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Thursday, November 21, 2013
Farnsworth Hall
6:00 PM



Happy Thanksgiving!



Veterans' Day Program Will Honor Military Veterans

by Jackie Young

The 2013 Veterans' Day Program will be held on Monday, November 11th at 8:00 AM. This program is held each year at Farnsworth Hall to honor all active members and retirees of the armed services. This year's guest of honor is Amy Simon, the Executive Vice President of Rivers of Recovery. The Rivers of Recovery Program is dedicated to

providing rehabilitation to physically and psychologically injured combat veterans through innovative, outdoor-based therapies and pioneering research. Following the program we invite you to join us for cake and coffee. Our program is open to the public; please join us as we gather to honor our Military Veterans.

Scout Troop Takes on Nature Trail

by John Mathews

Scout troop 755 sponsored by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints recently accepted the task of working on the Dreamland Villa Community Club "Nature Trail" in connection with an Eagle Scout project for Ethan Lowery.

Ethan was approached by President

John Mathews of the Dreamland Villa Board to see if he and the troop would be interested in taking on the repair of the park benches located along the Nature Trail. This project was evaluated as a significant community recreational area which runs through a number of Dreamland Villa home sites and is used by outdoor enthusiasts throughout the year.

The project had to meet the guidelines of the Boy Scouts of America so a special write-up had to be submitted by Ethan for approval prior to the project starting. Once approved, Ethan had to enlist other boys in the troop as well as parents and leaders to assist. Next funds had to be raised and materials purchased. "Over \$600 had to be raised. It took a lot of organization and planning," said Ethan. "We were excited to take on this project because I realized that it would give me leadership experience as well as organizational skills and be a service to the community," said Ethan.

The benches along the trail were in serious need of repair requiring the



removal of old wooden slats and hand rails. A total of 117 hours was invested in this project during the height of the hot summer sun. As the weeks moved on redwood panels were installed, sanded and sealed. In addition, a number of signs identifying flowers and plants in the area were designed, created and placed along the trail.

"This was a very helpful project," said President Mathews. "It has enhanced and beautified the Nature Trail that so many people and visitors will enjoy for years to come. We salute Ethan and Troop 755 for this contribution to the community."



President John Mathews presents Scout Ethan Lowery a certificate of appreciation for his outstanding work on repairing the benches on the Nature Trail.

The Healthcare Reform Act Will Be Discussed

by John Mathews

The Healthcare Insurance Act beginning in January 2014 has many residents wondering how that is going to affect them. We will have a guest speaker, Bradley Scott Kerby, talk to us on Thursday, November 7, at 2:00 PM at Farnsworth Hall on this subject. Please bring any questions or concerns you have so that you may get some answers. Hope to see many of you there.

Notice to Residents of Telephone Changes

by Irene Nissen

We will be publishing the 2014 Telephone Directory to keep everybody up to date on new residents as well as current residents. On page 23 of your 2013 Dreamland Villa phone book, you will find a change form to add, remove or make changes for the 2014 phone directory. If you do not want your phone number published, your name and address will not be submitted in the phone directory for your privacy. Anyone who needs to make changes, please have your changes into the office no later than December 6, 2013. We do have change forms at the office if you need one.

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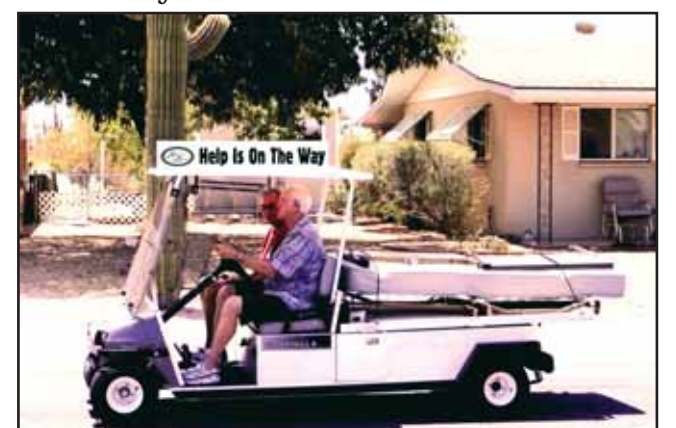
Part 3 – Who, What and Why We Are

by Jim Cook

This is the third of three special articles designed to acquaint the residents of Dreamland Villa and Velda Rose Estates with the history of Help Services and to provide you with insight as to what the organization does and how they do it. Last month I wrote about Help Services' history. This month let me tell you about our organization, how we function, how we are financed, and what you, as residents and members, can do to help us.

Help Services, a non-profit Arizona corporation founded in 1973, serves the residents of Dreamland Villa and Velda Rose Estates by providing them with the opportunity to use medical and sick room equipment and physical and health aid items on a loan free basis. The medical and sick room equipment available for loan is sufficient to nearly set up a hospital room in a residence. Most medical and

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- Editor

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The President's Message

by John P. Mathews



to their beautiful rainbow of colors, the heat of summer fades, and the cooler days of the fall make us feel alive with excitement and anticipation for the holidays.

Your Dreamland Villa Community Club comes alive again with the return of the summer "snow birds" and many of the activities that were put on hold are back in full swing. We hope you are checking the listings of activities in the *Citizen* newspaper and the website for the many things to do. Sometimes folks ask how their membership fees are spent? Your fees not only pay the salaries of the office staff and maintenance crews, but they pay the utility bills for the gas and electricity to heat the pools and provide safety lighting in the area. In addition, while things slow down during the hot summer months, the work around the club facilities remains in high gear. Roof leaks at Farnsworth Hall were repaired as well as some of the seven air conditioners; pool upgrades including acid washing and conditioning have been done; special power

November is upon us, and it seems like only yesterday we were looking ahead to 2013 and now the year has flown by. This is always a beautiful time of year when the autumn leaves in the canyons turn

washing and cleaning of restrooms and shower facilities are now scheduled to be repeated weekly. Additional pool upgrades including adding artificial plants and some new touches of landscaping plus the purchase and installation of new carpeting has been completed. Additional blow-in insulation was added to the attic areas at Read Hall and the office. Trees were trimmed, weeds pulled, old signs replaced, the Nature trail was worked on, and the floor at Farnsworth Hall was refinished. The new outdoor patio at John's Villa is open. Two shuffleboard courts were refinished and much more. Currently, we are in the process of having a major part of the buildings and pool areas painted thanks to "Red" Westall.

We want to thank the many volunteers who give so generously of their time and talents to the club. Without you, things would not work so smoothly. We hope others will come to the office and let us know if you are interested in helping the fun go forward.

Please remember that your Board study sessions and Board meetings take place in Read Hall the first and second Tuesdays of each month. These are open to dues paying members, and we invite you to come and share your thoughts with us. While I am on this topic, we are always looking for interested members to run for the Board of Directors. If you are interested or would like more information, simply tell one of the current members of the Board or the ladies in the office, and we will get information to you.

It is so good to see so many of you return to Dreamland Villa. We miss you while you're away but we try to keep an eye on your property through our Sheriff's posse and concerned citizen groups. We have block watch committees organized, so if you would like to be a member talk to your neighbor, call the office, or contact Barbara Miller, editor of the *Citizen*.

While you were away there were summer dances, ice cream socials, and a big fundraiser to help the 100 Club to support the nineteen fire fighters of the Prescott Fire Department who lost their lives battling the forest fire at Yarnell Hill. Bands, auctioned items and donations resulted in over \$2,100 being raised.

So the fun and the excitement moves on, and we look forward to seeing each of you at the many activities. This is a time of Thanksgiving and we hope all of you are richly blessed. As you can see you receive a great deal in return for your annual membership fee of only \$125 per member. Your Board has voted to keep these very reasonable fees at the same level for 2014. That's just one more reason to enjoy living in our wonderful Dreamland Villa Community where retirement dreams come true!

Services Are Available for Seniors Needing Transportation

Dreamland residents needing rides to their doctor appointments, grocery store or to do errands can call Senior Shuttle at 480-861-8593 or ComforCare Senior Services at 480-827-2600. Kate (Dreamland Villa resident) at 924-4343 is also available but cannot accommodate wheelchairs.

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News from the Librarian's Desk

by Margie Gilbert

If you are among those who have been gone for the warmer months, welcome back to Dreamland Villa Library. We are glad you are back with us and hope to see you come in on a regular basis.

We now have our coffee room open. If you wish to come in and sit and read in our quiet surroundings or visit with a friend, we have a place for you. There is coffee, tea, and hot cocoa available.

Our normal winter hours are as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 10AM to 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.

We could use a few more volunteers to help some days. You do not need to have any library experience to work with us. We will train in the areas we need help, and usually ask for no more than two hours a week. Leave your name and phone number with us and let us know when you are available so we can fit you into our schedule.

Recently purchased new books are: *Storm Front* by John Sandford, Sandra Brown's *Deadline*, Bill O'Reilly's *Killing Jesus* and Stephen King's *Doctor Sleep*. On the lighter side, we now have Debbie Macomber's *Starry Night*, and Fern Michaels' *Gotcha!*. For the Romance reader, we now have Janet Chapman's *For the Love of Magic*, and Kristen Higgins the *Next Best Thing*.

Thank you to all of you who continue to donate books. We really appreciate your contributions. We also appreciate all of our volunteers and, of course, our readers. Thank you for your continued support.

Citizen Book Review

by Margie Gilbert

Victims by Jonathan Kellerman

Alex Delaware, psychologist, once again aids Milo Sturgis, Detective Lieutenant of Homicide Division, LAPD in finding his man.

Left with no clues but a piece of white paper with a question mark in the center, and grisly murder following grisly murder, Alex and Milo slowly begin building a case of circumstantial evidence. When two of the victims finally have a common link to Ventura State Hospital, things begin to fall into place. Alex at one time trained at this, the state's largest mental hospital. He had questions about the "special placement" ward, but they were never answered. His supervisor said she liked him too much. Later he helped evaluate and suggest placement and further treatment for patients as the hospital was shutting down.

Still, however, there are no solid clues but the question mark. Alex's familiarity with Ventura State, and his experience there gradually leads him to uncover the existence of a very disturbed young man and a hospital guard who had befriended him for his own warped reasons.

Finding this young man with only vague descriptions, no physical evidence but the question mark left behind at each crime scene, and people beginning to panic make for a very intense time in the lives of the people of LA, and Milo, Alex and their team.

This is one of Kellerman's best mysteries in a long series of best sellers.



Travel

by Irene Nissen

East-West Global Tours will be here the 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 8:00 AM to 10:00 AM in R-3. They are providing a season of tours and travel for Dreamland residents. Come and meet with them to make arrangements for your next get-a-way.

From the Office

by Jackie Young

Happy Thanksgiving! I just love fall, don't you? October kicked things off with Tuesday night line dancing with Dakota Kid and Patsy Berg. And, how about the Pie ala Mode Social, yummy and fun. Who remembers Drive In Movies? A great big, THANK YOU, to Brian and Tyler for the Walk In movie night at Farnsworth Band Shell. There will be a holiday classic movie featured this month so bring your chairs and blankets. Hot chocolate will be available at the concession stand. October also saw the return of the Community Potluck Dinner and Pancake Breakfast. Good food and good friends. DVCC has so much to be grateful for. November will be packed full with just as much fun. Line dancing will continue, and Jam Sessions return on the third Friday of the month. We will also feature Just Country Band for a dance on November 16th. Don't forget to come down and celebrate the Help Services 40th Anniversary Party at Farnsworth Hall. Parties, dances, craft shows....I suggest you keep your *Citizen* calendar handy. I know I will!

New Resident Orientation

by Hazel Dubbs

The New Resident Orientation is for all new home owners and those who have never attended. You will receive information on all Dreamland activities, pools, John's Villa Restaurant and other interesting things concerning your community.

You will also receive information concerning Help Services, Inc., a non-profit organization that has medical equipment available for use by Dreamland and Velda Rose residents. Help Services celebrates their 40th Anniversary this November. Also, our community is served by the Maricopa County Sheriff; the Sheriff Posse office is located in the DVCC Library Building. A special information packet is provided by our fire department, Rural Metro for new residents.

The New Resident Orientation meeting will be held Tuesday, November 19, 2013 at 7:00 PM in READ HALL located in the building adjacent to the office (320 N 55th Place). Come and enjoy getting acquainted with other residents and share refreshments with the Welcome Committee members: Nancy Cole, Charles Dubbs, Hazel Dubbs (chairperson), Dodie Gruner, Ginny Hays, Lucille Kraiss and Dorothy Ruth.

Easy Cooking

by Sandie White

Turkey Pot Pie

2 cups diced cooked turkey
2 cups frozen peas and carrots
1 can sliced potatoes
¼ cup butter or margarine
1/3 cup flour
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon ground poultry seasoning
3 cups milk
1 9" two-crust pastry

Melt butter in saucepan. Blend in flour, salt, and seasonings. Add milk gradually. Stir and cook until mixture thickens. Add a little more milk if too thick. Add turkey and vegetables. Pour into pastry shell. Cover with top crust. Seal and flute edges. Slit top in several places. Bake at 425 degrees for 35 - 40 minutes (until golden brown). You might want to put foil around edges so it doesn't burn.

In and Around the Villa

by Mary Anne Glauner

November is a wonderful month; we have a National Holiday and a very special day to honor our Veterans. Our own club will have a great ceremony on Monday, the 11th at 8:00 A.M. at Farnsworth Hall with representatives of the Armed Forces including a flag raising ceremony, speeches, and refreshments. Everyone is invited; you don't have to be a veteran to attend, and we hope to have a large crowd to show our appreciation for all they sacrificed for us!

The next celebration in the month of November is Thanksgiving Day which will be on Thursday, the 28th of November (our 54th wedding anniversary) this year. This is a day to give thanks for all our blessings and share the day with family and friends and as is the custom since the first Thanksgiving celebrate with great foods. We are so lucky to have the foods available to us compared to the rest of the world. So in preparation of the day, take some time and give back to those less fortunate with food donations for our food banks which are in desperate need of food for those homeless and less fortunate. Happy

Thanksgiving to you and your families.

Speaking of food, Eddie and Barbara of John's Villa, have a great new item on the menu, Philly Cheese Steak Sandwiches. They are one of the best I've ever had, and they serve it with French fries, and have milk shakes available to top it off. Stop in and try one, I promise you, you won't regret it!

If you haven't been to Costco lately, you might be surprised to find they have changed their deli section to Pepsi products and have removed the Coke products, such a disappointment. They are also phasing out their chocolate and nut coated ice cream bars which were to die for. Well, my diet should improve with both of these changes.

You have three more days to enjoy the Arizona State Fair. You can enjoy the rides as well as the animal exhibits. Then there are the concession foods such as deep-fried pineapple up-side down cake on a stick, deep-fried pb&j, deep-fried peaches and cream, and the best of all, deep-fried mac and cheese. Don't know how I have gotten through life without these unique treats.

Over five thousand years ago,

Moses said to the children of Israel, "Pick up your shovels, mount your camels and asses, and I will lead you to the Promised Land." Nearly 75 years ago, (when Welfare was introduced) Roosevelt said, "Lay down your shovels, sit on your asses and light up a Camel, this is the Promised Land." Today, Congress has stolen your shovel, taxed your asses, raised the price of Camels and mortgaged the Promised Land! I was so depressed last night thinking about Health Care Plans, the economy, the wars, lost jobs, savings, Social Security, retirement funds, etc...I called a Suicide Hotline, I had to press '1' for English. I was connected to a call center in Pakistan. I told them I was suicidal. They got excited and asked if I could drive a truck.... Folks, we are in so much trouble!!!

Author Unknown

Desert Rivers Audubon Recognizes Dreamland

by Larry Wilkins

Dreamland Villa Nature Walk is being recognized by Desert River Audubon, a local chapter of the National Audubon society, with Dreamland being presented with a sign of that recognition on Saturday, November 9, 2013, at 9:00 AM on the west side of 56th Street between Colby and Decatur on the Nature Trail. The Desert River Audubon will conduct a tour from that starting point. You are more than welcome to join the ceremony and tour.

Desert Rivers Audubon is a local chapter of the National Audubon Society and is, therefore, first and foremost a group of people who love birds. Studying birds, however, should lead to a more acute realization of birds as just one aspect of the natural world and foster an appreciation of the whole system, the habitat in which those birds, and we humans, survive.

The Desert Rivers Habitat Recognition Program grew out of our wish to acknowledge those people who were willing to help our native wildlife prosper by making a commitment to turn some part of our landscape into a natural habitat. The criteria are simple, do you plant native plants? Do you provide water and shelter for insects, birds and animals? Do you keep your watering requirements to a minimum? Simple to say, but not always simple to implement.

Our website, www.desertriversaudubon.org has an "Audubon at Home" page where you can read more about the requirements that lead to a habitat being recognized as wildlife

friendly. There you can also find sources of help if you want to turn your own backyard space into a wildlife friendly area.

Balancing the needs of the wildlife and the aesthetic feelings of gardeners can be challenging so we are therefore tremendously pleased to make this award to the Dreamland Nature Trail and to include the Trail in our November 9th Tour de Bird. This is an event designed to educate people on making their landscapes wildlife friendly by sending them on a self guided tour of several backyards and public habitats to show them different styles and approaches.

We look forward to the day and hope your Trail will prove an inspiration so that others will learn how to share our desert home with our native flora and fauna.

The Tour de Bird Event is on November 9th - tickets are \$10 obtainable from any Desert Rivers Event or from our website.

Desert Rivers also offers free monthly birdwalks at the Gilbert Riparian Preserve on the 3rd Saturdays starting in October and the Veterans Oasis Park on the 1st Saturdays starting in November. We also have free monthly nature programs on a variety of topics at the Southeast Regional Library on the 2nd Tuesdays at 7pm from September through April. We have free monthly owl walks at Zanjero Park in Gilbert on the 4th Saturdays all year long. The walks start 1 hour before sunset. Please visit www.desertriversaudubon.org for more information.

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Silver Sweaters

by Ruth Parker

Silver Sweaters meets in Read Hall, 320 N. 55th Place at 8:00 AM on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. We do standing exercises the first half and on the mat or towel the other half. These exercise classes are free to all members of Dreamland Villa.

Dreamland Tuesday Bowling League

by Ray Zabel

Our first week of Dreamland Tuesday Bowling League starts Tuesday, November 5. with 20 teams in attendance. We are bowling at the AMF Bowling Lanes at Southern and Gilbert. We will need substitutes so if anyone reading this wants to substitute, please call Jan listed below. Let me say also that this group of bowlers are a happy group, and they love to bowl, laugh, encourage each other, and just plain have fun. I won't say we don't get upset with ourselves when we bowl badly. We know next week will turn us around.

The Summer Funtime Bowling ended October 29th and the following are some of the scores and splits.

Some splits that were picked up:

Asher, Ida 5-7, 5-6, 4-5; Barlett, Beth 5-10; Barkman, Art 5-7; Vonita Hinton 2-10, 4-7; Johanson 5-7; Ray Zabel 2-6, 3-6-7; Zabel, Jan 3-10; Merklin, Ruth 3-10; Sandell, Bill 5-10, 5-6.

Below are some of the winners and their scores. We totaled the score for the three games and add three times their handicap to obtain their total score.

Arnold, Richard 615; Asher, Ida 619; Bafia, Robert 599; Barkman, Art 599; Bilodeau, Linda 585; Black, Andy 627,608; Cole, Harry 604, 673; Ken Cole 629, 621; Cregar, Jack 680; Duncan, Steve 647; Gover, Geoge 638; Hinton, Vonita 623; Jenkins, Dan 611; Kloeckner, Chuck 598, 631; Katz, Max 611, 586; Kuether, Charlie 611, 618, 571; Leeper, Sammy 614; Lockard, Ed 591, 658, 615, 611; Lower, Richard 632, 649; McClain, Silaina 583, 611; Merklin, Ruth 604; Morrow, Bob 613, 604; Poynter, Darlene 648; Poynter, Russ 619, 616, 576; Ressa, Pat 660; Rexford, Cathy 619; Rolly, Chet 573, Roslan, Ray 544, 602; Ryan, Robert 624, 588; Sandell, Bill 614, 595; Sandell, Linda 653; Sanders, Jim 608, 568; Sarver, Jerry 599; Smith, Bob 588; Zabel, Ray 667.

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



Hiking Club News

by Andrea Hill



Hello, hikers! Our first hike will be a "meet, greet, and eat" at the Gilbert Water Ranch at Guadalupe and Greenfield Roads. We will meet at Farnsworth at 8:45 AM, get our name tags and sign in. We depart at 9:00 sharp. Here is what to bring: 1) a light lunch/snack/water 2) your ideas for future hikes and 3) \$3.00 if you plan to ride with another driver. There is no entrance fee for the park and there are restrooms and a picnic table. The trails are flat and hard-packed dirt so tennis shoes would work fine. I will bring maps of the ponds and hope we can circumnavigate most of them.

Our December hike tentatively is planned for December 9 at the Hawes Trails system. This is close by and afterward we'll do a hot-dog potluck lunch with Christmas music at the Hills' house.

Beginning January 6th, we will have hikes planned every Monday. See you on the Happy Trails of Arizona.

Dreamland Villa Men's Golf League

by Ray Zabel

We are at a transition not knowing for sure whether we will be playing golf at the Dreamland Golf Course for the whole winter season. We are pretty sure till January 1.

All you golfers should however play the Dreamland course. The why is the course is in the best shape it has ever been in its history. You can say you played the course in its last days.

There was a scramble last month with Dick Wiland and Freddie Vincent coming in 1st and coming in 2nd were Dale Tatman, Marty Bodor and Harry Cole. Great job golfing, guys.

Some scores we have had for the last few weeks were: Larry Waterstradt 35, 34, 34; Harry Cole 38, 38; Richard Avant 40, 35, 32, 32; Mark Boehmer 36, 38, 40, 42; Stan Hayes 43; Al Gerholdt 43, 45, 40, 49; Freddie Vincent 39, 40, 42, 44; Ray Zabel 38, 42, 40, 40, 42; Dale Tatman 39, 40, 38, 41, 38, 38; Dick Magnuson 48, 41; Dick Wiland 43, 45, 41, 41, 41; and Marty Bodor 38, 41, 41, 45, 48.

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

Shuffleboard

by Bruce Van Vleet

The long hot summer is finally over. It is time once again to play shuffleboard.

The shuffleboard group is looking forward to a fun time this season, playing this game of skill on how hard you push the discs and how accurate you are on your take outs. The strategy is to score on your last shot which we call the hammer shot.

New players are welcome, and the shuffleboard group will be glad to help any new players get started. We usually start regular play about the second week in November with starting time at 9:30 AM on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. The courts are located west of Read Hall and north of the pickleball courts.

Dreamland Villa Ladies' Golf League

by Kay Hawbaker

By now many of our winter residents are back and getting geared up for all the activities they enjoy here in Mesa. Some Bock Watch groups are getting organized for a potluck meeting. And by the middle of the month, the Hiking Club will be out on the trails. Welcome back to our winter residents.

The Dreamland Villa Ladies' Golf League will be welcoming the players who return this fall. The first event is coffee and rolls in front of the Pro Shop at 8:00 AM on Thursday, November 7. The golf play is a scramble best ball so everyone finishes in a timely fashion so we can join together at Itsy Bitsy Diner for lunch and get caught up with all the news of the summer. There is no sign up for the lunch, but you should call ahead to sign up for golf.

The following Thursday, November 14, we will have a meeting at Read Hall at 9:30 AM to review the calendar for the season. It is an important meeting and all are encouraged to attend. As far as we know, we will have a season of golf.

Our dues are still \$15.00. Check at the Pro Shop for more information. The Pro Shop phone number is 480 985 6591. Remember, anyone interested in joining us this year is welcome. One does not need to be a member of Dreamland Community Club.



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Pickleball in Dreamland Villa

by Ralph Shirey

The weather has cooled off, and the pickleball courts located at the Read complex are busy with activity! Both courts are being used, and people are waiting for a court to take their turn at this exciting game! Stop by and watch; maybe pick up a paddle and take a shot at the game.

All ages can play; we took two of our great-grand sons down and played a game. They are 9 and 12 years old and had played a couple of times before so they were very competitive!

If you think you would like to try this game, stop by and check it out. You

can call me; my phone number is in the DVCC book and we could arrange a time to meet on the courts for a lesson or two. In a matter of days, you will be hooked on the fastest growing court game in the country! Check with your health care provider before beginning new physical activities.

Hint for the month; always try to be aware of your location on the court.

Get back into position for the return. Follow through that takes you into the dreaded kitchen after a volley shot is a fault.

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Help Services Continued from Cover

sick room equipment is loaned for as long as it may be needed. Some restrictions, however, may apply. There are also items that may be needed when house guests or the grandchildren visit. These items include roll-a-way beds; play pens, baby beds, high chairs, and strollers. These non-medical items generally have a maximum loan period

of 30 days. Help Services is an organization of and for the community and operates under the direction of a Board of Directors elected from and by the residents of Dreamland Villa and Velda Rose Estates. All residents of the two communities are automatically members of the



corporation. Directors are elected for three-year terms and may, if they so choose, run for successive terms. The committee structure is employed to facilitate the many activities that keep the organization functioning. A team of volunteers mans the office each day Help Services is open. All serve without pay. We do, however, pay someone for delivery and pick up services of certain equipment items as well as for cleaning and sanitizing those returned.

Help Services is financed solely by donations and cannot continue to exist without support from the communities it serves. Help Services is neither a welfare organization nor a private club. It is not affiliated with nor does it receive any money or subsidy from federal, state or local governmental agencies. Help Services is a local community organization, with 100 percent of all donations received used to fund operations. Help Services is a 501 (c) (3) public charity, and all donations are tax deductible.

High blood pressure can be one of the early warning signs of a stroke or heart attack. Whether you are under the treatment of a physician or not, seniors should have their blood pressure checked on a regular basis. Since 1978, Help

Services has offered a free weekly blood pressure clinic each Monday, from 9:00 AM to noon. The clinic is staffed by trained volunteer nurses.

Help Services cannot continue to exist without support from the community. As I said earlier, Help Services' primary source of income is from cash donations. The establishment of a memorial is another way to support our program. Establishment of a memorial is an appropriate and meaningful way of honoring the memory of dear ones with a tribute that go on to serve the living. Including Help Services in your will is still another way to donate for those who may be looking for a worthwhile way to distribute their savings after they are gone. Finally, if you have hospital or sick room equipment still in good condition which no longer is used, please consider donating it to Help Services so that it can go on helping others.

And last but not least, the services Help Services has to offer are provided by a team of volunteers from Dreamland Villa and Velda Rose Estates. Residents looking for a worthy way to spend some of their time may consider volunteering at Help Services. And remember, contact Help Services before you buy or rent. Chances are we will

have exactly what you need and it's loan-free.

Thanks for reading about us over these past three months. Now plan to meet us at our anniversary open house at Farnsworth Hall on November 9th. You should have by now received your invitation in the mail. The event will be held in Dreamland Villa Community Club's Farnsworth Hall from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. In addition to displays of the types of items we have to loan, there will be complimentary food, door prizes and handouts. The first 500 attending from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM will receive a complimentary donut and coffee. The first 500 attending from noon to 1:30 PM will receive a complimentary hot dog, chips and a drink. Water and coffee will also be available throughout the day. You will be able to have your blood pressure taken by our volunteer nurses and Rural Metro as well as the Dreamland Villa Posse will also be there to answer any questions you may have regarding the services they provide.

Finally, you can find out more about Help Services by going to our web site at www.HelpServicesInc.gov.

Arizona Day Trip Sedona Winefest and Art Show

by Alicia Short, Photos by Glynn Short

Welcome back, neighbors. I know I've written about Sedona before, but since we didn't go anywhere else this last month, I'll write about it again with some new information.

This time Glynn and I, having just purchased a travel trailer, decided to stay in Sedona while attending the Sedona Winefest and Art Show which happens each year at the end of September which features Arizona wineries. I also had to do some volunteer time at the Sedona Art Center so we decided to make a short trip out of it.

We shopped at the Natural Foods Groceries which has good stuff and healthy, too. We ate dinner at Café Jose and had some really delicious Mexican food. Couldn't eat it all. It's worth the trip and prices are reasonable. It's near the Safeway shopping center.



Coming up in November and December in Sedona are some events you might want to catch: **NOVEMBER: DIA DE LOS MUERTOS CELEBRATIONS AT TLAQUEPAQUE-** Join Tlaquepaque in Patio del Norte and Patio las Campanas on Friday, November 1 and Saturday,

November 2 to make an offering at the Celebration of Dia de los Muertos. Expand your knowledge of Día de los Muertos through the beauty and creativity of Ofrenda installations by making any personal offering for those special friends, family members or even special pets that might be missed. 928-282-4838 Tlaq.com

FESTIVAL OF TREES - Come and Experience the Holiday Trees at Tlaquepaque. This premiere holiday event at Tlaquepaque begins on Friday, November 29 - The Festival of Trees. Area artists and galleries will have over 45 Christmas trees and Gingerbread houses fully decorated in fun and exquisite ways. Kick off your holiday season with a beautiful themed tree already pre-decorated. 928-282-4838 Tlaq.com

DECEMBER: HOLIDAY CENTRAL SEDONA- Sedona transforms into a winter wonderland for all of December with events and entertainment taking place every Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday from December 1 through December 30 including Holiday Lights, Photos with Santa, Jingle Bell Run, Breakfast with Santa and so much more. HolidayCentralSedona.com

HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING & SANTA VISIT- On December 6 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM at Sedona Center plaza in Uptown Sedona, enjoy the Tree-lighting, entertainment and Santa visits with children. This free event is presented by Sedona Main Street Program, Sedona Chamber of Commerce and the City of Sedona. SedonaMainStreet.com

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA AND JINGLE BELL RUN- On December 7, 7:30 - 10:00 AM Free, Sedona Teen Center. Start the morning out right with a short run through Posse Grounds Park, decked with Jingle Bells. The head on in for a free pancake breakfast served by the YMCA. Enjoy crafts, games and face painting courtesy of Sedona Parks and Recreation, and end your morning with a visit from Santa himself! 928-282-7098 SedonaAZ.gov/Parks

FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS - The lighting of 6,000 Luminarias. On Saturday, December 14 from 3:00 - 8:00 PM. This one day event - A cherished tradition which involves the lighting of 6,000 luminarias in Tlaquepaque's courtyards and walkways at 5:00 pm. Specially designated Luminarias honoring cancer survivors can be purchased in advance for \$10.00. 928-282-4838 Tlaq.com.

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Wet Paint

by Alicia Short

Registration for the November/December Art Classes will be held Friday, NOVEMBER 1. Normally, registration for classes would be the last Friday of October, but not this year. So mark your calendars for November 1, 9:00 – 11:00 AM. If you can't make the registration date, you may do so on the first day of the class you wish to take.

Classes being offered are about the same as previous years:
Monday morning (9am-11:30) **Open painting.**

Monday afternoon (1pm – 4:30) **Portrait painting** with Ila Wandtke

Tuesday morning (9:am – 11:30am) **Watercolor** with Bob Brum

Wednesday morning (9am – 11:30am) **Watercolor** with Alicia Short

Thursday morning (9am – 11:30am) **Acrylic and oil** with Alicia Short

Regular class fees have changed to \$35 for DVCC members. Your DVCC membership member number will be requested. At least three people need to be registered for a class in order for it to continue. Classes run for 7 weeks - no class on Thanksgiving Day.

A special workshop called "Mixed Media Workshop" using acrylics, oils and collage will be given by Alicia Short beginning Friday, November 1 at 1:00 – 4:00 PM - the same day as registration. This class is a fun, loosening up kind of class. It will run four weeks. You will need acrylics and oil paints and a complete list of supplies will be given upon request. Price for the workshop is \$35. This workshop will be limited to ten people.

You will finish with an exciting cityscape painting and some new painting skills. Some supplies will be provided. You will need to bring to the first class at least a 16x20 canvas, acrylic light molding paste and gel medium- glossy. You will also need two water containers, paper palettes or freezer paper and a large palette knife or scraper. Additional supplies will be needed for the next classes: acrylic paints and oil paints – turpoid and oil medium such as linseed oil or Liquin; large brushes and regular brushes; containers for the mediums and more. As mentioned contact me for a full supplies list... aliciashort@msn.com. This workshop will be offered again in the January/February session with the focus on creating a fun landscape painting. Limited to ten people.

If you are unable to get to the registration, please email me with the class you wish to take.

Quilting Club

by Becky Lamson

On September 26 we started sewing on some pre-cut quilting kits donated by one of our members. There were enough kits that everyone present, if they desired, and all picked up at least one to work on. They will each stitch the complete kit into a baby quilt top. The members continued working on the kit project at our October meetings. These quilts will be donated to a charity when they are complete. Our pictures this month is of 3 of those quilt tops pieced from the kits.

At one of our November meetings, we will be working on a small project selected and lead by Betty Sharp. It will be something that can be used as a small gift.

We are back to meeting weekly on Thursdays from 1:00 - 3:00 PM at Read Hall. We will not meet on Thanksgiving Day, November 24th.

New and prospective members are always welcome.

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 quilt meetings at Read Hall on Thursday afternoons.

Quilters' quote of the month: Quilters know all the angles.



Photography Club to Begin Again

by Alicia Short



The Photography Club has resumed its meetings and field trips in a new location. The club now meets in the same building as the library on the Sheriff's posse side. The meetings will be held on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month at 10:00 AM. For the field trips we meet at the location to carpool at 9:00 AM. Field trips may not necessarily

be on Mondays as it will depend on the field trip location and its opening dates.

Since the Computer Club occasionally has speakers on photography and computer skills, the Club will ask to be notified of these programs so the Photography Club members can decide if they want to attend.

On October 22 the first field trip for the Photography Club for this season was an outing to the Japanese Friendship Gardens in Phoenix. We will try to have a photo or two in the next Citizen and on the website. Photos taken at the garden will be shown at the November 4th meeting beginning at 10:00 AM. All are welcome to come and see them.

Jim Amrine, a professional photographer and DVCC resident, will present a series of talks on using Photoshop to enhance and improve your photos. These dates will be announced.

Membership dues are \$15 a year or \$20 for couples for a calendar. Since it's near the end of the year, dues for the rest of the year through December are only \$5.00 per person. Next year's dues will be due by January 1st. New leaders will be selected in December. To find out about field trips and meetings, you can go to the Dreamland Villa website and find the Photography Club under Hobbies and Crafts.

Singles Club

by Ruth Mogen

Twenty five people attended the October Potluck. The winter visitors are coming back, and we welcome them.

Eight members enjoyed the "Arizona Falls" at the Herberger Park in Phoenix on September 13. On October 4 we journeyed to the Music Museum and on the 19th we attended the "October Fest" at the Legacy Retirement Center in Mesa.

We had a Halloween party on October 27 in Read Hall where prizes given. We have breakfast, lunch and dine outs once a month also as well as going to a Casino.

Our meetings are the second and fourth Wednesdays in Read Hall at 9:30 AM. Our potlucks are the first Tuesday of the month in Read Hall at 6:00 PM.

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Computer Club

by Donna Hanson

We are all anxious to get started with the fall classes. And we will be happy to see more of our members back in their winter homes. We hope you have enjoyed your time with family and friends. Those of us who managed to tolerate the hottest summer ever, kept busy with the computer club activities and also our hobbies at home.

Some new classes are being started, and we hope others will take an interest in some of them. Genealogy classes have started up again, and we would like to see some others express an interest in searching for your ancestors. We are here to help and know you will become very enthused once you find information about some long, lost relatives. Bring in a bit of information about one of your ancestors some Wednesday morning at nine, and Donna Hanson and her helpers will be glad to help you get started.

Bob has kept busy all summer helping those who had problems or came to see what is new. And on Saturday, Bob and Kay have answered a lot of questions and demonstrated how to find many things on the internet.

The class we have every Friday about iPad is growing every week. Those of us who signed up to attend Kate Gertz's special classes were excited and happy to learn so much. Janet Ahrens and Donna Hanson seem to find new things to research each week.

We also have some good helpers at our classes so encourage

you and others who are interested in learning all the amazing things about the iPad to come in and see for yourself what we are learning.

We encourage you members to let us know what you might be interested in, and we will try to accommodate you with other classes later on.

For those who are not members of the computer club, we feel you will not find a more reasonable place to come and learn. Our dues per year are \$15 for one person and \$20 for two people in the same household. All our classes are free except for a very few where we do pay professionals to come in. You must be a member of Dreamland Villa Community Club. So far, only Kate Gertz's class is where we did pay but felt it was so much better to pay someone to come to our Room 9 rather than us to go to the Apple stores where sometimes it is very crowded and noisy.

Our Board meetings are open to other members and we encourage you to attend. Please notice the calendar posted at the door of Room 9 or stop at the office for a copy of our latest calendar.

We appreciate that many of you are bringing in your old ink cartridges as it helps us use the rewards to purchase new cartridges and supplies for our use at the room.

John Ahrens does a good job of recruiting speakers for our General Meetings which are always held on the first Wednesday of each month at nine o'clock. Only the General

Meetings are held in the wintertime at Farnsworth Hall. They are open to the public so do stop in and we are sure you will enjoy our speakers.

Our next General Meeting will be November 6 and our speaker will be Gary Stanley. We have enjoyed his previous visits, and this time we know we will enjoy his subject, "Great Photos with any Camera". Gary is a professional photographer, a retired jet pilot, and a former radio personality. He's also an author, teacher, computer consultant, speaker, adventurer and former QCS member before moving to Arizona. He will cover camera settings, shooting techniques, transferring photos from your camera to your computer, editing tips, sharing photos, and back-up procedures.

At our next General Meeting on December 4, we will feature Katie Gertz whose presentation will be on many social medias such as Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

We are sure you won't want to miss hearing what she has to say about these popular subjects.

If you enjoy eating at the Golden Corral, do come on October 17 at around ten thirty and ask to sit with the computer club people. There is room for many to attend and we invite any Dreamland Villa person to come and eat with us. Our time is so enjoyable that we find ourselves spending almost two hours eating their delicious food and then having some desserts and perhaps a cup of coffee.

Ceramic Chaos

by Teena Baker

Greetings and welcome home to all of our winter visitors. We have missed each and every one of you. We hope you had a wonderful summer with your family and friends but are glad to have you back.

Now it is time to think of the holidays. Thanksgiving is just around the corner soon followed by Christmas. While I am spouting off about the holidays, let me tell you about some of the holiday ceramic pieces that are in the ceramic room that you might be interested in doing. We have a small Nativity set, a lot of Santas, a four piece stackable reindeer set, as well as several Christmas trees. Just about anything you can think of. Come by and have a look.

WE MADE OUR GOAL! We painted and completed 212 bowls for the Mesa "Bowls for the Hungry" project. Thanks to each and every one of our ladies and gentlemen that came in and helped. You know who each and every one of you are. Now we have a little breathing room before we launch next year's start. God Bless you all.

Our Ceramic group has some of the most awesome and talented spouses around. We can drop a hint at wanting something done and low and behold before we know it, the something is done. I want to thank Ralph Shirey and his magic helpers for the installation of two new shelves that they

placed in the room for us. Thank you, Ralph!

December 11th will be our last day of classes for the year 2013. Any last minute ceramic pieces that are needed for Christmas will be available for pick up on Monday, December 16th at 2:00 PM. We will start back on January 7, 2014, which is the first Tuesday in January. Our Christmas party will be held at Monti's from 1:00 to 4:00 PM on December 12th. The cost of the meal per person will be \$28.50 which includes tax and tip. Reservations and money are due by the 1st of December.

The Arizona Ceramic Doll Show will be held at the Arizona State University West Campus on February 1 and 2, 2014. We would really like to have as many of our people as possible enter pieces in the competition. The pieces must be totally done by you. No one else may touch your piece. The pieces MUST be finished inside as well as out. Finished pieces must be turned into the ceramic room no later than the 28th of January. The times for the showing are Saturday from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Sunday from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Last year several of our people entered the competition and came back with ribbons. Let's do the same this year.

No decision has been made as to where we will have our November luncheon.

Dreamland Book Club

by Mary Lindgren

Fall has begun and soon those of us who are winter residents will be returning. I, for one, am looking forward to a fun and busy time in Dreamland, reconnecting with old friends and making new.

Book club is a great way to meet people and we welcome anyone who loves to read and discuss good literature. This year we will hold our first meeting: **Thursday, December 12, at 2:00 - 3:30 PM, at 6457 E El Paso Street.**

Our schedule for 2014 is as follows: January 2 and 23,



February 13, March 6 and 27, and April 17. All meetings will be held Thursdays from 2:00 - 3:30 PM in members' homes. Addresses will be decided at proceeding meeting.

Those attending the December meeting will help select books from

Mesa Library book kit selections and discuss the possibility of reading books we individually purchase. It might be fun to look at reading from additional genre; poetry, short stories, etc. Come with ideas and suggestions. Books will be available for December reading at the first meeting.



I look forward to seeing all of you from last year and making some new friends, too.

Ceramic Chaos Is Conducting a Raffle

by Teena Baker

Ceramic Chaos is raffling off two Old World Santas that stand 15" tall which were made by Teena Baker. One of the Santas is done in white and gold and the other Santa is done in burgundy and gold.

The tickets will go on sale November 1st with the drawing being held at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, December 10th. The Ceramic Room is open on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM. Winners can pick



up their Santas by 3:00 PM on Wednesday, December 11th. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Stop by the Ceramic Room to see the Santas and purchase your tickets. The proceeds will go toward repairing one of the kilns that died.



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62 years old and older to convert their home equity into cash without ever having to make another payment and with no out of pocket expenses. Instead of the homeowner writing a check to the bank each month, the bank now pays the homeowner who can elect to receive a lump sum, a line of credit or monthly payments. One of the biggest criticisms of reverse mortgages has been the fees, which before the new changes could have totaled up to 5% of a home's value. But the new cuts in fees mean that some homeowners can save \$15,000 or more on the closing costs. Parker Turk, from Sun American Mortgage also explained more about these savings. "The new calculations allow more seniors to qualify for a Reverse Mortgage. Over the past 12 months, many people that have called seeking financial relief just didn't have enough equity in their home, but with the new government changes people are revisiting a Reverse Mortgage as an option and are finding out they now qualify. In addition, at Sun American Mortgage we cut our origination fees, servicing fees, and are now able to cut their closing costs putting that money directly back into their pocket." The new changes also brought about some new programs to allow seniors








more financial options than ever. Parker Turk explained that "there is a new Reverse Mortgage Product called a Reverse Mortgage Saver. It works just like a home equity line of credit without ever having to make a monthly payment. The upfront fees on this program have been slashed and it is now one of the most attractive financial options available to seniors. Seniors who are interested taking a look at these new programs should do so as soon as possible to take advantage of some of the greatest benefits." Parker also said "Remember that when you are looking into a Reverse Mortgage it is recommended that you find a local business with a great reputation. Sun American Mortgage is a Farnsworth company and wrote the first reverse mortgage in the state of Arizona over 20 years ago."

For more information, just call Parker Turk or Rex Duffin at Sun American Mortgage (480) 832-4343 or toll-free at 1(800) 469-7383. An equal housing opportunity company, member of the Better Business Bureau and the National Reverse Mortgage Lenders Association. Mortgage Banker License #BK7548 • NMLS #160265 Parker Turk: LO-0912436 • NMLS#267132 Rex Duffin: LO-0911707 • NMLS # 169138

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<p>Calendar notices or dates are the responsibility of the leaders of each group. Deadline notice is due to the office by the 5th of each month.</p>						
					1 9:00AM Art Class Registration 	2 9:00AM Arts & Craft Fair F
3	4 10:00AM Photography Club LC	5 9:00AM Study Session R 6:00PM Singles Potluck R 6:00PM Line Dance Lessons F 7:00PM Open Dance T&B Productions F	6 9:00AM Computer Club Meeting F 	7 2:00PM Health Insurance Exchange Information F	8	9 9:00AM Help Service 40 th Anniversary F 7:30AM Coffee Social R 9:30AM Iowa Club Coffee Social R
10 7:00PM Sing A Long R	11 8:00 Veterans' Day Program F	12 9:00AM Board Meeting R 6:00PM Line Dance Lessons F 7:00PM Open Dance - Dakota Kid F	13 9:30AM Singles Meeting R	14 9:30AM Ladies Golf Meeting R 7:00PM Walk-In Movie at Farnsworth Band Shell	15 1:00PM Jam Session F	16 7:30AM Pancake Breakfast F 6:00PM Just Country F 
17 Farnsworth Pool Closed 7:00PM Sing A Long R	18 10:00AM Photography Club LC 8:45AM Hiking Club Meet F	19 6:00PM Line Dance Lessons F 7:00PM Open Dance T&B Productions F 7:00PM New Resident Orientation R	20	21 6:00PM Potluck Dinner F 	22	23 7:30AM Coffee Social R 9:30AM South Dakota Coffee Social R 
24 Read Pool Closed 7:00PM Sing A Long R 	25	26 6:00PM Line Dance lessons F 7:00PM Open Dance T&B Productions F	27 9:30AM Singles Meeting R	28 Happy Thanksgiving 	29	30

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SUNDAY AM	MONDAY AM	TUESDAY AM	WEDNESDAY AM	THURSDAY AM	FRIDAY AM	SATURDAY AM
Worship on the Days of your choice	8:00 Lapidary R-6 8:00 Pickleball R-O 9:00 Open Painting R-5 9:00 Help Service HS 9:00 Woodshop R-10 9:30 Shuffleboard R-O 10:00 Library L	8:00 Global Tours R-3 1 st & 3 rd Tuesday 8:00 Silver Sweaters R 8:00 Lapidary R-6 9:00 Watercolor Painting R-5 9:00 Woodshop R-10 9:30 Aqua Fellowship R-1 9:00 Ceramics R-7 9:00 Help Services H-S 9:00 Computer Club R-9	8:00 Lapidary R-6 8:00 Silver Sweaters R 8:00 Pickleball R-O 9:00 Watercolor Advanced R-5 & Beginning 9:00 Computer Club R-9 9:00 Ceramics R-7 9:00 Help Services H-S 9:00 Woodshop R-10 9:30 Singles Meet R 2 nd & 4 th Wednesday 9:30 Shuffleboard R-O 10:00 Library L	8:00 Lapidary R-6 8:00 Silver Sweaters R 9:00 Acrylic & oil paint R-5 9:00 Woodshop R-10 9:00 Help Service HS 9:00 Computer Club R-9 9:00 WoodShop R-10	8:00 Lapidary R-6 8:00 Pickleball R-O 9:00 Computer Club R-9 9:00 Help Service HS 9:30 Shuffleboard R-O 10:00 Library L 11:00 Poker R-8	7:30 Coffee Social R 2 nd & 4 th Saturday 9:00 Help Services H-S 9:00 Q&A Computer Club R-9 10:00 Library L 1 st & 3 rd Saturday
SUNDAY PM	MONDAY PM	TUESDAY PM	WEDNESDAY PM	THURSDAY PM	FRIDAY PM	SATURDAY PM
7:00 Sing A Long R	1:00 Portrait Painting R-5 1:00 Card Hand & Foot R 1:00 Woodshop R-10 1:00 Lapidary R-6 1:30 Aquacize R-O 7:00 Cribbage R	1:00 Ceramics R-7 1:00 Woodshop R-10 1:00 Lapidary R-6 1:30 Aquacize R-O 1:30 Woodcarving R-3	1:00 Whist & Euchre R 1:00 Ceramics R-7 1:00 Library LR 1:00 Woodshop R-10 1:00 Lapidary R-6 1:30 Aquacize R-O 7:00 Bridge R	1:00 Quilters R 1:00 Woodshop R-10 1:00 Lapidary R-6	1:00 Canasta R 1:00 Bridge R 1:00 Woodshop R-10 1:00 Lapidary R-6 1:30 Aquacize R-O 7:00 "500" R	7:00 Pinochle R

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Berg Will Instruct Line Dancing at Farnsworth

by Irene Nissen

Pat Berg will instruct residents and guests in line dancing on Tuesday evenings at Farnsworth Hall. She has been line dancing for over twenty years. "I love dancing and decided to take lessons. I'll be ready to use these steps for weddings, social dances and when I don't have a partner.... which is most of the time," stated Pat.

That's right, everyone. You don't need a partner to do line dancing and you have so much fun at the lessons and practicing your steps afterward at the open dance. It's a fun way to exercise and learn new steps. Come on everybody..... line up!!!!

Dakota Kid will be available November 12th for the open dance. T&B Productions will be playing music the other Tuesday nights in November for our dancing pleasure. The class is 6:00 to 7:00 PM with Open Dancing following until 9:00 PM. Cost is \$5.00 at the door.

Pie Ala Mode Social Serves 65 People

by Irene & Jackie (DVCC Office)

Sixty-five residents attended the pie social held on Thursday, October 10, 2013. Many people enjoyed themselves and said they definitely would come again. We had a raffle for prizes donated by Walgreens for those that attended.

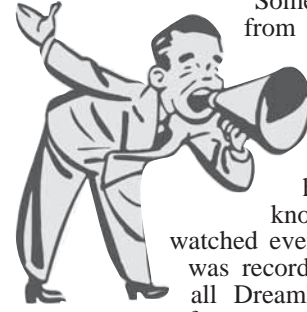


Our next social will not be until next year 2014 since so many other activities are planned for all of you. So we hope to see you at that time.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped us out at the ice cream and pie socials.

Posse Vacation Watch Needs Your Assistance

by Irene Nissen



Some residents will soon be returning from the cooler weather. We have vacation watches on file with a month but no return date or else left blank. There are residents not returning on the date they put down. The homeowner must feel at ease knowing his/her home is being watched even though it's past the date that was recorded. We would like to remind all Dreamland residents, upon returning from vacation, to call the Dreamland Villa Office and let the office know you are back. The Posse keeps watching your home until they have been notified by you or the office that you have returned. It just takes one phone call. Thank you and welcome back.

Revenue and Expenses				
Sunday, September 1, 2013 to Monday, September 30, 2013				
Dreamland Villa				
Cash Accounting Year Starts January 1, 2013				
	Current	Percent	Year To Date	Percent
INCOME				
Income				
4100 Annual Assessment	\$2,450.00	52.1	\$336,520.26	83.6
4220 Admission Fee-Member	\$550.00	11.7	\$16,350.00	4.1
4225 Transfer Fee Inc	\$375.00	8.0	\$7,375.00	1.8
4230 Legal Fee Recovery	\$17.08	0.4	\$17.08	0.0
4250 Commissions & Fees	\$33.80	0.7	\$596.92	0.1
4255 Interest Earned	\$0.00	0.0	\$0.74	0.0
4260 Investment Interest Inc	\$0.50	0.0	\$3.70	0.0
4305 Sprint Tower Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$8,208.00	2.0
4310 Facility Lease Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$11,150.00	2.8
4315 Rental Income	\$100.00	2.1	\$1,475.00	0.4
4400 Entertainment Income	\$90.00	1.9	\$14,095.98	3.5
4405 Kitchen Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$2,129.00	0.5
4415 Nature Walk Income	\$0.00	0.0	\$835.01	0.2
4500 Miscellaneous Income	\$1,090.00	23.2	\$3,574.48	0.9
Total Income	\$4,706.38	100.0	\$402,329.17	100.0
TOTAL INCOME				
	\$4,706.38	100.0	\$402,329.17	100.0
EXPENSES				
Expenses				
5005 Entertainment Expense	\$72.38	1.5	\$8,051.76	2.0
5018 Citizen Newspaper Exp	\$300.00	6.4	\$2,950.00	0.7
5025 Library Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$817.20	0.2
5100 Website Expense	\$150.00	3.2	\$150.00	0.0
5105 Accounting Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,520.47	0.4
5115 Bank Charges	\$0.00	0.0	\$183.50	0.0
5120 Vehicle Expense	\$70.52	1.5	\$818.79	0.2
5205 Office Supplies	\$586.19	12.5	\$3,989.26	1.0
5210 Postage	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,688.61	0.4
5215 Copy Machine Expense	\$237.98	5.1	\$2,178.88	0.5
5505 Pool Maint. & Supplies	\$1,658.72	35.2	\$8,741.50	2.2
5510 Other Maint & Supplies	\$1,591.02	33.8	\$15,175.10	3.8
5515 Kitchen Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,029.64	0.3
5600 Miscellaneous Expense	\$100.00	2.1	\$742.82	0.2
6105 Workmans Comp Ins	\$617.00	13.1	\$2,540.31	0.6
6110 General Insurance	\$2,034.58	43.2	\$20,513.65	5.1
6115 Licenses & Permits	\$0.00	0.0	\$1,585.00	0.4
6120 Trash Collection	\$1,092.62	23.2	\$5,220.28	1.3
6125 Legal Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$67.50	0.0
6150 Capital Proj Reserve Exp	\$0.00	0.0	\$20,130.49	5.0
6205 Telephone Expense	\$359.97	7.6	\$3,333.02	0.8
6210 Natural Gas Expense	\$522.56	11.1	\$31,764.29	7.9
6215 Electric	\$3,081.64	65.5	\$23,291.50	5.8
6220 Security Service	\$859.11	18.3	\$8,325.37	2.1
6225 Water & Sewer Expense	\$1,179.14	25.1	\$12,281.62	3.1
6235 Nature Walk Expense	\$0.00	0.0	\$2,242.46	0.6
6325 Property Taxes	\$23.64	0.5	\$23.64	0.0
6405 Salaries & Wages	\$10,562.65	224.4	\$10,381.93	2.6
6410 Payroll Taxes	\$889.32	18.9	\$9,298.83	2.3
6415 Payroll Processing	\$110.28	2.3	\$1,399.68	0.3
6505 Sales Tax Expense	\$1,062.46	22.6	\$1,062.46	0.3
Total Expenses	\$27,161.78	577.1	\$301,499.56	74.9
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$27,161.78	577.1	\$301,499.56	74.9
NET INCOME (LOSS)	(\$22,455.40)	477.1	\$100,829.61	25.1

Balance Sheet		
Monday, September 30, 2013		
Dreamland Villa		
Cash Accounting Year Starts January 1, 2013		
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
1010 National Bank of Arizona	\$108,693.31	
1011 Petty Cash	\$300.00	
1012 Change Fd-Entertain-Kit	\$400.00	
Total Current Assets	\$109,393.31	
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	(\$153,573.06)	
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	\$111,748.01	
Other Assets		
1202 Reserve MM1915	\$12,434.27	
Total Other Assets	\$12,434.27	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$233,575.59	
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities		
2150 Open Credits	(\$111.48)	
2204 Farnsworth Hall Reserve	\$1,052.50	
2206 Nature Walk	\$3,075.00	
2305 Johns Villa Rest Deposit	\$500.00	
2310 Maranatha Church Deposit	\$250.00	
2315 Facility Use Deposit	\$1,330.00	
2420 Restricted Donations -Lib	\$1,289.80	
Total Current Liabilities	\$7,385.82	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$7,385.82	
EQUITY		
3030 Retained Earnings	\$125,360.16	
Current Year Earnings	\$100,829.61	
TOTAL EQUITY	\$226,189.77	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$233,575.59	

Just Country

by Irene Nissen

Just Country will be playing at Farnsworth Hall on Wednesday, November 16 from 6:00 to 9:00 PM. J.W. Henderson lives in Dreamland Villa and is head of this five group band. The music is traditional country. Whether your pleasure is dancing or listening, come spend your evening with us. Tickets are \$5.00 at the door.

We Love Our Pets..... Butt!!!!

by Gordon Watson

I wanted to start out my article to grab your attention. The weather is cooling off and I see more and more people walking their dogs in the cool evening. This is good exercise for you and your dog. Butt, please pick up behind your dog. An Owner is responsible for immediate removal of any pet droppings. Please be considerate and respectful to your neighbors.



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