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Fitness Centers – open 6 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Community Centers – open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Golf – 8 a.m. starting times at all courses; all golf shops will close at 1 p.m.

Tavern at the Falls and The Summit – open 6 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25 (CHRISTMAS)

Administration Offices Closed

Desert Vista Fitness Center – open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; all other fitness centers will be closed.

Community Centers – closed.

Golf – All golf shops closed.

Tavern at the Falls and The Summit – closed.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31 (NEW YEAR'S EVE)

Fitness Centers – open 6 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Mountain Shadows Community Center – open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Desert Vista and Pinnacle Community Centers – open 8 a.m. to 12:30 am

Golf – normal operating hours

Tavern at the Falls – open 6:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The Summit – closed for a New Year's Eve event.

MONDAY, JANUARY 1 (NEW YEAR'S DAY)

Administration Offices Closed

Fitness Centers – open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Community Centers – closed.

Golf – normal operating hours.

Tavern at the Falls – open 6 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

The Summit – open 6 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

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DIRECTOR From the Executive Director

I have had the opportunity to attend more than 20 events and meetings as of November 15, and I have to say there is so much going on here every day that there is really something for everyone. There is no need to go anywhere else for fun, food, exercise or entertainment.

New Year's Eve is quickly approaching and two great parties will be hosted here, so check out Page 10. Tickets will go quick, so get yours soon.

I had the privilege of attending the Security Patrol award night, as well as the Neighborhood Watch get-together. SCSCAI is a safe community because of the residents who volunteer for Security Patrol and Neighborhood Watch. Maybe you do not have the time or ability to give to Security, but you certainly can make a difference by participating in Neighborhood Watch. Check out the article on Page 18 to see how you can become involved.

The Summit offers evening entertainment and food on Monday, Tuesday and Friday nights and the Starbright Theatre has numerous holiday and tribute performances in December and January for you and your guests. Check out pages 38-40 for more information.

I had the opportunity to meet Las Vegas City Councilman Stavros Anthony at the Security Patrol awards banquet and again at the Veterans Day salute during the Residents' Forum. SCSCAI is very dear to Councilman Anthony, and once again he will be sponsoring a Household Items and Hazardous Waste Collection on Saturday, December 9. Read all about it on page 29.

I attend several meetings a week and most of them are at Desert Vista. I am always in awe as I walk by the Model Builders room. The trains will be running during an Open House of the Model Builders Club, December 21-23. What a great opportunity to take your visiting guests, especially those grandchildren to the wonderland of model planes and trains, boats, doll houses and so much more. See page 30 for more information.

The Annual Holiday Party at the Residents' Forum is on December 13. What a great event this will be, and it is open to all. Come celebrate with fellow residents. The entry fee is a gift for a child or a non-perishable food item. See Page 31 for more details about this wonderful and fun event. I hope to see you there, and if we have not yet met I look forward to meeting you.

Important Bylaw Vote: You will receive a separate packet in the mail containing the Bylaw postcard ballot and the proposed Bylaw Amendments. Please watch your mail, follow the instructions, cast your ballot and return per the directions. See Page 8 for more information regarding the Bylaw vote.



Mitzi Mills
SCSCAI
Executive
Director

Updates and Memos from Mitzi: Many of you have asked how you get on the mailing list to receive my informative emails and updates. See Page 6 for instructions on how to subscribe.

In closing, I want to say Happy Hanukkah, Merry Christmas and Happy Kwanza. Whatever your belief, may you have happiness and family around you as you celebrate the things that bring meaning and joy to your life.

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Mission

The Link is the official notification of Sun City Summerlin Community Association, Inc. The primary mission of the magazine is to provide residents with information on official Association business. In addition, the Link provides unbiased communications to residents on community news, events and services. The Association provides this publication for informational purposes only and neither endorses nor promotes any of the products or services advertised herein and assumes no responsibility or liability for the statements made in this publication. We reserve the right to edit, condense and verify all articles.

Classified Advertisements

January deadline is Friday, December 1. Advertise your items for sale at \$2 per line based on the required Classified Advertisement Form. This service is restricted to residents only and if space is available. Purchase ads at the link Office, located at Mountain Shadows Community Center, behind the fitness center overlooking the tennis courts. SCSCAI card required at purchase. No business advertisements. Classified Ads will also appear online at www.suncitylink.com.

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link Layout: Jeff Young Design. SCSCAI's Maintenance Department, from left, Toby Gonzalez, custodian supervisor; Lacey Schatz, administrative assistant; Dennis McGrew, building maintenance manager; and Brandon Balek, maintenance supervisor keep Sun City Summerlin running smoothly. Photo by DJ Minella/Link.



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Social Monitor Station, Mon.-Sat., 8 a.m.-10 p.m., Sun., 8 a.m.-9 p.m.	966-1410
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Community Standards, Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	966-1411
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Link Magazine, Mon.-Fri., 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m	966-1436
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Fitness Monitor Station, Mon.--Sun. 6 a.m.-10 p.m	363-1278
Fitness Manager, Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	363-1486

Pinnacle Community Center, 2215 Thomas Ryan Blvd.

Social Monitor Station, Mon.-Sun., 8 a.m.-8 p.m.	240-1301
Fitness Monitor Station, Mon.-Sun., 6 a.m.-9 p.m.	240-1326

Sun Shadows Community Center, 8700 Del Webb Blvd.

Fitness Monitor Station, Mon.-Sun., 6 a.m.-9 p.m.	363-1719
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Highland Falls, 10201 Sun City Blvd., Mon.-Sun., Closes 6 p.m.	254-7010
Palm Valley, 9201 Del Webb Blvd., Mon.-Sun., Closes 6 p.m.	363-4373
Eagle Crest, 2203 Thomas Ryan Blvd., Mon.-Sun., Closes 6 p.m.	240-1320
Golf Course/Landscape Maint., Mon.-Fri., 6 a.m.-3 p.m.	363-7655

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Five Star Tavern at Palm Valley G.C., Daily, 24/7.	363-5330
Tavern at the Falls, Highland Falls, Sun-Tues 6 a.m.-7 p.m.; Wed-Sat 6 a.m.-8 p.m.	254-1581
Summit Snack Bar at Eagle Crest G.C., Daily, 6 a.m.- 6 p.m.	240-1313

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PRESIDENT President's Message



Joe O'Connell,
President, SCSCAI
Board of Directors

With the addition of our new ED, my job got a lot easier. Most of my email has been merely forwarded to her for action. She is very efficient and thorough. All of the feedback from residents has been very positive.

December is a slow month for our commu-

nity. I hope you all have happy holidays and enjoy your families. The next year should be a good one for us in SCS. The Tavern at the Falls should be completed, and no further major constructions are planned. Enjoy your community.

Joe O'Connell
President

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HOW TO VOTE SCSCAI Bylaw Election Voting Information



This Bylaw vote is in four parts on the ballot:

- ♦ Ballot item #1 is a “Basket” vote covering changes to 13 sections of the Bylaws.
- ♦ Ballot item #2 concerns changes to Bylaw 5.3 changing the Director Term of Office from 2 to 3 years.
- ♦ Ballot item #3 concerns changes to Bylaw 5.10 adding sections (c), (d) and (e) for filling Vacancies on the Board of Directors.
- ♦ Ballot item #4 concerns changes to Bylaw 6.3 (a) allowing the Board to increase the Term of Contracts to more than one year.

The postcard Bylaw ballot, along with a red-lined copy of the proposed Bylaws and the proposed changes to Sections 5.3, 5.10 and 6.3, as well as any Pro & Con Statements that were submitted, will be delivered to your mailbox in a separate mailing. Please be sure to check your mailbox for the package. If you do not receive it, you may pick up a copy of the inserts and ballot at the Administration Office at Mountain Shadows.

For the proposed changes to the Association’s Bylaws to be adopted, a quorum of 400 households have to vote, with the majority of the 400 voting for the change. As this vote does not require a secret ballot, a post card format is being used.

Each member household will receive one ballot. Before requesting a replacement ballot, be certain that another member of the household has not voted. Should two ballots be received from the same home, both will be voided.

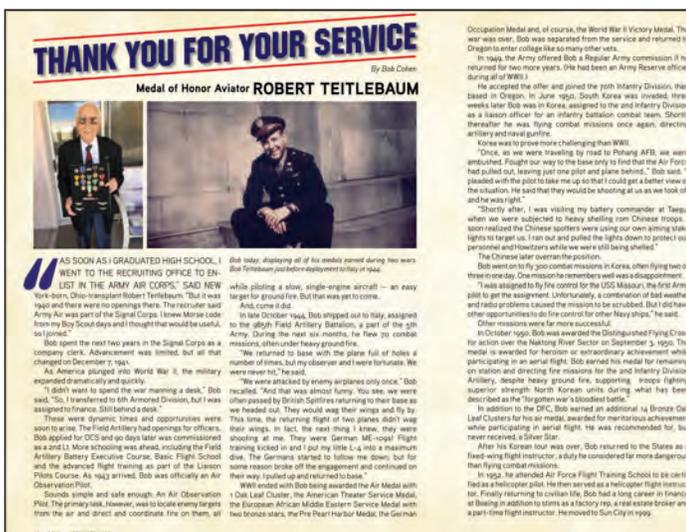
There will be no ‘official’ voting day. Simply mark your choices in the boxes indicated on the back of the ballot and either drop it in the US mail or deposit it in the ballot box located in the Mountain Shadows Administration Office. Ballots MUST be received no later than 5 p.m. Friday, December 29, 2017 to be counted.

If you make a mistake marking your ballot, do not correct it; exchange the old ballot for a new one at the Administration Office. If you have questions about how to properly fill out your ballot or you need a replacement ballot, please call the SCSCAI Administrative office at 702-966-1401.

The ballots will be validated and counted by the Election Committee starting at 8 a.m. on January 3, 2018, in the Mountain Shadows Administration office area. This will be an official association meeting open to all residents convened for the sole purpose of determining the results of the Bylaw vote. This activity will be done in full and open view to any who want to witness it.

The results will be announced to the membership by the Association Secretary.

A clean copy of the approved Bylaws will be provided to homeowners early next year.



CLARIFICATION:

The November “Thank You for Your Service” article on Sun City resident Robert Teitlebaum featured the headline “Medal of Honor Aviator.” Mr. Teitlebaum did not receive the Medal of Honor for his military service. The headline used the word honor as a way to collectively describe Mr. Teitlebaum’s achievements as an aviator who had received many honors during his service to the United States; it did not mean to state that Mr. Teitlebaum was presented with the Medal of Honor.

The Link corrects mistakes. If you find an error in a story you read in the Link or on the magazine’s website, let us know and we will publish a clarification/correction. Contact Jeannette Carrillo, Link managing editor, at jeannettec@suncitylv.com or 702-966-1436.



A MINUTE WITH MYRON

I'm sure many of you, my friends in Summerlin, can relate that when I'm planning an evening out I like to have choices. Since we opened our doors over five

years ago, this very idea has driven our programming at **Myron's Cabaret Jazz** at The Smith Center. Each year, our team works hard to explore new and amazing artists from around the world to bring to this intimate, 240-seat club. A different artist lights up our stage nearly every weekend, spanning a wide range of styles. Regardless of your musical preference, I guarantee you will find something you love.

To help you choose from this variety of performers, we have curated six lists of upcoming artists for every taste. You can explore these at your leisure on our website, TheSmithCenter.com.

Just to give you an idea, our **Broadway Up Close** lineup offers an intimate evening with stars fresh from the Broadway stage. **Jazz Vibes** presents musicians who get

into the swing of real jazz, while **Pop and More** serves up impressive performers who make chart-topping hits their own.

Our **Something New** list includes groundbreaking artists pushing the boundaries of style and sound. You can enjoy talented Las Vegas artists with **Vegas Favorites**, and explore music from across the globe with **World Rhythms**.

Upcoming Jazz Vibes performers include Steve Smith, the former drummer from Journey, with his jazz fusion band Vital Information NYC Edition. Under Something New, enjoy Time for Three, a trio of young string musicians who have taken classical sounds and given them a pop twist. They were recently featured on "Dancing with the Stars."

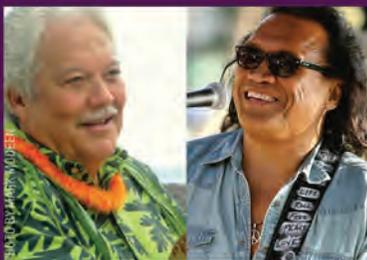
I hope you enjoy discovering the many sounds at The Smith Center.

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Sunday, December 31, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

Desert Vista Ballroom • \$55 per person

Grab the bubbly, pop the corks and enjoy a spectacular evening ringing in the 2018 New Year with the sounds of Boyd Coulter & The Good Times Band. Join us in the Desert Vista Ballroom for an elegant evening of dancing, food and fun. Enjoy a buffet-style dinner, delicious desserts and a champagne toast to welcome in the New Year. A cash bar will be available all evening. Seating is first come, first served.

Menu:

- Fresh green salad, hot rolls and butter
- Red potatoes in a Boursin sauce
- Seasonal vegetables
- Carving station, featuring
beef tenderloin with a Cabernet sauce,
Marsala chicken
- Mini pastries: Cannolis, brownies,
cheesecake bites, cream puffs



ROCKIN' NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY WITH THE EXPERIMENT

Sunday, December 31, 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m.

The Summit • \$60 per person

Come and ring in 2018 at The Summit with the sounds of Las Vegas' own high energy, six-piece band The Experiment, playing your favorite pop, disco, 70s and 80s classic rock, Motown, soul and country dance music. The view of the Las Vegas Strip's fireworks from the patio is spectacular! Come and enjoy tempting hors d'oeuvres, delectable desserts and a champagne toast at midnight. A cash bar will be available. Memorialize the evening in the free photo booth from 9:30 - 11:30 p.m. Space is limited to 80 guests, so get your tickets early. Seating is first come, first served.



PRIMM SHOPPING DAY

Thursday, December 7

Bus departs Pinnacle at 9 a.m.; returns at approx. 3:30 p.m.

\$30 includes transportation only

Bus will pick up at Primm Valley Resort Outlets every hour to make drop-offs at Buffalo Bill's and Whiskey Pete's per this schedule:

Itinerary

- 9 a.m. Depart Sun City
- 10 a.m. Drop off at Outlets
- 10:15 a.m. Drop off at Buffalo Bill's
- 10:30 a.m. Drop off at Whiskey Pete's
- 11 a.m. Pick up at Outlets
- 11:15 a.m. Drop off/pick up at Buffalo Bill's
- 11:30 a.m. Drop off/pick up at Whiskey Pete's; drop at Outlets
- 12 noon Pick up at Outlets
- 12:15 p.m. Drop off/pick up at Buffalo Bill's
- 12:30 p.m. Drop off/pick up at Whiskey Pete's; drop at Outlets
- 1 p.m. Pick up at Outlets
- 1:15 p.m. Drop off/pick up at Buffalo Bill's
- 1:30 p.m. Drop off/pick up at Whiskey Pete's; drop at Outlets
- 2 p.m. Final pick up at Outlets
- 2:15 p.m. Final pick up at Buffalo Bill's
- 2:30 p.m. Final pick up at Whiskey Pete's



LION HABITAT RANCH

Monday, December 11

Bus departs Pinnacle at 10:30 a.m.; returns at approx. 2 p.m.

\$40 incl. transportation and 2-½-hour self-guided walking tour

The Lion Habitat Ranch is a truly unique experience! The home of the original MGM lions, the Lion Ranch is owned by cat enthusiast Keith Evans, who brought his lions to the hotel for 15 years. Now, they all live in one place, in their very own 8.5-acre ranch where they can romp, play and groom each other in their pack of 40. Visitors can see the beautiful animals roaming free with their cubs and learn everything they need to know about lions through fascinating exhibitions. Visitors also can meet Ozzie the painting giraffe!



PALM SPRINGS GETAWAY

Wednesday, January 17 to Thursday, January 18

Bus departs Pinnacle at 7:30 a.m. on January 17; returns at approximately 4 p.m. on January 18

\$230 per person double occupancy

\$305 per person single occupancy

Includes transportation, chaperone, aerial tram ride, dinner, breakfast and entry to Sunnylands Center & Gardens.

Minimum 35 guests. **Ticket purchase deadline: January 3**

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Day 1 – Wednesday

- 7:30 a.m. Depart Las Vegas for Palm Springs, with a brief breakfast/stretch in Barstow, Calif. **(on your own)**
- 12:30 p.m. Arrive in downtown Palm Springs for shopping and lunch **(on your own)**
- 4:30 p.m. Depart downtown for the Palm Springs Aerial Tramway Ride on the Palm Springs Aerial Tram; dinner at the Pines Café **(included)**
- 5 p.m.
- 7:30 p.m. Depart Palms Springs Aerial Tramway for hotel; check in and rest
- Hotel:** Best Western Plus, Hilton Garden Inn or similar



- Day 2 – Thursday**
 - 8 a.m. Breakfast at hotel **(included)**
 - 9 a.m. Depart hotel for Sunnylands; self-guided tour of Sunnylands Center & Gardens **(included)**
 - 10:30 a.m. Depart Palm Springs for Las Vegas with lunch break in Barstow, Calif. **(on your own)**
 - 4 p.m. Arrive Las Vegas
- (Note: All times are approximate and subject to change.)*

HAPPENINGS RSVP For Special Events

DANCE, DANCE, DANCE!

Saturday, January 20. 7 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Bus departs Pinnacle at 8:30 a.m.; returns at approx. 6:30 p.m.

\$5 per person • Desert Vista Ballroom

Put on your dancing shoes and join us for the happiest social dance party! The Gateway Arts Foundation brings you acclaimed National Dance Teachers of America-certified instructor Billy Neikirk. Billy is a 1st place Dance Olympics winner and advanced Arthur Murray and Fred Astaire studios teacher. You will love the energy and fun Billy brings to the dance floor. Dance demonstrations by a professional dance team and just pure fun are in store with the very best in big band, ballroom, swing, Latin and perfect tempos for a great fun-filled dance party. Our special guest is the fabulous Las Vegas favorite Victor Moea, singing his way into your hearts. Mark your calendars and see you there!



GOLDEN NUGGET LAUGHLIN

Tuesday, January 30

Bus departs Pinnacle at 8:30 a.m.; returns at approx. 6:30 p.m.

\$15 per person

Get away for a nice relaxing day at the Golden Nugget by the Colorado River. Enjoy a leisurely day of gambling and shopping as you sit back and relax while we do the driving. Trip includes transportation and a \$5 food voucher, which may be used in The Deli, Claim Jumper or Bubba Gump's Shrimp. You must sign up for a Players' Card in order to receive the food voucher.



Transportation to all events is provided. All bus trips depart from the Pinnacle parking lot, east of the softball field, near the posted signs. Unless otherwise specified, driver gratuity is not included in the ticket price. Tickets may be purchased at Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle community centers; cash or checks only. No credit cards. Tickets are non-refundable.

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MAINTAINING SUN CITY

Facilities Crew Keeps Community Running Smoothly

By Jeannette Carrillo

The responsibility of maintaining a community as large as Sun City Summerlin is serious business. With four community centers, three fully equipped fitness centers, five swimming pools and spas, six parking lots, outdoor lighting, common walls, HVAC systems, daily upkeep and more, SCSCAI's Maintenance Department employees cover nearly a 24-hour clock.

Technically, the department is divided into two groups – facilities maintenance and custodial. In all, 34 employees report to SCSCAI building maintenance manager Dennis McGrew, who has been a part of Sun City's family for 22 years. From Dennis, the organizational chart flows to Custodian Supervisor Toby Gonzalez, who marks 12 years working for Sun City and Maintenance Supervisor Brandon Balek, who has eight years with the company. After that, there's Lacy Schatz, the department's administrative assistant, who keeps it all organized.

Like many of the residents the Link reports on who have seen the community grow, so, too, has Dennis. Albeit, from a different perspective. Topping out at a little over \$2 million a year, the Maintenance Department budget gives Dennis some room to work with to ensure Sun City stays current and on trend.

"Our community was the first to have salt water pools in the valley," said Dennis, describing some of the projects he's overseen. One of the biggest was completed not too long ago that included switching out the community's outdoor lighting to LED technology. Dennis reports that the upgrade has been quick to show a savings on SCSCAI's overall utility bill.

While residents may not see many of the Maintenance Department's crew members at work, they can rest

assured that staff carries appropriate licenses and certifications that ensure they are experts in their field. Some of that paperwork includes pool and welding licenses, HVAC education, painting experience, and even sound and lighting expertise that goes into supporting the equipment at the Starbright Theatre.

In the coming months, the Maintenance Department will be busy remodeling the Human Resources office that moved into the former Link office space, resurfacing the pool deck at the Pinnacle Fitness Center and replacing the monitor stations at the Pinnacle and Mountain Shadows fitness centers.

 *THE LIGHTS HAVE BEEN A TRADITION IN SUN CITY FOR 25 YEARS THAT I KNOW OF. THEY USED TO ONLY BE AT MOUNTAIN SHADOWS AND SUN SHADOWS. NOW THEY'RE EVERYWHERE.*
~ DENNIS MCGREW, BUILDING MAINTENANCE MANAGER

But in December, it's all about the holidays, and making the community beam with festivity is an added job that falls to the Maintenance Department.

"We enjoy putting up the lights just as much as we do the boulevard flags," said Dennis. "Everyone pitches in from custodians to maintenance – Mike, Toby, Brandon, Greg, Chris, Fred, J.C. and others. The lights have been a tradition in Sun City for 25 years that I know of. They used to only be at Mountain Shadows and Sun Shadows. Now they're everywhere. The guys really enjoy putting them up; it's just testing the bulbs that's no fun."

"I love the lights," said Supervisor Toby Gonzalez. "All around the outside buildings and trees get lights, and residents always tell us how much they love to see the colors."



SCSCAI Maintenance Department staff: From top, left to right, Elmer Aukerman, Pedro Benitez, Jeff Doble, Joseph Cimperman, Chris Cole, Raul Dominguez, Stephanie Gallegos, Michael Garcia, Eriberto Garrido, Anthony Ladd, Bryan Lindamood, Dale Meeker, Eva O'Campo, Brian Orellana, Melvin Orellana, Yesenia Patino, Allan Phillips, Greg Rugh, Dennis Sacco, Antonio Scarrone, Fred Scarrone, Jacob Spina, Mike Stringfield, Tony Urrutia, Dawn Vincent, Leslie Walker and Vanessa Young. Not pictured: John Eden, Yanira Benitez, James Huisenga, Kimberly Meece.

Committee Researching Solar Benefits, Costs

The Committee will meet on Tuesday, December 12, 9 a.m., in the Committee Room at Desert Vista



Ken Caroccia,
Chairman, Common Area Properties

For those interested in what's happening in the Common Area Properties (CAP) meetings but are unable to attend, here is a summary:

Residents' Comments: Jim Embry attended the meeting in order to notify the Committee that people are walking through the rocks at Mountain Shadows.

Stan Popek, Solar Star employee, presented a proposal for solar panels on community buildings, and a discussion followed. The Committee still needs further information from Solar Star before making a decision. The Committee wants to know, in detail, about tax credit benefits and cost.

Staff Updates: Kristie McWhorter, SCSCAI fitness manager, reported that the spin machine is on order and the three arm bikes will be replaced. During winter, pool furniture will be reslung with new fabric.

Brandon Balak, building maintenance supervisor, reported that the Administrative offices at Mountain Shadows are completed. The mini-golf course will have lights installed and the carpet will be patched. In the next fiscal year, the carpet will be included in the budget for replacement. LED light installation at Mountain Shadows is complete. The Highland Falls patio enclosure is finished. The Security Patrol office was reconfigured and new flooring was installed. Exterior walls throughout the community are being repaired and re-painted.

Donny Long, golf course general manager, reported that all courses have been reopened after over-seed. Palm Valley and Highland Falls pro shops were updated and remodeled with a new slat wall, lights and fixtures. The Tuff shed for the golf carts was approved, and Donny reported he is moving forward on installation, which will be done by December 1.

Brian Bagwell, golf course maintenance general manager, reported that the Highland Falls Golf Course is open to cart path only due to over-seeding. It is expected to open for all play by the end of December. The bunker project at



Lights are expected to be added to the mini golf course at Mountain Shadows so residents and their families can enjoy nighttime golf. Photo by Jeannette Carrillo/Link

Eagle Crest is done and came in under budget. Turf removal begins now at Palm Valley.

Louis Darling, landscape manager, reported that the date palm trees are being trimmed throughout the community. Seasonal flowers will be exchanged with fall season flowers. The current back hoe needs to be replaced and was budgeted for, as well as the carts and a truck.

Old Business: The fire pit at Desert Vista was voted on and will be concreted in to expand the patio area.

New Business: The Committee discussed providing golf cart parking at Mountain Shadows as carts park in car spaces. Re-stripping spaces at Mountain Shadows is a possibility, and further research is required. A resident requested that automatic shut-offs be installed in the women's showers at the fitness centers. The Committee discussed and weighed the cost vs. labor. One issue was that residents would not be able to change the temperature. The Committee voted no.

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PREPAREDNESS Neighborhood Watch

Holiday Greetings

Making a deliberate choice to give of oneself for the benefit of others is an immensely satisfying resolution. Vol-

unteering is one of the most effective ways to be useful and connected to others. Your happy holidays may be influenced by what others do for you, while a happy new year will depend more on what you do for others.



NW/CPC volunteers meet the third Wednesday of the month at Desert Vista. From left, Pat Glass, Ken Caroccia, Ellen Greenspan, Bruce Spitzer, Barbara Holden (Committee Chairwoman), Erik Braun, Connie Sieber, Ken Johnson, Gerry Sokolski and Bill Holden. Not pictured: BJ Martens. Photo by Erica Mollenkopf.



Barbara Holden
Chairwoman, CPC/
Neighborhood
Watch Committee

The past year's Neighborhood Watch/Community Preparedness (NW/CPC) highpoints:

Communication: NW/CPC reaches nearly 300 residents by monthly emailed news, and SCSCAI's website has been updated with fresh NW/CPC data. Changing informational displays also are posted at two greenbelt kiosks on Sundial Drive.

Community Preparedness equipment was inventoried at Mountain Shadows, the Pinnacle, and in the CERT Room at Fire Station #107. Inventory items were redeployed to SCSCAI as appropriate for future use.

National Night Out was celebrated at participating Sun City Neighborhood Watch groups on October 1. NW/CPC participated at the

Metro (LVMPD): A NW block captain meeting was held with Metro's Northwest Area Command liaison. Kathy Cassell retired after 35 years as the area command's crime specialist. Metro's Randy Klenosky is the new crime specialist. LVMPD Captain Rich Fletcher retired from the NW Area Command and Captain Sasha Larkin has assumed the new lead role.

Growth & Goals: NW increased from 29 to 60 block captains. The goal for 2018 is to reach 100 neighborhood volunteer groups. Fifty-five Sun City streets have NW coverage and a map was created to provide a visual of Neighborhood Watch coverage, as well as to show areas that still need NW volunteers.

NW/CPC committee members Bruce Spitzer and Bill Holden completed Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) with the City of Las Vegas. Bruce and Bill have developed resident-appropriate CERT training for Sun City with scheduled class signups in December.

Neighborhood Watch/Community Preparedness Committee Mission statement:

"To support our community, and to ensure that we all work together to identify threats and improve our local capabilities to prepare for, protect against, respond to and recover from any hazards, including natural, manmade, or terrorist that face our community."

Sun City residents improve their community's welfare by volunteering with the Neighborhood Watch/Community Preparedness Committee. If you admire the concept of neighbors helping neighbors, we would like to meet you.

The NW/CPC will meet Wednesday, December 20, 9 a.m., in Desert Vista's Committee Room. Residents always are welcome; the coffee's hot and our donuts are the best in town.

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TECHNOLOGY

Information Technology

A Few Tips to Help Avoid Hackers, Scammers & More

For this month's IT Committee note, we will go over some of the things you should do or not do to help keep your computer safe from hackers, viruses and scams.

1. Never, never provide your user ID and password in an email in response to an email from some company because of a supposed issue with your account. If you receive such an email, directly log onto that company's website and see

friend. What has happened is that someone, again, got your email address by hacking the computer of one of your friends and is trying to insert a virus into your computer. If you open the attachment, you will have been hacked. In the case of going to a bad website, similar problems will occur. When you send an email to a friend with an attachment or refer them to a website, be sure to insert a personal note so the person knows the email is from you.

3. When you send an email to a lot of people, I recommend you use the blind copy (BC or BCC) option in the message to insert addresses into the message header. Do not use the TO: or CC: options for that many addresses. This is especially appropriate for SCSCAI clubs, where you might be sending notes to many people about club activities. When you send an email with open addresses using to TO: or CC options, everyone receives a list of those emails. The addresses are then stored in your computer, and if a hack occurs, the hacker now has all the email addresses to send bad stuff to. If you want everyone to know all those email addresses, use paper or, as a less preferred option, send the emails in an attachment.

4. If it's too good to be true, it likely is not true. If someone sends you an email saying they need help moving money or for a small stipend they will repay you a bunch of money for the help – for example, "I have money in Nigeria and I need help moving it out of the Country," or "I have a winning lottery ticket but cannot cash it. If you do that for me I will share the proceeds with you. Send me a few \$\$\$ for good faith and I will send you the lottery ticket," etc. Delete the email ASAP. It is a scam.

5. If you get an email asking you to send money via Western Union to help a friend or relative get out of jail or receive medical treatment, do not rush to the Western Union office. Instead, if you think the request might be valid (it probably is not), contact the friend directly to see if it is a real request from them.



IT will meet on Friday, December 22, 1 p.m., Desert Vista



Leo Crawford,
Chairman,
IT Committee

if there is, indeed, a request to change your password; or email the company directly asking for clarification. Most likely, someone got your email address, probably from a hacked computer from someone you know, and if you reply as requested, you could get hacked, too.

2. When you receive an email from supposedly someone you know with either an attachment or referring you to a website, be careful! If the email says something like, "This is really funny" and that is all it says, I suggest you delete the email. There is a good chance the email is not from the



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Use It or Lose It: How to Take Control of Your Brain Health



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What do you want out of the rest of your life? To see your grandchildren grow up? To travel the world? To volunteer? To leave a legacy? We all may have different life goals, but most of them require that we maintain a certain level of health and independence.

We are living a lot longer than we used to. In the year 1900, the average life expectancy was 47 years. Today, it has risen to 79 years. The good news is that we're living longer; the bad news is that our bodies, including our brains, are experiencing more age-related issues due to the natural aging process.

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) reports that Americans fear losing their mental capabilities twice as much as they fear losing their physical abilities.

Why is brain health so important?

The brain controls all organ systems in the body. It determines who we are and how we are. It controls everything we think and do, and how we do it. You may be surprised to discover that only 30 percent of your brain health is determined by genetics and a full 70 percent is determined by lifestyle choices – the decisions you make on a day-to-day basis.

You can take charge of your brain health by making small changes in your everyday life. There are seven key actions you can take that will positively impact your brain health. They are:

- ◆ Get regular physical exercise
- ◆ Consume a balanced diet
- ◆ Challenge your brain with mental activities

- ◆ Be socially active
- ◆ Get quality sleep on a regular basis
- ◆ Manage your stress level
- ◆ Manage your medical health

You can take control of your brain health starting today! Choose one area to focus on. Make a list of things you can do within that area to positively impact your brain health.

Looking for healthy recipes, free classes, exercise programs, brain games or medical information? Whether you prefer to do your research online or at the local library, there is a wealth of information that is readily available, and much of it is free.

Choose one or two things to start doing, stop doing or make a change to what you are currently doing. Make it a habit.

The important thing is that you do something. Make a choice. What will you do?

Once you have incorporated those changes into your daily life, choose another area to focus on. Make it an adventure!

Your brain health can determine the quality of your life. You can improve your brain health and set yourself up for a longer, higher-quality life. Live the life you choose, on your terms!

If you are concerned about your own brain health or just want to make sure that you are living your life in a way that enhances your brain health, consider signing up for the Fitness Department's newest education offering: "Use It or Lose It! Healthy Brain Program."

Keep an eye on the Link for upcoming dates for this course!

MR. GYM ETIQUETTE

Kindness. It costs nothing, yet the return on your investment is so great. That's what all of our gentle gym etiquette reminders really come down to. Be kind to one another in the fitness centers. Respect each other's privacy; practice keeping your items out of the walkways; pick up after yourself; clean the equipment after you use it; and speak to one another with civility.



TENNIS BALL MACHINE

**Thursdays,
1:30 to 4:30 p.m.**

Practice on your own or with a friend with our tennis ball machine. The cost is \$4 per half hour for up to three people. Advance signup is required at the Mountain Shadows Fitness Center.

Seminars and Events

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT SEMINARS

All seminars are held at Desert Vista and require **advance registration with the Social Monitor at the Desert Vista**, Mountain Shadows or Pinnacle community centers **beginning the first of the month**, unless otherwise indicated. **Space is limited.**

Holidays & Mood: Anxiety & Depression

(Part 2 of 2) – Lunch & Learn

Tuesday, December 12, 12 noon

Holiday season can bring stress in many forms – anxiety and depression, too much food and drink, disruption to routine, financial pressures, loneliness and isolation, family tensions, and more. In this presentation, Dr. Pamela Rinato, clinical director of Spring Mountain Treatment

Center, will be here to discuss awareness of anxiety, recognizing risk factors of holiday depression, holiday fatigue and making healthy choices when eating and drinking. Lunch will be provided by Spring Mountain Treatment Center. A ticket is required for entry; a waiting list will be available at the door only.

Your Skin in Winter

Tuesday, December 19, 12 noon

Winter time means drier air and stronger sun. Don't let your skin pay the price for it. Come and hear Dr. Greenberg from Las Vegas Dermatology explain why you need to protect your skin in the winter, as well as in the summer. Learn what steps you can take to prevent skin cancer, detect problems early and address premature aging caused by sun exposure.

EQUIPMENT ORIENTATION CLASSES



Learn how you use the strength and cardio equipment properly and safely in each fitness center. A fitness specialist will demonstrate proper equipment usage and answer your exercise questions. Classes are limited to three participants and are 60 minutes long. **Participants must wear closed-toe, closed-heel shoes.** Advance signup is required with the Fitness Monitor prior to the day of class.

WEEKLY IN DECEMBER

Desert Vista – Wednesdays, 10 a.m.; Thursdays, 4 p.m.

Mountain Shadows – Mondays, 4 p.m.; Thursdays, 10 a.m.

Pinnacle – Mondays, 10 a.m.

BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS

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1st Wednesday, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Mountain Shadows

2nd Tuesday, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Sun Shadows

2nd Wednesday, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Pinnacle

3rd Wednesday, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Desert Vista

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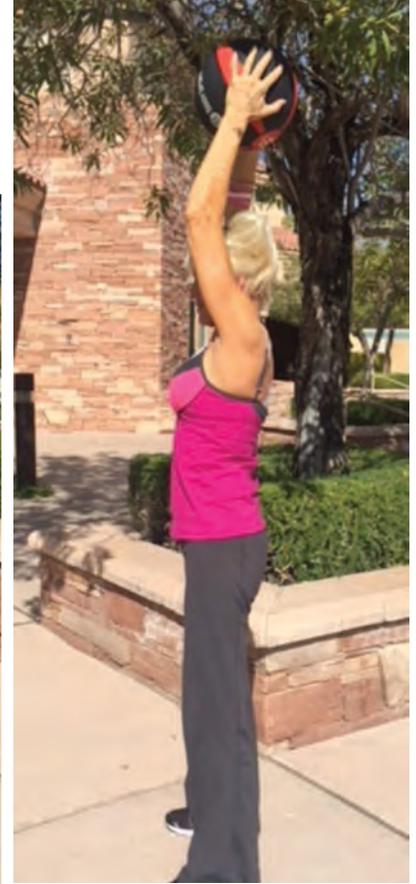
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Charli's Corner

Learning to Work With Medicine Balls



Charli Sue Douglass
SCSCAI Fitness Specialist, CPFT, GFI

Medicine balls can add variety to your workouts. Every workout needs a tune-up now and then, and adding a twist to current exercises is an easy way to add variety. Changing your exercises or the fitness equipment you use is a first, easy step.

Medicine balls are weighted rubber balls small enough to hold in two hands that are a fun fitness toy to use to tone your core and increase your strength, balance and coordination. You can hold medicine balls in your hands, between your knees, toss them to a partner or roll them on the floor. Just remember, they're not slam balls and should not be thrown on hard surfaces. They are located in all three fitness centers on an upright rack.

If you have never used a medicine ball, you will want to start with a lightweight ball (2-4 pounds) to perfect your form before moving up to a heavier one. There is a chart on the wall at each fitness center demonstrating various exercises you can perform with the ball. Here are just a few exercises to get you started.

Squat With Overhead Press. Target muscles/areas: Quadriceps, hamstrings, upper back, core and shoulders.

Stand with your feet a little wider than hip dis-

tance apart. Place the medicine ball at chest level and lower your body into a squat. As you press up and out of your squat, push the ball over your head. Find your balance; lower arms and repeat.

Ab Twist – Standing or Seated. Target muscles: Core (abs and back).

Hold the medicine ball at waist level, bracing the core (pulling your belly button toward your spine). Rotate your upper body slowly to the right, keeping the ball at your waist and hips in place. Return to the starting position then rotate to the left. Small, controlled movements will make the biggest impact.

Pullover. Target muscles: Upper back and shoulders.

Lay on your back on the floor/bench with your feet on the floor or bench. The medicine ball should be in your hands with your arms extended to the ceiling. Slowly lower your arms over and behind your head toward the floor/bench while keeping your arms straight. Pull the medicine ball toward your knees. Repeat.

If you would like more ideas on how to use the medicine balls, ask one of our fitness specialists or sign up for an Equipment Orientation class at your favorite fitness center.

DECEMBER 2017 POOL SCHEDULE



Sun Shadows Pool

Desert Vista Fitness Center

(Indoor and Outdoor Pool & Spa – Salt)

- Hours: Monday – Sunday 6 a.m. – 10 p.m.
 Children: Monday – Sunday 1 – 4 p.m.
(Indoor pool only)
 Aquacize: Monday – Saturday 8 – 8:45 a.m.
 Monday – Saturday 7 – 7:45 p.m.
 Arthritis: Tuesday & Thursday 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
 Swim Club: Mon., Wed., Fri. 9 – 10 a.m.
 Lap Swim: Monday – Sunday 6 – 8 a.m.
 Monday – Sunday 4 – 6 p.m.

(Indoor pool lanes 1-3 reserved for lap swimming and lane 4 reserved for walking during lap swim times)

Outdoor pools and spas CLOSED for the season.

Children must be 42" tall without shoes.

Pinnacle Fitness Center

(Outdoor Pool-Salt, Spa – Chlorine)

- Hours: Monday – Sunday 6 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Pool and spa CLOSED for the season.

Sun Shadows Fitness Center

(Indoor Pool & Spa – Salt)

- Hours: Monday – Sunday 6 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.
 Aquacize: Monday – Saturday 8 – 8:45 a.m.
 Monday – Saturday 10 – 10:45 a.m.
Swim lanes available during Aquacize classes
 Aqua Zumba: Wed. & Friday 11-11:50 a.m.
 Waterobics: Monday – Friday 9 – 9:45 a.m.
 Mon., Wed., Fri. 1 – 1:45 p.m.
 Lap Swim: Monday – Sunday 6 – 8 a.m.
 Monday – Sunday 4 – 6 p.m.

(Lanes 2-4 reserved for lap swimming and lane 1 reserved for walking during lap swim times)

Mountain Shadows Fitness Center

(Outdoor Pool & Indoor Spa – Salt)

- Hours: Monday – Sunday 6 a.m. – 9 p.m.

Outdoor pool CLOSED for the season.

DECEMBER GROUP FITNESS CLASS SCHEDULE

Effective Friday, December 1

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
9 AM	Body Sculpting Doris		Core Strength & Balance Doris		
10 AM	Sit & Be Fit* Doris	Sit & Be Fit* Charli	Sit & Be Fit* Doris	Sit & Be Fit* Kathleen	Sit & Be Fit* Charli
11 AM	Body Sculpting Doris	Int. Body Sculpting Charli	Body Sculpting Doris	Int. Body Sculpting Kathleen	Body Sculpting Charli
5:30 PM		Body Sculpting Pam		Body Sculpting Pam	
6 PM	Core Strength & Balance Pam				

All classes are held at Desert Vista and are subject to change. See www.scscai.com for updates.

- ◆ Please check with your physician before starting an exercise program.
- ◆ Classes are free to residents and guests.
- ◆ Class space is limited due to safety reasons.
- ◆ **Please pick up a numbered ticket from the Fitness Monitor no more than 30 minutes prior to class. Resident must be present. No cards will be held.**
- ◆ **No back-to-back classes.**
- ◆ Classes are 50 minutes long and are closed after 3 minutes.
- ◆ Participants must wear appropriate workout clothing and athletic shoes.
- ◆ Please bring water and a towel to class for your health, safety and comfort.
- ◆ *** Priority is given to participants of limited physical abilities and to those who require a chair for a majority of their activities.**

Body Sculpting: Use dumbbells, bands, tubing, body bars, gliding discs and balls to tone, shape and strengthen the muscles of your upper and lower body. All fitness levels are welcome. **Increase the intensity of your workout with the Intermediate Body Sculpting class!**

Core Strength & Balance: A standing and floor class that will focus on strengthening your core and improving your balance.

*** Sit & Be Fit:** Easy on the joints, this class is gentle yet effective. You will use dumbbells, bands and other fitness toys to develop your muscular strength and flexibility as you move all your joints through an appropriate range of motion **while seated.**

CCOC Chartered Clubs & Community Organizations

Lots of Changes Coming to Club Charters

The CCOC will meet Thursday, December 7, 1 p.m. Desert Vista. All residents are invited to attend.



Barbara Holden
Chairwoman, CPC/
Neighborhood
Watch Committee

At the December Board of Directors' meeting, a number of changes were proffered to change the CCOC procedures manual. These changes were presented at the November Board of Directors meeting for final approval.

Requirements to Start a Club. A motion to change the 50-member requirement to start a new non-craft club to a 25-member requirement was passed. Clubs will then be required to maintain these 25 members as required by the CCOC.

Once-a-Quarter Evening CCOC Meetings. This passed motion would allow for a once/quarter 5:30 p.m. meeting of the CCOC to begin in January 2018. The regular meetings take place at 1 p.m. at Desert Vista.

Club Business Notices. Meeting notifications that require a membership vote, including elections, must be made with a written notice in the

Link 30 days prior to the meeting.

Clubs Can Decide Members' Dues Structure.

A motion to allow a club to make its own determination regarding whether or not to allow a single household family membership in an amount that is less than double the single membership was passed. A club's charter would have to be amended to reflect this change.

Authorized a Club to Have Co-presidents. A motion passed to allow a club to elect co-presidents.

Reducing Quorum Requirements. There was discussion about changing the required number of club membership needed for a vote to a lower percentage. It was decided that more consideration and discussion should take place at the next meeting.

~ By Beth Nappe/Link



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NEWS Community News

Compiled by Jeannette Carrillo/Link



The Link Has Moved

The Link office has moved and is now located in the Mountain Shadows Community Center Administration building – in the space formerly occupied by the library, also referred to as the Exchange Room. The Link's contact information – telephone numbers and emails remain the same, as do the office hours, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.



Coffee With the Board Keep Up With What's Going On in Sun City

Friday, December 15, 10:30 a.m., Desert Vista

Coffee With the Board has become one of Sun City's most attended meetings. Meet

Board members and your neighbors one on one. Questions, answers, opinions and general information is shared on a multitude of community topics. There is no agenda for this casual meeting and Board members cannot officially make decisions on any matters discussed. Sweets are served.



AARP Driver Safety Program at Desert Vista

Tuesday, December 5, 12 noon

Wednesday, December 13, 8:30 a.m.

Wednesday, December 27, 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, January 10, 8:30 a.m.

\$15 AARP members · \$20 non-members by check to AARP

Drop by the Desert Vista monitor station to sign up for this classroom refresher designed for those 50 years old and over. Improve your knowledge of traffic laws, learn to anticipate the actions of other drivers, and identify and correct poor driving habits. Upon completion of the four-hour course taught by an AARP-certified instructor, you will receive a certificate that may qualify you for an insurance premium reduction for up to three years. Max: 30. Signup is available now. Classes are held at the Desert Vista Community Center.

Breakfast at Tavern Available 'til 1 p.m. Every Day

It's good news if you're a late-riser! Tavern at the Falls at the Highland Falls Golf Course now offers its morning menu daily from 6 a.m. to 1 p.m. Now you can enjoy your eggs, pancakes, breakfast burrito and morning toast in the early afternoon.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES DIRECTORY

Mountain View Presbyterian · 341-7800

Pastor David W. Dendy · 8601 Del Webb Blvd.
Sundays, 8:30, & 10:30 a.m.

St. Andrew Lutheran · 255-1990

Rev. Phillip Shuart · 8901 Del Webb Blvd. Sundays,
8:30, 10 a.m. · Sunday School 10 a.m.

S.C. Community Church · 255-PRAY (7729)

8560 Del Webb Blvd. · Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Bible Study Sunday 9:45 a.m., Tuesday 1:30 p.m.

Temple Bet Emet · 240-3719

Rabbi Craig Rosenstein, Janet Seidel. 1st &
3rd Fridays, 7:15 p.m., Mountain Shadows

Temple Bet Knesset Bamidbar

President Steve Commander, 304-1768,
Cantor Dr. Jonathan Friedmann. Rabbi
Emeritus Hershel Brooks 256-9433
2nd & 4th Fridays, 7:30 p.m. at Desert Vista

SERVICE GROUPS

Sun City Summerlin Charities, Open Mon-Fri,
8:30-11 a.m., **254-5831**

Sunshine Service, Open Mon-Sat, 9-11 a.m.
341-9741

SUPPORT GROUPS

Alcoholics Anonymous, St. Andrew Lutheran
Church · Sunday, 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, 1 p.m. (medi-
tation meeting), Thursdays 12 noon and 7:30 p.m.
Call Stan, **809-7475** or Kathy, **339-2207**

Alzheimer's, Desert Vista · First & third Wed-
nesday, 10 a.m. Call Marlene Wilson, **254-6144**

Bereavement/Grief Support

Sun Shadows · 1st Monday, 1 p.m., 3rd Monday,
1:30 p.m. Call Harriet Miller, **471-0203**

Mountain View Presbyterian Church Chapel,
8601 Del Webb Blvd., Tuesdays, 1 p.m., Call
Melody Edwards, **683-5189**

Caregiver Support Group, Desert Vista, 2nd
Monday of the month, 9:30 a.m. Call Faye
Goldstein, **386-9996**



Do You Know? Let the Craft Clubs Help You With Your Holiday Shopping



Do you know many of our Sun City Summerlin craft clubs offer items for sale throughout the year, not just during our craft fairs? It is no secret that many skilled artisans and crafts people are members of these wonderful clubs. Clubs that offer items for sale on a year-round basis include: Art, Ceramics, Krafty Kritters, Quilting, Sawdusters, Sewing, Silver, Lapidary and Glass Fusion and Stained Glass.

The Art Club wall display in the lobby at Mountain Shadows features the work of a different club member each month. Many of the works displayed there are for sale. The Photography Club also sells photos, greeting cards and mats for displaying photographs.

If you are not familiar with the work of our many talented Sun City residents, please take an opportunity to shop at club rooms located at Mountain Shadows, Desert Vista and the Pinnacle. Items are unique and hand-crafted, and make perfect welcome gifts, as well as beautiful additions to our own homes.

Many of these clubs have members who are willing to fulfill orders for specific and custom-made items. To determine if you might be able to commission an art or craftwork, contact the particular club president. Club presidents' telephone numbers can be found on Pages 50-51 of this month's Link.

~ Tammy Collins/Link

Hazardous Waste Collection Set for December 9

Get ready to clear out your garage as the hazardous waste collection event returns to Sun City on Saturday, December 10, 10 a.m. to noon, at Mountain Shadows. The event is sponsored by Las Vegas City Councilman Stavros Anthony to help promote the safe disposal of unwanted household items. Acceptable items include paint, motor oil, car batteries, old cell phones, computer hard drives, old television sets and used syringes. In addition, there will be an area where residents may turn in expired prescription medications.



Left, Judy Auerbach and Judy Arbuckle met in Sun City's dance clubs more than 20 years ago. Today, the two keep their friendship and toes in step, performing with the Dance Company.



Now & Then

The Two Judys (AKA The Blue Jays)

The two Judys (also known as the Blue J's because of their blue dance costumes) formed a close friendship more than 20 years ago when they both belonged to three dance clubs in Sun City Summerlin – the Folk or Ethnic Dancing; the Dance Connection and the Dance Company. Additionally, both ladies were members of a performing clogging group called the Sun Country Cloggers, and they participated in many dance-outs (performances and competitions) throughout the area.

Since their last names are so close alphabetically, Arbuckle and Auerbach, the ladies were often confused, with each receiving phone calls and emails intended for the other.

But the love of dance, in its many forms, has been the thread that has linked these two ladies, and they have become the best of friends.

Over the years, each Judy has served her respective clubs in different capacities. Judy Arbuckle was a class representative in her tap class of the Dance Company, and Judy Auerbach was treasurer of the Folk Dance group, president of the Dance Connection and vice president of the Dance Company. She is currently president of the Women's Club.

It is refreshing to learn that Sun City has provided the environment in which these two ladies, with similar affections for dance, could find each other and maintain a close contact over the years.

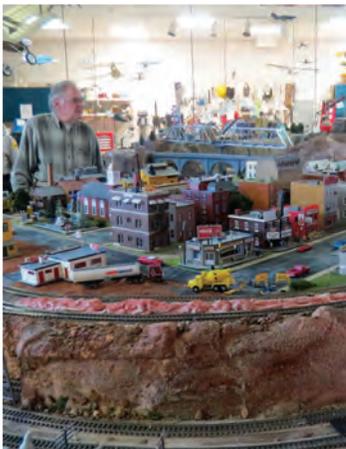
~ By Judy Auerbach and Stuart Gershon/Link



Toys for Tots Collection Ends December 15

For the past 23 years, Sun City Summerlin has taken part in this nationwide campaign promoted by the U.S.

Marine Corps. The toy drive benefits needy children in Las Vegas. Sun City Summerlin residents and employees have participated each year to help this wonderful cause, where they have donated thousands of gifts. If you would like to take part in this year's Toys for Tots drive, drop off a new, unwrapped toy now through Friday, December 15, at Mountain Shadows, Desert Vista, Sun Shadows and Pinnacle community centers.



Model Builders Open House

The Model Builders Club welcomes residents and their visiting families, especially grandchildren, to come out and see what the creative club members have been building all year. The Model Builders studio is located at Desert Vista and will host a

holiday open house Thursday to Saturday, December 21-23, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

On a daily basis, model builders work on their individual projects, including model airplanes (many are radio-controlled), boats, intricate model ships, doll houses with all the furniture and the ever-popular HO model railroad layout. Affectionately named Lone Mountain Railroad, the layout can accommodate six locomotives that pull up to 40 cars.

Don't forget to put this stop on your holiday tour of Sun City. Club members will enjoy meeting you and your kids/grandkids will love seeing the railroad in action!

Signups for AARP Tax Aide Start January 2

AARP volunteers will again provide free federal income tax preparation. The program will run from February 8 to April

13. This service will be offered in the Mint Room at Mountain Shadows on Thursday and Fridays. Appointments are necessary and must be made in person with the Social Monitor at Mountain Shadows. We are using the same software as last year. You **MUST** bring a copy of last year's tax return, Social Security cards and some form of picture ID. We also need any W2s, 1099R, Interest, Dividend, Social Security SSA1099, W2G, broker statements, proof of health insurance and any receipts for your miscellaneous deductions. Please note we will only prepare returns for electronic filing; no paper returns. Also note that we cannot prepare state returns, rental property deductions, business or partnership (K-1) income other than simple interest, dividends or capital gains. For questions, call Mike Sanders, 724-0476.



Church to Hold three Christmas Masses

Mountain View Presbyterian Church, 8601 Del Webb Blvd.

will celebrate the holiday with Christmas Eve services on Sunday, December 24, at 10 a.m., 5 p.m. and 10 p.m. Nursery care will be available for children age 3 and under for the 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. services. Call 341-7800.



Pickleball Tourney

The Pickleball Club will host a fundraiser for Toys for Tots during its tournament on

Saturday, December 9, and Sunday, December 10. Competition will take place at the courts located at Desert Vista (behind Security Patrol headquarters). On Saturday, women's doubles start at 9 a.m.; men's doubles at 1 p.m. On Sunday, mixed doubles begin at 9 a.m. Donations of new, unwrapped toys will be accepted at the event. All donations stay local to benefit Las Vegas Valley families in need. For information, contact Augie at 375-4533 or augieman@cox.net.

HOA Elections Topic of December Class

How should an effective HOA election be conducted? That is the topic of this month's class sponsored by the State of Nevada Department of Business and Industry Real Estate Division. A review of the proper timeline for notices, ballot mailings, campaigning, etc. will be covered. The class will be held Tuesday, December 19, 2-4 p.m., at Desert Vista. Classes are designed to provide legal guidance and additional clarity regarding NRS 116.

RESIDENTS' FORUM Monthly Meeting

Get Ready for the Annual Holiday Party

*Wednesday,
December 13, at
Desert Vista.
Doors open
at 6:30 p.m.*



You're invited to the annual holiday party on Wednesday, December 13, at Desert Vista. Doors open at 6:30. Entry into this festive event is either a Toys for Tots gift or a non-perishable food item for Catholic Charities. (Gifts to Catholic Charities are distributed to families regardless of their religious affiliation.) Both of these worthy causes benefit local families in need. Keep in mind that Toys for Tots does not accept stuffed or plush animals.

Residents will receive a raffle ticket for their gift, so keep your fingers crossed, maybe this will be your lucky night.

Once inside the ballroom the fun will begin! Entertainment will be provided by Mama's Wranglers, Jackson Family Band and Cloggers.

If you enjoyed their show last month at the Starbright Theatre you already know why they were voted Young Entertainers of the Year. If you missed the show, here's your chance to see what your friends have been talking about.

In addition to the wonderful entertainment, enjoy sweet treats, punch, coffee and a cash bar. The raffle will top off the evening. Lucky residents can win gift cards to local restaurants.

Come and join your friends and make new ones at the Residents' Forum Annual Holiday Party. Yummy refreshments, fabulous entertainment and a fun raffle add up a great evening. Remember, all Sun City residents belong to Residents' Forum.

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Many Thanks for Service, Commitment to Community

As my year as chief of the Patrol draws to an end, I find myself filled with mixed emotions. It has been a journey filled with opportunities to work with some of the most generous and caring people that I have ever met. The members of Patrol care about the community that we all live in and care about. The residents of Sun City should remember that every member of the Patrol is their neighbor. We live next door to you. We play golf and cards with you.

I am writing this article four weeks before it will be published and eight weeks before the end of the year. I have taken the liberty of projecting some figures based on the first 10 months of 2017. Although we award members double time or time and a half for certain hours worked, I have subtracted or backed out all such hours so that I could determine the correct number of hours that our 240 members contribute to the community each year. Note that we have dispatchers, watch commanders and drivers working six four-hour shifts every day of the year. Our three Information Centers are open eight hours a day, every day of the year, as well. We also supply volunteers to every community event that takes place in Sun City, and there are more than 30 events that we attend each year.

By year's end, we will have driven 180,000 miles in Sun City. We will have responded to 600 911 lights, performed over 7,000 house checks and made over 3,600 residents aware that their garage doors were open. The Information Centers will have answered more than 2,500 questions posed to them by visitors and residents. The total number of hours volunteered by Patrol members this year will exceed 56,000.

Please thank a Patrol volunteer for their service to our community. As I try to thank all of the Patrol members who have provided me with so much help this year there is the risk that I will forget someone. The other four members of the Patrol board, the heads of each of the disciplines, the watch commanders, the 40 members who have taken on additional administrative duties, ranging from washing cars and making phone calls to fixing computers and radios, as well as training all members on our procedures, just to name a few. I would especially want to thank my wife, Beth, for allowing me this opportunity.

My thanks go out to each and every member of the Patrol for all that you do to make OUR community a better and safer place to live.



Dick Clark, Sun City Summerlin Security Patrol Chief

COMMUNITY STANDARDS

Happy
Holidays,
Y'all

With the increased television and Internet options, many homeowners are installing satellite receivers and antennas. By Federal Communications Commission (FCC) law, these items cannot be prohibited. Therefore, the ARC will no longer require applications for these installations. However, Sun City does have regulations regarding their installation.

Any transmission cable from the dish/antenna to the house must be buried underground. Any exposed transmission cables on the exterior of the dwelling must be painted to match the color of the surface on which it is mounted.

Attached homes (sub-associations) must still submit applications to their Association for all exterior projects, including dishes/antennas.

Paint Colors. The ARC did listen to the many requests from residents regarding additional paint colors for front doors. At its August ARC meeting, the Committee voted unanimously to add seven new paint colors to

the approved palate. We now have some greens, reds and even a blue.

Coyotes. Many areas of Sun City are seeing coyotes traveling through the streets. Please, do not leave your dogs unattended in your yard. Coyotes can jump a 6-foot wall or fence and have your little fur baby in seconds. If you are walking your pet, carry an air horn, an aluminum can filled with a few coins or anything that will create a loud sound to scare the predator away.

Flag. Only American flags and the Nevada state flag can be flown together on a free-standing flagpole. If you do chose to fly the American flag, we ask that you replace or remove it once it gets worn or torn. If possible, the flag should be illuminated if displayed at night. A reminder: Only one (1) wall-mounted flag receptacle shall be permitted on any single-family dwelling.

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GOLF SUMMERLIN TWELVE DAYS OF CHRISTMAS 2017

Hole-In-One

Highland Falls

Carl Conte, Hole No. 8, August 5
Neska Delasanta, Hole No. 17, October 24

Eagle Crest

Don Singer, Hole No. 4, October 11
Dean Graham, Hole No. 11, October 25
Cletus Meyer, Hole No. 8, November 1

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MONDAY NIGHT BLUES



THE CHRIS TOFIELD BAND

Monday, December 4, 7:30-9 p.m.

As an international blues/rock act for over 16 years, Chris Tofield and The Bluesbenders have left audiences hot, sweaty and satisfied time and time again with their intense, high-energy shows. Since relocating to Las Vegas, Chris has been carving a niche for himself in The Entertainment Capital of the World by working with some of the city's top performers and musicians. As Chris is quoted as saying, "If I'm not having a good time, how can I expect my audience to?" One thing for sure, when Chris Tofield plays, everyone has a good time!

TUESDAY NIGHT LIVE JAZZ



MS. MARILYN B.

**Tuesday
December 12
7:30-9 p.m.**

Back again for a special night with the soulful sounds of Ms. Marilyn B. A true chanteuse, Ms. Marilyn B. manages to channel all the greats from Etta James to Patti LaBelle, while adding her own distinctive style. Get ready for a night of fabulous music!

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FRIDAY BAND NIGHTS



BOBBY JONES AND THE CHICAGO BLUES MACHINE

Friday, December 1, 7:30-9 p.m.

Whether it's a rendition of an old blues classic or a brand new song he has just written himself, Bobby is able to draw his audience into the very rhythm and beat of the music, while mesmerizing you with the song's lyrics. You will fall in love with Bobby Jones. He is not to be missed!



SID THE KID AND THE BLUE OVERSOULS

Friday, December 8, 7:30-9 p.m.

Sid has had a love affair with the saxophone since high school and entertains in Las Vegas casinos such as Wynn, Orleans, Aria, Rio, Harrah's, Suncoast, Caesar's Palace and more. Sid's latest project is his "Tribute to the Music of Ray Charles and B.B. King." You will be blown away by this incredibly talented performer!



STEFnROCK

Friday, December 15, 7:30-9 p.m.

The dynamic duo of STEFnROCK are ready to rock The Summit once again! Playing everything from oldies and classic rock to current pop/rock, plus their very own original songs. Stefani and Rocky will leave you wanting more of their show and music! Get set for a great night of fun and entertainment.

RHYTHM & BIZNESS

**Friday, December 22,
7:30-9 p.m.**

Rhythm and Bizness play a unique blend of horn-influenced music reminiscent of James Brown, Tower of Power and Chicago. They are a versatile band that plays a variety of music from Motown to R&B, jazz, blues, funk and rock. You are guaranteed to have a great time.



Due to the holidays, The Summit will not be hosting Cabaret Night on Tuesday, December 26, or Band Night on Friday, December 29. We look forward to seeing you again for Blues Night, featuring Billy Ray Charles and the Boys in the Parking Lot on Wednesday, January 3, at 7:30 p.m.

Happy holidays to all!

CALENDAR December 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
SCSCAI COMMITTEES ARC—Architectural Review Committee Board—SCSCAI Board of Directors CAP—Common Area Properties CCOC – Chartered Clubs and Community Organizations DRHC – Deed Restriction Hearing Committee IT – Information Technology			LOCATION OF EVENT Desert Vista (DV) Highland Falls (HF) Mtn. Shadows (MS) Pinnacle (P) Palm Valley (PV) Starbright Theatre (SBT) Sun Shadows (S)		Toys for Tots drive through December 15 1 Musicmakers’ “Holiday Beginnings” concert 7 p.m. (p38) (P) Friday Band Night, feat. Bobby Jones Jones and the Chicago Blues Machine 7:30 p.m. (p36) (P)	2
Musicmakers’ “Holiday Beginnings” concert 2 p.m. (p38) (P) 3	Monday Night Blues, featuring The Chris Tofield Band 7:30 p.m. (p36) (P) 4	Board of Directors’ meeting 9 a.m. (DV) AARP Driver Safety Noon (p28) (DV) 5	Residents’ Forum planning workshop 1 p.m. (DV) 6	Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day 7 CCOC, 1 p.m. (DV) Primm shopping trip 3:30 p.m. (p11) (P)	Friday Band Night, featuring Sid the Kid and the Blue Oversouls 7:30 p.m. (p36) (DV) 8	Pickleball tourney, 9 a.m., (p30) (DV) 9 Just Sew Club craft sale 9 a.m. (p58) (DV) Hazardous Waste Coll. 10 a.m. (p29) (DV) Silvertones “Wonderful Time of the Year” 7 p.m. (p38) (P)
Pickleball Club tourney 1 p.m. (p30) (DV) 10 Silvertones “Wonderful Time of the Year” concert 2 p.m. (p38) (P)	Lion Habitat Ranch 10:30 a.m. (p11) (P) 11	Hanukkah begins at sundown 12 CAP, 9 a.m. (DV) DRHC 10 a.m. (P) Holidays & Mood Lunch & Learn 12 noon (p23) (DV) Tuesday Night Live Jazz 7:30 p.m. (p36) (P)	AARP Driver Saf. 8:30 am (p28) (DV) 13 Legal Svc. 9:30 a.m. (DV) Sun City Dance Co. Holiday Show 7 p.m. (p38) (SBT) Residents’ Forum Holiday Party 7 p.m. (p31) (DV)	ARC, 2 p.m. (DV) 14	Toys for Tots drive ends (p30) 15 Coffee With the Board 10:30 a.m. (p28) (DV) Friday Band Night, featuring STEFnROCK 7:30 p.m. (p36) (DV)	“Holiday Spectacular!” 7 p.m. (p38) (SBT) 16
17	18	Your Skin in Winter Noon (p23) (DV) 19 HOA class 2 p.m. (p30) (DV)	CPC 9 a.m. (DV) 20 Open Mic Night 6 p.m. (p35) (P) “Murray’s Annual Beggin’ for Magic” charity show 7 p.m. (p39) (SBT)	Winter begins 21 Model Builders Club holiday open house 10 a.m. (p30) (DV)	Model Builders Club holiday open house 10 a.m. (p30) (DV) 22 IT Committee 1 p.m. (DV) Friday Band Night 7:30 p.m. (p36)(P)	Model Builders Club holiday open house 10 a.m. (p30) (DV) 23
See Page 3 for Administration’s holiday schedule 24	Merry Christmas 25 	26	AARP Driver Safety 5:30 p.m. (p28) (DV) 27 New residents happy hour 5 p.m. (P)	28	Deadline to cast SCSCAI Bylaw Ballot 5 p.m. (p8) (MS) 29	30
Happy New Year 31 NYE Dance With 8:30 p.m. (p10) (DV) Rockin’ New Year’s Eve Party 8:30 p.m. (p10) (P) See Page 3 for Administration’s holiday schedule						

Starbright



MUSICMAKERS PRESENT "HOLIDAY BEGINNINGS"

*Friday, December 1, 7 p.m.
Sunday, December 3, 2 p.m.
\$10*

Come one, come all to the Musicmakers' holiday show. We have been working hard to present a variety of holiday music to warm your hearts. There are the old favorite Christmas songs with a beautiful Hanukkah piece, and a few songs by Vivaldi. Our chorus is directed by Dennis Gazso accompanied by Eddie Fluellen. Support the Musicmakers. We are also available to perform at parties. For more information, please contact Pat Vaughn at scmusicmakes@gmail.com.



SILVERTONES PRESENT "WONDERFUL TIME OF THE YEAR"

*Saturday, December 9, 7 p.m.
Sunday, December 10, 2 p.m.
\$10*

Don't you agree that this is the Wonderful Time of the Year? The Silvertones agree and it happens to be the title of our annual holiday concert! Old favorites, new musical arrangements and clever vignettes lovingly arranged by our gifted director George Pucine will be presented. Our gifted pianist, Tim Cooper, accompanies our chorus with flare. Come one, come all to the holiday show of the season. Celebrate this "Wonderful Time of the Year!"

SUN CITY DANCE COMPANY PRESENT "HAPPY TAPPY HOLIDAYS"

Wednesday, December 13, 7 p.m. · \$8

Don't miss Sun City Dance Company's first holiday extravaganza. Tap along with us as we put you in holiday mood. We'll have something for everyone – even a few surprise specialty numbers. Buy your tickets now and support Sun City Dance Company. This will be a must-see event.



*Saturday, December 16, 7 p.m. ·
\$20*

Mistinguett brings her most ambitious show of the year to the Starbright Theatre. An all-star cast of singers, dancers and headliners will brighten the stage and bring to life all your favorite holiday songs. The show will feature performers direct from shows on the Las Vegas Strip, including showgirl holiday dancers, the musical direction of award-winner Bill Fayne and his band, plus, a children's choir and a creative new reading of "The Night Before Christmas." Like a big wrapped gift, this exciting show will bring wide smiles, feelings of warmth and a surprise or two to make you applaud for more!

Be sure to get your tickets early for all Starbright Theatre shows. If an event sells out, every at www.scscai.com, as well as at the Mountain Shadows, Desert Vista and Pinnacle community centers. Tickets can be purchased with a credit card, or pay with cash or check at the community centers (exact change).

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MURRAY'S ANNUAL "BEGGIN' FOR MAGIC CHARITY HOLIDAY VARIETY SHOW"

Wednesday, December 20, 7 p.m. · \$20

A show for all ages, Murray the Magician brings his Planet Hollywood show to the Starbright Theatre for his holiday show of magic, music and comedy. Get into the spirit of the holidays with Murray, his sidekick "Lefty" and a cast of entertainers such as actress/vocalist legend Pia Zadora, songstress Linda Susanne and the magic and music of Jarrett & Raja from the Stratosphere. The best part of this holiday show is that all the profits of the evening will go to Murray's favorite charities – Friends For Life Humane Society, Rockin 4 Rescues and Vegas Rock Dog. It's the season of giving and what better way to be entertained and help an animal find a forever home for the holidays!



"YESTERDAY – A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES"

Wednesday, January 10, 7 p.m. · \$20

Performing the music of The Beatles since 1986, "Yesterday – A Tribute to The Beatles," founded by Don Bellezzo, tours the U.S. and internationally. "Yesterday" has been featured in Rolling Stone Magazine, Showbiz Magazine, on NBC, CBS and ABC, Dick Clark's "Your Big Break," Ed McMahon's "Star Search," and recently returned as the highlight of the annual Joe Johnson's Beatles Cruise aboard the Royal Caribbean cruise lines. The resident Beatles show band for "Legends in Concert," the world's premier and longest-running tribute show, "Yesterday" is a fan favorite in Las Vegas and Branson, Missouri.



"ABBAFAB – THE PREMIER ABBA EXPERIENCE"

Saturday, January 13, 7 p.m. · \$20

"ABBAFAB" is a stunning tribute to the music of ABBA, featuring the sensational talents of loved artists and musicians! This multimedia production pays homage to great songs produced in the '70s and '80s, including monster hits like "Waterloo," "Fernando," "Dancing Queen" and countless others. From ABBA's earliest hits to "Mamma Mia," ABBAFAB will take you on a Technicolor journey that is unmatched. The group's vocalists and musicians have toured the world as solo artists and band members, and have come together to create the most entertaining ABBA tribute on the market today. With vocals and musicianship second to none, the "ABBAFAB" vibe is infectious! There's no generation gap here, so let's all party like it's 1979.

tempt will be made to provide additional shows if possible. Tickets may be purchased online at community centers. Tickets are non-refundable. Purchases may be made online with a (age is required). For information on Starbright Theatre shows, call 240-1301.

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MISTINGUETT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS
"BEE GEES GOLD . . . TRIBUTE"
Sunday, January 21, 3 p.m. · \$20

John Acosta's "Bee Gees Gold... Tribute" is the ultimate salute and experience of seeing the Bee Gees in their prime. Backed by a live band, the "Bee Gees Gold... Tribute" re-creates the look and sound of the Bee Gees from the '60s to the late '70s, with the unique falsettos that made them legends. The show features early hits like "Massachusetts" and "I Started a Joke" to the later disco classics "Stayin' Alive" "You Should Be Dancing" and "Night Fever." John Acosta as Barry Gibb has performed in Bee Gees tributes all over the world. His portrayal of lead singer Barry Gibb has a zest for detail, like no other. Added to the frontline of the group includes the detailed vocal stylings of Daryl Borges (Robin) and Jeff Celentano (Maurice) to re-create the group's famous harmonies. Don't miss the "Bee Gees Gold... Tribute" and their first-ever appearance at the Starbright Theatre.



"AN ENCHANTED EVENING WITH BARBRA – A TRIBUTE TO BARBRA STREISAND"

Saturday, January 27, 7 p.m. · \$20

Sharon Owens is back in "An Enchanted Evening with Barbra – a tribute to Barbra Streisand." Direct from performing in some of the nation's biggest halls and theaters, Sharon Owens returns home to Las Vegas to enchant audiences once again with a voice and charm evoking all the emotion, laughter and memories you remember and adore. In Touch Magazine wrote, "Sharon Owens is the real deal." Re-live cherished songs like "The Way We Were," "Memories" and "Somewhere" as Sharon lovingly re-creates the music and humor of one of music's most incomparable voices. See why critics and fans worldwide agree, Sharon Owens is simply enchanting.



"A TOAST TO DEAN MARTIN & MARILYN MONROE"

Wednesday, January 31, 7 p.m. · \$20

Presenting two of Hollywood's most beloved icons, Dean Martin and Marilyn Monroe, featuring the Swingin' Lon Bronson Vegas Orchestra. Actor/singers Andy DiMino and Susan Griffiths faithfully re-create the songs, patter and comedy of these two iconic lovable stars. Easily one of the most well-known and recognizable "Marilyns," Susan Griffiths appeared in the hit film "Pulp Fiction" and starred in the TV movie "Marilyn & Me." Andy DiMino has been wowing audiences worldwide with his incredible re-creation of Dino for many years, including TV credits from an FX series, "Jay Leno's Tonight Show" and Marina McBride's "Live Holiday Concert." Hits like "That's Amore," "Ain't That a Kick in The Head," "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," "Diamonds Are a Girl's Best Friend" and "Baby, It's Cold Outside" make this a show you won't soon forget.

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CLUB SPOTLIGHT

SWIM CLUB *By Carol Rudolph and Stu Gershon/Link*

Club Takes Medals at Senior Games

Over the weekend of October 7-8, the Sun City Summerlin Swim Club (Carol Rudolph, president) participated in the annual Nevada Senior Games held at the Pavilion Community Center Pool in Summerlin. There were participants from seven states represented at the Games this year (Arkansas, Arizona, California, Florida, Michigan, Nevada and Virginia).

The Swim Club team won 32 of the 158 medals awarded, totaling nearly 20 percent of the victories.

"Make no mistake about it, the Nevada Senior Games is the most exciting competition in athletics, and the fact that our Sun City Summerlin Swim Club has competed in these Games since the early 1990s is a phenomenon many in our community are excited about," said swim team coach Darlene Rogers. "Our Club has contributed such talent as Freddy Leipziger, Paul Gwin, Ann Kmit and Walt Butler, who have competed and medaled in their swim heats in events such as the freestyle, butterfly, breast stroke and backstroke, in medleys, 500 yards, 200 yards, 100 yards, 50 yards, and as individuals.

"Our team this year has continued this tradition in fine style!"

Sun City's medal winners Rita Barcus (six golds); Tina Shannon (four golds and one silver); Karen Kretchmar (three golds); Judy Morgan (one gold, two silvers and one bronze); Pam Conboy (three golds, one silver); Paul Brandt (five golds, one silver and one bronze); and David Kretchmar (three silvers) has qualified the swimmers to compete in the National Senior Games to be held in 2019.

For Paul Brandt, who recently recovered from a broken right hip, said, "I've never had so much fun doing something healthy. I'd never swum competitively until last year when I entered the Nevada Senior Games."

"Come on in," he invites residents. "The water's fine. Join the Swim Club and get in on the fun!"

"Great experience. Very well organized and lots of fun," said another Swim Club member, Judy Morgan. "The teenage swim club members that work the lanes are great cheerleaders for us seniors."

During competition, Karen Kretchmar said that she pushed through the feeling of not being able to complete the race. But as she approached the last lap of her 200-meter freestyle, she just kicked into gear.

"I told myself that I can do it!" she said.

Carol Rudolph, Darlene Rodgers and the other members of the SCS Swim Club have kept this group together, swimming three times each week. They inspire newer members, and Sun City is proud to say that they are ours!

(To read the full story of the Swim's Club's performance at the Nevada Senior Games, visit www.suncitylink.com and click on the Clubs page.)



Caption: From top, Sun City Summerlin's Swim Club members brought home 32 medals from the Nevada Senior Games that was held in October. Medal winners included: Rita Barcus, Tina Shannon, Karen Kretchmar, Judy Morgan, Pam Conboy, Paul Brandt and David Kretchmar. The Club is led by Carol Rudolph, president, and coach Darlene Rogers. Left, David Kretchmar ruptured his achilles tendon in October 2016, and for months walked laps in the pool to learn to walk again. His opinion of the Senior Games, "The heats were stressful, but afterwards I realized this was the second-most fun I ever had without smiling!" Below, Gold-medal-winner Rita Barcus said, "I swam in the Senior Olympics this year and enjoyed it immensely!"



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(The deadline for January 2018 chartered club articles is Friday, December 1. If you have any questions, call Jeannette Carrillo, 955-1435, or email jeannettec@suncitylv.com.)

Aquacize

At our holiday meeting on December 6, we'll enjoy a delicious catered luncheon. Come join us at 1 p.m., Desert Vista. The lunch will be \$12 per member; \$15 per guest. At the December meeting we will continue our annual tradition of collecting for the Salvation Army – remember to bring new unwrapped toys and/or canned goods. Join us to celebrate another year of fun exercise with friends. The fall/winter class schedule is 8 a.m. and 7 p.m., Desert Vista; 8 and 10 a.m., Sun Shadows (all indoors). Classes are Monday to Saturday. Annual dues are \$10; we will collect 2018 dues in January. Call Marianne Jagmin, 243-3932.

Art

Show off your artistic talent by decorating for the holiday season. Art comes in many forms, from culinary to outdoor to indoor displays. Have fun with it and be proud of your

accomplishment. The Art Club will enjoy a holiday luncheon at The Summit Restaurant on December 18, noon. Tickets are \$15 for Art Club members; \$20 for guests. RSVP by December 8. Stop by the Mountain Shadows art display and see the paintings by Patti Stroupe. For Club information, call Steve Brenner, 749-7737.

Arthritis

This low-impact pool exercise club meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Desert Vista indoor pool. The exercises safely move every part of the body. Stretching, range of motion, flexibility and balance exercises improve health and wellness. Check with your doctor to make sure you are fit enough for the class. Our instructor, Tim, is certified for water exercises and first aid from the American Red Cross. Annual membership dues are \$45. Call Jim and Linda, 233-1087.

Beading and Jewelry

We meet most Tuesdays 1-3 p.m. in the Silver Room at the Mountain Shadows Crafts Building. Annual dues are \$10. Our December 5 business meeting/elections will be at Desert Vista, 1 p.m. Please calendar this date as we will need as many



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people as possible to attend and vote for 2018 officers. Classes for December will be announced at this meeting. To register for our next beading introductory class (no previous experience required), call Ellen Crawford, 478-8806. For other information, call Vicki Socol, 256-6247, or Paula Nuzzo, 685-7308.

Bicycle Club

Ride consistently and keep in shape year around. We have about six regular rides per week with five to 12 riders attending. We also have a program that's announced to members by the weekly email. Guests are welcome. Club membership is available online at scsbicycleclub.com. For information, email scsbicycleclub@gmail.com, or call 920-3983.

Billiards

Join for \$1 per year. See Rick, Bill or Don in the pool room Monday, Wednesday and Friday around noon. Have questions? Call Rick Estevez, 675-4989. Elections are December 15, 1 p.m.

Bocci Ball

We play bocci at Sun Shadows on Mondays and at Desert Vista on Thursdays. Play starts at 2 p.m. Officer elections will take place at the Christmas party on December 7, 7 p.m., Desert Vista. For information, call Henrietta Rapp, 987-3456.

Book

The Club meets the second Thursday of every month at 2 p.m., Sun Shadows. Dues are \$2 for the year. You are also welcome to attend as a guest for your first two meetings. If you have any questions, contact Kathi Minsky at 586-5848 or kathiminsky@cox.net. Elections will be held at our December 14 meeting. December is our holiday party. Please join us for great conversations, light refreshments and making new friends. Also, the votes are in and we will be handing out the reading list for 2018!

Boomer Connection

The Boomer Connection is a group of hundreds of residents that get together throughout each month at various types of social events. It's a great way to meet new friends when you move into Sun City or when you feel a need to expand your social outings. Come join the Boomers at their holiday dinner party on Thursday, December 21, Desert Vista. Elections will be held at our December 14 meeting. This is a pre-paid dinner and we won't be able to accommodate walk-in guests. Please contact Julie Zerbel at juliezerbel@yahoo.com for information on how to get in on the fun.

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Bridge (Duplicate)

The Duplicate Bridge Club meets at Mountain Shadows on Wednesdays and Saturdays at noon. Need a partner? Call Wilma, 341-6375, or Marilyn, 254-8245. For lessons, contact Shelly Peretz at 708-610-3375 or peretzshelly@gmail.com. Great games: Janet Sulerud & Goren, 84%; Carole & Dick Gerk, 73% & 66%; John Jeffrey & Liz Anderson, 70% & 66%; Anne McKee & Marti Hamilton, 70%; Diane Brown & Sharon Evans, 69%; John Jeffrey & Judy Hoenk, 66%; Tom Grue & Allen Paul, 66%; Sue Eppley & Pat White, 66%; Tom & Sue Grue, 65%. The election of officers for 2018 will be held at our holiday party, December 9. The slate of nominees is: President, Mike Moorshead; Vice President, Ernie Hanna; Vice President, Sid Goldstein; Treasurer, Gerry Mackin; Secretary, Carole Gerk. Call President Mike Moorshead, 233-1543.

Bridge (Friday Night)

Join us for a game of bridge at Mountain Shadows on Fridays at 5:30 p.m. Please arrive 15 minutes early. If you need a substitute, call Mary Jo, 254-4640, or Susan, 564-0599. Recent winning pairs were Bruce and Sherry Gunderson (3 times); Bob Hiltz and Donna Duncan. Holiday party, December 8, 5:30 p.m.; officer elections, December 15, 6:30 p.m.



Bridge (Rubber)

Bridge players old and new, join our Bridge Club for 24 hands of party bridge at Mountain Shadows, noon on Mondays and Thursdays. Yearly dues are \$10; \$1 each time you play for prize

money. On Mondays, you must have a partner with a foursome to play. Thursday is the smaller group and more comfortable if you haven't played for a while. Contact Jan Goldwasser at 478-5188 or janet9288@aol.com. October winners were Donna Fink, Beanie Skancke, Jan Goldwasser and Alice Larson.

Bunco

We meet the fourth Saturday of the month at Mountain Shadows, High Sierra Room. Check-in is 6:30 p.m. Remember to bring your Association card for the monitor to see. Game starts at 7 p.m. and is finished by 9:30 p.m. Contact Trudy, 838-9959.

Canasta

The Canasta Club meets every Thursday, 6-9 p.m. in the High Sierra Room at Mountain Shadows. Save the date for our annual holiday party on December 7. We follow our own recently revised rule book, based on American canasta rules. Contact Lynda Carpenter, our president, 838-0233.

Ceramics

The Ceramics Club meets in the Arts & Crafts Building at Mountain Shadows; monitor Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Members are welcome to work in the room any-time. Workshop classes are available for members, and there are beginners' classes for new members. Signup sheets for these classes are in the Club room. The holiday party will be December 14 at The Summit Restaurant. Contact Sharon Maddox at 228-5881 or slrm04@gmail.com.

Chicago/Midwest

On Sunday, December 17, we will have our membership-only holiday party, complete with a Chinese dinner buffet and great entertainment. Our performers will be Coren and Ren Vail, who sing, act, imitate and anything else you'd like them to do – other than windows! They have performed on Broadway and the Strip and now come to us. The cost for this fabulous evening is \$6 per person and will start at 5:30 p.m. If you would like to become a member for 2018 and come to this gala, please respond to Marilyn, 243-9484. For other questions, call Myra, 838-3859.

Classical Music

The Classical Music Club has gone berserk! There will be two performances in December. On December 11, we will feature Ginger Gundlach and the Las Vegas piano Quintet. They will play Mozart piano Quintet No. 1 in G minor in addition to J. S. Bach's Brandenburg Concerto No. 3, and a few Christmas songs. The following Monday, December 18, we'll feature Mark Thompsen and Ken Phillips, the dynamic duo that rocked the Starbright on Memorial Day. This will be a special Christmas program that you won't want to miss. For information, contact Will Rydell, lledyrw@aol.com.

Computer

The December general and business meeting will be Thursday, December 7, 7 p.m., Desert Vista. We will hold a brief business meeting to conduct the election of our 2018 officers. Following the meeting we will have our holiday social, featuring fellowship and refreshments. For Club information, go to www.scscc.club, contact Howard Verne, president at 527-4056 or pres.scscc@gmail.com.

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Conservatives Club

The club will not meet in December. For information on membership, call Jay, 760-500-9133.

Cribbage

The club meets at Mountain Shadows every Wednesday and play starts promptly at 6 p.m. Please arrive 10 minutes early. Our members are extremely friendly and we love to welcome new players. We play partners format and all players strive for a 400 point round. No one reached that goal in October. We want to thank Ellie Peters, who celebrated her 96th birthday by treating the club members to pizza. The club will hold elections for 2018 officers on December 20, during the holiday celebration party. Call Richard Merrey, president, 912-486-0191 or Linda Ray, 586-1007. Hope to see you at the tables!

Dance Company Las Vegas

Save the date: December 13. The Sun City Dance Company presents "Happy Tappy Holiday." Our first-ever holiday show in the Starbright Theatre. Tickets are \$8 and may

be purchased at the monitors' stations. Exciting things are in the works for 2018. Don't miss out. Call Jane, 255-4100. #Tap Loud Tap Proud. The Sun City Dance Company will have its holiday party on December 16, 4:30-7 p.m., in the Desert Vista ballroom.

Dance Connection

The Club has added a square dance class to the schedule. It meets on Wednesdays at the Pinnacle, beginning at 4 p.m. Your first class is free, so come out and try something new. Have you ever wanted to try Flamenco? Flamenco is a highly expressive Spanish dance form. Our Flamenco instructor has added a beginning class at Sun Shadows at 3:05 p.m. on Tuesdays. Dance Connection Classes – Absolute Beginner Line Dance, Beginning Hula, Startin' to Move, Round Dance, Absolute Beginner Ballroom, Movin' & Groovin', Dance Fit, Absolute Beginner Flamenco & Intermediate Flamenco, Line Dance 1&2, Ballroom, Island Style Cardio, Let's Party, Advanced Hula, Sittin' & DanSin', Movin' & Losin', I-Moves, Kahiko-ancient style Hula, Dance and Square Dance. With evening and weekend classes, we hope we are accommodating your needs. Schedules can be found at any fitness center/class. Call Kris, 443-8759.



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Fitness

Fall Term continues through December 16. After a two-week break, the winter term begins January 2 and runs to March 18. Paid registration for the winter term must be received by December 16. Annual membership dues are \$10. Starting with the winter term, class fees have been reduced to \$20, except for Total Body Conditioning, which remains at \$5. The Club's full schedule, along with registration information, can be found on the Fitness Club Bulletin Board at the fitness centers and on the website, scsfitnessclub.us. Monitors also have copies of the schedule. Morning and afternoon classes are available and may include Cardio and More, Total Body Conditioning, Pilates, Yoga, Yin

Yoga and Stability Ball. Partial-term registration fees are on our website. To contact us, call Kim, 253-347-5608, or Mery, 228-8417, or e-mail scsfit@fastmail.us.

French

If you know someone who would like to teach, please let us know. Classes are held on Fridays, 2-4 p.m., Sun Shadows. We have beginner, intermediate, advanced and everything in between. Classes are fun and very social. We learn the French language, as well as culture. Membership fees are \$1 per year. Le Cercle Francais would love to have you join us. Please call Danielle Luthy, 350-5141.

Friends of The Summit

This is a booster-style group that supports activities at The Summit. We gather every Friday night where we enjoy live music, and mix and mingle with old and new friends. Bands play R&B, jazz and pop music that's fun to dance to. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.; music plays from 7:30-9 p.m. There is a \$10 cover charge. Come and enjoy the evening, you might want to join the club. A signup sheet is available at the door. There is a \$1 annual membership fee. Officer elections will be held at the year-end party on December 29. Please call Christine Bauman, 808-927-4588.



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Gin Rummy

The Club meets every Sunday night at Mountain Shadows. Singles and couples are welcome. Please sign in between 6-6:20 p.m. Play starts at 6:30 p.m. If you need information, call Linda, 586-1007, or Rose, 233-2543. Elections will take place on December 3.

Golf (Guys and Gals)

The Guys and Gals Golf Club December 10 tournament will be held at the Palm Valley Golf course. Check-in is no later than 8 a.m., with a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. For more information on the tournament, contact Chris and Dave Klee, 254-2461. For membership information, please contact Sumiko Tatsue, 562-4856. Visit our website at www.scsnguysngals.com. Election of officers and the holiday party will be held December 10, Desert Vista, 5-8 p.m. For information, call Amos Barcus, president, 755-9623.



at the Pinnacle, where the winning group is Karen Jacobson, Eileen de Doelder, Mona Waisanen and Neska Delasanta along with their group pro, SCSCAI Golf Operations Manager Donny Long. A fun day for all. Our holiday party will be at Desert Vista, Tuesday, December 12, after the holiday tournament. Membership applications for 2018, as well as general information about our club, are available at scswomensgolf.com. Applications are due December 1. For information, call Rita 540-5707.

Golf (Ladies) Executive

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AQUACIZE

Marianne Jagmin, 243-3932

ART

Steve Brenner, 749-7737
Dec 18, holiday lunch

ARTHRITIS

Jim Gaughan, 233-1087

BEADING & JEWELRY

Vicki Socol, 256-6247
Dec 5, elections

BICYCLE

Dick Edmister, 920-3983

BILLIARDS

Rick Estevez, 675-4989
Dec 15, elections

BOCCI

Henrietta Rapp, 987-3456
Dec 7, elections, holiday party

BOOK

Kathi Minsky, 586-5844
Dec 14, elections

BOOMER CONNECTION

Julie Zerbel, 512-775-1309
Dec 21, elections, holiday party

BRIDGE (DUPLICATE)

Michael Moorshead, 233-1543
Dec 9, elections, holiday party

BRIDGE (FRIDAY NIGHT)

Susan Thatcher, 564-0599
Dec 8, holiday party
Dec 15, elections

BRIDGE (RUBBER)

Mary LaFerney, 562-1550

BUNCO

Charles Durden, 838-9959

CANASTA

Lynda Carpenter, 838-0233

CERAMICS

Sharon Maddox, 228-5881
Dec 14, holiday party

CHICAGO/MIDWEST

Myrna Feldgreber, 838-3859

CLASSICAL MUSIC

William Rydell, 580-0727
Dec 11 & 18, concerts

COMPUTER

Howard Verne, 527-4056
Dec 7, holiday party, elections

CONSERVATIVES

Jay Sesto, 760-500-9133

CRIBBAGE

Richard Merrey, 912-486-0191
Dec 20, holiday party

DANCE COMPANY LAS VEGAS

Suzanne Rosenthal, 901-4974
Dec 13, show
Dec 16, holiday party

DANCE CONNECTION

Kris Steinwand, 443-8759
Nov. 14, elections

EUCHRE

John Miller, (330) 603-7863
Dec 27, elections

FITNESS

Kim Holtman, (253) 347-5608
Dec 16, winter term deadline

FRENCH

Danielle Luthy, 360-5141

FRIENDS OF THE SUMMIT

Christine Bauman,
808-927-4588
Dec 29, holiday party

GIN RUMMY

Linda Ray, 586-1007
Dec 3, elections

GOLF (GUYS & GALS)

Amos Barcus, 463-1046
Dec 10, tourney, elections

GOLF (LADIES) 18 HOLE

Debby Smith, 685-5548
Dec 12, holiday party

Golf (Ladies) 18 Hole

The annual Ladies Golf Board Appreciation Day included a golf tournament with one of the pros joining each group. Lunch followed

at the Pinnacle, where the winning group is Karen Jacobson, Eileen de Doelder, Mona Waisanen and Neska Delasanta along with their group pro, SCSCAI Golf Operations Manager Donny Long. A fun day for all. Our holiday party will be at Desert Vista, Tuesday, December 12, after the holiday tournament. Membership applications for 2018, as well as general information about our club, are available at scswomensgolf.com. Applications are due December 1. For information, call Rita 540-5707.

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GOLF (LADIES) EXECUTIVE

Vicki Belford, 256-9872
Dec 5, holiday party

GOLF (MEN'S) 18 HOLE

Gerry Sokolski, 240-2036
Dec 7, tourney, elections

GOLF (MEN'S) NINERS

Tom Morlan, 243-6962
Dec 14, elections

GUN CLUB

Allen Sakaguchi, 331-3390
Dec 8

HAWAIIAN

Sandy Weiser, 612-5908
Dec 12, holiday party

HIKING

Susan Feinberg, 312-330-3471
Dec 2, holiday party
Dec 7, elections

HORSESHOES

Ray Leavitt, 228-6939
Dec 6, elections

INVESTMENT

Steve Commander, 304-1768
Dec 20, holiday party

ITALIAN

Del Bennett, 240-8584
Dec 15, holiday party

club champion for 2017 is Susy Wiley. Winners of the three flights were Becky Namihas, flight A; Peggy Calhoun, flight B; Paula Giesa, flight C. Congratulations to all the winners. The election of Club officers was held at the meeting in October with the following results: President Vickie Belford; Vice President Rosie Walisever; Secretary Pat Rodgers; Treasurer Patricia Horsfall; Tournament Chair Marion Douglass. Our annual overnight golf outing was held November 8-9 at Avi Resort in Laughlin. Our holiday party will be Monday, December 5, 11 a.m. at Spiedini's. We welcome new members. Applications can be found on our website, www.scsleg.com. Tee times are 8 a.m. with a 7:30 a.m. check-in on Tuesdays at Eagle Crest; play 9 or 18. Call Sandy Wright, 661-478-0076. Happy holidays to all.

Golf (Men's) 18 Hole

Annual election of officers will be at the members' general meeting on Thursday, December 7, Desert Vista, immediately following golf, 1 p.m. Our President, Gerry Sokolski,

has published the list of nominations for officers. Besides our regular Thursday golf events, December brings with it our annual Tournament of Champions on December 7. From all the 18 Holvers, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Be safe and return to us for 2018. You may have noticed there are new out-of-bounds markers for Hole #18 at Palm Valley. The area has been extended and the white stakes are for 18 only. The reason is for safety and this rule will be covered in the ongoing rules publication. Also, you may have noticed that there are a few more large containers of divot fill at Highland Falls. You are encouraged to fill in as many divots as you can while waiting to hit your fairway shots. For questions, visit our website, 18holers.org, or call Colbert, 859-979-4376.

Golf (Men's) Niners

Starting times for Thursday tournaments will be 8 a.m. The election of officers will take place at the members meeting on December 14, following the tournament at Eagle Crest. The Christmas party will be held at the

JEWISH FRIENDSHIP

Ed Turken, 341-9516
Dec 19, holiday party

KRAFTY KRITTERS

Marilyn Pittman, 240-0517
Dec 2, meeting

LIBERAL CLUB

Margaret Feinblatt, 796-3232
Dec 4, elections

MAH JONGG

Stephanie Schwartz, 240-6353
Dec 5, holiday lunch

MEN'S CLUB

Alan Spector, 847-558-5423

MILITARY & FRIENDS

Larry Jones, 405-8684
Dec 9, holiday party

MODEL BUILDERS

Bruce Adams, 463-9921
Dec 13, holiday party

MUSICMAKERS

Pat Vaughn, 408-888-9841
Dec 1 & 3, concerts

NEW YORK

Estelle Cohen, 869-6021
Dec 6, holiday party

ORGAN, PIANO AND KEYBOARD CLUB

Marti Stimpson, 243-3662

PAN GAMES

Linda Harrington, 778-1436
Dec 5, holiday party

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Jim Bird, 325-0226
Dec 14, holiday party

PICKLEBALL

August Costanzo, 375-4533
Dec 12, holiday dinner

PINOCHLE

Richard Mitchell, 341-5314

QUILTING

Caryn Sakaguchi, 331-3390

RACQUETBALL

Lorenzo Lopopolo, 604-4291
Dec 8, holiday party

RESIDENTS' FORUM*

Karl Wiedemann, 256-1944
Dec 13, holiday party

R.V.

George Crosby, 476-1637

SAWDUSTERS

Bev Pasco, 838-2621

SECURITY PATROL*

Dick Clark, 254-2303

SEWING (JUST SEW)

Sue Voigt, 457-8953
Dec 9, craft fair

SHUFFLEBOARD

Andrew Lawson, 242-1540

SILVER FOXES

Amy Pennington, 656-5019

SILVER, LAPIDARY & GLASS

Sam Miller, 629-6278
Dec 10, holiday party

SILVERTONES

Hal Denham, 254-0158
Dec 9 & 10, concerts

SOFTBALL-MEN'S

Jim Herhusky, 266-7866

SPANISH

Norm Hirata, 503-4584

STAINED GLASS

Walter Medla, 228-0917

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Mary 'Lou' Pasqualin, 341-9741
Dec 4, holiday party

SWIM

Carol Rudolph, 869-3303
Dec 19, elections

TABLE TENNIS

James Ko, 586-7787
Dec 3, elections

TAI CHI

Doyle Kloehn, 371-3475
Dec 1, holiday lunch

TENNIS

Ellen Crawford, 478-8806
Dec 9, holiday party

THEATRE (COMMUNITY)

Benny Ruda, 838-3849

TRAVEL

Marise Mizel, 242-2704
Dec 13, holiday party

WATEROBICS

Cheryl Dunham, 207-671-1373
Dec 14, holiday party

WEST COASTERS

Jeanette Nuno, 818-425-4303

WOMEN'S CLUB

Judy Auerbach, 242-0727
Dec 21, holiday party

WRITER'S WORKSHOP

Maxine Muccigrosso
360-1863

YOGA

Carolyn Palubinskas
243-3758
Dec 14, elections

ZOOM ZOOM CLUB

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Gun Club

All regular meetings are held on the second Friday of the month, 1 p.m., Desert Vista. If you are new to firearms ownership, have been considering purchasing a firearm for home defense or concealed carry, or are an old hand at firearms and looking for others to practice with, the Sun City Gun Club is the place for you. We offer free in-house training courses that will teach you all about firearms, help you select a firearm, show you how to clean/maintain your firearm and teach you about the legal aspects of defensive shooting. The Club also hosts speakers, a spring BBQ and a holiday lunch. Contact Allen Sakaguchi, 331-3390, or scgunclub@yahoo.com. Be sure to check out our new Club website at <http://www.scsgunclub.com>.

Hawaiian

Mele Kalikimaka to all. Our Christmas party for members only will be held Tuesday, December 12, 5 p.m., Room 5. Doors will open at 4:30 p.m., with dinner served at 5 pm. We ask everyone to bring a \$10 grab gift. The Eldorado School choir will delight us with Christmas carols. Membership is \$10 and may be paid at that time. Contact Sandy, 612-5908.

Hiking

Our elections will take place at the Thursday, December 7, meeting. The annual holiday party will be Saturday, December 2, Desert Vista. Hikes take place on Mondays (easy/moderate) and Wednesdays (moderate/challenging). Hiking carpools will leave at 8 a.m. from Desert Vista lower parking lot. Visitors are welcome. Call Ann Cronin, 737-5758, for information, including fitness-level recommendations.

Horseshoes

The elections of officers for next year will be December 6. Because of cooler weather we will meet at 9 a.m., starting December 1 and continue with that time until February 1. We practice at the Mountain Shadows pits daily and new players are always welcome. Members will be notified of the date and location of the Xmas party.

Investment

Member-only holiday dinner/party. Olive Garden will cater our function with chicken Parmesan, chicken Marsala, rigatoni/angel hair pastas, salad and breadsticks, along with des-

sert, beverages and more, December 20, Desert Vista, 5 p.m. If you wish to attend, your \$5 check, payable to the Sun City Investment Club, must be received by December 5, which is the cut-off date. Mail your check to Diana Commander, 8749 Smokey Drive, LV 89134. If you do not RSVP before the deadline, we look forward to seeing you on January 24, 7 p.m., when an exciting new year commences for our very informative Investment Club. Questions? Call 304-1768.

Italian

The annual members-only holiday dinner dance is Friday, December 15. We will enjoy an excellent dinner and dance to the music of the Boyd Coulter Band. This is a dress-up evening with the cost only \$15 per member; guests, \$20. Members: Important: Submit your fees ASAP to: Frances Marks, 2728 Crown Ridge Drive, Las Vegas, NV 89134, but no later than December 11. Also, membership fees of \$15 per member are due now. Submit to Frances Marks, please. Hosts for the December affair are Don & Marilyn Sohl and George & Mary Louise LoBue. Buon Natale ed anno Nuovo e Felice. Note: For Italian language lessons for Italian Club members only, call Joan Jones, 869-3999.

Jewish Friendship Club

Our Club will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, December 19, 5:15 p.m., Desert Vista. We will be celebrating Hanukkah with a traditional holiday dinner. You must have prepaid reservations by December 15. Call Monica, 255-4171, for further information. Entertaining us will be Ron and Lisa Smith, wonderful singers who appear in the Suncoast variety shows. They perform with "Shades of Sinatra." Lisa is part of the Dangerous Curves trio. The next Club board meeting will take place on Monday, December 11, 2 p.m., Sun Shadows. For information, call Ed Turken, president, 341-9516.

Krafty Kritters

Our next meeting will be Saturday, December 2, 9 a.m. In November, we voted for our new officers for 2018. The results are as follows: President, Marilyn Pittman; 1st Vice President, Linda Southwell; 2nd Vice President, Sally Edwards; Secretary, Janet Jones; and Treasurer, Kathryn Feller. If you like to craft or think you may, come join us. We have teachers give us instructions for great crafts. Bring any ideas you have. We also accept donations. Call Marilyn Pittman, 240-0517, or Jan Jones, 233-1525. We meet in the All-purpose room at Desert Vista on Tuesdays, 1-3 p.m.; Saturdays, 9 a.m. to noon. The Tole painters meet on Thursdays, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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Liberal Club

This month's meeting will be Monday, December 4, 7 p.m., Desert Vista. During this meeting the officers for 2018 will be elected. Coffee will be available at 6:30 p.m. Club meetings are mostly held on the first Monday of each month, 7 p.m., Desert Vista. All residents are welcome to join. Annual dues are \$5 per person. Call Marge if you would like more information, 796-3232.

Mah Jongg

We have new officers for the New Year. Dues are being collected now, they are \$10. Please, checks only in an envelope with your name, membership and telephone number on it. The holiday luncheon is December 5. Call Stephanie Schwartz, 240-6353, for further information.

Men's Club

Great program, great breakfast, great events, great friends. Men in Sun City are doing it! You should, too! Join us for our monthly breakfast meeting (last Tuesday of the month), Desert Vista, 9 a.m. Yearly dues are \$10, continental breakfast meetings are \$3 each. Our club has monthly happy hours, discussion breakfasts at a local restaurant, small group get-togethers, poker games, volunteer projects to help our community, a men's discussion group, lunch outings and many other special events for men and their significant others. Our club is growing every month, and we are one of the most active clubs anywhere. Call Alan, 847-558-5423.

Military and Friends

On Saturday, December 9, the Club will host its holiday party at The Summit. A catered dinner will be served at 6 p.m. Entertainment for your listening pleasure will be featured. Pearl Harbor Day will be commemorated with color guards and Ed Hall, a Pearl Harbor survivor, will be our guest of honor. Join us for fun and comradeship. Our general membership meeting will be on January 12, 1 p.m., Desert Vista. Call Rick Cornstuble, 765-430-4400, or Lorraine Spofford, 456-3958. December 7 is Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day. Remember the veterans and honor our military men and women! Visit our website, scsmilitaryandfriends.com.

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The Club will hold its annual holiday party at 11:30 a.m., Wednesday, December 13, Desert Vista. Our club will hold an open house, featuring our fabulous Lone Mountain HO



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trains in full operation, December 21-23, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The next club business meeting will be January 10, and will include the installation of our new officers for 2018. Meeting dates in 2018 will be the second Wednesday of the month. We continue to welcome new members, especially those interested in working on our HO model train layout. For more information, please call Club President Bruce Adams at 463-9921.

Musicmakers

Do you have your tickets for our holiday show "Holiday Beginnings?" Our concert will be held Friday, December 1, 7 p.m., and Sunday, December 3, 2 p.m. The Musicmakers meet on Mondays in the Music Room at the Pinnacle, 12:45-3 p.m. This group sings four-part harmonies, which are directed by Dennis Gazso and accompanied by Eddie Fluellen. Everyone is welcome to come hear what we do. As with other clubs, you can attend two meetings/rehearsals before making a decision to join. We are available to sing at parties and other club meetings, as well. For information, contact Pat Vaughn at scmusicmakers@gmail.com.

New York Club

Once again it is holiday time. The New York Club will hold its holiday party on Wednesday December 6, 6 p.m., Desert Vista, Room 5. Our special guest will be Mark Giovi. We all know him and enjoy his singing. Guests are welcome. For more information, call Linda, 363-7377, or Fred, 869-6021.

Organ, Piano and Keyboard Club

Organ and piano players meet in the Music Room in the Pinnacle next door to the Starbright Theatre on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. Club meetings are the second Tuesday of the month and the teacher comes every other Tuesday. We use Hal Leonard E-Z Play #200 "Best Songs Ever." Members play either a Roland or Lowery organ or piano. Visitors are always welcome. Members may use the Music Room by reserving it with the Social Monitor. For information, call Marti Stimpson, 683-4112.

Pan Club

Pan is played on Tuesdays at Mountain Shadows, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Dues are \$10 a year. Learn how to play with Al Weiner, 256-9415. The president is Linda Harrington. She can be reached at 778-1436. On December 5, we will have our holiday party. Tournament at 1 a.m.; buffet at Red Rock at 4 p.m.

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Pickleball

We have 10 courts available to take care of our fast-growing roster. We offer doubles with many levels of players, or singles for the more adventurous types. Our first charity tournament for Toys for Tots will be December 9-10; our second charity tournament is planned for May. Our start time is 8 a.m., Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. December 1 we will begin at 9 a.m. Our members are also open to play other days and times with prior arrangement. Play is based on weather conditions as our courts are outdoor facilities at Desert Vista. Our holiday dinner will be December 12 at the Pinnacle. Visit our website, scspickleball.com, or call Augie Constanza, president, 375-4533.

Pinochle

Our group meets every Tuesday at 5 p.m., Mountain Shadows. If you are an experienced pinochle player (single or double deck), we would love to have you join us. New members are always welcome. Play begins at 5 p.m. Arrive at least 15 minutes early to register. For information, call Richard Mitchell, 341-5314. Officer elections will be December 5.

Quilting

Meetings are held on the second Monday of the month, 9:15 a.m., Desert Vista, Room 5.

Racquetball

Club elections will be at the Christmas party on December 8 at the Rampart Casino Buffet, 221 N. Rampart Blvd., noon. For more information, call President Lorenzo Lopopolo, 562-9074; Vice President Douglas Lau, 522-9723; or Secretary-Treasurer Sal Luca, 524-5161.

Residents' Forum

The Residents' Forum's purpose is to provide programs of interest to Sun City residents. All residents of Sun City are members of Residents' Forum. Membership is free; there are no dues or fees. Our programs are every second Wednesday of the month, 7 p.m., at Desert Vista. Our next program is the annual holiday party on December 13, featuring Mama's

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R.V.

Hope everyone enjoyed both their Thanksgiving dinner at Willow Beach and on the actual day! The December RV club will be ending the 2017 year with a dinner and Installation of the new officers for 2018 by reservation only. There will not be a Club meeting on the second Monday of December. Mark January 8, for the next regular

meeting. Keep in mind December 7 is Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day, followed by the first day of winter on December 21 and Christmas on the 25th. For more information, call our president, George, 498-9284.

Sawdusters

Special meeting to vote on replacing our old equipment for new safety equipment on Wednesday, January 10, 9 a.m., Desert Vista. See the January Link for further information. You can pay your dues at the shop now. Put them in an envelope with your name on it and drop it in the lock box under the light switch. Dues for 2018 are due on January 1. They are \$30 for the year. Locker rentals are \$25. Make checks payable to the Sun City Sawdusters. New members must take a safety course before becoming a member. Please clean machines and work areas after use. We accept wood and tool donations. Call Bev, 838-2621. Officer elections on December 6, Desert Vista.

Security Patrol

Security Patrol is a community volunteer organization made up of residents of the Sun City community. The motto of "Neighbors Helping Neighbors" is indeed an accurate description of the group's purpose. New members can serve as drivers, dispatchers or information center volunteers. Call us at 254-2303, or visit us at our base (located at the rear of Desert Vista's parking lot). We are there 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Our membership meetings are the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. in Room 5 at Desert Vista. We would be happy to take you for a ride-along if you would like.

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Sewing (Just Sew)

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Shuffleboard

New members are always welcome. Club play is Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 9 a.m. The courts are located behind Mountain Shadows, between the tennis courts and putt-putt golf. For information, call Andy Lawson, 242-1540.

Silver Foxes

Join us for a 40-minute cardiovascular and low-impact aerobics class to Richard Simmons’ tapes at Sun Shadows. We welcome new members to get moving at our classes on Monday at 10 a.m.; Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 a.m.; Saturdays, 10 a.m. Club dues are \$8. For information, call Amy Pennington, 656-5019.

Silver, Lapidary & Glass Fusion

Are you bored at home with nothing creative to do? Are you a jewelry addict? Do you think you are not artistic? Would you like to join a group that is friendly and fun? Check out the Silver, Lapidary and Glass Fusion Club, where you can be creative with glass, silver and stones. Classes are given often. Our members are here to help you after the class is taken. Dues are only \$35 per year and at the end of the year we have a paid brunch with great entertainment. Our holiday party will be Sunday, December 10, 11 a.m., Desert Vista. Contact President Sam Miller, 629-6278, with any questions.

Silvertones

The Silvertones chorus presents “Wonderful Time of the Year.” The Silvertones’ winter concert is filled with those

great songs you remember from holidays past. All songs have been arranged by our gifted Musical Director George Pucine. Tim Cooper's skilled craftsmanship at the piano completes the musical team. Tickets are \$10 and are available at all monitor stations, as well as at www.scscai.com. Consider joining our happy chorus as we resume rehearsals on January 4. If you like to sing, can carry a tune, and can commit to weekly rehearsals on Thursdays, 1-3 p.m., in the Music Room at the Pinnacle, please call Hal Denham, president, 254-0158.

Softball-Men's

Our season is well into its first half with seven teams competing within our two leagues. Our early priority is evaluating our new players and assigning them to one of our teams. Our games are Monday, Wednesday and Friday, beginning at 8:30 a.m. each morning until we take a holiday break from December 19 to January 2. Our season's first half ends on January 19 and we begin second half play on January 22, continuing through April giving each team a 56-game schedule. We welcome new players at any time, so come on up to Pinnacle Field and check us out. We have batting practice each Thursday at 8:30 a.m. Join us for a few swings against our pitching machine. We had our fall golf tourney and picnic in October with great turnouts for both events. Check out our website, www.scssoftball.com, or call Gary Kuehl, 321-1045.

Spanish

The Spanish Club offers classes at beginning, intermediate and advanced levels that include conversation and composition, as well as occasional social gatherings. Classes are held on Wednesday and Friday mornings at Sun Shadows. To join the club or obtain additional information, please contact Jim Ross, 461-8741, or e-mail jamesbrianross@gmail.com. ¡Feliz Navidad!



Stained Glass Club

Happy Hanukkah and Merry Christmas from all members of the Stained Glass Club. Here is a beautiful piece of stained glass, "A Basket Full of Posies." This was hand-made by our member Sany Beirle for her home. Take a tour

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Sunshine Service

We loan medical equipment and children's equipment to Sun City residents with an Association ID. Salvation Army's food barrels are located at our warehouse and in the lobby of Mountain Shadows. The warehouse is open Monday through Saturday, 9-11 a.m. The next general meeting will be our annual holiday party on Monday, December 4, at noon, in The Summit Room at the Pinnacle. Reservations are needed. There is a \$5 refundable fee. Envelopes for reservations are available at the warehouse. If you have questions or are interested in volunteering, call 341-9741.

Swim

There will be a holiday party/meeting on December 19, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., at Mimi's Cafe, 1121 S. Fort Apache Road, for fun, frivolous frolic, and to vote in new officers! Congratulations to our Nevada Senior Games swimmers! Sun City Swim Club earned 32 medals: 22 golds, 8 silvers, and 2 bronzes. Rita Barcus took home 6 golds; Tina Shannon won 4 golds and 1 silver; Karen Kretchmar earned 3 golds; Judy Morgan took home 1 gold, 2 silvers and 1 bronze; Pam Conboy won 3 gold and 1 silver; Paul Brandt won 5 golds, 1 silver and 1 bronze; and David Kretchmar took home 3 Silvers. Special thanks to coach Darlene for working with our swimmers, to our cheering section and to our photographers! Want to join the Swim Club for health and fun? Contact Carol Rudolph, 869-3303.

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Tai Chi

The Tai Chi Club holiday luncheon will be at the Red Rock casino buffet on December 1, for members and their guests. Reservations: \$16 for members; \$19 for each guest payable by check (NO CASH) made out to the Tai Chi Club and received by November 23rd. Tai Chi is the perfect exercise for seniors. All classes for all levels are held at Desert Vista Fitness Center. Club membership is \$5 per calendar year with no charge for classes. Call Mery Finkle, 228-8417, or Jim Ko, 586-7787. Introduction to Tai Chi: Tuesdays and Fridays, 1-2 p.m., Desert Vista. Beginners: Beijing 24 form, Monday, 2 p.m. and Wednesday, 1 p.m./Yang Style 108 Long Form, Wednesday and Friday, 2 p.m./Yang Style 37 Short Form, Wednesday and Friday, 4 p.m./48 Form, Thursday, 2:45 p.m. at Pinnacle. Regular: Traditional Yang Style 108 Long Form, Wednesday, 3 p.m./Yang Style 37 Short Form, Monday and Friday, 3 p.m.

Tennis Club

Our holiday party will be at Desert Vista on Saturday, December 9, 5 p.m. It will be a catered buffet dinner. The cost for members is \$10; guests \$13. 2018 dues are \$10 and can be paid by CHECK ONLY at the door. The evening will also include a short meeting, election of officers and raffle prizes. Ann Lippincott must have your reservation by December 3. Her number is 869-6606. Call Ellen Crawford, 478-8806.

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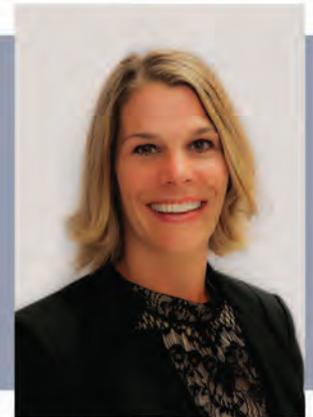


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Travel (Local)

For local entertainment come to the Travel Club. The next meeting will be our holiday party on Dec. 13, at noon. The luncheon will be held at the Suncoast, in an upstairs ballroom. Tickets must be purchased before December 1, along with the menu choice made. The ugly holiday sweater contest will be held with prizes, entertainment and more. At the Smith Center on December 9, Clint Holmes; December 9, Frankie Moreno; December 31, Kristen Chenoweth; January 27, Piano Guys. For information, call Marise, 242-2704 or Sharon, 838-4319.

Waterobics

The holiday party will be held on December 14, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Desert Vista. Nominations and officer elections will be held, as well. Appropriate exercise can relieve the pain and stiffness of arthritis, improve mobility and function, help ward off heart disease and lift your spirits and self-esteem. A gentle beginning exercise is the aquatic program offered by the club in the Sun Shadows pool. Visit one of the eight weekly classes for a 45-minute workout led by a certified instructor Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.; Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 1 p.m. Dues of \$110 may be pro-rated. Please call Cheryl Dunham, 207-671-1373.

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The West Coasters Club is a new social club for residents who have lived on the West Coast or wish they had because they love the atmosphere, weather, attractions and diversity. The Club is strictly social and meets four times a year. Our holiday party is Monday, December 18, 5 p.m., Desert Vista. Elections will be held at the meeting. Please call Jeannette Nuno, 818-425-4303.

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Women's Club

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Writer's Workshop

If you love to write and want to be inspired by the most talented and friendly people in Sun City, come join us on the first four Mondays of each month at Sun Shadows, 9-11 a.m. Whether you're interested in novels, short stories, memoirs, poetry, etc., we have classes and members to assist you in a social and educational atmosphere.

Annual dues are \$15. We welcome all visitors on the second and fourth Mondays. Call President Maxine Engel-Muccigrosso, 360-1853. Visit our international blogs to read and meet some of our talented members: www.suncityww.blogspot.com and summerlinww.blogspot.com.

Yoga

Election of officers for 2018 will be on December 14 at the end of class. This is an intermediate class, welcoming serious students not limited by complex physical limitations. Classes are held at Desert Vista on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 8-9:45 a.m. Monthly fees: One class weekly, \$20; two classes weekly, \$35; three classes weekly \$45. A one-time trial walk-in is \$5. For information, please call Carolyn, 243-3758, or Joanie, 233-4416.

Zoom Zoom Club

Come join us for Zumba® classes. All classes are held at Sun Shadows. Aqua Zumba®, 11 a.m., Wednesday and Friday, in the pool; Zumba®, 9:05 a.m., Tuesday and Thursday; Zumba® Gold, 11:05 a.m., Tuesday and Thursday; Zumba® Toning, 11:05 a.m., Saturday. For information, call Sue Canupp, 220-6876, or Teresa Gusel, 838-5301 or 236-5256.

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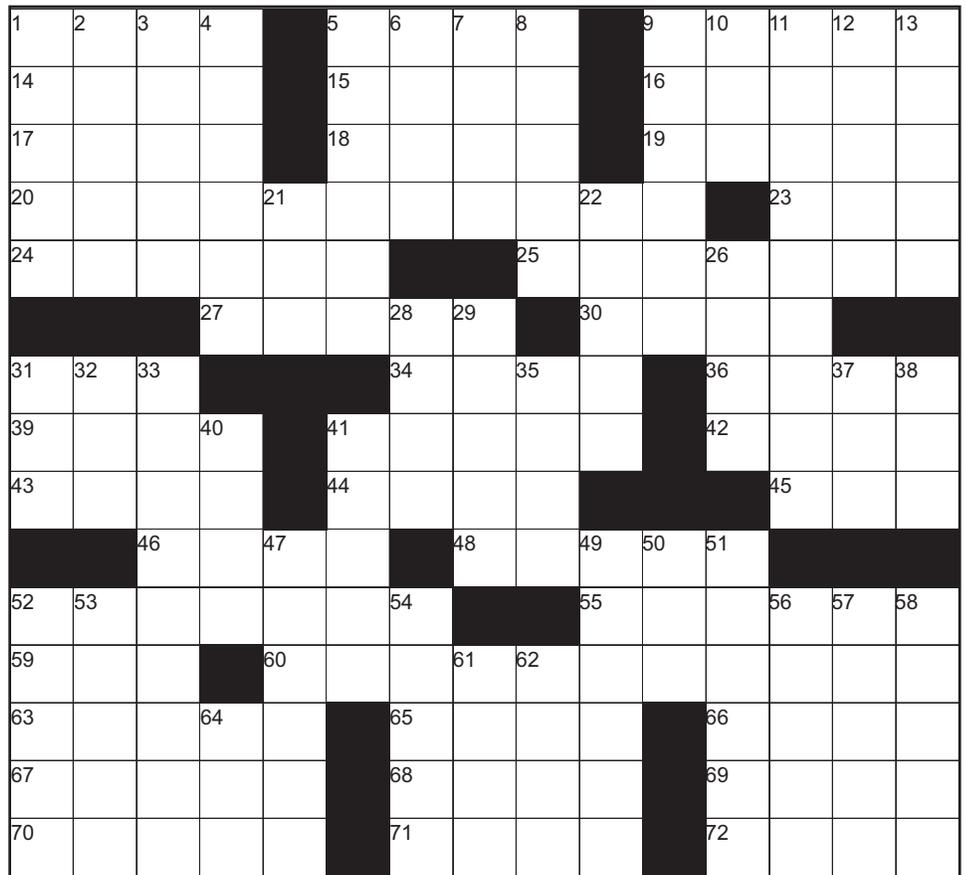
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5. Shiite leader
9. Elks' meeting place?
14. Nincompoop
15. Gloomy Gus
16. Dog-___
17. Flute or saxophone variety
18. Orchestra that plays light classical music
19. Former Police man
20. Woodstock wear
23. A white one is small
24. Designs
25. Teases
27. Appears to be
30. Element removed from gasoline
31. Electrical unit
34. Word heard on December 31
36. Drink to excess
39. Part of ROM
41. Gumbo ingredients
42. Large pitcher
43. Sandwich served on pita
44. Whistle-blowers, of a sort
45. Carp constantly
46. Diploma holder
48. Theater floor litter
52. Small anchor
55. Postprandial nap
59. '___ Town'
60. Kind of insect
63. Japanese cartooning style
65. Loafer, for instance
66. Crystal sound
67. Carafe quantity
68. Term of enlistment
69. Prefix with European
70. Improvises like Ella
71. Bread pieces, to fondue
72. Dermatologist's concern

Down

1. Wild guesses
2. Just-hatched hooter



3. In a suitable way
4. Ring-shaped coral islands
5. Wear out one's welcome, e.g.
6. Make academic
7. PDA entry
8. Subatomic particle
9. Tenant
10. Feed seed
11. Access data in a lower level of a database
12. Spirit in a bottle
13. Outer limits
21. Apiary occupant
22. Rummy groupings
26. Prom escort
28. Construct
29. Explores cyberspace
31. Ending of many WWW addresses
32. Attention getter
33. And enjoy a ___
35. Bringing up the rear
37. Soup veggie
38. Energy unit
40. Village or hamlet
41. Gavel pounder's demand
47. Riles up

49. Poe family
50. Life story, for short
51. Bombeck's 'The Grass Is Always Greener Over the ___ Tank'
52. Things to strive for
53. Mysterious
54. Shoe inserts
56. Like a hedgehog
57. Looks after
58. Professional slang
61. 'Flee, fly!'
62. Where to see the alphabet float
64. Came across

ANSWER TO LAST MONTH'S PUZZLE



BOARD OF DIRECTORS Motions

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Recap of November 7, 2017, meeting

- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to accept the November 7, 2017, Board of Directors agenda as amended.
- ◆ The Board of Directors approved the minutes of the October 3, 2017, Board of Directors meeting with two corrections, with Ken Resnik abstaining because he was not present at the October 3, 2017, meeting.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a bid to Safe & Secure Alarms and Video for a security camera and recording system, including quarterly maintenance agreements for all fitness centers. The Board of Directors is committed to the safety of its members. The bid was approved at a total cost not to exceed \$29,624 as recommended by Doug Wong, IT tech, and Kristie McWhorter, fitness manager.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a bid to Ed Bozarth Chevrolet for (2) Chevy Silverado trucks, which includes trade-in, at a cost not to exceed \$51,550.21 as recommended by Ernando Damian, landscape supervisor.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a bid to United Rentals for (1) backhoe/front loader at a cost not to exceed \$55,004.91 as recommended by Ernando Damian, landscape supervisor. The approval was based upon a satisfactory inspection of the backhoe/front loader by Ernando Damian, landscape supervisor, and Brian Bagwell, golf course maintenance general manager, and a review of the warranty (if any) and hours of service by Executive Director, Mitzi Mills.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a bid to Findlay Chevrolet for (3) Chevy Silverado trucks at a cost not to exceed \$89,050 as recommended by Dennis McGrew, building maintenance manager.
- ◆ The Board of Directors approved an amended motion that the executive director will be evaluated on:
 - a) Preparation and implementation of SCSCAI budget.
 - b) Reduction of losses in F&B.
 - c) Improvement in SCSCAI appearance through supervision of Building Maintenance, Landscape and F&B departments.
 - d) Feedback from residents regarding interest in community events, club meetings and other special events.
 - e) Improvement in the number of golf rounds and related increases in revenue at SCSCAI courses.
 - f) Keeping high standards of greens, fairways and general appearances of SCSCAI golf courses.
 - g) Individual review of executive director's actions regarding the handling of SCSCAI crises and unexpected problems.
 - h) Implement and develop strategic plans for SCSCAI and its departments.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to acknowledge that the Board of Directors has fulfilled its duty as a Board in reviewing the July, August and September FY2017 Financial document, in accordance with NRS 116.31083(6). The Association is in compliance Paragraph (b) of the sub-section 2 of NRS 116.3115 and reserve funds have not been used for daily maintenance.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved an amended motion that the Architectural Review Committee for the Board of Directors interpret Article XVIII of the Covenants, Conditions & Restrictions and adopt Resolution #17-1, to allow alternate members of the Architectural Review Committee to vote on matters that come before the committee.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion for additional funds for purchase of (6) Lenovo ThinkCentre M600 Tiny Desktop to run display monitors for Golf and Fitness. Total additional funds not to exceed \$2,625.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to write off \$4,241.58 for delinquent Link advertiser balances. These balances were a result of a 3rd party company that solicited and secured advertisers and did not forward the advertising fees to SCSCAI. The company is no longer in business.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to approve a \$300 write-off for uncollectable fines as recommended by the Collections Committee.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved an amended motion to change every third Coffee with the Board to the third Wednesday evening of the month, starting January 2018. The first evening meeting to be held will be January 17, 2018.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to ratify an emergency repair to the walk-in cooler located at The Summit Restaurant in the amount of \$7,617.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to ratify an emergency engine replacement on John Deere Tractor utilized by Golf Course Maintenance in an amount not to exceed \$16,000.
- ◆ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to ratify emergency replacement pump at Palm Valley #4 in the amount of \$16,972.77.

Official Notice Board of Directors

December 2017 to December 2018 Meeting Schedule

Month	B.O.D. Meetings
December	12/5/17
January	1/2/18
February	2/6/18
<i>Annual Meeting</i>	2/28/18
March	3/6/18
April	4/3/18 (Evening) 4/24/18
May	5/1/18
June	6/5/18
July	None Scheduled
August	8/7/18
September	9/4/18 (Evening)
October	10/2/18
November	11/6/18
December	12/4/18

Annual meeting Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. Budget ratification meeting June 5, 2018. Board meeting will commence after budget ratification.

All daytime meetings will be held at Desert Vista, Room 5, at 9 a.m. Executive sessions will be held typically after the general meetings; however, executive sessions are sometimes held during a recess of the general meeting for various reasons.

Evening meetings: All evening meetings will be held at Desert Vista, Room 5, at 6 p.m. Executive sessions are held prior to any evening meeting(s).

Note: A resident has the right to:

- ♦ Have a copy of the minutes, a summary of the minutes or a recording of the meeting upon request (\$.10 per page and \$1 for the recording per meeting) (NRS116.31083). Copies of the minutes and recordings of recent board meetings may be downloaded from the website without charge.
- ♦ Speak to the executive board, unless the executive board is meeting in executive session (NRS116.31085).
- ♦ The agenda is posted on the Association bulletin boards and website on the Friday prior to the meeting.

Recordings of board meetings will be made. The recordings will be kept for 10 years in the Administration's executive director's office in the Mountain Shadows Community Center.

Recordings, minutes or a summary of minutes will be available not more than 30 days after the meeting (NRS116.31083). Depending upon meeting schedules, on occasion, the minutes or summary of the minutes may be in draft form.

SCSCAI Board and Committee Meetings

ARC – Architectural Review Committee

Board – SCSCAI Board of Directors

CAP – Common Area Properties

CCOC – Clubs and Community Organizations Committee

CPC – Community Preparedness Committee

DRHC – Deed Restriction Hearing Committee

IT – Information Technology

Board	Tuesday, Dec. 5	9 a.m. (DV)
CCOC	Thursday Dec. 7	1 p.m. (DV)
CAP	Tuesday, Dec. 12	9 a.m. (DV)
DRHC	Tuesday, Dec. 12	10 a.m. (P)
Legal	Wednesday, Dec. 13	9:30 a.m. (DV)
ARC	Thursday Dec. 14	2 p.m. (DV)
CPC	Wednesday, Dec. 20	9 a.m. (DV)
IT	Friday, Dec. 22	1 p.m. (DV)
Golf Oversight	NO MEETING	
Fitness	NO MEETING	
Finance	NO MEETING	

Board agenda is posted on the Administrative bulletin board, on the website, and in the community centers. Copies may be obtained in the Administrative office on the Friday prior to the meeting. All meetings will be held at Desert Vista except where noted on the calendar. For updates, please visit www.scscai.com.

Residents' Forum Meetings

Residents' Forum Workshop

Wednesday, December 6, 1 p.m., Pinnacle

Residents' Forum

Wednesday, December 13, 7 p.m., Desert Vista

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- ♦ The Board of Directors unanimously approved a motion to table additional funds for the purchase of new furniture at Tavern at the Falls Restaurant currently budgeted at \$40,000.
- ♦ The Board of Directors approved a motion to proceed with EZ Links Control Center for the management of tee times, food & beverage and customer data.

OPERATIONS Summary of Operations

Sun City Summerlin Community Association, Inc.
Consolidated Balance Sheet
As of September 30, 2017
Unaudited

	Operating Fund	Reserve Fund	Fixed Assets Fund	Consolidated Funds
Assets				
Current Assets				
Cash	\$ 915,751	66,040	-	\$ 981,791
Other Current Assets	675,961	157,878	231,284	1,065,123
Total Current Assets	1,591,712	223,918	231,284	2,046,914
Investments - Certificates of Deposit	2,195,000	14,959,270	-	17,154,270
Land, Buildings & Equipment, net	-	-	46,685,737	46,685,737
Other Assets	16,801	-	-	16,801
Total Assets	\$ 3,803,513	15,183,188	46,917,021	\$ 65,903,722
Liabilities and Fund Balances				
Current Liabilities				
Accounts Payable	\$ 591,067	6,418	304	\$ 597,789
Deferred Income	2,200,370	-	-	2,200,370
Accrued Expenses	385,307	-	-	385,307
Total Current Liabilities	3,176,744	6,418	304	3,183,466
Other Liabilities	21,338	-	-	21,338
Total Liabilities	3,198,082	6,418	304	3,204,804
Fund Balances	605,431	15,176,770	46,916,717	62,698,918
Total Liabilities & Fund Balances	\$ 3,803,513	15,183,188	46,917,021	\$ 65,903,722

Sun City Summerlin Community Association, Inc.
Summary of Operations - Operating Fund
For the Period from July 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017
Unaudited

	Current Month - September 2017			Fiscal Year To Date (July 2017 - September 2017)		
	Actual	Budget	Variance	Actual	Budget	Variance
			Favorable/ (Unfavorable)			Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
REVENUES						
Assessments	\$ 765,884	765,884	-	\$ 2,278,734	2,278,733	1
Golf Course Pro Shops	208,214	199,365	8,849	735,916	661,600	74,316
Restaurants	60,478	75,291	(14,813)	192,522	225,873	(33,351)
Newsletter/LINK	43,793	42,358	1,435	131,702	130,074	1,628
Interest Income	1,888	1,220	668	4,124	2,440	1,684
Other Income	101,984	90,501	11,483	269,484	262,923	6,561
Subtotal	\$ 1,182,241	1,174,619	7,622	\$ 3,612,482	3,561,643	50,839
EXPENSES						
Golf Course Pro Shops	\$ 111,189	131,670	20,481	\$ 386,023	428,769	42,746
Golf Course Maintenance	446,053	457,478	11,425	1,336,977	1,461,246	124,269
Restaurants	97,397	98,189	792	307,957	297,293	(10,664)
Newsletter/LINK	32,028	33,343	1,315	108,225	105,229	(2,996)
Administration	140,294	155,451	15,157	435,531	470,226	34,695
Information Technology	18,989	17,503	(1,486)	54,346	52,509	(1,837)
Landscaping	183,619	166,594	(17,025)	596,770	551,122	(45,648)
Community Services	61,344	48,367	(12,977)	179,455	151,469	(27,986)
Facility Maintenance	163,229	174,904	11,675	516,097	541,754	25,657
Fitness	51,105	50,499	(606)	153,305	154,454	1,149
Security	7,667	6,242	(1,425)	20,006	23,095	3,089
Subtotal	\$ 1,312,914	1,340,240	27,326	\$ 4,094,692	4,237,166	142,474
Total	\$ (130,673)	(165,621)	34,948	\$ (482,210)	(675,523)	193,313

For additional SCSCAI financial information, please log on to www.scsc.ai.com

The Association is in compliance with paragraph (b) of subsection 2 of NRS 116.3115 and reserve funds have not been used for daily maintenance.

September 2017 Supplemental Information:

NORA Collected	Current Year to Date:	\$ 194,189	Prior Year to Date:	\$ 188,632
Home Sales	Current Year to Date:	143	Prior Year to Date:	151
Rounds of Golf Played	Current Year to Date:	20,696	Prior Year to Date:	18,988

FOR SALE Classified Ads

Residents may submit classified ads to the **link** office at the **Mountain Shadows** community center, Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **COST: Ad cost are \$2 per every 30 characters** (Characters = letters, numbers and spacing) **Services or offers of merchandise are considered business ads and will not be taken.** *No refunds are given for classified ads.* **SCSCAI card required at purchase.**

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Lazy boy queen sleeper excellent condition. Two recliners. Best Offer **586-7553**

Exquisite Bavarian China. Service for 12, valued over \$1,000 - sacrifice at 1/2 price. Howard Miller mantle clock triple chiming, key wound. Make me an offer on both items. Call in the mornings **243-6131**

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Solar screens for Belmont Model 90% complete \$50 ... **278-3750**

Coffee table, 2 end tables w/glass inserts \$100. Oak entertainment center \$100. Two upholstered swivel bar chairs \$100. Hutch w/glass doors \$100. 4 lawn chairs w/cushions \$100. Wood nightstand \$20. All items O.B.O. **254-9392**

QN headboard, solid wood, brass trim \$70. Breakfront cabinet, drk wood \$100. Table lamp \$60 & 6' chenille sofa, gldn brwn \$400..... **286-5420**

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..... **286-5420**
 Mahogany Grandfather Clock. Best Offer **354-5936**
 EZ-Go electric golf cart excellent condition, MAG wheels, high-speed gears, street legal \$2,750 **516-5363**
 Subzero fridge & freezer \$1,300 O.B.O..... **278-1238**
 Powered cream leather sofa \$400. China cabinet, table 8 chairs \$700..... **255-6452**
 Patio Dining Set. Table 3' X 5', umbrella with stand, 4 chairs with cushions \$250. Blonde kitchen breakfast table with four chairs. 2.5' X 4' \$150. Call..... **778-9796**
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