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# The West Villager



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*Coming to RCW this month*



## **Veteran's Day Event**

**Nov 11 • 2:00 p.m. • Aud**

This Veteran's Day celebration marks the Centennial of The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, originally opened November 11, 1921 at Arlington National Cemetery. The celebrations will start in the Auditorium with our guest speakers, RCW Residents, Bob Asp and Gini Buck. The Desert Boys band will perform a few patriotic songs.

All Veterans attend free of charge. Non-Vets \$5.00. Pick up your tickets in the Activity Office.

Veterans that wish to be included in the program, please pick up a form in the Activity Office and return by November 8th.

2 Lucky Veterans will receive a Quilt made by our own RCW Comfort Quilts.

## **Thanksgiving Happy Hour and Dinner**

### **Rincon Country Thanksgiving**

**Nov 25 • 12:00 p.m. Happy Hour • 1:00 Lunch •  
Aud**

There is no better time than Thanksgiving to join with family and friends to enjoy a meal, laugh with each other and remember all that we have to be thankful for.

Happy Hour begins at noon, and dinner will be at 1:00 p.m.

Rincon Country will provide a turkey and gravy. Residents and guests will provide scrumptious side dishes and desserts.

Sign up in the Activity office by Monday, November 22nd. Each table will have a host that will arrange to have the turkey warmed and plan the meal.



# Calendar of Events November 2021



**Thursday, November 4**

**10:00 am Earthmade Farmers Market and Food Vendors**

*Rec. Complex*

**Friday, November 5**

**9:00 am Friday Coffee**

*Auditorium*

**7:00 pm Jazzona**

*Tickets: \$12 -Auditorium*

**Monday, November 8**

**8:30 am Vitalant Blood Drive**

*Rally Room - sign up in Activity Office*

**Tuesday, November 9**

**7:00 pm BINGO!**

*Auditorium*

**Thursday, November 11**

**2:00 pm Veterans Day Event -**

*Non-Vets \$5.00 Auditorium*

**Friday, November 12**

**9:00 am Friday Coffee**

*Auditorium*

**7:00 pm Share the Bounty Dance**

*Auditorium*

**Saturday, November 13**

**10:00 am Walk Around Sale**

*Sign up in the Activity Office*

**Tuesday, November 16**

**9:00 am Safeway Flu Shot**

*Sign up in the Activity Office*

**7:00 pm BINGO!**

*Auditorium*

**Wednesday, November 17**

**10:30 am Sky Med Seminar**

*Rec. Hall*

**Thursday, November 18**

**10:00 am Earthmade Farmers Market and Food Vendors**

*Rec. Complex*

**1:00 pm Club Representative Meeting**

*Auditorium*

**7:00 pm Free Movie- Coat of Many Colors**

*Auditorium*

**Friday, November 19**

**9:00 am Friday Coffee**

*Auditorium*

**7:00 pm Dance with the Short Notice Band**

*Tickets: \$12 -Auditorium*

**Saturday, November 20**

**7:00 am Pancake Breakfast by Woodshop**

*Tickets \$5.00 (\$6.00 at the door) Auditorium*

**Tuesday, November 23**

**7:00 pm BINGO!**

*Auditorium*

**Thursday, November 25**

**12:00 pm Thanksgiving Dinner**

*Auditorium*

**Tuesday, November 30**

**7:00 pm BINGO!**

**ACTIVITY OFFICE HOURS**

**Monday through Friday**

**9:00 am - 12:00 p.m.**

**1:00 - 4:00 p.m.**

**Closed Saturday & Sunday**

**Tel: 520-889-6900**

**Wednesday, Nov 24 Closes at 2**

**Thursday, & Friday Nov 25 & 26 CLOSED**

# WELCOME HOME TO RINCON COUNTRY WEST!



## **RCW Ambassadors**

### **New to Tucson or Rincon Country West?**

Rincon Country West has a wonderful group of resident volunteers who dedicate their time to welcoming and helping newcomers. As an RCW newcomer, you are invited to attend a free program run by our Orientation Ambassadors. Learn where you can find the best places to shop, eat out, and sightsee in the Tucson and surrounding area. Learn where to find the nearest grocery store, post office, RV supply store, and other places you may wish to visit during your stay. This a great resource if you want to get an insider's scoop about RCW facilities, clubs and activities. Attend an orientation and you'll make new friends and feel at home at Rincon Country West in no time. Orientations will begin on Tuesday, December 7 at 9:00 AM in Classroom 1.



## **Box Tops for Education**

The Activity Office will continue to collect Box Tops for Education for Grijalva Elementary School on Drexel Rd. Please collect the box tops and drop them in the container in the Activity Office.



## **RCW Post Office**

Window Hours: 12:00 - 3:00 PM

Monday through Saturday



- The PO has free Priority Mail boxes that can be taken to the Post Office.
- We sell First Class Stamps, Post Card Stamps and Canada Global Stamps.
- We will put a notice in your mailbox for packages that will not fit in the box itself. Packages can be picked up at the counter in the Post Office during Window Hours.



Bingo is coming BACK! Opening night is Tuesday, Nov. 9th. Practice your loudest "B-I-N-G-O" yell and bring your lucky charms. You could be the next big jackpot winner! Buy your cards by 6:55 pm. Bingo will begin promptly at 7:00 pm.

Bingo Cards are \$1.00 ea. Bring small bills, please.

We will have fresh popcorn, coffee, soda, candy, cookies, and daubers. The concession stand opens at 6:30 pm.



## **Speed Limit**

Please observe the 10-mph speed limit inside the park.



# NOVEMBER SHUTTLES

**RESERVE YOUR SEATS STARTING OCTOBER 26!**

**We have some awesome shuttles coming up in November and are happy to take you there and home again with no hassle for parking! Sign up in the Activity Office.**

**Saturday, November 6:** Thunder Over Arizona Thunderbirds Air Show at Davis Monthan

**Tuesday, November 9:** Mini Time Machine Museum with lunch at Beyond Bread

**Saturday, November 13:** Beer Tasting

**Tuesday, November 16:** Second Hand Shopping

**Thursday, November 18:** Mt. Lemmon

**Saturday, November 20:** Tucson Museum of Art Holiday Market

**Tuesday, November 23:** Sonoran Desert Museum

We are so lucky to have the Rincon Country shuttle bus and love offering different adventures for you throughout the season. If you have any ideas of trips that you would like to go on, please let us know! We welcome your feedback.

All shuttle trips have a \$5.00 shuttle fee. If traveling over 100 miles round trip, there is a \$15.00 shuttle fee.

**Only residents of Rincon Country can ride the shuttle at this time.**

**Please make sure to sign a waiver.**



# Shuttle Bus Trips - November 2021

## **Thunder and Lightning over Arizona**

### **DMAFB Air Show**

Saturday, November 6

Two shuttles: 9:15 am - 1:30 pm, 10:30 am - 3:00 pm

Shuttle Fee: \$5.00

Come visit Thunder and Lightning Over Arizona, Davis-Monthan Air Force Base's Annual Open House.

The 2021 Thunder and Lightning Over Arizona Air Show promises to be a weekend packed with heart-pounding air performances and family-friendly activities. This is your chance to get up close and personal with the aircraft and pilots!

## **Mini Time Machine Museum**

Tuesday, November 9, 12:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Shuttle Fee: \$5.00

Museum Entrance Fee: \$7.00/senior

Payable at the door

Discover the magical world of miniatures at The Mini Time Machine Museum of Miniatures, where visitors are seemingly transported to different lands and times through the stories told by over 300 miniature houses and roomboxes, expertly displayed in over 10,000 square-feet of state-of-the-art exhibit space.

## **Beer Tasting**

Saturday, November 13, 3:30 pm - 8:30 pm

Shuttle Fee: \$5.00

Join your RCW friends for a night of exploring the various mini craft breweries throughout Tucson!

Price of food and drink not included.

## **Mt. Lemmon**

Thursday, November 18

10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Shuttle Fee: \$15.00

Enjoy a scenic ride to Mt. Lemmon. At just over 9,000 ft. in elevation, Mt. Lemmon is the highest point in the Santa Catalina Mountain Range. We will stop for lunch at a restaurant in Summerhaven, a tiny city at the top of Mt. Lemmon where you will have time to stretch your legs and visit a few shops. Dress in layers. The top of Mt. Lemmon is about 30 degrees cooler than Tucson. Please do not sign up for this trip if you have a medical condition which advises against high-altitude travel.

Bring money for lunch.

## **Sonoran Desert Museum**

Tuesday, November 23

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Shuttle Fee: \$5.00

General Admission: \$24.95; \$22.95 Seniors;

\$21.95 Military

Payable at the door

Come out and enjoy the beauty of the desert at the Sonoran Desert Museum. The Desert Museum is a fusion experience: zoo, botanical garden, art gallery & classes, natural history museum, and aquarium. Experience the Desert Museum's gardens, which showcase the Sonoran Desert's vibrant ecosystem and represent a variety of biotic communities found within the Sonoran Desert region. Throughout the day you can also experience the thrill of free flying birds of prey at the Raptor Free Flight, attend one of the theater demonstrations, or chat with a docent including a live animal.

Enjoy some lunch while at the museum in one of their on-site restaurants or coffee shops.

# "Adventure Never Ends"



## send us your photos

Please share your memories for any Adventures you may have taken. Cruises, Trains, Parks, Tours..... anywhere you've been.

Do you have photos you would like to share?

You have several options to share them:

- 1) email them to [pamanderson@ymail.com](mailto:pamanderson@ymail.com);
- 2) Get them to Pam either at lot 978, or put in PARK mail.

They will be digitally reproduced and returned to your Mailboxes or email.



## RCW Garden Railroad

The railroad operates on a regular schedule from November through March. Maintenance and improvements are done by RCW Garden Railroad Club members.

**Monday:** 1:00 - 2:30

**Tuesday:** 10:00 - 11:30

**Wednesday:** 10:00 - 11:30

**Thursday:** 1:00 - 2:30

**Friday:** 10:00 - 11:30



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# For Club Leaders

## *The West Villager*

### Submissions

Club leaders may now submit articles for "The Villager" online:

[maryc@rinconcountry.com](mailto:maryc@rinconcountry.com)

Please observe the following guidelines for submitting articles for *The Villager*. **The deadline for the monthly Villager is the 5th day of the month prior to issue date.** For example, the deadline for the December *Villager* is November 5.

Include times, dates, room locations, and contact names and numbers. Please do not **bold**, underline or use ALL CAPITALS. Please keep articles to 150 words or less.

### Bulletin Boards

The bulletin boards located in front of the office and next to Jewelry Arts are used for club schedules, and communication from the Activity Office. If you or your club would like to post something on this board, it must be approved by the Activity Office.

## *Villageaires Chorus Announcement*

Heads Up! If you are planning to join The RCW Villageaires mixed chorus the 2021-22 season, please schedule the following dates for rehearsals and performances.

**Holiday Show:** Practices begin Tuesday, Nov. 2, at 9:00 - 11:30 am in the Recreation Hall, each Tuesday and Thursday, with shows **Dec. 10 and 11.**

**Spring Show:** Practices begin Tuesday, Jan. 4, at same time and place, on Tuesdays only, with show dates on **March 18 and 19.**

**Audience:** Plan your schedules around the show dates for delightful evenings of just good vocal entertainment.



## Club Representative Meeting

**Nov 18 • 1:00 p.m. • Auditorium**

If you are a club leader, please make sure to attend our Club Representative Meeting on November 18 to talk about the upcoming season and how the Activity Office can support your club! We will be updating the Club & Activity Guide at this time, please make sure to be present.

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### Vitalant Blood Drive

Monday, Nov 8

8:30 am - 12:30 pm - Rally Room

Be a Hero. Give Blood.

As one of the nation's oldest and largest comprehensive transfusion medicine organizations, Vitalant serves local communities across 40 states including Arizona and Nevada.

Final information was not available when this newsletter was going to press.

Please sign up in the Activity Office.

### Safeway Flu Shot Clinic

Tuesday, Nov 16, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm - Rally Room

Sign up for a time in the Activity Office.

Get your annual flu shot!

Safeway Pharmacy is having a flu shot clinic right here at RCW! Protect yourself and the people you care about. Flu shots are free if you bring your Medicare card and most insurance cards.

Safeway will provide the dosage recommended for people over 65 and the regular dosage of the flu vaccine. There will also be pneumonia and DPT vaccines and Covid Booster shots available.

Please sign up in the Activity Office.



**SkyMed**, Number One in medical evacuation services, provides emergency medical transport from wherever you are (even at home) or however you travel. When a member suffers a critical illness or injury sending you to a hospital, SkyMed *TAKES YOU HOME* to your own doctor, hospital, and family.

Through Dec. 31, 2021, the SkyMed 21 Stimulus Program offers the following bonuses:

- Price locked for life at same rate
- Bonus up to 21 weeks for new or renewing members and for referrals
- Renewing members eligible regardless of expiration date
- Military, law enforcement, medical, or fire protective service members receive 3 additional months

Effective Jan. 1, SkyMed fees are increasing, so NOW is the time to join or renew and refer your friends for the money-protecting and life-saving benefits of a SkyMed membership.

Sign up in the RCW Activity Office for a breakfast sandwich seminar in the Recreation Hall on Wednesday, Nov. 17, at 10:30 am. Or contact Jerry and Marilyn Collins at 208-867-8739 for complete information or an appointment to learn about SkyMed.



# Upcoming



## Earthmade Farmers Market

Nov 4 & 18 • 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. •

Breezeway

We welcome back all of our wonderful vendors for the 2021-2022 season! This season we will be hosting Farmer's Markets and Craft Fairs every Thursday throughout the month starting in November. We encourage everyone to come down to the Breezeway to check out local artwork, fresh fruits and vegetables, handcrafted jewelry and much more!



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## November Walk Around Sale

Nov 13 • 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

One person's junk is another person's treasure! If you have some items that you would like to sell, this is the time to do it!

Make sure to come to the Activity Office beforehand to sign up if you would like to sell at your unit.



**Pancake Breakfast**  
By Woodshop



Nov 20 • 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

Rec Hall - Auditorium

Tickets \$5.00 from Activity Office / \$6.00 at Door



# November Entertainment

Get Your Tickets Starting Tuesday, Oct 26!



**Nov 5: Jazzona Performance:** Come out for a night of true jazz with this awesome band playing hits from across the board to include jazz, big band, classic rock, pop, country, polkas, waltzes, and much more.

Auditorium \$12.00 7:00 p.m - 8:30 p.m.



**Nov 12: Share the Bounty Dance.** Let's kick up our heels and Dance the night away with the Kelly Bryan Band. Dance is Free, just bring a perishable item to donate to the Community Food Bank

Auditorium Free 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Nov 18: Movie Night "Dolly Parton's Coat of Many Colors:"** Come out to enjoy a movie with friends and hear the Dolly Parton story. This is a great movie about one of the best country music icons in the world.

Bring your own refreshments.

Auditorium Free 7:00 p.m.



**Nov 19: Dance with the Short Notice Band :** Join us in welcoming a new band to RCW, Short Notice. Dust off those boogie shoes for a mix of pop, rock, country music and much more!

Auditorium \$12.00 7:00 p.m - 10:00 p.m.

# The Bulletin Board



## I'm OK

The "I'm Okay Club" is a program for guests and residents who are living alone. This is a daily check-in by phone that allows us to make sure you are OK. Please stop by the Activity Office to sign up. We look forward to seeing you.



## AED Device

We have four Automated External Defibrillator (AED) devices. Make it a point to learn their locations. There is one in the Breezeway, across from the Office and in each laundry room and one between Pickleball and Tennis courts.



## Safety from Wildlife

The weather is cooling and this is a time when rattlesnakes might seek the warmth of a cozy asphalt street after sundown.

For maximum safety carry a flashlight when you are walking at night, keep pets on a leash, and remain alert to an unlikely, but possible, encounter.



## Safety Rules and Precautions

Below is a list of most commonly noted concerns:

- ◆ Being in the dark – Please carry a flashlight when walking after dark. If you are biking, please have a light on your bike.
- ◆ Going the wrong way - Please remember to walk facing traffic and bike with traffic. This is especially important to avoid passing others within the 6 feet social distancing.
- ◆ Wandering humans with pet attached – All pets must be in the pet section, unless pet is a service animal. Humans, please assume that a pet outside the pet section is a service animal. If there is a concern, please see humans in the Main Office rather than create a confrontation. Humans, please remember pets must be cleaned up after and kept on a leash at all times!

## BE THE FIRST TO GET YOUR NEWSLETTER!

By subscribing to a paperless Villager, you will see the newsletter before it is printed, save 20-40 sheets of paper each month, and have access to RCW news from afar.

Simply fill out the Paperless RCW Villager Newsletter Form from the Activity Office to receive the Villager Newsletter via email. Go Green...Go Paperless!





## PARK MODEL SALES



Hello, my name is Judy Sinkular, I work in the RCW Sales Office. Be sure to stop by the sales office when you see my sign. Welcome Home! The sales office hours vary during this time, please call me to set up an appointment to look at the many possibilities for your new winter home. Or you can view most units on our Rincon website [rinconcountry.com](http://rinconcountry.com) or [judysparkmodels.com](http://judysparkmodels.com)

Call me to set up an appointment to view a new winter home for you. 520-336-8822



To RV or not to RV is this the discussion at your home today? Call for an appointment and let's find what you don't like about park models. This is the first step on what you do like. At RCW we have many choices on what units are available for purchase or order your customized dream.

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### O-715

Let's talk new Arizona Room. Unit 715 has a new look, more space, washer/dryer inside the new addition. Call Judy @ 520-336-8822 to arrange for a showing of this unit or any of the upgraded units.



### Unit 623

We've been busy this summer with many new additions to our existing units. Call Judy @ 520-336-8822 to see Unit 623 with a new Arizona Room with Washer/Dryer included. If you are looking to make Rincon West your new winter home it's time to act.

[Rinconcountry.com](http://Rinconcountry.com) or [judysparkmodels.com](http://judysparkmodels.com)

Call Judy Sinkular 520-336-8822 for an appointment. The first ten residents to bring this newsletter to the sales office will get a free gift.