

the View

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Tibetan Monks. Photo by Robert DeLaurenti. Story on page 8.

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Sun City Shadow Hills Community Association

Hours of Operation

Association Office

Monday – Thursday · 9 am – noon, 1 pm – 4 pm
Closed Fridays During Summer
1st Saturday of the Month · 8 am – noon

Montecito Fitness Center

7 days a week · 5 am – 8 pm

Montecito Clubhouse

7 days a week · 6 am – 10 pm

Lifestyle Desk

7 days a week · 8 am – 5 pm

Montecito Café (Kiosk)

7 days a week · 8 am – 4 pm

"The Shadows"

Shadow Hills Golf Club Restaurant

Breakfast · Sat & Sun · 8 am – 11 am
Lunch · Mon, Wed, Thurs 10 am – 2:30 pm
Lunch · Tues & Fri 10 am – 5 pm
Lunch · Saturday · 11 am – 5 pm
Lunch · Sunday · 11 am – 2:30 pm
Dinner · Fri & Sat · 5 pm – 8 pm
Happy Hour · 7 days a week · 2:30 pm – 6 pm
Rodeo Drive · Tuesdays · 5 – 7 pm · \$7 Cover
Dinner served during Rodeo Drive.

Shadow Hills Golf Club Snack Bar

7 days a week · 7 am – 3 pm

Hours are subject to change.

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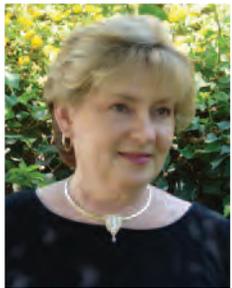
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From the General Manager

BY LYNN P. GILLIAM
GENERAL MANAGER

The spring was a busy time for your Board and staff. We have been looking at the property and all the amenities to determine what needs repair, replacement or preventative maintenance this year. We have looked at roofs, pools, pumps, condition of paint, upholstery, concrete and streets along with many others. Overall the condition of our community is very good but we do have some projects that need to be done this summer. Some of these maintenance projects will require the closing of portions of the common area for varying periods of time.

Projects that will cause minimal disturbance to the areas around the work include our landscape companies replacing plants that were damaged or lost due to the freezing temperatures and the wind. The plant replacement project should be completed shortly. The golf course side of the pony walls along holes one through nine will be painted this summer. Other than coordinating with the golf course as to the timing of watering, there should be minimal impact to our homeowners. The fountain at our Jefferson entry will be refurbished and once complete the landscaping that is disturbed will be replaced. Please drive slowly as you approach this area as workers will be in the center island working on the fountain. An additional storage area for the Montecito building was approved by the board and will be constructed this summer and while there may be some noise there should be minimal impact to the operations at the Montecito.

Projects that will be more extensive and will cause areas of our clubhouses or property to close for a period of time will include the slurry seal of some of our streets, work on the breezeway between the lifestyle and fitness buildings, and work on both the indoor and outdoor pool areas. Both the indoor and outdoor spas will be re-plastered and both pools will be acid washed, repaired and refilled. The indoor and outdoor pool decks will be completely replaced. The pool projects will be

extensive and will cause the closing of the pool area during renovation. Only one pool area will be done at a time leaving one pool and spa open at all times. Once this renovation is completed I am sure you will be delighted with the results so please be patient during the construction process.

In addition to the summer projects mentioned above the staff will continue following our routine and annual maintenance schedules for all of our common area components. We schedule routine maintenance for a number of reasons.

- It eliminates unexpected replacements and breakdowns.
- It keeps costs down because repairs are not made on an emergency basis.
- It extends the lives of expensive common area elements.
- It stops problems before they occur.

The Association works with qualified engineers and other experts to develop the maintenance schedule that specifies when common elements will be routinely inspected, adjusted and repaired. Regularly monitoring the property eliminates surprises and allows us to address unseen problems before they become noticeable and correct them before an expensive repair is needed.

Cool Zone Chats

Please join me near the Kiosk at the Montecito Clubhouse for a summer series of "Cool Zone Chats with the General Manager":

- Wednesday, June 8 – 10:30 am
- Tuesday, June 21 – 3:30 pm
- Wednesday, July 6 – 5:00 pm
- Thursday, July 21 – 9:30 am

If as we go through the summer you have questions on the timing of areas affected by the projects that are upcoming, please call or stop by the Association office. Any of the Association staff will be glad to help you or direct your questions to the proper staff member so that your questions are answered in a timely manner. The Association office staff is looking forward to assisting you.

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Employee of the Month - May 2011



Jeff Pickering

We are proud to recognize and honor Jeff Pickering as our May 2011 Employee of the month. Jeff's job duties and responsibilities include working closely with the events coordinator from Lifestyle to set up banquet rooms for event functions. Jeff continually delivers great customer service when it comes to assisting the events coordinator and helping residents with room set-up, audiovisual, and sound equipment requirements.

Jeff's primary responsibility is to lead the audiovisual staff in preparing the meeting rooms for any event function such as meetings, luncheons, concerts, parties, and coordinating the manpower schedules for these events. The room set-up includes tables, chairs, and sound equipment. When a concert has been contracted, Jeff will coordinate with the group sound technician for all the sound and stage lighting requirements; this includes having to rent equipment if required.

Jeff continually goes above and beyond to service the residents and receives praise and letters from them for the great job that he and his staff do.

Jeff's loyalty to Sun City Shadow Hills is apparent by his dedication and exemplified in his high level of customer service. We are privileged to have Jeff on our team and wish to congratulate him on this well deserved honor.

Thank you for the hard work, Jeff. Your dedication to the Association and your everyday effort to give all you have are what we all should do – thank you.

Committee Reports



Tree Trimming Time

If you haven't trimmed your tree(s) yet this spring, it is probably time to do so. Removal of crossing and parallel branches plus branches that pose hazards to foot traffic should be done first. You may also need to thin the tree(s). A thick, full tree acts like a sail in the wind and will loose branches or be blown over in a windstorm. Thinning removes excess branches in the interior of the tree allowing the wind to pass through without causing damage. Removal of large portions of the tree canopy (more than 30%) during any one pruning session in the summer growing season can lead to aggressive, unwanted regrowth, limited root development, and increased vulnerability to sunburn injuries that can be colonized by wood-boring insects. No more than 20% of the tree foliage should be removed at any one time with 80% of this pruning concentrated on the new growth on the outer third of the canopy.

Periodically stop and step back from the tree and take in an overall view of the tree from ALL sides. Repeat this process several times while pruning. Remember that excessive branch removal and improper or inappropriate pruning can act to stimulate unwanted growth. Sharp tools that make clean, smooth cuts will heal the most quickly. Use pruning tools that are appropriate to the size of branches being cut. Do not leave a stub when pruning a branch. Proper angled cuts accelerate the healing of wounds.

Board Meeting

Date: Monday, June 20

Time: 2:00 pm

Location: Ballroom





Emergency Preparedness

BY ERICA HEDLUND , EPC CHAIR

The Emergency Preparedness Committee (EPC) recommends the following Emergency Plan and Checklist be used to formulate your family's plan.

All your family members may not be at home when a disaster strikes. Highway I-10 may be impassable. ATMs and credit card machines may not be operating. You may be stranded in your car with no water, food, or medications. Each resident must take responsibility for his/her own emergency preparedness.

Family Emergency Plan and Checklist

- ✓ Designate a meeting place in SCSH to meet your family _____;
- ✓ Designate a meeting place outside SCSH _____;
- ✓ Designate a relative's or friend's out-of-state phone number to check in _____;

- ✓ Maintain a current list of medications that you take; post that list on your refrigerator and keep a copy in your wallet;
- ✓ Maintain an emergency contact list with names, addresses, phone numbers (including cell numbers), and email addresses;
- ✓ Have cash (preferably \$1 bills) available for emergency services, food, and medications;
- ✓ Create an emergency survival kit for your home and car(s). Here is a suggested list, but you should supplement it according to the individual needs of your family members:

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| Water (7 – 14 days) | Medications |
| Food (7 – 14 days) | Eating utensils |
| First aid supplies | Scissors/knife |
| Radio | Hygiene supplies |
| Flashlight | Pet food/water |
| Extra batteries | Clothes/shoes |
| Gloves | Rain poncho |
| Sun block | Whistle |
| Eye glasses | Blankets |



EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PRIORITIES: WATER, MEDICATIONS, FOOD, WARMTH

From the Library

BY SANDY KANELIS



Welcome, one and all, to your Honor System Library. Our library allows our residents to borrow books without checking them out. We only ask that you return them in a timely manner.

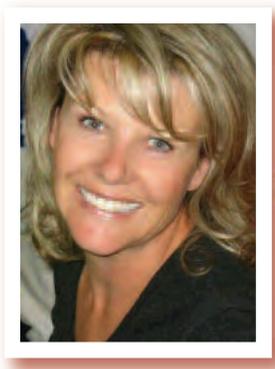
Our wonderful volunteers shelve approximately 1,400 books monthly. Without their generous help, we would not have a library. A big "thank you" to our volunteers!

If you would like to become a library volunteer, please call Barbara Perler at 760-772-4484 or email at baramp@verizon.net. We really need your help especially in the summer as many of our volunteers are snowbirds.

We will not accept donations from June to September as we do not have the manpower to process them.

We would love to hear from you. If you have read a book from our library or are donating a book that you really enjoyed, please let us know. You can email me at stisandy@rochester.rr.com or 760-342-8713, or you can tape a note to the book if you are returning it. A short synopsis would be helpful as we will pass this on to other readers.

The hot weather is with us. This is a good time to stay in air-conditioned comfort and read. We encourage you to use your library. Read and enjoy!



From the Sales Team

BY BELINDA DEAN

It's hard to believe that summer is just about here. We will have a lot of really exciting changes taking place for the sales team this upcoming summer.

You have most likely heard that we are planning a new model park in Phase III. It only makes sense to have our model park where we are building homes. Most of our sales activity for the past year has been in Phase III. At this time we already have over 225 homes completed, along with another 75 or so at various stages of construction. The Clubhouse is transforming right in front our eyes and the North Course is getting a lot of play. The sales team is really excited about the new location because we can properly showcase the best of Phase III with our environmentally friendly golf course,

state of the art Community and Fitness Center and homes that will feature the most current design features popular in today's market.

We plan to Grand Open the models and Clubhouse in the fall. In the meantime you will see a lot of activity around the Phase II model park. The sales office will be taken down and those empty lots where the sales office stood and the existing models will be purchased by new and excited Shadow Hills homeowners.

Of course while all this moving and building is going on we are still "Open for Business." We never stop selling homes and each day we continue to do our part to keep Sun City Shadow Hills the number one selling community in Southern California. So don't forget to refer your friends and if you are interested in moving into a model home or a brand new home in Phase III we can help you there, also!



Phase III Clubhouse rendering.



1,000 Cooks for the Cure

BY BRUCE BONAFEDE
COMMUNITY AFFAIRS LIAISON

This summer, Del Webb is partnering with KitchenAid on its Cook for the Cure® fundraising program to fight breast cancer.

According to the program website, “Cook for the Cure® is a program that gives people with the passion for cooking a way to support the fight against breast cancer. Through culinary-based fundraising, events, auctions, and the sale of pink products, the partnership between Susan G. Komen for the Cure® and KitchenAid has raised \$8 million in the last decade.”

Del Webb is partnering with the program in two ways. First, we’ll be hosting or sponsoring food-oriented events at our Del Webb communities toward the end of July. Plans are still being developed for each community, but details will be announced in the next issue of *The View*.

We’re also calling the program to the attention of residents, so that if you want to participate directly you can. A big part of the Cook for the Cure® program is about encouraging individuals to host an event or party centered around food to help raise funds for a cause they care about.

The Cook for the Cure website makes it very easy to do. It provides templates for invitations,

donation forms, party guides, recipes, a way to register your party, and a lot more. The website has a rather long address, so here’s a short-cut version: <http://tinyurl.com/42apa9a>.

As I said, be watching for details in the next issue of *The View*.

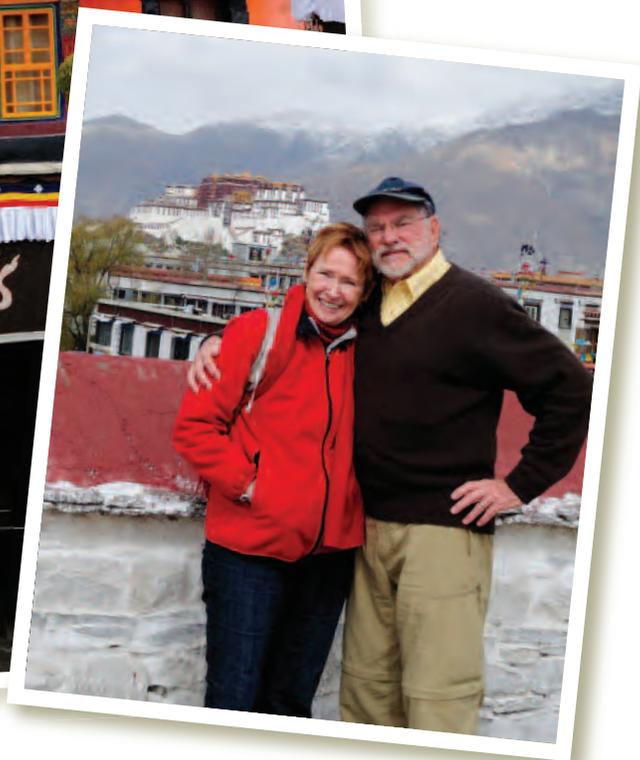
There’s also good news on the sales front. I’m happy to report that in April all our Southern California communities saw solid performance, with a total of 40 escrow closings across our Pulte, Del Webb, and Centex brands.

Of those, 34 of the closings were at our four Del Webb communities. On a community basis, we recorded four closings at Solera Kern Canyon, six closings each at Sun City Apple Valley and Solera Diamond Valley, and a very impressive 18 closings at Sun City Shadow Hills.

Want to help us maintain our strong sales? Don’t forget our new Friend Referral Program. We even have new colorful postcards you can send to friends who might be interested in the community. They’re available at the Sales Office. Stop by, pick some up and while you’re there complete the referral agreement so it’s all ready when your friends register on their first visit to the sales office.



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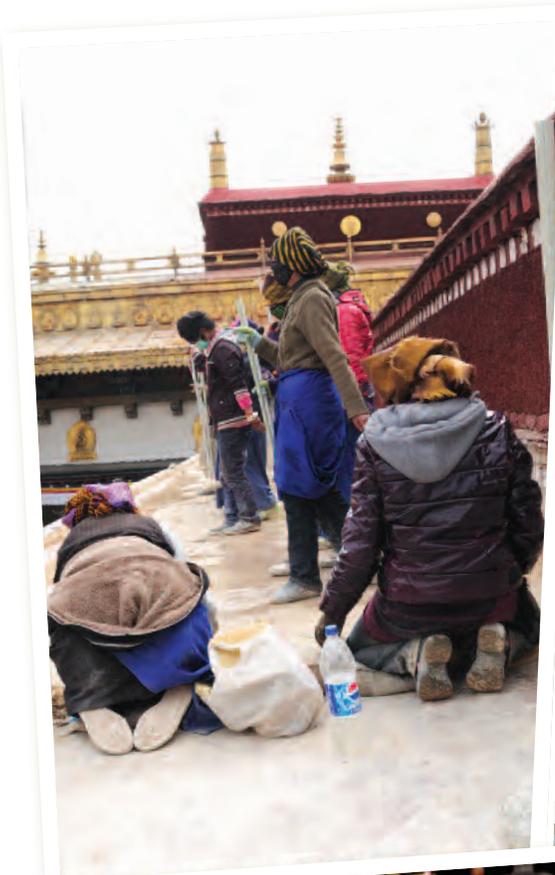
Trip to Tibet

BY AGGIE JORDAN, WITH PHOTOS BY ROBERT DELAURENTI

This photo journal of Lhasa, Tibet, depicts the exotic, ancient culture tucked away atop 12,000 feet of Chinese Himalayas, forbidden for so long to foreigners. The cover photo is the Sera Monastery monks in deep wine robes debating the lesson for the day.

One photo of special interest is the women walking and singing in unison tamping the concrete as they repair the roof floor of the Jokhang temple.

The height of our visit to Lhasa, no pun intended, was the climb of 400 steps to the Dalai Lama's red brick apartment residence atop the Potala Palace. The golden bejeweled mausoleums, the gilded Buddhas of every level of devotion, and the apartments with the ornate meeting rooms and chapel were a study in contrast to the Spartan bedroom, simple bathroom, and study of the Dalai Lama.



The streets of Lhasa are lined with several generations of prayer walkers carrying prayer wheels and beads streaming in and around the sacred sites of the city, dressed in dull brown, gray, and black, their costumes symbolize their serious, depressed-looking behavior and their poverty.

Note the mother and child in a poor farm house yet with beautiful typical wood decorations throughout the house contrasted with the dirt and concrete floor and the bed covers soon to be washed in the river.

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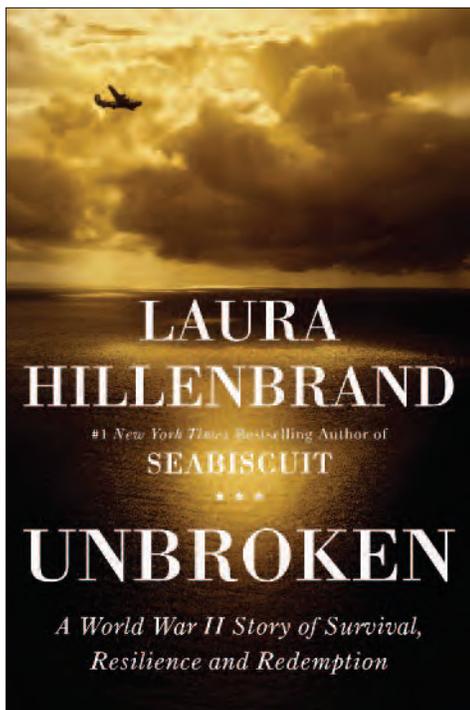
Feature Stories



Cartoon Journal

BY LARRY GOODMAN





Book Review

BY DIANNE TUTTLE

*“Unbroken:
A World War II Story of Survival,
Resilience, and Redemption”
By Lauren Hillenbrand*

Men, you are going to really enjoy this book. Actually, I believe everyone who reads it will be enthralled. Hillenbrand, the author of *Seabiscuit*, has done it again with a deeply riveting novel about Olympic runner Louie Zamperini.

When Louie and his family moved to Torrance, CA, he was a rambunctious young boy who learned to fight and steal, and finally, with the help of his older brother, joined the track team to expend some of his energy. He set several records and made the US Olympic team in 1936 in Berlin and again in 1940 in Japan. Unfortunately the 1940 Olympics were cancelled due to the war, and Zamperini joined the Air Force and became a lieutenant. He was assigned to the B24 squadron as a gunner and was shot down over the Pacific and captured by the Japanese. What happened next seemed so unbelievable that I kept looking to make sure this was a biography and not historical fiction. When the Japanese discovered who he was, they instituted a campaign of torture so hideous it is amazing any man could endure. Their intent was to break him and then use his name for propaganda. However, as the title suggests, he is resilient, and a survivor.

Hillenbrand interviewed Mr. Zamperini more

than 75 times. She has included 50 pages of research notes at the end of the book, many of the notes from Zamperini's own extensive scrapbooks as well as interviews with other survivors and family members of survivors.

I could not put this book down and have recommended it to several of my friends and family members. Not only is it action-packed from the very first page, it is a compelling story detailing the torture and humiliation Zamperini endured at the hands of sadistic Japanese officers. Because I had not heard of Louie Zamperini, I did not know what to expect each time the torture became worse or when he returned home and the torture continued in his mind.

Several years after Zamperini's return from the prison camps in Japan, his life seemed to be coming apart instead of improving. His marriage was deteriorating and his nightmares continued. Then he met a man who became one of the greatest influences in his life, and after that encounter his life became an inspiration to others. At the age of 93, Zamperini still gives inspirational talks; one of his favorites is the pep talk he gives each season to the USC track team, where he himself set many a record in the past.

Would you like to write a book review for the View?

Submit your review of approximately 450 words of a contemporary book to Sue Haffley at haffleysue@yahoo.com.

All reviews will be considered and may require minor editing.



The Weekly News is designed to bring the latest news to the SCSH community via our new website, www.scsorca.com.

It will feature weekly news with the capability to bring immediate updates as they occur.

This site will be password-protected and is only for members of the community.

We believe that this will provide another benefit to the community.

Get on the web and see what you are missing.

Not a Wrinkle

A POEM BY DIANE BROWN

If you died with not a wrinkle on your face,

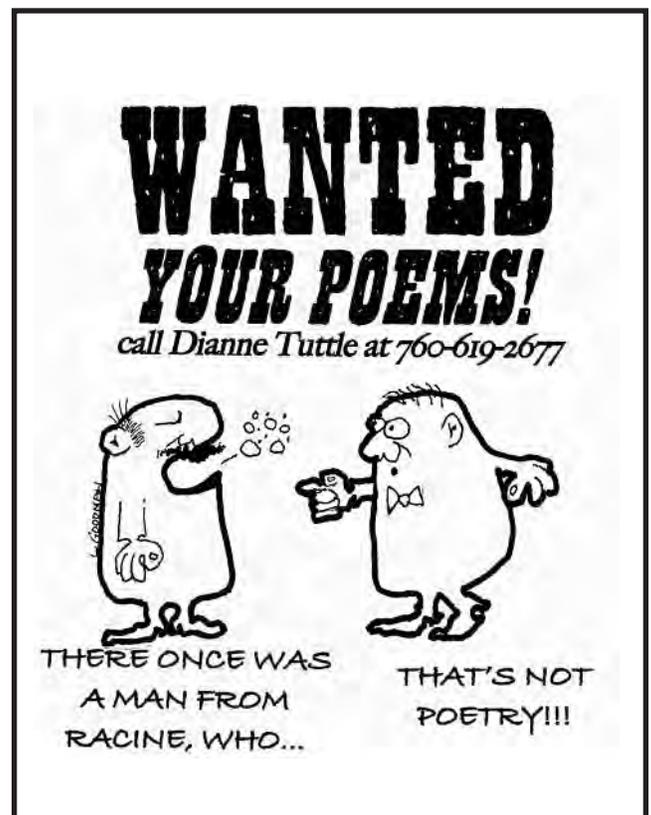
What would that say of your life's pace?

And if your head was full of hair, none gray,

Oh my, what would people say?

Maybe that you never laughed nor cried,

You never lived, nor loved, but only that you died!



Poetry Contest

Are you a wordsmith? Are you creative? Do you have a poem inside crying to be released? Then grab your quill and ink, and pen a poem for the SCStH Poetry Contest.



- Participation is limited to SCStH residents, and all poems must be original work.
- You may enter no more than two poems, and each poem must be 25 lines or less.
- Pick up an Entry Form and Permission and Release Forms at the Lifestyle Desk.
- Submit your poem and forms to Dianne Tuttle at dantuttle@aol.com or by dropping them off at the Lifestyle Desk by the deadline, October 1, 2011. Please do not write your name on the poem.
- Poems should include some, but not necessarily all, of the following criteria:
 - Pleasing meter.
 - Depth of thought.
 - Sound devices such as assonance, alliteration, repetition, and onomatopoeia.
 - Figurative language such as personification, allusion, simile, metaphor, and hyperbole.
 - Rhyming neither necessary nor preferable.

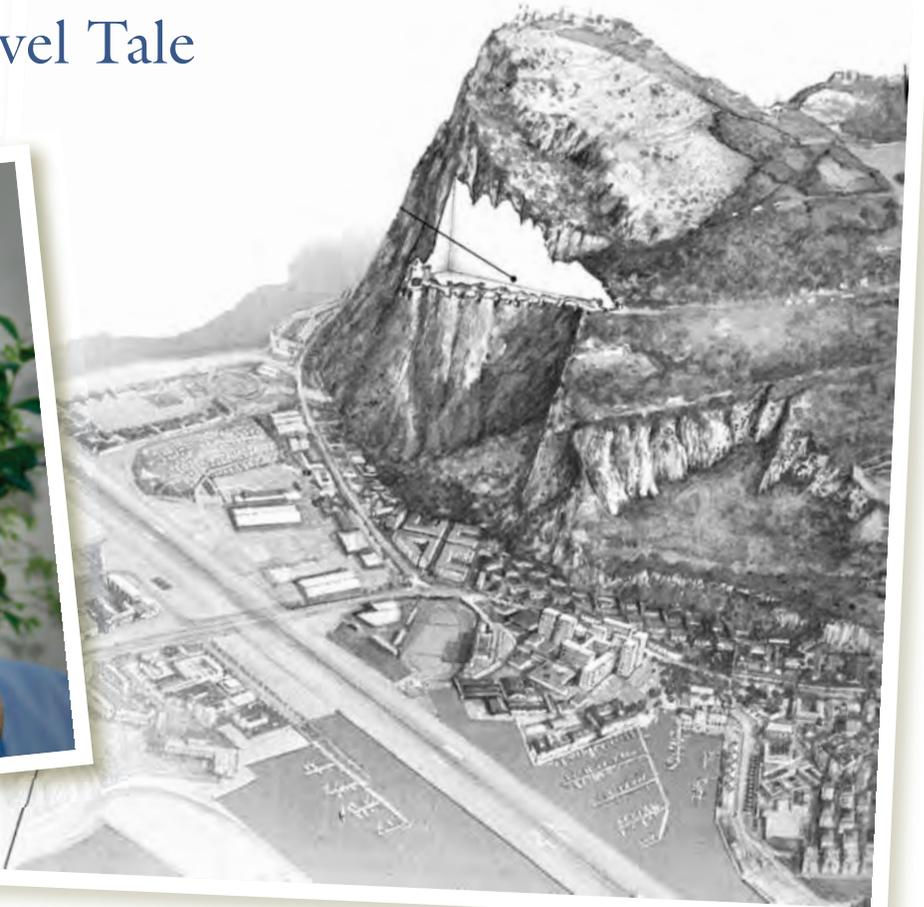
Prizes Will Be Awarded.

Selections will be screened by the poetry sub-committee and adjudicated by judges outside the SCStH community -- all established poets and expert literary writers.

Contact: Dianne Tuttle, dantuttle@aol.com

A Cautionary Travel Tale

BY PAT NAPOLES



In 2004, on a late spring vacation in Spain's Andalusia region, my husband Art and I decided to make a day trip to Gibraltar. Armed with a typewritten page of advice lifted from one of Rick Steves' travel guides that a friend had insisted we follow, we set off after breakfast, Art at the wheel of our rental car and I in my customary role as navigator.

It is only after we turn off the toll road toward Gibraltar that I realize the page with specific instructions for parking on the Spanish side of the border is missing (evidently Steves is quite adamant that one should NOT drive into Gibraltar as there is only one parking lot on the other side). But I remember clearly that he stressed staying in the left lane approaching the crossing. We,

unfortunately, are already in the far right lane, with a curb preventing any merge left. As though on a slow-moving conveyor belt, we feel ourselves inexorably drawn forward between other cars inching south.

I see a small building up ahead and suggest that it might actually be the border station. My husband is not sure, so suggests I jump out and run ahead to get a clearer picture. Big mistake! I try to catch up with other pedestrians but find none that speak English and before I realize it (and by now I've lost sight of where Art and the car are in line) I'm asked for my passport (which is hanging around my neck), then swept along with the crowd into a wide carpeted area with doors at both ends – clearly one way, and also clearly inside

Gibraltar with – no purse, no money, no phone and . . . no husband.

When the perky British lady behind a counter to my left asks could she be of aid, I wail, "I seem to have lost my husband." Without waiting for her reply, I head outside to check the line of incoming cars but can't spot ours anywhere.

My heart pounding, and with visions of spending the rest of my life competing with the Barbary Apes for tourists' handouts, I pray that Art would not drive off into Gibraltar without me, although with that relentless flow of traffic I realize he may have had no other choice. Then beyond a line of taxis and a bus stop, I spot the entrance to a car park on the right and rush into it to search for what I now realize is one of

hundreds of similar bland mid-sized sedans.

Ah, but there is a tall, dark man wearing a baseball cap locking his car door. I rush toward him, only to have him turn toward me, bearded and looking rather frightened at being imminently accosted by a strange woman.

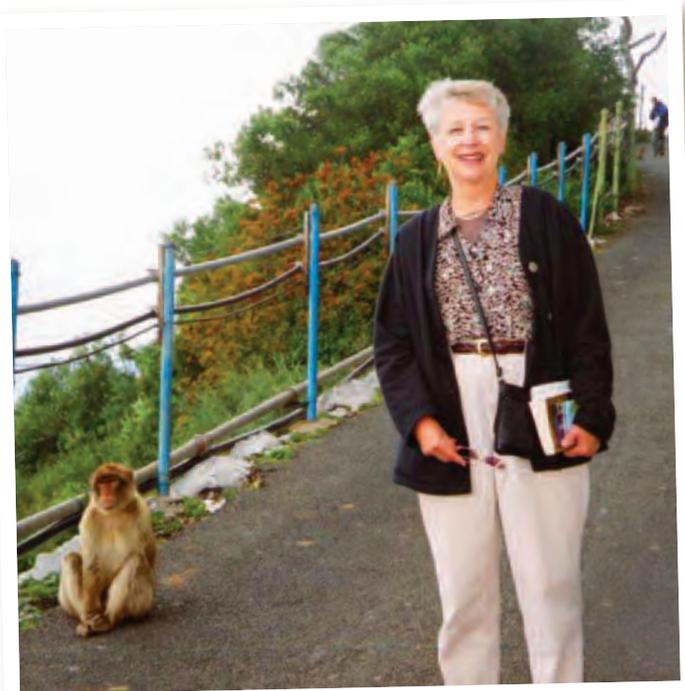
Trying hard not to lose it, I apologize and decide there's nothing to be done but to cross back into Spain in hopes that Art has somehow managed to exit the line and is waiting for me there. Rather pumped at finding myself miraculously still in one piece after dodging and weaving my way across four lanes of incoming and exiting lines of traffic, I snap back when the Spanish border guard asks me if I have anything to declare.

"I've only been gone from your country for ten minutes!" I hiss through clenched teeth as I hand him my passport. But when I peruse the incoming line and realize my husband's not there either, the enormity of my situation really hits me. I have absolutely no idea of what to do next, except to once again dodge across four lanes of startled drivers and repeat my entrance into Gibraltar.

The perky British agent does a lovely double-take as I pass saying, "Didn't you just...?"

"I don't want to talk about it," I reply tearfully as I push open the entrance doors and practically collide with my equally distraught husband. We fall into each other's arms as that nice lady behind the welcome counter leads the applause. It seems Art had indeed tried to pull out of the line until a Spanish guard insisted he continue on. So he did, scanning pedestrian traffic for me (obviously while I was being rude to the Spanish border guard) and managing to actually get the very last parking slot in that lot I'd left just minutes before.

Moral of the story? If you travel together, stay the heck together!



Feature Stories



*Back nine of South Course
closed July 11-31, 2011*

The back nine of the south course will be closed from July 11 through July 31, 2011. This will give the agronomy team the opportunity to implement some much needed cultural practices. Fairway aerification and topdressing will help to ensure excellent playing conditions coming into the fall. During this time we will play the front nine twice to complete an 18-hole round.

Golf Course and Restaurant Operations

BY RYAN STEMSTRUD
GENERAL MANAGER, SHGC

Shadows Restaurant

Shadows Restaurant will move to summer hours beginning June 1, with a lighter summer menu. Please see the following daily schedule:

- Monday 10 am – 6 pm. Lunch until 2:30 pm.
Happy Hour 2:30 – 6 pm.
- Tuesday 10 am – 7 pm. Lunch until 5 pm.
Rodeo Drive 5 – 7 pm.
Dinner served during Rodeo Drive.
- Wednesday 10 am – 6 pm. Lunch until 2:30 pm.
Happy Hour 2:30 – 6 pm.
- Thursday 10 am – 6 pm. Lunch until 2:30 pm.
Happy Hour 2:30 – 6 pm.
- Friday 10 am – 8 pm. Lunch until 5 pm.
Happy Hour 2:30 – 6 pm.
Dinner from 5 – 8 pm.
- Saturday 8 am – 8 pm. Breakfast until 11 am.
Lunch 11 am – 5 pm.
Happy Hour 2:30 – 6 pm.
Dinner from 5 – 8 pm.
- Sunday 8 am – 8 pm. Breakfast until 11 am.
Lunch 11 am – 2:30 pm.
Happy Hour 2:30 – 6 pm.

Shadows Restaurant also needs your help. In order to preserve the resident discounts, we would like to ask for your understanding if we request that you present your resident card. We want to ensure that only the residents of SCSH are receiving the 20% discount, and our only way to do so is by verifying your resident card. This will help us keep our costs down and in turn keep the menu prices down as well.

Rules of Golf

For the month of June, the golf staff would like to include an excerpt from Section 1 – Etiquette in the Rules of Golf book.

Play at Good Pace and Keep Up

Players should play at a good pace. The Committee may establish pace of play guidelines that all players should follow.

It is a group's responsibility to keep up with the group in front. If it loses a clear hole and it is delaying the group behind, it should invite the group behind to play through, irrespective of the number of players in that group. Where a group has not lost a clear hole, but it is apparent that the group behind can play faster, it should invite the faster moving group to play through.

Be Ready to Play

Players should be ready to play as soon as it is their turn to play. When playing on or near the putting green, they should leave their bags or carts in such a position as will enable quick movement off the green and towards the next tee. When the play of a hole has been completed, players should immediately leave the putting green.

Lost Ball

If a player believes his ball may be lost outside a water hazard or is out of bounds, to save time, he should play a provisional ball.

Players searching for a ball should signal the players in the group behind them to play through as soon as it becomes apparent that the ball will not easily be found. They should not search for five minutes before doing so. Having allowed the group behind to play through, they should not continue play until that group has passed and is out of range.



Fitness Update

BY EVANGELINE GOMEZ
FITNESS DIRECTOR

Beat the Heat 2011

Make sure to sign up June 1 – June 30 in the Fitness Center

We are excited to start our Beat the Heat program on Monday, July 11! The program begins with baseline measurements on July 11 and 12. If you are enrolled in the program and haven't already made an appointment for baseline measurements, please be sure to do so by July 5. During this appointment, you will receive a program manual which includes your guide for gaining points and workout journals as well as information regarding the class schedules.

This fitness program consists of a variety of special exercise classes and educational programs that are free to all residents who sign up (by the June 30 deadline) and participate. The Fitness team keeps track of your exercise progress for

six weeks (ending on Friday, August 19); and participants are rewarded with incremental prizes as you earn points. So the more you exercise and participate, the more prizes you can win! The Beat the Heat point board is updated daily so that you will be able to see where you stand. This is also a great way to get your friends and loved ones motivated to work out and live a healthy lifestyle.

On Friday, August 19, we will have the grand finale celebration for all the participants who stayed with the program and acquired at least one of the incremental prizes.

Please contact the Fitness Center at 760-772-0430 for any questions.



Sports & Fitness

Earthquake and Fire Safety

Join us for the first in a series of Health & Wellness Speakers on **Tuesday, June 14, 2011, at 6:30 pm** in the Aerobics Studio at the Montecito Fitness Center.



The first topic will be about earthquake and fire safety with our Shadow Hills Station Fire Department. The Fire Department will be discussing with you the do's and don'ts of earthquake and fire safety and will answer any questions you have. Please sign up by coming to the Fitness Center or by calling 760-772-0430. Remember, there will be many more informational and educational topics to come, so make sure to keep an eye out.

Fitness Orientations

By Appointment Only.

If you are unfamiliar with the fitness equipment here at Sun City Shadow Hills, you may want to schedule a complimentary Fitness Orientation.

We are happy to familiarize you with all of the state-of-the-art fitness equipment and create a basic program with workout card for you to follow.

Please call the Fitness Center at 760-772-0430 to schedule an appointment.

Pool Enjoyment

Summer is here! As it heats up, the pools will become more popular and the place to be. Please help us maintain the quality and enjoyment of our pool areas for all by adhering to the following:

- Single-person floating devices can be used only in the Outdoor Pool through August 31 on weekdays only, no holidays and not when the pool is crowded.
- Children ages 4 – 17 are allowed only in the Outdoor Pool between the hours of 10 am – 3 pm.
- Children under the age of 14 are not permitted in any Jacuzzi at any time.
- Incontinent persons of any age are not allowed to use the pools or Jacuzzis at any time. Diapers of any type are not permitted.
- Balls and toys are not permitted.
- Absolutely no diving is permitted.
- Running, jumping, and hanging/sitting/climbing on hand rails or lane dividers are not permitted.
- Loud or erratic behavior is not permitted.
- All persons are required to shower before entering the pool and after use of any suntan lotion prior to re-entering the pool. Suntan oil is not permitted.
- Only proper swimming attire is permitted. Cut-offs, underwear or street clothing may not be worn in the pools.
- No bandages of any type may be worn in pools.
- No pets are allowed within fenced pool areas except for permissible reasonable accommodation.
- Food, canned beverages, or plastic cups may be used in the sun lounge area and areas provided with tables. No food or drinks are allowed in the pools or within four feet of the water.
- Smoking is not permitted in the pool areas.
- Users of the pools are expected to maintain reasonable decorum, be considerate of others and observe all safety rules.

If you have guests that will be using the pool areas, we ask that you please have them register at the Fitness Center desk prior to entering the pool area.

*The Outdoor Pool area
will be closed for deck repair
beginning Tuesday, May 31
through Monday, July 4.*



Half-Day Fishing Trip out of Newport Landing

When: Tuesday, September 13, 2011

Departure: 9 am

Return: Approximately 8 pm

Cost: \$65 per person

Come join us for a fun-filled day of deep sea fishing. You will meet at the Fitness Center and then take a motorcoach to Newport Landing, where you will board the Patriot, a 72-ft. boat with a full galley so that you can buy food and drinks whenever you want. What could be better than spending a day out on a boat fishing and relaxing from 12:30 to 5:30 pm? But you say you don't have a license or a fishing pole? Not to worry, you can rent a pole for \$12 or a complete set with a pole, hooks, and sinkers for \$20. You can also get a one-day license for \$13.78. Your guests are welcome to join us as well, but remember anyone over the age of 16 is required to have a license. On the way home, you will be treated to snacks and drinks that will be provided for you.

Don't miss out on our first of what will hopefully be many fishing trips. Sign up quickly at the Fitness Center since space is limited to 40 people.

**We must have 40 participants
in order to avoid cancellation.**

**Last day to sign up is
Friday, September 2, 2011.**

**To sign up or for more information,
please come down to the Fitness Center
or call us at 760-772-0430.**

Montecito Fitness Center Services

Massage Therapy

Friday, June 10 and 24

Therapist: Ellen Freid

Fee: \$1/minute

Chair Massage

Please schedule
with Fitness Center at
760-772-0430



The massage therapists
from *A One Price Quality
Massage Therapy* will be here
on Friday, June 10 and 24,
beginning at 8 am.

The chair massages are \$1 per
minute (\$10 for 15 minutes).

In home, full-body massages
are also available: 1 full hour
at \$72 or 1.5 hours for \$108
(cash or credit payment).

**Plus receive a free
spa goody bag!**

Sports & Fitness

Wii Bowling League

The 12-week league is underway and everyone is having a great time! Stop by the Aerobics Studio in the Fitness Center on Mondays at 6 pm to cheer on your friends and neighbors. Contact the Fitness Center at 760-772-0430 for additional information.

2011 Fitness Guest Punch Card

Residents, please make sure to come to the Fitness Center and pick up the 2011 Fitness Guest Punch Card. The punch card is required for any guests that will be using the Fitness Center (pool not included). This punch card must be presented to the Fitness Desk prior to working out. One of the 50 squares will be signed off for each guest each day. If a guest does not have the punch card, a fee of \$5 per visit will be applied.



Blood Pressure Screenings

June 6 and 20

8:30 – 10:30 am

High blood pressure is called "the silent killer" because there often are no symptoms. Your numbers are your only warning. Know your numbers - stop by the Fitness Center and get your blood pressure measured. Sponsored by Cambrian Homecare.

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Legend

AS – Aerobic Studio
FC – Fitness Center
GC – Golf Club

IP – Indoor Pool
MC – Montecito Clubhouse
OS – Offsite

TC – Tennis Courts
\$ – \$3 charge
\$\$ – \$6 charge

Visa and MasterCard accepted.

Listings in BLUE indicate Charter Club membership required.

For more information on calendar listings, call the Fitness Center 760-772-0430, or log on to the web site and check the Fitness Center page for class descriptions.

Studio classes are limited to 25 participants for safety purposes.

Please arrive early to ensure your spot. This schedule is subject to change.

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8:00 AM Mixed Doubles (TC)
3:00 PM Table Tennis (AS)

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8:30 AM Blood Pressure Screening(FC)
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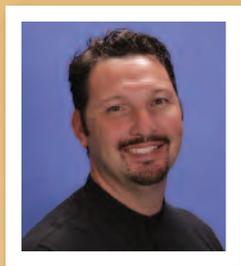
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Sports & Fitness Calendar



Lifestyle Update June 2011

BY ERIC ANGLE
LIFESTYLE DIRECTOR

Celebrate Dad's big day on Saturday, June 18. We have scheduled a fun day of food, US Open Golf, Wii, and poker. This again is open to all dads, friends, and family. Partake in the fun for only \$10 per person or \$5 for kids under the age of 12.

Don't forget to join us Friday afternoons before movie night for a quick bite and a relaxing drink with good friends. Every Friday from 4 – 6 pm, we offer our happy hour in the Cool Zone. For \$3 in advance or \$5 on Friday, you can take part in a great social event held at the Montecito Café. Check the menu and movie listings on the website. Speaking of movies . . . make sure you come into the cool comfort of the Montecito to see our two-day film festival on July 9 and 10. First-rate releases with refreshments and the best part of all . . . it's all complimentary.

For those looking for some escapes this summer, make sure you check in at the Lifestyle desk or on the website for our list of day trips and vacation get-aways.

Currently we have scheduled trips to Olvera Street in Downtown LA, Balboa Park in San Diego, and afternoon baseball at Dodger Stadium on August 10 against the Phillies. It's half-price food day at Dodger Stadium, so indulge!

Bring a friend and share the lifestyle!

- Eric

Lifestyle Summer Getaways

Tuesday, July 12
Olvera Street (Los Angeles, CA)



Wednesday, August 10
Baseball (Phillies vs. Dodgers)



Thursday, August 18
Balboa Park (San Diego, CA)



Contact Lifestyle
760-772-9617



American Flag Sale

New replacement flags and poles for Phase 1 & 2 homeowners

New flags with poles and mounting hardware for Phase 3 homeowners

WHERE

New Home Orientation
Montecito Clubhouse

WHEN

June 17, 2011 • 10 a.m.

Sponsored By

Shadow Hills Veterans Club

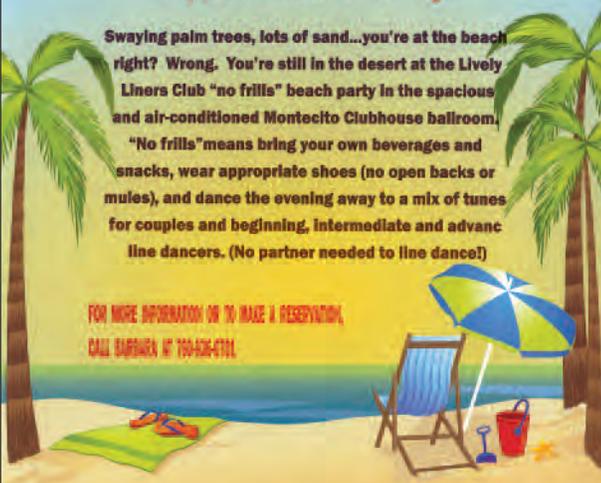


BEACH PARTY

WHEN: Saturday, June 4, 2011 ■ 6-9 p.m.
WHERE: Montecito Clubhouse Ballroom
COST: Club members - free ■ All others - \$5/person
 Bring your own snacks and beverages

Swaying palm trees, lots of sand...you're at the beach right? Wrong. You're still in the desert at the Lively Liners Club "no frills" beach party in the spacious and air-conditioned Montecito Clubhouse ballroom. "No frills" means bring your own beverages and snacks, wear appropriate shoes (no open backs or mules), and dance the evening away to a mix of tunes for couples and beginning, intermediate and advanced line dancers. (No partner needed to line dance!)

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO MAKE A RESERVATION, CALL BARBARA AT 760-624-4701



Comedy Night



at
Sir Laffs-A-Lot's
Comedy Club
Presented by
Sun City Shadow Hills
Concerts 4 U

Comedians from:
The Tonight Show
The David Letterman Show
Comedy Central

All Summer
Long
(3rd Wednesday)

New Shows
Every Month



Rated "R" due to
language content

Wednesday, June 15, 2011 at 7:00 PM

\$12.00 advance purchase, \$14.00 at the door seats are limited

Checks, Visa, Discover, and Master Card accepted
Complimentary Wine and Water served

Montecito Clubhouse
80-888 Sun City Blvd.
Indio, CA 92203

Ticket information, call the
Lifestyle Desk at 760-772-9617
For info, call Darryl at
760-469-5677



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Sun City Shadow Hills
HARVEST FESTIVAL
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2011
CRAFTERS, ARTISTS
HOMEMADE JARED FOODS
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ARE WELCOME

Sponsored by SCSH Ceramics Club
Applications are now being accepted
Inquire at the Lifestyle desk 760-772-9617
or email scshlifestyles@pcminternet.com
with attention to Paula.



Lifestyle Update

THE LIFESTYLE DESK ACCEPTS VISA AND MASTERCARD.

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Interested in starting a new club?

Are you interested in bocce,
cars, or another hobby?

Why not start a new club!

Drop by the Lifestyle Desk in the
Montecito Clubhouse to pick up
an informational packet.

760-772-9617

THE LIFESTYLE DESK ACCEPTS VISA AND MASTERCARD.

Billiards Club

Once again it's time to say goodbye to all our friends who go away for the summer months.



Wednesday, April 27, we held our first scotch doubles tournament of the new season. We had 16 players in competition, eight teams with a race to three wins, and a consolation flight for the players eliminated on the first round. The first place winners were Bryan Murray and Bob Carson. Second place went to Jack Lacey and Frans Dequelettes. The consolation flight was won by Gene Hapin and Balta Rosales. Congratulations to all our winners. Everyone played well and enjoyed themselves.

Our club continues to meet every Wednesday at 7 pm in the Billiards Room for open play. Tournaments are held the last Wednesday of the month at a cost of \$2 per player per tournament. You must be a club member to play in the monthly tournaments.

Women and men of all levels of experience are welcome and encouraged to join. It's a great way to make new friends and meet your neighbors! Come to the Montecito Billiards Room on Wednesday nights for open play. Lessons are available at 10 am every Monday in the Billiards Room by Bryan Murray (760-342-9028). For any further information, please call Don Salvatore at 760-775-8394. See you on Wednesday.

Bridge Club

The SCSH Bridge Club is enjoying a large turnout each Tuesday even though our bridge-playing snowbirds are leaving. We usually have 48 people (12 tables), which creates a challenging and fun game of duplicate! We meet in the ballroom at the clubhouse from 12:15 – 4 pm. This session is sanctioned, and ACBL members can earn Master Points as well as our usual cash prizes. The card fee for this game is \$2 for residents and \$5 for non-residents, who are limited to playing one time per month.



We also meet Thursday evenings from 6:30 – 9 pm in the Capistrano room, where bridge instruction is available. This session is free, no prizes or Master Points, but newcomers are always welcome here as well as old-timers who

wish to play more “social” duplicate. There is even a provision for those who prefer party bridge, so please feel free to join us!

Our annual year-end party on May 15 at the Montecito Clubhouse was a huge success. Our social committee did an outstanding job as well as Pat and Oscar's, who catered the event. Photos of this fun occasion can be viewed on our website.

If you are looking for a bridge partner, please check out our beautiful new website at www.shbridgeclub.com. Besides a message board for partners to contact each other, there is a wealth of information there about bridge including scores and the schedule for bridge lessons. All bridge lessons are free for residents of SCSH!

We look forward to seeing you at the bridge table!

Bunco

In April we had a wonderful time yelling and laughing at the dice. We had a very special good luck cake for Margaret Minsky, who is moving back to Chicago to be with her children. We will miss her!

Please join us the last Wednesday evening of the month at the Montecito Clubhouse at 6:45 pm. The date in June is the 29th. Everyone is welcome and we always love to meet new people. Any questions, please call Marcia Guntman at 760-347-3817.

Camera Club

Our club activities are winding down as some of our members are returning to their “other homes” and seeking out cooler climates. Those of us who remain in our beautiful Coachella Valley will enjoy less traffic and a choice of tables at our favorite restaurants!



At our May meeting, we shared a buffet of assorted pizzas and soft drinks and enjoyed a slide show of pictures taken on our last field trip to Pioneer Town and other favorite photos from this year. We elected our new slate of officers for next year, and they are: Gary Mencimer, President; Glenn Darragh, Vice President; Bobbie Freiman, Secretary; and Sid Weiss, Treasurer. Our club does not meet in the summer months, so our next meeting will be Wednesday, October 5.

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Canasta Club

A few new members have joined the club, and we always welcome more to join us for a couple of hours of canasta card playing and a lot of fun. If you are not familiar with the game, we are happy to help you learn. The dues until June 30, 2011, are \$5.

We gather every Friday at 1 pm, usually in the Capistrano room. If you are interested in joining or have any questions, please call either Sarelle at 760-610-2459 or Sherry at 760-200-3483.

Hope to see you there!



Ceramics Club

Well, it has been a busy month for the Ceramics Club! During May, we took time from our active schedules to come together for a delightful luncheon. We shared many enjoyable stories, lots of laughs, and generally had a good time with good friends.

Our members were challenged in a different way when white aprons were handed out for everyone to decorate. Squeeze bottles of different colors of paint were available to embellish the aprons. Well, here was a blank canvas: a new medium for artistic expression, creative interpretation, and imagination! We made squiggles, circles, stars, line drawings, Monet-type paintings; and we wrote our names. The painted aprons had to dry for a few days and then were ready to wear at our club.

Some members are working on ceramic pieces to sell at the Sun City Shadow Hills Harvest Festival. The

festival is scheduled for Saturday, November 5, and applications are being accepted now. If you have or know someone that has handmade or unique manufactured items for sale, please consider submitting an application. You do not need to live in Sun City Shadow Hills. For an application, contact Paula Nadel at idyletalks@dc.rr.com. Paula has already received many applications, so make sure you get your application in soon!

Don't forget to try your hand out at ceramics. We meet on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9 am to noon in the Cambria/Mirada rooms at the Montecito Clubhouse.

Classy Niners

The club held its End of Season Luncheon and General Meeting on May 3 at The Shadows Restaurant. There were 39 ladies in attendance. The morning began with golf, and the game of the day was a shambles. Three teams won: third-place winners were Carol Gruzalski, Sally Rygmyr, Glennetta Shaw, and Jorjean Tarney. Second-place winners were Betty Allen, Linda Mulcahy, Cory Stevens, and Dottie Thornton. First-place winners were Mary Kaye Brown, Mary Castro, Diane Ershig, and Judy Wakeman. Everyone really enjoyed the team play, the delicious lunch, and the fun raffle prizes.

The club currently has 103 members with 40 new members this year. Many of the members were recognized for their efforts in making the year so successful. The club elected the current Board for the 2011/2012 club year, and they will be making plans for the new year during the summer months.



The last session of golf clinics given by Jon Manack ended on May 7. The clinics have been so successful that the club plans to continue them in the fall. Members will be notified once details have been finalized.

Regular play will continue each Tuesday morning throughout the summer months. Play will rotate from the front nine, the back nine of the South Course, as well as the North Course. As the mornings get warmer, play will begin earlier. Please check the sign-up sheets posted in the Pro Shop for the times and location of play.

Those wishing to play must sign up no later than noon on the Sunday before play. Sign-up sheets are posted the week before play on the bulletin board in the Pro Shop. Players may also sign up by email at scsh9ers@yahoo.com.

Membership dues for the 2011/2012 are being accepted now. Dues are \$15 per year, and checks made payable to "SCSH Classy Niners" may be deposited in the drawer at the Pro Shop or in the mailbox at the Montecito Clubhouse.

Ladies of all levels of golf are encouraged to join the club. Anyone interested in joining may contact Ruby Vandewalle at 760-342-2678 or Mary Kunstler at 760-393-8143 for more information and to obtain an application.

Community Singers

On April 11 the Community Singers celebrated the end of another successful season, feasting on a delicious "potluck" supper while watching a CD recording of our recent "Made in the USA" concert. Guests included Dick Reed, our interim director, and his wife, Patty, as well as various spouses of our members. A unanimous vote ushered in our new slate of officers for the



coming year. This slate includes Mary Harder as President, once again; Bill Abel as Vice President; Robin Zimmerman as Treasurer; and Eileen Heckel as Secretary.

Our director, Karen Adamik, spoke briefly about plans for our 2011/2012 season. Our holiday concert in December will be entitled "Holiday Notes," and our Spring concert theme will be "Showstoppers."

We will be dark until Monday, September 19, at 5 pm, when we will meet for our first rehearsal of the 2011/2012 season. Please remember we welcome new members. All that is required is a desire to sing in a choral group while making lasting memories and friendships along the way. Hope to see you then.

Computer Club

We have ended another great year in the Computer Club, and the club will be "dark" until October, when we will start our new schedule of five programs a month, counting the regular club meeting.

The Santa Rosa clubhouse should open early next season and we look forward to shifting our activities to the planned training classroom.

As we said earlier, it has been a great year and a lot of fun; membership has grown to over 150. The board and officers remain unchanged from last year to ensure a smooth transition from the Montecito Clubhouse to the Santa Rosa facility.

Dues will initially remain unchanged at \$10 for the October to May season, so join early by leaving your check, email address, and phone number in the Computer Club mailbox in the Montecito Clubhouse.

Have an enjoyable summer!

Concerts 4 U

Good news year-rounders . . . Sir Laffs-A-Lot's Comedy Club will continue all summer long on the third Wednesday of every month featuring two different professional comedians from HBO, Showtime, The Letterman and Leno Shows, and Comedy Central every month. If you haven't been to the show before, ask your neighbors who have attended about it: 80% of our audience are



repeat attendees who get to have a couple hours of laughs and complimentary wine for less than a bargain matinee and box of popcorn at the movies.

We are currently in the planning stages for another exciting series of special events for the 2011/2012 season of quality entertainment at affordable prices. So look for an announcement of these acts in the near future.

If you like what our club has brought to enhance the Shadow Hills lifestyle and want to be part of a team or committee that put these shows together from inception to fruition, you are welcome to come to our general membership meetings and see what we are all about. We meet the first Tuesday of every month in the Montecito Clubhouse. With 58 current members, you will either meet or make friends. Each meeting promises to be lively and challenging as we prepare each event utilizing our member's strengths, skills, and comfort zones. There is far more to putting on a show than opening the doors to the ballroom and having a performance.

During the show, our members operate the spotlights, serve complimentary beverages, assist those in wheelchairs and on walkers, greet the guests and coordinate the traffic in the lobby, take and sell tickets, and tend to the artist's needs in the Green Room (dressing room) between shows. After the show, our members get to meet and greet the stars and, in many cases, have their pictures taken with them during autograph sessions as well as getting in to see the show.

But there is much preparation leading up to the show as well, to ensure that it is a satisfactory experience for both the audience and entertainers. Space prohibits going into detail, but come to our meetings and see where you would fit in.

Congratulations to our newly elected board: Steve Blake, President; Jack Neitlich, Vice President; Anne Hampton, Treasurer; and Rose Borses, Secretary.

Couples Golf

Although we bid a temporary farewell to our seasonal members as they migrate to their summer retreats, coupled with our regular season drawing to a close this month, we will continue



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AMP – Amphitheater
 AS – Aerobic Studio
 BC – Bocce Courts
 BH – Back Half Ballroom
 BR – Ballroom
 BW – Breezeway
 CAM – Cambria
 CAP – Capistrano
 CL – Clubhouse Lobby
 FC – Fitness Center

Legend

FH – Front Half Ballroom
 GC – Golf Clubhouse
 GR – Green Room
 KSK – Kiosk
 MAR – Marisol
 MIR – Mirada
 OS – Offsite
 OUT – Outdoor Event
 PAC – Pacifica

PAT – Patio by Capistrano
 PC – Putting Course
 PRK – Parking Lot
 SR – Shadows Restaurant
 SY – Santa Ynez
 SY1 – Santa Ynez I
 SY2 – Santa Ynez II
 TBD – To Be Decided
 TC – Tennis Court
 WSP – West Side Patio

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9:00 AM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM)
 10:00 AM Bridge Lessons (SY1)
 10:00 AM Mah Jongg Lessons (SY2)
 10:30 AM Security Meeting (MAR)
 12:30 PM Mah Jongg (FH)
 3:00 PM Golf Advisory (SY2)
 6:00 PM Opera Club (FH)
 7:00 PM Billiards Club (PAC)

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10:00 AM Journey (CAP/CAM)

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7:30 AM Lady Putters (CAP)
 9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 12:30 PM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM/MIR)
 1:00 PM Games Plus Scrabble (CAP)
 3:30 PM Communications Mtg. (MAR)
 6:00 PM King & Queens Poker (MIR)
 6:30 PM Pan (CAP)

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8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 9:30 AM DRC Meeting (CAP)
 12:00 PM Indio Rotary (CAP)
 12:15 PM Duplicate Bridge (FH)
 5:00 PM Kings & Queens (CAP)
 7:00 PM Concerts 4 U (CAM)

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9:00 AM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM)
 10:00 AM Bridge Lessons (SY1)
 10:00 AM Mah Jongg Lessons (SY2)
 10:30 AM **GM Chats** (KSK)
 12:30 PM Mah Jongg (BH)
 2:00 PM Comm. Sub-Committee (MIR)
 7:00 PM Topical Discussion (CAM)
 7:00 PM Billiards Club (PAC)

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10:00 AM Journey (CAP/MIR)

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7:30 AM Lady Putters (CAP)
 12:30 PM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM/MIR)
 1:00 PM Games Plus Scrabble (CAP)
 6:00 PM Kings & Queens Poker (MIR)
 6:30 PM Pan (CAP)

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FLAG DAY



8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 12:00 PM Indio Rotary (CAP)
 12:15 PM Duplicate Bridge (FH)
 4:00 PM Tuesday Night Putters (BH)
 5:00 PM Kings & Queens (CAP)
 6:30 PM **Earthquake & Fire Safety** (AS)
 7:00 PM Veterans Club (CAM)

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9:00 AM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM)
 10:00 AM Bridge Lessons (SY1)
 10:00 AM Mah Jongg Lessons (SY2)
 12:30 PM Mah Jongg (BH)
 5:00 PM RV Club (MIR)
 7:00 PM **Comedy Night** (BR)
 7:00 PM Billiards Club (PAC)

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10:00 AM Journey (CAP/MIR)
 5:00 PM Solos Club (CAM/MIR)

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7:30 AM Lady Putters (CAP)
 9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 9:00 AM Executive Session (SY2)
 12:30 PM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM/MIR)
 1:00 PM Games Plus Scrabble (CAP)
 2:00 PM **BOARD MEETING** (BR)
 6:00 PM King & Queens Poker (SY2)
 6:30 PM Pan (CAP)
 7:00 PM Rainbow Friends (CAM/MIR)

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SUMMER BEGINS

8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 9:30 AM DRC Meeting (SY2)
 12:00 PM Desert Life Luncheon (OS)
 12:00 PM Indio Rotary (CAP)
 12:15 PM Duplicate Bridge (FH)
 1:00 PM Finance Committee (SY1)
 3:30 PM **GM Chats** (KSK)
 5:00 PM Kings & Queens (CAP)

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9:00 AM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM)
 10:00 AM Bridge Lessons (SY1)
 10:00 AM Golf Ops (MAR)
 10:00 AM Mah Jongg Lessons (SY2)
 12:30 PM Mah Jongg (BH)
 7:00 PM Topical Discussion (MIR)
 7:00 PM Billiards Club (PAC)

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10:00 AM Journey (FH/CAM)

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7:30 AM Lady Putters (CAP)
 9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 12:30 PM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM/MIR)
 1:00 PM Games Plus Scrabble (CAP)
 6:00 PM King & Queens Poker (MIR)
 6:30 PM Pan (CAP)

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8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 12:00 PM Indio Rotary (CAP)
 12:15 PM Duplicate Bridge (BH)
 1:00 PM Lively Liners (FH)
 2:00 PM Readers Ink (CAM/MIR)
 4:00 PM Tuesday Night Putters (FH)
 5:00 PM Kings & Queens (CAP)

29

9:00 AM Stitchin' & Stampin' (CAM)
 10:00 AM Bridge Lessons (SY1)
 10:00 AM Mah Jongg Lessons (SY2)
 12:30 PM Mah Jongg (BH)
 6:00 PM Movie Group (CAM)
 7:00 PM Bunco (MIR)
 7:00 PM Billiards Club (PAC)

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

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9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 12:00 PM Pan (CAP)
 12:00 PM Ukulele Lessons (CAM)
 1:00 PM Ukulele Strummers (CAM)
 6:00 PM Bridge (CAP)
 6:00 PM Lively Liners (KSK)

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8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 12:30 PM Employee Meeting (CAP)
 1:00 PM Canasta (MAR)
 4:00 PM **Happy Hour:
 Souper Night**
 (KSK)
 6:00 PM **Bingo** (BR)
 7:00 PM **Movie Night:**
The Switch
 (CAM/MIR)



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6:00 PM **Lively Liners Beach Party** (BR)



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9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 12:00 PM Pan (CAP)
 12:00 PM Ukulele Lessons (CAM)
 1:00 PM Ukulele Strummers (CAM)
 2:00 PM Men's Golf Board (SY2)
 6:00 PM Bridge (CAP)
 6:00 PM Lively Liners (KSK)
 7:00 PM **Indio Town Hall Meeting** (BR)

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8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 9:00 AM Emergency Preparedness (MAR)
 1:00 PM Canasta (CAP)
 4:00 PM **Happy Hour: Classic Night** (KSK)
 7:00 PM **Movie Night:**
The American
 (FH)



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8:30 AM **Coffee with a Cop** (CAP)
 9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 12:00 PM Pan (CAP)
 12:00 PM Ukulele Lessons (CAM)
 1:00 PM Ukulele Strummers (CAM)
 6:00 PM Bridge (CAP)
 6:00 PM Lively Liners (KSK)
 6:00 PM Pet Club (CAM/MIR)

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8:00 AM Covenants (MAR)
 8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 10:00 AM **New Home Orientation** (FH)
 1:00 PM Canasta (CAP)
 4:00 PM **Happy Hour:
 All American
 Night** (KSK)
 7:00 PM **Movie Night:**
Due Date
 (FH)



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11:00 AM **Celebrating Dad
 BBQ** (BR)



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9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 10:00 AM Concerts 4 U (SY2)
 12:00 PM Pan (CAP)
 12:00 PM Ukulele Lessons (CAM)
 1:00 PM Ukulele Strummers (CAM)
 6:00 PM Bridge (CAP)
 6:00 PM Lively Liners (KSK)

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8:30 AM Ceramics (CAM/MIR)
 1:00 PM Canasta (CAP)
 4:00 PM **Happy Hour:
 Fresh and Easy Night** (KSK)
 7:00 PM **Movie Night:**
*Going the
 Distance*
 (FH)



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7:00 PM **Tutta Bella Vino**
 (BR)



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9:00 AM Creative Arts (CAM/MIR)
 12:00 PM Pan (CAP)
 12:00 PM Ukulele Lessons (CAM)
 1:00 PM Ukulele Strummers (CAM)
 6:00 PM Bridge (CAP)
 6:00 PM Lively Liners (KSK)



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Sign up or purchase tickets to
 Lifestyle events at the Lifestyle Desk
 in the Montecito Clubhouse.

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Lifestyle Calendar of Events

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to actively host bi-weekly events throughout the summer, with organized competition and fun-packed events every two weeks.

Our couples club is alive, action-packed, and buzzing; already our new Board members are looking at ways to ensure that our next season is even more competitive and rewarding for all current and future members.

If you are a resident of Shadow Hills and interested in joining our club, it is easy. The purpose of our club is to share our love of golf in a fun, social, and competitive atmosphere. We play an organized, fun 18-hole event on the first and third Sunday of each month. Depending on the time of year, our golf event is followed by either a buffet dinner or lunch and an awards presentation in The Shadows Restaurant. To join, contact Julie Kelly (Membership Chairperson) at 760-469-2921 or email her at jbrandtkelly@aol.com. Applications are available through Julie or on our website and also at the Pro Shop. Membership does require a verifiable golf handicap and index number. Annual dues starting for the 2010/2011 season (July 1 through June 30) are only \$10 per person or \$20 per couple. For information on the SCSH Couples Golf Club, use our web site at www.shcouples.com or email Terry Shaw at shadowgolf@teeshawgolf.com.

Creative Arts Club

Unlike some clubs in the community, the Creative Arts Club remains active all summer long! This month, 18 members are enjoying our **Acrylic Landscape Painting Class** with La Quinta Distinguished Artist Joe Oakes.

Last month our new board members were voted in and installed.



We send special thanks to President Geoff Toner and all the outgoing board members for their work and dedication to our club. The new board members are: Cathy Sciaini as new President, Ann Blake as Vice President, Adrienne Wagers as Secretary, and Linda Wolf as Treasurer.

We invite you to join the Creative Arts Club. If you love art, whether you are a novice or an experienced artist, our club is for you. We create in oils, watercolors, acrylics, inks, graphite, or any other medium. You will enjoy your experience with us; more than a club, Creative Arts is more like an extended family. Come join us on Mondays and Thursdays, from 9 am - noon, in the Cambria and Mirada rooms. Dues are \$20 from July 1 through June 30. For part-time residents, dues are only \$10 a year. **As a reminder, membership dues are payable this month.**

Each month, one of our artists is spotlighted in the *Artist of the Month* exhibit located on the outside Library wall. Enjoy the beautiful artwork of your neighbors. For information, contact Adrienne at 760-200-0925, or adewage@aol.com.

Desert Life

As our Desert Life luncheon season comes to a close, please help us celebrate our sixth birthday! We will install our new 2011/2012 board members, and there may be a surprise or two. Mark the date (June 21) and come and join us for a fun luncheon and celebration.

Our luncheon will include a BBQ buffet with hamburgers, hot dogs,

and all the "fixins." Dessert will be a yummy ice cream "BAR." You choose the toppings. Coffee and iced tea are also included.

Doors open at 11 am. Lunch is served starting at noon. Palm Valley Country Club is located at County Club and Palm Valley Drive in Palm Desert.

The deadline for paying for the June 21 luncheon is June 14 at 5 pm. The cost of the luncheon is \$18. You may leave your check, made out to "SCSH Desert Life," in the Desert Life mailbox at the Montecito Clubhouse.

Desert Life will be "dark" for the months of July and August, but mark your calendar for September 20, when we will again commence the season! October will be our famous "TEA." Be ready for a fabulous new season!

If you are not a member, are a Sun City Shadow Hills resident, and would like to join Desert Life, please leave a \$10 check in our Desert Life mailbox. Make the check out to "SCSH Desert Life." Please call Collette Blasi at 760-610-2955 if you have any questions

If you have paid for the luncheon and cannot attend please, call Sandy Middlebrook at 760-702-3870. There may be someone who would like to attend in your place.

Games Plus

We are a club that has much to offer. We have Bingo the first Friday of the month. June 3 will be the last until October. (It is dark July, August, and September.) We start selling paper at 6 pm, and games begin at 7 pm. We play 15 games. Two are called special games, and the prize money is greater; these games cost \$1 each. The other 13 games have pots as high as \$75 and sometimes more. The prizes are



based on the paper sold. The paper is \$5 a pack. You will have three chances at each of the 13 games. We sell daubers should you forget to bring yours, and we also sell snacks and beverages. Bingo is held in the Montecito Ballroom.

We will be making some changes to Bingo in October. Doors will open at 5:30 pm, and games will start at 6:30 pm. We will be playing 14 or 15 games. We have put together a couple more sessions. Please keep a look out for the new fliers this fall.

Our club also has a dinner and games night. May was our last for the season; we are dark June, July, August and September. Our menu is a complete dinner with dessert and beverage. Dinner is served at 6 pm, and our games start after you're finished eating. The favorite is Mexican Train; but we also play Scrabble, Upword, Sequence, and Rummikub. The cost is \$10 per person. Fill out the registration and a check, as we need a count to plan the meal, and put them in the Games Plus mailbox in Library.

The third event we offer is for our Scrabble lovers: every Monday from 1 – 4 pm, we usually have the Capistrano room; and we supply the games. Come check it out. You also can play Hand and Foot or Mah Jongg, or bring a group and play something you like. It is a Games Club.

If you need to ask questions, call Carol Dorler at 760-953-3224.

Happy Tappers



Hope everyone has a wonderful summer wherever you may be! We're dark during the summer months, but Happy Tappers will start our new season at the beginning of October. Why not stop by the Aerobics Room of the Fitness Center on Saturday mornings at 10 am and check us out? No experience is necessary to enjoy the fun, exercise, and camaraderie of learning tap steps and routines with a great fun group of men and women. Our professional instructor, Lorna Thompson, will teach us all the steps and routines and have us tapping with a smile, and a lot of laughs in the process!

For further information, please contact Tina Wigodsky at 760-834-9501 or Pat Rosandich at 760-343-0783. Happy Tapping!

Kings and Queens Card Club

The Kings and Queens Poker Card Club is open for play throughout the year. Can't decide which club to spend your evenings with at the clubhouse? Can't decide how to spend those long Tuesday nights when the temperature goes down or up? Well, I can tell you it's nice and comfortable at the clubhouse playing cards with the Kings and Queens Poker Card Club.



Our club keeps on playing poker, week after week. We're looking for new players and adding more tables as we welcome everyone from Shadow Hills. We start our card games every Tuesday night at 6 pm. Men and women are playing together just for fun. Remember those Friday night poker games you had as a kid, when you played poker with wild cards, high/low seven card, baseball, five card draw, and high spade in the hole? At the card club we play poker games the same way you played as a kid in your old neighborhood. It's dealer's choice no matter what your favorite poker game may be. Is it Stud, Texas Holdem, or just plain Jacks or better? We're here to have fun.

For information about poker, call Ben Weissbach at 760-702-7159.

Lady Putters

We held our End-of-the-Year Luncheon and Business Meeting on May 9. This event was a special opportunity to share a delicious meal, festive decorations, and the gift of friendship. It was a fun venue to say goodbye to many of our members for the summer. Our new club Board for next year was also introduced.

Lady Putters continues to meet through the summer months. Although our attendance is less, our spirits are high. It is a great time to join us and meet our members.

Lady Putters meets every Monday morning in

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the Capistrano room in the Montecito Clubhouse and putts on the practice green behind the clubhouse. You will see us in our blue and white attire. Our putting session times change throughout the year to accommodate the temperature and the number of putters. Please call or email for the current schedule (see below).

We invite all gals who haven't checked us out to come and visit us. You can try us once before joining our club. Membership dues are \$15 for the 2010/2011 club year, plus the cost of a logo shirt. All you need is a putter, a ball, \$2, and the desire to meet new friends and have a fun time. Please note that, since we use golf course facilities, golf attire (no jeans) is required.

No experience is necessary, and there are plenty of club members who will make you feel welcome. If you have any questions, please call Linda Delaney at 760-772-1765 or Judy Wilson at 760-345-5958, or email us at scshladyputters@gmail.com.



Lively Liners

Swaying palm trees, lots of sand... you're at the beach, right? Wrong. You're still in the desert at the Lively Liners Club "no frills" beach party. Join us on Saturday, June 4, from 6 - 9 pm in the spacious and air-conditioned Montecito Clubhouse ballroom for an evening of socializing and dancing to music for couples and line dancers. "No frills" means bring your own beverages and snacks, dress casual, and ladies, please

wear appropriate shoes (no open backs or mules).

Unlike many clubs at Shadow Hills, the Lively Liners Club does not go dark for the summer. So, long after the "snowbirds" have flown the coop, we will be grape-vining, stomping and kicking up our heels at beginner, intermediate, and advanced line dance classes. Check the fitness schedule in this issue of *The View* for exact times and days. Line dancing is an aerobically stimulating and socially rewarding experience, and we invite all you singles and couples out there to join in the fun. The new fiscal year begins July 1, and dues are only \$15 a year. There is also a \$10 monthly fee, which you pay only for the months you are in residence and plan to attend classes. For more information, call Barbara at 760-636-0701.

Mah Jongg

Come play Mah Jongg on Wednesdays! It's cool inside the Montecito, and we meet to play every week on Wednesdays from 12:30 - 3:30 pm.



Now that the snowbirds have flown away, get yourself to one of our Mah Jongg tables and challenge the brain. Since many of our year-round members escape briefly sometime during the "hot months" many tables need you!

If up until now you have been shy about coming and checking out our club, now is the perfect time to feel welcomed and play the game. We can promise you an afternoon of friendly conversation and thought-provoking tile play.

Still on the fence about learning how to play Mah Jongg? Contact Babs Bloomgarden at 760-393-2056 for brush-up and/or newcomer lessons. Hope to see you in June!

Oke Dokey Karaoke

Oke Dokey Karaoke Club just completed a great season of fellowship, singing, and fun. The last two sessions in April and May were hosted by George and Joann Carr.

During the summer months we will be dark until the fall season. Our sessions are open for anyone to attend. One does not have to sing in order to attend and enjoy listening to the many singers who are eager to entertain and share in the fun and fellowship. For further information, please contact Vic Saraydarian at 760-912-5499 or email asaraydarian@yahoo.com.

Opera Club

The Sun City Shadow Hills Opera Club will meet on Wednesday, June 1, 2011, at 6 pm.

We will hear *Luisa Miller* by Giuseppe Verdi. This is our last opera of the season.

We hope to see you all in September. Have a great summer!



Pan Club

Let's play Pan! Come join us in the Capistrano room at the Montecito Clubhouse Mondays at 6:30 pm and Thursdays at noon.

Please note that a new Board will be announced in the July *View*. You can call Thelma Levine at 760-610-2964 for any information regarding the club.

If you are interested in learning Pan, Beatrice Hersh will be giving instructions to new players and would love to hear from you. Beatrice's cell phone number is 818-438-8369.

See you at the tables!

Performing Arts Club

Our last general meeting of the season was held on May 11. As we announced in November of this year, our performers take stage again to present to you an Agatha Christie mystery, *And Then There Were None*.



Open casting for this production will be held on September 19 and 20. We encourage anyone interested in performing to come try out. John Yates has come out of retirement to be the Director for this show. We look forward to working with him and honing our acting skills under his direction.

Elections took place at our April meeting. Our incoming board members will take office on July 1, 2011. They are: Jane Gayer, President; Rose Borses, VP; P.J. Nilson, Secretary; and Mel Borses, Treasurer. Three of the four incoming board members served last term. They are all well equipped to keep this club moving forward, doing great things along the way.

Congratulations to all of them.

Our club has had some very successful years. As a result, over the last four years, we were able to help improve our ballroom and equipment used. We contributed toward the enlargement of the ballroom stage, purchased the stage curtains, contributed toward the purchase of portable stage platforms, and purchased various types of microphones and a large spotlight. These are now the property of the HOA to use for future events of all types. We wish to thank our friends, families, and supporters for supporting us. You made this all happen.

This will be my last article for *The View* as President of Performing Arts. I wish to thank every club member, the exceptional board that served with me, and all our patrons for the support you gave me and our club. It has been a year of excitement, challenges, and mostly fun. Thank you for allowing me to serve as your President.

We will be dark from June to October. Our next meeting will be held on October 12 at 7 pm. Remember to watch out for our open casting call notice in *The View* and on the rounders near the Lifestyle desk. We hope to see all our current members return safely from summer vacations

and look forward to new members joining us in the fall.

Pat Rosandich, President



Pet Club

Time seems to slip through your fingers like a greased string. All we can do is try to exchange time for something of value. At the pet club we believe we had a fair exchange, a little time for enjoyable and informative meetings. We hope you agree.

This year programs included owls from the bird sanctuary, dog trainers, The Living Desert, Guide Dogs of the Desert, therapy dogs, and more — not to mention pizza, pot luck meals and making new friends.

Thanks to Lynn and a cadre of volunteers, the Pet Expo was a successful event with more than 300 attendees. Dogs were adopted; and chipping, nail clipping, and many informative pet-related issues were provided by our vendors. A K9 team from the Indio Police Force gave a demonstration of the good work they provide for our community. Sadly Ike, a K9 dog from Palm Springs, was recently shot and killed as he pursued a felon. We extend our sympathy for the loss of that courageous dog to all police who mourn his loss.

The Pet Club gives an honorarium to all not-for-profit organizations that speak at our meetings, including the Indio K9 Corps.

If you think you would like to join, we welcome you. Dues are less than a pizza pie. We will be meeting again in September. We hope to see you then.

Many thanks to our membership, our friends at the dog park, and our community of pet lovers. Have a great summer.

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Rainbow Friends

Our June meeting will be a combination of a season wrap-up and a planning meeting before we go dark for the summer. Then we'll be starting up again in September with a new slate of fun activities.

Last season we played bocce, shuffleboard, had a billiards tournament, a presentation from a financial planner on the emotional causes of our investment decisions, and a group dinner at a nearby casino. Next season we're planning a hike, a game night, and a community dinner where each of us can show off our culinary skills (or lack of them). We're also working on a dance to be held this fall in the ballroom complete with dinner and live music. And we're always looking for new ideas, so hope to see all our members and friends at the June meeting to help plan another successful season.

Readers' Ink

Readers' Ink meets on the fourth Tuesday of the month, from 2 - 4 pm, including the summer months, and we invite anyone who loves to read to join us and participate in our monthly discussions.



Our June selection is *Mrs. Astor Regrets: The Hidden Betrayals of a Family Beyond Reproach*, by Meryl Gordon. It is the riveting story of the fate of Brooke Astor, the

legendary philanthropist and grande dame of New York Society. Her grandson, Philip Marshall, sued his father Tony Marshall (Brooke's only child) alleging mistreatment of Brooke. What started in 2006 as a bitter family fight over the care and custody of this legendary woman became an 18-count criminal indictment against Tony and his lawyer for grand larceny, conspiracy, and forgery. It is a fascinating tale of greed and family intrigue and, sadly, a case of elder abuse. This behind-the-headlines account of the Astor empire's unraveling has been called "...an American epic of the bonds of money, morality, and social position." One reader's on-line review claims it is "...a sort of real life whodunnit..." We look forward to our discussion on June 28.

For additional information, please contact Merle Freedman at 760-345-2765.

Retirement Club

The April meeting provided another opportunity for the members to become more diligent in the retirement phase of their lives. President Jeffrey Stoll led the discussion by pointing out the five major risks to retirees. He noted that financial advisors had added a sixth to the list recently, retiring in a down market. Attendees were provided a short questionnaire that could help determine an investment allocation for their retirement portfolios.

Other items which were discussed or presented:

- Taking advantage of the municipal utility tax exemption for SCSH resident owners.
- The sister club functions at the Sun City Palm Desert Finance Club and the possibility of sharing their expert speakers.
- Recent news articles of interest to retirees including a Congressional

committee challenge to the non-profit status of AARP and a GAO investigation related to passport applicants who owed federal income taxes.

- The *LA Times* article on one man's life insurance policy coming to a dead end. What the benefits of a life insurance audit can reveal and avoiding income taxes on insurance transactions using a tax free exchange (IRC Sec. 1035).
- A sample calculation showing how much a typical resident homeowner might recover in a major earthquake or fire, and important policy pitfalls to avoid.

A drawing was held, and two club members won copies of *The Intelligent Guide to Your Financial Future* authored by nationally recognized financial advisors.

Contributing dialogue and refreshments were provided by Steve and Debbie Garrett, club VP and Secretary.



RV Club

In April, the Andengaards and Thomases were Co-Wagonmasters on the club's four-day trip to Oceanmesa RV Resort, which is north of Santa Barbara, CA. On arrival Sunday, the group was treated to barbecued hamburgers and hot dogs with all of the "fixings," which were prepared by the Wagonmasters. Monday we celebrated a birthday with a luncheon at the Beachside Café in Goleta followed by a trip to the wharf in Santa Barbara. Although we were too early for the



Flower Festival, we caravanned to Lompoc on Tuesday, and then on to the Danish village of Solvang. We looked forward to seeing a missile launch from Vandenberg Air Force Base that night; however the launch was canceled. On Wednesday some of us went golfing at Glenn Annie Golf Course, while others took walks to the nearby beach or explored the surrounding area for future trips. That evening we went to dinner at the Rose Mexican Restaurant in Goleta, a local favorite, for a group dinner.

It was an enjoyable trip and the RV Resort was first-rate with all the amenities. Thanks, Hilda and Jerry, for sharing the Wagonmaster “chores” with us.

Our trip in May was to Aguanga, CA, to celebrate the Memorial Day weekend. We were at Rancho California, a luxury private RV Resort. The Wagonmaster, John Taylor, has a permanent site there; so he was able to reserve sites for the club for the weekend. There were a lot of planned activities at the resort including wine/appetizer night, a fishing derby, golfing, and live entertainment in the evening.

In June we are going to Chula Vista RV Resort, which is one of our favorite places. The Wagonmasters are Bobbie and Dick Freiman, who are planning a lot of great activities for us. We enjoy this resort because of its location next to a marina and the accessibility to all the great sightseeing venues in the San Diego area.

More details on our May and June trips will be in the July article.

There are no trips planned for July, August, and September as many of our members have planned RV vacations during these months. However, we are already planning trips for the next year with Lone Pine, Anza Borrego, Yuma, and Las Vegas on the agenda.

If you are having a problem locating an RV service, looking for RV storage, or have any other RV-related issues, you can call the number at the end of the article; we have many experienced RVers who may be able to provide information or a solution for you.

If you are a resident and have a recreational vehicle, please come to our meetings on the third Wednesday of the month at 5 pm in the Mirada room. We look forward to meeting you.

For further information on the SCSH RV Club activities, please contact Tom Thomas at 760-342-3282.

Shall We All Dance

The four dinner dances of this season were very well attended, and we thank everyone that supported our club and our dances. We are looking forward to another great season in the fall starting October 30 with our Halloween Dance.

We had eight months of well attended ballroom dance classes in Foxtrot, Cha-Cha, Rumba, Night Club Two-Step, Swing, Salsa, Tango, and West Coast Swing. The instructors were great, and we intend to continue the classes in the fall in the Aerobics Room. We are keeping the timeslot of Mondays from 3 – 4 pm. A list of classes, fees, and registration forms will be available in August on the rounder next to the Fitness desk. For questions please call Olympia Pilafidis at 760-464-6885.

The crowded conditions of the ballroom dance floor have motivated us to spearhead an effort to increase its size and configuration. We have submitted our request to the HOA and are working actively to obtain bids and collaborate with other clubs to help finance such an expensive improvement that will benefit the entire community. If you wish to lend your help please let us know.

We thank all our members and our supporters for their unprecedented attendance at our dances. We appreciate the Lifestyle staff and all our volunteers that made these dances possible. All the Board positions have been filled except that of President. If anyone from our community wishes to hold that position, please call either Olympia Pilafidis at 760-772-3671 or Bob Horn at 760-413-3593. Come ballroom dance with us!

On behalf of all the “starved for dancing” members of Shadow Hills, we want to thank Olympia Pilafidis for the wonderful, exciting, and memorable year she gave us as president of our

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club. She has always been a person who settles for nothing but perfection and incorporates it with love and dedication. Thank you, Olympia, for a great dancing year. Your place will be, oh, so hard to fill.



Softball

Hi Softball fans! Our regular softball season has come to an end. All our snowbirds have left for other towns and cities. We will still continue to practice every Wednesday at Freedom Park. If you're interested in playing slow-pitch softball with a great bunch of people, call Ed Mogan at 760-200-1693, or come to Freedom Park every Wednesday at 8:30 am.

Solos

The SCSH Solos Club holds a general/social meeting on the third Sunday of the month at 5 pm in the Cambria/Mirada room. Our next meeting will be June 19, when the new officers for the 2011/2012 season will be introduced.

Our year runs from July 1 through June 30 with annual dues of \$10. Membership applications can be found on the rounders at the Lifestyle desk along with a current flier listing upcoming activities.

Our social activities for June will be the first Sunday of the month lunch on June 5 and a Mystery Happy Hour on Wednesday, June 15. More details are listed in our flier.

Our last meeting of this year will be June 19. However, we will continue with our first Sunday brunch and a Mystery Happy Hour for July and August and will return to our monthly meetings, third Sunday of the month, starting in September.

Every Friday evening between 4:30 – 6 pm, some of our members meet at The Shadows Restaurant to socialize over a drink. Come join us.



Stitchin' and Stampin'

Throughout the summer months these two clubs will continue to meet at 12:30 pm on Mondays in the Cambria and Mirada rooms. The Stitchin' group will continue to make blankets for the Linus Project and also work on individual knitting, crocheting, and needlework projects. The quilters will start meeting on Mondays from 3 – 5 pm and on Wednesdays from 9 am – noon in these same rooms. Also remember that the second Monday is time to share your creations with the rest of the groups.

The Stampin' group will be making various types of greeting cards. Equipment will be available; but each participant should bring supplies, such as scissors, a glue stick, pen, pencil, colored pencils or colored markers, ruler, and card stock and envelopes. The class is less structured during the summer because even instructors deserve a vacation but, with so much talent in the group, we often bounce designs and ideas off each other, so bring your good ideas along.

Teacher Martha Horner will be

attending the Art-Full Horizons Craft Show in Palm Springs on May 27, and some of the members will also be attending a Grand Party Tea at the Palm Springs location. We expect all to come back refreshed with new, interesting art projects.



Table Tennis Club

Check out the Table Tennis Club for something fun and different for the summer! We play four days a week: Saturday from noon – 3 pm; Wednesday from 12:30 – 2:30 pm; and Friday and Sunday from 3 – 6 pm in the Fitness Center classroom. You need proper workout shoes and comfortable clothing. You can play twice as a guest and then join for \$15/year.

We also get together a couple of times during the year for a party. In April, we had a lovely buffet dinner party on the patio of The Shadows Restaurant. It was a lovely evening with the misters and the beautiful view of the golf course. Sandy and her crew provided us with a delicious dinner.

We have a fun group and welcome you to join us.



Tennis Club

The mission of the Tennis Club is to provide organized tennis programs for men, women, and mixed doubles; to provide opportunities for social interaction; and to be an advocate for all tennis players by working with the HOA to maintain and improve our tennis facilities. We're an enthusiastic group with a growing membership of about 150 at the current time.

Our prime season runs from November to March. Over the summer months, two courts are reserved for a men's drop-in on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday mornings, from 7 – 9 am. Our regular full programming will resume in November with announcements going out to all members in October.

In the fall, we will continue our most popular programs, which are the weekly ladders and round robins for both men and women at all levels of play, as well as the social mixers, potluck dinners, ball machine drills, and tennis tournaments. Next year, we look forward to the addition of the two new tennis courts currently under construction in Phase III.

We are always looking for new program ideas, and we welcome suggestions from the membership. There are also many opportunities for members to become involved in helping organize our events. Our next general meeting and potluck dinner will be in mid-November – please check the October *View* for the date and time or contact us directly. To join the Tennis Club or for specific program information, please contact Marje Burdine at mburdine@telus.net. Membership dues are \$20 per year.

That's Entertainment

That's Entertainment Club is blacked out at this time.

Topical Discussion

The Topical Discussion Club is blacked out for the months of June, July, and August. It will begin again in September.



Travel Club

The Travel Club is planning three short summer trips with A.C.T. travel in Palm Springs:

1. 6/21, bus trip to Big Bear Lake with a paddle boat ride. \$64.
2. 7/14, bus trip and admission to Pageant of the Masters in Laguna Beach. \$99, limited availability.
3. 8/23–25, bus and ferry trip to Catalina Island. Stay at Pavilion Lodge with two breakfasts and city tour. \$398.

Anyone interested in going, call Tina at A.C.T. at 760-322-1247. We are also trying to put together a trip to South Africa.

More travel tips:

1. Notify credit card companies where you will be traveling.
2. Husband and wife carry DIFFERENT credit cards. In case one loses them, you stop that card and you still have a card to use.
3. Scan passport and credit card and medical info and email it to yourself the night before you leave. That way you can always access it.
4. Take with your carry-on a large self-addressed envelope with plenty of postage. If TSA wants to take a valuable that you do not want taken, they can mail it to you in that envelope.
5. Upon entering the plane, wipe down tray table and armrests with antibacterial wipes. Do not throw them away. Reuse them to access the airplane bathrooms.
6. Use TSA locks and attach them with a rubber band to your luggage zipper pull.
7. Use Zicam spray for your nostrils.
8. Anything that plugs in, tunes in, or turns on should be put in your carry on.

Our next meeting will be October 26 at 4 pm. Any questions, call Jerry Irwin at 760-289-6748.

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Tutta Bella Vino

Join us in embracing the spirit and splendor of Tutta Bella's June dinner to be held on June 25 celebrating the end of our 2010/2011 wine season. Social hour will be from 6–6:30 pm. This is an opportunity to have *hors d'oeuvres* and free-flowing bubbly while enjoying the company of your fellow wine connoisseurs as we mingle prior to dinner. Dinner will be served at 6:45 pm starting off with a wedge salad followed by your choice of (1) salmon, (2) petite filet/shrimp scampi, or (3) pesto and ricotta stuffed chicken. Entrées will include vegetables with either rice or potatoes. Red and white wines will be selected specifically for this dinner and will be provided for your drinking enjoyment...you won't be disappointed! We will finish this fabulous evening by indulging in a white chocolate cheesecake with raspberry *coulis*.

The cost is only \$50 per person. We need a minimum of 40 people. Are you ready to sign up? We'd love to have you! Event fliers are available on the rounders by the clubhouse Lifestyle desk, or print one off from the club's webpage. Complete the form, attach your check made out to SCSH Tutta Bella Vino, and drop it off at the club's mailbox near the Library.

Registration deadline is June 15. Due to pre-ordering of meals, we cannot accept payment at the door.

No special attire is required. Dress is desert casual, so come comfortable. See you at the dinner on Saturday, June 25! Chin-chin!!!



Ukulele Strummers

Would you think that a United Nations advisor on world child protection would be playing the ukulele in the Sun City Strummers? Our own Stuart Hart serves as a consultant, sometimes volunteer, who travels on worldwide projects pertaining to adolescent abuse and neglect.

Stuart grew up in Long Beach and got his Masters in psychology at Cal State Long Beach, where he taught school before relocating to Indiana. He continued teaching and studying, received his Ph.D. and became a professor of educational psychology at Indiana University, where he retired in 2001 after 30 years. Subsequently he spent two years at the University of Victoria in British Columbia.

There was music in his family – his dad played piano and sang – but his grandmother decided after eight years of lessons that little Stuart was not to be a professional. He did sing in church choirs and learned to play a guitar. “I have a concertina I'd like to learn if I had the time. But right now, I just like singing and playing the uke with the group,” he said. And what a hidden talent with a voice that adds so much to our strumming!

With his wife, Ginny, a speech pathologist, they are heading back to spend the summer on their boat on Lake Michigan and look in on children in Indiana. Bon voyage, Captain! See you in the fall . . .

Note: Many of our players will be

away for the summer, so there will be no ukulele lessons or regular meetings in June, July, and August. Keep those fingers nimble and practice your chords.



Veterans Club

Unlike many veterans groups, this club is not about rehashing war experiences. Our club is about assisting members, their spouses, surviving spouses of deceased veterans, as well as all of our neighbors. We bring in speakers to make veterans aware of the many benefits they have earned while serving their country, and we get them in touch with the people that can help. The club has also established a reference file with the many, many agencies that deal with the elderly, including veterans.

Additionally, the club provides services to the SCSH community — from Veterans Day in the fall; a highly successful Toys-For-Tots drive to begin winter; and our Memorial Day flag-raising ceremony in the spring — all provide recognition to those that have served and are currently serving. I hope that you have noticed the flag display in the lobby of the clubhouse: that's courtesy of our club. We also offer US flag disposal for worn and tattered flags as well as the sale of new flags. And finally, we offer an e-newsletter to our members put together by our President, Tom Hutson. He goes through many military publications and Internet sources to glean information pertinent to the older veteran. The latest information concerning members and club happenings make this newsletter a “must have.”

Our meetings will now be on the third Tuesday of the month, and we

hope this new timeframe will better suit your schedule. This month, we will vote in and install the new board of officers for next year. This is our last meeting before we take a two-month break for the summer. See you Tuesday evening, June 20, 2011! God Bless America.

Women's 18 Hole Golf Club

Many thanks to the Board and Committee Members for making the 2010/2011 season lots of fun with good competition and camaraderie. Now the season is over, and the winter members are back at their summer homes. Many members play throughout the summer on Wednesday, but there are no organized events. If you are interested in playing, sign up in the Pro Shop.



All active members are residents of SCSH and have a verifiable handicap through the GHIN system. Our organization is growing, and we always welcome new members. The Women's Golf Board and Committee Members will be busy during the summer planning activities and improving our organization.

If you have any questions, Kathy Budzik is president: kathybudzik@hotmail.com; and Julie Kelly is membership chairperson: 760-469-2921. You can also get information on the website at shwgc.com.

Resident Groups



Democrats in SCSH

The Democrats in Sun City Shadow Hills have elected a new Board for 2011/2012. We are very pleased to announce the following officers:

Stacia Armstrong, President

Erica Hedlund, First Vice President,
Political Action

Sue Haffley, Second Vice President, Programs

Phil Wolff, Secretary and website liaison

Renee Heller and Kathe Tuggey, Treasurer
(shared office)

We will not hold monthly meetings in June, July, or August. Our regular monthly meetings are held the fourth Wednesday of the month during the rest of the year; so our next meeting will be Wednesday, September 28, when we'll be getting back together with a welcome-back potluck dinner.

If you are a Democrat and would like to be added to our email list, please email Sue at haffleysue@yahoo.com so you'll be kept up-to-date on important progressive doings as well as being included in any impromptu get-togethers this summer. Our new board is looking forward to reconvening in the fall. Mark your calendars for Wednesday, September 28!

Clubs in Formation



Holiday Potlucks

Spend the holidays with new friends and great food. If you are interested in celebrating the holidays with your neighbors over a potluck, call us today and we will get it started. Call Thelma Levine at 760-610-2964.

Motorcycle Rides

If you are interested in riding with us, we have a weekly ride every Wednesday morning at 10 am. We meet in front of the clubhouse. If you have any questions call Robert Mastrangelo, 760-636-0093, agourabob@dc.rr.com. No rides will be held during the summer months unless interested riders call prior to the scheduled Wednesday. Weather, wind, and availability of riders will determine if there is to be a ride.



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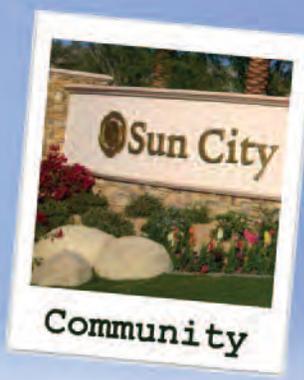
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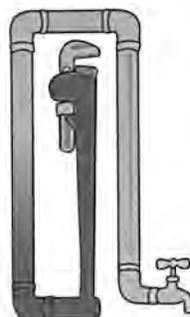
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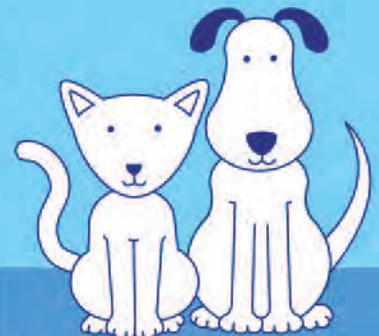


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