

Rec Centers jazz up summer with patriotic indoor concert

Join the Recreation Centers of Sun City West with its first indoor concert in more than a year. We are proud to bring in patriotic jazz tunes with Lindsey Benedict and Jazzola at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 8, at Palm Ridge Rec Center, 13800 W. Deer Valley Road. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

Tickets for this cabaret-style show are \$10 per person and go on sale at 8 a.m. Tuesday, June 8, at the R.H. Johnson Box

Office, 19803 N. R.H. Johnson Blvd.

Nashville's own Lindsey Benedict and Jazzola is elegant and enjoyable. Lindsey Benedict is a jazz singer, performance coach, public speaker, and worship leader with a passion for world travel. She enjoys performing with the Judson Jazz Orchestra, a Nashville-based big band with a unique musical blend of hymns and jazz standards. She also sings with the Metro Big Band on musical mis-

sion trips facilitated by Global Missions Project.

For 20 years, Lindsey was a voice and piano instructor and in 2019 began Music City Showcases. This live music production company provides performance opportunities for all ages through showcases, singing contests and summer camps. Lindsey also provides performance coaching for those that are preparing for auditions, contests and pageants.



Lindsey Benedict

Board announces 2021-22 officers

The Recreation Centers of Sun City West Governing Board has selected its new officers for the fiscal year starting July 1.

The officers are: President Sue Fitzsimons; Vice President Donna Maloney; Treasurer Anne Brown; and Secretary Lisa Vines.

Committee assignments will be decided and announced at a later date.

Vines will be new to the Board, starting her three-year term on July 1. She joins newcomers Lou Mancuso and Harry Stannebein on the Board. Outgoing directors whose terms end on June 30, 2021, are current President George Kuchtyak and Director



Sue Fitzsimons



Donna Maloney



Anne K. Brown



Lisa Vines

Jim Young.

Governing Board Directors are volunteers elected by the community every March, for three-year terms that run with the fiscal year.

Dive in movies return to RHJ

Dive in movies are back this summer! The show begins at dusk between 7:30 to 7:45 p.m.

These movies are available for members and their paid guests. Make sure your membership card is loaded upon arrival. Also keep in mind that if weather is a factor we may need to reschedule. Children under 16 will not be allowed as it is not part of children's hours and the movie selections may not be appropriate. Concessions to be determined.

JUNE 10

"Underwater"

PG-13 Horror Action

A crew of oceanic researchers working for a deep sea drilling company try to get to safety after a mysterious earthquake devastates their deepwater research and drilling facility located at the bottom of the Mariana Trench. Starring Kristen Stewart, Vin-



cent Cassel, and Mamoudou Athie.

JUNE 24

"The Secret: Dare to Dream"

PG; Drama, Romance

Director and co-writer Andy Tennant's film takes place in a generically quaint small town



full of blandly nice people who are woefully devoid of characterization, even though they're frequently stuck standing around explaining themselves to each other. Even something as potentially thrilling as an approaching hurricane can't liven things up. Starring Katie Holmes, Josh Lucas and Celia Weston.

CC&R Department offers optional pre-sale inspections

The Sun City West CC&R Department is excited to offer pre-sale inspections as a new, complimentary (not mandatory) service to residents and realtors. A CC&R pre-inspection completed prior to listing your property for sale or closing on your new home will help identify any potential CC&R violations.

How the Pre-Sale Inspection Works

The CC&R Team will inspect

the exterior of your home and property looking for possible issues that may violate the CC&Rs.

Issues identified will NOT be fined or delay the closing of your home sale or new home purchase.

Homeowner signature is required for the inspection giving us permission to walk on your property.

A completed report, along

with photos, will be provided to the party requesting the inspection.

It will be at the buyers and/or sellers' discretion to address any violations identified. However, it is recommended they be resolved prior to closing to avoid future problems.

A copy of the dated inspection

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Star Wars movie marathon zips into Stardust

*Tickets are going fast
- get yours now!*

The Force will be strong in Sun City West when the Rec Centers present a Star Wars movie marathon in June and July.

The 11-movie series will air twice this summer, with afternoon and evening times. The June marathon kicks off with 1 p.m. showings, while July shows will run at 6 p.m. Doors will open at noon (June) and 5 p.m. (July).

Tickets will be free and available on Star Wars day - May the 4th (as in May the 4th be with you!) - and open to Sun City West residents only.

A long time ago in a galaxy far, far away George Lucas created an adventure like no other. The Star War mania started in 1977 and continues today. The Star Wars collection is filled with adventure, and excitement. Come support your favorite character, whether it be Darth Vader, Princess Leia, Han Solo, Chewbacca, or C-3PO.

Buckle up for the Star Wars movie marathon, coming this summer at the Stardust theater. The marathon will be shown in chronological order. For a full marathon experience you will receive tickets for all 11 movies.

At the end of July, we will have a raffle for everyone who participated in this huge Marathon! The Rec Centers will have a new cut out each week for photo ops and raffle each one of those off along with the full Star Wars Movie Set!

If you feel sick, please stay home and we will keep the theatre limited to 150 people to keep our attendees as spread out as possible. Thank you to our sponsor Statz Insurance Agency.

**MONDAY, JUNE 7
& MONDAY, JULY 12**
*Star Wars: Episode I –
The Phantom Menace*

Obi-Wan Kenobi (Ewan McGregor) is a young Jedi knight apprentice under the tutelage of Qui-Gon Jinn (Liam Neeson); Anakin Skywalker (Jake Lloyd), who will later become known as Darth Vader, is just a 9-year-old boy. When the Trade Federation cuts off all routes to the planet Naboo, Qui-Gon and Obi-Wan are assigned to settle the matter. (PG)

**TUESDAY, JUNE 8
& TUESDAY, JULY 13**
*Star Wars: Episode II –
Attack of the Clones*

Set 10 years after the events of "The



Phantom Menace," the Republic continues to be mired in strife and chaos. A separatist movement encompassing hundreds of planets and powerful corporate alliances poses new threats to the galaxy that even the Jedi cannot stem. These moves, long planned by an as yet unrevealed and powerful force, lead to the beginning of the Clone Wars - and the beginning of the end of the Republic. (PG)

**WEDNESDAY JUNE 9
& WEDNESDAY, JULY 14**
*Star Wars: Episode III - Revenge of
Sith*

It has been three years since the Clone Wars began. Jedi master Obi-Wan Kenobi (Ewan McGregor) and Jedi knight Anakin Skywalker (Hayden Christensen) rescue Chancellor Palpatine (Ian McDiarmid) from General Grievous, the commander of the droid armies, but Grievous escapes. Suspicions are raised within the Jedi Council concerning Chancellor Palpatine, with whom Anakin has formed a bond. Asked to spy on the chancellor, and full of bitterness toward the Jedi Council, Anakin embraces the Dark Side. (PG-13)

**FRIDAY, JUNE 11
& FRIDAY JULY 16**
Solo: A Star Wars Story

Young Han Solo finds adventure when he joins forces with a gang of galactic smugglers and a 190-year-old Wookie named Chewbacca. Indebted to the gangster Dryden Vos, the crew devises a daring plan to travel to the mining planet Kessel to steal a batch of valuable coaxium. In need of a fast ship, Solo meets Lando Calrissian, the suave owner of the perfect vessel for the dangerous mission - the Millennium Falcon. (PG-13)

**MONDAY JUNE 14
& MONDAY JULY 19**
*Rogue One:
A Star Wars Story*

Former scientist Galen Erso lives on a farm with his wife and young daughter,

Jyn. His peaceful existence comes crashing down when the evil Orson Krennic takes him away from his beloved family. Many years later, Galen becomes the Empire's lead engineer for the most powerful weapon in the galaxy, the Death Star. Knowing that her father holds the key to its destruction, Jyn joins forces with a spy and other resistance fighters to steal the space station's plans for the Rebel Alliance. (PG-13)

**TUESDAY, JUNE 15
& TUESDAY, JULY 20**
*Star Wars Episode IV –
A New Hope*

The Imperial forces - under orders from cruel Darth Vader (David Prowse) - hold Princess Leia (Carrie Fisher) hostage, in their efforts to quell the rebellion against the Galactic Empire. Luke Skywalker (Mark Hamill) and Han Solo (Harrison Ford), captain of the Millennium Falcon, work together with the companionable droid duo R2-D2 (Kenny Baker) and C-3PO (Anthony Daniels) to rescue the beautiful princess, help the Rebel Alliance. (PG)

**WEDNESDAY JUNE 16
& WEDNESDAY JULY 21**
*Star Wars Episode V –
The Empire Strikes Back*

The adventure continues as Luke Skywalker, Han Solo, Princess Leia and Chewbacca face an attack by the Imperial forces and its AT-AT walkers on the ice planet Hoth. While Han and Leia escape in the Millennium Falcon, Luke travels to Dagobah in search of Yoda. Only with the

Jedi master's help will Luke survive when the dark side of the Force beckons him into the ultimate duel with Darth Vader. (PG)

**FRIDAY, JUNE 18
& FRIDAY JULY 23**
*Star Wars: Episode VI –
Return of the Jedi*

Luke Skywalker battles horrible Jabba the Hut and cruel Darth Vader to save his comrades in the Rebel Alliance and fight the Galactic Empire. Han Solo and Princess Leia reaffirm their love and team with Chewbacca, Lando Calrissian (Billy Dee Williams), and the droids C-3PO and R2-D2 to aid in the disruption of the dark side and hope to defeat the evil emperor. (PG)

MONDAY, JUNE 21 & JULY 26
*Star Wars: Episode VII - The Force
Awakens*

Thirty years after the Battle of Endor, a new threat has risen in the form of the First Order and the villainous Kylo Ren. As a new threat to the galaxy rises, Rey, a desert scavenger, and Finn, an ex-stormtrooper, must join Han Solo and Chewbacca to search for the one hope of restoring peace. (PG-13)

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23
& WEDNESDAY, JULY 28**
*Star Wars: Episode VIII - The Last
Jedi*

Luke Skywalker's peaceful and solitary existence gets upended when he encounters Rey, a young woman who shows strong signs of the Force. Her desire to learn the ways of the Jedi forces Luke to make a decision that changes their lives forever. Meanwhile, Kylo Ren and General Hux lead the First Order in an all-out assault against Leia and the Resistance for supremacy of the galaxy. (PG-13)

**FRIDAY, JUNE 25
& FRIDAY, JULY 30**
*Star Wars: Episode IX - The Rise of
Skywalker*

When it's discovered that the evil Emperor Palpatine did not die at the hands of Darth Vader, the rebels must race against the clock to find out his whereabouts. Finn and Poe lead the Resistance to put a stop to the First Order's plans to form a new Empire, while Rey anticipates her inevitable confrontation with Kylo Ren. Warning: Some flashing-lights scenes in this film may affect photosensitive viewers.

Get Connected!

suncitywest.com

- official Association website
- primarily static info: commonly used links; hours of operation; amenities; children's hours; etc.

scwclubs.com

- clubs website with links to all 100+ chartered clubs
- maintained by clubs with help from a Tech Advisory Group

scwlibrary.com

- links to online catalog and digital library
- iPad, Kindle & Nook instructions
- Friends of the Library movie schedule

Other Social Media:

- Youtube.com/suncitywestaz
- facebook.com/suncitywest
- twitter.com/rcscw
- instagram.com/suncitywest_az

Sun City West to back blue with Griffith Blue Hearts

The Recreation Centers of Sun City West will team up with Brandon Griffith and his team, Griffith Blue Hearts, to help support their services in reality-based lessons learned in the field as first responders and first-hand cardiac arrest survival on Sunday, June 6.

Griffith Blue Hearts offer one-of-a-kind services and training designed to increase emergency cardiac survival by outfitting, instructing, and inspiring our fastest first responders and peace officers.



This is a private training that will be at R.H. Johnson Recreation Center near the Lecture Hall. You may see a select group of men and women working in specific scenarios to help build proper tactical training during car-

diac situations. We will have certain areas blocked off such as the parking lot, Great Lawn, and breezeway. Spectators will not be allowed to the training, but we wanted to share the information with the community, so you are informed on the training aspect and understand that this is not a real-life situation during this time.

If you would like to learn more on Griffith Blue Hearts please feel free to visit griffithblueheart.com.

Join our June tours of the rec centers

Join us on a tour of the Rec Centers including the pools, exercise rooms and clubs. All tours start at 9 a.m.

June 14 – Beardsley, meet in front of Arts/Craft Building.

June 16 – Kuentz, meet at Stardust Theater.

June 17 – R.H. Johnson, meet in front of the Social



Phil Dauterive

Hall East.

June 18 – Tour of all seven golf courses. Meet in front of Pro Shop at Grandview Golf Course on Meeker Avenue.

There will be no tour of Palm Ridge this month as the center is temporarily closed for parking lot repairs. The tour of the Library, Metal Shop and Agriculture Club has also been cancelled.

For information, email to Phil Dauterive at phil.dauterive@suncitywest.com.

Return to the park



Sun City West residents came out for a good cause and a night of hot tunes in April. We were able to help raise more than \$5,000 for Arizona Fire & Medical Authority.

Faded Jeans was a huge hit as usual and our community rocked it with their support throughout the night. It was a huge success and we cannot wait to get back at it in October!

Lower photo, AFMA members are, from left to right: Joseph Rivera, Randy Kuhstoss, Kinsey Habighorst, Jacob Tuerschmann, Faye Morcom, Anthony Leveto, Manny Martinez, and Josh Higgins.



Prep for sale with CC&R check

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will be retained by the CC&R Department for future reference.

Please have your real estate agent contact our office at 623-544-6661 to schedule an inspection. We will also accommodate home for sale by owner.

Memorial Day holiday closures set for Sun City West

The Recreation Centers of Sun City West will be closing some offices on Monday, May 31, in recognition of Memorial Day.

Membership and Administrative Offices will be closed on Monday, May 31. The Library will be closed as usual on that Monday.

Golf Operations will be closed, but golf courses will be open regular business hours with the exception of Echo

Mesa, which will be closed for course maintenance.

The Sports Pavilion will be open normal business hours from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Residents who need to put guest credits on their account are invited to do so at Member Services before the holiday. Member Services, 19803 R.H. Johnson Blvd., is open from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekdays, but is closed on holidays. Guest credits may also be added to any of

What's coming this fall for Events

After all the craziness of the world, we are looking forward to getting back to a new normal this fall. We plan to bring back our Concerts and Movies in the Park with a full line up for you in August! We also will have our annual Fall Fest! These dates are Thursday, Nov. 4 and Friday, Nov. 5. We can't spoil the surprise yet on who we are bringing in, but in no way will you be disappointed! Tickets will be available in September!

As for "Top Hat" and "Cruise Ship" - there will be quite a few changes due to the way our systems operate. We understand sometimes change is difficult but being able to experience the pandemic obstacles we have decided this is a great opportunity to change it up a bit. Top Hat will remain the same and we have rescheduled all the performances that were booked for 2021 to the 2022 season. However, the ticket sales will change! We will no longer hold four-year subscriptions, but only for one season. You will be able to purchase all four shows and receive the same seat for each show like in the past, but we will not carry over the subscription into the next season. There will also be opportunity to purchase shows individually if you choose not to purchase for every show.

As for Cruise Ship, we are shaking that up a bit as well. We will no longer have what

was called the "Cruise Ship Series," it will now be called "Cabaret Series!" We will have a matinee and an evening performance "cabaret style." This style actually accommodates the same amount of patrons - just split up in a much more intimate experience. Ticket sales will work the same as Top Hat. At this point we plan to start ticket sales in November for both these series! The final line up will be released in September.

And for the question I'm sure a handful of you are asking, what about Spring Fest? Well, the third times a charm! We will have the same groups that were scheduled perform at our annual Spring Fest March 11, 12, and 13, 2022, at Beardsley Park. Again, we will not sell tickets so far in advance, so these will become available in January.

We also have started booking dances to start back up in January! So, look for those as well as we get into the later part of the year. The Events Department cannot wait to get back to entertaining you all and seeing your happy faces out there. Safe travels to our snowbirds and to our full timers, we hope to see you at some of our last-minute summer events! Have a cool safe summer and hope to see you all in the Fall!

Kasey Huhta

Special Events Manager



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Many thanks to the Sun City West community

This column is written with many emotions, it will be my last as President, so expect thanks throughout this.

The Greek word diákonos means "to serve," and to do so without reservation or thought of receiving anything back to oneself. The word "gift" also means to give without any thought of getting anything in return.

To the Owner Members, thank you for allowing me the opportunity to serve the Association. It is truly the most humbling gift of my life. Our members entrust the Governing Board to work hand in hand with the (absolute best) staff assembled as we refine policies and procedures to make this senior community in Arizona work seamlessly. For your trust, I thank you.

To all my fellow Board members, both current and past: Without your guidance, thoughtful ideas, and willingness to take on the really difficult issues, Sun City West would not be the No. 2 Active Adult Golf Community in the nation. To have served with each of you is an honor.

Given the pandemic we've been living through during my term, I will be remembered as



George Kuchtyak
President

the COVID president. Navigating these strange times has been difficult, as we entered uncharted waters each day. Most difficult of all was trying to interpret mixed messages and confusing direction from the CDC, federal government, and state and county mandates.

As the pandemic unfolded, each issue facing us was carefully weighed before decisions were made. There are some in the community who may believe that the choices we made were without any discussion or forethought. That is simply not true. Not everyone liked every call we made, but each was made with deep consideration and in an effort to keep our residents and community safe, while allowing access to facilities as soon as it was feasible.

I thank General Manager Bill Schwind for the confident leadership he demonstrated, in addition to that exhibited by his staff. Our ability to stand tall and accomplish what we set out to do through uncharted times, is the real measure of an excellent management team.

The incoming Governing Board Directors will need your support, so please share your thoughts and input with them

Annual Meeting

The Governing Board Annual Meeting is now scheduled for 9 a.m. June 24 in the Social Hall at R.H. Johnson Rec Center.

during the open Board and Committee meetings.

Let me leave you with three quotes to remember about service:

"Glass, China, and Reputation are easily cracked, and never well mended."

-Benjamin Franklin

"There are but few important events in the affairs of men brought about by their own choice."

- Ulysses S. Grant

"Nobody made a greater mistake than he who did nothing because he could do only a little."

-Edmund Burke

Thank you all for allowing me to serve the Association. I will be seeing you all in our pools, golf courses, club rooms, and just out and about.

In humble service, your past President, George K.



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MEETINGS & WORKSHOPS

The next **Governing Board Workshop** will be at **9 a.m. June 4** in the **Lecture Hall**. The next **Governing Board Regular Meeting** will be at **9 a.m. June 24** in the **Social Hall** and the **Annual Meeting** will follow. These meetings are available remotely at suncitywest.com and at [youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com).

The schedule is subject to change. Call 623-544-6115 for meeting dates and other Governing Board information. Visit suncitywest.com and sign up for the eNews to receive the latest Association information.

Sweet 16

For 16 years, Katie Van Leuven has managed the Village Store at the R.H. Johnson Rec Center. Katie retired at the end of April and was recognized by Governing Board president George Kuchtyak at the April Regular Governing Board meeting for years of service to the Recreation Centers of Sun City West.



Submit All States Club news by the first day of each month (for the next month's Rec Center News) to: michael.melissa@suncitywest.com **All submissions for July are due June 1.** If you do not have a computer, please drop off your submission in the Membership Office.

ILLINOIS

The Board members of Illinois State Club of Sun City West are so excited to begin monthly social gatherings. In May, we worked toward a breakfast for our members at Chef Peters Bistro.

On June 12, we will gather at Richie's (outside) in Surprise for a breakfast at 8:30 a.m. To register please contact Betty, 217-415-4456. Gatherings in the future may be meet and greet, Oktoberfest and of course our annual and board election meeting in November.

Center and the Christmas Party will be at Briarwood Country Club on Dec. 5. For questions on events contact Tanna at denny62000@yahoo.com or text 360-220-1222 (no calls please). We encourage new members to join the club and sign up for the email communication list. Please visit washstclub-scw.com for membership and event information. Membership is \$10 for residents of Sun City West, Sun City Grand, Sun City and Corta Bella.

Traveling this summer?

Do you plan on traveling this summer and need something to keep you occupied during your trip? Maybe you just need something to listen to while exercising. Whatever the case may be, audiobooks from the R.H. Johnson Library are available for SCW residents through the Libby app.

Audiobooks on Libby can be played through your smartphone or tablet or iPad to your car

audio system to listen as you drive. You don't have to worry about returning titles they return automatically through Libby with no late fees. Audiobooks can be sent to play on your Kindle fire using the Overdrive App - scw.overdrive.com.

Search the collection of audiobooks available through the Libby app. Sign in with your Rec Card number.

WASHINGTON STATE

The club held a well-attended picnic on April 14, which was enjoyed by all. As restrictions under the National Pandemic Emergency are relaxed, we will safely hold future events. The annual meeting/social will be held on Nov. 11 at Kuentz Rec

ENEWS

Sign up for the Rec Centers' enews at suncitywest.com

Once you sign up, you will receive an email confirming you want to opt in.

Be sure to complete that final step to start receiving your enews every Wednesday!

June 2021						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Budget & Finance Committee, 9 am Lecture Hall	2	3	4 Rec Center News Deadline GB Workshop, 9 am Lecture Hall	5
6	7 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "The Phantom Menace" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	8 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "Attack of the Clones" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	9 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "Revenge of the Sith" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	10 Dive In Movie - "Underwater" 7:30 pm, RHJ Pool	11 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "Solo: A Star Wars Story" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	12
13	14 Flag Day Tour Beardsley Rec Center, 9 am Star Wars Movie Marathon - "Rogue One: A Star Wars Story" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	15 Budget & Finance Committee, 9 am Lecture Hall Star Wars Movie Marathon - "A New Hope" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	16 Tour Kuentz Rec Center, 9 am Star Wars Movie Marathon - "The Empire Strikes Back" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	17 Tour RH Johnson, 9 am Golf Committee 1:30 pm, Lecture Hall	18 TORCH Committee 9 am, Lecture Hall Tour 7 Golf Courses, 9 am Grandview Pro Shop Star Wars Movie Marathon - "Return of the Jedi," 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	19
20 Father's Day Summer Begins	21 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "The Force Awakens" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	22	23 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "The Last Jedi" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	24 GB Regular Meeting Annual Meeting 9 am, Social Hall Dive In Movie - "The Secret: Dare to Dream," 7:30 pm, RHJ Pool	25 Star Wars Movie Marathon - "The Rise of Skywalker" 1 pm, Stardust Theatre	26
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To confirm Governing Board activities, call 623-544-6115.



March 2021 Financials

OPERATING REVENUES	March Actual	March Budget	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	YTD PY
Membership	1,278,244	1,287,660	10,963,504	11,152,826	10,844,392
Recreation	3,815	10,233	11,156	109,885	98,987
Golf Fees	1,364,768	1,426,738	6,716,099	6,640,380	5,784,812
Bowling	58,521	82,889	353,313	535,724	519,489
Special Events	3,357	46,390	(17,580)	187,680	191,552
Ancillary Revenue	128,047	128,639	736,667	690,152	638,518
Merchandise Sales	18,997	51,664	86,006	234,380	171,089
Food and Beverage	19,537	39,974	95,118	231,199	186,695
Interest Income - Operating	0	180	0	540	250
Other Income	463	628	(24,248)	4,355	(1,797)
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUE	2,875,749	3,074,995	18,920,036	19,787,120	18,433,987
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Wages And Benefits	1,249,528	1,316,893	10,732,123	11,378,245	10,727,809
Utilities	178,291	189,330	1,752,968	1,950,758	1,749,316
Repair and Maintenance	100,327	99,534	1,008,304	1,195,462	1,088,001
Landscape Maintenance	30,349	69,460	1,187,353	1,177,430	1,129,651
Supplies and Services	54,036	57,530	356,367	480,010	444,296
Equipment	19,937	23,110	136,632	297,310	230,656
Taxes and Insurance	84,606	52,504	502,668	529,179	457,724
Interest & Financial Expense	65,772	59,890	350,542	305,210	295,339
Operating Expenses	39,213	48,442	328,519	413,354	332,437
Legal and Professional	7,748	22,635	105,160	231,565	181,123
Employee Related Expenses	9,006	18,100	116,335	174,005	136,506
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE	1,838,813	1,957,427	16,576,972	18,132,527	16,772,857
OPERATING CASH INFLOW/(OUTFLOW)	1,036,936	1,117,568	2,343,064	1,654,593	1,661,130
CAPITAL RELATED					
Investment Income-Reserves	91,054	56,878	3,735,820	375,548	518,723
Unrealized Gain (Loss) Investments	(316,008)	0	(2,283,976)	0	(1,378,210)
Club Funded Capital	0	0	875	0	72,818
Asset Preservation Fee	528,500	504,000	3,612,000	3,195,500	3,113,800
Gain / (Loss) on Asset Disposal	0	0	(13,381)	(65,560)	(47,272)
Depreciation Expense	(339,917)	(363,968)	(2,920,075)	(3,156,774)	(2,725,832)
TOTAL CAPITAL RELATED	(36,372)	196,909	2,131,263	348,713	(445,973)
REVENUES OVER / (UNDER) EXPENSES	1,000,565	1,314,477	4,474,327	2,003,307	1,215,157
Capital Project Expenditures	100,387	313,118	5,431,529	4,717,178	3,378,354

Financials are preliminary until accepted by the Governing Board.
Complete financial statements are posted monthly on suncitywest.com

Fiscal Year 20-21 Capital Projects \$100K or Higher - as of 3/31/21

Project/Equipment	Budget	Total
General/Administration		
HVAC Units(s) **	474,027	396,385
Safety & Structural Integrity (e.g. sidewalks, security)	100,000	78,958
Recreation / Sports Pavilion		
Palm Ridge Parking Lot - Mill & Resurface	701,000	0
Metal Shop Renovation / Addition**	570,000	49,590
Beardsley Arts & Crafts - Flat Roof Restoration	198,000	148,690
Palm Ridge Parking Lot/Walkways - Lighting Replacement	175,000	45,840
RHJ Fitness Center Flooring Replacement	170,000	1,003
Beardsley Park - Transformer & Electrical Renovation	165,000	44,562
Library - Flat Roof Renovation	147,700	113,138
Sports Pavilion - Scoring System	240,905	158,988
Golf		
Golf Maintenance Equipment	734,382	698,376
Desert Trails Bunker Project	290,000	287,891
Golf Maintenance Vehicles	253,004	253,470
Pebblebrook Shoreline Project #18	221,450	236,899
Pebblebrook Parking Lot - Mill & Resurface	187,000	165,856
Rental Cart Fleet	123,600	0

*Club Funded

**Includes Carryover Budget and/or savings allocated by GM

Chartered clubs reminded of 'social club' tax status

We need to call your attention to a few items that have recently come to our attention. These issues focus on existing RCSCW Policies, Rules, Regulations and Procedures (RR&Ps), and IRS Tax Codes related to Social Clubs, specifically non-club member revenue.

The Internal Revenue Service provides the bulk of our Chartered Clubs tax-exempt status under section 501(c)(7), which allows "Social Clubs" to organize specifically "for pleasure, recreation, and other non-profitable purposes". The tax code, as well as our own RCSCW operational policies, prohibit social clubs from providing any improper private benefit. We truly understand that "Social Clubs" provide important benefits in the lives of many people, but the legal requirements for them are equally important.

The purpose of exempting social clubs from income tax is to permit individuals to pursue common interests through an organization without paying a second level of tax on the money they contribute to such organizations.

One of the distinguishing features of "Social Clubs" is that they cannot open their facilities to the public without losing their tax-exemption. If social clubs are providing services or facilities to the general public, they arguably compete with taxable enterprises, which are burdened by taxation.

Other "Social Club" features that are mandated by the tax code are as follows:

- Social Clubs must be organized for pleasure, recreation, and other non-profitable purposes.

- Social Clubs are to be supported by membership fees, dues, and assessments.

- Earnings may not be for the benefit of any person having a personal and private interest in its activities.

- May not hold itself out as providing goods and services to the general public.

- Cannot provide pleasure or recreation on a commercial basis.

Exempt income is limited almost exclusively to income from club membership fees, dues, and other amounts directly paid by club members. As for a social club's revenues from non-member sources, almost all are subject to taxation as unrelated taxable business income.

The IRS also mandates that "Social Clubs" receive no more than 15% of their gross receipts from non-member sources. Gross receipts are defined as the gross amount received by the organization during its annual accounting period from all sources without reduction for any costs or expenses.

The RCSCW Rules, Regulations and Procedures (RR&P's) also provide the following guidelines for Chartered Clubs:

- The sale of products or services in the Association facilities for personal monetary gain is prohibited.

- Accounts should not exceed the amounts considered prudent to fulfill the Association's goals of providing for the recreational, social, and leisure interests of their members.

- Clubs and their individual members shall not have profit as a goal.

- Any income to tax-exempt clubs from sources outside of its membership must be identified as such in club records.

- Arts and Crafts facilities are intended to be used by the Association's members for the express purpose of pursuing and encouraging those activities.

- The use of these facilities is NOT intended to promote or enhance commercial gain.

- Club officers must periodically remind members that the sale program is authorized only under the Association's sponsorship and is designed specifically to foster the membership growth and financial support needed by craft related clubs.

- Individual or private selling of merchandise for the express purpose of generating personal monetary gain is prohibited.

As long as social clubs operate to further their pleasurable and recreational purposes and by meeting their IRS requirements, they can securely pursue their interests on a tax-exempt basis. However, if the organization deviates from its original purpose, the social club runs the risk of losing its tax-exempt status. The Association therefore has concerns that some of the Social Clubs may not be aware

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Phone Numbers



<p>MAIN TELEPHONE NUMBER: 623-544-6000 (All numbers have 623 area code unless otherwise noted)</p> <p>RH JOHNSON REC CENTER: 544-6120 19803 R.H. Johnson Blvd. Fitness Center: 544-6107 Swimming Pool: 544-6106 Tennis Reservations: 544-6151 Mini Golf, Table Tennis, Wii, Arcade, Racquetball, Bocce: 544-6108 Auto Restoration: 518-3226 Broadcast: 602-538-1031 Ceramics: 546-0975 Lapidary: 584-8952 Lawn Bowls: 584-0617 or</p>	<p>544-6147 Men's Club: 544-6150 Metal Club: 584-0150 Model Railroad: 544-6148 Rip 'N' Sew: 546-4050 Silvercraft: 584-8153</p> <p>VILLAGE STORE: 623-544-6135 (located at R.H. Johnson Rec Center)</p> <p>RH JOHNSON LIBRARY: 544-6130 Data Resource Center: 544-6644</p> <p>SPORTS PAVILION (Bowling): 544-6140 Memo's Bistro: 544-6116</p>	<p>BEARDSLEY REC CENTER: 544-6524 12755 Beardsley Road at Stardust Boulevard Pool/Fitness/Mini Golf: 544-6525 Bridge Club: 544-6529 Clay Club: 544-6530 Copper Cookers: 544-6532 Horseshoe: 215-5807 Photography: 544-6520 Porcelain Painters: 544-6521</p> <p>KUENTZ REC CENTER: 544-6561 14401 R.H. Johnson Blvd. Swimming Pool/Fitness: 544-6561</p>	<p>Softball: 544-6157, 544-6158 Weavers: 544-6515 Women's Social: 546-4236 Woodworking: 546-4722</p> <p>PALM RIDGE REC CENTER: 544-6580 13800 W. Deer Valley Drive Swimming Pool/Fitness: 544-6581 Computers West: 214-1546 Stained Glass: 544-6586</p> <p>GOLF OPERATIONS: Tee Time Reservations: scw.totalegolf.com DEER VALLEY: 544-6016 DESERT TRAILS: 544-6017 ECHO MESA: 544-6014</p>	<p>GRANDVIEW: 544-6013 Crooked Putter: 544-6090 PEBBLEBROOK: 544-6010 STARDUST: 544-6012 TRAIL RIDGE: 544-6015 Course Conditions: 544-6175 Golf Operations: 544-6037</p> <p>ADMINISTRATION General Manager: 544-6110 Human Resources: 544-6104 Member Services: 544-6100 Rec Center News: 544-6519 Website: 544-6479 Recreation Manager: 544-6114 Tours & Scheduling: 544-6032 Box Office: 544-6093 Explore: 544-6024</p>
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Club Contacts

For more information visit scwclubs.com to access each club's website



ARTS & CRAFTS

- Art - Sun West, Patty Hoffert: 623-760-6369
- Artistic Hand Lettering, Cards & Mixed Media (formerly Calligraphy West), Dale Horny-Toffoy: 623-546-8502; Jan Nesper: 920-323-3117
- Basketeers, Laura O'Neill: 440-532-3819; Connie Masterson: 612-270-9738
- Beaders, Shelia Mackasek: 623-546-9696; Karen Osmond: 623-606-0840
- Ceramics West, Janette Gricol: 623-584-1465
- Clay Club, Margi Cantrell: 817-320-4764
- Copper Enameling and Glass Arts, Melinda Butler: 503-774-8574
- Creative Silk Flowers, Beverly Owens: 623-546-6779
- Creative Stitchers, Jeanette Hill: 815-347-2665
- Decorative Art, Rhonda Potts, 317-435-9456
- Encore Needle & Craft, Terri Carneiro: 914-393-7094
- Johnson Lapidary, Don Wright: 509-675-7744
- Leather Carvers, John Richter: 623-203-7282
- Mac-Cro-Knit, Sharon Moore: 816-529-7339
- Metal Club, James Chitwood: 623-399-5060
- Palo Verde Patchers, Nancy Steely: 602-481-7128
- Photography West, Jim Keane: 623-444-2509
- Porcelain Painters, Shannon Smith: 623-237-1813
- Rip 'n' Sew, Ronnie Williams: 413-824-5114; Gina Ogle: 402-968-8821

- Scrapbooking, Paper-crafts & More, Fran Mills: 623-594-1631
- Stained Glass Crafters, Gene Muren: 623-777-1615
- Toy-Ki Silvercraft, Linda Rusch: 623-444-5504
- Weavers West Guild, Karen Vincent: 623-810-0159; Mary Wilder: 509-999-3164
- Woodworking, Gene Winkels: 623-692-6482
- Zymurgy, William Houck: 602-694-5425

CARDS & GAMES

- Bridge-Kiva West Duplicate, Margaret Beach: 586-322-1242
- Bridge-One Partner, Eugene Mitofsky: 623-505-7206
- Bridge-Tuesday Contract, Jan Bestwick: 714-290-4015
- Bunco, Ronald Wilson: 623-214-4887
- Canasta West, Arlene Rozmus: 623-546-3803
- Card Players of Sun City West, Judy Thompson: 218-252-0252. Includes: Euchre, Karen Anderson: 920-960-6661; Five Hundred, Rosemary Dougherty: 623-760-8479; Pan, Janie Fallon: 623-332-6560; Sheepshead, Jim Krause: 602-877-1896
- Club 52 Card Club, Rudy Velasquez: 847-249-1442
- Cribbage, Ron Wilson: 623-214-4887; Arlin Bates: 605-939-5757
- Mah Jongg, Barb McCart: 623-330-5708
- Men's Club, Jerry Bolles: 815-541-2400
- Pinochle, Louis Bonar:

847-404-9835

- Saturday Night Gamesters, Louis Bonar: 847-404-9835

DANCE

- Country Western, Joanne Palaoro: 480-285-4442
- Hillcrest Dance & Social, John Ashton: 303-618-5243
- Latin & Ballroom Dance, Carol DeAmbra: 623-975-6248
- Line Dancers, Martha Williams: 623-556-9093
- Rock 'n' Roll Dance, Pamela Spears: 480-259-7281
- Westerners Square Dance, Paul J. Van Rooy: 608-669-0595

HEALTH & FITNESS

- Arthritis Club, Rosemary Dougherty: 623-760-8479
- Energetic Exercise, Gloria Schroeder: 623-986-9392
- Fitness Club, Vicki Crites: 303-660-9066
- Handi-Capables, Cathy Shyers: 908-642-1578
- Water Fitness, Anne Becknell: 310-245-0460
- Yoga, Charles Anesi: 612-940-3345

HOBBIES & TRAVEL

- Agriculture, Jim Gricol: 623-584-1465
- Automotive Restoration, Dean Lewellen: 623-363-4457
- Broadcast, Gary Cohen: 480-204-0425
- Computers West, David Morin: 623-217-1217
- Desert Garden Club, David Wiegand: 715-370-4789

- Investment Club, Steve Cratsenberg: 360-481-3976; includes Coin & Stamp, Donald King Sr.: 623-249-5460
- Model Railroad, Bob Rose: 623-826-3448
- Recreational Vehicle, Nadene Forsyth: 602-689-4184
- Rockhounds West, Robert Provan: 207-505-1542

MUSIC & PERFORMANCE

- DanceSensations, Paulette Halle: 623-440-9738. Includes: Barre/Ballet, Hula, Jazz, Musical Theatre, Tap, Clogging, Jazzy Poms, Tai Chi and Pilates
- Karaoke, Patricia Hundley: 623-584-1023
- Music Club of Sun City West, Neil White: 623-466-9229
- Stardust Theatre Council, Paulette Halle: 623-440-9738
- Theatre West, Steve Johnson: 402-432-1586
- Westernaires Chorus, Sue Powell: 610-209-5136

SOCIAL

- Boomers, Ronnie Castaneda: 623-546-5596
- Canine Companions, Debbie Pastori: 623-308-1390
- Club Español, Mimi Williams: 651-353-5289
- Friends of the Library, Larry Woods: 623-556-8949
- LGBT Club, Suzanne Ar-nopolin: 413-218-8653
- Singles Club, Toni Tucker: 720-273-3587
- Sunshine Animal Club, Robert Stebbins: 623-544-

2356

- Women's Social Club, Jan Wilson: 714-235-2752

SPORTS - GOLF

- Deer Valley Men, Mike Brooks: 623-696-0748
- Deer Valley Women, Marisa Chaney: 503-332-5164
- Desert Trails Men, Wayne Hendrickson: 805-300-0047
- Desert Trails Women, Rayma Karr: 573-659-0803; Elaine Keller, 623-556-0689
- Echo Mesa Men, Richard Franke: 602-910-1656
- Echo Mesa Women, Kathryn Peterson: 815-953-6040
- Golf Council SCW, Karen Hunter: 623-544-6986
- Grandview Men, Roger Teel: 949-678-0550
- Grandview Women, Anette Petersen: 602-697-8640
- Lady Putters SCW, Anne Becknell, 623-388-3096
- Men's Niners, Mark Brown: 623-214-5438
- Men's Putting, Mike Scheuermann: 937-215-6579
- Pebblebrook Men, David Eikner: 970-689-0774
- Pebblebrook Women, Donna Richmond: 623-414-2754
- Pebblebrook Ladies Niners, Mary Monfre: 321-537-1577
- Stardust Men, Burton Murray: 850-405-7864
- Stardust Ladies, Avis Bennett: 623-444-8483; Katherine Heisler: 587-377-2886
- Trail Ridge Men, Joe

Fleming: 623-322-9691

- Trail Ridge Women, Barbara Murray: 775-750-3363

SPORTS

- Bocce, Ed Humphrey: 623-882-5511
 - Bowlers Association, Sheryl Gingerich: 623-523-9462
 - Cyclists, Richard Greene: 541-912-2280
 - Horseshoe Club, Bob Plueger: 563-357-3695
 - Johnson Lawn Bowls, Brad Berg: 701-388-9610
 - Men's Billiards, Jim McCauley: 541-991-7236
 - Mini-Golfers, Deirdre Morrison: 516-527-4437
 - Mis-Cues Ladies Billiards, Beverly Randall: 623-444-9749
 - Pickleball, Eileen Freyberg: 480-504-9008
 - Racquetball/Handball/Whisperball, Greg Steger: 563-271-3053
 - Shuffleboard, John Henderson: 610-844-2437
 - Softball, Dave Ryg: 815-978-0712
 - Sportsman's, Becky Chase: 623-547-2206; includes Master Swimmers, Diane Heisner: 248-703-8242
 - Tennis Club, Lee Hoag: 623-633-1526; includes: Platform Tennis, Butch Lynd: 618-581-0729; Table Tennis, Lanny Leathers: 623-584-6231; Volleyball, Mike Kosanda: 701-739-3795
- Chartered Clubs leadership is subject to change. The list will be updated as necessary. Call 544-6031.*



Library

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The summer puzzle is titled "Around the World" and will begin on Wednesday, June 2.

SUMMER COMMUNITY PUZZLE

Educa's 42,000-piece "Around the World" is this summer's community puzzle. It provides a tour of the world's leading places and landmarks designed by Adrian Chesterman.

The fun begins at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 2, at the R.H. Johnson Library and continues during normal library hours (9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday) until the puzzle is completed. You may participate for as much or as little time as you wish. There will be a sign-up sheet to count how many participate and how many hours it takes to complete the puzzle.

THURSDAY MOVIES NIGHTS

Friends of the R. H. Johnson Library Thursday Night Movies are returning June 3 to the Stardust Theater with a showing of "Nomadland."

SUMMER READING CLUB

The R.H. Johnson Library presents the 2021 Adult Summer Reading Program. The theme this year is:

"Reading Colors Your World." "The broad motif of 'colors' provides a context for exploring humanity, nature, culture, and science, as well as developing programming that demonstrates how libraries and reading can expand your world through kindness, growth, and community."

Color your world with R. H. Johnson Library by joining the adult summer read program today. There will be drawings for prizes and, in addition, those who participate a minimum of eight weeks will receive a coupon for one free \$1 book at the Friends of the Library Book Sale. For information and to register, stop in the library or visit scwlibrary.com. Program run from June 8 through Sept. 4.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

R.H. Johnson Library offers an opportunity for library enthusiasts to serve their community by becoming a volunteer.

Volunteers comprise an important part of the library's operations and perform a variety of duties. Whether you are employed or retired, you will be a

Library hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Only residents with their own valid Rec Card may checkout library materials.

The Library has two exterior return boxes at the horseshoe drive - one for books and one for media. To prevent damage, please take the time to rubber band your materials before depositing.

Visit the Library's website at scwlibrary.com



Tracy Skousen
Library Director

welcomed addition to the R.H. Johnson Library team.

There are volunteer opportunities throughout the library system, although there may not be vacancies for all positions at any given time.

Volunteers must be willing to commit to a regular schedule of 3-and-a-half hours per week. Morning shifts are 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or afternoon shifts of 12:30 to 4 p.m.

All volunteers must have a valid rec card. If interested in volunteering, please ask for an application at the circulation desk.

If you have questions, contact the Library Volunteer Coordinator, Audrey Ellis, at 623-544-6164.

Clubs reminded of tax status

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of the foregoing issues after years in existence. They may now be non-compliant with respect to non-member income and gross revenue, for instance.

Additionally, failure to comply with IRS and/or Arizona Department of Revenue requirements can result in severe penalties to both the club and the Association. The maximum penalty is the lesser of \$10,000 or five (5) percent of gross receipts for the year.

The Association requests that each chartered club with 501(c)(7) status, as well as those with other tax exemptions, review its status and its financial situation. If you have tax questions, please contact the club's CPA or tax attorney. If you have non-tax questions about the RR&P's, contact the Association.

Local charity helps residents in need

Have you ever had a queasy feeling when approaching your mailbox knowing you have no cash in your bank account for the

phone bill, EPCOR or APS bills that awaits? Suffer no more. Call the Community Fund of Sun City West to say, "I need you." Did you know that CFSCW helped clients to the tune of \$161,106 in 2020. Trained volunteers will return your call to assist with application process.

Community Fund of Sun City West is available to help Sun City West residents in need. The 501(c)3



non-profit fund has help for residents in need due to sudden loss of income. Please call their hotline at 623-546-1122, and leave a

name, number and a short message. A personal needs representative will return the call. To be eligible for this assistance, you must be a resident of Sun City West for at least one year. Representatives will take prospective clients through a qualification process and will need applicant's financial information. All information given is strictly confidential.

Stardust Movies

JUNE 3

"Nomadland"

Winner of three 2021 Oscars (Best Picture, Director and Actress). Following the economic collapse of a company town in rural Nevada, Fern (Frances McDormand) packs her van and sets off on the road exploring a life outside of conventional society as a modern-day nomad. (C) (2020) (1hr 47m) (R for some nudity).



JUNE 10

"News of the World"

Five years after the Civil War, Capt. Jefferson Kyle Kidd (Tom Hanks) moves from town to town as a non-fiction storyteller, sharing the news from the far reaches of the globe. In the plains of Texas, he crosses paths with a 10-year-old girl taken in by the Kiowa people and raised as one of their own. Kidd agrees to deliver the child to where the law says she belongs. As they travel hundreds of miles into the unforgiving wilderness, the two

face tremendous challenges of both human and natural forces as they search for a place they can call home. (C) (2020) (1H 58M) (PG-13).



JUNE 17

"Knives Out"

When renowned crime novelist Harlan Thrombey (Christopher Plummer) is found dead at his estate just after his 85th birthday, the inquisitive and debonair Detective Benoit Blanc (Daniel Craig) is mysteriously enlisted to investigate. From Harlan's dysfunctional family to his devoted staff, Blanc sifts through a web of red herrings and self-serving lies to uncover the truth behind Harlan's untimely death. With an all-star ensemble cast including Chris Evans, Ana de Armas, Jamie Lee Curtis, Toni Collette, Don Johnson and Michael Shannon. (C) (2019) (2h 11M) (PG-13).



JUNE 24

"The Call of the Wild"

Buck is a big-hearted dog whose blissful domestic life gets turned upside down when he is suddenly uprooted from his California home and transplanted to the exotic wilds of the Alaskan Yukon in the 1890s. As the newest rookie on a mail-delivery dog sled team, Buck experiences the adventure of a lifetime as he ultimately finds his true place in the world. Starring Harrison Ford, Omar Sy and Dan Stevens. (C) (2020) (1H 40M) (PG).



Harrison Ford, Omar Sy and Dan Stevens. (C) (2020) (1H 40M) (PG).

STARDUST THEATRE

Kuentz Rec Center (R.H. Johnson Blvd. at Stardust Blvd.)
Friends of the Library movies are open to Sun City West residents and their invited guests.

\$2/person donation - (Doors open at 6 p.m.)
Program starts at 7 p.m. or when all seats filled.

Please, no saving seats

(Hearing assisted devices are now available for your use)
Please no food or drink in the theater scwaz.com/category/movies



Golf/Sports



Golf cart, indoor seating rules reset

As we slowly get back to normal in our Golf Operations Department, a return to pre-COVID-19 golf cart rules and limited indoor clubhouse seating began in May.

Cart Rules

To protect our golf courses during the turf transition process, the following cart rules will be put into place. These rules will help limit the number of carts in each group thus reducing the wear and tear in both the fairway and rough areas.

The number of players determine the number of four-wheeled carts permitted in each group:

- one cart equals 1-2 players
- two carts equal 3-4 players
- three carts equal 4 players – one player with a medical request (flag).

Motorized two-wheel carts may be added to each of the examples above which will increase the number of carts in each group. Example: A twosome may have one four-wheeled cart and one two-wheeled cart in the group and be in compliance.

Carts are to be kept at least 30 feet from all tees and greens. Please stay on paths near greens and tee boxes when possible.

Carts are not to be driven between greens and bunkers as well as marked off areas regardless of a golfer's medical condition or privileges.

Fleet carts must stay out of the desert areas. Personal carts may cut through the desert areas if they don't damage the golf course or create a hazardous situation.

Medical flag authorizations may be renewed/updated at Golf Operations offices.

If golf course conditions warrant "Cart Path Only," this rule will apply to all golfers. Medical flag privileges do not

allow the golfer to get off the path.

Golf carts are restricted to two occupants and their equipment. (All golfers must have their own set of clubs. Sharing clubs is not permitted).

Indoor Seating

Limited indoor seating will be allowed at our golf courses. Size of the pro-shop will determine the number of tables and chairs available for available seating. Existing patio chairs and tables will not be allowed to be moved indoors nor will additional tables and chairs be added until later this spring/summer.



Holes in One



NAME	DATE	COURSE	HOLE	YARDS	CLUB
Helga Westell	4-1-21	Desert Trails	16	85	7 iron
Carl Wenger	4-5-21	Echo Mesa	3	131	7 iron
Barb Bohnart	4-8-21	Deer Valley	14	133	5 hybrid
Susan Vaughan	4-9-21	Stardust	13	138	Driver
Rhonda Braun	4-9-21	Deer Valley	5	130	6 hybrid
Mike Meurer	4-10-21	Echo Mesa	6	119	9 iron
Trudel Reed	4-11-21	Echo Mesa	8	107	5 hybrid
Russell Johnston	4-11-21	Echo Mesa	8	133	4 hybrid
Jerry Gorden	4-12-21	Echo Mesa	7	120	7 iron
Cornelia Dereemer	4-13-21	Echo Mesa	12	100	4 hybrid
William Reed	4-14-21	Echo Mesa	15	109	8 iron
Mary Zaroni	4-15-21	Echo Mesa	4	121	Driver
Lisa Hubble	4-15-21	Desert Trails	17	86	8 iron
Dave Weidenbach	4-16-21	Desert Trails	16	110	52 d. wedge
Rick Katzer	4-18-21	Pebblebrook	15	182	4 hybrid
Darryl Boyd	4-19-21	Echo Mesa	3	115	9 iron
John Orr	4-23-21	Stardust	5	119	7 iron
Elfie Williams	4-29-21	Stardust	5	101	9 iron
Don Giese	4-29-21	Echo Mesa	15	84	PW
Fred Baumgarten	4-30-21	Desert Trails	11	115	9 wood

April ace

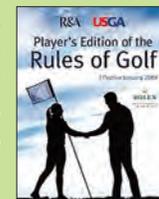


Cornelia Dereemer used a 4-hybrid club to ace the 100-yard par 3 No. 12 hole at Echo Mesa Golf Course on April 13.

Frequently Asked Questions

Relief for Embedded Ball

Q: My ball is stuck in the ground (embedded) – what are my options?



A: You may play it as it lies or take free relief by dropping the ball within one club-length of the spot right behind where the ball is embedded (see Rule 16.3b).

Johnson Lanes Sports Pavilion



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 League Open Bowling	2 League Open Bowling	3 League Open Bowling	4 League Open Bowling	5 Open Bowling BASCW No Tap 5:00 PM
	6 Open Bowling	7 League Open Bowling	8 League Open Bowling	9 League Open Bowling	10 League Open Bowling	11 League Open Bowling
	13 Open Bowling	14 League Open Bowling	15 League Open Bowling	16 League Open Bowling	17 League Open Bowling	18 League Open Bowling
	20 Open Bowling	21 League Open Bowling	22 League Open Bowling	23 League Open Bowling	24 League Open Bowling	25 League Open Bowling
	27 Open Bowling	28 League Open Bowling	29 League Open Bowling	30 League Open Bowling		

Sports Pavilion Hours:
Mon - Sat 9am - 8pm
Sunday - Closed

623-544-6140



Sun City West Green Team Golfing

"Golfing without Tears"

RELAXED, CASUAL GOLF

Saturdays. Play at Stardust, Echo Mesa, Desert Trails

No Membership Fee

Free Clinics

Your choice:
9 or 18 holes



Residents, Guests
Senior Residents

Green Team Social Golfing is designed for golfers of all experience levels who just want to play golf in a hassle-free, fun environment. For more information, send an e-mail to

greenteam@suncitywest.com



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facebook.com/suncitywest.



OHOA announces 2021 Board

The OHOA Office is on summer recess and re-open on Monday, Oct. 4. We will, however,



return phone calls and emails we receive during the summer recess. Call us at 623-214-6006 or email us at achoscw@aol.com.

In addition to our monthly seminars, annual meeting, and annual Leadership Academies in January and February for HOA board members, we have added two events next year.



The OHOA announced its 2021 Board of Directors. From left to right: chair Rodger DeBritz, directors Jude Hogaboam, Pat Parcher, Matti Barone, Gail Olsen, Mary Jo Blum, and Matthew Thompson. Missing: office manager Tona Carruthers.

In October 2021, we will host an OHOA open house and a new class on Nov. 4 for potential and new HOA board members. This

will be an introductory but important class titled, "I'm on My HOA Board (or thinking about running for my HOA board)! What Do I Need to Know?" It will be a two-hour evening class. Watch for more news in the fall.

Our annual April Sharing in the Park was a success. Thank you to all who attended the April Sharing in the Park after a year of pandemic closures. Nicole Payne, an HOA Attorney from Carpenter, Hazlewood, Delgado and Bolen Law Firm, emphasized the importance of creating a defined fine policy and the need for each HOA to establish a procedure for enforcing HOA CC&R violations. Gail Olsen, an OHOA Board Director, provided invaluable information for revising your HOAs CC&Rs.



Chair Rodger DeBritz welcomes SCW HOA board members to the annual April Sharing in the Park event.

Northwest Valley Connect slates bus trips

Northwest Valley Connect is back offering once again its group trips program.

COVID-19 is still a concern and NVC is taking precautionary steps that attends to a higher level of safety practices for passengers, drivers, and equipment and assures rider safety. Although social distancing and masks may be an inhibitor for some folks, NVC will continue emphasizing practices that honor the health and wellbeing of all folks.

Mark your calendar for Tuesday, June 5, and call NVC to schedule your ride to Wickenburg, one of the oldest cowboy towns in Arizona, established 1863 and once a contender for the state capital. If you like to shop – this town is a haven. It exudes so much Art, Culture and Outdoor Recreation that the adventure will be fun.



Continuing the theme of the "Old West," Cave Creek also is scheduled for June. Another historical site, this old mining town was preserved not only by the efforts of President Lincoln, but today's residents. The museums, shopping, and perhaps finding gold draw people to this area while seeking knowledge of their Arizona heritage.

Contact Lynette Dorathy, NVC Group Trip Coordinator, at 623-282-9300. She will provide all answers to your questions and schedule your trip for a nominal fee. Rich Green, NVC driver, will pickup and deliver you to your door.

We look forward to these events and sharing them with you.



Club Corner

HOW TO SUBMIT CLUB NEWS:

The deadline for Club Corner submissions is the first Friday of each month for the following month's publication.

Deadline for the July Rec Center News is noon Friday, June 4.

Club news must be submitted every month. Please email your news to michael.melissa@suncitywest.com. In the subject line, show your club name and the month. Submissions must be 200 words or less.

ART

The Sun West Art Club is very pleased to offer so many successful classes over the COVID-19 period providing classes both online and at Kuentz, where our instructors and students were always safely distanced and masked. Because so many of our members leave for the summer, our Education Committee already has one online Zoom class scheduled for June so people can continue their art activities while away from Sun City West. Ed Sprafkin will teach Adventures in Acrylic

from 9 a.m. to noon on Tuesdays. There will also be at least three in-person classes over the summer in our Kuentz art studios: Drawing, Oil Painting and Acrylics and Oil. All information will be on our website - art.scwclubs.com. See the calendar and class lists for details and registration. In addition, our members can use the clubhouse and its available equipment for Open Art from 9 a.m. to noon on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays. These sessions provide a great way to meet new people and share art ideas. There must be at least two members present. When using the art room, if it is locked, members can check out and return the key to the Keuntz pool office. Happy painting!

ARTHRITIS

Because water has less impact on the joints, the Arthritis Club meets in the Beardsley heated pool every Monday, Wednesday and Saturday from 8 to 8:40 a.m.

The class is led by a volunteer instructor who guides you through a series of fun pool exercises sure to enhance joint movement while maintaining and building strength. The class is low impact and perfect for anyone who has arthritis, a knee or hip replacement, or has been inactive for a period of time.

In addition to our weekly classes, we

Tennis Club enjoys Margarita Madness

The Tennis Club's second annual Margarita Madness event was held on Saturday, May 1, at the Memo's Bistro Tennis Complex. Joel Piaskowski and Bernie Reed pulled it off again, with more than 60 participants giving rave reviews. Thanks to volunteers who made it all possible.

After enjoying 90 minutes of tennis, the real fun began with a wonderful meal of salads, pulled chicken and pork barbecue sandwiches, chips, and cookies, accompanied by margaritas. Raffle prizes were drawn for rounds of golf, gift cards from area restaurants, and many other items donated by area businesses. Prizes were given to the men for the craziest pair of socks (the infamous pink flamingo, won by Mike Kosanda); to the women for the craziest hat (a heavy mix of tennis balls and a racquet, won by Jacque Lee); and a hula hoop contest for everyone, resulting in a three-way tie (they would have gone on forever) between Lindsay Davidson, Monique Groothuizen, and Melissa Dell'Erario.

At 7:30 p.m., the music cranked up and many took to the dance floor to tunes from the 1960s, disco, and current melodies.

Despite the toasty conditions, members had a great time!



Above, a few of the 60-plus tennis players take it easy and cool off after an hour-and-a-half of friendly, competitive play. Below, look closely to spot a couple of the entrants in the wild and crazy hat contest! There were many more equally original.



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also have social events scheduled throughout the year. Club dues are just \$10 per year.

For more information, visit our website - arthritis.scwclubs.com - and check out the "Albums" page for a peek at some of our previous social events. Contact Rosemary Dougherty, club president, at 623-760-8479 for additional information.

ARTISTIC HAND LETTERING, CARDS & MIXED MEDIA

If you would like to join a club that offers fun and teaches you something new in lettering and art visit the Artistic Hand Lettering, Cards & Mixed Media. We meet in the Kuentz Rec Center Monday afternoon, Wednesday evening and Fridays.

One of our monthly events is card swap. A theme is presented and members create a card that includes that theme. They then swap cards with the group. Each member goes away with the number of cards of those participating. A very fun and challenging afternoon!

Our club offers a variety of equipment and supplies for use any time the room is open. If you are a new member and would like a tour of our cabinets, please ask one of our members. If you are not a member but would like to see what we are all about, please visit us during any of the times we are open and active. As a guest you can participate four times before joining.

For schedule updates visit our website at calligraphywest.scwclubs.com.

BOCCE

Want to learn how to play bocce or would you like a refresher?

The Bocce Club offers free Bocce lessons in September. This information will be posted on our website in August. These lessons will be available to all rec card members. We look forward to seeing everyone in the fall. Our next Bocce season will begin on Oct. 4. For information, visit bocce.scwclubs.com or call Bocce Club president Ed Humphrey at 623-882-5511.

BASCW (BOWLING)

Bowling is enjoyed by more people than any other sport in the world. The Bowlers Association of Sun City West promotes bowling, creating an environment designed to sustain a high level of fellowship, sportsmanship and friendly competition.

The BASCW (Bowling Club) will be bowl on Saturday, June 5, and then every other Saturday. Please note, the BASCW is a Sun City West Chartered Club, not a



BASKETEERS

The Basketeers club is open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday in CR-4 at Kuentz Rec Center. Visit Basketeers.scwclubs.com or call 612-270-9738. Above, Kay Cebron, Elaine Biondo, Judy Savage, Deb Montague, Janice McLain, and teacher Jean Lytlein meet for the first class back in the club room. Left, Elaine finished this beautiful basket with a classy base. Right, Sandra Tinkle completely a pine needle basket.



Carm Hendrix, left, Carol Andrus and Barb Hendrix show off their winnings from the BASCW Spring into Spring Red Pin event.

bowling league. So, as a club member, you can choose to bowl or not. Bowl as your time and schedule work for you.

The BASCW sign up book is on the table/display desk in the center of the bowling lanes. Payment envelopes are next to the book and can be put in the "payment mailbox" that abuts the desk.

We bowl a handicap No-Tap format meaning nine or 10 pins down on the first ball is a strike. The cost to bowl is \$10 per member and \$11 for resident guests. The fee covers the lineage and the payout to participating members. About half of the member bowlers will receive a payout of \$5-\$10. Member bowlers can also participate in the "3-6-9 pot," the "300 pot" and the 50/50 raffle. If you want to participate in these activities, you must pay with the correct change.

Summer Red Pin will meet every Tuesday through Aug. 17. Bowling starts at 1 p.m., be a little early and pay for the bowling for that day. The BASCW Red Pin sign up book will be at the lanes. The format for the Summer Red Pin event is a little different from the Saturday bowling. Participants will bowl for quarters in varying amounts depending on the pin configuration. Summer is not no-tap, but the prizes (quarters) are available for many possible pin combinations.

BASCW (Bowling Club) invites all residents, no matter your bowling skill, to join us for an evening of fun every other Saturday or Tuesday afternoons. Handicapping levels the playing field and gives all participants a chance to win some prize money. Membership is \$10 per year and forms are at the counter in the center of the bowling lanes.

For information, visit bascw.net or call Judy at 128-234-1091.

BOOMERS

Hello, Boomers! Slowly and cautiously, events and activities are coming back to normal here in Sun City West. At the last Boomers Board meeting, plans and activities were discussed for the remainder of this year and next.

Kuentz Craft Room 5 is now available from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays for small activities while small interest groups are meeting outdoors or online, finding fun things to do together.

There is Rumikub at 6 p.m. Mondays and our Acoustic Jam Session at 6 p.m. Wednesdays.

Our first special event for June is the Lakeside Bar and Grill Happy Hour 4 to 6 p.m. Monday, June 21, 70 person maximum, guests are welcome, RSVP required by June 20 to Bob Murray (bb@bbmurray.com). Wine tastings also will begin in June.

We know that our members are eager to return to the many fun activities we provide. Things will be somewhat slower over the summer, but those who stay in Sun City West are still eager for some fun. See the website to find out how you can help by hosting an event. For more information visit scwboomersclub.com. For questions about the club email events@boomersclub.com.

BRIDGE - KIVA WEST DUPLICATE

KIVA West Duplicate Bridge is at the Beardsley Recreation Center. It is a sanctioned member of the American Contract Bridge League. Games are supervised by certified directors. And ACBL members may earn masterpoints.

Play is every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Registration is 11:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. B level of players will be on Mondays and Thursdays.

Annual membership in Kiva is \$15. Member fees are \$3 per day and guest fees are \$6 per day. Everyone must have a playing partner.

For information call Margaret Beach at 586-322-1242.

If you need a partner, call Jennie Larson 763-712-0384 for Section A and Gail Matson 612-280-2935 for Section B.

BRIDGE - TUESDAY CONTRACT

The purpose of the Tuesday Contract Bridge Club is to have fun while playing Social, Mixed Partners, Contract Bridge. You don't need a special invitation or a partner (and there is no pre-registration), just come and join the fun! All player levels are welcome, but you must have a basic understanding of Bridge. We meet Tuesdays with registration beginning at 11:15. Our re-opening is tentatively set for Oct. 5. For information, visit our website at tuesdaybridge.scwclubs.com or send us and email at scwcontractbridge@gmail.com.

CERAMICS WEST

The Ceramics West Club in the R.H. Johnson Rec Center complex has new hours - 8 a.m. to noon and noon to 4 p.m.

We will also be open on the second Saturday of each month from 8 a.m. to noon.

We accept new members and have Beginner's Classes. We also now offer advanced classes in several different methods. We are a very social club and all members are willing to help with any questions.

Please come in for a tour of our club and see the hundreds of molds, greenware, and paints available for our members.

For information, call 546-0975.

CLAY

If you have dreamed of becoming a potter, come and play in the mud with Clay Club this summer! The summer months are the perfect time to join (or return) as there are an abundance of workspaces available.

The club offers several classes including Beginning Hand-Building for new members as well as classes and workshops for our "seasoned" members. Members are also encouraged to attend our Open Lab hours for help on current projects from 9 to 11 a.m. on the third Wednesday of each month.



The Clay Club held a Pot Party at the end of April. Twenty-four talented potters displayed and sold their hand-crafted items for the first time in more than a year.

On Wednesday, June 23, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Jane Kelsey-Mapel will teach the "Figurative Ceramics Workshop." Jane Kelsey-Mapel's ceramic figure sculptures can be found in public and private collections across the country and have been featured in U.S. and international publications and exhibitions. The fee for the workshop is \$50. Learn more at janekelsey-mapel.com.

New members are required to take an introductory hand-building class, which includes six three-hour instructional classes (18 hours). The small class size allows each student the opportunity to work closely with the instructor to create six finished, glazed pieces from raw clay. The cost is \$125.

Masks and social distancing are currently not required upon entering the Beardsley Recreation Center nor the club. There are not separate areas for those wearing masks and those not. Workspace is available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

For more information about the Clay Club including our summer classes and workshops, visit clay.scwclubs.com. Click on the Calendar Page and the SignUpGenius Page under the Members tab to see the most current information. You may also call 623-544-6530 for more information.

The Clay Club is in the Beardsley Rec Center at 12755 Beardsley Road. Membership in the Clay Club is open to all rec card holders.

COMPUTERS WEST

Computers West, at the Palm Ridge Recreation Center (623-214-1546), is the parent organization of two user groups: MacsWest and the PC Group. Room A is only open on Wednesdays and Fridays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For information, visit computerswest.org. Please watch our website. It will have updated information as we monitor current Rec Center regulations and Computers West guidelines.

We need your old cell phones for "Cell Phones for Soldiers!" Collection boxes are at CW and around Sun City West.

Need help? PC and MacsWest are ready to help. Check days and times below. Because of close contact, volunteers may require masks of people they are helping.

PC Group: Watch our website for the next PC and Computers West meeting dates and updated information at pscsw.org. The PC Group is not having classes or groups currently. Help group is Wednesdays and Fridays from 7:30 to 10:30 a.m. Includes one-on-one Android and Tablet help. Come early to sign up. Linux Help is at 8:30 a.m. Fridays.

MacsWest is currently not holding



Above, the Artistic Hand Lettering Club's challenge for April was to create a Mother's Day card without using flowers in the design. These are some of the submissions. Right, in April, we also met for our annual spring party. Our gracious and creative member Kathy Griffiths hosted the shindig with gifts and a fund balloon bouquet challenge for each member at the event. And everyone had a great time!

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Call Tours & Scheduling to book your reservation today at 623-544-6129 or 623-544-6032. For information on Allied Tour & Travel view their video at the top of our Tours and Scheduling page (under Things to Do) on suncitywest.com

Butterfly Museum



BRUNCH AT EGGSTASY & BUTTERFLY WONDERLAND Tuesday, July 20

Come along for a fun day as we start our tour with a delicious brunch at Eggstasy, located in Scottsdale, where you will dine on hearty breakfast fare as you choose from one of four delicious entrees. After our meal, it is onto Butterfly Wonderland, which is home to the largest butterfly pavilion in America. Along with the butterfly atrium, you can visit their Spineless Giants and Tropical Waters of the World exhibits, their fascinating honey bee beehive exhibit, and their popular 3D theater, which is currently featuring "Flight of the Monarchs." Please wear comfortable walking shoes.

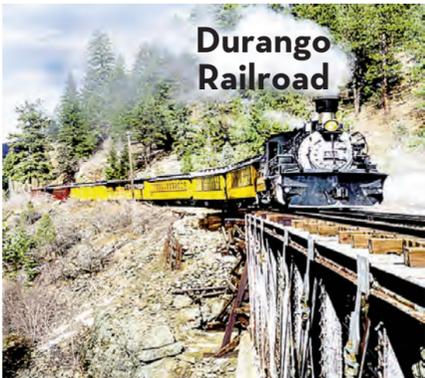
Cost is \$118 per person and includes: round-trip transportation; brunch at Eggstasy in Scottsdale, Butterfly Wonderland; a tour guide; bottled water; all taxes and gratuities.

SOUTHWESTERN ADVENTURE

Lake Powell, Horseshoe Bend,
Durango/Silverton Railroad, & Mesa Verde
Monday-Friday, Aug. 23-27
Don't Miss Out! Book Now!

Join Allied Tour & Travel for an awe-inspiring adventure as we hit some not-to-be-missed destinations of the Southwest! We will travel to Page where we will visit beautiful Lake Powell (and spend the night at our lakeside resort) along with an excursion to Horseshoe Bend that offers an amazing view of the 270-degree turn in the Colorado River surrounded by red and orange canyon walls spread out below. Then we are off to Durango, Colo., where we will spend the next three nights at The DoubleTree Durango Hotel on the beautiful Animas River. While here, we will travel back in time

Durango Railroad



on the Durango Silverton Railroad led by a coal-fired locomotive, enjoying the stunning views in the wilderness of the San Juan National Forest. Another highlight not to be missed will be Mesa Verde, where we will discover the cliff dwellings of the Ancestral Pueblo people who made it their home for more than 700 years.

Cost is \$1,495 double per person, \$1,949 single, or \$1,349 Triple Per Person. The tour includes: one night at Lake Powell Resort; three nights at DoubleTree Durango - Riverview Rooms; luxury motor coach transportation; Marble Canyon; Lake Powell; Horseshoe Bend; Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Train; Mesa Verde National Park; four breakfasts; one lunch; two dinners; tour guide; baggage handling; snacks and bottled water; driver and guide gratuities.



MEDIEVAL TIMES DINNER & TOURNAMENT Thursday, Aug. 5

Join the queen and her royal court for dinner and tournament. Enjoy a "hands-on," four-course feast as the dynamic performance unfolds before you, and six heroic knights on horseback compete in an authentic jousting tournament to become the champion. Cheer on your knight as he battles through the astounding athletic feats and thrilling swordplay that have become the hallmarks of this unique entertainment experience. Revel at the magnificent pure Spanish horses as they perform beautiful dressage that will take your breath away. A sweeping musical score and brilliant lights provide a fabulous backdrop for this spellbinding experience that blurs the boundary between fairy tale and spectacle. Note of caution: this is a live horse show in an enclosed area. People with allergy or asthma might want to consult with their physician before attending.

Cost is \$119 per person and includes: round-trip transportation; Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament Show; tour guide; bottled water; taxes and gratuities.

2021 ALBUQUERQUE BALLOON FIESTA Tuesday - Friday, Oct. 5-8

This tour is always popular and sells out early!

Each fall, pilots, crews, and spectators from all over the world come to the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta, the world's largest hot air ballooning event. For nine days, during the first full week of October, hundreds of colorful balloons float above the city each morning as dawn breaks

Horseshoe Bend



TRAVEL Opportunities

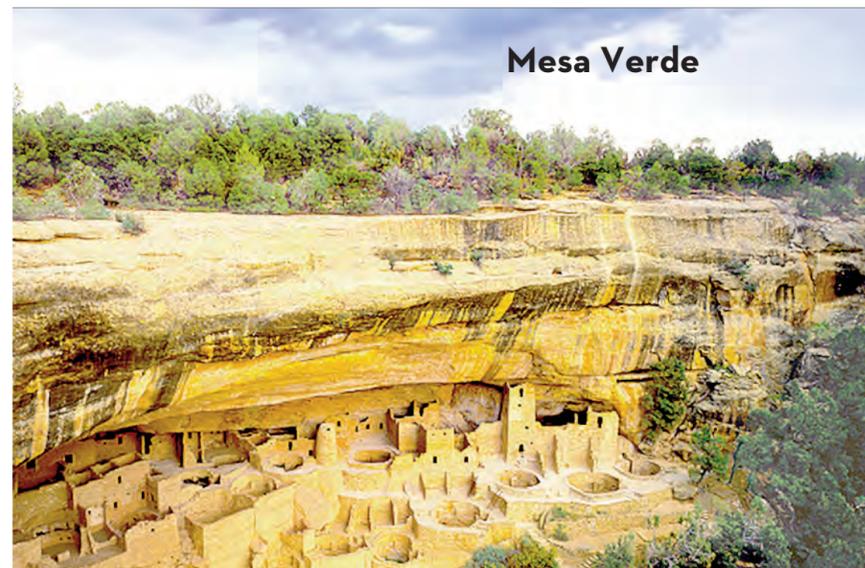


over the Sandia Mountains. It's no wonder this visual feast is said to be the world's most photographed event. The year 2021 marks the 50th year of this spectacular fiesta. Come along for a memory of a lifetime!

Cost is \$997 double occupancy per person; \$1,366 for single occupancy; and \$882 for triple occupancy per person. The tour includes: round-trip transportation; three nights accommodation at the Embassy Suites Albuquerque; two special

events at the 2021 Balloon Festival - Morning Mass Ascension and Evening Special Shape Glowdeo; Chasers' Club V.I.P. Tent with meals at each event (weather permitting); evening Manager's Reception at the hotel; visit to Historic Santa Fe, N.M.; self-guided tour of the Anderson-Abuzzo Albuquerque International Balloon Museum; three breakfasts; tour guide; driver and guide gratuities; baggage handling; snacks and water.

Mesa Verde



TONTO NATURAL BRIDGE STATE PARK & FARGO'S STEAKHOUSE Tuesday, Oct. 12

Come along with Allied Tour & Travel as we head to Tonto Natural Bridge State Park. You will get to see and explore what is believed to be the largest natural travertine bridge in the world. The discovery of this park was by David Gowan in 1877, a prospector who stumbled across the bridge as he was chased by Apaches. Gowan ended up claiming squatter's rights, and in 1898 he persuaded his nephew, David Gowan Goodfellow, to bring his family from Scotland and settle the land permanently. The Goodfellows had to lower their possessions down the 500-foot slopes into the valley by ropes and burros. This 183-foot bridge is beautiful from every angle, so don't forget your camera. Next, we are off to Fargo's Steakhouse in Payson for a delicious alfresco lunch out on their beautiful patio. Join us for a fun day in the Tonto National Forest!

Cost is \$119 per person and includes: round-trip transportation; entrance fee to Tonto Natural Bridge State Park; lunch at Fargo's Steakhouse; tour guide; snacks and bottled water; all taxes and gratuities.

VERDE CANYON RAILROAD ADVENTURE with LUNCH Thursday, Oct. 14

Come along as ALLIED Tour & Travel heads up to Clarkdale for a memorable day spent in the Verde Valley. Upon arrival we will enjoy a lunch from the Copper Spike Café at the Verde Canyon Railroad depot. Before stepping on board we will have the opportunity to have a face-to-face encounter with

Bryce Canyon



the area's majestic owls and wild raptors who are all a part of the Arizona Liberty Wildlife program. Next, we'll take a train ride through the heart of Arizona aboard the Verde Canyon Railroad to experience "Arizona's longest running nature show." You will savor every moment of our four-hour round-trip wilderness adventure through this beautiful river canyon only accessible by rail. Vintage cars provide first-class comfort while the panoramic window views transport your imagination to somewhere wild and untamed.

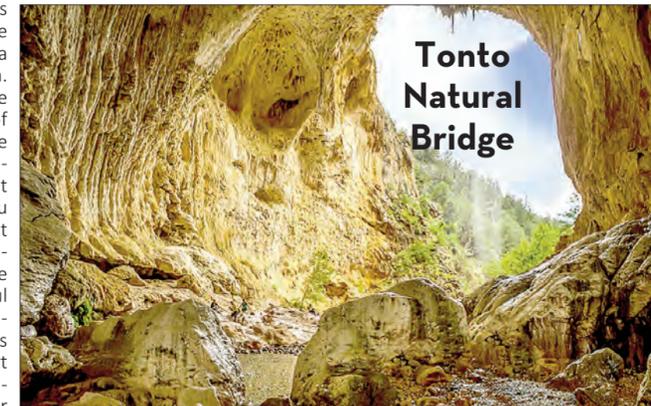
Cost is \$229 and includes: round-trip transportation; first-class Verde Canyon Railroad tickets; lunch at Copper Spike Café; the Raptors at the Rails Program by Liberty Wildlife; tour guide; snacks and bottled water; all taxes and gratuities.

LAKE POWELL, ZION & BRYCE CANYON NATIONAL PARKS Tuesday-Friday, Oct. 19-22

Bryce Canyon is home to the largest collection of hoodoos on Earth. It is not a canyon at all but a 6-square mile field of intricately carved statues created over the course of millions of years by the forces of erosion. It is a landscape that is totally unique and entirely different than nearby Zion as well as other Utah national parks. This surreal scenery is what brings people from around the world to visit this breathtaking wonder. This four-day tour is a favorite, so sign up soon. We will spend one night at the beautiful Lake Powell Resort before we head to the splendor of Utah.

Cost is \$857 double occupancy per person; \$1,097 single occupancy; or \$788 triple occupancy. The tour includes: round-trip transportation; all national parks entrance fees; one night at Lake Powell Resort; two nights stay at Best Western Plus Ruby's Inn; three breakfasts; two lunches; one dinner at Horseshoe Bend; Zion Open Air Tram Ride; Vermillion Cliffs and Marble Canyon; tour guide; bottled water and snacks.

Tonto Natural Bridge



DOLLY STEAMBOAT CRUISE & DINNER AT SAGUARO LAKE RANCH Tuesday, Oct. 26

Join ALLIED Tour and Travel as we head to the Southeastern part of the Valley to explore some of their most spectacular sights. From Sun City West, we will journey to Tortilla Flat, an authentic remnant of an old western town nestled in the Superstition Mountains. There will be time for a light lunch (on own), as you want to leave room for our cowboy cookout dinner. Next, we are off to catch the Dolly Steamboat, where we will cruise the inner waterway of the "Junior Grand Canyon." You'll learn the history of the Apache Trail, Canyon Lake and the Superstition Mountains. You may even see some bighorn sheep on this 90-minute cruise. After our Canyon Lake cruise, we are off to Saguaro Lake Ranch and in time for a beautiful desert sunset. The ranch is on the banks of the Salt River, in the shadow of the Bulldog Cliffs - the perfect setting for our dinner. The hearty menu includes steaks hot off the grill and chef's choice of either barbecue chicken or pulled pork along with all the fixins'. You will want to leave room for dessert. It is going to be a spectacular day - bring your friends!

Cost is \$169 per person and includes: visit to Tortilla Flat; Dolly Steamboat Cruise; Cowboy Cookout at Saguaro Lake Ranch; round-trip transportation; tour guide; bottled water and snacks; all taxes and gratuities.

Verde Canyon Railroad





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COPPER ENAMELING & GLASS ARTS

We are a club designed for those who want to learn and enjoy creating with copper and glass. We will show you how to make jewelry, night lights, wind chimes, plates, ornaments and much more. Our classes teach you what you need to know. We are at the Beardsley Recreation Center, 2755 Beardsley Road. We are open Monday through Sunday. Our studio phone number is 623-544-6532 or call Melinda Butler at 503-774-8574.

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classes, subject to safety guidelines. Wednesdays is the Senior Help Group for members from noon to 2 p.m. in Room C. Get help with all Apple devices. This is by appointment only. Join our Friday question-and-answer Zoom meetings at 1 p.m. for answers to your questions. Check our website (macswest.org) for upcoming topics, skills sessions, scheduled classes, additional help times, iPad help and updated information. Our "Learnit" section has many helpful tips and videos.

DECORATIVE ART

The Decorative Art Club continues to



Pilates, Tai Chi classes continue through summer

The DanceSensations fitness classes continue through the summer. You can work your core with Pilates by Valerie. Or you can relieve your stress, plus get a nice workout with Tai Chi/Qigong by Charlie. With the closure of Palm Ridge (where we hold classes in the dance studio), we will resume the week of June 28 with Pilates at 2:30 p.m. Monday and Wednesday and Tai Chi at 8 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday. Fitness classes are paid with a punch card (\$64 for 16, or \$36 for eight). It is \$15 to join the club. Our dance classes are on hiatus for the summer. If you desire to learn tap, we are planning a "Beginner's Tap" class in the fall; call 623-440-9738 or email dancescw@gmail.com for further information and to be put on the waiting list. Our website is dancesensations.scwclubs.com.

meet during the summer. We meet in Craft Room 3 in the Kuentz Rec Center at 11 a.m. on Wednesdays. We are excited to offer a Beginners Class in July! The new members/beginners class will include four sessions and the supplies needed to get started on this fun art form. If you can trace a pattern, follow directions, and enjoy crafting we may have just the club for you! We paint on various surfaces with acrylic paint creating seasonal themed art to gift, sell or enjoy in your home. Start time for these classes will be at 8 a.m. and last two to three hours. Please come by our club room on Wednesdays at 11 a.m. to check out upcoming projects and sign up for class. For more information, please call Rhonda at 317-435-9456.



The Desert Garden club speaker for the May 4 membership meeting was Olivia Bogues from the Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary giving a presentation on Desert Wildlife and Safety. She brought along a large tortoise as part of her excellent presentation.

DESERT GARDEN

The Desert Garden Club meets on the first Tuesday of each month except June through August. The club invites professional speakers who give presentations on desert gardening, citrus care, irrigation, or other related topics of interest.

The club has a greenhouse at the Beardsley Rec Center where club members are welcome to volunteer. Currently greenhouse volunteers are watering, planting, harvesting and doing plant care.

Visit our colorful website at garden.scwclubs.com, or reach out to Dave at davidwieg@aol.com for information.

ENCORE NEEDLE & CRAFT

Come to the most giving and versatile club in Sun City West. We are E.N.C.O.R.E. - Encouraging Neighbors in Charity and Originality in Rewarding and Enjoyable activities. We meet in Room 4 at Kuentz Recreation Center and we are open from 7:30 to 11 a.m. every Friday. Charity items include hats, scarves, afghans, slippers, chemo hats, dementia blankets, baby items and others. Members may also sell their items in the Sun City West Craft Fairs. We donate to Salvation Army, American Cancer Society, Choice Pregnancy Center, Hospice of the Valley and veteran's associations. Many of us knit and crochet, although, some of our members weave, use looms, quilt, needle point, cross stitch, plastic canvas, tatting, rock painting and sew. Check out our display window Room 4. We welcome those who want to learn crafts as well as the experts. Come with problems you may have with your needles, hooks and patterns. We gratefully accept donations of yarn and fabric for our charities and club projects. For information about the club or donations visit needlecraft.scwclubs.com or call Terri at 914-393-7094.

ENERGETIC EXERCISE

At the Energetic Exercise Club, we don't have to wear masks anymore; we don't have to social distance anymore. It's your choice. Still, our mats and poles keep us apart, no matter what.

Thanks to the Recreation Scheduling Department for helping us continue our ongoing gathering, be it at Palm Ridge or the R.H. Johnson Social Hall. Case in point: While they are completely redoing the parking lot at Palm Ridge, rather than close us down, we may meet in the Social Hall (still on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:45 a.m.) from May 27 through June 22. We have missed the Social Hall.

From June 29 through July 29, we're back at Palm Ridge with a new parking lot. Then, we're back to our original home - the Social Hall - on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 7:45 a.m.

Thanks for your patience and understanding. It will all work out. And speaking of working out, come limber up and get the joints rocking again. We keep on moving even while we're moving around. We have plenty of room and it's nice to have the old gang, and even some new members, back again.

If you have any questions, check out website at exercise.scwclubs.com. Or, call club president Gloria at 623-986-9392.

FITNESS

Land classes to move temporarily to R.H. Johnson Social Hall through June.

Beginning Wednesday, May 26, through Friday, June 25, the Fitness Club land classes - Jazzercise, Sculpt 45 and Abs & Booty, Zumba - will be held at the R.H. Johnson Social Hall.

The current time schedule for these classes remains the same at the Social Hall location:

Zumba - 7:30 to 8:30 a.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday

Sculpt 45 - 9 to 9:45 a.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday

Abs & Booty - 10 to 10:45 a.m., Friday only

Jazzercise - 9:15 to 10 a.m., Tuesday and Thursday

On Monday, June 28, through Friday, July 30, all Fitness Club land classes will return to the Palm Ridge Summit Hall. The current class time schedule will re-

main in effect there, as well.

H2O Fitzi with Mitzi to move temporarily to Kuentz Rec Center in May.

Beginning Monday, May 24, through Friday, June 25, H2O Fitzi with Mitzi will move to the Kuentz Recreation Center pool. The current time schedule remains the same: 9:15 to 10:15 a.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Classes will return to Palm Ridge on Monday, June 28, through Friday, July 30.

Deep Water remains at the R.H. Johnson Pool from 7:45 to 8:45 a.m. Wednesday and Friday.

Classes are open to all Sun City West residents with a valid rec card. For more information visit fitness.scwclubs.com or call 303-660-9066.

HANDI-CAPABLES

It's time to escape the heat and enjoy the water at Beardsley indoor pool. The summer months are a great time to check out the Handi-Capables Club which meets at Beardsley pool from 9 to 10 a.m. every Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday.

All levels of ability, including those requiring water-bound wheelchairs and other special equipment can enjoy the pool. Water walking and directed pool exercises provide a healthy escape from the heat and a comfortable way to improve overall fitness and mobility.

Fun and friendship add to the enjoyment of the club experience. When social activities are safe to resume, seasonal luncheons and once-a-month dinners at area restaurants will be planned.

If you have any questions or would like to arrange a visit during the club time at Beardsley, contact club president, Cathy Shyers (cshyers@yahoo.com) 908-642-1578. Be sure to meet your Sun City West neighbors and club members who will fill you in on the special benefits of belonging to the Handi-Capables Club. A valid rec card is all you need to experience one of the best values in Sun City West.

HILLCREST DANCE & SOCIAL CLUB

Hillcrest is proud to be open and entertaining. Two dances were held in April, each with attendance exceeding 85. We welcome guests though attendance is limited. And the best news is that members have turned out in droves.

The schedule Saturday evening dances for June and July follows:

June 12 - R.H. Johnson Social Hall, music by Palmer & Rosanna. This couple is new to Hillcrest in 2021. They are lively and happy.

June 26 - R.H. Johnson Social Hall, music by Jack & BJ. Also new to Hillcrest's dances in 2021, Jack & BJ are gifted musicians, a joy to be with, and provide great music for all to dance.

July 10 - Palm Ridge, Summit Halls A & B. Vito Mandarino will perform for his second time this year.

No dances will be held in the last half of July and all of August but we'll be back with weekly dances in September.

We continue to provide live Ballroom, Latin and Swing music. We are not pro-

viding dance lessons but expect that in the future. Dances are from 7 to 9:30 p.m. with doors opening at 6:30 p.m. Ice and water are furnished but no cookies, coffee or tea. Bring beverages and snacks if desired.

Singles, you are always welcome! Tables are reserved for singles so you can sit with your friends and meet new ones.

Dances are open to club members and their accompanied guests. One Hillcrest member can accompany one guest. You should arrange sponsoring in advance and, a sponsor and guest should arrive at the same time. If guests arrive alone and ask for a someone to "sign them in," you may be declined admission. The best advice is "members, bring a friend." If you are not a member and want to dance, talk with friends who are members. Hillcrest welcomes you but please follow these guidelines.

Attendance is \$5 for Hillcrest club members and \$10 for guests. Members of clubs that have reciprocity with Hillcrest are admitted for \$5. Rec card carrying resident non-members don't need to be accompanied. There are restrictions on how many times guests can attend. Membership is only \$10 for the calendar year and frees you from the restrictions on guest attendance.

Want more information? Want to join? Contact John Ashton, president at 303-618-5243 or email him at john.ashton11142@gmail.com.

Dances are held at: Palm Ridge Recreation Center, 13800 W. Deer Valley Drive; R.H. Johnson Social Hall, 19803 R.H. Johnson Social Hall.

KARAOKE

The Karaoke Club is back in the Yoga Studio at Beardsley Park Rec Center. The club's regular meeting time is 6 p.m. Friday, with doors opening at 5. A neon sign in the hallway heralds the way to the Karaoke Kabaret. The club is open to members and their accompanied guests. Monday evenings are reserved for equipment training and rehearsal. The club's new computer database has more than 260,000 songs, or you can load your personal discs into the club's system. Contact Byron Brothers at 719-291-0379 to make an appointment. Visit our website at karaoke.scwclubs.com for information or to download a membership form. You do not need to sing to be a member of this friendly group.

Residents are welcome to visit three times before becoming members. Annual membership is \$10. Nightly singing fees for members have been suspended through the end of 2021. Guests pay a \$3 fee to sing. Every resident who enters must show their rec card.

LAWN BOWLS

Since March, 2020 through the present, the cautions and precautions under, which Sun City West groups flourished have

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Johnson Lawn Bowls

Club members Kay Brown, Dawn Salmon and Cheryle Reinertsen complete an end looking over final bowl placement. Ever ready to decide which team's bowl is closest to the Jack, agreement was sure to follow making this the interesting and challenging game of Lawn Bowls.





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Top left, members of the Karaoke Club welcome you to the Karaoke Kabaret, which meets Friday nights in the yoga studio at Beardsley Park Center. Pictured are from left to right: Richard McPhail, Arris Moffat, Tim Lentz, Roseann Wagner-Lentz, Fran DeWell, Juliana and Bill Lerner. Ms. Wagner-Lentz was the founder of the charter club more than 20 years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Lerner were charter members and assisted with the club's founding.



Left, Monday evenings are reserved at the Karaoke Club for training and practice. Mark Foster, left, receives instruction on the operation of the club's new computer system from KJ trainer, Byron Brothers center. At right is new member Barb Johnson, who is practicing a song. Right, the board members of the Karaoke Club have welcomed several new members this spring. From left to right, back row: Byron Brothers, KJ trainer; Ron Skinner, new member; Larry Hundley, vice president; and Daryl Greenhalgh, new member. Front row: Pat Hundley, president and Karen Gamble, secretary. Treasurer, Cora Weaver, is missing from the photo.



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been varied and changing. Fortunately, the Johnson Lawn Bowls Club has weathered this better than expected. In fact, our club has grown considerably with more enthusiastic members participating than ever.

Our outdoor venue (one of our strengths) and the coming challenge of warmer and warmer temperatures will continue to be met with earlier tag-up time and play.

So, for those Sun City West residents still on the fence about joining us, your best bet continues to be to come on over during the morning Daily Draw, Monday through Saturday. Beyond watching and chatting with members in play, a sign-up sheet for Free Lawn Bowls lessons is located on the front left side of our clubhouse. Times for tags-up can be found on our online Johnson Lawn Bowls calendar.

LEATHER CARVERS

The Leather Club is open and members are slowly returning. The leather workers meet at the Kuentz Center from 8 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday and some



The Leather Carvers enjoyed its semi-annual all you can eat pizza party in the Kuentz Courtyard recently. The evening weather was perfect and the members were excited to be able to resume this event visiting with others they hadn't seen in some time. This is one of the favorite socials the Leather Carvers hold twice a year and it's enjoyed by all.

afternoons if there are at least two members. We are following safety guidelines set forth by management and our board members to minimize any risk to our members.

We have a library full of ideas and inspiration just waiting for us to create. And it's not just carving anymore! We are braiding, painting, sewing and anything else we can imagine.

New member sewing and other instructional classes have resumed. Plans are under way for a series of new classes and ideas beginning in the fall. Whether you are a beginner who wants to get started or an experienced carver who wants to learn a new skill, you will find what you are looking for. You will receive fundamental instruction and learn how to use the seven basic tools of the craft.

The club offers many opportunities to create projects, such as handbags, wallets, phone cases, guitar straps, and much more. Members create everything from the simplest belts to the most detailed saddles and jewelry. Club tools, supplies and equipment are available for use. The club has purchased two different industrial sewing machines to meet the needs of any project. Current members offer years of experience and are always happy and available to exchange ideas, answer questions and assist with projects. The club also has a variety of items and kits for sale to members and all that is required is your imagination! Active club members receive discounts at some local stores by showing their current membership card. Handcrafted leather items make wonderful gifts for family and friends.

All Sun City West residents with a valid rec card are welcome to become members so please check out our web site - scwleathercarversclub.weebly.com - or call 623-203-7283 for information.

LINE DANCERS

The Line Dancers Club has a full schedule of classes in June! Masks are optional and no partner is required to line dance.

Line dancing is a fun way to exercise, meet others in your community and dance to a variety of great music. Instructor Kort Kurdi teaches various dance levels meeting Tuesdays through Saturdays at the Social Hall and he also leads line dancing at our monthly dance. For scheduling information, contact martha759@aol.com or 623-556-9093. You can also view our

website at linedancers.scwclubs.com. Annual club membership fee is \$5; classes are \$5 each. Classes are open to Sun City West residents with valid recreation cards.



Mac-Cro-Knit Club of Sun City West is making knitting needle and crochet hook kit organizers for members.

MAC-CRO-KNIT

Come learn a new skill or improve your current skills at the Mac-Cro-Knit Club. We have special activities every month. Our project window at Kuentz is updated monthly to show off our members' projects.

Visit knit.scwclubs.com to see our activities and some of our latest charity work. We are constantly sharing our skills, ideas and projects. First timers, come by our meeting to learn what is going on. Annual dues are \$5.

Among the charities we support are: toiletry bags for women's shelters, baby hats and blankets for numerous hospital and veteran projects, afghans for veterans in rehab centers, bed shawls for hospital and chemo patients, Christmas bags for homeless veterans' children and many more.

Currently, our club has been cleared for two sessions on Thursday. The sessions are 8 to 11:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. We meet at Kuentz Recreation Center in Room 3. Bring your own drinks and snacks.

We appreciate all yarn donations for our many charity projects. For more information on the club or yarn donations, contact Sharon at 816-529-7339.

MAH JONGG

The Mah Jongg Club is opened to Sun City West residents with a current rec card. Dues are \$10 year. The club meets every

The masks are off and the smiles are huge as members of the Fitness Club's Zumba class work out with Certified Zumba instructor, Sherry Possner. Classes have moved temporarily to Johnson Social Hall during June and



July while Palm Ridge is closed. Ms. Possner inspires and instills fun and energy into every routine. Classes continue through the summer months. Your first class is free, so what are you waiting for? Come join the action. Photo below, It is clear that instructor Sherry Possner loves Zumba and her light up shoes make it easy to follow her every move.

Fitness Club offers Zumba classes

While Palm Ridge is closed for maintenance, the Fitness Club's Zumba class has moved to Johnson Social Hall. Sherry Possner, instructor, keeps students inspired with Latin and popular music rhythms Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. Classes start with muscle warm-up and intensify with cardio conditioning focusing on balance and flexibility, before the cool-down and stretching phase. Big smiles can be seen without masks as the classes members go through the routines which vary from day to day. This is plenty of room to spread out and keep appropriate social distance. No prior dance experience is required. Sun City West residents with a current rec card may join at any time by becoming a member of the Fitness Club for an annual membership of \$5. Class fees are paid by purchasing a punch card. The more punches you purchase, the less expensive the classes become. Your introductory class is free, so what are you waiting for? You must show your rec card upon entry. Wear comfortable clothes and sport shoes. Bring a bottle of water. Classes continue throughout the summer and will move back to Palm Ridge sometime in August. Call Sherry for more information call 623-975-7221.



Tuesday and Thursday during the year, from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Sagebrush Room at the Beardsley Rec Center. You do not have to play both days. Sign-in and social time is between 11 to 11:30 a.m. and games start at 11:30. On the first Thursday of February, April, September, October and November we have a short business meeting with members supplying treats. We also have treats on the other months except July and August.

If you are interested in Mah Jongg and would like to see what it is all about, come as a guest. It is not the game that is on your computer. If you already know how to play, bring your Mah card and visit us on Tuesday. It is a great day to visit since we tend to be a smaller group and it's a great way to meet the other ladies. Call Phyllis Hibben (623-398-7771 between 10 a.m. and 10 p.m.) or Barbara McCart (623-330-5708) if you would like to visit us or have any questions.

METAL

The Metal Club held a Spring Craft Fair on Saturday, April 10, in the Metal Club parking lot. Twenty-nine Metal Club members displayed beautiful handmade metal artwork at the Craft Fair. Customers admired a wide variety of metal art displayed on boards throughout the outdoor area. The Metal Club thanks all the club members who volunteered for this successful club event.

The club is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Large crowds enjoyed shopping at the Metal Club Spring Craft Fair.

Monday through Friday. For more information, 623-584-0150 or visit our website at scwmetalclub.com.

MODEL RAILROAD

Our clubhouse hours at R.H. Johnson Rec Center are 9 a.m. to noon Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday evenings. We have HO scale and N scale layouts for you to enjoy.

Our outdoor G-scale railroad is located at Beardsley Park. It is closed for the summer and will re-open in early October.

Stop by the R.H. Johnson clubhouse and be a part of the railroading activities. New members are welcomed. Club membership is open to all members. Initial fee is \$30, \$20 per year thereafter. Visit our website at railroad.scwclubs.com and print

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a membership form!

PHOTOGRAPHY WEST

Photography West, at the Beardsley Recreation Center, is a club for Sun City West residents who enjoy photography. Photo/Video/Digital labs (623-544-6520) summer hours are noon to 3 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. You may mount and matt pictures, get information and pay dues. You can also make movies, transfer slides and VHS to DVD, work with Elements, and transfer records or cassettes to CDs. Check out our Still Life and Portrait Studio. For information, visit photography.scwclubs.com. We are open to club members and their accompanied guests. Please check our website, as rules and regulations may change.

Photography West meets at 10 a.m. Fridays at the Stardust Theater at Kuentz with a special program each week, however meetings are cancelled at this time due to COVID-19 restrictions. Watch our website for fall schedule. Stop by our Beardsley Room to view photo exhibitions by our photographers. New pictures change every two weeks and then, move to the library.

Photography West is dedicated to helping its members become better photographers through instructional programs, workshops, and mentoring opportunities. There are two Print and Projected Images competitions each year for beginner, advanced, and master when we are fully open again. For more information visit photography.scwclubs.com.

PINOCHLE

The Pinochle Club meets every Monday morning at 11 a.m. at the Beardsley Rec Center. All rec card holders are welcome to join. Membership is \$ 5 per year. We play single deck partners Pinochle. Cards are dealt out at 11:30 but be there by 11 a.m. to ensure a seat at a table. We allow you two visits to decide if you want to join. We play six hands at each table and there are six tables. Play ends around 3 p.m. Call Lou at 847-404-9835 for more information.

PORCELAIN PAINTERS

Beardsley Porcelain Painters Club membership is \$5 per year. As a new member, you'll receive free beginner lessons, a free piece of porcelain for your first project, and use of brushes and paints. Instruction is also available using fiberglass, decals, and more for painting projects. In addition, instruction is available in Ukrainian egg painting. Use of the club's kilns is always free to members. Stop by to learn more at the Porcelain Painters Art Studio at Beardsley Rec Center, or call the club at 623-544-6521, or Shannon at 623-237-1813. Club room hours are 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

ROCK 'N' ROLL DANCE

Rock 'n' Roll Dances are back – every first and third Saturday! We're heating up the dance floor with our dances and our Rock 'n' Rhythms Dance Exercise Program.

Rock 'n' roll dances: Our Classic Rewind Rock 'n' Roll Dances with Kort Kurdi have returned! Dances are on the first and third Saturdays of the month – June 5 and June 19 – in the R.H. Johnson Social Hall. Kort will do a Rock 'n' Rhythms session at 6 p.m. and the dance follows from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Dance to the hottest music from Rock to Motown, including a few from the '60s and some current popular hits and requests. Cups and ice provided. Bring your own snacks and

beverages. Cost is \$6 for members and \$8 for guests – correct change or check only please.

Rock 'n' Rhythms Dance Exercise: Join our instructor, Kort Kurdi, as he leads us in his one-of-a-kind dance exercise program called "Rock 'n' Rhythms." This fun, energizing class uses basic, easy dance steps and rhythms designed for everybody and every body! Class is every Wednesday at 11 a.m. and every Saturday at 9 a.m. in the R.H. Johnson Social Hall. Cost per class is \$5 for members and \$6 for guests – correct change or check only please.

Annual membership is \$7. Call 480-259-7281 or visit rocknroll.scwclubs.com for more information.

SATURDAY NIGHT GAMESTERS

We meet every Saturday evening at 5 p.m. at the Beardsley Rec Center. All rec card holders are welcome to join us. Membership is \$ 5 per year. We play a variety of games ranging from double deck Pinochle to Poker. You are allowed two visits before deciding if you want to join. Play ends at 9 p.m. For information, call Lou at 847-404-9835.



Vivian Stanek, Carol Accacian, Lavonda Beukers and Judi Amaroso enjoy the Scrapbooking, Papercrafting & More Club's social gathering at Hurricane's Grill.

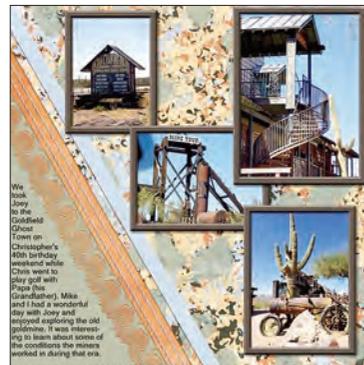
SCRAPBOOKING, PAPER CRAFTING & MORE

We at Sun City West Scrapbooking and Papercrafting Club welcome members back to the classroom. There is still a hardy group that continues to meet during the summer. Join us from 6 to 9 p.m. Wednesdays, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays, and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays.

We had a fun April social at Hurricane's Grill for a tasty lunch. Lloydyne Vining and friends made a cute table decor and we played a game using the items we had in our purses. All of us are looking forward to a fall social and the Christmas party. For upcoming events visit scrapbooking.scwclubs.com.

We had an all-day crop May 15. Members spent the day with friends working on their individual projects. A couple of classes also were offered.

On Mondays at 10:30 a.m., Susan Lukachie leads a class on digital scrapbooking. For information and to register,



An example of digital scrapbooking.



SINGLES

The Singles enjoyed a meet-and-greet April 14.

call Susan at 951-232-1742. Lynne Marion's Zoom cardmaking classes on Tuesdays has been a fantastic draw. For information, call Lynne at 440-666-6386. Tammi Frazier wants to hear from anyone interested in digital scrapbooking or have a refresher course on how to get started. To contact Tammi, email her at tjfrazier@q.com.

Watch for the theme of Card Art for the first Thursday of the month in June. To participate, make two cards using the suggested theme. One will be put on display on the bulletin board in the club room. The other will be traded with another participant. No envelope is required unless your card is not an A2.

Show-and-Tell returns at 11 a.m. the second Thursday of each month. Check the calendar or newsletter to stay in touch and see what our members will be "Showing Off." Come with something to share or just learn something new.

The third Thursday of the month we plan to have classes in the classroom. These too, will be announced in the calendar and newspaper. There is usually a sign up needed for the classes, so be sure and check the calendar and read the newsletter. Our president can answer all your questions. Call Fran Mills at 623-594-1631.

SOFTBALL

It may be hot but softball is played all year in Sun City West. The club is just finishing registration for the second summer session that will run from June 1 to July 9 and then we will take registrations in mid-July for the third summer session that will start on July 12. Games are played early in the morning and generally finish before noon. The summer sessions include any club member in good standing who wants to play.

Ladies - dust off your glove and bat and play in any of our fall leagues, like co-ed, that will begin in October. If you haven't played in years, no problem, we will work with you to improve your skills so that you will be ready to bounce the ball off the outfield fence when the leagues begin. Ladies, if you are interested in playing or improving your skills, contact Judy Christ at 631-514-1583, Shelly Hilton at 541-292-2249 or Dave Ryg at 815-978-0712 to schedule a morning session that can include a small group or one-on-one.

For anyone interested in joining the Softball Club, contact Dennis Christiansen at 602-300-3577. We have leagues to accommodate all skill levels. Dennis, Judy, Shelly and Dave can give you more information about all of our leagues.

SPANISH

The Spanish Club is dedicated to helping members learn the culture, language, and history of Spanish-speaking countries while forming new friendships with other members. Classes are held October through April, weekday mornings at Beardsley Rec Center. Annual membership dues are \$15, and classes are free. Volunteer teachers work in our exciting sequential Spanish language program with

beginning, intermediate, advanced, and conversational classes.

Club events also include fiestas, movie nights, Spanish board games, book club, cooking classes and travel. Information and registration forms are available at spanish.scwclubs.com. For more information, you may also email president Mimi Williams at mimiqw31@gmail.com or call 651-353-5289.

SQUARE DANCE

Westerners Square Dance Club offers free line dancing classes. We will resume square and round dancing when COVID decreases to a safe level, hopefully this autumn. Meanwhile, we offer free line dance lessons to club members and those residents who visit twice and then decide to join the club for the half year rate of \$2.50. Call 623-251-7655 or email Suzy-lane2018@gmail.com for details. Line dancing is to music of the '50s and '60s. When square and round dancing resume, it will be at the R.H. Johnson Social Hall, 7 to 9 p.m. Thursdays. We will have refresher and beginner lessons when we resume. Call 623-251-7655 or 608-669-0595 for details.

STARDUST LADIES GOLF

Sun City West lady golfers are invited to join us on Tuesdays to play at Stardust Executive Golf Course. You can elect to play nine holes or 18 holes. You can play competitively and establish a handicap, or you can just play non-competitively and enjoy the game with a friendly group of golfers. There are weekly games for those who want to participate and a few tournaments throughout the year.

Applications for membership are available at the Stardust Club House or on our website at sdladiesgolf.scwclubs.com. If you are not sure league play is for you, you can play as a guest for a few weeks. Call Judy at 218-234-1091 for additional information.

TENNIS

It is obvious summer is here. Court activity has begun to wind down, with more and more players heading off to their cooler homes. We like to say they are sissies!

The drop-in groups remains pretty much the same, with one exception - June play time for the Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday drop-in group will be 8 a.m., rather than 8:30. Set your alarms.

The Platform Tennis group will continue to play from 7-8 a.m. Mondays through Saturdays, with equipment available if needed. Monday and Wednesday evening drop-in will still be at 6:30 p.m. under the state-of-the-art lights. Table Tennis, played in lovely air conditioning, is available from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

If you are looking for a group to play with, please contact Monique at 205-317-7818. She will be a big help to you. Courts



Above, ladies enjoy learning and playing Progressive Hand and Foot on April 22. Left, ladies enjoy the Women's Club re-opening celebration on May 7.

1, 2, and 3 at Kuentz have been opened for play, and those who have been missing them are no doubt happy again.

The second annual Margarita Melt-down was held May 1, and more than 60 people wouldn't dream of missing it. There was good tennis, followed by raffle prizes, contests, music, dancing, snacks, beverages, and a free dinner. This is one of the many perks of being a tennis club member.

WEAVER'S WEST

Weaver's West Guild is open and welcoming both weavers and spinners. Members may use studio looms (rigid heddle, table and floor). Our guild features a library containing educational DVDs, books for all types of fiber art, and fiber magazines. We also have a yarn store!

Weaver's West Guild is in the Kuentz Recreation Center and is accepting new members. Now is a great time to visit our studio and discover all that our guild has to offer. If you are interested, feel free to stop by our studio, weekdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. or call 623-544-6515 and speak with the monitor.

Check out our website at weavers.scwclubs.com.

WESTERNAIRES

To prepare for its December public shows, the Westernaires Chorus will resume its rehearsals in the Back 40 of the Stardust Theater on Thursday, Sept. 2. Residents interested in rehearsing and performing with the Westernaires, one of the oldest chartered clubs in Sun City West, may contact director Sylvia Collins, 623-214-6112, or visit westernaires.scwclubs.com for more information.

WOMEN'S CLUB

Many ladies are returning to the Women's Social Club, as well as new members joining the club. Our special activities are starting up again.

In May, we had a monthly ladies breakfast at a local restaurant, a reopening celebration with donuts and coffee, quarterly new members orientation, and clubs favorite - the Baked Potato Bar!

In June, we will have the monthly ladies breakfast, our monthly luncheon, and plans for a special pizza lunch.

We are a Women's Social Club for Sun City West residents. Different groups meet daily to play various games. We are usually open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday, in the Kuentz Recreation Center, 14401 R.H. Johnson Blvd.

Membership is open to Sun City West residents with a current rec card. Resident guests may come twice before needing to decide to join the club. For information, contact president Jan Wilson at scwwomensclub@gmail.com or 623-546-4236 or visit our website at womensclub.scwclubs.com.