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HAPPY NEW YEAR

DVCC Briefs

Jam Session

Friday, January 4, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
1:00 – 3:00 PM

DVCC General Membership Meeting

Tuesday, January 8, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
2:00 PM

“Meet the Board Candidates”

New Resident Orientation
Tuesday, January 8, 2013
Read Hall
7:00 PM

Molly B – Squeeze Box Polka Dance Music

Farnsworth Hall
Friday, January 11, 2012
6:00 – 10:00 PM

Potluck Dinner

Thursday, January 17, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
6:00 PM

Pancake Breakfast &
DVCC Photography Show
Saturday, January 19, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
7:30 – 9:30 PM

Arts & Crafts Show
Saturday, January 26, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Wild Bill's Country and Western Dance Lessons

Every Wednesday
Farnsworth Hall
6:30 – 7:30 PM
Open Dance
7:30 – 9:30 PM

Coffee Social

Saturday, January 12, 2013
Saturday, January 26, 2013
Read Hall
7:30 AM

Free Blood Pressure Checks

Monday Mornings
HELP Services Office
9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon

DVCC Needs Members for Board Positions

by Jill Holleque

If you are interested in helping maintain our beautiful community and move it forward to become an even better place to live, consider serving in a Board position. There are nine seats to be filled.

Leave your name at the DVCC office and a member of the nominating committee will contact you.

Many thanks to the members who have already agreed to run for a position. Their biographies and photos

are in this issue of the *Citizen*

The election will be held on Tuesday, February 11, 2013; at 8:00 AM – 7:00 PM at READ HALL. Absentee ballots will be available at the office 10 days prior to the election.

The Value of DVCC Dues

by Larry Wilkens

I am sure everyone has received his/her 2013 DVCC dues payment request. I hope everyone sends the payment in so we can continue to provide the services you have grown to expect. Just so you know where the money goes in brief terms, \$150,000 in personnel costs and the remaining \$320,000 for building maintenance and utilities plus normal business expenses.

Where can you get a better deal: **\$125.00 per year or .34 a day** for a professional group to maintain your club facilities, community and provide all kinds of services to you? Just look at the DVCC *Citizen* for all the activities we have planned for you. The use of these facilities is just a part of the value you receive for your dues payment. What is important to you: being able to use the facilities, having a clean neighborhood and having a safe viable, growing, and livable community? It takes money to operate our club, and our major resource is your dues.

I know when I bought in Dreamland, I stopped by the office and asked Charles all kinds of questions and took a

tour of the buildings. Never in my wildest dreams did I ever think I would be serving on your Board and finding out what is really available. It far exceeds my expectations.

Everyone wants something in their neighborhood. What do you want? I know I do not want to look like the neighborhoods that immediately are outside our community. Cars, boats and junk parked every where, yards not maintained and just a general lack of caring. I love the way our community looks and feels.

We need everyone to participate by paying your dues so we can continue to keep what we have. Just remember a little from everyone will make sure we have what we need to continue as DVCC. Just think what would happen if we would not be able to continue and do all the things necessary to keep DVCC the viable community we have.

I love living here and serving on your Board. Please consider your **\$.34 a day** contribution a small cost to have all the things you see everyday around you.



Info on Membership Agreement Is Important to 55+ Overlay

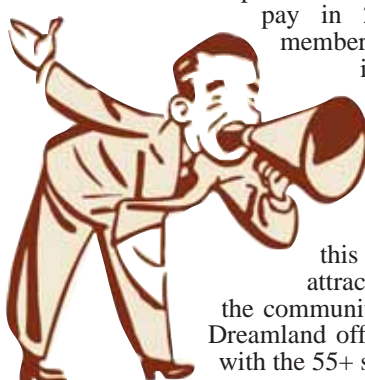
by Red Westall

The Membership Agreement printed on the back of the Annual Notice was adopted by the Board of Directors on November 8, 2011 when we reverted back to operating as a non-profit corporation and membership was voluntary. The agreement is to preserve the membership for those who were prior members and wish to continue their membership so as not to pay a Membership and Transfer Fee at a later time. The birthday on the Annual Dues Notice is to assist in verifying Senior Overlay compliance.

President Announces One-time Amnesty

by Lyle Wood

On the “Spirit of New Beginnings” for Dreamland, President Westall advises that the Board of DVCC has approved a one-time amnesty. This will allow those DVCC members who paid their dues in 2011 but did not



pay in 2012 to reinstate their membership in 2013 without incurring the readmission fee and late charges. All that is required is to pay the 2013 \$125.00 per person annual dues by January 31, 2013. Westall states this is a one-time offer to attract residents back to enjoy the community facilities and activities Dreamland offers to its members along with the 55+ senior overlay.

Barking Dogs Are a Problem

by Gordon Watson

We've received a number of telephone calls and complaints about dogs continually barking and disturbing the neighborhood. We all want to be good neighbors, so if you have a dog, please train your dog. We realize that some barking is natural and you want your dog to bark when someone rings the doorbell. If you are the neighbor who is disturbed, take time to share with you neighbor that you understand the love for his or her pet, but would appreciate their controlling the barking. Being friendly neighbors and being concerned for one another is vital to living in a community.

The County does have an ordinance regarding barking dogs becoming a nuisance.

MARICOPA COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 6: Regulation of Barking Dogs

“It shall be unlawful for any person having custody or control of a dog in any un-incorporated area of Maricopa County to permit that dog to bark excessively. For purpose of this Ordinance, a bark, yowl, yip or any other noise made naturally by a dog shall be deemed to be a bark.”

The phone number for Maricopa County Animal Control is 602-506-7387.

Let's everyone, even our pets, be good neighbors.



DVCC PHOTOGRAPHY

CLUB SHOW

1st Annual Show

January 19, 2013

7:30AM – 1:00PM

Farnsworth Hall

This show will be held in conjunction with the pancake breakfast.



Barbara Miller: Editor

A monthly newspaper produced by the Dreamland Villa Community Club and distributed to all the residents of the Villa.

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Asst. Secretary - Gloria Wilson-White

Treasurer - Patty Thorpe

Asst. Treasurer- Larry Wilkins

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- Editor

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The President's Message

by Jerald "Red" Westall



Happy New Year to each of you! This past year has solved many problems in the Villa. A new beginning – in the near future we will be having elections. It is a privilege to be elected to this Board. I know there are several new full-time residents who are very qualified to fill any Board position. Please step forward. I have filled a year

vacancy and also two three-year terms. I have no idea where those seven years have gone. Yes, I, too, will have a new beginning. I will have time for golfing and playing and enjoying some of the activities of our great community. Your Board needs to be a group of hard-working individuals who need and want a closer community. When I first moved here, we lived on Cicero Street and had the best neighbors a person could ever have. Their names were Larry and May Brunson. I am sure the bowling group can remember Larry. We were here two days, and he took my wife bowling. They were some of the first people in this area and were instrumental in getting the ambulance service to this community. We have always been volunteers; however, they informed us to become

involved. We were to try and keep the community a friendly, uplifting, care giving neighborhood. I have tried my best to fulfill their ideas.

As of this writing we have eight individuals running for the Board. Remember, it is not too late for YOU to be a candidate. I am pleased with those individuals who have stepped forward. Being a part of your community with a positive attitude is so very important.

We have Donna Zurbay working as a coordinator for volunteers. What a fantastic job she has done. I will be waiting to greet these individuals at a pancake breakfast or spaghetti feed. So, if you need a person to help you on one of your projects in Dreamland, call Donna. More new beginnings!

I went to the Dreamland

Coffee at Read Hall this morning. I do believe that was the most people I have seen at that function in years. We have many new and younger individuals moving into our Villa, greet them, and invite them to a show. It is sad to see the attendance at some of our shows. And while we are on that subject, if you would like to be chairman of the entertainment committee, please contact the office or myself.

As your New Year begins, please remember. For the moment, be still. Count the ways you re blessed. Be thankful. Be slow to quarrel. Search out a forgotten friend. Write a love letter. Share a treasure. Give a soft answer. Keep a promise. Find the time. Laugh more. Forgive. Speak your gratitude. Speak it again. Speak it still one more.

Join the Newly Formed Book Club

by Mary Lindgren

Are you a reader who would enjoy reading and discussing good books? JOIN THE GROUP!

The first gathering is to be held Thursday, January 3, 2013 at Read Hall in Room R-3, at 1 p.m.. The first book will be available at this meeting, and we will plan future selections. Refreshments will be served.



On January 24 we will meet to discuss the first book and the next book will be available at this gathering. The schedule is: January 3 and 24, February 14; March 7 and 28; April 18.

Board Candidates to Appear at Meeting

by Barbara Miller

The Nominating Committee has a great slate of candidates for the February 11th Board of Directors election. Photographs and resumes of these excellent volunteers appear in this issue of the *Citizen*. Please become familiar with this group of candidates and come to the General Membership Meeting on January 8th at Farnsworth Hall at 2:00 PM to meet them and hear for yourself what they have to offer to our community.



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Help Service, Inc.

by Betty Mosier

Goodness, this year is nearly over. It seems that it was just January or February 2012 yesterday. They say time flies when you're having fun. Did you have fun all these past months? I think I did really enjoy life all that time. You get out of life what you put into it ---smiles, laughter, enjoyment, or the grumbles. What time I have on earth I hope to be of the former. I've done my share of grumbles in the past, but what good did it do me?

I am so glad that Dreamland Villa is not in bankruptcy, nor lost its 55+ as I had formerly heard. I love living here and it would surely not be the same place if that had happened. I hope that Velda Rose doesn't have those problems but can go on in the nice ways they've always had.

I see by the *Citizen* paper that we are having more new people buying houses here and that they may not be acquainted yet as to what we have to offer them at Help Services in case they have need of our services for illness, surgery, strokes, etc. I want to tell them of just some of what we have: we have hospital beds (not electric but nice), wheelchairs, glider chairs, toilet risers and some with handles, all kinds and sizes, walkers, some with three or four wheels and seats and baskets, aluminum ones, knee walkers for those with foot injuries or surgeries, trapeze, commodes, and bathtub



transport benches are a few of the things that we have.

We have all kinds of help for when babies and toddlers come to visit grandparents and great-grandparents, as happens many times at holiday times. We have baby beds, play pens, strollers, car seat, booster seats, high chairs, potty chairs, and even pull toys, etc. Do come in and take a look to see what all we have in our warehouse. We are located at 5410 E. University near the corner of University and Higley Roads next to the Gerber Furniture Store.

Some special items that we have are a large hand truck, and 4-wheel dollies and a wet/dry vacuum. These are on a one-day loan.

We have a Hoveround motorized chair that can be had for a reasonable donation. Come in and try it out if you have a need for one.

There are nurses to take your blood pressure every Monday from 9:00 AM till noon. This is a good way to keep check between doctor appointments.

There was a memorial for Mark Wormsbaker this month.

I have been giving some quotes from my personal quote book every month and here are two that I think are good: "A man wrapped up in himself makes a very small bundle" ---Benjamin Franklin Another: "In the time we have, it is surely our duty to do all the good we can to all the people we can in all the ways we can." ---William Barclay

Please stay happy and well.

Easy Cooking

by Carolyn Ahern

3-2-1 Cake

Angel Food Cake Mix

One regular cake mix any flavor

Mix both cake mixes in a plastic bag or bowl. Measure out three (3) tablespoons of the dry cake mixes with two (2) tablespoons of water in a large, microwavable coffee mug or small deep dish. Stir. Microwave for one (1) minute.

May be doubled. Store dry cake mix in a tight container and make a small cake whenever!!

Top with frosting, cool whip, fruit, etc.

Thank You to the Volunteers

by Charles Dubbs

With the annual dues time each year comes extra work in the office. During this time we have had people labeling envelopes, stuffing envelopes, running the postage machine, and answering telephones.

We want to say a big THANK YOU! We will take a chance with names, and if we missed you, all we can say is "We are sorry". First those who coordinated securing volunteers are: Donna Zurbay, Karen Peterson, and Patty Thorpe. Other workers were: Mona Beringer, Jeanie Blow, Ruby Burns, Nancy Cole, Carol Collins, Carol Cooper, Johnnie Sue Doherty, Aggie Forsyth, Lindsay Gill, Jim Grosnick, Mary Hammontree, Andrea Hill, Lucille Kraiss, Connie Kiplinger, Sandy Magnuson, Carol Miller, Charlotte Monthye, Gordon Watson, Bea Westall, and Dorothy Woltemath. Thanks to everyone.

In and Around the Villa

by Mary Anne Glauner

HAPPY NEW YEAR, welcome 2013! Have you decided on your New Year Resolution? How many days do you usually keep your resolution, or weeks, or even the whole year? I would be interested in finding out how many of you actually keep your resolution...let me know and I will report back on it.

The Election for the Board of Directors will be Tuesday, February 12th. There will be a General Membership Meeting on Tuesday, January 8th at 2:00 PM in Farnsworth Hall at which time you will be able to meet the candidates. This issue of the *Citizen* will also have their pictures and their biographies. When you attend the January General Membership Meeting, you will be able to question the candidates and learn something about them and their interest in being on the Board. Mark your calendar for the 8th of January so you won't forget; then mark your calendar for Election Day on the 12th of February.

You should have received your membership renewal in the mail. Your dues are due by the 31st of January in order for you to be able to vote and use the facilities with your personalized "kee card". The Board of Directors approved a \$10.00 per person increase in the dues for 2013. There has not been an increase for three years, although the costs of maintenance have gone up every year. It is important that you present your "kee card" whenever you participate in an activity in DVCC. In order to attend any of the Board of Directors meetings or vote in the election you must present your card. Your 2012 card is to be used until February 1st.

The LongHorn Steak House opened last month at the southeast corner of Fiesta Mall on Alma School and Southern. Most entries are under \$20.00. They have introduced menu items under 500 calories for the weight conscious.

Chubby Hubby BBQ and Sports Grille have opened at 155 S. Power Road. Their menu features barbecue staples such as pulled pork brisket along with pasta, seafood and burgers.

Habanero Mexican Food/Frutilandia has also opened in the Superstition Springs Center Food Court. They specialize

in shrimp, ham and turkey sandwiches, nachos, tacos, burritos, fruit shakes and banana splits.

Another addition to the Superstition Springs Food Court is Rod's Snack Shack serving quesadillas, salads, desserts, snacks, sandwiches and drinks. They are located near the Cheesecake Factory.

The Table Top Food Shop is housed in the former Mi Amigo's at 6465 E. Southern Avenue. They feature a menu of appetizers such as onion strings and corn tortillas, grilled pizzas, chicken and BBQ chicken, meat and fish sliders.

In the beginning God created the Heaven and the Earth and populated the Earth with broccoli, cauliflower and spinach, green and yellow and red vegetables of all kinds. So Man and Woman would live long and healthy lives. Then using God's great gifts, Satan created Ben and Jerry's Ice Cream and Krispy Crème donuts. And Satan said, "You want chocolate with that?" Man said, "Yes," and Woman said, "and as long as you're at it, add some sprinkles." And they gained 10 pounds. And Satan smiled.

And God created the healthful yogurt that woman might keep the figure that Man found so fair. And Satan brought forth white flour from the wheat, and sugar from the cane and combined them. And Woman went from size 6 to size 14. So God said, "Try my fresh green salad." And Satan presented Thousand-Island Dressing, buttery croutons and garlic toast on the side. And Man and Woman unfasted their belts following the repast.

God then said, "I have sent you heart healthy vegetables and olive oil in which to cook them." And Satan brought forth deep fried fish and chicken-fried steak so big it needed its own platter. And Man gained more weight and his cholesterol went through the roof.

God then created a light, fluffy white cake,

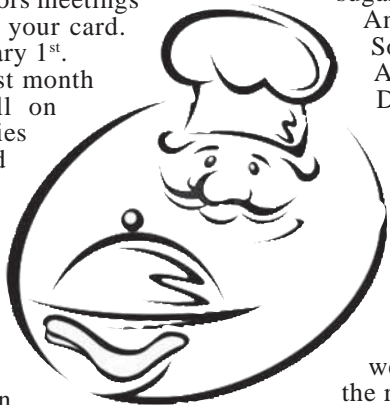
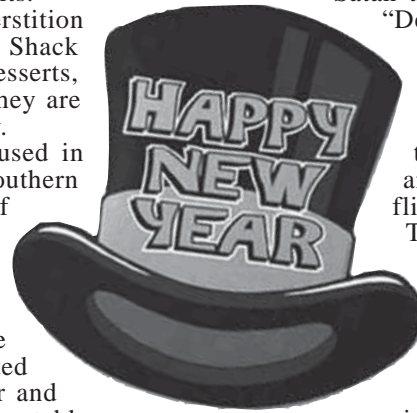
named it "Angel Food Cake," and said, "It is good." Satan then created chocolate cake and named it "Devil's Food."

God then brought forth running shoes so that His children might lose those extra pounds. And Satan gave cable TV with a remote control so Man would not have to toil changing the channels. And Man and Woman laughed and cried before the flickering blue light and gained more pounds. Then God brought forth the potato, naturally low in fat and brimming with nutrition.

And Satan peeled off the healthful skin and sliced the starchy center into chips and deep-fried them. And Man gained more pounds.

God then gave lean beef so that Man might consume fewer calories and still satisfy his appetite. And Satan created McDonald's and its 99 cents double cheeseburger. Then he said, "You want fries with that?" And Man replied, "Yes! And super-size them!" And Satan said, "It is good." And Man went into cardiac arrest.

God sighed and created quadruple bypass surgery. Then Satan created HMO's.



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Dreamland Villa Community Club Board of Directors Study Session

Tuesday, December 4, 2012

The Study Session was called to order by President Red Westall at 9:00 AM. Eight board members were present: Larry Wilkens, Lyle Wood, Patty Thorpe, Steve Holleque, Frances Skaggs, Dodie Gruner, Agnes Forsyth, and Red Westall. Members who were absent: Jim Cook, Judy Ford and Gordon Watson. Wendell Black was absent/excused. Present at the meeting were Barb Miller and Dorothy Randall. Red Westall confirmed there was no secretary

replacement yet but Andrea Hill would fill in temporarily.

The Knox Box was defined by Charles Dubbs. It is a box with keys to the buildings in case of emergencies. The box could be accessed by EMT/Fire/Emergency personnel. Lyle Wood suggested it be further discussed at the board meeting.

Red Westall and Lyle Wood discussed the issues regarding Velda Rose residents paying dues and using Dreamland's facilities. It is in the exploratory phase.

Patty Thorpe gave a budget report and explained the proposed dues increase. She reported on the contract with John's Villa for 2013.

Lyle Wood reported on the discussions with other members regarding downsizing the Board in the upcoming years.

Agnes Forsyth read the proposed changes to the by-laws step by step. The changes would be discussed and voted on at the board meeting.

Red Westall said the Nominating Committee has eight candidates for the next

election.

He stated four candidates were appointed for the Personnel Committee. They are as follows: Steve Holleque, Jim Cole, Ken Hyink, and Pat Fender. Dorothy Randall requested her name be withdrawn from the list of appointees.

The meeting was adjourned by Red Westall.

The board members then began an Executive Session to discuss salaries.

Recorded by Andrea Hill

Dreamland Villa Community Club Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, December 11, 2012

President Red Westall called the meeting to order at 9:00 AM.

Open Forum: Bruce Van Fleet, on behalf of Shuffleboard participants, expressed gratitude for the resurfacing of the courts and complimented the jobs done to improve the courts. He asked for two more new courts and said the players were raising monies on their own and he would bring price quotes to the board.

Everyone present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call of Directors:

Eight members present: Aggie Forsyth, Dodie Gruner, Steve Holleque, Frances Skaggs, Patty Thorpe, Red Westall, Larry Wilkens and Lyle Wood. Wendell Black was absent but excused.

Red Westall said for anyone interested, there is information available in the office regarding the resignations of board members: Jim Cook, Judy Ford, Gordon Watson and Gloria Wilson-White. For the record, Charles Dubbs was not fired but resigned, and it was accepted by the board. Two new members of the board were installed. They are John Mathews and Lee Trevigne and both will serve until the election.

Patty Thorpe reported there is enough money to cover expenses to the end of the year. There is about \$30,000 remaining which covers salaries. The balance sheet/budget is always posted at the Read Office and people can call her with questions. She moved to accept the budget for 2013 as presented at the Study Session. Lyle Wood seconded the motion. The vote passed unanimously.

Red Westall introduced Jackie Young as DVCC's new Office Manager. Jackie introduced the new secretary, Irene Nissen.

Charles Dubbs stated the annual dues notices were mailed to DVCC residents and 120 were returned so far. The board needs to address the issue with the vendor who makes the key cards since they do not process the cards in a timely fashion. He said home sales were doing well with 100 pending sales.

Steve Holleque reported that Artic Ice water machine near Read Hall will be replaced soon. The lap pool is at 80 degrees now. Read complex is open daily at 6 AM but can be opened earlier if people notify him. New pool gates were installed and need to be allowed to close by themselves and not forced. The pools were drained, acid washed and filled. All pools comply with code and passed a surprise inspection. Steve complimented the maintenance crew and said they are to be highly commended. Fridge door seals were replaced and stage

outlets replaced. The Farnsworth kitchen was not cleaned well after the last event and expressed concern that people who use the kitchen be diligent to clean it appropriately.

Standing Committee Reports:

Aggie Forsyth: Karen Petersen was asked to be Membership Chairman. Aggie is a co-chair now. On December 18th they will begin to mail out key cards if they come in by then.

Gordon Watson: resigned from the board but remains as chair of the Complaint Committee. He reported there were 161 complaints year to date. At Maricopa County there are 110 still open. There are 51 open in the office. Most complaints are about weeds. Winter visitors should have a person take care of their weeds during the summer months. Boats and campers are not allowed on driveways per Maricopa County.

Lee Trevigne asked how DVCC could improve on the weeds problem and possibly put up a decorative sign showing the DVCC neighborhood. Patty Thorpe suggested it be discussed at the next Study Session. Lee suggested we publish the phone number and name of the person in charge of complaints at Maricopa County. His name is Benny Dominquez at 602-506-8688. However, it was strongly suggested that members of DVCC go through our own complaint channel by filling out a form in the office that goes to Gordon first. The name of the person making the complaint is not made public.

Red Westall reported that not enough people are showing up for events at Farnsworth Hall. It is possible too many events were planned and some entertainers have contracts with an up-front large guarantee. Some may have to be canceled which will be a Study Session topic.

Patty Thorpe plugged the New Year's Eve party stating it is a bargain at \$10 a person. There will be games, prizes and snacks and the ball will drop at 10:00 PM. Tickets are available in the office or at the door.

Aggie Forsyth stated the Library can always use volunteers.

Hobbies: Donna Zurbay is working to find a chair person for this committee.

Ralph Shirey: Outdoor Recreation Activities - thirty people attended the Saturday morning coffee. He related the many exercise opportunities at DVCC.

Dodie Gruner of the Kitchen Committee said the Pancake Breakfast is the 3rd Saturday in January. She requested a report from Steve Holleque on the failed kitchen cleanup incident.

Nature Walk: Red Westall said there would be a designated day in January to work on cleaning the Nature Walk. Larry Wilkens

said he checked on the price for a chainsaw and a wood-chipper. Patty Thorpe suggested there should be a planning session for clean up in January. John Mathews suggested that Eagle Scouts might help.

Charles Dubbs reported there will be a Welcoming Committee event the 2nd Tuesday in January. Invitations will go out soon to new residents.

Strategic Planning. Red Westall said people should read the DVCC Mission Statement as posted on the office at Read. He welcomes suggestions.

Nominating Committee Report: Mary Lindgren, for Dave Senke, reported that the committee met on December 3 and 8. Candidates have accepted nominations for the board election. They are: Charles Dubbs, Daniel G. Collins, George Sheppard, John Mathews, Lee Trevigne, Patricia Fender, Patricia Thorpe, and Wendell Black. Candidate biographies and photos will be submitted for publication in the DVCC Citizen and website. Information packets are available to anyone interested in being a candidate. Jim Cook agreed to prepare the ballots and only Read Hall will be used for voting.

Old Business:

Lyle Wood spoke about the vote in March 2012 to downsize the board to 12 members. He moved to accept this amendment, "A newly appointed director filling out a partial year until the next election shall remain eligible for election to two full consecutive terms." Frances Skaggs seconded the motion and it passed.

Patty Thorpe indicated there needs to be discussion at the next Study Session about board members who quit and if and when they are eligible to run again.

The Knox Box was explained as a box containing keys to all major buildings in DV that is accessible to emergency personnel. John Mathews motioned to approve two boxes, one for Read and one for Farnsworth at an approximate cost of \$159 per box. Dodie Gruner seconded. The motion passed.

A break was called so members could read the minutes from the November 13, 2012, Board of Directors Meeting and the last Study Session.

John Mathews moved the Board minutes be accepted. Aggie Forsyth seconded the motion. It passed.

Frances Skaggs moved the minutes for the December 04, 2012, Study Session are accepted and John Mathews seconded the motion. It passed.

Lyle Wood reported about Velda Rose residents using Dreamland Villa facilities. He and six DV Committee members met

with five Velda Rose members including their president. The VR committee indicated their residents wanted access to our facilities for \$50. Lyle moved to have DV respond to VR saying that without paying the \$125 dues, they wouldn't be allowed to use DV's facilities. Also, if they did agree to pay, they would not have to pay the additional transfer and admission fee. John Mathews seconded. The motion passed.

New Business:

Aggie Forsyth made the following motions:

That the by-laws reestablish the position of Parliamentarian to advise the board when needed. John Mathews seconded. It passed. That the Board establish a one-time amnesty for payment of the re-admission fee and late charge for DVCC residents who were members of the Club in 2011 but did not pay the 2012 membership dues provided they pay the full amount for 2013. Lyle Wood seconded. It passed.

That the Policy and Procedure "Disclosure Statements and Fees" be abolished; that the procedure "Collections - Member Assessments" also be abolished, these to be replaced by the proposed policy "Membership Dues and Fees." Lyle Wood seconded. It passed.

That the new policy "Membership Dues and Fees" be adopted. Patty Thorpe seconded. It passed.

That the modified policy "Age Restriction - Senior Citizen Overlay" be adopted. Frances Skaggs seconded. It passed.

That the modified policy "Committees" be adopted. Lyle Wood seconded. It passed.

Red Westall reported that a secretary still has not been found. Andrea Hill is filling in temporarily.

There was discussion about removing the portable toilet from the Farnsworth Hall location. There were problems with it and few Bocce Ball players wanted it there so the monthly cost didn't appear valid. Larry Wilkens moved it be removed. Aggie Forsyth seconded. It did not pass. John Mathews moved and Lee Trevigne seconded that the discussion be taken up at the next Study Session. Motion passed.

There will be a General Meeting after the Board meeting the 2nd Tuesday in January.

There was more discussion regarding the weeds by the streets. Patty Thorpe suggested a committee be formed to address the issue and perhaps meet with county personnel.

Lyle Wood motioned for adjournment and Dodie Gruner seconded. It passed.

Respectfully recorded,
Andrea Hill

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Farewell to Charles Dubbs

by *Patty Thorpe*

Charles Dubbs, DVCC Administrative Office Manager, is retiring his position with Dreamland Villa effective January 2, 2013 to spend time traveling with wife.

Charles and his wife Hazel moved to Dreamland Villa in January of 2000 from Las Palmas. When the management of Dreamland Villa considered a change in the direction to move the club forward in the future, Charles was asked to interview for the position as bookkeeper to assist management in reaching their goals. Charles was certainly qualified as he has a BA in Christian Education and Business, an MA in Theology and a Doctorate in Humanities. Charles also had previous experience in accounting management for small churches and in other communities similar to Dreamland Villa. Charles was hired in August of 2006 with the agreement he would stay until 2012 when the club's goals had been reached. Many of those goals have been met. Of course, the Board of Directors is constantly working on new goals which will continue to make Dreamland Villa a

great place to reside.

Gene Espy, former treasurer of the DVCC Board, set up a bookkeeping system which tracked and audited all expenses and income with Charles learning the system as well. Charles completed an office procedural manual, assisted with the implantation of an office computer system, and recommended many other office and employee improvements.

Charles has been a dedicated employee who as worked endlessly to improve the Dreamland Villa Office. Charles has always been willing to assist newcomers to Dreamland Villa by giving hundreds of tours around Read Hall Campus along with assisting Dreamland residents with issues that required assistance of a trained knowledgeable Office Manager.

Charles has a command of the By-Laws of Dreamland Villa, the Policy and Procedures, and the Rules and Regulations. Perhaps there were times when he had to say "I'll look that up for you and get back to you."

Charles's promise has now come to an end. 2012 is over. With his resignation, Charles can now travel as he promised

Hazel they would do after his commitment to Dreamland Villa. Charles can now choose anything else his heart desires to do. I think probably Hazel has a "Honey Do" list for Charles to complete.

"I have enjoyed working closely with Charles Dubbs for three years. I find Charles to be a very hard working man who is ethical and an honest human being. Charles loves Dreamland Villa and has contributed to the success of the goals established by the management team many years ago. There were times Charles and I have disagreed on various issues, but with communication and respect for each other we have always compromised due to our consideration and love of the residents of Dreamland Villa," stated Patty Thorpe, the present DVCC treasurer.

Charles last day is planned for January 2, 2013.

Patty also added, "Charles you will be sincerely missed by many but mostly by me. Good Luck and God Bless. I'm so happy you will still be around Dreamland Villa."



From the Quill of Penelope Pinfeather

Wow, I hope that you made it to the talent show. We had a great show and a really good turnout, 95+. Dan and Mona Beringer belted out Christmas songs while Pete Bihr did an interpretive dance using black lights and interpretive dance. It was very unique and the crowd loved it. Sylvia Klonglan did a piano solo that this reporter thoroughly enjoyed. Frank Walker performed two songs and was accompanied by Sylvia; they did a great set. Then the McGuire Sisters performed their set. Loud applause and calls for encores followed. Andrea Hill and Mona Beringer did a Christmas song to finish the first set. Larry and Mary Eller did a musical set. Larry played guitar and sang two songs and then his wife joined him on stage and played the flute; they did a great job. Russell Mathias did three beautiful songs. The last act was Mona and her turkey song which was so cute. For the big finale we had a Sing-A-Long and Sylvia played piano and Andrea played the guitar and the rest of the cast sang along. Tyler Schults was the Master of Ceremonies. T&B Productions do a great job making these shows possible, and our residents are some very talented people.

Our next big show is the High Tea Fashion Show presented by Dazzle Productions. Tickets sales are in advance at the office. So get your tickets NOW! My sources tell me that if you work the show, you get one complimentary ticket, so don't forget to sign up in the office.

New Resident Orientation Meeting to Be Held

by *Hazel Dubbs*

Welcome to our many new residents. We invite all new residents of Dreamland Villa to attend an orientation meeting during the year. The Welcome Committee is eager to meet you and share information about our wonderful community.

The meeting will be in Read Hall, Tuesday, January 8th at 7:00 PM. Read Hall is located at 320 N 55th Place. This will be an opportunity to meet other new residents as well as learn a little more about Dreamland Villa and the various activities. Refreshments will be served.

We also want to thank all those who attended the earlier meetings in the fall. We really do enjoy getting acquainted with all of our residents. Our committee members are: Nancy Cole, Ginny Hayes, Lucille Kraiss, Dorothy Ruth and Charles Dubbs.



Welcome New Residents

by *Hazel Dubbs*

The following person(s) have recently purchased a home in Dreamland Villa. Welcome to our community. We hope to meet you at one of our activities. If you are not familiar with our facilities, stop by the office and arrange a tour. Watch the calendar for the next "New Resident Orientation". Also, check your mail this fall for a personal invitation to this event, an informative time for new residents and a chance to meet others who have recently purchased homes:

Paula Anderson

Erlinda Arnold

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Nominating Committee Presents Slate of Board Candidates

Wendell Black

I have a sincere desire to work with the Dreamland Villa Board of Directors on behalf of the residents of the Villa.

I was born in Topeka, Kansas, moved to Seattle, Washington, with my parents in 1947. I graduated from Lincoln High School in 1958.

After some work in steel construction, I was hired by Toledo Scale Company of Toledo, Ohio. My career with Toledo Scale started with training in test and calibration of all types of scales. After two years the company decided to send me to engineering school. At the University of Toledo, I did design work on special weighing applications. From there I was placed on a national sales team for a period of eleven years. My next assignment was a branch manager of the Seattle office with the responsibility for sales and service for the States of Washington and Alaska.

I retired from Toledo Scale Company in 1992 and moved to north central Washington. I became interested in local politics and was elected mayor of the city in 1999, serving two terms. Great job to hold!

Bought my home in 1999 upon deciding I liked the area and finally retired here.

I look forward to be able to serve on the Board of Directors of Dreamland Villa Community Club.

Daniel G. Collins



I was born November 9, 1934, in Neodesha, Kansas. I moved to Oregon when I was 12 and have lived in the Seattle area since 1956.

Before I retired I worked as a Liaison Engineer at The Boeing Company in Everett, Washington. I enjoyed working with the shop crew and worked well with them.

During my career and in my church callings I have learned to work with colleagues and supervisors. I am outgoing and enjoy working with others to solve problems.

Norma and I moved into Dreamland Villa in October, 2007. We find it is a very pleasant and friendly place to live, and we have made many friends here. We really appreciate the tidy community provided in Dreamland Villa and would like to be a part of supporting this concept.

I work well with my hands and love woodworking. You can join us in our tooting around on our three-wheel tricycles. Oh, what fun!

I look forward to working with the Board to improve Dreamland Villa in any way that Norma and I can.

Charles Dubbs



Many of you already know me from serving as the Administrative Services Manager for the Dreamland Villa Community Club. As a retiree wishing to continue work for our community, I'm running for a seat on the DVCC Board of Directors.

My education includes a BA in Christian Education and courses in Business, a

Master of Theology and a Doctor of Humanities. Additionally, I was certified by HUD as an Occupancy Specialist.

My perspective of a not-for-profit corporation board is based on my having worked for one of the largest not-for-profit low cost senior housing corporations in America, the Christian Church Homes. This corporation owns, co-owns or manages 77 properties throughout the United States. I served as the administrator of their facility in Santa Cruz, California where I reported not only to the local board but also to the board of the national corporation.

The board of directors of a not-for-profit corporation is legally and fiscally responsible for the overall management of the organization. An effective board sets policies, establishes the operating and capital budgets, and conducts Board development as well as both board and program evaluation. By its nature, the turnover of board members on not-for-profit boards is high. Consequently, the continuity of operations from one board to the next is low. That is why I believe an effective and wise board leaves the management of the day-to-day activities to a manager, executive director or what ever title may be used. DVCC's 2005 and 2006 audits contained recommendations relating to this very issue - recommendations that for the most part have not been implemented.

I further believe that it is a disservice to our members to have a part-time Board. From May of this year to October, there was not one officer of the DVCC Board in Arizona and only four Board members stayed here. Additionally, the Board, at its October meetings, was unable to conduct any business because it lacked a quorum of eight members. As far as I am concerned, there is no excuse for this. An absentee board member is really no different than an absentee landlord. If you are going to accept the responsibilities of a board member, then you need to be here to carry out those duties.

I will welcome the opportunity and your vote to serve as a member of the DVCC Board of Directors. If elected I will work towards bringing our community together again. By the way, I am a full time Dreamland Villa resident.

by Jim Cook

The Nominating Committee Would like you to read and digest the resumes of the following eight Board of Directors candidates. The election will be held at Read Hall on Tuesday, February 12th. These candidates have excellent qualifications, and it is appreciated that they are volunteering to run for these positions.

Patricia C. Fender



I am excited about the possibility of being elected to the Dreamland Villa Board. My life experiences and qualifications show that I have leadership abilities, and am an honest and reliable person. It would be an honor to serve my community.

After my husband of 32 years passed away, I moved to Mesa, Arizona, in February 2010 from Springfield,

Missouri, to live near my daughter who has been in Chandler since 1994. My son and family still reside in Springfield. Since I have been here, I worked at the Broadway Palm Dinner Theater until they closed in July 2012.

Originally, I am from Topeka, Kansas, where I lived until 1978, and then my family moved to Springfield, Missouri. My work experience is in the management field. I managed 375 town homes, a 90-unit apartment complex, and a 171-room motel. I was responsible for the daily operations, including supervising employees, collecting monies, ordering supplies, handling inventory, managing budgets, and generating corporate sales. Part of my specialization was to troubleshoot a struggling facility, such as a motel, and then by implementing new procedures and retraining the staff, and turn the property into a profit producing enterprise for the owners.

I also enjoy travel and have extensive history working in this field. In Springfield, Missouri, I owned and managed a travel agency, and was an administrator of a travel school. After completing the TWA Travel School training program, I taught many of our classes at the travel academy. I was privileged to escort travel groups to Europe and the Middle East twenty-two times.

My community service includes assisting with the Springfield, Missouri, Chamber of Commerce, the Convention and Visitor Center, the Hotel and Motel Association, and the Branson, Missouri, Hotel and Motel Association, and the Branson Business Alliance Group. For several years, I was honored to work with Tony Orlando at his annual Veteran's festivities, and I worked with the Osmond brothers on various projects. Now, I am a volunteer at the Mesa Gateway Airport serving as an Ambassador.

I am interested in serving my Community as a Board Member for various reasons. Although, I am fairly new to Arizona, I love living here in Dreamland Villa. With my experiences and communication skills, I believe I will be able to assist the other Board members in improving our Community for our residents. Commitment is very important to me. If elected, I will serve and be very responsible in my duties.

Leroy "Lee" Trevigne



I was born and raised in New Orleans, Louisiana.

My wife and I moved to Arizona almost eight 8 years ago in 2005 after Hurricane Katrina beat us up pretty badly. We have two kids and three grandkids, all of whom were already here in Arizona and had been trying for some time to get us to move here. We were very lucky in that

regard, as we had someplace to go.

Dreamland Villa was our first choice and so we have been here in DV for almost 8 years now.

Back in New Orleans, I worked for a company which still manufactures commercial laundry equipment. I was with them for 45 years and retired in 2003. Within 4 or 5 months of retirement, I was called back to work for them as a consultant and am doing that still today.

I held many positions during that time, 90% of which dealt with the public, both customers and dealers that sell the equipment. I worked in the manufacturing plant, technical service and finally sales. During all of that time I taught service schools, made technical training videos, served as a the service manager and ended up in sales as the national sales manager for OPL (on premises laundries).

Through all those years I gained a great deal of experience in organization, dealing with and solving problems. I feel that I can use these skills to help the DV Board deal with the everyday situations that may arise.

One thing in particular I would like to help with is to upgrade the curb appeal of our area. When we moved here eight years ago, one of the things that attracted us was how neat and picturesque the neighborhood was and still is. But that has slipped a bit and particularly the weeds and trees on our surrounding streets. I would like to try to help fix that and bring back the charm we once had.

If elected, I promise to devote my time and energy to doing these things and whatever else is required.

George Sheppard



The plan for a "New Beginning" in Dreamland Villa helped me make the decision to add my name to the slate of nominees for a position on the DVCC Board.

I am originally from the state of Ohio but spent my working years in Washington state. My career background includes supervision in both manufacturing and quality control.

My wife Darla and I have been residents of this community for eleven years. We were avid travelers in our 5th wheel until last year. We were actively involved in a large RV Travel Club and during a period of time I held the office of President of the group.

Here in Dreamland I have had a position on the DVCC Board, oversee and manage the DVCC Friday Bowling Group, and have been Kitchen Manager at Farnsworth Hall. For a number of years, I worked as the organizer for the DVCC Potluck Dinners.

Due to health issues I had to curb much of my community involvement but now am ready to be actively involved again. I feel I will bring previous experience along with new ideas to the Board. My main commitment is to continue the drive to keep our community the special place that it is. Your vote would be appreciated.

Patricia (Patty) Thorpe



I love living in Dreamland Villa, and I'm really very happy we made the decision to buy a home in the Villa. I have been on the Board as treasurer for the past three years. We have all been through a lot of adversities over the past several years, however, now I can see a "New Beginning" and, would like to be a part of helping Dreamland Villa get to a better place in the future.

I've been a member of Dreamland Villa for the past seven years; I realize how important it was to "get involved". Performing in the variety show "Viva Las Vegas" was a blast, being in charge of the potluck dinners has been a great way to meet many wonderful people. You probably have seen me working at the pancake breakfast, putting on the New Year's parties for the past three years, playing bridge with friends and, dancing at Farnsworth Hall.

I really want to help make and keep Dreamland Villa the best place to live now and in the future. I believe my experience being on the Board as treasurer for the past three years and with my previous working life can be an asset to the Board. Following are some of my experiences:

Westgate Dental Office Manager for seven dentists and, supervision of ten employees, seven years.

Director Claims Processing, EDS Wisconsin Medical Assistance State Plan ten years, supervising over fifty-five employees.

Equifax Claim Manager, Credit Card Services, eighteen years, supervising seventy-five employees.

Wisconsin Real Estate Broker, thirteen years.

I try my very best to be open-minded, conciliatory, and hard working. I am willing to think "outside of the box" and realize that other's perceptions should not be judged as either wrong or right but respected as just being their perception and should be considered in making a decision. Communication is extremely important to me and, I believe that through communications many issues and problems can be solved. I would really appreciate your vote.

John Mathews



I would consider it an honor to serve as a member of the Board of Dreamland Villa. My wife, Jean, and I purchased our retirement home two years ago and in living here year round have come to love the people and the area. I retired as a Vice President of Edison Brothers Stores, Inc., which was a major retail conglomerate, located in Saint Louis with over 2400

stores in America. In my capacity I handled multi-million dollar budgets, trained other executives, and conducted corporate sales meetings and conferences. My duties included a lot of original creative writing as I was asked to take on the responsibility to direct and produce hundreds of Industrial Television programs, which included national public commercials. I have also served as the National Press and Publicity director for a historic outdoor musical in Illinois where I served for ten years. In addition, I served for several years on an HOA Board in Utah where I was the treasurer, which included collecting monthly fees, paying all bills and balancing the ledgers. I have served in many church and civic organizations including Boy Scouts, United Way, Community Improvement, and as a lay minister. In the words of Oliver Wendell Homes, Sr. "I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving." I would be ready and willing to represent the kind people of Dreamland Villa as we strive to make this one of the finest areas to live. I would appreciate your vote of support.

Arizona Day Trips

Boyce Thompson Arboretum

by Alicia Short, photo by Glynn Short

If you can't get enough of cactus, cactus flowers and agave plants, the place to go is the Boyce Thompson Arboretum. There are plenty of trails filled with a photographer's dream for great photo shots. Anyone who enjoys being out in nature will also be delighted with this location.

To begin, take I-60 east toward mile post #223 near the historic copper mining town of Superior. It is a pleasant drive through the desert passing the Renaissance Festival site, Gold Canyon retirement community and on into the lower foothills toward Superior.

We decided to have breakfast in Superior at the Buckboard Café which offers a special discount before going back to the Arboretum. Glynn and I enjoyed our day there doing a lot of photography and enjoying a picnic lunch on the grounds. There is no restaurant at the Arboretum so bring your own food, but some snacks and water and sodas are available in the gift shop. The old Australian sheepherder's cabin was of particular interest to Glynn, giving him his chance to shoot old buildings (one of his favorite types of shots). We had also gone there last spring when they had their plant sale. Took a lot of photos but didn't buy plants. We plan to go back in the spring (about March) to see all the cactus flowers in bloom.

In looking at the schedule of events coming up, we decided to get a membership (only \$45 for a couple) that will allow us to go back anytime we wish at no extra charge and get discounts on classes and workshops that are given each month.

Some of the workshops in January are: (took these off the website): www.boyce-thompson-arboretum.com check each month for new events.

Welcome Winter Visitors Weekend January 5 - 6 11:00 AM tours, 1:00 PM tours both days this weekend

Got an outta-state license? Show that with pride when you pay admission here January 5 and 6 for a "Buy-One-Get-One-Free" admission discount on our Welcome Winter Visitors Weekend featuring guided tours and live music both days. Minnesota-Arizona humorist and songwriter Mark Fogelson shares the stage both days with Eric Laubach. Guided walking tours are at 11:00 AM, concerts at 1:00 PM both days.

Arboretum History Walk January 5, Saturday 10:00 AM tours on the first Saturday of each month

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crossed paths with the Galapagos Tortoise pens. Take a moment to scan the horizon above Picket Post Mountain; can you imagine cavalry soldiers operating a heliograph in the late 1800s? Learn about the life and times of Colonel William Boyce Thompson and his Arboretum on a walking tour guided by Phoenix historian Sylvia Lee. Walks typically last about 90-minutes, departing at 10:00 AM from the Visitor Center breezeway. **Gourd Art Class January 6, Sunday 10:00 AM** until 1:00 PM, enrollment is \$39, have a credit card ready and call 520-689-2723

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Culinary Presentation with Chef Eric of Tall Order Catering - Date To Be Announced at 1:00 PM.

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By Alicia Short

ART CLASSES TO BEGIN IN JANUARY

Registration for the Winter-January/February Art classes will be held on January 4, between 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM in the Art Department room at Read Hall.

Classes to be offered this next January and February are:

MONDAY

9am – 11:30 AM – **Open Painting** No lessons – just painting on your own.

1:00 – 4:30 PM – **Portrait Painting** – Ila Wandtke

TUESDAY

9:00 AM – 11:30 AM - **Watercolor** - Bob Blum

1:00pm – 4:30 PM - **Oil and Acrylic Painting** - Alicia Short

WEDNESDAY

9am – 11:30 AM - **Watercolor** - Alicia Short
Classes begin the week of January 7, 2013.

Classes are \$30 for seven-week sessions for Dreamland Villa residents who are members of the Community Club. A registration form is included and registration forms are available at the DVCC office. If you wish one to be emailed, contact Alicia Short at aliciashort@msn.com or call 480-444-6366 for a form and additional information.



PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Announcing the 1st Annual Photography Show

by Glynn and Alicia Short

The DVCC Photography Club is planning its first annual Photography Show. Members of the club will display photos they have taken both on their own as well as photos taken on field trips. The show will be held on Saturday, January 19, 2013 at Farnsworth Hall from 7:30AM to 1:00PM There is a pancake breakfast going on at the same time in Farnsworth Hall so this event will give all who attend a fun activity to enjoy in addition to their breakfast. So join us and see the beautiful photography done by DVCC members. Some will even be for sale.

Soon Photography Club member's photographs will be on the website. You will see new photos each month. Check us out at www.dreamlandvilla.org, click on Clubs and Activities on the left side of the home page; scroll down to Hobbies and Crafts and click on that link; then find us under Photography Club; soon we will have links per month to see new photography. The photos will have the photographer's name so if you are interested in purchasing a copy you can look them up in the directory and give them a call. The Club has a new logo as shown above this article.

This month the Club went on a field trip to AZ Digital Graphics on University and were treated to a very interesting talk and demonstration by the owner, Joel Segal, on how he makes gicleés, (a process of putting photos and artwork on canvas); printing photos in large poster size format, making signs and more. The

processes gave the photographers ideas on what more they can do with their photos than just printing them out on photo paper.

Some of the photo club members will be going around to take photos of the various DVCC activities which will be placed on the website on the page for that activity. So if you see someone with a camera at your activity....don't pose... we want action shots.

More photo taking field trips are planned for January through April each month.

Beginning May the club may only meet once or twice for the month. Trips through the summer will probably be to cooler climates.

All dues paying Dreamland Villa Community Club members are welcome to belong to the Photography Club. For more information contact Glynn Short at 480-467-7211.

This month's *Citizen* photo was taken by John Ahrens, titled, "Sunset".



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Arts and Crafts Club

by Jennifer Tompkins

On December 1, 2012, the Arts and Crafts Club held their Christmas show at Farnsworth Hall from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. As I was setting up my own table of craft items on Friday, I looked around Farnsworth Hall at the transition it was taking from an empty, quiet building to the hustle and bustle it would experience the next day as shoppers bought gifts and things they newly discovered. Many shoppers returned to their favorite crafter's table to get those items they and their families and friends have grown to enjoy every year. It was a busy show and we are all looking forward to our next event. Some of the items I discovered this show were flannel rag quilts, Ipad covers and carry bags, soft children's books made of fabric, hand crocheted afghans and Swedish work throws, aprons of all sorts and colors and fancy jewelry as well as simple. There is really something there for everyone

Our next show was Saturday, January 26, 2013 from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. There are new items to see at every show. See you there!



Singles Club

by Fleda Krafczik

HAPPY NEW YEAR, from the Singles Club. While we welcome in the New Year we also welcome our new officers for 2013. The following members will serve: Ruth Mogen - president, Jan Milner - vice president, Russell Mathias - treasurer, and Nancy Messner - secretary.

The club visited the Christmas lights at the Mormon Temple with the Mesa chorale group singing and then to the Phoenix Zoo Lights.

The potluck is the 1st Tuesday of each month at 6:00 PM in Read Hall with so many tasty dishes to choose from.

Lunch out was at the Wild Berry with great home cooking. The dine out was at the Golden Corral. Need I say more since it is always a favorite place to eat. The Christmas party was a blast, with a great Christmas dinner and games and entertainment which was fun for all. The club collected stuffed animals for the fire department to give out as well as money and food for the Food Drive. We would like for any of you singles to come to a potluck and or a meeting to see what we are about. We need new ideas as well as new members. The meetings are the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at 9:30 AM in Read Hall. For more information please call Ruth Mogen at 985-6677 or Jan Milner at 369-7898.

by Donna Hanson

Now that many of our members are back in town, we are planning what classes we will be having for the next few months. We ask that our members express their desires for new classes and our Board members will try to accommodate.

At our General Meeting on December 5, Denise Crawford, a volunteer for the Mesa Family Search Library, gave a very interesting talk about Genealogy. She demonstrated much that is available on their site and others. There are so many free sites where we can get information about our ancestors. A new class started by Donna Hanson will be held at Room 9 on December 17th at 9:00 AM for those already doing research and also to help beginners get started in a very interesting subject.

The following persons were chosen at the General meeting to be on the Board of Directors for the coming year: Dee McBain, Madonna Weis, Ann Krasselt, Kay Hawbaker, Darrel Moses, Thelma Emmons and Larry Wilkens. Please contact them if you have any suggestions or comments.

Bob is available at 9:00 AM on Tuesday mornings. Stu is in Room 9 on Friday mornings at 9:00 to assist any member who may come in. We are finding more and more members coming in on Saturday mornings, discussing their problems and other items of interest.

The brunch, which is always on the third Thursday of the month at the Golden Corral, was well attended. Do come

Computer Club

around 10:30 AM and enjoy the food and the friendship of others.

We do appreciate that others are donating their used cartridges as that money is used to purchase items for the drawings and also for other items necessary to keep our classroom active. With a new year, it is time to pay our dues. They are so very reasonable at \$15 for one person and \$20 for two people in the same household. This means you never have to pay for any classes during the whole year and you also get lots of valuable assistance from our volunteers. The money collected is used to sometimes purchase equipment or pay our monthly Internet fee plus various other expenses.

At our next General meeting, always held the first Wednesday of the month at Farnsworth Hall during the winter months, our speaker will be Gene Barlow. He is an avid photographer and is an expert in all aspects of photography. He is often called the Father of PC User Groups. He will tell us how to take better pictures and how to safely save them to our computers.

The next Board meeting will be on December 27 at 9:00 AM. There will be discussions about various subjects plus plans to have more classes so that we may keep up on all computer events. Any member may attend the meetings.

By the way, that gentleman who recently joined our club to learn how to turn his computer on now has learned all about e-mail and is enjoying keeping in contact with all his buddies. Wait until he finds out about Google and Skype.

Quilting Club

by Becky Lamson

In December we had our annual Quilters Club Christmas potluck luncheon at Read Hall with over 20 members in attendance. Tasty food, games, and lively conversation was enjoyed by all.

Our quilting club did not meet during the last two weeks of December to give our members a break and time to enjoy the holidays with family and friends.

We learned that one of the Quilting Club's founding members Ruthaleen McCall's, husband Fred passed away the end of November and extend her our sympathy. They had moved to

Montana last year. She stopped in Mesa during the week of Dec 9th and did get a chance to see some of the members while she was here.

Our monthly quilt picture contains table runners and some of the fabric covered tins made by members during one of our classes. No sewing, only glue was required on the tin covers.

During our first meeting in January we will have election of officers for the new year. Quilters, please plan on attending.

We welcome your unused quilting fabric and batting. You can contact the

Quilt Club President Becky Lamson at (480) 202-7003, and she will arrange a time to pick it up or you may drop it off during our weekly quilt meetings at Read Hall, Thursdays from 1:00-3:00 PM. New or prospective members are always welcome.

Quilters' quote of the month: Talent and individual expression are not qualities that just other people possess. You have it, too! All of you have a capacity for creativity in your quilting. Let yours happen and realize there are no boundaries to your unique expression.



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ENTERTAINMENT

“Wild” Bill & Carole Return to Teach C.W. Dance

by Jackie Young

Back by popular demand, the dance instructor duo of “Wild” Bill and Carole Spotts return to Farnsworth Hall. Instruction began on November 28th and continues into early April, 2013. “Wild” Bill has been teaching C.W. dancing in the East Valley since 1995. Carole joined him in 2001. Together they teach the more standard partner country-western dances. Wild Bill teaches the more popular line dances. Their real specialty is pattern dancing and shuffles. Very few dance

instructors teach this unique form of country dancing that is very popular with our winter visitors. They will re-teach some of the well known pattern and shuffles from last year as well as some new ones they have learned and choreographed themselves. That’s why they are known as the “Shuffle Masters” and the “Prince and Princess of Pattern Dancing”. Wild Bill and Carole are also known as the Dynamic Dancing DJ’s and have been entertaining audiences in the East Valley since 2005. Unlike most other DJ’s, they were dance instructors

and social dancers before they became DJs. So all of the C.W., rock, big band and R & B music are very danceable. Their goal is to get everybody on the dance floor dancing, having a good time, and practicing the pattern dances or shuffles they just taught. Dance Lessons are from 6:30 to 7:30 PM followed by two hours of social dancing till 9:30 with DJ music. Cost is only \$5.00 per person. Polish your boots and join the fun. Check out their website for details and complete dance schedule: www.WILDBILLCWDANCE.com.

Sing-a-Long

by Joan Wissinger

Here’s hoping everyone had a Merry Christmas and is ready to start 2013 with a positive attitude and a song in your heart. After the Dec. 20th potluck dinner the Sing-a-a Long group led the diners in several Christmas carols. It was an evening of fun! Some folks called us because they went to Read Hall on Dec.9th and no one was there. So sorry for the mix-up, but Dec. 2nd was our last singing night for 2012. Now we are looking forward to 2013. We will meet every Sunday night at 7:00 PM January thru March, except the Big Football game night! See you with a smile-cause when you smile the whole world smiles with you! Happy New Year! If you have questions, please call Kathie at 480-353-7652.



Mollie B Will Entertain Dreamland Villa Residents

by Barbara Miller

Mollie Busta, polka singer and dancer, will present a performance at Farnsworth Hall on Friday, January 11, 2013 at 6:00 PM. Mollie loved music for as long s she can remember. Music always filled the Busta house between the *Jim Busta Band*, (her father’s band) practices and recording sessions, her sister and Dad playing piano, her brother practicing drums and the records that were played nearly non-stop. Mollie had the beat in her at a very early age. By the time she was eight years old, her Dad put her on stage to chord along on the keyboard with the *Jim Busta Band*. She plays several instruments, composes, and arranges music. Mollie received a Bachelor of Arts degree in music (trumpet and voice) as well as Master of Arts degree in instruction. While in school, she continued performing music of many genres. In 2007 Mollie relocated to Ohio and joined SQUEEZEBOX, formerly known as “The Bratwurst Boys”. She continues playing and recording with SQUEEZEBOX, showcasing her versatility on several instruments complimented by her talented vocals. In addition to musical performances, she enjoys her “day-job” as a teacher. She has taught in schools (elementary through university level), in churches, and out of her own private home. Plan on attending this show; you will not be disappointed. Tickets may be purchased at the DVCC office or at the door for \$10.00.

First Potluck of 2013 Will Be Held January 17

by Patty Thorpe

Join us for our first Potluck Dinner of 2013 on January 17, 2013, at Farnsworth Hall at 6:00 PM. Please bring a dish to pass that would serve 6-8 people and your own dining utensils. This is a great way for new residents to meet new friends, and old residents to meet and welcome you into our Dreamland Community Club. Due to many requests, a movie “The Pursuit of Happiness” inspired by a true story will be shown. Will Smith and his son Jaden Smith star in this inspiring film. Ladies, bring your Kleenex because I think you might shed a tear or two. Guys, this isn’t a chick-flick so I think you will enjoy the movie as well. Come join us! See you for dinner and a movie.

Jam Sessions to Begin Now

by Nydia Pobran

As the New Year unfolds, so do the jam sessions at Farnsworth Hall. The first one is January 4, 2013, from 1:00 - 3:00 PM. Future dates are February 8 and March 22, 2013. We invite you to join us in this wonderful afternoon of entertainment! Questions?? Call Nydia Pobran whose number is in the DVCC directory.

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FINANCIAL REPORTS

Balance Sheet

Friday, November 30, 2012

Dreamland Villa

Cash Accounting Year Starts January 1, 2012

ASSETS			
Current Assets			
1010 National Bank of Arizona	\$50,392.24		
1011 Petty Cash	\$300.00		
1012 Change Fd-Entertain-Kit	\$350.00		
Total Current Assets		\$51,042.24	
Fixed Assets			
1100 Equipment	\$31,505.15		
1110 Land	\$69,174.00		
1120 Buildings	\$665,782.02		
1125 Allow for Dep Buildings	(\$665,782.02)		
1130 Outside Improvements	\$158,761.24		
1135 A/D Outside Improvements	(\$148,098.53)		
1140 Swimming Pools	\$60,881.86		
1145 A/D Swimming Pools	(\$55,001.18)		
1150 Furniture and Fixtures	\$35,841.10		
1155 A/D Furniture & Fixtures	(\$35,841.10)		
1160 Buildings & Equip NBV	\$154,251.74		
1165 A/D Buildings & Equip NBV	(\$154,251.74)		
Total Fixed Assets		\$117,222.54	
TOTAL ASSETS		\$168,264.78	
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
2100 Clearing Account	(\$1,786.01)		
2150 Open Credits	\$3.10		
2204 Farnsworth Hall Reserve	\$1,052.50		
2206 Nature Walk	\$430.00		
2305 Johns Villa Rest Deposit	\$500.00		
2310 Maranatha Church Deposit	\$250.00		
2315 Facility Use Deposit	\$1,080.00		
2420 Restricted Donations -Lib	\$1,458.95		
Total Current Liabilities		\$2,988.54	
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$2,988.54	
EQUITY			
3030 Retained Earnings	\$411,355.92		
Current Year Earnings	(\$246,079.68)		
TOTAL EQUITY		\$165,276.24	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		\$168,264.78	

Prepared by Dreamland Villa Community Club on December 7, 2012 at 10:32 AM

Revenue and Expenses

Friday, November 30, 2012

Dreamland Villa

Cash Accounting Year Starts January 1, 2012

	Current	Percent	Year To Date	Percent
INCOME				
Income				
4100 Annual Assessment	\$0.00	0.0	\$20,789.03	29.5
4105 Prior Years Dues	\$0.00	0.0	\$432.89	0.6
4220 Admission Fee -Member	\$0.00	0.0	\$15,675.00	22.3
4225 Transfer Fee Inc	\$0.00	0.0	\$7,375.00	10.5
4250 Commissions & Fees	\$0.00	0.0	\$2,684.60	3.8
4305 Sprlnt Tower Income	\$864.00	100.0	\$6,912.00	9.8
4310 Facility Lease Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$8,744.00	12.4
4315 Rental Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$980.00	1.4
4400 Entertainment Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$5,057.34	7.2
4405 Kitchen Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,015.10	1.4
4500 Miscellaneous Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$754.25	1.1
Total Income	\$864.00	100.0	\$70,419.21	100.0
TOTAL INCOME	\$864.00	100.0	\$70,419.21	100.0
EXPENSES				
Expenses				
5005 Entertainment Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$4,517.25	6.4
5018 Citizen Newspaper Exp	\$0.00	0.0	\$2,600.00	3.7
5025 Library Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$903.74	1.3
5050 Building Damage	\$0.00	0.0	(\$13.77)	0.0
5100 Website Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$225.00	0.3
5105 Accounting Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$400.00	0.6
5115 Bank Charges	\$0.00	0.0	\$71.35	0.1
5120 Vehicle Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,484.87	2.1
5205 Office Supplies	\$0.00	0.0	\$2,450.78	3.5
5210 Postage	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,250.82	1.8
5215 Copy Machine Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,946.96	2.8
5505 Pool Maint. & Supplies	\$0.00	0.0	\$7,599.41	10.8
5510 Other Maint & Supplies	\$0.00	0.0	\$12,463.43	17.7
5515 Kitchen Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,126.60	1.6
5600 Miscellaneous Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$64.87	0.1
6105 Workmans Comp Ins	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,652.00	2.3
6110 General Insurance	\$0.00	0.0	\$17,943.16	25.5
6115 Licenses & Permits	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,620.00	2.3
6120 Trash Collection	\$0.00	0.0	\$3,699.93	5.3
6125 Legal Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$207,808.63	295.1
6150 Capital Proj Reserve Exp	\$0.00	0.0	(\$116,750.00)	165.8
6205 Telephone Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$2,813.84	4.0
6210 Natural Gas Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$16,033.27	22.8
6215 Electric	\$0.00	0.0	\$22,092.12	31.4
6220 Security Service	\$0.00	0.0	\$3,937.63	5.6
6225 Water & Sewer Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$11,687.04	16.6
6230 Landscape Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$711.79	1.0
6325 Property Taxes	\$0.00	0.0	\$21.70	0.0
6405 Salaries & Wages	\$0.00	0.0	\$96,445.49	137.0
6410 Payroll Taxes	\$0.00	0.0	\$7,825.43	11.1
6415 Payroll Processing	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,815.43	2.6
6510 Federal Income Tax	\$0.00	0.0	\$50.12	0.1
Total Expenses	\$0.00	0.0	\$316,498.89	449.4
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$0.00	0.0	\$316,498.89	449.4
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$864.00	100.0	(\$246,079.68)	349.4

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Office Closed R	2 Board Study Session 9 AM R Computer Club 9 AM F Dynamic Dance DJ 6:30 PM F	3 Book Club 1-2:30 PM R-3 Michigan Club 5 PM R	4 Jam Session 1 PM F	5
6 Maranatha Church 9-12 AM F Sing-A-Long 7 PM R	7 Hikers meet 9 AM F	8 Board Meeting 9 AM R New Resident Orientation 7 PM R	9 Dynamic Dance DJ 6:30 PM F	10	11 Molly B Squeeze Box Polka Dance Music 6 PM F	12 Coffee Social 7:30 AM R Iowa Club 9:30 AM R
13 Maranatha Church 9-12 AM F Sing-A-Long 7 PM R	14 Marty Berk's Hilarious Tribute to Ray Steven's 7-8:30 PM	15 Maranatha Church Pot Luck 6 PM F	16 Dynamic Dance DJ 6:30 PM F	17 Potluck Dinner 6 PM F Singles - Wii Games 5 PM R	18	19 Pancake Breakfast 7:30 AM F Photography Show 7:30 AM - 1 PM F
20 Maranatha Church 9-12 AM F FARNSWORTH POOL CLOSED	21 Hikers meet 9 AM F	22 Block Watch Meeting 2:00 PM F	23 Dynamic Dance DJ 6:30 PM F	24 Book Club 1-2:30 PM R-3 Men's Golf Banquet 4 - 7 PM R	25	26 Coffee Social 7:30 AM R Arts & Craft Show 9 AM - 2 PM F
27 Maranatha Church 9 - 12 AM F Sing-A-Long 7 PM R READ POOL CLOSED	28	29 Minnesota Club Potluck 5:30 PM R	30 Dynamic Dance DJ 6:30 PM F	31	Calendar notices or dates are the responsibility of the leaders of each group. Deadline notice is due to the office by the 5 th of each month.	

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JANUARY WEEKLY ACTIVITES

SUNDAY AM	MONDAY AM	TUESDAY AM	WEDNESDAY AM	THURSDAY AM	FRIDAY AM	SATURDAY AM
Maranatha Church F <i>Worship on the Days of your choice</i>	8:00 Pickleball F R-6 9:00 Help Services H-S Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt. Ceramics R-7 Art - Open Painting R-5 9:30 Shuffleboard R 10:00 Slim & Trim R Library R Photography Club R	8:00 Silver Sweaters R R-6 Lapidary R-6 9:00 Help Services H-S Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt Ceramics R-7 Computer Club R-9 Art - Watercolor R-5 W/ Bob Blum Bocce Ball F	8:00 Pickleball F R-6 Lapidary R-6 Silver Sweaters R 9:00 Help Services H-S Art - Watercolor w/Alicia Short R-5 Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt Ceramics R-7 9:30 Shuffleboard R 10:00 Library R	8:00 Silver Sweaters R R-6 Lapidary R-6 9:00 Help Services H-S Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt. Bocce Ball F Dream Steppers F 9:30 10:00 Slim & Trim R Library R 11:00 Poker R-8	9:00 Help Services H-S Computer Club R-9 Bocce Ball F Library R 1st & 3 rd Saturday	
SUNDAY PM	MONDAY PM	TUESDAY PM	WEDNESDAY PM	THURSDAY PM	FRIDAY PM	SATURDAY PM
	1:00 Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt Lapidary R-6 Ceramics R-7 Hand and Foot R Art - Portrait Painting R-5 W/ Ila Wandtke 1:30 Aqua Cize R 7:00 Cribbage R	1:00 Art Open Painting R-5 Lapidary R-6 Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt Ceramics R-7 Art - Oil and Acrylic R-5 W/ Alicia Short 1:30 Wood Carving R-2 Aqua Cize R 6:00 Texas Hold-Em R-3	1:00 Ceramics R-7 Lapidary R-6 Whist R Euchre R Library R Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt 1:30 Aqua Cize R 6:30 Wild Bill Dance Lessons F 7:30 Open Dance F 7:00 Bridge R	1:00 Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt Lapidary R-6 Quilters R Pickleball R 7:00	1:00 Canasta R Lapidary R-6 Bridge R Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt 1:30 Aqua Cize R 7:00 "500" R	7:00 Pinochle R

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SPORTS

Dreamland Villa Men's Golf League

by Ray Zabel

Can you believe what great weather we are having? I see all these snow birds walking around with shorts and sandals even in the early morning and late evening. We are lucky we live here in Arizona. We can play golf every day which is great and we have reasonable rates.

We are playing golf on Monday and Wednesday at Dreamland Golf Course. We have starting times starting at 11:00 AM and on. If anyone is interested in being part of the Men's Golf Club, we would love to have you join. If you are interested, call those listed below or show up at around 11:00 A.M.

On Friday we have a POT Game at 8:00 AM. Anyone interested should show up about 7:30 A.M. I can attest this is fun to do.

The 12th of November we had a scramble with (Stan Hayes, Bob Cott, Al gram, Harry Cole) came in second with a net score 19.25. The first place winners were (Dick Wyland, Dean Sargent, Dick Larson, Leo Broden) with a score of 18.75.

Some of the scores for last month: Marty Bodor 37, 37, 39, 38, 38; Mark Boehmer 39, 39; Ralph Hvidstan 39; Larry Waterstradt 35, 37, 32, 33,35; Jim Lawler 39, 38, 39 38,39; Norm Scoville 38, 39, 35; Bob Perry 39, 37; Gary Goetch 36, 37, 34, 37, 34; Jim Lasee 39; John Duffy 38; Bill Bjorklund 39, 36, 39.

If you have any questions please call Larry Waterstradt (480-894-1645) President, Dale Tatman (480-981-1645) Treasure.

Hiking Group News

by Jill Holleque

The hikers have enjoyed perfect weather and a hot dog roast at Saguaro Lake after our December hike on the Butcher Jones Trail.

We have welcomed several new hikers and expect our largest groups in January and February as everyone is back to their winter homes. Come join us for a fun social time, exercise, and beautiful scenery!

Upcoming hikes for 2013 are January 7 and 21; February 4 and 18; March 4 and 18 and April 1.

Meet by 9:00 AM in the Farnsworth Hall parking lot. We carpool to the trail head. Bring a few dollars to give your driver, water and a lunch. Layer clothing and wear good closed toe, non-slip shoes or boots. Hiking sticks are personal preference.

For more details on specific hikes, call Jill Holleque (number in DVCC directory) or go to dreamlandvilla.org and click on Outdoor Activities.

Ladies hikes planned so far for 2013 are January 14 and 28 and February 14. Meet at Farnsworth Hall by 9:00 AM. For more details on these hikes, call Mary Lindgren or Anita Thompson (numbers in DVCC directory) or visit dreamlandvilla.org.

Shuffleboard

by Bruce Van Vleet

Shuffleboard has been around for a long time. It was first introduced in the USA in 1913. The first courts were built in Daytona Beach, Florida. This sparked the outdoor shuffleboard fad. Courts sprang up at resorts and retirement communities across the country.

It is an exciting game that can be played by people of all ages for fun. It is an outdoor exercise that helps with hand and eye coordination. It also is game of competitive spirit.

Here in Dreamland Villa, we have eight courts. Four players can play on one court, with two on each end. Pucks are used which are black and yellow in color. Cue sticks are used to push the pucks up and down the court. There is a triangle on each end of the court. A ten is at the top triangle on each end of the court. Next is an eight, then a seven. On the back side of the triangle is a ten off. Scoring is done by putting a puck on a number or numbers without touching any lines.

It is a fun game, so come and join us Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 9:30 AM. If you have any questions, please call Bruce Van Vleet. His number is in the telephone directory.



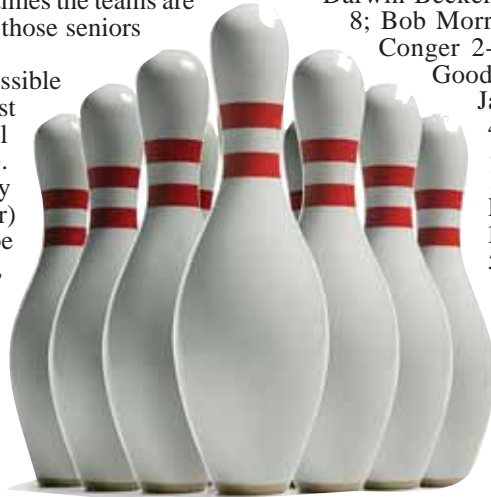
Dreamland Tuesday Bowling League

by Ray Zabel

The Christmas Season is now over and the new year of 2013 is upon us.. You can see the good times the teams are having. My fun bowling is seeing all those seniors enjoying this game and each other.

The teams are bunched together to possible win the first half of the season. In first is the "Wild Ones" (Wayne & Carol Long, Dee Christiansen, Arlen Roder). In second place is "Good guys" (Harry & Nancy Cole, Bob & Betty rodocker) and third "Up and Comers" (Joe Vickery, Chuck Damert, Reg Pole, Tim Goodwin). Within seven points are another ten teams that are right in there to move into first place.

We have a real need for substitutes. Since we are seniors we do have health problems and other important duties, so we do need substitutes. We also need



permanent team members. Don't hesitate to call Jan.

Some splits that were picked up:

Darwin Becker 4-7, 3-5-10; Linda Bilodeau 4-5-7-8; Bob Morrow 4-7-10; Jack Cregar 3-6-7; Conger 2-4-10; Steve Duncan 3-6-7-10; Tim Goodwin 2-4-8-10; Dan Jenkins 2-7-8; Jan Kuzmich 3-10; Richard Lower 4-7-9; Joanna Moor 3-10; Trill Perrin 4-10; 4-10; Roy Pitts 5-10; Russ Poynter 5-10, 4-7-9; Jim Brown 4-9; Rife 3-5-7; Betty Rodocker 3-6-7-10; Pat Ressa 4-7-10; Lois Rookey 5-10; Ray roslan 4-7-8; Joanna Moor 5-7; Ray Zabel 3-6-7-10.

Below are some of the bowlers and their scores

Bafia, Robert 182, 176, 190, 515, 190, 505; Sue Barney 178; Norm Barney 190, 200; Don Benoit 210, 185, 170, 565; Bilodeau, Linda 170; Black, Andy 185; Jim Brown 201; Bob Morrow 195, 204, 170, 518; Carolyn Morrow 198, 512; Cole, Harry 176,179, 189, 170, 506, 182, 181, 526; Mike Clark 176; Damert, Chuck 200, 533, 176, 175, 516; Steve Duncan 170; Tim Goodwin 189, 513, 183,191, 185, 559; Grande, Robert 178; Vonita Hinton 181, 180, 527; Jenkins, Dan 204, 218, 176, 598, 176, 185, 191, 197, 573; Kuzmich, Nick 226, 174, 190, 530; Kloeckner, Chuck 178, 172; Kuether, Charlie 170; Sammy Leeper 173; Lockard, Ed 187, 172, 188; Wayne Long 181; Lower, Richard 181, 184, 514, 176, 190; Joanna Moor 178; Pat Marzullo 205, 192, 564, 176, 202, 258, 623; Dave Perrin 170; Perrin, Trill 170; Poynter, Russ 210, 521, 170, 190, 244, 550; Pat Ressa 187, 258, 210, 655,177, 187, 510; Arlen Roder 171; Bob Rodocker 182; Roslan, Ray 195, 200, 193, 588, 170; Sarver, Jerry 175, 190, 188; Vickery, Joe 206, 172, 181, 558, 197, 194, 205, 596; Del Weisser 187, 502; Ray Zabel 197, 503, 217, 528x .

If you need more information, call Jan 480-396-4136.

Silver Sweaters

by Ruth Parker

Silver Sweaters, an exercise class, meets every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at Read Hall, 320 N 55th Place. Exercises start at 8:00 AM for 40 minutes. Half of the exercises are standing and half on a mat or towel on the floor which you must bring with you.

Bambi, in her fourth year as a freshman, sat in her US Government class. The professor asked Bambi if she knew what Roe vs. Wade was about. Bambi pondered the question, then said, "That was the decision George Washington had to make before he crossed the Delaware."

Dreamland Ladies Golf League

by Kay Hawbaker

Hope you all had a happy holiday season and here's wishing you a spectacular New Year. For our Christmas luncheon on December 20, the food was prepared by "Flancers" which the committee picked up. They set it up, plus they decorated all of the tables. Thank you for all the work so as to keep the luncheon cost affordable.

Remember that the second meeting of the season will be at 9:30 AM on the 3rd of January. The Putting Contest will be held January 10, at

9:00 AM on a staked hole



on the putting green across the street from the Pro Shop. Each member will have three attempts (balls) for the designated hole. Results will be based on the number of balls putted into the hole and those coming closest to the hole.

February is tournament month and one must play three games in February to qualify for the tournament. For those playing all four Thursdays, the best three games will be used for awards.

Members voted to do

"Rally for the Cure" during regular play on March 7, 2013. So the play of the day is Pick-a-Partner (odd or even) and the closest to the hole on Hole #4.

One final note: at the March 8th final meeting of the season, we elect members of the Board. Volunteers are needed. Anyone who would consider taking on some small task, speak with Linda Bilodeau or Burdell Tatman.

Remember the meeting at Read Hall at 9:30 A.M. on the 3rd of January.

Outdoors in Dreamland Villa Exercise can be fun!

by Ralph Shirey



Check your monthly issue of the *Citizen* for the calendar of events scheduled in your community!

Hiking, bocce ball, pickleball, shuffleboard, aqua cize and golf are some of the scheduled events with walking and bike riding on the side streets within the community topping off the list of opportunities to get the exercise that we need!

The exercise room in the Read complex offers equipment for the aerobics and muscle toning that our bodies need! Get a recommended regiment from your health care provider and begin the New Year with a goal to get in shape! It is amazing how fast a half hour, even an hour goes when you watch TV while you are on the treadmill!

The bocce ball courts were recovered a year ago and are in great shape; join the players Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 9:00 AM for a great time!

Pickleball, the fastest growing game in senior circles, is played at the Read complex Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8:30 AM. Beginners are welcome!

Have breakfast at the restaurant, play pickleball or shuffleboard, then enjoy the exercise pool and finish off in the hot tub! One stop retirement living in Dreamland Villa where retirement dreams come true!

For the socialites among us, dancing is one of the best ways to exercise while having fun! Wild Bill and Miss Carol do line dance lessons on Wednesdays at 6:30 PM followed by an open dance! There are many dances scheduled this season including Polka Bands. Check the *Citizen* and pick up a schedule at the office or Farnsworth Hall. Keep an eye on the marquee in front of the Farnsworth Hall!

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