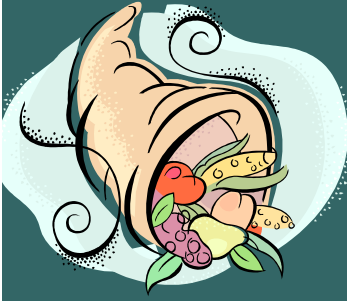


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DESERT SHADOWS

# The Desert Sun

## RESORT NEWS

### HAPPY NOVEMBER WELCOME EVERYONE!!!

November is the month we celebrate *GIVING THANKS!* I will have Leaves available in the Activities Office and possibly at some of the weekly activities that I'd like you to write what you are "THANKFUL FOR" on the Leaf. We are going to use them to decorate the auditorium and to help remind us all of what we have been blessed with.

Congratulations to the following winners! Gloria L. won the Spelling Bee, Dianna K. won the Poker Walk with a Full House, Diane N. won the Apple Hunt, she found the most apples and the Golden Apple and Nancy Z. won the National Nut Day Contest. There were 238 nuts in that little jar and she guessed 241. Thank you to all that participated in the events!

Please note when you read the monthly calendar many of our regular weekly activities are not on it. I tried putting all of them on the Calendar, however, was unsuccessful in doing so. If I put everything on the calendar most of us would need a magnifying glass to read the calendar. Please check the White Board in the Lobby, and wherever I post the posters. If anyone has questions about the

Activities please stop by the Activities Office and Ask. Thanks!

### SATURDAY MORNING SOCIALS:

Every Saturday morning in the Front Auditorium is our Saturday Morning Social. Donuts will be \$1.00 each and Muffins will be \$1.50 each. Coffee is Complimentary as well as the SMILES and CONVERSATION with your fellow residents. If you're NEW in the Resort, this is a great way to meet and make some new friends.

PLEASE REMEMBER that on Saturday, Nov. 20<sup>TH</sup> we have our patio sale. We will be DRIVING AROUND the resort with coffee and donuts instead of meeting in the lobby. I have TWO crews that will go out and sell this season, so we can nourish you sooner!

### BINGO:

Bingo on **THURSDAY EVENINGS** in the Front Auditorium. We start selling your game sheets by 6PM and we stop selling at 6:45PM. Bingo starts by 7PM. We play 10 regular games and have two jackpot coverall games. To play (1) 3-on-1 game sheet for each game it costs \$4.00. You may purchase as many game sheets as you are able to play. *Please remember no BILLS*

#### ACTIVITIES OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY- FRIDAY  
9:00 - 12:00 ; 1:00 - 3:00

SATURDAY: 9:00- 12:00

#### ACTIVITIES OFFICE PHONE

623-869-9224

events@PhoenixRVresorts.com

#### FRONT OFFICE HOURS

WEEKDAYS 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

SATURDAY 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

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# Activities

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## WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

Here is a list of the Current Weekly Activities. If you are a VOLUNTEER that is in charge of one of our activities, please remember to stop by the Activities Office to let me know when you are starting it up so I may get the posters out.

**Ladies Group** – Mondays at 11AM in the Card Room

**Baseball Darts** – Mondays at 6:30PM in the Back Auditorium

**Pinochle** – Mondays and Wednesdays at 1PM in the Card Room

**Bridge** – Tuesdays at 1PM in the Card Room

**Cribbage** – Tuesdays at 9AM in the Card Room, Thursdays at 9AM and 1PM in the Card Room and Saturdays at 9AM in the Card Room

**Bunco** – Tuesdays at 3PM in the Back Auditorium

**Aggravation or Golf** – Tuesdays at 6:30PM in the Card Room

**Line Dancing for Absolute Beginners** – Mondays at 11AM in the Front Auditorium

**Line Dancing for Beginners** – Wednesdays at 11AM in the Front Auditorium

**Line Dancing for Intermediates** – Fridays at 11AM in the Front Auditorium

**Line Dancing for Couples/Partner Dances** – Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at 5PM in the Front Auditorium

**Arizona Rummy** – Saturdays at 9:30AM in the Card Room

**Quilters** – Tuesdays at 8:30AM in the Auditorium

**Water Aerobics** – Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 8AM in the Swimming Pool

**Choir** – Fridays at 2:30PM in the Auditorium

**Donation Sewing Group** – Thursdays at 10:15AM in the Back Auditorium

**Church** – (Non-Denominational) Sundays at 9AM in the Front Auditorium

## DECORATORS NEEDED:

Please join Anna in the Front Auditorium on Monday, November 29th at 12:30PM to decorate the Auditorium for CHRISTMAS. Thank you!!!

## WHEEL OF FORTUNE:

Are you good at puzzles? Come join us for “Wheel of Fortune” in the Front Auditorium at 11AM, Thursday, November 24th.

## NOVEMBER DANCES:

**November 6<sup>TH</sup>** – Silver Creek Band  
(Nacho Average Party theme) Like Cinco D’Mayo

**November 13<sup>TH</sup>** – Legacy Band  
(Autumn Leaves theme)

**November 20<sup>th</sup>** – Cactus Wine  
(Button/pins theme)

**November 27<sup>th</sup>** – Rich Mancini  
(Black theme, celebrating November/May Anniversaries and Birthdays)

Tickets for regular dances are \$8.00 each for residents and \$10.00 each for non-residents. You are considered a resident as long as you’ve paid rent, so if you’ve paid for one night or 365 nights you are a resident. Prices will be the same if you purchase your ticket at the door the night of the dance. Please bring your own snacks and refreshments. Some of you still have tickets left over from March of 2020 when we shut down for the pandemic. Please bring those tickets in to exchange for this seasons tickets along with \$1.00 per ticket for this seasons price increase. Thank you!

For those of you interested in purchasing your tickets for the entire season of dances you may do so. I have an order sheet available listing all of the dances, dates, the themes, the bands and the cost. You can pay for your tickets monthly or weekly as we have in the past. When you come into the Activities Office I will be happy to explain it more thoroughly, discuss your concerns, etc.

Please remember the only form of payment I accept is **CASH!**

## KARAOKE:

This month we are holding Karaoke on two nights only. The first one is on Friday, November 5<sup>th</sup> from 6:30PM – 9:00PM and the 2<sup>nd</sup> one is on Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup> from 6:30PM – 9:00PM. Please let me or Anna know which night you like the best.

## VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION:

We will start out the morning with Raising the Flag outside in Front of the Main Building. At 2PM we will have our Ice Cream Social in the Front Auditorium. Ice Cream treats are \$2 each.

## Activities Continued...

### VENDORS DAY:

Our First Craft & Vendors Day Event is on Friday, November 12th. If you are interested in being a vendor please stop by Activities Office as soon as possible to reserve your table. Spots fill up fast. Donuts will go on sale in the Back Auditorium at 9:00AM. The Vendors will be all set up by 10:00AM and stay thru 1PM. Please come and check it out. We have some new vendors this season. Our Knife and Scissor vendor will be parked in my parking space and we will have a massage therapist at the event for chair massages.

### PATIO SALE:

It is on Saturday, November 20th from 8AM – Noon. Sign-up sheet will be posted in lobby the 1<sup>st</sup> week in November. I type up a list of all those that have signed up so we know who is selling stuff. And I put it on the bulletin boards and hand them out so you can find all those treasures. I will have two crews driving around the resort with coffee/donuts/muffins. We want to keep you energized for shopping.

## Reminders

We have 4 dog run areas to take your pets for them to “take care of business” and run around. There is also a “Dog Park” on W. Utopia Road and N. 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. If you head east on Union Hills and take a left onto 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. it will be on the left hand side of the street at Utopia Rd. If you get to the 101 you went to far.

The Trash Dumpster is located by the back gate. The two green dumpsters near the Mailboxes are for Recyclables ONLY. (However not everything that can be recycled may go in the Dumpsters). **Here is a list of the materials that can go in these dumpsters: #1 and #2 plastics (no lids, lids are a #5), cardboard, magazines, junk mail and other paper (except tissue paper and shredded paper), Aluminum and tin cans, milk cartons and drink boxes. Also, please remember to rinse out these items before recycling. Also NO pizza boxes, plastic bags, glass, Styrofoam or yard waste.** Thanks you!

## Church News

### DESERT SHADOWS CHURCH



Non-Denominational

Sundays at 9AM

Covid-19 forced us to make many changes last year. Following are the guidelines that we will be following so that we may protect everyone. Remember, our goal is to KEEP EVERYONE SAFE.

- Masks are encouraged for everyone.
- Please wear a mask if you are unvaccinated.
- There Will be a box near the exit to accept your offerings.
- At least initially, seating will be arranged to provide social distancing.

Following is the list of pastors in November:

Nov. 7 – Nova Forrest

Nov 21 – Roger Withee

Nov 14 – Nova Forrest

Nov 28 – Tom Forrest

Please contact Cliff Simpson at (602) 904-0219 if you have any questions.

**HAPPY  
THANKSGIVING!!!**

### Arrowhead Harley-Davidson

Buy — Sell — Trade

Peoria, AZ 85382

**Brad Topper**

**602-738-3221**

# NOVEMBER

**\*PLEASE CHECK WHITE BOARD IN LOBBY\* FOR WEEKLY ACTIVITY UPDATES!!!**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>**LEGEND**</b> FA = FRONT AUDITORIUM BA = BACK AUDITORIUM CD = CARD ROOM CF= CRAFT ROOM	1	2  <b>QUILTERS START</b> 8:30AM (FA)	3	4  <b>BINGO</b> 6PM (FA)	5  <b>CHOIR STARTS</b> 2:30PM <b>*EVERY</b> <u><b>FRIDAY*</b></u> (FA)  <b>KARAOKE</b> 6:30-9PM (FA)	6  <b>SATURDAY MORNING SOCIAL</b> (FA) 7:30AM – 9:00AM  <u><b>DANCE 7-10PM</b></u> <b>SILVER CREEK</b> THEME: NACHO AVERAGE PARTY (LIKE CINCO D'MAYO)
7  <b>CHURCH</b> 9AM (FA)	8	9	10	11  <b>VETERANS DAY FLAG RAISING!</b> 9AM IN FRONT OF MAIN BUILDING THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!  <i>ICE CREAM SOCIAL (FA) 2PM</i>  <b>**BINGO 6PM (FA)</b>	12  <b>DONUTS 9AM</b> (BA)  <b>CRAFT &amp; VENDOR FAIR</b> 10AM – 1PM (INDOORS)	13  <b>SATURDAY MORNING SOCIAL</b> (FA) 7:30AM – 9:00AM  <u><b>DANCE 7-10PM</b></u> <b>LEGACY</b> THEME: AUTUMN LEAVES
14  <b>CHURCH</b> 9AM (FA)	15	16	17  <b>KARAOKE</b> 6:30PM (FA)	18  <b>BINGO</b> 6PM (FA)	19	20  <b>PATIO SALE</b> 8AM –NOON <b>MOBILE SATURDAY MORNING SOCIAL</b> 7:30AM – TILL SOLD OUT  <u><b>DANCE 7-10PM</b></u> <b>CACTUS WINE</b> THEME: BUTTONS/PINS
21  <b>CHURCH</b> 9AM (FA)	22	23	24  <b>WHEEL OF FORTUNE</b> 11AM (FA)	25  <b>NO BINGO</b>  <b>HAPPY THANKSGIVING!</b>	26	27  <b>SATURDAY MORNING SOCIAL</b> (FA) 7:30AM – 9:00AM  <u><b>DANCE 7-10PM</b></u> <b>RICH MANCINI</b> THEME: WEAR BLACK
28  <b>CHURCH</b> 9AM (FA)	29  <b>DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS</b> 12:30PM <b>MEET IN</b> (FA)	30				