

New Directors Elected; Board to appoint this month



Carole Martinez



Linda Lindquist



Bill Pearson

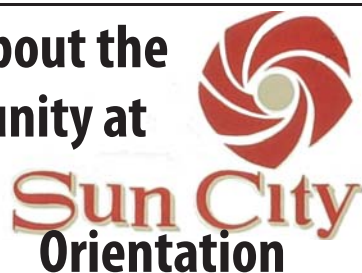
RCSC Members elected three candidates to the Board of Directors in the December 13 election. Results are as follows:

- Bill Pearson: 454
- Linda Lindquist: 423
- Carole Martinez: 385

Members cast a total 1,262 ballots, which includes absentee ballots and those cast on Election Day. The three new directors will be installed at the December 22 Board Meeting and officially take over their duties on January 1. All three will serve three-

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Learn about the community at



Sun City Orientation

Living in Sun City is about more than just fun in the sun. From swimming pools to golf courses, and lending a hand to help a neighbor to serving the community at large, living in Sun City offers more than just a home – it offers a lifestyle unlike anywhere else. All new and existing Sun City residents are warmly invited to learn all about the Sun City lifestyle at the 2011 Sun City Orientation on Wednesday, February 8 at Sundial Auditorium, 14801 N. 103rd Ave. There are two sessions scheduled: one from 9 to 11am and one from 7 to 9pm.

Clubs, groups and organizations from throughout the Sun City community will be on hand to provide information and answer questions about what they do. In addition, attendees will hear presentations from speakers representing the Sun City Visitors Center, Recreation Centers of Sun City, Sun City Home Owners Association and Sun City Condo Owners Association. Mark your calendars for February 8, and come learn all about the Sun City lifestyle.



3rd Annual Sun City Holiday Celebration

The Sun City community celebrated the holiday season Friday, December 9 at Lakeview Center, cheering on their ducks in the Amazing Duck Race, winning pies, taking putt shots in the mini-golf hole-in-one contest, enjoying the Lighted Boat Parade, and helping raise funds for SCHOA's Financial Assistance Program, which helps financially challenged Sun City residents who have limited resources to maintain their properties. The program

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Communication is key to success

By Vance Coleman | RCSC Board President

I often receive comments and complaints that RCSC does not communicate. I, for one, believe we do a great job with communication. We have numerous avenues that we use to disseminate information to RCSC Members and the Sun City community. We use email alerts to send information to nearly 6,000 individuals in the Sun City community, keeping them informed of the goings-on within the organization. We also have our monthly newsletter, SunViews, where residents and members who don't use email can find important information. We also have two local newspapers that cover Sun City and to whom we send press releases and statements. There are also numerous bulletin boards at the RCSC facilities where fliers advertising special events are posted. And, of course, we have the Board-Member Exchanges and regular Board meetings each month.

Like life, communication is not a destination, but a journey, and I've no doubt there are areas we can improve and do better with our communication. But it's important to

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RCSC Contact Information

Corporate Offices: 623-561-4600
Board of Directors: 623-561-4620
Clubs & Activities Office: 623-561-4660
 Monday-Friday 7:30am-4pm

Cardholder Services: 623-561-4603
 Monday-Friday 8:30am-4pm
 Open 9am to noon first Saturday of each month

These offices are at Lakeview Center

Stay in the loop with RCSC news alert emails! Sign up at www.sunaz.com

Email addresses remain confidential.



Looking to sell something?

RCSC Cardholders can advertise on bulletin boards at the seven recreation centers and golf pro shops!

Advertise items for sale, lost pets, home/condo rentals, etc.!

Advertisements must be on 3x5 note cards and include cardholder name and RCSC card number on back.

Submit to the Clubs & Activities Office for approval and distribution to any or all centers and pro shops. Advertisements are posted for 30 days.

Sorry, no business or vendor solicitations, please.

For more information, contact the Clubs Office at 623-561-4660.

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year terms.

The remaining vacancy on the Board will be filled by an appointment in January 2012. Application packets for qualified Members who are interested in an appointment are available at the Board Office. Interested applicants must pick up their own packet and produce a valid Member card. Packets need to be completed and returned to the Board Office no later than Friday, December 30.

Requirements for an appointment:

- Must be at least 55 years of age;
- Must be a deeded real estate owner of property in Sun City, Maricopa County, Arizona
- Must be a resident of Sun City for a minimum of two years prior to December 1, 2011
- Must be a Member in good standing;
- Must reside in Sun City, Arizona and be available at least ten months of the year;
- Must meet the requirement to hold an Arizona liquor license; and
- Must be eligible and available to serve for the year 2012

For further information, please contact the Board Office at 623-561-4620.

Bowling News & Notes

Back-to-Back 300 Games: On Wednesday November 12, Buck Prosser bowled some amazing scores at Bell Lanes. Buck started off the night with the first 27 strikes, shooting back to back 300 games and shot a 223 in his third game ending with an 823 series. Congratulations Buck!

Youth Tournament: For the first time ever, RCSC Bowling hosted a USBC Youth tournament. The Bowling division was excited to host the youth tournament on November 13 as well. These youth bowlers are important to the future of bowling.

Bowlerettes Tournament: On November 12, the Arizona Bowlerettes Tournament was held at Bell Lanes. Women bowlers from all over Arizona participated in the Bowlerettes. This year we had 160 women enter the tournament which gave the bowling division a chance to show off the RCSC facility. As always, non RCSC cardholders complimented on the cleanliness of the facilities and how well they are maintained.

SCBA High Scores - November

300 Games

Perry Hatter | Larry Spitali

275+ Game

Larry Spitali - 299
 Bill McDonald - 299
 Jack McKay - 290
 Don VanderLinden - 289
 Ray Keller - 289
 Perry Hatter - 289
 Bruce Lamb - 289
 Mel Shirey - 288
 Wayne Wisniewski - 288
 Earl Lucas - 279
 Myron Missling - 279
 Richard Slager - 279
 Dave Benson - 279
 Dave Haley - 279
 David Hurley - 279
 Lester Duncan - 279
 Les Hamilton - 279
 Ron Shone - 279
 Dan Wolverton - 279
 Jim Lukes - 278
 Pat Crowley - 278
 Fred Glendenning - 277
 Hank Becker - 276
 Choc Higa - 276
 Dennis Klein - 275
 Sam Giordano - 275

225+ Games

Andrea Lewis - 289
 Cori Larsen - 279
 Valerie VanderLinden - 277
 Danny Burke - 268
 Lynn Wisniewski - 266

Gail Jones - 258
 Kristin Klein - 254
 Mary Thomas - 253
 Lovie Tiedje - 246
 Vera McFadden - 243
 Sandy Nardone - 237
 Denise Matich - 232
 Julie Subica - 226
 Sophia McKinney - 225
 Judy VanDerNoord - 225

800 Series

Perry Hatter - 803
 Larry Spitali - 807

700 Series

Valerie VanderLinden - 719
 Wayne Wisniewski - 782
 Myron Missling - 781
 Perry Hatter - 774
 Dan Wolverton - 772
 Jack McKay - 770
 Bruce Lamb - 767
 Rich Matich - 760
 David Hurley - 756
 Dennis Klein - 754

600 Series

Andrea Lewis - 698
 Bobbi Daniels - 673
 Kristin Klein - 669
 Gail Jones - 651
 Mary Thomas - 648
 Cori Larsen - 635
 Sandy Nardon - 632
 Julie Subica - 628
 Lynn Wisniewski - 609

Financial Report - Period Ending October 31, 2011

Recreation Centers of Sun City, Inc.

BALANCE SHEET

For the Period Ending October 31, 2011

	Current Y-T-D	Prior Y-T-D
<i>Unrestricted Funds:</i>		
Cash Invested/On Hand/In Bank	5,500,684	5,046,196
Cash Reserves	2,500,000	2,500,000
<i>Sub-Total Unrestricted</i>	8,000,684	7,546,196
<i>Restricted Funds:</i>		
Preservation/Improvement Fund	5,189,710	4,279,851
<i>Total Cash & Investments</i>	13,190,394	11,826,047
<i>Other Current Assets:</i>		
Accounts Receivable	2,318,584	1,154,212
Deposits & Prepays	209,569	151,841
Inventory	89,821	88,931
<i>Total Current Assets</i>	15,808,368	13,221,031
<i>Fixed Assets:</i>		
Land, Improvements, Buildings	57,408,712	56,256,693
F, F & E and Vehicles	22,533,799	21,947,967
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(47,741,090)	(45,192,918)
Work In Progress	20,356,593	15,007,450
<i>Total Fixed Assets</i>	52,558,014	48,019,192
TOTAL ASSETS	\$68,366,382	\$61,240,223
<i>Current Liabilities:</i>		
Accounts Payable and Other	1,054,043	1,279,113
Deferred Income	5,804,970	5,852,819
Pre Billed Assessments	1,489,752	0
<i>Total Current Liabilities</i>	8,348,765	7,131,932
<i>Other Liabilities:</i>		
Lease Purchase	15,964	44,540
<i>Total Liabilities</i>	8,364,729	7,176,472
<i>Net Worth:</i>		
Current Net Worth	60,001,653	54,063,751
TOTAL LIABILITIES and NET WORTH	\$68,366,382	\$61,240,223

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES

For the Period of January 1, 2011 through October 31, 2011

	Current Y-T-D	Prior Y-T-D
<i>Operating Income:</i>		
Property Assessments	8,065,554	7,833,180
Transfer & Access Fees	509,700	469,800
Privilege & Guest Cards	477,156	440,873
Food / Liquor Sales	410,857	382,445
Bowling Fees	522,351	512,852
Golf Fees	3,832,059	3,857,318
Cart Rentals	143,565	141,164
Merchandise Sales	124,708	100,500
Investment Income	755	4,367
Activities Income	294,004	224,748
Rental Income	287,589	290,929
Contributions	65,550	51,796
Miscellaneous Income	50,299	31,620
<i>Total Operating Income</i>	14,784,147	14,341,592
<i>Cost of Sales:</i>		
Total Cost of Sales	499,394	410,731
<i>Gross Income</i>	\$14,284,753	\$13,930,861
<i>Operating Expenses:</i>		
Salaries and Wages	3,646,868	5,423,668
Payroll Taxes and Benefits	748,750	1,469,639
Repairs and Maintenance	4,673,812	1,386,607
Utilities Expense	1,912,767	1,871,930
General Operating Expenses	505,941	1,284,006
<i>Total Operating Expenses</i>	11,488,138	11,435,850
<i>Net Operating Income</i>	\$2,796,615	\$2,495,011
<i>Other Income:</i>	164,012	238,605
<i>Other Expenses:</i>		
Property Taxes	67,152	68,049
Insurance	249,365	240,365
Other	47,330	133,390
<i>Net Income Before Depreciation</i>	2,596,780	2,291,812
<i>Depreciation:</i>	2,388,277	2,708,438
NET INCOME / (LOSS)	\$208,503	(\$416,626)

Financial News & Notes

Well Done: We have operated well within our capital and operating budget through the end of October 2011.

Outside Collections: Payments made by property owners in outside collections totaled \$7,255 in September with payments from 18 property owners. During September our internal collector processed payments from past due property owners totaling \$30,177 and property related transfer fees totaling \$161,447. These payments from past due property owners were down overall in October. As a result, our total past due assessment balances for greater than 30 days outstanding increased by over 8% in October and are at the highest levels this year.

Trustee Sales: Property trustee sale notices on Sun City properties increased for the second month in a row and now stands at 108. In October we saw another decrease in the number of properties owned by lending institutions with the total down to 115 at the end of the month. This is a 20% decrease in the past two months but is anticipated to rise again as the trustee sale notices increased by 15% over the same time period.

PIF: The decrease in properties owned by lending institutions has contributed to the increased Preservation and Improvement Fees collected in October. The PIF collected were \$151,700, or 55%, over budget in October and \$1,386,880, or 42%, over budget year to date.

Golf News & Notes

Golf Rangers Need You: Rangers volunteered a total of 131.25 hours in October. Course totals: Quail Run: 0 | Riverview: 9 | South: 44.5 | North: 36.5 | Lakes: 38.5 | Willow: 13. More Rangers are needed. If you have a few hours a week and want to have fun while providing a great service to Sun City golf, consider volunteering as a Ranger. For more information contact Carey Shore (623-972-1675) or Don Barber (623-876-8082) or attend a meeting: 3pm the last Thursday of each month at Talisman Hall.

Novice Niners: Come join a friendly, relaxed group of ladies to play nine holes Tuesdays at 12:45pm from November through April at Lakes East. Registration is \$35: \$25 is for the AWGA handicap and \$10 for league expenses. You do not need a handicap to join. The league operates under the bylaws of the Arizona Women's Golf Association (AWGA) and be administered by the president (Joyce Dudley 623-256-6402), handicap chair (Kay McDermott 623-933-7572) and treasurer (Mary Ann Buscher). Call the president or come to Lakes East by 12:15pm on Tuesday. We meet on the patio by the cafe.

Get Golf Ready: Get Golf Ready in 5 Days program kicks off this month. Just \$99 gets you four group lessons, and a round of golf. Lessons will be at Willowcreek Golf Course. There is a variety of days and times. Each group is limited to eight, so be sure to sign up early.

Contact Sue Presta | 623-876-8419 | spresta@sunaz.com

January

Golf Pro Sarah Bakefelt: Mondays & Wednesdays 1/16, 1/18, 1/23, 1/25 | 10am | Round of golf: 1/30 at 12:30pm (meet at noon)

Golf Pro Tim Higgins: Mondays & Fridays 1/6, 1/9, 1/13, 1/16 | 2pm | Round of golf: 1/20 at 2pm (meet at 1:30pm)

Golf Pro Billy Edmondson: Monday through Thursday 1/9-1/12 | 9am | Round of golf: 1/13 at 9am (meet at 8:30 am)

Willowbrook 9-Hole Ladies: There comes a time when playing 18 holes is too much. That is when you should join the Willowbrook 9-hole ladies league. We are a fun group, but still take our game seriously. We are registered with the USAAGA, play to our handicaps and

have weekly play on Tuesday, club tournaments, luncheons and meetings. For membership applications call: Mary Warner (623-583-0227) or Joyce Wikum (623-476-202).

Lakes East Niners: We have a new look – red shirts – and are ready to golf. Most of our golfers have returned but we are still looking for players who like to have fun and play nine holes with a great group of women. We golf every Tuesday. Just ask in the pro shop.

Quail Run Ladies: As we begin the New Year, it is time to give ourselves the gift of time golfing shared with great friends. Our ladies league invites you to come join us at Quail Run, playing on our challenging, but fair, well-groomed 9-hole executive course. We have a monitor to do your scheduling and scoring, allowing you time to enjoy making new and lasting friendships while golfing, as well as Social Tuesdays each month and more. Wouldn't you like to make Quail Run Ladies Golf League your home? We invite you to check us out. For more information call Ginny 623-972-3862.

3-Day Men's 9-Hole League Championship: Held November 3, 10 and 17. Twenty-eight participated. Winners: 1st Flight: 1st Low Gross: Henry Pena (Pictured) | 2nd Low Gross: Bruce Olson | 1st Low Net: Ed Lopinski | 2nd Low Net: James Moran

2nd Flight: 1st Low Gross: Tom Watson (Pictured) | 2nd Low Gross: Gus George | 1st Low Net: Pat Kavanaugh | 2nd Low Net: Pat Rohan

3rd Flight: 1st Low Gross: Dave Jenkins (Pictured) | 2nd Low Gross: Gene Holcomb | 1st Low Net: Bob Hilton | 2nd Low Net: Larry Schroeder

SCMGA Extravaganza: February 3-4 and 10-11. Four-day two-man tournament with four different games at four different courses. A fun tournament with over 150 participants. Sign-up sheets available December 15. Get in early so you will not be disappointed. Next tournament Sun City Championship on March 9, 16 and 17. For tournament info call Herb Swanson at 623-974-5385 or Tom Laak at 623-875-3660.

Daily Fitness: Prioritize exercise in 2012

Is EXERCISE at the top of your "To Do" list for 2012? If so, Daily Fitness can help you get started! Colleen Becker of Sun City is heading into the New Year with a firm commitment to exercise. She meets twice a week with Daily Fitness Trainer Jane Fortier at the Fairway Fitness Center. Colleen was a bit intimidated by all of the equipment at the new Fairway Center, before she began exercising with Jane. "KNOWING WHAT TO DO and GETTING STARTED are the two biggest obstacles people face, as they begin to exercise," states Jane, certified personal trainer. "At Daily Fitness, we overcome these obstacles by creating programs that are appropriate for individual needs."

Research continually confirms that exercise curtails the physiological effects of aging in active adults. Building muscle tissue, improving cardiovascular health and increasing flexibility are important



parts of a good exercise program. Daily Fitness personal trainers use these concepts in creating programs that are safe and effective. Trainers take the guesswork out of exercising and teach Sun City residents how to use the fitness centers more efficiently. Let Daily Fitness help you get the New Year off to a great start with exercise. Call 623-256-7901, or visit www.DailyFitnessLLC.com.

HOLIDAY: Celebration winners

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operates completely off donations and relies on volunteers to help trim landscaping and businesses that donate their services to the needy homeowners. The Holiday Celebration raised \$5,043 for the Financial Assistant Program! Winners are listed below. Congratulations to everyone and a huge thank you to everybody who came out to the celebration!

Winners:

Hole in One Winner: Tony Warnke (\$111.50)

Duck Race #1: 1st place: #1437 - Bob Gitzlaff - \$515.62 | 2nd place: #1864 - Dawana Barnes - \$309.38 | 3rd place: #1401 - Nancy Carlock - \$206.25

Duck Race #2: 1st place: #2512 - Ron Boekeloo - \$515.62 | 2nd place: #4242 - Ginger Dunlap - \$309.38 | 3rd place: #2136 - Allen Dittman - \$206.25

Golf Bag Raffle: OGI0 Bag: Carol McDade | PING Bag: Richard Bogue

Buildings & Infrastructure News & Notes

Fairway Usage: Cardholder and guest check-in for the activity areas at Fairway, over the last seven days are as follows: Pool-630, Waking Pool-412, Fitness-1,675, Spa-485, Walking Track-706, and Look-e-Loos-155. Total activity area use for seven days is 4,063. In comparison, the OLD Fairway pool and spa (No fitness or walking track before) during the same seven-day period in 2007 saw a total cardholder check-in of 505 uses.

Recreation Centers Hours: Because we have many cardholders who want to use the RCSC fitness rooms, spas, pools and indoor walking track during the early morning hours, RCSC is temporarily

opening Bell Center and Fairway Center pools, spas, fitness and walking track at 5am (instead of 6am) Monday through Saturday. Bell Center and Fairway Center hours for Sundays will remain the same at 8am-8pm. (These new hours apply only to the Bell and Fairway activity areas listed above.) All other centers hours will remain the same. In addition, facility attendants at all centers are being instructed not to open the doors to activity areas or lobbies until the scheduled opening time, as they have very limited time to prepare themselves, their equipment and work stations for receiving and serving cardholders.

January 2012		All meetings will be held in the upper-level Board Room at Lakeview Center unless otherwise noted. Times/ Dates subject to change. For the most up-to-date schedule, visit www.sunaz.com .				
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2 New Year's Day Observed RCSC Corporate Offices closed	3 Bus & Dinner Show Tickets M-F 7:30am-4pm Clubs Office	4 Jimmy Travis SD tix 6pm show 7pm Movie Marinette 2pm 7pm	5 Bowling 9am	6	7 Movie Mtn. View 2pm 7pm
8	9	10 Member Communication 1pm Movie Marinette 2pm 7pm	11 COC 8:30am Movie Marinette 2pm 7pm	12	13	14 Movie Mtn. View 2pm 7pm
15	16 Board-Member Exchange LV SH#3 9am	17 Long Range Planning 9am Lawn Bowling 1pm	18 Jimmy Curry's Tribue to John Denver SD tix 6pm show 7pm Movie Marinette 2pm 7pm	19 Golf Advisory 8:30am Gov't Affairs 1pm	20	21 Movie Mtn. View 2pm 7pm
22	23	24 Marketing 1pm	25 Entertainment 1pm Movie Marinette 2pm 7pm	26 Annual Member & Regular Board Meeting Sundial 9am	27	28 Movie Mtn. View 2pm 7pm
29	30	31 Finance, Budget & Audit 9am Properties Lakeview SH #2 9am				

Rockin Thru The Years!
A R&R Dance at the Bell Rec.
Center in Sun City



Enjoy dancing to the best
R&R music of the 50's
thru the 90's.
For information
call 623-332-7894

**SATURDAY
NIGHT FEVER**

January 2012 Dance Schedule
Sat. January 7th. 7-10 PM
Sat. January 21st. 7-10PM

No dress code. Cups & ice furnished
Bring your own snacks & beverages

Club Members \$3.00 - Guests \$5.00
Open to RCSC card holders & their guests

Annual Clay Corner Garage Sale

January 19-21 | 8am-2pm | 10333 W. Talisman

Sun City Citrus Drive coming February

The Garden Club of Sun City will launch the annual Sun City Citrus Drive to benefit St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance on February 6. As in the past, collection bins will be at Marinette Recreation Center, Bell Recreation Center, Sundial Center and the Sun Bowl. The Citrus Drive runs through mid-March 2012.

The club provides drop-off sites for donation of excess fruit. Since the inception of the Citrus Drive in 2002, our volunteers have collected over 3.1 million pounds of citrus for the benefit of St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance. Care to make a difference through this worthwhile effort? Just call the Garden Club office at 623-875-5921. Volunteers are always welcomed!

Rhythm Ramblers Big Band Dance

Salute to the Big Bands of the '40s with singers Marge Nelson and Barry Dale.

January 3 | Sundial Auditorium | 2:30-4:30pm | RCSC cardholder \$4 per dance or \$10 per season; general \$5 | Dress comfortably and bring own refreshments. ice and glasses provided.

37th Annual Sun City Art Show

February 18-19 | Bell Center |

Soon the spotlight will focus on talent. Your talent if you pick up paints and brush and fill your canvas with a palette of color. Then enter your original creation in the 37th annual all Sun City Art Show. Entries will be received at the center February 17 between 9 and 11am. This show is co-sponsored by the Lakeview and Palo Verde Art Clubs and is open to any RCSC cardholder. Work can be in any medium (oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, charcoal or pencil and ink). Collage is also acceptable. Full details and entry forms may be obtained from Lakeview or Sundial centers art room or contact Jerry McGinnis at 623-977-6328.

NextGen Club - January Events

Info: nextgensuncity.org | nextgensc@gmail.com

If you want to join us for any of the monthly activities, why not join the NextGen Club? Dues are only \$5 per year. Proof of age and residency is required.

Dinner & Happy Hour – Don Lenecho's Mexican & Seafood, 8420 W. Peoria Ave., 623-487-7086 | January 5 | 5pm

Glendale Glows Block Party | January 14 | Come and enjoy more than a dozen bands, street performers, tethered hot air balloons up close as their pilots fire up. NextGen members and guests meet at 5pm at Glendale Community College, 59th and Olive avenues. Free shuttle buses to the downtown area.

Scottsdale A"Fair Concert | January 22 | free | meet at noon by NextGen sign at amphitheater at 75th and Main streets. Bring lawn chairs or a blanket and picnic basket. Free parking at public parking garage west of Scottsdale Center for Performing Arts.

Theatre Works' "The Dixie Swim Club," 8355 W. Peoria Ave., 623-815-7930 | January 26 | 7:30pm | meet out front at 7pm

Dates and times subject to change please check our website calendar for current information: nextgensuncity.org.

For more information inquire at nextgensc@gmail.com

Sun Cities Chamber Orchestra Concerts

All concerts free and open to the public

January 4 | American Lutheran Church | 7pm

February 4 | American Lutheran Church | 3pm

April 17 | Sun City Congregational Church | 7pm

New England Club Meeting

Hope everyone had a Merry Christmas! Our first meeting of the year is January 14 at Oakmont Center. Social hour will be at 5pm and a short business meeting at 5:30pm followed by a delicious potluck dinner at 6pm. We have some great cooks in our club!! After dinner will be card bingo or other fun games. For more information call Bob at 623-583-3912 or Mary at 623-974-9609.

Friends of the Library News & Events

By the time you read this either all you have to worry about is what your New Year's Resolution will be – and how long it will be before you break it. My resolution is to try to get through the year with as little of the political sound and fury as possible and I hope that in spite of the election hoopla we will somehow get our country on the right track and that 2012 will be a terrific year for everyone.

Friends News

The latest book sale, which ended December 3, was a big success. People bought hardcover books by the stack and paperbacks by the bagful. In case you missed it, I'm sure there will be another in the not-so-distant future. Hardcover books for \$2 and \$3 or less; paperbacks for 10 cents. What could be better. Watch for our ads in the Independent.

All the volunteers were treated to a Christmas lunch on December 16, sponsored by the Board of Directors of the Friends. They came, they ate, they visited and had fun. They have been loyal workers all year and deserved this show of appreciation. Our thanks to them, one and all.

Both the Bell and Fairway branches had nice children's parties over the holidays with entertainment and snacks. This is an annual tradition and the Friends are pleased to be a part of it through helping with the expenses.

Annual Meeting

The Friends annual meeting will be January 31 at 9:30am. A review of the past year and forecasts for 2012 will be on the docket. If you have an interest in what has been done and what is planned for the future, be sure to attend. It will

be held in the Program Room at the Bell library branch. Nominations or applications for a new board member may be submitted.

Upcoming Events

Fairway and Bell branches will be having an e-reader assistance program for those with new readers. It is an opportunity to learn the mechanics and operations of these devices. Fairway's dates will be January 5 and 6 from 10–11am. Register at the Customer Service counter as class sizes are limited. Bell branch will have a program on January 19. Ask at the front desk for additional information.

Book Clubs (Program Room at Bell)

Mystery Book Club – January 4 | 1:30pm
| Blacklist by Sara Paretsky
Fiction Book Club – January 26 | 1:30pm
| The Great Gatsby by F. Scott Fitzgerald
Crime and Carnage Club – January 5 | 1:30pm
| Quiet Game by Greg Isles

Current Events

Bell library branch has an ongoing photography exhibit in the Program Room. It is a very impressive collection of photographs, sponsored by the Arizona Women's Partnership. This is a volunteer, non-profit organization, established to assist small charities that help underserved women and children at risk. The pictures are outstanding. Stop and take a look the next time you are in the library.

2012

I assure you that we will resume our "Volunteer of the Month" feature very soon. There has been, as Cool Hand Luke would say, "A failure to communicate." 2012 will be better. Let's all hope it will be better in every way for every one.

Friday Night Singles Dance Club - January

Sundial Auditorium | Fridays | \$3 members & \$5 guests | 7-10pm |
Info: 623-533-5493

Jan. 6 Manuel Dorantes
Jan. 13 Bob Roppolo
Jan. 20 Rhythm Ramblers
Jan. 27 Mike Carollo

Larry King: The Legends of Country Music

Saturday, February 4 - Happy Hour 5pm
| Dinner 6pm | Show 7:15pm
Sunday, February 5 - Happy Hour noon
| Dinner 1pm | Show 2:15pm
Union Hills Country Club, 9680 Lindgren Ave.

For performer Larry King, keeping the legends of classic country music alive is his goal as well as his passion! King's Legendary Band is comprised of five of the best, multi-talented musicians west of the Grand Ole Opry. Each member has performed with many of the legends featured in the show. Each performer and musician takes great pride in performing the songs as close to the original as possible and the way you remember them. In the band, there are two men, Doug and Kevin Wright, who are first cousins of Jeannie Seely. Another guy by the name of Richard Lee Cody was runner-up in male vocalist of the year in the Western Music Association. Adding the female touch to the show is Rachel Ann, a premier country singer from Gil-

bert. She brings to life the hits from the legendary ladies of country music and everybody loves her. Tickets are available in the Clubs Office Monday through Friday 7:30am to 4pm and open to RCSC cardholders and their guests. Tickets are \$40 each, cash, check, MasterCard or Visa, includes dinner and show. Happy hour is cash only. Tables are round and seat 10 people. If you have friends who want to sit together, we can accommodate at the time tickets are purchased - no seats will be held. Maximum number of tickets per cardholder is 10 and be required to give meal choices for each attendee in your party. Dinner begins with a country salad with raspberry vinaigrette dressing, warm rolls and butter, choice of Barbeque Chicken, an 8-oz New York Strip Steak or Panko Crusted Tilapia, baked potato, seasonal vegetables, water, coffee, tea and for dessert is Sherbet Ice Cream and wafer. Wear your country western attire if you desire. Mark your calendar and plan to attend this great show!

Sundial Dance Club - January

Sundial Auditorium | Saturdays | 7-10pm | Info: 623-239-6106 | Members \$4. Guest \$6. Except (SD) Special Dances - (BB) Big Band Dress Code

Jan. 7 Mike Carollo
Jan. 14 Rhythm Ramblers (BB)
Jan. 21 Danny Kealey
Jan. 28 Lonny Lynn (BB) (SD)

Sundial 2012 Winter Shows

Don't miss these fabulous shows! Doors open at 6pm and shows start at 7pm.

Jimmy Travis - Always Current, Always Clean & Always Entertaining! | Wednesday January 4 | \$12.50

Music and laughter - an unbeatable combination, you bet it is! Travis is truly unique and is one of the most versatile entertainers in the industry today. Jimmy combines his skills as a terrific comedian, outstanding singer, clever songwriter and skilled musician to create one unbeatable show!

Jim Curry's Tribute to John Denver | Wednesday January 18 | \$12.50

This California native grew up as a great fan of pop-country superstar John Denver. Amazingly, as he matured it became quite evident his vocal ability as well as his physical stature actually started taking on the Denver persona. In recent years, Jim Curry has enjoyed a tremendous success, as Denver fans all over the world have begun to identify him as an almost reincarnation of their idol. He has become the center of attention at Denver tributes and has enjoyed monumental acceptance from Denver fans clubs everywhere.

"Sons of the Pioneers" from Branson - Celebrating Arizona's Centennial! | Sunday February 12 | \$18

Celebrate Arizona's Centennial with one of America's premier Western singing groups whose classic recordings set a new standard for performers of Western music. This group is known for their high quality of their vocal performances, musicianship and songwriting which has remained popular to all ages. Since 1933 with some changes in membership, the Sons of the Pioneers have remained one of the longest-surviving country music

vocal groups in history. Come and celebrate Arizona's 100th Anniversary.

These Three Tenors - 3 of New York's Finest Voices!

Wednesday February 29 | \$12.50

These are 3 of New York City's greatest voices combined on the same stage and returning to Arizona by popular demand! They sing completely familiar music from the wonderful American songbook to the most popular light classics that everyone can relate to. They have been rated by the highest professionals as being equally as good as the original Italian tenors. This group constantly receives standing ovations from all demographics. Their voices are powerful and performance is a real "goose bump" presentation!

Highway Legends - The Road Traveled

Wednesday March 14 | \$12.50

This show features gifted and seasoned music veterans who toured and recorded with some of the biggest names in Country and Pop Music. As Glen Campbell's musical director for 17 years, Jeff Dayton also toured with Lee Greenwood as well as Kenny Chesney and is now a full-time songwriter and studio musician in Nashville. Mike & T, feature award-winning steel guitarist Mike Smith, who also recorded 17 albums so far with The Gatlin Brothers, toured with them for 10-years full-time as well as The Judds, J. Reed, H. Williams Jr., Charlie Pride and others. T (Teriney) toured and recorded with Grammy Award winner Larry Gatlin for several years and performed at venues as Farm Aid, Willie Nelson's July 4th Bash, Bass Hall with The Fort Worth Symphony and more. Together, these 3 remarkable musicians bring fantastic music and stories from the years on the "road traveled."



Call for Entries

24th Annual Juried Show*
Sunday February 19, 2012
*Open to all RCSC Cardholders

For Entry info go to
www.suncityclayclub.org



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Song Titles



Sun City Clay Club, Lakeview Recreation Center
10626 Thunderbird Ave, Sun City, AZ 85351
(623) 933-0899

Sun City Clay Club

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Basic Woodworking: Bell Woodworking Club. 5 consecutive Sa noon-3:30pm. Cost: \$10 club membership | \$25 class | \$10 materials. Participants will learn proper and safe machine operation as they construct their project. Class size limited. Stop by Bell Woodshop to register.

Bell Craft Club: Annual dues \$5. Classes are free and open to club members. Club #623-974-3497.

Happy Hearts knitting and crocheting for veterans and charity F noon-3 pm

Beading: Beginning Th 9 am-noon | Advanced M 9am-noon.

Beading Workshop: Th noon-3 pm.

Greeting Cards: Rubber Stamping M noon-3pm | Card Embroidery W noon-3pm & 6-9pm | Parchment Craft F 9am-noon. Copper Enameling: W 9am-noon & Th 6-9pm.

Placemats: M 9-11:30am

Candlemaking: Tu 9am-noon

Quilling: Tu 9am-noon

Acrylic Painting workshop: Tu noon-3pm

Plastic Canvas workshop: Tu noon-3pm

Knitting: W 9am-noon

Crocheting: W 12:30-3pm

Silk flowers: Th 9am-noon

Craft Beading & Crafts workshop: Th noon-3pm.

Brazilian Dimensional Embroidery: F 9am-noon

Scrapbooking: Sa 9am-3pm

Open Workshop For All: W 6-9pm

Calligraphy Society of Sun City: General meeting 1/6 9am SD meeting rooms followed by "Tricks of the Calligraphy Trade" presentation. Meeting rooms open other Th & F for Love cards and individual projects. Open House & Winter Class Registration: 1/11 9-11am. Spencerian, Italics and Foundational will be taught.

Fun Shop by Mary Binder of Stampin' Up: 1/27 at 9am, "Making a Valentine Card."

Club membership is open to all RCSC cardholders. For further information call Trudy Bryson at 623-594-6591.

Other Classes: Foundational 1/18, 9-11am | Italics: Th 1/19, 1-3pm | Spencerian: 1/20, 1-3pm

China Painters Cupboard: Marinette. M & F noon-3pm, Tu 1-4pm. Classes open to club members. 602-705-4952.

Clay Corner: Marinette. 623-977-3167. In January, sign up for new classes for beginners, specialty techniques in clay and more.

Fairway Knitters Club: Knit and Crochet Beading Made Easy. A club member demonstrates how to add beads to knitting and crochet items as you go without having to string the beads onto the yarn first. Class 1/20 at 11am in FW AZ Room #4.

Handweavers & Spinners Guild Classes: Sundial. Beginning 9am-noon & Intermediate noon-3pm start 1/11. Other classes: Sheritt Tu 9am-noon | Hardanger Th 9am-noon | Inkle Th 12-3pm | Spinning Th 12:30-3pm | Basket weaving F 9am-3pm.

Lakeview Art Club: 9 classes per session. Cost \$81, payable on 1st day. No refunds. Register by email to jbones1596@aol.com or katetate@msn.com. Include class preference and phone number. Questions, call 623-815-2589.

Water Media: M 1-4pm, unstructured with Loretta Musgrave, 602-995-3426. | All Media: Tu 1-4pm, unstructured with Loretta Musgrave, 602-995-3426. | All Media: W 1-4pm, unstructured with Jack Bonesteel, 623-815-2589. | Drawing & Painting: F 9am-noon, with Susan Denison, 623-815-7169. | Beginning Drawing/Painting: F 1-4pm, with Susan Denison, 623-815-7169.

Palo Verde Art Club: Sundial. 933-1297. Winter classes for members in Watercolor, Oil, Acrylic, Drawing & Colored Pencil.

Portrait Drawing with live model Th 1-3pm. Open painting with no instructor. Pick up schedule and prices in Art Room or at monthly meeting. Membership \$10 yearly.

Oakmont Lapidary & Silvercraft: Oakmont. Classes in silvercraft, lapidary, glass fusion, faceting, scrimshaw, wire wrapping, chain making, broom straw casting and inlay. All training courses include a startup kit; a minimum of three classroom instruction sessions (instructor fees); and a certificate upon completion. Classes scheduled when a person expresses interest and are dependent upon availability of instructor and student. Call 623-738-7945 or stop by club to sign up.

Sew Club: Contact: sewnsew.info | 974-2951

New Member Orientation: 1/5 | 11:30am | welcome new members, includes tour of club room.

Sewing 101 Class: learn how to start and become more effective with sewing. Review basics & catch up on new techniques. 2-3hr | \$12 | website for dates.

Charlotte's Jacket Class: make the perfect jacket for Arizona's winter. Jacket base is a sweatshirt; learn how to embellish it in your own style. 1/25 | 9:30am-12:30pm | \$6
Embroidery special interest group: meet, discuss, share & network on machine embroidery. 1/18 | 1-3pm.

Placemat Class: put fabric together that can change the look of a mat. Rotary cutting tips and ideas for machine stitching. 1/3 | 9:30am-12:30pm | \$6

Serger Necklace Class: use serger machine to make a unique necklace. 1/11 | 9:30am-12:30pm | \$13

Silk Ribbon Workshop: silk ribbon hand embroidery: Beginners 1/4, 1/11, 1/25 | 10-11:30am. Intermediate 1/3, 1/10, 1/24 | 12:30-2pm. Advanced 1/3, 1/10, 1/24 | 10-11:30am.

Machine Certifications: required for member use. Offered monthly, check website for dates: Baby Lock Crafter's Choice: 1-3 hr | \$6
Baby Lock Imagine Jet Threading Machine: 1-3 hr | \$6

Baby Lock (some with Disney designs): 2-3 hr | \$12

CARDS AND GAMES

Beginner Contract Bridge Lessons: Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club. W 9-11am 1/18-3/7 | \$5 | Oakmont Auditorium. Sign up W 11:30am-noon at Wednesday Afternoon Bridge or call Bev Underhill 623-521-1640.

DANCE

Ballroom Lessons: Ballroom Dance Club. Bell. M noon-2pm & Th 5:30-7:30pm | \$3 ea. hour lesson. Call 623-876-8749 for details.

East & West Coast Swing lessons start 1/4 at Bell. Call 623-842-3917 for details.

Beginner Dance Lessons: Sundial Dance Club. Lessons prior to dance at Sundial. Sa 6:15-7pm. Free.

Dance for the Health of It: This unique program offers exercise through the basic fundamentals of dance. Variety of great music, including swing, rumba, fox trot, rock and roll and more. No partner needed. Routines focus on balance and control and are designed to give a light-to-moderate cardio workout in Levels 1 & 2 and a higher intensity workout in Levels 2 & 3. Combination Levels 1 & 2 | 6pm | M | Bell Social Hall. Combination Levels 2 & 3 | 7pm. Both courses \$5. Verify class schedule at 602-679-4220.

Tip-Top Dance:

Advanced Tap: M & W 8:30-10am

Intermediate Tap: Tu 9-10:30am

Beginning Tap: W 10-11am

Theater Tap: F 8:30-10am

All That Jazz: Tu & Th 1-2pm

Ballet: W 6pm

EDUCATIONAL

Apple Macintosh Computer Club: Sundial. M-Th 8:30-10:30am & 12:30-2:30pm. All classes are free for members. Class schedule posted outside club room and at sunmacs.org. 623-933-5300.

PC-Computer: Computer Club. Fairway. New member signups: M, W & F 9-10:30am. Club closed 1/2.

Classes offered to members only. Pre-registration required. Free class: Novice for XP, Vista, & Windows 7 | 1/16 | 9-11am; 1/26 | 9-11am. All other classes \$5 each: Computing 101 in Windows 7 | 1/3, 1/4, 1/6 | 1-3pm; 1/17, 1/19, 1/21 | 9-11am; 1/31, 2/1, 2/3 | 1-3pm; XP Operating System | 1/16, 1/17, 1/18 | 1-3pm; Windows 7 Operating System | 1/9, 1/11, 1/13 | 9-11am; Explorer in XP, Vista, & Windows 7 | 1/23, 1/24, 1/25 | 9-11am; Open Office Writer | 1/9, 1/11, 1/12, 1/13 | 1-3pm; Microsoft Word 2007 & 2010-Beginning | 1/4, 1/6, 1/11, 1/13 | 9-11am; Microsoft Word 2007 & 2010-Intermediate | 1/25, 1/27, 2/1, 2/3 | 9-11am; PhotoShop Elements-Beginning | 1/4, 1/11, 1/18, 1/25 | 1-3pm; Print Artist | 1/3, 1/4, 1/5, 1/6 | 1-3:30pm; Intermediate Windows 7 Operating System | 1/18, 1/20 | 9-11am; Web Page Creation | 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4 | 9-11am.

Special Presentations: Safe Computing Secrets by Gary Stanley | 1/6 | 1pm | Arizona Room; Sun City Posse | 1/10 | 1 pm | Suite 219, Room A; Flight Simulator by Jim Marine | 1/12 | 9am | Suite 219, Room A; Hand-Held Devices by Kathy Lostumbo | 1/13 | 1pm | Suite 219, Room A; Social Networking by Katie Gertz | 1/27 | 1pm | Arizona Room.

Spanish Classes: Spanish Club. Fairway. Classes free to club members. Students can take more than one class. Info: SunCitySpanishClub@gmail.com or bulletin board at Fairway.

Beginner class level 1 | 10am-noon | starts M 12/12 | Classroom

FITNESS

Chair Yoga: 972-9602. Sundial. M & W 10-11:15am. Modified, gentle approach to yoga which includes simple stretches and breathing exercises done on and with a chair. Ideal

for those who have difficulty either with balance or transitioning to and from the floor. Classes limited in size so you'll have individual attention from instructor. \$30 for 6-class package (includes \$5 membership in Hatha Yoga club). Requires prepayment and pre-registration for each 6-week session. You'll need an RCSC card and a yoga mat to attend.

Equipment demos: Daily Fitness. Exercise pros demonstrate basic usage of the strength training machines at RCSC fitness centers. Limited to 25 participants. Call center and reserve spot. All demos begin at 11:30am except Oakmont is at 4:30pm. Bell: 1/4 - 876-3040 | Sundial: 1/11 - 876-3048 | Oakmont: 1/18 - 876-3046 | Fairway: 1/25 - 876-3044

Handi-Capables: SD exercise pool. 974-4502. Warm water exercise Tu & Th noon-2pm.

Hatha Yoga: 974-9212. Hatha Yoga meets six times weekly in a warm, quiet, fun environment designed to promote good mental/emotional health and physical well-being. Classes led by certified yoga instructors. All levels attend and practice at own level. Wear loose comfortable clothing and arrive 15 minutes early with RCSC card, yoga mat, \$5 for yearly membership (required) and \$3 for each class. Day and evening classes. SD Aerobics Room: M & W 6:30-8pm | Tu, Th & F 10-11:30am. MV Auditorium: W 8:30-10am. See brochure on window of the SD Aerobics Room for more information.

Swim Lessons: Classes W 8:30-10am at Sundial until 4/2. All RCSC cardholders welcome. Annual fee \$3. 623-977-9755.

Tai Chi: The ancient art of Tai Chi is a gentle flow of movements to encourage mental and physical harmony building strength, promoting flexibility and encouraging balance. Th 6-7pm Oakmont | M & W 10-11am & 11am-noon Fairway. All classes \$5 each. No registration necessary, just show up! Wear comfortable clothes and shoes (no mat required). Additional info call Zen Wellness at 623-537-9443.

Zumba: ZUMBA fuses Latin rhythms and easy-to-follow fitness moves for a full body workout. Daily Fitness offers two evening and one daytime programs: Tu 6:30-7:30pm & Th 6:30-7:30pm at SD West Hall; M 1-2pm at Marinette Social Hall. All classes are packaged into 2-month programs. Try a class for \$5. If you like it, you are asked to make a commitment to the remainder of the current running program. Details: Jane at 623-696-6820.

MUSIC AND THEATER

Piano Classes: Piano Club. Sundial. Stylist (improvising) begins 1/5 (\$165 for 8 1-hr sessions). Other piano classes (beginners & up) and voice begin 1/9 (\$135 for 8 sessions). 623-792-7266 or 4pcofsc@cox.net.

SOCIAL

Best Friends Dog Club: FW Training Arena. Canine Obedience, 3 Levels of Agility, CGC, Rally, Drill Team, Puppy and Trick Classes. Available on Sa. Registration: January and March. Membership: \$5/person. Classes: 6 1-hour classes \$30. Call: Marianna Van Dijk 623-972-3123. Bestfriendsdogclub.org.

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Art Club: LV. 877-9366. Classes: M-F 9am-4pm. Membership Meeting 1st Tu noon-3pm

Artistic Stained Glass: BC. 974-4765. M-F 8am-3:30pm, M, W, Th 5-8pm., Sa 8am-1pm.

Artistic Weavers: OM. 974-6108. M-Sa 9am-3pm. Th 1/26-3/15 9am-4pm.

Calligraphy: SD. 594-6591. Th & F 9-11am.

Camera Guild: SD. 815-7549. Tu-Th 9am-noon.

Carvers: LV. 486-3201. Th & Sa 7:30am-noon.

Ceramics: BC. 974-6750. M-F 8am-3pm. M 5:30-9pm. Sa 8am-noon.

Ceramics/Porcelain: FW. 972-5818. M-Th 8am-3pm, F 8am-noon.

Ceramics/Porcelain: LV. 974-5979. M-Th 9am-3pm, Tu 5:30-9pm.

Ceramics: OM. 977-1892. M-Th 8am-3pm.

China Painters Cupboard: MC. 602-705-4952. Tu 1-4pm, W 9am-noon, F noon-3pm.

China Painting: FW. 215-4763. M-F 8am-1pm.

Clay: LV. 933-0899. M-Sa 8am-4pm, Tu & Th 6-9pm.

Clay Corner: MC. 977-3167. M-W 8am-9pm. Th-Sa 8am-4pm. General meeting with new officers on 1/11 at 9am, Social @ 8:30am.

Crafts: BC. 974-3497. M-Sa 9am-3pm. W & Th 6-9pm. General Meeting 1/12 1pm at SH#1.

Crafts: SD. 933-2256. M & Th 8-1pm.

Creative Quilters: LV. 815-3763. M & F 8am-4pm. Tu & W 9am-3:30pm.

Friendship Quilters: BC. 256-6729. M 9am-8pm, W noon-8pm, Th & Sa 9am-3pm.

Grandmothers & Friends: OM. 480-381-8878. 2nd M 1-3pm.

Handweavers/Spinners: SD. 933-0397. M-F 9am-3pm.

Knitters: FW. 972-9736. F 8:30am-2:30pm.

Lapidary: BC. 977-1803. M-Sa 8am-noon. M, Tu, Th noon-3pm. W 6-8pm.

Lapidary/Silver: OM. 974-5010. M-F 8am-3pm.

Leathercraft: MC. 933-6889. M-F 8am-2:30pm.

Metal: BC. 974-8206. M-Sa 8am-4pm.

Needle Arts & Crafts: OM. 972-4331. Th 8:30-11:30am. 972-4331.

Palo Verde Art: SD. 933-1297. M-F 9am-4pm.

Sew 'n Sew: LV. 974-2951. sewnsew.info. Weekly program meetings Th 1/5, 1/12, 1/19 9:30am to 11am. No meeting 1/26, but open club room 9:30am to 11am. Boutique sales, Doll Clothes sales & open club room Tu 9am-3:30pm, Th 11:30am-3:30pm, Sa 9am-3:30pm.

Silvercraft: BC. 933-8442. M 8am-9pm. Tu-Sa 8am-3:30pm.

Silverstones: SD. 974-4344. M-F 8am-3pm. Sa 8am-noon.

Sterling & Stones: FW. 972-1452. M-Th 8am-3pm. F 7am-3pm. Tu, W & Sa 4:30-8pm.

Stitchers: BC. 815-0130. Tu 9am-3pm. W 9am-noon. F 9am-1pm.

Woodworking: BC. 974-6058. M-F 8am-4pm. Sa 8am-noon.

Woodworking: FW. 972-4385. M-F 8am-4pm. Sa 8-noon.

Woodworking: LV. 933-2355. M-F 8am-4pm. Sa 8-noon.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

Card Sharks: LV. 972-0659. M 7-9:30pm.

Friday Afternoon Bridge: FW. 972-5063. F 12:30-3:30pm.

Grand Slam Bridge: MC. 875-7136. Tu 6:45-9:30pm.

One Partner Bridge: LV. 933-1304. Th 7-9:30pm.

Saguaro Bridge: LV. 466-6567. F 7-10pm.

Thursday Afternoon Bridge: LV. 933-3968. Th 12:30-3:30pm.

Wednesday Afternoon Bridge: OM. 521-1640. W 12:30-4pm.

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

Kachina: SD. 972-2041. M & Th 12:15-4pm.

Sun City Duplicate (ACBL): LV. 875-7136. M 12:30-4pm. MC Th 12:30-4pm.

CARDS AND GAMES

Bunco Broncos: OM. 328-5327. 4th M 12:30-3:30pm.

Canasta: OM. 972-2609. F 10am-3pm.

Chess: LV SH#3. 977-6315. W & Th 1-4pm.

Mixed Cribbage: LV. 977-6487. Tu 12:45-3:30pm & W 6:15-9:30pm.

Euchre: FW. 594-4173. Tu 6-9:30pm.

500 Club: FW AZ Room 3 & 4. 845-4981. 1st, 3rd & 5th M 6:45-10pm. Experience required.

Mah Jongg (American & Chinese): MC. Social Hall 544-9117. Su noon-4pm. SD West Hall Tu noon-4pm. MC Aud Th 6-9pm.

Mixed Cards (Br-Pin-Can): FW. 875-3489. Sa 7-9:30pm.

Pinochle: LV. 876-1895. Tu 1-4pm, 6-9pm.

Roadrunner Pinochle: OM. 875-4465. M 6:30-10pm.

Saturday Pinochle: FW. 876-1895. Sa 10am-4pm.

DANCE

All That Jazz: MC. 875-7141. Tu, Th 1-2pm. Club dues: \$10/yr (\$5 after 7/1) | \$3/class.

Bell Tea: BC. 933-8873. W 2-4pm.

Rhythm Ramblers: SD. 876-8464. 1st Tu 2:30-4:30pm

Rockin' Thru the Years: BC. 332-7890. 1st, 3rd & 5th Sa 6:30-10pm. Members: \$3 | Guests: \$5.

Sun City Ballroom: BC. 842-3917. W 6:30-9pm. Su 6:30-9:30pm. Members: \$3 | Guests: \$5.

Sun City Line Dance: SD. 972-5127. Tu & Th 10am-1pm. Th 1/26 at MV.

Sun City Singles Dance: SD. 210-4087. F 7-10pm.

Sun City Squares: BC. Plus Square Dance: Pre-Rounds Tu 6:30-7pm; Plus Square Dance Tu 7-9pm. Caller: Dee Dee Dougherty; Cuer: Annie Brownrigg. Mary Sue 875-2642. SunCitySquares@q.com. Dances open to RCSC cardholders and guests.

Sundial Dance: SD. 847-0391. Couples & singles welcome. Sa 7-10pm.

Tip-Top Dance: MC. 875-7141.

EDUCATIONAL

Apple Macintosh Computer: SD. 933-5300, sunmacs.org. M-Th 8:30-10:30am & 12:30-2:30pm

PC-Computer: FW. 933-8953, firstsuncity.com, M-F 8am-4pm; Sa 8am-noon.

Lifelong Learning: FW. 218-6631. Registration Tu 1/10 10am-noon & Th 1/19 6-8:30pm

Spanish: FW. 875-3868. See bulletin board in FW. SunCitySpanishClub@gmail.com. M 8:30am-3:30pm, & 7-9pm. W 8am-3:30pm & 1-3:30pm Th 8am-noon.

FITNESS

Aerobic: BC. 972-3776. M, W & F 8am, 9am & 10am.

Aqua Fitness: SD. 876-8627. Winter Classes 11/28 – 2/3/12. Registration for Spring classes Sa 1/28/12 SD at 8:30am.

Dance For Fitness: 670-3014. Beginner &

Advanced Tu 9-11am at BC. W 9-10am at SD. F 9-11am at MV.

Hatha Yoga: 974-9212. MV Auditorium, W 8:15-10am. SD Aerobics Room, M & W 6:15-8pm. Tu, Th, F 9:45-11:30am. Classes \$3. Bring Yoga Mat.

Chair Yoga: 972-9602. SD Aerobics Room. M & W 10-11:15am.

Ladies Exercise: OM. 594-0937. Tu & F 8-9am.

So Grand: FW. 933-1365. M, W & F 7:30-9am.

Stretch & Slim: BC. 933-3550. Aerobic Room/Entrance through Pool Lobby. M-F 8-9am. Sa 8-10am.

HOBBY

Armchair Photo Explorers: FW. W 7pm. 1/4 Canyons, Spires and Aches

1/11 Southeast Asia, India, and Shri Lanka

1/18 Hunza – Where China and Pakistan meet

1/25 The Road to Timbuctu

Garden: OM Office, 875-5921, M, W, F 9am-noon. SD 1st Tu 8:30-11am.

Mineral Museum: SD. 977-0036. M, Tu, W, F 10am-3pm, Sa 10am-1pm.

Model Railroad: FW. 602-999-3884. Membership meeting in club room 2nd M 10-11am. Museum: M-F 1-3:30pm. Sa 10am-2pm.

Rockhounds: FW AZ Room. Gen. Mtg Th 1/12 7pm.

Rose & Garden: FW. 974-4590. Membership Meeting 2nd M 7pm.

Stamp: MC. 583-6111. Membership Meeting 1st M 6pm.

RV: SD. 875-5350. Caravan Meeting 1/27 F 9am. Potluck Meeting Tu 1/31 5:30pm.

Video Travel: FW. F 7pm. 1/6 Switzerland – Explore the countryside of this picturesque country

1/13 Costa Rica

1/20 Where is Patagonia? South America's Southern Third

1/27 Himalayas, Nepal and Kashmir

MUSIC AND THEATER

Chamber Orchestra: FW. 933-1568. W 9-11am.

Choraliers: FW. 815-8403. M 8:30-11am.

Concert Band: FW. 972-4767. Tu 9-11am.

Handbell Ringers: FW. 876-1101. F 9-11:30am.

Karaoke: MC. 583-3503. 1st & last M 5-8:30pm.

Piano Club: SD. 875-5756. 3rd F 9am-noon.

Sun City Pops Band: FW. 974-1659. Sa 9-11am.

Sun City Players: MV. 466-8419. 3rd M 7pm.

Readers Ensemble: LV. 974-3384. F 12-4pm.

Rhythm Ramblers: FW. 876-8464. Tu 1-3pm.

Ukulele: FW. 974-3360. Th 5-7pm.

Sun City Women's Chorus: FW. 974-6382. Th 8:30-11am.

POLITICAL

Democratic: FW AZ#1&2. 972-8129. 1st Th 6:30-9pm. Membership meeting.

Republican: SD East Hall. 3rd M 7-8:30pm. Membership meeting. Doors open at 6:30pm.

SOCIAL

Best Friends Dog: FW. 261-5502. 3rd Tu 8-11:30am. Training area: M 9am-2:30pm. W, Th, F 9am-2pm, Sa 9am-noon.

Friendship Corner: MC. Sa noon-4:30pm.

Gourmet Social: OM. 977-6068. 2nd & 4th Su 4:30-7:30pm.

Handi-Capables: FW AZ Room. 974-4502. Social-Business meeting 1st M 12:30pm.

Men's: SD. 977-5116. M-Sa 7am-4pm.

Newcomer Hospitality: MC. 547-7022. Bridge: W noon-3:15pm. Partners Bridge: 2nd & 4th Tu 6:45pm.

Euchre: 1st, 3rd & 5th Tu 1pm.

Pizza/Games: 2nd F 5pm call 518-4887.

Potluck/Games: last F 5pm.

New England: OM. 738-7021. 2nd Sa 5pm.

NextGen: FW. 505-8505. 1st Tu & 3rd Th 7pm. nextgensuncity.org.

Sun City Singles Social: OM. 583-8826. 1st F 6pm potluck. 3rd F 6pm game night.

Women's Social: LV. 815-6976. Daily 10am-4:30pm, M 6-9:30pm. Join us for bridge, poker, canasta, dominoes and your choice games.

SPORTS

Bocce: SD. 242-9899. Tournaments: M, Tu, W & F thru 1/27 1pm. Two Person Teams: Th 1pm thru 1/26. Open Play: Th 1pm, Su 2pm and F 6pm. Board Mtg: 1/2 5:30pm. Member Mtg: 1/9 7pm – Sundial East Hall. Fundraiser: 1/12 5pm – Peter Piper Pizza. Closed New Year's Day.

Conservation Sportsmen: LV SH#1. 977-8690. 3rd Th 9am-noon.

Lawn Bowl: BC. 583-4432. M, W, F, Su 8:45am & 1:45pm.

Lawn Bowl: FW. 933-5066. Tu, Th, Sa 1:45pm.

Lawn Bowl: LV. 977-6559. Tu, Th, Sa 8:45am & 1:45pm.

Lawn Bowl (USLBA): LV. 875-6919. M 11:30am-4pm

Lawn Bowls: MV. 933-5066. Tu, Th, Sa 9am

Lawn Bowl: OM. 444-7194. M, W, F 9am. M, W, F, Su 1:45pm.

Mini-Golf: LV SH#1. 875-2544. 2nd Tu 10-11am.

Pickleball: 444-7711. MC: M, W, F 1-3pm. Night play M-Th 5:30-8pm. MV: M, Tu, W, F 9-11am. For lessons, go to MC or MV during club times.

Racquetball: BC. 986-1754. M-Sa 6-9am, Tu & Th 5:30-7:30pm.

Senior Softball: SB Field. 977-7827. M-F 8am-5pm

Bell Shuffleboard: BC. 977-6339. M, Tu & F Noon-4pm.

Sundial Shuffleboard: BC. 933-7343. Club Play: W & Th @ 1pm, Th @ 7pm. No Member Mtg in January.

Outdoor Shuffleboard: LV. 234-4836. M, W, F 1-4pm.

Master Swimmers: BC. 876-1233. M-F 7-9am.

Synchronized Swim: LV. 876-1233. M, W, F 8-10am.

Table Tennis: BC. 875-9991. M, W, F Noon-3pm. Tu & Sa 10am-noon. Su 1-3pm. Singles Round Robin Tu 7pm. Doubles Round Robin Th 7pm.

Tennis: BC. W 6:30-8pm

Key

BC - Bell | FW - Fairway | LV - Lakeview | MC - Marinette | MV - Mountain View | OM - Oakmont | SD - Sundial | SB - Sun Bowl

All area codes are 623 unless otherwise noted.

February 2012 Tours



Tubac Art Festival

Feb. 10 | \$65 | Depart 7:45am | Return 7pm

Tubac is located 40 miles south of Tucson in the San Cruz County that was founded in 1752, as a Spanish Presidio or Fort. This is the oldest European settlement in what would later become the State of Arizona. The area offers over 120 shops, studios and galleries. The Tubac Festival of Arts is Arizona's longest-running art festival and showcases the work of hundreds of visiting artists, craft persons and musicians from around the country and North America. This weekend will feature regional musical performances and demonstrations. The town of Tubac has grown over the years and has wonderful new shops, boutiques and restaurants to enjoy during our visit.



Algodones, Mexico

Feb. 14 | \$60 | Depart 7am | Return 8:30pm

Enjoy a cultural change in this Mexican border town across from Yuma. Residents can have their eyes or teeth examined and prescriptions can be filled. PASSPORTS REQUIRED. It is the responsibility of each resident to know the laws regarding crossing the border, identification requirements and making any purchases. There are plenty of shopping bargains. Food not included and don't forget your own bottled water. Tour includes roundtrip transportation and tour guide.



Verde Canyon Railroad's Centennial

Feb. 11 | \$92 | Depart 10am | Return 8:30pm

Help celebrate 100 years of railroad-ing by taking a complimentary tour at their depot and learn about their Vintage engines, their historic caboose and the John Bell Museum. Enjoy exhibitions celebrating the Verde Valley and displays include agricultural and historical displays, area attraction presentations, wildlife conservation and preservation, artisans & entertainers and Native American culture. At 2pm we'll begin a centennial four-hour ride on Verde Canyon Railroad's Historic Route from Clarkdale to Perkinsville and back – into Arizona's other "grand canyon" is an unforgettable experience. It features flora and fauna; rugged high-desert rock faces, and spectacular, panoramic views totally distinctive to this unique, geological area. Included is a box lunch when you get on the train. Bring along your camera.



Warriors, Tombs and Temples at Bowers Museum

Feb. 21-23 | \$499 double / \$615 single | Depart 7:45am | Return 9pm

This includes 200 incredibly preserved ancient works of art. Featuring newly discovered artifacts unearthed from imperial, royal and elite tombs from beneath Buddhist monasteries in and around the capital cities of three great dynasties, all under one roof. Also scheduled is a VIP Tour of Warner Brothers Studios for an intimate glimpse behind the scenes. Before departing for home, we will visit the Richard Nixon Library and Museum.

Tickets for all tours are available now in the Clubs & Activities Office. Ticket sales are 7:30am to 4pm weekdays. All prices are per-person.

Book a tour early. Without enough bookings, RCSC must cancel tours.



Barleen's Arizona Opry Dinner Show: Treat Your Valentine

Feb. 13 | \$61 | Depart 4pm | Return 11pm

Enjoy a delectable chicken breast dinner with all the trimmings featuring Bashful Brother Ben's famous chocolate cake! The Opry performers include Brenda Barleen, a talented drummer and vocalist; Bill Wells, a dynamic guitarist and keyboard player; Musical Director George Staerkel, a versatile and talented performer and his wife, Barbara Barleen-Staerkel, a talented musician playing strings, keyboard and vocalist; Mark Lucas, playing guitar and comedian; Steve Weitz, bass guitar, vocals & horns will make your evening most memorable. \$61 pp. Monday, February 13 (Depart 4:00 pm; Return 11:00 pm)



Rocky Point, Mexico

Feb. 13-15 | \$295 double / \$395 single | Depart 7:45am | Return 7pm

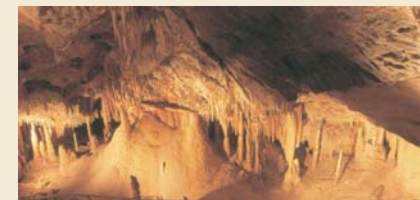
Relax and enjoy a 3-day / 2 night escape to the sandy beaches, gorgeous sunsets and the fresh ocean breezes of the quaint fishing port of Rocky Point! Trip includes deluxe motor coach transportation with snacks and water, 2 night accommodations at Peñasco Del Sol Hotel, 2 breakfasts, dinner at a local restaurant, stop at the Seafood Market prior to departure for fresh fish & shrimp "to go," professional tour guide, baggage handling, driver and guide gratuities. PASSPORTS REQUIRED. It is the responsibility of each resident to know the laws regarding crossing the border, identification requirements and making any purchases.



56th Annual Arabian Horse Show

Feb. 23 | \$65 | Depart 1:15pm | Return 6:30pm

Tour includes show admission, reserved seating in bleachers, motor-coach, guide and gratuities. Time allotted to browse the two heated Big Top tents which houses over 400 vendors from art décor to clothing and much more. At 3:30 pm you will see horses in Costume and in Liberty which is a crowd pleaser. Enjoy watching these magnificent horses running wild and free as they show off with spunk and lots of attitude!



Kartchner Caverns: Rotunda Throne Tour

Feb. 29 | \$72 | Depart 7am | Return 7:30pm

The Kartchner Caverns story is one of amazing discoveries...both present and past. Stand where the discoverers first entered the cave and marvel at the strange and colorful formations. This tour has been open since 1999. The Rotunda/Throne Tour length is 1/2 mile and takes approximately 1-1/2 hour with 17 people on each guided tour (included). Discover the role that water plays in creating the caverns. You will see the discoverers' original trail, 45,000-year-old guano, delicate formations and "Kubla Khan," the largest column formation in Arizona. While you are waiting, experience hiking trails, the hummingbird garden, the amphitheater, the picnic area where you can enjoy your box lunch (included) and the Visitor Center. Lunch offers wraps with choices: ham, turkey, roast beef, or vegetable & includes a bag of chips, a cookie, a soft drink or bottled water. Also offered a cup of soup and 1/2 wrap including a cookie, a soft drink or bottled water.

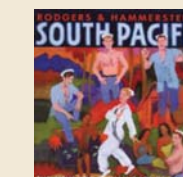
January 2012 Tours Still Available:

Algodones, Mexico - *Passport required
Jan. 10 | \$60 | Depart 7am | Return 8:30pm



"See How They Run" at Hale Centre Theatre in Gilbert
Jan. 14 | \$75 | Depart 1:15pm | Return 7pm

Rogers & Hammerstein's "South Pacific" at Gammage
Jan. 15 | \$115 | Depart 11:15am | Return 4pm



Disney on Ice presents "Toy Story 3" at US Airways Center
Jan. 20 | \$45 | Depart 9:30am | Return 3pm

"Brigadoon" at Broadway Palm Dinner Theater
Jan. 26 | \$89 | Depart 10:45am | Return 5pm



Book a tour early. Without enough bookings, RCSC must cancel tours.

Tours are available for RCSC Cardholders and guests only.

RCSC hosts monthly bus tours for its Cardholders. Tours can take Cardholders for a day trip to check out the red rocks of Sedona or a three-night getaway to the beaches of Mexico. Whatever your fancy, check out the upcoming tours and you're sure to find a memorable trip. Tickets can be purchased from 7:30am to 4pm Monday through Friday at the Clubs & Activities Office at Lakeview Recreation Center. A valid RCSC Card must be presented when purchasing tickets. Cardholders purchasing tickets must accompany each trip purchased and may purchase a maximum of six tickets. Cardholders may not buy tickets for others when cardholder does not participate in tour. All tours depart from Bell Recreation Center, on 99th Avenue just south of Bell Road. Full itineraries for overnight tours are available upon request. For more information, call the Clubs Office at 623-561-4660.

Future Bus Tours On Sale Now

"Me and My Girl" at Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre in Mesa
Wed. March 7 | \$89

Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Park, Bloom Trail & Monterey, CA
Sun.-Fri. March 4-9 | \$1,700 double/\$2,300 single

Catalina Island, Flower Fields & Joshua Tree National Park
Sun.-Wed. March 18-21 | \$850 double/\$1,125 single

Palm Springs Follies / Spa Casino Resort
Choice of Desert Hills Premium Outlets or Morongo Spa Casino
Thurs.-Sat. March 22-24 | \$330 double / \$460 single

New Orleans in April
Mon.-Fri. April 9-13 | \$1,699 double / \$2,150 single

A Closer Walk with Patsy Kline at Broadway Palm Dinner Theatre in Mesa
Thurs. April 26 | \$89

"La Cage" at Gammage Auditorium in Tempe
Sat. May 19 | \$115

Million Dollar Quartet at Gammage Auditorium
Sat. June 9 | \$130

Itineraries available in the Clubs Office Monday through Friday 7:30am-4pm. Single residents can request their name be added to a list for "sharing a room by gender" with another resident for overnight tours in the Clubs Office.

For more information on any of the tours listed above, contact the Clubs & Activities Office at 623-561-4660 or drop by the office at Lakeview Recreation Center.



MasterCard, Visa, cash or check accepted.

Artistic Weavers & Fiber Artists

It's New Year's Resolution time and the Artistic Weavers and Fiber Artists' Club offers a fun way to learn new crafts while making new friends. What better resolution could you assign yourself?

Besides basket-making on Mondays and spinning on Wednesdays, Beginning Weavers' classes start January 17. There'll be a January 6 workshop for making Thrum Dolls and paper bag weaving classes on January 12, 19 and 26. January 13 is the start date for our Weaving Hearts class to make cute little cards we'll share at our Valentine's Day Tea Party. Also in February, members will learn to weave Little People in Boundweave, and how to make frilly and/or bulky handcrafted scarves as well.

Club meetings are held the fourth Friday of each month through April. Our programs include interesting speakers,

Fun Fridays, a bargain-filled Stash Sale, a road trip to Tempe Yarn and Fiber and an April Mad Hatter's Tea Party.

Our clubroom at Oakmont is open 9am to 3pm, Mondays through Fridays, and the club's \$10 annual membership is available to all RCSC cardholders. Stop by to learn more about all the fun you can have because we'd love to have you join us!



Bell Tea Dance

Start 2012 by making a resolution to enjoy yourself more, while becoming healthier at the same time. YES, the easiest way to do that is by joining the gang at the Bell Tea Dance. Ballroom dancing is both enjoyable and good for mental and physical well-being. Dancing is known to burn 200 to 400 calories an hour, lower blood pressure and cholesterol, strengthen bones and increase flexibility. These are all the benefits you can derive in addition to meeting your friends at the Bell Tea Dance.

The Bell Tea Dance is every Wednesday from 2 to 4pm in the Social Hall. The Tea

Dance has live music every week—our regular scheduled entertainers are: Mike Carollo, Manuel Dorantes and Bob Ropolo.

You do not need a partner. Visitors are welcome. Admission is \$3 for members and \$4 for guests. Refreshments are provided.

All RCSC cardholders are encouraged to join for a \$2 membership fee per year. Proper ballroom attire (semi-casual) is required. Blue jeans, tennis shoes and shorts are not allowed. For more information, call 623-388-3051.

Gourmet Social Club

Gourmet Officers: left to right, Audrey Rohan, vice president; Elly Frawley, secretary-treasurer; and Betty Holly, president.

The Gourmet Social Club of Sun City meets the second and the fourth Sunday at Oakmont Recreation Center from 4:30 to 7:30pm.

At each meeting we have new and delicious meals, including appetizers, meat and pasta dishes, zesty salads, and special homemade desserts. To promote variety, once a month we choose a special theme for the meal. All entrees are prepared by our talented members.

After the meal, we play card games, bingo or dice games. We also have entertainment for some of the meetings. A

monthly door prize is given. Membership is open to RCSC cardholders. Guests are always welcome. For more information, please call Betty Holly at 623-640-9796, Audrey Rohan at 920-716-2682 or Elly Frawley at 623-933-8485. Join us for a Gourmet meal! Recipes are available.



Sun City Clay Club

Sun City Clay Club is a full service studio for potters with all levels of experience. There are hand building and wheel rooms as well as teaching, glazing and kiln rooms. There are lots of equipment including slab rollers, wedging tables, all kinds of molds and stamps and a lot of drying areas. There is an area in which to display your pieces for sale.

Beginning hand building, wheel and sculpture classes start in January and are given in winter, spring and fall. Workshops are scheduled at least twice a month and

all members are welcome to take them.

CALLING ALL CLAY ARTISTS to enter into the 24th ANNUAL SUN CITY CLAY CLUB JURIED SHOW held February 19 from 10am to 3pm. The show is open to all Sun City clay artists.

Registration will be Friday, February 17 at Lakeview Recreation Center, upstairs in the Social Hall from 9am to 2pm. There is no limit to the number of entries that can be made but there is a \$3 fee for each entry with the sixth entry free. Visit www.suncityclayclub.org for more information.

Handi-Capables

Handi-Capables provides a club specifically for those with physical limitations (chronic or temporary) offering the benefits of both social and fitness programs to enhance life, abilities and enjoyment.

The club meets Tuesday and Thursday at the Sundial exercise pool for exercise. The warm water provides buoyancy and improves balance. There are three pool classes led by qualified instructors. The sit-down class and the beginners stand up class meet at noon. The advanced class meets at 1pm. For those who need assistance entering the pool, our staff is available with a power lift, ramps and water wheelchairs.

Social meetings are at 12:30pm the first Monday of the month in the Arizona Room at Fairway. Refreshments are served at every meeting. The annual Christmas Party has become a tradition and although the venues change, this

catered affair is well worth the additional charge.

Membership at \$10 annually is open to all RCSC cardholders, especially those with physical limitations and their spouse, partner, friend and caregiver. Join us whether or not you need our services. Individuals wishing to volunteer are always welcome.

For additional information, please contact President Bill Natz at 623-974-4502 or 623-824-1468 or Vice President Mary Vore at 623-933-6515.



Fairway Sterling & Stones

Fairway Sterling and Stones has elected its new Board of Directors, and our new president is Gary Leiser.

We had our Christmas party last month at the Sun City Country Club, with entertainment provided by the Reader's Ensemble, a division of the Sun City Players Community Theater. We had a great time! We have a pizza party scheduled for our general meeting this month.

We continue to have new members join

us in our main function - doing lapidary work (cutting and polishing stones) and various kinds of jewelry art work. Classes are available in lapidary, basic silversmithing, wire wrapping, glass fusion, and lost-wax casting. Membership is open to all RCSC card holders.

We also have jewelry made by our members available for sale to the public at very reasonable prices.

Lakeview Art Club

Who hasn't said, "I wish I could paint like that!"?

The instructors at Lakeview Art will help you develop your skills. The club offers classes for all skill levels and in all media. We have classes available on Friday for the beginning artist. Our instructor, Susan Denison, is a retired art teacher and is very good teaching the basics and helping you find confidence in developing your painting skills. On Wednesday, Jack Bonesteel teaches; he is knowledgeable in watercolor, acrylic, oil and pastel.

Loretta Musgrave will coach a painting class Monday and Tuesday afternoons. Monday afternoon is water-based media, and Tuesday afternoon is oil, water-based and pastels. Loretta, a local artist is very creative in all art media. New classes start in January. Lakeview Art club meets the first Tuesday of the month in Social Hall #1. Stop by our Art Room any weekday afternoon to join. Registration is also available via email at Jbones1596@aol.com or by calling Jack Bonesteel at 623 815 2589.

Lifelong Learning Club

Registration for spring classes will be Thursday, January 12 from 11:30am to 2pm at Fairway Arizona Room #4. A membership meeting will precede registration from 10 to 11am in AZ Room #4. Spring classes run January 30 through March 30 and cover a wide range of topics and interests. Offerings will include three programs from Heard Museum, a music class, two art courses, a film class, a current events discussion group, several history classes, a couple of finance-related programs, as well as a host of programs specifically dealing with issues relating to the health and well-being of seniors.

Club membership dues for the 2012 calendar year are \$20 and can be paid at registration. Members may take as many classes as they wish during the year. Reg-

istration for fall classes is in October with classes offered in November and December. Over 60 courses are available to club members each year.

Instructors are mostly RCSC cardholders; however, speakers from outside agencies also make presentations. In addition, the club sponsors educational field trips each semester.

Members are provided information about classes on a regular basis through email and also receive a club newsletter. Copies of our spring course brochure are available at the Clubs and Activities Office at Lakeview Center and in our club mailbox at Fairway Center.

RCSC cardholders may contact Tom Clark, president, at tclark40@cox.net or 623 218 6631 for further information.



Pickleball Club

For those who want to remain active forever, pickleball is the sport for you. Anyone can have fun playing the game, but it can turn into a fast-paced, competitive game for experienced players with lots of tournaments around the area. It is played with a plastic wiffle ball and a paddle, on a court one-fourth the size of a tennis court. It is a fast-growing sport. If you have an RCSC card, come and learn about the game. We have 12 courts at Marinette Center and four courts at Mountain View. Feel free to come and watch to see what pickleball is all about. For information on club times and lessons, see the Sun Views section on clubs.

Conservation & Sportsmen Club

The Conservation and Sportsmen's Club elected new officers for 2012 at the November 17 general membership meeting: President Tom Mauch, Vice President Frank Bishop, Secretary John Weaver and Treasurer Wally Bramilla. The club is very active in outdoor activities and sports, family oriented, and for men and women. Each meeting has a program speaker that is informative and educational about the activities that our club is interested in. Meetings are on the third Thursday of every month September through May from 9 to 11am in Social Hall #1 at



Handbell Ringers

The Handbell Ringers of Sun City will perform their spring concert, "Ringing In That Old Time Religion," at American Lutheran Church, 17200 Del Webb Blvd. on Sunday, March 25 at 3pm. Tickets are \$5. Listen to bells ring out old spirituals such as "Do Lord," "Rock A My Soul," and "Down By The Riverside." Rehearsals begin Friday, January 6 in the Music Room at Fairway Recreation Center from 9 to 11:30am. If you have handbell experience and would like to join the group, contact Director Libbie Randels at 623-925-2320. RCSC cardholders are encouraged to participate.

Lakeview Recreation Center. Club activities are year-round and include: hunting - big and small game and birds during hunting season; fishing - weekly trips to metro and state lakes and streams; trap and skeet - every Wednesday and Thursday at the Ben Avery Clay Target Center; target shooting - every Friday morning at the Ben Avery Main Range; social events - monthly get-togethers at local restaurants, annual fish fry, annual picnic, and more. For further information, call Tom Mauch, at 623-547-9777 or Frank Bishop at 623-875-2118.

Racquetball Club of Sun City

Join in the fun with the Racquetball Club. Here's a year-round sport with lots of up-beat folks who enjoy being physically fit, having friends, and mixing with others! Sun City has two of the finest, well-maintained courts in the country. Join us in a group or come practice on your own. You need to be an RCSC cardholder or a guest of one. You will need to bring clean court shoes to change into. There are extra racquets available if you need to borrow one; also eye protection, which is a must. Interested in getting back into the game after an absence? Beginners and novices play Saturday and Wednesday mornings, with higher level play in the early mornings, afternoons and evenings. You're welcome at any time. Don't be shy about coming into the courts and sitting

on a bench. If you're looking for a partner, there are contacts available in the courts. All ages and skill levels are welcome.

These fabulous racquetball courts are at Bell Center past lawn bowling near table tennis, mini-golf and tennis off Hutton. Please check in at the monitor's booth and within the courts on the clipboards.

Check out our website, Racquetball-ClubofSunCity.com, for more information or call Shawn at 623-986-1754.



Let's start a Backgammon Club

We are looking for RCSC cardholders who want to start a Backgammon Club for beginners and long-time players. Backgammon is an ancient two-player dice and board game. Some say it's the greatest game. For those who have never played the game, it takes about 20 to 30 minutes to learn the game and about a lifetime to learn the strategy. This means that while you are having fun playing the game, you are also learning the different strategies to win. If this sounds interesting to you, please call Barry Spinka at 623-594-0805.

BILLIARDS**Bell Lanes**

M-Sa 8am-9pm & Su noon-8pm

Fairway

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Lakeview Lanes

M-Sa 8am-8pm & Su noon-6pm

BINGO**Sundial**

Th doors open 5pm. Bingo starts at 6:30pm. \$7 for all 18 games w/3 special games. Open to the public.

BOATING/FISHING**Lakeview**Boating: Daily 7am-6:30pm
Fishing: Daily 6am-sunset**BOCCIE****Marinette**

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm.

Sundial

Daily 6am-9pm

BOWLING-FOOD**Bell Lanes** 623-876-3050

M-Sa 8am-9pm; Su noon-8pm

Lakeview Lanes 623-876-3055

M-Sa 8am-8pm; Su noon-6pm

Mojoe's Restaurant

M-Sa 7:30am-7pm; Su 7:30am-2pm

Golf Course Snack Shops

Daily 6am-5pm

FITNESS CENTERS**Bell** (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Fairway (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Lakeview

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Marinette

M-Sa 6am-7pm; Su 8am-7pm

Mountain View

M-Sa 6am-7pm; Su 8am-7pm

Oakmont

M-Sa 6am-7pm; Su 8am-5pm

Sundial (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 6am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm

HORSESHOES**Marinette**

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Mountain View

Daily 8am-7pm

JOGGING/WALKING**Fairway** (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Marinette (Outdoor)

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Sun Bowl

Dawn to dusk

Sundial (Indoor)

M-Sa 6-8am

LIBRARY - 602-652-3000**Bell**

M 9am-7pm, Tu-Sa 9am-5pm.

Fairway

M-F 9am-4pm.

MINI-GOLF**Bell**

M-Sa 6am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm

Lakeview

Daily 7am-7pm

Marinette

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Mountain View

Daily 8am-7pm

Sundial

Daily 6am-9pm

PICKLEBALL**Marinette**

M-Sa 6am-7pm & Su 8am-7pm

Mountain View

M-Sa 7:30am-7pm; Su 8am-7pm.

RACQUETBALL**Bell**

M-Sa 6am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

SHUFFLEBOARD**Bell (Indoors at Bell Lanes)**

M-Sa 8am-9pm & Su noon-8pm

Lakeview (Outdoors)

Daily 7am-7pm

SPAS**Bell** (only open to those 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Fairway (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Lakeview

M-Sa 6am-7pm & Su 8am-7pm

Marinette

M-Sa 8am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Mountain View

Daily 8am-7pm

Oakmont

Daily 10am-5:30pm

Sundial (only open to those 18+)

M-Sa 6am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

SWIMMING POOLS**Bell Lap Pool** (only open to 18+)

M-F 5-7am, 9am-9pm; Sa 5am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm

Bell Walking Pool (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Fairway Lap Pool (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Fairway Walking Pool (only open to 18+)

M-Sa 5am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

Lakeview

M, W & F 6am-8am, 10am-7pm; Tu, Th, Sa 6am-7pm; Su 8am-7pm

Marinette

M-Sa 8am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Mountain View

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm

Oakmont (only open to 18+)

Daily 10am-5:30pm

Sundial Large Pool (only open to 18+)

M & Th 6-8am, 10am-5pm, 7-9pm; Tu, W & F 6-8am, 10am-9pm; Sa 6am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm.

Sundial Exercise Pool (only open to 18+)

M 6-10am, noon-4pm, 5-9pm; Tu 6-10am, 7-9pm; Th 6-10am, 5-9pm; F 6-10am, noon-4pm, 7-9pm; W & Sa 6am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm.

CHILDREN'S SWIM (AGES 4-15)**Lakeview**

Daily 4-7pm

Marinette

Daily 1-4pm

Mountain View

Daily 10am-1pm

TABLE TENNIS**Bell**

M-Sa 6am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm

TENNIS**Bell**

M-Sa 6am-9pm; Su 8am-8pm. 977-3325.

Lakeview

Daily 7am-7pm. 561-4676.

Marinette

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-7pm. 876-3054.

Mountain View

M-Sa 7:30am-7pm Su 8am-7pm. 876-3042.

MEMBER SERVICES

Massage United Therapists Services, 623-972-4924 Fitness Training Daily Fitness, LLC, 623-256-7901 Dance for the Health of It 602-679-4220 Zen Wellness Tai Chi 623-537-9443

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Lakeview Center

10626 W. Thunderbird Blvd.

623-561-4600

www.sunaz.com

BOWLING**Bell Lanes**

16810 N. 99th Ave.

623-876-3050

Lakeview Lanes

10502 W. Thunderbird Blvd.

623-876-3055

CENTERS**Bell Center**

16820 N. 99th Ave.

623-876-3040

Sundial Center

14801 N. 103rd Ave.

623-876-3048

GOLF COURSES**Lakes East/Lakes West**

10433 Talisman Rd.

East: 623-876-3023

West: 623-876-3020

Lakeview Center

10626 W. Thunderbird Blvd.

623-561-4600

Marinette Center

9860 W. Union Hills Dr.

623-876-3054

North

12650 N. 107th Ave.

623-876-3010

South

11000 N. 103rd Ave.

623-876-3015

Mountain View Center

9749 N. 107th Ave.

623-876-3042

Fairway Center

10600 W. Peoria Ave.

623-876-3044

Willowbrook/Willowcreek

10600 N. Boswell Blvd.

W'brook: 623-876-3033

W'creek: 623-876-3030

Oakmont Center

10725 W. Oakmont Ave.

623-876-3046

Sun Bowl Amphitheatre

10220 N. 107th Ave.

623-972-6014

(inclement weather recording)

Quail Run

9774 W. Alabama Ave.

623-876-3035

Riverview

16401 N. Del Webb Blvd.

623-876-3025

Mojoe's Restaurant JANUARY SPECIALS

623-876-3057 - Mon-Sat 8am-7pm Sun 8am-2pm - Open to the Public!
10502 W. Thunderbird Blvd., east of Del Webb Boulevard in Sun City

Monday		Friday	
Chicken Fried Steak w/potato and vegetable	\$5.99	Deep Fried Butterfly Shrimp and Fries	\$5.99
Chicken Pot Pie and bread	\$5.99	Top Sirloin steak & Deep Fried Butterfly Shrimp w/ potato & vegetable	\$9.99
Tuesday		Deep Fried Beer-Battered Cod or Grilled Cod w/ potato & coleslaw	\$8.25
Chicken Chimichanga w/ rice and beans	\$5.99		
Two Taco (chicken or beef) w/ rice and beans	\$5.99	Saturday	
Wednesday		Open-Faced Turkey w/ mashed potatoes	\$5.99
Spaghetti and Meatballs w/ garlic toast	\$5.99	New York Strip Steak w/ potato, vegetable & dessert	\$11.95
Beef Stroganoff with bread	\$5.99		
Thursday		Sunday	
Meatloaf w/ potato and vegetable	\$5.99	Deep Fried Beer-Battered Cod or Grilled Cod w/ fries	\$5.99
		Sales tax not included	

\$3.99 All-You-Can-Eat
Pancakes, Waffles or French Toast
(Monday thru Saturday until 11am)

\$4.99 Breakfast w/eggs, toast, potato and meat

Sales tax not included

january

MOVIE DATES



Wednesdays at Marinette Recreation Center: 2pm & 7pm
Saturdays at Mountain View Recreation Center: 2pm & 7pm
Free to RCSC Cardholders and guests. FREE POPCORN!

Movies shown at Marinette and Mountain View are closed-captioned for the hearing impaired. Movies shown on DVD.

What's playing? To find out what movies are playing:
-Sign up for Movies emails at sunaz.com (receive movie list via email on last Wednesday of every month)
-Call RCSC at 623-561-4600
-Pick up a flyer at Mountain View or Marinette

Marinette - January 4, 11, 18, 25

Mountain View - January 7, 14, 21, 28

COMMUNICATION: Key to success

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remember that communication is a two-way street and that just because somebody did not hear about something does not mean there was a lack of or breakdown in communication.

Effective communication is not a passive activity. It requires some form of action on the part of both parties to ensure a message is sent and received. One who wishes to communicate must actively do so. One who wishes to be communicated to must actively do so. When this happens, confusion and distrust diminish and understanding and cooperation increase. That's when lots of positive and exciting things can start to happen in a community.

This time of year serves as a new beginning as we welcome new members to the Board of Directors this month. I want to invite RCSC Members and the Sun City community to bring us suggestions and ideas on how RCSC can communicate better with you all, and ways the greater community can better communicate with RCSC.

There are a lot of exciting things that we all can accomplish for our community if we work together, but it all starts with communication. As stated, I believe our current communication efforts are superb. I highly encourage everyone who hasn't yet done so, to sign up for our email alerts at www.sunaz.com/email. But even so, that doesn't mean our communication tools are perfect or that we can't change the way we do something to make it even better.

La Petite Cafe

623-933-8261 | M-F 7am-8pm | Sa-Su 7am-2pm
16820 N. 99th Ave. (at Bell Recreation Center)

Breakfast served all day!

New Dinner Menu!
Stop by for dinner
Mon.-Fri. to taste
our new flavor



Sun City's Best Fish Fry!
Fridays 11am-8pm
All You Can Eat Hand-Battered Cod!