

Venture Out-Lines

www.VentureOutRVResort.com

5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

January 28, 2022



Events now Available in the Activity Office

Activity Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 am – 12:00 pm, 1:00 - 3:30 pm

| Events | Date | Deadline | Ticket Cost | Page |
|--|----------------------|----------------|--------------|------|
| January | | | | |
| Friday Night Dance: Julie Lee Band | January 28 | January 28 | \$10.00 | 8 |
| Hobby Center Open House | January 29 | X | X | 8 |
| Prime Rib Dinner | January 29 | Past Deadline | \$18.00 | 9 |
| Concert Series: Dolly Parton | January 31 | January 31 | \$20.00 | 9 |
| PDY Sale | January 31 | Past Deadline | \$10.00 | 9 |
| February | | | | |
| Artisan Showcase | February 1 | Past Deadline | X | 11 |
| All-City Pickleball Tournament | February 1-3 | X | X | 10 |
| VO Swing Band | February 1 | X | Pass the Hat | 11 |
| Friday Night Dance: Midnight Confessions | February 4 | February 4 | \$10.00 | 8 |
| Jumbo Hot Dogs & Cake Sale | February 5 | February 5 | \$5 +\$2 | 12 |
| Scavenger Hunt | February 6 | X | \$5 | 12 |
| New Image Fashions | February 7 | X | X | 13 |
| Miller, Miller Martin & Ki | February 7 | February 7 | \$25.00 | 13 |
| Silversmith Valentine's Jewelry Sale | February 7&8 | X | X | 13 |
| Mystery Tour | February 8 | See Ad | See Ad | 13 |
| French Dip Sandwich | February 9 | February 2 | \$11.00 | 14 |
| Ingrid Hagelberg Cabaret Concert | February 9 | February 9 | \$12.00 | 14 |
| Market Place | February 10 | X | X | 14 |
| Market Place Lunch | February 10 | February 2 | \$9.00 | 15 |
| Tennis Rummage Sale | February 11 | X | X | 15 |
| Friday Night Dance: Uncorked the Band | February 11 | February 11 | \$10.00 | 8 |
| Sewing Club Open House Sidewalk Sale | February 12 | X | X | 16 |
| Fired Clay Arts Open House & Sidewalk Sale | February 12 | X | X | 16 |
| Blueberry Pancakes | February 12 | February 2 | \$7.00 | 16 |
| Concert Series: Project Presley | February 14 | February 14 | \$20.00 | 16 |
| Fired Clay Arts Studio Raffle | February 15 | February 14 | See Ad | 17 |
| Sewing Club Quilt Raffle | February 28 | February 28 | See Ad | 17 |
| Chicken Cordon Bleu | February 16 | February 9 | \$13.50 | 17 |
| Taco Salad | February 17 | Until Sold Out | \$9.00 | 17 |
| Hamburger BBQ, Ice Cream Sale & Book Sale | February 19 | Sold at Event | \$6.00+ | 20 |
| Hams at Heart "Those Were the Days" | February 19, 21 & 22 | See Ad | See Ad | 20 |
| Putting Tournament | February 19 | Pay at Event | \$1.00 | 21 |
| Music by the Pool & Root Beer Floats | February 20 | Pay at Event | \$2.50 | 21 |
| Pork Dinner | February 22 | February 16 | \$12.00 | 21 |
| Cooking With Chef Arthur: French Cooking | February 23 | Until Sold Out | \$35.00 | 21 |
| Street Dance with the Arron Nelson Project | February 23 | X | Free | 22 |
| Salmon Dinner | February 24 | February 16 | \$19.00 | 22 |
| Chicken Pot Pie | February 25 | February 16 | \$8.00 | 23 |
| Sewing Club Trio of Salads Luncheon & Raffle | February 28 | February 23 | \$12.00 | 23 |
| March | | | | |
| Flashback Fever Dance | March 1 | March 1 | \$10.00 | 23 |
| Poker Run | March 2 | Pay at Event | \$5 + \$2 | 23 |
| Fleas & Bees Sale | March 3 | X | \$8.00 | 24 |
| Chili Con Carne | March 3 | February 23 | \$6.00 | 24 |
| Brady Goss in Concert | March 7 | March 7 | \$11.00 | 24 |
| Glass Arts Raffle | March 5 | March 5 | See Ad | 21 |
| Woodshop Raffle | March 8 | March 8 | See Ad | 22 |
| Chicken Dinner | March 15 | March 9 | \$14.00 | 24 |

Administration

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

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
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Office Quiet Hours
3:30 - 4:30 pm
Monday - Friday
Closed Sat. & Sun.
For notary service call the
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480-832-0200 to make an
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Monday - Saturday

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' MEETING Thursday • February 3 • 9:00 am • Oasis AGENDA

Invocation:
President's Comments:
**General Manager's
Report:**

You may speak on only one
subject one time.

Adoption of Minutes:
Treasurer's Report:

Correspondence:
Social Board Report:
Reports:
Old Business:
New Business:
Lot Owner Comments
Recess
Work Session


SOCIAL BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING Tuesday • February 8 • 9:00 am • 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:
Club Liaison Reports:
**Condo Board Liaison
Report:**
Old Business:
New Business:
Adjournment:
Work Session to follow

CLUB BUDGETS DUE Monday • February 14






"Meet & Greet" the 2022 Social Board Candidates at a "Question & Answer Forum"

**Monday, February 21
following the
Grapevine in
the Baja Bistro**

**Approximately
10:00 am**





Ballot Assessments for the West Pool and 48-Inch Drain

Items will be explained and questions will be answered at these meetings:

The Last Meeting will be held on **January 31** at **9:00 am** at the **Oasis**. Coffee and donuts will be served.

There will also be presentations from the Town Hall Meeting on Channel 17 on the need to replace the West Pool and 48-inch drain. Presentations are also available on the website. Go to the Venture Out web page, click HOA Information and click videos.

Social Board Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee for the 2022-2023 Social Board is currently seeking qualified individuals to serve on your Social Board. There are three positions to fill this year; all are three-year terms.

Many of you have the talent and skills needed for this Board. If you have basic computer skills, are a team player, can organize, enjoy working with people and have no personal agenda, you would be an excellent candidate to serve your community you live in.

If you are interested or know someone who you feel would be a good candidate, please contact a member of the nominating committee.

Lorraine Hee 480 622-3980 or Ruth Baker 319 471-5405

Thank you for your consideration and we look forward to hearing from you.

Administration

OUT-LINES

SUBMISSION PROCEDURES

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

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

DUE DATE MONDAY

January 31
February 14
February 28
March 14

PUBLISH DATE FRIDAY

February 11
February 25
March 11
March 25

Hard copy submission forms available
in the Activity Office

STAR VOLUNTEER



Venture Out means a lot more than Adventure. There are Volunteer Opportunities galore. Venture Out is able to provide the entertainment, hobby clubs, and numerous activities because the residents volunteer to assist with the many tasks each of these entails. It's also a great way to use some of the many talents each of you has and to meet new friends. Some residents volunteer many hours and never get a pay raise other than your "thank you". If you know someone who is a super volunteer, nominate them for "Star" recognition. Submission forms are available in the Activity Center.

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 Mesa, Inc., 5001 East Main Street, Mesa, Arizona 85205 with the meeting declared officially open at 1:00 P.M. on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2022, for the following purposes:

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS: Election of four (4) Directors for the Condominium Board.

The three Directors receiving the largest number of votes will be serving three-year terms and the Director chosen with the fourth highest number of votes will serve the remainder of a one-year term (the remaining term of office that was vacated). The members leaving the Board are Byron Snowden, Greg Shelby and Kay Hanks.

There are three (3) propositions on the ballot for approval. 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 **return** 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 P.M. Arizona time the day prior to the Annual Meeting will not be counted. All voting will cease at 4:00 P.M. the day prior to the annual meeting. The service provider will deliver the electronically tabulated votes to the Venture Out Election Committee Chairman no later than 1:00 P.M. 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 P.M., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2022. **All voting will be by Absentee ballot, either electronic vote or written paper ballot mailed to you; there will be no 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 16, 2022. **The Board encourages all lot owners to vote and attend the Annual Meeting.**

January 6, 2022
Pam Byfield
Corporate Secretary
Venture Out at Mesa, Inc.

Social Board President's Comments

Jan 18, 2022

At our last Social Board meeting, a question arose regarding how the Social Club and the Activities Department are funded. I believe this is a fair question. It is important for all owners and renters to understand the correct answer and to dispel misinformation and rumors.

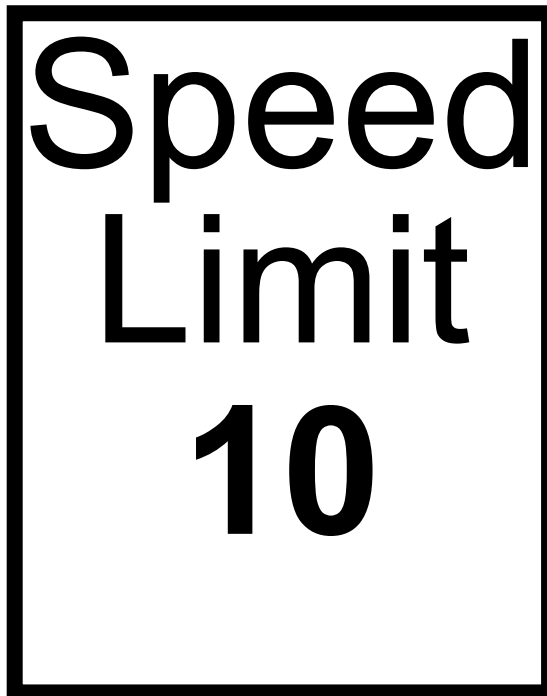
The Social Club is a non-profit corporation created in 1977 for the sole purpose of planning and providing all types of recreation for its members in conjunction and cooperation with the Recreation Director.

Who are the members of the Social Club? You are. Lot owners are active members with full voting privileges, whereas, renters and guests of owners occupying the owner's unit are considered associate members with no voting privileges.

The Social Board creates an Operating Budget each fiscal year, which includes the fiscal needs of all clubs and the recreation department. The Social Board also funds an FFE Reserve Fund for repair, replacement and maintenance of capital equipment owned by the clubs and the recreation department. The Social Club's operating budget and FFE Reserve Fund are separate from the Condo Association. Fiscally, the Condo Association is responsible only for the salaries and benefits of all recreation department staff. Otherwise, all monies raised through club fundraisers and recreation events must cover all expenses of clubs and the recreation department for daily operations and to fund the FFE Reserve Fund. The Social Board also tries to look forward by placing additional funds into accounts like the Hobby Center account, so that we will be able to furnish the new Hobby Center appropriately when it is built. Finally, at the end of the fiscal year, any unallocated monies go into the Recreational Activities Capital Fund, which is a source of funding for projects that meet specific criteria. For example, RAC funding has been used for installing 3 pickleball courts with lights and installing a new antenna for Ham Radio in the past couple of years.

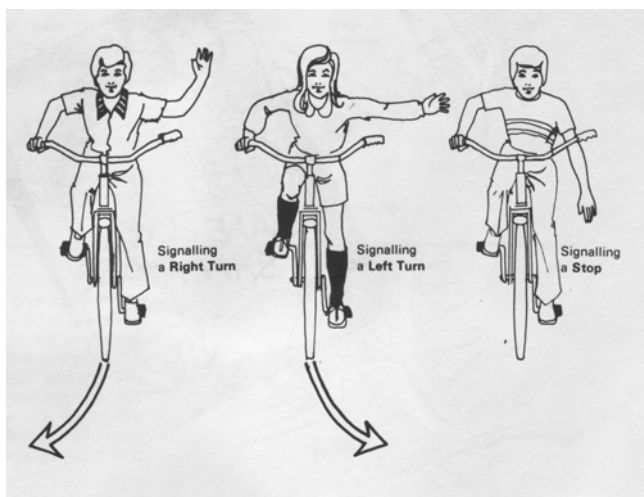
By supporting club fundraisers and recreation department events, you are supporting yourself and the club activities you love to be a part of. It is imperative that the Social Club and Recreation Department make a profit so that we can continue to fund clubs with necessary tools and equipment, have tables and chairs in the Baja Bistro, the Cabana or the pools, purchase refrigerators for the Oasis and the Cabana, just to name a few items we purchase. As you look around Venture Out, anything that is not brick and mortar has been purchased by the Social Club. We all are so appreciative of each other's support for club fundraisers and recreation department events. This is the only way we have the funding to make Venture Out what it is today and in the future.

Kay Biediger
Social Board President



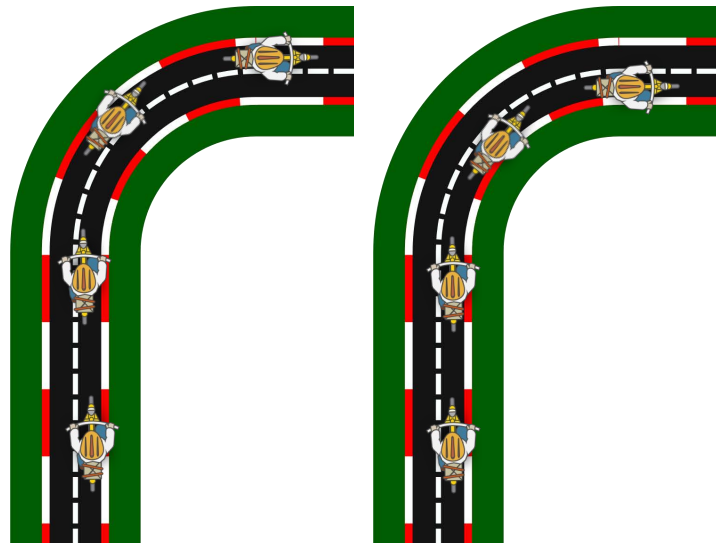
Observe Cars, Trucks, Golf Carts, Bicycles

Proper Hand Signals



Right Turn Left Turn Stop

Taking a Curve or Intersection



Not Correct
Don't Drift

Correct
Follow the Curve

Special Events

Immediate Notice from the Venture Out Condo Board 1.6.22

Due to an increase in the Omicron Covid infections in Arizona and the rapidly increasing reported infections here in Venture Out, the Condo Board today voted today to immediately require masks to be worn indoors, inside common areas, and that mandate will be reviewed at the 2/3/22 Condo Board meeting, if it will be extended. When eating or drinking, masks are not required, but must worn immediately after finishing.

Please help us all stay safe and healthy and wear a mask until we get through this latest surge and can return to normal.

Thank you for your co-operation.
Venture Out Condo Board of Directors.

TGIR - Thank God I'm Retired!

HAPPY HOUR

It's time for some good music, a few laughs and great company in the Baja Bistro for TGIR!

Music by
Chuck-e-Baby



BYOB, Snacks & Glass
Ice & Water Provided

FRIDAY • JANUARY 28
3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Friday Night Dance

January 28
Julie Lee Band
(Polka & Variety)

February 4
Midnight Confessions
(Oldies Rock)

February 11
Uncorked the Band
(Rock & Variety)

Tickets \$10.00

B.Y.O.B. & Glasses
Soda 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*



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

**HOBBY CENTER
OPEN HOUSE &
SIDEWALK SALE**
EVERYONE INVITED!

Masks
Required

Demonstrations

Sale of
Crafts

Refreshments

**HANDYMEN
ROCK AND GEM
SILVERSMITH
SUNSHINE CARVERS
WOODSHOP
PET ASSOCIATION
GREEN COMMITTEE**



RAFFLE
TICKET
SALES

SATURDAY • JANUARY 29
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
HOBBY CENTER

Special Events

Prime Rib Dinner

Tickets \$18.00
Available in the Activity
Past Deadline

Menu

Prime Rib
served with
a Baked
Potato &
Seasonal
Vegetables



Bring your own utensils.

Sponsored by the Recreation Department

SATURDAY • JANUARY 29
5:30 - 7:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

WORSHIP SERVICE

January 30 Speaker: Pastor Deborah Martinez. The Offering will go to PICK.
February 6 Speaker: Rev. Paul Harrington. The offering will go to Sunshine Acres.
Worship services will be broadcast on channel 17 **Monday and Tuesday at 9:00 am and 7:00 pm.**

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

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

Those who wish to BUY items... PDY Sale!

(Patio - Driveway & Yard Sale)

Shop authorized
vendors at their patio,
driveway or yard for
beautiful handmade
items or that special
flea market find.



Please only patronize
those whose addresses will be listed
on an insert in the
January 28 Out-Lines.

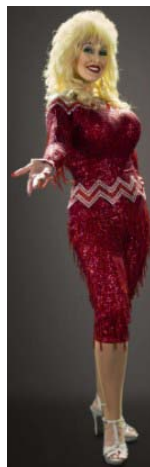
These people have paid for their
table and are supporting the Social
Club with their efforts.

You will not only have their address,
but each house will sport a special
helium balloon and signage which
indicates they are verified vendors!

MONDAY • JANUARY 31
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
MAP LISTED IN JANUARY 14 OUT-LINES

★ ★ ★ Concert Series ★ ★ ★

Dolly Parton



Karen Hester and her magnificent stage presence makes her one of the most sought-after Dolly Parton tribute artists in the world. Join this lively bundle of energy as she takes you down a musical path of Dolly Parton songs including favorites such as 9 to 5, Two Doors Down, A Coat of Many Colors and I will Always Love you. Karen has been the opening act for recording artists Trace Adkins and Ricky Van Shelton and is a member of the famous Tribute Troup. Her representation of one of the world's greatest female country singers will leave an impression on you for years to come.

3 Seats Left

Reserved seating: \$20.00
Available from the Activity Office until 10:00 am
the day of the performance.

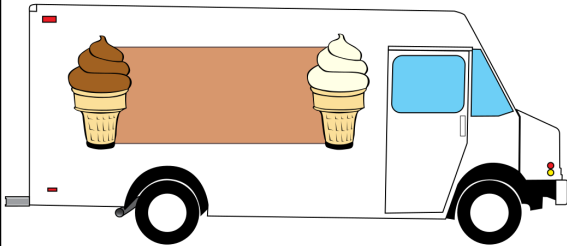
MONDAY • JANUARY 31
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

Special Events

WATCH FOR THE VO ICE CREAM TRUCKS

In your neighborhood. Klondike Bars, Fat Boy Ice Cream Sandwiches and Drumsticks only \$2.00.

Listen for the music!



Sponsored by the Shuffleboard Club

MONDAYS • 1:00 - 3:00 PM
YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD
NO ICE CREAM TRUCK JANUARY 10

21st All-City Pickleball Annual Tournament

TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 1
WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 2
THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 3



Join us for lunch at the Pickleball Courts 11:00 am-2:00 pm

Menu

Tuesday: Sirloin Burgers
Wednesday: Bratwurst/Sauerkraut
Thursday: Sirloin Burgers
All meals include chips and pop
\$8.00

All proceeds from event to benefit the Social Club.
Please come out & support your VO Pickleball teams

=USAPA SANCTIONED EVENT=
Open to All

Sponsored by the Pickleball Club

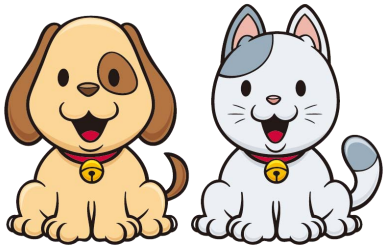
FEBRUARY 1-3
BEGINNING AT 7:30 AM
PICKLEBALL COURTS
LUNCH • 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM



<http://www.lukesurl.com/archives/comic/659-all-above-board>

Special Events

Artisan Showcase



Come Vote for your favorite!

All mediums of art displayed. This year, these original pieces will have a "Cat or Dog" incorporated somewhere in the artwork. Woodwork, glass art, oil and watercolor paintings, quilts, woodcarving and more. All created by Venture Out residents.

Vote! Vote! Vote

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 1
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
OUTSIDE THE BBQ AREA**

Fired Clay Arts Studio Class



Fired Clay Arts is offering a class on hand building a small trinket dish. The class consists of three sessions, day 1 is Jan 25th 9AM-noon, Jan 27th 10AM for an hour & Feb 1st 10AM for glazing. The cost is \$15 and includes materials. The class is limited to 6 individuals. Sign up at the Fired Clay Arts Studio. Check the studio window for classes being offered throughout the season.

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 1
FIRED CLAY ARTS STUDIO**

The VO Swing Band



Come experience the music of the VO Swing Band. This is a free event with open seating - Pass the Hat -

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 1
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**



\$1000.00 Progressive Last Game Blackout Special Games

Betty Boop • Double Action Odd & Even

\$110.00 Regular Game \$500.00 Money Ball

Masks are required to be worn indoors at all times.

Time to get paid!



Please bring your own coffee mug!
Concession Stand Available

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

Special Events

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

VO KARAOKE WITH RONNIE-O AND HOWIE



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

TGIR - Thank God I'm Retired!

**FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 4
3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

JUMBO HOT DOGS

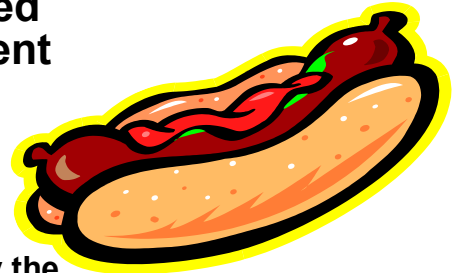
**1/4 lb Grilled Hot Dog, Sauer-
kraut, Chips & Beverage
\$5.00**

Sponsored by the
Poolroom Association

**Tickets
purchased
at the event**

**Cake Sale
\$2.00**

Sponsored by the
Croquet Club



*BRING YOUR OWN
UTENSILS.*

**SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 5
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

Scavenger Hunt



Come join in the fun!!! Receive 8
clues for locations in the park
where you will have one hour to
collect hidden items and turn them
in at the table in the BBQ area.

Those returning with all the items within the
time limit will receive a raffle ticket for a chance
to win one of three prizes. You may hunt
individually OR with a partner (each participant
will need to purchase a ticket).

Tickets are \$5 per person. Available in the
Activity Office beginning January 3.

For questions, text or call
Ruth Baker at 319-471-5405

SPONSORED BY THE PET ASSOCIATION

**SUNDAY • FEBRUARY 6
CHECK IN AT 1:30 PM
AT BBQ AREA**

IT'S THE VO "GRAPEVINE"



Free Coffee & Donuts!

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

**MONDAY • FEBRUARY 7 & 21
9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO**

Special Events

SILVERSMITH VALENTINE'S JEWELRY SALE



If you missed the Holiday Jewelry sale, you are in luck!

The next sale will be

February 7-8 from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm at the Activity Center.

It's a perfect time to get your sweetheart a surprise Valentine's Day gift!

SPONSORED BY THE SILVERSMITH CLUB

**FEBRUARY 7 & 8
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

NEW IMAGE FASHIONS BY DON SCOTT

- Major brand fashions at 25%-75% off retail prices!
- Over 9,000 new resort-oriented fashions and swim suits by Ruby Road, Maxine Swimwear, Lulu B, Links, So. Lady, Creation, All Hours, & others
- Sizes to fit 4 petite - 3X Women's
- Watch Batteries replaced for \$3.50



Bringing the store to you!

**MONDAY • FEBRUARY 7
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO**

★ ★ ★ Concert Series ★ ★ ★ **Miller, Miller, Martin & Ki**



Replacement Show for the Merlin's

Music Hits From The 50's, 60's & 70's

Groovy, Baby!!! Be prepared for some major musical frolic as you ride the baby boomer music train complete with scenery (costumes), tour

guides (the band, with comic repartee & fun historical facts) and unique, high-energy music (50's, 60's & 70's hits) to rock the caboose!

So, if you feel like you "Can't Get No Satisfaction", or that life is a "Sleep Walk" full of "California Dreamin'", then claim your "Ticket To Ride" our "Stairway To Heaven". Fill your "Heart Of Gold" as you "Listen To The Music" and you'll feel like a "Superstar" as you ride the "Boomerama Blast" to the groovy past!

Reserved seating: \$25.00

Tickets are only available for this show to those who purchased the concert series but not the Special Show.

**MONDAY • FEBRUARY 7
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**

MYSTERY TOUR

Tickets: \$125 per person.
All inclusive with lunch

**TICKETS AVAILABLE JANUARY 4
IN THE BAJA BISTRO
FROM 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
QUESTIONS? CALL DORIS AT
480-654-1858 OR
JOANNE AT 805-807-2994**



Bring comfortable shoes, incidentals, and an inquisitive mind

Open to All!

SPONSORED BY THE BOCCE BALL CLUB

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 8
BUS LOADS 7:30 AM
RETURN AROUND 6:00 PM
BUS LOADING ZONE**

Special Events

KARAOKE KORNER



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

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

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 8
6:30 - 9:00 PM • OASIS**

FRENCH DIP SANDWICHES

Tickets \$11.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, February 2

MENU

French Dip Sandwich
Sliced
Roast Beef with
Provolone on a
French Roll with a side
of Au Jus
Served with
French Fries &
Beverage



*BRING YOUR OWN
UTENSILS.*

SPONSORED BY THE BOCCE BALL CLUB

**WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 9
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO**

Ingrid Hagelberg presents... ♪ ♪ A Cabaret Concert

Ingrid Hagelberg & Jazz Band Pamela Morita - Piano John Donnelly - Bass Glenn Davis - Drums Andy Gross - Saxophone This evening of international jazz will feature swing, blues and latin, with a touch of Europe, including many original songs from her latest album "Love has no rules."



Reserved Seating Tickets \$12.00

Available from Activity Office
& if still available \$13.00
at the door

Cabaret table seating - Limited to 250 seats
BYOB, Snacks & Beverage Glass. Ice Provided
Sponsored by the Solos Club

**WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 9
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM
TICKETS NOW ON SALE IN THE ACTIVITY OFFICE**

MarketPlace



It's a smorgasbord of jewelry, cosmetics, tools and other must-haves that you can't do without and just-gotta-have "thingamajiggies." Don't miss your chance to find that special unique item.

All licensed vendors!

Enjoy lunch in the Bistro!

**THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 10
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO
11:00 AM - 12:45 PM • MARKETPLACE LUNCH**

Special Events

MARKETPLACE LUNCH

Tickets \$9.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, February 2



MENU

Hot Turkey Open
Faced Sandwich ,
Mashed Potatoes
& Gravy, Green
Beans and a
Soda

BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS.

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 10
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

Trivia Party

Regular Trivia (variety of topics)

Presented by

Linda & Laz Tollas

Join us for group trivia!
Bring your own bottle,
glass, and thinking cap!

**BYOB, Snacks
& Glass
Ice & Water
Provided**



50/50 Raffle

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 11
3:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

ANNUAL TENNIS RUMMAGE SALE!



Come to the sale of the year! Friday,
February 11
8:00 am- 12:00 pm
Tennis Courts 7 & 8

Masks & Social Distancing Enforced

***Donations may be dropped off to
The Patio Thursday, February 10
Before 11:00 am**

Sponsored by the Tennis Club

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 11
8:00 AM - 12:00 PM • COURTS 7 & 8
BEHIND LAUNDRY FACILITY

Monthly Volunteer Meeting



VOLUNTEER

Join Activity
Director Carrie
Zinman at this
monthly Volunteer
meeting to learn
about

volunteerism, areas of need and
more. Volunteers make Venture
Out the juggernaut of fun that it is!

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 11
1:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

Blueberry Pancakes

Tickets \$7.00

Available in the Activity Office.
Deadline: 3:00 pm Wednesday, February 2



Menu
Blueberry Pancakes,
Seasonal Fruit, Coffee,
Tea & Orange Juice

Bring your own utensils.
Sponsored by the Recreation Department

SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 12
8:00 - 10:00 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.



Raffle Quilt on Display - Tickets Available

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

FIRED CLAY ARTS CLUB'S OPEN HOUSE AND SIDEWALK SALE



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

Come join us for refreshments

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

☆☆☆ Concert Series ☆☆☆ Project Presley



This multi-award-winning Elvis Presley Tribute Artist was discovered in Southern California more than 25 years ago by none other than Bill Medley of the musical super duo, "The Righteous Brothers". Since that time Chance Tinder has traveled the world not only as a great musical impressionist but one who offers a phenomenal celebration of the music and legacy of Elvis Presley. Bar none, Chance Tinder is the very best Elvis impersonator you will ever witness!

3 Seats Left

Reserved seating: \$20.00
Available from the Activity Office until 10:00 am the day of the performance.

MONDAY • FEBRUARY 14
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

Special Events

Fired Clay Arts Studio Raffle

Tickets
\$1.00 each
6 for \$5.00

Available at The
 Fired Clay Art
 Studio



Sponsored by the Fired Clay Arts Studio

**TICKET SALES THROUGH
 FEBRUARY 14
 DRAWING FEBRUARY 15**

Sewing Club Quilt Raffle

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

Available at
 various
 VO events

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



Enter for a chance
 on numerous
 prizes
 donated by
 Sewing Club
 members
 as well as
 the Grand
 Prize
 quilt

Drawing at the Fashion Show, Monday, February 28
 Proceeds go to Social Club!

**TICKET SALES FEBRUARY 15 - 28
 DRAWING FEBRUARY 28 AT
 THE TRIO OF SALADS LUNCH**

Chicken Cordon Bleu

Menu

House Salad,
 Chicken Cordon
 Bleu,
 Hollandaise,
 Roasted New
 Potatoes, Garlic
 Cannellini
 Beans & Key
 Lime Pie

Tickets \$13.50
 Tickets Available in the
 Activity Office. Deadline
 3:00 pm Wednesday,
 February 9



Bring your own utensils.

Sponsored by the Rock & Gem Club

**WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 16
 5:00- 6:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

TACO SALAD

— MENU —
*Jumbo flour tortilla
 shell with your
 choice of seasoned
 ground beef,
 black beans, salsa,
 lettuce, tomatoes,
 onions, jalapenos,
 shredded cheese,
 sour cream, black
 olives and ranch
 dressing!*

Tickets \$9.00
 Available from the
 Activity Office. Deadline
 3:00 pm Wednesday,
 February 9.

*BRING YOUR OWN
 UTENSILS.*



Limited
 Number of
 Tickets
 Available.

SPONSORED BY THE TENNIS CLUB

**THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 17
 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

2022 Condo Board



Jeri Robbins, 217 Debonair, I have been in Venture Out for 25+ years and a lot owner all but 3 of those years. We are in the park October through May.

Gary and I started while in college (BA in Psychology), buying and renovating property to rent. I designed the remodels and we did most of the work ourselves. I then managed the rentals. We have moved over forty times. In between moves and managing rentals, I have taught school (grades 6-12), been Activity Director and then Manager for a summer camp, tested milk for dairies, and managed eight political campaigns (6 wins, 2 losses), written a column for the country newspaper, and worked in reservations for an airline.

Most of my community service has been through my church. I served on the vestry (church governing board), Diocesan Long Range Planning Committee, Chair of Artisan Holiday Show and Women's Camp Director.

I could be considered a Jack of all Trades which gives me a wide perspective on things. I have learned that there is always a solution to a problem. I am good at communicating. In a committee setting, I am the person with lots of ideas.

Over the years I have worked off and on in the Activity Office, been a member of Electronics, Wood Shop and Sewing. I did proof reading for Jon and wrote VO Voices. I was a Director on the Social Board for 3 ½ years (the half was to fill in). I am currently a member of Electronics as a Member-at-Large of the Board. I served as Treasurer, Education Director, and acting President all in one year. I have been active as Co-chair to Creative Writing. I served on Long Range Planning and was Chair of the Solar Committee.



Lorraine Hee, 140 Navajo, I have lived in the park since 2013. Like many of you, I came down for a month and within the month I purchased a home. I am considered a year rounder.

I grew up in Honolulu, Hawaii; however, prior to my life here at VO, I spent my career in Washington State as an educator and retired as an educational administrator. When I first got here to VO, I had joined the Lapidary and then the Glass Arts in the following year. I also spent many years helping in the kitchen and volunteering in the Activity Office. I then ran for the Social Board; and ended up serving a two-year term (a total of six years) on the Social Board. While serving on the Social Board, my volunteer time was serving VO Residents through the Social Board.

Although my years as an administrator assisted me; I was further able to use my leadership skills while serving on the Social Board. I believe that my experiences on the Social Board and working with the Condo Board during my time on the Social Board helps me to better understand what the Condo Board does.

As I stated earlier, I spent the last 6 years on the Social Board of which my last 3 years were spent as the President of the Social Board. While the President of the Social Board, I also served as the liaison of the Social Board to the Condo Board. Therefore, I basically served the past three years as an active participant on the Condo Board discussing various issues. In my first year as the President of the Social Board, I met with the then President of the Condo Board, Alice Anderson, weekly to repair the damage that was done in 2017. This communication began the cooperative communication between the two Boards. To this date, the two Boards continue to have their meetings of the Presidents and Vice Presidents as well as the 4x4 or meetings of the executive boards and the 9x9 or meetings of both boards. I believe that this form of communication has assisted greatly in keeping the two boards working together for the betterment of Venture Out. I was able to provide some valuable information that assisted in their decisions. In addition, I continue to follow both the Social Board and Condo Board meetings so that I can continue to stay abreast of the current issues each Board faces.

When elected and on the Condo Board, I will continue to work for and with the residents in continuing to focus on what's best for Venture Out. I appreciate your support in this endeavor.

Board Nominees



Byron Snowden, I live at 125 Merlin. I am in VO for 7 months per year.

I was a Product Line Manager for ExxonMobil covering the Western Hemisphere. I have been retired from XOM since 2004. I then tutored Math and Science in a Middle School for 12 years.

I have been on the Condo Board for 3 years, serving as President this last year. Before that, I was on the Facilities Planning Committee for 8 years, two as Chair, the Governing Documents Committee for 3 years, and the Communications Committee for 1 year.

I participate in Pickleball, Bocce, & Lapidary. My goals for the Condo Board are to continue to serve the residents of VO as safely and equitably as possible given the times we are in. Specific objectives are:

Finish the West Pool Replacement Project and the 48-inch drain lining project. Both projects have been studied and vetted by outside consultants and by VO's Infrastructure Committee and deemed in need of replacement (pool) and repair (drainpipe) as quickly as possible.

Develop a funding mechanism that puts VO's Reserve Fund on a solid path towards achieving our funding level goals while protecting, replacing, and improving park infrastructure and future capital improvement needs.

Complete VO's Long-Range Plan that outlines our next 10 years goals and needs in our quest to keep VO the premier park it is.

Update and modernize VO's Governing Documents to better reflect the current needs and operations of the park.



Gary Pfab, 501 Douglas, my wife, Roxanne, and I have been married for 14 years. I have a daughter and one granddaughter. We have been residents of Venture Out for the last five seasons.

For my occupation I have been an Auto Mechanic, and John Deere Experimental for 2 years, and then a Used Car dealer for 35 years at my own dealership in the same location. I am a member of the Nativity Parish.

The skills, experience, and knowledge that I come with are mechanical and construction experience. I have done several commercial redo's. I was my own General Contractor on a 13,800 square foot building involving six hundred yards of concrete. In the park, I remodeled an older unit, made a raised Arizona room unit compliant by cutting off back corner, tore down and built a new unit with help from my friends and more real estate transactions.

The clubs and activities I have participated in are the Splashers, Bocce, and helped with 50/50 tickets, co-chair one dance a month with my wife Roxanne and food handlers.

I have been involved in zoning and variance issues and in construction activities. I have successfully dealt with the public in my own business for 36 years in the same location.

Special Events



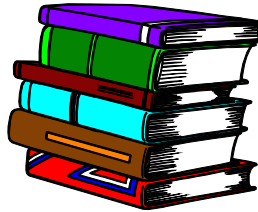
NEWCOMERS' ORIENTATION

Should you be new to our beautiful community as a homeowner or a renter, please plan to attend a Newcomers' Orientation in the **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 18
9:30 AM • MOJAVE ROOM**

VO LIBRARY Used Book Sale

The Library thanks everyone for donations!



Main Lobby
**BEFORE AND DURING
THE HAMBURGER BBQ &
DESSERT SALE**

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

**SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 19
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
COMMUNITY CENTER LOBBY**

HAMBURGER BBQ & ICE CREAM

Menu

Grilled 1/3 lb Hamburger or Cheeseburger
Grilled Onions • Lettuce • Tomato
Baked Beans • Chips
Beverage
\$6.00

Tickets Purchased at the event

Sponsored by the Soffball Association

Ice Cream \$2.00
Sponsored by the Horseshoes Club



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

Hams at Heart Presents... "Those Were the Days"

Matinee Tickets (\$10.00) as well as any Remaining Reserved Seating (\$15.00)

Are Available in the Activity Office



Step back in time and join the class of 1959 as they celebrate their 50th class reunion: "Those Were the Days." Enjoy some great 50's music, dancing and memories.

Masks Required

Sponsored by the Hams at Heart

**MATINEE FEBRUARY 19 • 2:00 PM
MONDAY • FEBRUARY 21 • 7:00 PM RESERVED
TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 22 • 7:00 PM RESERVED
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**

Special Events

**PUTTING
TOURNAMENT**
MEN'S & WOMEN'S VO OPEN
\$1.00 p.p. (Pay at Event)

**Low
Score &
Flight
Winners**

**No sign-up
required**

Bring putter & ball
(provided if needed)



SATURDAY • FEBRUARY 19
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM • PUTTING GREEN

**MUSIC
BY THE POOL**
WITH
ROOT BEER FLOATS

ROOT BEER FLOATS \$2.50
Sponsored by the Pet Association

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

Music by
**Oly
Mann**



SUNDAY • FEBRUARY 20
2:00 - 4:00 PM • EAST POOL

Glass-Arts Club RAFFLE

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

Get your tickets
during various events
in the Baja Bistro and
March 5 prior to the draw



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

TICKETS AVAILABLE FEBRUARY 20 TO MARCH 5
RAFFLE DRAW MARCH 5 • 2:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO

PORK DINNER

\$12.00 Tickets available at the Activity Office
Deadline: 3:00 pm Wednesday, February 16

TWO SEATINGS:

5:00 pm
&
6:30 pm

MENU:

10 oz Grilled Pork Blade
Steak with Applesauce
on the side
Roasted Potatoes
Julienned Carrots and
Sugar Snap Peas
Brownie a la Mode
Lemonade & Coffee



BYOB

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Sponsored by the Shuffleboard Club

TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 22
5:00 PM & 6:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

WOODSHOP RAFFLE

Get your tickets February 22 through
March 8 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
Thursday • March 8 • 1:00 pm
Buena Vista Ballroom

Watch for our display in the Baja Bistro

TICKET SALES STARTING FEBRUARY 28
DRAWING 1:00 PM • MARCH 8
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

Let's Get Cooking with Chef Arthur: French Cooking



Get the
master's tips
on Fine French
Cooking with
Chef Arthur.
Tickets are
available from
the Activity
Office for \$35,
which includes
all materials

needed for the class. This Class is
Limited to 10 participants.

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 23
2:00 PM
COMMUNITY CENTER KITCHEN

STREET DANCE

Save the Date!
With music by the
Arron Nelson
Project

Everyone
Invited!



Sponsored by the Recreation Department

WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 23
6:30 - 8:30 PM • THE PATIO

Salmon Dinner

Tickets \$19.00

150 Tickets Available in the Activity Office.
Deadline 3:00 pm Wednesday, February 16

Menu:

House Salad - Iceberg w/
Salad Mix, Tomato &
Cucumbers, Ranch & Italian
Dressing

8 oz Pan Seared Salmon w/ a
Cream Dill Sauce

Lemon Wedges for those who
do not want sauce

Rice Pilaf

Broccoli



Bring Your Own Utensils
Sponsored by the Fired Clay Art Club

THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 24
4:30 HAPPY HOUR
5:00 PM DINNER • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

CHICKEN POT PIE LUNCH

Tickets \$8.00

Available in the Activity Office.
Deadline: 3:00 pm Wednesday, February 16



Menu
Homemade
chicken pot
pie, Cookie,
and
Beverage

Bring Your Own Utensils. Sponsored
by the Recreation Department

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 25
12:00 NOON • BAJA BISTRO

Trio of Salads Luncheon and Quilt Raffle

Tickets \$12.00

Available in the Activity Office.
Deadline: 3:00 pm Wednesday, February 23



Menu
Chicken Salad,
Tuna Salad, Pasta
Salad, a Petite
Croissant, Mini
Éclair & a
Strawberry
Cream Puff

**Bring Your
Own Utensils**

Sponsored by the Sewing Club

MONDAY • FEBRUARY 28
LUNCH SERVED AT 11:30 -12:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

FLASH BACK FEVER DANCE

\$10.00 Tickets

Available from the Activity Office & at the Door
Take a trip down Memory Lane with Arizona's
most energetic rock & roll band. 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 1
DOOR OPENS 6:30 PM • 7:00 - 10:00 PM
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

POKER RUN

What a fun way to play poker!

\$5.00 pp

2 Extra cards
available for \$2.00
each

**Sign up &
pay at the
Baja Bistro at
1:30 -2:00 pm**

R U L E S

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

Return to your table in the Baja
Bistro with your poker hand in
sealed envelopes before 3:30 pm.

The best hand per table wins
\$25.00 and moves on to win the
Jackpot.

Walk, jog or run to Card Dealers!

Driving your golf cart is fine too!



WEDNESDAY • MARCH 2
1:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

Fleas & Bees

SALE

It's a "craft mart" and "yard sale" rolled into one!

If you have items you'd like to sell, drop by the Activity Office and purchase a participant table for only \$8.00



THURSDAY • MARCH 3
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO

CHILI CON CARNE

\$6.00

Available in the Activity Office
 Deadline: Wednesday February 23, 3:00 pm



Menu

Chili con carne with beans. Served with cheese, sour cream & onions and lemonade

BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS

Ice Cream Bars
\$2.00

Sponsored by the Croquet Club

THURSDAY • MARCH 3
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BBQ AREA

Brady Goss in Concert

Tickets \$11.00 available from Activity Office & at the door



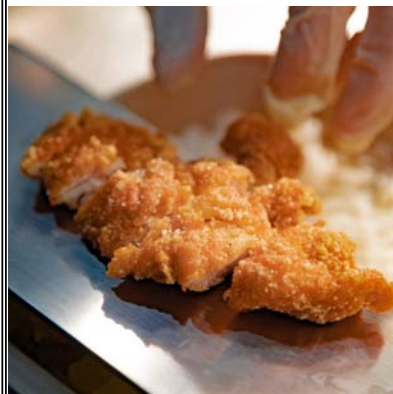
Memphis Recording Artist Brady Goss (piano & vocals) was described from an early age as a piano phenom. Today he is recognized as an electrifying entertainer! Those

who have witnessed his live shows are awed by his formidable keyboard speed and soulful vocals loaded with passion that keeps fans of all ages wanting more. A show not to miss.

Sponsored by the Woodshop

MONDAY • MARCH 7
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

CHICKEN DINNER



MENU

Parmesan chicken, Italian salad, roasted potatoes, lemon pepper carrots, & Spumoni Ice Cream

BYOB

BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS

Tickets \$14.00
 Available in the Activity Office

Deadline: Wednesday March 9, 3:00 pm

Sponsored by the Glass Art Club

TUESDAY • MARCH 15
4:30 & 6:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

Electronics Club Services

Bill Lawrence will solve problems with your Apple devices every Tuesday from 9:00 to 11:00 am in the Media Room of the E Club in January, February, and March. From 10:00 to noon Bill will teach you how to scan your slides, photos, and documents.

Mark Chapman can help E Club members with problems related to Windows. He is available January through March every Wednesday from 2:00 to 3:00 pm in the E Club's Conference Room. Bring your device.

Bernie Hoggarth (218-791-6764) is available on-call to help you in the Media Room of the E Club with problems with your PC, Chromebook, and Apple products. For members and non-members alike.

The Audio Visual Services Club is seeking your help.

The Audio Visual Services Club is seeking your help. We need volunteers to join our club to help us to continue to facilitate audio and visual needs for our community such as weekly activities, performances, church services, seminars, and other special club events as approved by the Activity Director. Prior AV experience is desired but not necessary, volunteers will be willingly trained. Interesting learning opportunities abound! Please contact Matt Haapala, at 480-981-0466 for more information and to join us. Thank you

BOCCE BALL SHOE COLLECTION



Get more miles out of your used shoes. When you donate your shoes, you are also helping the planet!

Refurbish slightly used tennis shoes, sandals, high heels, boots, etc. We are seeking to collect 2,500 pairs of footwear by February 2022. Ask friends and family to donate. These shoes will be sent to third world countries.

To drop off shoes or if you have questions, please contact Jean Kotila, 514 Douglas – 651-485-7212 or Sharon Dooley, 202 Douglas – 952-567-0236. You may also drop shoes in the designated container located at the Bocce clubhouse.



Sponsored by the Bocce Ball Club

FIRED CLAY ART SALE



Shoppers... Come in and shop the display case of specialty pottery created by our members.

Clubs and Organizations

ALBERTA PARTY

Sue Lavoie
250-784-7959

Save the date of **March 6**. Anyone interested in helping to organize or attend the party, please call/text Sue at above number. Tickets will be on sale **February 14**.

AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

After a brief hiatus, the VO Amateur Radio Club resumed its meetings at the Oasis building on January 8 at 10 a.m. The meeting was conducted by Gavin Griswold, the new VOARC president. Just before the general club meeting, the DX University met at 8:30 a.m. to introduce participants to the program. For those who want to become licensed ham radio operators, classes started on January 11 and meet every Tuesday and Thursday at 12 p.m. in the Ham Shack conference room. The club also had an information table at the recent VO Open House on January 10. Watch for "Hidden Transmitter Hunts" on a Saturday morning in VO. Finally, check out this article I found on Google News:

greatlakesprepping.com/prepping-gear/get-your-ham-radio-license/ •

ATTENTION CRIBBAGE PLAYERS

Tom Gorham
763-245-6058

After breaking our 34-year run, it is time to start anew with the Annual U.S.A. vs. Canada Cribbage Tournament! It will be played on **Sunday, February 13, 20 and 27 at 1:00 pm** in the **Sonoran**. Partners will play together the entire tournament, so grab a partner or show up and we will find a partner for you.

BIKING GROUP

Mike Gould
308-532-5608

We meet **Thursdays at 9:00 am** in front of the **Activity Office** on the SW side of the Community Center. We will leisurely cruise bike trails, canal paths and residential streets averaging 10 mph, more or less. Gravel may be encountered occasionally. We sometimes visit a coffee house so bring a few bucks for our jaunts. Usually travel 10-20 total miles and return to VO by noonish. Carry water and a snack. Dress for the weather. Helmets encouraged. No fees. Informal. Upcoming rides include Falcon Field, Old Town Gilbert, Spring Baseball Training Sites and Agritopia. Let's Roll!

BOCCE BALL CLUB

Sandra Sheph
563-583-8883

First and foremost welcome to Steve Doody, our new Vice President. If you would like to learn more and/or improve your game, lessons are available on **Wednesdays 9:00 am**, Beginner leagues start **Wednesday 10:00 am**. The **February 8** Mystery Trip tickets are on sale **Tuesdays 9:00 - 11:00 am** in the **Bistro**. Purchase your French Dip tickets and join us in the **Bistro February 9**. Congratulations to December Doubles Tournament winners Russ & Charlene Morfeld and the Singles Tournament winner Dave Hanson. The next Singles Tournament will be **February 5** and the Doubles Tournament will be **February 19**. The regular meeting will be **Wednesday February 2 at 9:00 am** in the **Oasis**.

CREATIVE WRITING

Linda Wallace
208-596-2748

linda@lindarwallace.com
Suzanne Schultz
313-205-9275
schultz@bignet.net

Put your interest in writing to good use. Whether you have been published or just

have a yen to try communicating your thoughts and imaginings in narrative or poetic form, all are welcome. Group participants 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 **Tuesday at 1:00 pm** in the **Sonoran** in the Community Center. Masks must be worn and social distancing observed. Call or email Linda or Suzanne if you have questions. •

CROQUET

Mary Waitrovich

We have lots of new croquet players this year and are starting a **Friday 2:00 pm** play time for members or newbies to come and play with each other. Lesson times are also perfect to come and find others eager to play. Singles lessons/play on **Wednesdays: 10:00 am - Noon**; Doubles lessons/play: **1:00 to 2:30 pm** on **Wednesdays**. Happy Hour Croquet on **Sundays at 3:30 pm**. Please join the club: only \$5. The croquet court and the equipment are available every day for open play for everyone whether you are a member or not. •

ELECTRONICS CLUB

Ted Clark
406-656-1777

The world of electronics is changing and we need to identify where Electronics needs to go from here. Gaming, virtual reality, online banking. All ideas are welcome. A list of services and cost for members and non-members is posted outside the building. If you are not a member and need something, call and see if

someone is available to help you. Phone number for electronics is inside the cover of your VO directory. Memberships available **Monday - Friday from 9:00 to 10:00 am**. Sign-up sheets for classes are inside on the bulletin board. (Power Point, Excel and Publisher) Class size is limited. Need a Blue-Ray to play something? We now have one.

FIRED CLAY ARTS

Debbie Petersen
605-376-7944

Come and play in the clay. Let us show you how to hand build many items, learn painting and glazing and making sculptures. Our club is constantly teaching each other new things and we want to share that with you! Stop by to see what classes we are having. Classes are limited to 6 and available to members and non-members. For shoppers, we have a showcase featuring a variety of our members' pottery pieces for sale! This is located in our studio. We are open every day and some evenings. Memberships are \$30. Hope to see you soon! •

GENEALOGY INTEREST GROUP

Barbara Henderson
208-604-6084

The first meeting of February will be held on **February 2** at the **Cabana** at **7:00 pm**. The meeting will be also be available on ZOOM. Candy Rose will be the presenter at that meeting. Everyone is welcome to share ideas and pass on resources for use in seeking more information that widens knowledge for our genealogy research. Contact David Antonson @david antonson@comcast.net for ZOOM meeting ID and Passwords.

Clubs and Organizations

GLASS ARTS STUDIO

Joan Solberg
480-703-5953

Studio is open **Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm**, drop by to see our artists creating amazing pieces. Fuse and foil classes are underway. Reminder: members please contribute items for upcoming raffle and volunteer for Gabfest.

GLEE GROUP JODI FAITH 639-339-1333

Come sing with us!!! EXPRESS YOURSELF thru the creative arts as part of the GLEE GROUP!! Music; Poetry; Interpretive Dance... while learning how to share our voice better, these intimate gatherings will be good for your soul... Occasionally we'll be presenting our line-up in front of an audience too:) Call Jodi for more info!

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 and tournament play. Sign-ups are **Tuesday** mornings at **7:45 am** in the **Sonoran**. There are coordinators for two different courses; Linda & Laz Tollas, 480-807-7875 for Sunland Village GC on **Saturdays** with an **11:00 am** shotgun start; Judy & Rob Sell, 503-407-0182, for Sunland Village East GC on **Thursdays** starting at **11:30 am**.

GREEN LIVING ALERT

Mary Brannin
406-239-6829

Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) has declared a goal of sustainable water supplies by 2030 which means major

water reductions for HOAs in the coming years throughout Arizona. We at Venture Out need to be aware of these water plans and the negotiations that are on-going with the Arizona State Legislature right now. What can our HOA do right now: 1) Reduce overall water consumption. 2) Plan responses to scheduled water reductions and restrictions 3) Plan ways to transition to desert or desert-adapted plants, etc. 4) Utilize Mesa programs/grants available to fund these projects.

HAMS AT HEART

Karen Stratton
208-866-5248

Hams at Heart, VO's musical theatre club, will hold our annual general meeting on **Monday, February 28 at 4:00 pm** in the EPC **Cabana**. We will elect a new Board of Directors and discuss next season's production. The club will be taking nominations for all four executive board positions prior to this meeting. Past Hams members and prospective new members are welcome to participate in the nomination process and attend the meeting. Please contact Karen Stratton to submit nominations. Tickets to our 2022 production will be available in the activity office until sold out. Stay tuned for audition dates for our 2023 production in the February Out-Lines.

HIKING GROUP

Jim Cox
515-999-9554

We offer three fun hikes of varying distances, elevation gain and difficulty on Mondays plus a Wednesday bonus hike. The Venturing Soles typically go longer distances with more elevation. Happy Hikers go

middle distances and the Tortoise Trekkers go shorter distances. Everyone is welcome, but contact Bob Schneider at 715-588-3034 for a capability check if you haven't been on one of our hikes before. Arrive outside the **Post Office** no later than **7:45 am** to arrange carpooling. See the weekly hike details posted at the Sign-up wall in the Post Office. Sign up for Tortoise Trekkers or Happy Hiker events required!

IOWA PARTY

Joyce Gardener
515-229-7117

Iowa State Party Saturday, February 5. Tickets can still be purchased by calling Joyce Gardner. Tickets are \$15.00 per couple. Join the fun, food friendship and prizes.

INFRASTRUCTURE COMMITTEE

Mike Frick
604-513-1289

Wanted - your infrastructure committee is looking for homeowners interested in the future development and upgrading of VO's aging infrastructure. A background in construction, electrical, plumbing, water and sewer drainage, architecture, road building or just a keen interest in improving VO's infrastructure would be welcomed. To apply please contact Ray Danner 503-307-6098 or Will Champagne 508-735-2587 or any committee member. •

KITCHEN BAND

Maggie Kleisath
608-732-6686

Kitchen Band is alive and well and we plan to rehearse in the **Oasis** every **Monday at 2:00 pm**. All are welcome to join us. No previous experience is needed. We will be using kazoo's and teapots. If you have them, bring them along. If not, we have extras. •

LAWN BOWLING

Mardal Flynn
431-336-1172

We were so pleased with all those who stopped by to try lawn bowls last Thursday. You may be missing out, so come by the greens any **Thursday at 10:45 am** and try our sport. It is not as easy as it looks. Curlers have the advantage as it has some similarities. No leagues to sign up for, just come when you wish and teams are made up at each draw. We bowl **8:45 am** and **12:45 pm** each day. Come a bit earlier to make sure we know you wish to bowl. Great exercise and lovely fresh air and sunshine. See you on the green.

MINNESOTA PARTY UPDATE

Linda Johnson
612-423-4829

Reminder! MN Party is **February 12** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom**. Tickets \$17.00. Menu is Beef Pot Roast, Garlic Mashed Potatoes, Green Bean Almandine, Salad, Roll and Cupcake. Gluten Free Available. Tickets to be sold from Linda Johnson, 809 Douglas, 612-423-4829, Pam Larson, 810 Aztec, 651-271-6537 or Claire McAgdon, 234 Navajo, 952-250-3920. Please call first. Contact Linda Johnson if you would like to help with the party. Gift wrapped door prizes are appreciated and can be dropped off at Claire's.

MOBILE NOBLES SHRINERS

Larry Bain
406-871-3530

Members thank the residents and employees for recycling the aluminum cans. The money collected goes to the Shriners Children's Hospital. Collection sites are at both pools, the laundry, bath

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house #1, back of the Administration Bldg and at both dumpsters. Construction aluminum is also recycled. All Shriners and Masons are invited to the monthly meetings the **third Thursday at the Oasis 7:00 pm November - March**. Volunteers are appreciated to collect cans and construction aluminum. •

MONTANA PARTY **Janet McCabe** **406-789-7471**

The Montana Party is Sunday, **January 30** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom** with a catered dinner and dance with doors opening at **5:00 pm**. Tickets are \$22 apiece and available from Betsy Klofstad 480-440-9811, Connie Meyer 406-480-9100, Jo Jurica 406-853-9961, Dawn McAllister 406-450-2179 and Adele Michels 406-765-7173 with the deadline for purchase January 20. There will be a short meeting **Tuesday, January 18 at 9:30 am** in the **Activity Office Conference Room** to finalize loose ends for the party. •

NORTH DAKOTA PARTY

Mary Maus
701-260-6139

The North Dakota party is scheduled for **February 28** from **4:30 until 8:00 pm** with meal starting at **5:00 pm** at the **Oasis**. Please sign up on the sheet posted in the **Post Office** and list what you can bring. Chicken provided. Music by The Free Beer Band. Door prizes. •

NOT YOUR MOTHER'S BOARD GAMES

Leslie Connelly
480-272-0850

Want to learn a new game? We will be learning games like Azul, Ticket to Ride, Quixx, Quirkle, Splendor,

and many others. We will start with easy games and work our way up to more complex games. We meet in the **Sonoran on Mondays at 1:00 pm**. Last week we played Azul, Quixx, Machu Kori, Triominos and a few others. It is a great way to keep your brain active. Stop by and play with us. No RSVP's or experience needed.

OREGON STATE PARTY- RESCHEDULED **Denta Persinger** **541-915-4608**

Our annual Oregon State party has been rescheduled for **Sunday, March 6 at 5:00 pm in the Oasis** due to the Super Bowl taking place on our original date of February 13. When we booked the party last February, it was unknown to us when the Super Bowl would take place. Please put the above date on your calendar for our Chinese dinner. Time and place of ticket sales to follow. Thank you for your understanding, and we look forward to seeing you there. Any questions regarding this please call Lois Kelly at 541-480-9452

PARKINSONS / TREMBLE CLEFS

Rocky Junk
563-451-9774
Libby D'Adamo
307-472-2953

Thank you so much, VO Foundation Board for generous contribution, Jeanette in the Activity Office for room scheduling, Carrie, Activity Director for Grapevine...and especially to all the Parkinson's patients and caregivers who made our first meeting a HUGE SUCCESS! We are overjoyed that we now have Mesa Tremble Clefs up and running here at Venture Out. This group is open to

anyone with Parkinson's in Mesa who wants to attend. We meet every **Monday, 3:00 - 5:00 pm** in the Music Room. Proof of vaccination and masks are required. \$5 per session/couple.

PICKLEBALL **Judy Schad**

At the January General Membership meeting Ewald Kunstle, Mr. Pickleball, was awarded a plaque for bringing Pickleball to Venture Out. The Firefighters Pickleball Throw-Down was a great success. We raised \$1,500 for the Firefighters Charity and fun was had by all! **February 1-3** is the All-City Tournament. Everyone is invited to come for good food, good pickleball, good fun. **February 18** is "Sweethearts Under the Lights" with details to be announced. The feedback we hear from our members is everyone is favoring outdoor events. March 7-8-9 is the In-House Tournament. **March 20** is the Wrap-Up Party-still in the planning stages but looking to be outdoors.

PINOCHLE

Marsha Combs
480-832-6693

Pinochle on **Mondays & Thursdays at 6:30 pm**. Come join us in the **Mojave Room**, next to the **Library**. •

ROCK & GEM LAPIDARY

Steve Wood
563-468-1187

Hello from Rock & Gem where we bring amazing things to light. Please stop by for a visit or lesson. We have a lot going on including the great Chicken Cordon Bleu dinner on **February 16**. This sellout dinner will have two seatings and tickets go fast. Please stop by the shop - we enjoy company.

SCRABBLE & BOARD GAMES

Marsha Combs
480-832-6693

Come Join us at **6:00 pm on Tuesdays in the Sonoran**. We can play any game you want. We have lots of them. •

SHUFFLEBOARD

Vicki VanSlyke
509-703-2807

The annual Any Doubles Tournament was a great success. Thank you to all our shufflers who volunteered with a job well done. Congratulations to Kirk Juffer, Keith Wurgler and Gary Handel placing in the money. The January 4 Turkey Shoot and Chili Feed was fun for all with Marilyn Brown fixing the chili. The Turkey Shoots are the first & third Tuesdays of the month. The ice cream truck runs every **Monday 1:00 - 3:00 pm** - please sign up to volunteer. The Pork Dinner is **February 22** with all hands on deck to help. The **February 11** election of officers will follow league play - please plan to attend. Lessons at **9:00 am on Wednesdays**.

SILVERSMITH CLUB

Thom Davis
360-477-8006

The next Jewelry Sale will be at the **Community Center, February 7 and 8, 9:00 am until noon**.

Members are welcome at the studio **Mondays through Friday from 9:00 am to noon**. Masking required. Due to Covid restrictions, we're unable to entertain visitors at this time. We're a fun group of enthusiasts and we welcome new members. Contact Thom if you'd like training in the use of our equipment and safety procedures. For a nominal fee you will be provided with a starter kit including materials and tools that will

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enable you to exercise your
creative talents right away.

SOLOS SOCIAL CLUB

Dale Laube
309-883-0316.

If you are new to Venture Out this is an opportunity to meet others in the park living Single. Find others who may share your interests. This social club meets every **Thursday at 4:00 pm** in the **Oasis**, located in Sport-Plex at 800 Block of Navajo Street. Gentlemen always bring a beverage. Lady or Gentlemen bring a food Dish. Please bring your own plate and utensils. The club will be sponsoring a Jazz Performance, Cabaret style in the **Buena Vista Ballroom on Wednesday, February 9**. Book early at the Activity Office and buy up a whole table for you and your friends.

SPADES CARDS

Adrian Korbel
563-513-4529

Join us in the **Sonoran** and enjoy the card game Spades with your friends **Thursdays 7:00 pm**.

SPLASHERS

Robbie Oldemar

Fun in the sun with lots of laughter - that is the definition of Venture Out Senior Pool Volleyball. Everyone is welcome! Come try your hand at getting the ball over the net! We meet in the West Pool every **Monday, Wednesday and Friday** during the season from **1:00 - 2:30 pm**. Be sure to get your Venture Out T-shirt and support your pool volleyball team. Available from any Splasher or at various park events until sold out. We still have most sizes available but we will not be re-ordering. Be sure to get yours soon!!

STITCH & CHAT

Dianne Gilbert
480-993-7794

Welcome to all who have braved the weather to join us here at VO. Our group will certainly enjoy the new stitchers joining us and bringing new ideas for us. We meet **Thursdays 9:00 am - 12:00 pm** in the **Mojave Card Room** for lots of both stitching of all types and lots of conversation.

SUNSHINE CARVERS

Karen Kleinstuber
612-812-4444

Welcome to Sunshine Carvers and Gourds creators. There will be a beginners gourd project **February 1 & 2** from **9:00 am - 4:00 pm** with a \$15 cost. A beginners wood carving class will be offered on **February 3, 4 & 5** from **9:00 am - 4:00 pm** with a \$5.00 cost. Sign up in the Carving Shop. Tools are available in the shop - come & create.

TABLE TENNIS/ PING PONG

Al Manter
253-584-6307

We play table tennis in the **Auxiliary Ballroom Monday, Tuesday and Friday** from **7:00-9:00 pm**. **Thursday** we play from **3:15-5:30 pm** and **Saturday** from **9:00 am - 12:00 noon**. **Sunday** is open play from **9:00 am - 4:15 pm**. Paddles and balls are provided. Dues are \$10.00 a season.

TENNIS CLUB

Patricia Murphy
563-340-6404

Rummage Sale treasures at the Patio! Drop off items by **11:00 am February 10**. Sale day **February 11, 8:00 am**. Also includes a bake sale. Mixed Doubles Ladder Sundays at noon. 75+ League hosts Tower Point on **January 29**, plays at Monte Vista on **February 5**. Skill Building

Workshops **February 3** and **10**. Invitational at Leisure World **February 5**.

Volunteer coach's clinic **February 6**. Non-members welcome to join us for Drop-In Tennis- **Thursdays at 3:30 pm**. Go to our website's votennisclub.com Event Calendar for more info or to become a new or renewing member. Contact Janice Maurer, membership coordinator, at 260-615-1310.

TENNIS CLUB MACHINE SALE

Stan Johnson
480-396-1790-
stanlorna@saktel.net

Tennis has a tennis ball machine for sale. Tennis club will be asking \$1600.00 for this unit on behalf of the social board. A new ball machine is \$6,353.98. This ball machine works OK but should be serviced in the future. Anyone wishing to put in an offer may do so. Contact Stan Johnson @ 480 396 1790 or stanlorna@saktel.net.

WISCONSIN PARTY

Rhonda Viney
608-642-4112

Party scheduled for **Saturday, February 19** from **3:00 - 5:00 pm** in the Outdoor **Patio behind Laundry Facility**. **Purchase \$5 tickets on February 5** at Hot Dog lunch **11:00 am - 1:00 pm**; on **February 7** at Grapevine, **9:00 - 10:00 am, Baja Bistro**; on **February 10** at Marketplace, **Baja Bistro, 11:00 am - 12:30 pm**. Deadline to purchase is **February 14**. Includes all served food - Wisconsin cheese, brats, sauerkraut, beans, salad, dessert. Bring your own table service and beverage. If desired, bring \$1 for an activity and/or a WI-related door prize to donate. Prizes, friends, and fun!

GOLF SIGN-UPS 18-HOLE COURSES

ARIZONA GOLF RESORT

Play Thursday @
8:00 AM

Please sign up at
306 Merlin
Norm Lawrence
306-230-8597
Gnlawrence
@hotmail.com

WESTERN SKIES

Play Monday 8:30 am

Please sign up at
306 Merlin
Norm Lawrence
306-230-8597

CARDS & GAMES

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Wed • 7:00 pm • Sonoran
500

Tue • 1:00 pm • Mojave
American Hand & Foot
Sat • 12:30 pm • Sonoran
Cribbage

Tue • 7:00 pm • Mojave

Darts

Fri • 7:00 pm • Classroom

Duplicate Bridge

Wed • 5:45 pm • Fri •
12:00 pm • Mojave

Euchre

Fri • 6:30 pm • Mojave

Hand Foot & Toe

Wed. • 12:30 pm • Mojave

Mahjong

Tue • 6:30 pm • Card
Room

Men's Poker

Mon - Fri • 5:45 pm

Classroom

Not Your Mother's Board Games

Mon • 1:00 - 3:30 pm •

Sonoran

Pinocle

Mon & Thurs • 6:30

Mojave

Scrabble & Board Games

Tues • 6:00 - 9:00 pm •

Sonoran

Social Bridge

Thurs • 1:00 pm • Sun •
6:00 pm • Mojave.

Spades

Thurs • 7:00 pm • Sonoran

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

“Using your iPhone”



Electronics Club's first class of the season is **Using Your iPhone** in three sessions: **Mondays, January 17, 24, and 31 at 1:00 pm at Electronics**

across from the Oasis. The instructor is Ron Telford, and the cost for all three classes is \$15 for members and \$30 for non-members. Classes are limited to 6 students. Sign up in advance by ringing the doorbell at the E-Club and finding the white board around the corner to the right. Follow the directions on the board and place payment in a small envelope in the wooden box.

**MONDAY • JANUARY 31
1:00 PM • ELECTRONICS**

THURSDAY HEALTH SEMINAR

“Score your Heart: Blood Pressure”



Meet our provider and bring pen and paper as you will learn more information about your heart, blood pressure and ways to combat risks to your health. Ask questions, and you can expect prizes and games to go along with this educational class.

Sign up by calling
(480)347-7534

**THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 3
1:00 PM • THE CABANA (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 this Food Handler's class instructed by our own Chef Arthur Acedo.

No Studying Required! A simple quiz! No Cost!



No need to go off property to take a test.

This class does the trick!

Receive your Food Service card - good for 3 years

**TUESDAY • FEBRUARY 8
2:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

THURSDAY HEALTH SEMINAR

“Partner with your Doctor”



How can you make the most out of your visit with your doctor? Believe it or not, having a relationship with your doctor is very important. Our provider will step into this conversation, so you can make the most out of your next doctor's appointment!

Sign up by calling
(480)347-7534

**THURSDAY • FEBRUARY 10
1:00 PM • THE CABANA (EPC)**

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

ELECTRONICS CLASSES

iPad 1 & 2 Thursday, February 10, 17 at 10:30 am
- Denta Persinger & Lynn Pavlik

Publisher Monday, February 14 at 1:00 pm - Brett Hall

Power Point Wednesday, February 16, March 16 at 10:30 am - Dean Meier

Excel Monday, February 21 at 1:00 pm - Alex Young

ELECTRONICS BUILDING

ASK ELDON

Resident Eldon Becker teaches simple tips to maintain and repair household items.

Free! Bring paper and pencil



Get Tips and Tricks to maintain your unit.

**FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 11
1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM**

Venture Out's **Valentines 5K** (3.1 mile)

Stroll • Walk • Power Walk • Jog • Run

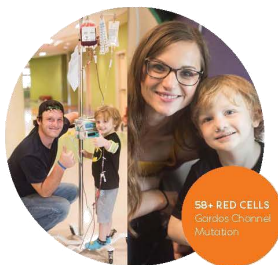


Route map available in the Activity Office and at the event. Refreshments served at the finish line.

Ham Radio operators on duty to assist en route!

**WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 16 • 10:00 AM
9:45 AM WARM-UP STRETCHES
OUTSIDE FRONT COMMUNITY CENTER**

VITALANT BLOOD DRIVE



Sign up in the Activity Office -
Appointments needed for social distancing

Drink extra water and eat a **HEALTHY** small low-fat meal or snack 2 - 4 hours before giving blood.

Bring your Photo ID and wear a **MASK** or **CLOTH-BASED FACE COVERING**.

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

**FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 18
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM • COMMUNITY
CENTER PARKING LOT**

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

Sweet Tooth?

**Ice Cream- Drumsticks,
Fat Boys and Klondike**

**Bars
\$2.00**



**Candy -
Various Selections \$1.25**

**Now available for
purchase in the Activity
Office!**

Sudoku

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

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

7:30 WEST POOL WATER EXERCISE

Robbie Oldemar

Gentle aerobic exercise to start your morning. We are in the West Pool at 7:30 am **Monday thru Friday.**

Come join us and see how much fun exercise can be!

BEADING

**Bonnie Powell
208-610-0716**

Happy New Year!

We continue to keep on beading. Please come join us. If you haven't beaded before, we will teach you. Supplies for the beginning class is \$8.00. You will make a pretty wrap bracelet. Bring your projects to work on. Don't forget "show and share".

BEGINNERS LINE DANCING

**Liz Johnson
712-298-4019**

Line dancing is held **Thursdays at 12:15 pm** for beginners and **1:15 pm** for intermediates. Both classes are held in the **Buena Vista Ballroom.**

BODY WORKS

**Tom & Cheryl Epping
586-489-8466**

Add strength training to your workout regime with this Body Works group fitness class offered in the **Cabana every Thursday morning at 8:45 a.m.** This 45 minute, high repetition, light dumbbell workout will take you through a variety of exercises while moving to the beat of energy charged music. You will need to bring a pair of light to medium weight dumbbells and water. There is no charge for this class.

EARLY BIRD COED EXERCISE

**Janet Manzano
231-676-1782**

Come join us **Monday through Friday** in the

Buena Vista Ballroom for early bird exercise class! Come and join the fun from **7:25-7:55 am.**

EAST POOL WATER EXERCISE

East Pool 9:00 Monday - Saturday

**Carole Hewett
780-886-2831**

**10:00 Monday - Friday
Janis Seville
780-940-5416**

Water provides 10-12 X more resistance than air making it excellent for exercise and physical rehabilitation. Using the natural resistance and buoyancy of the water against our bodies, our fun-filled classes target specific muscle groups while helping to increase energy, stamina, strength and balance. Come join our groups, meet new people and have fun while getting in your daily exercise.

SPANISH FOR BEGINNERS

**Janet Taylor
970-222-3724**

If you're interested in learning Spanish, please join us on **Thursdays**, from **2:00 - 3:00 pm** in the **Activity Office Conference Room.** Bienvenidos Todos! (Welcome Everyone!)

STRETCH AND TONE

**Joe & Kathy Blitgen
563-451-4828**

Here are three ways in which you can take control of your health. You can exercise, eat healthy, and spend time with friends. If you come to Stretch and Tone, you check off two of those things. It will improve the quality of your life. So bring a mat and weights and come join us! **Monday-Friday** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom at 8:00-8:30 am.** Weights on **Monday, Wednesday and Friday.** It's co-ed AND it's FREE!

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

SWEATIN' TO THE OLDIES

Cheryl Epping
248-925-0204

Join us **Wednesdays** and **Fridays 8:45 - 9:45** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom** for an aerobic dance party where, instead of elevator music, you get to work out to the biggest hit songs from the 50's and 60's! This is a low-impact aerobic workout that is guaranteed to make you smile and laugh while you sweat away the pounds! There is no charge.

TAI CHI

Shari Salzman
425-417-6920

Come experience the art of body and mind in motion. This gentle exercise is good for all activity levels. NO cost, special equipment, getting down onto the floor nor experience needed. Join us in the **Auxiliary Ballroom, 9:00-10:00 am Monday – Wednesday – Friday**. Each class consists of *Gentle warm-up exercises, The "Flow" (VO's full Tai Chi routine), *Movement instruction, and a *Second "Flow". Tai Chi calms your mind, gets your blood flowing, your joints lubricated, and is a fun and peaceful start to your day. **Masks are required at this time.**

WEDNESDAY MORNING FREE DRAWING CLASS

Annette Ripplinger
503-267-2000

Learn the basics of drawing Covid-free in the comfort of your home by watching on **Channel 17** every **Monday** through **Friday 1:30 pm** and again at **3:30 pm**. Each 30-minute lesson is presented all week long. On **Wednesdays** from **10:00 to 11:00 am**, come to the **Sonoran** next to the Bistro with your pencil, eraser,

and drawing tablet, and be ready to draw outside on location somewhere in the park. Join in with other participants with a variety of abilities and practice the subject of the day, trees, umbrellas, bicycles, or perspective. You won't get any worse!

WEST POOL WATER EXERCISE

Roxanne Pfab
563-599-9046

We have something special **Monday** through **Friday** at **8:45 am** - it's an aqua noodle class before the **9:00 am** class. Join us for a low-impact whole body workout. It's a coed class - bring your partner and have some fun exercising. Meet new friends and have some laughs - a great way to start your day. Save **March 25** at **3:00 pm** for the end-of-the-year party.

WEST POOL WATER EXERCISES

Garry Robertson
616-498-1192

Join us at **10:00 - 11:00 am** in the **West Pool**. Exercises to keep your joints flexible and it's fun.

YOGA 7:15 AM & 11:00 AM

Al Manter
253-584-6307

Yoga is held at **7:15 am** and **11:00 am** in the **Auxiliary Ballroom** **Monday through Friday**. We have 3 rotating beginner's cds. Yoga mats, straps and bolsters are not provided. We do have some blocks for your use.

EXERCISE CLASSES

Advanced Level Line Dancing

Sun • 4:30 - 6:00 pm
Aux Ballroom

Ballroom Dance Lessons

Mon • 1:00 - 3:30 pm
Aux Ballroom

Beginners Line Dancing

Thurs • 12:15 pm

BV Ballroom

Body Works -

Thur • 8:45 am • Cabana

Early Bird Coed Exercise

Mon - Fri • 7:25 - 7:55 am

BV Ballroom

Intermediate Line

Dancing

Thurs • 1:15 pm

BV Ballroom

Sports Prep

Tue • 7:30 - 8:30 am

Cabana

Stretch & Tone

8:00 am • Mon - Fri

BV Ballroom

Sunrise Sweat

Mon • 7:30 - 8:30 • Cabana

Sweatin' to the Oldies

Wed • Fri • 8:45 am •

BV Ballroom

Tai Chi

M, W, F • 9:00 - 10:00 am

Aux Ballroom

Upper Level Line

Dancing

Mon & Wed • 4:00 pm

Aux Ballroom

Vinyasa Yoga

Thurs • 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Cabana

Yoga

Mon - Fri • 7:15 am

& 11:00 am • Aux Ballroom

WATER EXERCISE CLASSES

Water Exercise

Mon - Fri • 7:30 am

West Pool

Noodles Water Exercise

Mon - Fri • 8:45 am

West Pool

Water Exercise

Mon - Fri • 9:00 am

West Pool

Water Exercise

Mon - Fri • 10:00 am

West Pool

East Pool Water Exercise

Mon - Sat • 9:00 am

East Pool

East Pool Water Exercise

Mon - Fri • 10:00 am

East Pool

Lap Swimming

6:00 - 7:30 am • Daily

East Pool

Lap Swimming

7:00 - 8:00 pm • Daily

West Pool

Water Walking

6:00 - 7:30 am • West Pool

Putting Tournament Winners for January 22



Low score -
Marlys Douglas &
John Nordstrom
1st Flight -
Larry Michels &
Steve Michels
2nd Flight -
Kathy Franta &
John Grier
High Score -
Patti Mortenson &
Elizabeth Lipowy

This and That

It's Time To Register YOUR PET

Annual pet registration is required at Venture Out and begins July 1 for the coming season. 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.

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



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

Star Volunteer

*Way to go,
 Vonna Ketcham*



Vonna Ketcham has lived in Venture Out for 28 years. For several of those years she has been a vital part of the library leadership and this

year has come forward to help organize the library and volunteers. She also helps in the kitchen, decorating the Baja Bistro for Christmas and picks up the Dry Ice for the ice cream truck on Monday afternoons. She is the shuffleboard treasurer & Membership Chairman. She also serves as a greater, and the setup chairperson for Continental Coffee. Vonna helps everywhere and everyone - truly a Venture Out treasure.

**VENTURE OUT WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP
 READING SELECTIONS FOR 2021 – 2022 SEASON**
*Book Group Meets 2nd and 4th Fridays at 9:30 am
 in the Mojave Room*

| DATE | BOOK TITLE | AUTHOR | REVIEWER |
|------|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| 1/28 | Stars Over Sunset Boulevard | Susan Meissner | Pegg Noyes |
| 2/11 | Life and Death in Shanghai | Nien Cheng | Nancy Thuesen |
| 2/25 | Before We Were Yours | Lisa Wingate | Marlys Sewell |
| 3/11 | Chasing Fireflies | Charles Martin | Raenelle Lees |
| 3/25 | Killers of the Flower Moon | David Grann | Ann Schultz |
| 4/8 | Klara and the Sun | Kazuo Ishiguro | Diane Tarrent |

**HAPPY
 ANNIVERSARY**

Gary & Arlene Newman
 Feb 18 71 yrs

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Lowell Butman Jan 30
Darlene Malcom Jan 31
Kathy Junk Feb 2
Danny Meyer Feb 2
Barbara Meyer Feb 3

HAVE YOU HEARD?

To submit information
 Email
outlines@ventureoutvresort.com

or Activity Office at
480-832-9000

Memorial for **Sandy Hammond**, Saturday, February 5 at 1:30 pm in the Oasis. Sandy passed away May 25, 2021. Cards only please. Refreshments served. Thank you for sharing time with our family.

Ed & Jeanne Barry of 112 Merlin passed away January 5. Condolences may be sent to Barb & David Barry at 5001 E Main St. #1752 Mesa, AZ 85205.





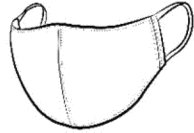
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Spring 2022 All Sinclair Travel Motorcoach Trips (MC) include Deluxe Motorcoach and a Professional Tour Director

UPDATE: Masks are required to be worn by all persons, at all times, on motorcoaches until AT LEAST 3/18/2022! This includes the driver, passengers, and tour director.



You will need to bring a clean mask for each day of your motorcoach trip, and you will need to put your mask on before you board the coach, and keep it on while you are on the coach.



DONUT TRAIL

\$95 pp Jan 21
The name says it all! Let's try some of the valley's best! Includes some non-donut food. 😊

DESERT GLOW

\$80 pp Jan 28

This fun trip departs Mesa in the afternoon. Travel to Goodyear and enjoy the beautiful balloons at the Balloon Classic! Browse the vendors, listen to live music, eat some festival food, and enjoy the beautiful illuminated balloons in the evening! *Please note: this trip will return to Mesa in the evening (after 9pm).*



TUBAC FINE ART FESTIVAL



\$95 pp Feb 9

Join the fun at the 62nd Annual Festival! This popular day trip includes breakfast/breakfast voucher and deluxe motorcoach transportation. (MC)

BIOSPHERE & WINERY

\$139 pp Feb 16

Explore the Biosphere! Enjoy a box lunch on the beautiful lake at the Windmill Winery, following be a ride around the vineyards by horse-drawn wagon (optional). Taste the exceptional wines at the Winery.



LAUGHLIN – OAKRIDGE BOYS!

\$289 pp dbl; \$349 single Feb 22-24



See the Oakridge Boys during 3 Fun days in Laughlin at the Edgewater in your riverview room!! **Registrations close 1/20/22!**

St Paddy's Day

\$285 pp dbl Mar 16-18

Celebrate St Paddy's Day at the Edgewater in Laughlin with Fitzgerald's Irish Dance music and dance! Includes \$5 Free Play, Irish Dance Party show at Don's Celebrity Theater, hotel accommodations, motorcoach transportation and Professional Tour Director. **Registrations close 2/14/21**



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Recreation Update

January 28, 2022

The weather is holding and it is absolutely beautiful out, it is winters like these that make VO the active community it is. There are a lot of great events coming up and we want to remind everyone that ticket sales close on Wednesday afternoon the week before the events, so do not delay getting in to get your tickets. If you are going to be getting in to town after sales end, please reach out to the Activities Office and we will work with you to get your tickets (before they end).

It is official, Russ Morefeld has given his notice that this is his last year hosting bingo. If you or anyone you know would be interested in taking this on, we are openly looking for someone. Russ will stay through the remainder of the season (last game is set for April 7). Russ is also willing to come back next year and help out. If you are interested, please reach out to Russ directly or contact the Activities Office. Russ, we thank you for your time, dedication and love of Venture Out Bingo!

Tables for the PDY Sale have been closed and all tables have been reserved. We ask that when you come up to pick up the tables over the weekend, please only take the amount you reserved as they are all needed. Do not forget to stop by and pickup your balloons, this is what shows that you are an authorized vendor!

Tuesday, February 1 is the Artisan Showcase. We ask all residents to come vote for their favorite pieces of art. This year's theme is "Cat or Dog" and a cat or dog must be incorporated into the artwork. All mediums are encouraged, and everything is created by Venture Out residents. Stop by the BBQ Area between 9:00 am to 1:00 pm to cast your vote. Good luck to all the contestants!

There have been a few club sponsored events that we have not been well attended. Each club needs to support each other and there are several upcoming events we hope to see some great attendance at. Mark your calendars for Solo's Jazz Concert feature Ingrid Hagelberg on Wednesday, February 9 and the Ham's at Heart "Those Were the Days" Shows on February 19, 21 and 22. Tickets for all these events are on sale in the Activities Office.

Chef Arthur has been very busy and we are excited to have some traditional and new lunch and dinner events coming up. In order to volunteer in the kitchen, you will need to go through a food handlers' class. We have two scheduled: Tuesday, February 8 and Tuesday, March 8. Along with these classes, Chef also is making up his Southwest Cooking Class on Friday, February 4 and he has a French Cooking Class scheduled for Wednesday, February 23. Only one spot is left in the French Cooking Class, so sign up quickly.

Hopefully between this publication and the next (February 11), we will have our new plates delivered. Just a friendly reminder that you only need to bring silverware and your drinking cup up for any lunches and dinners in the Bistro.

I am currently working with our entertainment and booking agencies and we are working on getting the 2023 Concert Series scheduled, watch for more information in the next Out-Lines. Also remember to check your emails on Friday's for your Venture Out Social Updates, we are coming up to week three!

As budgets are now being figured and due, I am going to try to schedule some time with clubs to go over next seasons fundraisers. If you have one person to contact about your events, please reach out to me at readdir@ventureoutvresort.com so I can schedule a meeting.

In the middle of season, I see how much fun there is to have at Venture Out! We always look forward to seeing you at the many activities and we are always looking for your feedback and/or suggestions. If you have any questions, please stop by the Activities Office and we will answer and direct in any way we can.

Carrie Zinman

Activity Director
readdir@ventureoutvresort.com



Manager's Corner

January 28, 2022

This week's occupancy is 1415 or 81% vs. 1371 at the last report and 1025 for the year prior. There are currently 291 renters in the park.

I have been mulling this column over in my head for the past week, so here it goes...

By now, most of you probably have heard that our new Security Chief, Michael Cluff has resigned. Michael was one of the best people we have ever had in that position. He had 22 years as a Gilbert police officer and was undeniably one of the nicest people I have worked with. When we had our accidental deaths a few weeks ago, he managed everything with great care and concern for the families of the deceased.

But Michael was frustrated and talked to me many times about the lack of respect given to him and his staff. In fact, he was a bit shocked by it. Perhaps as a former police officer it was something of a cultural adjustment, but still he was often met with push back and arguments when he attempted to enforce even the simplest of rules. We had earlier lost another retired police officer, for the exact same reason, she was also excellent, but after a few months of dealing with weeds and trying to get lots cleaned up, she too had had 'enough.'

I also am getting increasing complaints from other staff and volunteers about their treatment. We do not know what it is... 'Covid Fatigue'? People just getting tired of being told what to do? But you must understand one thing. There are millions of jobs out there right now that are not able to be filled. People can go anywhere and be hired in an instant. This last week I noticed a huge red banner at the Wendys up the street offering a \$20,208 hiring bonus for the right person!? For a fast-food establishment!? That is the competition now.

We have been short handed on staff since Covid started. While this is resulting in a large cash surplus for Venture Out's budget this year, that is not necessarily a good thing. It means that some things just do not get done, such as our ongoing project to replace standpipes in the park. It also means that the staff that is here, pulls overtime and then burns out from the extra hours.

We have a number of staff who are nearing retirement. Will we be able to hire and retain people as loyal as they have been? When a long-term employee retires, you are also losing a lot of knowledge about the community. They consider Venture Out as much their community as you do. They have spent a lot of time caring for it and its residents, some for 28 and 30 years. We want to be able to attract and retain those same type of long-term employees, but frankly a lot of it depends on you and how those employees are treated.

I also think part of this is because we are in a major demographic shift in the community. The Boomers are now the majority in the Community. It is a different mindset. I'm a Boomer. Most of us had a good life growing up, contrasted with the previous generations. Our parents made sure we didn't want for much. I even knew people growing up in high school, who vacationed overseas?! Think about it... the prior generations, only went overseas when they went to war. We are also in the age of social media, where we are daily, seeing hostile words bantered back and forth. The same is true for our nightly news. It makes us all numb and oblivious to that kind of negative dialogue. But staff and volunteers are not numb to it. It has an impact, and it can damage people and have major consequences. Unfortunately to the detriment of Venture Out.

Now the good news. After some intense interviews this week, we were able to find a highly qualified individual, Jonathan Carter, who has spent the last eight years as a lead Security Officer on several Government contracts. He has one of the highest security clearance ratings and has dealt with the myriad of problems one can encounter out there. He typically manages a force of about thirty. He likes to be known as "Carter" so I hope you will welcome him and give him assistance wherever possible. Carter has told me that he looks at Venture Out as his career, please help him achieve that. Finally, some issues that Michael had been dealing with recently.

We do not feed the birds in the park, because the pigeons/doves are causing major damage to the park facilities and filling up the gutters on the EPC with droppings, which then causes leaks. Staff must rent a lift every few months and clean off the roof. A dangerous job. It is costing VO thousands to eradicate the mess and the birds.

Fire pits and charcoal grills are not allowed. Any open flame is a fire hazard.

Lots must be maintained and kept clear of debris. Weed control is required.

Cars are not allowed under awnings. When Venture Out got approval to build to the zero-lot line, the mandate from the city was that AZ rooms were to be constructed of only fire rated materials, no wood, and that there would be no combustible engines under any awning. Again, the potential of fire.

Dogs are to be exercised in the Dog Walk area. They are not to be allowed to 'do their business' on the streets or any common area. Take them to the pet walk first, and then walk them around the park. They love the Pet Walk.

Speeding in the park! Its 10MPH, it always has been. We had one death a few years ago, let us not have that happen again.

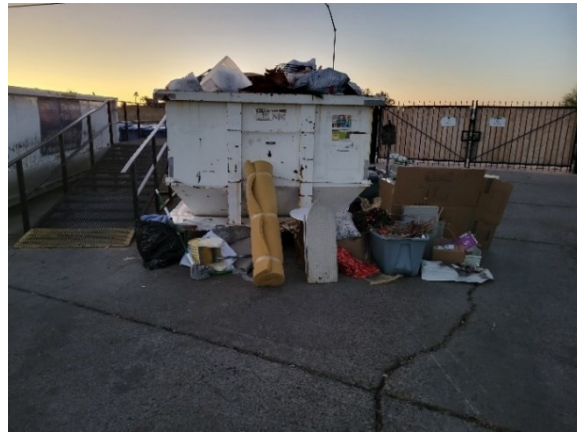
Those were just a few items that he had to deal with recently. All basic rules. All common sense. But all, inexplicably, resulted in major push back.

Thanks for listening. Let us enjoy our weekend and be grateful we are in this beautiful weather.

Mary Schmit

General Manager
vogm@ventureoutvresort.com

TRASH EMERGENCY!!!



Help!! The maintenance crew reports that almost every Monday they are now coming back to this kind of garbage pile up. It took two staff members an hour each to clean up the debris and junk left behind last weekend. The City of Mesa will refuse to pick up with this trash piled around the containers. The City comes in early on Mondays to pick up, because it is our 'Trash Day'. If they refuse to pick up we have to reschedule and we are then in a major snafu, with garbage everywhere. We were recently cited by the Health Department for this accumulation of debris and the City refusing to pick up. This also can attract rodents and feral cats. The Health Department does not care what the circumstances are. If you go back to take your garbage to the containers and see that it is full, please hold it until Monday when they dump these containers and they are empty. If you have an item that you consider salvageable, please hold it for the Community Wide Garage Sale, that will be held this year, and anything left over from that will be donated to the Tennis Auction for their sale.

David Frick and his maintenance staff thank you for your help!

Easement Review – SRP Agreement

Gordy Klofstad – Condo Board Director/SRP Liaison

Since Venture Out has a significant number of new owners, it is again time to make sure that all owners are aware of some of the issues that affect all of us. In May of 2010, Venture Out and Salt River Project (SRP) entered into an agreement for the purpose of ensuring that the utility easement is maintained and kept clear of items that could obstruct utility companies from maintaining their equipment in the dedicated space on all properties in the Park. The rear five feet on all lots is reserved for all utility firms to install and maintain their equipment. This five feet is measured perpendicular to the rear property boundary.

The Agreement provided SRP with a promise that the utility easement will be cleared within a reasonable period of time. With this promise, they went forward with their equipment improvement program which consisted of: replacing most of the 106 transformers, installing new primary and secondary conduit and cable together with new junction boxes, and for units in compliance with the utility easement SRP provided lot owner opportunity to make upgrades to their individual electrical service at a reduced cost. The SRP improvements to Venture Out were in excess of \$20,000,000, something that has not been done for any other park model community.

Over the approximate years of 1980 – 2000, several park models and some associated Arizona rooms together with some storage sheds were installed in a manner that infringed on the utility easement. The 2010 Agreement outlines the terms and conditions that both parties together with the lot owners were to abide by. This provided some grace period for owners to make needed changes before the deadline of April 30, 2040. It is estimated that at least 60 lots per year are being upgraded and thereby being brought into compliance with the utility easement requirements.

The 2010 Agreement is located on the VO website and is available for review. It is recommended that all owners review that document, so you fully understand the responsibility we all need to follow.

Another issue that the park needs help with construction type activities that occur during periods that management is not present in the Park, especially on weekends. If you notice someone performing improvements to their property and no Venture Out or City of Mesa Building Permit is visible from the street, please make security and/or administration aware. Failure to be in conformance with the Terms and Conditions of the 2010 Agreement could cause SRP to abandon the Agreement and force all lots to make necessary corrections immediately. Those were the terms they originally insisted on, and only through intense negotiations with VO did we instead get thirty years to achieve this goal.

Such an action by SRP would affect 50% of the homeowners and be very costly to some and would generate some neighbor-to-neighbor issues that can be avoided.

Our CC&Rs are established for the health and safety of all occupants in our Park. Many of the rules and regulations that apply to the effort of making improvements to our properties are industry standards and are meant to protect individuals from injury and even death.

YOUR HELP IN THIS ENDEAVOR WILL BE MUCH APPRECIATED.

DAILY TIMETABLE

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED MONDAY - FRIDAY

| | | |
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| Lap Swimming | 6:00 - 7:30 am | East Pool |
| Water Walking | 6:00 - 7:30 am | West Pool |
| Lap Swimming | 7:00-8:00 am | West Pool |
| Yoga | 7:15 am | Aux Ballroom |
| Water Exercise | 7:30 am | West Pool |
| Croquet Open Play | 8:00 am - 6:00 pm | Croquet |
| Stretch & Tone | 8:00-8:30 am | BV Ballroom |
| Water Exercise | 10:00 am | West Pool |
| Water Exercise | 10:00 am | East Pool |
| Yoga | 11:00 am - 12:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |
| Sunshine Carvers | 9:00-4:00 pm | Building Q |
| Post Office | 1:30 - 2:30 pm | VO Post Office |
| Men's Poker | 5:45 pm | Classroom |

Weekly Recurring Events

MONDAYS

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| Sunrise Sweat | 7:30 - 8:30 am | Cabana |
| Hiking | 7:45 am | Baja Bistro |
| Silversmith Club | 9:00-12:00 pm | Silversmith Studio |
| Tai Chi | 9:00 - 10:00 am | Aux Ballroom |
| Beading | 12:45 - 3:00 pm | Classroom |
| Not Your Mother's Games | 1:00-3:30 pm | Sonoran Room |
| Splashers Volleyball | 1:00-2:30 pm | West Pool |
| Kitchen Band 12/13 | 2:00 pm | Oasis |
| Improver Line Dancing | 4:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |
| Pinochle | 6:30-9:00 pm | Mojave Room |
| Table Tennis/Ping Pong | 7:00-9:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |

TUESDAYS

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| Golf Sign Up | 7:45 am | Sonoran Room |
| Happy Harpers | 9:00 am | Music Room |
| 500 | 1:00 pm | Mojave |
| Upper-Level Line Dancing | 4:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |
| Improver Line Dancing | 4:30 pm | Aux Ballroom |
| Scrabble/Board Games | 6:00-9:00 pm | Sonoran Room |
| Cribbage | 7:00 pm | Mojave |
| Table Tennis/Ping Pong | 7:00-9:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |

WEDNESDAYS

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| Men's Bible Study | 8:00-9:00 am | Sonoran |
| Sweatin' to the Oldies | 8:45-9:45 am | BV Ballroom |
| VO Choir | 9:00 am | Music Room |
| Tai Chi | 9:00 - 10:00 am | Aux Ballroom |
| Silversmith Club | 9:00-12:00 pm | Silversmith Studio |
| Drawing Classes | 9:30-11:00 am | Sonoran |
| Croquet Singles Lessons | 10:00 am | Croquet |
| Hand, Foot & Toe | 12:30 pm | Mojave Room |
| Beading | 12:45 - 3:00 pm | Classroom |
| Croquet Doubles Lessons | 1:00 pm | Croquet |
| Splashers Volleyball | 1:00-2:30 pm | West Pool |
| Improver Line Dancing | 4:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |

THURSDAYS

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| Body Works | 8:45-9:45 am | Cabana |
| Happy Harpers | 9:00 am | Music Room |
| Stitch & Chat | 9:00-12:00 pm | Mojave Room |
| Beginner Line Dancing | 12:15 - 1:15 pm | BV Ballroom |
| Social Bridge | 1:00 pm | Mojave Room |
| Spanish for Beginners | 2:00 - 3:00 pm | Activity Office Conf Room |
| Table Tennis/Ping Pong | 3:15-5:30 pm | Auxiliary Ballroom |
| Solos | 4:00-6:00 pm | Oasis |
| Pinochle | 6:30-9:00 pm | Mojave Room |
| Spades | 7:00 pm | Sonoran |

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| Sweatin' to the Oldies | 8:45-9:45 am | BV Ballroom |
| Tai Chi | 9:00 - 10:00 am | Aux Ballroom |
| Splashers Volleyball | 1:00-2:30 pm | West Pool |
| Croquet Organized | 2:00 pm | Croquet |
| Euchre | 6:30 pm | Mojave Room |
| Table Tennis/Ping Pong | 7:00-9:00 pm | Auxiliary Ballroom |

SATURDAYS

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| Lap Swimming | 6:00 - 7:30 am | East Pool |
| Water Walking | 6:00 - 7:30 am | West Pool |
| Lap Swimming | 7:00 - 8:00 pm | West Pool |
| Table Tennis/Ping Pong | 9:00-12:00 pm | Auxiliary Ballroom |
| Water Exercise | 9:00 am | East Pool |
| Sunshine Carvers | 9:00-4:00 pm | Building Q |
| Croquet Organized | 10:00 am | Croquet |
| American Hand & Foot | 12:30 pm | Sonoran Room |
| Pool Mixed Couples | 6:00 pm | Pool Room |

SUNDAYS

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| Lap Swimming - | 6:00 - 7:30 am | East Pool |
| Water Walking - | 6:00 - 7:30 am | West Pool |
| Gabfest | 8:30 am | Baja Bistro |
| Worship Service | 9:00 am | BV Ballroom |
| Table Tennis/Ping Pong | 9:00-4:15 pm | Auxiliary Ballroom |
| Croquet HH | 3:30 pm | Croquet |
| Upper-Level Line Dancing | 4:30 pm | Aux Ballroom |
| Social Bridge | 6:00 pm | Mojave Room |
| Lap Swimming - | 7:00 - 8:00 pm | West Pool |

Special Events

FRIDAY

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| Happy Hour | 3:00-5:30 pm | Baja Bistro |
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SATURDAY

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| Hobby Center Open House | 10:00-1:00 pm | Hobby Center |
| Prime Rib Dinner | 5:30-7:00 pm | Baja Bistro |

MONDAY

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| Patio, Driveway & Yard Sale | 9:00-1:00 pm | See Map |
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TUESDAY

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| Artisan Showcase | 9:00-1:00 pm | Outside the BBQ Area |
| All-City Pickleball Tourny | 7:30 am | Pickleball Courts |
| The VO Swing Band | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |

WEDNESDAY

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| All-City Pickleball Tourny | 7:30 am | Pickleball Courts |
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| All-City Pickleball Tourny | 7:30 am | Pickleball Courts |
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SATURDAY

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| Jumbo Hot Dogs | 11:00-1:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
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SUNDAY

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| Scavenger Hunt | Check in at 1:30 pm | BBQ Area |
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MONDAY

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| Silversmith Jewelry Sale | 9:00-12:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| New Image Fashions | 10:00-3:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| Miller, Miller, Martin & Ki | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |

TUESDAY

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

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| French Dip Sandwiches | 11:00-1:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| A Cabaret Concert | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |




THURSDAY

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| Marketplace | 9:00-1:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| Marketplace Lunch | 11:00-12:45 pm | Baja Bistro |




FRIDAY

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| Annual Tennis Rummage Sale | 8:00-12:00 pm | Courts 7 & 8 Behind Laundry Facility |
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February 2022

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | All City Pickleball Tournament 1 Lunch at the Courts Fired Clay Class Artisan Showcase Cats Vs Dogs VO Swing Band Fired Clay Art Class | All City Pickleball Tournament 2 Lunch at the Courts | Condo Board Mtg 3 All City Pickleball Tournament Health Seminar: Lunch at the Courts Bingo | TGIR - Karaoke 4 Friday Night Dance: Midnight Confession | Jumbo Hot Dogs & Cake Sale 5 |
| Worship Service 6 Gabfest Pet Association Scavenger Hunt | Grapevine 7 New Image Fashions Silversmith Valentine's Jewelry Sale Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck Concert Series Special Show: Miller, Miller Martin & Ki | Food Handler's Class 8 Social Board Mtg Karaoke Komer Mystery Tour Silversmith Valentine's Jewelry Sale | French Dip Lunch 9 Cabaret Show  | Marketplace 10 Marketplace Lunch Health Seminar: Bingo | Ask Eldon 11 Out-Lines Published TGIR: Trivia Tennis Bake & Rummage Sale Friday Night Dance: Uncorked the Band Volunteer Meeting | Blueberry Pancakes 12 Sewing Club Open House Fired Clay Arts Open House & Sidewalk Sale Beginner's Tennis Clinic |
| Worship Service 13 Gabfest | Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck 14 Club Budgets Due Concert Series: Project Presley  | Fired Clay Arts Raffle Draw 15 Sewing Club Raffle Begins | Valentines 5K 16 Chicken Cordon Bleu Annual Mtg & Condo Election | Organizational Mtg 17 Health Seminar: Taco Salad Bingo | Condo Board Orientation 18 Blood Drive Newcomers Orientation TGIR: Karaoke Friday Night Dance: Classic Example Band | Hamburger BBQ & Ice Cream Sale 19 Used Book Sale Hams & Heart Show Matinee Putting Tournament |
| Worship Service 20 Gabfest Music by the Pool with Root Beer Floats Glass Art Studio's Raffle Begins | Grapevine 21 Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck Social Board Budget Mtg Meet The Social Board Candidates Hams & Heart Show | Hams & Heart Show 22 Social Board Budget Mtg Pork Dinner Wood Shop Raffle Begins | Cooking with Chef Arthur - French Cooking 23 Social Board Budget Mtg Street Dance with the Arron Nelson Project  | Condo Board Mtg 24 Health Seminar: Salmon Dinner Bingo | Out-Lines Published 25 Chicken Pot Pie Lunch Social Board Budget Mtg TGIR: Happy Hour Friday Night Dance: Johnny K & Kompany | 26 |
| Worship Service 27 Gabfest Jam Session | Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck 28 Trio of Salads Luncheon Sewing Room's Quilt Raffle Draw Concert Series: Comedian Cary Long | | | | | |

March 2022

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | Social Board Mtg 1 Flashback Fever with the 8-Tracks | Social Board Budget Mtg 2 Sunshine Carvers' Poker Run | Health Seminar: 3 Fleas & Bees Sale Chili Con Carne Bingo | Social Board Budget Mtg 4 TGIR: Karaoke Friday Night Dance: Midnight Confession | Jumbo Hot Dogs & Cake Sale 5 Glass Arts Raffle Draw |
| Worship Service 6 Gabfest Electronics Raffle | Grapevine 7 New Image Fashions Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck Woodshop Presents Brady Goss in Concert | Karaoke Corner 8 Mystery Trip Food Handler's Class Wood Shop Raffle Draw Room Reservations Available | Town Hall Mtg 9 Enchilada Dinner  | Marketplace & Lunch 10 Health Seminar: Bingo | Out-Lines Published 11 TGIR: Trivia Friday Night Dance: Uncorked the Band Monthly Volunteer Meeting | Creative Writing Annual Reading 12 Continental Breakfast  |
| Worship Service 13 Gabfest Ribs & Bibs Dinner & Show | Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck 14 Concert Series: Everly Brothers | Social Board Work Session 15 Social Club Annual Mtg & Election Karaoke Corner Choir Performance Chicken Dinner | Steak Fry 16 5K St Patty's | Condo Board Mtg 17 Health Seminar: Bingo Corned Beef Meal | Social Board Orientation 18 TGIR: Karaoke Newcomers Orientation Friday Night Dance: Thaddeus Rose Band | Hamburger BBQ & Ice Cream Sale 19 Used Book Sale Croquet Raffle  |
| Worship Service 20 Gabfest Jam Session | Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck 21 Grapevine Silversmith Concert | 22 | Cooking with Chef Arthur - Chillin' & Grillin' 23 Street Dance | Health Seminar: 24 Bingo Night Golf Putting Tournament Root Beer Floats Everything Goes Sale VO Diner | Out-Lines Published 25 9x9 Mtg TGIR: Happy Hour Friday Night Dance: Cowboy Up | End Of Season Blow Out 26 |
| Worship Service 27 Gabfest | New Image Fashions 28 Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck | Social Board Mtg 29 | 30 | Health Seminar: 31 Bingo | | |

PDY Sale!

(Patio - Driveway & Yard Sale)



Shop authorized vendors found below for beautiful handmade items or that special flea market find.
 Each house will sport a special helium balloon and signage which indicates they are verified vendors!
 Please remember to wear your mask, sanitize your hands & social distance.

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| Address..... | Name |
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| 004 Merlin | Susie Griffith |
| 021 Douglas..... | Natalie Drake |

100 BLOCK

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| 113 Aztec..... | John Dedovitch |
| 117 Douglas..... | Linda Rigg |
| 118 Navajo..... | Richard Sisco |
| 120 Navajo..... | Kim Kiernan |
| 123 Navajo..... | Ronald Sorensen |
| 128 Navajo..... | Bruce Johnston |
| 140 Navajo..... | Chris Johnson |

200 BLOCK

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| 206 Debonair | Lea White |
| 212 Debonair | Barbara Schneider |
| 220 Debonair | Barb Brant |
| 203 Merlin | Leslie Eggers |
| 212 Merlin | Kathy Quick |
| 211 Douglas..... | Rick Munson |
| 219 Douglas..... | Laurel Stendahl |
| 231 Navajo..... | Mary Reuland |

300 BLOCK

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| 304 Navion..... | Louise Gustafson |
| 312 Boeing..... | Sonja Juffer |
| 320 Debonair | Karla Grether |
| 326 Merlin | Clarence Faust |
| 316 Navajo..... | Robbie Oldemar |
| 305 Aero | Lora Schmidt |
| 316 Aero | Suzanne Queen |
| 319 Aero | Diana Vlot |
| 325 Aero | Sherrie Coppejans |

400 BLOCK

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| 401 Aztec..... | Maureen Robertson |
| 425 Douglas..... | Jean-Anne Shampaign |
| 432 Navajo..... | Carol Perkinson |
| 402 Aero | Judy Smith |

500 BLOCK

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| 504 Navion | Rob Laubach |
| 507 Aztec..... | Jan Mathison |
| 523 Aztec..... | Betsy Klofstad |
| 513 Merlin..... | Wendy Roberts |
| 501 Douglas | Roxy Pfab |

600 BLOCK

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| 615 Aztec..... | Rosalie Edgerly |
| 610 Douglas | Barbara Walters |
| 607 Aero..... | Jerry Braaten (2 tables) |

700 BLOCK

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| 702 Debonair..... | Glenn Schindlbeck |
| 706 Aztec..... | George Resch & Pam Burns-Resch |
| 718 Aztec..... | Myron Peterson |
| 713 Douglas | Colleen Paul |
| 733 Douglas | Lowell Butman |
| 718 Navajo | Peggy Hill |
| 720 Navajo | Dave Carrington |
| 722 Navajo | Jean DeLoye |
| 729 Navajo | David Leach |

800 BLOCK

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| 825 Merlin..... | Shirley Beardslee |
| 820 Douglas | Janet then |
| 835 Navajo | Ruth Baker |

900 BLOCK

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| 903 Debonair..... | Bonnie Milman |
| 905 Aztec..... | Bill Bibee |
| 909 Aztec..... | Helen Bierstedl |
| 906 Douglas | Pet Association |
| 908 Aero..... | Mike Robinson |

OTHER

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| PATIO..... | PICK - Karen Yost |
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Do you have Concerns about falling?

A Matter of Balance emphasizes practical strategies to reduce the fear of falling, increase activity levels, and improve your flexibility, balance, and strength.

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- View falls as controllable
- Set goals for increasing activity
- Make changes to reduce fall risks at home
- Exercise to increase strength and balance
- Recognize the important physical risk factors for falls
- Use *Personal Action Planners* to meet your goals
- Learn positive thinking and self-motivation strategies

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