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## **BOARD'S MESSAGE**

any of our Sun City Summerlin residents live alone. And in many cases, these individuals are advancing in age and physical abilities. Often, they have little contact with their neighbors or have remote family members. We are presenting this information as a cautionary tale and suggestion for examining how you and your neighbors are living here in our community.

A few months ago, one of our single residents fell inside of their house during the evening. The result was a broken hip and a broken shoulder. They had to crawl across the floor to reach a telephone and call 911. When the emergency responders arrived, they found all the doors to the house were locked, and they could not gain access to assist. A neighbor called Sun City Summerlin (SCS) Patrol but was informed that the listed emergency contact was a person located over 1000 miles away. And they were the only ones that had a key to the house.

The fireman used a special tool, and after about fifteen minutes of effort, were able to open the garage door. And then, of course, the inside door into the house was also found locked. So, the responders had to use a crowbar to break into the home. Fortunately, they were able to then care for the resident and transport them to a hospital for care. But the entire episode took considerably more time that it might have if some advance planning and precautions had taken place.

First, everyone should have an up-to-date Emergency Contact Form filled out and provided to both SCS Patrol and the Administrative Office at Mountain Shadows. These can be found on the Sun City Summerlin website or picked up at the SCS Patrol Office. Second, you should have a set of your house keys kept by a trusted relative, friend, or neighbor who is close by, and can respond in an emergency.

An alternate solution is to place a key inside a lockbox located on the outside of your home, usually near the address number. The Las Vegas Fire Department partners with the Knox Company which manufactures a box that first responders have a special access key to. They open the box to get the keys to your house and enable entry. Several local companies are part of this program and will both sell and install the box.

Another, more economical solution is to purchase a wall mount lock box with a



combination. For less than \$40 you can mount it yourself and be all set. You would then need to inform SCS Patrol (or a trusted neighbor) as well as your emergency contact of the combination number for the box. They could then assist responding personnel in accessing the home.

Be safe and enjoy living in our great community!

Lockbox mounted on house

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## BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTIONS

#### 2024 Board of Directors Candidates Announced

The SCSCAI Election Committee\* is pleased to announce that six candidates are vying for the three open seats on the Sun City Summerlin Community Association, Inc. Board of Directors. The candidates have submitted their names, and all meet the qualification of being a unit owner, a member in good standing and have stated they have no professional or personal relationships that would appear to a reasonable person to result in a conflict of interest if elected to serve as a member of the Board. Each elected candidate will serve a three-year term. Candidates met with the Election Committee on Friday, December 1, 2023, to review the details of the election process and hear the extensive time commitment required of Directors.

The candidates, listed using their preferred name and listed in the order in which they will appear on the ballot and in all

publicity are:





Erik Braun



Gerry Sokoloski



Lynn Kasner Morgan



Lenny Libman



John Berthelsen

Candidates' statements of interest, as prepared by each candidate, appear beginning on **page 11** of this issue of the LINK. There will be two (2) opportunities to meet the candidates, both sponsored by the Residents' Forum. The first a "Meet the Candidates Night" will be held beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, January 10, 2024, at The Summit followed at 7 p.m. by a panel discussion held in the Starbright Theatre, where candidates will be asked questions submitted by the community. The second "Meet and Greet" will be held on Monday, January 22, 2024, starting at 10 a.m. at Desert Vista, Room 5.

Ballots will be mailed to each resident in mid-January and will include information on each candidate and instructions on casting your vote. Please keep watch for a large white envelope labeled in red "Election Materials Enclosed". There is one packet per household owner, not per household resident. The information packets will have instructions on how to mail or hand deliver to the ballot box that will be located at Mountain Shadows. Ballots must be received no later than 5 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 2024. Counting of the ballots will take place at the annual Membership Meeting starting at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, February 28, 2024. The new Board will take office at the 9 a.m. meeting on Thursday, February 29, 2024.

The Election Committee urges all residents to exercise your right in casting your vote for the Board.

\*Election Committee members are Garry Garcia, Ruth Mintz, Melanie Spector and Michael Christiansen, Committee Chair See Page 9 for SCSCAI Board of Directors Election General Campaign Rules.

#### GENERAL CAMPAIGN RULES - SCSCAI BOARD OF DIRECTORS ELECTION

- 1. <u>Election Period</u> The election period begins with the Candidate Orientation Meeting and ends on February 27, 2024, at 5 p.m.
- 2. Positive and Fair Campaigning The following is not allowed:
  - **A.** Written or verbal campaigning against another candidate.
  - B. Defamatory, libelous or profane information.
- 3. Limit on Spending There is no limit on how much the candidate spends on their campaign.
- 4. Paid Ads The only limit on paid advertising is that a candidate cannot take out a paid ad in the Link Magazine or Webpage.
- **5. Campaigning –** Candidates and their supporters may campaign in and around any of the SCSCAI facilities providing it does not interfere with ongoing activities. If an authorized Association employee asks that a campaigner (candidate or supporter) leave the area, the person must do so immediately. In addition, if the campaign activity has caused litter, it must be removed immediately.
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- 7. City of Las Vegas Street Signs, Traffic Signs and Light Posts -Candidates are prohibited posting campaign material on any street signs, traffic signs or light posts.

- 8. **Homeowner Mailboxes** Candidates are prohibited from placing items in or attaching items to Homeowner mailboxes.
- 9. Campaign T-Shirts, Buttons, Hats, etc. There are no restrictions.
- 10. <u>Campaign "Swag"</u> There are no restrictions.
- 11. Direct Mailing Candidates may request a list of the mailing addresses of each home, which will not include the names of the owners or tenants. Paper format is 25 cents per page for the first 10 pages and 10 cents per page thereafter, in the format of a compact disc or thumb drive at a cost of \$5 or by electronic mail at no cost.

#### 12. Social Media -

- **A.** During the "Election Period" the candidate cannot post on any SCSCAI Facebook Page.
- **B.** Candidates who have access to Chartered Club mailing lists cannot use their access to the list to campaign.
- C. Candidates cannot post on any SCSCAI or Chartered Club Social Media Account.
- 13. Chartered Club Participation, Meetings and Events Candidates cannot campaign during participation in a Chartered or at Chartered Club meetings or events unless invited to do so by an officer of the Chartered Club.



## RESIDENTS' FORUM



**Who:** Residents' Forum Presents

**What:** Meet the Candidates for the Sun City Summerlin Board of Directors

When: Wednesday, January 10, 5:30 p.m. and Monday, January 22, 10 a.m. to Noon

<u>Where:</u> January 10 at The Summit Restaurant and Starbright Theatre at The Pinnacle Community Center and January 22 at Desert Vista Community Center

<u>Why:</u> Two opportunities this year to meet your candidates for the Board of Directors. Come and meet your candidates and have an opportunity to speak with them and find out why they are running for your Board of Directors. There will be two portions of the evening on <u>January 10</u>, first at 5:30 p.m. is the "Meet and Greet" in the Summit Restaurant. This is when you can speak to the candidates and ask questions and pick up handouts they have. The second is the Moderated portion in the Starbright Theatre starting at 7 p.m. This is when pre-screened questions are asked of the candidates and they each have an opportunity to answer all of them. No questions will be taken from the floor. The event will end at 9 p.m. On <u>January 22</u> there will be an additional "Meet and Greet" at Desert Vista so you can speak with the candidates one on one.

Don't miss this opportunity to meet your candidates and be able to make an informed decision when casting your ballot.

**Questions:** Contact Julie Zerbel, President-Residents' Forum at juliezerbel@yahoo.com



## John Lang Candidate for Sun City Summerlin Board of Directors

#### Personal

Born and raised in Michigan. Along with my wife, Annie, lived in Southern California 23 years, returned to Michigan and Ohio for 16 years, moved to Sun City Summerlin in 2019.

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#### **Education**

**Oakland University** 

**Master of Business Administration** 

**Major: Production and Operations Management** 

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2005

California State Polytechnic University, Pomona Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

Major: Technology and Operations Management

Pomona, California

2000

#### **Professional**

Siemens PLM Digital Industries Applications Engineer, Technical Writer 2001 - 2024

#### **Activities and Achievements**

- Appointed to the City of Las Vegas Traffic and Parking Commission representing Ward 4.
- Vice President of the SCS Neighborhood Preparedness Team (NPT) for the past year.
- Neighborhood Watch block Co-Captain.
- Member SCS Computer Club, Men's Club.

#### Goals

I am committed to continue to foster education relating to safety and preparedness for all Sun City residents. I will continue to support our NPT efforts to achieve this.

As a member of the City of Las Vegas Traffic and Parking Commission, I will continue to work with the city and LVMPD as it relates to Sun City as well as our entire community.

I look forward to working with other Board members, our Executive Director, and staff to continue to provide an environment that promotes and protects our real estate values and maintains our existing amenities, while keeping our annual assessments as reasonable as possible. I regularly attend the weekly Zoom calls with the Executive Director, monthly Board of Directors meetings, and many SCS committee meetings.

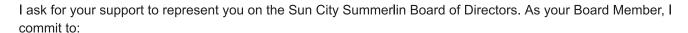
My name is Erik Braun and I have been a resident of Sun City for the past eight years with my wife of 25 years, Marianne. We moved here from the Midwest, looking for a break from the cold winter weather. We found a little piece of paradise here in our fabulous community.

During the past eight years, I have had great enjoyment in participating in various clubs and community organizations. I am a member and currently the Vice President of the Sun City Softball Club. As a member of our Sun City Summerlin Patrol, in which I take great pride, I am currently a midnight driver, a Watch Commander, and the Uniform Officer. I was one of the original board members of the Neighborhood Preparedness Team, known as NPT. This is my first year as a member of the Legal Review Committee. I have for years attended in person most of the association board meetings.

I am a Veteran of the U.S. Army from 1988 - 2007, where I served overseas tours in Panama as a Combat Engineer and Kuwait & Iraq as a Combat Medic. The experiences that I gained through my time in the Military, I believe, will be beneficial to me as a board member.

As part of the Military, it was essential to be able to collaborate with those around me. When decisions were being made, I had to be able to analyze and dissect information. When I led various teams in the Military, I needed to

be able to direct, listen, and implement decisions that were made. The Army insisted on transparency and honesty, and to this day I still believe these are important attributes.



- 1. **Listening and Welcoming Perspectives**: I will actively listen to the concerns and ideas of our community residents, ensuring their voices are heard in our decisions.
- 2. **Respecting Resident Input**: Recognizing that I am your representative, I will value and respect the comments of all Sun City Summerlin residents.
- 3. **Collaborative Decision-Making**: I will work "hand in hand" with fellow board members, supporting our efforts in compliance with NRS 116 and the governing documents for the benefit of our community.
- 4. **Advocating for Strategic Planning**: I will champion the development of an ongoing business/strategic plan for the HOA, ensuring a clear direction/plan for our community and the understanding of our residents.
- 5. **Promoting Transparency**: Transparency in managing the affairs of the HOA will be a top priority, fostering trust and accountability within the community.
- 6. **Balancing Budgetary Concerns**: Always balancing the financial costs versus the wants of the community to avoid any unnecessary assessment increases to balance the budget.

I embrace new ideas and directions for the HOA, understanding that innovation is key to progress. I promise an open mind as a member of the Sun City Summerlin Board of Directors. Your support in the upcoming election is invaluable, and I ask for and thank you for your votes.

Should you have any questions or suggestions, please don't hesitate to contact me at <a href="mailto:BraunBOD@gmail.com">BraunBOD@gmail.com</a> or 608-385-3558. Together, let's shape the future of our community, Sun City Summerlin Community Association.

Erik Braun



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My Wife, Barbara and I built our first house here in Sun City in 1998 and moved in full time in 2003. Sun City is absolutely one of the best retirement communities in the country and we truly enjoy living here and participating in the various activities Sun City has to offer. Sun City has provided so much joy in our retirement years. I have been on the Board, serving as Treasurer for the past 5 years and would like to continue to help the Association with its financial responsibilities.



In summary, Barbara and I love the active lifestyle here in Sun City and have served in various capacities with some of the Chartered Clubs. Barb is currently an active volunteer for the Assistance League of Las Vegas. I am Chair of the Finance Committee, work with the Investment and Insurance subcommittees, serve on the Golf Oversight Committee and captain of our Neighborhood Watch Team.

#### GERRY SOKOLSKI

#### QUALIFICATIONS & BACKGROUND

- Certified Public Accountant for over 50 years serving many clients including Homeowners Associations, Not for Profit Organizations, Public and Private Golf Clubs, etc.
- Served on boards of various Not for Profit and "For Profit" organizations.
- Retired partner and co-founder of a CPA Firm, serving as Human Resources partner, Tax partner-in-charge and Employee Benefits partner.
- Past President of the New York State Society of CPAs.
- Member of the governing council of the American Institute of CPAs for approximately 9 years.
- SCSCAI Board member and Treasurer 2019 2023.
- Assisted in acquiring \$1,664,000.00 PPP Loans and \$1,818,163.00 in ERC refunds for Sun City.

#### GOALS

- Utilize my heavy financial and tax background to assist SCSCAI in maintaining a strong healthy financial position.
- Foster a spirit of cooperation and respect among all Board and Committee members.
- Encourage a healthy environment for all employees with the goal of great performance and loyalty.
- Address the issues and concerns of all residents and strive that all concerns be treated with respect.
- Promote Sun City Summerlin throughout the country and to increase the public awareness of the retirement opportunities that exist here.
- Promote our golf courses to the general public with the goal of increasing our revenue.



#### LYNN KASNER MORGAN

Candidate for Sun City Summerlin Board of Directors

#### **GOALS**

- Provide a warm and welcoming community for current and future residents.
- Listen to all members of the community and work to balance differing interests and priorities.
- Ensure conversation and discussion that is respectful no matter the point of view.
- Maintain property values by ensuring sound financial practices and excellent amenities and facilities.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

In 2012, I retired after serving in leadership positions for over 30 years at Mount Sinai Medical Center in New York City. I was Vice President for Technology of the 1112-bed Mount Sinai Hospital, Associate Dean for Technology and Associate Professor of Medical Education at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine and Director of the Medical Center Library. I managed an over \$50M capital and operating budget for a wide-ranging portfolio that included information technology infrastructure, education and research computing and evaluating and licensing supporting resources. I have served on Boards of regional and national professional associations, having been elected President of two national associations. My undergraduate degree is in experimental psychology and chemistry and graduate degree is in Library and Information Science. My broad-ranging management and budget experience will be an asset to the SCSCAl community.

#### INTRODUCTION

Sun City Summerlin is a wonderful community and a great place to live. As a second-generation owner, I have been fortunate to know and spend time in the area since 1996, owning a home here since 2015. There are amenities to appeal to a wide range of interests and the opportunity to develop new skills. One can be an active sportsman, a craftsperson and a social butterfly as well as enjoy multiple performances from classical music to comedy – and all within our small city.

#### SUN CITY ACTIVITIES

- · Chair, Election Committee 2019-2022.
- Member, CCOC, 2015 present.
- Member, IT Committee, 2018 present.
- Event Chair for NPT Senior Resource Fair scheduled for February 2024.
- Neighborhood Watch Block Captain.
- · Member multiple clubs.
- · Vaccine Clinic Volunteer.
- Regular attendee at Board, many committee meetings and Friday zoom with Mitzi.

#### **CONTACT ME**



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#### **Lenny Libman**

Candidate for SCSCAI Board of Directors

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#### **Background and Experience:**

Law Enforcement Officer in South Florida • Administrator of Non-Profit Organization
Property and Casualty Insurance Agent • Self-Employed Property and Casualty Insurance Broker
Resident of Nevada for Eighteen Years • Sun City Summerlin Resident for Eight Years
Served on Sub Association Board as Treasurer and President
Currently Serve on Golf Committee and Hearing Committee • President of Men's Club

#### My Goal:

To work with the Board and Community Directors in maintaining our status as the best Senior Community by being fiscally responsible, keeping our facilities and amenities upgraded and in excellent condition, listening to and respecting the needs of the community and working for the betterment of the community.

#### My Message:

I want to contribute and assist as well as help to grow and change as needed and not stick to the "status quo". I will work with and not against the Board, Directors and Staff to make sure we are doing what is best for the residents and keep improving the value of our homes and lifestyle. I will bring a commonsense approach, be fiscally responsible with our assets and do what is best for the community when making decisions on behalf of all Sun City Summerlin owners and residents.

As the demographics change within our community, we need to keep an open mind to new ideas without compromising what has been established and continue to make this a great place to live and enjoy.

I humbly ask for your vote and if elected, I will work hard to look out for all our interests as a community.

#### **GOALS & OBJECTIVES**

Listen to, and respond to, Sun City residents. Use my business experience and knowledge to assist in making Sun City a progressive 21st century community. Board members should facilitate providing the services, facilities and opportunities for the residents to enjoy their retirement years. As a board member I will be fiscally responsible in controlling both costs to residents and assessments. I will promote best business practices for administering Sun City.

#### **PERSONAL**

Born and raised in Minnesota and spent adult life in Wisconsin, now an energetic 69 years old. Retired at the end of 2014 and along with wife, Chris, moved to Las Vegas full time. Combined, we have seven children and eighteen grandkids.

#### **CAREER**

Started my first company while in high school. Was the CEO of a printing and mailing company in Madison for 35 years. Grew the company from eight employees to 275 and revenues from \$400,000 to \$40 million. Member of Printing Industry Hall of Fame and recipient of several career awards for leadership and industry contributions.

#### **BOARD EXPERIENCE**

Have served as a director, and in many cases an officer, of several industry association boards as well as two non-profit foundation boards (Meriter Hospital Foundation and Graphics Scholarship Foundation). Have continuously been a member of one or more boards since 1980. Have written and revised bylaws for several organizations.

#### **SUN CITY ACTIVITIES**

Board member elected in 2021. Am currently president of the board and ARC Chair. Have served on Legal, CCOC, ARC, Golf and CAP committees. Member of Men's club, Pickleball club and Computer club.

For more information please email me: jb4sc@hotmail.com or call me: 608-575-3904

## JOHN BERTHELSEN Candidate for SC Board



Sun City homeowner since 2009, Board member since 2021

Business owner and corporate executive experience

Extensive participation on business, association and foundation boards

Certified Business Planning Executive

Active member of Sun City clubs and organizations

Knowledgeable parliamentarian

## SUNCITYLINK.COM

Have you checked out SunCityLink.com lately?
The Link website refreshes every Tuesday
morning with an eblast reminder called
"Tuesday Newsday".

Tuesday Newsday features "This Week's Top Picks" of activities happening in the community during the week, plus other community news, club news, upcoming lunch and learns, and seminars.

You can also find a listing of Link magazine advertisers that is updated monthly.



## COMMUNITY NEWS

#### Coffee with the Board in Person or via Zoom

Friday, January 19th, 9:30 a.m.- noon, Desert Vista · **NEW TIME** Questions, answers, opinions, and general information is shared on a variety of community topics. There is no agenda for this casual meeting and the Board members cannot officially make decisions on any matters discussed.

**AARP Driver Safety Program** 



Wednesday, January 10, 9 a.m. · Wednesday, January 24, 5 p.m. Tuesday, February 6, 12 p.m. · Wednesday, February 14, 9 a.m. Wednesday, February 28, 5 p.m.

\$20 AARP members, \$25 non-members by check to AARP.

Drop by the Desert Vista monitor station to sign up for this classroom refresher course designed for those fifty and over. Improve your knowledge of traffic laws, learn to anticipate the actions of other drivers, and identify and correct poor driving habits. Upon completion of the 4-hour course taught by an AARP-certified instructor, you will receive a certificate that may qualify you for an insurance premium reduction for up to three years. Max: 30. Sign-up is available now. Classes are held at the Desert Vista Community Center.

#### **CRIME PREVENTION**

Invitation to our Zoom Chat with Manuel Barela, Crime Prevention Specialist, Summerlin Area Command Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department.

Tuesday, March 26, 2024, at 9 a.m.

Zoom invitations will be emailed via e-blasts and will also be available on the Sun City Summerlin website at www.suncitysummerlin.co



#### RELIGIOUS SERVICES DIRECTORY

**Mountain View Presbyterian · 702-341-7800** Pastor David W. Dendy, 8601 Del Webb Blvd.

St. Andrew Lutheran · 702-255-1990 Rev. Phillip Shuart. 8901 Del Webb Blvd. Services 8:30 a.m., 10 a.m.

S.C. Community Church · 702-255-PRAY (7729) 8560 Del Webb Blvd.

**Temple Bet Knesset Bamidbar · 702-228-6362**President Arlene Goodman, Moreh Alan Spector, Cantor Marla Goldberg.

#### **SERVICE GROUPS**

#### Sun City Summerlin Charities/Volunteers 702-254-5831

Open Mon. – Fri. 9 – 11 a.m., weekdays. Will return calls within 24 hours on weekdays.

#### Sunshine Service Warehouse 702-341-9741

Open Mon. - Sat., 9-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. Closed Sunday

#### SUPPORT GROUPS

Alcoholics Anonymous · Mountain View Presb. Church, 8601 Del Webb Blvd., Sat., 5 p.m. St. Andrew Lutheran Church, 8901 Del Webb Blvd. · Sun., 5 & 7:30 p.m.; Mon., 7 p.m. (Women's mtg.); Tues., 7 p.m. (Men's mtg.) Thurs. noon & 7:30 p.m. Lauren T. at 917-687-8669.

Al-Anon · St. Andrew's Church, 8901 Del Webb Blvd., Wed., Noon, Joan Taylor at 951-533-5455

**DivorceCare** Mountain View Presbyterian Church, 8601 Del Webb Bl., Mon., 6:30 – 8 p.m. Call Susan **861-769-0302** 

Narcotics Anonymous, Mountain View Presbyterian Church, 8601 Del Webb Bl., Tues., 5:30 – 6:30 p.m., 702-341-7800

**Alzheimer's**, Desert Vista · 1st and 3rd Wed., 10 a.m. Call Marlene Wilson, **702-254-6144** 

#### **Caregiver Support Group**

Desert Vista, 2nd Monday of the month, 10 a.m. Call Ivy Goldman, 224-715-9629

Compassionate Friends of Summerlin, Mountain View Presbyterian Church, 8601 Del Webb Bl., 1st & 3rd Thurs., 6:30-8:30 p.m., 702-401-9678

**Gamblers Anonymous**, Mountain View Presb. Church, 8601 Del Webb Blvd., Mon., 7 p.m. Call Doug C, **702-862-6847** 

**GriefShare**, Mountain View Presbyterian, 8601 Del Webb Blvd., 14-week series. For dates and time, call Kathi. **702-524-2544** 

Women's Support Group · End the Struggle & Thrive! Desert Vista. For dates, times & info, call Skye at 702-461-3935

**Autism, ADHD & Sensitive People.** Help & Support! Desert Vista. For date, times & info, call Skye at **702-461-3935** 

#### Community Organizations Meetings

Residents' Forum

Wednesday, January 10, 5:30 p.m. Pinnacle

#### Sun City Summerlin Patrol

Tuesday, January 23, 6 p.m.

Desert Vista

#### Neighborhood Preparedness Team (NPT)

Wednesday, January 24, 10 a.m. Desert Vista

> Sunshine Service Group

No January Meeting

#### January New Resident Orientation Dates



Held at Mountain Shadows by Appointment.
Please call Membership Services at (702) 966-1401.

<u>Tuesdays</u>	Thursdays	
9:30 a.m.	4 p.m.	
Jan. 9	Jan. 4	
Jan. 16	Jan. 11	
Jan. 23	Jan. 18	
Jan. 30	Jan. 25	

Residents and/or Renters: Please contact Membership Services for an appointment or a cancellation.

## AARP FOUNDATION TAX-AIDE

AARP Volunteers will again prepare free federal income tax returns from February 1 to April 13, 2024, in the Mint Room at Mountain Shadows on Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. – 4 p.m.

There are 3 ways to make appointments:

**IN PERSON** at Mountain Shadows on Wednesday, January 17, and Wednesday, January 24, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

**ON-LINE** beginning mid-January at: nvtaxaide.org

**BY CALLING 702-381-0655** after January 2.

NOTE: Calls are returned in the order received so please don't make multiple calls and DO NOT CALL THE SOCIAL

MONITORS AT MOUNTAIN SHADOWS!

You **MUST** bring a completed intake sheet which can be picked up prior to your appointment on Thursday, Friday, or

Saturday from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. *OR* downloaded from nvtaxaide.org website. Also bring a copy of last year's return, Social Security cards, photo ID, and IRS PIN number if you have been issued one. If you want a direct deposit or direct debit, please bring a voided check. Be sure to bring *ALL* W2's, 1099R's, interest and dividend statements, Social Security SSA1099's, W2G's, broker statements, proof of health insurance and any receipts for your miscellaneous deductions.

**PLEASE NOTE:** We will only prepare returns for electronic filing, no paper returns. **WE CANNOT PREPARE RETURNS** for married filing separately, state income tax, rental property deductions, solar energy credit and businesses or partnerships.

If you have any tax questions, feel free to call Mike Sanders **702-724-0476**.



THIS IS A FREE DROP-IN EVENT AND DOES NOT REQUIRE A TICKET OR PRE-REGISTRATION.

# NPT INAUGURAL SENIOR RESOURCE FAIR for Sun City Summerlin

Friday February 2, 2024

9:00am-1:00pm

Desert Vista Ballroom

The Senior Resource Fair is a great opportunity to learn

about services such as adult day care, caregiver support, food support, home modification and minor home repair, medical equipment, hospice and palliative care, programs for individuals with low or no vision, respite care, senior companions, services for Alzheimer's patients, transportation and utility assistance. Come get answers to questions and connect with resources to help you stay in your own home.

#### **Educational Breakout Sessions**

(Please note that each breakout session will be approximately 30 minutes in length)

9:15 am Three Square - Golden Groceries: Because Your Golden Years Should be Delicious

9:45 am Helping Hands of Vegas Valley: All About Our Organization

Bureau of Services for the Blind: A Variety of Services for Eligible Individuals
Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired

Nathan Adelson Hospice - Advocating for Yourself: A Guide to Advanced Directives and Durable Power of Attorney

Powershift Programs from NV Energy: Free Home Energy Assessments, Smart Thermostats, and Appliance Replacements

JFSA Senior Services: Nevada Care Connection Resource Center and Americorps Senior Volunteer Program

12:15 pm RTC: Specialized Public Transit Options

12:45 pm Rebuilding Together: Safe at Home and Critical Home Repair Programs



Neighborhood Preparedness Team Residents will be required to show their Sun City Summerlin membership card at the door. One family member, caregiver or guest allowed per resident.

Your Safety Means Everything To Us







#### Be RED CROSS Ready

#### FREE 1 Hour Emergency Preparedness Training for Sun City Summerlin

Wednesday, January 24, 2024 10:00am-11:00am Desert Vista Room 1 & 2

#### No Ticket Required, Space is limited

Floods, hurricanes and wildfires are becoming more frequent and can be devastating to our loved ones, homes and communities.

Build confidence by learning simple steps you can take now, to help prepare and protect your family. It's easy to learn through one of the Red Cross free disaster preparedness trainings!

Hosted by the American Red Cross, Be Red Cross Ready is a national, standardized, FREE preparedness education curriculum for adults taught by certified presenters. The program is designed to help people understand, prepare for and respond appropriately to disasters.

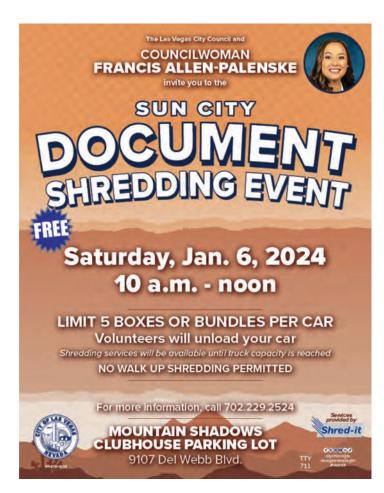
















## HOLDAY LIGHTS

A big "Congrats" and "Thank You" to all the Holiday Lights Contest participants. What a treat to drive around our community to delight in the gorgeous decorations and lights! A special Thank You to all residents who took the time to decorate their homes for the holidays. The winners received Prize Packages from area merchants. Thank you from everyone in Community Services to all those who helped to make the holidays a little brighter and filled the season with more cheer this year! We appreciate your participation and all your support and efforts.

#### 1st Place

Steve Miller 8604 Lynhurst Drive

#### 2nd Place

Myron + Janet Nabor 2716 Faiss Drive

#### 3rd Place

Jose + Nancy Fudotan 2537 Desert Butte Drive

#### **Honorable Mentions:**

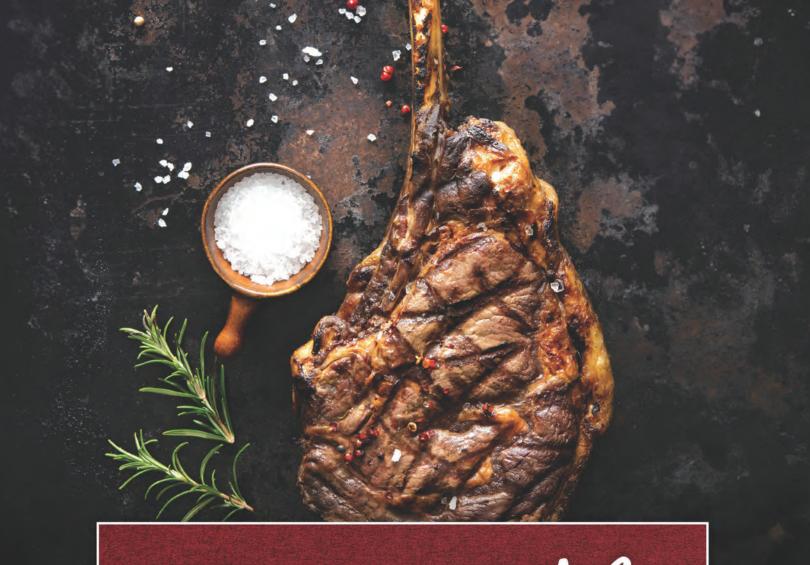
2600 Desert Butte Drive

3016 Faiss Drive

9649 Blue Bell Drive







## Miliam 1/5steakhouse

# EXPERIENCE LEGENDARY DINING

SuncoastCasino.com





Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1 p.m. "LOVE AGAIN"

Priyanka Chopra Jonas, Sam Heughan, Sofia Barklay and Nick Jonas. Comedy/Drama/Romance 2023

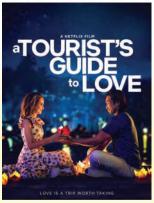
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Thursday, Jan. 18, 11 a.m. "LAURA"

Classic Movie Gene Tierney, Dana Andrews, and Clifton Webb. Drama/Film-Noir/Mystery 1944

NR, 1h 28m



Wednesday, February 7, 1 p.m. "A TOURIST'S GUIDE TO LOVE"

Rachael Leigh Cook, Scott Ly, Ben Feldman. Adventure/Comedy/Romance 2023 TV-PG 1h 34m



Thursday, February 15, 11 a.m. "THE SECRET OF SANTA VITTORIA"

Classic Movie Anthony Quinn, Anna Magnani. Comedy/Drama/War 1969 PG-13 2h 19m

We would love to hear from you! Do you have a movie in mind you would like to see? Please send your suggestions to Tina Marie Montoya at TinaM@suncitylv.com. We are always looking for great ideas, so reach out and let us know! Enjoy the shows!







#### **Bus Trip: Luxor Museums** King Tut - Bodies - Titanic

Thursday, January 4 · Bus Departs Pinnacle at 1 p.m. Returns to the Pinnacle at approximately 7 p.m.

**King Tut's Tomb...**Celebrate this amazing find by exploring the immersive exhibition **Discovering King Tut's Tomb**. Peer through the wall of the antechamber, unlock the burial room, and 1:30 p.m. come face-to-face with the mummy. Titanic: Experience the wonder and tragedy of the world's most famous ocean-liner, **Titanic.** Over 250 authentic artifacts recovered from the wreck site of **Titanic**, as well as extensive recreations of some of the most famous rooms from the Ship. **Bodies:** Using an innovative 7 p.m. preservation process, the Exhibition showcases real full-bodies and 7:45 p.m.

organs, providing a detailed, three-dimensional vision of the human form rarely seen outside of an anatomy lab. Included: Round trip transportation, experienced tour quide and general timed admission to three museums! Suggested gratuity for Tour Director \$5, and Coach Driver \$3.

Itinerary 1 p.m.

All times are approximate and subject to change. Depart Pinnacle Parking Lot (by the mailbox)

Arrive at the Luxor Hotel & Casino and experience King Tut's Tomb, the Titanic Experience and Bodies Exhibit. Enjoy some free time for some dinner, snacks, or cocktails at one of the restaurants, bars and lounges the Luxor has to offer.

Depart the Luxor Hotel & Casino Arrive Pinnacle Parking Lot

Purchase may be made online with a credit card or pay with cash or check at the Community Centers (exact change required).

### **Bus Trip**



#### Shark Reef Aquarium at Mandalay Bay

#### Bus Trip: Shark Reef

Wednesday, January 24 · Bus Departs Pinnacle at 2:30 p.m. Returns to the Pinnacle at approximately 6:30 p.m.

**Shark Reef Aquarium...** Take a walk on the wild side with more than 2,000 animals at the **Shark Reef Aquarium!** Whether you are looking to gaze at the friendly creatures from inside the shipwreck, or thrill your senses diving alongside the sharks, **Shark Reef Aquarium** is sure to keep you mesmerized from start to finish! **Undersea Explorer VR Theater:** Have you ever dreamed of swimming with a humpback whale in Tonga or diving next to a 15-foot tiger shark in the Bahamas? Now's the time to make that dream a reality in the 36-seat motion-platform VR theater. Put on your headset, sit back in the motion seats, and be immersed in a world of undersea adventure. A 360° 3-D virtual reality technology transports you to the South Pacific with humpback whales or dive with tiger sharks and great hammerheads in the turquoise waters of

Tiger Beach in the Bahamas. *Includes:* Round trip transportation, experienced tour guide and general timed admission to the Shark Reef Aquarium & Underwater Explorer VR Experience. *Suggested gratuity for Tour Director \$5.00, and Coach Driver \$3.00. Ticket purchase deadline is Wednesday, January 3rd.* 

#### Itinerary

2:30 p.m. Depart Pinnacle Parking Lot (by the mailbox) 3 p.m. Arrive Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino, Expe

Arrive Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino, Experience the wonders of the Shark Reef Aquarium & Undersea Explorer Virtual Reality Experience. Enjoy some free time to have a snack or quick dinner at the Mandalay Bay Food Court or one of the

many restaurants and bars.

6 p.m. Depart Mandalay Bay Resort & Casino

6:30 p.m. Arrive Pinnacle Parking Lot

All times are approximate and subject to change.

#### Valentine's Dinner & Dance featuring Hot Ice

Saturday, February 10 6 - 9 p.m. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Desert Vista Ballroom

Will you please be our Valentine?
Join us for a Valentine's
Dinner & Dance and Rock

Around the Clock with **Hot Ice Band! Hot Ice** will be playing a variety of music that is guaranteed to move your heart and your feet. Featuring all '50s dance music! Taking you back to them good oldies of yesteryear! Enjoy a sweetheart buffet dinner with delicious desserts provided by our Food & Beverage Department. A cash bar will be available all evening with all your favorite libations including Champagne!



#### Valentine's Dinner Menu

#### Starters

Mixed greens salad with strawberries and choice of dressing  $\cdot$  Mixed fruit

#### Main Entrees

Grilled chicken breast w/choice of sauce  $\cdot$  Herb crusted pork loin  $\cdot$  Vegetable lasagna

#### Sides

Rice pilaf · Green beans with ham and bacon

#### Desserts

Chocolate covered strawberries · Cheesecake with a topping

Purchase may be made online with a credit card or pay with cash or check at the Community Centers (exact change required).

#### Bus Trip: Death Valley with **Rhyolite Ghost** Town

Thursday, February 8 · Bus departs Pinnacle Parking Lot at 7:30 a.m. · Returns to the Pinnacle Parking Lot at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Begin your tour with a rest stop in Beatty before moving on to the Rhyolite Ghost Town. Walk along the statues at the Goldwell Open Air Museum. Next stop is Death Valley National Park. See the Visitor Center & Death Valley Museum and visit Furnace Creek Ranch where you can get some lunch. (Lunch is not included in the ticket price.) Next stop, Badwater Basin, the lowest point in the continental US. Then head to **Zabriskie Point** which offers the last viewpoint of **Death Valley**. A rest & dinner stop in Pahrump on the way home completes your trip. (Dinner is not included in the ticket price.) **Includes:** Sightseeing at **Death Valley** National Park, Rhyolite Ghost Town, Goldwell Open Air Museum, Pahrump in a Deluxe coach with lavatory, climate control, and reclining seats and the service of a Tour Director. Gratuities are not included. *Ticket purchase deadline January 26th*.



#### **Itinerary**

7:30 a.m. Depart Pinnacle Parking Lot (by the mailbox)

9:30 a.m. Beatty Rest Stop

10:30 a.m. Visit Rhyolite Ghost Town, Goldwell Open Air

Museum

11:30 a.m. Welcome to Death Valley National Park,

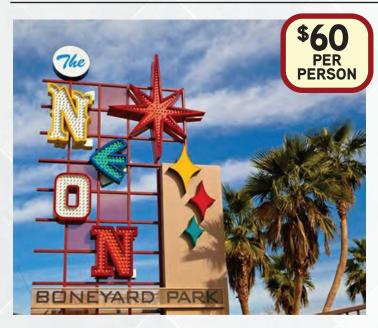
**Furnace Creek Ranch** 

2:30 p.m. Depart Furnace Creek

3 p.m. **Badwater Basin** Zabriskie Point 4 p.m.

5 p.m. Pahrump Rest & Dinner Stop

Arrive Pinnacle Parking Lot 7:30 p.m. All times are approximate and subject to change.



#### Bus Trip: Neon Museum -**Neon Boneyard**

Wednesday, February 21 · Bus departs Pinnacle Parking Lot at 6 p.m. · Returns to the Pinnacle Parking Lot at approximately 8:30 p.m.

**The Neon Museum** campus includes the outdoor exhibition space known as the **Neon Boneyard Main Collection**, the Neon Boneyard North Gallery, which houses additional rescued signs, and a Visitors' Center housed inside the former La **Concha Motel** lobby. The **Main Boneyard** contains more than 250 unrestored signs which are, at sunset, illuminated with ground lighting as well as numerous restored signs which are on all the time. **Note:** Backpacks and large bags are not allowed in the Museum. As a courtesy, they can be checked in at the box office. Small personal bags no larger than 12" x 12" x 6 " 30cm x 30cm x 15cm are welcome. **Includes:** Transportation, service of a Tour Director, admission to the **Neon Boneyard** self-guided nighttime experience of the **Main Boneyard** at your own pace. Gratuities are not included. *Ticket purchase deadline February 7th*.

#### **Itinerary**

6 p.m. Depart Pinnacle Parking Lot (by the mailbox)

6:30 p.m. Arrive at The Neon Museum and enjoy at your leisure. Bottled water is allowed. Packaged food

and drinks are also available for purchase in the

Museum store.

8 p.m. Depart The Neon Museum 8:30 p.m. Arrive Pinnacle Parking Lot All times are approximate and subject to change.

Purchase may be made online with a credit card or pay with cash or check at the Community Centers (exact change required).

## Spring Arts & Crafts Fair Sign-Up Day

Thursday, February 22, 8 to 10 a.m. · Desert Vista Community Center

Calling all artists and crafters! Get in the "early bird" line at Desert Vista to sign-up for a booth on Thursday, February 22! The Sun City Summerlin Spring Arts & Crafts Fair is the perfect venue for you to show off your creations and sell your work. This popular event takes place on Saturday, April 6, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at the Desert Vista Community

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Center. Spaces are available and sold to Sun City Summerlin residents only, so please show your Association card at the time of purchase. Only hand-crafted items are allowed at the event.

Prepared food sales are not permitted. Spaces are limited. Please bring a check or exact cash. **Purchased spaces are non-refundable**.

#### 18th Annual Home Expo

Saturday, March 2 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Desert Vista Ballroom

Are you looking to remodel your home and give it a fresh new look? Do you need new lighting, kitchen counters, or are you just ready for a change? It's that time of year to talk to the experts. We are bringing an entire home remodeling showcase to the Desert Vista Community Center so you can get all the information you need without leaving your community! Representatives will be on hand to answer your questions, conduct demonstrations, and show you some of their products. Don't miss this great opportunity to check out some creative ideas for your next home improvement project.







"The Ultimate Variety Show Vegas Top Impersonators & Impressionists"

Saturday, January 6, 1 p.m. & 6 p.m.. • \$35

Remember all the wonderful Variety shows we all grew up on in the 70's & 80's? Now is your chance to see them live and re-created by Las Vegas' number one impersonators of all time.

Anthony & Eddie Edwards use state of the art make-up to look and sound like the

superstars of today and yesterday. All your favorite legendary Superstars come alive in SUPER STARS ON STAGE THE ULTIMATE VARIETY SHOW. Cher, Billy Joel, Elton John, Neil Diamond, Lady Gaga, Bette Midler, Barbra Streisand, Andrea Bocelli, Dolly Parton, and many many more hosted by THE EDWARDS TWINS FROM LAS VEGAS. All live vocal. "A must-see show."

MISTINGUETT PRODUCTIONS
PRESENTS
"Dennis Blair's
The Rendezvous starring
Tony Arias"

Tuesday, January 9, 6 p.m. • \$20

Step into the dazzling world of Las Vegas with **Tony Arias: Larger Than Life!** For nearly four decades, **Tony Arias** has enchanted audiences along the iconic Las Vegas Strip, earning his place as an extraordinary entertainer. Standing tall at 6'3", **Tony's** charismatic boyish charm, lightning-quick wit, and remarkable

ERENDEZVOUS

LARGER THAN LIFE

Sexy! Silly! Statuesque!

TONY ARIAS

A hilarious upbeat show filled with well known songs from the 70's Elvis Presley, Robert Goulet, Lou Rowls, Broadway, Charlie Rich and much more)

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 6PM

STARBRIGHT THEATRE / \$20

singing voice make him a truly versatile performer. In this unforgettable show, **Tony** takes the stage alongside seasoned Las Vegas musicians **Adam Shendal** on drums, **Danny DeMorales** on bass, and **Maestro Michael Dubay** on keys, delivering a hilarious upbeat performance featuring hits from the 70s, **Elvis Presley**, **Robert Goulet**, **Lou Rawls**, **Broadway**, **Charlie Rich**, and more!

Tickets go on sale on the last Tuesday of the month so be sure to get your tickets early for all Starbright Theatre sho and Pinnacle Community Centers. Tickets are non-refundable. Purchases may be made online with a credit card or pay with o A cash bar will be set up in the lobby

## STARBRIGHTTHEATRE

NO FOOD



#### TAD MANAGEMENT PRESENTS "The Ultimate Carrie"

Saturday, January 13, 6 p.m. • \$35

"ULTIMATE CARRIE" is a high-energy tribute to Carrie Underwood. This show features a six-piece country band and starring vocal powerhouse Victoria Fairclough. This concert takes you through the career of Carrie Underwood beginning with her humble audition at American Idol to the heady heights of one of the world's leading country artists. You will hear all the hits including "Inside Your Heaven", "Jesus, Take the Wheel", "Cowboy Casanova", and "Before He Cheats". Victoria Fairclough commands the stage with her incredible talent and performance, accompanied by her talented high-energy six-piece country band. Prepared to be BLOWN AWAY by Victoria Fairclough as she delivers the "Ultimate Carrie Underwood Tribute"!

ows. Tickets may be bought online at www.suncitysummerlin.com as well as at the Mountain Shadows, Desert Vista, cash or check at the community centers (exact change required). For information on Starbright Theatre shows, call 240-1301. The drinks allowed inside the theatre

## NO FOOD STARBRIGHT THEATRE

#### MISTINGUETT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS

#### "Kathleen Dunbar's COMEDY TONIGHT"

Wednesday, January 17, 6 p.m. • \$20

Get ready to bring the laughter back to Summerlin. **Kathleen and Mistinguett Productions** are now bringing the **Best Headliners in Vegas** to the Starbright. Standup Comedy, one of the most original forms of entertainment differs from other performing arts in that a skilled comedian can artfully expose humor in everyday life to an audience's amusement. Spending the evening with 3 talented comedians can create laughter where



you least expect to find it. With a very successful 5-year run and counting, **COMEDY TONIGHT** is back to stay. As always, we will have our bar with assorted beverages available. GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY!



#### MISTINGUETT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS

#### "Chicago IX...Greatest Hits"

Saturday, January 20, 6 p.m. • \$30

Performed by "The ALBUMPALOOZA™ Chicago Band", CHICAGO IX, with special guests THE LON BRONSON HORN SECTION! Chicago's Greatest Hits is the first greatest hits album, and ninth album overall, by the American band Chicago and was released in 1975 by Columbia Records. Including all of Chicago's biggest hits to date, this set stretches from their 1969 debut, The Chicago Transit Authority, to 1974's Chicago VII. With super hits such as "Saturday"

in the Park", "25 or 6 to 4", "Color My World", "Does Anybody Really Know What Time It Is?", "Beginnings" and more! Plus, a special bonus segment featuring the greatest horn songs of all time including hits from STEELY DAN, THE BLUES BROTHERS, BLOOD SWEAT AND TEARS, and more. The "Albumpalooza™" Concert Series is an enduring retrospective to the music in the grooves; a complete and cohesive piece of art performed as it was intended to be heard – conceptual in nature. Live and in person. Don't miss this amazing musical experience. GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY!!!

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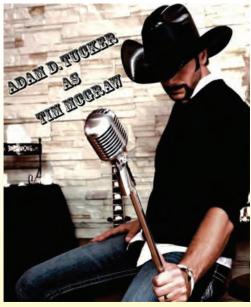
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#### ADAM TUCKER PRESENTS

#### "Million Dollar McGraw with Vegas McGraw"

Saturday, January 27, 6 p.m. • \$30

Presenting a powerful show that thrills and captivates audiences everywhere. This **Tim McGraw** tribute performed by Nashville recording artist and Las Vegas Entertainer **Adam D. Tucker** accurately recreates the music and mystique of country music ICON **Tim McGraw**. **Adam** recently WON episode 3 on the new hit TV show executive produced by **Jimmy Fallon** called **Clash of The Cover Bands!** He and his talented crew have opened for 42 National Acts all over the United States, including: **Taylor Swift**, **Trace Adkins**, **Jason Aldean**, **Charlie Daniels**, **Blake Shelton**, **Josh Turner**, **Luke Bryan**, **Eric Church**, **Tracy Lawrence**, etc. The timeless sound of **Tim McGraw** proves appealing to audiences of all ages, bringing back memories and touching the hearts of all. This talented group of musicians showcase **Tim McGraw's** mega-hits from the 90's such as "Don't Take the Girl", "I



*Like It I Love It"*, "Everywhere" and his current radio hits of today! This tribute was formed to salute **Tim McGraw** and bring his music to your city, so get ready to experience the best **Tim McGraw** tribute show going today!



## DEFINITIVE TALENTS PRESENTS "Art Vargas - Vegas' Golden Era 'Featuring Guest Star Laura Shaffer'"

Wednesday, January 31, 6 p.m. • \$25

**Art Vargas** has been entertaining Vegas audiences for over 35 yrs., representing the style, music and showmanship of classic Las Vegas and the legendary entertainers of the **Vegas' Golden Era** of yesteryear. With the finger snappin' cool of **Bobby Darin** and the swinging exuberance of **Louis Prima, Vargas** embodies the spirit and passion of those great showmen of song. **Art Vargas** delivers audiences a classic Las Vegas lounge experience of exciting

performances with style, class, song, dance, and personality plus, with the stage experience to back it up. One of the original stars of world famous 'Legends in Concert' with his acclaimed Bobby Darin tribute, (which brought him to Vegas from Detroit, Michigan in 1987,) Art also captured the excitement and personality of Darin on stage. Art Vargas has received accolades from both audiences and critics with his nostalgic shows known as the best there is. Vargas brings the Golden Era of entertainment to the 21st century, appreciates the nostalgia-hungry audience, and delivers exactly what they want, like no other!

ows. Tickets may be bought online at www.suncitysummerlin.com as well as at the Mountain Shadows, Desert Vista, cash or check at the community centers (exact change required). For information on Starbright Theatre shows, call 240-1301. The description of the community centers (exact change required). For information on Starbright Theatre shows, call 240-1301.





## TAD MANAGEMENT PRESENTS "Rock the Boat – The Very Best of Yacht Rock"

Saturday, February 3, 6 p.m. • \$35

Rock The Boat - The Very Best of Yacht Rock! Smooth, soft rock from the 1970s and 1980s has a new name: YACHT ROCK! ... and we're sailing onto your stage to bring you their best music. This amazing, hit-filled concert features songs from Kenny Loggins, Michael McDonald, Hall & Oates, Christopher Cross, Ambrosia, The Doobie Brothers, Rupert Holmes, England Dan & John Ford Coley and many

more. Some of the finest musicians around have come together to produce and enjoy this guilty pleasure concert!

#### "Barrie Cunningham's Jimmy Buffett Tribute 'Jimmy is Back'"

Wednesday, February 7, 6 p.m. • \$30

Jimmy Buffett is the world's most famous beach bum. He has marketed his love of beaches, bars, boats, and ballads into a billion-dollar business. He has sold more albums and filled more concert venues than most musical superstars. Barrie Cunnigham has been perfor-

ming **Buffett's** music for almost as long as **Buffett** himself. He takes the audience on a musical journey. It's like an "ALL YOU CAN EAT BUFFETT". Barrie sings all the songs you know by heart like "Come Monday", "Cheeseburger in Paradise", "Changes in Latitudes, Changes in Attitudes", and the national anthem of all **Parrot Heads**, "Margaritaville." Join us to celebrate **Jimmy Buffett's** music in **Parrotdise** at the one and only Starbright Theatre.



Tickets go on sale on the last Tuesday of the month so be sure to get your tickets early for all Starbright Theatre sho and Pinnacle Community Centers. Tickets are non-refundable. Purchases may be made online with a credit card or pay with o A cash bar will be set up in the lobby NO FOOD



"Dennis Blair's

The Rendezvous...back By
Popular Demand starring
Nikki Logan, Toscha Comeaux
and Amanda King"

Tuesday, February 13, 6 p.m. • \$20

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND, NIKKI LOGAN, TOSCHA COMEAUX and AMANDA KING return in a stunning showcase of JAZZ,

BLUES, and the **LEGENDS!** Experience **Amanda's** resonant take on **Ella's** classics, **Toscha's** soulful rendition of "When IFall in Love", and **Nikki's** bluesy twist to "Oh Baby Baby". These captivating artists, individually adored for their solo acts at the Starbright Theatre, now unite their extraordinary voices for an unprecedented fusion of styles. Witness this exclusive convergence, a musical spectacle never seen before. Don't miss your chance; secure your tickets early for this quaranteed sell-out concert.

#### MISTINGUETT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS Coast II Coast Productions

#### "Freedom-Santana Experience"

Saturday, February 17, 6 p.m. • \$25

Feel the vibrant pulse of Latin rock as Freedom: The Santana Experience ignites the stage, delivering spine-tingling renditions of "Smooth", "Evil Ways", "Maria Maria", "Oye Como Va", "Black Magic Woman", and many more. This six-piece tribute band, boasting Las Vegas' finest



talents, exudes an electrifying synergy that echoes the spirit of **Santana's** timeless classics. Established in 2018, **Freedom** captivates audiences with an explosive, high-octane performance, seamlessly blending nostalgia, and contemporary flair. Brace yourself for an unforgettable musical journey, compelling every soul to sway, dance, and revel in the hypnotic rhythms of **Santana's** legendary oeuvre.

ows. Tickets may be bought online at www.suncitysummerlin.com as well as at the Mountain Shadows, Desert Vista, cash or check at the community centers (exact change required). For information on Starbright Theatre shows, call 240-1301. The drinks allowed inside the theatre





## MISTINGUETT PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS "Kathleen Dunbar's COMEDY TONIGHT"

Wednesday, February 28, 6 p.m. • \$20

Get ready to bring the laughter back to Summerlin. **Kathleen and Mistinguett Productions** are now bringing the **Best Headliners in Vegas** to the Starbright. Stand-up Comedy, one of the most original forms of entertainment differs from other performing arts in that a skilled comedian can artfully expose humor in everyday life to an audience's amusement. Spending the evening with 3 talented comedians can create laughter where you least

expect to find it. With a very successful 5-year run and counting, **COMEDY TONIGHT** is back to stay. As always, we will have our bar with assorted beverages available. *GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY!* 

## SCS COMMUNITY THEATRE PRESENTS "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum"

Friday, February 23, 6 p.m. Saturday, February 24, 6 p.m. Sunday, February 25, 2 p.m. • \$20

Called Broadway's Greatest Farce, A
Funny Thing Happened on the Way to
the Forum is a hilarious musical sure to
make you Laugh Out Loud! When a wily
Roman slave schemes to earn his freedom
by romantically uniting his master with a
lovely young courtesan, things get



complicated. Neighbors get involved and chaos ensues! It's filled with plot twists & turns and even a few "ladies of the evening". It's Definitely Not your typical Romantic Comedy!

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A cash bar will be set up in the lobby & drinks allowed inside the theatre

#### Live Events at

## THE SUMMIT

Doors open at 5:30 p.m. Tickets for Blues Night and Band Nights are \$15 per person. Tickets go on sale the last Tuesday of the month and may be purchased online at www.suncitysummerlin.com with a credit card or at the Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle Community Centers with cash or check. Exact change required. Tickets are non-refundable. Food and full bar available for purchase. No outside food permitted in The Summit during events. **Must be 21 years or older to enter.** Filming at these events may be taking place.



#### BLUES NIGHT Rick Berthod Tuesday, January 2, 6-8 p.m. | \$15

Rick Berthod back by popular demand!
Rick was inducted into the Las Vegas
Blues Hall of Fame by Rita King,
daughter of his idol, B.B. King and has
played at Los Angeles venues such as
Universal City's BB King's Blues
Club Restaurant and Harvell's Blues
Club in Santa Monica, Rick can now be
seen performing in Las Vegas venues
such as the House of Blues, at
Lucille's Smokehouse Bar-B-Que at
the Red Rock Hotel & Casino in
Summerlin.



#### BAND NIGHT 9T's Friday, January 5, 6-8 p.m. | \$15

Meet **9T's** – a powerhouse of classic rock, Top 40 hits, and rhythm and blues, dedicated to turning every performance into a non-stop dance party. This dynamic trio seamlessly weaves together iconic rock anthems, chart-topping favorites, and soulful R&B grooves. With infectious energy and tight musicality, **9T's** guarantees a night of pulsating rhythms, timeless tunes, and a dance floor that stays alive from the first note to the last encore. Get ready to move and groove with the ultimate dance experience!



#### BAND NIGHT UROCK Friday, January 19, 6-8 p.m. | \$15

UROCK, a 4-piece acoustic/electric rock band consisting of an All-Star group of top Vegas musicians from different bands. Featuring the best vocals in town staring Keith Steven Caplan from The Who Invasion tribute band. Our drummer, Deron DeStephanis is from the band High Rocktane! We will bring you sets that have the best stuff and we always bring the house down!

#### SAVE THE DATE FOR THESE UPCOMING FEBRUARY EVENTS

BLUES NIGHT • On the Corner Blues, Tuesday, February 6, at 6 p.m.

FRIDAY BAND NIGHTS. Jolli's Jammer's, Friday, February 2, at 6 p.m. • Lara Ash & The Inferno, Friday, February 16 at 6 p.m.

### Committee Member Application Contact Info

\*Indicates Response Required

FIRST NAME*
LAST NAME*
EMAIL ADDRESS*
PREFERRED PHONE NUMBER *
Committee Interest
Please use the following section to identify up to three (3) committee(s) you would like to serve on for the 2024-2025 year.
List the Committees you are interested in the order of your priority.
If you would like to be considered for more than one Committee check this box. $\Box$
Name of Committee*
Were you a member of this Committee in 2023-2024 □
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For EACH committee you are considering, please briefly answer these questions on a separate page.
Why are you interested in serving on the committee(s) you have selected?
What experience do you have that may be beneficial to the committees you have selected?
Signed
Dated
Return application with your response to questions to:

Return application with your response to questions to: Mitzi Mills, Executive Director, Administrative Office 9107 Del Webb Boulevard, Las Vegas, NV 89134.

## NEW LOOK Photos courtesy of Norman Wright, Kelly-Mae Mahoney, and Gail Abrams



Ladies enjoying lunch at The Summit.



An avid golfer tees off at Highland Falls following closure for overseed.



Gratitude Garden celebration with food and music, following the ribbon cutting ceremony.



Ribbon cutting for the Library at Mountain Shadows was warmly received.



Tennis Club members are delighted with the newly renovated tennis courts at Mountain Shadows.



The Starbright Theatre has added cupholders.



Renovations at Lake 10 at Palm Valley have been completed (the lake was drained, reshaped and the liner was replaced).



The newly renovated Summit Restaurant.

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## THE SUMMIT

January Dinner Specials

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(first come, first serve, with no advance reservations)

\$25



Option #1: Chicken Marsala, Grilled Vegetables, Roasted Red Potatoes, Mixed Field Greens, Roll & Butter, Chef's Choice of Dessert



Option #2: Tilapia, Steamed Broccoli, Mixed Field Greens, Rice Pilaf, Roll & Butter, Chef's Choice of Dessert





# "That Time of Vear AGAIN!" With the New Year ahead, seems we all give some thought

to perhaps resolutions - if we make them or not. Our intentions are good, and we vow every year, this time will be different; we make that guite clear. How many we keep, well, that simply depends if we walk more, eat better, so bad habits will end! Our intentions are good, and we make them, 'here's hopin' ... yet, before the month's over, almost have been broken. We try to save money - then shopping does run amuck and we're looking out front for the Amazon truck. We should exercise more and lay off of the bread; find a healthier choice - try raw veggies instead. We'll eliminate junk food, and pass on the cake, we'll snack on some carrots but find THAT's a mistake! But it's just not the same, even if we use dips; all the good things to eat can end up on our hips! The thought seemed to work, and in theory sounds right then our dreams turn to chocolate when we're sleeping at night We'll be patient at red lights, won't get mad at the news and be a little more tolerant of alternative views. We thought we could do it, so we did what we could but the spirit was weak and the temptation TOO good. We all have high hopes of the changes we plan and the first day or two, we do the best that we can. But before the month's over, not knowing just when gone are the best laid plans of both mice and men. That carrot we grabbed instead of the pie will soon have us asking, "Resolutions...But WHY?" We gave it a shot - 'alas and alack...' we find that in no time we simply revert back and fall into those habits we swore would soon end, with resolutions now broken we don't bother to mend. ...and flowing like sand through the hourglass of time, resolutions are hills we can't seem to climb. So come this New Year as we welcome '24. those New Year resolutions have become such a bore. We need more time to ponder, to commit without fear; if we want to make new ones - we'll just wait till next year!



By Patti Tripp/ Link

## 6th Annual FanFare Advertiser Expo

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## FITNESS

## Super Agers: How They Live Longer, Think Stronger, Enjoy Life More

How they do it, what they eat, what doctors think, and can you SUPER AGE too?

A "Super Ager" is someone over 80 with an exceptional memory, one at least as good as a person 20 or 30 years younger. Angela Roberts of the Canadian Centre for Activity and Aging has been collecting data on lifestyle factors by attaching wearable sensors to study super agers. Though findings are preliminary, they show that super agers in the study do 60 minutes a day of moderate to vigorous physical activity, some as much as 90 minutes, which is well above the 150 minutes a week that's generally recommended for older adults. Sensors also show that super agers tend to get more high-quality, uninterrupted regular sleep than non-super agers.

Researchers are starting to figure out why and how more of us can age the same way.

"7 secrets of the Super Agers" by Sari Harrar in a special report from the AARP Bulletin published November 2023, Vol. 64 No.9:

- 1. Super agers control their blood sugar and blood pressure.
- 2. Super agers talk to their friends a lot.
- 3. Super agers avoid stress and prioritize mental health.
- 4. Super agers prioritize sleep.
- 5. Super agers protect their vision and hearing.
- **6. Super agers don't exercise more, but they push themselves physically.** Spanish researchers found that what distinguished super agers most profoundly was that they have greater speed, mobility, agility, and balance then typical older adults despite reporting the same exercise frequency. One rea-

son may be that the super agers tend to do more demanding activities such as gardening or stair-climbing. In other words, walking a mile is good for you; walking fast for a mile to get your heart rate up is better.

7. Super agers do more than Wordle. Super agers do crossword puzzles and Sudoku games more often than normal agers, but they are also more likely to frequently read, listen to music, travel, play, games, and attend lectures and concerts. "Variety is beneficial," says brain-game researcher Aaron Seitz of Northeastern University. "Your brain needs to

Jessie Miles SCSCAI Director of Fitness

do a lot of different things."
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### Lifestyle: This is a big one

Several clues are starting to emerge that draw parallels between the lifestyle of super agers. Healthy-aging researchers have identified four common habits:

- A physically and intellectually active lifestyle
- The willingness or ability to constantly challenge oneself
- An active social life and a wide social network
- Moderation in all indulgences

## CALLING ALL SUPER AGERS IN SUN CITY SUMMERLIN!

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## **Seminars and Events**

Seminars and events are free. **Please see event details below for specific ticket information.** Tickets are available with Social Monitors at Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle Community Centers. If sold out, please arrive the day of the event to be put on a waitlist. Please call Fitness Dept. with questions 702-255-2294.

## New Year, New You: Reducing Inflammation

Wednesday, January 10, 3 p.m. · Sun Shadows



"Inflammation plays a key role in many diseases, some of which are becoming more common and severe," according to the National Health Institute. Chronic inflammatory diseases contribute to more than half of deaths worldwide. In fact, heart disease, diabetes II, rheumatoid arthritis, colon cancer, high blood pressure, many gastrointestinal disorders, lung diseases,

neurodegenerative diseases, and mental illnesses, like depression, are all caused by long-term inflammation. The good news is that there is much we can do to reduce it. In this session, Clinical Ayurvedic Specialist and Sun City Summerlin resident, Karen Callahan, will walk you through the lifestyle and diet choices that help reduce chronic inflammation, the disease conditions caused by it and how inflammation affects weight. Limited tickets are available beginning January 1 with Social Monitors at Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle.

## Parkinson's & Golden Heart Lunch & Learn

Wednesday, January 17, 12 p.m. · Desert Vista, Room 1



Join Todd Kuhnwald, PA-C from MK Medical to learn more about Parkinson's disease. Parkinson's disease is a progressive disorder that affects the nervous system and the parts of the body controlled by the nerves. Symptoms start slowly. There is a lot to know

about Parkinson's disease. Learn about its various symptoms, how it is diagnosed, treated and most importantly, how to live a better life with Parkinson's. While each person's experience with Parkinson's is unique, the more you know, the more empowered you will be to play an active role in your care and manage your life with Parkinson's. *Tickets will be available beginning January 1 with Social Monitors at Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle* 



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Registration is REQUIRED for this 10 week program. To register, please call the Fitness Department 702.255.2294.

## New Year, New You: Caregiver Edition

Wednesday, January 24, 12 p.m. - 3 p.m. · Sun Shadows

The nation is waking up to the fact that caregivers are essential to the well-being of families and the economy. Their sacrifices save lives and allows for millions of older adults and others with long- or short-term illnesses or disabilities to receive treatment at home. As the population ages, the demands on family caregivers are going to increase and take an even greater toll on their bodies and minds. We must equip caregivers to protect themselves as they face the rigors of their compassionate service to others. *Tickets will be available beginning January 1 with Social Monitors at Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle.* 

## Exploring Heart Health - Lunch & Learn

Wednesday, January 31, 12 p.m. · Desert Vista, Room 1



Join us in preparation for American Heart Month in February to learn all about Heart Health! Learn about the aspects of our lives that affect our heart and our heart's health. Multiple aspects of our lives affect our heart; from how we sleep, manage our stress, and move our bodies to having pets and eating colorful foods. With a greater understanding of what affects your heart, you're able to make informed decisions to better your heart health. Make this lunch & learn your first stop to learn the basics of heart health. *Tickets will be available beginning January 1 with Social Monitors at Desert Vista, Mountain Shadows and Pinnacle*.

## All Things Fitness

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## **Desert Vista**

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### **Indoor Pool & Spa - Salt**

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 Arthritis Club: Tues/Thurs 10:30-11:30am
 Swim Club:(No lanes available) Mon/Wed/Fri 9-10am
 At minimum, one lane available during aqua classes.

## Outdoor Pool – CLOSED Outdoor Spa – Salt Fitness Department Classes

Ready, Set, Balance: Mon/Wed/Fri 9am
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Sun City Strength: Mon/Wed/Fri 11am
Mat Pilates: Mon 12pm
Strength & Tone: Tues/Thurs 7am
Intermediate Strength: Tues/Thurs 11am
Step Aerobics: Wed 7am

### **Other Amenities**

- Strength & Cardio Equipment
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## **Sun Shadows**

8700 Del Webb Blvd Hours: 6am-8pm

### **Indoor Pool - Salt**

Aquacize Club: Mon-Sat 10-10:45am Aqua Zumba: Mon/Wed/Fri 11-11:50am WateRobics Club: Mon-Fri 9-9:45am

Mon/Wed/Fri 12-12:45pm

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### Indoor Spa - Salt

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Chair Yoga: Mon/Wed/Fri 7:30am & 8:30am Foam Roll & Stretch: Tues/Thurs 9am Active Stretch: Tues/Thurs 1pm Cardio Barre: Wed 11am Mat Pilates: Sat 10am

### **Other Amenities**

- Cardio Equipment
- Bocce Ball

## **Mountain Shadows**

9107 Del Webb Blvd Hours: 6am-8pm

**Outdoor Pool - CLOSED** 

**Indoor Spa - Salt** 

### Other Amenities

- Strength & Cardio Equipment
- Racquetball Court
- Horseshoes, Mini Golf, Cornhole, Shuffleboard, Tennis Courts & Walking Track

## **Pinnacle**

2205 Thomas Ryan Blvd Hours: 6am-8pm

Outdoor Pool - CLOSED Outdoor Spa — Chlorine

### **Fitness Department Classes**

Cardio & More: Mon 7am
Low Impact Cardio: Fri 7am
Intermediate Strength: Tues/Thurs 5:30pm

### Other Amenities

- Strength & Cardio Equipment
- Softball Field, Tennis Courts & Walking Track

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## CALENDAR

**JANUARY 2024** 

All scheduled Committee Meetings are being held in person at Desert Vista and/or by Zoom

### **COMMITTEE ABBREVIATIONS**

**ARC** Architectural Review

**BOD** SCSCAI Board of Directors

**CAP** Common Area Properties

**CCOC** Chartered Clubs &

Community Organizations

HC Hearing Committee

IT Information Technology

### **LOCATION OF EVENT**

DV Desert Vista

DF Desert Vista

Fitness Center

HF Highland Falls

Mountain Shadows MF Fitness Center

MS Mountain Shadows

P Pinnacle

P۷ Palm Valley

**SBT** Starbright Theatre

S Sun Shadows

SM Summit

### ZOOM

You too can receive a Zoom meeting invitation by sending an email to Mitzim@suncitylv.com and with your first and last name, your address, and the words "sign me up."

## SUNDAY



**KWANZAA ENDS NEW YEAR'S DAY** ADMINISTRATION OFFICES CLOSED

**MONDAY** 

Rick Berthod" (SM) page 35

**BULK TRASH** 

6 p.m., "Blues Night -

**TUESDAY** 

9 a.m. - 1 p.m., Sunday Brunch (SM)

9 a.m., BOD Meeting 8 (SBT & Zoom) Insert

> 9:30 a.m., New Resident Orientation (MS) page 19 6 p.m., "Tony Arias" at The Rendezvous (SBT) page 28

9 a.m. - 1 p.m., Sunday Brunch (SM)

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**MARTIN LUTHER** KING JR. DAY **ADMINISTRATION OFFICES CLOSED** 

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**BULK TRASH** 

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**BULK TRASH** 

## **WEDNESDAY**

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## **THURSDAY**

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Museums-King Tut's TombTitanic Experience-Bodies
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## **FRIDAY**

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Safety Program (DV) pg 18
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3 p.m., Lunch & Learn: New
Year, New You-Reducing
Inflammation (S) page 45
5:30 p.m., Residents' Forum
Presents: Meet The Candidates
(SM) (SBT) pages 10, 19

2:30 p.m., Fitness (DV & Zoom) Insert

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4 p.m., Friday Updates with Mitzi (Zoom)

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6 p.m., The "Ultimate Carrie" (SBT) page 29 13

10 a.m., Legal (DV & Zoom)

12 Noon: Lunch & Learn: Parkinson's & Golden Heart (DV) page 45

2 p.m., Golf Oversight (DV & Zoom) Insert

6 p.m., "Comedy Tonight" (SBT) page 30

9:30 a.m., CCOC (DV & Zoom) Insert

11 a.m., "Laura" Free Classic Movie (SBT) page 24

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## "As I See It ..." "I Permit Myself"

By Alan G. Spector /Link

Folks sometimes ask me where I get the ideas for my LINK column. Answer? I keep my eyes and heart open to the wisdom and beauty all around me. I recently ran across this graphic, and it made me think of some who are sad and think that it is wrong to be sad. They try hard to go around the sadness and they put on a happy-face. I have come to

to permit (even oblige) ourselves to feel our happiness and joy! I know folks who seem to hesitate to celebrate the joy in their life and give themselves permission to shower themselves with happiness. I suppose we all have met that "grouch" that never seems to smile or have a positive word or see all the great things in the world. It might seem odd, but some seem to feel that perhaps it is self-indulgent and self-centered to focus on how fortunate we are and to revel in the joys of life. Maybe we were taught that we shouldn't enjoy our gourmet meal because "there are starving children in Europe" or that by truly enjoying our many blessings we will be inviting "the evil eye" and we might cause something bad to happen to us? Or maybe, we just don't give ourselves permission to feel true, soul-soaking happiness... and to spread it around to all we know?





understand that it is OK, even a good thing to give ourselves permission to be sad. I once heard it said that our grieving is not truly over till the last tear is shed... thus, it is good to permit ourselves to move into the sadness, shed the tears, and then be able to move away from the sadness. There is nothing wrong with us for feeling the sadness in our lives... that is normal... that is what makes us human... we can acknowledge it and work our way through it. We know that you cannot get around, over, or under sadness... the only way to deal with it is to go THROUGH it... the sun shines on the other side.

So, I have thought that if it is good (even necessary) to permit ourselves to feel our sadness... it is certainly good

Whatever the reasons, it is now 2024. Sure, we all have something to be sad about... all the sadness and pain in the world... but, instead of making New Year promises we will surely break, why not just give ourselves permission to take in and truly feel the happiness in our lives. We can open ourselves to be joyful and grateful for all the wonderful things in our lives and to truly experience the joys of life. It's OK... our unavoidable sadnesses will still be there... but when we permit ourselves to be genuinely happy, we are truly living our lives to the fullest.

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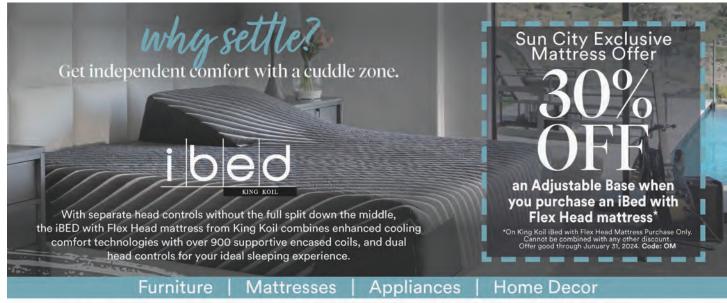
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## Honoring Residents Corner: Joe Tao

By Gail Abrams / Link

Joe is a humble person. He starts off the interview by saying: "It's good to help people in need. That is the best reward. One day I may find myself in need of help".

Joe talks proudly of his involvement in the community. He is an AARP Income Tax Program Recruiter, a Sun City Summerlin Patrol Driver, Dispatcher and Recruiter, and a Sunshine Service Volunteer.

For the AARP Income Tax Program, Joe is a tax counselor, who also looks after the computers, and helps to recruit new volunteers. Joe has been a volunteer for the past 8 years.

As for Sun City Summerlin Patrol, Joe is a driver and a dispatcher. He is handy fixing the computer (if needed) and makes the member badges. He has been serving for 10 years.

Since 2015, Joe has volunteered his engineering skills repairing medical equipment (wheelchairs, walkers, etc.) for Sunshine Service. "You are not only fixing something, you are also providing equipment to people who really need it," says Joe.

These three areas, Joe says: "Keep me busy and out of trouble."

Joe's family is originally from China. His Dad was an importer of leather goods, electronics, and cars (from the U.S. into China). However, in the early 1950s, with the rise of communism in China, the family emigrated to South Africa.

Joe came to the U.S. in his early 20's in 1979. He worked for Ford for 20+ years as an engineer in Michigan (when he retired, he was a Project Manager). While at Ford, Joe mentored new hires in the Ford College Graduate Program (FCGP). Ford set up the program for senior staff to help groom new hires. To those he mentored, Joe told them: "Don't ask what you are going to get back, ask how you can help." Some of those individuals he mentored, moved up the ladder, some higher than Joe. He is proud of his involvement and thankful for the experience.

Joe and his wife have lived in Sun City Summerlin for 10 years. They have three grown children and two grandchildren.

In conclusion, Joe shares his simple, yet sincere philosophy in three quotes:

"Don't ask for a reward, just ask how you can help...that is reward enough."

"The more I give, the more I am happy. To be happy, you have to help somebody else."

"Those who give their time generously to help others, live longer."

Joe nominates Barbara Mirman for the next article in this series: Honoring Residents Corner.



Joe proudly serves as a driver and dispatcher for Sun City Summerlin Patrol.



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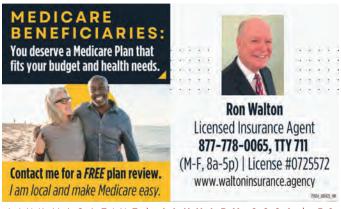












## WILL YOU BE PART OF THE NEW EARTH?

Many of you may remember **The 5th Dimension** and their hit song "Aquarius" back in 1969. The 60's and 70's were filled with new hope, love, and creativity. What happened?

Fast forward to the present. The world is very different.

Much strife has been created among humans worldwide.

Things appear to be going to hell in a handbasket.

The good news? (You mean, Molly, there is some?) There is a list of respected spiritual leaders, legitimate astrologers and even psychics who have said we are entering into what they are calling a New Earth beginning in 2024. But what on earth does that mean?

Well, wouldn't it be nice to start off a new year with new thoughts? Based on my research, this means that we are all, as human beings who may have an open mind collectively, able to ascend to a higher consciousness where true cooperation with each other and looking out for the collective and greater good worldwide, as opposed to the individual self, will become increasingly accepted and desired.

Is it possible that the collective minds of many can change the world? Are we really that powerful? The answer is a resounding yes.

Need proof? For those who pray, this shouldn't sound too "out there." How many times has a group gathered together to pray over someone considered terminally ill only to find they have been cured? Faith in any way you practice is powerful!

In an article regarding quantum mechanics published in Scientific American, French physicist Bernard d'Espagnat summarized this issue by stating: "The doctrine that the world is made up of objects whose existence is independent of human consciousness turns out to be in conflict with quantum mechanics and with the facts established by experiment."

According to quantum mechanics, everything in our universe is inseparably and instantaneously connected to everything else, without exception.

Many spiritual leaders have called upon us all to come together as best we can to pray, meditate, affirm, or send positive thoughts as one whole, at the same time and same day. But how?

Credit for this goes to Pam Gregory, a spiritual leader and renowned worldwide astrologist. She explored how we could do this collectively, and she herself has thousands of informed people throughout the world who are already involved. She researched all existing time zones to figure out what would be most convenient for those who want to try praying or meditating simultaneously for 15 minutes if possible. For us? It is every Sunday, at 11 a.m., our time. How wonderful we might feel joining such a positive and contributing collective!

It all starts within us; perhaps visualizing our own inner being feeling peace and love within, then sending it out to however you refer to your Higher Power, God, Source, Creator, or the Universe.

I began practicing meditation for myself and then for the world in October, on Sundays at 11 a.m. as prescribed. I found that even though I was dedicated, I had to set weekly alarms on my cell, or I'd get busy and forget. The results I have felt lately are amazingly healing.

May I invite you to take up to 15 minutes, from now on as best you can, on Sundays at 11 a.m., to send forth a

visualization, a prayer, a meditation, or affirmation that our planet heal itself and that we all come together respecting one another's differences in peace and love? May we invite other family members and friends to do the same according to the time zone they are in that matches our time?

It feels to me that dedicating 15 minutes on Sundays at 11 a.m. to join in a worldwide effort toward love, peace and harmony is an action that may end up having immensely powerful results.

"If there is light in the soul, there will be beauty in the person. If there is beauty in the person, there will be harmony

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By Molly Sher/Link





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## COMMUNITY STANDARDS

are often from outside Sun City Summerlin and are unaware that rules are in place to protect the community. "Flippers" often circumvent important project approvals and have been



fications to homes that violate important Standards. Very often, a "flipper's" presence is unknown to the Association. It is known that unsuspecting new buyers have been left to deal with unpleasant surprises because their "flipper"sellers did not disclose unapproved projects at closing.

The Community Standards Office and the Architectural Review Committee do not wish to stifle or inhibit any sale or

upgrade to property. We are particularly interested in any project that improves home values and curb appeal. The office is very willing to work with any "flipper"/buyer/owner to assist with understanding the requirements and to help with project approvals.

"Flippers" often do not register as new owners in Sun City Summerlin, which is a violation in itself. As owners, you can play an important role by volunteering to lend a hand in protecting the community by reporting exterior landscaping or construction activity that may be questionable. A quick call to the Community Standards Office is all it takes for us to verify that a project is legitimate. Your information will be held in confidence and a timely on-site inspection will be conducted to verify the status of the project.

Buyers deserve to know that they are coming into their new homes with no outstanding violations. As an owner, your report of any unsure activity may head off unapproved projects

and help provide new residents with assurance that their slates are clean.

The Architectural Review Committee is meeting weekly to expedite the approval of applications that have provided proper back up information. It is our goal to speed the process, for residents and "flippers", alike.



Barbara Davidson, Director, Community Standards

## We're Flippin' Out!!!

When we think of the word, "flipper", we may think back to mid-60's TV, when the intelligent Bottle-Nose Dolphin named "Flipper", was all the rage. Also, those who love a good burger appreciate the "flipper" at the In-N-Out Burger. So, "flipper" in a positive context is nothing new to most of us.

Recently a newer version of "flipper" has emerged on the scene, spawned of a hot real estate market. The new "flipper" can be described as an opportunistic type who has swooped onto the real estate scene to take advantage of quickly rising values. These "flippers" buy up homes, "upgrade" them, and "flip" them for a quick buck. The name "flipper" has been aptly attached to these folks because of their methods---Buy low,

### sell high, get out fast!

There's nothing wrong with the concept but, among other things, critics point out that "flippers" are often outsiders and have no real regard for the neighborhoods they work in. They do little to support the community and can be gone as quickly as they arrived. Misjudgments in timing, financing and market conditions have been known to leave projects unfinished, making them potentially risky to both the "flipper" and the community.

Of course, there are two sides to every story and "flippers" have been known to buy distressed properties, add significant upgrades to neighborhoods and help sell potentially empty eyesores. It goes without saying that "flippers" may have a legitimate place in the "mix" but, the risks are still there.

In the Sun City Summerlin environment, Community Standards has experienced numerous issues with "flippers". They









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Change will be afoot for our newly named Organization in 2024. The new name, as voted on by Patrol and voted in by the Board of Directors is "Sun City Summerlin Patrol". The duties will be the same as they have been for the past 30 years to help keep Sun City Summerlin the safest community in Southern Nevada.

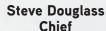
Because of this change, Sun City Summerlin residents can expect a new look from us in 2024. We will need to update our

Uniforms and Patrol Car Identification. Even though we are undergoing changes in the new year, residents can still count on us to be a deterrent to crime. We will continue to patrol Sun City Summerlin every day and at all hours. We will also continue our motto of "Neighbors helping Neighbors". Residents may call us at 702-254-2303 for any questions. Here's to a successful 2024.



### Sun City Summerlin Patrol - FYI

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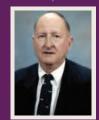


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The Fabulous Girls of '43 at their 80th Birthday Celebration.

### By Chris Klee & Kate Putney / Residents

One Tuesday in early 2018, Kate Putney, Kathi Gray and Chris Klee, all members of the Golf, Women's Club in Sun City Summerlin, were having lunch after their round of golf. They discovered that they were all born in 1943, and would all turn 75 during the year. One thing led to another, and they realized there were about 15 other ladies in the Golf, Women's Club who would also celebrate their 75th that year. It was decided to throw a 75th birthday party for the Girls of '43 and invite other ladies in Sun City Summerlin with the same birth year. The party was scheduled for September of 2018 and close to 35 attended including spouses.

Kathi did some deep digging and put together some facts about each birthdate. We were all war babies, and it was interesting to learn what happened on the day each of us was born.

The ladies all brought baby pictures and had a great time guessing who belonged to each baby picture.

A few years went by and once again Kate, Kathi & Chris started planning another celebration for 2023...the year all would turn 80. Kate decided we were now the Fabulous Girls of '43. The party was scheduled for October and amazingly all of the original Girls of '43 were alive and well, and most still playing golf. There were even a couple of new faces to add. We all brought graduation pictures and sat around the patio fireplace quessing who was who. It was a fun wonderful event.

Great News: We have decided to throw a big celebration when we turn 85!

The Fabulous Girls of '43 stay busy playing golf together at least once a week, attending fitness classes, and playing tennis.

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Art	Steve Brenner	702-749-7737	Men's Club	President	702-515-9368
Arthritis	Pam Miller	804-240-8626	Military & Friends	Chris Oelerich	970-274-8230
Basketball	Jim Mathews	503-894-3040	Model Builders	Charlie Bush	702-501-3300
Beading & Jewelry	Paula Nuzzo	702-820-9343	Musicmakers	Darlene Vaughan	307-330-8421
Bicycle	Gary Trowbridge	725-735-7424	Neighborhood Prep Team*	Mary Fairhurst	702-482-8853
Billiards	Kaye Bence	818-424-8348	New York	Christine Ruggiero	702-280-2743
Bocci	Henrietta Rapp	702-528-3504	Organ, Piano & Keyboard	Marti Stimpson	702-683-4112
Book	Cheryl Kidd	541-233-6545	Pan	Judy Williams	813-777-3416
Bridge, Duplicate	Gary Biederer	847-272-3398	Photography	Judith Filangeri	702-473-1153
Bridge, Friday Night	Peggy Cushman	702-462-2250	Pickleball	Suzanne Esber	714-478-1653
Bridge, Rubber M/Thu	Mary LaFerney	702-562-1550	Quilting	Diane Lais	702-327-4520
Bridge, Social	Connie Morris	702-331-0325	Racquetball	Peter Ruopp	419-420-5175
Dupl. Supervised			R.V.	Dean Lawes	802-345-9090
Bunco	Ruth Ann Moore	661-618-1613	Residents' Forum*	Julie Zerbel	512-775-1309
Canasta	Diane Sapp	321-446-5712	Sawdusters	John Marslender	801-598-5371
Ceramics	Denise Winton	702-363-4329	Sewing (Just Sew)	Judy Hatcher	951-491-3442
Chicago/Midwest	Myra Feldgreber	702-838-3859	Silver, Lapidary	Sharyn Smith	702-473-5479
Classical Music	William Rydell	702-580-0727	& Glass Fusion		
Computer	Jeff Wilkinson	702-527-4056	Silvertones	Rodney Hamburg	702-332-5611
Conservatives	Jeff DiPane	702-985-2310	Social Club	Sofia Castille	281-300-4537
Cribbage	Linda Ray	702-586-1007	Softball	Michael Gazarek	419-957-1990
Dance Company	Roberta Morrissey	702-524-5881	Spanish	Sarah Freeman	508-733-1047
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Friends of The Summit	Tami Fox	248-882-3364	Patrol*		
Garden	Dave Maiero	702-266-5416	Sunshine Service*	Debbie Motycka	702-755-6109
Golf, Guys & Gals	Amos Barcus	702-755-9623	Super Solos Activities	Susan Lang	319-350-8071
Golf, Ladies Executive	Pam Scott	559-917-3724	Swim	Darlene Staley	503-833-0821
Golf, Men's 18 Hole	Thomas Haseltine	414-788-2310	Table Tennis	Laureen Lentz	909-648-1397
Golf, Men's Niners	Hugh Lichter	727-421-5010	Tai Chi	Mary Dodson	818-430-1617
Golf, Women's	Sandi Hapke	702-405-9181	Tennis	Walter Pratt	702-675-5823
Gun	David Zuckerman	201-400-1871	Texas Hold'em	Paul Luszcz	760-399-7173
Hiking	Lisa Brew-Miller	707-477-8059	Theatre (Community)	John Mura	310-251-2785
Investment	Steve Commander	702-304-1768	Travel	Marise Mizel	702-339-2657
Italian Club	Abby Gomes	310-770-3974	WateRobics	Dona Wittman	916-425-3571
Jewish Friendship	Lonnie Wagman	702-419-6333	Women's	Judy Auerbach	702-242-0727
Krafty Kritters	Sunita Bouri	813-270-9096	Writer's Workshop	Maxine Muccigrosso	702-360-1863
Liberal Club	Norman Wright	702-255-5545	Yoga	Rudolfo Sanchez	702-596-2681
Library Club	Maxine McKeown	702-287-2918	Zoom Zoom	Kathy Mayer	314-952-6300

# DID YOU KNOW

### **Things to Know About Clubs and Community Organizations**



... THAT A CLUB MAY USE THE SUN CITY SUMMERLIN COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, INC.
REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS AT DESERT VISTA OR MOUNTAIN SHADOWS COMMUNITY
CENTERS TO STORE THEIR FOOD 24 HOURS PRIOR TO AN EVENT. REFERENCE: CCOC
PROCEDURES MANUAL - VI. CLUB OPERATIONS & REQUIREMENTS, A. USE OF FACILITIES, 6.
KITCHEN USE

... THAT NON-RESIDENT GUESTS MAY ATTEND A CLUB FUNCTION AS A GUEST OF A MEMBER OF THE CLUB. EACH CLUB MAY DETERMINE HOW MANY TIMES A NON-RESIDENT GUEST MAY VISIT A CLUB FUNCTION. THE GUEST MUST BE CHECKED IN WITH A GUEST PASS. REFERENCE: CCOC PROCEDURES MANUAL - VI. CLUB OPERATIONS & REQUIREMENTS, A. USE OF FACILITIES, 1. GUESTS, B. NON-RESIDENT GUEST(S).

... THAT THERE IS A SAMPLE CLUB SIGN-UP SHEET CLUBS MAY USE FOR NEW AND EXISTING CLUB MEMBERS. REFERENCE - CCOC PROCEDURES MANUAL - III. CLUB MEMBERSHIP, A. MEMBERSHIP, 6. MEMBERSHIP CONTACT INFORMATION - B. AND CCOC PROCEDURES MANUAL- ATTACHMENT XVI

### CHARTERED CLUBS

(The deadline for **February 2024** chartered club articles is **Wednesday**, **December 27**, **2023**. If you have questions, contact the Link at 966-1435 or eileend@suncitylv.com.)



#### **Aquacize**

The Aquacize Club provides exercise in water that is healthy, low impact, easy on your joints and covers all muscle groups. Aquacize Club members can choose from several different class times and locations. Classes last about 45 minutes. The cur-

rent class schedule is: 1) 8 a.m. Desert Vista. 2) 8 a.m. Sun Shadows (winter) – Mountain Shadows (summer). 3) 10 a.m. Sun Shadows. 4) 7 p.m. Desert Vista (winter) Mountain Shadows (summer). Dues are \$5 per year. For information, call Veronica Douglass at (661) 435-4880.

#### Art

It's a new year, and artists of all levels and those who just love art, are welcome to join the Art Club. Annual dues are \$15. We offer beginner and advanced classes with extraordinary artists

and teachers in oil, acrylic, watercolor painting, drawing, abstract art, and mixed media. Each year we hold an incredible Fine Art Show, featuring the works of our members, and offer opportunities for the members to display their work on the DV Art Wall. We also offer lectures and demonstrations during our general meetings, which take place the third Monday of each month. Our first meeting of the year will be held on Monday, January 15, at 1 p.m., Room 1 at DV, at which time many of our instructors will be present to discuss their respective classes. For more information, please contact Steve Brenner at 749-7737, and check out our website at suncityartclub.org. Included on the website is a listing of all classes, instructors, and upcoming events.

#### **Arthritis**

Do those painful joints keep you from exercising? We have a solution. Slip into your swimsuit and join us in the pool for soothing exercises that get those joints limbered up. These exercises safely move every part of the body. Stretching, range of motion, flexibility and balance improve health and wellness. This low-impact pool exercise Club meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Desert Vista indoor pool. Check with your doctor to ensure you are fit enough for the class. Annual dues are \$15. Call Pam Miller 804-240-8626.

#### **Basketball**

Please join us in helping make basketball a new community exercise option for men and women. The court is located at Desert Vista on the pickleball courts. Court surface, availability, and

dimensions are challenging. We've requested the court be relocated to a "joint-friendly surface" or a new dedicated court built. SCSCA is reviewing options through the Conceptual Idea process. Presently the court is reserved for shooting on Sundays from 11 am to 1 pm and Tuesdays & Thursdays evenings from 5 pm to 8 pm. If you are interested in playing some friendly 3-on-3 or 4-on-4, please contact Jim Mathews at (503) 894-3040 or Al Bonardi (631) 398-1891 for additional details.

#### Beading and Jewelry



Please come and join us and learn a fun new activity. We meet every Tuesday at 1 p.m. in the Silver Room at Mountain Shadows. No experience necessary as we have beginners classes. Call Ellen Crawford for the beginners classes. Our business meeting is the first Tuesday of each month at Desert Vista at 1 p.m. Call Paula Nuzzo, President, at 820-9343 with any questions you may have.

#### **Bicycle**

The Bicycle Club does group rides starting at the lower Desert Vista parking lot on Tuesday and Thursday and Sun Shadows on Saturday. **Bike start times for winter/spring (November thru April) are 9 a.m.** Anyone with a bicycle (or e-bike) and a helmet is more than welcome to join us for any ride. Don't worry about keeping up, we're just an easy-riding bunch of SOB's (Seniors on Bicycles). For more information, please send an email to Gary Trowbridge at scsbikeclub@gmail.com.

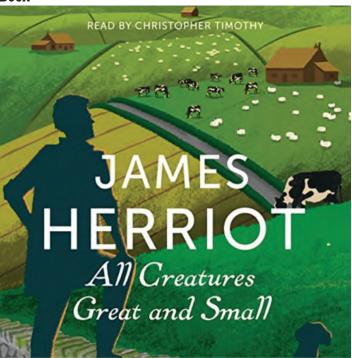
#### **Billiards**

The Billiards Room at Desert Vista has four 9-foot Diamond pool tables. Pool cues are available for use if needed. Club-member time block is set for Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 11:30 a.m. with organized tournament play on Fridays. \$10 annual dues. If interested in joining the club, please drop by anytime during Club play and grab a cue stick or bring your own. For more information, call Kaye Bence at (818) 424-8348

#### Bocci

The Bocci Club plays on Mondays and Thursdays at Sun Shadows at 2 p.m. Please arrive a little early so we can start at 2 p.m. sharp. Hope to see you all soon. For information please call Henrietta at 987-3456.

#### Book



The Book Club meets the second Thursday of the month 1:30-3:30 p.m. at Desert Vista. Social time is 1:30-2 p.m. Our January meeting is January 11, 2024. The annual dues are \$10, and we continue collecting for 2024 in January. Thanks to all who have already paid for 2024. Our Book Club selection for January is *All Creatures Great and Small* by James Harriot. For information contact Cherie at 541-233-6545 or Klipsan2@gmail.com. Keep reading!

#### Bridge, Duplicate

Happy holidays to all! Ready to play duplicate bridge? We meet at MS every Wednesday & Saturday 12 noon sharp. Our duplicate bridge game is really a lot of fun & a wonderful way to form lasting friendships among fellow bridge lovers. Need a partner? Our Partnership Chairperson Marilyn Pekrul can be reached at 254-8245. For additional information, President Gary Biederer can be reached at 847-272-3398.

#### Bridge, Friday Night

You're invited to join us at Mountain Shadows on Friday night at 5:45 p.m. Annual dues are \$10 plus \$1 each time you play. Recent winners were Mary Jo Spigelmyer & Barbara Watts, Mary Ann Clark & Peggy Cushman, and Elaine Erickson & Linda Sedler. For more information or help finding a partner, call Peggy Cushman at 462-2250.

#### Bridge, Rubber Monday-Thursday

Join us for 24 hands of bridge at noon, Mondays, Mountain Shadows. Play starts at 12:15 and is timed. Annual dues are \$10 plus \$1 each time you play. Recent winners were MaryAnn Clark & Peggy Cushman, Chuck & Julie VanCise, Deanna Chaffee & Pat Wright, and Rod & Doris Hamburg. For more information or help finding a partner, call Mary Ann Clark at 254-6943.

#### Bridge, Social Duplicate



Congratulations to November's big game winners: Big game for Judith Mirisch & John Kelly (73.66%) and Alex Frolov & Vlad Ivanov (69.75%), Pat Wright & Ellen Birney (73.12%). We meet at noon Saturdays at MS Sahara Room. We have a mini lesson at 11:30 a.m. Bring your favorite partner or we will pair you up at the game. We use the site RSVPBridge.com to manage signups, partner requests and scoring! Contact Shelly to be added (email: peretz.shelly@gmail.com; cell: 708-610-3375) or check our website: www.bridgewebs.com/276519. During Supervised Play. participants are encouraged to ask questions and receive coaching on all aspects of the game with the main difference being the level of experience of players and length of the game-we usually play between 14 and 16 boards. Annual Dues are \$5.

Happy New Year and welcome to Bunco 2024! We play the fourth Saturday of each month with the exception of December. Feel free to join us at Mountain Shadows with or without experience. It's an easy dice game to learn and enjoyable to play. Doors open at 5:30 and game begins at 6 p.m. Please bring your Association Card to show the monitor, \$5 a month to play and annual dues of \$2 to join. You are welcome to try it twice before joining. Snacks are served halfway through the evening and cash prizes are awarded. If you'd like more information feel free to call - RuthAnn Moore - (661) 618-1613 or Janice Lugavere - (818) 606-1354. Hope to see you January 27th!

#### Canasta

The club meets on Thursday from 6 to 9 p.m. Men, women and couples are welcome. Lessons will be given on Thursday mornings. Please call 236-1873 to attend. Birthdays will be celebrated at the 1st club night of the month. Dues are \$10 a year.

#### **Ceramics**

Happy New Year! Ceramics Club will be collecting dues the month of January in the Club Room. Membership meeting is January 25, 9:30 a.m. at Desert Vista, Room 5, and Breakfast will be served. Beginner's classes will be starting again, watch for the sign-up sheet in the Club Room. Club hours Monday -Friday 9 to 12, Monday and Wednesday afternoons 12 to 3 and Sunday 10 to 2. Board Members for 2024 are: Denise Winton. President; Sherin Garber 1st VP; Joyce Newlin, 2nd VP; Nancy Hergenreder, Treasurer; Edie Bush, Secretary. Visit our website at: creativeceramicscenter.com. For further information, call Denise Winton at 363-4329.

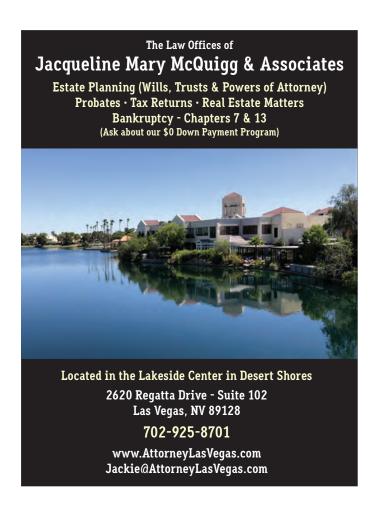
#### Chicago/Midwest

The Chicago/Midwest Club will start the New Year with Jonathon Jimenz, a singer, dancer, instructor here in Sun City











and the YMCA. He will entertain us with his performance of GET MOVING WITH JONATHON. Join us on Sunday, January 21, at 6 p.m. Desert Vista Room 5. It's your chance to greet old friends and make new ones. Join our amazing club for only \$15. For that you get great entertainment, great desserts and great fun. For more information call Myra 838-3859.

#### **Classical Music**

On January 29, 2024, the Classical Music Club will start 2024 with the Las Vegas Sinfonietta, led by Taras Krysa, who also performs in the Las Vegas Philharmonic. Program info was unavailable at the time of writing but will be sent on our email blast. Our concerts have been excellent and very entertaining. They are the main focus of each meeting. Come to the Starbright Theater on Monday, January 29, at 7 p.m. You don't need to buy a ticket! For more info contact Will Rydell at lledyrw@icloud.com.

#### Computer

If you have computer or mobile device issues, help is available at the Pinnacle on Tuesdays 12:30–2:30 p.m., and if you don't have a computer, stop by the Computer Lab on Saturdays from 9 a.m.–Noon to surf the Net. Yearly dues are \$10. Details regarding our schedule of events can be found on our website https://www.scscc.club. For further information contact Jeff Wilkinson, 527-4056, or email pres.scscc@gmail.com. Notice: During our February 2024 meeting we will take a vote to ratify the Computer Club budget.

#### Conservatives

We meet in room 5 at Desert Vista on the 3rd Thursday of each month with sign-in at 6 p.m. and the program beginning promptly at 6:30 p.m. Visit our website at https://www.scsconservativesclub.com/home for monthly program updates and pertinent club information. You may also call/text club President Jeff DiPane with your questions or concerns at 985-2310. Annual dues collected in January are \$15 per member. Club officers are Jeff DiPane-President, Susanne Spinelli-Vice President, Karen Kogelschatz-Treasurer and Sue Stitt-Secretary. We look forward to meeting new friends and sharing our conservative thoughts and principles.



#### Cribbage

We play every Wednesday at 6 p.m. starting promptly so join us by 5:45 p.m. We usually play partners. New players are welcome. 400 points gets you recognition in the LINK and on our Board of Winners! Recent winners are Debbie Weed-414 and Catherine Heard-

404. Come and join us and get your 400 game! For more information, call Linda Ray at 586-1007.

#### **Dance Company**



The Dance Company is in full swing – literally – preparing for our Spring Show at the Starbright Theatre. We have performances scheduled for Saturday April 13, at 6 p.m. and Sunday April 14, at 2 p.m., with tickets going on sale on February 27. Our show promises to entertain with an assortment of dancing styles including tap, jazz, and musical theatre, as well as a range of variety acts. During our November general meeting, we elected our new board for 2024 and wish to extend our congratulations to them: President Roberta Morrissey, Vice President Patty McGill, Secretary Alice Klein, Treasurer Lori McKeogh, and Marketing Director Marty Barris. Our next general meeting will be on January 10, 10:30 a.m. at the DV Community Center. For more details, please visit our website at SCSDanceCo.org.

#### **Dance Connection**

Do you like Show tunes? Our Showstoppers Class is a basic Musical Theater Jazz Dance Class done to the best show tunes of Broadway & Film. This class meets on Wednesdays at the Pinnacle starting at 2:15 pm. Come out and enjoy this wonderful music! Our other classes include - Get Movin', Just Dance, Beginner Line Dance, Beginning & Advanced Hula, Advanced Round Dance, Dance Fit, Beginner Line Dance, Beginner/Intermediate Line Dance, Dance Party, Sittin' & Drummin', DanSin' & Drummin', BeMoved, Beginner Hula, Let's Move, Get Up & Dance, Sittin' & DanSin', Showstoppers, Hot Hula and Island Cardio. Pick up a schedule at any fitness center or visit our website at: https://scsclubs.wixsite.com/dance-connection Call Kris @ 443-8759 with any questions.

#### **Euchre**

Euchre is a card game usually played with four players per table (two partnerships). We rotate tables and partners, so Euchre is a very social game for all levels. New members are always welcome, and if you don't know how to play, lessons are available. Join us on Wednesdays at 6 p.m., at Mountain Shadows. For more information, call Gloria at 430-7785.

#### French

Bonjour à tous et toutes. Le Circle Français welcomes new members to our fun-filled and interactive meetings. Our mission is to: Converse in the French language, while appreciating the French culture. Scientific studies have identified a link between being multilingual and fending off the onset of demen-



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tia. The mind is like a muscle. Let's flex it and keep it healthy by speaking and reading French. Meetings are held Fridays, at Pinnacle, 2215 Thomas W. Ryan Blvd. 1-2 p.m. Basic for beginners & 2-3 p.m. Intermediate/conversational. Contact Denis Kallish at deniskallish@gmail.com or 203-767-2518 for more information.

#### Friends of the Summit

Friday Band Nights is on the first and third Fridays. Doors open at 5:30 p.m.; with music from 6-8 p.m. Blues Nights are held the first Tuesday of every month in the Summit. Tickets are available at our community centers, and online at www.suncitysummerlin.com via the ticketing section. We recommend purchasing tickets in advance. We look forward to seeing you at our events. Membership is \$1 annually. We appreciate your support of music events at the Summit. Contact us at friendsofthesummitscs@gmail.com.

#### Garden



2024 is kicked off with guest speaker, Norm Schilling, Expert Gardener, "The Most Important Things to Know about Your Garden!", on January 25th at 3:30 pm!

RSVP: https://bit.lv/scsgardenclubRSVP

Our standing club meeting date is now the last Thursday of every month!

**Location:** Desert Vista, Rm 5.

**Dues:** \$20 (to be paid at January meeting)

About Our Club: https://bit.ly/scsgardenclubabout

Club Sign up Link: https://bit.ly/scsgardenclubsignup OR

print pdf https://bit.ly/scsgardenclubsignuppdf Facebook: Sun City Summerlin Garden Club Questions? SCSGardenClub@gmail.com

#### Golf, Guys and Gals

The Guys and Gals Golf Club will host the January 14th tournament at Palm Valley. The format will be "Cha-Cha-Cha," and the check-in is no later than 8 a.m. with an 8:30 a.m. shotgun start. For tournament information, contact Chris and Dave Klee at 254-2461. For membership information, please contact Sumiko Tatsue at 562-4856. And you can visit our website at www.suncityguysngals.com.

#### Golf, Ladies Executive

Congratulations to the winners of our 2023 Championship Tournament: Club Champion - Tina Bogott; 2nd Flight Gross -Jeanne Wohlers; 3rd Flight Gross – Chris Devlin; 1st Flight Net - Ellen Marsh; 2nd Flight Net - Donna Hadley; 3rd Flight Net -Doris Bell. If you are interested in joining us to play in our weekly tournaments at Eagle Crest, contact Membership Chair, Donna Hadley at 585-820-1800. Tuesday tee times in January will be at 8 a.m. (checking in at 7:30 a.m.). The next General Meeting will be January 23rd at Desert Vista.

#### Golf, Men's 18 Hole

2024 has arrived, if playing more golf is your New Year's resolution you have come to the right spot. The 18 holers are playing every Thursday and are aways excepting new members. Please go to the web site at www.scsmgc18holers.org for more information. I look forward to seeing you on the course and I hope everyone has a great 2024.

#### Golf. Men's Niners

It's a new year, and Golfers of all levels are welcome to enjoy weekly tournaments held on each of our three courses here in Sun City Summerlin. Tee-off times range from 7-8 a.m., Thursday mornings, depending on the time of year. We have individual play tournaments, scrambles, and best ball events. We also host events at courses throughout the Valley and play out-of-town tournaments twice a year. A couple of times each year we have Club picnics at the Desert Vista park area, preceded by tournaments open to friends and family. Applications are available at any of our golf shops. For more information, please call Raul Gonzalez at (661) 373-2725, or check out our new and comprehensive website at www.scsniners.org.

#### Golf, Women's

Happy 2024 to everyone! We're anticipating a fabulous year ahead. Our several new members are a delightful group. The only thing missing is YOU! This is your year, your time, your new adventure on our three beautiful courses. Our golf staff is ready and waiting for your call so come join us for a life changing experience and see just what all the fun and fuss is about. We have retained our board of officers from 2023 which is quite a plus as they did a great job. Our "Sun Witch Invitational" was over the top and we have every reason to believe it will be again! If you have any questions or are ready to come on board, call Leslie Halvorson, our VP. She will set you up with a Buddy who will show you the ropes, take you to lunch

Mixed Doubles Gold winners Amy and Bruce Coleman, Silver winners Kelli McGee and Bill Bufano, Bronze winners Marie Ramsey and Michael Wittes



National anthem with Marine flag salute.



Women's Doubles group, organized by court ambassador Jeff Ramsey, is ready to play. Below: Justine Linzalone made baskets and staffed the raffle table.



### Toys For Tots Charity Pickleball Event

By Suzanne Esber, President & August "Augie" Costanzo, Jr., Event Director

We were greeted with perfect weather for the 8th annual Toys for Tots Pickleball Charity Event starting on Friday December 1. That morning, 4 eager players, competed in "skinny singles", a fun, modified version of the game.

The second day kicked off with a Marine flag salute and the singing of the national anthem by player Margie Edwards. Sixty players descended on the courts to play Women's Doubles. The players were organized into groups by level and the teams played each other for 6-7 games. Gold, Silver, Bronze pins were awarded in each group. Club member medal winners for Women's Doubles included: Gold - Tina Jasinowski, Sonja Waterworth; Silver - Lilly Steinecker & Michelle Scholl, Cathy Rohaly & Denise Schwarz, Boon Duffy; Bronze - Liane Emerson & Pam Standen. The Men's Doubles games were played in the afternoon. Club member winners included: Gold - Nick Rohaly & Jeff Stenzel; Bronze - Jerry Lawrence & Ted Barron.

Mixed Doubles play is the most popular and was held all day Sunday with 7 groups participating. Club member medal winners included Gold - Amy & Bruce Coleman, Silver - Liane Emerson; Cathy & Nick Rohaly, Lily Steinecker & Dennis Webb; Bronze - Nancy Popek & Russ Hunt, Marie Ramsey & Mike Wittes, Andrea & Clint King, Jan & Bob Harper, Cynthia Vanetti & Greg Stack, Lori & Dan Salerno.

This was a very spirited holiday activity where we hosted 145 outside players and club members and many spectators. Prizes were given to players for most festive costumes, Marines barbecued hotdogs, and themed baskets were raffled off.

This event is put on by the Sun City Pickleball Club with a team of volunteers at the Desert Vista pickleball and tennis courts. Peg Albrecht who volunteered as a court ambassador said, "This is such a fun event and I enjoy meeting and working with all the players in my group." The Event Director was Augie Costanzo, a former Marine, who has organized this event for all 8 years.

We collected boxes filled with unwrapped toys and donations for the Marines Las Vegas Toys for Tots program. Also, all player registration fees and sales of raffle tickets went to the local program. This year we raised about \$7,500.

It was another successful event where we celebrated the holiday season, raised funds for Toys for Tots, and had lots of fun playing pickleball.

Photos Courtesy of: Suzanne Esber and Brien Vokits

and introduce you to our great golf staff. So, whether a novice or a single digit handicapper, the Sun City Summerlin Women's Golf Club is waiting for you. Just email Leslie at lhalvorson@printtechlv.com. or call 236-4879. See you soon!

#### Gun

Whether you are new to firearms, considering purchasing your first weapon, or are an old hand in shooting arts, the gun club is looking for you. Meetings are indoors and outdoors. Meetings in January, February, April, June, October, and November are on the second Friday of the month, 1 p.m. at Desert Vista where invited speakers update us on firearms related topics. March, May, September, and December Mondays, we meet for a fee of \$5, at the Clark County Shooting Complex. Our Club membership includes residents that are retired instructors, armorers, range safety officer, and military. We maintain lists of training classes, places to shoot, local gunsmiths, and conceal carry weapon (CCW) permit instructors. Dues are \$10 for the year. Contact us at scgunclub2019@hotmail.com. January 12, 2024, is our next meeting at Desert Vista.

#### Hiking

Our club meets the first Thursday of each month. The next meeting will be Thursday, January 4, 2024, at 8:30 a.m. in Desert Vista Meeting Room #5. Mary Fairhurst of Sun City's Neighborhood Preparedness Team is scheduled to talk about what they are doing and projects and programs coming in 2024. Coordinated hikes are posted to the group calendar. An e-mail is sent out prior to the hike with all details. An RSVP is required and is done directly in the email. Please cancel if necessary so that a fellow hiker on the wait list may participate. All hikes leave from the NE corner of the Pinnacle parking lot.

Before hiking, first time club hikers must call coordinator Ann Cronin (737-5758) for fitness level recommendations and additional information.

#### Investment

Guardianship is extremely relevant to all Sun City residents. It provides: (1) the right to name the person YOU would want to be your guardian if the need for one ever affected you. (2) A bill of rights to protect a person under guardianship that should be given to everyone but rarely was. (3) Professional Guardians must be licensed. (4) The courts MUST call the Secretary of State to insure that person who had a guardianship request filed against them must not have already filed a "request for guardianship" filed against them, 5) Guardianship forms will be provided. All this at the Investment Club on January 24 at Desert Vista @ 7 p.m. Steve Commander, President

#### Italian

Mark your calendar for January 19. Come meet the new President Abby Gomez and her staff. Sit down for a fully catered din-

ner. Remember this is BYOB. DOORS OPEN AT 5:30 p.m. Meeting starts at 6 p.m. Get your reservations in by January 12. Members cost \$20. GUEST COST \$25. MAKE CHECKS OUT TO SCS ITALIAN CLUB. Mail to SCS ITALIAN CLUB, 9436 W Lake Mead Blvd ,Suite 5-89, Las Vegas, NV 89134. or can be dropped off at Postal Etc. Club dues are \$15 per membership for 2024. Questions email SCS.Italianclub@gmail.com or contact Abby Gomez at 310 770-3974.

#### Jewish Friendship

Happy 2024! We look forward to welcoming you at our first meeting on Tuesday, January 16th. We're honored to have Shelley Berkley as our guest speaker. She served seven terms in the House of Representatives. As one of the few Jewish women in Congress she fervently supported Israel. We look forward to hearing her perspective on Israel Today. Doors open at 6 p.m. in Room 5. The meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. If you're joining us for the first time, please bring your membership card and \$20 dues. Any questions? Call President Lonnie Wagman at 419-6333.

#### **Krafty Kritters**



Happy New Year! Is one of your New Year's resolutions to create lovely, charming items by hand? These delightful candy sleighs were crafted by people just like you! Stop by the Desert Vista Multi-Purpose Room to meet us and visit our boutique. Members gather in the club room Tuesdays from 1-3 .pm., Thursdays from 1-3 p.m. and Saturdays from 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Donations of craft supplies are gratefully accepted - contact Mary Graves at 489-3043. For general club inquiries, contact Susan Carnegie at (714) 814-5421.

#### Liberal

Liberal Club meetings are held on the first Monday of each month at Desert Vista at 7 p.m. Current members will be kept informed

### CLUB SPUGHT T

# Art



Above: Denise Hueth with her People's Choice painting "Girls" Below: Linda Stokey with her Best of Show painting "Nailed"



The SCS Art Club is one of the oldest and longest continuously operating organizations in the community. First, we offer friendship to those who love and share the joy of watching art being created, and who simply find their lives enriched by the presence of fine art. Second, the Club offers a multitude of classes in all mediums and for all levels, welcoming both experienced artists and those who are just two steps above a stick figure. Finally, we offer retired seniors the opportunity to create something beautiful, while having fun without any pressure or stress.

Our classes are relaxed and limited in structure. To be sure. our instructors all are terrific artists in their own right, some world class. And with some patience and perseverance, you will learn to draw or paint and be amazed by your steady progress. While not everyone can be the next Monet, Picasso, or O'Keefe, anyone can learn to draw and paint. Still, we joke, laugh, and enjoy our new friendships. We don't have to worry about making the grade, being judged, or impressing anyone. Creating something by your own hand is a joy and fun. Our classes and sessions include beginner, intermediate and advanced oil/acrylic painting, beginner, intermediate and advanced watercolor painting, drawing, mixed media, contemporary art, colored pencil, and the use of lesser-known mediums. Each class usually meets once a week and lasts for about 2 hours. The sessions are kept small, generally 5 to 10 in a classroom. For most classes with a professional instructor, the fee is \$12.00 per session. Where on earth can you work with a professional in anything for six bucks an hour? We also offer demonstrations and art-related lectures during our monthly general meetings. Then, of course, there is our incredible annual Fine Art Show, usually featuring more than 170 wonderful works by our members, hand painted cards, small inexpensive artwork for sale, and a spectacular raffle. Come join us...come create something special and have a ball.

By Steve Brenner, Club President



Art Club Members during "Art Intake" Day







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of any developments via email. For more information contact: Norman Wright at 255-5545 or normwrightphotos@gmail.com. Annual dues are \$5.

#### Library

Both libraries are open. You may take out 5 books and 2 puzzles at a time. Please donate no more than 5 books at a time space is limited. There are 2 Book Return drop boxes located inside and outside to use in lieu of bags on the floor! For a large donation, contact C. Kidd at 541 233 6545 to arrange PICK UP! You may volunteer up to a half hour weekly to shelve books alphabetically by author. The next meeting will be Thursday, January 11, 12 p.m. at Desert Vista, Rooms 1 and 2. We will be collecting the \$1 a year dues. Please contact C. Kidd, 541-233-6545 or email kilpsan2@gmail.com.

#### Mah Jongg

Mah Jongg is part skill, part luck and totally addictive. We meet on Tuesdays at Mountain Shadows. Game hours are flexible between 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dues are \$10 a year. If you are interested in learning how to play this wonderful game please call Sharon Chaiken at 243-8271. Our newly elected club officers for 2024 are: Karen Berke ,President; Sandy Merritt, V.P.; Barbara Seidenberg, Treasurer and Jacky Bromberg, Secretary. For club info, please call Karen's cell: 813-5110. We look forward to seeing you in 2024.

#### Men's

A great way to meet new people in our community. Join us for regular monthly meetings, discussion groups, lunches, and tours of local businesses and attractions. Our monthly member meeting is the last Tuesday of the month, 9 a.m. at Desert Vista with free coffee and a featured speaker. Please note that the January meeting will be held on January 23rd. Co-Ed Happy Hours are announced each month to our members. Monthly informal discussion group. Power lunch with visiting club speaker is every third Wednesday, noon at Summit. Great events and great friends await you. For information on the club visit our website at scsmen.com. Join our group of friendly residents.

#### Military and Friends

Our next event is Saturday, February 17, from 5 to 8 p.m. This is a Potluck event, \$15 per person. Club members, their guests and interested Sun City residents are welcome to attend. As with all of our events there will be entertainment, the only exception being our annual picnic. Those who are interested in possibly joining Military and Friends are always welcome. Non-members, please contact Chris Oelerich at 970-274-8230 or email him at coelerich@yahoo.com for more information.

#### **Model Builders**

Our first meeting of the year will take place January 10, at 10:30 a.m. We will be running our popular HO TRAIN



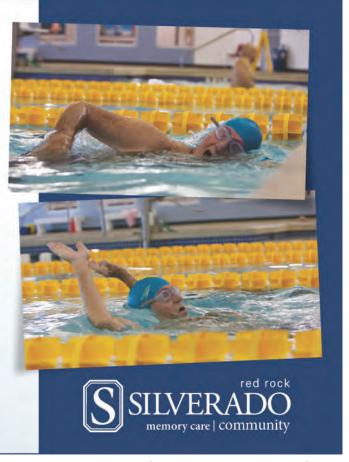
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## Clubs Join To By James Herhusky / Resident Honor Our Veterans



The Musicmakers Club hit a grand slam to open the game!

To many, Saturday, November 11, 2023, was just another wonderful day in our paradise community - clear, sunny skies, mild temperatures, no wind(!), and a meaningful activity at one of our splendid facilities. The Sun City Summerlin Softball and Musicmakers Clubs collaborated to honor the men and women who have served their country as members of the Armed Forces, Law Enforcement, Fire & Rescue, Emergency Medical, and other first responders. This event was held in conjunction with the Community Golf Cart Parade to honor those who served our Nation and their fellow citizens (and non-citizens).

Air Force veteran Chuck Gerlach suggested holding this event to the Softball Club Board, and they eagerly agreed to sponsor a game involving its members who served. The board surveyed its membership to determine if there was enough interest to form two teams. The response was immediate and far greater than expected - more than 50 members responded with their service or agency component and support.

That response led the club to form three teams, named in honor of our city's professional franchises - Aces, Golden Knights, and Raiders listed in order of the number of league championships while located in The Sports and Entertainment Capital of the World.

The epic battle was preceded by an unprecedented rendition of the National Anthem by our own Musicmakers Club, led by Darlene Vaughan, who encouraged all to "sing" along...most did, (un)fortunately! Following the tribute to our Nation, the game participants introduced themselves, stated their selfless service

component or agency, and revealed their years of service. Firefighter Dave Zuckerman led the way with 46 years in three departments, retiring as a Deputy Chief so he could relocate from the East Coast to play softball in Nevada. Duh!...well done, Dave! Musicmaker Pat Vaughn bravely agreed to throw out the first pitch and fired a strike to get the game underway.

The Softball Club's legendary 20+ year scorekeeper, Vicki Ashenfelter, kept the competition organized, moving, and informed with her astute ability to coordinate the umpire calls and scoreboard to keep the senior participants aware on the pitch count and number of outs each inning...senior players sometimes forget important stuff like that...especially in the stressful heat of battle.

Thankfully for all players, this contest was super unstressful. The focus was on honor and fun, unlike the club's regular season and playoff competitions. Just kidding...it's all good. We generally respect the calls by the umpires and have great fun, whether in victory or defeat.

Both clubs invite residents/members of all skill levels to consider joining, whether it be for competition, exercise, entertaining, or the vibrant social aspects of membership, both for softball or singing. It is probably easier to play softball than to sing. If interested in learning how to sing, join the Musicmakers Club (call Darlene at: 307-330-8421) ... lessons may be required...not so in softball, though highly recommended.

All in all, it was a wonderful event for everyone...mark your calendar for Saturday, November 9th, 2024, for the second annual Veterans Day game of the year...you will not be disappointed.

Below: Club members came out to cheer on the Vets!



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LAYOUT for all to see in total action every Tuesday from 10 a.m. to noon! We will also be featuring our fine hobby facilities in DESERT VISTA with our prize-winning models on display! Contact our President Charlie Bush for more information at 501-3300.

#### Musicmakers

We are a four-part harmony ensemble of singers and a group of musicians playing a variety of instruments who enjoy rehearsing and/or performing. Regular choral sessions are Mondays, 1-3 p.m. with parts rehearsals on Wednesdays, same time, at the Pinnacle Music Studio. Instrumentalists come in at 3-5 p.m. both days to jam. The choral group traditionally does two performances each year in the beautiful Starbright Theatre. Beginning in September, Singers will be rehearsing in the Music Studio, but the instrumentalists will be on vacation. Our regular club meetings are the first Monday of the month. Remember: We ask all Musicmakers to NOT WEAR FRA-GRANCE OF ANY KIND (perfume, after shave, hair spray, hand lotion etc.). ALLERGIES! If you would like more information or to become a member and receive updates via email, please call, text or email Darlene Vaughan, President 307-330-8421, popoagieranch@hotmail.com.



#### NPT

See page 21 for details on our January Meeting. See page 20 for details on our Sr. Resource Fair on February 2. NPT is a community organiza-

tion, and all residents are members. There are no dues or fees to join or attend NPT meetings and events. Our main mission is to foster education relating to all residents' safety in responding to consequences of any disaster and to heighten consciousness of crime prevention through a partnership with LVMPD & Neighborhood Watch. For more information on NPT call or text us at 482-8853.



#### **New York**

We meet on the first Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m., Room 5 of the Desert Vista Community Center. While our mission is to promote interest in all

things New York, our real mission is to cultivate friendships within the community. Open to ALL - our membership extends way beyond the State of NY. We invite you to be our guest at the January meeting. If you have already attended a meeting and are interested in joining the New York Club, our dues are

only \$15 annually. If you have any questions, please send an email to scsnewyorkclub@gmail.com or call/text Chris Ruggiero at 280-2743. We ♥ New York!

Organ, Piano, and Keyboard



Happy New Year! Make a New Year's resolution to try something new. How about learning to play the piano, organ, or keyboard? We have an experienced teacher who helps and guides our members with theory, chords and reading music. This is a great time to try something new or refresh your skills. It doesn't matter whether you're an experienced player, or whether you want to learn to play – we're here for you. We meet on Tuesdays from 8:30-11 a.m. in the Music Room at the Pinnacle. We have two organs, a piano and a keyboard. For information call Marti at 683-4112.

#### Pan

Pan has everything the card player looks for – fun-packed with a combination of skill and luck. It is played with 8 decks of cards with the 8's, 9's and 10's removed. We play Tuesdays, 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. For more information on beginner lessons, contact Judy at 813-777-3416, or e-mail scspanclub@gmail.com. Look us up on YouTube, Sun City Pan Club Learning.

#### **Photography**

The Photography Club meets the second Thursday of the month at 6:30 p.m. at Desert Vista. Members range from novice to professional. Visitors are welcome. Dues are \$10 per annual year and are due for 2024. Our calendar and monthly theme are on our website: http://www.photography-scslv.club. For information, email J. Filangeri at snapscslv1@gmail.com.



#### **Pickleball**

(Pictured) Most festive costume winners Jan & Bob Harper at the 8th Annual Toys for Tots Pickleball Charity Event. Club Open Play is every Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday 8-11 a.m. All levels of players are welcome. If you set up games outside of Club Play time, residents







and club members must check in at the Desert Vista Fitness Monitor desk. Nonresidents need guest passes. The ten locked courts are for resident use only and located at the back of the Desert Vista parking lot. The Club offers orientations for new players. To join the Club, pick up a membership application at the courts. Our Next Club meeting is Thurs February 8, 10 a.m. at DV. For more information or to set up an orientation, contact Suzanne Esber, Pres. at (714) 478-1653 or shesber@gmail.com.



#### Quilting

Welcome 2024! The Quilt Club has many projects planned for the upcoming year. If you're a quilter or want to be a guilter, now is the time to join us! Our next meeting is Monday, January 8. 2024. at 9:15 a.m. at Desert Vista. If you're interested in classes or specialty groups, we've got those too. Our website is filled with information and pictures about our club, scsquiltclub.org check it out. If you have any questions. contact:

suncityquiltclub@gmail.com or Diane Lais, 327-4520.

#### Racquetball

The Racquetball Club had an active 2023 season welcoming a number of new Club members. The Club participates in SCS Club Fairs and other events. Club dues will remain at just \$10 for 2024. Players of all skill levels are welcome, and lessons can be arranged to bring you up to speed or remove some rust from your game! The Club-only court time runs Mon-Sat 8 a.m.-noon. Membership forms are available on the RB Club bulletin board. The Club Quarterly Member Prize Drawing continues 2023 and 2024. Random winners receive certificates to the SCS Summit restaurant. The election meeting/picnic October 23 at Desert Vista was well-attended. The 2024 officers elected are as follows: President, Pete Ruopp; Vice President, Glenn Erdell; Treasurer, Bill Sullivan. Give the Racquetball Club some thought for good times and exercise! See you at the court! Questions, contact Pete-419-420-5175; Glenn-480-330-0799; or Bill-661-505-0758.

#### Residents' Forum

Residents' Forum is pleased to present *Meet the Candidates* for your Board of Directors. We will be offering two events again this year. On Wednesday, January 10, from 5:30-7 p.m. will be a *Meet and Greet* in the Summit Restaurant at the Pinnacle Community Center. This is where you can speak to the candidates one on one and ask questions about topics in Sun City that concern or interest you. Then from 7-9 p.m. we will have the mod-

erated Q & A portion in the Starbright Theatre where candidates are asked questions that have been prepared ahead of time. On Monday, January 22, from 10 to Noon there will be a second *Meet and Greet* event in Room 5 at Desert Vista Community Center. You will again have an opportunity to speak with the candidates one on one. There will not be a moderated Q & A at this event. Don't miss out, become an informed voter, make plans to attend one or both of these events. If you have any questions please email juliezerbel@yahoo.com.

#### R.V.

Happy New Year from the RV Club! As 2024 begins, so does a new calendar of RV trips. Our January monthly meeting will be Monday January 8, at 4 p.m. at Desert Vista. If you have an RV and would like to know more about our group, check out our website @ www.suncitylvrv.club to see where we have been and plan to go during the next year. If you have any questions about the club, please contact Dean Lawes at 802-345-9090. Safe travels!



#### Sawdusters

Come on in and try your hand at woodworking. The club is open to all Sun City Summerlin residents in good standing. If you would like a no obligation

tour of the facility and all of the machinery and woodworking tools please contact John at (801) 598-5371 to set up an appointment. If you would like to learn to use any of the machinery and tools we provide an orientation. The annual membership dues of \$40 covers everything. We have members who volunteer to monitor during the week. If any members would like to volunteer to monitor there is a calendar on the desk at the front door.

#### Sewing (Just Sew)

Looking for a fun and creative group? The Just Sew Club is looking for new members that enjoy sewing. For a \$20 annual membership fee, you have full access to our large cutting table, sewing machines and sergers. We are located in the Sewing Room at Mountain Shadows Arts and Crafts building 9107 Del Webb Blvd. For more information about the Just Sew Club contact President Judy Hatcher at 341-8554. Visit our website at https://scsclubs.wixsite/scsjustsew.



### Silver, Lapidary & Glass Fusion

Happy New Year! Studios are in full swing with new members adding to the fun. In Silver & Lapidary, learn to melt silver and polish stones to create jewelry. Design gifts and décor by cutting and kilnfusing glass. Our Mountain





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### CHARTERED CLUBS

Shadows Arts and Crafts rooms are open mornings (except Tuesday & Sunday.) Sign up for a beginner class. Schmooze with members who love to chat about their projects. You may discover a hobby that stimulates your untapped inner creativity! Our newly elected officers are excited about 2024. These imaginative bowls were made by Pauline Murano. For information, please contact our President, Sharyn Smith at 473-5479.

#### **Silvertones**



The Silvertones will be taking a short break until we start practicing for our spring show. We will start rehearsals on January 4th in the music room at the Pinnacle. Come, visit and see how you like it. Our officers for 2024 are President – Rod Hamburg; Vice President – Ann Mueller; Secretary – Diane Emick; and Treasurer – Iris Pucine. We love to sing and have fun doing it. We put on two shows every year...spring and our holiday show in December. We have four sections: soprano, alto, tenor and base. If you would like more information please contact our President Rod Hamburg at 332-5611.



#### Social

Hello 2024! The Social Club is ready for a brandnew year loaded with SOCIAL activities! We get together for happy hours, BYOBs, lunches, dining

outs, wine tastings, rock painting, Rummikub, Hand and Foot, bowling, and best of all, we have fun monthly meetings! Due to the popularity of our activities, it is important to RSVP to attend each of our events! The January membership meeting will be January 29 at the Desert Vista, doors open 6 p.m.; details will be sent to members soon. Dues are only \$10/year. Check our website www.suncitysocial.org, or contact our Membership VP at (312) 636-6101, or, email us at the.scs.social.club@gmail.com.

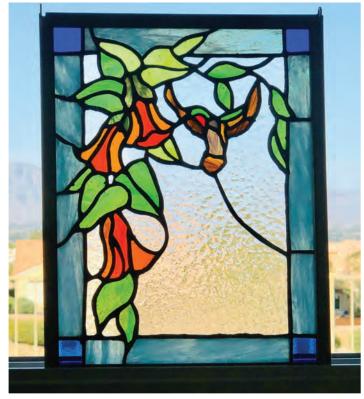
#### Softball

League games are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings. Thursday batting practice at 8:30 a.m. Saturday batting practice at 9 a.m. For more information, please contact Brian Hoffman at 717-602-5195 or jlsbeh@aol.com.

#### Spanish

Bienvenidos! (Welcome!) You are invited to join our free Spanish classes! We have moved to the Pinnacle Meeting Room. Our classes include Intermediate Spanish at 9 a.m., Advanced Spanish at 10 a.m. and Beginner's Spanish at 11 a.m. We also have a Google Meet class for Conversational Spanish with Instructor Barry Feinberg on Wednesdays at 9 a.m. Contact Barry directly at 312-608-8012 or bfeinberg@ieee.org to sign up. Questions: Call President Sarah Freeman at 508-733-1047 for more information.

#### Stained Glass



If your New Year Resolution includes joining a club to nurture your creative self, teach you a craft and make excellent new friends, please tour our studio located at MS Arts and Crafts Wing. See members working on their projects and sign up for a class to learn the basics of stained-glass creations. For information about class schedules and costs, call Mike Drace 970-2442 or Sam Policicchio 704-4492. Our studio and equipment are top-notch, and the extensive library of books and patterns are sure to inspire you! Photo: Hillary & Bob Stoltz collaborated on the hummingbird on trumpet flowers.

#### Sun City Summerlin Patrol

Sun City Summerlin Patrol is a volunteer organization made up of residents of the SCS community. We are the eyes and ears of the community, providing 24-hour patrol of the Association's roads. Members serve as drivers, dispatchers, and Information Center volunteers. Contact the Patrol at 254-2303 or visit us at base (located at the back of Desert Vista's parking lot). We're here 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.





#### **Sunshine Service**

Our warehouse is open Monday through Saturday from 9-11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. Call the Warehouse at 341-9741 to verify hours. We loan medical equipment and children's equipment to Sun City Summerlin residents. Our Warehouse is next to the Sun City Summerlin Patrol Office at Desert Vista. We also collect aluminum tabs, Campbell Soup labels, and food donations for charity. We accept donations of usable medical and children's equipment. We particularly need transport chairs of all sizes for adults. Please bring them to the Warehouse. If you have signed up to work at the Warehouse and you must cancel, call Debbie Motycka 755-6109 or Sarah Emes 600-5877 to arrange a substitute. Next meeting on February 5 11 a.m. at Desert Vista. We will not meet in January due to the New Years holiday.

#### **Super Solos Activities**

NEW year, NEW adventures with NEW friends. I can't wait! Imagine going to The Smith Center, a fancy lunch, snow skiing, or trying a new restaurant, with built-in companions! Our goal is to collect your ideas of fun and adventure and channel them into an app called MeetUp. As members of the Super Solos Activity Club, you will be able to view upcoming events and connect with others. Our next two meetings are 1/9/24 and 2/13/24 @ Desert Vista room 5, 5-7pm. Membership \$10 per year. Members note: We will have our first vote at the January meeting. Please join our club! Contact us at supersolosscs@gmail.com or club President, Susan Lang 319-350-8071.

#### Swim

Swim Club is open to all residents who swim. Come join fellow swimmers while brushing up on your techniques. We have several members who train for the Nevada Senior Games. We have exclusive use of the Desert Vista indoor pool on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 9-10 a.m. Membership is \$10 per year. Contact us at SCSSwimmers@gmail.org or call Darlene Staley 503 388-0821.

#### **Table Tennis**

All Sun City Summerlin residents are welcome to play with us for two visits as guests before joining the club. Annual membership dues are \$10. Playing Table Tennis has many great health benefits such as improved coordination, balance and reflexes. It's a great way to get in shape and make new friends. Play times at PN are Monday 9 a.m.-Noon; Sunday, Wednesday, and Friday 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; and Saturday, 3-6 p.m. Play times at Sun Shadows are Tuesday, 5:30-8 p.m., and Thursday, 4:45-8 p.m. A practice robot machine is set up on Satur-

day afternoons at the PN. For more information contact Marilyn at (412) 849-6092.

#### Tai Chi

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4 p.m.				Yang 37 for Fun Self-Directed	

Dues for 2024 are due-\$5-CHECK ONLY-NO CASH. Get Dues envelope from the DV monitor. Tai Chi for flexibility & balance, at Desert Vista. For information, email J at taichi10630@gmail.com or call Mary Dodson at 818-430-1617.

#### **Tennis**

Please join us for a game of tennis. Our club membership is \$15. We offer competitive tennis in all skill levels. Our club provides free tennis drills on Wednesdays from 9-10:30 a.m. at Desert Vista tennis courts. Our group leaders include players of all skill levels (2.5-4.5). For more information about the tennis club or to join a group, contact Walter Pratt, President, at 675-5823 or duffers18@yahoo.com.

#### Texas Hold'em

We play Texas Hold'Em No Limit Tournament style for 3 hours on Mondays 12:30 p.m. at Mountain Shadows. For more information on our games or to sign up as a new member go to www.suncityholdem.org. Annual club dues are \$5. Email suncityholdem@qmail.com with any questions.

#### Theatre (Community)



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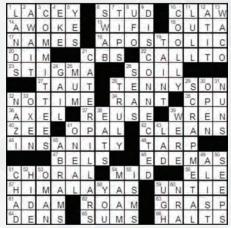
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#### ANSWER TO LAST MONTH'S PUZZLE



mance of **A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum** will be staged February 23, 24, & 25. **Tickets are on sale now! Would you like to join us for our fall produc- tion?** We are always open for new actors, backstage, crew etc.
Stop by one of our General Meetings on the 3rd Monday of each month - 6 p.m. at Desert Vista and see what we're up to! For more information, call President, John Mura at 310-251-2785.

#### Travel (Local)

HAPPY NEW YEAR! Sun City Summerlin Travel Club meets monthly on the second Wednesday, at 3 p.m. at Desert Vista, Room 5. All activities, including membership dues, are paid by CHECK. NO CASH. We will begin collecting membership dues of \$10 at our January meeting. All of our transportation is done by bus. We offer local and out of town travel. Football, baseball and ice hockey events are popular for sports fan. We visit the Smith Center for musicals and plays; also Strip headliners and occasional dinner outings. Lots of fun things are being planned - Jersey Boys, Neon Museum, Awakening and LOVE. For more information, call Marise 242-2704.

#### **WateRobics**

WateRobics classes are held at Sun Shadows, Monday-Friday at 9-9:45 a.m., and Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 12-12:45 p.m. Sessions are led by certified instructors who offer modifications to meet various physical limitations. If you're new to our community and are looking for a great workout, please join us for two free classes to see if it's a good fit for you. For information contact Dona Wuttman, 916 425-3571, Cathy Dali, 916 838-6378, or Sally Gavin, 283-0472.

#### Women's

Ladies, Do the terms "downsize," "declutter," and "organize" ring true? If so, then you'll enjoy and learn a lot from the January 18 presentation by Alison Rachiell of Smooth Transitions. Her talk, "Simplify and Enjoy Life More" and slide show at Desert Vista are aimed at helping seniors improve their quality of life. Light refreshments will be served. Dues for 2024 will be collected at this meeting; please pay by check. Doors at Desert

Vista open at 11:30 a.m., and the program starts at 12:15 p.m. For additional Club information contact Judy at 242-0727 or Dee at 719-599-7564.

#### Writer's Workshop

If you enjoy writing for fun or aspire to publishing, you will enjoy the Writer's Workshop. We're a casual, supportive, friendly group representing the full range of writing experience from beginners to those who have published or seek to publish. Members write about their life experiences, creative or humorous stories, and more. There will also be speakers and tips to help maximize our writing abilities. Our meetings are held at the Pinnacle Meeting Room on the first three Mondays of every month, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Visitors are welcome on the first and third Mondays. Annual dues are \$20. Hope to see you soon. For further information call President Maxine Engel-Muccigrosso at 360-1863.

#### Yoga

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
8:00 am Sun Shadows		Yin Yoga 50-min		Yin Yoga 50-min		
8:00 am Desert Vista	Yoga, Traditional 50-min	Yoga, Traditional 90-min	Yoga, Traditional 50-min	Yoga, Traditional 90-min	Yoga, Traditional 50-min	Yoga, Traditional 90-min
2:00 pm Sun Shadows		Gentle Yoga 50-min				

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