

Venture Out-Lines

www.VentureOutRVResort.com

5001 E. Main St., Mesa, AZ 85205

March 11, 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 |
|---|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|------|
| March | | | | |
| Friday Night Dance: Cowboy-Up | March 11 | March 11 | \$10.00 | 5 |
| Mystery Tour | March 16 | X | \$125 | 7 |
| Friday Night Dance: Thaddeus Rose Band | March 18 | March 18 | \$10.00 | 5 |
| Hamburger BBQ & Ice Cream | March 19 | Pay at Event | \$6.00 & \$2.00 | 9 |
| Creative Writing Annual Reading | March 19 | X | X | 9 |
| Croquet Raffle | March 7 - 19 | See Ad | See Ad | 9 |
| Silversmith Concert: Dave & Daphanie | March 21 | March 21 | \$12.00 | 10 |
| Ingrid Hagelberg Cabarete Concert | March 22 | March 22 | \$12.00 or \$13.00 | 11 |
| Cooking with Chef Arthur: Grillin' | March 23 | Until sold out | \$35.00 | 25 |
| VO Diner | March 24 | March 16 | \$8.00 | 11 |
| Friday Night Dance: Uncorked the Band | March 25 | March 25 | \$10.00 | 5 |
| VO Year End Celebration | March 26 | March 16 | \$10.00 | 12 |
| Tortellini & Alfredo Lunch | March 29 | March 23 | \$11.00 | 13 |
| April | | | | |
| Fish Fryday | April 1 | March 23 | \$12.00 | 13 |
| Venture Out Spring Olympics | April 4-6 | March 16 | \$8.00 pp (\$96 per Team) | 13 |
| Waldorf Chicken Salad Lunch | April 7 | March 30 | \$10.00 | 18 |
| Biscuits & Gravy | April 9 | March 30 | \$7.00 | 18 |
| Apricot Glazed Pork Loin Lunch | April 13 | April 6 | \$12.00 | 18 |
| Shrimp Fish Friday | April 15 | April 6 | \$10.00 | 18 |
| Cooking with Chef Arthur: Mediterranean Diet' | April 19 | Until sold out | \$35.00 | 26 |

Administration

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

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Office Quiet Hours
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Monday - Friday
Closed Sat. & Sun.
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480-832-0200 to make an
appointment.

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No Contractors on Holidays
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MISSION STATEMENT

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

Annual Social Club Meeting and Election Tuesday, March 15, 2022 @ 1:00pm Buena Vista Ballroom Agenda

Call to Order:
Moment of Silence:
President's Comments:
Letter of Notice of Annual
General Meeting
Reading of Minutes from
2021 Annual General
Meeting
Motion to Accept 2021
Annual General Meeting
Minutes
Annual Treasurer's Report
Motion to Treasurers
Report
Presentation of 2022-2023
Budget
Motion to Accept 2022-2023
Social Club and

Recreation Department
Budget
Club Fundraising Report
Transmittal Committee
Report
Old Business
FFE Club and Recreation
Capital Purchases 2021-
2022
New Business
Motion for Unanimous
Consent
Introduction of New
Board of Directors
Retiring Director's Remarks
Door Prize Drawings
President's Closing
Remarks
Motion to Adjourn

All contracted classes & club events will be cancelled from **12:00 noon until the close of the Annual Social Club Meeting on Tuesday, March 15, 2022. The Activity Office will close at noon for the day.** Plan to attend the meeting!

CONDO BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING Thursday • March 17 • 9:00 am • Oasis AGENDA

Invocation:
President's Comments:
General Manager's Report:
Lot Owners' comments, lasting not more than thirty (30) minutes dealing with any agenda item, or at the pleasure of the chair, on any other matter. Maximum time limit for any subject shall be five (5) minutes.

You may speak on only one subject one time.
Adoption of Minutes:
Treasurer's Report:
Correspondence:
Social Board Report:
Reports:
Old Business:
New Business:
Recess Work Session:

SOCIAL BOARD ORIENTATION Friday • March 18 • 9:00 am • Oasis

JOINT CONDO - SOCIAL MEETING Tuesday • March 25 • 9:00 am • Oasis

SOCIAL BOARD DIRECTORS' MEETING Tuesday • March 29 • 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

CHILDREN'S SWIMMING HOURS

(under the
age of 16)

WEST POOL

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

EAST POOL

12:00 - 2:00 pm

WEST & EAST POOL

4:00 - 7:00 pm

Board of Director's CC&R Ad-Hoc Review Committee

Desperately seeking Susan, or a Boy Named Sue, Or Whomever..... has legal secretary experience to volunteer their time for the Board of Director's CC&R Ad-Hoc Review Committee. Venture Out's Declarations of Condominiums and Land Restrictions document has not been revised/nor updated since 2011. To keep our community current and viable, for today and the future, a committee has been formed to complete the important task of reviewing our governing documents. There will be monthly committee meetings, in person or via Zoom, as well as communications and meetings with VO residents for their input in revision needs. The current members are seeking another member or two with some legal secretary experience to come join us in this important endeavor. If interested please contact Committee Chairperson

John Macdonald
521 Aztec
480 385 9453
jr.macdonald@shaw.ca

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@ventureoutrvresort.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

March 14

PUBLISH DATE
FRIDAY

March 25
For the month of
April

Hard copy submission forms available
in the Activity Office

Communications Members Wanted

We all want to know what is happening at Venture Out. We can't just pick up the party line to hear the latest news so new avenues are needed. The Communications Committee will examine our current methods like Channel 17, Venture Out-Lines & Fast Mail. We will explore exciting new options and make recommendations to the Condo and Social Boards. Be a part of helping your neighbors to keep informed.

Contact Doug LaPitz (612) 598-8076
or dlapitz@yahoo.com

OFFICIAL NOTICE VENTURE OUT SOCIAL CLUB, INC. ELECTION AND ANNUAL MEETING

The Venture Out Social Club, Inc. Annual Meeting and Election will be held **Tuesday, March 15, 2022** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom**. The Annual Meeting will commence at 1:00 pm.

Three (3) candidates will be elected by unanimous consent by the Board of Directors of the Social Club and there is no need to have ballots, voting or elections as declared in By-Laws of the Venture Out Social Club, Inc. Article IV, Section 2.

In order to conduct business at the Annual General Meeting the quorum shall be 10% of the Active Membership. Quorum will be determined by the ticket count at the Annual Meeting as specified in Article IV, Section 2 of the By-Laws of the Venture Out Social Club, Inc.

All contracted classes & club events are not scheduled from **12:00 noon until the close of the meeting on Tuesday, March 15, 2022**, the day of the Annual Meeting and Election. The Activity Office will close for the day at 12 noon.

A quorum of 10% of the active members is required for transaction of any business at the Annual Meeting. Please make every effort to attend this important meeting.

Special Events

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 • MARCH 11
1:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

NAME THAT TUNE TRIVIA

Bring a dollar or two for a 50/50

Presented by Laz & Linda Tollas
With DJ Ron O'Genski

Listen to short excerpts of 10 songs in each group and guess the titles

BYOB & Snacks!

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

**FRIDAY • MARCH 11
3:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

Friday Night Dance

March 11
Cowboy-Up
(Country Western)

March 18
Thaddeus Rose Band
(Variety)



March 25
Uncorked the Band **Tickets \$10.00**
(Rock & Variety)

**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**

Continental Breakfast

Tickets \$9.00
Past Deadline

Menu
Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Hashbrowns, Muffins & Orange Juice



Bring your own utensils.
Sponsored by the Recreation Department

**SATURDAY • MARCH 12
8:00 - 10:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO**

Special Events

WORSHIP SERVICE

March 13 Speaker: Reverend Ben Joseph from C-3, the ministry at ASU. The offering will be to C-3

March 20 Speaker: Pastor Joan Gray from Phoenix Inner-City Ministries. The offering will go to PICK for their summer camp fund
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**

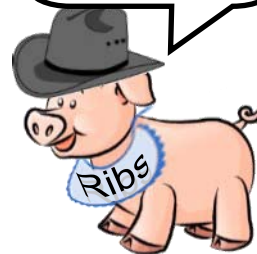
RIBS N' BIBS DINNER SHOW

Reserved Seating Tickets \$20.00
Past Deadline

— MENU —

*BBQ Baby Back Pork Ribs
Cheesy Au Gratin Potatoes
Three Bean Salad
Cornbread
Beverage*

BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS



Plus... a Stage Show!:

Featuring Calvin Rainwater

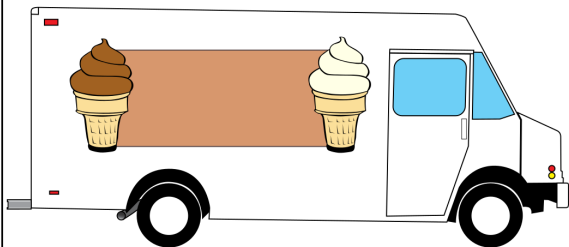
Sponsored by the Shuffleboard Club

**SUNDAY • MARCH 13 • 4:30 PM HAPPY HOUR
DINNER 5:30 PM • ENTERTAINMENT FOLLOWING
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**

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 TIL MARCH 28
1:00 - 3:00 PM
YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD**

★ ★ ★ Concert Series ★ ★ ★

Forever Everly



Here is a musical experience not to be missed! The Zmed Brothers have celebrated the history and pivotal music of the Everly Brothers legacy with enthusiastic crowds across the US and in Europe for the last

several years. These two talented brothers, along with their back-up band, will bring back fond memories with their rendition of songs such as Cathy's Clown, Bye Bye Love, Wake Up Little Susie, and Bird Dog. Without a doubt this performance will be the number-one-hit of the season!

Sold Out.

**MONDAY • MARCH 14
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**

Special Events

50 SEASONS OF SONG! PRESENTED BY THE VENTURE OUT CHOIR

Directed by Bernadette Carlson and
accompanied by Jeanne Ekstrom
and Jannice Schwartz

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



All Welcome - No Charge

**TUESDAY • MARCH 15
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM**

CHICKEN DINNER



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

Tickets \$14.00
Past deadline

BYOB

*BRING YOUR OWN
UTENSILS*

Sponsored by the Glass Art Club

**The second
seating will be
held at
6:00 pm**

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

MYSTERY TOUR

Tickets: \$125 per person,
on sale March 2, 9:00 - 11:00 am
In the Baja Bistro
All inclusive with lunch

**QUESTIONS? CALL
JOANNE AT 805-807-2994**



Bring comfortable
shoes, incidentals,
and an inquisitive
mind

Open to All!

SPONSORED BY THE BOCCE BALL CLUB

**WEDNESDAY • MARCH 16
BUS LOADS 7:30 AM
RETURN AROUND 6:00 PM
BUS LOADING ZONE**

CORNER BEEF

Tickets \$12.00
Past Deadline

MENU

Corned Beef
sandwich on
Rye Bread with
Sauerkraut and
1000 Island
Dressing,
French Fries
with Frozen
Lime Bars
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UTENSILS*



SPONSORED BY THE PET ASSOCIATION

**THURSDAY • MARCH 17
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO**

Special Events

ST PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

(GOLFCART & BICYCLES)

Prizes for
Best Decorated Golf
Cart and Bike

Watch for a wee bit
of entertainment on
the way!

Sign-up required
in the Activity
Office. Deadline 10:00 am, March 16



Free event! !
Map of Parade Route
in this Out-Lines

THURSDAY • MARCH 17 • 2:00 PM
DEPARTS THE COMMUNITY CENTER

BINGO

**\$1000.00 Progressive Last
Game Blackout
Special Games**
**Betty Boop • Double Action
Odd & Even**
\$110.00 Regular Game
\$500.00 Money Ball

Who's
winning big
tonight?



Please bring your own coffee mug!
Concession Stand Available

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



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 • MARCH 18
9:30 AM • MOJAVE ROOM

**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.**

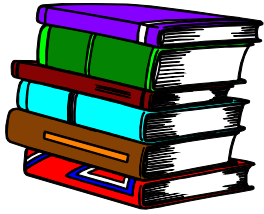
TGIR - Thank God I'm Retired!

FRIDAY • MARCH 18
3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

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 • MARCH 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
Softball Association

Ice Cream \$2.00
Sponsored by the
Horseshoes Club



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

Creative Writing Club's Annual Reading

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



Come one!
Come all!

Free - But
Donations
Appreciated

Refreshments
served!

SATURDAY • MARCH 19
1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM

Croquet Raffle

Tickets 1 for \$5.00
3 for \$10.00

Tickets may be purchased at various events between March 7 & March 19 or from Bob Bechtold at 605-380-9986, Gene Bailhe at 864-314-6565 or Mary Waitrovich at 608-225-1626. Win your personal Mallet.



MARCH 7 - 19
3:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

Musical Jam



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

For more info call
John Grier at 612-991-0722

SUNDAY • MARCH 20
1:00 - 3:30 PM
BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

IT'S THE VO "GRAPEVINE"



Free Coffee & Donuts!

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

MONDAY • MARCH 21
9:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO

Silversmith Concert: Dave & Daphanie

**Tickets: \$12.00 from the Activity Office
or at the door**



Meet Daphanie –
Southern Gospel
Music Female
Vocalist of the Year
Meet Dave – Barbara
Mandrell's lead

guitarist for 10 years. Come ready to enjoy yourself and plan to be blessed with Dave and Daphanie as they share Classic Hymns, Gospel favorites, a Military Honor and even a little country music!

Sponsored by the Silversmith Club

MONDAY • MARCH 21
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM

MESA TREMBLE CLEFS CONCERT



This concert will take place Monday, March 21 in the Cabana. The Tremble Clefs choirs are music therapy for Parkinson's patients and their spouses and/or caregivers. The Mesa choir is one of five Tremble Clef choirs in the Phoenix area - Scottsdale, Sun City, Sun City West and Sun Lakes. The Mesa choir became reality in January 2022 after two years of planning. The Arizona Tremble Clef Board, represented from each choir, oversees the choirs and helps with funding. Our Mesa choir is grateful to the VO Foundation which provided funding helping us get started. Come to our concert and see the fun we have and the music that we enjoy.

All Welcome - No Charge

MONDAY • MARCH 21
3:00 PM • CABANA

Special Events

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

TUESDAY • MARCH 22
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA BALLROOM
TICKETS NOW ON SALE IN THE ACTIVITY OFFICE

STREET DANCE

Save the Date!
With music by
Chuck-E-Baby

**In case of bad weather this event
will be moved to the Baja Bistro**

**Everyone
Invited!**



Sponsored by the Recreation Department

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

“Everything Goes Sale!”



Last Sale of the Season

**Purchase Surplus
Social Club assets,
DVDs & more
Shop to your
heart's content!!!**



THURSDAY • MARCH 24
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

VO DINER

Tickets \$8.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, March 16



MENU
Grilled
cheese &
hot tomato
bisque soup

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Sponsored by the Rock & Gem Club

THURSDAY • MARCH 24
11:00 AM - 12:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

Special Events



Crazy Night Golf

\$1.00 p.p. pay at event
Bring putter. Provided if needed.



Start planning your "glow wear" today!

Sign up in the
Activity Office

Trophy For
Lowest Score!

"Best Lit"
costume prizes
for men &
women!

THURSDAY • MARCH 24
7:00 PM • PUTTING GREEN

TGIR - Thank God I'm Retired! **HAPPY HOUR**

Bring your
favorite snacks,
beverage and
glass for a few
laughs and
great company
in the Baja
Bistro for TGIR!

*With Music
by Oly Mann*



BYOB, Snacks & Glass
Ice & Water Provided

FRIDAY • FEBRUARY 25
3:00 - 5:30 PM • BAJA BISTRO

VENTURE OUT YEAR END CELEBRATION

Tickets \$10.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, March 16

Come enjoy a stage show by Britain's Finest, a
hot dog or hamburger and a cool beverage to
wind down the season. Bring your own chair.

BYOB

MENU

Hamburgers & Hot Dogs
at the Veranda



Brought to you with special help from the
Tennis, Shuffleboard, Lawn Bowling, &
Bocce Ball Clubs

SATURDAY • MARCH 26
FOOD SERVED 5:00PM • PRE-SHOW 6:00 PM
SHOW 7:00 PM • SPORTSPLEX

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 • MARCH 28
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
BAJA BISTRO

Special Events

TOWER POINT BAND CONCERT



**A 65-piece
concert
band**

**performing
a variety of music for
your listening pleasure
(Pass the Hat)**

**MONDAY • MARCH 28
7:00 PM • BUENA VISTA
BALLROOM**

TORTELLINI & ALFREDO LUNCH

Tickets \$11.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, March 23

MENU

Tortellini in an
alfredo sauce,
served with a
Caesar salad &
garlic bread



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**TUESDAY • MARCH 29
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO**

FISH FRYDAY

Tickets \$12.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, March 23



MENU

Fried Cod with
Tartar Sauce, Baked
Potato & a Chef's
Choice Vegetable

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**FRIDAY • APRIL 1
5:00 - 6:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO**

USA **Venture Out's** **Outrageous,** **Outlandish Olympics!**

Only one team will be crowned VO Spring
Olympic Champion

To sign up your team of 12 or get placed on
an existing team, call Peggy Hill at 507-382-
3834

No athletic skill required

Game judge volunteers also needed.

All games played outside.

Cost per team is \$96.00 (\$8.00 per person,
includes wrap-up awards party)

Deadline to sign up is March 16.

**APRIL 4-6 • 8:45 AM
BEGINNING IN THE
BAJA BISTRO EACH DAY**

2022 Social Board

Meet your
2022 Social
Board
Nominees,
and make
sure to attend
the Annual
Social Club
Meeting on
March 15.

A quorum of
Active Social
Club
Members is
needed.



My name is Alice Anderson, and I would like to represent you on the Social Board.

My husband Drew and I live at 204 Debonair. We have owned our property in Venture Out for 25 years and have lived here for eight. We became year around residents last year.

I am a retired Registered Nurse and have a Masters Degree in Administration.

I am currently a member of the Sewing Club and am a Past President of Sewing. Our cat is a member of the Pet Association. I volunteer in the kitchen quite a bit.

I have served on the Condo Board of Directors for 3 years and was President for two of those years. I currently serve on the Condo Board Finance Committee.

I have served on a number of Boards during my career, Hospice and Visiting Nurses being two of them. I also oversaw the building of an Assisted Living Facility.

I was part of the Condo Board team that negotiated the 2020 contract between Social Club and the Condo Board.

While I was already supportive of the Social Club model, the negotiations allowed me to further learn more about how the Social Club operates and benefits Venture Out.

As a Social Board Director my goal is to further support our Social Club model of working with clubs, both large and small, to have the best facilities we can afford.

I would also like to see the continuation of our developing food service program and our many Recreation Department activities.

Like many of you I enjoy living in Venture Out and would like to be a part of its future.

2023 Venture Out Concert Series

6 National Acts will take stage in the Buena Vista Ballroom

Series Tickets for all 6 shows \$102 (\$17 each)
Guarantees you the same seat for each show at a discount price

**Season Tickets will be on sale through the
Activities Office starting **March 16-18.****

*From March 16 through March 18, Concert Series Ticket sales will be limited to those **repeating** seats from the previous year. March 23 through March 25, all other Series Ticket Holders will be able to come in and choose new seats. From March 30 through April 1, all Series Tickets will be open to everyone to purchase.*

Regular tickets will go on sale 2 weeks prior to the event.

2023 Concert Series Shows

January 9

AbbaFab Show – *A tribute to the music of Abba*

January 23

Jeff Dayton – *A salute to Glenn Campbell*

February 6

Sherie Rae Parker – *An incredible tribute to Bette Midler*

February 20

Mick Adams & the Stones – *Authentic recreation of The Stones*

March 6

Kevin Johnson – *“Master Ventriloquist” from America’s Got Talent*

March 20

Ted Vigil – *John Denver Tribute Artist*

2023 Concert Series & Seating

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← Location of (East Pool) East Wing

Section A

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| 26 | 25 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 |
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SECTION A
156 Seats

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SECTION F
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SECTION E
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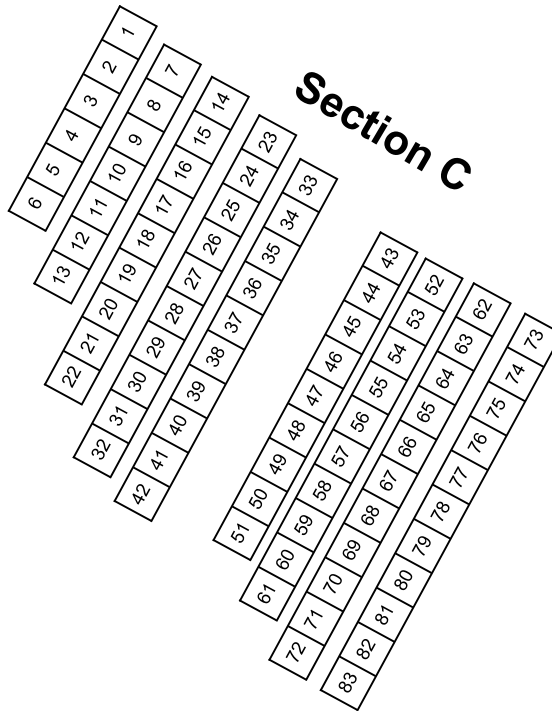
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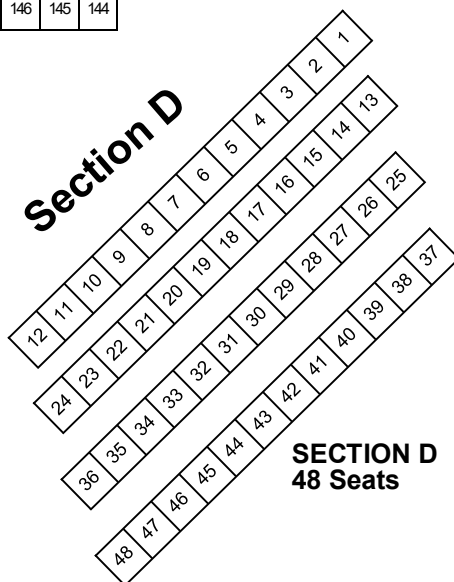
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SECTION B
156 Seats



SECTION C
83 Seats



SECTION D
48 Seats

NOTE:

* Please refer to the Concert Series & Special Performance Reservation form for pricing.

* **Red Seats Section F Seat 56 and 57 =** Seat unavailable. Reserved for Concert Series raffle winners

Special Events

WALDORF CHICKEN SALAD LUNCH

Tickets \$10.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, March 30

MENU

Waldorf chicken salad served with toasted almonds available on the side, a mini croissant and a banana bread cream



BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS

THURSDAY • APRIL 7
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

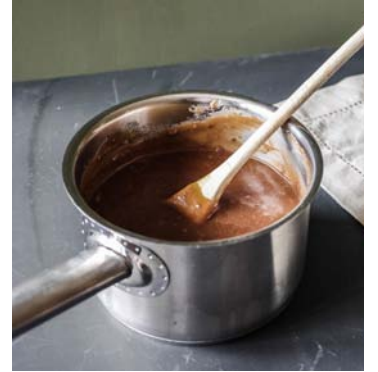
Biscuits & Gravy

Tickets \$7.00

Deadline: 3:00 pm Wednesday,
March 30

Menu

Biscuits &
Sausage
Gravy



Bring your own utensils.
Sponsored by the Recreation Department

SATURDAY • APRIL 9
8:00 - 10:00 AM • BAJA BISTRO

APRICOT GLAZED PORK LOIN LUNCH

Tickets \$12.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, April 6

MENU

Apricot glazed pork loin with mashed potatoes & Chef's Veggie



BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS

WEDNESDAY • APRIL 13
11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
BAJA BISTRO

FISH FRYDAY

Tickets \$10.00

available from the Activity Office. Deadline:
3:00 pm Wednesday, April 6

MENU

Fried Shrimp,
Baked Potato with
Sour Cream &
Butter and a
Mixed Vegetable



BRING YOUR OWN UTENSILS

FRIDAY • APRIL 15
5:00 - 6:00 PM • BAJA BISTRO

Board Nominees



Susan Lavoie: My partner, Allan Langhofer and I live at 246 Navajo. We have been owners in Venture Out since 2019.

Before retiring I was an accountant in Canada. During my career I was a controller of a multibranch furniture business and later operated my own public accounting practice. We did financial reporting, budgets, business plans and taxes for small businesses, their shareholders, and not-for-profit organizations.

As a volunteer I have been an active member of the Dawson Creek Rotary Club of over 20 years in the capacity of treasurer, club president, and director of our local chapter. I belonged to Toastmasters for several years, on the board of Community Futures and was the treasurer of our Agricultural Society. As a Certified General Accountant, and later as a Certified Public Accountant, I was chair of the local chapter, tutored tax students and invigilated exams for many years.

In Venture Out I am a member of Sunshine Carvers, pickleball, Spanish lessons and Electronics club. I volunteer with clubs' fundraising events when time permits.

As a director on the Social Board, I have enjoyed acting as liaison for various clubs and attended their business meetings. I have met a lot of wonderful Venture Out residents who work hard to maintain the great community that it is.

I would like to continue to serve on the Social Board and help support the outstanding clubs with their activities and the residents of this amazing community of Venture Out.



Leslie Meyer, 5 Merlin, has been a full time Venture Out resident for one year, owner for three years.

Leslie devotes time and energy to a variety of clubs and activities at Venture Out, through both active participation and volunteer support. These include Pet Club, pickleball, women's pool, pool exercise, Chef Arthur's kitchen, dances, dinners and lunches, poker runs, and the library.

Leslie dedicated twenty-one years to the art of education as both a high school and college English instructor. While working as an educator, Leslie engaged her organizational skills to create and implement for everyone concerned. During her sixteen years in the Gilbert School District Leslie led cooperative learning teams, which worked toward improving the educational experience for all students. She also led a group of teachers who incorporated input from administrators, teachers, and community leaders in writing the Mission, Vision, and Values of Mesquite High School.

As a military spouse her organizational skills were valuable to both her family and other Navy wives. She often led wives' meetings, helping the less experienced wives cope with six-month deployments, and her ability to organize the many household moves made the transition less disruptive to her family.

Leslie believes in and supports the Venture Out mission statement that this community is "where friendship, cooperation and volunteerism are highly valued" and she looks forward to the opportunity to make a positive contribution to this commitment.

Special Events

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!**

Silversmith Club's Jewelry Sale - March & April



Our artists are offering one-of-a-kind, handmade, beautiful items made right here at Venture Out, all at great prices. Come to the Silversmith Club studio (by the Dog Park) Mondays through Fridays from 9:00 AM to noon and pick out a treasure!

**MONDAY - FRIDAY • MARCH THRU APRIL
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
SILVERSMITH BUILDING**

Free Tennis Everyone Welcome!



The Tennis Club invites all residents to join us for Drop-In Tennis! This is a *free* program for members and especially non-members who might like an introduction to the Club or the game. All experience levels welcome. Loaner rackets available. Thursdays at 3:30 PM at the Tennis Center.

**THURSDAYS • 3:30 PM
SPORTSPLEX**

Room Reservation forms for the 2022-2023 season are now available from the Activity Office . Completed forms will be accepted in the Activity Office.

Club Meetings! Private

Parties!

Card Games!

Everything

in Between!

Forms must

be

submitted.



**COMPLETED FORMS ACCEPTED
IN THE ACTIVITY OFFICE**

Clubs and Organizations

AMATEUR RADIO CLUB

On February 23, the Sunlife Radio Club sponsored the annual Snowbird Field Day at Red Mountain Park. The purpose of Field Day is to allow hams to practice emergency communications. It was a very cold day with heavy wind and rain. Members brought food that was to be served for lunch at noon, but as the weather got worse, Sue Rodgers, President of Sunlife Radio Club, told everyone to go to her church where they were able to have a delicious lunch in a warm, dry space. The VOARC will provide security again for the final 5K Run/Walk of the year on **Wednesday, March 16.**

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 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 shop 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. Let's Roll!

BOCCE BALL CLUB

Sandra Sheph
563-583-8883

Lessons are held on **Wednesday** at **9:00 am**. Congratulations to the Doubles Tournament winners Jackie Heronema

and Colleen Paul. The year-end party will be **March 19** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom** with happy hour **5:00 pm** and dinner **6:00 pm**. The band will start at **7:00 pm**.

CROQUET

Mary Waitrovich

Please sign up at the courts for our singles tournament **March 14, 15, and 16** and the Doubles tournament on **March 21, 22, and 23**. Our one club meeting and annual party for the season will be at **4:00 pm** on **Friday, March 25th** at the **Tennis Courts Veranda**. A chicken dinner will be served. Club officers are elected at this meeting so please consider getting more involved and running for an office. Croquet lessons are on Wednesdays and open play is available all day, every day, for everyone.

ELECTRONICS CLUB

Ted Clark
406-656-1777

E-Club has the capability to transfer 8mm movies, slides, photos, VCR tapes, and VCR Cassette tapes to digital media. A small roll of 8mm movie transfer to digital using a company that provides that service will run you about \$20.00 per roll. If you are an E-Club member there is no limit as to the number of transfers you can do. This is a major cost savings to any E-Club member. So REMEMBER to bring the items you want to transfer with you next season. Our Volunteer Appreciation Dinner is **Friday, March 18** at

4:30 pm in the **Oasis**. Sign up at Electronics.

GENEALOGY INTEREST GROUP

Barbara Henderson
208-604-6084

The final meeting for this season will be held in the **Cabana** and on **ZOOM March 16** at **7:00 pm**. Everyone is welcome to join and share ideas and sources we can use to widen our own knowledge in genealogy research. Contact David Antonson for information on accessing the ZOOM meeting. You can contact him at David Antonson at davidbantanson@comcast.net for the access codes to ZOOM.

GLASS ARTS STUDIO

Joan Solberg
480-703-5953

Still time to get tickets for the grand Parmesan Chicken Dinner held on **Tuesday, March 15**, the day before our wind-up party held in the ballroom on **Wednesday, March 16**. Helpers needed for both events. Sign-up sheets on the bulletin board by the entrance door. New members, please get involved. You are appreciated!

GLEE GROUP

JODI FAITH
639-339-1333

Now planning an Oktoberfest performance for fall as well as other events the 2022 season. 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. Call Jodi for more info!

GOLF ASSOCIATION 9-HOLE GOLFERS

Judy Sell
503-407-0182

The second day of our tournament will be played tomorrow, **Saturday, March 12**. Our Awards dinner and Wind-up Party, (which is open to everyone, whether you play in the tournament or not), will be held **March 22** in the **Baja Bistro**. We will be having Lasagna, Caesar salad, Garlic toast, and Tiramisu. Details are posted on our board in the hallway, and we will sell tickets for the dinner on **March 15** during regular sign-ups. Low Gross and Low Net will receive trophies; there will be cash awards or LG & LN by flight. There will also be drawings for prizes.

GREEN LIVING ALERT

Mary Brannin
406-239-6829

STORM WATER MONITORING PART 2 1.) Use a commercial car wash if possible. To wash your vehicle at home, use a bucket with phosphate-free biodegradable detergent. Dispose of wash water into a sink or toilet. 2.) Use pesticides, fertilizers, lawn care products sparingly; according to label instructions. 3.) Do not sweep or wash yard debris into the street. 4.) Keep household chemicals in labeled, closed containers. Leftover household paint, used oil, cleaners, and yard

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Clubs and Organizations

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chemicals, must be disposed of or recycled. Take these items to Household Hazardous Waste sites. 5.) Clean runoff is a community effort that begins long before it rains.

HANDYMEN - FOR SALE

Al Judson
907-957-2315

By sealed bid, the Handymen are selling the 10-inch Powermade Table Saw Model 66 3HP 220 Volt, Cast Iron Table with side mounted router. Table may be seen at the Handyman shop **Monday - Friday, 8:30 - to 11:30 am** until **March 11** when bids open at **10:00 am**. Money from the sale goes directly to the Social Board. A reserve is placed on the Saw of \$1800.00. For information and questions call Al Judson. •

HIKING GROUP

Jim Cox
515-999-9554

We offer three hikes into the Sonoran Desert of varying distances, elevation gain and difficulty on **Mondays** plus a hike on **Wednesdays**. The Venturing Soles group typically goes longer distances with more elevation. The Happy Hikers go middle distances while the Tortoise Trekkers go shorter distances with minimal elevation gain. Everyone's welcome, but contact Bob Schneider (715-588-3034) for a capability check if you haven't hiked with us before. *Arrive at the Community Center no later than 7:15 am to arrange carpooling.* **Departure is 7:30 am**

sharp! Hike details for the coming week are posted on the Post Office sign-up wall.

KITCHEN BAND

Maggie Kleisath
608-732-6686

Please feel free to come to one of our rehearsals on **Mondays at 2:00 pm at the Oasis**. New members are always welcome. •

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Mark Chandler
360-202-7177

Please join us for an excellent study of God's Word. Don't miss the excellent discussion, learning & fellowship! Every **Wednesday at 8:00 - 9:00 am** in the Sonoran. *Paul Harrington will continue teaching on relevant current topics (4 weeks) * 4 ways by which God reveals Himself to us * The Prodigal sons * Why do bad things happen to good people? * How the Bible came to be / 10 proofs of the Resurrection * Coffee & Donuts served.* •

MICHIGAN PARTY

Ann Diehm
231-878-0614

The Michigan gathering will be a happy hour at the **Desert Terrace on Friday, March 11 from 4:00 - 5:00 pm**. An invitation from the committee to you with details about the event will be delivered to you. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Post Office hallway - only the first 55 people will be admitted. There will be a \$2.00 fee for the party collected at the door. Masks are strongly encouraged. If you do not receive an invitation, call Laurene Snyder 231-432-0439 or

Karen Merckx
608-778-9334. •

MOBILE NOBLES SHRINERS

Larry Bain
406-871-3530

We thank the residents and employees for recycling aluminum cans. The money for the collection goes to the Shriners Children's Hospitals. Collection of construction aluminum is also recycled. Collection sites are located at both pools, laundry, bathhouse #1, in back of the Administration Bldg and at both dumpster sites. The monthly meetings are held on the third **Thursday at the Oasis 7:00 pm November through March**. Volunteers are need to collect cans and clean construction aluminum. •

NATIONAL MAHJ JONGG

Vikki Lane Kunstman
vikkikunstman@gmail.com

National Mahj Jongg players are welcome to play **Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm** in the **Card Room** above the Activity Office. You will need bring the National Mahj Jongg card 2021. The new card 2022 will be available at the end of March. If you have questions please email: vikkikunstman@gmail.com. See you Tuesday evening. •

NOT YOUR MOTHER'S BOARD GAMES

Leslie Connelly
480-272-0850

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 Antiquity Quest, Las Vegas Dice, 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. •

PARKINSONS / TREMBLE CLEFS

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

Mesa Tremble Clefs will present a Concert on **Monday, March 21 at 3:00 pm, in the Cabana**. The concert is free and open to the public. Please come and see what this Music Therapy for Parkinson's is all about. Our first meeting of this group was January 10 this year. We are excited that we have 18-20 Parkinson's patients and their caregivers every week. The facial and throat exercises and the singing help to strengthen and stretch the vocal chords which are often adversely affected by Parkinson's. We have a good time singing and supporting each other. We hope to see you on the 21st!

PEO

Karen Merckx
608-778-9334

Call 608-778-9334 if you have questions. Future dates are **March 14** and **April 11**. ••

Clubs and Organizations

PET ASSOCIATION

Natalie Drake
206-353-5743

Dogs may be walked on the streets of VO, on a 5ft leash. Not on any other common areas of the park. Please carry a plastic bag and a water bottle to clean up any accidents. •

PICKLEBALL

Judy Schad

What a great season we've had this year! Our membership roars past 633 active members. Happy Hour is **Wednesdays** at the courts **4:00 - 6:00 pm** with music! Our General Membership Meeting is **March 15, 4:00 pm** at the courts. Our election will be held for 3 board positions. Voting will be online or a paper ballot is available at the meeting. The annual WrapUp Party is scheduled for **March 20** at the Patio. Happy Hour **5:00 pm** BYOB, Dinner **5:30 pm**, Music **7:00 pm**. Get your tickets. For our season this fall, Group Play invites will be sent out mid-October. Since we have limited court availability-members can only play in one group. We all need to strive to be "Heavy Dinkers!"

POOL ROOM

Dale Henderson
403-681-4610

In Park **Thursday afternoon**, 10-Ball Tournaments (In the **Poolroom**, by the Post Office) Every **Thursday, 1:15 pm** registration, **1:30 pm** start \$1.00 entry fee. Pool Room Association memberships (2022/2023) available, just \$10.00.

ROCK & GEM

LAPIDARY
Steve Wood
563-468-1187

Not a lot of news as the season is wearing down - however we have our last "Make It & Take It" with acrylic paint on tiles and canvas on **March 16**. However, this class is full but stop by and check if there is a vacancy - leave your name and phone number and the shop may hold one last class if the interest is there.

SEWING CLUB

Sally Laubach
715-299-0127

Thanks you to all who supported us at our Trio Salad Luncheon! Congratulations to all of the raffle winners. Our next Sewing Club meeting will be held at **9:00 am** on **March 14** in the **Sewing Room**. We will be sewing for AZB4K on **Monday, March 21** and hope to have a full room! Be sure to check our bulletin board for upcoming classes. Sign up and pay with a monitor to save your place.

SHUFFLEBOARD

Vicki VanSlyke
509-703-2807

Be sure to get your tickets for Ribs & Bibs on **March 13**. Check the sign-up sheet to help; also sign up for the March 15 Turkey Shoot. The winners of the last Turkey Shoot were: First - Clare McParland and Diane Obert; Second - Rick VanSlyke, Paul Summer and Anne Strain; Third - Alan Shampaign and Lynn Stark. **Mondays** are our Ice Cream fundraiser **1:00 - 3:00 pm** - sign up to help.

This is the last month for this fundraiser. Don't forget the year-end banquet on **March 19** at the **Oasis** - sign-up sheets at the courts.

SILVERSMITH CLUB

Thom Davis
360-477-8006

Just in case you missed our Christmas and Valentine's Day Jewelry Sale you're in luck! Come visit us at the Silversmith studio, which is located by the Dog Park, and do some window shopping. You will see beautiful works of art in many different styles, all of which have been made by our members, and every piece is ready to go home with you. Even better, stop by when we're open (**Monday through Friday mornings from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon**) to make your purchase.

SLEEPING MAT COLLECTION

Dena Grutz

Please bring all completed mats to our last **Tuesday** meeting on **March 22**. We will take a group photo. The mats this year will be donated to Paz de Cristo. We will hold no meeting on **Tuesday, March 15** due to 6:30 pm dinners in the Baja Bistro. A huge thanks to those who cut and looped bags, who crocheted and weaved the many mats.

SOLOS SOCIAL CLUB

Dale Laube
309-883-0316

Meet others without a spouse every **Thursday at 4:00 pm** in the **Oasis** with the ladies bringing food and the men bringing a

beverage. Solo members end of the year party is **March 21** - let us know if you can attend.

SPLASHERS

Robbie Oldemar

Do you want to have some fun? Join the Splashers in the **West Pool** on **Monday, Wednesday and Friday - 1:00 - 2:30 pm** for "Senior Water Volleyball". If you're not sure, you can always watch and cheer us on! Open to all seniors in the park - no previous experience necessary. •

SUNSHINE & GOURD CARVERS

Karen Kleinstuber
612-812-4444

We are busy working on new and ongoing projects and the gourders are discovering different ways to carve many shapes and sizes of gourds. Come visit our shop. On **March 17** between **12:00 - 3:00 pm** the woodcarvers will have a carve-off during the Corned Beef Luncheon. Our members will have 1 1/2 hours to carve a designated project to be judged at the event. •

TABLE TENNIS/ PING PONG

Al Manter
253-584-6307

We play **Monday, Tuesday and Friday 7:00 - 9:00 pm** in the **Auxiliary Ballroom**, also **Thursday 3:15 - 5:30 pm**. **Saturday** we play from **9:00 am - 12:00 pm**. **Sunday** is open play from **9:00 am - 4:14 pm**. Dues are \$10/season.

Clubs and Organizations

TENNIS CLUB

Patricia Murphy
563-340-6404

The Tennis Windup Dance takes place on **March 12** at the **Veranda**. Tickets available from Deb Evans. The Sunday Ladder II occurs **March 13** at **12:00 pm** at the **Tennis Courts**. Mixed Doubles Tournament at Sunland Springs Village **March 14 – 19**. Skill Building Workshops **March 17** and **24** at **12:30 pm**. FUN Tennis **March 19** starting at **8:30 am**. 'Appy Hour with Music on **March 23** at **4:00 pm** on the **Veranda**. Non-members are welcome for Drop-In Tennis- **Thursdays at 3:30**. See votennisclub.com "Event Calendar" for more info. Contact Janice Maurer (260-615-1310) to become a new or renewing member.

TEXAS HOLD-EM

Gorden Abar
480-404-1234
Don Reuter
701-226-4763

Texas Hold-em is held on **Wednesdays 7:00 pm** in the **Auxiliary Ballroom**.

THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY

Linda Martin
480-812-5110

A two-day workshop on The Book of Revelations Past, Present & Future will be presented on consecutive **Saturdays March 19** and **26** in the **Cabana** at **8:30 am - 12:30 pm**. All study materials provided - a \$5 donation is suggested. Bring your own beverage and snacks; breaks will be each hour and the workshops will start on time and end on time. Please

register to attend to Lauren Deckor
lauran1945@yahoo.com or call/text 702-659-0765.

WISCONSIN PARTY

Rhonda Viney
608-642-4112

Our Wisconsin Party was a great success. The food was very good, the Wisconsin-related prizes and cash made it fun, and people enjoyed getting together. We give a very special thanks to Lee & Becky Nelson for donating the Wisconsin cheese as the appetizer and to Helen Bierstedt for the beautiful Wisconsin quilt. We are also thankful for the committee that planned the event -- Dave & Sarah, Maggie, Bill & Dena, Bill & Jean, Esther, Wally & Kathy, Mick & Rhonda -- these Platteville folks are the best! Watch the Out-Lines next season for WI Party announcements.

WOOD SHOP

Kent Morrison
435-881-9248

The famous Wood Shop Raffle for 2022 is history! Thanks to everyone who made items and/or purchased Raffle tickets. It was very successful! Knife sharpening is scheduled for Wednesday mornings at the Wood Shop. Bring in your knives and contact a monitor (Red Hat). \$1 per knife. Several classes start at random. Come and learn some new skills and make some wonderful projects. Club membership is open all the season so you are invited to come join in the fun and fellowship.

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

Pinochle

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

Texas Hold-um

Wed • 7:00 pm • Aux
Ballroom



Fun times at the 02/22/2022 two two party

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

FRIDAY SEMINAR "American History"



This month we will discuss the years following the creation of the Constitution - Washington's terms as president - the Bill of Rights - Whiskey Rebellion and other major events during the first two decades of the American Constitution - Speaker: Ron Gumm

FRIDAY • MARCH 11
1:30 PM • AUXILIARY BALLROOM

ELECTRONICS CLASSES

Why Chromebook is Good for Seniors

Wednesday, March 16 at 1:00 pm in the Oasis

- Lightweight, relatively inexpensive, long battery life and a keyboard.
 - Learnable in 3-5 hours compared to Windows 30-hour learning curve.
 - Virtually immune to viruses
 - Software updates are automatic
 - Essentially works right out of the box
 - Powerful enough for the needs of 80% of seniors
- Presentation on the **Chromebook** by Alex Young

ELECTRONICS BUILDING

Venture Out's Irish 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 • MARCH 16 • 10:00 AM
9:45 AM WARM-UP STRETCHES
OUTSIDE FRONT COMMUNITY CENTER

Let's Get Cooking with Chef Arthur: Chillin' & Grillin'



Learn master Grilling Techniques 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 25 participants.

WEDNESDAY • MARCH 23
2:00 PM • BBQ AREA

Classes, Seminars & Wellness

Let's Get Cooking with Chef Arthur: Mediterranean Diet



Learn the basics of cooking this healthy and delicious diet 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 15 participants.

**TUESDAY • APRIL 19
2:00 PM**

COMMUNITY CENTER KITCHEN

Fired Clay Arts Classes



Be sure to stop into Fired Clay Arts to view our new classes. There will be bunnies, scraffito, luminaries, etc.

Most classes are only \$15.

**FIRED CLAY ARTS
STUDIO**

7:30 WEST POOL WATER EXERCISE

Robbie Oldemar

It's light at 7:30 am now so you can join us in the West Pool for some exercise.

The pool is warm and the hot tub is warmer, so it is a great way to start your day.

We do gentle aerobic exercise and stretching. Meet some new friends and join a fun group in the Morning every **Monday - Friday**.

9:00 A.M. WATER AEROBICS EAST POOL APPRECIATION GATHERING

**Rhonda Viney
608-642-4112**

The 9 a.m. Water Aerobics East Pool Appreciation Gathering will be on

Monday, March 14 right after our class. Save the date! Please plan to come to say thank-you to our leader, Carole. More info will be distributed at the pool in the coming days.

BALLROOM DANCE CLASSES SHALL WE DANCE PHOENIX

**Mona Brandt
480-491-2393**

Join us and learn to dance **Monday** afternoons in the **Auxiliary Ballroom**

1:50 pm: Waltz 1:50-2:40 pm; Cha Cha 2:40 - 3:30 pm. The fees are : any one class \$10/person, 2 classes \$15/person and \$20 for all 3 classes. You do not need a partner - all are welcome. For more information call Mona Brandt or shallwedancephoenix.com

BEADING

**Bonnie Powell
208-610-0716**

We are having a lot of fun beading. Come join us. Never beaded before? We have a class for you, making a pretty wrap

bracelet. Cost for materials is \$8.00. Experienced beaders come share your knowledge. We meet **Mondays and Wednesdays 12:45 to 3:00 pm** in the **Card Room** above the **Activity Office**.

BEGINNERS LINE DANCING

**Liz Johnson
712-298-4019**

Beginners Line Dancing takes place **Thursdays at 12:15 pm** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom** with Intermediates at **1:25 pm**. We will be taking donations for the instructor - please give them the person on the stage.

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 **Buena Vista Ballroom every Thursday morning at 8:45 am**. 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 Manzardo
231-676-1782**

Join us **Monday through Friday** in the **Buena Vista Ballroom 7:25 -7:55 am** for the early bird exercise class.

EAST POOL WATER AEROBICS PARTIES

**Rhonda Viney
608-642-4112**

Monday, March 14, EPC Cabana Room 9:00 am class party is right after our class. **10:00 am**

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Classes, Seminars & Wellness

class party is at **noon**. Our time at VO is winding down for many of us. Please plan to come to say thank-you to our water aerobics leaders who volunteer their time each day. Enjoy the good company, too! You should already have picked up an info sheet at your class time with details about what to bring, etc. Call Rhonda if you have questions.

EAST POOL WATER EXERCISE

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

Did you know that... many people benefit from aquatic exercise including those wanting to increase general fitness, maintain or increase mobility, improve balance and coordination, lose weight and increase metabolism, spinal disorders, fibromyalgia, Parkinson's, arthritis and others. Using the natural resistance and buoyancy of water, our classes target specific muscle groups while helping increase cardiovascular endurance, energy, stamina, strength and balance. Bathing suit, water for hydration (plastic bottle) and a smile required. See you at the pool!

STRETCH AND TONE

Joe & Kathy Blitgen
563-451-4828

Calling all men and women to a FREE Stretch & Tone Class. Come join us at the **Buena Vista Ballroom Monday - Friday 8:00-8:30 am**. Weights on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. All you need to bring is your mat and weights.

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 outside at the Game Center, (old Pickleball courts) **9:00-10:00am Monday - Wednesday - Friday**. Each class consists of: *Gentle warm-up exercises, *the "Flow" (VO's full Tai Chi routine), and *Movement instruction. Tai Chi calms your mind, gets your blood flowing, your joints lubricated, and is a fun and peaceful start to your day.

TAP DANCING CLASS

Suzanne Schultz
313-205-9275

Tap dance classes will be offered weekly next season. Anyone with basic tap skills or beyond or an aptitude for dance is welcome. Make sure to pack your tap shoes when getting ready to travel back to VO. Classes will offer a combination of Broadway and Rhythm tap styles using low impact steps and combinations. Call Suzanne with questions.

WEDNESDAY MORNING FREE DRAWING CLASS

Annette Ripplinger
503-267-2000

Grab a sharp pencil, an eraser, and a drawing

tablet, and join us at **9:30 am** in the **Sonoran** every **Wednesday** till the end of **March** for a relaxing 90 minutes of instruction and practice. All levels of experience are welcome. We will be going on location at **10:00 am** to draw VO's picturesque areas. In case you come later, I'll write our location on the white board. Umbrellas, fountains, more trees, and maybe even cars are possible subjects. Pack some sunscreen, water, and a sun hat for a comfortable experience.

WEST POOL WATER EXERCISE

Vicki Lingen
701-381-2808
Roxanne Pfab
563-599-9046

At **8:00 - 8:45 am Monday** through **Saturday** we have noodle class before the **9:00 am** class. Join us for a low-impact whole body workout. This is a co-ed class - meet new friends and have a lot of fun. Save **March 25 at 3:00 pm** for the end of the year party at the **Oasis** - please bring appetizers to share and BYOB. Plates, silverware and napkins will be provided.

YOGA 7:15 AM & 11:00 AM

Al Manter
253-584-6307

Yoga DVD classes are held at the **Auxiliary Ballroom Monday through Friday 7:15 and 11:00 am**. Mats and straps are not provided but some blocks are available. Come join us for some very good stretch exercises.

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 -

Thurs • 8:45 am • BV Ballroom

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

This and That

It's Time To Register **YOUR PET**

A Few Things to Know About Pets in Venture Out

1. Pets are required to be registered at the Activity Office. 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. You will also receive stickers for your badge, and a "Rules & Guidelines for Pets at Venture Out".
2. Pets are to be on a leash unless in the gated Pet Walk area or in your private yard.
3. Pets may be walked on the streets and sidewalks of VO. They may not be taken to "do their business" in yards other than your own, or any common areas other than the Pet Walk. Be prepared to clean up any accidents that may occur when walking your dog (carry bags and water).
4. Pets are not allowed on any common areas other than the Pet Walk, streets, and sidewalks.
5. When using the Pet Walk, use the Entrance and Exits as marked.
6. A Pet Wash is available for your use. Please bring and take your own supplies.
7. For more information, please read Section 2, Article 8 in our Condominium Rule & Regulations.

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**



Out-Lines Assembly Volunteers:

**Out-Lines Assembly
has begun in the
Baja Bistro. The
Next date is Friday
March 25 starting at
7:00 am!**

The Audio Visual Services Club is seeking your help.

The Audio-Visual Service Club seeks Volunteers

The Audio Visual Service Club handles the lights, the microphones, the camera and much more during Venture Out common functions such Condo and Social Board meetings and events, as well as the Church services, Hams at Heart and many other presentations scheduled and approved by the activity director and social board or as mandated by the condo board.

Are you looking to contribute to the volunteerism in the park? We'd love to have your help. Prior audio visual experience is a plus, but not required. We will train you.

Please contact club president Matt Haapala phone 480.981.0466 or email haapala4478@gmail.com with your questions and for more information. Or, just attend the Buena Vista Ballroom on a Saturday between 10 – 12 am. We'd love to have you on board.

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.

This and That

Star Volunteer

*Way to go,
Forrest Simmons*

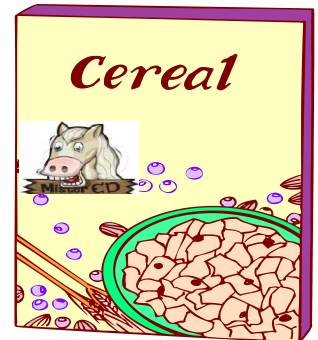


Forrest Simmons moved to Venture Out 16 years ago with his wife Jan. A large portion of his volunteer time has been dedicated to the Pet Association. He served as their

President, and he continues to help them with decorations, spring cleanup, and the “worst” volunteer job at VO which is hosing down the entry into the dog park several times a week. He faithfully oversees the Pet Memorial plaque, updating it, and protecting it over the summer. Forrest served as President of the VO Foundation for the past 3 years. Jan and he hosted “Trivia” at the Bistro for several years. Currently Forrest is a volunteer at the Activity Center (4 years) and in the kitchen. A true star volunteer to the VO residents and their dogs! Congratulation Forrest!

A “Food Donation Box” will be available in the Activity Office beginning March 11. Before you leave for the season, clean out your cupboards and fridge and donate your

non-perishable & perishable food items to assist local food banks.



Star Volunteer

Way to go, Keith & Linda Wurgler



Keith & Linda Wurgler have lived in VO for 10 years and began volunteering almost immediately. You can find them in almost every corner

of the park. They help in the kitchen at the pickleball courts and community center; help with the tennis tournaments; get the coffee and donuts ready for the Grapevine; clean the shuffleboard courts and host the North Dakota party. Linda also works bingo and Keith serves on the architectural committee. Their volunteerism isn't confined to VO because in the summer they volunteer at the Medora Musical and at the Theodore Roosevelt National Park.

Star Volunteer

*Way to go,
Mike Ellis*



Mike Ellis has lived in VO for 33 years. He served on the Condo Board from 2012-2015 and as president in

2015. As a member he was a key player in acquiring the solar panels at the Community Center. He has been a driving force in the Pool Room for over 20 years establishing the monthly jumbo hot dog lunch and serving as an officer. He also runs the pool tournaments as well as being the captain of the Cactus League pool team.

This and That



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.**

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 |
|------|----------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 3/11 | Chasing Fireflies | Charles Martin | Leslie Connelly |
| 3/25 | Killers of the Flower Moon | David Grann | Ann Schultz |
| 4/8 | Klara and the Sun | Kazuo Ishiguro | Diane Tarrent |

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Ken & Jan Dawlin
Mar 11 60 yrs
Max & Coletta Rouse
Mar 16 69 yrs
Annette & Ron Schilling
Mar 16 54 yrs
Judy & Brian Lally
Apr 10
Carol & Kare Lid
Apr 14 60 yrs

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Kenneth Dowlin Mar 11
Susie Griffith Mar 11
Rick Van Slyke Apr 6



HAVE YOU HEARD?

To submit information
Email
outlines@ventureoutvresort.com
or Activity Office at
480-832-9000

Cladene Becker of 516 Boing passed away February 22. Condolences may be sent to their daughter, Teresa Boraas at 804 Ski View Drive, Sherrard, IL 61281.

Jack Taylor of 412 Navajo passed away March 5. Condolences may be sent to his wife Linda Taylor at 5001 E. Main St. #871 Mesa, Az 85205.





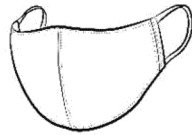
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Robbie Oldemar
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to Reserve Your Seats!

Spring – Fall 2022 Custom Motorcoach Trips, Cruises & Tours!
Our Custom Motorcoach Trips are always hosted by one of your favorite Tour Directors!

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.



PECAN & WINE FESTIVAL

\$109 March 19

Fun day! We'll stop for lunch, then on to the Pecan & Wine Festival! You'll receive a commemorative wine glass, &

tickets for 6 wine tastings at the Festival! You can browse the food trucks, local artisans & crafters, enjoy live music, or visit the beer gardens on your own. Also includes Tour Director and motorcoach transportation from East Mesa.

MUSIC CITIES: BRANSON, MEMPHIS & NASHVILLE

Oct 13-20 \$3095 pp dbl, \$3895 single

8 Days of great music & entertainment in Branson, Memphis, Graceland & Nashville, including the Grand Old Opry!



Start your musical experience travelling to St Louis! Following a City Tour, head to Branson for one of the top shows, *The Duttons!* Also enjoy the Doug Gabriel Show, and an evening dinner cruise on the Showboat Branson Belle, and experience Shoji Tabuchi. Travel to Little Rock to visit the Clinton

Persidential Museum enroute to Memphis. Tour Graceland, enjoy a city tour, see the National Civil Rights Museum, the Peabody Hotel, and dinner on Beale Street! Last stop is Nashville, with accommodations at the Gaylord Opryland Resort (with a show!), for a City Tour, visit the Parthenon replica, Old Ryman Auditorium, Music Row, Country Music Hall of Fame, and Farewell Dinner.

Includes Home Pickup, RT air from PHX, 7 Nights' Hotel, 7 Breakfasts & 4 Dinners. See Flyer for full details & Terms & Conditions. Optional Travel Protection available. Cancellation Penalties apply. *Payable by check or CC to AFC Tours.*

MAGNOLIA TRAIL & THE HEART OF TEXAS

Oct 15-19 \$2099 pp dbl; \$2679 single

Are you a fan of Chip & Joanna Gains and their popular hit *FIXER UPPER??*



Fly to Texas and enjoy a Welcome Dinner. Spend the day sightseeing in Dallas, including JFK sites & locations, the George W Bush Presidential Library, and Southfork Ranch. Tour AT&T Stadium (any Dallas Cowboys Fans??), the historic Stockyard District, and travel to Waco. Enjoy a Waco and HGTV Tour with a step-on guide, browse the shops and garden, the Silos, and more favorites from the show! Tour the Dr Pepper Museum and enjoy a Texas BBQ Farewell Dinner.

Includes Home Pickup, RT air from PHX, 4 Nights' Hotel, 4 Breakfasts & 2 Dinners. See Flyer for full details & Terms & Conditions. Optional Travel Protection available.

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Recreation Update

March 11, 2022

Winter season is winding down and before we know it so many will be leaving the park. Thank you all for all the support, volunteers, fun and craziness of this season. We will continue to work on next year's calendar and you will have a lot of fun to return to.

If you were at the last Grapevine on March 7, you got to meet my new assistant Ginny Helmbrecht. Ginny is always smiling and has such a positive attitude; I am excited to have her on the team and look forward to seeing new ideas and approaches to next year. Please help me in welcoming her and stop by to say hello.

The Fundraiser Calendar Meeting was a lot of work, but wow did we line up some spectacular events for next year. If for any reason you missed the meeting or have changes to your events, please reach out to me and I will work with you on the getting a date booked or changed. I thank all the clubs for their patience for the first go around and look forward to doing it again next year.

Concert Series sales open up on March 16, please see the insert and seating chart in this month's Out-Lines. Everything is lined up to what days tickets are on sale with details of who can buy on what days. There is no rush to be the first one on Wednesday at 8:00 am. A quick reminder, the shows are: AbbaFab, Jeff Day salute to Glenn Campbell, Sherie Rae Parker tribute to Bette Midler, Mick Adams and the Stones, Kevin Johnson "Master Ventriloquist" and Ted Vigil representing John Denver. For dates, please check out the flyer.

We are calling all residents, the Social Board Annual Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 15 at 1:00 pm. Friendly reminder that all Clubs must be closed during this time. The Activities Office will be closing at 12:00 pm for the day. We do need a quorum and ask that everyone please make it up to the Buena Vista Ballroom for the meeting, not to mention we have some exceptional door prizes to be raffled off.

As a last push to support your clubs, we have some excellent concert/shows/dinners coming up. To show your support, come up and get tickets for the Dave and Daphne Show sponsored by Silversmith Club on March 21 or Solos Ingrid Hagelberg Cabaret Concert on March 22. Then there is the final Recreation Year End Celebration on March 26 feature Britain's Finest with a few opening local acts, watch your fast mail for updates on these acts.

Spanning Venture Out to bring you a variety of different sports, The thrill of victory and the agony of defeat. The human drama of athletic competition (athletic skills not required). The Venture Out's Outrageous, Outlandish Olympics is upon us! Sign up by March 16 to participate in the April 4-6 event. They are also looking for game judge volunteers. All game will be played outside, so sign up at the Activities Office and enjoy the fun. One team will be crowned VO Spring Olympic Champion.

If you are leaving for the season, we wish you safe travels and would love a check in from time to time. If you are staying for the summer, keep watching for more activities and some game time over the summer. Please feel free to stop by and give us your feedback and suggestions. We thank you again for a great 2022-2023 season!

Carrie Zinman

Activity Director
recdir@ventureoutrvresort.com



Manager's Corner

March 11, 2022

This week's occupancy is 1440 or 83% down from 1492 at last report and 1040 a year prior. There are currently 303 renters in the park.

Its spring break time and unfortunately, we had some vandalism at the EPC where someone tried to jimmy the automatic card reader and pulled it out from the wall. We have temporarily fixed it. If you have any spring breakers who want to use the fitness center, they need to come in and get a card from Security. Needless to say, that is disappointing and expensive for all of you. The pedestrian gate card reader at the front gate is operational now, as it too needed to be repaired. If you see anyone, trying to force these card readers please contact security immediately.

It's time to remind everyone to ask your guests to please follow the park rules and if you are not sure what those are, you can find them on the web site and print them off. Especially read the rules for the pools, no kids toys at the pools and leave bikes and scooters outside the gated pool deck.

Golf carts can only be driven by a person who is 16 years of age and up. We heard an amazing story at the Town Hall on Wednesday, that recently, a dog was seen in the driver's seat of a golf cart, and the owner was reaching across and steering the cart while talking on the phone?! If security sees that, the owner/resident would be ticketed immediately with no recourse other than pay the fine.

Speaking of dogs, I'm getting some complaints. Dogs are required to be transported down to the pet walk, because your neighbors don't want them doing their business at their house along the way to the park. If the pet walk is not adequate exercise for some of these bigger dogs, the Roosevelt Canal system is directly east of the park and gives you miles of trails to walk or run your pets. Dogs are not allowed anywhere on, or in the common elements other than the pet walk. Please make sure they are registered at the Activity office.

We have a lot of new owners in the park now, and with that are a lot of first time guests. So please welcome them but do not be afraid to pleasantly remind people what the rules are if necessary as that rover cannot be in all places during Spring Break. If any problems again, contact Security.

Some of you are already leaving for the season. Be certain to check out. Each year there are a number of you who don't. That means your summer newsletter and your payment coupons will end up here in your post office box. It also means that we don't have you checked as 'out of the park' in the Gate system, Security will assume you are here. A problem, when someone tries to gain access to the park, using your name and guest list. That has happened on more than a few occasions. So help protect everyone's property, check out at Admin.

We are already issuing weed notices, please prepare your lot for the season. There are several caretakers on the list at Administration, that are willing to watch your lot through out the summer. That includes residents as well as staff, so to have a carefree summer, please consider hiring a caretaker.

Finally in closing, this will be a record year for real estate transactions. It is undoubtedly being driven by the very hot real estate market across the valley, but also, Venture Out is, believe it or not, a bargain. We zero base budget and the fees are only what it takes to run the property. Across the street at the Cal Am for profit properties, rents range from \$8000 to \$11,000 a year. The average one-bedroom apartment in the valley, is now renting from \$1500 to \$2000. A two bedroom is \$2000 and up. There is even a complex in Gilbert where a three bedroom will cost you \$5000?! This means we might see a little swing in our demographics and have a few more homeowners who are still working, when they move into VO. But I'm sure they will welcome the chance to get to know you all and eventually be able to enjoy all that Venture Out has to offer.

Mary Schmit

General Manager

vogm@ventureoutrvresort.com

DAILY TIMETABLE

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED MONDAY - FRIDAY

| | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Lap Swimming | 6:00 - 7:30 am | East Pool |
| Water Walking | 6:00 - 7:30 am | West Pool |
| Yoga | 7:15 am | Aux Ballroom |
| Early Bird Co-Ed Exercise | 7:25 - 7:55 am | BV 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 |
| Lap Swimming | 7:00-8:00 pm | West Pool |

Weekly Recurring Events

MONDAYS

| | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| 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 |
| Tremble Clefs | 3:00 - 5:00 pm | Music Room |
| 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 |
| Upper-Level Line Dancing | 10:30 am | Cabana |
| 500 | 1:00 pm | Mojave |
| 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 |
| Texas Hold-um | 7:00 pm | Aux Ballroom |

THURSDAYS

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| Body Works | 8:45-9:45 am | BV Ballroom |
| 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 |

FRIDAYS

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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 |
| Eucre | 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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| Name That Tune Trivia | 3:00-5:30 pm | Baja Bistro |
| Friday Night Dance - Uncorked | 7:00-10:00 pm | BV Ballroom |

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| Continental Breakfast | 8:00-10:00 am | Baja Bistro |
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| Ribs N' Bibs Dinner Show | 4:30-??? | BV Ballroom |
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MONDAY

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| Concert Series: Forever Everly | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |
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TUESDAY

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| Chicken Dinner | 4:30 & 6:30 pm | Baja Bistro |
| 50 Seasons of Song! | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |

WEDNESDAY

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| Mystery Tour | 7:30-6:00 pm | Bus Loading Zone |
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| Comed Beef Lunch | 11:30-1:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| St. Patrick's Day Parade | 2:00 pm | Community Center |

FRIDAY

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| Newcomer's Orientation | 9:30 am | Mojave Room |
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SATURDAY

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| VO Library Used Book Sale | 9:00-1:00 pm | Community Center Lobby |
| Hamburger BBQ/Ice Cream | 11:00-1:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| Creative Writing Club's Annual Reading | 1:30 pm | Auxiliary Ballroom |
| Silversmith Concert: Dave & Daphne | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |

TUESDAY

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| Ingrid Hagelberg Presents: A Cabaret Concert | 7:00 pm | BV Ballroom |
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WEDNESDAY

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| Street Dance | 6:30-8:30 pm | The Patio |
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THURSDAY

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| Everything Goes Sale! | 9:00-1:00 pm | Baja Bistro |
| VO Diner: Grilled Cheese & Hot Tomato Bisque Soup | 11:00-12:30 pm | Baja Bistro |
| Crazy Night Golf | 7:00 pm | Putting Green |

Venture Out Condo Board President's Comments

Most importantly THANK YOU to all those residents that supported the Propositions. It was very gratifying to see that you agreed with our assessment of need and voted accordingly. Both propositions won by large margins which indicates your willingness and your agreement that we want to keep our facilities and infrastructure up-to-date and safe. Thank you.

Project schedules are still being firmed up but our contractors don't see a reason why both projects will not be done before the high season starts in Jan 2023. Of course, we are subject to the now famous supply chain vagaries, but our contractors are optimistic with their schedule. We'll have more at the Town Hall Meeting on March 9.

You should have or will receive shortly the coupon tabs that outline the payment schedule. If at all possible, early payment is appreciated. We will spend the entire budget for both projects this year and for, cash flow reasons, could and can use all the cash we can get. If you will have problems with the payment schedule, please come in and see Mary so the two of you can work out a satisfactory solution.

Our 22-23 budget cycle is almost done and at the Town Hall Meeting on March 9, Elko Kroon our treasurer, will present the budget to you. Know that your Board balanced keeping our expenses as low as possible while still protecting and maintaining the Park.

You will be pleased with the results. I could tell you what the preliminary figures say but that would be no fun and besides Elko would kill me for taking away his thunder. Come to the Town Hall Meeting on March 9 and hear the final budget numbers directly from Elko.

Thank you,
VO Condo Board
Byron Snowden President

Social Board President's Comments

March 11

It's hard to believe March is here. Where does time go? With March comes Spring Break. Spring breaks brings a time when our children and grandchildren visit. It's great to see their young, smiling faces enjoy the pool hours and of course, they love their doting grandparents.





When sharing time with families, children should always be accompanied by either their parents or grandparents to any of our common areas. We ask that all visitors, both young and old, treat our common areas, equipment and furniture with care and respect. We want to keep everyone safe.

The Social Board has finished the budget for 2022-23. I want to thank all of our clubs for their hard work on their individual budgets, as well as, Carrie and her staff for the Recreation budget. I want to personally thank Jean Sanders, Susan Lavoie and Jude Jensen for their extra work in the Accounting Office to manage the day to day operations, budget development and club fundraising reports.

A reminder of our Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, March 15th at 1:00 pm in the Buena Vista Ballroom. Please plan on attending as we need a quorum of Social Club members in order to conduct business, including passing our 2022-23 budget. And of course, we have some great door prizes. Hope to see you there.

Kay Biediger
Social Board President

March 2022

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | Social Board Mtg 1 Flashback Fever with the 8-Tracks Fired Clay Art Studio Raffle Draw | Social Board Budget Mtg 2 Sunshine Carvers' Poker Run | Fleas & Bees Sale 3 Chili Con Carne Bingo | Social Board Budget Mtg 4 TGIR: Karaoke Calendar Meeting 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 Food Handler's Class Wood Shop Raffle Draw Room Reservations Available Steak Fry | Town Hall Mtg 9 Enchilada Dinner  | Marketplace & Lunch 10 Health Seminar: Bingo | Out-Lines Published 11 TGIR: Name that Tune Trivia Friday Night Dance: Cowboy Up Monthly Volunteer Meeting | Continental Breakfast 12  |
| 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 Choir Performance Chicken Dinner | 5K 16 Mystery Trip | Condo Board Mtg 17 Bingo Comed Beef Meal St Patty's Day Parade | 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 Draw Creative Writing Annual Reading |
| Worship Service 20 Gabfest Jam Session | Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck 21 Grapevine Tremble Clefs Concert Silversmith Concert | Cabaret Show 22 | Cooking with Chef Arthur - Chillin' & Grillin' 23 Street Dance  | Bingo 24 Night Golf Putting Tournament Everything Goes Sale VO Diner | Out-Lines Published 25 9x9 Mtg TGIR: Happy Hour with Oly Mann Friday Night Dance: Uncorked the Band | End Of Season Blow Out 26 |
| Worship Service 27 Gabfest | New Image Fashions 28 Shuffleboard Ice Cream Truck Tower Point Band Concert | Social Board Mtg 29 Tortellini & Alfredo Lunch | 30 | Bingo 31 |  | |

April 2022

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY | | | | | | | |
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| 3 | Outrageous Olympics | 4 | Outrageous Olympics | 5 | Outrageous Olympics | 6 | Waldorf Chicken Salad Lunch | 7 | TGIR: Happy Hour | 8 | Biscuits & Gravy | 9 | |
| 10 | | 11 | Happy Hour | 12 | Apricot Glazed Pork Loin Lunch | 13 | | 14 | Fish Fryday Newcomer's Orientation | 15 | | 16 |  |
| Easter Brunch | 17 | 18 | Cooking with Chef Arthur - Mediterranean Diet | 19 | | 20 | Music by the East Pool | 21 | | 22 | | 23 |  |
| 24 | | 25 | Happy Hour | 26 | Game Day in the Baja Bistro | 27 | | 28 | Out-Lines Published | 29 | | 30 | |

REMINDER

**CHECK OUT AT
ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
WHEN LEAVING FOR THE
SEASON**

3-WAYS TO CHECK OUT

- 1. COME TO THE ADMIN OFFICE**
- 2. CALL 480-832-0200**
- 3. EMAIL:**

astgm@ventureouttrvresort.com

Suggested Closure Checklist to ‘Summer-ize’ your Home

Here are a few suggestions on how to get your unit ready for the long hot summer months ahead. Remember, careful planning and preparation now can help you avoid costly repairs when you return next season.

1. Check out at Administration Office:

Check for keys, and list of whom can borrow keys.

If you are having renters, ensure your Third-Party forms have been turned in AND paid for.

Update your directory information: email, phone number, summer address.

2. Check out at Post Office – Fill out forwarding address forms if necessary.

3. Avoid water damage – inspect your outside main water supply fitting for signs of leaks and/or corrosion then turn off the valve – don’t block or close your drains. This will allow water to run straight through the drains. If possible, padlock the shut off.

4. To keep your p-traps from drying out – pour in approximately one cup of mineral oil.

5. Turn off your hot water heater and run it until it is cool.

6. Clean your gutters so the rain water has a place to go and does not back up under the shingles and run into your unit.

7. If you DO NOT have low-e window, then put in silver shades to repel the summer heat.

If you have low-e Do NOT cover the windows with anything but pull the shades and curtains. Covering the window will cause damage to your window and glass.

8. Remove all fruit from your trees to avoid roof rats.

9. Check drainage around your unit to make sure the water drains away from the unit in case of a large monsoon rain. Maintenance has sand bags available for you to place around your ground level Arizona Rooms. Do Not leave anything of value or furniture on ground level. Put all furniture up on blocks or inside your unit. Make sure the weep holes in the block wall are free of plants and debris so water can drain.

10. Weed Control – use Ortho Ground Clear (without 2-4-d) to put on your yard to help maintain weed control in the summer. Also, you may want someone who stays in the park for the summer to check on your yard to see if it’s effective after summer rains. Green Committee recommends any pre-emergent weed killer that does not have 2-4-d. They recommend you read the label especially the fine print.

11. Golf Carts – Disconnect the batteries. If possible, see if you can find someone to either store the cart for you or charge it once a month, fill it with water and run the cart a little monthly.

12. Do not store wood directly on the ground, under or around your unit as it will attract termites.

13. Replace batteries in the smoke detectors.

14. Check refrigerator – it should be defrosted, be cleaned (including bottom tray) and both refrigerator and freezer doors held open with folded bath towels. An alternate – put one cup uncooked ground coffee beans in refrigerator and close doors.

15. Check stove and oven – clean if needed.

16. Dispose of all food items, except spices. Place small amount of bay leaves in food cupboards.

17. Check all storage areas for perishables.

18. Store all cooking utensils and small appliances in cupboards as space permits.

19. Run garbage disposal until thoroughly clean. Pour ½ cup of mineral oil, flick on and off and add another ½ cup of mineral oil. Available at Wal-Mart and most drug stores. Or spray with WD-40.

20. Turn off water to the toilet. Flush toilet several times to clean drain of any solids. Sponge out most of the water in stool and pour in enough mineral oil to cover water. Leave water in the tank.

21. Make sure all bedding, towels and laundry are dry, clean, folded and stored in cupboards.

22. Disconnect small electrical appliances – TV, toaster, coffee maker, etc. Remove batteries from clocks, flashlights, remote controls, etc.

23. Lower any window awning on trailer, if applicable.

24. Turn off electricity at meter. You may lock electric pedestal door.

25. Check skirting openings to be sure they are in place and secure.

26. Pour a quart of RV antifreeze in dishwasher and clothes washer. Pour ½ cup in drain stand pipe behind clothes washer.

27. Close all propane gas cylinder valves tightly.

28. Cover TV, VCR, Computer, etc. with sheets or towels to prevent dust from infiltrating the working parts.

Have a Great Summer!
See you next Season!



SPEED SUMMARY SHEET

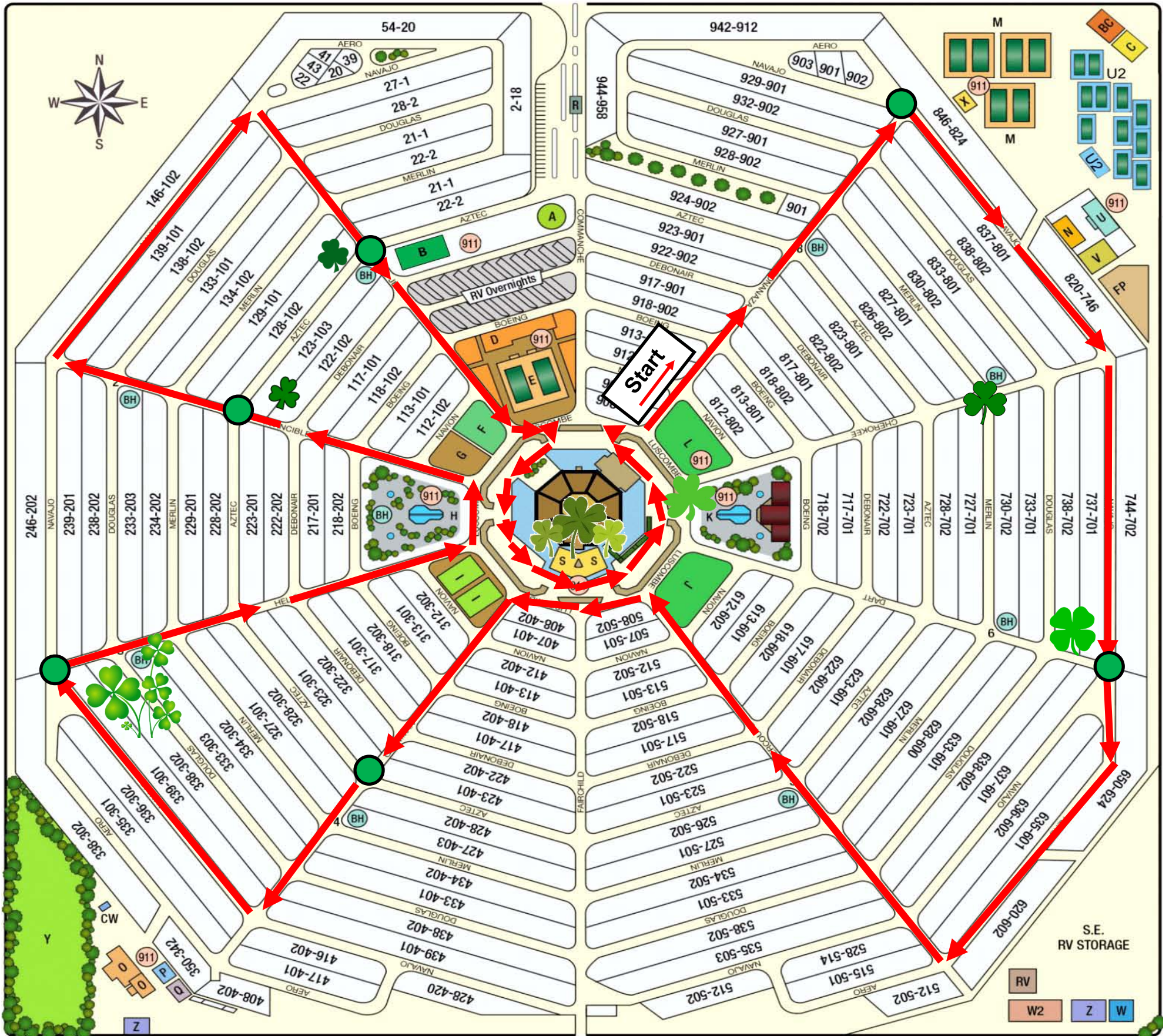


| | PASSENGER VEHCILE | DELIVERY TRUCK | WORK TRUCK | GOLF CART | BICYCLE |
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Safety and Security Team Members have all taken time with the radar gun to help confirm that speeding is an issue within Venture Out. These numbers above are a summary of multiple locations that were monitored by the committee over more than a 12 hour period of time. Please note for your own safety and others, follow the 10 MPH speed limit within the park.



St. Patrick's Day Parade Route



The Leprechauns invite you to seek the end of the rainbow at the St' Patrick's Day Parade! Decorate your golf cart or bike with shamrocks, rainbows and a pot'o'gold and join the fun. Stops to be made at various intersections for a bit of entertainment!

Entertainment locations are marked by the green circles: 

Participant sign-up required in the Activity Office and depart the Community Center Parking Lot at

2:00 pm - Thursday, March 17