

The
West

Villager

The Pulse of Our Residents



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New Odyssey

3 Men & 30 Instruments

Their musicianship is spectacular; their vocal harmonies are astounding; and their comedy is hysterical. You have to see it to believe it. How can three guys be so proficient on so many instruments? An audience favorite is Gary's dead-on impression of Tina Turner in full makeup and costuming. This is one of the most versatile and high-energy show groups in the nation. Hold onto your hats folks, this group will leave you wanting more!

Join us on Friday, March 13 at 7:00 pm in the Auditorium. Tickets for general admission are \$9.00 and will go on sale on Monday, March 2.

Thank You!

The RCW Activity Staff would like to express our thanks to all the volunteers who donate their time and expertise in helping to create a fantastic recreation program. Everyone does some specific job, some small, some large. Some volunteers work in the limelight and some work behind the scenes. No matter what job you volunteer to do, you are very appreciated.

Doreen, Betty & Ken

Jimmy Travis

Comedian, Singer & Guitarist

Travis is an outstanding, clean comedian, terrific singer, clever songwriter and skilled musician.

How does Jimmy Travis see the world in 2009? Don't expect any normal conversation from this master of humor!

He has appeared in concert with many major country music stars and recently completed an extended run at the Charley Pride Theater in Branson, MO. One guy, one guitar and a million laughs.

Jimmy will appear in Rincon Country West as one of our National Artist Series Performances on Friday, March 27 at 7:00 pm in the Auditorium.

This is will his second time at RCW so I know you will love him. Tickets go on sale on Monday, March 2 in the Activity Office. Tickets for general admission are \$9.00.



Sunday, March 1

1:00 pm **50th Golden Wedding Anniversary**

Place: Auditorium

Cost: \$3.00



5:00 pm **Solo's Social**

Place: Recreation Hall

See Solo's bulletin board in the Coffee Room. Information is also in the article in this Villager.

Monday, March 2

4:30 pm **Genealogy Potluck**

Place: Rally Room

See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

Tuesday, March 3

2:00 pm **"Q" Street Potluck**

Place: Rally Room

See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

6:15 pm Doors open

7:00 pm **Bingo**

Place: Auditorium

Wednesday, March 4

5:00 pm **"S" Street Potluck**

Place: Rally Room

See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

Thursday March 5

4:30 pm **Shuffleboard Potluck**

Place: Rally Room

See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

6:00 pm **Hand & Foot Tournament**

See written article in this newsletter for more information.

Friday, March 6

9:00 am **Coffee by Freedom RV**

Bring your own cup

Meet in the Auditorium



4:00 pm **New York, Pennsylvania, Kentucky and the New England States Potluck.**

Place: Rally Room

See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

7:00 pm Playcrafters Presents:

"Egad The Woman in White"

Place: Auditorium

Tickets: \$5.00



Saturday, March 7

10:00 am **Tucson Garden Railroad Tour.**

See article in this newsletter for ticket information.

Stop by the tracks, our trains will be running.

7:00 pm **Playcrafters Present:**

"Egad The Woman in White"

Place: Auditorium

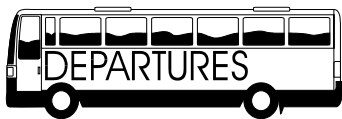
Cost: \$5.00



Sunday, March 8

10:00 pm **Tucson Garden Railroad Tour.**
See article in this newsletter for ticket information.
Stop by the tracks, our trains will be running.

4:00 pm **Wine Tasting**
Tickets: \$3.50
Bring: 2 Wine glasses each and munchies
Place: Recreation Hall



Monday, March 9

8:00 am Bus leaves RCW parking lot for "**Rocky Point, Mexico.**"
Bring: Your Passport, bottled water or other beverage for the trip and snacks.

4:30 pm **Hikers Potluck**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

Tuesday, March 10

11:30 am **Ladies Luncheon**
Place: My Big Fat Greek Restaurant
Ticket: \$19.00
Includes: Lunch, beverage, tax and tip.

See written article in this Villager for details.

4:00 pm "**F**" **Street Potluck**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

6:15 pm Doors open
7:00 pm **Bingo**
Place: Auditorium

Wednesday, March 11

9:00 am "**Live More - Hurt Less**" **Health Seminar**
By: Pratt Chiropractic
Place: Rec. Hall
Tickets: Complimentary

4:00 pm **Garden Railroad Club**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

Thursday March 12

4:30 pm "**O**" **Street**" **Potluck**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

6:00 pm **Ice Cream Social**
Place: Auditorium
Serving: Hot Fudge Sundaes - \$3.00
Bring: Your own bowl and spoon



7:00 pm **FREE Concert** by "**The Southwest Mens Chorus**" of Mt. Zion Church.

Friday, March 13

9:00 am **Coffee by La Mesa RV**
Bring your own cup
Meet in the Auditorium



7:00 pm "**New Odyssey Show**" the fifth show of our Entertainment Series.

General admission (not reserved) \$9.00
Place: Auditorium

Saturday, March 14

7:00 - 9:00 am **Pancake Breakfast**
Cooked and served by The Wood Shop
Bring your own service.
Advance Tickets: \$2.50
\$3.00 at the door

4:00 pm **Men's Golf Event**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

7:00 pm **U. of A. "Encore" Presents:** A musical revue salute to the American legend Irving Berlin
Place: Auditorium
Tickets: \$5.50

Sunday, March 15

5:00 pm **Solo's Pot Luck**
See Villager article for details.

Monday, March 16

5:00 pm **"K" Street Potluck**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

Tuesday, March 17

7:00 pm **St. Patrick's Day Dance with "Pacific Breeze Band"**
Place: Auditorium
Bring your own beverage and snacks
Cost: \$6.00

See written article on for details.

Sorry - **NO Bingo**

Wednesday, March 18

9:00 am **"Nutrition - For the Health of It" Seminar**
Brought to you by Wanda Amey and The RCW Nurses Group.
Place: Recreation Hall
Cost: Complimentary ticket
For more information see the written article in this newsletter.

11:30 pm **Bowling Banquet Potluck**
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

Thursday, March 19

6:15 pm Doors open
7:00 pm Gaslight Theatre presents:
The Ballad of Two Gun McGraw or "Just Horsin' Around"
Tickets: \$15.50

Friday, March 20

9:00 am **Coffee by Merrill Lynch**
Speaker: Melissa White
Bring your own cup
Meet in the Auditorium

7:00 pm **The Villageaires Present: "Suddenly It's Spring" Concert**
Place: Auditorium
Tickets: \$5.00



Saturday, March 21

8:00 am **Parking Lot Sale, Craft Sale and Bake Sale**

See article in this newsletter

12:00 Noon **Bus leaves for Hale Theatre**
"The King and I"
Tickets: \$47.00

7:00 pm **The Villageaires Present:**
"Suddenly It's Spring" Concert
Place: Auditorium
Tickets: \$5.00



Sunday, March 22

1:00 pm "Villageaires" Potluck
Place: Rally Room
See sign up sheet in Coffee Room for information.

4:00 pm **Wine Tasting**
Tickets: \$3.50
Bring: 2 Wine glasses each and munchies
Place: Recreation Hall

Tuesday, March 24

6:15 pm Doors open
7:00 pm **Bingo**
Place: Auditorium

Wednesday, March 25

10:30 am **Merrill Lynch Seminar**
Speaker: Melissa White
Place: Rec. Hall
Tickets: Complimentary

Thursday, March 26

6:00 pm **Strawberry Shortcake**
Prepared by: The Digital Imaging Club
Cost: \$3.00
Place: Recreation Hall

7:00 pm **FREE Concert by Fletcher Music Center**
Place: Auditorium
Just stop in and enjoy!

Friday, March 27

9:00 am **Coffee by Tucson Chrysler Jeep**
Speaker: Keith Reinhart
Bring your own cup
Meet in the Auditorium

7:00 pm "Jimmy Travis Show" the last show of our Entertainment Series.

General admission (not reserved) \$9.00
Place: Auditorium

Saturday, March 28

7:00 - 9:00 am **Pancake Breakfast**
Cooked and served by The Wood Shop
Bring your own service.
Advance Tickets: \$2.50
\$3.00 at the door

7:00 pm **Line Dance Party**
Host: Carol Bandy
Cost at door: \$5.00 at door
Place: Auditorium



Tuesday, March 31

6:15 pm Doors open
7:00 pm **Bingo**
Place: Auditorium

50th Wedding Anniversary



A reception honoring those celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary sometime in 2008 will be held Sunday, March 1 at 1:00 pm. Please join us for cake and punch and help us celebrate this big event!

If you have never celebrated your 50th Anniversary with us, please sign up in the Activity Office.

Do you have wedding pictures available? Bring them along to share with us. Tickets are \$3.00 so come celebrate with your friends.

Bus Trip to Rocky Point, Mexico

**March 9th, 10th and 11th
3 days, 2 nights**

Price includes:
Room and tax,
Bus,
Welcome Margarita,
2 Buffet Breakfast per person,
Shopping at the Fish Market,
Driving tour of the Sandy Beach Resorts,
gratuities included for Bell Boys, Drivers and Escorts,
Farewell Dinner (on your own, and at your own expense) at a beautiful restaurant.

\$269. per person (for double occupancy)
\$359. per person (for single occupancy)

Bus leaves RCW parking lot at 8:00 am

Passport Required

Playcrafters

Present: "Egad - The Woman in White"
Dates: Friday, March 6
Saturday, March 7
Place: Auditorium
Tickets: \$5.00

Villageaires

Presents: "Suddenly It's Spring"
Dates: Friday, March 20
Saturday, March 21
Place: Auditorium
Tickets: \$5.00



St. Patrick Dance

Erin Go Bragh!!!

Shamrocks and Shillelaghs! On St. Patrick's Day – everyone wants to be Irish! Put on your green and join us in the Auditorium, Tuesday, March 17 at 7:00 pm for the St. Patrick's Day Dance.

Pacific Breeze will be playing all your favorites this year. This duo is full of fun and energy and will supply you with an evening of pure enjoyment. Both Ty and Nonoy sing and play the keyboard.

They have a large array of music including old classics like New York New York, some 60's music, some country, a few disco songs and much more. The large variety of music in their repertoire will ensure you a great evening for your listening and dancing pleasure.

Join us in the Auditorium at 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$5.50 and are available in the Activity Office or Friday coffee. Bring Your Own Beverage and snacks.

Ladies Luncheon

Our March luncheon will be held at My Big Fat Greek Restaurant, 95 W. River Rd, Tuesday, March 10 at 11:30 am.

They have given us a great menu to choose from: Vegetarian Mousaka, Marinated Chicken, Stuffed Peppers, Pastitsio, Mousaka, Fresh Salmon, Braised Lamb, Fresh Halibut (Mediterranean or pesto)

All include lemon roasted potatoes and Vegetables. Price is \$19.00 and includes desert, beverage, tax and gratuity. Tickets on sale until 12:00 Monday, March 9th.

Please inform Nancy or Barb if you need a ride.
Nancy - 741-8420 or Barb - 573-1982

Hot Fudge Sundaes

Date: Thursday, March 12
Time: 6:00 pm
Place: Rec. Hall
Tickets: \$3.00

7:00 pm **Free Concert by Southwest Mens Chorus of Mt. Zion Church**

Strawberry Shortcake

Date: March 26, 2009
Time: 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm
Place: Recreation Hall

Cost: \$3.00

Homemade Shortcake, Strawberries, Fresh Whipping Cream

Sponsored By Digital Imaging Club

7:00 pm Enjoy a FREE Concert by Fletchers Music Center

Thank You

The **Lapidary and Silversmithing Club** donated two new 100 cup coffee pots for everyone's use in the Kitchen. Thank you so much!

The **Cheerleaders** showed their generosity by donating two additional 100 cup coffee pots. Thank you Cheerleaders!

Rounding things out, the **Activity Office** also purchased two 100 cup coffee pots.

So, there is no reason not to join us at Friday coffees.

Doreen



U. of A. Encore

Encore 2009 stars the Musical Theatre Class of 2012 who continue a twenty-eight year tradition of musical theatre touring and outreach programs.

Join these talented young performers in an irresistible and joyous celebration of the timeless theatre music of Cole Porter.

Anything Goes is a musical tribute to the life and career of Cole Porter. His brilliant use of wit and humor through playful lyrics and music makes him unparalleled by any other. He lived his life with style and energy, which is apparent in his subtle, lively and sometimes silly creations. Devised and written by Richard T. Hanson and directed by Betsy Kruse-Craig, this performance will include such classic songs as Let's Fall In Love, You've Got That Thing, You're The Top, Friendship, and Anything Goes.

Join us in the Auditorium at 7:00 pm on March 14 and be enchanted by these brilliant young students.

Tickets are \$5.50.

Health Seminar

“Nutrition - For the Health of It”

Presented by:
Wanda Amey RN
&
The Rincon Country Nurses Group

Healthy Eating contributes to a healthy body weight, reduces our risk of developing disease and is necessary for growth. This light-hearted presentation will provide participants with a basic overview of the components of a healthy diet. Participants will learn how we can make an impact on our health for years to come. Each person will rate their personal diet, so be sure to bring a pencil and a piece of paper. Pick up your complimentary tickets in the Activity Office.

Wednesday, March 18 from 9:00 to 10:30 am
Recreation Hall



Gaslight Theatre

“The Ballad of Two Gun McGraw”
or
“Just Horsin’ Around”

Times are hard for the good folks in the frontier town of San Pecos, Texas. It seems no one can stop the local cattle rustlers and crooked officials. Until one man with his six shooters at his hip and guitar on his back rides into town on his trusty horse, Ranger, and vows to clean up the town. That man of action is none other than Two-Gun McGraw, a routin’ tootin’ singin’ cowboy who faces down desperados when he is not wooing the ladies with a song. Saddle up for musical western adventure as The Gaslight Theatre presents “The Ballad of Two Gun McGraw” or “Just Horsin’ Around”.

Meet us at the Gaslight Theatre on Thursday, March 19 for the evening show. Doors open at 6:15 and the performance starts at 7:00 pm sharp. Sign up in the Activity Office. Tickets are \$15.50.

Parking Lot Sale & Craft Sale

Go through the house! Clean out your shed! Here’s a chance to sell treasures you don’t need any more, but someone else would love to have. A **PARKING LOT SALE** and **CRAFT SALE** is scheduled for Saturday, March 21, at 8:00 am. If you still have crafts left that didn’t get sold at the last craft sale, here is your chance to sell more items.

Tables are available to use but you must put them away after the sale.

The last sale had some great stuff. Let’s have lots of sellers and buyers!

Playcrafters Present

EGAD, THE WOMAN IN WHITE

By Tim Kelly

Friday, March 6 and Saturday, March 7 the Playcrafters present an old-fashioned melodrama that has only one purpose – **LAUGHTER**.

After weeks of rehearsal, the cast is prepared to reveal to you: Suffering unabated! Human frailty revealed! It features one of the most disreputable (and hilarious) villains of all times, Sir Percival Glyde, a man who cannot be trusted by any beast, or any man, woman or child. As the good guys struggle to bring the dastardly villain to justice, Percy enlists the Countess to aid him in his dirty tricks. Who is the mysterious woman in white? How does Queen Victoria, with her attendant, Miss Peach, fit into this late 19th century melodrama? Friday, March 6, 2009, 7:00 PM, and Saturday, March 7, 2009, 7:00 PM in the auditorium, we look forward to providing you with a wildly amusing good time! Do come to participate in the booing and hissing of the villain and to cheer on the hero, heroine and their friends (?).

Joy Fehrenz, Director

Solos

The Solos welcome all singles in the park whether never married, divorced, widowed, separated or by some other means not living with their spouse.

March 1 Social at 5:00 pm in Rec. Hall
Bring snacks to share and BYOS.
Coffee/Tea will be available.
Sign up sheet in the Coffee Room

March 15 Potluck at 5:00 pm in the Rec Hall
BYOS
Coffee/Tea will be available.
Election of Officers will take place.

Several activities are coming up which will require membership and you must be signed up on the Solo's bulletin board in the Coffee Room.

The annual club luncheon will be held at Golden Coral. Watch for the Date in the Coffee Room, Members will be at a Discount rate. Other guest's will be at the prevailing rate. Sign up is absolutely required.

No discounts will be given at the door.

Carl Stubbington, Lot 512
889-5089



Lapidary Silversmithing

“Thank You”

The Lapidary Silversmithing Club would like to thank the many attendees who made our Chili Dinner a big success. Thanks also to the donors of the many door prizes and to Clara Harold for the excellent photography of the prizes. The donors have appreciated the many thank you notes from the winners.

Wine Tasting

It's March already! Where did the winter go? Luckily there are still wines to taste even as the days and evenings warm up. The tastings will be on the Sundays, March 8th and 22nd, at 4:00 pm in the Rec Room. Just bring your ticket (still \$3.50), some snacks to share, 2 glasses per person and we will look for new wines to love together.

Judy Fried 294-2879

Live More & Hurt Less

Critical answers to your back pain questions. PLUS, the top 5 most important things they don't want you to know.

Suffering with back pain is no way to live. It's a slow excruciating downward spiral that robs you of your joy of life.

Every day activities of just standing, sitting or walking can turn into an ordeal. Getting in and out of the car or just riding in the car can be torturous. Meanwhile, the pain just seems to get worse.

How much longer can you continue to desperately try to eliminate the pain? Have you tried physical therapy, drugs or even chiropractic with little or no relief? Have you been told surgery is the only answer? Do you worry about the long-term damage to your spine and nervous system?

Join us for some important information on Wednesday, March 11 at 9:00 am in the Rec. Hall. Please pick up your complimentary ticket.

***Every person who attends will receive an offer for a FREE Back-Pain Evaluation that's only being made available to Rincon Country West Residents.

Kim Pratt
Wellness Chiropractic Center

Hand & Foot Tournament

We were able to obtain the Rec Room for one more tournament—this will be the LAST one of the season. It will be held on Thursday, March 5.

The sign up sheet will be posted in the Coffee Room and as in the last two tournaments, partners will be drawn. The entry fee is \$5 per person and all monies will be distributed to the top FIVE scorers. Please arrive early as we will begin PROMPTLY at 6:00 pm as all games will be timed. If you would like to learn the game, stop by the Card Room most evenings and someone will help you. Rules are located in an envelope in the blue topped box.

You can also go to Classroom I on Thursday afternoons and can learn to play then.

Call Sharron Overman at 520-573-3658 or Judi Reed at 520-889-5999 if you have any further questions.

Colorado Summer Lunch

Plan to attend the Rincon Country West luncheon reunion for anyone with connections to Colorado. It will be held on Monday, August 10, 2009 from 11:30 am. - 1:30 pm. at the Country Buffet at 8685 Sheridan Blvd., Westminster, Co.

RSVP to Chuck and Bev Barela by August 4, 2009 at 303-934-1138 - Home or 303-842-1121 - Cell.

It's a great time to catch up with everyone and make plans for when everyone returns to Rincon.



POT LUCKS

“RALLY ROOM”

Mar. 2	Genealogy Club Pot Luck
Mar. 2	Tennis Group
Mar. 3	“Q” Street Party
Mar. 4	“S” Street Get Together
Mar. 5	Shuffleboard Pot Luck
Mar. 6	NY, PA, KY & New England
Mar. 9	Hikers Pot Luck
Mar. 10	“F” Street Pot Luck
Mar. 11	Garden Railroad Pot Luck
Mar. 12	“O” Street Pot Luck
Mar. 13	“I” Street Pot Luck
Mar. 14	Men's Golf Fellowship Event
Mar. 16	“K” Street Pot Luck
Mar. 18	Bowling Banquet
Mar. 22	Villageaires Pot Luck
Mar. 26	Playcrafters Pot Luck

NY, PA, KY & New England State Potluck

The New York, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, and New England pot luck is scheduled for March 6 in the Rally Room starting at 4:30 pm and will wind down in time for those wishing to attend the spring play that evening. Sign up sheets are in the coffee room for you to indicate your choice of bringing main entree, salad, or dessert. Please bring \$1 per person to offset expenses, your table service, and drink of your choice.

For more information or if you have any questions, please contact either Joan Ward at (585) 721-8171 or Ruth Anne Starnes at (215) 353-7672.



Theatre & Special Events

Gaslight Theatre

The Ballad of Two-Gun McGraw

or

"Just Horsin' Around"

Thursday, March 19, 2009

Time: 7:00pm

Doors Open: 6:15 pm

Cost: 15.50

Harlie's Angels

or

"Clues But No Cigar"

Tuesday, April 7, 2009

Time: 7:00pm

Doors Open: 6:15 pm

Cost: 15.50

Indiana Annual Luncheon

Are you from Indiana, or have you ever lived in Indiana? We would like to invite you to join us for our Indiana Luncheon.

The "Hoosiers" of Indiana, will be having their Annual Indiana Luncheon

Date: Friday, March 13, 2009

Place: Home Town Buffet,

5101 N. Oracle Rd. at 12:30 p.m.

Cost : \$9.50 per person

(this includes drinks and tip)

Contact Armatha Green N 687, phone #746-4831 by Wednesday, March 11. Please pay in advance. Make checks payable to Armatha Green.

Special Theatre Events

Hale Theatre

"In The Round"

The King and I

Saturday, March 21, 2009

All Hale Theatre Events

Cost: \$47.00 per person and bus departs RCW parking lot at Noon

Price includes: show, bus and tip to driver. Lunch is not included but we will stop at a Barbecue restaurant or you may wish to try one of the other restaurants located in the same block.

Mexican Getaway

Have you been wanting to go to Rocky Point? Here is your chance. On March 9, 10 and 11.

This is a 3 Day and 2 Night Tour.

Cost: \$269.00 per person double occupancy

\$359 per single occupancy

Passport required

The cost includes the hotel, motorcoach, a welcome margarita, two buffet breakfasts per person, shopping and fish market tour, a farewell dinner at your expense, gratuities for bell boys, driver and escort.

Sign up and pay in the Activity Office.

Ambassador Club

The Ambassadors welcome newcomers every Tuesday morning at 9:00 am. in the Card Room. Come in to get acquainted with RCW, the Tucson area, how to find a hospital or urgent care clinic, grocery stores, malls, restaurants, and the interesting sights of the area. Also, we will try to answer any questions you may have.

Dancing

Square Dance

It's hard to believe that this is the last full month of square dance activities. Beginners are working hard Monday nights from 7-8:30 continuing on Wednesday mornings 9-10:30, making good progress toward graduation. Plus dancers are reviewing Tuesdays, 2-4 pm., and more plus dancers are welcome to join us any week. The A1 Review/A2 Classes, Tuesdays 10-12 and Thursdays 11:30-12:30, are having lots of fun — and learning all the difficult moves at the same time.

And the regular dances continue: Sunday night Mainstream from 7-9 pm; Monday morning Plus Fun Shop (with Donuts) from 10 am - 12 noon; Wednesday night Plus Dance, with Rounds by Ray and Virginia Walz, begins with rounds 7-7:30, and squares and rounds from 7:30-9:30 pm. DBD meets Thursday mornings 9:30-11:30 and has been growing in size every week, as more plus dancers join in.

Remember, all classes and dances are casual, except the Wednesday night Plus dance when square dance attire is requested but not required. Lessons and dances will continue into April as long as enough dancers continue to come. Check the calendars posted outside the Main Office.

For those of you with email, ask to be added to Ray Walz's list for the most up-to-date schedules and information. Forms are available at all dances and classes, and remember if you have questions you can call me.

Marshall Flippo 520-294-6290,
cell 520-331-9465



Round Dancing

Only one month until many of you will be hitting the road. We've had a good year and thank you if you were part of it.

Our full dance schedule will continue through the month of March. All session will be the same except the 1:00 PM Class on Wednesdays will be a Workshop on popular dances. Some of the proposed teaches will be: **Sugar Sugar, Chaka Chaka, Calendar Girl, and Roses for Elizabeth.**

We hope you have a good summer and look forward to seeing you in the fall.

Happy Dancing,
Ray & Virginia Walz
520-648-7381
walzdancer@cox.net

Social Ballroom Lessons

As we near the end of the season, we are preparing for the last Ballroom class.

Starting Monday, March 2, at 4:00 PM in the Auditorium we will be teaching Waltz and Foxtrot.

We want to thank everyone who has attended our sessions this year. We hope everyone has a nice summer and we look forward to seeing you again in the fall.

Happy Dancing,
Ray & Virginia Walz
520-648-7381
walzdancer@cox.net

Ladies Square Dance

Women square dancers needing partners are invited to join the Ladies' Square Dance group for the Plus Fun Shop dances at RCW on Monday mornings, or the Sunday night Mainstream dances at the RCW auditorium.

As additional dancers join, some may be needed for the man's part, which can be learned easily by experienced dancers. Think about being an angel for Beginners', Mainstream or Plus lessons — even learning the man's part then.

Come join the fun!

Adelaide LaVerdi Lot177
573-9760

Room Requests

If you want to reserve a meeting room for next season, please stop by the Activity Office and fill out a request sheet. We currently have forms for both on-going and one-time events. Be sure to get the correct color form. **One time events (ie. potlucks) use the yellow sheets. Ongoing events (ie. club meetings) use the grey color sheets.**

All rooms will be scheduled during the summer months, so be sure to take care of this task before you go home.

Please, remember that room reservations will be assigned with size of group, special needs and date of submission taken into consideration.

Anyone requesting dates for event, especially the state Pot Lucks, should verify their dates and times with the Activity Office before writing your newsletter articles next season. Even though we try to give you what you want, it is not always possible.

One other thing, please submit your request **once** and only one representative from your group should do this. Thank you.

Doreen

Senior Olympic 2009

Wayne Sager	Silver	Shuffleboard Mens Singles
Connie Nelson	Bronze	Shuffleboard Mens Singles
Jo Bender	Gold	Shuffleboard Women singles
Eleanor Blue	Gold	Shuffleboard Women singles
Audrey Rogers	Silver	Shuffleboard Women singles
Bob Charlot	Gold	Shuffleboard Doubles
Ron Johnson	Gold	Shuffleboard Doubles
Bob & Jurrell Ziembo	Bronze	Shuffleboard Doubles
Jo Bender/Fred Goebel	Bronze	Shuffleboard - Doubles
Dick Davis	Gold	Shuffleboard Mens Singles
Ron Johnson	Gold	Shuffleboard Mens Singles
Fred Goebel	Gold	Shuffleboard Mens singles
Patti Francis	Gold	Golf
Lee and Patti Francis	Bronze	Tennis - Mixed doubles
Fred Bernlohr	Gold	Basketball -3 pointers
Fred Bernlohr	Gold	Basketball Around the horn
Fred Bernlohr	Gold	Basketball Pepsi Hot Shot
Fred Bernlohr	Gold	Basketball - Horse
Fred Bernlohr	Gold	Table Tennis - Singles
Fred Bernlohr	Gold	Table Tennis Mens doubles
Fred Bernlohr	Silver	Table Tennis Mixed doubles
Fred Bernlohr	Bronze	Horseshoes
Les Hargreaves	Gold	Javelin
Les Hargreaves	Bronze	Long Jump
Paul Cleveland	Gold	Bowling
Jim Marsh	Gold (2)	Pistol

Congratulations!

Club News

Reader's Theatre

Reader's Theatre, which is a philanthropy project of Playcrafters, is off to another great season. This year the group is doing a play titled **Ladies at Lunch**. This play is about six active and alert senior ladies who meet for lunch once a month. Between changing seats, sharing their medications, discussing men and mammograms, they give the waiter a really bad day. They are performing this play to various assisted living groups here in Tucson during the months of February and March.

Actors in this play are Judy Martin, Karen Kvoool, Linda Crouch, Jan Hedgpeth, Nancy Vogel, Nancy Philmlee, Barbara Nissen, Adeline Bailey, Deanna Chappell, Bill Frost and Ken Eggen .

Their final performance will be for the Playcrafters group at their annual luncheon the end of March.

Barbara Stone, Director

Pickleball

Many residents are experiencing the thrill of playing Pickle Ball at the RCW Four Courts Recreation Area. This mini-tennis game is played by 2 or 4 people on a badminton-sized court using wood paddle racquets and a plastic, poly softball with holes. Pickle ball is a combination of ping-pong, tennis and badminton.

Pickle Balls and Pickle Ball racquets are available at the courts for your use. Park residents are welcome to use the courts at anytime. Most of the court activity takes place beginning at 9 AM daily. If you need instruction on how to play the game, then Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 9 AM are your best chances to find other players available who can teach you the game of Pickle Ball.

Basketball

The recently improved basketball court located in the RCW Four Courts Recreation Area is ready and waiting for all of you former basketball players. Regardless of whether you played "organized" or "playground" basketball in your earlier years, here is your opportunity to return to the "court".

Last month a small group of players showed up to play. We are always looking for additional players of all abilities. Come to the basketball court for some "3 on 3 or 2 on 2 games" on **Saturday, March 14th at 9:30 am**. At that time future playing times will also be determined based on players interest.

If you are not able to attend but wish to play at some future time or have questions, you can contact Ken Zacharias, lot 439, 294-4980

CQ CQ CQ de RCW Amateur Radio Club

The RCW Amateur Radio Club meets each Wednesday at 11am (NOTE THE TIME CHANGE) in the amateur radio club room near the sewing room on the south side of the activities building. All hams and those interested in radio are invited to attend. The club has recently installed a new VHF transceiver and a new HF antenna as well as emergency power. Visiting amateur radio operators are invited to use the station after signing in at the main office and showing their license.

For more information, contact Bruce, W0BEB, Lot 807, PH. 402-490-7929 or call on the RCW club simplex frequency 146.540 MHz.

Submitted by Dave Kammer Lot 1038

Crafts & Sewing

Here it is March! This season has been a lot of fun. The Crafts & Sewing room is still full of lots of on going classes just check out the glass case and sign up.

Our fund raiser THE BIG SUPERBOWL BAKE SALE was a great success. Thanks to all who baked and all who bought. It would not happen without you.

Our March meeting will be on Wednesday, March 4 at 6:30 pm. We will have election of officers.

Instructors, Please bring keys to cabinets. The keys need to be returned until next season.

Remember to be courteous when classes are in session. We can all share space by being quiet and polite.

Thanks you for a great season!

Jan Maul, Secretary

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Playcrafters

Our Readers theater has been doing a play at different assisted living homes. The audiences really enjoy the play and us.

We are working hard on the spring play which will be on March 6 and 7. Hope to see all of you there. Playcrafters meet every Thursday at 1 pm in the Auditorium.



Cactus Quilters

Cactus Quilters had a very busy February hosting our Annual Quilt Show on February 21, 2009. A wonderful array of new and antique quilts were presented and viewed by many, many residents and visitors. Our quilters are to be commended on the fine jobs they did. Our quilt group also provided many one-of-a-kind raffle prizes for our quilters, visitors and friends. Plans are already underway for the 2009/2010 season.

We continue to meet on Monday afternoons between 1 and 3 P.M., usually in the Sewing/Craft Room. If you plan on attending, be sure to arrive in plenty of time to find a seat because our group is growing by leaps and bounds.

Our Charity Quilt group still continues its marvelous commitment to providing bed quilts, lap quilts and baby quilts that are donated to local facilities to help patients feel a little bit of home and to let them know that others care. We have also been working on occasional Sunday afternoons on various non-quilt projects, such as neck pillows, arm pads and "Ouch Pouches" for breast cancer victims. Please come and join us. You'll be happy you did.

Cooky Bergman, Secretary
294-1880 #1066 Q Street

Desert Explorers

Join an enthusiastic group of hikers on Wednesdays at 7:15 am. Meet in Classroom 1. We depart at 7:30. The hikes are less strenuous than the Thursday hikes. Please wear boots and bring water and a snack or lunch. You may like to use a hiking stick. Riders should reimburse the drivers.

Wednesday hikes, as well as Thursday's, are listed on the bulletin board by the office and the Lapidary Room. Come share with us the desert and mountain beauty.

Questions: Jerry or Nancy Paulson – 295-0196

Bicycle Club

The RCW Bicycle Club meets each Monday morning at 8:45 AM at the office parking lot for a 9 AM departure. Rides will be on bike trails or roads with little traffic and are 8 to 14 miles (round trip) in length at an easy pace, about 10 M.P.H. - and no one is left behind. The rides will require the transportation of riders and bikes to and from the starting location. As sufficient transportation for all the bikes may be in short supply, trucks or other vehicles that can carry a number of bikes will be much appreciated as we don't want to leave anyone behind. A coffee stop is the highlight of each ride!

Come and join us for an enjoyable bike ride.

HELMETS AND SIGNING A WAIVER RELEASE FORM ARE REQUIRED.

Scheduled March rides are:

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| March 2 | Old Spanish Trail to Saguaro National Park East |
| March 9 | McCain Loop in Saguaro National Park West |
| March 16 | Rillito River trail |
| March 23 | Aviation Bikeway |

Contacts:

Dave Fitzjohn, Lot 543, (520)807-8187
Jim Elkan, Lot 1056, (913)744-1686

Things To Do Around Town

Fourth Avenue Spring Street Fair

Fri. March 20th -Sun. March 22nd

10am to Dusk daily

Hundreds of arts & crafts booths, food vendors, and performers line the street of this bohemian shopping district. Call 520-624-2333 for more info.

Civil War In The Southwest

Sat. March 14th -Sun. March 15th

This annual event takes place in Picacho Peak

Wa:k Powwow

Sat. March 14th -Sun. March 15th

The Tohono O'odham or the "Desert People," conduct a gathering with intertribal dancing, drumming, music, Arts & crafts, and food held at the Mission San Xavier del Bac.

For more info call 520-294-5727

Major League Baseball Spring Training

Major League Baseball warms up for the regular season as the Arizona Diamondbacks and the Colorado Rockies and other Cactus League teams play ball practically everyday in March at two sites.

Diamondbacks - Tucson Electric Park

Ticket info 1-866-672-1343 or 520-434-1000

Rockies - Hi Corbett Field

Ticket Info 1-800-388-ROCK or 520-327-9467

Fun Bridge

Fun bridge is in full swing...so all you bridge players come and join us Monday and Friday afternoons at 1:00 pm and Sunday and Thursday evenings at 6:00 pm in Classroom 1. Come early for a few practice hands. We look forward to seeing you at the card table.

Nancy Heintz 741-2125 Lot 577



RCW Bird Club

Wow!! What two months of birding we had in January & February. Our trip to Patagonia Lake SP paid off big time for our bird club. Yes everyone was able to see the sought after Elegant Trogan, and photograph it too.

This month will be our overnight trip to the Salton Sea NWR in California. Are you ready? There are plenty of reasons to feel sorry for non-birders, but one I think outweighs them all: they don't get to make discoveries. It's never too late to go birding.

SCHEDULE FOR MARCH:

Mar. 6 (Friday) Meeting- Class Room 2; 1:00 pm Program & Talk: Gulls/Terns & like birds indigenous to the Salton Sea. Preparation for our field trip. Please attend this meeting.

Mar. 13 (Friday)—Field Trip—Gilbert Riparian Preserve Water Ranch, Gilbert, AZ. Level walking but a long day driving up to Phoenix, AZ.

Mar. 17.—20 (Tuesday)—Field Trip to Salton Sea NWR. We will leave the park 7:00 am. This is two full days of birding. All information in your green folder.

Mar. 27 (Friday)—Field Trip—Boyce Thompson Arboretum SP.
Some walking 1 1/2mi. mostly all level ground. We will lunch in Superior, Az. Bring snacks, because it will be around 2:00 pm before we eat.

All Field Trips will meet in parking lot at 7:00 am Good Birding.

Ferran K. Eales Lot #375 807-0972

Garden Railroad Club

The Rincon Country West Garden Railroad Club meets on the first and third Wednesdays of each month in Classroom 1 at 3:00 pm. New members are always welcome!

Trains are running, weather permitting, on a posted schedule at the layout located at the end of the boulevard by the auditorium. The club would like to thank park residents for their participation in our B-B-Q Beef fund-raiser. Your support of this event allows us to continue to improve and expand the RCW garden railroad layout!

The Tucson Garden Railway Society of Tucson is conducting its fourth annual "Rails In The Garden Tour" on Saturday, March 3rd and Sunday, March 4th from 10 AM til 4 PM each day. Your RCW garden railroad layout has been chosen as one of the eight garden railways, located here in the Tucson, to be on this year's tour! Park residents will be able to view the RCW layout in action throughout the weekend free of charge. Anyone wishing to view the other seven layouts on the tour located throughout Tucson can purchase Individual tickets for \$5.00 or Family tickets for \$10.00 at Friday morning coffee or from Ken Zacharias, #439, tel. 294-4980.

*NOTE: We will be collecting any items you wish to donate to the club for the March 21 Parking Lot Sale. Please drop off your donated item to Lot 439. Thank you.

Blood Pressure

Blood pressures are taken each Monday from 10:00 to 11:30 am in Classroom 2.

The last Monday that the nurse group will be checking blood pressures for the park residents for this season will be: Monday, March 30, 2009. We will resume the blood pressure clinic again in the middle or end of November 2009. Thanks to everyone who has helped to make this clinic a success.

Genealogy

It's never too late to start checking up on what your ancestors did "way back when" and where they did it! Although this is our last month for meetings this season, it is also one of our best months for imparting information. You can get a good start and still have the summer to visit sites of interest or search libraries and the Internet for information. We invite you to join us on Monday nights from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in Classroom 2.

March 2 - The RCW Genealogy Club potluck will be held in the Rally Room at 5 p.m. Bring a covered dish, salad or dessert and your table service. Election of officers will also be held.

March 9 - David Fawcett, a club member, will present a program on "Smart Matches" by Heritage.Com. It is a free program that matches your posted family tree with other family trees and notifies you of possible matches. We saw a bit of this last season and it looked fascinating.

March 16 - Les Ingermanson, former director of the Langley Family History Center here in Tucson, will give a presentation on genealogical research in Scandinavia. He and his wife just completed a year working in Salt Lake City. Although he will focus mostly on Sweden and Finland, he will be able to speak in generalities about the rest of the area.

March 23 - Ilona Stone, a long-time supporter of the RCW Genealogy Club, will present a program on writing your family history entitled "Put It In Writing." Having personally written two books about her family, she knows whereof she speaks.

March 30 - Club members are invited to make requests for this final program. Would you like to see more videos about genealogy done by Ancestry? Hear even more about Legacy? This is your chance to let us know what you thought of our programs this season. What do you want to see or hear more of? Take advantage of this opportunity to make your wishes known. If there is something you would like to see this particular night, please let us know in advance so we can make plans!!

Rita Cochran Co-President

Golfers Wanted

Golfers of all skill levels to join the Thursday Men's group and the Tuesday Mixed group. Play fantastic golf courses at incredible prices. Our prices are not available to the General Public so come on out for these great deals at quality courses. The only requirement is to have fun.

Sign-up sheets are in the coffee room for Tuesday's Open Play and Thursday's Men's play.

For information about Thursday's Play contact Darryl Philmlee at 741-7903. Contact Ray Hane at 807-0870 for Tuesday's Open play.

Habitat for Humanity

Spend Thursdays helping the Tucson Habitat for Humanity get houses ready for families. Our group is piloting a program which assigns us a house to rehab and turns us loose. The RCW work crew has gotten two houses ready for families that will move in the end of March. Another house has been gutted for interior make-over and will take a lot of love and care by our hard working crew. Men AND women are welcome to work with us cleaning, repairing, repainting and doing yard work.

We gather at the flagpole by the office at 7:20 am on Thursdays. Bring a lunch, water and snack. Back about 2:30. Carpool with us for an eventful day!

Questions: Keeners 227 E Street 889-4184

The Habistore truck will be at the parking lot sale on March 21 and will take donated items. No clothes, please.

Writers Group

We meet on Tuesday mornings from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon in Classroom 1. All writers are welcome.

Dr. Meredith Blue, Sp 1133

Hiking Club

With the rain we had over the Winter, the hope is that there will be a good crop of Wild Flowers. Join us on Thursdays at 7:15 am by the Woodshop main parking area. We will be hiking in the mountains in the area. You will enjoy great views, lots of memories. If you would like to join us, you will need good foot wear, walking stick, snack, water and money for gas. A list of hikes are posted on the bulletin board outside the office and Lapidary Shop. We meet at 7:15 and leave at 7:30 am.

If you have any questions call.

Ron Jennings at 889-2253

Pinochle

Come and have fun playing single deck Pinochle on Wednesdays from 6:30 to 9:30 pm in Class Room #1.

Come early to help set up tables, chairs, etc.

Some special rules are used here, but are easily learned. Both singles and couples are welcome. Partnerships are changed after each six hands of play. Come early and enjoy.

Needlework

If you do any needlework, knitting, crocheting, counted cross-stitch, etc. bring your project to the Sewing room. If you would like to complete or start a new project, join us on Wednesday afternoons from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. We would love to have you join us.

Any questions:

Adeline Bailey, 294-2728

Nana's Needles

I wish to extend my greatest thanks to those of you who have participated in our efforts these past three years to aid "Newborns in Need" by knitting and crocheting, sewing, quilting and often by buying garments and blankets. Most of you know that I'm leaving the park mid-March and I've hoped that someone will agree (without arm-twisting) to handle the job I've done. Following Sandy Marvik's presentation to a great group last month, we do have those willing to see that this work will continue. To them I give my deepest gratitude.

I would like to give special thanks to Ilona and Marie who unstintingly give of their time and expertise to those new to our group who are learning to crochet and knit or otherwise need assistance. It is this sharing of expertise and fellowship that I will miss – almost as much as the people!!!

It was suggested in a recent workshop that I list the "job description" of coordinator (or "head honcho") so prospective volunteers would know exactly what is involved (from my point of view). We have our meetings during the season: Oct. to April. I won't really have to give a job description because Shirley Crites (#146) has agreed to be the contact person; but, because she doesn't come until January, Ilona and other members of the core group will "hold the fort" and keep things rolling. Linda Richards has suggested she set up an email call list to ensure everyone knows when a Newborns in Need representative comes so they can bring their layette items for collection.

I know many of you do handwork for hospitals and other charities when you're not in RCW, so I know that your dedication to causes like this is enduring. I certainly intend to continue, perhaps with a different charity. We'll have to see what develops in my new community.

Thank you again for your dedication and your fellowship. I shall miss you all!

Jan Pickard

Hardanger

Our season is winding down but we always welcome new stitchers to learn open work embroidery. Come and see what we are working on and meet our accomplished instructor. We will be in Classroom 1 every Wednesday from 9-11am. Join in the fun !

Eleanor Blue - Lot 1132- 223-4646

Oil Painters

Our group paints each Wednesday, 12:30 to 5:00 pm in the Recreation Hall. As our winter season proceeds, our class size has grown. We currently have an attendance of 13 students and instructors. Several of our students work on their own, painting from their own photographs. Or, they sometimes work from their sketches and drawings. Other students work as a class, under an instructor. All are completing some beautiful pictures.

If you are a beginning artist, an accomplished artist or a professional artist, join us for a fun creative afternoon of painting. We have a couple of talented artists painting with acrylics who are sharing our painting sessions.

We home to see you on Wednesday.

Contact: Pat McFarlin
520-434-9565 or Cell: 509-844-3553

Machine Embroidery

If you have an interest in machine embroidery please join us for the next Machine Embroidery meeting scheduled for Wednesday, March 11th at 6:30 pm. in the Sewing Room. We don't meet every Wednesday so please check the glass case in the Sewing Room for our meeting dates and program.

For more information, contact Bobbie Albright at 807-1801.

Mission Road Cleanup Scheduled

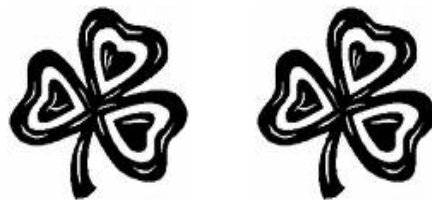
The RCW Bicycle Club is once again sponsoring a Mission Road Cleanup on Friday, March 6 at 10 am to Noon. Meet at the front gate with old clothes, gloves and a hat. For more information contact:

Tom Nimlos, Lot 1007 Phone 294-3331

Mac User Club

We meet each Tuesday from 1:00 - 3:00 PM in Classroom 2. We start with a Q & A session where we encourage all to bring their questions. We also recommend bringing laptops to class for hands on during the demonstrations which follow. This past month we worked in the iLife set of programs: iPhoto, iMovie, iWeb and creating a book for Apple publishing. We are currently working in iWork which includes Pages, word processing and page layout, Numbers and Keynote which is much more than just a presentation platform. Come and see what the Mac Club has to offer.

Questions: Call Allan Schreiber 889-0998, Martin Rathbun 806-1303 or Julie Johnson 889-3786



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Pottery & Ceramics

We're having our pie sale on March 16 (Monday), stop by and buy one slice or a whole pie! Most will be home made and some store bought, but all are delicious! As an added incentive there is always free coffee in the coffee room next door!

There is a sign up sheet on our closet door for anyone interested in making a storyteller doll. This is an exciting experience that you can do if you're new to pottery or an old hand at it. Last month we had lessons on head/bust forming in pottery. Check it out and see if there will be another class in March. Bead making is on Monday mornings. Ceramic classes are on Wednesday mornings with mold pouring on Tuesday mornings. Pottery classes are on Thursday afternoon with open pottery in the morning.

Stop in to just say "Hi!" or check out the shelves with work done or work in progress. We are located right next to the coffee room.

Stretching & Flexibility Exercise Group

We all get stiffer as we get older. There is help in overcoming this problem.

You are invited to join this group to increase your flexibility, stretch out your muscles and to loosen up your joints. Some of the exercises try to improve your balance also. We invite you to join us.

We meet Monday through Friday at 7:15 am. in the auditorium for a twenty-five minute exercise. It is recommended that you bring a mat to help you while you are on the floor. There are exercises which require getting down on the floor (or you can use a chair in a sitting position).

There are 40 or more exercising now. You are most welcome to join us!

If you have any questions, please contact Al Kent at 1034R or at 295-1798.

Hand & Foot

We are playing Hand and Foot Thursday afternoons in Classroom 1 at 1:00 pm. If you have ever wondered how to play, this is your opportunity to be taught. We mix up the new and experienced players so everyone can learn and enjoy the game.

Nancy Heintz 741-2125 577

Shuffleboard

Congratulations to the following RCW shufflers who participated in tournaments: Tucson Senior Olympics: Men's Singles: Gold: Dick Davis, Ron Johnson, and Fred Goebel. Silver: Wayne Sager. Bronze: Connie Nelson. Women's Singles: Gold: Jo Bender and Eleanor Blue: Silver: Audrey Rogers. Doubles: Gold: Bob Charlot and Ron Johnson. Bronze: Bob and Jurell Ziembo, and Jo Bender and Fred Goebel.

Pro-Am Tournament: Championship: 3rd: Don Maul and Howard Brown. 4th: Jim Withey and Dave Pogrart. Consolation: 1st: Jack Durrett and Wayne Sager. 2nd: Dick Davis and Howard Goforth. 3rd: Barry Tompkins and Kent Elm.

Mark your calendars for March 5, for the RCW shuffleboard pot luck in the Rally Room. Also, for March 10, at noon, for the Dist. 2 banquet at Tucson Estates.

We will be hosting the hot fudge sundae social on March 12, at 6:00 pm. Tickets can be purchased at the Activity Office, at Friday coffee or at the door. Sugar free ice cream is available. Please bring your own bowl and spoon. There will be a **FREE** Concert, by The Southwest Mens Chorus from Mt. Zion Church, in the Auditorium at 7:00 pm following the hot fudge sundaes.

Park play continues at 9:00 am. and 6:00 pm. on Mondays and Thursdays. You may also receive individual lessons on Sundays at 1:00 pm.

Marian Eising, Secretary
741-8412, Lot Lot 550

Library News

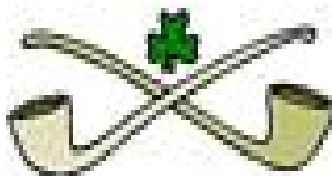
Monday several of us took the trip over to the Friends of the Library "\$5.00 for a bag of books" sale on Country Club and came home happy and loaded with books. We brought back a nice selection of large prints. There are new westerns, novels and mysteries as well as several nonfictions on your large print shelf midway down the west wall. There are also some of the newer large prints on the shelf with the newly processed books under the window on the east wall.

We appreciate so very much your donations of new books to our library. This is what keeps our library the special place it is. Because of space limitations we can only shelve novels and mysteries with a publishing date later than 1999 no matter how great they are and even then the hardback mystery shelf gets crammed. The older books that you donate will go onto the surplus shelf outside and they will go home with another happy reader so it is a win/win situation. We ask that you not take anymore than five of the surplus books so that others can share too.

I know that some of you are planning to leave soon and while you travel on your return trip home feel free to borrow some of our audiotapes and books for your listening and reading pleasure. Please do not mail the materials back, just bring them when you return. In the rare event that something gets lost, do not anguish over it. A like replacement will work for us when you get back.

We are proud of our library and I thank all the volunteers and your help in keeping it spiffy, friendly and a very special place in our park.

Georgan Lucas, Librarian



Red Hat Society

We rounded out our year by several of the Red Hatters attending the 5th Annual Red Hat Bash at the Desert Diamond Casino in February. As usual, a great time was had by all who attended.

The RCW Red Hat Chapters decided to hold the Victorian Tea every other year and to have the RCW Red Hat Pajama Brunch Potluck on alternate years. The year 2010 will be the RCW Red Hat Pajama Brunch Potluck .

Have a great summer and I hope many of you will attend the Sunbird Red Hats here at RCW. Ilona Stone is their Queen Mum so be sure to contact her if you wish to join that group. The Sunbird Red Hats is composed of members from the twelve winter season chapters and ladies that don't belong to a winter chapter but have time to join for the summer season.

Jan Hedgpeth, GQM RCW Red Hats

Low Impact Aerobics

It's not too late to start an exercise program this season. We meet in the Rec Hall Monday thru Thursday at 7:45 am. The session is over by 8:45 am. We use a tape or a DVD and there are 3 levels of exercise to follow and you can follow the level that fits your needs. The only things you need are comfortable clothes and shoes, 2 or 3 pound weights, and exercise tubing on Wednesday. So come join us. Any questions call Donna @ 419-231-2506.

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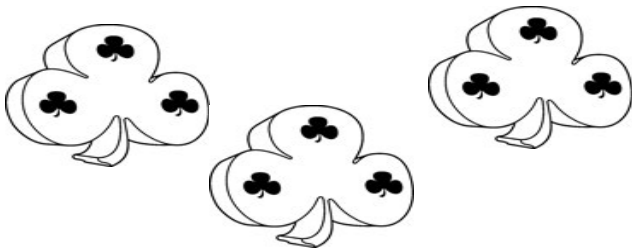
Well, the season is winding down and the last class of the season will be held on Friday, March 6th in the Craft and Sewing Room from 1:00 to 3:00 pm. This will be a "STUDENT'S CHOICE" design, which means that you can pick from the patterns that I have and make the one that appeals to you. The cost will be \$8.00 and you supply the yarn of your choice—acrylic please!

Those of you who previously took my class this season (and the students taking the class today) and are in the drawing for the various items, you might want to come and be on hand for the drawing. I will draw at 3:00 pm on March 6th.

I will also have all my kits, yarn, and monks cloth on sale (as I don't want to haul it back to Missouri! So bring some extra \$\$\$\$).

Please call 520-889-5999 if you have any further questions.

Judi Reed



TOPS

WHO: TOPS Chapter #AZ444

WHAT: Open House

WHEN: Monday March 9 - 7:45 AM

WHERE: Classroom 1

WHY: Come see what TOPS is about. It is an affordable, non-profit weight loss support and wellness education organization.

Ruth Heil, Co-Leader

Wood Carvers

Come join the fun and find the carver inside of you. We meet every Monday at 12:30 pm and every Thursday at 1:00 pm. Both sessions end at 4:00. There is a membership fee of \$5.00 per year.

There is a beginner table with plenty of help from the seasoned carvers, and lots of cut outs, at minimal cost, to get you started on a great project. There are also classes to help along with your masterpiece. Stop in the Recreation Hall and check out the bulletin board to see what carving classes are being offered.

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3000 S. MISSION ROAD (520) 791.0515

IN-HOUSE SPECIALS

- Sunday:** Brunch Buffet! Includes Our Menudo Bar, Made to Order Omelet Bar, Breakfast, Lunch, Salad, Fruit & Dessert.....\$8.⁹⁵ UNDER 12..\$4.⁹⁵
- Monday:** Grilled Steak Sandwich with Fries.....\$4.⁰⁰
Any Menu Burrito of Your Choice.....\$4.⁰⁰
Chimichangas.....\$4.⁵⁰
- Tuesday:** Carne Asada Plate. Served with Rice, Beans and Tortillas.....\$5.⁰⁰
- Wednesday:** Hamburgers.....\$2.⁵⁰
Filled with Lettuce, Tomato, Red Onion & Pickles.
Add: Cheese.....25¢ Bacon.....50¢ Fries or Onion Rings.....75¢
Fried Chicken Sandwich with Fries.....\$4.⁰⁰
- Thursday:** 1 Pound Porter House Steak, Fries, Ranch Beans & Salad.....Only \$11.⁰⁰
- Th/Fri:** Mesquite Grilled Chicken. Served with Escabeche, Beans and Tortillas. 1/2 Chicken...\$5.⁰⁰ Whole Chicken...\$8.⁰⁰
- Friday:** All-U-Can Eat Fish Fry. Served with Fries and Coleslaw\$6.⁵⁰
Shrimp Cocktails.....\$5.⁰⁰
- Saturday:** Taco Mania! Ground Beef Hard Shell Tacos Filled with Lettuce, Pico De Gallo and Cheese.....3 x \$2.⁵⁰
Steak & Shrimp Scampi Plate. Served with Rice, Beans, and Tortillas.....\$6.⁵⁰

**Happy Hour
Monday-Friday**

4-6pm

**\$2.50 Domestic Beer
Well Drinks**

**POOL TABLES, DARTS,
and much, much more!**

Live Entertainment
Fri - Sat - Sun 9 to Close
Ladies Night / DJ
**Thursday
DJ Night
Tues
Karaoke**

Wed 9 to Close

Kitchen Open Mon-Sat 11am-8pm

SUNDAY BRUNCH BUFFET 10 to 2pm

All food made to order with the freshest ingredients • **FULL MENU AVAILABLE**