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From the President: Energy Conservation



Vance Coleman RCSC Board President

At the February monthly Board meeting, it was brought to our attention that RCSC had received an award from APS for the energy savings projects adopted by the corporation. Therefore I thought it prudent to provide a list of many of the things RCSC has done and is doing to conserve energy and resources.

Water Savings

• Pool covers being installed which will reduce evaporation during pool non-use hours.

- Motion sensor and manual metering lavatory faucets being deployed.
- Motion activated devices deployed on toilets.
- Low volume toilets and urinals being installed as they are replaced.
- Shower push buttons installed on showers at Fairway.
- All showers are on a hot water recirculation system and no water "warm up" is needed before use.
- Irrigation systems are continually monitored.
- Lining of creeks on golf courses with concrete to reduce water lost through seepage.

Natural Gas Savings

- Pool heaters set to 85 degrees. (Except Sundial therapeutic, small pool which is set at 91 degrees.) Thermostats on the pool heaters are now set-back type allowing the RCSC to reduce pool water temperature during non-use hours.
 - Solar panels installed at Mountain View to pre-

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Spring is in the air, and music is, too, at the Sun Bowl! Check out this year's slate of spring shows beginning this month. Shows are free to RCSC cardholders and guests.

Bring your own lawn chair. Rain location – Sundial Auditorium. For information regarding rain location and a recorded message, call 623-972-6014.

As a courtesy to your neighbors, there is no smoking in the Sun Bowl. Smoking areas will be

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Easter Egg Hunt April 22

Grandchildren will be on the hunt at the Sun Bowl on Good Friday as Recreation Centers of Sun City, Inc. hosts the annual Easter Egg Hunt for 3- to 6-year-old grandchildren at 10am April 22. The Sun Bowl will be filled with hundreds of eggs just waiting to be eagerly snatched up by excited little grandchildren. The Easter Egg Hunt is a wonderful Sun City tradition we hope you will be a part of! Grandparents are reminded to please pre-register your grandchildren or guests by visiting the Clubs Office at Lakeview Recreation Center or by calling 623-561-4665. The Easter Bunny will be on hand to greet the children and to pose for pictures. Don't forget to bring a container or basket for the eggs.

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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

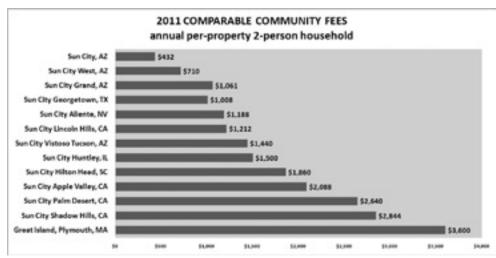
Cardholder Services: 623-561-4603 Monday–Friday 8:30am–4pm Open 9am to noon first Saturday of each month Stay in the loop with RCSC news alert emails! Sign up at www.sunaz.com

Email addresses remain confidential.

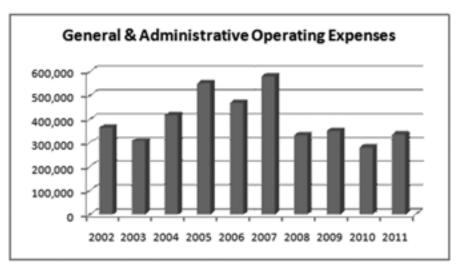
These offices are at Lakeview Center

Did You Know...?

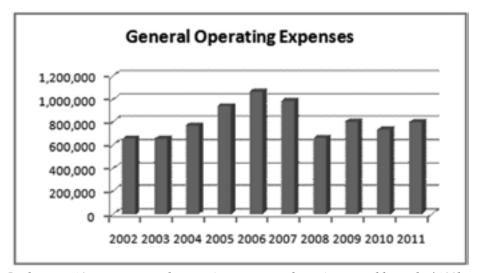
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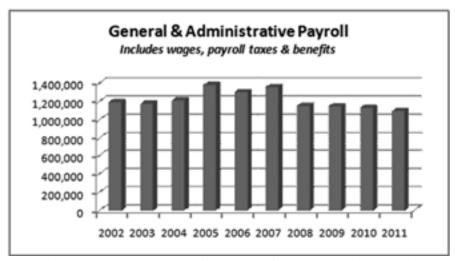
That Sun City has the most facilities and the lowest annual property assessment of any other master planned community in the US?



That the operating expenses for the General & Administrative Division are budgeted to be \$27k less in 2011 than 2002, a 7% decline. This division includes the General Manager, Board of Directors, Cardholder Services, Accounting, Human Resources, Purchasing & Warehouse, Information Technology and Communications, or what is commonly referred to as overhead. (Chart reflects 2002-2010 actual expenses, 2011 budget)



In the past 10 years, general operating expenses have increased by only \$139k which includes \$44k more for equipment which is long overdue in order to maintain our facilities properly and efficiently, \$41k for free Sunbowl shows and \$52k for credit card fees.



General & Administrative payroll is a part of RCSC's overhead and this payroll has been reduced by \$94k since 2002, which is an 8% decline. However, if you figure inflation, this is actually more like a 23% decline.

Please watch for more coming in this series of six articles about RCSC's trends and 2011 budget.

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Financial Report - Period ending January 31, 2011

Recreation Centers of Sun City, Inc.

BALANCE SHEET			STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENSES		
For the Period Ending January 31, 2011			For the Period of January 1, 2011 through January 31, 2011		
	Current	Prior		Current	Prior
	Y-T-D	Y-T-D		Y-T-D	Y-T-D
Unrestricted Funds:			Operating Income:		
Cash Invested/On Hand/In Bank	5,441,825	5,691,527	Property Assessments	789,359	782,444
Cash Reserves	2,500,000	2,500,000	Transfer & Access Fees	36,600	33,600
Sub-Total Unrestricted	7,941,825	8,191,527	Privilege & Guest Cards	96,098	94,800
Restricted Funds:			Food / Liquor Sales	57,673	48,492
Preservation/Improvement Fund	4,388,868	1,337,755	Bowling Fees	76,565	74,228
Total Cash & Investments	12,330,693	9,529,282	Golf Fees	564,544	521,498
Other Current Assets:			Cart Rentals	20,541	19,944
* Accounts Receivable	1,228,433	797,662	Merchandise Sales	13,909	11,919
Deposits & Prepaids	167,760	141,424	Investment Income	76	1,266
Inventory	82,263	85,056	Activities Income	30,922	16,182
Total Current Assets	13,809,149	10,553,424	Rental Income	72,590	53,608
Fixed Assets:			Contributions	1,425	42,500
Land, Improvements, Buildings	56,617,416	56,118,060	Miscellaneous Income	6,325	2,078
F, F & E and Vehicles	22,328,386	22,084,717	Total Operating Income	1,766,627	1,702,559
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(45,596,364)	(42,898,342)	Cost of Sales:		
Work In Progress	16,017,812	12,018,166	Total Cost of Sales	55,375	38,123
Total Fixed Assets	49,367,250	47,322,601	Gross Income	\$1,711,252	\$1,664,436
TOTAL ASSETS	\$63,176,399	\$57,876,025	Operating Expenses:		
			Salaries and Wages	378,801	560,589
Current Liabilities:			Payroll Taxes and Benefits	89,472	155,587
Accounts Payable and Other	1,305,703	990,845	Repairs and Maintenance	493,108	68,396
Deferred Income	6,113,403	5,846,456	Utilities Expense	141,262	151,249
Total Current Liabilities	7,419,106	6,837,301	General Operating Expenses	38,722	149,561
Other Liabilities:			Total Operating Expenses	1,141,365	1,085,382
Lease Purchase	37,604	64,557	Net Operating Income	\$569,887	\$579,054
Total Liabilities	7,456,710	6,901,858	Other Income:	7,017	4,582
Net Worth:			Other Expenses:		
Current Net Worth	55,719,689	50,974,167	Property Taxes	6,715	7,612
TOTAL LIABILITIES and NET WORTH	\$63,176,399	\$57,876,025	Insurance	26,465	30,911
			Other	8,661	2,775
Home Sales:			Net Income Before Depreciation	535,063	542,338
New Owners - PIF	140	128	Depreciation:	243,551	248,918
			NET INCOME / (LOSS)	\$291,512	\$293,420



Easter Sunrise Service

The first Easter Sunrise Service in Sun City was held on the patio of Town Hall (now Fairway Recreation Center) in April 1961. The service was planned by the first churches to be established in Sun City. It was a morning to be remembered, and the service was held each year until recently. Celebrating the 50th anniversary of that memorable occasion, an Easter Ecumenical Sunrise Service is scheduled for 6am April 24 at the Sun Bowl, sponsored by those first churches. For further information, call Shepherd of the Desert Lutheran Church at 623-933-4515.

SUN BOWL: 2011 Spring Shows

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in the parking lot around the Sun Bowl. Food will be available for purchase from Benny's Burgers.

Affinity Dance Band | April 3 | 7pm

Affinity is one of the Valley's most prestigious bands with six vocalists, a fourpiece horn and rhythm section. From Sinatra to Santana, Elvis to ABBA, Bowie to Britney, they play the hits that pack the dance floor for the entire concert. The area in front of the stage is reserved for your dancing pleasure.

Kruger Brothers | April 10 | 7pm

Originally from Switzerland, this fast-paced, exciting, acoustic instrument band plays a variety of tunes with an emphasis on traditional American music.

U.S. Army Concert Band and Soldiers' Chorus | April 17 | 7pm

The Concert Band regularly travels and performs with the Soldiers' Chorus presenting a powerful and diverse program of marches, overtures, popular music, patriotic and instrumental selections, including vocal solos. Co-sponsored by the Daily News-Sun. Concert is open to the public.

Masanga Marimba Ensemble | April 24 | 7pm

This high energy nine-piece ensemble plays traditional music from Africa. The sights and sounds of Masanga's giant marimbas from Zimbabwe are unlike anything you've ever heard before.

The Limeliters | May 1 | 7:30pm

This unique trio is known for their surging vocals, thrilling harmony and whacked out sense of humor. They continue to perform their hits of the 60s which earns them their title as The Fabulous Limeliters!

Orpheus Male Chorus of Phoenix | May 8 | 7:30pm

Founded in 1929, this chorus is Arizona's longest-continually performing choral organizations, having entertained thousands of people at concerts across the Valley and around the world. Artistic Director Robb Butler has extensive experience in both directing and choral literature. Their talented accompanist is Ron

"Apple" - A Tribute to the Beatles | May 15 | 7:30pm

The legendary sounds of the Fab Four are accurately recreated by this very talented group.

What's Working? What's Not? Meeting

1pm - April 6 - Fairway AZ Room #1

Hosted by Assistant General Manager Jim Wellman All Cardholders welcome to discuss issues and happenings in the recreation centers

Bowling Notes

Back-to-back 300

Congratulations to Pete Partridge! On February 23, while bowling in the Wednesday night Scratch Trio at Bell Lanes, Pet bowled back to back 300 games. Pete bowled 300-300-227 for an 827 series. Pete also added a 251 for his fourth game and bowled a 1078 four game series and averaged 269 for the night. Congratulations Pete!

New TV monitors on the way

The current automatic scoring overhead monitors at both bowling centers are 12 years old and have become more difficult and costly to maintain. The automatic scoring monitors at both bowling centers will be replaced with 42-inch flat panel LCD displays within the next four to six weeks. The displays will function the same as before except they will be larger and the text and graphics will be much sharper and brighter.

New Lakeview masking units

Within the next two months, Lakeview Lanes will be replacing the masking unit displays. The masking units are the displays that are located at the end of the lane and "mask" the pinsetters. The masking units at Bell are approximately 5 years old and are in very good condition; however, the masking units at Lakeview are over 12 years old and have become faded.

Sun City Bowling Association High Scores

300 Games

Mark Garrett Robert Hayden

600 Series

Lovie Tiedje | 689 Bobbi Daniels | 659 Vera McFadden | 647 Julie Subica | 622 Cori Larsen | 618 Valerie Vanderlinden | 615 Joni Bell | 614 Sandy Nardone | 606 Julie Calcaterra | 604 Francine Scheffelmaier | 602

700 Series

Cal Shirey | 781 Dan Wolverton | 776 Alan Wagner | 772 Fred Jones | 771 Brian Lawlor | 769 Brian Green | 767 Mike Christie | 759 Dennis Altscheffel | 756 Frank Estrada | 754 Ken Edwards | 753 Kyle Klein | 749 Jack McKay | 748 Warren Riemer | 746 Rich Matich | 742 Dennis Klein | 742 Wayne Wisniewski | 740 Mel Shirey | 734 George Weston | 734 Randy Johnson | 733 Robert Hayden | 732 Larry Ely | 732 Dexter Armington | 731 Bruce Lamb | 730 Gary Studdard | 729 Spencer Phelps | 728 Roger Althaus | 727 Bill Golmer | 726 Choc Higa | 724 Roger Hazen | 724 Jim Lunnie | 724 Ron Shone | 722 Jim Vournas | 722 John Marvel | 720 Roy Muench | 711 Jesse Esveld | 709 Rube Edwards | 707 Darrel Larson | 707 Fred Schenck | 706 Rick Slager | 705 Mike Lantz | 705 Joe Reguero | 704 Dennis Smith | 703 Dave Haley | 702 Don Montiy | 701 Bill McDonald | 700

Lewis Faulds | 739

Perry Hatter | 737

800 Series Choc Higa | 801

Find treasures at spring swap meet

One person's trash is another man's treasure. Come find some hidden gems at the spring Cardholder Swap Meet on Friday, April 8 from 8am to 1pm at the Sun Bowl. Residents may sell new or used items.

Table reservations are available in the Clubs and Activities Office at Lakeview Recreation Center 7:30am to 4pm. RCSC cardholders may sign up for 6-foot tables at a cost of \$10 each (limit two per cardholder). Setup time for residents participating and selling items is at 7am.

Lunch (10:30am to 12:30pm) will be available for purchase from Big Al's. Fletcher Music Center will provide music. Clubs Office hours are Monday through Friday, 7:30am to 4pm. For more information call 623-561-4665.

Group equipment demos by Daily Fitness

Daily Fitness presents group equipment demonstrations monthly at Bell, Sundial and Oakmont Fitness Centers. These presentations are appropriate for individuals new to the community or new to using the fitness centers. Exercise professionals will provide a half-hour tour of the facility demonstrating basic usage of the strength training machines. All demos are limited to 25 participants, so call ahead to reserve a spot. All demos begin at 11:30am.

Bell - 623-876-3040 | Sundial - 623-876-3048 | Oakmont - 623-876-3046

Demos (January-February)

April: Bell - April 6 | Sundial - April 13 | Oakmont - April 20 **May:** Bell - May 4 | Sundial - May 11 | Oakmont - May 18

Join the flow with Tai Chi

The ancient arts of Tai Chi and Chi Gong are a gentle flow of movements to encourage mental and physical harmony. These practices build strength, promote flexibility and encourage balance. It is also a wonderful way to relieve stress. Join us mornings, evenings AND Saturdays for this moving meditation practice.

Classes in Session:

Oakmont Recreational Center | Thursdays | 6-7pm

Fairway Recreational Center | Monday, Wednesday, Saturday | 10-11am and 11am-noon

All classes are \$5 each - no registration is necessary, so just show up! Wear comfortable clothes and shoes (no mat required). For additional information, please call Zen Wellness at 623-537-9443.

Visitors Center serves community

The Visitors Center has a wealth of information about the area for future home owners, visitors and residents. But did you know that the Visitors Center is also a convenient drop-off point for food for the Valley Food Bank, pull-tabs for Ronald McDonald House, Socks for Troops and manufacturers' coupons for our military bases overseas? Bins are available for you to drop off items from 9am to 4pm Monday through Saturday.

The Visitors Center also has a community calendar on its website, www. suncityaz.org. The calendar has listings of events to which the entire community is invited to attend. Check out this calendar the next time you are looking for something to do or if you need to know the time and place of an event. Save those pull-tabs from your sodas,

The Visitors Center has a wealth of cut those coupons from the newspanformation about the area for future ome owners, visitors and residents. ut did you know that the Visitors Center at Bell Recreation Center.



Jayne Loraine frequently drops off a bag of tab-pulls at the Sun City Visitors Center. She and her husband, Jacque, are both former Marines and collect the tab-pulls for Ronald McDonald House from those attending meetings of the First Marine Division Association, Phoenix Chapter.

Daily Fitness: Improving flexibility

Daily Fitness personal trainer Jill Vanderbunt teaches Mary Ann Surma how to exercise properly on the Precor Stretch Machine at the Bell Fitness Center. These stretches, plus others taught by Jill, will provide Mary Ann with an arsenal of exercises for future use. One of Mary Ann's goals is to improve flexibility. Stretching is critical to flexibility. Flexibility is the range of motion (ROM) around a joint. Although flexibility declines with age, studies have found that individuals who follow a progressive and regular stretching program can defy and even reverse natural degeneration. When muscles are flexible, joints can align themselves in the biomechanical manner in which they were designed. This results in improvement in walking, posture and balance, and movement of any kind.

Mary Ann's exercise program includes not only stretching, but cardiovascular training for heart and lung



health, and strength training for bone mineral density and weight control. To find out more about working with a Daily Fitness trainer, call 623-256-7901 or visit DailyFitnessLLC.com.

Daily Fitness offers Deep Water Programs

Hit the pool for a great cardiovascular workout! Daily Fitness is offering two Deep Water Exercise Programs at the Sundial pool during April and May. A 9-Week Program will be held on Tuesdays from 3 to 4pm, starting April 5, with a cost of \$45. An 8-Week Program will be held on Thursdays from 3 to 4pm, starting April 7, with a cost of \$40. Deep Water is a non-gravitational aquatic fitness venue that includes movements for both upper and lower body. It encourages total body conditioning and cardiovascular fitness. Each participant wears a buoyancy belt to hold the body vertical and chest deep, suspended in water. Pre-registration and pre-payment is REQUIRED. Class size is limited. Call Jane at 623-696-6820.

Move and groove with Zumba

Get into the groove with the fitness craze that's sweeping the country – ZUMBA. Latin rhythms and easy-to-follow fitness moves are combined to create a dynamic full body workout. ZUMBA keeps you moving and makes fitness FUN! The hour of exercise includes a warm-up, full cardio workout, and cooldown. Daily Fitness is offering an 8-Week Daytime Program at Marinette on Mondays from 1 to 2pm, starting April 4 (no class on Memorial Monday) The cost is \$40. Registration and pre-payment can be handled by calling Jane at 623-696-6820. Class size is limited.

Dance for the Health of It

Dance for the Health of It is fun and energizing exercise through learning basic dance steps. Variety of great music, including rumba, foxtrot, 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 and 2 and a higher intensity workout in Levels 2 and 3. Mondays at Bell Social Hall: Combination Levels 1 and 2 at 6pm and Combination Levels 2 and 3 at 7pm. Cost is \$5. Please verify class schedules by calling 602-679-4220 for up-to-date information.

Raking golf bunkers

Spring brings increased maintenance to the golf courses. During the month of May the golf courses will be aerating the golf greens. This maintenance practice receives scrutiny by golfers. The role of aeration in the management of golf greens is often misunderstood. There are several reasons why aeration is so important, especially on putting greens. Compaction may be the most cited reason. The greens have had golfers walking on them all winter and compaction decreases the pore spaces for oxygen and nutrients. Aeration relieves compaction, but compaction is only one reason for aeration. Removal of organic matter from the upper portion of the soil profile and replacement with new sand topdressing may be the

most critical reason to aerate greens. The grass constantly produces organic matter through normal growth processes. As organic matter increases, more water is held in the upper portion of the soil profile. While a limited amount of organic matter is necessary, high levels cause problems such as diseases, mower scalping and transition problems. To prevent excessive organic matter accumulation research suggests that 15% to 20% of the green be aerated each year. The bottom line is, aeration is performed for the health of the grass. Greens with less organic matter will be better greens on a yearlong basis. Be sure and review the aeration schedule so you know which courses are closed for aeration.

Get Golf Ready in the New Year

Just \$99 gets you four group lessons and a round of golf with your golf pro. Limited to eight students for each group, be sure to sign up early. Fee must be paid at time of signup. Contact: Sue Presta | 623-876-8419 | spresta@sunaz.com or Brian Duthu | 623-876-3053 | bduthu@sunaz.com

April

Golf Pro Sarah Bakefelt

(Mondays & Wednesdays) April 4, 6, 11 and 13 at 9am | Round of golf: April 20 at 1pm (meet at 12:30pm)

Golf Pro Tim Higgins

(Mondays & Fridays) April 4, 8, 11 and 15 at 2pm | Round of golf: April 18 at 2pm (meet at 1:30pm)

Golf Pro Dale Pribble

(Saturdays) April 2, 9, 16 and 23 at 10:30am | Round of golf: April 30 at 10:30am (meet at 10am)

Golf Pro Billy Edmondson

(Monday through Friday) April 18, 19, 20, 21 at 8:30am | Round of golf: April 22 at 8:30am (meet at 8am)

May

Golf Pro Sarah Bakefelt

(Mondays & Wednesdays) May 2, 4, 9 and 11 at 9am | Round of golf: May 18 (time to be announced at class)

Golf Pro Tim Higgins

(Mondays & Fridays) May 2, 6, 9 and 13 at 2pm | Round of golf: May 16 at 2pm (meet at 1:30pm)

Golf Pro Billy Edmondson

(Monday through Friday) May 9, 10, 11, 12 at 8:30am | Round of golf: May 13 at 8:30am (meet at 8am)

Golf Notes

August 4

August 5

August 8

August 11

August 12

Lakes East

Lakes West

Quail Run

Riverview

South

Quail Run 9-Hole Ladies Golf League

Spring has arrived along with our renewed enthusiasm to get out and play as much golf as we possibly can, Our Quail Run Ladies League welcomes all ladies of Sun City, whether you are here part-time or all year, to come join us for golf, companionship, social events and more. We host a full field of ladies for the Quail Run Invitational. The Sun Cities Ladies Octogenarian is scheduled April 18 and 22. Wouldn't you like being a part of this great league? Come check us out. For more information, call Ginny at 623-972-3862.

Willowbrook Ladies 18-Holers

Are you interested in joining a league on an executive course? If so, the Sun City Willowbrook Ladies 18-Holers invite you to join us on Tuesday mornings. You will enjoy Willowbrook and its group of fun-loving gals. We are sanctioned by the PGA and play to our handicaps. We have scrambles, fundays, potlucks, and tournaments in addition to our regular play. For more information call Janice Behney at 623-583-2796.

Golf Rangers need you

The Rangers donated a total of 240 hours in February. The totals for each course were as follows: Quail Run: 0, Riverview: 36, South: 63, North: 13, Lakes: 94 and Willow: 34. More volunteer Rangers are need for our courses. If you have a few hours a week and want to have fun while providing a great service to Sun City Golf, please consider volunteering. Training will be provided, hours are flexible, and Rangers receive \$1 per hour for the use of their own golf cart plus one large bucket of balls for every 10 hours they volunteer. For more information please contact Carey Shore at 623-972-1675 or Don Barber at 623-876-8082 or attend a meeting. Volunteer Ranger meetings are at 3pm on the last Thursday of each month at Talisman Hall.

Aerification 2011

Greens Aerification		Fairways Aerification		
May 5	Willowbrook	June 2-3	Willowcreek	
May 6	Willowcreek	June 6-7	Lakes West	
May 9	Riverview	June 8	Lakes East/Quail Run	
May 12	Lakes East	June 9-10	North	
May 13	Lakes West	June 13-14	Riverview	
May 16	North	June 15	Willowbrook	
May 19	Quail Run	June 16-17	South	
May 20	South			
Greens Aerification				
July 28	Willowbrook			
July 29	Willowcreek			
August 1	North			

Golf Course Overseeding 2011

Course	Close	Open	Cart Path Only Until
Lakes East	September 22	October 10	October 31
Riverview	September 22	October 10	October 31
North	September 22	October 10	October 31
Willowbrook	September 22	October 10	October 31
Lakes West	October 13	October 31	November 21
Quail Run	October 13	October 31	November 21
South	October 13	October 31	November 21
Willowcreek	October 13	October 31	November 21



April	2011				Lakeview Center unless eetings, please visit ww	
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
					Bus tour sales Clubs Office 7:30am	
			Movie at MC 2pm 7pm			No movie at MV
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Affinity Dance Band 7pm Sun Bowl	Board-Member Exchange LV SH#3 9am	Properties 9am LV SH#2		Bowling 9am		
			Movie at MC 2pm 7pm			Movie at MV 2pm 7pm
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Kruger Brothers 7pm Sun Bowl		Member Comm. 1pm	COC 8:30am			
			Movie at MC 2pm 7pm			Movie at MV 2pm 7pm
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
U.S. Army Concert Band and Soldiers Chorus 7pm Sun Bowl	Board-Member Exchange LV SH#3 9am	Long Range Planning 9am		Golf Advisory 8:30am	Easter Egg Hunt 10am Sun Bowl	
			Movie at MC 2pm 7pm			Movie at MV 2pm 7pm
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Masanga Marimba Ensemble 7pm Sun Bowl		Finance, Budget & Audit 9am	Entertainment 9am	Board Meeting MV 7pm		

Find That RCSC Facility

CORPORATE OFFICES

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

Movie at MC 2pm | 7pm

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

No movie at MV

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

So Grand Exercise Club

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Low impact aerobics, upright and floor static stretching, flexibility maintenance to help agility and balance. Each exercise program includes sessions of various arm, body and leg exercises that help maintain body fitness. Each session has three different formats: standing static stretching, walking pattern and floor stretching on a mat. All instruction is on movie screen. Classes are open to all RCSC cardholders. Club meets at Fairway Arizona Room 1 and 2 Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7:45am. Annual dues are \$3. For more information, call 623-933-1365 or 623-972-8542.

Sew 'N' Sew stays busy

The first Thursday of the month the Sew 'N' Sew Club's program is Show & Tell. Members show what they have made and members say Show & Tell is their favorite program.

Kathy Jo Dennison shows team pillows that she made for a Super Bowl Party. Pillows have a team name, Pittsburgh Steelers or Green Bay Packers. The fabric is fleece and has a soft stuffing. Just the thing for a sports party. Have a pillow fight with a fan of the opposing team. They were a hit!

Club programs are 9:30am on Thursdays at Lakeview Center. April programs are April 7 - Show & Tell; April 14 - A Purse Trunk Show; April 21 -

Dress on a Dime & Look Like a Million.

The club has special interest groups for machine embroidery and silk ribbon. Sewing classes of various topics are available to members.

RCSC cardholders are welcome to join the club. Visitors are invited to attend the program meetings, also to visit the club and shop at the club's boutique. Open room hours are Tuesdays 9am to 3:30pm, Thursdays 11:30am to 3:30pm, and Saturdays 9am to 3:30pm.

For more information call 623-974-2951 or visit the club website www. sewnsew.info.

Fairway Ceramics & Porcelain

Did you find something to occupy that free time you were talking about? We are open Monday through Thursday 8am to 3pm and Friday 8am to noon. Our phone number is 623-972-5818. To join our club you will need an RCSC card and annual dues of \$5. We are here year-round. June through September our hours are 8am to noon Monday, Tuesday and Thursday and 8am to 3pm Wednesdays. Membership meetings are the first Monday of each month at 9:30am.

Stop in April 23 for the Fairway Fun Fair and see all of our beautiful items that are for sale. We are having a bake sale, too. The coffee pot is always on and our friendly group of men and women are waiting to welcome you to our club!

Mini-Golf Club excited for spring

Since the first of the year we have new officers. Introducing to you our presiding President Betty Peace, she is the first lady in the picture and to her left are our new board members: Vice President Fay Knowles, Secretary Nancy Petersen and Treasurer Camille Layne.

We are enjoying the many benefits of spring. Our drives are not as far as regulation golf courses, but just the same it takes practice to put that golf ball in just the right place. Now our focus turns clearly on our putting and just like the guys/gals on the big courses trying for that perfect putt for that low game and perhaps being a winner!

Like the players on the big courses no matter how close we come to being a winner, (but lose) we keep trying, our resolve is strong! We enjoy being outside and having fun. Our members enjoy the fellowship of one another and this too is what we are about. Come join us, for more information please call Betty Peace at 623-875-2544 or Olivia Downs at 623-933-4375.



Bell Aerobics Club

Feel like adding a spring to your step and a sense of well-being? Come join a club that offers you a chance to shape up your body and have fun doing so.

Our club joins in an exercise routine three times a week with a volunteer teacher. Aerobic Exercise Club meets at Bell Recreation Center social hall Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8am, 9am, and 10am all year. Open to all RCSC cardholders. Yearly dues are \$2. Come and discover a fun way to exercise.

Oakmont Ceramics plans potluck

Wow, time does fly when you are having fun! April already, and it is time for our annual spring potluck lunch on April, 12. Our meeting will be at 10am and the luncheon will follow. It is also the time that some of our winter visitors leave to return to their summer homes. We will miss them. We wish them a safe trip home and look forward to their safe return in the fall.

The luncheon is just one of the fun things we do at Oakmont Ceramics. Why not join us and you can have a great time too? Plus, you can meet new people and find your creative skills. Yes, you DO have creative skills, you just need to find them and we will help you. Come on in and join Oakmont Ceramics. You only need \$5, an RCSC card and seven hours a month to monitor. Then you will be on your way to fun, creativity, and new friends.

Food for thought: No man in this world has more courage than the one who can stop after he has eaten one peanut. Our hours: Monday to Thursday 8am to 3pm, Friday 8am to noon.

Democratic Club

Sun City Democratic Club will meet Thursday April 7 at Sundial Recreation Center. Arizona is tasked with redistricting the state for purposes of elections of government representatives. We can have some input into the commission's responsibility to achieve this. Shirley McAllister and Doris Mead will explain to us the dynamics of this important issue. The meeting begins at 7pm. All are invited for cookies and coffee, starting at 6:30pm.

Stretch & Slim

Come and have fun with us. It's time to get in shape before it gets too hot. We are available six days a week. Come join us while we move limbs and muscles around to make us more limber and have fun at the same time! The moves will relax you and give you more energy. We gather Monday through Friday from 8 to 9am and on Saturdays 9 to 10am at Sundial Recreation Center in the aerobics room. Try us out for free three times. The cost to join is \$5 a year. We welcome exercisers at all levels, but get your doctor's OK. For more information, you may call Jo-An at 623-933-8670 or Faith at 623-875-7141.



Friendship Quilters

Ken and Marion Herzinger of Sun City bought the winning ticket for the Friendship Quilters, Fabric Artists' opportunity quilt that was awarded at the close of the club's 2011 Quilt Show on February 5 at Mountain View Recreation Center. The Herzingers, who bought five tickets in March 2010, were notified during Ken's birthday celebration. Friendship Quilters meet at Bell Recreation Center in Sun City.



Line Dance throws spring party

Greetings to April! It has arrived with its spring days and springtime colors. With balmy weather, it is time to get out, be active and enjoy friends. It is time to participate in Line Dancing which provides the previously named activities.

On Tuesday, April 12, a Spring Party is planned featuring western-style barbeque. There will be dancing and social time prior to the party. Come to the dance sessions to learn the details of the day's activity. February's Valentine Party with its drawings and prizes was a big success, so the Spring Party should be a great time, too.

All RCSC cardholders are eligible to join the club and be a part of the fun. Annual fee is \$5 each dance is \$2 for members and \$3 for guests.

We meet at Sundial Auditorium, except on the fourth Thursday when we meet at Mountain View Center.

Information, call President Mary (623-979-7524), Vice President Walter (623-972-5127), Co-Vice President Edward (623-972-2161), Secretary Elaine (623-229-2477) or Treasurer Linda (623-815-8871).

Line Dance Schedule Tuesday and Thursday 10am-1pm beginning, intermediate and advanced

Have fun with Mah Jongg

Do you like playing cards and other sorts of games? If so, you will probably enjoy playing Mah Jongg. It is a fun and entertaining game using tiles, instead of cards. The purpose, somewhat like gin rummy, is to create a hand with a specific arrangement of suits and numbers.

If you would like to learn to play, the Mah Jongg club offers free lessons several times a year. You are also welcome to stop in during club play time and watch. If you already know how to play, come join us. The club plays National League and Asian and meets at Sundial West Hall on Tuesdays noon to 4pm, and Marinette Center Thursdays 6 to 9pm, and Sundays noon to

The Mah Jongg club is open to all RCSC cardholders. For more information, contact Tina at 623-208-1027 or Janis.

Newcomer Hospitality Club

Don't let the name fool you! Our club welcomes ALL RCSC cardholders, both new and long-time. Join our large membership, make new friends and have some fun. Enjoy monthly pizza games and potluck games nights with Bunco. We meet for breakfast on the first Monday of each month at 9am at Royal Cafe. Our card groups include bridge, and euchre. When was the last time you went to a catered picnic? Was it in Sun City? Join us at our annual picnic at Quail Run Pavilion on Friday, April 15. For non-members the cost is \$11. It should be lots of fun for everyone. Take that step to bring some enjoyment into your life. For detailed information call Alice Hewitt at 623-933-5158.

Rose & Garden Club field trip

The Sun City Rose and Garden Club will gather at the amphitheater within the Linden Tree Nursery at 11150 W. Beardsley Road on Monday April 11 at 10am. Mark Scaife will speak on the operations of a nursery, including time for questions and answers about planting and maintaining plants, shrubs and trees. After the presentation you may view all the nursery grounds including the Garden Center which features new and antique treasures emphasizing home and garden décor. Wear walking shoes, bring a folding lawn chair and RSVP call Tom at 623-974-4590. There will be no evening meeting.

RHYTHM RAMBLERS **BIG BAND DANCE**

NOTHING BEATS THE SOUND OF SUN CITY'S VERY OWN BIG BAND IT'S THE REAL THING!

ONLY TWO DANCES LEFT BEFORE THE SUMMER BREAK

> TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2011 TUESDAY, MAY 3, 2011 2:30-4:30 P.M.

Sundial Rec Center Ballroom 103rd Ave. & Boswell Blvd.

BYO Refreshments Ice & Glasses Furnished RCSC Member-\$4.00 Guests - \$5.00





Clay Corner

Marinette Clay Corner will have its spring general meeting at 10am April 13, followed by a potluck luncheon at 11:30am. This will be our final meeting until our fall meeting in September. We will be wishing our snowbirds a safe trip back as we continue with our regular year-round members and have a busy season through the summer. Clay Corner will remain open with our regular hours six days a week: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday from 8am to 9pm and Thursday, Friday, Saturday from 8am to 4pm. Please remember to sign up for the potluck at the front desk. Info on Clay Corner, call 623-977-3167.

Pictured is our latest sculpting class instructed by George Palovich with Jean Buck receiving some helpful hints for her dragon sculpture.



Lakeview Ceramics

At a recent Sweetheart Potluck, the Lakeview Ceramics & Porcelain Club honored Dottie Weedman, a long-time certified ceramics instructor for RCSC. Oakmont was the first recreation center, and Dottie was there, 50 years ago for the opening. Among Dottie's mementos, Dottie has a photo of herself with Del Webb and Gov. Paul Fannin at the opening of Oakmont Center. Since then, Dottie has taught ceramics at all the ceramics clubs in Sun City. We are happy to have her with us at Lakeview every Wednesday morning, sharing her wealth of ceramic knowledge. Classes are \$5 weekly and are open to all Lakeview members, from beginners to old hands. For membership or class information, call 623-974-5979.



Sun City Women's Chorus

Welcome spring with the Sun City Women's Chorus as we bring back memories of the many wonderful songs from Broadway productions. Come celebrate with us as the curtain goes up at Sundial Auditorium on Sunday, April 3 at 2pm.

Tickets are \$5 and may be purchased from chorus members or at the door the day of the concert. The ticket booth opens one hour before the concert so come early so you can get the best seats. If you have any questions, please call Rita Korth at 623-815-7296. We look forward to seeing all of you and know you will enjoy this year's venue of the wonderful familiar songs.

Jazz up your body with All That Jazz

Why not "jazz" up your body while having fun and getting some great exercise? All That Jazz consists of low impact aerobics, stretching and toning and a wonderful relaxing cool down, all done to great music. This is a great class to improve balance, stamina and core strength. Classes are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1 pm to 2pm in the Arizona Room at Fairway. All RCSC cardholders are welcome. Your first class is free then membership is only \$10 per year and each class is only \$3. So grab a friend and come check us out. You'll be glad you did! For more information, feel free to call Sue at 623-972-4583 or Betty at 623-505-3028.

Ballroom Dance Club

Spring is in the air and music and lessons are too, at the Sun City Ballroom Dance Club. Join us for our Spring Dance at 7pm Sunday, April 10 at Bell Social Hall.

The club dances every Wednesday (7 to 9pm) and Sunday (7 to 9:30pm) to the danceable music of Frank Romani, our instructor. Free half-hour dance lessons are featured both nights at 6:30pm: tango on Sunday and rumba on Wednesday. Proper ballroom attire is required.

Singles always welcome to all our events. Admission to regular dances is \$3 for members and \$5 for guests. Refreshments are served and included.

Monday Afternoon Delight from noon to 3pm. Cost is \$4 for members and \$6 for guests. The first 45-minute session is a dance lesson (tango or fox trot) followed by an hour-and-a-half of dancing, with a mixer included, closing with a 45-minute lesson in West Coast swing.

The club also offers dance lessons Thursdays. Cha-cha is taught at 5:30pm, beginning waltz starts at 7:30pm, and advanced waltz at 7:30pm. Cost is \$3 per lesson for members.

For more information on the club and its activities, check the fliers at our events. For additional information, call John at 933-0720.

China Painting Club

I remember an Easter when I was a little girl when I found my Easter basket with a chocolate bunny and nestled beside it was a small, blue bottle of Blue Waltz cologne. The Blue Waltz cologne and bottle are long gone – as is the chocolate bunny – but the memory is still with me.

Come to Fairway China painting and pick out a beautiful piece of hand-painted china for someone special. Give a gift, give a memory. Come join us. You have time to make your own memory. Have a Blessed and Happy Easter.

Calligraphy Society

The Calligraphy Society of Sun City's general meeting will be at 9am Thursday, April 7 in the Sundial West Hall. The meeting will be followed with a demonstration on "How to Recycle Aluminum Cans to Make Beautiful Greeting Cards." You need to see it to believe it. The Sundial meeting rooms will be open 9 to 11am on all other Thursdays and Fridays for making love cards or working on your own projects.

A special workshop is scheduled for 9am Friday, April 22 demonstrating how to make a basket card. If you wish to participate in any of these events, club membership is open to all RCSC cardholders. For further information call Trudy Bryson at 623-594-6591.

Singles Dance

Make plans to enjoy a fun-filled Friday evening dancing and socializing at Sundial Auditorium. Our ballroom dances are open to all RCSC cardholders and their invited guests. Couples are welcome. Admission is \$3 for members and \$5 for guests. Musicians provide lively ballroom music for your dancing pleasure from 7 to 10pm. Coffee and water are provided. For more information please call 623-533-5493.

March dance schedule:

March 4 Vintage Sounds March 11 Mike Carollo

March 18 Bob Roppolo

March 25 Rich Howard & Brad Bauder

April 1 Mike Carollo

Fairway Knitters

Spring has sprung and it's time to have some fun! The clubs at Fairway Recreation Center know how to do just that. In fact, we have so much fun that we are having a Fun Day on Saturday, April 23 from 8am till 4pm. Come on over and have some fun with us. You will see displays of the various clubs and can learn about what they do. You might even want to buy some of what they make, especially if you enjoy buying unique, original, handmade items.

Fairway Knitters will have tables set up with many of our hand-crafted items for sale. We will even give away a free pair of knitting needles to every buyer, while supplies last.

However, you don't have to wait

until April 23 to check us out. You can come visit us any Friday from 8:30am to 2:30pm in Arizona Room #4. If you would like to join, the annual membership dues are only \$3 for RCSC cardholders. For more information, call Pauline at 623-972-3498.





April 2011 Dance Schedule

Sat. April 2nd. - 7 to 10 Sat. April 16th. - 7 to 10 Sat. April 30th. - 7 to 10

No dress code. We Furnish cups and ice Bring your own snacks & beverages

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

Outdoor Shuffleboard

Come by and watch us play, because I know you will want to join us. You may play three free sessions with instruction. Then join us for only a \$3 annual fee. Fun time starts at 1:15pm on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at our outdoor courts. If you have any questions, please contact Ken MacIntosh at 623-234-4836 or Justine Darlymple at 623-518-9205. Come on. What are you waiting for?

Aqua Fitness plans for summer

Did you enjoy our uniquely different style show, "Fashions for a Day in the Life of a Sun Citian"? The instructors all designed their own costumes and characters and had lots of fun performing for the members at the 2011 Appreciation Party. The party was catered by Mojoes, a popular Sun City eatery, which also provided two of the many door prizes.

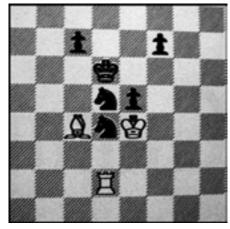
Registration for the Summer One Session will be Saturday, April 9 at Sundial Auditorium. Doors will open at 7:30am and the meeting will begin at 8:30am. If you are not a current member of the club or know of someone interested in joining, we offer a "Try It Before You Buy It" option. During the week of April 4 through April 8, you may attend a class to see how you like it. If you like it, attend our registration the following Saturday and join.

Our annual dues are \$5 and each eight-week session is \$15. All RCSC cardholders are eligible to join. We will be moving more classes outdoors for the upcoming session so get your sunglasses and hats ready. For more information, call Alice Davey at 623-876-8627 or Diane Abbott at 623-561-2126.



LV Woodworking

Happy Easter to everyone. This month we would like to share with you some of our beautiful religious designs created by our members. Ken's "Jesus carrying the Cross" scrolled out of purple heart wood in a maple frame, Bob and Ken's intricate oak crosses and Loren's olive wood and turquoise crosses. Turned vases with hand carved flowers by Dick. So many beautiful things can be created with the scroll saw and could be a great hobby for you. Call us at 623-933-2355. Hours are Monday through Friday 8am to 5pm and Saturday 8am to noon. A special thank you to our chefs Gene, Jim and Virgil. Our annual Valentine's Dinner was wonderful.



Chess Club

Many scientific studies have shown that keeping your mind active is the best way to avoid old-age mental problems such as Alzheimer's and dementia. Let us help you to keep your mind healthy with chess! Solve the chess problem. Black to move and mate in three moves.

Open to all RCSC Cardholders. Free chess lessons to all. For your own well being join us 1 to 4pm, Wednesday

being join us 1 to 4pm, Wednesday and Thursday in Lakeview Social Hall

Sun City Carvers growing fast

The Sun City Carving Club is experiencing its largest and fastest "growth spurt" as more RCSC cardholders learn how much fun and satisfaction come from creating a work of art out of a plain piece of wood.

We now have nearly 60 members (men and women) some of whom have never even held a wood-carving knife in their hands before producing animals, toys, faces, cowboys, puzzles, plaques, whistles, castles, dragons or whatever suits your fancy.

The club holds classes and guidance in safety, tools and supplies, technique, basic carving, relief carving, wood burning, gourd carving and decorating and much more.

The new officers this year are President Stephen Fitzgerald, Vice President Malcolm Lauderdale, Treasurer

Terry Damato and Secretary Judy Marta. One primary goal of the officers is to provide an enjoyable and comfortable atmosphere and a workplace providing for and enabling the carver to do his best work.

The club meets Thursday and Saturday from 8am to noon in Lakeview Social Hall #3. All RCSC cardholders and their visitors are welcome to attend. Membership dues are \$5 annually.



Lakeview Lawn Bowl

Those listed as contacts in various lawn bowling articles are either club presidents or organizers in various aspects of game or club activities.

Presidents are: Bell: Amy Heidebrink, 623-583-4432 | Lakeview: Myra Wood, 623-977-6559 | Mountain View/Fairway: John Wilson, 623-933-8397 | Oakmont: Rich Enockson, 623-444-7194.

You can call them for FREE lessons.

On January 30, Oakmont hosted a great burger, brat and kraut feed with desserts so delicious the contributors should have given out their recipes. It started with afternoon bowling. Seventy bowlers turned out. Sixtyfour filled the Oakmont green and the

remainder went to Lakeview to make up a game.

Our remaining events:

One big tournament left: South Central Division Singles tournament April 1-5 at Bell LBC. It's a biggie. Singles are the most spectator-friendly of all lawn bowling games, so this is your best opportunity to see top bowlers of this division in exciting competition. Come out and give it a look.

On April 15 Bell hosts a "back to the '50s" party. Call Amy Heidebrink if you're interested in details.

Give Lawn bowling a try – see for yourself how easy it really is. Call Myra Wood at 623-977-6559 to get started.

Mountain View Lawn Bowl

She's Anna Thompson; she can be found at Mountain View or one of the other Sun City lawn bowling greens most any day of the week. You'll easily recognize her, dressed in white, with an infectious enthusiasm.

A Sun City denizen since 2003, she saw people dressed in white rolling strange balls on the grass, but in 2010 she actually stopped to watch the game, rolled a couple of bowls herself and was hooked. The game, the people, the environment, it all just felt good and she instantly signed up for (free) lessons.

Anna was involved in community

theatre, swimming, golf, etc. but hasn't touched her golf clubs since discovering lawn bowling. "It's more fun, more social, and whole lot cheaper," she says. She enjoys the new friends, the fact you don't have to make up a foursome to get in a game (just show up and you're in a game), and the way everyone helps you and supports you during the game. But most of all, Anna loves the mental aspect of the game and competitive opportunities. "It's a very 'polite' game" she says in summary, "a great fun way to get both mental and physical exercise."

Bell Lawn Bowl Club

The Fairway/Mountain View Club introduced you to Anna Thompson. Well she bowls at Bell (and Oakmont and Lakeview) too, and there's more to her story. "Lawn bowling isn't for everybody," Anna says, "but you have to know a bit about the game to make that decision. One can't just walk past a game in progress and grasp the strategy, tactics, the challenge, and just plain fun. And, I'm so impressed at the age of some of these great bowlers. It's a game that really does keep you young."

She remains involved in community theatre so you can see this bud-

ding starlet in their productions – but we'd rather you met her on one of our lawn bowling greens. She is still a tyro (learner) in lawn bowls – but, so are we all. You can learn the fundamentals in a couple days, and spend the rest of your life learning to be a lawn bowler.

Sound intriguing? Stop by any Sun City lawn bowling club to see for yourself. Check times and locations in SunViews under "SPORTS" in the Activities Calendar. Watch a game, maybe roll a bowl or two yourself. Call Amy Heidebrink, 623-583-4432, to get started.

Artistic Stained Glass

You have always liked stained glass. Maybe you could learn how to do it. Well, you need wait no longer. Come in and see what the club has to offer. New classes are available mornings and evenings. The morning class is Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The next class is scheduled for April 12 to 22. Evening classes are Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. The Stained Glass Club is at Bell Center. Advanced classes in fusing are available. The small kiln fusing class picture includes: Eleanor Heckendorn, instructor Bill

Shaffer, P.J. O'Donnell and Bill Carpenter. The club is open every day except Sunday including three evenings a week. Membership is open to RCSC cardholders. For more information call 623-974-4765.



Oakmont Lawn Bowl

On February 1, 16 ladies gathered at Oakmont for the first round of the Sun City Ladies Singles lawn bowling tournament. It was a trademark Arizona winter day, but by mid afternoon the wind was up and a little chilly with several bowlers pulling on sweaters.

Tuesday dawned a blustery 33 degrees on 20-knot gusting winds. A half-glass of water left on the patio overnight was frozen solid, and enthusiasm for the second day of Ladies Singles was at low ebb. But, by 9:30am, it had warmed to 36 degrees and 16 ladies, veritable fashion statements of winter weather wear, were gath-

ered at the Mountain View green to conclude their competition. To everyone's relief, cooler heads prevailed and Ellen Edwards was declared winner of an abbreviated 2011 tournament, followed by Sue Roth and Dora Stewart.

You may have thought lawn bowling a fair-weather sport. Well these ladies were ready to bowl, if necessary, with temps in the 30s and wind gusts in the 20s. But, it's rarely this way and it must be fun if the ladies were prepared to put up with such conditions, right?

Give it a try. It's more than you think. Lessons are FREE, call Rich Enockson, 623-444-7194.

Bell Tea Dance every week

Yes, the Bell Tea Dance is the perfect way to stay in touch with all your friends. You can even make new friends while enjoying the afternoon dancing. Ballroom dancing is the perfect way to get some exercise and have fun at the same time. Give us a try and you will be glad you did. Check out our schedule below and you will see we have live music every week and our musicians are the best.

Our dances are held every Wednesday from 2 to 4pm at Bell Center Social Hall. You do not need a partner. Visitors are welcome. Admission is \$3 for members and \$4 for guests. Refresh-

ments are provided.

All RCSC cardholders are encouraged to join for a \$2 membership fee per year. Proper ballroom attire (semicasual) is required. Blue jeans and shorts are not allowed.

For more information, call 623-388-3051.

April Music Schedule

April 6 Mike Carollo
April 13 Manuel Dorantes
April 20 Bob Roppolo
April 27 Manuel Dorantes

Single Social Club

All single cardholders are invited to join the Singles Social Club. You will meet many new people and enjoy many different activities. For more information call Whitey at 623-583-8826.

We have potluck at Oakmont Center the first Friday of each month at 6pm. Please bring your own utensils and a salad or hot dish to share. Coffee and iced tea are provided. The third Friday is game night. Again, coffee and iced tea are provided and any snacks you bring are appreciated.

Every Saturday we meet at the Royal

Cafe at 9am for breakfast. Just come and meet other singles in Sun City. Golf is played on Mondays at 10am. Call Steve for further information at 602-956-6611. At Lakeview, we bowl on Tuesdays at 4:30pm and play billiards at 1pm. We'll be playing minigolf on Apr 16th at Lakeview and Apr 28 at Mountain View at 4pm. Shuffleboard is at Bell Center the second and fourth Saturdays at 5:30pm. We are an active group and would enjoy having you join us. The yearly membership fee is \$5.

NextGen Club April activities

Next Gen Sun City Club April Events/Activities

Listed below are activities NextGen members are doing in April.

Chili Taste-Off at Fairway | 7-10pm | Tuesday April 5 | Chili tasting 25 cents for each taste, bring your own drink (ice provided)

Horseback riding White Tank Stables and potluck | Saturday April 9

Free Comedy Night at Dillon's, 8706 W. Thunderbird | 7-9pn | Wednesday April 13

Breakfast at Royal Café, 10793 NW. Grand Ave. | 9am | Friday April 15 Challenger Space Center, 21107 N. 83rd Ave. | Thursday April 28

Want to join us for these activities? Sign up and get all the details. For more info visit our website nextgensuncity.org or inquire at nextgensc@gmail.com.

Best Friends Dog Club

The Best Friends Dog Club is winding up the spring training classes this month and will celebrate the upcoming summer break with a pizza party. Members need to contact Phyllis Davis at 623-583-8015 for reservations prior to the deadline of April 5. Members are paid for by the club and guests may come for an additional \$4 each.

We hope you learned a lot from the training provided by our two instructors and will continue to apply that knowledge during the offseason to re-enforce proper canine behavior. A well-behaved dog reflects the time spent doing activities together and

makes life more enjoyable.

Please contact the board or Marianna Van Dijk, training director, at 602-689-7552 if you have suggestions for future training classes. Fall registration will be at 8:30am October 18. There are no activities scheduled for May through September. We wish you all a safe and healthy summer break.

The Pet Vial of Life will be available at many locations throughout the summer and are provided at no charge. Contact Ada Jane Cowper for more information at 623-933-1197 or visit www.bestfriendsdogclub.org to learn more about the club.

Handweavers & Spinners Guild

The speaker for the general membership meeting of the Sun City Handweavers and Spinners Guild was Eugenia Dunn. She is shown with the loom warped for weaving plastic bags into market or tote bags.

They are very durable and have many uses. Eugenia is explaining to guild member Betsy Crane how the process works. This is a wonderful way to recycle plastic bags. The patterns Eugenia shared are easy to use and the guild members appreciate her for the time she spent demonstrating this activity. The Handweavers' Guild room is at Sundial Center. The hours

are 9am to 3pm Monday through Friday. Many different weaving processes and classes include: Shirett, Inkle Hardanger and Basket Weaving. Come by the room or call 623-933-0397 for more information.



Tip Top Dance preps for fall show

We are currently in rehearsal for next November's show. It will have lots of new dances and pizzazz. If anyone would like a copy of the DVD of our last show November 21, 2010, we have some available at \$5 each. If you are interested, call Kelley Greenburg at 623-328-9668. It was a great performance to date and well worth sharing with your friends and relatives when they come to town. Barbara Blansit's Beginner Class is pictured performing there. Our next variety show is scheduled for Sunday, November 20 at Sundial.

We have classes for all levels of dance in tap, ballet, theater, and a jazz workout. A year's membership is \$10. Individual classes can give you information about payments for sessions.

Remember that a fun way to keep in shape is to dance. It's a wonderful cardiovascular workout. Club membership is open to all RCSC cardholders. A schedule is in the Activities Calendar. Any questions, call Clarron at 623-876-0140.



Bell Silvercraft Club

Tom Mason, at 95 years old, almost 96, is the oldest and one of the most active members of Bell Silvercraft Club. Tom moved to Sun City from Yucca Valley, California 18 years ago.

His first retirement was from JC Penney Company in 1975 after being store manager for 39 years. His second retirement was from Indian Wells Country Club in California where he worked 11 winter seasons.

After retirement, Tom and his wife RV'd 49 states and all but one Canadian province, a total of 168,000 miles. In nine years the Masons made 19 overseas bus tours. They visited 55 foreign countries and went twice around the world. Tom has been on 10 cruises, with two more scheduled this year.

Making Bear Paw pendants and earrings are Tom's preferred, having handcrafted 1,310 pieces in 11 years

Bell Silvercraft Club is at Bell Recreation Center. Membership is open to all RCSC cardholders. Many training classes are offered including Basic Silvercraft and Basic Lost Wax-casting. Hours are Monday 8am to 9pm, Tuesday through Saturday 8am to 3:30pm.



Senior Softball winds down spring ball

The current Senior Softball spring session winds up April 14, then the first of three summer slow-pitch sessions begins April 19. To avoid the heat, the games are played early on Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Interested players (both men and women) are invited to attend Green Team practices on Mondays at 8:30am, followed by a scrimmage game at 10am. You can join the club at any time, and after paying dues and fees will be assigned to a team and receive a uniform. Need more time getting in shape? Continue practicing with the Green Team. Used gloves are often

available, only ASA approved bats are allowed and turf shoes or composite cleats (not metal) are recommended. Contact Wayne 623-977-7827 or Len 623-933-3310 for more information.

The Hot Flashes women's softball team ends its season April 16. Games are played on Saturdays, usually at Liberty Field in Sun City West. Games will resume in November and players are needed to fill out a second team. Contact McSoftball@prodigy. net. Check out the website at www. azsrsoftball.com.

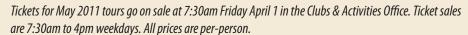
Bell Lapidary Club

One of the newer members, Herb Dahlen, is shown grinding and shaping a stone. He will then polish it and probably make it into a piece of jewelry. Herb joined the Lapidary group in August of 2010 and has been an active member since then. He enjoys working in the lapidary shop and getting to know the members. He has been impressed by how friendly and helpful everyone is. He encourages all RCSC cardholders to come to Bell Center and join the lapidary club. Hours are 8am to 3pm Monday through Friday. On Wednesday evenings the shop is open 6 to 9pm. Saturdays the hours are 8am

to noon. Come by the shop or call 623-977-1083 for more information.



May 2011 Tours

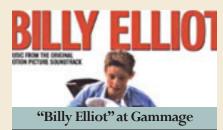




San Francisco, Napa Wine Train & Yosemite Park

May 1-5 | \$1,539 double / \$1,899 single | Depart TBA | Return 6pm

Tour includes five days and four nights hotel accommodations (three nights at the Radisson Hotel Fisherman's Wharf and one night at the Marriott Courtyard in Modesto), tour and lunch at the Filoli Mansion, Bay Cruise passing by the Golden Gate Bridge and Alcatraz, tour of San Francisco including Union Square, Lombard Street, Nob Hill, Embarcadero, Fisherman's Wharf and Chinatown. Napa Valley Wine Train Tour with lunch, Yosemite National park, four breakfasts and lunches, one dinner, transportation while in California by deluxe motorcoach, a professionally guided tour, baggage handling, round trip airfare, airport shuttle service, driver and guide gratuities.



May 5 | \$125 | Depart 6pm | Return 11pm

This Broadway musical is a j

This Broadway musical is a joyous celebration of one boy's journey to make his dreams come true. Set in a small town, the story follows Billy as he stumbles out of the boxing ring and into a ballet class, discovering a surprising passion that inspires his family and his whole community. A big musical with an even bigger heart, "Billy Elliot" will enchant the dreamer in all of us.



IMAXTheater / Grand Canyon / Black Bart's Steakhouse

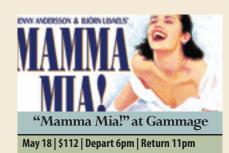
May 7 | \$93 | Depart 6am | Return 11pm

The Grand Canyon is one of the greatest sights in the world. The first stop is at the IMAX Theater to observe a film about this great natural wonder. Then on to the Grand Canyon and we will have lunch (on your own) at the Bright Angel Lodge. There are many activities you can participate in which include hiking trails, an art gallery, browse the gift shops, tour a historic building, or take a shuttle ride with strategic stops on the south side of the rim. The day would not be complete without stopping at Black Bart's Steakhouse in Flagstaff for dinner (included). Pre-choose an 8-ounce prime rib, 11-ounce top sirloin, or half-broiled chicken including a baked potato, tossed salad with dressing, hot biscuits with honey butter, coffee, tea, soda, milk and ice cream for dessert.



"Smoke on the Mountain" at Broadway Palm Dinner Theater May 12 | \$89 | Depart 10:45am | Return 5pm

It's Saturday night and Reverend Oglethorpe has invited the Sanders Family Singers to provide us uplifting evening of singin', clappin' and hilarious stories. The Gospel tunes include: "Church in the Wildwood," "Rock of Ages," "Whispering Hope" and "I'll Fly Away!" Come along and start singing! Tour includes a lunch buffet prior to the performance.



"Mamma Mia!" is the ultimate feel-good show that has audiences coming back again and again to relive the thrill. Now it's your turn to have the time of your life at this smash-hit musical that combines ABBA's greatest hits, including "Dancing Queen," "S.O.S.," "Take A Chance on Me" and "The Winner Takes It All," with an enchanting tale of love, laughter and friendship. Whether it's your first visit or your 14th, see the show that has the whole world coming back for more, because every time feels like the first time at "Mamma Mia!"



Out of Africa Wildlife Park

May 25 | \$76 | Depart 8am | Return 6pm

We'll spend an entire day at this spectacular wildlife park in Camp Verde. You will feel the adventure from the minute you drive through the gates. This tour includes admission to the Serengeti Safari Tour, the Wildlife Preserve Tram Tour, the Giant Snake Show, the Tiger Splash Show, the Predator Feed, a bird display and a box lunch (turkey croissant, chips, cookie and a soda/water). Feed a Tiger for \$3 is not included. Items to bring along: bottled water, sunscreen, a hat/cap, sunglasses, a long-sleeve shirt and a camera.



April 2011 Tours Still Available:



Legends of Country Music March 31 | \$47 | Depart 5pm | Return 10pm





Bus Tours

Las Vegas & "Phantom of the Opera" April 6-8 | \$419 double / \$499 single | Depart at 8:15am | Return 6pm

Organ Stop Pizza April 7 | \$29 | Depart 10am | Return 2pm



Algodones, Mexico April 12 | \$60 | Depart 7:30am | Return 8:30pm

Body Worlds at AZ Science Center April 13 | \$82 | Depart 9:45am | Return 3pm





Mission San Xavier del Bac/El Charros/Sabino Canyon April 14 | \$55 | Depart 7am | Return 7pm

Dolly Steamboat Cruise / Mining Camp Restaurant April 16 | \$69 | Depart noon | Return 7pm



8-Day Hawaiian Cruise Adventure April 23-30 | Inside \$3,029 / Balcony \$3,499 / Oceanview \$3,079 | Depart and Return TBA Passports required

"Dividing the Estate" at Theater Works April 29 | \$49 | Depart 6:45pm | Return 10:45pm



Future Bus Tours

On Sale Now

Come Along to Santa Fe & Taos, New Mexico Tues.-Fri. June 14-17 | \$945 single / \$715 double



San Diego over the 4th of July Sun.-Tues. July 3-5 | \$965 single / \$720 double



Pageant of the Masters - Laguna Beach, Calif. Wed.-Fri. August 24-26 | \$585 double / \$835 single



Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta Tues.-Thurs. October 4-7 | \$699 double / \$999 single



7-Day Eastern Caribbean Cruise Fri.-Sat. October 21-29 | Double Balcony \$2,459 / Double Inside \$1,999 | Single Balcony \$3,229 / Single Inside \$2,389



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.

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.

RCSC Bus Tour Cancellation/Refund Policy

Day Trips: Day trip tickets are non-refundable.

Overnight Trips: Overnight trips are refundable with trip cancellation protection if purchased 30 days or more prior to departure. If trip is purchased less than 30 days prior to departure, trip cancellation protection is not available and no refund will be issued. The Clubs Office will attempt to re-sell your ticket if there is a waiting list. You may also sell it and provide the Clubs Office with the name of the person who will replace you.



MasterCard, Visa, cash or check accepted.

Artistic Weavers & Fiber Artists

This year is flying, and like all previous months, March has been a busy one. We've had lots of fun learning to weave plastic tote bags, make and decorate paper gift boxes, and refresh our skills in warping threads and making string heddles. Club members also enjoyed a field trip to the Fiber Factory in Mesa, which included lunch at nearby Grandma's Restaurant.

After our February program on color interaction for handweavers, we're planning a workshop to make samples for our reference library, and this month features "Show & Tell" where we get to see everyone's finished, or

nearly done, projects. Then, being inspired, we'll shop at our Stash Sale on April 1. It's a great opportunity to pick up raw materials and equipment for a good price. At our "Mad Hatter's Tea" on April 22, you'll find us all wearing crazy hats and competing for first place while munching on fancy sandwiches, scones and cakes. Yum!

If these activities, weaving or spinning sound like fun, stop by the clubroom at Oakmont, Mondays through Fridays from 9am until 3pm. Membership is open to all RCSC cardholders and we'd love to have you join us!

RV Club plans events, meetings

Whether you want to "hit the road with your friends" or simply have good times, local meetings and day trips, you may wish to consider the Sun City RV Club. All RCSC cardholders who may have an interest in participating are encouraged to attend the meetings. You will meet enthusiastic RVers. It is not required to own an RV.

On Tuesday, April 26 at 10am, the club Board of Directors will meet. Any interested member is welcome to attend and observe the meeting.

Also that day, starting at 5:30pm, is our social hour, potluck/general meeting and evening of entertainment, at Sundial West Hall. Each couple attending is asked to bring a dish to share, serving eight to 10 people.

The evening entertainment will feature Director Jane Brambilla, a distinct "Who's who" among American music teachers, and the wonderfully blended voices of the Choraliers.

Caravan signup begins at 9:30am April 29 at Sundial West Hall, followed by a meeting at 10am. Caravan Wagon-Master awards will be presented.

For more information, visit www.sca-zrvclub.com, or contact Bob Downey at 925-972-6982.

Computer Club of Sun City

Beginning in April new computer club membership signup is available to all RCSC cardholders from 9 to 10:30am on Wednesdays and Fridays. No appointment is necessary; just bring your RCSC card to the club on the second floor of Fairway Recreation Center. Annual dues of \$15 are paid at this time. In addition, new members can enroll in a free one-day, two-hour Novice class. This class acquaints new members with beginning operation of a personal computer using club computers in one of three classrooms at the club facilities.

New members can also enroll in a Computing 101 class when joining

the club. This introductory class provides three two-hour sessions. Cost for this class is \$5; handouts are provided. After completing a Computing 101 class, new members can enroll in additional classes, such as personal computer operating system; Windows Explorer; Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint.

USB flash drives used in most classes can be purchased at the club for \$10. Be prepared to provide correct change or a check covering all costs.

View the club's website at http://www.firstsuncity.com, or call (623) 933-8953 for additional information.

Grand Slam Bridge

That is our name and what we play on Tuesday evening. We have a good time but would like to have more people participating in the game. No partner needed but if you have one bring him or her with you. Come try us out. You can play twice before joining but that is only \$2, which is a real bargain. Please arrive by 6:30pm at Marinette Center to get organized. Play starts at 6:45pm. Should you have more questions, call David Stewart at 623-875-7136 for answers.

Spanish Club

El Círculo Español, Sun City Spanish Club, will have its spring potluck and general membership meeting at Lakeview Recreation Center's patio from 11am to 2pm on Wednesday, April 6. All club members and their guests are invited. Join us for some good food and conversation. The Spanish Club meets at Fairway Center and offers classes for beginners through advanced conversation. For more information email us at SunCitySpanishClub@gmail.com or check out our events and class schedule on the bulletin board at Fairway.

Players present 'Secret' comedy

If you haven't heard the latest about Mildred Wild, don't fail to meet her when the Players present "The Secret Affairs of Mildred Wild," a comedy and our second show celebrating 50 years of theater. We've never "stretched" quite like this before. The show details transition from radio to TV with the movie/movie magazine craze which still powers Mildred's life. For a nostalgic look back, plan to go April 29-30, May 1,5,6-8 to Mountain View Center with Thursday and Sunday 2pm matinee and Friday and Saturday showings at 7pm. Reserved \$8 tickets go on sale at Sundial Center

April 25-29 and May 2-6 from 10am to 1pm. or one hour before each performance at Mountain View.

Surely some of you remember those exciting treks to the movies and poring over the glamorous magazine covers at the drugstore on the sly. When we played "dress-up" we weren't mommies but took names like Peggy Palvin and found some lipstick and high heels to enhance our beauty. Boys liked the

movies, or maybe it was to watch the girls. Well, you'll be goggle-eyed; we guarantee you'll wish you had some popcorn. Info: 623-972-9421. Sorry, no phone reservations or credit cards.

Readers Ensemble meets Fridays

The Readers Ensemble meets at 1pm every Friday in Lakeview Social Hall #3. Members can hone their acting skills by performing in the style of the old-time radio shows, reading from scripts and acting out their parts. Beginners are welcome and anyone with a valid RCSC card and a Sun City Players membership is eligible to join. Call Membership Chair Daisy Strachan for more information: 623-933-4355 or just come to one of our meetings.

Bookings for performances at RCSC clubs and retirement homes will be handled by Marge Black. You can reach Marge at 623-974-6007 or mblack141@ cox.net. A small donation is required to book a show.

"Drama Stuff in the Back Room" happens each first and third Friday from 2 to 4pm in Social Hall #2. This is a training ground to provide more

exercises and opportunities for actors and directors to improve their skills. Call Baron LeVison at 623-266-3870 for details or Billee Weatherly at 623-875-1684. You can get general information about the Readers by calling Pat Cook, 623-974-3384, or email bobhawkes@ aol.com or check out our website: Suncityplayerscommunitytheater.org and click on the Readers Ensemble link.



The Cast of "What's on TV?" exposed: (L to R) Baron LeVison, Ula Miller, Daisy Strachan, Bob Budorick, Shirley Trapp, Corkie Glenn and Joan Hawkes.

Swim Club offers lessons

Swim lessons are on Wednesdays from 8 to 10am at Sundial and moving to Lakeview pool starting April 6. There are beginners taught by Joanie Skewes, intermediate level taught by Tere Kearney and advanced classes taught by Marge Siegmund.

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If you have a fear of water but wish you could swim, these qualified instructors will work closely with you. The group has a breakfast once a month to enjoy each other's company. Learn to swim or come have fun and improve your strokes. For more information, call Joanie at 623-977-9755.

The Aqua Suns Synchronized team works out Monday, Wednesday and Friday at Lakeview Center from 8 to 10am year-round. The Aqua Suns would love more members. Swimmers are invited to try out for the team.

The Starrs Master Swim workout group swims Monday through Friday, 7 to 9am at Bell Center all year round. Swimmers are welcome to try out with the team before joining. This group is for swimmers who are competitive and for those who want a great fitness workout.



'Come Fly' with Handbell Ringers

The Handbell Ringers of Sun City will perform their spring concert called "Come Fly With Us" at American Lutheran Church, 17200 Del Webb Blvd. at 3pm Sunday, April 10. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$5. The audience will be flying from the United States to many different countries such as Canada, Ireland, Russia, South Africa and Brazil through handbell music. Accordion player will be heard during "Polka Fest" when flying to Germany. Photographed from forward to back are: Sherrill Tyacke,

Sharon Galitz, Mary Ann Grieger, June Fisher and Nancie Fletcher during rehearsal. If you have any questions, please call 623-875-7151. RCSC cardholders are encouraged to participate.



Sundial Shuffleboard Club

On February 19 shuffleboard players from the Happy Trails, Sunflower, Bell and Sundial clubs weathered the wind and rain to enjoy a two-person team tournament, hosted by the Sundial club at Bell Center. Twenty-eight players enjoyed a morning that included socializing and refreshments. Several players already knew each other through participation in other tournaments but it's always enjoyable to make new acquaintances. The morning wrapped with awarding the winners.

From L-R Peter and Edna Hrynew placed fourth, Angela Tradewell and Anne Verenka third, Maxine Reineck and Ted Krisko second, and Kay Saunders and Larry Galavan were the winners. All these teams represented the Bell Club. Congratulations all.

Indoor shuffleboard is a perfect way

to end your Thursdays. Come on up to Bell Center at 7pm and join the Sundial Club for a couple hours. You'll be glad you did.

Member meetings are the first Tuesday of the month in Sundial East Hall. We gather at 5pm for socializing followed by potluck dinner before the meeting. For the April 5 meeting the club board is treating members by providing the dinner. Members, grab your plate and fork and be there. For more information call Avis at 623-933-7343.



Model Railroad

Construction is on schedule in the building of the Sun City Model Railroad at Fairway Recreation Center. Tentative plans are to hold a "Golden Spike" ceremony in May, when the two mainlines are completed. Come in and see the progress being made. Visiting hours are Monday through Friday 1 to 3:30pm, and Saturday 10am to 2pm. Membership is open to anyone holding an RCSC card. For more information, call Bob at 623-606-3188.

New England Club

The club will meet April 9 at Oakmont Center. Social time is from 5 to 6pm with appetizers. Dinner will be a variety of homemade soups and salad, dinner rolls, and desserts. At our April meeting we celebrate everyone's birthday. After dinner we will have a short business meeting, followed by some fun games. All RCSC cardholders are welcome. For more information call Bob at 623-583-3912 or Mary at 623-974-9609. Hope everyone has a Happy

Duplicate Bridge

Attention bridge players! Come join us for an afternoon of bridge. The club plays twice a week: Monday and Thursday at 12:30pm. The Monday game is at Lakeview Social Hall #1. The Thursday game is at Marinette Center, main meeting room. We are affiliated with ACBL. Our games are open to all RCSC cardholders. Any questions call David Stewart at 623-875-7136.

Republican Club

Sun City Republican Club meets Monday, April 25 for our annual barbecue! Great fun! Great speakers! We are still in the planning stages for this BIG event, so please check our website at www.SunCityGOPClub.com or contact Lisa Gray at 623-322-5101 or lisa@lisagray.com for more information. Meetings are open to all RCSC cardholders.



Silverstones

In our picture are only a small sample of the dazzling array of jewelry on display in our store in Sundial Recreation Center. The picture features, from left to right, hand-built copper by Jerry B, lost wax (cast silver) by Dan K., wire wrapping and lapidary by Joyce W., glass fusion by Sharon H., hand-built shadow-box and lapidary by Fred W., and beading by Line W.

Our full-service studio will handle any type of repair and special order. Sundial Silverstones Club membership is open to all RCSC cardholders. So, stop in and take a free tour of our store and studio. Hours are from 9am to 3pm Monday through Friday and 10am to 1pm on Saturday.

Bocce Club fares well in Olympics

The Arizona Senior Olympics for house. Bocce Ball were held February 21-25. The games were hosted by Sun City Grand. An extraordinary amount of time and effort are required to put these events together. Accordingly the Sun City Bocce Club extends many thanks to Sun City Grand and their Sport Commissioner John Meschi.

Sun City always fares well in the Olympics and this year was no different. We had medal winners in every event and several age brackets. The list is too long to include here, so if you haven't yet heard who won what, check the bulletin board in the club

April is picnic month for our member meeting. We will gather at the courts early in the morning for some very unusual Bocce games and then move to the patio at Sundial Center for lunch and more fun. If you haven't joined us for our picnic before, we encourage you to do so because you are in for a very pleasant surprise.

If you haven't joined our club yet there is time to do so before the picnic. Annual dues are \$4 per person and all equipment is furnished. Lessons are included. Call Mike at 623-242-9899.

Handi-Capables offer classes

The members of Handi-Capables are offered water exercise classes at the small heated pool at Sundial. A sit-down and stand-up class is offered each Tuesday and Thursday at noon, and also a stand-up class is held at 1pm. Assistance is offered entering and exiting the pool for anyone needing help. Anyone with physical challenges, minor aches and pains, arthritis, or post-surgery is welcome to join our classes. If your doctor tells you to walk or do some light exercise, we are just what he ordered. We devote half the class to exercise and the other half to water walking.

Anyone with an RCSC card is welcome to join our club at any time. If

you want to know more about our program come to the pool on a Tuesday and Thursday and watch or even try a class. All caregivers are welcome to enter the pool with the member attending the class.

The first Monday of each month a social and business meeting is held in Fairway Arizona Room. The meetings include business, entertainment, refreshments and a time to socialize with other members.

Membership is open to all RCSC cardholders. Dues are \$10 a year. For additional information contact Bill Natz at 623-974-4502 or 2dollarbill@cox.net.

Palo Verde Artists

Yum! Plan on dining well at this month's gathering! April always means a scrumptious spring luncheon for the Palo Verde Artists Club. It's a potluck, so you're welcome to bring a covered dish and join us in Sundial East Hall on Monday, April 4 at noon.

Our demonstration at the meeting will be done by our own Doris Canavan, who is not only a member but teaches our oil painting classes as well. Doris has taught art for over 40 years and has attended art workshops all over the U.S. with well-known artists. She has won many awards and has paintings hanging in both private and public collections. She'll be showing us her technique for painting children's

portraits in oil.

The club's April Artist of the Month is Marvin Hardin who studied art at Phoenix Community College and completed the Famous Artists School home-study course in Commercial Art, Illustration (founded by Norman Rockwell). Look for Marvin's work in the Sundial Showcase above the pool.

SunViews



Oakmont Lapidary & Silvercraft

Several years ago, Margaret "Margie" Richards and her husband signed the closing papers on a Sun City house in the afternoon and Margie took a silvercraft class that evening. She wasted no time! While silvercraft is her favorite activity, she has explored lapidary, wire wrap, glass fusion, faceting and is a member of OL&SC's "chain gang." Margie is on the calling committee for OL&SC and is a monitor for the club on Friday afternoons. Come by the club, meet Margie and check out the jewelry designs that are for sale in the club store.

OL&SC's annual "Spring Fling" potluck will be at Oakmont Recreation Center on Monday, April 4 after the monthly meeting. Classes in silvercraft, lapidary, glass fusion, faceting, wire wrap, and chain making are being offered by friendly and helpful club members. Sign up today!

Oakmont Lapidary & Silvercraft Club is at Oakmont Recreation Center. Club hours are Monday through Friday 8am to 3pm and our new phone number is 623-738-7945. OL&SC is open to all RCSC cardholders.



Piano Club slates last season show

The Piano Club of Sun City will hold its last public program of the season at 9:30am Friday, April 15 in Sundial Auditorium. The program will consist of an enjoyable piano variety program, served up with humor! This has been a very successful year for the club, with many new members joining and larger audiences. The group meets on the third Friday of every month, October through April, at the same time and location.

Don't miss the fun! Guests and new members are always welcome. To join, a membership application and nominal annual dues (\$4-\$5) are required. Many members and guests just listen, but there are opportunities to perform throughout the year.

The club continues meeting during the summer in private homes. For more information, call 623-974-0264 or communicate through our e-mail address, 4pcofsc@cox.net.

Dance For Fitness

Spring is in the air. Is there a spring in your step, or are you just plodding along? If not, check out Dance for Fitness. After all, you want to look "grrrrrreat" in your Easter outfit.

We welcome all Sun Citians (male or female) as long as you have your current RCSC card and a willingness to kick up your heels. Don't worry, we don't get that energetic. But, you will get a full-body workout that benefits your three B's: body, balance and brains. As they say: use them or lose them.

We meet three times weekly: Bell on Tuesday, Sundial on Wednesday and Mountain View on Friday. Times are the same at all three: 9 to 10am. All participants should be on the floor by 8:45am. Shoes that tie and slide across the floor, and comfortable clothes that you can move freely in are suggested.

What a great bargain! Membership is only \$4, and covers all of the above classes. No individual class fees. For information, please call Peggy at 623-974-6946.

Garden Club exceeds citrus goal

The Garden Club, on behalf of St. Mary's / Westside Food Bank Alliance, would like to extend a huge Thank You to Sun City residents for their contribution to Citrus Drive 2011. As of this writing, the Citrus Drive, which ended March 12, was on track to exceed the goal of 500,000 pounds. Our drop-off sites at Marinette, Bell, Sundial and Sun Bowl were never busier. Rest assured, St. Mary's Food Bank distributes the citrus to deserving local families and also exchanges our citrus for needed food supplies from around the country and throughout the year.

Garden Club volunteers were positively overwhelmed by your glean-

ing requests this year. Even though the number of requests far exceeded our resources, we want you to know we appreciate your response and sincerely apologize for not being able to honor all requests. Garden Club activities extended beyond the Citrus Drive this month with an informative presentation by the Desert Botanical Garden at our March general membership meeting and we look forward to welcoming the Maricopa County Master Gardeners at our April gathering. Our club meets at 8:30am the first Tuesday of each month in Sundial East Hall. Guests are always welcome! Our phone number is 623-875-5921.

All Sun City Art Show winners

The 36th annual All Sun City Art Show produced some surprises. A new talent, Judy Wood, won the Judge's Choice award for "Dolly," an abstract in acrylic while the second Judge's Choice went to Rory Mattson for his seascape with heron titled "Morning Mist." Jerry McGinness won the People"s Choice Award for "Lost Creek Revisited." The show is co-sponsored by the Lakeview and Palo Verde Art Clubs to showcase the work of the many talented Sun City artists.

Winners in the Gold Circle category were: Oil/acrylic Land and Seascapes:Ray Colton, first; Ron Shone, second; Doug Farnsworth, third; Oil/Acrylic Floral and Still Life: Kathleen Newhard, first; Marion Wishnefski, second; Donna Roth, third; Water Media Land and Seascapes: Jerry McGinness, first; Patrick McClay, second; Helen Tomich, third; Portraits/ Figures: George Peck, first; Ray Colton, second; Donna Roth, third; Animals and Birds: Lupe Cavanaugh, first; Shirley Beamer, second; Gretchen Barrand, third: Abstracts, Helen Tomich, first; Paul McBroom, second; Joelle



Bell Ceramics

Bell Ceramics will have a bake and spring sale Saturday April 9 from 9am to 3pm. There will be GREAT prices on finished ceramics as well as GREAT tasting baked goods for sale. Great bargains will be able to be found on a \$5 and under table of finished ceramics. Easter, Southwest, and other décor items will be available for purchase. The sale is open to all. Anyone interested in joining Bell Ceramics Club can do so for \$7 a year and a current RCSC card. Judy Kulpins is pictured.

Keprios, third; Miscellaneous: Terilyn Fillis, first; Nancy Adley, second; Fran DeMong, third. Gallery: Oil/ Acrylic Land and Seascapes: Carmen Jackson, first and second, Mary Duncan, third; Oil/Acrylic Floral/Still Life Carmen Jackson, first, John Weniger, second; Evelyn Little, third; Water Media Land/Seascapes: Donna Booth first, Charlene Stark, second and third: Water Media Floral/Still Life: Jan Olmstead, first; Marge Hillmann, second; Maria Offidani, third, Portraits/ Figures: Marion Carlsen, first; Marianne Mason, second, Yvonne Kakely, third.





Concert Band

Pictured from left to right are George and Joyce Zoske, Dave and Donna Heyer, Jack and Marg Burg, Dan and Jean Johns, Sherman Handyside and Thorine Peterson, and Ed and Pat White. Not pictured are Charlie and Toby Musgrave.

We are very proud to have eight couples playing in the band, it shows that music is one of the best ways to share a happy retirement together with common interests.

The spring concert will be at 2pm April 10 in Sundial Auditorium in Sun City. There is no charge for the concert, but free will donations are always appreciated.

Bell Shuffleboard wins championship

The Bell Shuffleboard team won the Arizona Shuffleboard Association District 5 championship again. We played against very competitive groups from the Northwest Valley and enjoyed meeting and playing old and new friends. The winning team, in the photo, is Peter Hrynew, Glen Casady, Gary Binder, Dick Price, Bill Belander, Edna Hrynew and Harl Dunkin.

The election of officers for the new term was held at our closing banquet February 25. Trophies and gift certificates were presented to players on the winning teams. This year, Hall of Fame certificates, for work performed in our district, were presented to Mary Price, Dick Price and Peter Hrynew.

Don't forget to mark your calendar for the East-West Goodwill Tournament at Bell from September 14 to 20. Some of the people from Bell will play

in the games and 64 players from eastern and western states will participate. There are also many folks that remain in Sun City for the summer and they will enjoy playing in our inside courts during the hot temperatures. Anyone with an RCSC card who wishes to have free lessons and join our happy group should call Peter Hrynew at 623-974-1456 or Dick Price at 623-876-9525. New members are very welcome.



Clay Club show successful

As in the past 22 years the Sun City Clay Club's annual Juried was a huge success. There were many first time clay artists entering pieces as well as first-timers to the show winning pieces! Congratulations to all! Thanks for all of your participation and interest in the show.

The winners are too many to name as there were 15 individual categories with three winners in each category. THE BEST OF SHOW: Ronda Miller and PEOPLE'S CHOICE winner: Juel Homolka, in addition to ribbons in other categories. Many walked away with numerous ribbons, Ronda Miller, Jeanne Lancaster, Susan Craver, Kathy Knoebel, a first-timer; Sylvia Pinto, Phyllis Stringer, Diane Beauchamp, Louise Cole, another first-timer and Sharon Olson.

In addition to the showroom, the guests of the show visited the clubroom as it was open for sales with numerous tables as well as display shelves full of beautiful pieces.

The clubroom is open every day from 8am to 4pm. The Clay Club is open Tuesday and Thursdays 6 to 9pm.

Be sure and visit us April 2 during the Lakeview Open House. We will have demos going as well as raffle prizes!



Bell Woodworking

The Bell Woodworking Shop is having a pancake breakfast at 9am Friday, April 1 at the shop. This is a free breakfast for all members and we are also encouraging anyone who is considering becoming a member to join us. Come, have a look-see and let us show you what we have to offer. It will be our pleasure to host anyone and everyone who attends.

Bunco Broncos

Join us for our spring potluck on Monday, April 25, at 11:30am at Oakmont. Bring your favorite dish to pass, and your own place setting. Coffee and punch will be provided. Bunco will start at 12:30pm. Please RSVP to Angie at 623-328-5327 or Bev at 623-972-1035.

Racquetball: Snowbirds' delight

Sun City offers two fabulous racquetball courts. What better way to avoid the cold or hot weather back home, than to live in Sun City and partake in healthy exercise in our perfectly maintained and temperature controlled courts? Spring, summer, fall and winter – join us with your racquet or ours; we have them to lend, in addition to the necessary eyewear for protection (a must). You'll need to bring your own clean court shoes and your RCSC card (or be a guest of a cardholders) and sign in at the booth and in the courts. Our \$5 club fee is valid for the entire year. Membership forms can be found on the bulletin board.

The courts are at Bell Center near lawn bowling, tennis, mini golf and ping pong.

All levels of play are available to you. If you're not sure about ability level, drop by Saturdays from 10am to 1pm when there's a variety of levels being played? Court hours: Monday through Saturday 6am to 9pm and Sunday 8am to 8pm. Club times are listed within the courts, as well as names of enthusiasts looking for games.

Visit our website at www.racquet-ballclubofSunCity.com.

Questions? Call Dianne at 623-640-4169 or Shawn at 623-986-1754.

Pickleball: Fun game, fun club

Pickleball Club members play at earlier daytime hours outdoors during April at the Mountain View courts as shown below. Club members playing at Marinette continue at the same hours as last month for both daytime and evenings. It is next month when both locations change to a summertime schedule.

During club play times, a club monitor must be present. RCSC cardholders can watch and then try three free half-hour beginner lessons prior to joining the club. Guests can watch at either location.

Pickleball is a combination of tennis and ping pong, played on a badminton-sized court with a low net, usually with four players, using paddles and a baseball-sized wiffle ball. Previous racquetball or tennis sport experience is helpful, but not required. Teams can be coed, men, or women. Tennis shoes

are required.

The club provides paddles and wiffle balls for free beginner lessons to RCSC cardholders. Lessons weekly at Marinette are shown below. For Mountain View lessons, call Alesia Brown (623-583-4972). To join our club, fill out our dues sheet and pay the annual dues. A valid RCSC card is required. More information visit our club website: suncitypickleballclub.org.

April Pickleball Schedule

Mountain View: M, Tu, W, F 8-10am Lessons (call number above to schedule)

Marinette: M, W, F 1-3pm Nights: M, Tu, W, Th 5:30-8pm Lessons (from Judy Luna): Wed 1pm

Fairway Woodworking

Come to the fair. Fairway Recreation Center is holding a spring Fun Fair on Saturday, April 23. Come see the great crafts that the many craft clubs make at Fairway.

Also, if you have not yet seen the inside of the new Fairway Recreation Center, this would be a good opportunity to do so. This also will be a good time to buy gifts made by the many craft clubs.

Stop by the wood shop and see the display of wood crafted items we have for sale.

If you would like to join a wood club, ours is the oldest yet the newest shop in Sun City. Dues are \$10 per calendar year. If you're not handy working with wood, our monitors will help you with your project.

Fairway Sterling & Stones

The Fairway Center Spring Craft Fair is coming April 23. We will have all kinds of jewelry for sale, a raffle for several pieces and a bake sale going on. We will also have tours to give you a feel for what we do. Other clubs will also have events, so come by and see us all. Get acquainted with the new Fairway Recreation Center.

On March 14th we had a pizza party general meeting. We had a great time. Our next general meeting is on April 11.

If you can't make it to the Fair, or can't wait until then, drop by the club

for a tour. Our hours for creation and jewelry sales are from 8am to 3pm Monday through Friday, and 8am to noon on Saturday. We also have additional creation hours from 4:30 to 8pm on Tuesday and Wednesday for those that have problems getting in during the day; no jewelry sales for those hours though.

Classes are available for basic silver smithing, lapidary, wire wrapping, chain making, lost wax casting and glass fusion. Come see what all the excitement is about!

Sun City Squares in synch

Synchronicity is the simultaneous occurrence of events that appear to be significantly related, but you can't see why one event would ever cause the other event.

How have things been set up for you in square dancing? For most people becoming a square dancer did not just happen out of the blue. You were set up for success, but you had to say, "Yes" somewhere along the way.

Consider who gave each one of us encouragement along the way, and remember those people. It wasn't luck or coincidence these events happened or that various people helped us, but it was part of a "grand plan for your life."

The most important aspect in your life should be to make people happy and make them feel good about themselves. We will have a lot of new dancers this summer; try to make them

feel welcome and like they are doing a good job. The more floor time they have with patient experienced dancers will help them become patient experienced dancers. Remember, square dancing is fun!

The end of April concludes our winter dancing season. We move right into summer dancing May 3 with Dan Nordbye, caller. Dances are open to RCSC cardholders and guests.

For information contact: 623-875-2642, 623-930-7513, 623-341-3726 or SUNCITYSQUARES@q.com.

Square Dance Schedule

Pre-Rounds 6:30-7pm Square Dance 7-9pm

Dee Dee Dougherty, Caller Annie Brownrigg, Cuer

Sundial Dance Club

April is springtime. A great time to spring into action, dress up and go dancing to big band music on Saturday from 7-10pm at Sundial Recreation Center. It's always live big band music including some rock and roll.

Enjoy the friendly atmosphere and socializing with many from different parts of the world. Our Easter Dance and an Easter Bonnet contest will be on Saturday, April 23. Ice water and coffee are furnished and many bring goodies to share. Basic dance lessons at 6:15pm prior to the dance will soon be renewed. All for the modest admission

of \$4 for members and \$6 for guests, more for special dances. Club membership \$4, sold 6:15 to 7pm before the dance to RCSC cardholders.

Dress code and info, call Ed 623-972-6187 or John 623-629-6106.

April Dance Schedule

April 2 Johnny Michaels April 9 Mike Carollo April 16 Manual and Murphy

April 23 The Spin
April 30 Bob Roppolo



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

Activities

* denotes activities offered after dark

RCSC Chartered Clubs

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Classes: M, Tu & W 9am-4pm; Th & F 9amnoon; Open Painting: Sa 9am-noon

SD-Palo Verde Art

M-F 9am-4pm.

BC-Artistic Stained Glass

623-974-4765. M, W, Th 8am-3:30pm, 5:30-9pm. Tu, F 8am-3:30pm. Sa 8am-1pm.

OM-Artistic Weavers

M-F 9am-3pm

SD-Calligraphy

1st Th 9-11am. General mtg Th & F

9-11am.

SD-Camera Guild

M-F 9am-4pm.

LV-Carvers

Th & Sa 8am-noon

BC-Ceramics

623-974-6750. M-F 8am-3pm.

M 5:30-9pm. Sa 8am-noon

FW-Ceramics/Porcelain

623-972-5818. M-Th 8am-3pm. F 8-noon.

LV-Ceramics/Porcelain

623-974-5979. M-Th 9am-3pm.

Tu 5:30-9pm.

OM-Ceramics

M-Th 8am-3pm. F 8am-noon.

MC-China Painters Cupboard

602-705-4952. Classes: M & F noon-3pm. Tu 1-4pm. Open Painting: W 9am-noon

FW-China Painting

M, Th & F 8am-3pm.

LV-Clay

623-933-0899. M-Sa 8am-4pm.

Tu & Th 6-9pm.

*MC-Clay Corner

623-977-3167. M-W 8am-9pm.

Th-Sa 8am-4pm.

*BC-Crafts

623-974-3497. M-F 9am-3pm. W & Th 6-9pm. Sa 9am-noon. 14 crafts taught.

SD-Crafts

M & Th 8-1pm

LV-Creative Quilters

M & F 8am-4pm. Tu, W 9am-noon.

BC-Friendship Quilters

M, Th, & Sa 9am-3pm, W noon-5pm

OM-Grandmothers & Friends 2nd M 1-3pm.

SD-Handweavers/Spinners

623-734-4364. M-F 9am-3pm

FW-Knitters

F 8:30am-2:30pm

*BC-Lapidary

623-977-1803. M-Sa 9am-noon;

M, Tu, Th noon-3pm; W 6-8pm

OM-Lapidary/Silver

M-F 8am-3pm

MC-Leathercraft

M-F 8am-2:30pm

BC-Metal

623-974-8206. M-Sa 8am-4pm

OM-Needle Arts & Crafts

Th 8:30-11:30am

LV-Sew 'n Sew

General meeting: Th 9-11am. Open Sewing: Tu, Th & Sa 9am-3:30pm.

*BC-Silvercraft

623-933-8442. M-Sa 8:30am-3:30pm. M

6-9pm.

SD-Silverstones

623-974-4344.

M-F 8am-3pm. Sa 8am-noon.

FW-Sterling & Stones

623-977-2208. M-Th 8am-3pm. F 7am-3pm. Sa 7am-noon. Tu & W 4:30-8pm.

BC-Bell Stitchers

Tu 9am-3pm; W 9am-noon. F 9am-1pm

BC-Woodworking

623-974-6058.

M-F 8am-4pm; Sa 8am-noon

FW-Woodworking

623-972-4385. M-F 8am-4pm.

Sa 8am-noon.

LV-Woodworking

623-933-2355. M-F 8am-4pm.

Sa 8am-noon.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

*LV-Card Sharks

M 7-9:30pm

FW-Friday Afternoon

F 12:30-3:30pm

*MC-Grand Slam

Tu 6:45-9:30pm

*LV-One Partner

Th 7-9:30pm

*LV-Saguaro

F 7-10pm

LV-Thursday Afternoon

Th 12:30-3:30pm

OM-Wednesday Afternoon

W 12:30-4pm

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

SD-Kachina

M & Th 12:30-3:30pm

Sun City Duplicate (ACBL)

at LV SH#1 M 12:30-4pm

at MCTh 12:30-4pm

CARDS AND GAMES

OM-Bunco Broncos

4th M 12:30-3:30pm

OM-Canasta

F 10am-3pm

LV-Chess

W & Th 1-4pm

*LV-Mixed Cribbage

Tu 12:45-3:30pm & W 6:15-9:30pm

*FW-Euchre

Tu 7-10pm

*FW-"500" Club

AZ Room 3 & 4

1st, 3rd & 5th M 6:45-10pm. Experience

MC-Mah Jongg (American & Chinese) Tu 4/12 Su noon-4pm. Th 6-9pm.

SD-Mah Jongg (American & Chinese)

Tu 4/5, 4/19, 4/26 noon-4pm @ West Hall

*FW-Mixed Cards (Br-Pin-Can) Sa 7-9:30pm

*LV-Pinochle

Tu 1-4pm & 7-9pm

*OM-Roadrunner Pinochle

M 5:30pm workshop; 6:30-9:30pm cards

FW-Saturday Pinochle

Sa 11am-4pm.

DANCE

BC-Bell Tea

W 2-4pm

SD-Rhythm Ramblers

1st Tu 2:30-4:30pm

BC-Rockin' Thru the Years

1st, 3rd Sa 7-10pm

*BC-Sun City Ballroom

W 6:30-9pm. Su 6:30-9:30pm

*BC-Sun City Ballroom Lessons

M noon-3pm. Th 5:15-8:30pm.

SD-Sun City Line Dance

Tu & Th 10am-1pm *SD-Sun City Singles

F 7-10pm.

*BC-Sun City Squares Mary Sue 623-341-3726 or 623-875-2642.

Suncitysquares@q.com.

Pre-Rounds: Tu 6:30-7pm.

Plus Square Dance: Tu 7-9pm. *SD-Saturday Night Singles & Couples

*SD-Free Beginner Dance Lessons

Sa 6:15-7pm

FW-Tip Top Classes: All That Jazz Tu & Th 1pm

LV-Tip Top Classes: Basic Ballet W 6pm in SH#2 **OM-Tip Top**

Classes: Beginning Tap, W 9am

MC-Tip Top Auditorium. Classes: Advanced Tap, M & W

8:30am, Theater Tap, F 8:30am

MV-Tip Top

Intermediate Tap, Tu 9am Note: Classes titled II must be taken in conjunction with the same class I. Classes titled I can

be taken separately. **EDUCATIONAL**

SD-Apple Macintosh 623-933-5300. M-Th 8:30-10:30am, 12:30-

2:30pm. 1st & 2nd F 12:30-2:30pm.

FW-IBM Computer 623-933-8953. M-Sa 8am-4pm.

www.firstsuncity.com

FW-Lifelong Learning

Classes begin 2/1-4/7 FW-Spanish

M 8am-3:30pm, 7-9pm. W 8am-3:30pm. Th 8am-noon, 9:30-11:30am.

EXERCISE

BC-Aerobic

M, W & F 8am, 9am & 10am

SD-Aqua Fitness

Summer 1 registration Sa 4/9 8:30am auditorium. **BC-Dance For Fitness**

Beginner & Advanced combined Tu

SD-Handi-Capables

9-11am at Bell Center. W 9-10am at Sundial. F 9-11am at Mountain View

Tu & Th noon-3pm (Exercise Pool) MV-Hatha Yoga

Auditorium. W 8:15-10am

Tu, Th, F 9:45-11:30am.

SD-Hatha Yoga Aerobics Room. Level 1 M & W 6:15-8pm.

OM-Ladies Exercise Tu & F 8-9am

FW-So Grand

M, W & F 7:30-9am

SD-Stretch & Slim

Aerobics room. M-F 8-9am. Sa 9-10am.

W 9-11am

FW-Choraliers

M 8:30-11am

M 11:30am-1:30pm, Tu 9-11am

*MC-Karaoke

1st & last M 5-8:30pm

3rd F 9am-noon

Sa 9-11am

3rd M 7pm

F 12-4pm **FW-Rhythm Ramblers**

Tu 1-3pm

Th 8:30-11am. Info call Cynthia at 623-974-6382

NATIONAL

1st Th 6:30-9pm at SD East Hall *SD-Republican

SOCIAL

MC-Friendship Corner

Sa noon-4:30pm

2nd & 4th Su 4-7pm

M-Sa 7am-4pm, Club #623-977-5116

MC-Newcomer Hospitality

Bridge: W noon-3:15pm

Partners Bridge...2nd and 4th Tu 6:30pm Euchre: 1st, 3rd & 5th Tu 1pm

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*OM-New England

2nd Sa 5pm *FW-NextGen

1st Tu & 3rd Th 7pm. nextgensuncity.org

*LV-Women's Social Daily 10am-4:30pm, M 6-9:30pm. Join us

MUSIC AND THEATER

FW-Chamber Orchestra

FW-Concert Band

FW-Handbell Ringers

F 8am-3pm

SD-Piano Club

FW-Sun City Pops Band

*MV-Sun City Players

LV-Players Readers Ensemble

FW-Sun City Women's Chorus

*SD-Democratic

*OM-Gourmet Social

3rd M 6:30-9pm at SD East Hall

SD-Men's

Pizza/Games: 2nd F 5pm call 623-518-

Potluck/Games: last F 5pm

*OM-Sun City Singles Social 1st F 6pm potluck. 3rd F 6pm game

for bridge, poker, canasta, dominoes and your choice games.



SPORTS

*SD-Bocce

Meeting 2nd M 7pm. Tournaments M-F 1-3pm. Free play F 5-8pm, Su 2-4pm. LV-Conservation Sportsmen

3rd Th 9-11am SH #1

Lawn Bowling lessons

Call club presidents.

Tags in before scheduled times. Players should always check club for any changes

*BC-Lawn Bowls

M, W, F & Su 8:45am, 1:45pm.

*FW-Lawn Bowls

Moved to MV

Tu, Th, Sa 9:15am & 1:45pm

LV-Lawn Bowls Tu, Th, Sa 8:45am & 1:45pm

LV-SC Lawn Bowls (USLBA)

M 12:45pm

MV-Lawn Bowls

Tu, Th, Sa 9:15am & 1:45pm.

OM-Lawn Bowls

M, W, F 9:15am. M, W, F, Su 1:45pm.

LV-Mini-Golf

2nd Tu 10-11am. SH#1

*MC-Pickleball

M, W, F 1-3pm. Night play M-Th 5:30-8pm. Ladder Tu 2pm. W 1pm. Lessons by Judy Luna

MV-Pickleball

M, Tu, W, & F 8-10am

*BC-Racquetball

M, W, F 6-9am, 1-3pm. Tu & Th 10am-noon, 5-7pm. Sa 7-9am, 11am-2pm.

SB-Senior Softball

Daily 7:30am-noon except Wed **BC-Bell Shuffleboard**

M, Tu & F 1-4pm.

*BC-Sundial Shuffleboard

W 1-3pm. Th 1-3pm & 7-9pm.

LV-Outdoor Shuffleboard

M, W, F 1-4pm

BC-Master Swimmers

M-F 7-9am.

LV-Synchronized Swim

M, W, F 8-10am.

SD-Swim Lessons

W 8-10am

*BC-Table Tennis

M, W, F 12:30-3pm. Tu & Sa 10am-noon. Su 1-3pm.

Singles Round Robin Tu 7pm.

Doubles Round Robin Th. 7pm.

BC-Tennis

W 6:30-8:30pm

OTHER CLUBS

FW-Best Friends Dog

3rd Tu 8-11:30am

Training area: M 8am-3:30pm. W, Th, Sa 8am-noon.

OM-Garden

Office: 623-875-5921 M, W, F 9am-noon

SD-Garden

1st Tu 8-11am

FW-Handi-Capables

1st M noon-4pm

SD-Mineral Museum

M-W & F 10am-3pm. Sa 10am-1pm.

FW-Model Railroad

Membership mtg. in club room M 10-11am.

FW-Model Railroad Museum

M-F 1-3:30pm. Sa 10am-noon.

FW-Rockhounds

General mtg 4/7 7pm AZ Room 1 & 2

*FW-Rose & Garden

2nd M 7pm

*MC-Stamp Collecting

1st M 6-9pm Auction

SD-RV

Caravan 5th F 9am; Potluck 4th Tu 6pm.

RCSC Monitored Activities

BILLIARDS

Bell Lanes

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

Fairway

M-Sa 8am-9pm

Lakeview Lanes

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

BINGO

Sundial

Th doors open 5pm. Bingo starts at 6:30pm.

BOATING/FISHING

Lakeview

Boating: Daily 7am-6:30pm Fishing: Daily 6am-sunset

BOCCE

Marinette

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

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-Ša 7:30am-7pm; Su 7:30am-2pm

Golf Course Snack Shops

Daily 6am-3pm

FITNESS CENTERS

Bell (only open to 18+)

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

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

Marinette

M-Sa 6am-7pm; Su 8am-6pm **Mountain View**

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

Oakmont

M-Sa 6am-7pm; Su 8am-5pm Sundial (only open to 18+) M-Sa 6am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

RACQUETBALL

*Bell

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

HORSESHOES

Marinette

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-6pm **Mountain View**

Daily 8am-8pm

JOGGING/WALKING

Marinette (Outdoor)

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

Sun Bowl

Dawn to dusk

Sundial (Indoor) Daily 6-8am

LIBRARY

Bell

M 9am-7pm; Tu-Sa 9am-5pm. 602-652-3000

Fairway

M-F 9am-4pm. 602-652-3000.

MINI-GOLF

*Bell

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

Lakeview

Daily 7am-7pm

Marinette

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

Mountain View

Daily 8am-8pm

Sundial

Daily 6am-9pm

PICKLEBALL

Marinette

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

Mountain View

SHUFFLEBOARD

M-Sa 7:30am 'til dark; Su 8am 'til dark

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

Lakeview

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

M-Sa 8am-7pm; Su 8am-6pm **Mountain View**

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

Oakmont

Daily 10am-5:30pm

Sundial (only open to those 18+) M-Sa 6am-9pm, Su 8am-8pm

SWIMMING POOLS

Bell Large Pool (only open to 18+)

M-F 6-7am & 9am-9pm; Sa 6am-9pm;

Su 8am-8pm **Bell Walking Pool (***only open to over 18*)

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

Lakeview M, W, F 6-8am, 10am-7pm.

Tu, Th, Sa 6am-7pm. Su 8am-7pm.

Marinette

M-Sa 8am-7pm. Su 8am-6pm. **Mountain View**

M, Th 8-9am, 10am-8pm. Tu, W, F Sa, Su 8am-8pm.

Oakmont Daily 10am-5:30pm

Sundial Large Pool (only open to 18+) M & F 6-8am, 10am-5pm, 7-9pm; Tu & Th 6-8am, 10am-9pm; W & Sa 6am-9pm; Su

Sundial Exercise Pool (only open to 18+) M 6-10am, noon-4pm, 5-9pm; Tu 6-10am, 7-9pm; W & Sa 6am-9pm; Th 6-10am, 5-9pm; F 6-10am, noon-4pm, 7-9pm; Su 8am-8pm

CHILDREN'S SWIM (AGES 4-15)

Lakeview

Daily 4pm-close

Marinette

Daily noon-3pm

Mountain View

Daily 11am-1pm Oakmont

Daily 1-4pm

TABLE TENNIS

Bell

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

TENNIS

Bell

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

Call 623-977-3325 Lakeview

Daily 7am-7pm Call 623-561-4676 Marinette

M-Sa 6am-7pm, Su 8am-6pm Call 623-876-3054

Call 623-876-3042

Mountain View M-Sa 7:30am 'til dark Su 8am 'til dark

ARMCHAIR PHOTO EXPLORERS

*FW Wednesdays, 7pm April 6 Australia in depth

April 13 Oaxaca April 20 Israel

April 27 Iberia #1

VIDEO TRAVEL *FW Fridays, 7pm

April 1 California April 8 In the Company of Whales

April 15 Yosemite April 22 Canada April 29 Washington DC

8am-8pm



Library news: Book sale success and book signings

No April Fools jokes and hopefully only a few gentle April showers. This is one of the best months in Arizona. Warm, but not hot. Sunny, but still a sky full of fluffy white clouds. What could be better? For the snowbirds it is perhaps their farewell month. For the rest of us it is that time when parking lots have more empty spaces and roads have fewer cars. So settle in and enjoy April.

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The Friends of the Sun City Library had a really good year. Our annual report for 2010 included the following (not a complete list, but will save some for next month):

- 1. Bought furnishings, technology, shelving and books for the Fairway Branch Library opening by using \$200,000 of the Alice Ruth Underwood estate funds.
- 2. Made \$28,457 in the bookstore, selling books generously donated by

Sun City residents.

- 3. Initiated a community outreach program of volunteers delivering books to housebound Sun City residents.
- 4. Received over \$568,000 in estate bequests.
- 5. Secured a new post office box address: PO Box 2000 Sun City, Ariz. 84372
- 6. Continued a publicity program through a monthly SunViews column, Independent advertisements, meeting notices, special event posters, organizational signage, book and sale flyers and other marketing opportunities.
- 7. Continued membership activities through a Grand Opening Party for Fairway Library, Bell Library's first anniversary with Maricopa County, Christmas Volunteer luncheon, new volunteer and Board Member badges and an updated membership roster.
 - 8. Cooperated with the Bell and

Fairway Library managers through a summer reading program for children and adults, a Veterans Day program, other special activities and subscriptions to financial publications for library patrons at both libraries.

None of these great things could have been accomplished without the support of the bookstore and community outreach volunteers; the donations of books, magazines, puzzles and the generous bequests of Sun City residents. THANK YOU ALL!

Present

The April meeting of the Friends will be on Thursday, April 14 at 9:30am in the Program Room of the Bell branch of the library. Please attend and participate.

Carolyn O'Bagy Davis, author of "Hopi Summer" will be at the Bell library at 1pm Monday, April 18 to discuss her book and answer questions. "Hopi Summer" is the One

Book Arizona selection for 2011. It will be promoted and read all over the state.

The next book sale special will be the week of April 4. A fantastic offering of paperback books will be going on every day of that week. Come and stock up for summer. You won't see a sale like this anywhere else.

Our annual Volunteer Appreciation Dinner will be on April 20 at Sun City Country Club. Look for more information in both libraries of in the mail.

Future

Summer is just around the corner and some of our volunteers will be leaving for a few weeks or a few months. If you can be a substitute volunteer during that time, please come in to the book store and sign up. You will enjoy working there and meeting all the people who come in for books. Training is minimal. You can do it. It is so nice feel needed.



Need a helping hand with meals?



SUN CITY Meals On Wheels

- Seven days a week, 365 days a year
- Special diets with RX
- Two nutritious meals a day
- Delivered by friendly volunteers
- Low daily price \$7.50 for both meals
- Service for as long as you need it

For more information call Monday - Friday • 9:30 am - 1:00 pm

623-974-9430

Sun City Meals On Wheels, Inc. - a not for profit 501(c)3 organization



Mojoe's Restaurant APRIL SPECIALS

623-876-3057 - Mon-Sat 7:30am-7pm Sun 7:30am-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 and Deep Fried Butterfly Shrimp w/potato		
		and vegetable	\$9.99	
Tuesday		Deep Fried Beer-Battered Cod or Grilled Cod w/potat	o and	
Chicken Chimichanga w/rice and beans	\$5.99	coleslaw	\$8.25	
Taco Dinner w/rice and beans	\$5.99			
		<u>Saturday</u>		
Wednesday		Open-Faced Turkey w/ mashed potatoes	\$5.99	
Spaghetti and Meatballs w/garlic toast	\$5.99	Prime Rib w/ potato, vegetable, and dessert	\$11.95	
Beef Stroganoff w/bread	\$5.99	Chicken or Shrimp Alfredo and garlic bread	\$7.99	
Thursday		Sunday		
Meatloaf w/ potato and vegetable	\$5.99	Deep Fried Beer-Battered Cod or Grilled Cod w/fries	\$5.99	
Chicken or Shrimp Alfredo and garlic bread	\$7.99			
		Sales tax not included		

\$4.99 Lunch Menu Available Every Day!

Daily Special
\$4.99 breakfast
includes eggs, toast, potato and meat

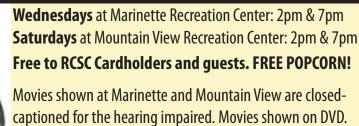


Sun City's Best Fish Fry! Fridays 11am-8pm

All You Can Eat Hand-Battered Cod!

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MOVIE DATES



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 - April 13, 20 Mountain View - April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

PRESIDENT: Energy Conservation

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heat or totally heat the swimming pool water.

• Pool covers are being installed on most RCSC pools to save on water heating when pools are not in use.

Electrical Savings

- New set-back thermostats installed on heating/cooling equipment (HVAC). Most of these are the new APS set-back thermostats which not only save energy but also provide the RCSC with an annual program participation rebate.
- As air conditioning / heating equipment is being replaced it is being done with energy efficient units which have a power savings of about 20% per operational hour per unit.
- Lighting in all facilities is being evaluated and retrofitted with energy efficient lamps and electronic ballasts. In some cases LED light fixtures have been installed to further save energy and extend lamp life expectancy. The RCSC is also looking into sport activity

area and parking lot lighting in order to further save energy while still providing sufficient light for those areas.

• Room lighting motion sensors are also being deployed where applicable.

Although this is not an all inclusive list of everything done at RCSC to conserve energy and resources, you can see that constant and continual action is being taken by our Management Team to make the facilities at RCSC as efficient as possible. And in these efforts to conserve, we would ask that RCSC Cardholders participate by not letting showers or faucets run when water is not in use, turning off lights and/or equipment when not in use, and keep doors shut so that temperature controlled areas are exposed to the exterior temperature as little as possible. We appreciate your cooperation and partnership in our efforts to conserve energy and resources, which in the end saves us all money.