

THE VIEW



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Monday – Friday | 9 AM – 12 PM, 1 – 4 PM

First Saturday of the Month | 8 AM – 12 PM

LIFESTYLE DESK | Daily | 8 AM – 8 PM

MONTECITO CLUBHOUSE | Daily | 6 AM – 10 PM

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER | Daily | 5 AM – 8 PM

POOL HOURS | Daily | 5 AM – 10 PM

Children's Pool Hours (Ages 4-16)

Montecito Outdoor Pool | 9 AM – 12 PM

Santa Rosa Pool | 2 PM – 5 PM

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE | Daily | 6 AM – 9 PM

SANTA ROSA FITNESS CENTER | Daily | 6 AM – 9 PM

SHADOWS RESTAURANT | see theshadowsrestaurant.com

GOLF SNACK BAR | Daily | 6 AM – 12 PM

SANTA ROSA BISTRO | Daily | 6 AM – 2 PM

MONTECITO CAFÉ | Closed

All hours are subject to change.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

JOHN MACDONNELL | PRESIDENT

Money, Money, Money!

How, when, and why the Board of Directors spend it often is questioned, commented on, and can stir up a lot of controversy.

Last month I discussed how your Board of Directors and the Advisory Committees work together to deliver on Sun City Shadow Hills' promise of a great place to live and vacation. Now, let's talk about how our money is managed to make sure that we will not face sudden, unexpected, and costly special assessments.

HOA's are governed by the state's Civil Code which outlines much of what HOAs must do to address financial management. Despite these legal and fiduciary requirements, many HOA's are mismanaged. At SCSH, we are proud of our Financial Advisory Committee. Our FAC members each have professional credentials in finance, business management, and law. They review all aspects of our finances on an ongoing basis. They are our financial watchdogs, and report directly and regularly to your Board.

Our HOA keeps its funds in federally insured accounts, and we reconcile each check we write every month. Every invoice paid requires approval by two Board members. The Board treasurer approves all invoices. The additional approval comes from any other Board member. Review and approval of expenditures rotates monthly so all Board members are familiar with and participate in the process. We have policies in place for purchasing authority, signing authority, and much more. We are constantly reviewing our financial procedures to make improvements and close any loopholes.

Our expenditures come from three different funds: the **Operating Fund**, the **Reserve Fund**, and the **Capital Improvement Fund**. Money is allocated to each

fund during the annual budget process with input received from our various committees and arrived at through several public meetings open to all homeowners (usually in August, September, and October). These funds are not finalized until after the open meetings are held and the proposed budget has been posted on the official site for review. So, what are these funds and how is the money in them used?

The **Operating Fund** is used to pay for the cost of running the day-to-day activities of our HOA. Compare that to the cost of running your household and paying monthly bills.

Money in the **Reserve Fund** is set aside for big-ticket items; to periodically maintain, repair or replace things before they fall apart, have exceeded their useful life, or have become unsightly. Think of this as setting money aside to put a new roof on your house or to repaint and landscape at a future date.

A Reserve Fund value and estimate of its useful life is determined for each significant asset owned and

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Next Board Meeting:

Date: Monday, August 29

Time: 2:00 pm

Location: Ballroom

Please join us!



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maintained by the community at the time of the initial purchase or acquisition of the item. Thereafter prorated funds are set aside from the monthly assessments over the expected life of the asset so the necessary funds will be on hand when needed. Examples would be mowers for the golf course and air conditioners for Shadows and other facilities. Our reserve study is updated annually to make sure we are setting aside sufficient funding. This is what prevents us from having those dreaded special assessments, as we are constantly saving for the inevitable rainy day.

The Capital Improvement Fund is where we set aside dollars for even larger ticket items that the HOA and its members may decide to add to our facilities or to update the present facilities to meet unanticipated developments. In this past year, a portion of the capital improvement fund is being used for expenses related

to the Coachella Valley Water District Flood Control Project, a long time on the drawing board but finally impacting our common area.

Each month we publish our limited financial reports in The View and give detailed reports at the Board meeting. In addition, we are supplied with audited financial statements annually. We want every homeowner to be informed and satisfied that the Board is dedicated to the sound financial management of our community.

We hope to see many of you at this year's budget planning sessions or have your input communicated to the Financial Advisory Committee and your Board members. After all, we are talking about your money and your community.

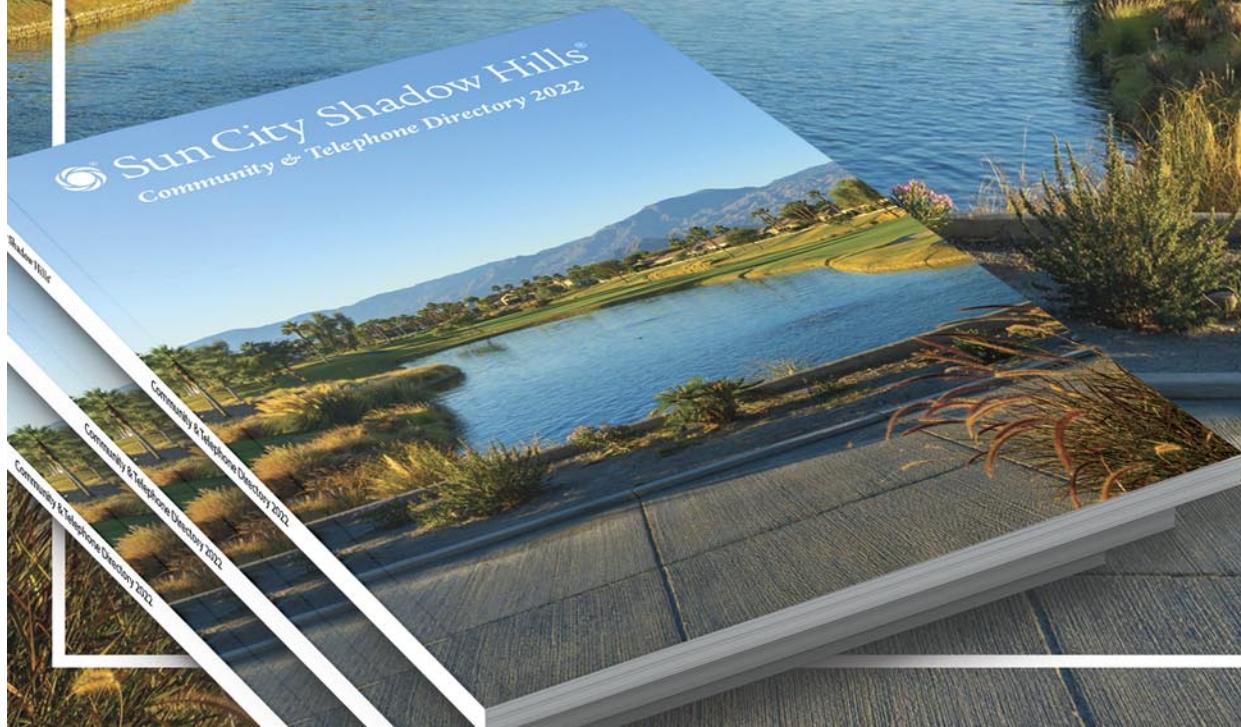
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COMMUNITY DIRECTORY

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TREASURER'S REPORT

SUN CITY SHADOW HILLS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Condensed Financial Information

Balance Sheets

	May 2022 (Unaudited)	May 2021 (Unaudited)	December 2021 (Audited)
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Assets:

Cash and cash equivalents	4,002,723	8,569,578	9,032,788
Certificate of deposits and investments	13,433,909	10,193,350	10,968,649
Property and equipment, net	1,432,297	1,285,365	1,110,477
Cash - chartered clubs	155,293	135,621	180,181
All other assets	2,015,267	504,501	392,634
Total assets	21,039,489	20,688,415	21,684,729

Liabilities:

Accounts payable	1,091,161	822,096	1,331,386
Assessments received in advance and deferred revenue	481,021	740,578	782,513
Total liabilities	1,572,182	1,562,674	2,113,899

Fund balances:

Operating	2,435,432	3,592,290	1,932,976
Capital improvement	1,222,952	1,500,641	
Chartered clubs	155,293	135,621	180,181
Property and equipment	1,432,297	1,285,365	1,110,477
Replacement	14,324,739	14,112,465	14,846,555
Adjustment	(470)		
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	(102,936)		
Total Fund Balances	19,467,307	19,125,741	19,570,830
 Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	 21,039,489	 20,688,415	 21,684,729



Meet a Board Member

Thursday, August 11, · 3 pm · Montecito Clubhouse Capistrano Room

Come by and introduce yourself to John MacDonnell, President of your HOA Board.

He wants to hear what you like about our community and if you have any concerns.

SUN CITY SHADOW HILLS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Condensed Financial Information

Statement of Revenues and Expenses - Unaudited

For the five months ended May 31, 2022

	Operating Fund	Replacement Fund	Total
Revenues:			
Assessments	\$ 4,446,533	\$ 883,718	\$ 5,330,250
All other revenues	2,842,619	(837,306)	2,005,313
Total revenues	<u>\$ 7,289,152</u>	<u>\$ 46,412</u>	<u>\$ 7,335,563</u>
Expenses:			
Operating fund excluding depreciation	\$ 6,515,091		\$ 6,515,091
Replacement fund		698,526	698,526
Depreciation expense	199,995		199,995
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 6,715,086</u>	<u>\$ 698,526</u>	<u>\$ 7,413,612</u>
Chartered Club Activities, Net		(24,888)	(24,888)
Excess of revenues over expenses	<u>\$ 549,178</u>	<u>\$ (652,114)</u>	<u>\$ (102,936)</u>

SUN CITY SHADOW HILLS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Condensed Financial Information

Statement of Changes in Fund Balances - Unaudited

	Operating Fund	Replacement Fund	Total
Fund balances, beginning of year	\$ 4,724,275	\$ 14,846,555	\$ 19,570,830
Excess of revenues over expenses	549,178	(652,114)	(102,936)
Other	(587)		(587)
Fund balances, as of May 31, 2022	<u>\$ 5,272,866</u>	<u>\$ 14,194,441</u>	<u>\$ 19,467,307</u>

SUN CITY SHADOW HILLS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

Condensed Financial Information

Statement of monthly assessment

	Operating Fund	Replacement Fund	Total
Number of units in Association			<u>3450</u>

Summary of 2022 monthly assessment per unit:

Operating Fund	\$ 244.17	\$ 244.17
Bulk Internet	12.6	12.6
Capital Improvement Fund	1.00	1.00
Total Operating Fund monthly assessment	<u>257.77</u>	<u>257.77</u>
Replacement Fund		51.23
Total Monthly Assessment	<u>\$ 257.77</u>	<u>\$ 51.23</u>
		<u>\$ 309.00</u>

Detailed financials can be found on our community website at:

www.schshca.com/documents/finances

Resident login is required.



PEOPLE WHO MAKE OUR LIVES BETTER
Mirca Patino
EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

We would like to recognize Mirca Patino as our Employee of the Month. Mirca has been with our Fitness Department for a little under a year. She always arrives to work with a smile on her face and is happy to greet our residents and guests as well as her fellow co-workers. Although Mirca is responsible for her own daily front desk tasks, she can often be found assisting with additional tasks and projects.

Throughout her time here, Mirca has demonstrated great professionalism and composure when dealing with difficult situations.

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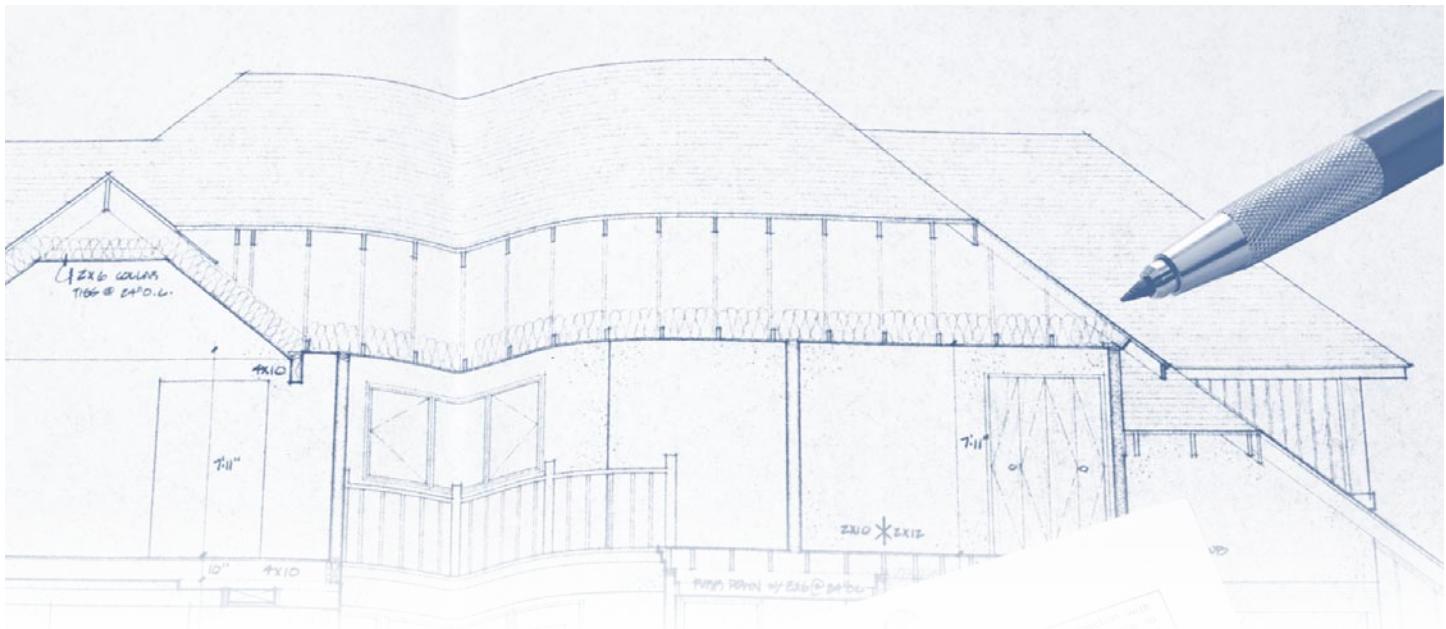
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Chair: Dennis Sheehan

Interested in joining a Committee? Stop by the HOA office and fill out an Advisory Committee Interest Form.



Design Review Committee (DRC)

AGI KESSLER | CHAIR

SCSH is a Conservation Minded Community

As you walk, stroll, or drive our streets the desertscape clearly attest to our commitment to water conservation. From a DRC perspective we are seeing more and more homeowners convert grass to artificial turf, which requires the submission of an HIA along with a 12x12 inch sample of the proposed material. The requirements are easy to follow and outlined in Section 5.14. of the Design Rules.

A big thank you goes out to those homeowners who have retained grass in their front yards and have adjusted watering times to make sure there is no overspray. Everyone is doing their part for conservation! Section 5.13 of the Design Rules has some great tips regarding turf requirements.

Update to DRC Approvable Light Fixtures

The Committee has updated the list of acceptable outdoor light fixtures. Please review it should you want to or need to replace the outdoor lighting around your home. Because it includes examples of fixtures approved in the past as well as approved new styles, it can be used as a guide. Included are pictures

and specifications for each fixture. Please note, you are not limited to the fixtures on this list. You may select a fixture of your choice that is similar in style to those on the list, but whether you choose a fixture from the list or elect to choose a different style, an HIA is required. Visit our website to review the complete list: www.scschca.com/lights

Are You Thinking of Extending Your Property Line Wall?

From time to time, we receive applications to extend the block wall toward the street between two neighbors, and often this request comes with incomplete information. It is our goal to be able to say "YES" to applications, but we can only do that if we get the required information. In this case, because the wall sits on the property line, both neighbors must agree in writing to this plan and the new extension will be co-owned by the neighbors. For more information, see Section 4.29.2 of the Design Rules.

Contact the author at designreview@scschca.com.



Finance Advisory Committee (FAC)

ROBERT "BOB" O. JESTER | CHAIR

Question of the Month: Does the Association have a Procurement Policy?

The short answer to this question is YES, but let's look at what it states.

Our Board of Directors reviews the procurement policy and revises it as needed. The last revision was in January 31, 2022. It provides the rules for the purchase of ordinary and necessary goods and services for our community. The intent is to increase competition among potential vendors who want to bid on providing goods and services to our community so that we obtain optimum value for these purchases. The policy also provides accountability for the expenditure of funds by the Association.

To accomplish these goals, there are Approval Levels and mandatory bid requirements which you can review on the Association website. Generally, the policy provides that the General Manager may approve purchases of less than \$2,500 but must report these expenditures to the Board President and the Treasurer every week. For purchases between \$2,501 and \$5,000, no bids are required; but the entire Board must authorize such an expenditure.

Purchases of \$5,001 to \$10,000 require two bids plus a review and recommendation by the Finance Advisory Committee (FAC), with the Board making the ultimate decision. A purchase in excess of \$10,001 requires three bids, a review by the FAC, and a decision by the Board. ALL purchases must identify where the funding will come from in the annual budget. If it is not provided for in the budget, the purchase must be justified, and there must be a disclosure of how it will be funded.

There are numerous other conditions that must also be met for each purchase. One of the most important is the FAC written recommendation to either approve, modify, rebid, or deny the proposed purchase shall be available for resident review. This provision as well as requiring FAC review on all purchases over \$5,001 were only recently included in the latest review of the policy. Before that, the FAC only reviewed Replacement Fund expenditures over \$10,000; but it now reviews ALL expenditures over \$5,001. This ensures that each and every larger purchase is examined by many eyes before the purchase is made.

To read the Procurement Policy on the Association website, look under HOA, then Documents, then click on the HOA Board file. We hope you will be very pleased that our Association seeks to make its purchase procedures transparent. Members of the FAC plus its Sub-Committee (including Vice-Chair Zerryl Becker) have a wealth of relevant experience and knowledge gained through their various previous careers.

The Sub-Committee has one opening for a resident who has had a career in construction, engineering, corporate or government purchasing, or other positions where sound monetary decisions were needed. If you have any questions about the functions of the FAC, do not hesitate to contact us at finance@scschca.com.

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From the Library

CINDY DEGRAF

Although things slow down a little this time of year, there is still plenty going on in the SCSH library in our Montecito Clubhouse. We have terrific books coming in daily, so be sure to check us out before you buy new ones. We have a large-print section and some books on CDs. There are also puzzles and magazines in the cabinets near the front desk. Be sure to stop in to see what you can find. No checkout is needed, and there are no time limits. Bring items back when you are finished with them!

We love donations, but please remember that library space is limited, and we can only take certain types of books. Check the list below to see what items we can accept. Be sure your books are in excellent condition and bring in *no more than 10* books per month. Please do not drop off multiple bags or boxes of books because too many books at once can be difficult to process.

We Accept as Donations:

- ✓ Hardcover and paperback fiction, historical/political, biographies/autobiographies
- ✓ Audio books and DVDs
- ✓ Recent magazines

We Do Not Accept:

- ✗ Cooking, sports, self-help, or "how to" books
- ✗ Coffee table or picture books
- ✗ Religious or travel books
- ✗ VCR tapes or music CDs

Thank you to everyone who supports and contributes to our wonderful library. Contact Barbara Perler at 760-772-4484 or baramp@verizon.net if you have any questions or comments about the library.

Interested in Joining a Committee?

Stop by the HOA Office and fill out an
Advisory Committee Interest Form.

The form is titled 'SOUTH SHORE HILLS ADVISORY COMMITTEE INTEREST FORM'. It contains fields for Name, Date, Phone Number, Email Address, and various committee interests. It also includes sections for 'Are you available to serve?' and 'Please provide a brief description of your background, interests and any experience in this area.' There are also signature and print areas at the bottom.



Safety Advisory Committee

JEFF KIRKPATRICK | CHAIR

Learn How to Protect Your Personal Financial Information

Protecting your personal financial information and money is important to you. It's a top priority for your bankers and fiduciary custodians, too, and they want to make sure you have the tools and information you need to protect yourself and avoid a possible fraud or scam.

What's Happening

A fraudster can contact you any time of the year by text message, phone, or email; and they may even impersonate a representative from your banking institution. They may ask for your personal financial information, access to your computer, or for a passcode. They may tell you that they've noticed suspicious activity, such as money being sent from your account to another account and ask you to send money to yourself using a facilitator service such as Zelle® to "reverse" the payment. This particular scam is on the rise and is referred to as the "Pay Yourself" scam. These are just some examples of how fraudsters will try to obtain your personal financial information or scam you, but you can take steps to protect yourself.

What You Can Do

- Do not share your PIN, passcode, text message code, or any other access information to your accounts with anyone who requests it.

- Know that legitimate banking institutions will never ask you to send money to anyone, including yourself, to "reverse a transfer," "receive a refund," or anything similar.
- Don't rely on caller ID. Scammers can make calls and texts look like they're coming from or imitating real companies.
- If you feel uncomfortable or suspicious about any request you receive by phone, text, or email, hang up or don't respond. Reach out to your banking institution directly on their website or phone number, which you can easily find on the back of your debit or credit card or on your statement.

Financial institutions take their responsibility to protect your personal financial information seriously and are dedicated to providing you with updated information regarding ways to protect yourself from possible fraud and scams. Contact them if you have concerns about your accounts or need to report fraud.

Source: Wells Fargo Alerts, Jan. 13, 2022, 3:21 pm, *Protect Yourself from Fraud in the New Year*

Please be a good neighbor and do your part to contribute to community safety!

See something, say something!

It really is quite easy!

Contact the author at safety@scshca.com.



FOOD & BEVERAGE

MANUEL GUADARRAMA, FOOD & BEVERAGE MANAGER
JEFF JACOBSON | EXECUTIVE CHEF

We hope everyone had a great July. Thank you for supporting our specialty nights and events. Thank you to Just 2 Guys for volunteering their time and talent for such a great performance.

This month we will offer **FRIED CHICKEN NIGHT** every Thursday and **PRIME RIB NIGHT** every Saturday.

Our Wednesday specialty nights are:

- August 10 | **SUMMER SALAD EXTRAVAGANZA**
- August 17 | **PASTA NIGHT**
- August 24 | **A TRIP DOWN THE FRENCH RIVIERA**
- August 31 | **PASTA NIGHT**

As a reminder, reservations for specialty nights open two weeks before each event. We do not accept voicemail reservations. Please call and speak to a server or our hostess. If we do not answer, we are on the other line. On reservation opening days, we have an extremely high call volume. A second option to make a reservation is to come into the restaurant. Just check out our flyers for when we will accept reservations.

Another reminder is that we are now open for **BREAKFAST** Tuesday through Sunday, from 8 am to 11 am. We offer a full breakfast menu, and we serve Eggs Benedict on Saturday and Sunday. We hope to see you soon.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to fill out our comment cards. Congratulations to Darlene Esquerra, our Comment Card winner for July.

Thank you for your continued support.

Contact the authors at jguadarrama@troon.com and jjacobson@troon.com.

Shadows Restaurant
(760) 772-4342

Hours of Operation

Monday: Closed

Tuesday – Sunday: 8 am – 7 pm

Hours are subject to change.

Please view the events calendar on our website:

theshadowsrestaurant.com

THE ANSWER MAN

How One Neighbor Assists Us All

How often have you wondered about something involving our community in Sun City Shadow Hills and had a question, but you did not know exactly where to go to ask for help? It could be anything as diverse as vendor/supplier guidelines, or what color the carriage light bulbs on either side of the garage should be. Or perhaps when and where the Veterans Club sells U.S. flags and mounts.

Some residents have become proficient in navigating the community website, www.scschca.com. Then again, many have not tried this capability or do not even know it exists or may not have established an account just yet.

Of course, creating an account is the first step and quite easy to do. And once you have done that, you will see several blue "bars" on the homepage where various tasks can be performed. The second bar on the right gives you the opportunity to ask a question, make a suggestion, or request that a maintenance issue be resolved.



Resident Terry Coon

Behind this capability is resident Terry Coon. Many of you will recall that Terry ran in the most recent HOA Board election last April. But—same as you—I was not aware of Terry's background and why he chose several years ago to volunteer to serve the community this way.

Terry has lived in Sun City Shadow Hills for nine years and is originally from the Pacific Northwest. A native of Portland, OR, he earned a Master's Degree in

Elementary Education with a Special Education minor from Portland State University. His first teaching assignment was working with K-4th grade mentally handicapped and learning-disabled children in Sitka, AK.

Terry remained in Sitka for 23 years and, during that time, focused not only on classroom teaching but also on curriculum development; and he led an elementary school as principal. Over a period of four summers, Terry earned a PhD from Gonzaga University; his research and dissertation centered on educational leadership.

After retiring from the Alaska Teacher's Retirement System, Terry moved to Washington State and became a 6th grade math teacher plus chair of the math department in a middle school for another 13 years.

Upon moving to Sun City Shadow Hills, Terry looked for community volunteer opportunities and settled on joining the Information Advisory Committee (IAC), on which he has served for the last five years. His desire to provide factual and sometimes quite detailed information to residents led to the development of the "ask a question" function on our community website, with Terry taking on the role of the "Answer Man."

One of the major tasks the IAC completed in the last few years is the revision of the Homeowner's Handbook. Many times, Terry finds himself looking first at this document for answers to resident questions. Give the handbook a look yourself—the first blue bar on the right of the homepage is a link to this handbook.

In fact, there is a list of frequently asked questions, or "FAQs," that Terry and his collaborators, including Communications Manager Gus Ramirez, have organized on a simple-to-find-and-use webpage on the community website.

- First, go to www.scschca.com and log in (or create an account).
- Click on the third blue bar on the right labeled FAQs.

From here, you will be able to search the FAQs, or browse through a list of the most recent questions asked by residents, including about the community website itself. It is quite simple, and I guarantee that

you will not require a grandchild (i.e., tech support) to assist you, thereby humiliating yourself!

As you might imagine, sometimes questions about covenants, conditions, and restrictions (CC&Rs) of the Homeowners Association (HOA), or other rules and regulations established by our community, require extra research to provide factual answers. So, from time to time, Terry calls on our HOA Assistant General Manager, Vanessa Ayon, for help. If Ms. Ayon cannot quickly answer the question, she directs the query to an Associa or Troon employee who can assist.

Often, Gus Ramirez (who manages our community website) becomes involved in assisting the Answer Man. Gus recently devised a way to ensure that each resident question or suggestion is acknowledged at once.

And yes, residents who chair some of our advisory committees participate in helping to answer questions that pop up. Jeff Kirkpatrick, who chairs both the Safety and Emergency Preparedness Advisory Committees, has proven a great resource, particularly on the frequent questions that arise about gate access for guests.

Terry's goal is to answer each and every question within 24 hours. This means that he regularly volunteers an hour each day to make this happen.

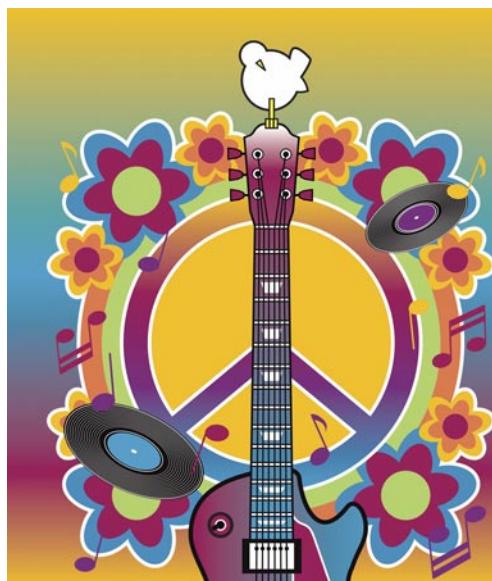
The screenshot shows a website header for "Shadow Hills" by Del Webb. Below the header is a navigation bar with links for CORONAVIRUS UPDATES, SEARCH, PROFILE, and LOG OUT, along with FESTYLE, FITNESS, COMMUNICATION, HOA, CALENDAR, MARKETPLACE, GATE ACCESS, DIRECTORY, and CONTACT. The main content area features a "WELCOME, JOHN" message. Below it is a graphic for "Desert Living Tip of the Month" featuring a cactus and a rabbit. To the right of the graphic is a sidebar with buttons for "Ask Question / Make Suggestion" (circled in red with a red arrow pointing to it), FAQS, Design Review, and Emergency Preparedness.

Here is where you may ask a question or make a suggestion.

It is no secret that some residents turn to Next Door, a social media website meant to be a problem-solving resource. But Associa, Troon, and our HOA have neither any direct contact with nor any way to access content on Next Door.

Rather than post on Next Door, please consider logging onto our community website so you can ask Terry Coon directly. You will receive expert and reliable advice in one day's time, from our own resident "Answer Man."

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Did you attend Woodstock or another memorable concert? We might feature you in an upcoming story in *The View*.

**Please email us at
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RONALD REAGAN PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY

The Ranch on the Hill

STORY AND PHOTOGRAPHY BY RALPH OLSON



Library entrance

The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library sits on one of the highest hilltops in the Simi Valley, and the breathtaking views make a lasting impression. Clear weather affords stunning views of the surrounding mountains and the Pacific Ocean. Original plans called for locating the library on the campus of Stanford University in Northern California. But when students and faculty resisted, the owner of this former Simi Valley hilltop ranch called the Reagans and offered the land. The site reminded Ronald and Nancy of their private ranch, and the deal was struck.

Construction began in 1988 on the 100-acre site, and the building was designed to resemble the Reagan's Rancho del Cielo near Santa Barbara. The library's dedication in 1991 became a historic event. Five presidents gathered together for the first time in U.S. history: Ronald Reagan himself, Richard Nixon, Jimmy Carter, Gerald Ford, and George H.W. Bush. Six First Ladies also attended: Lady Bird Johnson, Pat Nixon, Rosalynn Carter, Barbara Bush, Betty Ford, and Nancy Reagan.

Like all presidential libraries, the Reagan Library was built entirely with private donations. When the facility opened, it was the largest such library spanning 153,000 sq. ft. until the William Clinton Library opened in 2004. Inside and out, the library brings President Reagan and his wife Nancy to life. A timeline takes you through Reagan's childhood, through his career as a movie star, to his political life from California governor to president.

Visitors have the opportunity to interact with Ronald Reagan in his private and public life. You can star opposite him in a Hollywood movie, or stand behind the presidential lectern and deliver his first inaugural address yourself using a teleprompter. The interactive displays throughout the library give visitors the chance to get up close and personal with our 40th president.

The atmosphere of the library is conspicuously absent of political propaganda. Perhaps the only exception is the room dedicated to the Reagan campaign, which depicts portions of his foreign policy, the most important plank of his platform. But everything about his campaign and the early years of his presidency is presented in a purely factual way. Reagan's summit meetings with Russian President Gorbachev, both overseas, and at Camp David are a stroll through history highlighted by Reagan's famous "tear down this wall" speech in Berlin, Germany.

The crown jewel of the library is the Air Force One Pavilion, one of the most striking aircraft displays in the world. Aircraft SAM (Special Air Mission) 27001 was the Boeing 707 used during Reagan's administration. It was phased out as the larger, newer Boeing 747s, were introduced. SAM 27001 was used by seven other presidents during its years of service from 1973 until 2001. Its final flight was to San Bernardino Airport, where it was presented to the Reagan Foundation.

In the meantime, a 90,000 sq. ft. exhibition hall was under construction at the Reagan Library to house the permanent display of SAM 27001. In an operation



President Reagan's office on Air Force One



Air Force One Pavilion



Gravesite of President and Mrs. Reagan

named "Homeward Bound," the aircraft was disassembled and transported to the library in pieces. With the building still unfinished, the aircraft was put back together, placed inside, and the remaining pavilion walls were literally built around it. Once the aircraft was restored to museum quality, the pavilion was dedicated in October 2005 by Nancy Reagan, making the Reagan Library, once again, the largest in the U.S.

The design of the library grounds included a tomb that would eventually accommodate both Reagan and his wife. This is truly a testament to their love of this site, to which they had no connection before the library's construction. Following Reagan's death in 2004, his casket and hearse were driven at 25 mph for 40 miles along Highway 101 to lie in repose at the library for two days. Thousands of people lined the route to pay their final respects. Reagan's body was then transported to Washington DC to lie in state in the Capitol Rotunda before being flown back to the library for a last memorial service and interment.

In March 2016, Nancy Reagan died at the age of 94. After her funeral service, she was buried next to her husband at the library. An inscription above the gravesite reads, "I know in my heart that man is good, right will always eventually triumph, and there is purpose and worth to each and every life."

The tour of the library is designed to end at the gravesite, but many other outdoor exhibits have been added. Two fighter aircraft, an F14 Tomcat and an F117 Nighthawk, are located on the back lot. Outside the Air Force One Pavilion stands a large statue of President Reagan riding his favorite horse, El Alamein. Back inside is a bar named after Reagan that commemorates a bar with a similar name in Ireland to which the Reagans traced their family history. And, of course, there is a huge gift shop which contains every kind of souvenir imaginable, even bags and bags of President Reagan's favorite treat, jellybeans!

Until next time...keep exploring!

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LIFESTYLE UPDATE

CONNIE KING | LIFESTYLE DIRECTOR

Once the sun went down on June 30, Johnny Meza and Steven Alaniz kept residents dancing on the patio into the wee hours of the night. The finale was the conga line of residents who were showing off their conga dance moves. We hope you join us for the next one on Thursday, August 25 at 7pm. What's New? Nolberto Olivas will be on hand serving street tacos, with all the trimmings starting at 6pm.



Concert Under the Stars

On Fourth of July, we had a great time with parades, arts and crafts, great food, and more. One of our new offsite caterers, Thomas Catering, served up a mouthwatering menu. Paper Crafters kept busy with the little kids and big ones that joined in the fun. Thanks to Ginna Martinez, (Club President), Helen Vigil, Ellen Campbell, Julie Vasquez, Sharon La Croix, and Susan Groszek for making it a success.



Fourth of July Celebration

Our 2022 two-day Film Festival was held on Saturday, July 16 and 17. Residents enjoyed films such as *Belfast*, *West Side Story*, *Songbird*, and *Dog* to name a few. On Thursday, August 4, we're off to the races at Del Mar. Guests will enjoy a great view of the race under open-air stadium style seating. Join us September 20 – 22, as we head to Laughlin, Nevada for three days and two nights of fun and relaxation.

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Concert UNDER THE Stars SUMMER SERIES



MUSIC BY:
Johnny Meza
and **Tony Bolivar**

Thursday, August 25, 2022 | 7pm

MONTECITO BALLROOM | SHADOWS TO PROVIDE BAR



STREET TACOS WILL BE AVAILABLE BEFORE THE SHOW, FROM 6PM TO 7PM
\$10 PER PERSON, RSVP AT WWW.SCSHCA.COM/TICKETS OR BY CALLING
THE LIFESTYLE DESK AT (760) 345-4349 EXT. 2120



CONCERT ON THE GREENS - HALLOWEEN EDITION

strange days a tribute to the doors



Halloween
costumes
welcomed and
encouraged!



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2022 | 7PM

FREE • SOUTH LAWN • DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM

Dont forget to bring your lawn chair • No outside food or coolers

SCSH CONCERT SERIES

SAVE THE DATES

TRIBUTES TO

JAN 7 | MARVIN GAYE | 7PM

FEB 4 | FLEETWOOD MAC | 7PM

MAR 3 | TONY BENNETT/LADY GAGA | 7PM

APR 2 | SANTANA | 6:30PM

OUTDOOR CONCERT

OCT 29 | EARTH, WIND & FIRE | 6:30PM

OUTDOOR CONCERT

MORE DETAILS TO COME

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Starring Comedians from the Top Late Night Shows

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Wednesday, August 17, 2022 • 7:00 PM
Reserved Seating • Tickets on Sale August 1

Tickets: \$12 in Advance / \$14 at the Door (If Available)
Tickets Are Non-Refundable
Checks/Visa/MasterCard/Discover/AMEX

Contact the Sun City Shadow Hills Lifestyle Desk for Tickets
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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
Montecito Clubhouse

When
2nd Friday of the Month • 10:00 a.m.

Sponsored By
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For More Information Contact Larry Smith
(714) 401-3772

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www.scschca.com/businesscenter
Phone: (760) 345-4349 Ext. 2120
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HEALTH LECTURE

Navigating the Healthcare System: Are You Prepared?



Friday, August 12, 2022 | 2:00 p.m. | Front Half of Ballroom



A new diagnosis or emergency can be the most vulnerable and scary time of your life. Dr. Porter will provide insight to navigate a disease or health crisis – for yourself or others under your care – including hospital stays, recovery and assisted living care, medical processes, bills, and more. Learn how to stay informed and safe, and to be an active participant in your wellness journey

Dr. Tammy Porter
DNP, MLS, RN-BSN, CCM, CPHQ

Sign-ups Begin July 11, 2022, at both fitness centers
For more information, please call Montecito fitness center at
(760) 345-4349 ext. 2111 or Santa Rosa Fitness Center at ext. 2201.



GOLF OPERATIONS

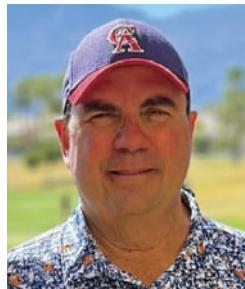
MIKE DUNLOP | GENERAL MANAGER, SHADOW HILLS GOLF CLUB

On behalf of Troon Golf Management, we want to thank all residents who participated in the Fourth of July holiday, and we hope everyone enjoyed the time with family and friends.

It's August, and as I write this article I'm anticipating the arrival of the new permanent General Manager of our Shadow Hills Golf Club. I have enjoyed my time serving in this capacity, and I wish everyone the best moving forward. I will be excited to hear how things progress; and I know that, as residents continue to partake in all that the club has to offer, events and programs will flourish. Thank you for reaching out and helping me to be a small part of the community. I appreciate all the kind words.

Feel free to contact us at any time with questions or feedback.

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CONTINUING AERIFICATION

THOMAS JOHNSON | GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENT

August is another month when the golf courses will be closed for greens aerification. The North Course will be closed August 9, 10, and 11; the South Course August 16, 17, and 18. We will be revisiting some of the more compacted fairway areas on the South Course but will not be doing entire fairways as we did in June and July.

August is the last month we will be actively pushing Bermuda growth. There will be a lot of fertilizing and watering going on. I want as much Bermuda coverage as possible. This is going to be the base for all the perennial Rye that we throw in the fall. Thin areas in the Bermuda will translate into thin areas in our overseeded greens, tees, and fairways.

Next month, we will do overseed prep.

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PRO SHOP NEWS

TERRY FERRARO | HEAD GOLF PROFESSIONAL, SHADOW HILLS GOLF CLUB

Well, we had a few nice days in July, but now it is really heating up. The upcoming season is right around the corner as we get ready for the North Course to close on September 26 and reopen October 10, and then the South Course on October 10, reopening November 4. As usual, it will be "cart path only" for around two weeks on both courses.

We have new staff in the Golf Shop, so come in and say hello to John Zemby and John Clayton. Also, we have hired Hall of Famer Sandra Palmer, who starts in November. Sandra has 19 Tour wins including the Dinah Shore, and four Majors. Sandra will be in the shop for a couple of days a week and teaching the rest of the time.

Practice Drill

Speed control is the key to good putting. Backstroke length controls distance. Put golf balls about three feet apart starting at three feet from the hole. Then move back to around 20 feet and notice the stroke getting longer. Practice this drill to improve distance control and eliminate those three-putts.

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FITNESS CLASS SCHEDULE

MONDAY

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER

- 9:00 AM Zumba; Yvette (\$6)
- 10:00 AM Aqua Fitness Indoor; Tiffani (\$6)
- 11:30 AM Reformer Pilates I-II; Justin (\$17)
- 12:30 PM Mat Pilates I-II; Justin (\$6)
- 1:30 PM Lively Liners (Beginner 1)
- 2:30 PM Lively Liners (Beginner 2)
- 3:30 PM Lively Liners (Advanced)

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE

- 8:00 AM Silver Circuit; Cheryl (\$6)
- 9:00 AM Total Body Strength; Cheryl (\$6)
- 11:00 AM Gentle Stretch Strength; Melinda (\$6)

TUESDAY

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER

- 9:00 AM Moving to the Music; Tiffani (\$6)
- 10:00 AM Aqua Fitness Indoor; Tiffani (\$6)
- 11:00 AM Yoga; Melinda (\$6)
- 1:00 PM Lively Liners (Beginner Review)

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE

WEDNESDAY

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER

- 8:00 AM Boom Fit; Cheryl (\$6)
- 9:00 AM Balance & Stretch; Cheryl (\$6)
- 10:00 AM Aqua Fitness Indoor; Tiffani (\$6)
- 11:00 AM Yoga; Melinda (\$6)
- 1:00 PM Lively Liners (Intermediate 1)
- 2:00 PM Lively Liners (Intermediate 2)

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE

- 7:30 AM Zumba; Rosy (\$6)
- 9:00 AM Water Stretch Strength; Melinda (\$6)
- 10:00 AM Chair Yoga; Melinda (\$6)

THURSDAY

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER

- 10:00 AM Water Stretch Strength;
Melinda (\$6)
11:00 AM Reformer Pilates I-II; Justin (\$17)
12:00 PM Mat Pilates; Justin (\$6)
1:00 PM Thera-Band; Dr. Eric (*free*)
5:00 PM Lively Liners (Intermediate Review)

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE

- 9:00 AM Zumba; Yvette (\$6)

FRIDAY

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER

- 8:00 AM Silver Fit; Cheryl (\$6)
9:00 AM Zumba; Rosy (\$6)
12:00 PM Chair Yoga; Melinda (\$6)
1:00 PM Lively Liners (Advanced)

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE

- 9:00 AM Vinyasa Yoga; Leesann (\$6)
10:00 AM Meditation; Leesann (\$6)
11:00 AM Water Stretch Strength;
Melinda (\$6)

SATURDAY

MONTECITO FITNESS CENTER

- 9:00 AM Open Line Dancing
10:00 AM Lively Liners (Intermediate–
Advanced Transition)

SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE

- 9:00 AM Vinyasa Yoga; Leesann (\$6)

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Please check www.scschca.com/fitness for updated information and class cancellations.

Rules and Procedures: Members must check in for class at the front desk.
Members will be allowed to check in no more than 10 minutes prior to a class. All classes start on time.

No late entries. Please silence all cell phones during class.
Lively Liners and Pom Squad classes require Chartered Club membership.

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EXT. 2120



Billiards Club

Have you wanted to pick up that pool cue for years but have just never gotten around to it, or never had the opportunity? Your moment has arrived! Our beautiful billiards room at the Montecito Clubhouse is home to six beautiful 9-foot tables. Our club allows you to play with men and women of all levels of experience.

Our club meets every Monday and Wednesday evening at 7 pm in the billiards room, but many members arrive early for practice. Bryan Murray (760-610-1739) provides no-cost instruction on Monday mornings in the billiards room at the Montecito Clubhouse from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Don Salvatore (760-404-0219) also provides no-cost instruction on Thursday mornings at 11am. Regardless of your skill level, join Bryan or Don and improve your game.

We held our monthly tournaments on June 13 as a singles nine-ball competition and June 29 as a singles eight-ball. Don Salvatore took first place for nine-ball. Steve Robino took second place and Pat Carson took third. Don Lucas took first place for eight-ball. Bob Engelhard took second place, Bob Bailey took third, and Don Salvatore took fourth. Both tournaments were well attended, and everyone enjoyed themselves.



Tournament winners (L-R) Don Lucas and Don Salvatore

We are always looking for new members! Join us at the Montecito Clubhouse on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Contact our club President, Don Salvatore (760-404-0219) and he'll get you playing immediately.



Bocce Buddies

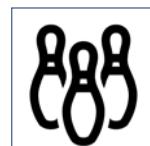
Come and meet a nice group of residents who enjoy the game. It does not matter if you have played before, we can teach you how to play.

We play bocce at the Montecito Clubhouse. Log on to scshca.com and see the "Clubs" calendar for the exact times. All are welcome to play and join our club. There are no membership dues.

We have five bocce courts at Montecito Clubhouse and two courts at the Santa Rosa Clubhouse.

The club plays year-round. If you want to play bocce at any time other than when the club meets, bocce balls are available for your use at the Fitness desk.

For more information, please call Rick Halla at 760-347-9676.



Bowlers Club

Hello Sun City Shadow Hills!

It's that time for bowlers to start thinking about our next session, which will be starting in October. Fall is the time when we look forward to seeing old friends and welcoming new bowlers. We currently have some openings for full time bowlers, and we always welcome subs. If you are interested, please contact us as soon as possible. We are organizing our teams so we will be ready to "roll" in October.

You don't have to be a seasoned bowler to join our bowling league. If you would like to learn, have an interest in refreshing old skills, or just want to make new friends, please come try us out.

Specific details will be in the September issue of *The View*. In the meantime, if you think you might want to join our league, or have any questions, feel free to contact us via the email address below, or either of the names listed below.

Enjoy the remainder of the summer. See you in the fall!

Email: scshbowlers@gmail.com

Club President: Karen Hargrave, 818-929-2235

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August 2022

LEGEND

MONTECITO CLUBHOUSE
SANTA ROSA CLUBHOUSE
HOA OFFICE
SHADOW HILLS GOLF CLUB
AMP – Amphitheater
AS – Aerobic Studio
BCM – Bocce Courts MC
BCS – Bocce Courts SRC
BH – Back Half Ballroom
BR – Ballroom
BW – Breezeway
CAM – Cambria
CAP – Capistrano
CL – Clubhouse Lobby
COA – Coachella
FC – Fitness Center
FH – Front Half Ballroom
GR – Green Room
KSK – Kiosk
LJ – La Jolla
MAR – Marisol
MC – Montecito Clubhouse
MIR – Mirada
MON – Monterey
NPT – Newport
OS – Offsite
OUT – Outdoor Event
PAC – Pacifica
PAT – Patio by Capistrano
PC – Putting Course
PIS – Pismo
PRK – Parking Lot
SC – Sports Court
SEL – Santa Rosa Events Lawn
SGC – South Golf Course
SHA – Shadows Restaurant
SRC – Santa Rosa Clubhouse
SRP – Santa Rosa Patio
SY – Santa Ynez
SY1 – Santa Ynez I
SY2 – Santa Ynez II
TBD – To Be Decided
TC – Tennis Court
WSP – West Side Patio

Sign up or purchase tickets
to Lifestyle events at
the Lifestyle Desk in the
Montecito Clubhouse.
760-345-4349 x 2120
Cash, checks & credit cards
accepted.



Bridge Club

Ain't no cure for the Summertime Blues? Not true! The Montecito Clubhouse offers cool temperatures and a warm friendly atmosphere. Come spend part of your summer days at the tables playing non-sanctioned duplicate bridge. Looking forward to seeing you there.

The games our members enjoy each week in the Capistrano room are:

- Wednesday Morning, 9:30 am – 12 pm
- Thursday Evening, 6:30pm – 9 pm
- Saturday Morning, 10 am – 1 pm

You must sign up in advance with Director Ron Gauny at ronald.gauny@verizon.net for our Wednesday and Thursday games, and sign up in advance with Bev Teel, Director, at bevteel25@gmail.com for our Saturday games.

Please contact Bev or Ron, by email, with any questions about the Shadow Hills Bridge Club.

We are so pleased to continue to have such great participation at our games. Hope everyone is having a great summer.

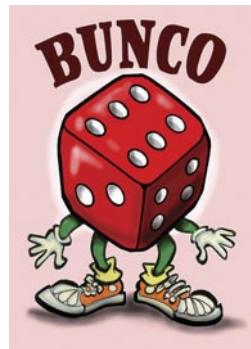


Bunco

For those who have never attended or never played, don't worry. There is room for all, and no reservations are required. You can join the club the day you play. The game can be learned in a matter of minutes so it's okay to show up with no knowledge of the game.

Here is our schedule: August 9, September 6, October 4, November 15, December 13. Feel free to bring what you want to drink. Bunco starts at 7 pm. Please arrive a few minutes early to sign in.

If you have any questions, please contact Stacy Boeskin at scshbunco@yahoo.com.



Camera Club

We are excited about a great year coming up for our club. With a return to in-person meetings beginning in October, our main meeting will be moved to the first Wednesday of each month. A variety of main topics have been lined up including summer travel, focus/depth of field, composition, using natural lighting, action photography, creative photography, portrait photography and landscape photography.



"Big Horn on Art Smith" by Gail Stewart

The second Wednesday of each month, beginning in November, will be a workshop on various subjects related to the main meeting topic for that month. Additionally, starting in November as well, each month will feature a field trip. And, of course, we will resume monthly themes for the photo gallery on our website where members can share their artwork.

We will also build on the benefits of using Zoom meetings for activities that work well with that medium. The Basic Post Processing meetings will continue on Zoom on the third and fourth Wednesday of each month while the Advanced Photography and Processing will move to the third Friday of each month.

Finally, we are introducing Photo Feedback via Zoom on the fourth Friday of the month. This will be a truly interactive meeting. Members will be able to submit photos to get constructive feedback from fellow club members. The moderator for each meeting will use

software to make any simple edits that are suggested. The reaction to a meeting with this format that we had earlier this Spring was overwhelmingly positive.

The coming year will have something for everyone, no matter your skill level. So, grab your camera and join us on this exciting photographic journey!

Visit our website at scshcameraclub.com.



Ceramics Club



Happy August all you Leo's (and Virgo's)! Above is a piece recently done by a Leo.

The process went like this for Leo the lion...the words, "abstract lion" was searched online and up came the picture of a stained-glass lion. It was printed, then a tracing was made (having to add the mane to the top of the picture), next a trace was made on the blank tiles, 6-4"x4's. After tracing, the lion was painted, choosing a no-glaze paint with colors that could blend for variety. Next, the black lines were done for emphasis. Finally, the background was painted using a metallic paint to give some shine. The last steps were to glue tiles to the tray and a pre-mixed grout was used to connect the tiles. It is making a perfect location for my cocktail glasses!

Come check out Ceramics Club, we do all sorts of practical and decorative pieces, the camaraderie is great too!

We meet Tuesday and Friday, 8 am – noon in Cambria Room. For more information, email Adam at scshceramics@hotmail.com.



Classic Movie Club

The Classic Movie Club will present showings of Oscar-winning films every other Friday starting at 4 pm in the Santa Rosa Clubhouse's Monterey Room. There will be time for socializing, and those attending will be able to take their picture holding a real Oscar.

Josh Kanin, co-host of the club's film series, grew up in a prominent Hollywood show business family — parents Fay and Michael Kanin and uncle and aunt Garson Kanin and Ruth Gordon — all of whom were Oscar and Emmy Award-winning screenwriters, directors, and actors for over 50 years. Josh is a noted film historian from Los Angeles, and since 1973 has been (and still is) a college professor of film studies. Bill Hooper, co-host with Josh, is a local Realtor who introduced him to the Coachella Valley and who is a classic movie fan.

The club is pleased and proud to provide our community with free, quality entertainment on an ongoing basis. The screening events are open to all SCSH residents, and no club membership is required to attend them. If you love classic movies, please join us. We would love to meet you. For more information, call either Josh Kanin (310-980-0747) or Bill Hooper (310-293-9597).



Classy Niners

Happy summer everyone! It's been a great summer season so far.

Our shotgun start time for Tuesday golf is 7 am with a choice to play 9 or 18 holes. The deadline for signups is Friday at 6 pm. Now that Shadows has reopened, please join us for breakfasts following golf. Shotgun start time for Friday is 6:30 am, with the option to play 9 or 18 holes. The deadline for signups is Tuesday at 6 pm. Please read on the website for announcements, opportunities, and future events.

A great time was had at our Golf Away Game on July 29, at Woodhaven Golf Club.

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The Classy Niners welcome golfers of all levels of experience. Be sure to check out our website at www.shclassy9ers.com for details regarding the club, including membership, handicaps, signups, and other pertinent information. Please contact Barb Mason at 562-477-3165 or barb90713@gmail.com if you would like to join a fun group of ladies.

Stay healthy and safe everyone!



Community Singers

Attention all residents of Sun City Shadow Hills! SCSH Community Singers will be holding their First rehearsal in preparation for the holidays.

Monday, September 26, 5 pm – 7 pm
Capistrano Room, Montecito Clubhouse
Sopranos, Altos, Tenors, Basses

WE NEED YOU!

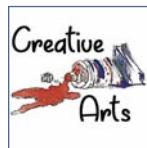


For more information, you can reach us at:
communitysingers@hotmail.com.



Couples Golf

Couples Golf is currently on hiatus for the summer and will return in the fall with the 2022/2023 season. The first scheduled day of play will be November 6, 2022, and the Welcome Back Social will be held November 3, 2022, from 4 – 6 pm. Stay tuned for more info coming in August, and don't forget to check out the website for more info at www.shcouples.com. Contact Gerry Read, Membership Chair, or Rob Quilley, President, at scshcouple@gmail.com with any questions or comments.



Creative Arts

Things are pretty quiet around here this time of year, but the Creative Arts Club is active all through the summer. If you're looking for something to do to break up the hot days of August come on over to the Montecito Clubhouse and check out our club members art. This month we are showcasing paintings done in some of our classes during the regular season. The majority of our classes use acrylic or watercolor, and subjects include still life, florals, animals, landscapes, portraits and even some abstracts. Each year we have a great selection of classes, and this coming year will be no exception.

Consider joining the Creative Arts Club, sign up for some classes and have some fun. You can check out member art on the Virtual Art Wall which can be found on the SCSH website under Lifestyles Stay Connected.

The membership fee is \$15/year due in January. We have open studio time in the art room twice a week, Monday and Thursday mornings, 9 am – 12 pm. Contact Wendy McElroy, at 714-222-6495 for further information.



Desert Gardeners

Our club provides opportunities for expanding your gardening knowledge and skills. We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the month from November to April starting at 3:30 pm. Activities include guided tours of local nurseries and gardens, lectures on gardening techniques and plant selection, and an annual tour spotlighting residents' gardens. Check our website www.scshtdesertgardeners.com for the latest news on our club activities and a wealth of gardening resources.

Yearly dues are \$15 for one person or \$20 for two from the same household. Applications are available on the website. For more information, please contact Terry Bolen at scshtdesertgardeners@gmail.com.

If you're right at home in August in SCSH, you can still exercise your green thumbs. Here's what you might want to plant.

Planting Guide for the Coachella Valley – August

Basil	August	Loves heat. Must prune correctly to ensure continued production. Can last multiple seasons with correct pruning.
Beans	year round	Harvest to stimulate production
Corn - sweet	August	Must grow large blocks for pollination Minimum 4x4. Wind pollinated
Cucumber -standard	August	Both bush and vining
Celery	August	Difficult to grow. Very slow germination. Tends to be bitter
Squash - summer	August	Large plant. Fruit grows FAST

Courtesy of Lisha Astorga & Palm Springs High School Sustainable Garden Club



Desert Life

The Desert Life Club will be on hiatus during the months of July and August and will resume meetings in September. Look for details of our next meeting, which will be held on September 20, in September edition of *The View*!

We hope you have a beautiful, healthy, and safe summer! In the interim, if you are interested in learning more about Desert Life, contact our Membership Chairperson, Charlene Sandin, at 818-427-5765.



Games Plus

Games Plus was formed to play various games.

BINGO | *Bingo will resume October 7, 2022.*The doors open at the Montecito Clubhouse at 5:30 pm, with games starting at 6:30 pm. Paper sells for \$5 for 10 games. Two special games can be purchased for \$3. A free door prize raffle takes place right after intermission. You must be 18 years old to play. Cash only, and small bills are appreciated.

SCRABBLE/OTHER GAMES | Scrabble is held Mondays of each week at the Santa Rosa Clubhouse from 1 – 3:30 pm. Contact Barbara Irwin at scrabble731@yahoo.com to sign up to play.

MEXICAN TRAIN | Mexican Train is played the first and third Wednesday of the month from 1:40 – 5 pm at the Santa Rosa Clubhouse. You must contact Cathy

Nielsen if you plan to play. Her email is mccathynielsen@gmail.com or phone at 760-522-3092. **HAND & FOOT** | Hand & Foot gets together on Thursdays at the Santa Rosa Clubhouse. Please arrive

at 12:15 pm to play at 12:30 pm. Please contact Kathy Reid at 760-469-2335 if you plan to play.

If you have any questions regarding the above games, contact Pat at 310-433-0714 or the person listed within the game descriptions. *Happy Gaming!*



Genealogy Club

SKILLS OF A GENEALOGIST – PART TWO

This month, we will add a few more skills to help you in your quest.

- **Maps** – the “where” of your ancestor’s lives is a crucial element of their life stories. You might need to be able to correlate an old hand-drawn map with a satellite view. And jurisdictions often change so check the neighboring counties.
 - **Language** – those old archive records might be in a different language. Thankfully, there are several modern tools that can help translate the text and Facebook volunteers might chip in..
 - **Handwriting** – cursive on the verge of extinction? However, there are university courses, online experts and online tools that can help untangle even with the most ancient script.
 - **Detective** – examining all the details found in those old records and correlating these just might provide the breakthrough. Keep a keen eye and never give up!
 - **DNA** – with DNA a part of everyone’s research, we may become scientists beyond high school biology. DNA might appear as a huge elephant, but you can gobble the elephant, one bite at a time.

Support is always available with your local library, your local genealogical society, Google, Facebook, Pinterest, and a host of genealogical websites. After all, genealogy is America's second most popular hobby. Check out scshgenealogy.com.



Gin Rummy

The Gin Rummy Club meets every Monday at the Santa Rosa Clubhouse in the Newport Room. Games start at 1 pm, and we play until finished. Depending

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on how many players there are, games can end anywhere from 4:30 – 5:30 pm. If you play Gin Rummy or would like to learn, please contact Marie DeVito at 312-909-0446. We are a fun group, and all are welcome.



Jewelry Club



Designed by Mary Ann Dahl

Summertime and the temperatures are sizzling...but we are still getting together and working on our projects – learning new designs – teaching well known designs.

Whether you are a beginner in the beading craft or experienced designer, come on by on Wednesdays between 1 pm and 3:30 pm at Montecito Clubhouse. If you don't have your own beads, we have something to get you started.

Right now, our gatherings are small, but once the travel season is over and the snowbird members come back, you will be inspired at all the fantastic jewelry objects.



Kings and Queens

The name of the game is *Poker!* Kings and Queens Card Club is open for play throughout the year giving you the chance to join in.

WHO | Shadow Hills residents looking for a good night out with friends and neighbors

WHEN | Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, 5 pm starting time

WHERE | Santa Rosa Clubhouse

WHAT | Dealer's choice (Omaha, Stud, Hi Low, etc.)

We're always looking for new players from our Shadow Hills community. Immediate seating available. So, let's all shuffle up and deal! For more information call Geoff Delapp at 909-262-0317.



Lady Putters



Lady Putters Summer League is going strong! We play on the Par 54 course that hugs the back of the Montecito Clubhouse. Play begins at 7 am. Casual dress is fine, but we ask no flip flop type shoes (for your safety), no tank tops, or short shorts. There is no fee. We do not keep track of handicaps or birds and no pins are issued.

Summer League is the perfect opportunity to try our club out. All women of Sun City Shadow Hills are invited to join us. No membership or handicap is necessary. All you need to play is a putter, a ball, and a desire to have fun.

We invite you to check out pictures of our club, all the fun and latest information on our website at www.shputters.com or contact Maureen Whittaker at maureenwhittaker@verizon.net or 760-342-1260 for further information.



Let's Meet and Eat

Happy summer, club members! Because more people seemed to be traveling over the summer, we decided not to hold our club events in July and August. However, we're excited to be back up running on Sunday, September 11! We are so looking forward to seeing all your smiling faces! We meet from 5 – 8 pm in the Montecito Ballroom, and the cost is \$10 per club member. Please bring a dish to share with a table

of 10 and your beverages of choice. Signup sheets for the September event will be available in the clubhouse lobbies on August 1. Please fill out the form and drop it and your check in the club mailbox in the Montecito. Once the event is full, we will close the mailbox. For questions or info, email scshmeetandeat@gmail.com.

- **SEPTEMBER 11** | The Shadows Band (Please wear patriotic colors to commemorate this important day!)
- **OCTOBER 9** | Band to be announced
- **NOVEMBER 13** | Band to be announced
- **DECEMBER 11** | DysFUNKsion



Lively Liners

Will Be Dark in August 2022

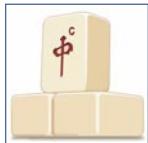
Line dance classes are offered at Montecito Fitness Center, Aerobics Studio. Try the first two classes for free! Low \$20 monthly fee (with annual dues of \$20) includes all classes, beginner through advanced.

Shake It Out! From Health.com:

A few recent studies have found that dance may just be the best medicine. Senior citizens who frequently dance have a 73% lower chance of being disabled. Another study drew a link between dance and improved cognitive function. Experts believe the reason is that dance requires both physical agility and mental strength to adapt to and remember choreography.

Laugh, make new friends and, of course – dance! Fun, monthly dances to show off your skills. Give it a try and you will fall in love with line dancing. You don't need a partner!

Please visit our website at www.scshlivelyliners.com. Line dancing is good for your body and your mind. Come and try it – you don't need a partner! For info, call Sandie at 715-254-7563 or Katy at 760-610-5710.



Mah Jongg

Hot...hotter...and HOTTER! That about sums up weather in the desert for the summer. Hope everyone enjoyed the many July 4th fireworks displays around the area and the celebrations on the television

specials. Now is a great time to cool off at the Mah Jongg Club meetings on Wednesdays.

There are many parts of the game of Mah Jongg that are constant: a) The 38 tiles are always set up on the racks at the start of the game in double rows of 19 tiles; b) The tiles from the racks are chosen with the east player taking the first four tiles from their rack, followed by the player to their right taking the next four tiles and continuing around the table, counter-clockwise until all players have 13 tiles, east then takes the one and three top tiles from the following pairs and the other players choose one until all players have 13 tiles and East has 14 tiles; c) The Charleston exchanges never change; d) the game ends when one player declares Mah Jongg or all tiles have been chosen from the racks and a Wall game is declared. One of the first variables of the game begin with breaking the Wall. This and other variations will be a subject for further articles.

The SCSH Mah Jongg Club meets every Wednesday in the Montecito, from 12:30 pm to 3:30 pm. For more information about the club please contact President, Joan Schwarz at 760-610-1561. Stay safe and healthy and come join us on Wednesdays for a day of play.



Meditation Over Medication



The introductory session of Meditation over Medication had standing room only.

Since the club started many members have been attending the sessions on Monday and benefiting from the practice. The members are seeing a change happening in their stress levels and daily life for the better.

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The members are enjoying the sessions and the bond they are developing among each other. The club has become more of a big family than a club.

The lead Vib Verma took time off his busy Real Estate schedule for his own 30 days meditation retreat in India. While Vib was gone the meditation family met every Monday because they did not want to break the routine and meet each other.

The Meditation over Medication Club invites you to come try a session before joining the club to see how the practice can help you deal with stress, anger, and anxiety and live a happier and peaceful life.



Men's Golf Club

Our summer season for golf is well underway with many of our golfers teeing off during the early morning hours to avoid the heat. Organized Club activities are at a minimum this time of year, but plans are underway for a great season starting about November 1. More information to come.

Looking forward to the 2022-2023 golf year, we have three new Board Members in place. Dave Gibson, a fine golfer, and seasoned leader will take over the reigns as our new President. Bruce Marly returns to the Board and will assume the responsibilities of Treasurer. Bruce has been there before and brings a wealth of knowledge to the financial side of our Club operations. Our third new Board Member is Garr Smith, who returns to the Board, after serving over six years as our IT Committee Chairman. He will be serving as Vice President with special assignments coming from Dave Gibson and the Board.

But more important than welcoming the new Board, is expressing our appreciation to the Members leaving after serving for two or more years. They include John Long, our persistent President, who steered the course through two years of Covid interruptions, emerging with nothing short of a remarkable record. Also leaving are Jim Armstrong, Treasurer, and Dave Bakshy, Vice President. Our club is truly fortunate to have had the in depth and dedicated leadership of these three fine gentlemen during two years of challenging times.



Needles and Pins



In photo above, Carol Namehas displays a quilt top she made for a great grandchild. Before moving here, Carol was a florist who decorated venues for special events. Her artistry is apparent in the many items she has created since joining us. In the next photo, Beth Stepek sits in front of a couple items she crocheted to show what can be made with a pattern using different hooks and yarns. Beth is a longtime member who produces many knitted and crocheted items for charity and is a wonderful volunteer.

Our summer contingent has lately been focused on creating all sorts of things for the November boutique: blankets, quilts, hats, tote bags, purses, microwave bowls, placemats, etc. Our club will have overflowing tables full of wonderful gifts for the holiday season.

Come join us in the Cambria/Mirada rooms at the Montecito Clubhouse. Everyone comes on Monday afternoons and quilters are there all day Sunday and Wednesday mornings as well.

For more information contact President Debra Winthrop at needlesandpinssuncity@gmail.com.



Pan Club

The Pan Club welcomes all Pan players to join us in the clubhouse for our daily games. The Pan Club is always active throughout the year and is a welcome respite during the hot summer months.

HOLD THE DATE | Thursday, October 13, 2022.

EXCITING NEWS | The Pan Tournament is coming! Stay tuned for more details!

IMPORTANT REMINDER | You need to be a member to sub and play in the clubhouse, participate in the Pan Tournament, sub and full roster, luncheon, and other club events. Annual dues are \$15 needed to support events, new playing cards, and equipment.

If you play Pan and are interested in joining a game as a sub or regular player, please contact Michele at 661-510-5790 or kirscmi62@gmail.com.

Stay cool, healthy, and happy.



Paper Crafters

Stuck in the summer doldrums? How about getting those creative juices flowing? Paper Crafters Club may be just the thing.



Each week a new card or paper project will be presented by one of our members. The weekly projects range from \$1 - \$3. We invite you to join us in the Mirada room at the Montecito Clubhouse on Tuesdays at 12:45 pm. Classes begin at 1 pm. You are encouraged to come and use the supplies and equipment available to make additional cards or projects. Hope you will join us.

Questions? Contact our president, Ginna Martinez, at 916-778-9425 or ginnamartinez66@yahoo.com.



Pet Club

If you plan to travel with your pet, pack the necessities they will require. Your pet's luggage should include



food, water bowls, treats, a leash and collar, toys, medications, and printed copies of medical records, including vaccination history. Check with your vet to determine if a health certificate is needed for travel. Also ensure your pet is comfortable with his or her crate or carrier before flying or embarking on a long road trip.

The Pet Club will resume on Tuesday, September 13. Visit our website, www.suncityshadowhillspetclub.com, for time and location. Any questions, please contact Barbara Scharnhorst at 909-800-4394 or email her at abscharnhorst@gmail.com.



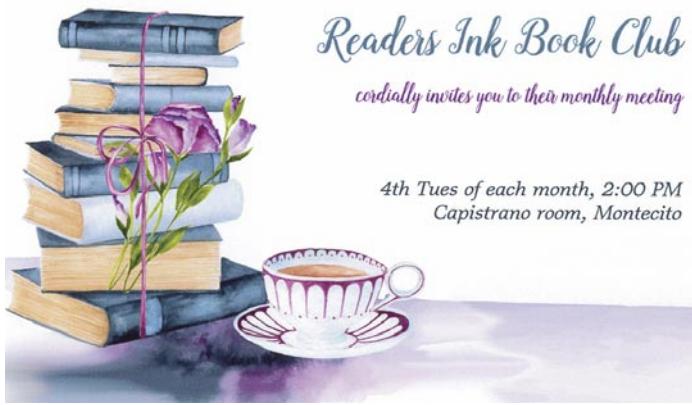
Rainbow Friends

It's August, so the heat is here in full force. Hopefully you are finding ways of keeping cool and enjoying life. At the time of this writing, we have not decided if there will be a regular meeting on the second Wednesday of August at the Montecito Clubhouse. We will send out an email to our current members well ahead of August 10 if there is or isn't going to be a meeting.

We are a social club for the LGBT community, their family, and friends. For further information, please contact Sue at 949-584-2344 or Ron at 925-785-3258.



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providers and information about maintenance, repairs, and technology for your home.

The club holds monthly events throughout the winter where members can meet with other Snowbirds, socialize over a glass of wine, and have some fun. Our goal is for Snowbirds to develop some strong friendships.

We have created a variety of social groups for coffee, casual lunches, potlucks, and Happy Hour as well as sporting programs like golf, bike riding and walking. All are great ways to meet fellow Snowbirds.

Finally, we distribute a newsletter via email containing general information and "Tips and Tricks."

To attend our member events and programs, please join our Snowbirds Club by registering at <https://shadowhillssnowbirds.springly.org> or by contacting John McFerran at scshsnowbirds@gmail.com.



Solos Club

We want to extend a warm welcome to the new members of the Solos Club. We are sure that you will enjoy the many activities offered to you! We are working on a couple of recreational ideas to keep you busy during this month.

We are the social club for unmarried residents of SCSH. If you fall into that category, come and join us! For any membership information or updates, contact Shirley Bunce at bunce.shirley123@yahoo.com or 760-345-8121.

The club will be dark for the monthly meeting only for the month of August. We will return in September with our regular schedule, which is the third Sunday of the month from 5 – 7 pm in the Capistrano room at the Montecito Clubhouse.



Tennis Club

It is hot out there! Daily highs have been in excess of 100 degrees, and even our early morning temps are extremely warm. We can't stress enough how important it is to hydrate while you are out there playing tennis. Wear your cooling towels, rest in the shade, and avail



Snowbirds Club

The Snowbirds Club was created for two primary reasons: 1) to provide specific information on a variety of topics to Snowbirds, most important, safe home closures; and 2) to provide a vehicle for Snowbirds to meet, socialize, and have fun together. By Snowbirds, we mean SCSH residents who have a permanent home address outside of SCSH.

Our club can help with suggestions about the many steps necessary to properly close your home for the summer. We can also provide a list of home watch

yourselves of the ice machine at the courts. We want to make sure everyone stays healthy during these tough summer months.

Despite the heat, the Tennis Club organized a few early morning June/July tennis clinics to utilize Sharon Walsh's amazing professional background. We were able to fill all spots available with club members interested in improving their games. Sharon made the clinics both fun and instructional, and everyone had a great time. If you are interested in organizing your own clinics or in private and semiprivate lessons with Sharon, you can contact her directly at 719-337-1624.

Remember to sign up for our Annual Summer Pizza Party on August 20 at 5 pm! It is a great time to mingle with new and old tennis friends off the courts. With great food, games and prizes, it is sure to be a fun night.

Tennis is a wonderful sport. If you are interested in the game, we welcome players of all levels. For more information, or to join our club, please visit <https://scshtennis.com> or contact Linda Johnson at lnkjohns@hotmail.com. See you on the courts.



That's Entertainment

If you are new to the community, you may be unaware of Sir Laffs-A-Lot's Comedy Night. On the third Wednesday of each month, we arrange for two southern California comedians to put on a 90 minute comedy show, at 7 pm, in the Montecito Clubhouse. The talent is different every month. We are in our 12th year of presenting this fun event. Reserved seat tickets, for \$12 each, go on sale on the first day of each month, at 8 am, in the Montecito Lobby. Please see our ad, in this magazine, or poster/flyers for further information.



Tutta Bella Vino

Your Tutta Bella Vino Team Is Returning with Great Wines for You in September

Tutta Bella Vino is dark in the month of August. But we are continuing to explore the wine countries of the world so that we can return with new great wines for

our tastings. We look forward to seeing you back with us on Saturday, September 17, 2022, at 7 pm in the Montecito Ballroom. To register, look for September event flyers on the club webpage or the racks at Montecito on August 17, 2022. Until then prepare



yourself for another season of magnificent wines and friends at Tutta Bella Vino.

Watch www.scschca.com for club information on our webpage. We will be posting news for the new season, TBV's event calendar, and other important club news.

 For more info email: tuttabellavino@gmail.com.

Ukulele Strummers

August is here! One change that has come to the Ukulele Club in recent weeks is our good friend and devoted club member, Martin Lapides, has moved to the East Coast to be close to family and friends with whom he grew up. We will miss him greatly! He reports, "I'm feeling the weather change! I'm having to wear a sweater in the morning and evening."

On that note, as the scorching weather continues here in the desert, we hope you are all finding ways to stay cool and hydrated. If you make SCSH your home all year long, perhaps you might be interested in the challenge and rewards of learning to play the ukulele and all types of musical genres. Music-making is one way to beat the heat, make new friends, expand the

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mind, exercise the body while you sing or hum along to the chording and create memories in a social setting!

During August, the club will meet Thursdays in the Montecito Clubhouse Cambria room from 12:30 – 2 pm for the Strumming Hour. Previous training in music is not required. We hope to see you there.

As summer moves onward, club activities will continue with an open schedule. Please feel free to stay in touch with the club leadership via email to keep up with each month's activities. Or check the SCSH online calendar for the latest schedule.

Best Regards, Darlene Kretchmer, President, dkretchmer@yahoo.com; Josefina Preuit, Treasurer/Secretary, jpreuit1@gmail.com; George DeGraffenreid, Musical Director, georgedegraff@yahoo.com



Our new calendar for 2022-2023 events will be posted on our website at www.shwgc.com.

Writer's Club

Our club is now holding in-person meetings only on the first Thursday of each month in the La Jolla room in the Santa Rosa Clubhouse. The rest of the month, we have Zoom meetings online every Thursday at 9:30 am. If you wish to join, please email antiqphoto@gmail.com. You do not need a Zoom account.

We are a group of individuals who enjoy writing. Each member has the opportunity to read one or two pages (500 words or less) of their work to the group and receive ideas, direction, and gentle criticism. Part of being in our club is the encouragement we all get from each other to write on a regular basis.

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Women's Golf Club

Because the summer weather is in full swing, the Women's Golf Club continues to play casual golf on Wednesdays and Fridays, with tee times at 7 am. This will continue throughout the summer until the new season starts in October/November 2022.

Our new membership person effective June 1 is Linda Aasen. Her contact info is laasen3730@aol.com.

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Then come join with others to influence decision-making and elections by supporting qualified Democrats wishing to run for public office. Our club activities include education, campaigning, voter registration, protesting, and GOTV (Get Out the Vote!) activities. We work to affect not just elections in California but elections across the country, both state and federal.

Although our next meeting is not until September, there are still things you can do now. Contact us via our email address if you would like to:

- Join our group,
- Receive our weekly Monday Morning emails,
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Our weekly emails will keep you informed about local and national issues, volunteering opportunities, and local political events.



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Hadassah

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Although Hadassah has no scheduled events for August, stay in touch with the use of virtual/online events as well as podcasts which you can find on the National Events Calendar: www.hadassah.org/events and www.hadassah.org/get-involved/virtual-programming.

Be inspired by the numerous stories on the ways Hadassah medical advances spread hope and healing: www.hadassah.org/news-media/stories. One of these is the development of a first-of-its kind between Hadassah Medical Organization and the Israeli company P-Cure, which enables Hadassah to provide proton therapy radiation to cancer patients.

For more information on this and other medical advances taking place at Hadassah Medical Center: www.hadassah.org.

Hadassah is a community of 300,000 strong and we advocate for the well-being of women's health, combating antisemitism, supporting our youth at risk, Never Again Education Act, and much more.

Women's health equity is vital. For more information regarding advocacy on women's health taking place in the U.S., please call Cindy Hailpern at 760-360-4902.

Please get involved and advocate on these critical issues!

Have a wonderful August!

Republicans

The Republican Club will be dark through August.

We have several officers who continue to update us about what is going on in Coachella Valley, California, and our country. The November election will be most important. Our September and October meetings will be the *MOST* important. We will have some great speakers for all of California and the country!

If you would like to get involved with the club and keep up to date, please contact Pete Anderson at petegolf@yahoo.com or call him at 760-775-4745. You can also reach the club's secretary, Pat Miller, at alm7651@verizon.net.



Please keep in touch. This election is most important!

CLUBS IN FORMATION

Non-Fiction Book

The club usually meets in the afternoon on the fourth Wednesday of each month during the year, in person at the Santa Rosa Clubhouse patio, for lively discussions centered upon works of nonfiction.

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The screenshot shows the homepage of the Sun City Shadow Hills website. At the top, it says "Sun City Shadow Hills® by Del Webb®". The header includes links for SEARCH, PROFILE, and LOG OUT, and navigation tabs for HOME, NEWS, LIFESTYLE, COMMUNICATION, HOA, CALENDAR, MARKETPLACE, GATE ACCESS, DIRECTORY, and CONTACTS. A weather box on the left shows "DECEMBER 7, 2018 INDOJO 48° light rain humidity: 93% wind: 2mph WNW H 56° L 47° 59° 59° 57°". Below the weather is a "WELCOME!" message and a scenic photo of a golf course and mountains. To the right is a sidebar with "The View" logo and links for Podcast, Ask Question / Make Suggestion, FAQs, and Email Blasts. A call-to-action button says "Visit our community website! Go to: www.scschca.com Register today! Log in today and stay up to date with the latest happenings at Sun City Shadow Hills". Below this are links for Important HOA Announcements, President's Messages, Project Updates, Upcoming Events, Fitness Schedules, Classified Ads, and Resident Directory. A laptop and smartphone are shown displaying the website.

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However, for our next session, and to make sure as many people are included as possible, we will be meeting via Zoom link. This is our somewhat delayed July meeting, now scheduled for Wednesday, August 3, at 12 pm, when we will be discussing the 528-page book *This is How They Tell Me the World Ends: The Cyberweapons Arms Race* by Nicole Perlroth, which was recommended by member Gina Pollack.

We'll be back to our regular schedule for August, meeting in person on Wednesday, August 24, at 2 pm to discuss the 352-page book *The Man Without a Face: The Unlikely Rise of Vladimir Putin* by Masha Gessen.

Club founder and SCSH resident Jhan S c h m i t z normally chairs the discussions and keeps each session lively and "on task."

If you'd like to join us, see who we are, and how we manage to have great fun discussing each of the books selected, contact jhan.schmitz@gmail.com.

A graphic featuring a globe with blue arrows pointing towards a laptop screen displaying the Sun City Shadow Hills website. Below the laptop is a smartphone showing the same website. The text reads: "Want to . . . be among the first to know what's happening in Sun City Shadow Hills? Sign up for the Monday email blast!" Below this is a dotted line and the text: "Fill out the Announcements by Email Request Form online at www.scschca.com/emailsignup or stop by the HOA office to sign up. You will begin receiving our weekly email blast each Monday morning, letting you know what is happening in our community that week. You will also receive critical alerts." At the bottom is the Sun City Shadow Hills logo.



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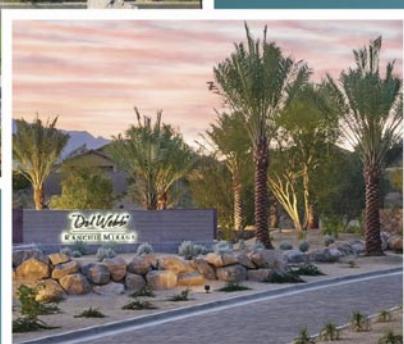
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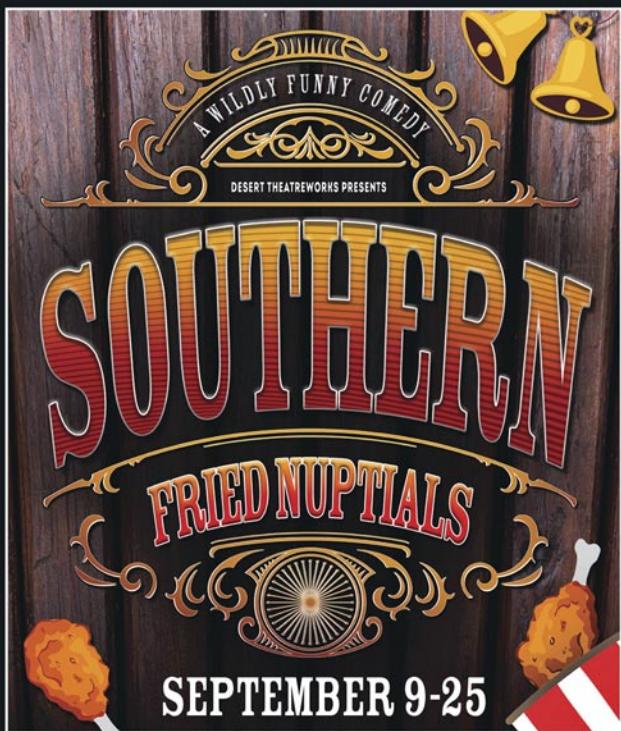
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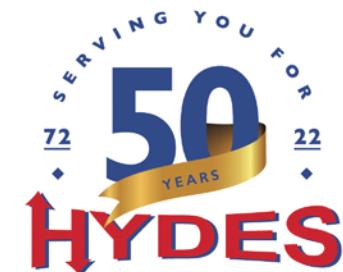
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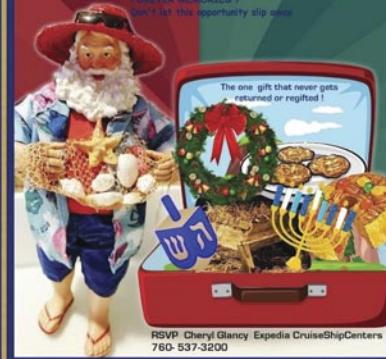
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