

Venture Out-Lines

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5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

October 18, 2019



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Administration

Venture Out

5001 E. Main St.,
Mesa, AZ 85205

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

(480) 832-0200
VOGM

@VentureOutRVResort.com
8:00 am - 3:30 pm
Office Quiet Hours
3:30 - 4:30 pm
Monday - Friday
Closed Sat. & Sun.
For notary service call the
Administration office at
480-832-0200 to make an
appointment.

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ACTIVITY OFFICE

(480) 832-9000
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8:00 am - 12:00 pm
1:00 - 3:30 pm
Monday - Friday
Closed Sat. & Sun.

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VO POST OFFICE

(480) 830-5813
2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Monday - Saturday

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SECURITY

(480) 832-6080
Security

@VentureOutRVResort.com
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Newsletter

Submissions Only:
Outlines

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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, cost-efficient, and responsive to changing needs."

CONDO BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING

THURSDAY • OCTOBER 24 • 9:00 AM • OASIS

Invocation:

President's Comments:

General Manager's

Report:

Lot Owners' comments, lasting not more than thirty (30) minutes dealing with any agenda item, or at the pleasure of the chair, on any other matter. Maximum time limit for any subject shall

be five (5) minutes.

You may speak on only one subject one time.

Adoption of Minutes:

Treasurer's Report:

Correspondence:

Social Board Report:

Reports:

Old Business:

New Business:

Recess Work Session:

SOCIAL BOARD DIRECTORS' ORIENTATION

Tuesday • October 29 • 9:00 am • Oasis

Welcome

Responsibilities of Directors

2012 Agreement

Social Board By-Laws and Club Guidelines

What Happens at a Social Board meeting?

Review of Committee

Assignments and Social Board calendar

Box

Computers and Website

Distribution of Social

Board materials

Team Building

CONDO BOARD WORK SESSION

THURSDAY • OCTOBER 31 • 9:00 AM • OASIS

SOCIAL BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING

Tuesday • November 5 • 1:30 pm • Oasis

AGENDA

President's Comments:

Lot owners' and/or visitors' comments addressing any agenda item or, at the pleasure of the chair, any other matter; may not last more than two (2) minutes per speaker and must be limited to one topic.

Maximum time limit for any subject shall be five (5) minutes.

Changes to Agenda:

Approval of minutes:

Correspondence:

Club Liaison Reports:

Condo Board Liaison

Report:

Old Business:

New Business:

Adjournment:

Work Session to follow

There is a fee for Notary service at the Administration Office. \$5.00 for the first stamp and \$10.00 (total any additional stamps)

CHILDREN'S SWIMMING HOURS

(under the age of 16)

WEST POOL

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

EAST POOL

12:00 - 2:00 pm

WEST & EAST

POOL

4:00 - 7:00 pm

CLUB FALL START-UP KITS

Fall Start-Up kits are now available from the Activity Office. Only club presidents or a designated officer, are allowed to pick up and sign for their club's kits.

Creative Writing

Croquet

Electronics

Glass Arts Club

Golf

Horseshoe

Lawn Bowling

Library

Pickleball

Poolroom

Rock & Gem

Sewing

Softball

Tennis

Woodshop

Notice to all Clubs! CLUB OFFICERS' MEETING

Tuesday • November 12

1:30 pm • Oasis

Please plan to attend this important annual meeting.

Administration

VENTURE OUT 2019 SUMMER SCHEDULE

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

Trash and recycling pickup Tuesdays and Fridays only.

All recreation shops open for use.
All satellite bathhouses open.
Hot water and air conditioning turned on.
Restriction on children's swimming hours reinstated.
Heat turned on at pool.
Restriction on parking under community center canopies reinstated.
Begin every other week publication of Out-Lines.

OCTOBER 21st, Monday

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

OCTOBER 24th, Thursday

First Condo Board of Directors' meeting of 2019 - 2020 season 9:00 am in the Oasis.

NOVEMBER 1st, Friday

Winter overnight rates in effect.



**Snack
Attack!**
Candy bars
and more!

**Visit the
Activity Office today!**

2019-2020 HOLOGRAMS



Come to the Administration Office to get your 2019-2020 hologram for your badge. Make sure to

bring your badge.

You can pick up someone else's hologram if you bring their badge with you.

Office Hours:

**Monday - Friday
7:00 am - 12:00 pm
& 1:00 - 3:00 pm**

**OUT-LINES
SUBMISSION PROCEDURES**
The Out-Lines staff reserves the right to correct errors in spelling and grammar, as well as deviations from the style guide.

- Send your submission to outlines@ventureoutvresort.com or drop off a hard copy to the Activity Office.
- The deadlines for ALL articles: **Noon** by the Due Date listed below.

**DUE DATE
MONDAY**

October 21
November 4
November 18

**PUBLISH DATE
FRIDAY**

November 1
November 15
November 29

Hard copy submission forms available
in the Activity Office

Special Events

HAPPY HOUR

AT THE WEST POOL

WITH

JOHNNY R 



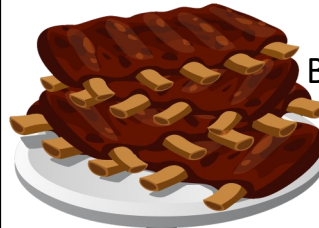
FRIDAY • OCTOBER 18
3:00 - 5:30 PM • WEST POOL

Babyback Rib Dinner

Tickets \$9.00

Past Deadline. See Post Office Hallway for ticket purchase opportunities

Menu



BBQ Babyback Ribs
Bacon Lovers Potato Salad
Campfire Baked Beans
Dessert
Beverage

Bring Your Own Table Service

MONDAY • OCTOBER 21
BYOB HAPPY HOUR 4:30 PM
DINNER 5:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

50th Wedding Anniversary Decorations Workshop

Assistance is needed to make decorations for the upcoming 50th Wedding Renewal of Vows this season. Any and all help appreciated. Supplies Provided.



TUESDAY • OCTOBER 22
10:30 AM • BAJA BISTRO

ORGAN STOP PIZZA MEAL DEAL



Great family entertainment & fun for all generations. Bring your family, friends & neighbors to help the Venture Out Audio Visual Service Club and have a great night of pizza & entertainment at the same time!

Present full page flyer found in this Out-Lines at Organ Stop Pizza and 20% of your dining bill on October 23 will be donated to the Venture Out Social Club.

Sponsored by the Audio Visual Service Club

WEDNESDAY • OCTOBER 23
5:00 - 8:00 PM • 1149 E. SOUTHERN AVE.
MUST PROVIDE OWN TRANSPORTATION

Special Events

ED'S GRILL



Your Choice **\$6⁰⁰**

Includes soda or bottle of water
**Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers & Grilled
 Chicken Breast**

Menu items subject to change.

**Special
 October 24**

Liver & onions with
 smashed potatoes
 & gravy

**October 31
 Grill Closed**

(Enjoy lunch at the
 Tennis Courts)

**Special
 November 7**

Open face meatloaf sandwich
 topped with herb brown gravy &
 mashed potatoes

**Special
 November 14**

Liver & onions with
 smashed potatoes
 & gravy

Table service included
 Specials are limited in number

**THURSDAY • OCT 24 & NOV 7, & 14
 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

2019 FALL TENNIS CLASSIC OPEN TO ALL RESIDENTS

**BREAKFAST AND LUNCH
 AT THE VERANDA**
 Breakfast available 7:00 am
 Lunch 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

Check the Tennis
 article in the Out-
 Lines for information
 on needed volunteers

Come enjoy lunch
 while watching a
 spot of tennis.
 Several East
 Valley teams
 participating



Fall Classic raffle
 tickets on sale to
 all residents &
 friends

Sponsored by the Tennis Club

**OCTOBER 28 - NOVEMBER 2
 VERANDA**

LUNCH AT THE COURTS

Tickets \$1.00 Each

Breakfast Menu (3 Tickets)

Egg/Sausage/Cheese on a Croissant or Biscuit

Lunch Menu (6 Tickets)

- Taco Salad/Cookie/Beverage
- Burger/Coleslaw/Chips/
 Cookie Beverage
- Bratwurst/Coleslaw/Chips/
 Cookie Beverage
- Chicken Breast/Coleslaw
 Chips/Cookie/Beverage



A la cart (1 Ticket)

- Chips - Fruit - Peanuts - Trail Mix Bar
- Nutri-Grain Bar - Donuts - Bagels
- Cinnamon Rolls - Fritters - Ice Cream
- Coffee - Tea - Hot Chocolate
- Soda - Water - Gatorade

Sponsored by the Tennis Club

**OCT 28 - NOV 2 @ VERANDA
 BREAKFAST STARTS AT 7:00 AM
 LUNCH • 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

*Open to
 Everyone*

IT'S THE VO "GRAPEVINE"



Free Coffee & Donuts!

*Event updates! Door prizes!
 Ticket info & news of what's
 currently happening at
 Venture Out!*

**MONDAYS
 BEGINNING OCTOBER 28
 9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO**

Special Events

Theme:
"The
Year Was
1969!"

HALLOWEEN HOWLING HOUR

Tickets \$8.75 available from the
Activity Office
Ticket deadline: 10:00 am
Wednesday October 23

- All you can eat Loaded (including chili) Hot Dog & Nacho Bars
- VooDoo Punch
- Music by the Van Reed Brothers
- Prizes for Best Theme, Funniest, Scariest & Duo Costumes!
- BYOB
- Tickets Required



THURSDAY • OCTOBER 31

**4:00 PM - 7:00 PM BYOB HAPPY HOUR
BAJA BISTRO**

It's Friday and that means
it's time for...

VO KARAOKE WITH DON & RON



**BYOB,
Snacks, Glass
and Voice.
Ice & Water
Provided.**

TGIR - Thank God I'm Retired!

FRIDAY • NOVEMBER 1

3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Friday Night Dance

November 1
**Midnight
Confessions**
(Oldies Rock)

November 8
Julie Lee Duo
(Polka & Variety)

November 15
**Johnny K &
Kompany**
(50's & 60's)



Tickets \$8.00

B.Y.O.B. & Glasses
Soda & Popcorn sold
\$1.00 each

50/25/25 Raffle

Tickets available from the Activity Office
beginning the Friday prior to the dance or at the door

FRIDAYS • DOORS OPEN 6:30 PM

7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

BLUEBERRY PANCAKE BREAKFAST!

\$6.00 Per Person

Tickets available at event



MENU

Kick off the season with delicious blueberry-topped pancakes served with grilled sausage, chilled juice and delicious coffee

Everyone
welcome!

**BRING YOUR OWN TABLE
SERVICE AND COFFEE MUG**

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 2

7:30 - 9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

WORSHIP SERVICE

The first Worship Service of the season will be **November 3**

GABFEST

Come enjoy fresh coffee and donuts!



Coffee 75¢ and Donuts \$1.25

Gabfest is an informal gathering with your friends and neighbors for conversations! Please feel free to visit before & after worship service.

Sponsored by the Glass Arts Club

BEGINNING NOVEMBER 3 • WORSHIP SERVICE 9:00 AM • SUNDAYS • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM
GABFEST • 8:30 AM • • BAJA BISTRO

NEW IMAGE FASHIONS BY DON SCOTT

- Major brand fashions at 25%-75% off department store prices!
- Over 8,000 garments from many leading manufacturers such as Ruby Road, Cactus, Erin London, Maxine Swimwear & others
- Sizes to fit 4 petite - 3X Women's
- Watch Batteries replaced for \$3.00



Bringing the store to you!

MONDAY • NOVEMBER 4
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO

SUNSHINE CARVERS MAKE & TAKE

Western Boot Toothpick Holder - Sign up by October 29. Class starts **November 4**.
Gourd beginner class- Sign up by November 12 – Class starts **November 18**.
Christmas Tree Ornament - Sign up by November 26 – Class starts **December 2**. Cost for each class is \$15.00 and includes membership, tools and cutout.
Sign up in the Sunshine Carvers Facility at the Hobby Center.



NOVEMBER 4 & 18
DECEMBER 2



A lovely morning at the Riparian Preserve

Special Events

KARAOKE WITH RON & DON



An easy evening of Karaoke for singers and those who want to listen!

***This event is different from the TGIR Don & Ron's Classic Karaoke on Fridays**

**TUESDAY • NOVEMBER 5
6:30 - 9:00 PM • OASIS**

Tuesday POTLUCK Dinner & Entertainment Featuring "Sunshine Acres Children's Choir"

The Sunshine Acres Children's Choir will once again join us at Venture Out to fill your hearts with cheer as they sing your favorite classics! *(Pass the Hat)*



Bring table service and beverage glass and a dish to serve eight. Beverage provided.

**TUESDAY • NOVEMBER 5
5:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

STREET DANCE FREE!

**Music by
"Classic Example
Band"
50's - 70's
& country music**

**BYOB Ice
&
Glasses**

**Chicken
Coop Food
Truck open
for dinner!**

**Everyone
Invited!**



Sponsored by the Recreation Department

**WEDNESDAY • NOVEMBER 6
6:30 - 9:30 PM • THE PATIO**

THE CHICKEN COOP FOOD TRUCK

**WILL BE HERE FOR THE STREET DANCE!
SIMPLY PUT, BEST CHICKEN & FRIES EVER!**

Menu

- Jumbo Crispy Chicken Tenders (Gluten free & Dairy Free)
- Chicken Chili Chees Fries
- Fresh Seasonal Market Salad
- Deluxe French Fries
- Various Drinks
- Priced from \$3.00 - \$16.00



**Plan to come for snacks or dinner!
Everything made from wholesome,
fresh ingredients.**

Sponsored by the Recreation Department

**WEDNESDAY • NOVEMBER 6
6:00 - 8:30 PM • THE PATIO**

Special Events

Sudoku

9		3		2	7	8		5
		7	9	1			4	
	7	9		3				
1				9	8			
								2
	4		8					
	2					1		8
			2		6			4

Sudoku is easy to play and the rules are simple. Fill in the blanks so that each row, each column, and each of the nine 3x3 grids contain one instance of each of the numbers 1 through 9.

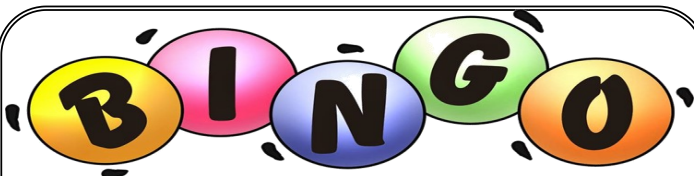
Holiday Craft Workshop



We're going to make decorations for the Community Center with all those pine cones which have been donated! Please bring scissors and a hot glue gun if you can. Supplies Provided.

Workshop led by Holiday Decorating Chairwoman Cheryl Epping

**THURSDAY • NOVEMBER 7
1:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO**



\$110.00 Regular Game

\$500.00 Money Ball

**\$1,000.00 Last Game
Progressive Blackout**

Consolation Prize - \$200.00

Please bring your own coffee mug!
Concession Stand Available

The Venture Out Bingo program includes favorite games such as Double Action and Odd & Even!

**THURSDAYS STARTING NOVEMBER 7
6:30 PM • BV BALLROOM
DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM**

Zappone's Italian Bistro

MEAL DEAL

Present full-page flyer found in next Out-Lines at Zappone's and 15% of your dining bill will be donated to the Venture Out Social Club Lunch and Dinner.

***Daily Baked Fresh Bread*
Artisan Pizza
Homemade Pasta* Wine Bar**

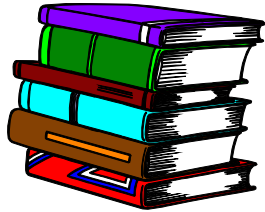
SPONSORED BY THE PET ASSOCIATION

**FRIDAY • NOVEMBER 8
1652 N. HIGLEY RD, GILBERT, AZ 85234
NW CORNER OF HIGLEY & BASELINE
480-218-2338**

Special Events

VO LIBRARY **Used Book Sale**

The Library thanks everyone for donations!



Main Lobby
**BEFORE AND DURING
THE JUMBO HOT DOG &
DESSERT SALE**

Come to the best used book sale in the Valley! Books for only 25, 50 and 75 cents. What a bargain!

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 9
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
COMMUNITY CENTER LOBBY

JUMBO HOT DOGS AND DESSERT

**¼ lb Grilled Hot Dog,
Sauerkraut, Chips &
Beverage \$5.00**

Sponsored by the
Poolroom Association

**Tickets
purchased at
the event**

**Cake Sale
\$1.50**

Sponsored by the
Croquet Club

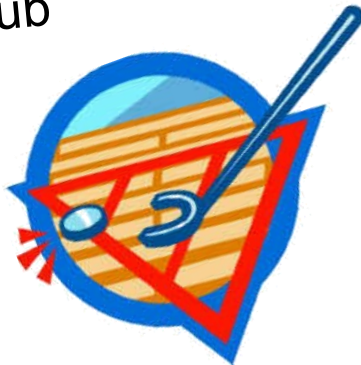


*BRING YOUR OWN
TABLE SERVICE*

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 9
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Shuffleboard Open House

Come see what this mighty club is all about. Find out how easy it is to play this fun and competitive game!



Welcoming all interested people

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 9
9:00 - 11:00 AM
SHUFFLEBOARD COURTS

VETERANS DAY - REMEMBRANCE DAY FLAG CEREMONY



**Flag Raising Ceremony & Program
with the
Skyline High School Color Guard**

**Honor all United
States and
Canadian Veterans
with your presence
at this ceremony**



MONDAY • NOVEMBER 11
11:00 AM
IN FRONT OF ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

Special Events

Veterans Day Concert with Territorial Brass



Tickets \$9.00
Available in the Activity Office
and at the Door

The Territorial Brass, Arizona's Official Historical Brass Band, is commemorating the **USS Arizona** with a concert featuring the music actually played by Navy Band No. 22, the USS Arizona's last band. All 21 members of that magnificent and celebrated band perished on December 7th, 1941. With slides presented during the concert the band documents the history of the USS Arizona from the laying of the keel in 1914, then key events through the decades leading to the attack. Music comes from WWI, 20s, 30s and 40s.

MONDAY • NOVEMBER 11
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

MUSIC BY THE POOL WITH ROOT BEER FLOATS

ROOT BEER FLOATS \$2.50
Sponsored by the Pet Association

*In case of nasty
weather,
event to be held in
the Baja Bistro

Music by
Michael
Nitro



WEDNESDAY • NOVEMBER 13
2:00 - 4:00 PM • EAST POOL

MarketPlace



It's a smorgasbord of jewelry, cosmetics, tools and other must-haves that you can't do without

and just-gotta-have "thingamajiggies." Don't miss your chance to find that special unique item.

All licensed vendors!

Enjoy lunch at Ed's Grill!

THURSDAY • NOVEMBER 14
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO
11:00 AM - 12:45 PM • ED'S GRILL OPEN

Newcomers' Orientation

Should you be new to our beautiful community as a homeowner or a renter, please plan to attend a Newcomers' Orientation **Friday, November 15, 9:30 am, Mojave Room**. Feel free to bring any and all questions you may have regarding your home, recreation or administration. We'll do our best to be of assistance.

FRIDAY • NOVEMBER 15
9:30 AM • MOJAVE ROOM

Special Events

Silversmith Make and Take

Our instructors will teach you to make sterling silver rings! Come into the Silversmith shop, sign up, and pay. The spaces fill up fast and mornings are the best time to find a monitor. Cost \$20.00. See how many other sterling silver items you can make for that same low cost.



Questions? Contact
Nicka Lockeman
480-832-9348

SATURDAY • NOVEMBER 16
9:30 AM • SILVERSMITH SHOP

ENCHILADA DINNER

Tickets \$8.00
Available in the
Activity Office
until Sold Out



MENU

Chips & Salsa
Beef Enchilada
Tossed Salad
Refried Beans
Beverage
Ice Cream

BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE
Sponsored by the Electronics Club

MONDAY • NOVEMBER 25
5:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER

\$3.00 pp
Plus - each person
brings a dish to share.

Turkey & stuffing
provided!



Table Hosts and Hostesses Needed!

Hosts/Hostesses will cook the turkeys & stuffing,
collect money from your table guests & decorate
the table. Table cloths provided.

Should you wish to host a table contact:
Norm & Laconne Anton
at 250-212-7909

ATTENDEES: AFTER NOVEMBER 4
CONTACT
NORM & LACONNE ANTON
AT 250-212-7909
TO OBTAIN A SEAT.

THURSDAY • NOVEMBER 28
4:30 PM HAPPY HOUR • 5:00 PM DINNER
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

- Vanilla
- Chocolate
- Mystery Flavor



Please bring your own bowl & spoon

TUESDAYS • 1:30 - 2:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

Clubs and Organizations

BOCCE BALL FALL LEAGUE

Dale Vance
480-262-8898

Welcome back, everyone! Our fall league will start **November 12** is year. We will play **Tuesdays** sign up is in the clubhouse. Our first regular meeting is **November 6 at 9:00 am at the Oasis**. \$20 dues can be paid at this meeting. Everyone is welcome to join the Bocce Ball Club.

CHOIR REHEARSAL

Bernadette Carlson
480-985-4060

The VO Choir will meet to rehearse on **Wednesday, October 30** from **9:00 to 10:00 am** in the **Music Room** located above the Activity Office. If enough members are present we will sing for the first worship service on **November 3**. New members are welcome. The ability to read music is not required but is helpful.

CRIBBAGE

Ruby Erickson
480-924-9125

Cribbage will start **November 5 at 7:00 pm** sharp in the **Mojave Room**. \$.25 to play and there is a \$1.00 pot that is optional. Please have the correct change. If you don't have the correct change, there is a change maker in the **Baja Bistro** by the coffee maker. You must know how to play as there are no lessons at this time. If anyone is interested in lessons, please let me know.

ELECTRONICS CLUB

Ted Clark
480-656-1777

Electronics will open on **Tuesday, October 15**. Hours are **9:00 am to 9:00 pm** although monitors

may not be available for all hours. Memberships are still only \$25.00 and will be needed to take our classes. We have 21 new computer desks in our classroom and 17 classes scheduled for this season. We also have 8 presentations lined up that will be open to all residents. Watch the Out-Lines for when classes and presentations will be held. Memberships can be purchased **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday** from **9:00 to 10:00 am**.

FIRED CLAY ART

Connie Gorham
763-245-6062

Mark your calendar - **Monday, November 20**, Arlene our instructor is back and anxious to teach. First demonstration will be clay lifting which is fun and easy. Demonstration is from **9:30 -11:00 am**. You will receive written information on everything and the cost is \$15.00. Arlene's goal is to get you excited after watching the demonstration and sign up for the next class. In this class you will create a Fish using the clay lifting techniques. Class is **Thursday, December 5** from **1:00 to 4:00 pm**. Cost is \$35.00 which includes everything you need - products, tool and instructions. Come to the Studio, see the samples and sign up! Everyone included.

GOLF ASSOCIATION 9-HOLE

Art Isley
406-250-2158

Welcome back, 9-hole golfers! Club membership dues are \$10.00 per year in order to be eligible for prizes and tournament play. 9-hole sign-ups are **Tuesday mornings at 7:45 am sharp** in the

Sonoran. There are coordinators for two different courses: Linda & Laz Tollas, 480-807-7875 for Sunland Village GC on **Saturdays** with an **11:00 am** shotgun start; Dick & Marj Skinner, 480-924-6164, for Sunland Village East GC on **Thursdays** starting at **10:45 am**. Our first sign-up meeting will be **Tuesday, November 5 at 7:45 am sharp**.

GOLF ASSOCIATION 18-HOLE

Art Isley
406-250-2158

Welcome back, 18-hole golfers! Club membership dues are \$10.00 per year in order to be eligible for prizes and tournament play. Norm Lawrence, 480-854-3696, will coordinate the play at Arizona Golf Resort and Larry Booth, 480-854-3696, will coordinate the play at Western Skies.

HAM RADIO GROUP

Paulette Thompson
480-807-1791

Welcome back, Patricia KE8MBG and Terry WE8RV Malin, Laura W9WMP and Bob K9WMP Bingham, Don Bogle WD0BOG, and Frank Rust ACONN. We've returned to the **Oasis** for our **Saturday 10:00 am** meetings. At our first get-together of the new season, Thom Davis W6LDX challenged our minds with ham radio trivia.

HAMS AT HEART

Brenda Morris
480-924-1307

Our production for 2020 is "Solid Gold VO", a musical variety show celebrating the past 50 years of entertainment. The show will also highlight memorable performances from past shows and pay

tribute to longtime members of the club. There will be two evening performances on **February 24 and 25** with a special matinee dress rehearsal on **February 23**. We are looking for singers to participate in the show.

HAND, FOOT AND TOE CARDS

Beverly Chaloupka
480-654-5357

Welcome back! Hand, Foot and Toe is playing **Wednesdays at 12:30 pm** in the **Mojave Room**.

HIKING GROUP

Jim Cox
515-999-9554
Valerie Paetz
250-208-9708

Meet at the **Baja Bistro Mondays at 7:45 am** SHARP. Wear hiking boots or good heavy ribbed soled shoes. Gloves and hiking stick are recommended. Bring water, lunch and money for gas. See **Post Office Hallway** for detailed descriptions, schedule guidelines and updates. Hikes are often physically demanding. Know your limitations. Hike at your own risk.

LIBRARY

Ruby Erickson
480-924-9125

All returning librarians, please check in at the library. There is a sign-up sheet on the desk. Library fall hours will begin **November 4**.

PET ASSOCIATION

Chris Johnson
480-622-4171

Welcome back, everyone! Please make sure you register your pets upon arrival back to VO. Need volunteers for Root Beer Floats on **November 13**.

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Clubs and Organizations

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Need FHC. Contact Natalie Drake. Safety Equipment is available. Contact Natalie Drake at 206-353-5743 & leave a message. Let's make it a great season!

ROCK SHOP

Dean Meier
913-530-1851

Welcome back to Venture Out, all you Rock Hounds. Yes, we are open for business, but since we do not have all the monitors back yet, a notice on the door will indicate when the shop is open. Our first monthly meeting will be held on **November 4 at 9:00 am right in the shop at the Hobby Center.** We look forward to seeing you all again, plus we will welcome any new members who want to join in on the fun. Travel safe!

SILVERSMITH CLUB

Nancy Wombacher
319-331-8758

Welcome back to all the snowbirds. The Silversmith Shop plans to open on **October 28** contingent on the availability of monitors. We are looking forward to doing some new projects this year. Everyone is encouraged to stop in and learn about new, as well as ongoing projects. And, members are especially encouraged to stop in and sign up to help with the classes and events this season.

SOLOS WEEKLY GATHERING

Suzi Picotte
480-296-3010

The Solos Social Club is back in business for the 2019/2020 season. The group is open to all single residents and renters. We meet at **4:00 pm on Thursdays** at the Oasis for

happy hour and pot luck dinner. Women bring a dish for 10 to pass. Men bring the adult beverages. Solos is an ideal place for singles to meet other singles. All are welcome! Call Suzi for additional information.

SPLASHERS WATER VOLLEYBALL

Robbie Oldemar
480-396-9987

Water volleyball season is here! **October** through **April. Monday-Wednesday-Friday, 1:00 - 2:30 pm, West Pool.** Join us for a lot of fun and even a little exercise! Questions? Contact Robbie Oldemar. Coyote Books, our fundraiser, are on sale **October 1** for \$20. •

STITCH & CHAT

Dianne Gilbert
480-993-7794

Well, with another summer behind us and back to life at Venture out, Stitch & Chat will start on **November 7 in the Mojave Room 9:00 am - 12:00 pm.** Looking forward to seeing all of you with new ideas and patterns. Remember to bring a special pattern of yours to share with everyone. Also, if you have extra yarn, we can use any and all for the Salvation Army Christmas Angel projects. Take care and safe travels. •

SUNSHINE CARVERS

Tony Randazzo
208-651-8033

Welcome back everyone, our shop is now open, and hours are **Monday thru Saturday, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.** If you are interested in wood carving, beginners are welcome anytime or drop in for a chat and coffee. We have three make and take classes scheduled. Western Boot Toothpick Holder sign up by **October 29** class starts **November 4.** Gourd beginner class sign up by

November 12 – class starts **November 18.** Christmas Tree Ornament sign up by **November 26** – class starts **December 2.** Cost for each class is \$15.00 and includes membership, tools and cutout.

TENNIS CLUB

Janice Schwartz
507-251-9384

Welcome back, players for our Fall Classic **October 28 -November 2!** Tournament draw found at votennisclub.com. Meet you at the kiosk for hugs and volunteer sign-ups; please help with ticket sales, food service, scorekeeping. Update Food Handler's permit **10:00 am, Friday October 25 in The Baja Bistro.** Also sign up for the November league.

WASHINGTON STATE PARTY

Diane Miller
425-330-8101

Save the date! **Tuesday, February 18** in the Buena Vista Ballroom. Details will be coming soon. •

WIDOWS POTLUCK FELLOWSHIP

Laurie Horan
480-993-7878

October 23 we will have the last Widow's Potluck for 2019. All widows are invited to share a lunch in the Sonoran from **Noon to 1:15 pm.** Bring a dish to share. BYOTS and beverage. We will continue meeting in January. Call Laurie for any questions you may have about this group.

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

Betsy Klofstad
480-854-8883

The Women's Book Group meets on the **2nd and 4th Friday of every month** during the season. We meet in the **Mojave Room**

at **9:30 am.** The first meeting of the season will be **October 25** with Sandy Hammond leading a discussion of "The Passion of Artemesia" by Susan Vreeland, followed by "Where the Crawdads Sing" by Delia Owens on **November 8.** The moderator will be Marla Johnson. The group is open to everyone with no dues-just good company! For a reading list for the season, check out the clip board in the Post Office annex. Hope you will join us. •

CARDS & GAMES

American Hand & Foot

Sat • 12:00 pm Mojave

Hand Foot & Toe

Wed. • 12:30 pm • Mojave

Men's Poker 11-1

5:30 pm • Card Room Mon - Thurs

Social Bridge

Sun • 6:30 pm • Mojave

Please Notify the Out-Lines when your cards & games will be starting up. No cards and games will be added to this listing if you do not notify. Also, only listings with a Booked Room will be listed. No card groups that meet in the Baja Bistro will be listed.

TENNIS CLUB VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE 21ST ANNUAL FALL TENNIS CLASSIC SCOREKEEPERS SHUTTLE DRIVERS GOLF CARTS 50/50 SALES RAFFLE & SILENT AUCTION PARKING FOOD SERVICE - Food Handler Certification must be current. Watch for sign-up sheets at the Tennis Court Kiosk.

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

FOOD HANDLER'S CLASS

Is your Food Handler's card about to expire? Would you like to volunteer in the kitchen but have no card?

If so, you can attend one of the monthly Food Handler's classes instructed by our own Chef Ed.

No Studying Required! No Test! No Cost!



No need to go off property to take a test.

This 30-minute class does the trick!

Receive your Food Service card - good for 3 years.

**FRIDAY • OCTOBER 25
10:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO**

Free Dental Consultation

Meet with Dr. Pease & Associates Family Dentistry for a free dental consultation



Sign-up required on the bulletin board located in the Fitness Center

Keep that smile healthy!

**FRIDAY • NOVEMBER 1
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • EPC THERAPY ROOM 2**

Electronics Class: iPad for Seniors



Getting a new **Apple iPad**? **Bring your tablet, all charged up, an Apple ID and current password.** We will cover the App Store, Maps and other useful apps. My current favorites are now Library Apps who give you free movies and classes. We will cover basics of using the Calendar, Clock and Games. Beginners or Intermediate Users. Bring your questions.

Class size limited to 21.
E-Club Membership required. Sign up & pay at the Electronics Club. Cost \$10.00

**TUESDAY • NOVEMBER 5
2:30 PM • ELECTRONICS**

Electronics Class: Microsoft Publisher



Microsoft Publisher is a great tool for creating flyers, newsletters, business cards, personalized birthday cards, brochures, and event posters. Learn tools for editing page layouts and visual content.

Brett will take you through a step by step process of creating a professional flyer using a template and from scratch. You will also receive an outline to remind you of all of publisher's functions. **If possible, bring your charged Laptop with Publisher installed.**

Class size limited to 21.
E-Club Membership required. Sign up & pay at the Electronics Club. Cost \$10.00

**WEDNESDAY • NOVEMBER 13
9:30 AM • ELECTRONICS**

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

THURSDAY HEALTH SEMINAR

“Ageless Women: Healthy and Fabulous After 60, 70, 80 and Beyond”

Christi Christiaens is a certified health coach, nutritionist and personal trainer who has worked in the health and fitness field for over 40 years. She specializes in anti-aging for women and is the co-author of the Amazon bestseller “Voices of the 21st century, Women Who Influence, Inspire and Make a Difference.” She teaches women how to defy aging with simple lifestyle changes, so they can be energetic, pain-free and joyous no matter age.

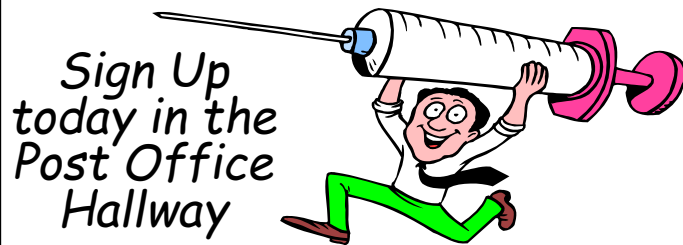


**THURSDAY • NOVEMBER 14
1:00 PM • THE CABANA (EPC)**

FLU SHOTS

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**FRIDAY • NOVEMBER 15
9:00 - 11:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO**

7:30 AM WEST POOL EXERCISE

Robbie Oldemar
 iris.lady@hotmail.com
 Whether you are returning, stay here all summer or visiting, come join us at 7:30 in the West Pool. Gentle aerobics, stretching and core exercises with lots of laughs thrown in. Drop by - you're welcome to join us anytime and all the time! A great way to start your morning. •

8:45 AM WEST POOL EXERCISES

Irene Fuller
 480-628-3019
 Noodles 8:45 am. Water exercise 9:00 – 9:45 am Monday to Saturday Classes will be starting Monday, October 28. To keep healthy you need to eat well, exercise and spend time with friends. Water exercises stretch, build and maintain strength and help your balance for a full and active senior lifestyle. The friends you make and the music exercises give joy to our daily living. The Arizona Department for Senior Health reminds us to hydrate regularly. So, bring your water bottle and hydrate while you exercise. Come and join the fun.

FREE BEGINNER'S TENNIS CLINIC

Joan Logan
 403 851-0506
Holly Beattie
 701-866-8871
 Come and join us for fitness and fun! Learn a new sport and develop a special community of friends. Date: **Saturday, November 9.** Time: **10:00 am to 12:00 pm** followed by a free lunch held at 509 Debonair. Place: **Courts 7 and 8** near front gate. Please wear sports footwear and comfortable clothing. Racquets will be provided.

Register by **November 6** with Joan Logan or Holly Beattie. Free lessons will continue all season on **Mondays at 3:30 pm. •**

TAI CHI

Kathy Smith
 403-547-2359
 Welcome back, everyone! Tai Chi is good for balance and is a gentle moving exercise oiling all our muscles and joints. Join us in the **Auxiliary Ballroom** on **Monday, Wednesday and Friday** from **9:00 - 10:00 am** beginning **November 2.**

EXERCISE CLASSES

- 7:30 am West Pool Water Exercise**
7:30 am • West Pool
Mon - Fri
Oct 28 this moves to the BV Ballroom.
- 8:45 am Noodles**
8:45 am • Mon - Sat • West Pool
- 9:00 am West Pool Water Exercise**
9:00 am • West Pool
Mon - Sat
- 9:00 am East Pool Water Aerobics**
9:00 am • East Pool
Mon - Sat
- Lap Swimming (Daily)**
6:00-7:30 am • East Pool
7:00-8:00 pm • West Pool
- Stretch & Tone**
8:00 am • Mon - Fri
Aux Ballroom
Oct 28 this moves to the BV Ballroom.
- Water Walking**
6:00 - 7:30 am • West Pool





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explore the Ancient Ozarks Natural History Museum. There's
even time for sightseeing and shopping on your own. Includes
home pick-up, airfare, accommodations at the Radisson Hotel, 4
breakfasts + 1 champagne brunch and 5 dinners. Consider
purchasing Travel Insurance for this trip. (T)



Dec 14 CELEBRATION OF CHRISTMAS

\$99 pp This is one of our most popular motorcoach trips!
Experience the magnificent performance at Dream City Church,
and enjoy dinner. (MC)

Dec 18 TLAQUEPAQUE SHOPPING

\$99 pp Spend time doing some shopping for gifts (or for
yourself???) at Tlaquepaque in Sedona! This picturesque
shopping area has something for everyone on your list!
Includes voucher for lunch.

Dec 22 Besh ba Gowah Festival of Lights

\$99 pp This is a great day trip if you have visitors during
the holidays! Enjoy the scenic drive through Devil's
Canyon, and browse for a few gift ideas at the Pickle
Barrel. The festivities, entertainment and luminaries at
the pueblo will surely delight you and your friends! (MC)

Dec 24-26 LAUGHLIN CHRISTMAS

\$ TBD

3 days/2 nights at the River Lodge!
Details coming soon!



Dec 26th HOLIDAYS at the HEARD

\$99 pp Extend the holidays with a visit to the Heard
Museum. Take a guided tour of the
exhibits, and enjoy popular
demonstrations such as hoop dancers
and fancy dancing. Lunch at a popular
restaurant is included.



Dec 29, 2019 - Jan 1, 2020 ROSE PARADE



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Accommodations at the Fairfield Inn & Suites, Rancho
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the Air Force One Pavilion, tour of Warner, Brothers Studio with
lunch and dinner at a local restaurant on New Year's Eve! (MC)

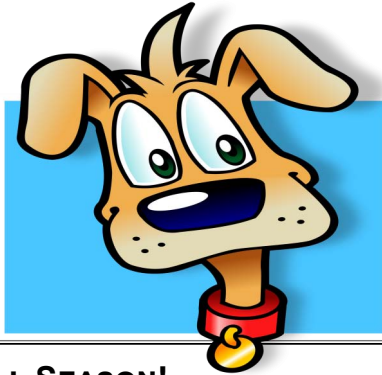
This and That

Please Register... **YOUR PET**

Registration is for the pet's safety. If an emergency occurs, park staff can contact the Pet Association to care for or assist in locating a lost pet. Tags are available in the Activity Office. Be sure to bring current rabies tag information (Not required for cats). Pets must be registered annually!

July 1 - June 30

Dogs:
Seasonal: \$15.00
Monthly: \$10.00
Weekly: \$5.00
Cats:
Seasonal: \$10.00
Monthly: \$5.00



**ALL SEASON!
TAGS AVAILABLE FROM THE ACTIVITY OFFICE
DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS**

50th Anniversary Renewal of Vows

This season the
Recreation
Department is
sponsoring a
"Renewal of
Wedding Vows"
for those
married 50
years or more.



If you would like to participate in
this event, please scan a wedding
photo and send with your name and
wedding date to
recdir@ventureoutvresort.com

Holiday Photos Wanted!



Remember those holiday themed
soldiers, candles, angels & doves
decorating the streets of VO?
Do you have any lot or block holiday
photos from the 1980's or 1990's?
Those photos can be close ups of
individual lots or an entire block (day or
night shots). If you would like to share...
Drop off to 435 Navajo or scan & email
photos to Tcme92A@msn.com
Questions? Call 480-830-3933



This and That

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Dawn Jones Oct 19
Jim Wahl Oct 25
Cheryl Spear Oct 31
Bill Miller Nov 1
Charlene Morfeld Nov 4

HAVE YOU HEARD?

To submit
information Email
outlines
@ventureoutrvresort
.com

or Activity Office at
480-832-9000

Gene Entzel of 816 Navajo
recently passed away.

Send cards to Carmen
Entzel, 5001 E. Main Street,
#1545, Mesa, AZ 86205.

Jim Kolberg, a former
owner, passed away
September 28, 2019. Send
cards to Kevin, Natalie &
Craig Kolberg, 2610
Mohawk Terrace,
Interlochen, MI 49643.

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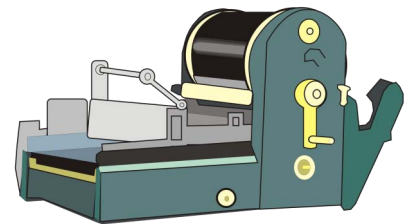
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visit him in the Print Room located in
the Community Center Annex building.



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2019 Fall Tennis
Classic & Lunch at
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(Tennis Sponsored)
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TGIR VO
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Don & Ron
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Pancake
Breakfast
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Recreation Update



October 18, 2019

It's Happy Hour at the West Pool today, Friday, October 18 with talented Venture Out resident, Johnny R providing music from the 60's and 70's. BYOB only in plastic containers and we'll see you in the sun between 3:00 - 5:30 pm. Ice and water provided.

If you're a "crafty" type of person... that's crafty as in arts and crafts not sneaky, shrewd, devious or wily... your assistance is needed! Elma Becker is heading up a workshop to put together table decorations for the upcoming 50th Renewal of Wedding Vows celebration. All supplies provided. Simply show up in the Baja Bistro at 10:30 am Tuesday, October 22 and she'll put you to work.

The first of the season's Food Handler's Classes has been scheduled with Chef Ed in the Baja Bistro on Friday, October 25 at 10:00 am. If you need to renew your food handler's card or wish to obtain one, please attend this short class. No studying or testing required...and it's free!

You can still pick up Halloween Howling Hour party tickets from the Activity Office. This seasonal kick-off event features not only a Nacho Bar but a fully loaded Hot Dog Bar as well. Add music by the Van Reed Brothers, a traditional costume contest and a few surprises thrown in for good measure and you have a spook-tacular party! Costumes are optional, but always fun.

The Fall Tennis Classic begins Monday, October 28 with play continuing through November 2. Head over to the courts to watch a game or two and enjoy breakfast or lunch. Be sure to check out the menu options in this edition of the Out-Lines.

In preparation for this year's Veterans Day Flag Raising Ceremony, chairperson Robert Hayes is requesting the names of any US or Canadian Veterans who are 90 or more in age. Please contact Robert at 480-291-3289 with the veteran's name and branch of service.

The Venture Out Grapevine will be up and running beginning October 28. Join your friends and neighbors each and every Monday at 9:00 am in the Baja Bistro for FREE coffee and donuts, information, activity updates, a bit of craziness and phenomenal door prizes. It's always a great way to start your busy week.

You are invited to attend the Non-Denominational Worship Service every Sunday in the Buena Vista Ballroom beginning November 3. The Glass Arts Club Sponsored Gabfest begins that Sunday as well. That's coffee and donuts in the Baja Bistro before and after Worship Service.

Our weekly Tuesday Potlucks begin November 5. Bring a dish to serve 8 as well as your own table service and be at the Baja Bistro by 5:00 pm. Following dinner, the ever-popular Sunshine Acres Children's Choir will be on hand to perform for your listening pleasure. Be sure to bring a dollar or two for their pass the hat.

Please come to the Activity Office to purchase your Arizona Republic newspaper subscription. Do not complete the form left on your doorstep or order by phone. Those forms provide a commission to a source which is NOT the Social Club and phone orders offer no return percentage of sales.

It's breakfast in the Bistro on Saturday, November 2 featuring the all-time-park-favorite...blueberry pancakes! Served with grilled sausage, chilled juice and bottomless cups of coffee all for only \$6.00! No tax! No tip! Just \$6.00. Tickets may be purchased at the event. Please provide your own table service and coffee cup.

Wednesday, November 6 is a FREE Street Dance featuring the Classic Example Band and a local food truck. You'll be able to dance to music from the 50's to the 70's with a bit of country tossed into the mix while enjoying a bite of dinner. Be sure to check out the menu for the Chicken Coop Food Truck in this edition of the Out-Lines. The fun will take place at the Patio, which is the area behind the Laundry facility. Remember BYOB, glass and ice. Soda and popcorn will be available for \$1.00 each.

To work the TV's in the Fitness Center, please use the remotes which are located either on the wall by the bulletin board or the wall by the emergency exit door. Do not manually operate.

Fridays are meant for dancing at Venture Out. The November 1 dance features the popular music of Midnight Confessions. Doors open at 6:30 pm with dancing on the beautiful Buena Vista Ballroom floor between 7:00 - 10:00 pm. Remember to BYOB and glass. Tickets STILL only \$8.00!

Grab the flyer from this edition of the Out-Lines and head over to Organ Stop Pizza on Wednesday, October 23 for some great pizza and entertainment. 20% of your bill (excluding alcohol) will be donated back to the Social Club as sponsored by the AV Club.

Resident Mary Keller and her crew have faithfully managed the weekly blood pressure screening program at Venture Out for several years and I thank them for their efforts. However, we are currently in need of additional people to assist with this program. If you are willing to step in and help, please stop in to the Activity Office and provide your name and phone number and we will be in touch. This is a great way to give back to your community!

The Poolroom Association will kick off the season with the first of their monthly Jumbo Hot Dog Feed on Saturday, November 9. Adding a bit of spice to the event will be the Croquet Club selling slices of their delicious Bundt cake and the Library hosting one of their famous book sales. Tickets may be purchased at the event; however, you are asked to provide your table service. We'll see you at the BBQ grills outside the Community Center between 11:00 am and 1:00 pm.

Another Health Seminar is slated for Thursday, November 14 at 1:00 pm in the Cabana. This talk is designed for our ageless women who want to continue to be healthy and fabulous after 60, 70, 80 and beyond!

Homecoming tickets are now available from the Activity Office. This year's event will feature a parking lot full of vendors, a patio filled with live music, a kitchen bursting with good food and Saturday complete with great weather and good times. This is a free event welcoming all our residents and renters back to another action-packed season at Venture Out.

Coyote Books are now on sale as a fundraiser sponsored by the VO water volleyball club, the Splashers. Contact Robbie Oldemar at 480-396-9987.

Staff members from the Administration Office will be on hand at each of our Monday Grapevines to take orders for Venture Out 50th commemorative clothing including hats, shirts, pins and more. It's time to place your order!

Teresa Beally

Activity Director

recdir@ventureoutvresort.com



Manager's Corner

October 18, 2019

Welcome back!

This week's occupancy is 461 or 26% vs, 358 at the last report and 384 one year ago. There are currently 79 renters in the park.

If you have just returned to the VO there are two things to know up front. The City of Mesa is changing their recycling guidelines, please see the insert in this week's Out-Lines. Recycling is problematic right now. The largest buyer for America's recycling was China and they are backing off purchases in the U.S. Losing that buyer has caused the costs of recycling to soar and some valley cities have abandoned it completely. Our newspaper vendor increased his collection cost from \$45/mo. two years ago, to \$600/mo. just recently. We of course had to cancel that bin pick up service. Newspapers now can be placed in the blue barrels and I suspect they will fill rapidly, so please help us in compacting the recyclables when you can.

None of the water vending machines in the park are operational. The water vendor went MIA, shortly after Admin started asking him where his commission check to VO was. (Every year has been a lot of work to get that out of him). On top of that he was not responding to our maintenance calls. We knew he was last in the park in June, and the machines had not been maintained since that time. After talking to him twice via phone and sending three formal written notices, Venture Out is now looking at replacing these machines with either a different vendor or outright purchase of new machines. Considering they generate almost as much income as the laundry machines, the Board will look closely at this. In the meantime, there are water machines at the nearby Ranch Market at .30/gallon. We are sorry for the inconvenience, but the Board wanted to deal with this when they returned.

The roads are seal coated now, on both sides and should come close to eliminating the black dust in the park. Will we still see pollution dust? I suspect so, because I have it over in Chandler with no seal coat in front of my house, but it should be much less. If you don't have new seal coat BUT you do have a new valley gutter that is because the roads are planned to be replaced next summer.

The new drainage pipes are finally being installed in the Pet Walk retention basin. We have waited all summer for these to be installed, but thankfully we had almost no rain, so we were not greatly impacted. It will be interesting to see how these work in the first major rain. Shuffleboard's kitchen facility is close to completion and the courts were stripped and waxed last week.

A reminder you now have three choices for internet in the park. Century Link, Dish, and now Verizon On com. (www.on-cc.com/ventureout). Dish has installed a new 1 Gig line into the park that is supposed to improve their service during peak usage. We won't really know that until more people are in the park. Verizon pulls their internet service directly from the Cell towers surrounding the park. You can go to their web page for more information on their service. All approved transmittals were completed this summer or are very close to completion.

The Board met this week in a work session and 'ate the elephant' laying out plans for another season, with items to tackle. I filled out my season calendar and there is almost no day that a meeting is not scheduled. Then during the season, more meetings are added. The Board is a busy bunch of people and all the Standing Committees as well. When you consider that you are running a small city that is 50 years old, there are a lot of moving pieces that must be addressed each year. Fortunately, we have some great volunteers who every year step forward to do that. If you are interested in volunteering your talents, they are always looking.

Mary Schmit

General Manager
vogm@ventureoutrvresort.com

Venture Out Condo Board Presidents Comments
for October 18, 2019

A new season has begun at Venture Out! We had our first Board work session on 10/17/19 and have started to sort the work to be done this year. The following is just a partial list and is not in any order of priority. League play, long range palm tree planning, scooters, donations, west pool, VO water machines, transmittal process, committee assignments, finances, rules and regulations, updates on HVAC, Bocce, Shuffleboard, NE wall security, liquor law changes, long range planning, Air B&B rentals, long range planning, easements and many more. Of course, there are always the other issues that come up during the year. I am not reporting on the results of the discussions because I had to get this article turned in before we actually had that meeting.

We welcome your input, suggestions and comments at our meetings. You are also welcome to attend both work sessions and Board meetings. The agendas are posted at least 48 hours prior to the meetings on the Board on the outside wall of both Administration and the Recreation Department. There is always a portion of the agenda that gives time available for Residents to speak to the Board. The Board meetings are run on television on Channel 17 so there is no reason not to keep up with what is going on with your Board. I do understand that rumors are sometimes more interesting than the facts – but take time and find the facts.

The Board members that will be working on your behalf this year on these issues include Gary Johnson, Vice President, Ken Winters, Treasurer, Gail Miller, Secretary, Bert Sebastian, Byron Snowdon, Kay Hanks, Greg Shelby and Beryl Willerton. These people give hours of their time to make Venture Out a better place for all of us. Please thank them for serving on your Board of Directors.

Do read Mary, our General Manager's newsletter. In it she describes the work done this summer. The Bocce courts look great, the Shuffleboard courts were cleaned last week, the road resurfacing and painting was just completed and on and on. I hope that you will take the time to say thank you to our staff who managed the summers work.

Lorraine Hee, our Social Board President and I have been in contact through the summer and look forward to continuing the good relations that were established between the two (2) Boards last season.

Did you remember that we will be celebrating Venture Out's 50th anniversary this year? Lots were originally sold at \$3,900 a space and the first lot was sold in January of 1970. A committee of residents have been planning events for our celebration. Be sure and keep up with events as they are published in Out-Lines. I believe that each Club will also be participating in our celebration. Be sure and purchase your VO 50th anniversary pin in Administration, I have one on my badge right now, it really looks great.

OK, I can think of nothing else to report other than it is nice to be back, the swimming pool is refreshing and my bicycle has a flat tire!

Alice Anderson
Condo Board President

DAILY TIMETABLE

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED MONDAY - FRIDAY

Lap Swimming	6:00 - 7:30 am	East Pool
Water Walking	6:00 - 7:30 am	West Pool
Water Exercise	7:30 am	West Pool
Stretch & Tone	8:00 am	Aux Ballroom
Water Aerobics	9:00 am	East Pool
Library Locked Cases	10:00 am - 3:20 pm	Library
Post Office	2:00 - 3:30 pm	VO Post Office
Lap Swimming	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

Weekly Recurring Events

MONDAYS

Hiking	7:45 am	Baja Bistro
VO Grapevine	9:00 am	Baja Bistro
Ham 20M -	11:30 am	Ham Shack
Water Volleyball	1:00-2:30 pm	West Pool

TUESDAYS

9-Hole Sign-up	7:45 am	Sonoran
American Hand & Foot	12:00 pm	Mojave
Ice Cream Social	1:30-2:30 pm	Baja Bistro

WEDNESDAYS

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

THURSDAYS

Solos Potluck	4:30 pm	Oasis
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FRIDAYS

Ham 20M -	11:30 am	Ham Shack
Water Volleyball	1:00-2:30 pm	West Pool

SATURDAYS

Lap Swimming -	6:00 - 7:30 am	East Pool
Water Walking -	6:00 - 7:30 am	West Pool
Water Aerobics	9:00 am	East Pool
Ham Radio Mtg	10:00 am	Oasis
American Hand & Foot	12:00 pm	Mojave
Lap Swimming -	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

SUNDAYS

Lap Swimming -	6:00 - 7:30 am	East Pool
Water Walking -	6:00 - 7:30 am	West Pool
Summer Gabfest	7:30 - 9:00 am	Cabana
Lap Swimming -	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

Special Events

FRIDAY

Happy Hour	3-5:30 pm	West Pool
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MONDAY

Babyback Rib Dinner	4:30 pm	Baja Bistro
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WEDNESDAY

Widows Potluck	12:00 - 1:15 pm	Sonoran
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THURSDAY

Condo Meeting	9:00 am	Oasis
Ed's Grill	11:30 - 12:45 PM	Baja Bistro

FRIDAY

Food Handlers Class	10:00 am	Baja Bistro
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MONDAY

Tennis Classic	7:00 am-2:00 pm	Veranda
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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

Tennis Classic	7:00 am-2:00 pm	Veranda
Choir Rehearsal	9:00 - 10:00 am	Music Room

THURSDAY

Tennis Classic	7:00 am-2:00 pm	Veranda
Halloween Howling Hr	4:00-7:00 pm	Baja Bistro

FRIDAY

Tennis Classic	7:00 am-2:00 pm	Veranda
Free Dental Consult	11:00-1:00 pm	EPC Therapy Rm 2
Karaoke w/Ron & Don	3:00-5:30 pm	Baja Bistro
Friday Night Dance	6:30-10:00 pm	BV Ballroom

The Following Tickets Are Now Available In The Activity Office

Current badges (with a Gold hologram) are required to purchase tickets

Event	Date of Event	Deadline	Amount	Qty.
Halloween Howling Hour ...	Th - Oct 31	Oct 23 (10:00 am)	\$8.75	[]
Friday Night Dance (Midnight)	F - Nov 1	Nov 1 (3:00 pm)	\$8.00	[]
Friday Night Dance (Julie Lee)	F - Nov 8	Nov 8 (3:00 pm)	\$8.00	[]
Veterans' Day Concert	M Nov 11	Nov 11 (3:00 pm) <small>Sold also at the door</small>	\$9.00	[]
Friday Night Dance (Johnny K) ...	F - Nov 15	Nov 15 (3:00 pm)	\$8.00	[]
Enchilada Dinner	M - Nov 25	Until Sold Out	\$8.00	[]



If you fail to meet the purchase deadline or the event is sold out, check the Post Office Hallway Ticket Bulletin Board for resale offerings.

Bring this list with you to the Activity Office to expedite your ticket purchases.



Venture Out at Mesa

50th Anniversary



HOMECOMING

Saturday · November 16

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Community Center

**Come early to visit
the vendor tables in the parking lot**

Lunch Menu

Chicken Parmesan Sandwich
(Breaded chicken breast topped with
melted mozzarella cheese and an Italian
marinara sauce)
Crisp Cole Slaw
Potato Chips
Beverage
(BYOTS)

**Music, Music
and more
Music!**

**Exciting
Vendors
10:00 am -
1:00 pm**



**Ice Cream
provided by
The Battery
Guy**

FREE!

For residents and renters

\$4.00 for guests

**Tickets available from the Activity Office
until Friday, November 15**

- Compliments of your Social Club -

HOMECOMING NOTES

– PLEASE READ –

Lunch will be served from the Baja Bistro.

ENTER ONLY THROUGH THE LOBBY.

**No entrance from side doors except for the
handicapped.**

Handicapped individuals may enter through the electronic door at the **WEST SIDE** of the Community Center door and will be escorted closer to the front of the line.

- Be aware of the serving time on your ticket. This is important for crowd control.
 - **Please provide your own table service,
beverage glass provided**
- Seating for the meal will be available both in the Baja Bistro and outside the Community Center. Once you have received your food, you may exit through the Bistro's side doors.
- **Free Ice Cream provided by the Battery Guy
located in the parking lot.**
- Remember **ENTER ONLY THROUGH THE LOBBY
FRONT DOORS** to join the food line.

Be sure to visit with the various vendors included in our day's celebration

Venture Out Audio Visual Service Club

Fundraising Event

ORGAN STOP PIZZA

1149 E. SOUTHERN AVENUE
MESA, AZ 85204
(southwest corner Stapley & Southern)
480-813-5700
www.OrganStopPizza.com

Wednesday 10/23/19
5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

20% of our pre-tax kitchen food
sales comes back to benefit us!

- * You must present this flyer
when placing order!
- * Cash and/or checks accepted.
No debit or credit cards!



Great family entertainment & fun
for all generations.

Get your *family, friends & neighbors* to
help the Venture Out Audio Visual Service Club
and have a great night out at the same time!

Proceeds to benefit the Venture Out Social Club



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to Reserve Your Seats!

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**Sponsored by Solo's
and Fired Clay Arts**

2019 - 2020

All Motorcoach Trips include Deluxe Motorcoach and
Professional Tour Director

Summer Hours: 9am - 3pm Mon - Thur



Nov 28-29 Mazatzal Thanksgiving

\$289 pp dbl; add \$185



for single

2 Days/1 Night at Mazatzal Hotel &
Casino in your suite! Enjoy a

Thanksgiving Buffet and breakfast. Free time to spend in
the casino!

Dec 4 - 9, 2019 Branson Holiday Shows

\$2519 pp dbl or \$2749 single

6 Days / 5 Nights Join the fun in
Branson, with 9 live shows, including
the Andy Williams Ozark Mtn

Christmas, Yakov Smirnoff Comedy, The
Miracle of Christmas, the Showboat Branson Belle show with dinner
cruise, and more! Enjoy a sightseeing tour of Branson, and
explore the Ancient Ozarks Natural History Museum. There's
even time for sightseeing and shopping on your own. Includes
home pick-up, airfare, accommodations at the Radisson Hotel, 4
breakfasts + 1 champagne brunch and 5 dinners. Consider
purchasing Travel Insurance for this trip. (T)



Dec 14 CELEBRATION OF CHRISTMAS

\$99 pp This is one of our most popular motorcoach trips!
Experience the magnificent performance at Dream City Church,
and enjoy dinner. (MC)

Dec 18 TLAQUEPAQUE SHOPPING

\$99 pp Spend time doing some shopping for gifts (or for
yourself???) at Tlaquepaque in Sedona! This picturesque
shopping area has something for everyone on your list!
Includes voucher for lunch.

Dec 22 Besh ba Gowah Festival of Lights

\$99 pp This is a great day trip if you have visitors during
the holidays! Enjoy the scenic drive through Devil's
Canyon, and browse for a few gift ideas at the Pickle
Barrel. The festivities, entertainment and luminaries at
the pueblo will surely delight you and your friends! (MC)

Dec 24-26 LAUGHLIN CHRISTMAS

\$ TBD

3 days/2 nights at the River Lodge!
Details coming soon!



Dec 26th HOLIDAYS at the HEARD

\$99 pp Extend the holidays with a visit to the Heard
Museum. Take a guided tour of the
exhibits, and enjoy popular
demonstrations such as hoop dancers
and fancy dancing. Lunch at a popular
restaurant is included.



Dec 29, 2019 - Jan 1, 2020

ROSE PARADE



\$839 pp dbl, add \$280 for single
Reserve your seat now with a \$100
deposit pp!

Accommodations at the Fairfield Inn & Suites, Rancho
Cucamonga with daily breakfast. All of our popular favorites:
reserved Grandstand Seating for the Rose Parade, close up
viewing of floats, tour of the Reagan Library including lunch at
the Air Force One Pavilion, tour of Warner, Brothers Studio with
lunch and dinner at a local restaurant on New Year's Eve! (MC)

Mesa's "NEW" Recycling Program

To maintain the sustainability of Mesa's recycling program, the list of accepted items has been reduced and simplified.

ONLY RECYCLE THESE ACCEPTED ITEMS



**Beverage Bottles,
Jugs and Cans**
Empty, Clean and Dry



Metal Food Cans
Empty, Clean and Dry



Cardboard
Remove All Packaging



Paper
*Office Paper, Newspaper
and Magazines*

All Other Items NOT Accepted

When In Doubt, Keep It Out.

For recycling information, visit mesarecycles.org



What's Going On With Recycling?

The recycling world has dramatically changed. While recycling still provides environmental benefits, several markets are no longer accepting material from the United States. Some materials currently have such low demand that the volatility of their market value is jeopardizing the financial stability of recycling programs across the country, including Mesa.

Why Is This Happening?

- **CONTRACTS.** The City of Mesa has contracts with various Materials Recovery Facilities (MRFs) who sort and process our collected material. The MRF then sells the material to domestic and international markets so it can be recycled into new products. In the past, Mesa received a minimum base price plus a percentage of the market sale price for every ton of material delivered to the MRF. However, under current contracts, the base price has now been replaced with an upfront processing fee for all inbound tonnage. When combined with historically low market prices for recyclable material that cannot offset these processing fees, this has started to create a negative financial impact.
- **CONTAMINATION.** For years, individuals have been placing non-accepted items in their recycle containers. Nationally speaking, approximately 25% of the items placed in the recycle containers are not recyclable or accepted. And unfortunately, despite early warnings from domestic and international vendors regarding the increased contamination, recycling behaviors did not change and in some cases, became worse. In response, markets that at one time accepted our material opted to no longer purchase it. Contamination also increases unnecessary processing fee costs.

Besides Recycling Right, What Else Can You Do To Help?

Recycling is great but we should always reduce and reuse first. After all, if we do not generate waste in the first place, we do not have to worry about what to do with it later. **REDUCE** by buying in bulk where it makes sense and avoid single serving packaging which creates unnecessary waste. **REUSE** by avoiding one time use products and instead opting for reusable ones, such as a reusable water bottle. And finally **RECYCLE** but always remember to recycle right because it does matter. When combined together, even our smallest behavior change can have a major impact.