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Welcome to Dreamland Villa Social!

by Cyndy Munday

Hello! Welcome to all who have moved into our Community in the past few months. In addition to welcoming all newcomers, we want to assure you this is a friendly, clean, quiet community.

There is an Orientation Social meeting on Saturday, October 3 at 10:00 am. Of course, this is a new world and we don't really know what will happen in October, but for now, this is the plan.

The meeting will be informative and friendly. We encourage you to come and get familiar with your new community and the neighboring areas.

In the meantime, please visit our website at www.dreamlandvilla.org for a complete listing of activities and a little history of Dreamland Villa. There are a variety of activities at Farnsworth Hall open to all residents. Please take a moment to look over the website calendar. There are many links to aid in your search.

Dreamland Villa's amenities are available to all members, including three swimming pools, one of which is an Olympic-size pool and a spa at Farnsworth Hall. There is a lap pool, a therapy pool and a spa at the Read complex. We have Glass Fusing and Ceramics classes, a Computer Club, an Art department and a beautiful Wood Shop, just to name a few potential possibilities for your enjoyment.

We look forward to meeting you soon and hope you will not hesitate to call the office at 480-832-3461 with any questions you may have regarding Dreamland Villa. Again, we are glad you are here and genuinely hope you will come join us!



President's Message

by Johna Sharp, President

Welcome to the month of America's independence from England! July has always been a special month for me because of the 4th of July and it was also my father's birth month. He's been gone a few years now, but I still think of him often. And, I think

of our community often as well. With the changes that have come about because of the virus, we unfortunately don't have anything planned for the 4th of July for our community. I am saddened by this but would like to extend an invitation to all of you to have your own celebrations at home. Invite your neighbors over for a potluck BBQ. What better way to celebrate our country's independence and our freedoms?

These may be troubling times, but our country has survived so much more, and we have so much to be grateful for. We have the right to bear arms, freedom of speech, the right to vote, and the freedom to practice the religion of our choice. We can go to the grocery store and find food to purchase. We have running water. We have schools to learn and hospitals to heal. These may seem like simple things, but there are countries where people are starving to death and have no clean water to drink. Their lives are a struggle every single day.

Our forefathers fought for our independence and we too must continue that fight. Today's distractions are just that. Distractions. We will heal, mended by time. We will find our new normal and we will survive. My hope is that we will become a more kind and giving nation once we begin healing. But my hope starts with every community and needs to spread outward. So be kind to one another. Count your blessings, each day, as we are truly blessed.

Enjoy your holiday month, stay safe, keep cool, and God bless.

Dreamland Villa and Compliance with Maricopa County Rules

By Mary Newkirk

We've almost hit the middle of summer already, time flies even when we're staying at home more. Whether you're here in Dreamland or off to your summer escape, we hope you are enjoying your summer so far!

The Compliance Committee reminds you that even if you are away, you still must have arrangements to keep your home here in Dreamland tidy and kept up. We are seeing and hearing several complaints about weeds in yards. This time of year they dry out quickly and yards become ugly and unkept and even fire hazards. It's also a good indicator to criminals that either you are unable to take care of the yard or that you aren't at your home. The Maricopa Zoning Ordinance that applies is Section 1116. It states (paraphrased):

"You have committed a violation if you allow rubbish, junk, trash, WEEDS, filth debris or dilapidated buildings.... to remain upon property that you own or occupy, or upon sidewalks, streets or alleys contiguous to your property. Article 1116.2 states that it is also a violation to put any of the

above onto property which is not your own." This is especially pertinent to those who live along the Nature Trail, you are not welcome to dump your weeds and clippings onto the Nature Trail! The Maricopa County Abatement Ordinance No. 11 defines violating weeds as dried vegetation that is 6-inches or taller.

The 2020 monsoon season has begun, so weeds will pop up even in the heat of an Arizona summer. If you are unable to maintain your yard, please ask around for recommendations of landscaping people to hire from time to time. If you are away, we hope you already have made arrangements for this upkeep, if not, check in with the people you have watching your home and see if they can help find someone to do this service for you. The Dreamland Villa Office has a list of recommendations for several services, so give them a call, if need be.

Another prominent problem we have been aware of is the fact that people do not pick up the fruit from their citrus trees. The rotting fruit attracts rats...and rats multiply rapidly, infesting nearby homes. None of us wants that! PLEASE! If

you have citrus trees, be a responsible homeowner and make sure your fruit is always picked up and disposed of! This not only violates the above Section 1116 of the Maricopa code, it also violates the Environmental Health Code, Chapter 3, Regulation 1. If you are endangering your neighbors by ignoring the rotting fruit on your property, your neighbors may contact both of these Maricopa county agencies.

Finally, a reminder that Dreamland Villa does not have an HOA, so our organization cannot force any homeowner to comply with the rules we live by. However, Maricopa County does have ordinances and rules and will issue violations. It is always a good idea to file any complaints both with the Dreamland Villa Office and with Maricopa County Planning & Development Office. Contact information for them is www.maricopa.gov/planning for an online form or phone 602 506-3301. We always suggest being a good neighbor and discussing your complaint directly with the offender. If that doesn't work, use these resources to help keep Dreamland a safe, happy place to live!



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AROUND THE VILLA

Meet Jerry "Corky" Sarver

by Cyn Munday



Please meet, if you do not know him, a dear friend and dedicated volunteer to Dreamland Villa; Jerry "Corky" Sarver. I have had the pleasure of bowling with Corky for many years now on the Dreamland bowling league.

Corky's story begins many years before when he and his wife Millie Sue moved from Michigan to Dreamland in 1997. He had worked for General Motors and Millie Sue worked for the Ford Motor Company.

It did not take them long to get right in there volunteering and becoming a part of the community. Corky served three terms on the board of directors and worked very closely for at least 15 years in the Maintenance and upkeep of the facilities with Harry Cole and Brian Stanfil. Corky has a wealth of knowledge from those years of dedicated volunteering and I might add a memory like an elephant.

One fun fact – the green cactus on the walls in Farnsworth Hall were originally another color and did not have lights. Corky took them home, one by one and had them recovered green and added the lights. This was the sort of unsolicited help he

has always been known to do on his own.

A few years ago Millie Sue was very sick and Corky became a full-time care-giver. She lost her battle and Corky was so kind to have a brick made in her memory. It is in our Memory Brick Garden here at Dreamland. One day we will have a special brick made in his honor as one of those many who have given so much over the years.

A sincere thank you Corky and, to all the volunteers who step up so tirelessly to help. You are a great example to us all.







Corky and Millie Sue

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MEMORIES TO RECALL



by Cathy Jageler

What a caring & wonderful community we live in. Let's keep it this way forever.

Don Jageler at work, laying another important brick.





Memory Bricks

Cathy Jagler, Jim McKay & Andrea Hill

Our Memory Brick Garden is a wonderful way to honor those dear to you. We all have fun occasions we may want memorialized. What better way to show appreciation for your family and those special loved ones then to include them in our Memory Garden.



AROUND THE VILLA

SUMMER PROJECTS

by Cyn Munday

Our maintenance crew has been busy these past few months. They do not pat themselves on the back nor do we always know what they do to keep so busy. It's nice to be kept informed and updated. In the event you have not been around the complex lately, here are a few of the tasks the guys have completed. Keep in mind this is not a complete list of everything; just a list of a few things.

Painted Read Pool deck, painted yellow lines on both pool decks (Read &

FH), touched up paint on all pool block fences at both complexes. They have assisted with changing the filter sand at all Read pools, assisted with draining/ acid washing and refilling both pools and spa at Read. Painted and caulked below all windows at Farnsworth. They have painted lobby/ticket booth and inside west wall below sound area at Farnsworth hall. Faucet has been replaced in the Art Room. They have painted exterior Posse section. Touched up building and painted all trim at Library. Removed under window bookshelf at Library and moved it to Read Hall. They have painted yellow lines at all entrances to all areas. They have repainted benches at Read complex. A huge project for them was replacing a

section of counter and installing new sink and faucet in Lapidary. Another big project was stripping the floor in the Fused Glass/Ceramics room and

A big thank you to the whole maintenance department for keeping things going, sanitized and repaired. Yes, they have been busy but they have taken advantage of the time and used it well as evidenced by the partial list above. It's not always easy getting those little projects done but they are very much





The DVRC business office will be open from 8:00 am to noon on Wednesdays. The business phones will continue to be answered from 8:00 am until noon Mondays through Fridays.

If you visit the business office on Wednesdays, please wear a mask and practice social distancing. We will not be able to offer services like copying, faxing and Notary at this time. Many other activities are open. For an up-to-date list, check the website's calendar at dreamlandvilla.org.

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AROUND THE VILLA

Life Is Different-Change Is Good

By Alicia Short

It's been several months since we all were asked to hunker down and stay at home to be safe. It has provided a time when many of us have gotten some home projects done, maybe tried some new recipes, spent more time reading or pursuing a new hobby.

I suspect most of us have had the opportunity to learn more about our lives and what can be done to keep ourselves amused, grounded and sane. Life will change now. We will see jobs change, relationships change (hopefully for the better). We will see changes in our country and in the world. Changes that could be good or not depending on the choices people make.

Life styles will change, government, healthcare and the economy will change. More sophisticated and flexible use of technology is a very real potential change. We see a new kind of patriotism happening now. Recognition of doctors, nurses along with the changes in attitudes we saw for firemen, police and the military after 9/11 is a long overdue change. People are overlooking their differences in each other in numerous ways.

More people are turning to their faith and finding new ways to connect and support each other. Home schooling, doctor appointments and working from home may become more of a norm as parents and workers see that it is a more practical and efficient way to accomplish what is needed. More people are offering free lessons, free food, free entertainment and free goods to those in need.

Focus has increased on the need to support elders, people with disabilities and families in need of financial assistance and student loan forgiveness. More awareness for the need for better healthcare is one of the changes we see happening. We may see more changes in the way our Congressmen and Senators go about the business of taking care of our country. New election methods may change for the better.

One great change would be to see more parks and open spaces for people to visit, get outdoors and see relief from home-bound requirements. Social distancing and mask wearing will probably be a change for some time. But we as Americans have historically proven we can meet the challenge. Change is good.

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Would You Like To Sell Your Crafted Items?



By Lu Wald

As we are all hoping that we can have somewhat of a normal life six months from now, we are still crossing our fingers in hopes that we can proceed with the 60th Anniversary Celebration the last week in January, 2021.

With that in mind, please note that the Singles Club will be hosting a Craft Show and Sale on January 29th, 2021. So, if you've always wanted to sell fused glass items, quilts, ceramic pieces, paintings or wood carvings, or any other creation, here is your chance.

Even if you may only have a few special items and cannot fill a booth, we can combine artisans. Since many of us crafters now have all this time on our hands, let us spend it creating things that we can sell at a craft show.

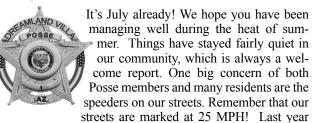
Think about "repurposing or upcycling" items, it will be good for the soul and enable us to bring in a few dollars.

Anyone interested in reserving a booth to sell any type of crafted items, please contact the Dreamland Singles Club at singles@dreamlandvilla.org or call 701-527-0146. The cost per booth will be \$10 and will be limited to residents living in Dreamland; no outside vendors will be accepted. The tentative time schedule is 9:00 to 3:00; however, it is not definite.

Please contact us as soon as possible as we need to know if we have enough interest in this type of endeavor.

Posse Corner

By Mary Newkirk



when the deputies did a concentrated effort to stop speeders, they found that in most cases, they were Dreamland residents. Please remember to slow down and watch for people backing out of driveways, pedestrians and bicyclists on our streets.

A couple of reminders: The Posse office is not staffed. In most cases, the Dreamland Villa office would be the best place to ask questions or leave information for the Posse. We do have a phone number, 480 654-2227 for messages

and an email address, dreamlandvillaposse@gmail.com for communicating directly to the Posse.

We would like to recognize the neighbors here who are working to keep our neighborhoods safe! Those who keep keys and watch out for properties while the owners are away for the summer; those who park their second vehicle in their neighbors' carport or driveway while they are away; the mail carriers and others who pick up fliers and things from driveways of those who have left... all of you are providing a great service! We should all be watching out for things that are out of the ordinary, people who are hanging around who normally don't, etc. Don't hesitate to call the sheriff's nonemergency number if you see something out of the ordinary! Let's all help keep our neighborhood safe!

And finally, a big THANK YOU! Our fund drive for 2020 has been very successful. Because of your generosity, we are able to continue being out on Dreamland's streets. We appreciate your support, both financially and in your kinds words. We take our role seriously and with your support can continue to be eyes and ears out on our streets. Thank you!

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HELP SERVICES

Our friends from Help Services have asked us to pass on this information:

Policies and Procedure for Clients Implementation of COVID-19 Precautions – Effective June 1, 2020

- 1. Until further notice, Help Services' will resume its regular operating hours of Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00 am to noon.
- 2. Blood Pressure Services will be suspended until further notice.
- 3. Face masks are to be worn by all clients. A monitor will provide one for you if you do not have one of your own.
- 4. Clients must adhere to the 6-foot separation requirement and, in addition, stay behind the blue tape on the floor in front of the desk.
- 5. The donation box will be placed on the white memorial table located on the client side of the blue tape line. We appreciate your donation.
- Due to the COVID-19, clients may not use the restroom facility at Help Services.

BOOK SALE

Dreamland Villa Library Building • 5502 E Butte off of 55th Place

By Donna Hopp

The Book Sale will continue but no date has been set yet. It will not open before October. If at any time this information changes it will be printed in the monthly Citizen. I hope all are well and staying safe. Hope to see you in the fall. Enjoy your summer. Thank you for your patience.



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FROM THE BOARD

Dreamland Villa Retirement Community Board of Directors

May 20, 2020 6:30pm. Special Board Meeting Minutes Approved May 22, 2020

Welcome: Johna Sharp, President

Pledge of Allegiance Call to Order: Johna Sharp, President 6:30pm

Roll Call: Kathie Chismar, Secretary. Present were Kathie Wissinger, Larry Thoma, Earl Munday, Johna Sharp, Dan Hampton, Aggie Forsyth and Kathie Chismar. A quorum was

present

Report Results of the February 11, 2020 Director Election: Jill Holleque, Nominating Committee Co-Chair, read the results of the election held on February 11, 2020. Allees Cohrt, Sandra Eiker, and Johna Sharp were elected to the three open seats. The fourth candidate was Ward Jennings.

Johna thanked Aggie Forsyth and Kathie Wissinger for their service and Allees and Sandra took their seats at the Directors' table.

Nominations for President: Earl Munday nominated Johna Sharp as President. The nomination was seconded. Johna was elected unanimously. Dan Hampton nominated Earl Munday for Vice President. The nomination was seconded. Earl was elected unanimously. Earl Munday nominated Kathie Chismar for Secretary. The nomination was seconded. Kathie was elected unanimously. Kathie Chismar nominated Dan Hampton for Treasurer. The nomination was seconded. Dan was elected unanimously.

Installation of Newly Elected Directors and Officer: Jill Holleque swore in Johna Sharp as President. Johna Sharp swore in the new Directors, Allees Cohrt and Sandra Eiker. Since there were no changes to the remaining Officer positions, they were not swore in again.

Ratification of Minutes: Kathie Chismar made a motion to approval of the March 10, 2020 Board Meeting Minutes. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

March - April 2020 Treasurer's Report: Dan Hampton,

Treasurer. The full report is posted on the bulletin board outside the office. Members may request a copy of the report from the office.

Administrative Services Report: Jack Babb, Administrative Services Manager. Jack reported we have 1769 members including 65 members that paid the Initial Membership Fee. A copy of his report is available in the office.

Standing Committee Reports: Copies of reports, if available, are on file in the office.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

Financials:

Report of 2019 Annual Audit: Earl made a motion to approve the 2019 Annual Audit Report. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Budget Adjustments: Dan reported that no adjustments are needed at this time.

General:

Reopening Plan: Johna proposed that we open the pools on May 23, 2020. Please read and observe the rules that are posted on the signage at the pool and on the Dreamland website. Aquacise will not resume at this time.

Earl made a motion to open the pools with regular hours on Saturday, May 23 with posted signs. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Outdoor activities, Fused Glass, Ceramics, Lapidary, the Wood Shop, Computer Room and Art Room can open on May 25 as determined by the monitors of those activities. Read Hall, the Exercise room, Pool tables, and multipurpose rooms will remain closed. Potlucks and the coffee social will not resume at this time. Anyone attending open activities must use the pool bathroom facilities, as the Halls will remain closed.

Patty Thorpe announced that Help Services will open on June 1 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9am until 12 noon, with restrictions. Masks are required. You can call

Patty Thorpe, Lou Hoosier or Mike Miller for more information. Their phone number is on the door at Help Services.

DVRC office staff is working from home. Call ahead for an appointment if you need to go into the office.

Earl made a motion to open limited indoor activities with restrictions effective May 25. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously. The Poker room and all card playing activities are to remain closed until further notice.

Library Book sale: The book sale is postponed until further notice.

Committees:

Space reallocation: Johna stated that we will need a committee to determine the future use for the Library building. If anyone is interested in serving on this committee, please contact the office or email the President.

Farnsworth Hall:

Sound System: Three bids were presented for improvements to the sound system in Farnsworth Hall. The improvements are needed to upgrade the antiquated system and increase revenue from future rentals. Earl made a motion to approve up to \$19,000 for the sound system and electrical work for Farnsworth Hall. The motion was seconded and passed with six in favor and one abstention.

Overhead Projector: An updated overhead projector is needed for our annual meeting and would be an asset for future rentals. Johna made a motion to approve purchase of an overhead projector up to \$4000 for Farnsworth Hall. The motion was seconded and passed with six in favor and one abstention.

Fire Suppression System: Rural Fire presented a bid to repair the Fire Suppression System at Farnsworth Hall. Larry will research the situation to determine what is really needed to meet code standards.

Adjournment: 8:39 pm

Open Forum: No open forum comments.

DREAMLAND VILLA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY FINANCIAL STATUS REPORT May, 2020

2020 Operating Expense Budget	
Income	\$445,000
Expense	\$436,275

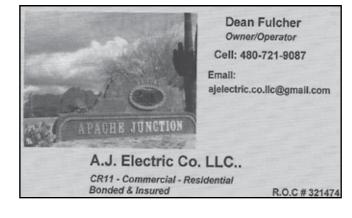
Income (Year to Date)					
Budget	\$371,184				
Actual	\$370,821				
Amt over/under	-\$363				
Operating Expenses (Year to Date)					
Budget	\$212,550				
Actual	\$198,516				
Amt over/under	-\$14,034				
Net Budget Under	-\$13,671.00				

2020 Financial Position Current Status	
Cash	\$227,928
Capital Reserve	\$179,182

Capital Expense Budget (Year to Date)					
	Budget	Actual			
New Truck	\$12,000				
Pool Heater	\$12,000				
AC Units	\$12,000				
Farnsworth Hall Improvements	\$10,000				
Total	\$46,000	\$0			

Major Items Over/Under Budget					
Dues	Under	-\$7,516	Fac. Equip Exp	Under	\$2,409
Entertainment Income	Over	\$4,135	Other Maint. Exp	Under	\$3,804
Entertainment Expense	Under	\$5,907	Salaries/Wages	Over	\$3,223

Status	Status of Restricted Fund (Deferred Liability) Accounts					
	Beg. of Mo.	Income	Expense	End of Mo.		
55+ Fee Restricted Fund	\$4,260	\$450	\$46	\$4,664		
Next Years Dues (moved to 2020 Dues Income in January)	\$0			\$0		
Facility Use Deposit	\$4,037			\$4,037		
Kitchen Reserve	\$9,511	\$58		\$9,569		
Nature Walk Reserve	\$858			\$858		
Library Reserve	\$2,386			\$2,386		
Block Watch Reserve	\$205			\$205		
Woodshop Reserve	\$367			\$367		
Pickleball Reserve	\$414			\$414		
Memory Brick Reserve	\$907			\$907		
Fundraiser Reserve	\$7,990		\$198	\$7,792		
Bocce Ball Reserve	\$548			\$548		
Insurance Reimbursement	\$0			\$0		
Maranatha Church Deposit	\$250			\$250		
Misc Restricted Donations	\$0			\$0		
TOTAL DEFERRED LIABILITIES				\$31,998		





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JULY WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

DAILY EVENTS	MONDAY AM	TUESDAY AM	WEDNESDAY AM	THURSDAY AM	FRIDAY AM	SATURDAY AM
	Woodshop 9:00 - 11:45 R-1 Help Services 9:00 - Noon H Fused Glass 9:30 - Noon R	Woodshop 9:00 - 11:45 R-10	Woodshop	Lapidary 8:00 - 11:30 R-6 Woodshop 9:00 - 11:45 R-10	Help Services 9:00 - Noon HS	Q/A Computer Club 9:00 - 10:00 R-9
	MONDAY PM	TUESDAY PM	WEDNESDAY PM	THURSDAY PM	FRIDAY PM	SATURDAY PM
	Fused Glass 1:00 - 3:00 R-7		Fused Glass 1:00-3:00 R-7			

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CLUBS

A Message to Our Singles Club Members

By Lu Wald, President

Hopefully, you are all still doing well. Some of you headed back up north much later than usual, not knowing when you will find it safe to return. And we miss you already!

We held a quick meeting on June 10th with 11 members present. The Maintenance crew did such an amazing job of setting up for us. At this meeting we discussed what events were cancelled since the lock-down and how it will affect us. For the majority of the events, such as Hale Theater tickets, we will have a credit that we will apply to the next season, if they're able to open.

Some of the members present did feel it is safe to go out for a meal together, but only at certain places that assure the best protection for us. Members will be called when that determination is made. There will be no Casino trips for a while yet. And finally, because of the excessive work for our Maintenance people and given their limited staff, as well as the increase in COVID cases and deaths, we will not have any meetings until September, but only if the Board approves. We do have e-mail addresses for many members, so please note that contact may be made via an e-mail message, so please, check your e-mail.

Have a great summer, everyone, and stay safe!

FUSED GLASS CLASS

by Cyndy Munday

Our class is back and we are there for you. Please know that while Dave and Katie are gone for the summer months we are still open twice a week. We are open on Monday and Wednesday from 9:30 am to noon and from 1:00 until 3:00 pm.

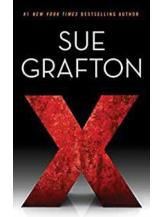
Rod and Patti Hanks and I are willing to work with anyone who would like to learn this art. It's fairly easy in that you do not need any tools and there is no charge for the class. Only expense is any glass that you purchase for a project and a small fusing fee depending on size of project.

We do social distancing as much as possible and since we do have our own kilns there is no need to take projects off premises for firing. We are a friendly group and welcome anyone who wants to come join us. We do have a sampling of our projects in the windows for you to see and you are always welcome to just come and observe.









Book Review: X by Sue Grafton

By Anita Thompson

Kinsey Milhoun is a private detective. This is an interesting book with all kinds of plots and surprises. The betrayed spouse of a wealthy businessman is out for revenge. There is a newly ensconced elderly couple in the house next door to Kinsey, who turn out to be not good neighbors at all.

There is this banker's box that holds a recently murdered private investigator's files. Kinsey had thought he was pretty worthless, but it turns out he was a good guy and was try-

ing to track down suspicious murders and disappearances all linked to one man. He has left a code or cipher that when broken lists the names of six women. Kinsey tracks them down and becomes suspicious for many reasons.

Kinsey gets conned into helping the betrayed spouse steal valuable paintings for the betrayed spouse. She works this all out and solves all the cases in an interesting way. Sue Grafton has written a lot of books but my neighbor who recommended this one, told me this is best. It was a good read.

Computer Club

Kay Hawbaker continues to do the Saturday Q&A meetings at 9:00 am using the Zoom App. Usually there is someone to assist you with questions about computer issues. If we don't have the answer, we will find an answer to bring the following week.

The Saturday morning Computer Club meeting has been a special session which has been going on for a long time. It is also a time to share an experience which will be helpful to others. There is

something for the beginner and something for the more advanced computer user.

This is the only Computer Club activity during the long hot summer, so join us to keep up with community adventures and conversation even if you have computer issues. My name is in the DVRC phonebook and I can send a Zoom

invitation by email on Saturday morning.





CLUBS / SPORTS EVENTS



Dreamland Villa Quilting Club

by Becky Lamson

Our members continue to make quilts even though we haven't met since the second week of March. Our photo is of one of the four quilt tops Ellen Hedley turned in for quilting before she left to go to Iowa for the summer.

Our meetings are still on hold by the Dreamland Board.

When we are allowed to meet, if before October, we meet on the second and fourth Thursday afternoons at 1:00 to 3:00 pm at Read Hall. We will remain on this schedule through September. We will have quilt tops to piece or binding to sew. You are always welcome to bring a project of your own to work at our meetings.

New and prospective members are always welcome. If you desire, bring along an item for show and tell.

If you have quilt club questions, contact Becky Lamson at 480-202-7003,

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WET PAINT

by Alicia Short

Summer... not much news for the art department at this time. Most all our students are away at their summer homes and enjoying cooler weather rather than our 100+ degree sunshine. But those of us who stay here have learned to adjust... stay out of the heat... go on vacations to cooler climates or be "holed up" in our home. I'm sure we are more than ready for that to end.

I have stayed busy... getting a new home studio set up in our Tuff Shed, also doing a large painting for my grandson and his bride to be for their new home. And Glynn and I are working on putting together a short instruction video of painting with watercolor. It's been a big learning curve getting to know how to do the video and the editing.

At this time, we are planning the following fall classes, which will all be taught in November. If the schedule changes we will let you know.

Monday afternoons-Portraits by Ila Wandtke

Tuesday afternoons -Any Media by Alicia

Wednesday mornings – Any Media with a primary focus on helping students with watercolors by Alicia.

Contact me with any questions at artroom@dreamlandvilla.org. The November/December classes will only be six weeks and will be \$30. To participate in the classes you must be a DVCC dues paid member.



Dreamland Villa Ladies Golf League

By Kay Hawbaker

If you enjoy playing golf and are looking for other women who also enjoy getting together to be outside, enjoying fresh air and fellowship, please look no further, The Dreamland Villa Ladies Golf League is eager to welcome you. We play at the Royal Palms Golf Course located on McKellips just east of Stapley.

The first play of the Fall season will be at 12:16 PM on Thursday, the 5th of November. Check the October Citizen for more current details.

During the summer, Dreamland League players get a discount on green fees at Royal Palms Golf Course. Some of the league players get out early to still play through out the summer

Dreamland Tuesday Bowling League

By Cyn Munday

Please be advised that the summer bowling is still on hold as this article goes to print. As soon as the bowling alley opens again and we have guidelines, we will resume our sport.

It's so hot and dry here

during the summer months and bowling has been a great sport to enjoy in the cool indoors.

We will keep you advised and would love to have you join us as soon as we can go bowling again. For more information please call Darlene 480-330-7640.





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