

Venture Out-Lines

www.VentureOutRVResort.com

5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

December 4, 2020



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Administration

Venture Out 5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
(480) 832-0200
VOGM

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

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ACTIVITY OFFICE
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RecDir
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8:00 am - 12:00 pm
1:00 - 3:30 pm
Monday - Friday
Closed Sat. & Sun.

...
**CONTRACTOR/VENDOR
HOURS**

6:00 am - 5:00 pm
Monday - Saturday
No Contractors on Sunday or
Holidays when the
Administration Office is closed

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SECURITY

(480) 832-6080
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(480) 830-5813
2:00 - 3:00 pm
Monday - Saturday

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Newsletter
Submissions Only:
Outlines
@VentureOutRVResort.com

MISSION STATEMENT

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

CONDO BOARD DIRECTORS' WORK SESSION
Thursday • December 10 • 9:00 am • Zoom

SOCIAL BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING
Tuesday • December 15 • 1:30 pm • Zoom

Zoom information to be posted on bulletin boards 48 hours in advance of meeting.

AGENDA

Moment of Silence:
President's Comments:
Resident Comments &
Questions to be read
Changes to Agenda:
Correspondence:
Condo Board Liaison

Report:
Old Business:
New Business:
Adjournment:
Work Session to Follow

Vo Property for Sale

1997 EZGO GOLF CART

David Frick - 480-565-7373

Needs work - batteries - brakes - other repairs need. Submit a bid to venture out administration office by November 9, 9:00 am. Any questions contact David Frick.

5 - PRAIRIE BULB SOLAR LIGHTS

David Frick - 480-565-7373

Does not include post. \$50.00 apiece. Contact David Frick if interested in purchasing.

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

December 7
December 21
January 4
January 18

PUBLISH DATE
FRIDAY

December 18
January 1
January 15
January 29

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

Venture Out Condo Board Response Team

The Venture Out Condo Board has set up a response team of board members to address your questions and concerns regarding the current rules and guidelines as they relate to the COVID-19

pandemic. Please state your question and send it as an email message to: vocb.response@gmail.com

The response team will meet to discuss your issue and respond back as soon as possible with an answer.

Thank You:

Greg Shelby,
Byron Snowden,
John MacDonald
Condo Board
Response Team

Channel 17 Schedule

Condo Board Meeting:
Play time- 9:00 am,
11:00 am and 5:00 pm

SB Meeting:
Play time- 1:00 pm,
3:00 pm and 9:00 pm

New Program: Drawing
With Annette -
Play time- Around 1:30 pm
and around 3:30 pm right
after Social Board meeting.

Other programs do not
have fixed time schedules.

Administration

Condo Board Message

Presented by Board Members

We are experiencing unique times here at Venture Out.

Over the past several weeks two members of the Condo Board tendered their resignations. Those leaving the Board are Gail Miller and Ken Winters. Each had their own reasons for making that decision. It would not be proper for us (the remaining Board members) to speculate on those reasons. We do, however, wish to thank both of them for their service on the Venture Out Condo Board.

Rest assured there is a mechanism for filling those vacancies in a positive and timely fashion.

[NOTE: Due to deadlines, this message was written before results were known]

A Special Condo Board Meeting (zoom) was held on Thursday, December 3, 2020. During that meeting two persons, who are in the park and have prior Condo Board experience, were presented via a motion to fill the open positions on the Board. Those selected will serve until new Board members are elected and announced during the Annual Meeting on February 17, 2021.

Following the Board meeting an organizational meeting was held to select officers for the remaining season.

A final thought. As a fully staffed Condo Board we are united in our desire to provide Venture Out with uninterrupted leadership. Keeping residents informed, safe and secure is our primary goal. We want to continue to move forward in our efforts to complete 2020 projects and address future V.O. long range plans.

We appreciate you doing your part in making Venture Out a safe and enjoyable place to live, even in these challenging times. Let's all have HIGH HOPES.

Thanks for your continued support.
Signed: Venture Out Condo Board

Club Protocol

When a Member Tests Positive for Covid-19

Purpose:

The intent of this Club Protocol is to communicate the steps which need to be taken to keep our VO residents as safe as possible once a Club Member has tested positive for Covid-19. At no time will Administration disclose the name of the individual who tested positive.

The Social Board request that all newly arriving residents self-quarantine for 10 days and are symptom free before you participate in any of our recreational activities, clubs or events. If a resident does develop symptoms, the Social Board request that you test for Covid-19 immediately. The Social Board requests that you communicate a positive test results with our Administration so that Administration may act quickly to communicate with our clubs, sanitize our clubs and outside areas, as well as, request those residents exposed to quarantine. Administration will maintain your confidentiality at all times.

All recreational clubs, exercise classes and events will be required to keep a log of participants, including names, date, time and phone number.

Protocol:

1. If you develop Covid-19 symptoms of fever, cough, shortness of breath, diarrhea/GI, headache, muscle ache, chills, sore throat, vomiting, abdominal pain, nasal congestion, loss of smell, loss of taste, malaise, and/or fatigue, we recommend you be tested for Covid-19 immediately.
2. The testing sites for Covid-19 near Venture Out are:
 - a) Banner Urgent Care (Higley and Southern)
1215 S. Higley Rd
(844) 549-1851
Appointment Required
 - b) Get Well Now
1237 S. Val Vista Drive
(480) 547-6957
Appointment Required
Open 24 hours
 - c) CVS Pharmacy
360 N Val Vista Drive
(480) 807-0251
Appointment Required (Drive Through)

Club Protocol

When a Member Tests Positive for Covid-19

CVS Pharmacy
6015 E. Brown Rd
Mesa, AZ
480-325-5869
Appointment Required (Drive Through)

- d) FastMed Urgent Care
415 North Val Vista Drive, Suite #101
Mesa, AZ
480-654-5661
No Appointment Required
- e) Banner Urgent Care (Higley and Baseline)
1660 N. Higley Rd, Ste 104
Gilbert, AZ
(844) 549-1851
Appointment Required

3. You may also call 2-1-1 or search for COVID-19 Test Centers by Zipcode
Get Tested COVID-19. <https://get-tested-covid19.org>
4. The lab or your health care provider will contact you regarding the results of your test. By law, the lab or health care provider reports the results of your test to Maricopa County Department of Public Health.
5. If you test positive for Covid-19, Maricopa County Department of Public Health will contact you and begin the process of contact tracing interviews. The Health Department will ask you to identify all **known close contacts**. Close contacts are defined as being within 6 feet of someone for a total of 15 minutes or more. The 15 minutes is cumulative, as it doesn't have to be all at one time. **Maricopa County Department of Public Health requests you take responsibility to notify your close contacts. You will be asked to self-isolate yourself from others.**

“Self-isolated” means you need to:

- **Stay at home**, except to get essential medical care. This includes:
 - **Not going to clubs, exercise classes, recreation events, or any public areas**
 - **Not using public transportation, rideshares, or taxis**
- **Separate** yourself from others in your home, as much as possible. Stay in a separate room and use a separate bathroom, if possible. **If you cannot separate from others at home, you need to wear a mask.**
- **Cover** your coughs and sneezes with a tissue or your elbow.
- **Wash your hands** often with soap and warm water for at least 20 seconds.
- **Avoid touching** your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- **Do not share household items** like dishes, cups, eating utensils, and bedding.

- **Clean** high-touch surfaces (tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, etc.) daily.
- **Cancel** all non-essential medical appointments and call ahead to your provider before you attend essential medical appointments.
- **Monitor your symptoms** and seek medical care if your illness is worsening.
Before going to your medical appointment, call the healthcare provider and tell them that you have, or are being evaluated for, COVID-19

6. If you test positive for Covid-19, the Social Board requests you to notify VO Administration:
 - a. Administration will begin the process of contact tracing within our community, as well as, notify those exposed immediately and request a 14-day quarantine.

“**Quarantine**” means you need to:

- Separate yourself from the person (people) with COVID-19 in your home, if there are any.
- If possible, get tested for COVID-19 with a PCR or antigen (nose swab or saliva) test at a healthcare facility or other testing site. Call 2-1-1 to find a testing site. (Please note: a negative test does not allow you to end quarantine early.)
- Stay at home for *14 days* after your last contact with the person with COVID-19, except to get essential medical care, prescriptions, and food. This includes:

Not using public transportation, rideshares, or taxis

Not going to clubs, exercise classes, recreation events, or any public areas

Wash your hands and avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth AND cover your coughs and sneezes.

Avoid sharing household items like dishes, cups, eating utensils, and bedding.

Clean high-touch surfaces (tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, etc.) daily.

Call ahead before going to any medical appointments and tell your healthcare provider about your close contact with someone who has COVID-19.

Monitor your temperature & symptoms for 14 days after your last contact with the person with COVID-19.

- b. You will be asked to identify all **known close contact locations** in Venture Out 48 hours prior to testing positive. This list would include, but not limited to, all recreational clubs, including dates and approximate times you participated, exercise classes, recreation events (food truck sales, Monday Happy Hour, church) or locations (Pet Walk, Post Office, bath houses).

7. Administration will notify the Recreation Director of known close contact locations.

8. The Recreation Director will:

- a. Close the club or area immediately for sanitation.
 - i. “Closure for Sanitation” signs will be placed at all club entrances.

- li. The club, including outdoor clubs, will be sanitized using the 360-electrostatic sanitization machine.
 - b. Notify the Club President requesting the participant logs for the dates in which the resident participated in the club or exercise class 48 hours prior to testing positive and provide to Administration.
9. If you have tested positive or continue to have symptoms of Covid-19, you need to stay isolated at home for a specific period of time based upon the advice of your primary care provider.

Submitted and Approved by Your Social Board

Resources:

Maricopa County Department of Public Health
4041 N. Central Avenue, Suite 1400
Phoenix, AZ
602-506-6900
www.Maricopa.gov

Arizona Department of Health Services
1-844-542-8201
www.azdhs.gov

VENTURE OUT AT MESA COVID-19 ADVISORY

Requirements for Common Elements

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is reported to be extremely contagious. The state of medical knowledge is evolving and the exact methods of spread and contraction are unknown, but there is no known treatment, cure, or vaccine for COVID-19. Evidence has shown that COVID-19 can cause serious and potentially life-threatening illness and even death.

PREVENTATIVE MEASURES

Venture Out At Mesa, Inc. (“Venture Out”) has put in place preventative measures for the community to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

However, Venture Out cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19 while in the Venture Out community. Venture Out cannot prevent you from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while in our community and while using Venture Out’s amenities. Therefore, if you choose to enter into the Venture Out community and participate in Venture Out’s amenities you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

RESTRICTIONS AND GUIDELINES

Venture Out has established restrictions and guidelines regarding all common elements. The restrictions and guidelines are posted at all common elements within the park, have been sent via FAST Mail, the Venture Out-lines and made available in printed form.

Residents, renters, guests, and contractors are expected to:

- 1) Be fully aware of the posted restrictions and guidelines.
- 2) At all times, while within the park, comply with the posted restrictions and guidelines.
- 3) Ensure that safe personal procedures are being followed, including, wearing masks, social distancing (6’), and proper sanitation.
- 4) **GUESTS:** *At the present time, guests are not permitted to use common elements within the park*

CONDO BOARD PRIORITIES

The VO Condo Board recognizes that this is a difficult time for everyone. We all come to Venture Out to enjoy the multitude of activities and to socialize with friends. Yet, this year is different. Therefore, ***the Boards priorities are focused on:***

- 1)The health and safety of all our residents and staff
- 2)Compliance with Federal, State and County guidelines and restrictions, regarding the COVID-19 pandemic.
- 3)Compliance with guidelines from the Center for Disease Control, state and county health services.

The Condo Board has incorporated the above advisories, restrictions, and recommendations into the Guidelines posted within the park. The intent is to maintain a safe and sanitary environment while supporting the recreational and social activities that can be conducted safely.

We have been advised by our lawyers and insurance provider that ***we (VO) must do the following:***

- 1)Establish safe procedures, restrictions and guidelines.
- 2)Communicate the established safe procedures, restrictions and guidelines to all residents, renters, guests and contractors, by postings, FAST Mails, and dissemination of printed copies.
- 3)Monitor for compliance.

Failure to comply with the established guidelines could result in a significant liability expense, which would have to be paid by all owners. It is with this in mind, that ***the contents of this 'Advisory' represents our best plans for the safety, well-being and enjoyment of the entire Venture Out community.***

Thank You

Venture Out Condo Board

Special Events

HOLIDAY POKER RUN

What a fun way to play poker!

\$4.00 pp
(\$3.00 to Pot, \$1.00 to Social Club)

Sign up & pay in the Activity Office
Deadline: 10:00 am Dec 4

RULES

Collect 5 playing cards from Card Dealer stations at different locations in Venture Out.

Return to the BBQ Area with your poker hand in sealed envelopes.

The best hand wins the pot!

Walk, jog or run to Card Dealers!

Driving your golf cart is fine too!



FRIDAY • DECEMBER 4

1:30 PM • BBQ AREA

SIGN UP & PAY IN THE ACTIVITY OFFICE

VENTURE OUT DAY

AT

Vito's

Pizza & Italian Ristorante

"Dine In" for lunch or dinner and Vito's will **DONATE 20%**

of sales to the Venture Out Social Club (donation excludes liquor, tax and gratuity)

One check per table

*Lunch Menu (11:00am – 4:00pm)

*Full Dining Menu (4:00pm – 9:30pm)

Take Out Provided

Vito's provides a gluten-free menu upon request

MUST PRESENT FLYER FOUND IN THIS NEWSLETTER

SUNDAY • DECEMBER 6

1947 N. LINDSAY ROAD – MESA

(480) 832-3311

WORSHIP SERVICE



December 6: The speaker will be Rev. Tim Hall of Sunshine Acres. The offering will go to Sunshine Acres.

December 13: The speaker will be Rev. Ron Kauffman. The offering will go to St. Vincent de Paul.

We look forward to seeing you there. Sunglasses encouraged. Windy weather or rain would cancel the services.

Masks & Social Distancing Required

**SUNDAYS • 9:00 AM
THE PATIO**

NEW IMAGE FASHIONS BY DON SCOTT

- Major brand fashions at 25%-75% off department store prices!
- Garments from many leading manufacturers such as Ruby Road, Lulu B, Jess & Jane, Maxine Swimwear & others
- Sizes to fit 4 petite - 3X
- Watch Batteries replaced for \$3.00

Safety precautions require masks (Available for free if needed). Social distancing enforced and hand sanitizer stations available



Bringing the store to you!

MONDAY • DECEMBER 7

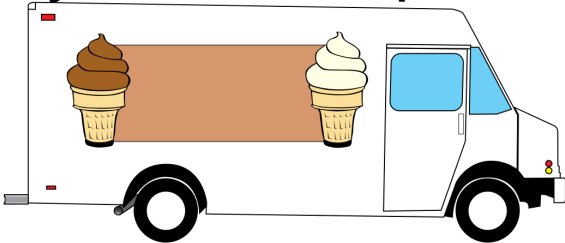
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM

BBQ AREA

Special Events

WATCH FOR THE VO ICE CREAM TRUCK

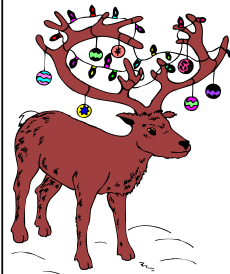
In your neighborhood between
12:30 - 2:30 pm. Klondike Bars,
Fat Boy Ice Cream Sandwiches
and Drumsticks only \$2.00.
Listen for the music and wear
your mask when purchasing!



MONDAY • DECEMBER 7
12:30 - 2:30 PM
YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Holiday Lights Contest

Join your neighbors and friends again this year in the Annual Holiday Lighting Contest. **Decorate your lot, corner lot, or entire block**, in the spirit of the holiday season, and then see who will fly the award-winning holiday banners! Judging to take place **Tuesday, December 8**. Application in this edition of the Out-Lines. **Deadline to submit application Monday, noon December 7.**



*WIN... A ROTATING DISPLAY BANNER for each:
Individual Lot, Corner Lot & Block*

*BANNERS TO BE DELIVERED TO THE AWARD
WINNING LOTS AND BLOCKS*

TUESDAY • DECEMBER 8
7:00 - 8:30 PM

Holiday Lights Contest



Join your neighbors and friends again this year in the Annual Christmas Lighting Contest. **Decorate your lot, corner lot, or entire block**, in the spirit of the Holiday Season, and wait to see who will fly the award-winning Christmas Banners! Should you wish to have your lot or street judged, please complete the form below and return it to the Activity Office by **noon Monday, December 7**. Judging will take place **Tuesday, December 8** from **7:00 - 8:30 pm**. Banners to be delivered to the award winning lots and blocks.

Lot # _____ Street Name _____

Corner # _____ Street Name _____

Block _____ Street Name _____



**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE ACTIVITY OFFICE
NO LATER THAN 12:00 NOON • MONDAY • DECEMBER 7**

WIN... A ROTATING DISPLAY BANNER

**This year everyone is eligible to Participate,
regardless of past winning status**

Special Events

Sign Up in
Activity Office
\$30.⁰⁰

Includes all
supplies except
for ruler &
painters tape

**Sold
Out**

**Waiting
List
Only**

Barn Quilt Class (Quilt designs painted on wood)



**WEDNESDAY • DECEMBER 9
1:00 PM • OUTSIDE BBQ AREA**

Magical Journey

\$169 per person
Bookings close December 1
Cancellation Penalty 100%
after December 3



Soak in the Christmas Spirit and join us for a journey to the North Pole, aboard the historic Verde Canyon Railroad! Santa's elves entertain before you board the train for a magical ride to the North Pole. Enjoy indoor and outdoor viewing as well as a visit from Santa, Mrs. Claus and the elves, on the way back to the depot!

- Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation from Mesa
- Box Lunch before you board
- Magical Christmas Journey train ride
- Professional Tour Director

**THURSDAY • DECEMBER 10
DEPART MESA AT 12:30 PM
RETURN 8:30 PM**

Electric Light Parade & Cart Caroling

Santa & Mrs. Claus invite you to "light up" the holidays with a Cart Caroling Electric Light Parade! Decorate your golf cart with mini lights, glow in the dark stickers, flashlights, tap lights or battery operated candles and join the fun. Stops to be made at various intersections for a bit of caroling. All within the confines of your cart.



Sign-up required in the Activity Office for
contact tracing purposes
Masks a must!

**THURSDAY • DECEMBER 10 • 5:30 PM
COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT
SEE PARADE & CAROLING MAP**

Music Trivia



50/50 Raffle

Presented by
Vicki & Bruce Postel and
Linda & Las Tollas

Group Play!
Show off that brain
by answering trivia
questions about music!

This is a free event
but **TICKETS ARE REQUIRED**
from the Activity Office in order to
accommodate proper social distancing -
Tables of 4 available so you may sit with those
in your comfort group. To book a table
you must have 4 people.



BYOB & Ice - No Food Allowed
Masks Required
Limited Tickets • Deadline: 3:30 pm Dec 10



**FRIDAY • DECEMBER 11
2:00 PM • BBQ AREA**

Special Events

SALVATION ARMY CHRISTMAS ANGELS

Every child deserves the joy of Christmas morning! Thanks to those who support the Angel Trees, thousands of children in Arizona have been provided with new clothing and toys during the holidays. While the ability to choose special "Angels" won't be possible this year due to Covid, there is still a great need to provide for these families during the holidays.

Therefore, a **Salvation Army Christmas Angel Donation Drive** to help sustain this program will take place at Venture Out from November 30-December 11. The Activity Office will accept checks made out to the Salvation Army (no cash please) during this time for this worthwhile program.

Please give generously to this project and help bring a smile to a child's face this holiday season.



**DROP OFF DONATIONS TO THE
ACTIVITY OFFICE BY
DECEMBER 11**

World of Illumination Drive Thru BY FREE SPIRIT VACATIONS

**December 14
\$125 per person**



Discover a symphony of sight and sound at the world's largest drive-through holiday light spectacular. Featuring more than two million LED lights animated and synchronized to the tunes of holiday classics, World of Illumination is the must-see event of the season. Also included is a delicious dinner at Rustler's Rooste.

**Minimum 10 People/Maximum 12
Van Transportation - Masks Required**

**MONDAY • DECEMBER 14
CALL 480-926-5547 OR EMAIL
RESERVATIONS@FREESPIRITVACATIONS.COM**

Take Out Tuesday

Looking for something new for breakfast, lunch or dinner? Want someone else to do the cooking? Take Out Tuesday features various food trucks from around the Valley as they visit Venture Out for breakfast, lunch or dinner on designated Tuesdays. Different trucks each month!



**BUZZNBEES & MAS TACOS (2 TRUCKS)
DECEMBER 15 • 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM**
**DECEMBER 29 • BONZAI BOYZ &
BROOKLYN JOE'S SAUSAGE AND PEPPERS
(2 TRUCKS) SEE FLYER FOR INFORMATION**



Zoom Bingo!



Join the fun as the Recreation Department hosts another crazy game of Zoom Bingo! To play you will need an internet connection and a Zoom Account. Register and receive further instructions by emailing

**Outlines@ventureoutrvresort.com by
3:30 pm • Monday, December 14**

Prizes to include:

- A Lockdown Essentials Basket
- VO Embroidered Cap
- Silver Screen Movie Basket
- Holiday (Christmas) Fun Basket

**WEDNESDAY • DECEMBER 16
3:30 PM • ZOOM**

Special Events

Memorial Luminaria Walk



View the Luminaria display located outside the front of the Community Center on Wednesday evening, December 16. These Memorial Luminaria honor those Venture Out friends and neighbors who have passed away this year.

– Masks Required Please –

WEDNESDAY • DECEMBER 16
LUMINARIA VIEWING
BEGINNING AT 6:00 PM

“Live at Noon”

Presents

Salute to Ladies of Song with Jan Sandwich

Come to The Patio and enjoy a free concert featuring music & stories from the lives of Ella Fitzgerald, Doris Day, Patsy Cline, Bette Midler, Julie Andrews & more.

Free tickets required
for Social Distancing
from the
Activity Office

Masks Required



THURSDAY • DECEMBER 17
12:00 PM • THE PATIO

HOLIDAY Food Drive

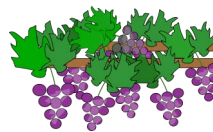
Bring your non-perishable food items to the Activity Office and place in the box located on the table outside the front door.



ALL ITEMS DONATED TO
AREA FOOD BANKS

**FOOD BOX LOCATED OUTSIDE
THE ACTIVITY OFFICE
UNTIL DECEMBER 16**

IT'S THE VIRTUAL “GRAPEVINE!”



Join your Activity Director, Teresa Beally, as she starts your morning with what's new, what's happening & what's coming up in Venture Out!

Grab a cup of coffee and tune to Channel 17, beginning December 31, and every other Friday coinciding with the Out-Lines publication.

December 31

January 29

February 26

March 26

January 15

February 12

March 12

If you'd like her to mention your club- group info contact Teresa at
RecDir@VentureOutRVResort.com

**EVERY OTHER FRIDAY
BEGINNING (THURSDAY) DECEMBER 31
9:00 AM • CHANNEL 17**

Special Events

HAPPY HOUR AT THE BBQ GRILLS



WITH
CHUCK-E-BABY

Enjoy some great music while visiting with your friends and still social distancing - **Tickets required for this FREE event.**

Tables of 4 or 6 available so that you may sit with those in your



Covid Clan. If you do not use tickets please return them to the Activity Office. Tickets are used for contact tracing.

BYOB & Ice - No Food Allowed
Limited Tickets • Deadline 3:30 pm, Dec 18

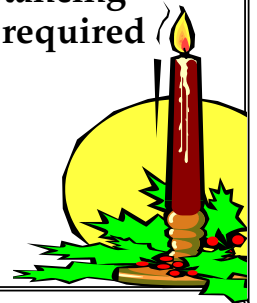
MONDAY • DECEMBER 21
3:00 - 5:00 PM • BBQ AREA

A Christmas Eve Day Worship Program

Come one, bring your neighbor and friends, come all!

Details to be announced in the December 18 Out-Lines.

**Social Distancing
and masks required**



THURSDAY • DECEMBER 24
3:00 PM • THE PATIO

FIRED CLAY ART STUDIO'S MONTHLY DRAWING!



December's drawing is a 9-inch horse hair pot.

This beautiful pot was made by instructor Arlene Smith & can be viewed in the Studio's Class Window.

Tickets 1 for \$1.00 or 6 for \$5.00

Drawing December 31-
need not be present to win

Tickets may be purchased at the Studio from the monitor
M-F 9:00 am - 12:00 pm & 1:00 - 4:00 pm

All proceeds to benefit the Social Club
Winner will be contacted

DRAWING MONDAY
DECEMBER 31 • 11:00 AM

Be more visible when walking or biking in the park!!

Purchase reflective safety vests with the Venture Out logo, safety flashers and bicycle spoke lights from the Pet Association!

Safety Vests \$15
Bike Spoke Lights \$3
Red Safety Flashers \$5
Wrist Slap Lights \$12

Clear Badge Holders \$1
Purple Paw Retractable Clip for Badges \$3

See photo display on the bulletin board near the Pet Walk entrance.

Contact Deb Halver at 218-393-5431 to purchase items



Special Events

Coming in January...

PDY Sale!

(Patio - Driveway & Yard Sale)

Mark January 19
on your calendar
and watch for
details in the
December 18
Out-Lines



Be an Approved Vender and
sell your flea market or craft
items on your own Patio,
Driveway or Yard!

Registration is mandatory
for this event.

JANUARY 19
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Laughlin, Oatman and Lake Havasu

BY FREE SPIRIT VACATIONS

February 2-4

\$199 per person/Double

\$255 per person/Single



Flirt with Lady Luck in Laughlin for
three fun-filled days. You will also
visit Oatman and Lake Havasu.

Minimum 10 People/Maximum 12

Van Transportation - Masks Required

FEBRUARY 2 - 4
CALL 480-926-5547 OR EMAIL
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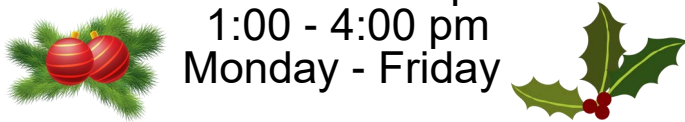
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December's
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Drive by the Fired
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9:00 am - 12:00 pm &
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Monday - Friday



MONDAY - FRIDAY
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM & 1:00 - 4:00 PM
FIRED CLAY ART STUDIO

YOGA

You can now take part in
the Venture Out Yoga
program by tuning to
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Wednesdays
and Fridays at
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Namaste!



MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY
10:00 AM • CHANNEL 17

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Joe & Kathy Blitgen
563-451-4828

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Pandemic. Exercise, eat
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with friends. If you come to
Stretch and Tone, you check
off two of those things. So bring a mat and
weights and come join us! **Monday-Friday** at the
Game Zone 8:00-8:30 am. Weights on **Monday,**
Wednesday and Friday.

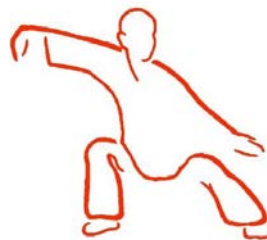


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MONDAY - FRIDAY
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Special Events

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Wednesday

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Monday

11:00 am - Improver

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DRAWING CLASS

Tune to Channel 17 every **afternoon** around **1:30 and 3:30** for a 30 minute **drawing class** with Annette Ripplinger. This class is for all current and future artists. It's a great way to practice observational skills and draw a variety of subjects, like trees, faces, buildings, figures and still life. The classes will cover composition, proportion, values, perspective, and texture. Each show will have a lesson of one of these fundamentals as well as a demonstration. New class every Tuesday. Watch for give-aways and guest artists describing their creative process!



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Clubs and Organizations

7:30 WEST POOL WATER EXERCISE

Robbie Oldemar
480-396-9987

Come join us at 7:30 am.

West Pool. Gentle aerobics, stretching, a little bit of yoga and all-around toning of your body. We do head to toe exercises. We practice social distancing and share some laughter. It is a great way to start your day. •

10:00 AM WEST POOL AEROBICS

Gary Robertson
616-498-1192

The 10:00 am West Pool Aerobics has began. We meet **Monday thru Friday.**•

18 HOLE GOLF

Norm Lawrence
306-230-8597

Please sign up for **Thursday's** 18 Hole Golf at 306 Merlin. We play at the Arizona Golf Resort at 10:00 am. If you have any questions, please contact Norm Lawrence at (306) 230-8597 or email at gnlawrence@hotmail.com.

COME OUT AND PLAY CROQUET

Mary Waitrovich
marywaitrovich@gmail.com

If you enjoyed backyard croquet as a kid, you will enjoy the grownup game of strategy and skill even more. Come and learn the official rules of the 9 wicket game. We play both singles and doubles croquet, where two players team up to help advance each other's balls through the course.

Members offer lessons in singles croquet **Wednesday** mornings from 10:00 am to Noon. Doubles lessons are offered

from 1:00 to 2:30 pm on Wednesdays, as well. The croquet court and the equipment are available every day for open play. Start a game! •

DRAWING CLASS

Annette Ripplinger
503-267-2000

Tune into Channel 17 every afternoon around 1:30 pm and 3:30 pm for a 30 minute drawing class with Annette Ripplinger. This class is for all current and future artists. It's a great way to practice observational skills and draw a variety of subjects, like trees, faces, buildings, figures, and still life shapes. The classes will cover composition, proportion, values, perspective, and texture. Each show will have a lesson of one of these fundamentals and a demonstration of seeing negative shapes, drawing ellipses, making a value scale, studying cast shadows. Watch for give-aways and guest artists.

EAST POOL WATER EXERCISES

Carole Hewett
780-886-2831

East Pool Water Exercises. 9:00 am classes **Monday - Saturday** Carole Hewett 780-886-2831. 10:00 am classes **Monday - Friday** Diane Hass 208-859-7530. Many people benefit from aquatic exercise and using the natural resistance and buoyancy of water the classes target specific muscle groups while helping to increase endurance, energy, stamina, strength and balance. Remember you **MUST** wear a mask to the pool, you **MUST** shower before entering the pool,

you **MUST** practice social distancing and you **MUST** spray down your chair/lounge when leaving. Join us...it's a great way to start your day!

ELECTRONICS CLUB

Annette Ripplinger
503-267-2000

Join the Electronics Club. Have use of our Mac or PC computers with fiber internet. Stations are available for your laptop and iPad. Members get free black and white printing and copying, while color printing is available for .25. Lamination is available to all VO residents for \$1 per sheet by contacting Bill Lawrence or Bernie Hoggarth. Faxing will be available to all VO residents with appointment. The Fax number is 480-854-3795. Learn how to make and edit your own movies at Bernie's free, hour-long iMovie class **Thursday, December 10** at 11:00 am in the Electronics Club's classroom. Due to distancing, it's limited to the first 6 VO residents.

FIRED CLAY ARTS

Arlene Smith
714-620-4767

Wednesday, December 9 Christmas Plate with Trees & Reindeers. In this class create a great holiday platter. Learn to double load sponges. Time: 9:00 am – Noon. Cost: \$35.00 Cost includes bisque piece, product, brushes, sponges, tools, firing and instructions. Seating is limited so sign up early. Samples in the studio window. Seating is limited so sign up early. **Wednesday December 16** Poinsettias Vase. Create a Vase with Poinsettias using stencils. Makes a great gift for friends or family. Time:

9:00 am – Noon. Cost: \$35.00 Cost includes bisque piece, product, brushes, stencil, tools, firing and instructions.

GENEALOGY INTEREST GROUP

Barbara Henderson
(208)604-6084

The Genealogy Interest Group will have their ZOOM meeting at 7:00 pm, **December 16.** About a week before the meeting an email invitation will contain a link to the Zoom meeting. On the day of the meeting click open the link and you will be able to open Zoom and enter the room. It is a general sharing meeting. If you would like to join the Zoom meeting call David Antonson at (421)377-2085 or Corwin Ogborn at(385)-985-7252. The meeting is open to all levels of family history seekers

GOLF ASSOCIATION – 9 HOLE GOLFERS

Judy Sell
503-407-0182

Welcome back, 9-hole golfers! Club membership dues are \$10.00 per year in order to be eligible for prizes, tournament play, and handicap posting. Rob Sell will be collecting membership dues at 210 Merlin (due to Jack's absence). Due to COVID, sign-ups are Tuesday mornings at Rob & Judy's at 210 Merlin for SVE play on Thursday's; and at Laz & Linda's at 120 Debonair, for golf on **Saturdays**, with tee times starting at 9:00 am (not a shotgun start, due to COVID). We will both be available for sign-ups an hour. **MASKS REQUIRED!!**•

Clubs and Organizations

HANDYMAN CLUB

Bill Klocke
763-516-6214

With current circumstances, your Handyman Club is limited from our normal activity. We would like the community to know that we have volunteers who continue to repair VO resident bicycles. We continue to take projects for VO recreation clubs. So, please continue the practice of submitting needed improvements for your club as you have in the past to the Activity Director. We welcome new members who wish to contribute their skills in maintaining the variety of clubs that our community enjoy so much. Contact Bill Klocke with questions or project needs at the Handyman Club from 8:00 am till noon.

HAMS AT HEART

Vicki Postel
720-234-4036

Hams is excited to share some of our upcoming events with you. On **December 10 at 5:30 pm**, we will be hosting a lighted golf cart parade. Please decorate your cart in your favorite Christmas decorations and join us for caroling around the park. Sign-up required in the **Activity Office**. Activities will put out the map for the parade. In January, we will have 2 Variety type shows on **January 11 and 14** (same show just 2 different days). Activities Office will be serving ham sandwiches and our shows will follow. They will be about an hour in length. In **February**, we will have a show called "Trip to Nowhere" which will tell the story of stranded travelers in Chicago O'Hare. Watch the Out-Lines for more information.

HIKING

Jim Cox

jameslcox44@gmail.com

All residents are welcome to join the VO Hiking Group as we explore the dramatic beauty of the Sonoran Desert. Meet in the **courtyard on the east side of the Community Center on Monday** mornings, then carpool to the trailhead. Hike distances, elevation gains and difficulty vary. We will travel on established trails and bushwhacking. Hike details are posted weekly on the "Club Board" wall in the **Post Office Hallway**. Participants should adhere to the general Covid-19 guidelines/masking approved by VO Boards. Reasonably fit non-members are welcome. Membership is \$5/season. Questions- contact Jim Cox.

IMOVIE CLASSES

Bernard Hoggarth
218-291-6764

Do you have an iPhone, iPad or apple computer? Come to the E-Club on Thursday December 10th at 11 am. I will teach you how to make a movie with each of these devices. You will be taught how to edit the movie including transitions, adding titles, adding voice, trimming, cutting, and more. Please bring your device. Classes limited to 6 participants because of Covid. Please call me to schedule.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

480 218 2212

Join a Great group of men to study God's Word. Can be life changing! When - Every **Thursday** (exceptions **December. 24 & January 7**) Time - 9:00 am. Location - **Rochester's Restaurant**

(within Sunland Village) 721 S Rochester, Mesa

PET ASSOCIATION

Rich Kantak
206-931-4284

THANK YOU to those who helped at Clean Up Day! Active members are needed to make the pet walk a place to enjoy our pets. Opportunities include "odor busters", working with maintenance regarding plantings, sweeping and blowing the walk daily. There are also "one time" jobs like painting or staining. Want to get involved? Contact Rich! Volunteers needed **Saturday, December 5, 9:00 am** to decorate the Pet Walk for the holidays. No experience needed! Due to current restrictions, the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting and Luminaria have been cancelled. Next meeting **Wednesday, December 8 at 2:30 pm** in the Pet Walk.

PICKLEBALL

Ruth Havican

The Pickleball Courts are open to all for Open Play every day of the week. Membership dues in our club are \$20 payable at the courts **9:00 to 11:00 am Monday, Wednesday and Saturday**. As with all VO Clubs, we had to curtail our major fundraisers and a few activities due to COVID. We are chugging along with Open Play, Ladder, Saturday Scramble, a Members Only Pickleball Grill and an upcoming in house tournament. All these activities are available to dues paying members. You will find a unique new system for signing up in Open Play. It involves the white board and clothes pins.

SEWING CLUB

Linda St Andre
360-739-4409

Masks! Masks! Masks! Welcome back, and please remember that masks are required in the Sewing Room. Our club is open in compliance with all Venture Out guidelines and as posted on the door and in the Out-Lines. We recommend that sewers who have a personal sewing machine consider bringing that machine and basic sewing/quilting tools with you this season so you may safely sew in your home. Let's get busy on those AZB4K quilts as winter is coming. •

SHUFFLEBOARD

Vicki Van Slyke
509-73-2807

Welcome home Shufflers. Returning members must first pay your dues, receive a copy of the Guidelines for Opening our club, along with a copy of the Cleaning Procedures for 2020. New members interested in joining Shuffleboard, follow these easy steps: 1) Pay \$20.00 dues to Treasure Vonna Ketcham (480-220-1960) 2) Attend Orientation **10:00 am** at the courts on the Tuesday following your dues payment. 3) If needed, check out a Shuffleboard stick to use for the season. Join in the fun! 5) Hope to see you at the Courts.

SILVERSMITH CLUB

Leslie Eggers
503-799-5760

The Silversmith Club is open to members on a limited basis pursuant to VO Covid-19 guidelines. Current members (from the 2019-20 season) should check the weekly schedule posted in the shop for hours of operation or volunteer to

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Clubs and Organizations

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become a monitor. The more monitors we have the more the shop can be open for member use. Due to Covid restrictions we are not able to train prospective new members in the safe use of tools, equipment, fabrication and basic soldering. Please contact Leslie Eggers for more information if you are interested in joining us at a later date.

SOLOS CLUB Glee Gilbert 480-641-3514

Solos will meet every **Thursday** from **4:00 - 6:00 pm** at the **Desert Terrace** located above the **Post Office**. All singles are invited to attend. It is a great way to meet new people. Wear your mask and bring your own beverage. Any questions, call Dale Laube, President at 309-883-0316 or Glee Gilbert, Secretary. •

SPLASHERS Robbie Oldemar 480-396-9987

Splish, splash, I was playing volleyball at Venture Out!!! Yep, it's that season again. Join us on **Monday - Wednesday - Friday, 1:00 - 2:30 pm** in the **West Pool** for fun and laughter. No previous experience necessary. We are limited to 10 players on each side this year so, please come early. We don't want to turn anybody away. We love spectators to cheer us on, too! •

STITCH & CHAT Dianne Gilbert 480-993-7794

We are meeting at **648 Aero** on **Thursdays 9:00 - 11:30 am** for the near future. There is plenty of room for social distancing

but please wear a mask. Looking forward to a great year and wishing our Canadian stitchers could be with us – hopefully some will be able to join us after the first of the year. •

TENNIS CLUB Janice Schwartz 507-251-9384

The Annual Tennis Auction, Rummage and Bake Sale will not be held this December. We are planning to have a Rummage Sale after the first of the year, possibly in February. We are looking forward to your donations and continued support. Tennis Member's Ladder play is on **Monday** at **1:00 pm**. Non-Tennis Club members are invited to an "Introduction to Tennis Clinic" at **Courts 7 & 8** on **December 12** at **1:00 pm**. Free weekly Beginner's Tennis lessons for members beginning at **2:00 pm** **December 17** on **Court 6**. Fun Tennis will be held on **December 19**. Non-members are welcome at Drop-In Tennis on **Tuesdays, 3:00 pm** at the **NE Sportsplex**. Purchase \$30 membership from Pat Murphy, 130 Navajo. See more details at the Tennis Kiosk and at VOtennisclub.com. •

VO VOICES

Maureen Robertson

As a result of the current health concerns, most of our writers will not be coming to Venture Out this season and therefore we have decided to wait until next fall to start again. We thank all of our readers for the welcome support and suggestions over the years and we look forward to bringing you articles of interest in the future. In the meantime we hope you all

keep well and look forward to next fall. •

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

Betsy Klofstad

On **Friday, November 20** at **9:30 am**, the group will be meeting at 632 Aero for the purpose of discussing (and reminiscing) "The Summer of '69" by Elin Hilderbrand. •

WORSHIP COMMITTEE

Ardis Egli

602-369-4358

The large "Our Daily Bread" devotional guides for months October, November and December are available in the post office on the shelf to the right of the entrance door. •



EXERCISE CLASSES

Line Dancing

Absolute Beginner

12:15 pm • Wed • The Patio

Line Dancing

Beginner

12:30 pm • Wed • The Patio

Line Dancing

High Beginner

1:15 pm • Wed • The Patio

Line Dancing - Improver

11:00 am • Mon • The Patio

Stretch & Tone

8:00 - 8:30 am • Mon- Fri

Game Zone

Tai Chi

9:00 - 10:00 am • M -W - F

Game Zone

EAST POOL

EXERCISE CLASSES

East Pool Water

Aerobics

9:00 am • Mon - Sat

East Pool Aqua Aerobics

10:00 am • Mon - Fri

Lap Swimming

6:00 - 7:30 am • Daily

WEST POOL

EXERCISE CLASSES

West Pool Water Exercise

7:30 am • Mon - Fri

West Pool Aqua Aerobics

9:00 am • Mon - Sat

West Pool Water Aerobics

10:00 am • Mon - Fri

Lap Swimming

7:00 - 8:00 pm • Daily

Sweet Tooth?
Ice Cream and Candy
Now available for purchase in the Activity Office!



This and That

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Cathy Walker Dec 25



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
Ken & Jacqueline Erickson
Dec 9 64 yrs

HAVE YOU HEARD?

To submit information
Email
outlines
@ventureoutvresort.com

or Activity Office at
480-832-9000

Don Houston of 611
Debonair passed away
November 28. No
condolences information at
this time.

Note:



**Current
badges, with
the pink
hologram,
are required
to receive
service in
the Activity
Office**



Bonnie Mohr, winner of the Kokopeli clock from the
Fired Clay Art Club Monthly Raffle
with instructor Arlene Smith.



Getting lunch the easy way from the "When Pigs Fly"
food truck on Take Out Tuesday!

Resident Instructors/Presenters Wanted

Have a DIY Project you'd like to
share? Great at providing
photography tips? How about a
historical lecture? Are you a health or
wellness expert?

This season we wish to showcase the
many talents of our residents on
Channel 17 be it live or taped!

Whatever the topic or talent, I would
love to hear about it. Please contact
Teresa Beally at 480-832-9000 or
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For the Activity Office

- All individuals entering the Activity Office must wear masks and keep a 6 foot distance from others. There are markers on the floor to assist with social distancing.
- Before handling DVDs or touching the counter please utilize the hand sanitizer provided.
- There is a 4 person maximum occupancy when entering the Activity Office.
- Only 1 person at the DVD rack at a time.



MONDAY - FRIDAY

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM • 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Please Register... YOUR PET

Annual pet registration is required at Venture Out. Proof of current rabies vaccination is needed for dogs. Upon registration, a tag will be issued which must be attached to the collar or harness of the pet.

Rules:

1. Pets are to be on leash unless in the gated pet exercise area. Maximum length 5 ft.
2. Always pick up after your pet.
3. Use the Entrance and Exits as marked. Doing so helps control odor for nearby residents and will assist with social distancing.
4. The pet wash is available for your use. Please bring and take your own supplies. Don't leave anything behind.

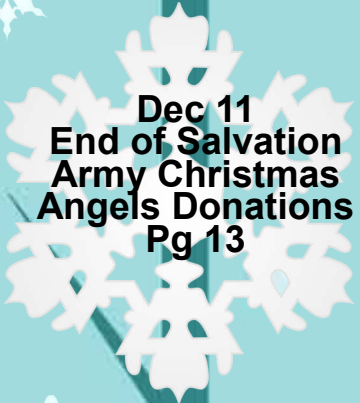
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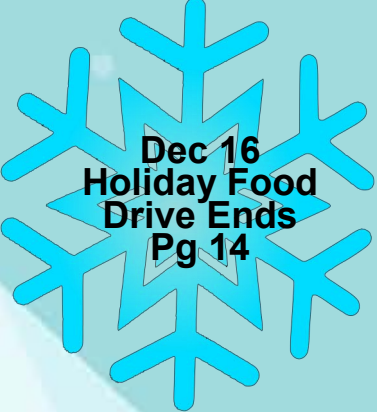
ALL SEASON!
TAGS AVAILABLE FROM THE ACTIVITY OFFICE
DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS



Much to do at Venture Out, and following the listed Covid-19 safety procedures, keeps it that way!



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End of Salvation
Army Christmas
Angels Donations
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Drive Ends
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World of
Illumination
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Tuesday
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Luminaria-Walk
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Live at Noon with
Jan Sandwich
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Recreation Update

December 4, 2020

There are still tables available for Music Trivia scheduled for Friday, December 4. Stop into the Activity Office and reserve your table of four today!

Sunday, December 6 is the Venture Out Meal Deal at Vitos Italian Restaurant and Pizzeria. Take the flyer from this edition of the Out-Lines, present when ordering and 20% of your meal charge will come back to the Social Club. This special is good for Take Out orders as well. If you choose to Take Out be sure to mention the flyer up front.

New Image Fashions will be with us Monday, December 7 from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm at the BBQ area. Women's clothing from 4 petite (who is that size?) to 3X are marked 25-75% off department store prices. Social distancing required when shopping and please remember to wear your mask!

The Activity Office is currently accepting checks for the Salvation Army Christmas Angel program.

Due to Covid-19 this is being done in lieu of choosing angels and purchasing toys for underprivileged children this season. An angel ornament with your name will be hung on a special holiday tree in the Activity Office noting that you have donated to this worthy cause. Please make sure your check is made out to the Salvation Army. Donations accepted until Friday December 11.

Watch for the VO Ice Cream Truck on your street Monday, December 7 between 12:30 pm and 2:30 pm. Drumsticks, Fat Boys and Klondike Bars for \$2.00. All proceeds directed to the Venture Out Social Club.

You still have a couple of days to submit your application for the annual Holiday Lights Contest. The deadline to do so is Monday, December 7.

Decorate your golf cart with battery operated lights, glow sticks or mini flashlights and join the Hams at Heart for an Electric Light Parade and Cart Caroling Thursday, December 10. Meet at the BBQ area of the Community Center Parking lot at 5:30 pm and then off you go throughout the community stopping at selected points for a bit of in-cart caroling. Sign up is required in the Activity Office for contact tracing purposes.

Should you attend Worship Service at The Patio on Sundays please remember masks and social distancing are a must!

Mark your calendar for January 19 and start planning for the PDY Sale! A what? That's a Patio, Driveway and Yard Sale for which you can either be a participating seller or an official buyer. Those with items to sell, including craft and used items, be sure to check out the December 18 edition of the Out-Lines for complete details as to how to be an authorized vendor.

December features "stocking stuffers" in the Fired Clay Arts Studio Fundraising Window with their raffle draw for the month being a gorgeous horse hair pot. Check out the displays and stop into the club facility to purchase a stocking stuffer and your raffle tickets today!

Please remember if you can not attend an event such as Happy Hour, Trivia, Live at Noon or any other activity where tickets have been issued please return those tickets to the Activity Office. We have a waiting list for most events. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

We know the wait line was long at the last Take Out Tuesday so we have two food trucks coming for Take Out Tuesday on December 15. Mas Tacos features all your favorite Mexican dishes while BuzzznBeez offers a taste of the south with items such as Po-Boys and southern fried chicken. Check out their complete menus from the flyer in this edition of the Out-Lines and we'll see you for lunch!

Have you picked up your ticket for the free "Live at Noon Concert" featuring Jan Sandwich with music and stories from female vocal greats such as Doris Day, Patsey Cline, Bette Midler and more. The concert begins at noon, and please remember to wear your mask.

It's that crazy game of Holiday Zoom Bingo presented by your Recreation staff once again! We've got some great prizes and some even greater entertainment (that's a matter of opinion?) so be sure to register at Outlines@ventureoutvresort.com no later than 3:30 pm, Monday, December 14 for the December 16 Zoom Bingo session.

Chuck e Baby will be back for Happy Hour on Monday, December 21. Pick up tickets from the Activity Office if you wish to attend this event. See the ad in this Out-Lines for complete details.

The Social Board has set protocol for clubs to follow should a club member tests positive for Covid-19. Please see the special insert in today's newsletter for proper procedures.

Our annual Holiday Food Drive ends Thursday, December 16. Non-perishable food items may be placed in the box located on the table outside the Activity Office.

Thank you to the general holiday decorating Chairs Russ Morfeld and Cheryl Epping and their many volunteers for bringing the holidays to Venture Out. The outdoor lights and festive decorations are enough to bring a smile to all our faces during these uncertain times.

Teresa Beally

Activity Director

recdir@ventureoutvresort.com



Manager's Corner

December 4, 2020

This week's occupancy is 775 or 44% vs. 676 at the last report and 1245 one year prior. There are currently 103 renters in the park.

We did receive notice of two more Covid cases in the park this week and notified the residents possibly affected of this exposure. These residents had been here for a while, so most likely got sick here in AZ. Once again, we cannot stress enough, the importance of social distancing, wearing your masks and sanitizing your hands frequently. Please do not let down your guard. View everyone as a potential source of infection as your best defense.

I do not think anyone will look back on 2020 as their favorite year, but as we near the end, we are finally getting some positive news. A vaccine, several vaccines, are on the way. The CDC just this week, determined the first recipients would be healthcare workers and then those residing in Nursing Home facilities, who account for 40% of the deaths in the nation. After that, healthcare experts would prefer high risk individuals and those over 65, and then on down the line, in order of risk. They say, that by the summer, anyone who wants a vaccine will have been able to get one. They are already mobilizing and shipping the vaccines around the country, waiting for the FDA to approve these drugs. They anticipate vaccinations will start in December within 24 hours of approval.

In the meantime, Hospitals across the country are nearing capacity. The architectural firm we work with has been called on by government agencies to design field hospitals throughout the valley. It is our job to help them out and stay out of the Hospital. I think overall, we have done a good job of that. We are not seeing a huge surge of cases in the community; granted, my tally right now at 12 is probably not 100% correct. But if taken vs. 1500 residents currently in the park, we are at a 1% infection rate. Lets not let that get any higher. We only have a few more months to go. Then we can look forward to getting back to normal next year and once again, being able to socialize, eat drink and be merry. What VO is known for.

There actually have been many positive things that came out of this Pandemic. It has drawn families closer together, some people have learned to cook, and many of us have learned to 'Zoom'. All meetings now are conducted via Zoom, until this is over. You can find the Zoom Calendar online. We are continuously scheduling meetings and will continue to send out FASTMAIL's for Board meetings, but not for Standing Committee meetings as we think you would find that many notices overwhelming. To join a meeting, go to the calendar and click on the link to join with your computer or phone in, with the phone numbers posted.

Another positive, and one we did not expect? Real estate in the park is brisk. Construction in most cases is delayed due to labor and materials shortages, so re-sales are hot right now. Prices are going up as well.

The Annex bathrooms are closed now due to some sewer line issues similar to the bathhouses. Once we get our bids in for repair and get the work done, we will reopen them. If we had to have issues there, it is happening at a good time.

After some creative thinking by Keith Kettle and locating 14 pieces of precious matching tile, we can install some additional grab bars in the EPC, for far less than we budgeted. You may find the women's bathrooms shut down for a few hours, in the next week since we do not have any female tile setters. We are asking them to do the work at night. The Men's bathroom is a non-issue.

The fitness center will be opened for 16 hours per day starting January 4th. At that point our occupancy should be up past 50%. Because a fitness center is deemed a "High Risk" facility, government requirements are that we have a full time attendant, cleaning and monitoring while it is open. All residents must wipe down all equipment before and after use.















There is a new Postman in the Post office and he has been sending mail back if it sits there too long. Please make sure you pick up your mail promptly and let him know if you are on the way down and have already forwarded your mail to your box. The Post Offices direct phone number is 480-830-5813.

So another weekend is upon us. Stay safe and healthy out there!

Mary Schmit

General Manager
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December 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		Stretch & Tone 1 Social Board Work Session Take Out Tuesday Lunch with "When Pigs Fly" 	Stretch & Tone 2 Tai Chi Lets Line Dance! Santa's 5K Town Hall Zoom Mtg	Stretch & Tone 3 Condo Board Mtg	Stretch & Tone 4 Tai Chi Out-Lines Published Holiday Poker Run 	
Worship Service 6 Vitos Meal Deal	Stretch & Tone 7 Tai Chi Yoga New Image Fashions Out-Lines Deadline The VO Ice Cream Truck Deadline: Holiday Lights Contest	Stretch & Tone 8 Drawing Class Holiday Lights Contest 	Stretch & Tone 9 Tai Chi Yoga Lets Line Dance! Barn Quilt Class	Stretch & Tone 10 Condo Work Session Electric Light Parade & Cart Caroling Magical Journey Hanukkah Begins 	Stretch & Tone 11 Tai Chi Yoga Music Trivia Christmas Angels Donation Program Ends 	
Worship Service 13	Stretch & Tone 14 Tai Chi Yoga World of Illumination	Stretch & Tone 15 Drawing Class Take Out Tuesday with "Mas Tacos" & "Buzznbeez" (Lunch with 2 Food Trucks)	Stretch & Tone 16 Tai Chi Yoga Lets Line Dance! Zoom Bingo Holiday Food Drive Ends Memorial Luminaria Walk 	Stretch & Tone 17 "Live at Noon" Salute to Ladies of Song with Jan Sandwich Free Concert	Stretch & Tone 18 Tai Chi Yoga Out-Lines Published	
Worship Service 20 	Stretch & Tone 21 Tai Chi Yoga Out-Lines Deadline Holiday Happy Hour with Chuck-E-Baby	Stretch & Tone 22 Drawing Class 	Stretch & Tone 23 Tai Chi Yoga Lets Line Dance!	Christmas Eve 24 Worship Program 	Yoga 25 Merry Christmas!	
Worship Service 27	Stretch & Tone 28 Tai Chi Yoga 	Stretch & Tone 29 Take Out Tuesday Lunch - Bonzai Boyz, Brooklyn Joe's Sausage and Peppers (Lunch with 2 Food Trucks) Drawing Class	Stretch & Tone 30 Tai Chi Yoga Lets Line Dance!	New Year's Eve 31 Virtual Grapevine 		

VENTURE OUT DAY

AT

Vito's

Pizza & Italian Ristorante

1947 N. Lindsay Road – Mesa
SE Corner of Lindsay & McKellips
(480) 832-3311

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6th, 2020

11:00am – 9:00pm

“Dine In or Take Out” for lunch or dinner and
Vito’s will **DONATE 20%**
of sales to the Venture Out Social Club
(donation excludes liquor, tax and gratuity)
One check per table

*Full Dining Menu (11:00 am – 9:00 pm)

Take Out Available

Vito’s provides a gluten-free menu upon request

MUST BRING THIS FLYER!

Take Out Tuesday...2 Food Trucks!



and



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Food Trucks Located in the Community Center Parking Lot near the BBQ's

No Ticket Required

Cash & Credit Cards Accepted

Mas Tacos

- Menu -

Combos

Served on your choice of Corn or Flour Tortillas

\$14 - Carne Asada
(1 quesadilla & 3 tacos)

\$12 - Al Pastor
(1 quesadilla & 3 tacos)

\$11 - Tinga
(1 quesadilla & 3 tacos)

\$11 - Mixed
(1 quesadilla & 1 of each taco)

Quesadillas

Served on your choice of Corn or Flour Tortillas with Monterrey Jack

\$5 - Carne Asada
(charbroiled steak)

\$5 - Al Pastor
(marinated pork)

\$5 - Tinga
(chicken breast on chipotle sauce and brazed onions)

\$3 - Quesadilla
(plain, no meat)

Tacos

Served on your choice of Corn or Flour Tortillas

\$3 - Carne Asada
(charbroiled steak)

\$3 - Al Pastor
(marinated pork)

\$2 - Tinga
(chicken breast on chipotle sauce and brazed onions)

Drinks

Jarritos \$2.50

Coca Cola \$1.50

Coke Zero \$1.50

Sprite \$1.50

BuzzNBeez - Menu -

\$15 Feast of the Day
2 piece Southern fried chicken, 1 fried fillet of Fish, 2 sides, soda or water

Po-Boys
\$10 Catfish with chips

\$13 Cajun Grilled Shrimp with chips

\$13 The Rich Boy (catfish topped with Cajun grilled shrimp) & chips

\$10 Fish & Chips
with ketchup & tartar or zesty spicy sauce

\$8 Vegetarian Plate
3 choice sides

Southern fried Chicken
infused with local desert wildflower honey

\$12 - 3 pc & 2 sides
\$10 - 2 pc & 2 sides

Tacos

3 Tacos on corn tortillas & chips

\$11 Grilled Shrimp (mild or spicy)

\$10 Grilled Fish (mild or spicy)

\$10 Spicy Chicken

Bowls

\$9 Jerk Chicken Bowl
grilled jerk chicken, jasmine rice, grilled veggies & black beans

\$12 Everything Bowl
grilled jerk chicken, chicken andouille sausage, grilled shrimp, grilled veggies, black beans, jasmine rice & sweet chili sauce

\$12 Grilled Shrimp Bowl
grilled shrimp, grilled veggies, black beans, jasmine rice, sweet chili sauce & sesame seeds

\$8 Vegetarian Bowl
grilled veggies, black beans, jasmine rice, sweet chili sauce & sesame seeds

Sides

(substitute and side for your chips for \$1)

\$5 Cheese mac & cheese

\$4 Hand Cut Fries

\$4 Grilled veggies

\$3 coleslaw

Drinks

\$3 Spritzer - raspberry/mango/prickly pear

\$1 Bottled Water

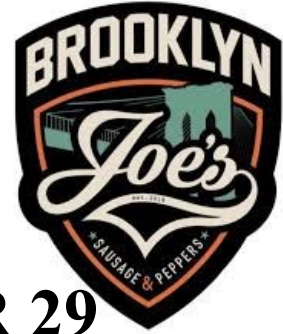
\$1 Canned Soda

Take home or Social Distancing tables available
Please wear masks when standing in line & ordering

Take Out Tuesday...2 Food Trucks!



2- To Speed
Things Up!



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Food Trucks Located in the Community Center Parking Lot near the BBQ's

No Ticket Required

Cash & Credit Cards Accepted

BONZAI BOYZ - MENU -

SMALL BITES

\$5 | \$8 Dragon Wings (3 or 5)

Original | Lemon Pepper | Angry Dragon (Mild)
Furious Dragon (Spicy) | Inferno (Very Spicy)

\$6 - Bao Buns (2)

Asian Street Tacos

- Braised Pork Belly - Hoisin Aioli - Namasu
- Korean Fried Chicken - Go Chu Jang Aioli - House Made Kim Chee
- Crispy Shrimp - Sriracha Aioli - Pickled Vegetables

\$7 - Home Made Pork Potstickers (5)

\$4 - Veritable Spring Rolls (2)

\$4 - Crab Rangoons (3)

\$4 - Cinnamon Sugar Doughnuts (5)

MAIN'S

\$11 - Bonzai Bento

Choice of Entrée served over steamed rice with tossed green salad and a lemon pepper dragon wing
Korean Fried Chicken | Braised Pork Belly | Citrus Glazed Chicken | Grilled Teriyaki Chicken | House Spicy Chicken

\$10 - Fried Rice

Rice, egg and vegetables wok-seared in a soy based sauce

Crispy Pork Belly | Grilled Chicken | Crispy Chicken Shrimp (\$12)

\$15 - Bonzai Sampler

3 Buns (one of each), 2 Wings (1 style) & 3 Potstickers

BROOKLYN JOES - MENU -

HEROES

SERVED WITH POTATO CHIPS

\$10 - Sausage & Peppers

Italian sweet sausage
w/ sweet red peppers,
onions, and
marinara sauce

\$10 - Meatballs

Parmigiana
Meatballs with
marinara sauce and
smothered with
mozzarella cheese

\$10 - Chicken

Parmigiana
Thinly sliced, breaded
chicken cutlets,
marinara sauce and
smothered with
mozzarella

\$10 - Eggplant Parmigiana

Tender, breaded eggplant
cutlets, marinara sauce and
smothered with mozzarella
cheese

\$13 - Veal Parmigiana

Thinly sliced, breaded veal cutlet, marinara sauce and
smothered with mozzarella cheese

APPETIZERS

\$6 - Mozzarella

Sticks

\$10 - Fried Ravioli

BEVERAGES

\$2.50 EACH

Coca-Cola

Sprite

Soda

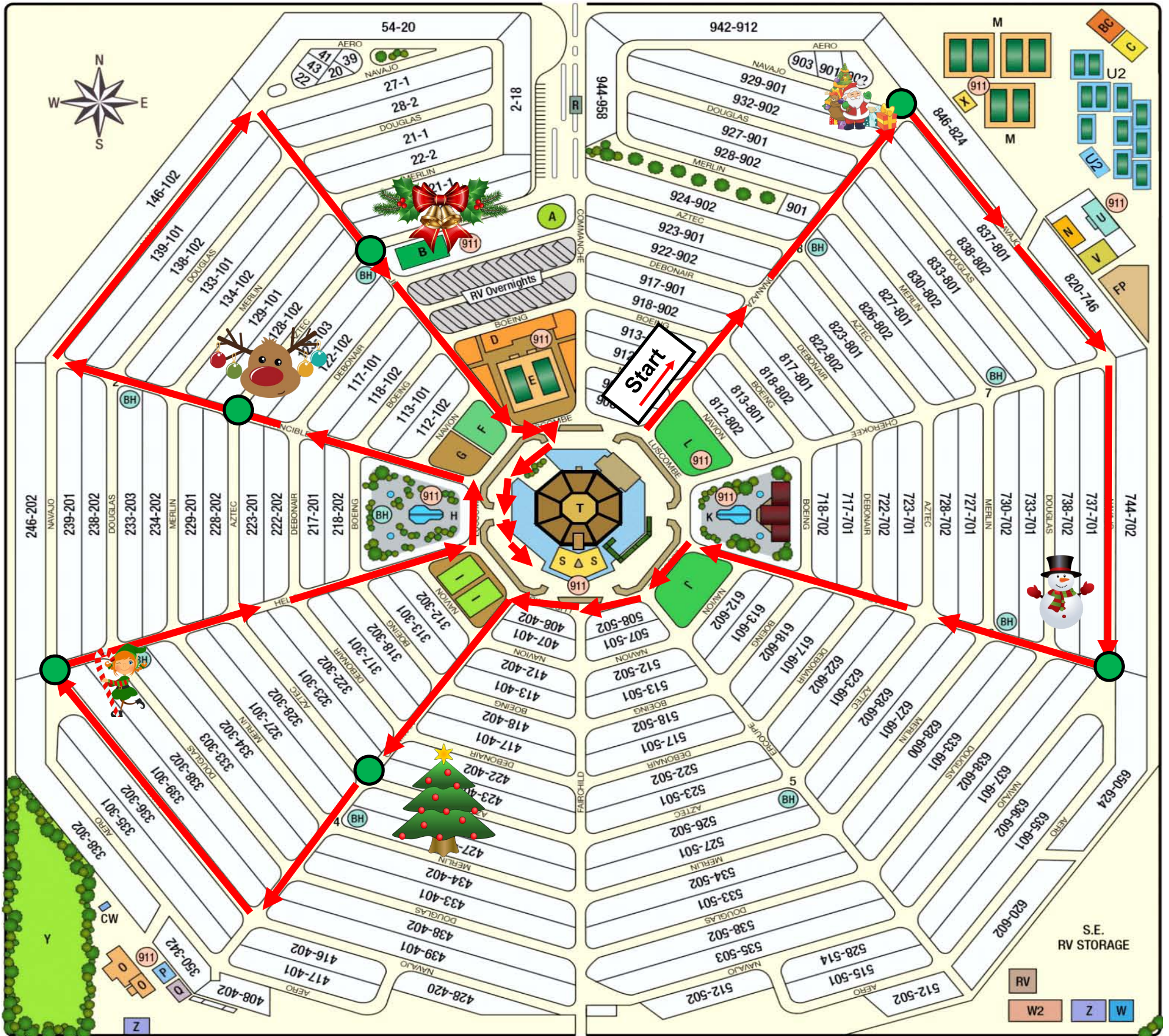
Pure Leaf Ice Tea

Glaceau Smartwater

San Pellegrino

Take home or Social Distancing tables available
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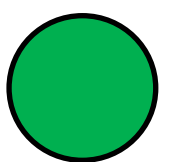
Electric Light Parade & Cart Caroling (Golf Cart) Route



Santa & Mrs. Claus invite you to “light up” the holidays with a Cart Caroling Electric Light Parade! Decorate your golf cart with mini lights, glow in the dark stickers, flashlights, tap lights or battery operated candles and join the fun. Stops to be made as various intersections for a bit of caroling.

All within the confines of your cart.

Caroling locations are marked by the Green circles:



Sign-up required in the Activity Office and depart the Community Center Parking Lot at 5:30 pm - Thursday, December 10

Masks a Must!