

DVRC BRIEFS

Singles Club Meeting
Wednesday, September 13th and 27th
Read Hall
9:30 am

Singles Club Potluck
Tuesday, September 5th
Read Hall
5:30 pm

Read Hall Pool Maintenance
Wednesday, September 13th
All Day

Farnsworth Hall Pool Maintenance
Wednesday, September 20th
All Day

New to Dreamland Villa? Welcome!

Steve Malone, President DVRC

Are you new to Dreamland Villa as a homeowner or renter? We would like to help you become acquainted with your community. More than likely, you chose Dreamland Villa for its 55-plus Community that is safe, quiet, and the homes are well maintained. The residents of Dreamland Villa are pleased that you have selected our community for your new home.

To help you become acquainted and participate in our community activities and amenities if you paid the transfer fee at your closing, Dreamland Villa will provide you with Kee Card(s) to access our facilities and activities for the current year.

Within the first several months of your residency in Dreamland, you will be contacted by a Dreamland team member from our welcoming volunteers, to present you with your Kee Card(s) and show our appreciation for becoming a resident in the Dreamland Villa Community. This Dreamland team member will be able to answer your questions, provide you with a tour of our facilities, and encourage you to participate in our many social activities.

We know that many of our new residents are still working, so we are trying to have events and activities that take place during the evening hours or on weekends. We are looking forward to helping you become an active member of the Dreamland Villa Community.

We have several ways of communicating with our residents. We have a newspaper called the "Citizen" which is delivered to your door, a weekly email blast providing you with all the activities taking place in the upcoming weeks, a website (<https://www.dreamlandvilla.org>), and two Facebook pages dedicated to Dreamland Villa residents. As well, all events and activities are posted on our bulletin board at our office at 320 North 55th Place.

A great way to get acquainted is to come to the coffee socials on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month, beginning at 7:30 a.m. in Read Hall. Hope to see you soon!

Non-Resident DVRC Membership, A Little History

by Ward Jennings, Treasurer

Since November 8, 2011, when Dreamland Villa had more than 3,000 members, the By Laws allowed non-voting social memberships to be offered to persons not residing in Dreamland Villa.

By December 8, 2015 the By Laws arbitrarily allowed the residents of some apartments not located in Dreamland Villa to have non-voting social memberships. However,

non-voting social membership privileges were not extended to residents of single-family homes located outside of Dreamland Villa or other apartments located in the proximity of Dreamland Villa.

The current By Laws allow the non-DVRC resident memberships to have the same rights and privileges as resident members.

A Dreamland Villa resident resides on a lot in one of the Dreamland Villa's 18 sec-

tions. The term "Associate Membership" is meant to apply to non-DVRC residents, as did the previously used term "non-voting social membership". More equitable, logical, and consistent methods are being discussed as to the criteria of and who may be non-resident members.

By Law changes were made by the Board of Directors, without membership approval, until January 16, 2016. After that date only the membership approved By Law changes.

President's Message

Steve Malone, President DVRC

In past articles, I have spoken about increasing membership revenue by increasing the annual fee and the addition of a new membership class of associate members that live outside the confines of Dreamland Villa 18 sections. In this article, I will be presenting you with another option to bring revenue into the Dreamland Villa Retirement Community treasury.

Dreamland Villa has assets that can provide for the care and maintenance of Dreamland Villa. These are physical assets such as the property that is part of the Farnsworth Hall footprint, the south parking lot

that lies between 6116 and 6132 Butte Street as illustrated by the diagram below. Potentially we believe that this piece of property could bring in excess of \$100,000 from its sale before the corporate taxes are paid.

The Board is currently in the process of separating this piece of the Farnsworth property from the current plat. The process to achieve this platting requires that we provide an official survey for the County of the lot area and obtain approval from the County Board of Supervisors for new plats for the separated property and Farnsworth. Many questions still need to be addressed to achieve this outcome, but we are working on each of them.

My objective is to have this property designated as residential and present it to the marketplace for the construction of a new home in our community. This of course requires the ap-

proval of the DVRC membership to sell the property. The revenue generated from the sale of this property will help in providing for the future expenses of Dreamland Villa in finding ways to generate new revenue sources either from additional memberships or rental of Farnsworth and Read Hall.

Those who use and love our Nature Walk may already know there is a noxious weed that is intrusive on the Walk called the Stinknet, a weed that is very invasive. To begin to eradicate this weed will require spraying a herbicide at least twice a year to control its invasion. This is a costly investment estimated to be approximately \$9,000 to have a commercial company spray the entire trail.

Many members of our community contribute to the Nature Walk specifically through donations and we certainly appreciate

this effort, and these funds will be used to assist in payment to eliminate this weed. Anyone who would like to provide additional funding to assist in this effort please feel free to donate by sending your check, cash, or providing a credit card to the office for your donation. Anything large or small will be deeply appreciated. Donations made to the Nature Walk can only be used to maintain the trail and will not be used for any other DVRC function.

So, for those of you who live in Dreamland Villa but are not members and care about the Nature Walk, I ask for your donations as well. Anyone who would be interested in assisting in maintaining the trail please leave a message at the office for Mel Brown of your willingness to volunteer.



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AROUND THE VILLA

NATURE TRAIL

Mel Brown

With September comes snowbirds and walking weather and we welcome back everybody and the cooler temps. The summer heat has kept work from getting done on the nature trail, hopefully with cooler weather we can clean up the entrances from the road to make them look inviting to people driving/walking by. Ways to kill the stinknet weed when it starts to grow are being discussed so we can start clearing out the invasive weed.

The stinknet problem was discussed during the August board meeting; to have a professional spray the weeds will cost about \$9,000. Having a professional is one option, other options to cut the cost are being looked into and researched. There is a designated account for the nature trail but it can't cover this cost. Donations to the nature trail would be appreciated and would only be used for the nature trail. I would like to thank everyone in advance for any help you can provide.

Everyone needs to remember only authorized vehicles should be driven on the nature trail, permission can be granted through the office if needed. If you are doing yard clean up the waste should not be thrown on any part of the trail, so please properly dispose of all yard waste. Enjoy the nature trail and let's keep it a nice place to walk and enjoy the beauty of the desert.



Acts of Kindness Card Program

DVRC Social Committee would like your help in reaching out to those who have suffered a loss, are dealing with an illness, or recovering from a surgery.

There is a fill-out slip in the office where you can add a name and address of someone to whom we can send a card. Then place the slip of paper in the Acts of Kindness box. We promise to send a card if you let us know the need! Lastly, if you have any of the Get Well and Sympathy greeting cards that you're not using, we would gladly take them off your hands and put them to good use.

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by Lewis (Lew) Hooser

We have from time to time received phone calls from outside our community for information on who to call for a certain item or product. In our continuing effort to be the best Help Services in our community, Linda and I learned last winter that there is a list of just about every

organization that can provide help or information. True story, there was a lady that came into our office before we left for the day. She was looking for those socks that you wear while you are in the hospital to keep you from slipping on the floor. It's the ones with the rubber pads that are molded right into the fabric. Anyway, my wife gave her the information that we had where she could possibly buy them. Just another story from the many pages of our history, of helping people from time to time.

We don't say enough about the board members left behind to work at Help Services throughout the summer months. It's a team effort to keep Help Services doors open. These past few weeks, Help Services has been looking to make some changes to our phone system. I won't go into the finer details of what we are doing except we are upgrading our phone system to improve our communications with the outside world. All I can say is thank you to all the board members at Help Services who have worked so hard on this improvement; it has been a huge, huge help to our president Patty Thorpe while she is enjoying a Wisconsin summer. For the ones that are on leave from the day-to-day responsibility, it's a good feeling knowing Help Services is in good hands. It makes it so much easier to make decisions by folks that are our eyes and ears when we are away from our duties.

Update, Debra Traskos has asked if I would once again ask our readers if anyone would be willing to help us out and sign up as a monitor. If so, please contact Debra. Our phone number is in the last paragraph below, thanks.

Now back to the job that I'm highly paid for. Loan equipment: hospital beds, commodes, toilet risers (with and without handrails), knee-walkers that fold, canes of all different kinds (some quads, some folding, etc.), crutches, C-walkers, Wheelchairs, beds, just to mention a few. We also have items for when the grandchildren visit, like baby beds, playpens, strollers, and booster seats.

If this is the first time you have picked up the Citizen and you are wondering what our hours are, we are open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9 am to noon. It's our summer hours of course. Help Services is financed solely by your generous donations and as always tax deductible. You can contact us and Debra Traskos at 480-985-6021. Check us out on our web page www.HelpServicesInc.org.

From this newsboy and our President Patty Thorpe and all the hard-working board members, good day!

Book Review

Mad River by John Sandford

Anita Thompson


This is one of my favorite authors. A neighbor that was having a garage sale told me I had to read this book because it was really good, and because it all happens in the area I grew up in.

Wow, he was right, I couldn't put it down. 3 kids go on a killing spree. The first person they killed was a girl during what was supposed to be a robbery. The second was a man whose car they needed. Just happened to be in the wrong place at the wrong time. Virgil Flowers is the detective that is charged with stopping them. He was born in Marshall, Minnesota, the same town I was born in. They think of themselves as a new Bonnie and Clyde. They had dead-end lives, chips on their shoulders, and guns. Will they ever be stopped? How many people will die? Every law enforcement office in the southwest part of the state plus the national guard eventually gets involved. There are lots of twists and turns. It's fun for me to read about towns I have been to, places I have eaten in. I highly recommend this book.

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Rod Hanks Patrol Officer

The August 2 fire at a salvage yard in West Phoenix points out the need to control dry brush and weeds on your property. Initial investigation leans toward the spreading of fire through the grass to structures on the adjacent property.

During patrols, the Posse has noted similar hazardous conditions in the utility zones/alleys West of 54th Street, North of Albany/Boise streets. Tinder, dry grass, and brush in these areas raise the potential for destructive structure fires!

For these reasons, the Posse has suspended patrols in the alleys until the brush is removed to the fence lines of the properties affected. We will survey the conditions from the end of the alleys but will no longer risk a hot exhaust or vehicle spark igniting a potential disaster for these homes. Patrolling on the paved streets of Dreamland Villa will continue as usual.

Safety Tip of the Month:

If you are out during this record heatwave carry water to stay hydrated! Water for you, your pets, or even a stranger with heat distress can be lifesaving!

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FROM THE BOARD

MINUTES

Dreamland Villa Retirement Community Board of Directors August 8, 2023, 9:30 AM Meeting

Welcome: Dan Martens, Vice President Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order: Dan connected with Steve and Kevin via phone with microphone and speakers set up. The meeting was called to order at 9:30 AM by VP Dan Martens.

General Announcements: Dan mentioned a number of upcoming activities; Coffee Social 2nd and 4th Saturday each month, Community Potluck 7/20, Card Bingo 2nd and 4th Thursday, Singles Meeting 2nd and 4th Wednesday, Social Committee Happy Hour 9/8, and Music Bingo 8/26.

Roll Call: Joyce Canino, Secretary. Present were Steve Malone, Ward Jennings, Dan Martens, Kevin Brueback, Betty Mazza, Wendell (Sonny) Allison and Joyce Canino. All directors were present.

Ratification of Minutes: Dan motioned to ratify the July 11, 2023, Board of Directors Meeting minutes, with corrections, including changing Rural Metro to Metro Fire Equipment and address change for Butte Street Separation from 6118 to 6116 E Butte Street. The motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report: Ward presented a Comparison of DVRC Financial Data sheet for the last 6 years. All financial reports are available in office upon request.

Office Manager and Standing Committee Reports: No reports were given.

OLD BUSINESS:

Fire Sprinkler Systems: Completed.

Farnsworth Hall Pool Lights: Completed

Palm Tree Removal at Read Hall: Completed

Door Access: Currently up and working.

Separation Of Butte Street Property: Ward stated a survey is in process with a Paralegal preparing the legal documents. Steve said he has selected 2 of the 3 members for the Ad Hoc committee to evaluate Realtors to represent DVRC in the possible sale of the Farnsworth properties. A third member is still being sought.

DVRC Website Payments: No update at this time.

NEW BUSINESS:

Nature Trail Stinknet Weed: Mel Brown, Nature Trail Chairperson, presented a quote from a professional of \$9,300.00 to eradicate the invasive weed. It was mentioned that we could do the weed spraying ourselves. A DVRC member, Kati Searcy, volunteered to research grants for financial help; other suggestions were made, and Sonny and Mel will look into.

Budget and Accounting Policy and Procedure: Ward made a motion to replace the existing Budget and Accounting Policy and Procedure, amended 12/13/2022. Kevin seconded and passed unanimously.

DVRC Board's Agenda and Meeting Minutes: Ward made a motion to approve adding a new paragraph to the Policy and Procedure titled Directors, Board of, last amended 1/14/2023, so that all meetings will be in accordance with the By-Laws. Betty

seconded and passed unanimously.

By-Law Revisions: Ward made a motion to amend the request for Policy and Procedure Committee to include the revisions to the By-Laws, to be included at the January 2024, Annual Membership Meeting, instead of the November 4, 2023, Special Meeting, to vote for adoption by the membership. Betty seconded and passed unanimously.

Policy and Procedures Committee: Brief discussion was held regarding the revised Facility Rental Fee and Special Event procedures resulting in needing some additional adjustments.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:54 AM with a brief intermission before the Open Forum.

Submitted by: Joyce Canino, Secretary

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Minutes
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Dreamland Villa Retirement Community

Profit and Loss YTD Comparison
July 2023

| | TOTAL | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| | JUL 2023 | JAN - JUL, 2023 (YTD) |
| Income | | |
| 4000 Annual Fee Revenue | 2,299.93 | 299,833.03 |
| 4001 55+ Donation Income | | 7,879.60 |
| 4003 Donations - Unrestricted | | 1,170.00 |
| 4101 Read Hall Event/Kitchen Income | 23.00 | 591.50 |
| 4102 Special Events Revenue | 1,068.77 | 16,894.91 |
| 4208 Entertainment-TAD | 4,389.86 | 35,066.55 |
| 4300 Administrative Related Income | 6,727.50 | 72,598.05 |
| 4400 Restricted Accounts Income | | 325.00 |
| 4502 Interest Earned | 389.61 | 1,684.18 |
| 4503 Crown Castle Lease Income | 1,200.00 | 8,400.00 |
| Services | | 0.00 |
| Total Income | \$16,098.67 | \$444,443.22 |
| GROSS PROFIT | \$16,098.67 | \$444,443.22 |
| Expenses | | |
| 5001 55+ Compliance Expense | | 1,467.31 |
| 5300 Admin & Office Expenses | 3,348.12 | 58,569.83 |
| 5350 Membership Marketing Expense | | 3,291.70 |
| 5400 Restricted Accounts Expense | | 584.45 |
| 5701 Vehicle Expense | 100.01 | 230.01 |
| 5950 Read Hall Expenses | | 6,469.50 |
| 6201 Bldg & Grounds Maintenance | 930.06 | 13,620.12 |
| 6300 Swimming Pools Expenses | 2,115.54 | 56,864.03 |
| 6400 Utilities | 4,248.29 | 30,117.45 |
| 7000 Payroll & Related Expenses | 13,029.84 | 120,274.02 |
| Total Expenses | \$23,771.86 | \$291,488.42 |
| NET OPERATING INCOME | \$-7,673.19 | \$152,954.80 |
| Other Income | | |
| 1255 Loss on Retirement of Assets | -7,524.00 | -7,524.00 |
| Total Other Income | \$-7,524.00 | \$-7,524.00 |
| NET OTHER INCOME | \$-7,524.00 | \$-7,524.00 |
| NET INCOME | \$-15,197.19 | \$145,430.80 |

JULY 2023 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The detailed July 2023 monthly and YTD Profit and Loss statement, Balance Sheet, footnotes, and supplemental schedules for money market activity and the changes in fixed assets are shown on the website, Dreamlandvilla.org, Digital Library, Financial Reports.

NOTE: The financial statement footnotes are an integral part of the monthly financial statements.

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EVENTS

Holiday Craft Fair

By: Lu Wald

Well, September has finally arrived and the days and nights are finally cooling a bit! Hopefully, all you crafters here in Dreamland have spent the time confined to your air-conditioned homes creating your jewels for the Holiday Craft Fair, scheduled for December 2nd. Of course, there is still time to create more, however, if you have not reserved a space now is the time. Unfortunately, the indoor spaces have all been taken, but there are still spaces available in front of Read Hall, down the walkway, and of course, on the north parking lot. A portion of the north parking lot will be marked off for 10 x 10-foot canopies, however, we can certainly just place a table or two into that space without a canopy. That section will also have a food booth, a beverage booth, and a kettle corn booth. Since it will face University, we expect more customers to buy your wares. I have received requests for spaces from vendors that sell a variety of items, but we're standing firm on the requirement that items must be hand-crafted, not commercially made. Our committee has been hard at work getting the word out and we hope that our traffic will double this year. Since music is also a craft, I am looking for musicians that may want to donate an hour or so, playing outdoors, to really make it a festive pre-Christmas fair. It can be a means of advertising your craft. For any questions or concerns, please contact me at: wald5403@outlook.com.

Closure Notice:

Read Hall will be closed on September 15-19 for cleaning and polishing of the floors.

OKTOBERFEST IS HERE!

Oktoberfest will be happening on October 21 from 5-8 at Read Hall. There will be a German dinner with bratwurst, sauerkraut, hot German potato salad, and black forest cake. Coffee and water will be provided. If you would like a beer or wine with that German dinner, BYOB. Sylvia's Oktoberfest Band will provide some German music.

Attendance will be limited to 100 and tickets will go on sale in mid-September. The charge will be \$15 per person. Tickets will be sold in the room across from the office on Mon, Wed, and Fri from 9-12 and at whatever other events are going on. You could also call 260-312-0882 to reserve a ticket.



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Dreamland Villa Golf League

Attention all League Members! Due to some unforeseen circumstances, there are going to be some changes taking place with our League this fall. Royal Palms has changed hands and the new ownership is raising the prices considerably. So before signing a contract with them, we did some investigating and found that if we move our league to another location, we can all save quite a bit of money. Therefore, a survey was sent out by e-mail to all members with the suggested options, and the majority of the responses preferred that we move our league to Desert Sands, 1922 S 74th St (Baseline and 74th St). Comparatively, Royal Palm's price will be about \$30 (walking) while the average price at Desert Sands will be \$21.50. Desert Sands pricing fluctuates and starts at \$17 through 12/31, then increases to \$26 through March 31st. The price increases by \$8.00 with a cart. Golfers wishing to continue golfing through April will be paying \$21.00. Our new league t-time is going to be 2:30 pm. Remember, our first day of golf will be November 2nd, but we will have a lunch meeting at Fat Willy's, 650 N Hawes Rd (View Point Golf Clubhouse) around noon before we head to the golf course. If you have any questions, please email Lana at koeniglana@yahoo.com



Quilting Club

by Becky Lamson

Our photo is a sample of the wallets we made in July to be offered for sale at the Art and Craft Fair on December 2nd. A handy item that can hold your debit or credit cards and some cash.

September will find the quilt club back on its winter schedule of meeting every week on Thursdays from 1:00 to 4:00 pm at Read Hall. New members are always welcome. If you have questions, please, give me a call at 480-202-7003 or email me at beckyNleslie@gmail.com.

We will have quilt tops to bind and projects to sew. If you desire, bring along an item to work on or for show and tell.

Quilters Quote: I'd like to think of my family as a big beautiful patchwork quilt-each of us so different yet stitched together by love and life experiences.

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WET PAINT

By Alicia Short

OPEN PAINTING IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER.

We are looking forward to re-opening for open painting in September and October. Open painting will be held on Wednesday afternoons from 1 pm to 3:30 pm. Please let Alicia know if you would like to attend. New Classes will begin in November.

Continuing in the fall will be:

THURSDAY - 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm – PAINTING ROCKS WORKSHOP – Valerie Vallenga. She includes paint and 1 rock in her workshop. Class is \$2.00 per class. Next fall we are looking to add a flower arranging class. We are also looking for crafts or workshops that can be offered. If anyone has a Saturday workshop to offer people who work, please contact Alicia to discuss times and details on what is needed.

POSSIBLE BEGINNING WATERCOLOR CLASS

So far three people are interested, so we will hold the class. This class will be only for those who wish to learn beginning watercolor. Instructions and demos will be given for the wet in wet, the dry brush, glazing techniques, ink sketches, and watercolor. Students will complete a simple watercolor painting after initial instruction is given.

This class will be given on Tuesday afternoons – from 1 pm to 3:30 pm starting November 7 and will run for 5 weeks. A fee of \$30 will be charged to cover some expenses but students will need their own supplies. A list of needed supplies can be obtained from Alicia Short, contact info below.

If there is any interest in a Saturday class for beginning watercolor, it may be offered as well. Please contact Alicia at the email address below if interested.

ANY OTHER MEDIA AND MIXED MEDIA CLASSES

Monday afternoon – 1 pm classes beginning November 6th will be for acrylic mixed media and a charge of \$30 will apply. Instruc-

tions on using a variety of acrylic mixed media and collage items will be the focus of this class. The day of the week or time for this class may change.... Will know by October.

Wednesday afternoon – 1 pm beginning November 8th classes will be for any media for those who are somewhat experienced painters. Minimal instruction will be included so this class will not have a charge. This will be offered starting the first week of November for 5 weeks. There is a possibility of a flower arranging class, we will have information on that later.

We are still looking for art teachers and possibly any other craft activity for the November through February class dates.

Check out the website and the weekly email from the DVRC office for any possible changes or additions.

Contact Alicia at aliciamshort01@gmail.com with ideas, suggestions, or interest in our classes.

Dreamland Bowling League

By Cyndy Munday



This month began with bowling on a holiday! Oh my, the alley was packed full with people waiting. Our group was small but it was so much fun to see so many folks including children at the bowling alley.

It was a great end to our month with Jerry Cole getting a perfect 300 score. Although it was on 9 pin no tap day (fun day) it is always enjoyable to see someone get this far. Dan Jenkins was right behind him with a 297 but let me assure you, these scores are not the norm.

Come on down and join the group. We'd love to have you. East Mesa Bowling Alley is on Broadway just east of Ellsworth.

TOP BOWLERS

Week of Jul 4: Jack Cregar 214, 169, 196; Larry Reesa 226, 236, 181; Cyn Munday 156, 152; Sara Kempke 166, 156, 159; Dan Jenkins 238, 204, 220; Roger Kaufman 162; Tess Debonis 163, 198; Eula Dobbins 153

Week of Jul 11: Mike Couza 167, 165; Dave Cutler 114, 147, 166; Cyn Munday 164; Sara Kempke 155, 156; Eula Dobbins 157, 154, 157; Dan Griffiths 221, 170; Judy Schulster 163; Jack Cregar 214; Dan Jenkins 215, 186, 267

Week of Jul 18: Jerry Cole 184; Tess Debonis 162; Judy Schulster 162; Marc Thompson 181; Dan Jenkins 179; Ted Modjeski 190; Eula Dobbins 154, 156, 155; Sara Kempke 182

Week of Jul (9pin no tap) (9 pins on 1st ball counts as a strike)

Ted Modjeski 174, 195; Jane Gilbert 167; Sara Kempke 234, 192, 176; Nancy Cole 171, 202; Cyn Munday 176, 219, 167; Michele Trenter 168, 198; Jim Seamandle 205, 228, 218; Dave Cutler 186; Jerry Cole 198, 234, 300; Jack Cregar 233, 196, 207; Judy Schulster 215, 203, Mark Thompson 180, 169; Dan Jenkins 200, 297, 230

SPLITS PICKED UP –

Eula Dobbins 5-7; Dan Jenkins 2-8-7; Dan Griffiths 5-7; Dan Jenkins 4-7-9; Cyn Munday 4-7; 6-10; Jack Cregar 3-10; Dan Jenkins 4-5-7

We are working on putting together teams for the fall season, so if you may be interested in joining us please give me a call. We are always looking for more bowlers. If you are interested in joining or need more information, please call Cyndy Munday 425-218-1105. Thank you.

FUSED GLASS

By Cyndy Munday

This summer is flying by. Here we are already looking at September and our snowbirds returning one by one. September will be a little different due to Patti and Rod going out of town for a couple of weeks on a much-deserved holiday.

We had an interesting summer with a very nice friend visiting us from Roswell, Georgia. Who would have thought? I personally have visited Roswell, New Mexico a few times but didn't know

there was a town by the same name in Georgia. It was great getting to know Kacey and we wish her the best, and if we are lucky she will come back another time.

Meanwhile, we are open all day on Mondays and will be looking at getting everyone back soon.

This is a great activity we are so fortunate to have here at Dreamland. Come on by for a little visit. We are always happy to welcome guests and even those of you who are just curious.

Dreamland Villa Singles Club

Are we done with the heat yet??? Yes, please! The August heat surely kept us indoors and at home more than usual. The heat may be the reason that the Singles potluck on the first wasn't very well attended and also may be the reason the "First Friday" Happy Hour didn't see many people either. Some of our Singles did attend the Late Night Catechism at the Mesa Arts Center and the play at the Hale Theater. Relaxing at the movie theater was truly a treat as well as Bingo at Casino Arizona. Our Dine outs were lunch at the All-Pierogi Kitchen and dinner at Rigatony's. We joined other Dreamland residents for the First Friday Happy Hour, the monthly potluck, and Music Bingo.

The September potluck will be on the 5th and lunch will be at Joe's Farmhouse Grill on the 7th. We'll be carpooling to the Chandler

Arts Center for a free concert on the 10th and the Hale Theater on the 16th. Our dinner this month is at Valee Luna Mexican in Chandler. We're also planning a day trip to Prescott on the 22nd. Our usual monthly gatherings include our meetings on the second and fourth Wednesdays, card playing on each Tuesday afternoon, and Dominos on the fourth Wednesday evening at 6:00. Come and join us. We hope to start playing Bocce Ball and Cornhole in October. Please refer to our calendars that are posted on the DVRC website, at Read Hall on our bulletin board, and at the office. We are currently planning a three-day trip to Flagstaff from October 4th through the 6th. Please attend a meeting or contact Kathie at 732-986-7788 for more information if you would like to join us.

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2023 SEPTEMBER MONTHLY EVENTS 2023

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R - Read Hall
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 R-B - Read Hall Fellowship Room

R - "___" Read Hall Activity Room
 R-O - Outdoor Activity
 F - Farnsworth Hall
 F-O - Farnsworth Outdoor Activity

For an up-to-date listing of current events and activities, please go to our website calendar: www.dreamlandvilla.org

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| 3 | 4 | 5 Singles Club Potluck 5:30 PM | 6 | 7 Quilt Club 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM | 8 | 9 Coffee Social 7:30 AM Read Hall |
| 10 | 11 | 12 Board Meeting 9:30AM | 13 Singles Club Meeting 9:30 AM Read Hall Pool Maintenance - All Day | 14 Quilt Club 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM | 15 | 16 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 Farnsworth Hall Pool Maintenance - All Day | 21 Quilt Club 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM | 22 | 23 Coffee Social 7:30 AM - 9:00 AM |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 Singles Club Meeting 9:30 AM | 28 Quilt Club 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM | 29 | 30 |

September Weekly Activities

| DAILY EVENTS | MONDAY AM | TUESDAY AM | WEDNESDAY AM | THURSDAY AM | FRIDAY AM | SATURDAY AM | |
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| | Pickleball 7:30 R-O Aquacise Class 8:00 - 8:45 R-O Help Services 9:00 - Noon HS Wood Shop 9:00 - Noon R-10 Fused Glass 9:30 - Noon R-7 | Aquacise Class 8:00 - 8:45 R-O Lapidary - CLOSED 9:00 - 11.30 R-6 Ceramics 9:00 - 1:00 R-7 Wood Shop 9:00 - Noon R-10 | Pickleball 7:30 R-O Lapidary - CLOSED 8:00 - 11.30 R-6 Help Services 9:00 - Noon HS Wood Shop 9:00 - Noon R-10 Fused Glass 9:30 - Noon R-7 | Aquacise Class 8:00 - 8:45 R-O Lapidary - CLOSED 8:00 - 11.30 R-6 Wood Shop 9:00 - Noon R-10 Quilting 10:00 - Noon R-A Call 480-203-7003 | Pickleball 7:30 R-O Aquacise 8:00 - 8:45 R-O Help Services 9:00 - Noon HS | | |
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