games on Dr. Seuss' Cat In The Hat, 50 – 50 and more. Tickets will be available to purchase at the Activity Office from 10:00 am to 11:00 am on August 2, August 7, August 9, August 14 and August 16. Tickets must be prepurchased on these dates as no tickets will be sold at the door. If you have any questions please call your hostesses Donna Williams 309-533-0466 or Judy Lally 360-610-1958. See you on August 24. BYOT, BYOB!

### CO-ED EXERCISE & STREATCH & TONE

Sandy Hammond 480-325-2833

Exercise is in the Auxiliary Ballroom. Co-Ed will be at 7:30 am and Stretch & Tone will be at 8:00 am. Classes run Monday through Friday.•

#### HAM RADIO GROUP Paulette Thompson 480-807-1791

Thanks to Dick Vance K7NEX for coordinating VO Field Day. Many contacts were made-good practice to prepare us should an emergency occur in the future. Ham meetings continue at 10:00 am Saturdays in the Baja Bistro. Howard Heithoff KF6JTT recently showed us a slide show of his experiences as a field engineer at Collins Radio. At one meeting Terry Laduke W7RNF discussed Satellite Radio Tracking, including connecting with the International Space Station. On another interesting Saturday morning, Howard brought a DVD titled 'Mojave Magic' which described 'SpaceShip One' and the competition for the coveted X-Prize.

#### SATURDAY LUNCH BUNCH Sandy Workman

Sandy Workman 480-807-1978 The heat is on! Cool off with

us at our selection of the following eateries. **July 7** at B.J. Brewhouse, Serrano's on July 14. I will be gone for that weekend, but you will be in good hands. July 21 is Olive Garden and lastly Denny's. If you need a ride we will make sure you have one. We meet in the Baja Bistro every Saturday in the summer at 11:15 am and go to a different place for good food. Always "Dutch Treat". Sign up on the sheet in the Post Office Hallway. Questions? Call me.

#### SPLASHERS Robbie Oldemar 480-396-9987

Come join the fun!
Splashers will meet the second Wednesday throughout the summer.
July, August and
September. 1:00 - 2:30 pm in the West Pool. If we have enough people to put up the net -- we will play!
Regular play will resume on October 1st. See you there. Questions, please call Robbie.

#### WIDOWS FELLOWSHIP Laurie Horan 480-993-7878

We will continue to have our Widows' Potluck lunches all summer. We will meet in the **Baja Bistro** by the Sonoran on the fourth Wednesday of the month: **July 25, August 22 and September 26** from **12:00** to **1:00 pm**. Bring a dish to share and BYOTS. Beverage provided. Call Laurie for any questions you have about this group.

#### WOODSHOP BIDS FOR DRILL PRESS RON FACKRELL 480-292-3836

The Wood Shop will receive bids for floor model drill press Delta Brand – R9116. Call Ron Fackrell 480-292-3836

#### CARDS & GAMES

Hand Foot & Toe Wed. • 12:30 pm • Mojave

#### **EXERCISE CLASSES**

Co-ed Exercise

7:25 am • Mon - Fri Aux Ballroom

**East Pool Water Aerobics** 9:00 am • Mon - Sat

Exercise at the West Pool 7:30 am • Mon - Fri

#### Lap Swimming

(every day) 6:00-7:30 am • West Pool 7:00-8:00 pm • West Pool

Stretch & Tone 8:00 am • Mon - Fri Aux Ballroom

#### Sweating with the Oldies

10:00 am • M, W, F Aux Ballroom

Water Walking 8:30 - 10:00 am • West Pool

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Sandra WorkmanJuly 13Dave ObertJuly 14Diane ObertJuly 24Tracey NicholsJuly 25



#### HAVE YOU HEARD?

To submit information Email Pat Laurita at pattyjo2012@gmail.com or call the Activity Office at 480-832-9000

Marie Austin of 216 Boeing passed away on June 8. Cards may be sent to her husband Boyd at our VO address #100.

Les Parton of 901 Navion passed away on May 3. Cards may be sent to his wife Deborah; 345 54th St.; Delta BC Canada V4M3G6 Join us to celebrate the life of John Penner on Saturday July 14 at 1:00 pm at North View Golf and Country Club; 6857 – 168 Street; Surrey BC



# July 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Summer 1 Gabfest	2	Tuesdaý Ice Cream Social Loaded Baked Potato Ticket Deadline	4th of July 4 Pool Party & Brunch Activity Office Closed	Ed's Grill 5 Open	Activity 6 Office Closed	Saturday 7 Lunch Bunch: B.J. Brewhouse
Summer 8 Gabfest	9	Loaded 10 Baked Potatoes		Ed's Grill 12 Open	Activity 13 Office Closed	Saturday 14 Lunch Bunch: Serrano's
Summer 15 Gabfest	Out-Lines 16 Deadline Happy Hour with Chuck-E-Baby	Dog Day Tuesday Ice Cream Social	Splashers 18 Play at West Pool  Creative Craft Class with Pam Klocke  Christmas in July Ticket Deadline	Ed's Grill 19 Open Musical Scatergories sign up Deadline	Activity 20 Office Closed	Saturday 21 Lunch Bunch: Olive Garden
Summer 22 Gabfest	Musical 23 Satergories & Watermelon Party	Christmas 24 in July Party Gift Exchange & Ugly Shorts Contest	Widow's 25 Potluck	Ed's Grill 26 Open	Activity 27 Office Closed Out-Lines Published	Saturday 28 Lunch Bunch: Denny's
Summer 29 Gabfest	Coffee & 30 Donuts with Mary & Teresa	Dog Day Tuesday Ice Cream Social				

# Manager's Corner

July, 2018

This month's occupancy is 370 units or 21% occupied, vs. 594 last month and 321 one-year prior. There are currently 49 renters in the park.

The following information was sent to me by our SRP Customer Service representative and she asked that we pass it on to Venture Out residents:

"There has been fraudulent activity going on where imposters contact businesses & residences and claim to be an SRP representative. They state the account is delinquent and demand payment over the phone or they threaten to disconnect services.

This has been going on for some time, SRP has brought this scam to various media outlets to bring awareness to our valley customers. Sad to say, this is still an on going issue. I noted a link below to read up on and noted some important tips to avoid the scam.

http://www.srpnet.com/about/scam.aspx

To avoid becoming a victim of these scams, SRP urges customers to:

- Never give any credit or debit card numbers or other personal information to any caller or visitor without knowing their true identity.
- When any concern arises, immediately contact the account manager listed on the top portion of the SRP bill statement.
- Residential customers can call (602) 236-8888 for accurate information about their electric account, program information or to confirm SRP employee identification.
- · Contact the FTC at 1-877-382-4357 and local law enforcement.
- SRP recommends signing up for MyAccount to view and manage accounts at www.srpnet.com "

#### Tania Barks

#### SRP Strategic Energy Manager

At Coffee and donuts this past week, I asked that if anyone has any continual issues with DISH TV to please give me their addresses, so I can contact DISH directly. Several of you did so, if anyone else is to be added to this list, please contact Deanna in our office. I have informed her what the issues are and between the two of us, we will contact DISH and keep the pressure on them to perform. They should be coming out, resolving the problems and getting you feedback.

It is good to hear so many positives about the tree trimmers. Please let them know you appreciate them. Its quite possibly one of the worst (and dangerous) jobs to do and its hard for these companies to keep good crews working for them.

July 1, is the beginning of the fiscal year and the time that many projects kick into gear on that date. We appreciate your patience as we move around the park and the common elements and do the necessary repairs and upkeep for the next season.

\*\*Mary Schmit\*\*

Happy Fourth of July and be safe out there in this heat!.

General Manager

# Recreation Update



July, 2018

The Fourth of July Pool Party and Brunch promises to be one for the records! Not the temperature records but the awesome party records! Robbie Oldemar is your everqualified hostess for the day and I happen to know she is planning all sorts of fun for the event. If you would like to join the festivities you will want to bring your table service, a dollar or two for the 50/50 raffle, a dish to share which serves at least eight and wear pool attire. Pool games begin bright and early at 9:00 am at the East Pool with the Brunch Potluck served in the Cabana at 10:00 am.

Due to the 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration the 9:00 am Water Exercise class at the East Pool has been cancelled for the day.

It's still not too late to sign up for the Creative Craft Class instructed by resident Pam Klocke on Wednesday, July 18 at 9:00 am in the Activity Office Conference Room. Sign up and pay \$8.00, which includes supplies for two greeting cards and a gift bag, for the class in the Activity Office. Please note, if construction is ongoing in the Activity Office the class will be moved to the Baja Bistro.

Ed's Grill will be open the entire month of July. Support your Social Club and enjoy a lunch in the cool comfort of the Baja Bistro for only \$5.00 including beverage. Best deal in town!

Remember the Tuesday Ice Cream Social will take place from 12:30 - 1:00 pm on the same dates as Dog Day Tuesday. That means this month's Ice Cream Social will be held July 3, July 17 and July 31.

The Splashers will be hitting the West Pool Wednesday, July 11 for a summer game of water volleyball. What fun! Feel free to join in or come watch the antiques of that crazy group from 1:00 - 2:30 pm.

It's summer and it's time to stay cool, play an indoor game or two and chow down on juicy watermelon. In that order. Sign up in the Activity Office to participate in "Musical Scattergories" scheduled for Monday, July 23 at 1:30 pm in the Baja Bistro. In order to provide adequate dessert, sign up is required no later than noon Thursday, July 19.

You have until 10:00 am Tuesday, July 3 to pick up Loaded Baked Potato lunch tickets from the Activity Office. Better hurry as July 3 is just around the corner.

Did you know that there is a "Pill Drop Box" at the Walgreens located on Southern and Greenfield? This is a excellent way of disposing prescription drugs that are no longer needed.

It's hot...it's humid...the palm dust is making you crazy...your AC just can't get cold enough...it's just plain miserable. So, think happy thoughts like...Happy Hour! Happy Hour with Chuck E Baby! Happy Hour on Monday, July 16 from 3:00 - 5:00 pm in the Baja Bistro! Ahhhhhh! Me thinks things are now looking up!

Ho Ho Ho! Merry Christmas! Mark your calendar for July 24 and plan on a Christmas in July Dinner Party complete with all the trimmings. Happy Hour is slated for 4:30 pm with a dinner complete with turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, pie and beverage at 5:00 pm. Bring a wrapped \$3.00 gift for a holiday gift exchange and get ready for a good old-fashioned holiday sing-a-long. Since it is July we're also sporting an "Ugly Shorts" contest as opposed to a winter ugly sweater contest. Woo hoo!

The Activity Office will continue to collect water for the homeless during the months of July and August. Donations of one bottle, a six pack, a gallon or a case may be dropped off to the Activity Office during normal business hours.

Join General Manager, Mary Schmit and me on Monday, July 30 at 9:00 am in the Baja Bistro for another "Coffee, Donuts & Information" session. All FREE! Be sure to bring any questions and concerns you might have for either of us.

Do you know why resident Cheryl Epping is so cute and toned? Because she works out to "Sweatin with the Oldies" on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10:00 am in the Auxiliary Ballroom. Join Cheryl for this free class. She'd love to include you!

The Saturday Lunch Bunch is heading out for a morsel of lunch, a bit of conversation and a sizeable good time each and every Saturday during the month of July. Check out the month's restaurant selection in this edition of the Out-Lines and sign up in the Post Office Hallway if you'd like to join the group

Thank you, once again, to all the volunteers who assisted the Recreation Department during the month of June. You are the best of the best!

Happy Birthday America!

Teresa Beally

Activity Director

recdir@ventureoutrvresort.com

#### DAILY TIMETABLE

#### **ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED MONDAY - FRIDAY**

Lap Swimming	6:00 - 8:30 am	East Pool
Co-ed Exercise	7:30 -8:00 am	Aux Ballroom
Water Exercise	7:30 - 8:30 am	West Pool
Stretch & Tone	8:00 am	Aux Ballroom
Water Walking	8:30 - 10:00 am	West Pool
Water Exercise	9:00 - 10:00 am	East Pool
Children's Swimming 5-28	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	West Pool
Children's Swimming 5-28	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	West Pool
Post Office	2:30 - 4:00 pm	VO Post Office
Children's Swimming 5-28	4:00 - 7:00 pm	East & West Pool
Lap Swimming	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

#### Weekly Recurring Events

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Ham 20M 11:30 am Ham Shack

#### **WEDNESDAYS**

11:30 am Ham Shack Ham 20M Hand Foot & Toe 12:30 pm Mojave Splashers 1:00 - 2:30 pm West Pool

#### **THURSDAYS**

Ed's Grill 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Baja Bistro

#### **FRIDAYS**

Ham 20M 11:30 am Ham Shack

#### **SATURDAYS**

Lap Swimming	6:00 - 8:30 am	East Pool
Water Walking	8:30 - 10:00 am	West Pool
Ham Radio Mtg	10:00 am	Baja Bistro
Children's Swimming 5-28	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	West Pool
Lunch Bunch	11:45 am	Baja Bistro
Children's Swimming 5-28	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	West Pool
Children's Swimming 5-28	4:00 - 7:00 pm	East & West Pool
Lap Swimming	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

#### **SUNDAYS**

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Lap Swimming	6:00 - 8:30 am	East Pool
Water Walking	8:30 - 10:00 am	West Pool
Summer Gabfest	9:00 am	Cabana
Children's Swimming 5-28	11:00 am - 1:00 pm	West Pool
Children's Swimming 5-28	12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	West Pool
Children's Swimming 5-28		East & West Pool
Lap Swimming	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

#### **Special Events**

**TUESDAY** JULY 3

Dog Day Tuesday 12:00 - 12:30 pm Baja Bistro Ice Cream Social 12:30 - 1:00 pm Baja Bistro

WEDNESDAY **JULY 4** 

> **Independence Day All Offices Closed Except Security**

4th of July Party

Potluck 9:00 am Cabana Games 10:00 am Cabana/East Pool

**TUESDAY JULY 10** 

Loaded Baked Potatoes 12:00 pm Baja Bistro

MONDAY **JULY 16** 

**Out-Lines Deadline** 12:00 pm Director's Office Happy Hour 3:00 - 5:00 pm Baja Bistro

**TUESDAY JULY 17** 

12:00 - 12:30 pm Dog Day Tuesday Baja Bistro Ice Cream Social 12:30 - 1:00 pm Baja Bistro

WEDNESDAY **JULY 18** 

Creative Craft Class 9:00 am Activity Office Conference

MONDAY **JULY 23** 

Musical Scatergories 1:30 pm Baja Bistro

**TUESDAY JULY 24** 

Christmas in July

Happy Hour 4:30 pm 5:00 pm Dinner After Dinner Ugly Shorts

Baja Bistro

**MONDAY JULY 30** 

Coffee & Donuts 9:00 am Baja Bistro

**TUESDAY JULY 31** 

Dog Day Tuesday 12:00 - 12:30 pm Baja Bistro Ice Cream Social 12:30 - 1:00 pm Baja Bistro

#### **VENTURE OUT 2018 SUMMER SCHEDULE**

APRIL 16th, Monday

Administration Office Summer Hours:

Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Office Quiet Hours 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Saturday & Sunday Closed

**Recreation Office Summer Hours:** 

Monday - Thursday 7:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Quiet Hours 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Friday, Saturday & Sunday Closed

Maintenance Summer Hours:

Monday - Friday 5:00 am - 1:30 pm

Contractor Hours 6:00 am - 5:00 pm

\*\*Sundays No Contractors

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SUGGESTED dates:

July 27 August 31

Begin every other week publication – October 5<sup>th</sup>

Restrictions on children's swimming pool hours suspended.

Heat turned off at pool.

Pickle Ball Courts Hours: 6:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Trash and recycling pickup Tuesdays and Fridays only.

All recreation shops closed.

Restrictions on parking under community center canopies

suspended.

Bathhouses Open 1 and 6 at East and West pool

Bathhouses Closed 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, and 8

JUNE 4th, Monday

Bathhouses Open 2 and 5 at East and West pool

Bathhouses Closed 1, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 8

JULY 4th, Wednesday

Holiday observed. Regular security.

All other offices closed.

JULY 9<sup>th</sup>, Monday

Bathhouses Open 4 and 8 at East and West pool

Bathhouses Closed 1, 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7

JULY 30th, Monday

Bathhouses Open 3 and 7 at East and West pool

Bathhouses Closed 1, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 8

**SEPTEMBER 3rd, Monday** 

Labor Day holiday. Regular security.

All other offices closed.

SEPTEMBER 24th, Monday

1. All recreation shops open for use.

2. All satellite bathhouses open. Hot water and air conditioning turned on.

3. Restriction on children's swimming

hours reinstated.

4. Heat turned on at pool.

5. Restriction on parking under community center

canopies reinstated.

OCTOBER 5<sup>th</sup>, Friday

Begin every other week publication of Out-Lines.

OCTOBER 15th, Monday

Administration Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 3:30 pm Office Quiet Hours 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Saturday and Sunday Closed

Recreation Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 12:00 noon

1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Saturday & Sunday Closed

Maintenance Hours:

Monday - Friday 7:00 am - 3:30 pm

Saturday & Sunday Closed

Contractor Hours 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

\*\* Sundays No Contractors

OCTOBER 22<sup>nd</sup>, Monday

Trash & recycling pick up on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

OCTOBER 25th, Thursday

First Condo Board of Directors' meeting of 2017 - 2018 season, 9:00 a.m. in the Oasis.

**NOVEMBER 1st, Thursday** 

Winter overnight rates in effect.