

THE HIGHLANDS FLING

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April 2024

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APRIL EVENTS

Sat.- April 6th
Grill Your Own Meat
5 p.m.

Mon.- April 8th
Book Club
10 a.m.

Wed.- April 10th
Men's Breakfast
8 am

Tues.- April 16th
Poolside Concert
2 pm

Wednesday April 17th
Open Board Meeting
10 a.m.

Thurs. April 25th
International Luncheon
11:15 a.m.

OPEN BOARD MEETING

The Open Board meeting will be held April 17th at 10:00 a.m. Please submit agenda items by Monday, April 8th.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

The next men's breakfast will be on April 10th, 2024, at the Ole Mexican Grill located at 2080 W Orange Grove Rd. The sign-up sheet is located in the Clubhouse.

Please sign up by April 8th so that I may give the restaurant an accurate headcount ... 23 attended the March breakfast. Also, Ed Pearlburg will be handling the breakfast responsibilities in the May-September timeframe. Thanks Ed!
See you on the 10th!
Steve Horst

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

4/1 Dianne Jacobs
4/4 Morris Coville
4/7 Donna Bauman
4/21 Jesse McManus
4/27 Bud Bates
4/28 Gary Wilkenson
4/30 Marg Rehnberg

CARDS SENT

Bernie Lee - get well
Louise Bohrer - get well

Jennifer Johnson - sympathy for loss of her Father Herb Johnson



GRILL YOUR OWN MEAT

The Social Committee would like to say farewell to our snowbirds, with an event we call "Grill your own Meat." This event will take place Saturday, April 6, at the clubhouse. At 5:00 pm, we will have the grill ready on our back patio. You bring whatever **you** would like to grill, and we will provide for your dining experience, the sides of salad, mac & cheese, cowboy beans, roll and an ice cream Sunday for dessert. Tickets are being sold at other Social Events for the price of \$5.00 per person. Or see Jamie Horst

INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

April 25th, Thursday we will meet at clubhouse at 11:15 am and eat at: Mali Thai 12142 N Rancho Vistoso Blvd #120, Oro Valley, AZ 85755 Located in Vistoso Plaza Facing Safeway, it will be to your left a couple doors down

from Safeway. Your Thai food can be ordered with no added hot spices to as hot as you would like it. Very good and fresh food here. Sign up in the clubhouse.

ALL FAITHS DEVOTIONAL

In memory of Ray Johnson, LaNelma Johnson continues to offer a devotion on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month.

The gathering begins at 9:15am (in the Resource Room) for sharing and inspiration, ending with prayers and thoughtful meditation by 10am. The theme is Love, Unity, Peace, Health and Healing for our loved ones, our community, and our world.

HIGHLAND'S QUILTERS THANK YOU

The Highland's Quilters would like to thank everyone for attending our first Artistic Quilting Open House. We appreciate you supporting our community service project. It warms our hearts to know that we can continue with our current service project making baby and kid quilts for Child Protect Services. We donated 58 quilts this year.

This year we will be making kids backpacks to be given out at Christmas time to foster children. Each foster child will receive a pair of pajamas, a book, and a game activity. We truly appreciate your support and generosity for this cause. Thank you!

ART COMMITTEE OFFERINGS

The March Pizza Pan Hangers class was a success. The group made a variety of Patriotic and Spring/ Garden hangers. A fun time was had by all. The Art Committee will be planning more activities for next season. The classes will be advertised in The Fling with sign-up sheets in the Clubhouse. If you have a craft or Art you would like to teach, please let either Patti Triplett, Sharon Dennis or Terry Wojdyla know. We will be happy to work that in. Have a great Summer.

HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Meets Monday, April 8th at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. The author of the month is the popular and prolific James Patterson. His books are readily available in the Highlands library and other community sites. This is Informal conversation. No sign up needed.

Reminder: The Friends of the Oro Valley Library Book Sale will be held April 17-20 at the library.

H.O.R.A.C NEWS

RUCKUS FREE POOLSIDE CONCERT Tuesday April 16th from 2-4. Pickle will now be at 8 a.m. not 9, every Monday and Thursday. The final H.O.R.A.C. committee meeting will be held April 4th at 3 p.m. in the Resource Room. **BIG SHOUT OUT AND THANK YOU TO ALL**

THE VOLUNTEERS WHO WORKED ON THE AWESOME SIGNAGE AROUND THE CLUBHOUSE ON THE CACTUS AND TREES.

VETERAN HONOR QUILT

Special day for Alicia Gatti at our Quilting meeting. Kathy Garver, an avid quilter for the Highlands presented to Alicia Gatti this Veteran honor quilt. The inscription on the back of the quilt read: Presented to ALICIA GATTI on March 12, 2024 On behalf of a Grateful Nation and members of Highlands Quilt Club. Thank you for your service. Alicia served in the U.S. Army as a Staff Sergeant during



Desert Storm from October 1990 through April 1991. Thank you, Alicia, for serving our country.



LAST PAGE

This section is a communication between the board and our residents, plus a Marketplace to list sale/rent/trade/services in the neighborhood.

REMEMBER - any of our committees always could use volunteers. The Neighborhood Watch group could use summertime volunteers. Please contact Elizabeth Hinds or Terry Reagan or sign up on the sheet in the poker room.

WHAT'S PLANTS ARE IN OUR YARD??? Within the Highlands Drive boundary (circling our community center) approximately three dozen plants have been labeled on red signs with one of the plant's "common" names. This project was produced by several people – from engineering by Brian Tomac, Jimmy Clark, welding, painting and Morris Coville printing the signs. The identification itself was a hefty task - thanks to Jan and Curt Hagen for that research. We included the recent trees planted to the identification project. Checklists for plant names are available in the Mini Golf shed. Have a scavenger hunt with your friends and grand kids. The wall also has a checklist of critters and plants. Thanks to ALL for this enjoyable effort.

RAINS BRING WEEDS, WEEDS WEEDS: Well, I got my weed letter... did you? It's been a very rainy winter! Please be aware and stay on top of the weeds on your property. If you are tackling your weed problem, it helps to call the compliance volunteers to inform them what you're doing. Don't just ignore the notice. If you need help with referrals, please contact someone on the board. Who is Compliance? Chuck Ardingo is the lead. 206-919-7487. Matt Roth is also on Compliance. 520-269-3529. Thanks.

NEW NEIGHBORS:
230 W. Shenandoah St. • Shahbob Hosseini
237 W. Shenandoah St. • Christopher Kantak
202 W. Andes St. • William & Colleen Jackson

MARKETPLACE.....

Residents can buy/sell/items or services to other residents of the Highlands.

This section is for bartering or marketing from neighbor to neighbor in the Highlands.

If you want your listing continued or changed you must email me before our 3rd week of the month production. CROSEHIGHLANDS23@GMAIL.COM and put Marketplace in subject line.

Drywall repairs:
Install drywall. Tape, Texture and Finish.
44 years experience.
Lenny Beyer 847-417-9684

For Sale: Schwinn recumbent exercise bike.
I paid \$450, virtually new, reduced price - \$100. Text Rich Vertel at 847-431-0232

POOL UMBRELLAS:
As the weather warms and more people use the pool, we ask that if you are using an umbrella at the pool, please remember to close it before you leave. Wind can cause damage to them when left open. The umbrella on the patio outside the clubhouse remains open as it has a broken rib, and we think that area is protected from the wind. Thank you for your cooperation.

RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS:
If you are a property owner who is renting your home, owners are responsible for registering their homes at the office. The Highlands also collects \$25 for each new tenant.

Additionally, tenants are required to check in with the office upon arrival, and be aware of The Highlands CC&R's. Owners should inform their tenants of the CC&Rs.

Effective April 15th, 2024 we will be monitoring rentals more closely for compliance consistent with our current policies. If you have any questions please contact compliance Board Members listed in the directory or the office.

April 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 April Fool's Day Pickleball 8 am Hand & Foot 1 pm Arts & Crafts 1 pm Ping Pong 6:30 pm	2 Coffee 8 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am Texas Hold'em 2 pm	3 Chair Yoga 11 am Hand & Foot 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	4 Pickleball 8 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am Quilters 1 pm HORAC Meeting 3pm Pokers & Games 5:30 pm	5 Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	6 Texas Hold'em 2 pm Grill your own Meat 5 pm
7 Bingo 2 pm	8 Pickleball 8 am Book Club 10 am Hand & Foot 1 pm Arts & Crafts 1 pm Ping Pong 6:30 pm	9 Coffee 8 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am Texas Hold'em 2 pm Potluck 5 pm	10 Men's Breakfast 8 am All Faiths 9:15 am Chair Yoga 11 am Hand & Foot 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	11 Pickleball 8 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am Quilters 1 pm Pokers & Games 5:30 pm	12 Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	13 Coffee Chat am Texas Hold'em 2 pm
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21 Bingo 2 pm	22 Earth Day Pickleball 8 am Hand & Foot 1 pm Arts & Crafts 1 pm Ping Pong 6:30 pm	23 Passover Coffee 8 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am Texas Hold'em 2 pm	24 Admin Assist Day All Faiths 9:15 am Chair Yoga 11 am Hand & Foot 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	25 Pickleball 8 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am International Lunch 11:15 Quilters 1 pm Pokers & Games 5:30 pm	26 Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	27 Coffee Chat 9 am Texas Hold'em 2 pm
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		Notes			All Activities Held in the Clubhouse/Pool EXCEPT: Green= Resource Room Red= Off Site Activity	