# Tentime Out-Lines

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5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

February 7, 2020

ANNUAL MEETING OF VENTURE OUT LOT OWNERS



#### **Administration**

#### **Venture Out**

5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

#### ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

(480) 832-0200
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@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.

#### **ACTIVITY OFFICE**

(480) 832-9000 RecDir @VentureOutRVResort.com 8:00 am - 3:30 pm Monday - Friday Closed Sat. & Sun.

#### CONTRACTOR/VENDOR HOURS

8:00 am - 5:00 pm Monday - Saturday No Contractors on Sunday or Holidays when the Administration Office is closed

#### SECURITY

(480) 832-6080 Security @VentureOutRVResort.com 24/7 EMERGENCY CELL (480) 220-6875

#### VO POST OFFICE

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

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, costefficient, and responsive to changing needs."

#### SOCIAL BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING Tuesday • February 11 • 1:30 pm • Oasis AGENDA

Invocation:

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:
Treasurer's Report:
Planning Report:
Transmittal Report:
Liaison Reports:
Condo Board Liaison Report:
Old Business:
New Business:
Star Volunteer:
Adjournment:

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

#### UTILITY EASEMENT SEMINAR Thursday • February 13 • 1:00 pm • Oasis AGENDA

Working Together: A Good Faith Effort Understanding your Obligation To Clear your Easement

Legal Requirements and Ramifications Looking Ahead Questions & Answers

## ANNUAL MEETING OF VENTURE OUT LOT OWNERS

Wednesday, February 19 • 1:00 pm Buena Vista Ballroom

Call to Order
Invocation
President Reads Proof
of Proper Notice of
Annual Meeting
Reading and Approval
of Minutes of 2019
Annual Meeting
President's Comments
Outgoing Directors'
Comments
Standing Committee

Reports
A time for Lot Owner's comments will be provided at the end of each committee report.

Maximum time limit for any subject shall be 5 minutes. You may only speak on any one subject one time.

Financial Report/Audit
Report
Common Facilities
Planning
Infrastructure
Architectural
Green
Safety and Security
Legislative Action
Governing Documents
Communications
Elections

Certification of Quorum Results of the Election Candidates: Closing

Closing Congratulations for new Board Members Adjournment

## CONDO BOARD ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING Thursday, February 20 • 9:00 am • Oasis

CONDO BOARD ORIENTATION MEETING Friday, February 15 • 8:00 am • Oasis Board Training

All contracted classes & club events, as well as the Activity Office, will be closed from 12:00 noon until the close of the Annual Meeting of the Venture Out Lot Owners on Wednesday, February 19, 2020.

Plan to attend the meeting!

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

#### ARCHITECTURAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS Terry Harkness 403-606-2152

Three persons are needed for the Architectural Committee 3-year terms beginning March 31st. Open, monthly meetings are held the 1st or 2nd Tuesday of the month during the winter season. Interested parties please submit a resume to Terry Harkness, 512 Aztec, 403-606-2152, email at tmharkness@telus.net, contact any member of our committee or come out to a meeting. All meetings are posted. Selection of new members will be held early March. •

### **Administration**

#### COMMON **FACILITIES PLANNING COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Des Silver, Chairman Three people, available from November to March to deal with matters relating to the common facilities of Venture Out, are needed to fill upcoming vacancies on the Common Facilities Planning Committee. Three 3-year terms, beginning

March 31, 2020 are open. Meetings occur Wednesdays at 1:15 pm in the **Sonoran** and generally last less than an hour. If you are a Lot Owner with a **Technical or Construction** background, please submit a resume to Des Silver, 134 Douglas, or email d.silver@sasktel.net. Our meetings are open to the public. If you are interested in serving on this committee, come to a



Condo & Social Boards celebrate the signing of the 2020 Agreement

#### Notice about vendors offering services or products at Venture Out at Mesa

In response to unit owners' interest and convenience, Venture Out at Mesa permits vendors to offer services and products on Venture Out's premises. These Vendors are not affiliated with Venture Out in any way other than to rent space here. These vendors are not employees, agents, or representatives of Venture Out. Venture Out does not endorse or encourage residents to use or purchase these vendors' services or products.

Venture Out does not represent, warranty, or guarantee any vendor's services or products and is not in any way responsible for the quality of any vendor's products or services. Unit owners should investigate each vendor. Any disagreement or dispute between any vendor and any resident must be resolved between the resident and the vendor and should not involve Venture Out at Mesa.

Thank you, Your Board of Directors. and the Management of Venture Out.

## **Channel 17**

# Condo Board Meeting 11:00 am. 5:00 pm & 7:00 pm every day # Social Board Meeting 1:00 pm. 3:00 pm & 9:00 pm every day # Grapevine two times in a day after Condo Board Meeting. # Church service 2xday (only Monday)

VO 50 years celebration programs Schedule for Channel 17-# 1st slot- 8:40 am to 11:00 am. # 2nd slot starts after Condo Board Meeting & Grapevine approximately 8:00 - 9:00 pm. # 3rd slot starts after Social Board meeting approximately 9:30 - 11:00 pm.

Note: Time might differ a little.

#### **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@ventureoutrvresort.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	PUBLISH DATE FRIDAY
February 10 February 24 March 9 March 23	February 21 March 6 March 20 April 3

Deadlines in season are Noon on the Monday following the publication date. Hard copy submission forms available in the Activity Office

## **Safety & Security Committee**

#### Have you ever asked yourself.....HOW SAFE IS MESA?

Mesa is ranked 8<sup>th</sup> in the nation for safest metropolitan cities, the only Arizona city to crack the Top 10. This is based on FBI statistics of an "aggregation of violent crimes and property crime per 1000 residents."

Venture Out statistics within Mesa are even better. Over the past 26 months, for example, VO had:

Accidents (3); Prowlers (1); Theft from residents – including bikes (17); Vehicular burglary (1); Residential burglary (4); Suspicious activity (11).

So you can see Mesa and Venture Out are very Safe and Secure places to live.

#### A FEW SAFETY AND SECURITY REMINDERS

Did you know that 911 calls are NO CHARGE, unless you are transported to the hospital via ambulance? Remember: Call 911 first, then have someone call VO security.

A Mesa Fire Safety Class will be held Wednesday, February 12 at 12:00 noon in the Oasis.

Do you know where your fire extinguisher is? Did you inspect it at the start of the season to make sure it was fully charged?

Even though our units are small, have you taken time to develop a FIRF FXIT PLAN?

With spring break visitors soon to be arriving....Remember, NO golf carts can be operated by anyone younger than 16 years of age.

WARNING: The park has many FIRESTICK coral plants. If you trim this plant the milky sap is very toxic, especially to the eyes, even in small amounts. Always wear gloves and keep them separate and away from the eyes.

Please.... Never leave space heaters unattended. We had an incident of a fire starting in a unit because this happened.

Drivers....do you have trouble keeping your vehicle under the 10 MPH park speed limit? Solution....try driving in LOW GEAR.

#### **2020 - 2021 CLUB OFFICERS**

To be completed by club president

Name of Club:			
	<u>EMAIL</u>	PHONE #	
President			
Vice-President			
Secretary			
Treasurer			
Other	 		
Month officers are elected When term becomes effective  PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO THE ACTIVITY OFFICE			

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS OF VENTURE OUT AT MESA, INC., A CONDOMINIUM

Pursuant to Article III, Section 2, of the Bylaws of Venture Out at Mesa, Inc., a condominium, the Annual Meeting of members has been called to be held in the Buena Vista Ballroom at Venture Out at Mesa, Inc., 5001 East Main Street, Mesa, Arizona 85205, with the meeting declared officially open at 1:00 P.M. on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2020 for the following purposes:

**ELECTION OF DIRECTORS:** Election of three (3) Directors for the Condominium Board. The three Directors receiving the largest number of votes will be serving three-year terms. The members leaving the Board are Alice Anderson, Gary Johnson and Bert Sebastian.

There is one (1) proposition on the ballot for approval to approve the IRS Revenue Ruling 70-604. Transact all such other business as may properly be presented at this meeting.

Please complete the ballot following the instructions from the Electronic Vote Service Provider, if you have registered to vote electronically. Or place the printed ballot mailed to you in the <a href="return">return</a> envelope and MAIL to the return address on the envelope. Only one ballot per lot in the envelope. All ballots received electronically or by regular mail after 4:00 PM Arizona time the day prior to the Annual Meeting will not be counted. All voting will cease at 4:00 PM the day prior to the annual meeting. The service provider will deliver the electronically tabulated votes the Venture Out Election Committee Chairman no later than 1:00 PM Arizona time the day of the Annual Meeting. Last minute ballots may be hand-delivered to the Corporate Secretary in the Administration Office before 4:00 PM, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2020. All voting will be by Absentee ballot, either electronic vote or written paper ballot mailed to you; there will be not voting the day of the Annual Meeting.

We need your participation to ensure a quorum is present. The Annual Meeting will be declared officially open at 1:00 P.M. on Wednesday, February 19, 2020. **The Board encourages all lot owners to vote and attend the Annual Meeting.** 

January 6, 2020 Pam Byfield Corporate Secretary Venture Out at Mesa, Inc.

# Don Russell's "Remember When" Variety Show -

This annual Karaoke event features talented Venture Out residents singing and a few dancing, their way into your hearts



Free! Free! Free!

BYOB, Snacks & Glass Ice & Water Provided

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 7 3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

## Friday Night Dance

February 7
Midnight
Confessions

(Oldies Rock)

February 14 Resident Only Dance Sold Out!

February 21
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

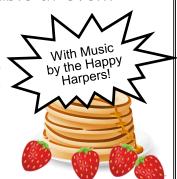
FRIDAYS • DOORS OPEN 6:30 PM 7:00 - 10:00 PM BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

#### STRAWBERRY PANCAKE BREAKFAST!

\$6.00 Per Person
Tickets available at event

#### MENU

Fresh strawberries over warm pancakes served with sausage links. Served with chilled juice and piping hot coffee.



Everyone welcome!

Bring your own table SERVICE AND COFFEE MUG

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 8 7:30 - 9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO

# SEWING CLUB'S SIDEWALK SALE & OPEN HOUSE

Many unique and beautifully crafted items for sale. Be amazed at the colorful and decorative fabrics used to create truly one-of-a-kind quilts,

blankets and more! Come browse our handiwork and visit our club house.



Refreshments served

Raffle Quilt on Display - Tickets Available

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 8 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM • SEWING ROOM

# OPEN HOUSE AND SIDEWALK SALE



Looking for that unique piece of pottery? Tour our studio and check out the sale items...made by our own talented artists.
Ceramics, pottery and more!

Come join us for refreshments

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 8 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM FIRED CLAY ARTS STUDIO

## WORSHIP SERVICE

February 9 - Speaker: Cinthia Hiett:

Patriotic Sunday

Offering: Salvation Army Camp **February 16** - Speaker: Rev. Paul

Harrington

Offering: Sunshine Acres

## GABFEST

Come enjoy fresh coffee and donuts!

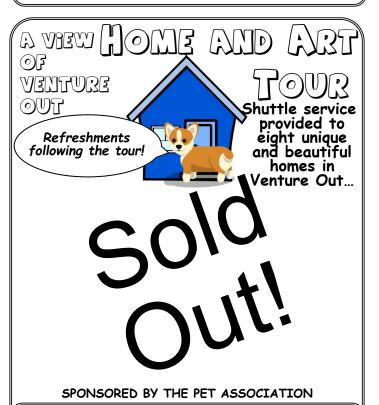


Coffee 75¢ and Donuts \$1.25

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

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



SUNDAY • FEBRUARY 9

# 50th Anniversary Renewal of Vows



Those married 50 years or more are invited to renew their wedding vows in the Buena Vista Ballroom - Officiated by Pastors Mel Waters and Paul Harrington

Wedding cake, sparkling cider, music, couples photos and more...

Past Deadline. See Post Office Hallway for Ticket Purchase Opportunities

Monday • February 10 1:00 pm • Buena Vista Ballroom



Bring your favorite "meatless" dish to serve 8 and your table service to this meatless Monday Potluck.



Beverage Provided.

**Everyone invited** 

Questions - Cheryl Epping 248-925-0204

Monday • February 10 5:00 pm • Baja Bistro

# Songs that Wrote Country Featuring "The Kenny Hess Trio"

Tickets: \$10.00 from the Activity Office or \$11.00 at the door

Hear the songs that made the legends and the stories behind the songs. Performed by country music Hall-of-Famer Kenny Hess and his award-winning band! Recording artist, songwriter, performer and music entrepreneur Kenny Hess has been deeply involved in the country music industry since the early 80's. Born in small-town Saskatchewan, he cut his teeth singing the songs of such greats as Charlie Pride, Kris Kristofferson and George Jones.



Fast forward a few years, and you've got a guy who established his multi-award-winning artist career opening for the likes of **Johnny Cash**, **Merle Haggard** and **Willie Nelson**.

Sponsored by the Silversmith Club

Monday • February 10 7:00 pm • Buena Vista Ballroom

## HUSTLE CLASS

Plan on attending the 50th Anniversary Rockin' 70's Dance?



Then you'll want to learn (again) how to do the famous 70's line dance... the Hustle!

1 Hour Class-Free

Instruction provided by Tom & Cheryl (Travolta) Epping

Tuesday • February 11 1:00 - 2:00 pm • Auxiliary Ballroom

# Tower Point Band Concert

A 65-piece concert band performing a variety of music for yo<mark>ur listening pleasure (Pass the Hat)</mark>

Enjoy a scoop of ice cream for \$1.00 or the

Valentine Special:

a warm peach
compote over a
biscuit and served
with a scoop of vanilla
ice cream \$3.00 - purchase at event



TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 11
2:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO
DURING THE ICE CREAM SOCIAL

# Tuesday POTLUCK Dinner & Entertainment Featuring "St. Vincent de Paul"



Learn about all the unique programs
St. Vincent de Paul offers our Arizona families year round. They are more than just a food bank; their mission is to

feed, clothe, house and heal but most importantly to provide a safe and positive environment for volunteers to assist those in need. *(Pass the Hat)* 

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

Tuesday • February 11 5:00 pm • Baja Bistro

## KARAOKE WITH RON & DON



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

\*This event is different from the VO Karaoke with Don & Ron on Fridays

Tuesday • February 11 6:30 - 9:00 pm • Oasis

## PORK LOIN DINNER

\$8.50 Tickets Past Deadline See Post office Hallway for Ticket Purchase Opportunities

TWO SEATINGS: 5:00 pm

MENU:

Roasted Pork Loin Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Stuffing



Sponsored by the Shuffleboard Club

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 12 5:00 pm & 6:30 pm • Baja Bistro

## MarketPlace



It's a smorgasbord of jewelry, cosmetics, tools and other musthaves that you can't do without and just-gottahave

"thingamajiggies." Don't miss your chance to find that special unique item.

All licensed vendors!

Be sure to have lunch at the VO Diner Sponsored by the Fired Clay Art Studio

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 13 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • VO DINER OPEN



**THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 13** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO



50 Fantastic Door Prizes Including Walmart Gift Cards

\$110.00 Regular Game

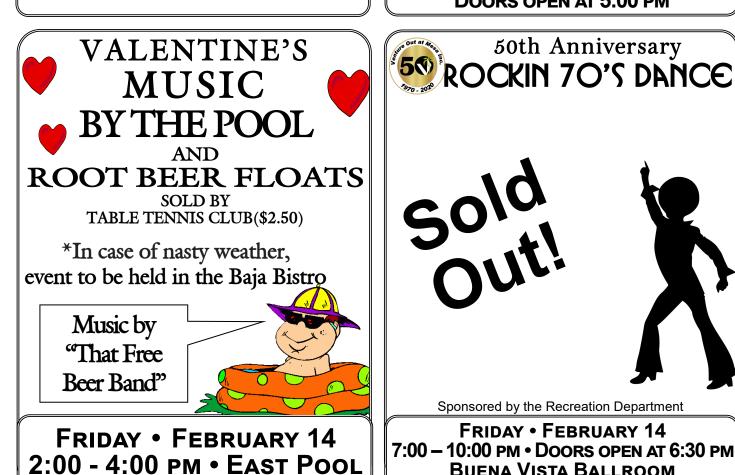
\$500.00 Money Ball

\$900.00 Last Game Blackout Every Week

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

Please bring your own coffee mug! Concessions Available

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 13 6:30 PM • BV BALLROOM DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM





FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 14

BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

## Silversmith Make and Take



Silversmith's MAKE & TAKE will be on Saturday February 15 at 9:00 am in the Silver Shop. We will teach you to make sterling silver rings. Come in soon- sign up and pay. The spaces fill

up fast and mornings are the best time to find monitors to sign up. Cost \$20.00-see how many other sterling silver items you can make for \$20.00.

> **Questions? Contact** Nicka Lockeman 480-832-9348

#### **SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 15** 9:00 AM • SILVERSMITH SHOP

## HAMBURGER BBQ & ICE CREAM SALE

#### Menu

Grilled 1/3 lb Angus Hamburger or Cheeseburger Grilled Onions Lettuce • Tomato Baked Beans • Chips Beverage

\$5.00

#### **Tickets Purchased at** the event

Sponsored by the Softball Association

#### Ice Cream Sale \$1.50

Sponsored by the Horseshoe Club

Bring your own TABLE SERVICE

**SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 15** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM BAJA BISTRO

## MASTER'S VOICE GOSPEL CONCERT



Since 1995. Master's Voice has been committed to bringing an evangelistic approach to singing and

preaching the life-changing gospel of Jesus Christ till all know...or He returns. This team is also devoted to musical excellence, understanding that this music with a message requires the utmost professionalism,

preparation, commitment, clarity, doctrinal soundness and passionate vocals

Tickets \$11.00 available from Activity Office & at the door Sponsored by the Rock and Gem Club

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 15 1:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

# Musical Jam



Don't forget to mark your calendar for our musical Jam. Everyone welcome! Musicians and singers are encouraged to participate in this fun laid-back event. Our audience can just sit back and listen, or dance to the lively music. See you there!

> **SUNDAY • FEBRUARY 16** 1:00 - 4:00 PM **BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**

## IT'S THE VO





#### Free Coffee & Donuts!

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

Monday • February 17 9:00 am • Baja Bistro

## WOODSHOD RAFFLE

Get your tickets through February 17 from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm in the Baja Bistro.

#### RAFFLE TICKETS

\$1.00 each... 6 for \$5.00 15 for \$10.00 35 for \$20.00



Raffle Draw Monday • February 17 • 1:00 pm Buena Vista Ballroom

Watch for our display in the Baja Bistro

DRAWING 1:00 PM • FEBRUARY 17
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

# \*\*\* Concert Series \*\*\* The Magic of Manilow

The Magic of Manilow features Terry Davies and a line-up of musicians and vocalists paying homage to the music of one of the biggest selling artists of our time: Barry Manilow. Manilow is best known for his catalogue of hits that include the chart-topping "Mandy," "Ready To Take A Chance Again," "Weekend in New England"



"Weekend in New England"
"Copacabana," "I Write The Songs," "Can't Smile
Without You" and many, many more. In the late 70's
five of Manilow's albums were on the best-selling
charts, a feat equaled only by Sinatra, Michael
Jackson, Bruce Springsteen and Johnny Mathis. From
Las Vegas to our door you'll experience a
performance worthy of a standing ovation.

Reserved seating: \$20.00
Available from the Activity Office until 10:00 am the day of the performance.
Tickets \$2.00 extra at the door.

Monday • February 17 7:00 pm • Buena Vista Ballroom

## Sewing Club Quilt Raffle

Tickets \$1.00 each 6 for \$5.00 15 for \$10.00 35 for \$20.00

Enter for a chance on numerous prizes donated by

Available at various VO events

Ouilt displayed

Quilt displayed at time of ticket sales & in the Sewing Room

donated by
Sewing Club
members
as well as
the Grand
Prize
quilt

Drawing at the Fashion Show, Monday, March 2
Proceeds go to Social Club!

TICKET SALES FEBRUARY 17 - MARCH 2
DRAWING MARCH 2 AT
THE FASHION SHOW

## ENCHILADA DINNER



Monday • February 17 5:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

## **SOTH ANNIVERSARY ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

50¢ a scoop with free toppings!



- Vanilla
- Chocolate
- **Mystery Flavor**



Please bring your own bowl & spoon

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 18** 1:30 - 2:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

## Annual Sunshine Carvers' Carve-Off

**During the** 

Ribbons awarded to Ice Cream Social first, second & third place winners

Enjoy a bowl of ice cream and cheer on these competitive carvers!



Sponsored by the Sunshine Carvers

Tuesday • February 18 12:30 - 2:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO



#### **MEAL DEAL**

Present full-page flyer found in this edition of the Out-Lines at BJ's Brewhouse for Lunch or Dinner and 20% of your dining bill will be donated to the Venture Out Social Club.



SPONSORED BY THE SUNSHINE CARVERS

Tuesday • February 18 11:00 AM - 11:00 PM 6622 E. SUPERSTITION SPRINGS BLVD. MESA. AZ 85206 • 480-324-1675

## Tuesday POTLUCK Dinner & Entertainment Featuring

Dinner & Entertainment Featuring "P.S. I Love You... With Love, The Glee Group"



It's the time of year when love is in the air! Celebrate love, hope and romance with the Venture Out Glee Group led by Venture Out

resident, Jodi Faith, singersongwriter, recording artist and performance coach. Sing along to your favorite love songs as we are reminded to Live, Love and Laugh!

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

Tuesday • February 18 5:00 pm • Baja Bistro

## Coffee with a Cop

Join your neighbors and local police officers for a cup of coffee and

conversation. No agenda or speeches, just a chance to ask questions, voice concerns and get to know the officers who work in our neighborhood!



Sign-up required in the Post Office Hallway. Bring Your Own Mug. Coffee Provided

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 19 9:00 - 10:00 AM • MOJAVE

## FRENCH DIP SANDWICHES

Tickets \$7.00
Tickets Available from the Activity
Office until sold out

#### **MENU**

French Dip Sandwich
(Succulent Roast Beef
Au Jus on French Roll with
Creamy Horseradish)
Fresh Tossed Salad
Dessert
Beverage



Bring your own TABLE SERVICE

SPONSORED BY THE BOCCE BALL CLUB

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 19 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM BAJA BISTRO

# Nicole Pesce & WE3 in S A Cabaret Concert

These ladies are a powerhouse of talent featuring vocalist Renee Grant Patrick (daughter to the late George Grant of the world famous Ink Spots), violinist Suzanne Lansford and pianist Nicole Pesce. They have appeared on AZTV's Channel 7 as the "Best of the



have appeared on AZTV's
Channel 7 as the "Best of the
Daily Mix" and made special appearances at the
Chandler Jazz Festival and AZ Classic Jazz Festival;
paying tribute to timeless tunes with new and
familiar interpretations of popular, jazz, swing,
blues standards and so much more.

Reserved Seating Tickets \$11.00

Available from Activity Office & if still available \$12.00 at the door - Cabaret table seating BYOB, Snacks & Beverage Glass. Ice Provided Sponsored by the Solos Club

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 19 7:00 pm • Buena Vista Ballroom Tickets now on sale in the Activity Office

## ED'S GRILL

Your Choice \$600
Includes soda or bottle of water

Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers and Specials

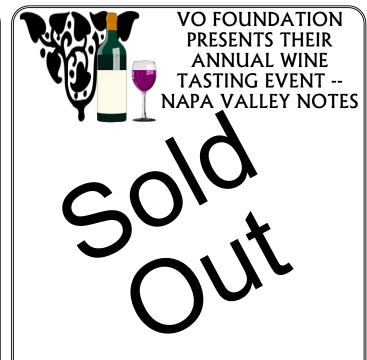
#### February 20

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



Table service included Specials are limited in number

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 20 11:30 AM - 12:45 PM • BAJA BISTRO



SPONSORED BY THE VO FOUNDATION

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 20 4:00 7:00 PM • CABANA (EPC)



Should you be new to our beautiful community as a homeowner or a renter, please plan to attend a Newcomers' Orientation

Friday, February 21, 9:30 am,

Mojave Room, located on the main level of the Community Center.

Feel free to bring any and all questions you may have regarding your new home at Venture Out!

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 21 9:30 AM • MOJAVE ROOM

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 • FEBRUARY 21 3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

## **MYSTERY TOUR**

Tickets: \$99 per person. All inclusive with lunch

## **SOLD OUT**



Bring comfortable shoes, incidentals, and an inquisitive mind

Open to All!

SPONSORED BY THE BOCCE BALL CLUB

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 21
BUS LOADS 7:30 AM
RETURN AROUND 6:00 PM
BUS LOADING ZONE

## Chili Cookoff

Do you have a killer, over-the-top chili recipe? Would you love to compete in a chili cookoff?

Submit your recipe
(all types of chili accepted)
to the Activity Office, and Chef Ed
and his CCT (Chili Cookoff Team) will
jury the recipes. The top 3 recipes
will be presented
and judged at the February 29
Life's a Beach Pool Party by official
chili judges - Prizes awarded plus the
winning recipe to be published
in the Out-Lines and featured at
Ed's Grill!

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 21

#### DENVER STYLE EGGS BREAKFAST WITH SING & STRUM

\$6.00 Per Person
Tickets available at event

#### MENU

ham, green peppers and cheese folded into tasty scrambled eggs and served with country potatoes, toast, served with chilled juice and piping hot coffee.



Everyone welcome!

Bring your own table service and coffee mug

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 22 7:30 - 9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO

## PUTTING TOURNAMENT

MEN'S & WOMEN'S VO OPEN

\$1.00 p.p. (Pay at Event) Bring putter & ball (provided if needed)

Low Score & Flight Winners

No sign-up required



SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 22 1:00 PM • PUTTING GREEN

Hams at Heart Presents...

## "Solid Gold VO" **Tickets \$10.00**

General Admission tickets for the February 23 Final Dress Rehearsal available from the Activity Office. February 24 & 25 Sold Out

BYOB & Snacks for Feb 24 & 25 Ice & Water Provided Sponsored by the Hams at Heart

SUNDAY • FEBRUARY 23 • 2:00 PM GENERAL ADMISSION Monday • February 24 • 7:00 pm Reserved TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 25 • 7:00 PM RESERVED **BUENA VISTA BALLROOM** 



"Meet & Greet" the 2020 Social Board **Candidates** at a

"Question & Answer Forum"

Monday, February 24 following the Grapevine in the Baja Bistro 6 **Approximately** 9:45 am



## Tuesday POTLUCK Dinner & Entertainment Featuring "Sing & Strum"



Venture Out has talent! Enjoy the sounds of the guitar, banjo and voices of our very own

"Sing & Strum" guitar group, led by the talented Merle Heise.

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

Tuesday • February 25 5:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

# Glass-Arts Club

Come and see the many wonderful hand-crafted items our artisans have provided in the display case.

Raffle Draw during the Ice Cream Social March 10



Get your tickets during various events in the Baja Bistro and March 3 prior to the draw

Tickets \$1.00 7 for \$5.00 15 for \$10.00 35 for \$20.00

**TICKETS AVAILABLE FEBRUARY 25 TO MARCH 10** RAFFLE DRAW MARCH 10 FOLLOWING THE ICE CREAM SOCIAL • 2:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

## Ash Wednesday Fish Fry

Tickets \$8.00 Deadline: 10:00 am, Wednesday, February 19

-MENUBeer Battered
Deep Fried Cod
Crisp Cole Slaw
Kettle Chips
Ice Cream
Beverage

BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE
Sponsored by the Recreation Department

Wednesday • February 26 Happy Hour 4:30 pm • Dinner 5:00 pm Baja Bistro

## It's a Woman's World



A day designed just for the ladies! This event features jewelry, clothing, mini seminars, massages, books, gifts and more... all with that special woman in mind.

#### "Build Your Own Salad Bar"

Crisp salad greens featuring a plethora of toppings, other salads & a bottle of water or soda

\$7.00

Purchase at event Table Service Provided

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 27 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO SALAD BAR 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

## BUILD YOUR OWN SALAD BAR



Healthy mixed salad greens, a plethora of toppings (meat, cheese, veggies, etc.) cottage cheese, pasta salad, fruit and more.

Includes bottle of water or soda

\$7.00

Purchase at event

**Table Service Provided** 

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 27 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM BAJA BISTRO



## Collective Goods

Presents...

#### Flash & Dash Sale!

There's a new bag in town!

I00's of Items - 30% - 70% off Gifts, Books, Educational Toys, Household, Electronics, Hobbies, Inspirational and More... We Bring the Store to you! Credit cards and checks accepted

Thursday • February 27 9:00 am - 3:00 pm • Baja Bistro Held during "It's a Woman's World"

## NAME THAT TRIVIA

Presented by Bring a dollar or two for a 50/50 Gordy Klofstad with DJs Ron O'Genski & Larry Binne

Listen to short excerpts of 10 songs in each group and guess the titles BYOB & Snacks!



T.G.I.R.- THANK GOD I'M RETIRED

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 28 3:00 PM• BAJA BISTRO



Available in the Activity Office Price includes entry fee, first drink, Chili appetizer and entertainment! Deadline to Purchase Tickets: 10:00 am Tuesday, February 24

Music By the Chuck-E Baby Duo Wine & Beer \$2.00

50/50 Raffle

Opening and **Closing of Time Capsules** 

Chili Cookoff

**BYOB NOT Allowed** 

**Sponsored by the Recreation Department** 

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 29 2:00 - 5:00 PM • EAST POOL

## PIEOLOGY

## MEAL DI



You choose the toppings. You choose the crust. Make your personal pizza just how you like it! You can also select one of the Chef's inspired pies for a sure bet. Single-serve Pizzas & Custom Salads are \$8.29 (Gluten Free & Pie

Rise crust available for an additional cost) Present full page flyer found in the next Out-Lines at Pieology and a percentage of your dining bill of March 1 will be donated to the Venture Out Social Club SPONSORED BY THE SUNSHINE CARVERS

SUNDAY • MARCH 1 1766 S GREENFIELD RD #103, MESA, AZ 85206 11:00 AM - 9:00 PM

## 'Seams We are 50"

Fashion & Quilt Show Quiet Raffee Catered Luncheon

Reserved Seat **Tickets \$16.00** 

Available February 14 in the Activity Office

From Sewing Room Hostesses



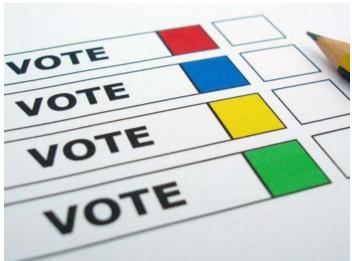
\*For everyone's viewing pleasure, please no wide-brimmed hats!

Fashions by Flaire!

Sponsored by the Sewing Club

Monday • March 2 DOORS OPEN AT 12:00 AM **LUNCH SERVED AT 12:30 PM BUENA VISTA BALLROOM** 

## 2019 Condo Bo



# ANNUAL MEETING & ELECTION Wednesday February 19 1:00 pm Buena Vista Ballroom





**Dick Jenniges,** 413 Douglas, my wife Julie and I purchased our home in 2015. We retired later that year and started coming down in February 2016. In the Fall of 2018, we became year-round residents. We discovered that the summer temperatures are not as bad as the Minnesota winter temperatures.

My occupation started out as an Electrical Draftsman on the construction of a coal fired power plant in Minnesota for a large national contractor. After 43 years in the electrical industry with the last 20 years as a division manager and project manager in Rochester, MN. I managed 80 to 100 electricians and electrical ranging up to 30 million. The largest were at the Mayo Clinic Rochester Campus.

I also worked with the Ronald McDonald House, Gift of Life Transplant House, American Cancer Home and Salvation Army, all of which were donations of labor and materials by our company and my crews.

I was a member of the National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA) and chaired the Labor Management Committee (LMCC) and the Apprenticeship Training Committee from 1996 to 2014. On LMCC we negotiated multi-year contracts with the Electrical Union for wages, benefits and contract language also managing the Union's Journeyman funds. The Apprenticeship Committee interviewed new applicants, reviewed performances and balanced the yearly budget for the school.

I have been on the Infrastructure Committee since 2016 and currently the elected Chairman. I reviewed VO's fluorescent light bulbs in the buildings and recommend they be changed to LED, which after changing them VO saved approximately \$6,000 in energy costs.

I look forward to being an added asset to the Condo Board.

## pard Nominees



**GLEN STOVER, 730 NAVAJO,** I have lived in Venture Out for approximately 10 years as an owner. My wife and I stay 4 to 5 months each season. Our permanent residence is in Chatham, Ontario, Canada.

My wife Diane and I have two sons that are married, five grandkids and two greatgrandkids.

My occupation was working for Natural Gas Utility Company for 38 years. I have been the President of the Union and Secretary Treasurer of Gas Council.

I help with the Handymen, Shriners and like to keep busy.

I have tried to attend most Condo Board Meetings to keep updated with everything going on in the park.



#### **ELKO KROON, 335 AERO**

In 2008, when my wife Barb and I visited Venture Out, we were incredibly impressed by the scope of activities and amenities that were available. We immediately fell in love with VO and were fortunate to purchase our unit.

Through my volunteer experience with Channel 17, I have been filming both the Condo and Social Board meetings for the past seven years. Through this experience, I have been able to gain first-hand insight into the structure and workings of Venture Out.

In my time at Venture Out, I have enjoyed many activities in the park, including lawn bowling, bocce ball, shuffleboard and the pet association. I firmly believe that it is the resident involvement and participation in the activities at Venture Out that makes our park both unique and accountable to the owners.

In my professional life, I was a lawyer for over 40 years in the City of North Vancouver, British Columbia. I served as a Counsellor for the City, and as an appointee to different Boards, Commissions and community organizations.

I have been active on community Boards, including Rotary, seniors' center, non-profit housing and community health organizations.

I have seen the continuous evolvement of VO, and recognize the challenges and opportunities we face to balance the need for our park to be vibrant while responsive to the interests and concerns of the owners.

I believe that with my background and interest, I can assist the Board to make beneficial decisions for the betterment of the VO community.

# FLASH BACK FEVER DANCE



Available from the Activity Office & at the Door

Take a trip down Memory Lane with Arizona's most energetic rock & roll band, the 8-tracks!

Prepare to dance in the aisles or simply bounce in your seats, as the music takes you back to those good

ole' days of music from the 60's & 70's.

Return appearance by the 8 - Tracks



50/50 Raffle • BYOB
Popcorn & Soda for Sale \$1
Sponsored by the Fired Clay Arts Studio

Tuesday • March 3
Door Opens 6:30 pm • 7:00 - 10:00 pm
Buena Vista Ballroom

## STEAK FRY

#### **MENU**

Sizzling Sirloin Steak

Served with

Sautéed Mushrooms

**Baked Potato** 

Coleslaw • Roll & Butter

Coffee • Lemonade

#### TWO SEATINGS

Steaks to be served for a 20-minute period at each dinner seating.

PLEASE BE ON TIME

Tickets \$10.00

Deadline: 10:00 am

Wednesday,
February 26



BRING YOUR OWN
TABLE SERVICE

SPONSORED BY THE SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

WEDNESDAY • MARCH 4 5:00 PM & 6:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

# Car Show At the Motor Expo

Check out the hottest muscle cars and pristine classic cars in the Valley!
Cast your vote for the Best in Show!

Chili Dogs & Ice Cream on Sale! 11:00 am -1:00 pm

Sponsored by:



THURSDAY • MARCH 5 • 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
OUTSIDE THE COMMUNITY CENTER
CHILI DOGS AT BBQ AREA IN THE BAJA BISTRO

## **Motor Expo**

See what's new in the "Motor World!"

**VANS** 

**GOLF CARTS** 

**MOTORHOMES** 

**5™ WHEELS** 





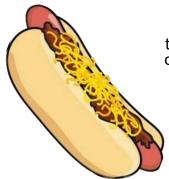
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THURSDAY • MARCH 5 • 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
OUTSIDE THE COMMUNITY CENTER
CHILI DOGS AT BBQ AREA

## **CHILI DOGS**

**During Motor Expo & Car Show** \$5.00

**Purchase Tickets at Event** 



Bring Your Own TABLE SERVICE

Menu

Hot dog topped with Southwest chili & cheese. Served with

chips and lemonade

Sponsored by the Recreation Department

Ice Cream Bars \$1.50

**THURSDAY • MARCH 5** 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BBQ AREA

## - TENNIS CLUB'S — YEAR END **AUCTION/RUMMAGE** & BAKE SALE

Open 8:00 am (Rummage Sale) Sign up for Auction Numbers at 9:00 am Auction Begins at 10:00 am Please No Early Birds

For furniture pick-up complete the form in this edition of the Out-Lines or pick one up from the Activity Office.

Pick up dates February 13 & 27 and March 5



Drop off donated items to the roped-off area behind the Laundry building before 11:00 am on Thursday. March 5

ALL PROCEEDS DIRECTED TO SOCIAL CLUB

FRIDAY • MARCH 6 • BEHIND LAUNDRY FACILITY BAKE AND RUMMAGE SALE 8:00 AM **AUCTION STARTS AT 10:00 AM** 

## Hot Diggity Dog Costume Contest Entry Form

SATURDAY • MARCH 7 • 12:30 PM COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT

Come watch the fun in this **Recreation sponsored** Hot Diggity Dog Pet Costume Contest held during the Jumbo Hot Dog BBQ! Applications for participants must be submitted to the Activity Office by Wednesday, March 4



Prizes for the following

- categories: Best in Show for 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Themed Costume (reflecting the 1950's or 1970's)
- Small Dogs up to 15 lbs
- Medium Dogs 16 to 30 lbs
- Large Dogs 31 plus

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Name of Pet:	Medium	
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## HOT DIGGITY DOG COSTUME CONTEST

Come watch the fun at the Hot Diggity Dog Pet Costume Contest held during the Jumbo Hot Dog BBQ.

Application for participation must be submitted to the Activity Office by Wednesday, March 4 (Application available in this edition of the Out-Lines)



Prizes for the following categories:
Best in Show for the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Theme
(1950's or 1970;s Costumes)
Small Dogs - up to 15 lbs
Medium Dogs - 16 to 30 lbs
Large Dogs - 31 plus

SATURDAY • MARCH 7
12:30 PM
COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT

## RYBS N' BYBS DYNNER SHOW

Reserved Seating Tickets \$20.00
Available from the Activity Office
Deadline: 10:00 am, Wednesday, March 4

— MENU — BBQ Baby Back Pork Ribs Cheesy Au Gratin Potatoes

Three Bean Salad Cornbread Beverage Bring your own TABLE SERVICE



Plus... a Stage Show!

Featuring Denny Kullers Country Western Tribute

Sponsored by the Shuffleboard Club

SUNDAY • MARCH 8 • 4:30 PM HAPPY HOUR DINNER 5:30 PM • ENTERTAINMENT FOLLOWING BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

## Jukebox Memories Top Hits Concert

Tickets: \$10.00 from the Activity Office or \$11.00 at the door

Presented by Arizona's newest arts company, featuring some of the Valley's finest musicians & vocalists.



Top hits of the 50's & 60's are highlighted in this classic sendup to the days we all know and love, including "Where the Boys Are," "Ain't Nothing but a Hound Dog," "Stupid Cupid," and more.

**Sponsored by the Woodshop** 

Monday • March 9 7:00 pm • Buena Vista Ballroom

## **MYSTERY TOUR**

Tickets: \$99 per person. All inclusive with lunch

SIGN UP AND PAY IN THE BAJA BISTRO
ON TUESDAYS BEGINING FEBRUARY 25
AT 11:30 AM - 1:00PM. QUESTIONS?
CALL DORIS AT 480-654-1858



Bring comfortable shoes, incidentals, and an inquisitive

**Open to All!** 

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SPONSORED BY THE BOCCE BALL CLUB

Tuesday • March 10
Bus Loads 7:30 am
Return Around 6:00 pm
Bus Loading Zone

## CHICKEN PARMESAN DINNER



**MENU** 

Chicken Parmesan Served with Marinara Sauce Herb Roasted Potatoes **Lemon Buttered Carrots** Tossed Salad Beverage

**BYOB** 

Tickets \$8.50

Spumoni Ice Cream

Available in the Activity Office Deadline: Wednesday

Bring your own TABLE SERVICE March 4, 10:00 am

Sponsored by the Glass Art Club

**WEDNESDAY • MARCH 11** 4:30 & 6:00 PM• BAJA BISTRO

## Creative Writing Club's **Annual Reading**

- Members will read from this season's narratives and poetry
- Free entertainment for your enjoyment & reflection



SATURDAY • MARCH 14 1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM

## ENCHILADA

## DINNER



BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE Sponsored by the Electronics Club

**Monday • March 16** 5:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO



#### 50 SEASONS OF SONG

PRESENTED BY THE VENTURE OUT CHOIR

Directed by Bernadette Carlson and Accompanied by David Bandfield

An evening of music drawn from the last 50 years performed by the Venture out Choir for your enjoyment.



All Welcome - No Charge

WEDNESDAY • MARCH 18 7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

# ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Vanilla
 Chocolate
 Mystery Flavor
 \$1.00

 a scoop
 with free
 toppings!

 Feb 11

 Tower Point
 Concert Band
 Feb 18
 Sunshine
 Carver's
 Carve-Off

Please bring your own bowl & spoon
TUESDAYS • 1:30 - 2:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

**Artisan Show Case Winners** 



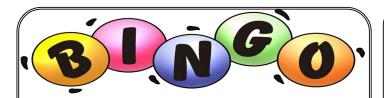
1st place Hanging Heart Mobile - Ann Whitten



2nd place - Won't You Be My Valentine -Gary David



3rd place True Heart of a Cactus - Leslie Eggers



\$110.00 Regular Game
—
\$500.00 Money Ball
—
\$900.00 Last Game
Blackout Every Week

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

Please bring your own coffee mug! Concessions Available

THURSDAYS • 6:30 PM • BV BALLROOM DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

## It's the VO "GRAPEVINE"



#### Free Coffee & Donuts!

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

Mondays • 9:00 AM Baja Bistro

## WOODSHOP CLUB

The Woodshop is a friendly place to be where we help each other & share our combined knowledge in helping each other. We have classes in pen turning, lath turning for bowls - making toys- jewelry and anything that is made of wood. Come join us.

CONTACT AN OFFICER FOR MORE INFO!			
President	John Fuller	480-628-3019	
Vice President	Jim Anderson	608-346-1679	
Secretary	Russ Bracewell	719-459-3301	
Treasurer	Ray Danner	503-307-6096	



#### ALBERTA CELEBRATION Laurie de Mille 480-985-9243

Be sure to get your tickets soon for the annual Alberta Party, which is coming soon! This event happens on Sunday, March 1 from 5:00 - 10:00 pm in the Buena Vista Ballroom. Join us for a great meal, a 50/50 draw, door prizes, games; and dance to the live music of The Brookharts! Tickets are only \$5.00/person (plus a dish for 8 to share) - buy them at the Grapeviné, Ice Cream Socials, or directly from Sue.

#### ART IN THE PARK Vicki Beckmann 780-740-3659

Welcome to an informal, drop-in gathering of artists, Thursday mornings from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon at the Sonoran. We are not a structured art class. This is about artists sharing methods and techniques. We encourage each other to be motivated and inspired to paint at VO. All mediums are welcome. Bring your paints, pencils or pastels, and supplies. There is table space to set up and be creative. Levels from beginner to advanced are invited. •

#### BARBARA PARTY Barbara Walters

616-842-5978
The Barb Party Potluck will be held Wednesday,
February 19 from 12:00 to 3:00 pm in the Oasis.
Bring your own table service, a dish to share and a beverage. RSVP Barb Kaminecki at 480-243-7940 or 994barb@gmail.com.
Hope to see you there.•

#### BC BASH Ken Witt 778-805-5576

Save The Date – Wednesday, February 26 in the Buena Vista Ballroom. Happy Hour at 5:00 pm and Dinner at 6:00 pm. More details to follow. Sign-up sheet in the Post Office Hallway and at the Grapevine.•

#### BIKING GROUP Mike Gould 308-532-5608

The bikers are rolling again. We meet at 8:50 am
Thursdays near the
Activity Office for a twohour bike ride. Wear your
helmet and badge. Bring
water and a snack. We will
take a 15 minute break midride. Rides are about 12
miles on flat surfaces.
Length of rides and leaders
vary.

#### BOCCE BALL Janet Whitman 480-822-8444

Future events include February 12 - 8:30 am Mesa Regal, February 15 -9:00 am Doubles tournament, February 19 -11:00 am - 1:00 pm French dip, March 4 - 9:00 am annual meeting Oasis, March 7 - 8:00 am singles tournament, March 10 -Mystery Trip, March 11 -Mesa Regal, and March 21 - Doubles tournament. Watch the bulletin board for Sunday afternoon special events! Be sure to attend the Bocce annual meeting. It will include the election of officers and voting on bylaws. The banquet will be held in the Buena Vista Ballroom on March 21 at 4:30 pm. See details in future Out-Lines.

#### CONVERSATIONAL GERMAN Linda Rigg 306-683-6432

Join us on each **Tuesday** at 1:00 pm for singing and conversation in German. The two-hour session aims to give you an opportunity to practice and learn German.

#### CREATIVE WRITING Linda Wallace 208-596-2748

Put your interest in writing to good use. Whether you

have been published or just have a yen to try your hand at communicating your thoughts and imaginings, all are welcome. Group members often use member-suggested prompts to create their narratives, poetry, stories, memories, family histories, opinion pieces, etc. The group is here to listen and offer constructive comments to help you convey what you want to say. The group meets every Thursday from 1:00 - 3:00 pm in the Sonoran. Call Linda Wallace if you have auestions.

## CROQUET Mary Waitrovich

The croquet courts and equipment are available every day for open play. Start a game! Lessons and organized play: singles Wednesday mornings 10:00 am; doubles 1:00 pm on Wednesdays. Organized open play Saturday mornings 10:00 am. On Sundays at 4:00 **pm**, there is a Happy Hour Croquet with music, snacks and drinks. Join the club for \$5.00! Our annual tournament is for all skill levels: Singles Tournament: March 16-18. Doubles Tournament: March 23-25 •

#### DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Jan Carr 515-971-7907

Join us for duplicate bridge in the Mojave Room on Wednesdays, sign up at 5:45 pm play at 6:00 pm and Fridays, sign up at 11:45 am play at 12:00 noon. Looking forward to seeing you.

#### ELECTRONICS CLUB Jeri Robbins

480-220-8402

The Open House was well attended. If you didn't make it, come and we will give you a tour (but the cookies are gone). Have you ever thought about learning to be a HAM radio operator? We have a great group who work with other parks, direct traffic during tournaments and talk with people all over the world. In a disaster, they may be the only communication available. Ongoing HAM classes are held every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Watch for the list of upcoming electronics classes in this Out-Lines.

#### FIRED CLAY ARTS Connie Onxley 979-236-9976

Special Make'nTake Ladybugs, Ladybugs – February 20 at 9:30 am to 12:00 pm – Ladybugs on a plate. The \$25.00 fee includes plate, paints, instruction, patterns and firing.•

#### GENEALOGY INTEREST GROUP Alice Petersen 651-214-9790

Searching for your ancestors? The Genealogy Interest Group meets on Wednesday, February 5 and 19 in the Cabana from 7:00 to 8:00 pm.•

#### GLASS ART Joan Solberg 480-703-5953

We are approaching midterm and the studio is a buzz of activity. There is still time to sign up for classes and get your creative groove on. You can win a beautiful glass piece by purchasing tickets for our raffle; tickets are on sale now with the draw being held on March 10. Our great parmesan chicken dinner will be March 11. The end-of-theyear party will be March 17. Get involved with your club. Volunteer, run for office, be happy, smile!!

#### HAM RADIO GROUP Patricia Malin 513-503-9828

The Quartzite Ham Fest took place from January 19 - 25 in Quartzite, AZ. Members of the VO Ham Radio Group spent some or all of the week there camping out and enjoying the many presentations on all aspects of amateur radio. Bob and Laura Bingham, K9WMP and W9WMP, who have been attending "Quartzfest" for the past 25 years, said that in the beginning, only a small group of people attended. This past week, over 800 attended. For those new to ham radio, ARRL (Amateur Radio Relay League) is publishing "On the Air" bimonthly. Subscription information is available online.

#### HAMS AT HEART Vicki Postel 720-234-4036

Tickets are now on sale at the activity office for our 2020 production - Solid Gold VO. Our performances will be held on **February 23, 24, and 25**. Planning is underway for our **2021** show. More information will be available in the **February 21** edition of the Out-Lines.

#### HAPPY HARPERS

lan Stenberg 480-326-1682

Harmonica players meet every **Tuesday** and **Thursday** at **9:00 am** in the **music room**. Newcomers are always welcome to learn, play or just listen. If interested call lan Stenberg.•

#### **HIKING GROUP**

Jim Cox jameslcox44@gmail.com The weather is just about perfect so join us for a hike in our beautiful Sonoran Desert. The Venture Out Hiking Group hosts weekly hikes on most Monday mornings. We meet at the Recreation Center and then carpool to the trailhead. The hikes are usually off the well-traveled trails and are of varying distances, elevation and degrees of difficulty. Hike details are posted each week on the "Club Board" wall in the **post office** hallway. Reasonably fit non -members are welcome. Group membership is a nominal \$5.00/season. Contact Jim Cox if you have questions.

#### **IDAHO PARTY**

Barbara Hass 208-604-6084 Diane

208-859-7530

The Idaho Party will be held March 3 at the Cabana at 4:00 pm. The deadline to sign up is February 15. Bring your own table service and beverage. Cost is \$3.00, and bring your favorite potato topping or a dessert to share.

#### IOWA PARTY Karen Watters 563-580-0779

February 22, come and celebrate being from lowa. Dinner and dance, great food, live entertainment and 50-25-25 drawing.

Dinnerware provided. Ticket sales at the Grapevines, **Saturday** breakfast, and **Saturday** lunches. Ticket cost is \$12.50 pp or \$25.00 for two. All lowans are welcome from in and out of the park.•

#### KITCHEN BAND Maggie Kleisath 608-732-6686

The Kitchen Band is always looking for new members to join this fun activity. We meet every Monday from 3:00 - 4:00 pm in the Oasis for rehearsal. If you can hum a tune and like music, you can be part of our group. We have instruments for your use, so don't let that deter you from joining. You can come hear the World Famous Kitchen Band when we play at noon at the Sunshine Acres BBQ and Open House on Sunday, February 23. Please consider supporting Sunshine Acres by having their Pork BBQ lunch and taking a tour of their facilities. The event is from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm.

#### LAWNBOWLING Mardal Flynn 431-336-1172

Our season is in full swing and lawn bowls members are having fun. We are having our big grudge match of women vs men tournament on Saturday, February 8. Ladies, come by and cheer on our girls. We have lessons on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am, so drop by the greens and give it a try. Please wear flat sole shoes. We do not have leagues, so just come and bowl when you are able to; the teams are made up of those who show up. Come by and give it a try.

#### LIBRARY Ruby Erickson 480-924-9125

There were 1,113 books signed out in December. Please remember to sign out all books (except locked case books). Large print and audio books (must have a badge) arè checked out with a librarian and returned to one. If no librarian is on duty, please return the book to the dropbox at the end of the large print books, near the desk. Non-fiction and non-fiction history are now filed together. Oversized books are filed on the bottom shelves. Reminder: Large print Westerns and Religious books are filed in the open shelves in their sections.

#### MANITOBA PARTY Rhue Hayden

480-435-7583
March 1 from 4:00 to
7:00 at the Cabana (EPC).
The sign-up sheet is now in the Post Office hallway.
Please come down and sign. Bring your own table service, dish to share,
BYOB and \$2.00 pp. See you there.•

#### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Mark Chandler 360-202-7177

Thursdays at 7:00 am. Please, join us... special guest for month of February ~ Don Bierle. Plan now to attend the whole month of February! Fantastic men and study. Group breakfast outing February 27. Coffee & treats served.

#### MICHIGAN GATHERING Ann Diehm 231-878-0614

The Michigan Gathering this year will be a Greektown Dining Experience. It will be held on **Friday, March 13** at the

Oasis. More details will be coming – but please save the date.•

## MOBILE NOBLES / DINNER DANCE

Paul Sylte
928-713-3631
Meetings are the 3<sup>rd</sup>
Thursday at 7:00 pm in the
Oasis. Mobile Nobles
collect aluminum cans and
scrap aluminum. Bins for
cans are at both dumpsters,
both pools, laundry and
bathhouse 1. Donations of
cans are greatly
appreciated. Public invited
to the dinner dance upstairs
in the Buena Vista
Ballroom.\*\*

#### NATIONAL MAH JONGG

Vikki Lane Kunstman 920-246-5340

Welcome back, Mah Jongg players! If you have a 2019 National Mah Jongg card, please bring it along with \$2.00 and join us in the upstairs Classroom starting at 6:30 pm on Tuesday evenings. If you have only played Mah Jongg for a bit, come play with other beginners. Looking forward to seeing you there.

#### NORTH DAKOTA PARTY

Mary Maus 701-260-6130 Jill Kerzman 701-27-6102 Jeanne Reuter 701-226-4763

mmmaus67@gmail.com February 16 at the Oasis. Save the date! Dinner at 5:15 pm. \$5.00 at the door. Watch for the sign-up.•

#### OREGON PARTY Judy Sell 503-407-0182

The Oregon State Party for all Oregonians is set for **Saturday**, **February 8** at **5:00 pm** in the **Oasis**. Tickets will be sold **January** 

28 and February 4 in the Baja Bistro during the Tuesday ice cream socials and during the Monday Grapevines. Ticket cost is \$8.00 per person. The Chinese Dinner was well received last year, so we will repeat it again this year. We will need to have a final ticket sales count - no later than Tuesday, February 4 - in order to place our order for dinner. Please bring a small wrapped gift for our gift exchange, plus money for the 50/50 raffle. The gift theme is "Gifts from Oregon." Call Judy Sell if you have any questions.

#### P.E.O. SOCIAL GROUP

**Susie Griffith** 480-228-7407

All P.E.O.s are invited to join with our Social Group on Monday, February 10. We meet in the Oasis from 9:30-11:00 a.m. Come and go as your schedule allows. We have hostesses and will serve goodies. Bring a mug and your smile. Next date is March 9. Any questions, please call. See you soon!•

#### PET ASSOCIATION Chris Johnson 480-622-4171

The annual Home & Art Tour will be held Sunday, February 9. Meet in the Baja Bistro at 12:45 pm. Bring cookies to the Sonoran at 12:30 pm. Our next Pet Association meeting is planned for Tuesday, February 11 at 2:30 pm in the Cabana. Safety equipment is available - lights and vests!

#### PICKLEBALL Toni Nelson 603-381-8484

www.vopickleball.com
Open play courts are
available every day.
Beginner Lessons Wednesdays and
Thursdays at 11:00 am -

sign up at the courts. Thank you to Ron Stiers for teaching! Check out The Bulletin Board by court 5 for current information. Stop by the Shirt Shop or join the pickleball club on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm. Get a partner and join the In-House Tournament on March 12 - 14. There will be a Potluck on Sunday, February 9, and the General Meeting will be held on February 11. Happy Hours are on Tuesdays. Congratulations and THANKS to all the Volunteers that made The All-City Tournament a huge success.

#### RADIO CONTROL FLYING GROUP

Don Morrison 307-680-0840

RC planes, helicopters, VTOL: builders and pilots group. Let's get together. Leave a message at 307-686-4800 for Don Morrison, Gillette, WY. Cabana, Tuesdays, 11:00 am to noon.

#### RC CARS Dave Halver 218-391-2194

We will be driving our RC Cars on **Sunday** afternoons from **1:00 – 3:00 pm** at **Game Zone** (former Pickle Ball courts). Participants and spectators are welcome. To be an active racer, you need to provide your own car. Cars are available through Steve at Alliance RC 480-832-9767. For more information, contact Dave Halver, djhalv@gmail.com

#### ROCK AND GEM CLUB

Steve Wood 563-468-1187

Things are jumping at Rock and Gem, not to mention

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(Continued from page 29) cutting, grinding and sculpting. Acrylic pours are filled up for **February** and **March**. The make and take canvases have been very popular, and if enough residents are interested, the club will do one last one in early **April**. Stop by and sign up if you are feeling creative, or even curious.

#### SASKATCHEWAN CELEBRATION Joyce Taylor

306-630-9375
Tuesday, February 11 in the Buena Vista Ballroom. Happy Hour 5:00 pm (BYOB), dinner 6:00 pm provided by Tom's BBQ, table service provided. \$15.00 per person. Entertainment by Roy Pollon and Band. For tickets contact: Garvin Griswold – 306-630-6693 or Joyce. Deadline for tickets is Today, Friday February 7.

#### SEWING CLUB Linda StAndre 360-739-4409

Much is happening in the sewing room, and you can be part of it! Check the calendar in the pressing room to see dates of upcoming classes. Learn a new technique as you create a quilt to enjoy in your home. Join us on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month to work on quilts for children in need. Fabric for tops, batting, and backing is available to use, or bring your own. Come to our Open House and Sidewalk Sale tomorrow, February 8, and buy your Raffle tickets, now available for our 2020 guilt. The drawing will be held on March 2 at our annual style show. Watch the Out-Lines for more information.

#### SHUFFLEBOARD CLUB

Vicki VanSlyke 509-703-2807

The turkey shoot and chili feed will be Tuesday, February 11. It is open to all members (\$3.00) and non-members (\$5.00). There will be fun and food for all. The pork loin dinner will be held on Wednesday, February 12. This is one of our larger fund raisers. We need your help. Sign up at the courts for all the above events ASAP. There is an open-draw daily at 9:15 am except Sundays Wednesday 9:15 am or 2:15 pm - lessons with open-draw to follow. Tuesday evenings 6:15 pm - bring a nickel, win a dime. On **February 7**, the club meeting will follow league

#### SILVERSMITH CLUB Lolly Herbold 208-484-9076

play.

Nicka Lockeman will be having another make and take silver earring class on February 15 at 9:00 am. Be sure to come and listen to the Blue Grass concert to be held on February 10 at 7:00 pm. Silversmithers - please be thinking of a project to make for next year's silent auction.

#### SING' N STRUM Merle Heise 480-830-5951

We meet every Thursday evening at 7:00 pm in the Auxiliary Ballroom to sing familiar songs, using chorded music. Please join us if you play a stringed instrument. Call Merle for more information.•

#### **SOLOS** Gloria 306-533-1137

Meeting every **Thursday** at **4:00 pm** to socialize and have supper. The women bring a dish to pass for 8-10

people. The men bring adult beverages. Bring your own table service. It is an excellent place to meet singles. Open to all renters and owners. Supper is served at **5:00 pm.•** 

#### SONS OF ISSACHAR STUDY Bob Burkhart 360-652-0444

No Class February 6. Wednesdays 7:55 -9:30 am - Šonoran. Study of Bible prophecy. Everyone welcome. DVD presentations from notable Christian authors, pastors and speakers. We live in interesting times! Many people want to know if some of these events are in Bible prophecy. Three hundred prophecies were fulfilled perfectly for Christ's first coming. There are 500 prophecies for his second coming. The Bible tells us numerous times to watch. What are you watching for? Many things are happening now and others still have to happen before He comes again. •

#### SPADES Vivian Evans 480-832-0768

Join us for the game of Spades; you will have fun!! Every **Thursday** at **7:00 pm** in the **Sonoran**.

#### SPANISH CONVERSATION Mandy Witt

mwprotek@gmail.com
If you have an interest in
learning another language,
come join us. We all know
that learning something
new keeps the mind sharp.
We are a small group that
meets every week to further
develop our Spanish
vocabulary and
conversational skills. Our
class is informal and fun.
Having some Spanish is
helpful, but not a necessity.

When: **Thursdays 3:00** to **4:00 pm**. Where: first right door in the breezeway (which is to the right of the Activity Office).•

#### STAMP COLLECTORS Rich Kantak 206-931-4284

Did you bring a few of your stamps to work on or trade during the season? Remember the big February 14-16 downtown Mesa ARIPEX show is coming up, along with monthly Mesa Stamp Club meetings. Call for info! Rich Kantak.•

#### STITCH & CHAT Dianne Gilbert 480-993-7794

Our group is getting larger as new people join us - we expect to see new things being stitched, and sharing new patterns every week. Please join us - even if you don't do any stitching, you can join in the animated chatting! We meet Thursdays 9:00 am -12:00 pm in the Mojave Room and welcome anyone who comes into the room. We have had a generous donation of yarn, and would appreciate any yarn you may have that we can use for our Christmas Angel project that we work on year around.

#### SUNSHINE CARVERS Gerry Fontaine 403-394-6491

Thank you to everyone who supported our Sunshine Carvers raffle, and congratulations to all the winners. For anyone interested, there will be a gourd African doll class held **February 13 - 15**, a wood-burning class on **February 21**, and a

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basswood face bust class **February 3 - 8**. Please feel
free to stop by the shop and
learn all about us.

#### TABLE TENNIS PING PONG Al Manter 253-584-6307

We are pretty busy this time of the year, playing table tennis. We play at the Auxiliary Ballroom Monday, Tuesday and Friday from 7:00 until 9:00 pm. Also we play Thursday from 3:15 until 5:30 pm and Saturday from 9:00 am until noon. Sunday is open play from 9:00 am until 4:15 pm. Dues are \$10.00 a season.

#### TENNIS CLUB Janice Schwartz 507-251-9384

It's perfect weather for our last month of league tennis, so be sure to keep checking the kiosk for match times. There will be a friendly Saturday invitational on February 8 with Greenfield and February 15 at Leisure World; sign up at the kiosk. Also check there for March tournament details: registration deadlines are in February. Drop-in tennis continues 3:30 pm Tuesdays and Thursdays on court 2. Free beginner lessons 3:30 pm Mondays court 2. Website votennisclub.com.

## WASHINGTON STATE PARTY

Diane Miller 425-330-8101
To be held Tuesday, February 18 in the Buena Vista Ballroom. 5:00 pm Happy Hour, 6:00 pm Dinner, 7:00 pm Entertainment. Tickets are \$15.00. See the poster in the Post Office hallway for details. Don't miss the fun!

## WEST SIDE POOL PARTY

Roxanne Pfab 563-599-9046

Save the date, **February 28** at **3:00 pm** at the **Oasis**. Bring an appetizer to share, and your own drink. Come and enjoy some laughs and a bite to eat. **3:00 – 5:00 pm**. All are welcome. Hope to see you there.•

#### WIDOW'S FELLOWSHIP Laurie Horan

Laurie Horan 480-993-7878

Are you a new widow or have you been a widow for a long time? This group could be for you. We meet the **4th Wednesday** of the month for a potluck lunch. Bring a dish to share, BYOTS and beverage to the **Sonoran Room** at noon on **February 26**<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions about the group, call Laurie.

#### WISCONSIN PARTY Rhonda & Mick Viney 608-642-4112 & 608-642-4113

The Wisconsin Party will be held on Saturday, February 22 in the Oasis. 5:00 pm Social and 6:00 pm Dinner. \$5.00 tickets available at Grapevines at 9:00 am on February 10 and 17; at pancake breakfast on February 8 from 7:30 - 9:00 am, and on February 15 hamburger lunch from 11:00 am - 1:00 **pm**. Tickets will be limited to 100. Deadline to purchase -- when tickets run out OR February 17, whichever happens first!! Brats & "fixin's" provided, bring a salad or dessert, and your own table service, \$1.00 for a game, and WIrelated door prize (optional). Prizes, friends, and fun!

#### WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

Betsy Klofstad 480-854-8883

The next meeting of the women's book group will be held at 9:30 am Friday, February 14 in the Mojave room. The book for discussion is "Forged in Crisis" by Nancy Koehn. The book for February 28 is "The Extraordinary Life of Sam Hill" by Robert Dugard. Please join us.

#### WOOD SHOP Kent Morrison 435-881-9248

Thanks to everyone who contributed to the Wood Shop Open House on January 25. It was a huge success! The famous Wood Shop Raffle for 2020 is almost here! Raffle tickets will be on sale in the Baja Bistro 8:00 am - 4:00 pm Monday, February 10 to Saturday, February 15. The drawing will be on Monday, February 17 at 1:00 pm in the Buena Vista Ballroom with ticket sales held from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm that day. Artisan projects can be checked in up to the start of the drawing.

#### WORLD OF WARCRAFT Rich Kantak 206-931-4284

The classic version of WOW (computer game played via the internet) is going gangbusters, along with the regular version. Do you play? Belong to a guild? Have a game, but don't know where to start? Call me.\*

#### **CARDS & GAMES**

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Wed • 7:00 pm • Sonoran
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Tue • 1:00 pm Mojave
Sat • 7:00 pm Mojave
American Hand & Foot
Sat • 12:00 pm • Mojave
Court Whist

Sun • 6:30 pm • Sonoran

Cribbage Tue • 7:00 pm • Moiave **Darts** Fri • 7:00 pm • Class Room Dominoes Mon • 6:00 pm • Sonoran **Duplicate Bridge** Wed • 5:45 pm • Mojave Fri • 11:45 am • Mojave **Euchre** 6:30 pm • Fri • Mojave Hand Foot & Toe Wed. • 12:30 pm • Mojave Men's Poker 5:30 pm • Card Room Mon - Thurs Pinochle Mon & Thurs • 6:30 pm Mojave Scrabble Tue • 7:00 pm • Sonoran Social Bridge Sun • 6:00 pm • Mojave Thurs • 1:00 pm • Mojave **Spades** Thur • 7:00 pm • Mojave Texas Hold-em Wed • 7:00 pm • Aux

#### GOLF SIGN-UPS 18-HOLE COURSES

Ballroom

#### **WESTERN SKIES**

Play Monday 8:30 am Please sign-up at 605 Navajo Larry Booth 480-854-3696

#### **ARIZONA GOLF RESORT**

Play Thursday @ 10:00 AM Please sign-up at 306 Merlin Norm Lawrence 306-230-8597 gnlawrence@hotmail.com

#### 9-HOLE COURSES

#### **SUNLAND VILLAGE**

Play Saturdays 11:00 am Shotgun Start Linda & Laz Tollas 480-807-7875

#### **SUNLAND EAST**

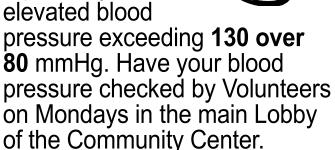
Play Thursdays First tee time 10:45 am Judy & Rob Sell 503-407-0182

#### 9-HOLE SIGN UP

7:45 am • Tuesdays Sonoran

# BLOOD PRESSURE Monitor your Blood Pressure

High blood pressure, also known as hypertension, is a repeatedly elevated blood



BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK EVERY MONDAY 9:45 - 11:15 AM COMMUNITY CENTER LOBBY

## KNOW YOUR GYM



Fitness Volunteers are available to demonstrate the proper use of the exercise equipment available in the EPC Fitness Center:

Look for individuals at the EPC desk wearing a "Volunteer" badge.

Please understand these are volunteers, not certified trainers.

Monday - Friday 8:00 - 10:00 am Fitness Center at the EPC

## 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 • FEBRUARY 7 • 9:00 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 • FEBRUARY 7
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • EPC THERAPY ROOM 2

FRIDAY SEMINAR

# "Dunkirk & the Darkest Hour"

In 1940, during the Battle of France, Allied soldiers retreated to Dunkirk to await evacuation. Colonel James Evans, CAF (US Air Force Retired), of the Commemorative Air Force Museum in Mesa will discuss Dunkirk and how



the French, British, Belgian and Dutch soldiers were safely evacuated from the beaches after Germany invaded France during World War II.

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 7
1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM

## Smart DriverTek











Tuesday • February 11 8:30 - 10:00 am • Oasis

## VITALANT BLOOD DRIVE

(FORMERLY UNITED BLOOD SERVICE)



Sign up in the Post Office Hallway or visit Bloodhero.com (Sponsor code: Venture Out)

Drink extra water and eat a **HEALTHY** small

low-fat meal or snack 2 - 4 hours before giving blood. Bring your Photo ID

For donor eligibility questions, donors can call 1-877-258-4825

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 12 • 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM SIGN UP IN POST OFFICE HALLWAY BLOODMOBILE COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT

## FIRE SAFETY CLASS WITH MESA FIRE

Join the Mesa Fire Department for this fire safety class. Topics to be addressed include cooking safety in the kitchen, smoke alarm usage, fire extinguisher usage ar



extinguisher usage and emergency escape planning. Be prepared!

The chat will last approximately 45 minutes including time for questions.

Wednesday • February 12 12:00 pm • Oasis

## THURSDAY HEALTH SEMINAR "Your Brain's Best Day"



Your memories of the past. Your dreams for the future. Your ability to recall, reason, and think. It's all in your brain. With

so much at stake, protecting your brain from Cognitive Decline should be top priority. Since his retirement from the medical field in 2008, Venture Out's own Dr. Bernard Hoggarth has researched and studied Cognitive Decline. Learn how to protect your brain and be happy and healthy.

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 13 1:00 PM • THE CABANA (EPC)

#### FRIDAY SEMINAR

## "Bring the Love"

To truly usher in the romantic vibes that, like cupid's arrow, go straight to your lover's heart, it's going to take more than just chocolates and flowers. Whether you've been married for years or the sparks are just beginning to fly, give each other the gift of

coming together to this seminar. Love has a language. How fluent are you in your partner's love lingo?



FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 14
1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM

## 55 Alive Safe Driving Course



Venture Out is offering an AARP Driver Safety course. If your insurance company is one of those that participates, this course will help with your car insurance costs by as much as 20%. It will be held in the Oasis on Tuesday, February 18 at

8:30 am. To quote many of those who have attended, "This is the best drivers course I have ever attended, learning a lot of important and useful information." Cost is \$15 for AARP Members, \$20 for non-members. Preferred payment method is a check made out to AARP. Pay at the event.

TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 18 8:30 AM • OASIS

#### FRIDAY SEMINAR

## "Journey to Vietnam"



VO Resident, Rene Moquin, will share his latest journey to North Vietnam. Through volunteering abroad with Global

Volunteers, Rene has installed wells in remote villages in Africa and taught conversational English in China, Poland, Cuba, Africa and Vietnam. Today he will discuss the culture, food and traditions of the Vietnamese people.

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 21
1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM

# Do Your Eyeglasses Need to be Adjusted?

Barbara has volunteered to adjust your glasses if they are not comfortable or fitting just right. She will clean your glasses with a special cleaning solution and send you on your way with smudge-free and clear vision.

She does not repair glasses and she does not have parts. This will repeat the Mondays after the Out-Lines is published.

> Tuesday • February 25 10:30-11:30 AM Therapy Room #2 (EPC)

# "Opioid Crisis Is it Real?"

Is there really an opioid crisis? Are politicians making a big deal out of nothing? VO's resident Dr. Cheryl Roth, PhD (Global Nursing), WHNP-BC, RNC-OB, RNF, will discuss the impact on seniors and how to protect yourself from misuse which can place your

place your health at risk. These questions and more will be answered at this informative seminar.



THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 27 1:00 PM • THE CABANA (EPC)

## Creative Card Class



Join instructor
Pam Klocke
in making 2
cards and a
decorative
treat holder
for \$15.

Sign up and view samples in the Activity Office. Payment made to the instructor at the time of the class.

WEDNESDAY • MARCH 4 1:00 PM • OASIS



Social Board President Lorrane Hee & Condo Board President Alice Anderson Sign the 2020 Agreement

# Another Town of Italy Cooking Class Conducted by Chef Salvatore

## Zappone of Zappone's Italian Bistro

\$38.00 includes instruction, lunch & recipes Sign up & pay in the Activity Office



**Monday March 23** 11:00 am in the Sonoran

Deadline to sign up Friday noon, March 20

#### Fresh Pasta & the Mother Sauces

Sauces: Marinara • Bolognese • Alfredo • Ala Vodka • Marsala

Fresh Pasta Dough: Fettuccini • Ravioli •

Chicken Marsala Dessert: Cannoli's

BYO Wine - Ice Tea & Water Provided

#### **7:30 AM WEST POOL EXERCISE**

Robbie Oldemar iris.lady@hotmail.com Come join a great group of people for gentle aerobics in the West Pool at 7:30 am, Monday - Friday. A variety of leaders have taken over in my absence and I so appreciate their leadership. This is a headto-toe workout in a very relaxed setting. Come on in -- the water's warm!•

#### 8:45 AM NOODLES 9:00 AM WEST **POOL EXERCISES** Irene Fuller 480-628-3019

Everyone is welcome to come and join our water aerobic exercise classes. Water exercises stretch, build and maintain strength and help your balance for a full and active senior lifestyle. Water exercise lowers stress, and

decreases anxiety and improves overall happiness. The friends you make and the exercises to music give joy to our daily living. We exercise to lively music each day, rain or sunshine come and enjoy the fun. The Arizona Department for Senior Health reminds us to hydrate regularly. So, bring your water bottle and hvdrate while you exercise. Come and join the fun.

#### **BEADING CLASS Loralee Campbell** 503-680-9136

Come into the Sonoran from 1:00 - 3:00 pm to see upcoming projects and get signed up for classes. Some materials need to be ordered ahead of time so we need to know who will be attending. Beginning Classes will be scheduled as needed. We provide all materials; prices range from \$10.00 to \$20.00. Please

call if you would like to attend a beginner class.

#### BRIDGE LESSONS **Barbara Rees** 480-309-9039

Learn to play bridge. Improve your game. Lessons for all levels of play Mondays 9:00-11:00 am January – March in the card room. Call Barb at 480-309-9039 for info. Partners not required. babs.booker@gmail.com••

#### **CHAIR YOGA** Vikki Lane Kunstman 920-246-5340

Come and join Chair Yoga on Tuesdays at 8:45 am in the Auxiliary Ballroom. Chair Yoga is for those unable to participate in regular Yoga but desiring to reap the benefits of Yoga while moving seated on a chair, doing breath work, then moving into physical poses (asanas), sitting, standing, balancing, and finishing with relaxation (savasana). Yoga integrates mind, body and spirit and builds strength, flexibility, and body control. Through regular Yoga practice, one can experience multiple benefits including respiratory, digestive and cellular functioning. Come experience Yoga for yourself. Please bring a 1/4 inch Yoga mat and water.

#### DANCE AEROBICS **Em Williams**

480-654-2141 **Ann Fox** 613-878-1167 Join us for dance aerobics Tuesdays and Thursdays 8:40 to 9:20 am in the

Buena Vista Ballroom. Everyone welcome.

#### FITNESS TRAINING F.I.I.T. WITH STACY "FITNESS IN IT TOGETHER" **Stacy Huston** (Personal Trainer) 480-861-9978

Personal Training, Reach Your Goals/ Improve your Quality of Life. Unfamiliar with the fitness center? No clue how often or what intensity you should exercise at? Experiencing muscle loss? Wanting more out of your boring fitness routine? Needing to improve your strength and balance? Wanting to exercise but are not sure how to do so safely? Regardless of age or fitness level, I can help you to improve strength, endurance, balance and flexibility; maintain independence; stay active and healthy for life. Stacy Huston, Certified Personal Trainer, can help design a workout routine that is appropriate to your goals and individual fitness needs. Call Stacy or email at FiitWithStacy@gmail.com •

#### INTERMEDIATE/ADV LINE DANCE

**Cindy Gould** 308-830-3383

If you are interested in improving your memory and dance skills, come to line dance classes. Classes are held on Sunday for the advanced class and **Monday** for improver dances. Classes are in the Auxiliary Ballroom from **4:30 to 6:00 pm.** Instructors are Cindy and Loralee 503-680-9136.

#### **RUBBER STAMP CARD CLASS**

Carol Moeckel 218-329-7392

Rubber stamp class meets Tuesdays from 1:30 - 3:30 pm in the Sonoran. Work on your own projects, or kits

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# Classes, Seminars & Wellness

(Continued from page 36) will be available for purchase. Please bring a tape-runner, scissors, glue, pen, wet wipes, ruler, and paper towels. If you have a paper cutter, craft mat, spritzer, fine line liquid glue or any other supplies, bring them along.•

# SWEATIN' TO THE OLDIES

**Cheryl Epping** 248-925-0204 Join us Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:45 - 9:45 am in the Buena Vista **Ballroom** for a fun workout with the Richard Simmons' Sweatin' to the Oldies series of aerobic workouts. These fun, easy-to-follow workouts are guaranteed to make you smile and sing while you work up a sweat. There is no charge for this class. All you need to bring is a water bottle, a hand towel and your enthusiasm.

#### THURSDAY LINE DANCING Vicki Postel 480-445-9196

Come join us in the Buena Vista Ballroom for line dancing. Absolute Beginner starts at 12:15 pm. Beginner will start at 12:30 pm. High Beginner to Improver starts at 1:15 pm. We will teach the steps and their names. Hopefully you can join us on the dance floor at Friday night dances. Any questions, please call Vicki.•

#### VO AMATEUR RADIO GROUP (VOARG)

(VOARG) Patricia Malin 513-503-9828

An ongoing class in the basics of electronics takes place at 1:30 pm on Mondays in the Ham Shack in the Electronics Building across from the Oasis. For more

information, please contact Doc Cunningham at 724-640-9143. Also, Amateur Radio classes are continuing on **Tuesdays** and **Thursdays** for those interested in getting their licenses at the General and Extra levels. Please contact **Dick Vance** at 206-250-3172.•

#### WEDNESDAY DRAWING CLASS

Annette Ripplinger 503-246-1276

Come to the **Sonoran** in the **Community Center** every Wednesday at 9:30 am for 90 minutes of drawing practice. You get a 30minute lesson on a subject that the class chooses. It could be about composition, perspective, texture, shapes, values, portraits or shadows. We draw what we see around us: trees. umbrellas, bicvcles, cacti and each other. All you need is a pencil, an eraser, paper, and a smile. Are you a first-timer? Not to worry! Your classmates are very supportive and your instructor, Annette Ripplinger, is very enthusiastic. See you every Wednesday at 9:30 am.

#### **WEIGHT WATCHERS**

Sue Ruthstrom 602-248-0303

A 10-week series. Register on Tuesday, January 7 in the Classroom. Classes begin Tuesday, January 14 at 10:00 am...

# WATER EXERCISE EAST POOL

9:00 am Monday -Saturday Carole Hewett 780-886-2831 10:00 am Monday -Friday Janis Seville 780-940-5416

Happy New Year to all! Did you know that... pool class

participants have been working very hard? Those wearing smart watches have reported achieving between 3,000-4,000 steps. Wow... Well done! Everyone is welcome to join our fun-filled aqua aerobic classes. Water provides ten to twelve times the resistance of air. Using the natural resistance and buoyancy of water against our bodies, our pool classes target specific muscle groups while helping to increase cardiovascular endurance, energy, stamina, strength and balance. All you need is a bathing suit, water for hydration (plastic bottle) and a smile. See you at the •!loog

#### YOGA Vikki Lane Kunstman 920-246-5340

The amazing benefits of regular Yoga practice continue to pour in from multiple sources stating the many, varied benefits of Yoga. Come and discover for yourself at 7:15 am or **11:15 am** Yoga in Auxiliary Ballroom. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a ¼ inch yoga mat. Yoga practice includes breath work, warm-ups, physical poses (asanas) and relaxation (savasana). If you are new to yoga, take the time to sit and watch the DVD before participating. Yoga is unique in integrating the mind, body, spirit and also builds strength, flexibility, and body control. Come experience Yoga for yourself..

#### **EXERCISE CLASSES**

Stretch & Tone
8:00 am • Mon - Fri
BV Ballroom
Ballroom Dance Lessons
Mon • 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm
Aux Ballroom
Dance Aerobics
Tue & Thur • 8:30 9:30 am
BV Ballroom
Sweatin' to the Oldies
Mon, Wed, Fri
8:45 - 9:45 am
BV Ballroom
Tai Chi
Mon, Wed, Fri
9:00 - 10:00 am
Aux Ballroom

# WATER EXERCISE CLASSES

East Pool
Lap Swimming
(Daily) • 6:00-7:30 am
Water Aerobics
9:00 am • Mon - Sat
Water Exercise
10:00 am • Mon - Fri

West Pool
Water Walking
6:00 - 7:30 am
Water Exercise
7:30 am • Mon - Fri
Noodles
8:45 am • Mon - Sat
Water Exercise
9:00 am • Mon - Sat
Exercise
10:00 am • Mon - Fri
Lap Swimming
(Daily) • 7:00-8:00 pm

# This and That

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Nancy MarstonFeb 15Wolfgang WiebeFeb 16Richard MarstonFeb 20Connie LangemeierFeb 25Bernie WiebeFeb 25Murray RiggFeb 27

# HAVE YOU HEARD?

To submit information Email outlines

@ventureoutrvresort .com

or Activity Office at 480-832-9000

Jean Jackson, former owner of 116 Boeing, passed away on January 7. Condolences may be sent to her daughter Shelly Jackson at shelleyjacksoncarrol @gmail.com.

Tony Meyer of 5 Merlin, passed away January 17. Henry "Hank" Van Wier of 806 Debonair passed away January 21. Cards and condolences may be sent to his wife Karen Van Wier, 5001 E. Main St. #198, Mesa. AZ 85205

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# 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

#### Rules:

- 1. Pets on 5 ft leash except when IN the Pet Walk.
- 2. Use Entrance Gate only to enter the Pet Walk.
- **3.** Always pick up after your pet.

Dogs:

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

Cats:

Seasonal: \$10.00 Monthly: \$5.00



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DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS

Room Reservation forms for the 2020-2021 season will be available in advance from the Activity Office . Completed forms will be accepted in the Activity Office beginning Wednesday, February 26 at 8:00am. Please plan accordingly.



Club Meetings! Private Parties! Card Games! Everything in Between!

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# This and That

# VO SOFTBALL SCHEDULE LOCATIONS OF GAMES:

Red Mountain Park – 7808 East Brown Rd (Red M)
Skyline Softball Complex 655 S. Crismon Rd (Skyline)
Apache Wells – 2656 N. 56th St (Apache)
Sunland Village East -

2145 S. Farnsworth Drive Mesa (SVE)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10 TEAM TIME LOCATION Outlaws 11:00&1:20Apache

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11
TEAM TIME LOCATION
Vipers 9:40&10:50 SSV
Rustlers 10:50&12:00 SSV
Sidewinders11:20&12:30Red Mtn

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12 TEAM TIME LOCATION Vipers 11:00&12:45 View

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13
TEAM TIME LOCATION
Sidewinders10:00 Red Mtn
Outlaws 8:30&9:45 ViewPt
Rustlers 12:00&1:10 SSV

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17
TEAM TIME LOCATION
Outlaws 8:30 Apache

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18
TEAM TIME LOCATION
Vipers 10:00&11:15 MV
Sidewinders11:20 Red Mtn
Rustlers 12:30 Red Mtn

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19
TEAM TIME LOCATION
Vipers 8:30&9:45 View

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20
TEAM TIME LOCATION
Outlaws 11:30&12:45 SVE
Sidewinders10:00 Red Mtn
Rustlers 12:00&1:10 SSV



# Star Volunteer



Way to go, Joe Paltzat!

Joe and Joan Paltzat visited Venture Out in 2004 and purchased a unit in 2005. Joe joined the Woodshop as member shortly after arriving. Much of the equipment in the was Woodshop was aged and in need of maintenance. He began volunteering to repair fatigued equipment, such as

sanders, and improved the dust collector system. Beyond fixing and maintaining the system Joe set about improving the dust collection system to improve its function and the safety of the shop. He mechanized gates so that they activate when the tool is in use. In April of 2019 a vendor came in to look at the main dust collector, and eventually advised the club to run it till it died. When Joe returned he researched where to get new parts including bearings and the was able to repair and service the blower in-house with the help of some other Woodshop members. Joe was also involved in installing ambient air cleaners further improving the safety and comfort of members. Joe and Joan have also volunteered at dances, dinners and the famous Weenie Roasts. Thank you Joe!

# Bingo Bingo Help on Thursday Evenings

• Bingo Caller Needed
For more information Contact Russ
Morfeld at rcmorfeld@aol.com or
402-578-7128



We had a full house at the January 25 Putting Tournament Winners of the 2 person team low ball putting tournament on January 25 were: Low score - Ġarry & Debbie Whyte -\$30.00 1st flight - Heather & Greg Horne - \$20.00 2nd flight - Kathy & Craig Damstrom -\$20.00 High score - Patti Mortenson & Elizabeth Lipowy

Feb 21 Karaoke with Karaoke Ron Don & Ron Pg 15 Feb 15 Silversmith Feb 16 Musical Jam Pg 11 Make & Take (Silversmith Sponsored) Pg 11 **Feb 17** Enchilada Dinner (Electronics Sponsored) Pg 13 Feb 19 th a Coffee With a **Feb 18 Enchilada** Dinner (Electronics Sponsored)
Pg 13 Pg Feb 20 Ed's Grill Pg 15 **Feb 18** BJ's Brewhouse **Meal Deal** Hamburger BBQ

Softball Sponsored

Lee Cream Sale (Sunshine Carvers Feb 17 Grapevine Grape 10 Pg 12 Sponsored)
See Flyer Web 17 Raffle Draw Spondshop Sponsored 9 12 (Horseshoe Sponsored) Pg 11 Feb 18 Annual Sunshine Carvers Carvers (Sunshine Carvers Sponsored) Pg 13 Feb 17 of Magic of The Manilow Mg 12 Feb 19 Nicole Pesce & WE3 Feb. 19 French Dip (Solos Sponsored)
Pg 14 Sandwiches (Bocce Sponsored)
Pg 14 Sewing 17 Raffle B Quilt B Sponsored 9 12 Sored Feb 15 Masters Voice Gospel Concert Feb 21 (Rock & Gem Sponsored) Pg 11 **Newcomer's Orientation** Pg 15





#### February 7, 2020

Are you a Country Western music fan? If so, you'll want to put on those cowboy boots and scoot your way over to the Monday, February 10 concert featuring the Kenny Hess Trio's "The Songs That Wrote Country Music". The show begins at 7:00 pm and tickets may be purchased from the Activity Office or at the door the evening of the performance.

The All-Resident Dance scheduled for February 14 is sold out! Those attending are asked to enter through the main lobby doors and while snacks are allowed remember crock pots and card tables are not allowed. Please arrive in plenty of time to be included in the group photo at the start of the dance.

Before you head to the Sewing Club's and Fired Clay Art Studio's Sidewalk Sale and Open House on Saturday, February 8 stop into the Baja Bistro for one of the most popular breakfasts of the season. Strawberry topped pancakes served with sausage, juice, unlimited cups of piping hot coffee and a special performance by Venture Out's Happy Harpers. Tickets are \$6.00 and may be purchased at the event. Remember go green and bring your own table service and coffee mug.

The Bloodmobile will be on property between 9:00 am and 1:00 pm on Wednesday, February 12. Sign up in the Post Office Hallway and give the gift of life.

The Tower Point Band will be with us once again during the Ice Cream Social on Tuesday, February 11 at 2:00 pm in the Baja Bistro. Enjoy a scoop or two of ice cream or a special peach compote and listen to some fantastic music.

Tickets for the Electronics Club sponsored February 17 Enchilada Dinner and the February 19 Bocce Ball Club sponsored French Dip Sandwich lunch are still available from the Activity Office. Don't delay...get yours today!

All contracted classes and club events are cancelled February 19 from 1:00 pm-until the conclusion of the Condo Association's Annual Meeting and Election. The Activity Office will at noon and remain closed for the afternoon. The meeting begins at 1:00 pm in the Buena Vista Ballroom.

It's a special Red Hot Bingo on Thursday, February 13 in the Buena Vista Ballroom. Not only will we have the fantastic weekly bingo cash prizes but in honor of Venture Out's 50<sup>th</sup> there will also be 50 special door prizes including various gift cards as well!

The Saturday February 15 Hamburger BBQ and Ice Cream Sale is going to be rockin! Enjoy the best of burgers grilled by the Softball Association and a Klondike Bar or Drumstick sold by the Horseshoe Club. All takes place between 11:00 am - 1:00 pm in the Baja Bistro.

Join officers from the Mesa Police Department in the Mojave Room at 9:00 am on Wednesday, February 19 for a cup of coffee and conversation. Feel free to bring any questions or concerns you may wish to share. Sign up in the Post Office Hallway if you'd like to attend.

The fabulous Nicole Pesce and We3 return to the Venture Out stage on February 19 at 7:00 pm. If you enjoy easy listening jazz you won't want to miss this outstanding performance. This is a "Cabaret" event which means reserved table seating with BYOB. If you enjoyed these ladies last season you will be happy to know they are returning with a different show!

It's Music by the Pool with Root Beer Floats sold by Table Tennis Club Friday, February 14 from 2:00 - 4:00 pm at the East Pool. Sip on a float while listening to your favorite tunes by the ever-popular Venture Out group...That Free Beer Band. Should be a good time

Monday, February 10 is scheduled for another growing-in-popularity Meatless Monday Potluck. Bring your favorite meatless dish to sever eight, your table service and come to the Baja Bistro at 5:00 pm to share a delicious with like-minded people. It really is good...give it a try!

The Woodshop Raffle Draw is so popular and so large it will be conducted in the Buena Vista Ballroom on Monday, February 17 beginning at 1:00 pm. Remember, if you can't be at the draw give your tickets to someone who plans to attend. Tickets are available up until the draw so be sure to get yours today!

Meet and greet the Social Board candidates following the Grapevine on Monday, February 24. The question and answer forum will begin at approximately 9:45 - 10:00 am in the Baja Bistro.

If you utilize a room for a private party, which includes club socials, leave the facility as clean as possible. Wipe down the tables and chairs, wash any dishes or equipment used and reset the room. For those in the Ballroom, bag your trash and set it outside the building. Lastly, if you borrow a coffee pot please clean before it is returned to the kitchen.

Have you purchased your Bocce Ball Club sponsored French Dip Sandwich tickets for the February 19 lunch? Better hurry as they are selling fast!

Venture Out's own Hams at Heart present "Solid Gold VO" in celebration of Venture Out's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on February 23, 24 and 25. While the reserved seating tickets are sold out for the 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, General Admission tickets are still available for the Final Dress rehearsal on the 23<sup>rd</sup>. Our resident thespians never fail to delight their audience and this performance will not be an exception!

Tickets now on sale for the Wednesday, March 4 Steak Fry. You know it will be a great meal as the Softball Association will be manning the grills!

Please be considerate of others and turn your phone off or place on vibrate during concerts, Board meetings or while attending Worship Service.

This year's Sewing Club's raffle quilt is as gorgeous as ever. Be sure to pick up your raffle tickets beginning February 17 for a chance not only to win the quilt, but several other beautiful items made by our talented Sewing Club members. Tickets for the Sewing Club's Buttons and Blooms High Fashion and Quilt Show go on sale February 14. The club guarantees an afternoon to remember.

Tickets will be flying out the door for the Shuffleboard sponsored Ribs and Bibs Dinner Show scheduled for Sunday, March 8. Enjoy a delicious homemade dinner followed by a phenomenal stage show featuring Denny Kuller and his Country Western Tribute. Get your reserved seat tickets as they will soon be gone!

Activity Director recdir@ventureoutrvresort.com



# Manager's Corner

## February 7, 2020

This week's occupancy is 1652 or 94% vs 1643 at the last report and 1588 one year ago. There are currently 432 renters in the park.

This week's column is strictly devoted to a topic that has come up before the Venture Out Condo Board and the Safety and Security Committee, with the

proliferation in our community of the latest trend at our home improvement stores.. Fire Pits.

The following is a message from the Venture Out Condo Board of Directors:

"With warmer weather just around the corner...Just a reminder that Fire Pits and any other fireplaces that have an OPEN FLAME are prohibited in Venture Out. (Venture Out Rules and Regulations 7.8 "Lot owners are prohibited from having a fireplace of any nature other an electric fireplace, or a portable barbecue. Portable Barbecues may only use electricity, propane or natural gas. Space heaters using the above fuels are also permitted. No other combustible materials of any kind may be used in these or other devices")

The close proximity of homes in the park make open flames a potential major hazard.

The use of electric fireplaces or portable barbecues (which use electricity, propane or natural gas) are permitted.

If you have already purchased a fire pit, we ask that you put it away for the remainder of the season, and take it home with you this spring.

Thanks for your prompt attention and prompt compliance with this regulation.

If you currently have renters in your home please remind them of this rule.

#### The Venture Out Condo Board of Directors







The Items ABOVE are Allowed







NO fire pits or fire tables of ANY design are allowed

Mary Schmit
General Manager
vogm@ventureoutrvresort.com

## Venture Out Condo Board Presidents Comments February 7, 2020

I have so much to report on, so here goes! The Board approved the following motions in the January 23 and 30, 2020 meetings.

**Donations policy**. Residents periodically ask about donating either money or something else to Venture Out. In the past we did not have a good way to evaluate whether we should take that donation. Are there strings attached? Will the donation cost us to install and then maintain? The new policy has a procedure and a check list to follow to determine those things – the end result being we accept it or not. The policy will be available on the VO website and forms will be available in both the Recreation Department and in Administration by the end of next week.

**Summer league play.** This policy was developed and has been approved by both the Condo and the Social Boards. The purpose of the policy is to "clarify the requirements for the use of the recreational athletic court facilities by non-Venture Out residents during the period of time from May 1 through September 30 of each year. The policy formalizes what previously had been an informal agreement." The policy is a 1-year pilot program, starts this summer and will be evaluated this fall. The policy will be available on the VO website by the end of next week.

**Transmittal process.** A transmittal is used by clubs and residents to ask for something — a change to a common area. An example is the Shuffleboard 'kitchen'. Shuffleboard put in a transmittal requesting that a year or so ago and it was done this last summer. There is no guarantee that when a transmittal is submitted that it will happen. A new transmittal process, developed by both Condo and Social Boards has been approved. The new process will better utilize the 5-6 month active season to get better information and cost estimates to ensure better budgeting. The process also improves communication between the originator of the transmittal about what is happening with it. Since the majority of transmittals come from clubs, Social Board will be the primary driver of the process.

There was a **special Condo Board meeting** on January 29, 2020 in which we approved the contract between the Condominium Association and the Social Club. This contract allows the Social Club to provide our recreational activities which includes providing furniture and club equipment. This agreement obligates future Boards to work together for the good of Venture Out.

Easements – plan to attend an informational session on February 13, 2020 from 1 to 3 pm in the Oasis to get first-hand information.

The Annual Meeting of the Venture Out Lot Owners will be held on February 19, 2020 at 1pm in the Ballroom. The agenda will include reports from the Board Standing Committees, a West Pool update, a Reserve Fund and Financial Report, a Real Estate report and information about the agreement between the Condo and Social Boards. We will also formalize the election of 3 new Board members and say good bye to retiring members Gary Johnson, Bert Sebastian and myself.

Given that I will be retiring, this is my last Out-Lines article. As I count down my days I have mixed feelings – so much work left to be done! But I also know that the next Board is more than capable of managing whatever comes their way. And I am really looking forward to having time to get involved in the funnier side of Venture Out. See you at the Annual Meeting!

# Social Board President's Comments February 7, 2020

It's February – how quickly time flies. It seems like we were just preparing for our Club Officer's meeting in November and now here we are preparing for our marathon budget meetings.

A few dates to remember:

The Sewing Club and Fired Clay Arts Studio's Open House and Sidewalk Sale this Saturday from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

The raffle for the woodshop is still in progress.

Sunday is the Home Tour for those who were fortunate to get drawn in the lottery.

Remember that there are countless other events that our clubs and Recreation Department sponsor throughout the next two months; and we greatly appreciate the support you give to it.

For those of you who did not attend the 9x9 work session on January 29, or saw the video on channel 17, both the Condo Board and Social Board approved the new 2020 Agreement, which supersedes all other contracts. This new agreement will assist with some of the transmittal needs of the clubs. If you want to see details of the agreement, you can find it as an attachment under documents on the Website.

Lorraine Hee Social 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	BV Ballroom
Noodles	8:45 am	West Pool
Lawn Bowling Play	8:45 am	Lawn Bowling
Sunshine Carvers Oper	19:00 am - 4:00 pm Si	unshine Carvers
Water Aerobics	9:00 am	East Pool
Water Aerobics	9:00 am	West Pool
Electronics Membership	9:00 - 10:00 am	Electronics
Water Exercise	10:00 am	West Pool
Library Locked Cases	10:00 am - 3:20 pm	Library
Lawn Bowling Play	12:45 pm	Lawn Bowling
Post Office	2:00 - 3:30 pm	VO Post Office
Librarian Key Return	3:25 pm	Activity Office
Lap Swimming	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

# Weekly Recurring Events

## **MONDAYS**

Hiking	7:45 am	Baja Bistro
Tai Chi	9:00 - 10:00 am	Aux Ballroom
VO Grapevine	9:00 am	Baja Bistro
Blood Pressure Check	9:45 - 11:15 am	CC Lobby
Ham 20M -	12:30 pm	Ham Shack
Line Dancing Beg/inter	12:15 - 2:00 pm	BV Ballroom
Ballroom Dancing	1:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Aux Ballroom
Beading Class	1:00 - 3:00 pm	Sonoran
Water Volleyball	1:00-2:30 pm	West Pool
Intermediate Line Dance	4:30 - 6:00 pm	Aux Ballroom
Men's Poker	5:30 pm	Class Room
Dominoes	6:00 pm	Sonoran
Pinochle	6:30 pm	Mojave
Table Tennis	7:00 - 9:00 pm	Aux Ballroom

#### **TUESDAYS**

9-Hole Sign-up	7:45 am	Sonoran
Dance Aerobics	8:30 - 9:30 am	BV Ballroom
Lawn Bowling Lessons	10:30 am	Lawn Bowling
500	1:00 pm	Mojave
Ice Cream Social	1:30-2:30 pm	Baja Bistro
Potlucks	5:00 pm	Baja Bistro
Scrabble	6:00 pm	Sonoran
Cribbage	7:00 pm	Mojave
Table Tennis	7:00 - 9:00 pm	Aux Ballroom

## **WEDNESDAYS**

Sweatin 'w the Oldies	8:45 - 9:45 am	BV Ballroom
Happy Wanderers	8:15 am	Front of Activity Office
Tai Chi	9:00 - 10:00 an	n Aux Ballroom

9:00 - 10:00 am	Music Rm
9:30 am	Sonoran
10:00 am	Croquet
12:30 pm	Ham Shack
12:30 pm	Mojave
1:00 pm	Croquet
1:00-2:30 pm	West Pool
7:00 pm	Sonoran
7:00 pm	Aux Ballroom
	9:30 am 10:00 am 12:30 pm 12:30 pm 1:00 pm 1:00-2:30 pm 7:00 pm

#### **THURSDAYS**

Men's Bible Study	7:00 am	Sonoran
Dance Aerobics	8:30 - 9:30 am	BV Ballroom
Art in the Park	9:00 am	Sonoran
Stitch & Chat	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Mojave
Lawn Bowling Lessons	10:30 am	Lawn Bowling
Ed's Grill	11:30 am - 12:45 pm	Baja Bistro
Line Dancing Class	12:15-2:00 pm	BV Ballroom
Social Bridge	1:00 pm	Mojave
Table Tennis	3:15 - 5:30 pm	Aux Ballroom
Solos Potluck	4:00 pm	Oasis
Line Dancing Inter	4:30 - 6:00 pm	Aux Ballroom
Pinochle	6:30 pm	Mojave
Bingo	6:30 pm	BV Ballroom
Spades	7:00 pm	Mojave

## **FRIDAYS**

Sweatin 'w the Oldies	8:45 - 9:45 am	BV Ballroom
Tai Chi	9:00 - 10:00 am	Aux Ballroom
Ham 20M -	12:30 pm	Ham Shack
Duplicate Bridge	12:00 pm	Mojave
Beading Class	1:00 - 3:00 pm	Sonoran
Water Volleyball	1:00-2:30 pm	West Pool
Seminars	1:30 pm	Aux Ballroom
Eucher	6:30 pm	Mojave
Friday Night Dance	6:30-10:00 pm	BV Ballroom
Table Tennis	7:00 - 9:00 pm	Aux Ballroom

## **SATURDAYS**

Lap Swimming -	6:00 - 7:30 am	East Pool
Water Walking -	6:00 - 7:30 am	West Pool
Noodles	8:45 am	West Pool
Water Aerobics	9:00 am	West Pool
Table Tennis	9:00 am - 12:00 pm	Aux Ballroom
Water Aerobics	9:00 am	East Pool
Sunshine Carvers Open	9:00 am - 4:00 pm S	unshine Carvers
Organized Croquet	10:00 am	Croquet
Ham Radio Mtg	10:00 am	Oasis
American Hand & Foot	12:00 pm	Mojave
Pool Tournament	6:00 pm	Pool Room
500	7:00 pm	Mojave
Lap Swimming -	7:00 - 8:00 pm	West Pool

# DAILY TIMETABLE

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East Pool Lap Swimming -6:00 - 7:30 am Water Walking -6:00 - 7:30 am West Pool Gabfest Baja Bistro 8:30 am **BV** Ballroom Worship Service 9:00 am 9:00 am - 4:15 pm Table Tennis Aux Ballroom Happy Hour Croquet 4:00 pm Croquet Line Dancing Adv. 4:30 - 6:00 pm Aux Ballroom Social Bridge 6:00 pm Mojave Court Whist 6:30 pm Sonoran Lap Swimming -7:00 - 8:00 pm West Pool

## **Special Events**

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 7

Don Russell's Variety

Show 3:00-5:30 pm Baja Bistro

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 8

Strawberry Pancake

Breakfast 7:30-9:00 am Baja Bistro

Sewing Club's Sidewalk

Sale & Open House 9:00-12:00 pm Sewing Room

Fired Clay Arts Club's

Open House &

Sidewalk Sale 9:00-12:00 pm Clay Arts Studio

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 9

Home & Art Tour

MONDAY FEBRUARY 10

50th Anniversary

Renewal of Vows 1:00 pm BV Ballroom Kenny Hess Trio 7:00 pm BV Ballroom

7.00 pm

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 11

Hustle Class 1:00-2:00 pm Auxiliary Ballroom

Tower Point Band in

Concert 2:00 pm Baja Bistro

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 12

Pork Loin Dinner 5 & 6:30 pm Seating Baja Bistro

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 13

MarketPlace 9:00-1:00 pm Baja Bistro VO Diner 11:00-1:00 pm Baja Bistro

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 14

Music By The Pool &

Root Beer Floats 2:00-4:00 pm East Pool Rockin' 70's Dance 7:00-10:00 pm BV Ballroom

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 15

Silversmith Make &

Take 9:00 am Silversmith Shop

Hamburger BBQ &

Ice Cream Sale 11:00-1:00 pm Baja Bistro

Master's Voice Gospel

Concert 1:00 pm BV Ballroom

MONDAY FEBRUARY 17

Enchilada Dinner 5:00 pm Baja Bistro
The Magic of Manilow 7:00 pm BV Ballroom

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 18

BJ's Meal Deal 11:00 am-11:00 pm BJ's Restaurant

Annual Sunshine

Carvers' 12:30-2:30 pm Baja Bistro

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 19

Coffee With a Cop 9:00-10:00 am Mojave Room French Dip Sandwiches 11:00-1:00 pm Baja Bistro A Cabaret Concert 7:00 pm BV Ballroom

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 20

Annual Fire Art Show

& Sale 9:00-1:00 pm Baja Bistro

VO Foundation Wine

Tasting Event 4:00-7:00 pm Cabana (EPC)

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 21

Chili Cookoff Submission

Deadline Activity Office

Mystery Tour 7:30-6:00 pm Bus Loading Zone

# February 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Wo	odshop	Raffle	2/3 - 2 /	17	Jumbo Hot Dogs 1 & Cake Sale with Music by Michael Nitro
	<b>Sev</b>	ving Qu	uilt Raff	le <i>2/ 1 / -</i>	3/2	Used Book Sale
	🦱 Gla	ss Arts	Raffle 2	2/25 - 3/	10	Continental Coffee
	WINE	\$	8	8		Shuffleboard Open House
Worship 2 Service		All City 4 Pickleball	All City 5 Pickleball	Condo Board 6 Meeting	Out-Lines 7 Published	Strawberry 8 Pancake
Gabfest	Blood Pressure Clinic	Tournament	Tournament	All City Pickleball	Food Handlers Class	Breakfast
Big Game Party	New Image Fashion Sale	Ice Cream Social	Chicken Cordon Bleu Dinner	Tournament	Dental Consult	Fired Art Clay Studio & Sewing
	Woodshop Raffle	Ask Eldon		Health Seminar: Preventing	"Remember 59 When" Karaoke	Club Open House & Sidewalk
	Begins	Potluck - Inspire Entertainment		Chronic Diseases Vegetarian &	Variety Show Friday Seminar:	Sale
	Smart Cycling Fun-damentals		2003	Vegan Diet	Dunkirk & the Darkest Hour	Shriners Dinner Dance
	Concert Series Cahal Dunn			Bingo	Dance: Midnight Confessions	
Worship 9 Service	Out-Lines 10 Deadline	Social Board 11 Meeting	Vitalant Blood 12 Drive	Marketplace 13 VO Diner	Music by the Pool with That	Silversmith 15 Make & Take
Gabfest	Grapevine	Announce SB Candidates	Fire Safety Class	Health Seminar:	Free Beer Band	Hamburger BBQ
Annual	Blood Pressure Clinic	Ice Cream Social with the	Pork Loin Dinner	Your Brain's Best Day	Root Beer Floats	& Ice Cream Sale
Home Tour	Meatless Monday Potluck	Tower Point Band Smart Driver Tek		Red Hot Bingo!	Friday Seminar:Bring the	Masters Voice Gospel Concert
	50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Renewal of	Hustle Classes	YOUR	1201	Love Parislant Only	
(60)	Wedding Vows 50	Karaoke Corner	<b>A</b>	(SIL)	Resident Only- Special Dance	
	The Songs that Made Country Music Concert	Potluck: St. Vincent de Paul			with Classic Example Band	•
Worship 16 Service	Club Budgets Due17	AARP Smart 18 Driving Course	Annual Condo 19 Meeting & Election	Condo Board 20 Organizational	Condo Board 21 Orientation	Denver Style 22 Eggs Breakfast
Gabfest	Grapevine- 1970's Blood Pressure		Coffee with a Cop	Mtg	Out-Lines Published	with Sing & Strum 90 Plus Eat
Musical Jam	Clinic	Social	French Dip Lunch	Breakfast with the Doc	Newcomers Orientation	Free
	Woodshop Raffle Draw Quilt Raffle Begins	Sunshine Carver's Carve Off	W3 Cabaret Concert	Fine Art Show & Sale	Friday Seminar: Journey to Vietnam	Men's & Women's VO Open Putting Tournament
	Enchilada Dinner	Potluck: Jodi Faith	. \	Ed's Grill Open	VO Karaoke with Don & Ron	<b>%</b> 7
600	Concert Series: Magic of Manilow	BJ's Restaurant Meal Deal	B	Bingo	Dance: Johnny K &	
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Worship 23 Service	Condo Budget 24	Condo Budget 25	Condo Budget 26	Condo Budget 27	Condo Budget 28	Wild & Crazy 29 Pool Party
Gabfest	Social Budget Out-Lines Deadline	Social Board Mtg	Social Budget	Condo Board Mtg	Social Budget	Opening of Time
Hams at Heart	Meet Social Board Candidates	Ice Cream Social	Ash Wednesday Fish Fry	It's a Woman's World & Salad Bar	Name That Tune	Capsule
Sold Gold VO	Grapevine	Glass Arts Raffle Begins	( )	Common Goods Sale	Friday Seminar: Photographic	<b>*</b>
3	Blood Pressure Clinic	Potluck: Sing &	20	Health Seminar:	Design Principles	
4-75	Hams at Heart Solid Gold VO	Strum		Opioid Crisis - Is It Real?	Chili Cookoff	nn
	Solid Gold VO	Hams at Heart Solid Gold VO		Bingo	Dance: Myron Sommerfeld	
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# **March 2020**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Worship 1 Service	Grapevine 2	Social Budget 3	Food Handlers 4 Class	Condo Board 5 Meeting	Tennis Auction & 6 Bake Sale	Jumbo Hot 7 Dogs & Cake Sale
Gabfest	Blood Pressure Clinic	Ice Cream Social With the VO Swing Band	Steak Fry	Social Budget	Out-Lines Published Dental Consult	Used Book Sale
Pieology Meal Deal	New Image Fashions Sale	Ask Eldon	,	Motor Expo	VO Karaoke with Don & Ron	Electronics Raffle Begins
	Seams We Are 50 Fashion Show	Potluck: VO Main Street Brass Quintet		Car Show with	Friday Seminar: Get Out and Start	Hot Diggity Dog
	Quilt Raffle Draw Concert Series: Uptown	Flashback Fever with the 8 Tracks		Chili Dogs & Music	Geocaching  Dance: Midnight  Confessions	Costume Contest  Continental Coffee
Worship 8 Service	•	Town Hall Mtg 10	Chicken 11 Parmesan Dinner	Condo Board 12 Meg		Blueberry <u>\$20</u> 14 Pancake
Gabfest	Grapevine - 1970's	Social Board Mtg Mystery Trip		Marketplace	Guitar Guy	Breakfast with the Kitchen Band -
Ribs & Bibs	Blood Pressu	Ice Cream Social	^	VO Diner Open	Friday Seminar: History & Mystery	Door Prizes Every 15 Minutes
Dinner Show with Denny Kulters Country Western	Clinic Jukebox	Glass Arts Raffle Draw		Health Seminar: The Baby	of the Superstition Mountains	Creative Writing Annual Open
Tribute	Memories - 50's & 60's Top	Karaoke Corner		Boomers Survival Guide - 5 Things	Dance: Reign-n-Country	Reading
	Hits Concert	Potluck - Fletcher Music Presents	ELW	you Need to Know		
		Remember When		Bingo		0 00
Worship 15 Service	Grapevine 16 Blood Pressure	Social Club 17 Annual Mtg & Electronic Org	Harrah's 18 Casino Outing	Condo Board 19 Mtg	Social Board Orientation 20	Hamburger 21 BBQ & Ice Cream Sale
Gabfest	Clinic	Pot of Gold 5K	VO Choir Concert Music Through	50's Diner 50	Out-Lines Published Newcomers	Electronics Raffle
	Enchilada Dinner	Ice Cream Social	the Years	Bit -o-Green Bingo	Orientation Friday Seminar:	Draw
	Concert Series Hillbilly Deluxe	Cancelled	B		Native American Neighbors	
		St. Patty's Day Reuben Special	<b>D</b> 3'	W The	VO Karaoke with Don & Ron	
GB		Potluck-Back to the Future with the Kitchen Band			Dance: Johnny K & Kompany	
Worship 22 Service	Out-Lines 23 Deadline	Ice Cream 24 Social	Night Golf 25 Putting	Condo Board 26 Meeting	Happy Hour 27 with That Free	lt's a Wrap 28 Season Breakfast
Gabfest	Grapevine- 1970's	Potluck - Honor	Tournament	Everything Goes	Beer Band	Used Book Sale
Musical Jam	Blood Pressure Clinic	Flight Arizona Weenie Roast		Sale VO Diner Open		
A	Zappones Cooking Class	with Pioneer Pepper		Health Seminar:		2411
	Meatless Monday			Reach Out. Check In. Save a Life		-111
No.	Potluck Brady Goss in		Weenie Roast with	Bingo	Dance:	=======================================
	Concert		Pioneer Pepper		Julie Lee Band	
Worship 29 Service		Social Board 31 Meeting				
Gabfest	New Image Fashions Sale	Ice Cream Social	<b>Glass</b>	<b>Arts Ra</b>	affle 2/2	25-3/10
	Street Dance with Hooked on a Feeling	ASU Philharmonia Potluck Concert				
	. coming		Electro	onics R	Raffle 3/	7-3/21

# The Following Tickets Are Now Available In The Activity Office

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

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Event	Date of Event	Deadline	Amount	Qty.
Friday Night Dance (Midnight Confessions)	. F - Feb 7	Feb 7 (3:00 pm) .	\$8.00 .	[]
Kenny Hess Trio				
Master's Voice Gospel Concert				
Enchilada Dinner	. M - Feb 17	Until Sold Out	\$8.00 .	[]
French Dip Sandwiches	. W - Feb 19	Until Sold Out	\$7.00 .	{ }
Friday Night Dance (Johnny K)	. F - Feb 21	Feb 21 (3:00 pm)	\$8.00.	[]
Solid Gold VO	. Su - Feb 23	Feb 20 (3:00 pm)	\$10.00.	[]
Ash Wednesday Fish Fry	. W - Feb 26	Feb 19 (10:00 am	)\$8.00 .	[]
Life's a Beach Pool Party	. Sa - Feb 29	Feb 24 (10:00 am	)\$10.00 .	[]
Flashback Fever	. Tu - Mar 3	Mar 3 (3:00 pm) .	\$10.00 .	[]
Steak Fry	. W - Mar 4	Feb 26 (10:00 am	)\$10.00 .	[]
Jukebox Memories	. W - Mar 9	Feb 26 (10:00 am	\$10.00 . \$1.00 more at the doo	[]
Chicken Parmesan Dinner	. W - Mar 11	Mar 4 (10.00 am)		
Sponsored by the Electronics Club  Sponsored by the Solos Clui	Inursday, Japuary Thouse 4 -1:00pm Bring Your Or Table Service & Beve Sponsored by Croquet	Monday  Children Sala Bistro  Monday Jana Bist	Pork Loin D  Wednesday, Febru  Sing Your Own In Service & Beverage of  TICKET No. OC  Shutheboard Club	inner lary 15  New York Carlo Jan Street Con Control Street Contro
Magic of Manilow Nicole Pesce & WE3 Ribs & Bibs	M - Feb 17 W- Feb 19	Feb 17 (10:00 a Feb 12 (3:00 pr	n)\$11.00 ,	[]
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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.



# New Procedure for Upcoming Tennis Club Sponsored Auctions

# Winter Auction Scheduled for March 6

Do you have items you wish to donate to the Tennis Club's two annual auctions? See below for new procedures for pick up of items for the Auction. Phone calls will no longer be accepted.

Tennis Auction Furniture Pick-up Request
Name
Address
Phone #
Item(s) to be picked up
*Drop off form to the Activity Office
Pick-up is scheduled for
Thursday, February 13 & 27 and March 5

# Venture Out Memorial Trust Fund

The Venture Out Memorial Trust Fund, suggested by former owner Chet Rice and created by the Social Board, decided to offer the opportunity for families and friends of deceased residents to contribute money to a fund used for the benefit of all the residents in the park. Instead of placing small individual plaques throughout the park, a number of large plaques with the names of those memorialized would be hung in the Community Center.

This trust, established in 1995, is separate from all other funds and is administered by a committee appointed by the Social Board. The committee has its own financial account.

Since its inception, the Memorial Trust Fund has helped to purchase the following items: microphone and sound equipment, equipment used by Channel 17, a large contribution toward the building of the elevator in the previous Community Center, the purchase of computer and equipment for the AV group, the cost of applying for the Tax Exempt Foundation, money toward expenses for the construction of the Barbecue Pit area, and in 2015, \$3700 for 10 benches throughout Venture Out.

The committee follows definite guidelines. Any contributions received are considered CASH GIFTS; therefore, any DESIGNATED GIFTS cannot be accepted. All checks are to be made out to Venture Out Social Club.

The cost of the bronze nameplate, the engraving, the stationery and postage used for communicating with relatives of the deceased totals nearly \$25 per person.

When making a contribution to the Fund, be sure to indicate that you want your donation to go to the Memorial Fund so that it will be used for engraving the memorial plaques and be placed in the Memorial Account to fund such projects as are listed above. Contributions must be at least \$25. More is appreciated.

We urge you to view the plaques on the wall near the Sonoran in the Baja Bistro. For those who wish to pay it forward (purchase your plaque now), you may do so, but at a minimum of \$25; again, more is appreciated.

We are open for suggestions for how to spend some of this money. Please feel free to contact any of the Committee members listed below:

Walt Just — Chairman Marlice Fenske — Secretary/Treasurer Connie Gorham — Member



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### Feb 9 HOOP DANCING



\$105 PP After a lunch stop in Tempe, visit the Heard Museum. Experience the beauty of the Native American Dancers during the 2020 World Championship Hoop Dance Competition

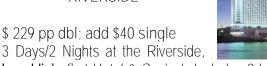
Celebration! You'll also have time to browse the Heard Museum on your own.

#### Feb 13 CHOCOLATE DAY!



**\$99 pp** Tour Cerreta Fine Chocolates for an inside look at chocolate! You'll get to sample a bit, too. Then enjoy a delicious 3-course meal at the AZ Culinary Institute.

Feb 19-21 LAUGHLIN RIVERSIDE



Laughlin's first Hotel & Casino! Includes 2 breakfast buffets and 1 dinner buffet.

#### Feb 20 KARTCHNER CAVERNS



**\$99 pp** Nice day trip includes lunch at the Benson City Grille and a tour of the Big Room at Kartchner

Caverns. (MC)

Feb 26-27

CASINO CRAWL

\$229 pp dbl; add \$60 single

2 Days / 1 Night The fun starts at Harrah's Ak Chin! In the afternoon, depart for the Desert Diamond in



Tucson. After breakfast, tour San Xavier Mission, then off to Wildhorse Pass in Chandler, before returning to Mesa.

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Feb 29 HOGS 'n Heat BBQ

**\$99** PP How about a BBQ and some great music?? Relax and enjoy at Rock Springs Café Hogs 'n Heat BBQ. It's all you can eat – don't forget about a slice of pie! Live music, too. Great Spring kick-off!

# Mar 4 PHOENIX ART MUSEUM

\$99 pp Enjoy lunch at a popular Phoenix restaurant, and then explore the wonderful exhibits during a guided tour of the Art Museum – featuring galleries of American, Asian, Western American, and Contemporary Art.



#### FEELING CRAFTY??

**\$149 pp** Enjoy lunch at Cheddar's Scratch Kitchen, then we'll stop for a fun event that will let you get creative! You'll take your creation home to enjoy. Maybe enjoy a glass of wine while you're there, too.