

DVCC BRIEFS

37th Annual Art Show
Saturday, March 9, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
9:00 AM

DVCC Board Meeting
Tuesday, March 12, 2013
Read Hall
9:00 AM

HELP Services Election
Tuesday, March 12, 2013
HELP Services Building
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Wild Bill's Dance Lessons
Wednesday, March 13, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
6:30 PM

Polka Power California
Friday, March 15, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
6:00 PM

Pancake Breakfast
Saturday, March 16, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
7:30 – 9:30 AM

Dakota Kid
Saturday, March 16, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
6:30 PM

The Missouri Opry
Tuesday, March 19, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
7:00 PM

Talent Show
Wednesday, March 20, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
4:00 PM

Potluck Dinner
Thursday, March 21, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
6:00 PM

Jam Session
Friday, March 22, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
1:00 PM

Coffee Social
Saturday, March 23, 2013
Read Hall
7:30 PM

The Softones
Saturday, March 23, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
7:30 PM

HAPPY EASTER

DVCC Residents Elect 2013-2014 Board Members

by Barbara Miller

Nine new candidates were elected to serve on the Dreamland Villa Community Board for the coming year(s). Those chosen were:

Harry Cole	3 Years	255 Votes
Patty Thorpe	3 Years	252 Votes
John Mathews	3 Years	236 Votes
Patricia Fender	3 Years	220 Votes
George Sheppard	2 Years	184 Votes
Daniel Collins	2 Years	164 Votes
Charles Dubbs	1 Year	156 Votes
Wendell Black	1 Year	155 Votes
Gordon Watson	1 Year	148 Votes
Also ran: Eugene Espy		132 Votes

Special thanks go to David Senke and his Nominating Committee for recruiting residents to run and serve on the DVCC Board. Also kudos to the people who did the ballot tabulation.

You Should Have Been There!

by Lyle Wood

At an Informational Meeting on Feb 11th, approximately 140 Dreamland Villa residents heard from Maricopa County's Charles Hart, Code Enforcement Manager, and Valerie Beckett, who explained the processes used by Maricopa County to resolve citizen complaints on problems in our neighborhoods. Many questions were asked by members of the audience and answered. Mr. Hart told us the process is not perfect, and his office is restricted by state law on what actions they can take to resolve issues. Many complaints are resolved for our citizens.

If you are a DVCC member in good standing, the DVCC Compliance Committee will help you with the first attempt to resolve the problem. Forms for the procedure are available in the DVCC office or the Maricopa County link from our web site dreamlandvilla.org. Non-members are not eligible for DVCC assistance and must go directly to the county on their own either in person to the county offices or using the Maricopa County web site.

Special thanks go to Mr. Hart and Ms Beckett and other Maricopa County officials who try to assist us with our complaints.

Residents Clean up the Nature Walk

by Larry Wilkens

We are in the final stages of the **Dreamland Villa Nature Walk Clean Up**. The process started in early January with the cutting of trees, brush and undergrowth. A major work day happened on January 16 and 30 to move the material in piles or along the roadway to facilitate loading it into the chipper for removal. On February 8, 11, and 12 we hired AAA Landscape to provide a wood chipper, truck and crew to remove all the trees and brush material and volunteers moved the material to the chopper. Many hands made the work go fast.

A group of 42+ volunteers provided over 300 hours of volunteer labor to clean up the nature walk. They are alphabetically: Ray Bayley, Jan and Bonnie Bruinooge, Jim Burt, Pat Cappeletti, Nancy Cole, Chris Dausey, Dave Dehaan, Pat and Steve Dinsmore, Dave Ester, Cliff Gagnon, Jim Gilbert, Sharon Gill, Jim Gleitz, Donna Grube, Jim Heimarck, Joe Hill, Steve Holleque, Ken Hyink, Lauren Ike, John Kunkel, Merle Magnuson, Gordon Mauw, Jim McKay, Gene Miller, Earl



and Cyn Munday, Denise Redding, Doug Rerick, Ernie Rud, Richard Schlagenhaft, David Senke, Bea and Red Westall,

Larry Wilkens, Don Wyatt and Dennis Zurbay. Thanks also go to our maintenance staff of Brian, Tyler, Dean and Mark plus all the calling Donna Zurbay did to get the volunteers there.

We are working with a local Boy Scout to complete an Eagle Scout Project which will include refurbishing our benches on the walk and creating some signs to identify plants on the walk.

We are planning to go back through the Nature Walk on Wednesday, **13 March starting at 9:00 AM** to level the



gullies, trim anything we missed and generally just sprucing everything up. We will meet at 54th Street and the Walk, please bring shovel, rakes, and small clippers.

Please come enjoy the walk and see what everyone has accomplished. The project exceeded our budget, so if you would like to help us out with a contribution stop by the office and make your donation. In your memo line on your check, mark it "**Nature Walk**". I thank you in advance for your generosity. I also want to thank everyone for all the work they did, and if you see them it would be great if you would express your thanks also.

Victims of Identity Thief

by Irene Nissen

I hear many times, "It won't happen to me". It only takes a second and you're caught in that situation. It has come to our attention this has happened in Dreamland Villa that mail has been stolen from mailboxes.

Strangers are going through your letters, bills, and financial statements all for their personal gain. It's a terrible feeling knowing they could have access to your bank accounts and credit cards. It is great stress you have trying to call and cancel all your personal information before any monetary damage can be done by the predator.

This is just one more reason why a "Block Watch" would benefit you and your neighbors. We ask that you keep your eyes open and if you feel uncomfortable putting your mail outside for pick up, we do have a U.S. Postal Box at Dreamland Parking Lot where you can drop your mail off.



Coming next month: The Brookhart's at Farnsworth Hall on Sat. April 6th from 7:00 to 10:00 PM. Watch for more detail in the April *Citizen*. For up-to-date community events, additions or changes in the DVCC calendar visit the Dreamland web site: dreamlandvilla.org.



Barbara Miller: Editor

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- Editor

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The President's Message

by Jerald "Red" Westall



were harvested and frozen by United Blood Services. Then I went to the hospital for my transplant. Mayo Clinic and Scottsdale North were the ones who saved my life. We have a reunion once a year; I was the 37th transplant patient. I was given back my life on Good Friday, April 6, 1996. You have to set goals before you are ever allowed to have a transplant. Mine was to get back to South Dakota for the dedication of our new church. I got home on May 3rd with the dedication being held on May 5th. **Every minute is a gift; enjoy them.**

Serving on the board of Dreamland has been an honor for me. There are individuals who just can't be happy living in this great community. I have decided that life is way too short

Greetings from your President and Happy Easter to everyone. As I am writing this article- Ash Wednesday hasn't appeared yet. This time of year is always a blessing at our household and for my family and friends. As most of you know, I am a cancer survivor, more than once. However, my first bout was non-Hodgkin's lymphoma. I had to have a bone marrow transplant and was told I had one month to live. This was achieved with my own stem cells when mine

to worry about having to pay \$125.00 per year per person in a household. This household will always encourage people to pay their dues as we are blessed to be able to live here. And I know I don't have to pay it, I WANT TO. Thank You, previous members of the Board for giving us this honor.

You have recently had the opportunity to go out and vote. I certainly hope we had an increase in the amount of individuals who voted. You know, this is YOUR community. YOU need to become more INVOLVED. We have had several new faces at many of the activities and also the morning coffees and potlucks. Thank you for becoming involved. It is great meeting new people!

Mark your calendar on March 16, 2013, as the "Dakota Kid" will be performing at the Farnsworth Band Shell. We certainly hope the weather will cooperate as this will be a free show. Refreshments will be served.

Yes, and talk about serving, I am most thankful for Donna and Dennis Zurbay and Harry and Nancy Cole. These two couples always work as team members and succeed in all endeavors. Donna, you're awesome with a telephone and finding workers. Harry, I can never thank you enough for picking up the pieces at Farnsworth Hall. No one realizes the amount of time it takes to keep things organized for the enjoyment of your community. Thank you! So, you have one more message coming from me. On April 1st I will be swearing in your new President. It has been a pleasure serving for the past seven years. Remember, your Board is working for the betterment of your community.

Office News

by Jackie Young, Administrative Office Manager

Headed up by Donna Zurbay, all of our wonderful volunteers have completed the 2013 Membership Drive. Receiving the incoming dues notices, mailing out the kee cards, even helping filing the notices in the office made up their duties. Thank you once again for everyone's help. To date, we have issued 2022 membership cards and 352 social cards. If there was ever any doubt,

Dreamland Villa Community Club is alive and well, and we thank you for your support. Please don't be shy, we are still accepting membership dues, and Irene and I enjoy meeting all of you.



Recently, we were asked in the office about a charge a resident noticed on their tax bill. The line item was under Special District Taxes, Dreamland Villa 14. They asked if Dreamland Villa Community Club was levying a tax on homes. The

resident was told no and referred to the Maricopa County Treasures Office. Well, being the curious type I called the Treasurer's office myself and was told the Dreamland Villa 14 refers to the county subdivision name and the tax is a very old tax to pay for the street lights. This was an original agreement with the county and the builder to pay for the installation and maintenance of street lights. Mystery solved.

March is a wonderful month to celebrate, St. Patrick's Day, The First Day of Spring and Easter; what a better place to celebrate in than Dreamland Villa.

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News from the Librarian's Desk

by Margie Gilbert



Greetings to all of you from the Dreamland Villa Community Club Library. Thank you to all of you who attended our book sale February 2nd. We had a great turn out and are pleased with the results. Thanks to all of you who volunteered, donated books and purchased books, puzzles, videos and magazines. Many thanks are also due to those of Dreamland

Villa maintenance crew who hauled books and set up tables for us. Anything left at the end of the day was donated to Sunshine

Acres. You may wish to visit them at their thrift store and boutique. I understand they have a marvelous store there.

We have had several of our patrons asking about inspirational or Christian fiction lately. We recently received a sizable donation of Karen Kingsbury's "life changing" Christian Novels. We also have quite a few Beverly Lewis' stories of Amish life. I'm sure there are others in our collection I'm not aware of. Look for further developments in this area. If you have authors or specific books you wish to see us add to our collection, be sure and write your wants on our request sheet right next to the sign in sheet as you come into the library.

The "clean out" that happens each year at book sale time allows us to do some necessary house cleaning and re-arranging. Look for new developments in that area, too. As always we welcome your suggestions and are thankful for donations of "new" books whenever you clean out a closet or bookshelf.

We continue with our winter hours. We are open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings from 10:00 AM until Noon, and Wednesday afternoons from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM. We are also open the first and third Saturday morning of every month from 10:00 AM until Noon. There is a book drop at the front door if you are unable to get to us during regular hours. We also have a service for shut-ins if you can't get to the library due to ill health. Please call the library if you need that service. Our phone number is 480-654-8547.

If you are new to Dreamland Villa, we are located at 5502 Butte at 55th Street. That is just behind the Read Hall Swimming Pool parking lot. We are run entirely by volunteers, and much of our collection of approximately 7,000 books is donated. The rest are purchased partly with a monthly allotment from the community club budget and partly with part of the proceeds of our annual sale.

Thank you all again for your patronage, both at the book sale and throughout the year at the library.

Citizen Book Review

by Margie Gilbert

Shades of Blue by Karen Kingsbury

For those of you who have recently asked about Inspirational or Christian novels, here is one for you. Karen Kingsbury is the author of many Christian novels, some of them series, some stand alone. She calls them "life changing" stories, and they cover many issues that we as people face in our every day lives.

Brad Cutler is a rising young advertising executive, engaged to Laura James, the boss's daughter. A few weeks short of the wedding, he begins to have flash backs to his teen years when he made a series of bad decisions. A brief trip home to visit his parents re-enforces his feeling that he must settle the past before he can move on and get married.

After confessing to his soon-to-be bride that he had encouraged his teen-aged girlfriend, Emma, to have an abortion, he takes the Memorial Day weekend to go back and find her. He knows he must have Emma's forgiveness as well as God's before he can build a future with Laura.

Emma has built a life for herself as a successful and beloved first grade teacher. After her abortion, and Brad's abandonment, and her mother's death, she lost her faith and except for her teaching connections has become almost reclusive. With the help of a friend, Brad is easily able to locate her at the school. Their first meeting is tense and does little to clear the air. A walk along the familiar beach where they spent so much time together the last summer they were together brings back lots of painful memories for them both.

In the end, after attending church together Sunday morning and praying with the pastor, they are able to share their feelings with one another and forgive each other. By Monday evening when Brad returns to the city, they have spent time discussing how they each felt the day the abortion was performed and how it affected their lives.

Brad returns to the city to find that Laura has had a revelation. Her inclination to be angry with him for what he had done and for not sharing with her is gone. She has learned to forgive and embrace him and his past as part of the man she loves. The wedding will go on.

Emma's life will soon be changing, too. The weekend of forgiveness and moving on has allowed her to acknowledge the friendship an acquaintance high school coach has offered her. Rebuilding her faith also allows her to deal with the death of a high school student who had been helping in her the classroom.

New Member Orientation

by Hazel Dubbs

Circle your calendar for Tuesday, March 19, at 7:00 PM for the New Member Orientation. This meeting is scheduled for all new homeowners and those who have not attended this meeting prior to this date. The meeting will be in Read Hall.

We want you to come and learn about the Dreamland community and all that it has to offer you in the way of activities, outdoor and indoor, the clubs and location of swimming pools and John's Villa Restaurant. You will have the opportunity to meet new residents like yourselves.

Printed materials regarding the activities and entertainment will be available. There will be a time for questions and answers.

Refreshments will be provided and an opportunity to meet the Welcome Committee; Nancy Cole, Charles Dubbs, Lucille Kraiss, Ginny Hays, Molly Maloy and Dorothy Ruth.

In and Around the Villa

by Mary Anne Glauner

Happy St. Patrick's Day to all our Irish friends and everyone who wishes they were Irish on this day. Looks like the 17th falls on a Sunday this year so dinner will be corn beef and cabbage instead of chicken. One other important Sunday this month is Easter which will be celebrated on the 31st of March for all Christians.

The 37th Annual Art Show will be in Farnsworth Hall on Saturday, March 9th from 9:00 AM to 2:30 PM. It is with great pride that the Art Department again will showcase the talent of their members. You will be able to vote on your favorite art piece, titled 'People's Choice'. This will be a judged show. Refreshments will be served. Mark your calendar and come and support our resident artists. There will be the opportunity to purchase some of the art work.

Congratulations to the winners in Ceramic Chaos who received ribbons for their entries in the annual Phoenix Doll and Ceramic Show held at the ASU West Campus in January. The winners are displaying their entries in the ceramic room for viewing; stop by and check out the ribbons and congratulate our winners. Ten pieces were submitted and ten ribbons were awarded including a "Best of Show". It's also time for everyone to come to the ceramic room and paint a "bowl for the homeless". They have 204 bowls which need to be painted, fired and glazed before the first week of October. They are asking for everyone's help, and it is free.

John's Villa has scheduled some special menu items this month. Tuesdays will be known as "Taco Tuesday". You can get one taco with rice and beans including a drink for \$4.49; or 2 tacos with rice and beans including a drink for \$5.99. Thursdays will be Hot Turkey Sandwich Day. They will serve a Hot Turkey Sandwich with homemade mashed potatoes, with cranberry sauce including coffee or tea for \$5.99. Support our own restaurant right here in Dreamland Villa.

Linda's Hoosier Café, located at University and Higley, is under new management. They have also added evening hours, effective immediately. Their new evening hours are Tuesday thru Saturday from 3:00 to 7:00 PM. They have added a Friday Fish Fry to their menu, too!

If you have citrus on your trees and don't want it, please take it to any food bank in the area.

Before I print my monthly story/joke, again I want to state that I do not now nor have I ever taken credit for being the author of these stores/jokes. It is judicious to even think I had that kind

Easy Cooking

by Irene Nissen

Cauliflower Popcorn

- 2 Small Heads of Cauliflower
- 1 Tablespoon Olive Oil
- 1 Tablespoon Kemp Seed Pepper to Taste



Cut up cauliflower into popcorn size florets. Mix with rest of the ingredients. Bake in a 450 degree oven for 15 - 20 minutes.

of talent. Good golly, if I had that kind of talent I would be a writer for Letterman or Leno. These pieces have been sent to me through my email and I have collected them over the years I have been writing my article. Never have I received one with the name of the original author included that I have copied.

WOMAN'S PERFECT BREAKFAST: She's sitting at the table with her gourmet coffee. Her son is on the cover of the Wheaties box. Her daughter is on the cover of Business Week. Her boyfriend is on the cover of Playgirl. And her husband is on the back of the milk carton.

WOMEN'S REVENGE: "Cash, check or charge?" I asked, after folding items the woman wished to purchase. As she fumbled for her wallet I noticed a remote control for a television set in her purse. "So do you always carry your TV remote?" I asked. "No," she replied, "but my husband refused to come shopping with me, and I figured this was the most evil thing I could do to him...legally."

UNDERSTANDING WOMEN (A MAN'S PERSPECTIVE) I know I'm not going to understand women. I'll never understand how you can take boiling hot wax, pour it onto your upper thigh, rip the hair out by the root, and still be afraid of a spider.

MARRIAGE SEMINAR: While attending a Marriage Seminar dealing with communication, Bill and his wife Shelia listened to the instructor, "It is essential that husbands and wives know each other's likes and dislikes." He addressed the man. "Can you name your wife's favorite flower?" **Bill** leaned over, touched his wife's arm gently and whispered. "It's, isn't it?"

SHOPPING FOR THE WIFE: A man walks into a pharmacy and wanders up and down the aisles. The sales girl notices him and asks him if she can help him. He answers that he is looking for a box of tampons for his wife. She directs him down the correct aisle. A few minutes later, he deposits a huge bag of cotton balls and a ball of string on the counter. She says, confused, "Sir, I thought you were looking for some tampons for your wife?" He answers. "You see, it's like this. Yesterday I sent my wife to the store to get me a carton of cigarettes, and she came back with a tin of tobacco and some rolling papers, 'cause it's sooo-ooo-oo much cheaper.' So, I decided if I have to roll my own...so does she. (I figure this guy is the one on the milk carton!)

WIFE VS.HUSBAND: A couple drove down a country road for several miles, not saying a word. An earlier discussion had led to an argument and neither of them wanted to concede their position. As they passed a barnyard of mules, goats, and pigs, the husband asked sarcastically, "Relatives of yours?" "Yep", the wife replied, "in-laws"

Help Services, Inc.

by Betty Mosier

I do hope that they are wrong, but I've heard so much about this being or becoming a big flu winter! I have sure been hearing of quite a few in the church with colds or flu or stomach flu. I have decided to stay out of big groups as much as possible. Even some who have the flu shots have had it. Whatever will be, will be, I guess.

For those new in our area we are at 5210 E. University next to the Gerber Furniture Store. Our warehouse is stocked full of needs for the handicapped and those recuperating from knee, hip, or ankle and foot surgeries. We have crutches, canes, walkers of all kinds, wheelchairs, knee walkers, and baby cribs, high chairs, strollers, car seats, and even some toys for grandchildren, and great grandchildren when they visit. If you need anything to help you get around or bathe easier, like a seat in the tub or shower, or toilet risers, we have them. If you have never been in to see what all we have, do come in and let us show you around.

By the time you read this we will have entertained the volunteers and Board members to a breakfast where those running for the board were introduced. This was held at the Golden Corral.

Our election for the new members of the Board of Trustees will be March 13th from 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. There will be absentee ballots for anyone that can't make it in on that day. You will have to come in the office to use them ahead of time. There resumes were in last month's *Citizen*, as well as this issue. We need you to come in and vote. There will be refreshments and you may meet some nice new people to visit with and you can see what all we have in the warehouse.

We still have a Health Rider Exerciser and a Hoveround powered chair. If you have a need for one, come in and see them and try them out. They can be had for a reasonable donation.

My quote for this month is "Three grand essentials to happiness in this life are something to do, something to love, and something to hope for," by English essayist Joseph Addison.

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Candidates for the HELP Services Board of Directors

The annual election for members of the HELP Services Board of Directors will be held from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM on March 12th at the HELP Services Building located at 5210 East University Drive. Those unable to vote on the Election Day may cast their vote early by coming to the HELP Services building any day during the preceding week (except Sunday) between the hours of 9:00 AM and 12:00 PM. All residents of Dreamland Villa and Velda Rose Estates are eligible and are encouraged to vote.

HELP Services is a 501 (c) (3) public charity organization that provides the residents of Dreamland Villa and Velda Rose Estates with a variety of sick room and health care equipment on a loan basis at no cost to the user; HELP Services operates solely from the donations it receives and is managed by a Board of Directors made up of 14 volunteers from the two communities. Each year three Board members are elected to the Board for three-year terms each. The resumes for this year's candidates follow:

Don Bluemer



My wife, Debra, and I moved to Arizona in 2007 from Grand Rapids Michigan and we have been Dreamland Villa residents since 2008. Prior to retirement, I spent most of my working years in retail store management. For the past two years I have served as a monitor at HELP

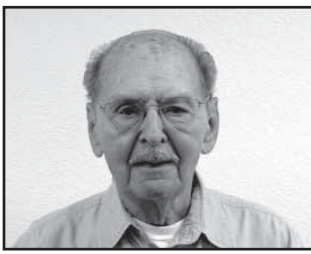
Services. Additionally, I volunteer time at the Luthearn Thrift Store.

I am running for a seat on the HELP Services Board of Directors and would appreciate your vote.

Nancy Cole



I am running for the Help Service board. I have lived in Dreamland for 14 years, serving on the Dreamland Board for four years and Help Service board for three years. I have enjoyed serving on Help Service Board and would like a chance to serve again.



Gene Espey

My wife, Donna, and I moved from San Diego to Mesa some 35 years ago when San Diego became too crowded for our taste. At that time we opened a printing business in downtown Mesa. Fourteen years later we sold

that business and I worked in Real Estate, - Commercial and Residential - for sixteen years.

My prior employment has been in business management and accounting systems and procedures.

In 2002 we purchased a home in Dreamland Villa where we live year-round.

In our second or third year of living in the Villa I became a member of the DVCC Board of Directors where I served for seven years, some of those as the Club's Treasurer.

In December 2012 I was appointed to the HELP Services Board to fill a vacancy. I am now running for a regular term on the Board and if I am elected I will do everything I can to help the Board accomplish its goals

Betty Maynard



I have been a year round homeowner here in Dreamland Villa for the past 16 years and a resident of Arizona for 40 years.

Before I retired I held a position at two different craft stores for a total of 30 years as bookkeeper in accounts receivable. Additionally, I performed extra duties in customer services, cashing and teaching craft classes.

Being a widow for the past 12 years, I've tried to stay busy and have enjoyed various volunteer activities at the Red Mountain Service Center, Singles Clubs, grief support groups, discussion meetings and teaching craft classes.

I would appreciate your vote on March 12th.

Berenice Holenka



I am running for the Board of HELP Services.

I have worked there for about 18 years as a monitor and about half of that on the Board.

I enjoy helping our residents get the equipment they need to make their life easier. I meet lots of nice people and it's an enjoyable place to volunteer my time. I will appreciate your vote.

Thanks for coming in to vote and have coffee and cookies with us.

Larry R. Scheider



I am running for a seat on the HELP Services Board of Directors. I am a resident of Dreamland Villa and was born and raised in Wisconsin.

I have a degree in accounting and a financial background in investments by working in a brokerage firm. I owned and managed a tax accounting and financial planning company until selling the business and moving to Arizona in 1998. Prior to moving I served for ten years on the Board of Directors for NATO, a non-profit income tax organization to help members in tax preparation industry. During this time I received the professional designation of "Certified Financial Planner" and "Enrolled Agent".

I enjoy helping people with their tax return filing and financial challenges by providing them with genuine personalized attention. I am currently providing income tax preparation and financial planning services in Arizona with CLS Tax and Financial Services, Inc. in Mesa. I would appreciate your vote.



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Dreamland Book Club

by Mary Lindgren

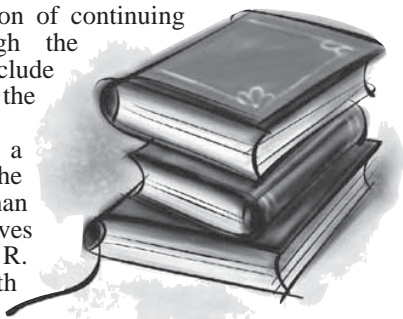
The meeting on February 14th was divided into two groups. One group read: *The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks*, the other group read: *The Persian Pickle Club*. Our discussions were lively and fun. Desserts and beverages were refreshing.

We will meet again March 7th and 28th, 2:00 – 3:30 PM. You may call me for the location; my phone number is listed in the DVCC directory.

As of this time we have 18 members with 20 books available. We welcome all interested readers. Additional groups can be created. Groups are ever changing according to the book title you select. This enables people to get acquainted with more neighbors. We are using book kits from the Mesa Public Library system which has an extensive list of book kits to choose from; there is no need to purchase a book.

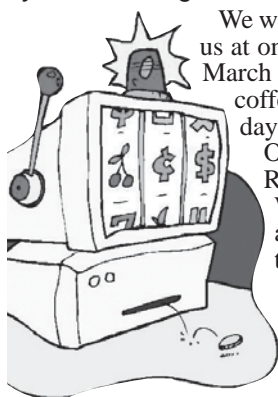
There was discussion of continuing book groups through the summer. I will include more information in the April Citizen.

“A reader lives a thousand lives before he dies, said Jojen. The man who never reads lives only one.” George R. R. Martin, *A Dance With Dragons*.



Singles Club

by Lois DeLong



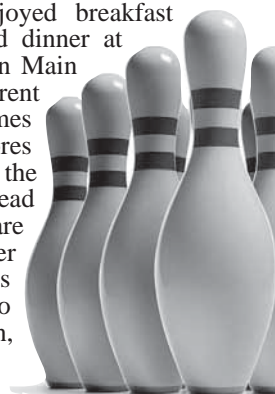
We welcome new members to come visit us at one of our meetings in Read Hall on March 13th and the 27th at 9:30 AM with coffee and breakfast treats to start the day off.

Or join us at our potluck dinner at Read Hall on March 5th at 6:00 PM. We always have wonderful food and a tempting variety of deserts to try.

February was a busy month with a trip to Cliff Castle Casino where there were some winners and some losers, but all agreed it was a good time. A Valentine's Day party

honored those in the club turning 90 years young.

Throughout the month, we enjoyed breakfast at Cocos, lunch at Garcia's, and dinner at Café Roma at its new location on Main Street. If you like trying different restaurants, come join us. Wii games are always fun with some high scores in bowling. The Wii games are the 3rd Thursday of each month in Read Hall at 5:00 PM. In March we are hoping to see a show at the Silver Star Playhouse or see the Duttons perform. There are many things to see and do. For further information, call Ruth Mogen at 985-6677.



Wet Paint

by Alisha Short

DVCC ART DEPARTMENT ANNUAL ART SHOW – MARCH 9

After completing seven classes last Nov/Dec and this winter session, Jan/Feb, students are ready for the Annual DVCC Art Department Art Show. Some new students will show their first attempts at art. And believe me they have learned very well. Intermediates have progressed over the last few years. As always we have a lot of advanced level students working in Oil, Watercolors and Acrylics and their works are great! Even the teachers will show some of their artwork.

So you won't want to miss all the fun artwork at the 37th Annual Art Show to be held on March 9th from 9:00 AM to 2:30 PM at Farnsworth Hall. Come see your friends work, come see the work of people you don't know, too. Maybe you will be inspired to take classes next November or January when we start up again.

OPEN PAINTING-STARTING MARCH 11

After the Art Show, starting Monday, 9:00 AM March 11, and on Tuesday afternoon at 1:00 PM, the Art Department room will have open painting time. There is no charge, no instruction, just time to paint. Any medium is welcome.

My thanks go to our instructors, Ila Wandtke, Bob Brum for their patience, time and knowledge to help our students. Thanks go to the Art Department's Board of Directors: Bob Brum, Pat Eagan, Jeannette Florom, Jill Holliques, Secretary, Nydia Pobran (Art Show Director), Vivian Ward-Golletz, Treasurer, and Ila Wandtke. They volunteer to help put on the Art Show and keep our Art Department running.

See you at the Art Show!

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Quilt Club



by Becky Lamson

We had two club members, Sandy Anderson and Ellen Hundley, step forward for the training position to take over the position of president next year and the following year. Thanks, ladies. I know you both will be an asset to our club in the years ahead.

Sandy and Ellen cut out some kits from scrappy fabric for some appliqué quilts. They consisted

of five inch squares of various fabrics sewed into rows, then appliqué with various objects like bears, pine trees, sun, moon, or Kokopelli. It makes a nice looking quick quilt.

Our special project for February was a Nativity Silhouette quilt. The project was led by Sandy and Cathy.

Our monthly quilt picture is of two of the Knot Pillow covers taught

by Betty Sharpy in January. It makes a nice addition to a couch or on top of a bed. This was a quick project that could be completed at our two-hour meeting.

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.

Computer Club

by Donna Hanson

There was plenty of activity at the computer room during the past month. At our General Meeting always held the first Wednesday of each month at 9:00 AM, two gentlemen from AZacc came and informed us about the upcoming Computer Conference to be held at Ft. McDowell Resort. This is a great place to go and sit in on many meetings held there. Some of our members made plans to attend.

The next General Meeting to be held at 9:00 AM on March 6 at Farnsworth Hall should be interesting as H&R Block personnel will be there to talk about how the new Health Plan affects your taxes and other tax info of importance.

Kay Hawbaker started a new class called This and That. She was available on several Monday mornings to assist others who needed help and instructions with many things.

Donna Hanson's Genealogy classes were interesting and those who wished to explore their family history learned of many places where they could do research. Ten members carpoled one afternoon to the Family Research Center in Mesa and were helped there by very able volunteers. We learned of classes that are held there and some made plans to attend them.

Pat and Claudette Davis from SOS came and presented a very interesting meeting. We always enjoy having them come and look forward to their return visit.

Bob O. knows much about the new Windows 8 program and was available on Thursday mornings for those who wanted to learn more about that.

Donna Hanson had asked anyone who had either a tablet or e-reader to bring it to the Show and Tell class and there was plenty of discussion about the good and bad points of each one that was demonstrated.

The Saturday Q/A meeting always brings others with questions and problems. Dee McBain and Donna Hanson are in charge of those classes. Members are urged to come and attend all these classes.

Our dues are reasonable at \$15 for one person and \$20 per year for two persons residing in the same residence. You must be a member of DVCC in order to attend our computer classes. Once you have joined, there is no charge for any of our classes during the year. We welcome you.

And, of course, those who also love to eat, take the time to come to the brunch, which is always around 10:30 AM on the THIRD THURSDAY of each month at the Golden Corral. Come and bring your friends.

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CLUBS

Ceramic Chaos

by Teena Baker

Many activities are going on around Dreamland Villa as well as in Ceramic Chaos. People are hurrying to complete items that they want to take back with them when they head to their summer homes. I am saddened when our winter visitors leave. Some of them take a piece of my heart with them when they go.

On January 19 and 20 there was an Exhibitors Association Ceramics Show for Phoenix which was held at Arizona State University. Each year the show holds a competition for ceramic enthusiasts. This competition is open to all levels of experience from novice to professional. Five of our Ceramic Chaos members entered a total of ten pieces. As you can see from our pictures, all five of us came back with ribbons. Mary Anne Glauner and myself (Teena Baker) had to enter as Senior Professionals. Mary Anne received Senior Professional and Best of Classification on her



Patchwork Cat, 1st Place and Best of Category for her Leaf Vase, Blue Ribbon Exhibitors Association for her Snowman Plate, Blue Ribbon Exhibitors Association for her Poinsettia Plate. Teena Baker received 1st place and Best of Category for the Christmas Dove as well as 1st Place and Best of Category for the pastel Toad House and Toad, and a Blue ribbon Exhibitors Association for her Puzzled Pumpkin. The picture above you see from left to right is Chris Bucalo with her first place ribbon and tile with the dogs on it. The center picture is Pat Shirey with her Arizona State Santa and her Blue Ribbon Exhibitors Association, and next is Carmen Malsonado with her Horsehair Vase and her Red Ribbon

Exhibitors Association. Let's give a big round of applause to each and every one of our ribbon winners. Good going all. Ladies and gents, let's have a larger group go in attendance and bring home more awards and ribbons.

Why Saint Patrick's Day?

Saint Patrick's Day has come to be associated with everything Irish: anything green and gold, shamrocks and luck. Most importantly, to those who celebrate its intended meaning, St. Patrick's Day is a traditional day for spiritual renewal and offering prayers for missionaries worldwide.

So, why is it celebrated on March 17th? One theory is that that is the day that St. Patrick died. Since the holiday began in Ireland, it is believed that as the Irish spread out around the world and took with them their history and celebrations. The biggest observance of all is, of course, in Ireland. With the exception of restaurants and pubs, almost all businesses close on March 17th. Being a religious holiday as well, many Irish attend mass where March 17th is the traditional day for offering prayers for missionaries worldwide before the serious celebrating begins.

Ceramic Chaos has several different pieces of greenware in leprechauns and pots of gold just waiting to be cleaned, fired and painted. Easter is just around the corner also, and there are several neat things to make for your home or for your grandchildren. You have plenty of time to clean, paint and fire them. Come in and have a look around.

Ceramic Chaos has plenty of bowls for the hungry that are ready to paint and need concerned sets of hands. We furnish the brushes and glaze for you to use to decorate the bowls. Come in and lend us your hands and see what you can do to help us out by painting a bowl. You don't have to be a ceramicist to paint a bowl, just someone who likes to paint. We always have the coffee on and goodies. Our ladies and gentlemen sure do know how to provide goodies for us.

Easter is a Christian festival and holiday celebrating the resurrection of Jesus Christ on the third day after his crucifixion at Calvary as described in the New Testament. Easter is the culmination of the Passion of Christ, preceded by Lent, a forty-day period of fasting, prayer, and penance. The last week of Lent is called Holy Week, and it contains the days of the Easter Triduum, including Maundy Thursday (Holy Thursday in the Catholic Church), commemorating Maundy and the Last Supper, as well as Good Friday, commemorating the crucifixion and death of Jesus. Easter is followed by a fifty-day period called Eastertide or the Easter Season, ending with Pentecost Sunday. The festival is referred to in English by a variety of different names including Easter Day, Easter Sunday, Resurrection Day and Resurrection Sunday.

Easter is a moveable feast, meaning it is not fixed in relation to the civil calendar. The First Council of Nicaea established the date of Easter as the first Sunday after the full moon following the northern hemisphere's vernal equinox. Ecclesiastically, the equinox is reckoned to be on 21 March (even though the equinox occurs, astronomically speaking, on 20 March in most years), and the "Full Moon" is not necessarily the astronomically correct date. The date of Easter therefore varies between 22 March and 25 April. Eastern Christianity bases its calculations on the Julian calendar whose 21 March corresponds, during the 21st century, to 3 April in the Gregorian calendar, in which the celebration of Easter therefore varies between 4 April and 8 May.

Easter is linked to the Jewish Passover by much of its symbolism, as well as by its position in the calendar. In many languages, the words for "Easter" and "Passover" are etymologically related or homonymous. Easter customs vary across the Christian world, but attending sunrise services, exclaiming the Paschal greeting, clipping the church and decorating Easter eggs, a symbol of the empty tomb, are common motifs. Additional customs include egg hunting, the Easter Bunny, and Easter parades, which are observed by both Christians and some non-Christians.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page

On March the 20th, Ceramic Chaos will be going to Fran's Place for lunch so come to the Ceramic room and sign up so we will be able to make the proper reservations ahead of time. We will leave the shop at 11:30 AM and we will car pool. In February we went to JJ Madison's for lunch and had a great time.



PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

The Photography Club has changed its meeting dates to the first and third Mondays of the month; time is at 10:00 AM in Read Hall.

FIRST PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB SHOW WINNERS



"Apricot Brandy Trio" by Kay Zelko

The first show was a good success and a lot of fun for the Photography Club Members. It was held during a pancake breakfast which assured a good attendance and if possible will be held again in conjunction with a pancake breakfast in January of 2014.

Winners for 2013 are: **Landscape:** 1st Place went to David DeFord for "Cascade Falls". 2nd Place went to



"Miniature Roses" by Becky DeFord

Orest Pobran for "Crooked Trees". In the **People, Animals, Birds category:** 1st Place went to Bill Grafton for "Mommy, I Love You". 2nd Place went to David DeFord for "Walk in the Park". In the **Flowers, Plants, Trees category,** 1st Place went to Becky DeFord for "Miniature Roses". 2nd Place went to Kay Zelko for "Apricot Brandy Trio". In the **Other category,** 1st Place went to: Kay Zelko, for "Tree Stump" and 2nd Place also went to Kay Zelko for "Bee in Small Purple Flowers". People's Choice

Award went to Glynn Short's photo, "Outback Cabin".

In February the club members had a field trip to the DVCC Nature Walk area on the first Monday and had a speaker, Kathy McClure, a professional photography who spoke on "Using Light in Photography."

March meeting dates are: March 4th and 18th. A Field Trip will be planned for March 4th and then on the 18th photos from the February and March field trips will be reviewed and shown.

In this issue of the Citizen, the 1st Place winners are published along with the People's Choice award. Next issue of the Citizen we will show the 2nd Place winners.



"Cascade Falls" by David DeFord



People's Choice Award: "Outback Cabin" by Glynn Short

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ENTERTAINMENT

The Softones Will Play Dancing and Listening Music

by Dorothy Randall

Put together the talents of singing and composing music, then add instrumental excellence and you will know you don't want to miss the Softones! They will be performing at Farnsworth Hall on Sat. March 23rd from 7:30 to 10:00 PM. In February they presented the Gospel Music Show and now will switch to secular tunes for listening and dancing pleasure. Band Leader, Ed Breitreutz, started the group in 1964. Though he never took any formal musical training, as a youngster he learned to play the accordion by ear and is an excellent vocalist. His wife, Lydia, has been the "behind the scenes" support for the group and is one of the vocalists of the group. With Roy Warnke on guitar and Kay Ferrin on the Saxophone, and both of them as vocalists, it is sure to be a show you'll want to attend. Tickets are \$10.00 and available at Dreamland Office or at the door on the day of the performance.

The Best of the Jam Sessions

by Nydia Pobran

February 8, 2013, was highlighted as one of the best Jam Sessions by the dancing audience and the talented musicians. Indeed it was by far the very best in the last three years!! We are proud of our progress and look forward to the continuation of these wonderful afternoon monthly (free) Jam Sessions, where we gather to share good times and wonderful music in Farnsworth Hall.

Final Jam Session for the season is scheduled for March 22, 2013. Hope to see you there!

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The Dakota Kid Will Appear at Farnsworth Band Shell

by Dorothy Randall



It's time to say "Hats Off" to all the wonderful residents of Dreamland that volunteer their time and talents in our community projects. Come and join in an evening of great music by the Dakota Kid at the Farnsworth Hall Band Shell on Saturday, March 16th at 6:30 PM. Admission to the event will be FREE and, if you wish, bring a comfortable yard chair! Food and beverages will be sold and there will be plenty of space for dancing or just relaxing. Many of the persons who make DVCC come alive in the winter months will soon be heading back to their homes in the North. This is a great way to spend some time visiting and reminiscing about how much fun this season has been and to be recognized for continuing to make Dreamland Villa the place that retirement dreams come true!

Polka Power Dance Music

by Dorothy Randall

Polka Power California has five talented musicians in their group. Mark Siebert and Donna Seibert Clay are following the musical footsteps of their father, Gary Siebert, the founder of the group. His dream to find musicians to play Slovenian style music did not waiver. He began by teaching his son, Mark, to play the drums and daughter, Donna, to play the saxophone, button box and bass. Now the gifts of their dad are giving them both the joy and opportunity to keep his spirit alive with their musical abilities.

In addition to Mark and Donna, the present members of the group are Danny Fitterer on accordion and button box, vocalist Fred Pfeiffer who plays banjo and guitar and vocalist Stefan Kochishan who plays clarinet and tenor sax. These amazing musicians will be performing at Farnsworth Hall on Friday, March 15th from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM. Tickets are \$10.00 and available at Dreamland Villa office or at the door on the day of the performance.

<p>2nd Annual Classic Car Show at Apache Wells</p> 
<p>Saturday, March 23, 2013 9 AM - 3 PM in the parking lot</p> <p><i>This will be a huge event!!</i> <i>\$18 entry fee for cars,</i> <i>Spectator entry is FREE</i></p> <p>Trophies • Vendors • Raffles Food • Music</p> <p><i>Realtor Open Houses</i> <i>Apache Wells HOA, 2223 N 56th Street,</i> <i>Mesa; ½ mile north of McKellips Rd.</i> <i>Call 480-306-5475 for more information.</i></p>

Celebrate St Patrick's Day at the March Potluck

by Patty Thorpe

Please join us for our monthly Potluck Dinner on March 21st at Farnsworth Hall at 6:00 PM. Okay, so it's five days after St. Patrick's Day, but it's still a good reason to bring your favorite St. Patrick's Day recipe that will serve 6 to 8 people. Please don't forget your personal eating utensils. We'll provide coffee and tea!

If you didn't like game night, please come back. I'll try to find something else that will trip your trigger. I'm always happy to listen to any new ideas we could try that would be fun. Remember this is your Potluck, not mine. I just make sure it is set up and advertised.

In March we are going to show you a beautiful pictures slide show of our own Dreamland Villa Nature Walk and Velda Rose taken by Ron Scott.

At our January Potluck dinner we hit a new record with 83 people in attendance, so let's keep it going and try to break the record. I have to mention this again which I really don't like to do. When the first numbers are called, please just take a small portion or little bit of everything. Because when a number is called towards the end of the line, sometimes these people don't get to try everything or many foods are gone. When this happens several months in a row to the same people, they get kind of irritated and we don't want that. So please, let's play by the "Golden Rule". Enough of that!

Hope to see you and want you to know how much I enjoy meeting all of our Dreamland Villa newcomers and seeing old friends. If you have never attended a Dreamland Villa Potluck dinner, please join us as you may have a good time.

The Missouri Opry Back for Repeat Show

by Dorothy Randall

One of the favorite shows that has graced the Farnsworth Hall stage is making a return performance on Tuesday, March 19th at 7:00 PM. Jerry Prunty, as master of ceremonies, will keep the show lively with his natural humor and great musical talents. Besides being an excellent singer, Jerry plays lead guitar, the 5 string banjo, fiddle, keyboards, Dixieland style trumpet and is an exceptional drummer. The performers are a multi-talented group who present some incredible instrumental versatility, comedy and vocals. The Missouri Opry originated in 1982 in the Lake of the Ozarks resort area, where they built their theatre. In addition to May to October shows at the theatre, winter tours take the group throughout Arizona, Florida and Texas. Mark your calendars and come to Farnsworth Hall at 7:00 PM on March 19th to enjoy an entertaining evening. Tickets are \$12.00 and will be pre-sold at the Dreamland Villa office or at the door on the night of the performance.



Talent Show Will Be Held March 20

by Brian Stanfill

Just a reminder that the show, "Dreamlands Got Talent", will be held on March 20th at 4:00 PM. I know we have plenty of talent in Dreamland and space is limited for performers. Be sure to sign up at the Dreamland Villa office as well as buying tickets for \$5.00 at the office. Remember, this show cannot happen without you. All proceeds go back to Farnsworth Hall Entertainment fund. This helps purchase new equipment plus funds future shows.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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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Maranatha Church F Worship on the Days of your choice	8:00 Silver Sweaters R 9:00 Pickleball R Lapidary 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 Library R	8:00 Silver Sweaters R 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 Silver Sweaters R 9:00 Pickleball R Lapidary R-6 Silver Sweaters R Help Services H-S Art – Watercolor R-5 w/Alicia Short Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt Ceramics R-7 9:30 Shuffleboard R 10:00 Library R	8:00 Silver Sweaters R Lapidary R-6 9:00 Help Services H-S Woodshop R-10 Call for Appt. Bocce Ball F 9:30 Dream Steppers F	8:00 Pickleball R Lapidary R-6 9:00 Help Services H-S WoodshopR-10 Call for Appt Computer Club R-9 Shuffleboard R Library R-8 11:00 Poker	9:00 Help Services H-S Computer Club R-9 Bocce Ball F Library R 1st & 3 rd Saturday
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SPORTS

Dreamland Tuesday Bowling League

by Ray Zabel

The bowling league is in the second half and when reading this, we will have bowled the fifteenth week. At this writing after the twelfth week in first place is "Just Our Luck" (Del Weisser, Sue Saum, JoAnna Moor, Dan Jenkins) and in second place "3 Queens and a Joker" (Mary & Chuck Kloeckner, Joyce Denhoff, Sylvia Fountain). There are four teams tied in third place and they are Bounders, Pin Buster, Up and Comers and No Control.

The first half winners are the "Good guys" (Harry & Nancy Cole, Bob & Betty Rodocker) and they will play the team who wins the second half.

The bowling banquet will be April 9 at Golden Corral at 3:30 PM so please put it on your calendar. We are having a drawing for all our bowlers, your winnings plus a joyous time, and don't forget the food.

We still have real need for substitutes. We also need a couple of permanent team members. If you are or have an interest, please give Jan a call.

Some splits that were picked up:

Ida Asher 5-6, 5-6; Karen Berdine 5-7; Jim Brown 2-9, 4-9; Wayne Brown 3-10, 6-7-10; Jerry Brown 2-7, 2-7; Dee Christiansen 5-7, 5-8-10; Rod Bilodeau 3-10; Harry Cole 6-8-10, 5-7; Greg Condon 5-10, 3-10; Nancy Cole 3-9-10; Chuck Damert 4-7-8; Lois DeLong 3-10; Andrea Hill 3-10; Arvel Husong 3-8-10; Hazel Kenny 3-7, 5-6-7; Wayne Long 3-10; Karen Marzullo 3-10, 3-10; Pat Marzullo 6-7, 5-7; Joann Moniz 1-2-9-10; Joan Pitts 6-7-10; Nancy Saathoff 3-10, 3-10; Bill Sandell 3-7; Colin Welsh 5-10; Ray Zabel 4-5, 3-10.

Below are some of the bowlers and their scores:

Richard Arnold 192, 213, 235, 613, 182; Bafia, Robert 184, 504; Rodney Baptista 180, 191, 527; Sue Barney 181; Norm Barney 508; Black, Andy 205, 507, 191, 525, 203, 201, 566, 225, 550; Wayne Brown 195, 525; Jim Brown 180, 218, 568; Ken Cole 182, 202, 189, 250, 559; Dee Christiansen 171; Greg Condon 185; Steve Duncan 181, 185, 507, 192, 201, 199, 592; Al Fountain 187, 189, 180, 188, 212, 537; Sylvia Fountain 204; Bob Glasser 181, 504; Tim Goodwin 181, 191, 233, 538, 192, 236, 192, 199, 627; Bob Morrow 192; Carolyn Morrow 188, 189, 538, 178, 177, 513; Nancy Cole 185; Cole, Harry 226, 533, 210, 523, 188, 203, 559; Jack Cregar 211, 526, 182, 193, 529, 180, 192, 236, 552; Chuck Damert 182; Avery Fitzgerald 185; Grande, Robert 170, 180, 191, 191, 530, 192, 235, 552; Andrea Hill 170; Vonita Hinton 177; Arvel Husong 174; Jenkins, Dan 216, 531, 208, 202, 183, 593, 205, 183, 565, 198, 235, 599; Kuzmich, Nick 226, 198; Kloeckner, Chuck 180, 193, 176, 549, 201, 173, 523, 205, 202, 180, 587, 187; Charlie Kuether 225, 205, 590, 203, 504; Sammy Leeper 191, 182, 189; Lockard, Ed 175, 181, 521; Lower, Richard 510; Joanna Moor 175; Pat Marzullo 185, 207, 560, 192, 192, 211, 595, 180, 189, 538, 189, 204, 546, 212; Karen Marzullo 200; Paul Miersma 191, 180, 201, 572; Dave Perrin 202; Perrin, Trill 170; Paul Plotke 233, 522; Poynter, Russ 181, 509, 190, 202, 563, 189, 525; Darlene Poynter 178, 202, 174, 516; Paul Rife 206, 527, 193; Arlen Roder 184; Bill Sandell 191, 200; Jerry Saver 180; Sue Saum 175, 174, 506, 175, 206; Vickery, Joe 223, 575, 504, 224, 192, 587; Colin Walsh 202, 183, 548; Del Weisser 176, 175, 519; Ray Zabel 182x.

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

Dreamland Villa Men's Golf League

by Ray Zabel

We are playing in the club tournament at this writing. We are lucky to have some new golfers who will make the competition a fantastic competition. Can't wait to relay to you who all the winners are next month.

On January 21 the Scramble winners were (Larry Waterstradt, Dale Tatman, Mark Boehmer, Tom Lilje) with a score of 17.75. There was a tie second place (Dick Wiland, Dean Sargent, Dick Larson, Leo Broden) and (J R Pettus, Gary Goetsch, Bob Perry, Al Gerholdt)

and their score was 18.25.

Keep in mind 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 really enjoyable.

Some of the scores for last month:

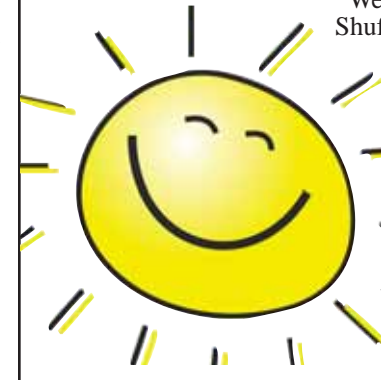
Richard Avanti 36, 34x; Marty Bodor 43, 42, 39x; Lin Bybee 42x; Jan Bruinooge 43, 39x; Harry Cole 40, 37, 40x, Mark Boehmer 42, 40x; Leo Broden 43x; Jim Lasee 41, 42x; Gary Goetsch 35, 36, 34, 35x, Ralph Hvidstan 38, 38; Steve Holleque 41x;

John Duffy 40, 43x; Al Gerholdt 43x; Calvin Marks 43x; Larry Waterstradt 35, 34, 32x; Dick Larson 41, 41, 42, 42x, Tom Lilje 40x, Jim Lawler 38, 38x; Tom Lilje 43x. Bob Perry 40, 39, 40x; Jim Pettus 43x; Norm Scoville 41, 41; Bill Bjorklund 41, 37, 42x; Dale Tatman 40, 41x; Bill Tackett 39, 40x; Gordon Vine 43x; Freddie Vincent 43, 42x; Dick Wiland 43x.

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

It Is Warming up in Arizona

by Ralph Shirey



We can go out and play now. Shuffle Board players are turning out in flocks, using all but two of the courts! The laughter and talking can be heard as friends and neighbors enjoy the friendly competition! Stop in and see what is going on with these guys and gals! They play at 9:00 AM Monday, Wednesday, and Friday!

Plan on doing laps in the pools, soaking sore muscles in the hot tubs and then having breakfast on site!

Play Pickleball, the fastest growing game in senior communities, and then cool down in the pool followed by a relaxing fifteen minutes in the hot tub! Pickle ball players have added 1:00 PM Tuesdays and Thursdays to their schedule! With so many players coming we needed more scheduled hours. Residents are still able to use their kee kards to get the equipment to play anytime. Be sure and sign in on the sheets in the notebook! Scheduled times are 9:00 AM Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 1:00 PM Tuesday and Thursday!

The hiking group is still active; check the latest issue of the Citizen for all activities! Check with your medical professional before beginning any new activities! Have fun and be safe!

Bocce Ball down at the Farnsworth complex is scheduled 9:00 AM Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday! Join in this Italian lawn bowling game and enjoy the Arizona outdoor weather in Dreamland Villa where retirement dreams come true!

Dreamland Villa Ladies Golf League

by Kay Hawbaker

During March, our season winds down and we hope everyone knows that we are now collecting sign-ups and dues for next season.

Remember there is a meeting before golf on March 7 at 9:30 AM at Read Hall. We will be electing officers for next season.

The Awards Luncheon will be held on March 28 at noon in Read Hall. The morning of the luncheon, we meet at the restaurant at 8:00 AM for coffee and donuts. There will be a shotgun, 4 person scramble, so we can all get to the luncheon.

We are looking forward to the announcement of the flight winners of the February Tournament, as well as the "Club Championship" and the "President's Cup" winners. January and March Gobbles and Birdies will be awarded as well. Next month's Citizen will give the names of the winners. Look for pictures from the luncheon as well.

Again, remember to sign up for next year's season. Our dues are \$15.00 and checks can be submitted to Burdell Tatman at the Award Luncheon. The Pro Shop Telephone number is 480-985-6591.



Hiking Club News

by Jill Holleque

Hard to believe that March is already here and we only have three hikes left! Our hotdog roast and picnic is now planned for March 11 (a non-hike Monday) at 12:00 PM at the home of Andrea and Joe Hill (6216 E. Decatur). Please bring a side dish or a dessert to share and a chair if you can. We will also have some chairs and tables. Hotdogs, beverages and table service will be provided. All current and former hikers are welcome along with your non-hiking spouse or friend.

Hikes are: March 4 Needle Rock Park-Verde River (easy to moderate).

March 18 Lost Goldmine Trail (easy, flat).

April 1 San Tan Regional Park Goldmine Trail to San Tan Trail to Moonlight Trail (easy to moderate).

Meet by 9:00AM in the Farnsworth Hall Parking Lot. We carpool to the trailhead and give the driver money for gas. Bring a lunch and water to carry with you. A hiking stick is suggested and good walking shoes or hiking boots. If the morning is cool, dress in layers as we quickly warm up on the trail! Sandals are not appropriate.

Questions?? Call Jill Holleque whose cell # is listed in the 2012 DVCC Directory.

Silver Sweaters

by Ruth Parker

Would you like to become stronger and more flexible? Maybe you'd like to try a daily exercise that stretches and strengthens most all your muscles. Come to Read Hall Monday thru Thursday at 8:00 AM for a 40 minute workout. Bring your own mat or towel for the second half of the session. It's always more fun to exercise with others.

A man owned a small farm in Iowa. The Department of State Wages claimed he was not paying proper wages to his help and sent an agent out to interview him. "I need a list of your employees and how much you pay them," demanded the agent. "Well," replied the farmer, "there's my farm hand who's been with me for 3 years. I pay him \$200.00 a week plus room and board. The cook has been here for 18 months and I pay her \$150.00 per week plus free room and board. Then there's the half-wit who works about 18 hours every day and does 90% of all the work around here. He makes about \$10.00 per week, pays his own room and board and I buy him a steak every Saturday night. He also spends time with my wife occasionally.

"That's the guy I want to talk to, the half-wit," says the agent. "That would be me," replied the farmer.

Arizona Day Trips Downtown Chandler

by Alicia Short, photo by Glynn Short

Last month I wrote about the Bashes Art Gallery and in that article I mentioned the downtown Chandler area, so we decided to check it out further this month. When I was young and lived in Tempe, there was a lot of farmland between Mesa, Tempe, Gilbert and Chandler. It sure has changed.

It's not really a very big downtown area but what is there was a fun place to see and spend a couple of hours. We arrived close to lunch time on a Sunday and being hungry decided to eat first. We chose the San Tan Brewery for lunch. I was sure surprised at how big the restaurant was. They brew their own beers and had several varieties. Glynn chose an amber brew, while I stuck with wine...I'm not really a beer fan.

The menu prices were reasonable with a selection of appetizers, soup or salad, soup and half sandwich, burgers, pizza, tacos and more. We both chose a soup and half sandwich. On Sundays you can get Bloody Marys, Mimosas, Mojitos and Margaritas for \$5.00 and a pint of beer for \$3.75 - not bad.

After lunch we walked down the street (San Marcos St) located to the south of the historic San Marcos Hotel. The San Marcos Hotel has had many movie stars stay there...



Joan Crawford was one. Continuing out of the restaurant we passed the El Zacato Mexican Grill, Pockets, a bakery and sandwich store, Xico Art Y Cultura Galeria - a store with

art items from Mexico; next was a small place to get pizza by the slice, Piza Pizza! Next came the Country Clipper - a barber shop. After that was the Irish Republic Public House, then Quilts - a store loaded with quilting fabrics.

I noticed for quilters that a Quilt Show is coming up on March 14-16 at the Mesa Convention Center. All you quilters can find out more at www.azquiltersguild.org.

Next came Sibleys, a gift shop with lots of Arizona souvenirs type stuff. One Wing Boutique next to Sibleys carries vintage clothing and last on the block were the Hotel Chandler Executive Suites and the DC Steakhouse.

Across the street to the south were more stores. Uptown Bridal & Boutique, Shoe Thrill, Bourbon Jack, Kokopelli Winery and Bistro (might have to check that out sometime); Sabas Western Wear, which I know has been there for at least 50 years; then came the Yes, ID Photography Store, All Star Realty and di Sciacca, Glass Gallery. Another wine lounge called 95 Vintage Wine Lounge and the Simple Klassic Interiors completed that block of interesting stores. As you can see from this long and possibly boring list of stores there is a variety of shopping for any taste. We enjoyed our time, maybe you will, too.

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Zounds Founder and CEO Sam Thomasson with his daughter Kate.

Sam Thomasson, father and engineer, promised his hearing impaired daughter Kate that he would solve her hearing aid issues and build her a superior hearing aid. 57 patents later, this simple promise has revolutionized an industry.

Kate had a number of problems with her expensive, regular technology hearing aids. Even though they cost thousands of dollars, they still didn't help her hear well in a noisy environment. Kate needed an aid that would reduce the background noise while enhancing the volume. Sam developed two technologies, one that can tell the difference from a human sound and other sounds, like wind and tires, and

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