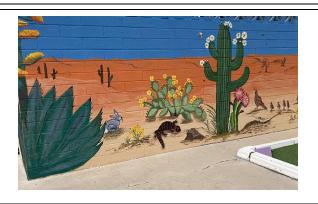
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### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Mon.- Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> 10 am Book Club Wed.- Jan. 10 Men's Breakfast 8 am

Wed.-Jan. 17th
Open Board Meeting 10 am

Thurs.- Jan.25<sup>th</sup>
International Luncheon 11:15

# JANUARY BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Monday, Jan 8<sup>th</sup>. Board meeting Jan. 17<sup>th</sup> at 10.00 am.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

#### JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

1/3 Jan Pepperdine
1/3 Ron Pepperdine
1/7 John Osier
1/11 Sue Cook
1/11 Ken Kemerling
1/13 Sarah Yoakum
1/15 Mary Pasquini
1/15 Mike Pickar
1/17 Jamie Horst
1/17 Wendy Pickar
1/18 Judy Calkins
1/18 Kent Hinds
1/21 Louise Adams
1/31 Anita Lee
1/31 David Rivera

#### **MENS BREAKFAST**

The next Men's Breakfast will be on January 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 January 8th so that we may give the restaurant an accurate headcount ... 22 men attended the December breakfast!! Looking forward to seeing you there in January! As a reminder, the restaurant doesn't open until 8AM ... Steve Horst

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Meet on the 2nd Monday of the month at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. No sign up is necessary.

These gatherings are "a nostress conversation about books." The format varies, sometimes choosing a specific author or book, other times a "theme" around which readers make their own selection. The outline for the next few months:

January 8: "Snow Flower and the Secret Fan, " by Lisa See. February 12: Love is in the Air ~ choose a romance.

March 11: Irish Eyes are Smiling ~ an Irish author or setting.

April 8: Author of the month: James Patterson

#### ARTS & CRAFTS

There will be two different projects coming up in January and two more in February.
Come join in on the fun!
MANDALA (dot painting) on tile. Monday Jan 8th at 1:00pm in the Resource room.

Come learn a new skill!! All supplies are included. A 4x4 tile becomes a coaster/trivet. Please sign up on the clipboard in the Clubhouse!! \$5.00 cost paid at the class. Taught by Sharon Dennis. Beginning Jewelry Making Monday, January 22nd at 1:00pm on Jeanie Weihl's porch at 10701 N Kilimaniaro. Use metal stamps to put designs on metal blanks. Hammers and other jewelry tools will be used. Supplies included. You will complete a pair of earrings or two pendants. Then the same class will be offered on Monday, January 29th at 1:00pm. Find the day you like and sign up on the clipboard in the clubhouse. Class size will be limited to six in each class. Cost is \$10 for either class. Taught by Jeanie Weihl And looking ahead to February mark your calendars for Monday, February 12th we will be making a Beaded Sun Catcher on Cholla, \$15 cost. Taught by Jeanie Weihl Monday, February 26th we will have a Watercolor class. \$5 cost. Taught by Patti Triplett More details to follow and watch for the clipboards in the clubhouse to sign up.

### ATTENTION HIGHLANDS' BAKERS

Gather your recipes and ingredients to make your favorite recipes. White Elephant/Bake Sale Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>.

## COMMUNITY YARD SALE AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

The annual Community Yard Sale is scheduled for February 17th and the White Elephant Sale is scheduled for February 24th. We have the Community Sale Sign-Up sheet already in the clubhouse, so please use it if you're planning to have items for sale. For those of you who are new to the community, we recommend displaying your unwanted items at the Yard Sale and donating any unsold items to the White Elephant Sale. We do not accept clothing or shoes for the White Elephant Sale, but most household items sell well. Just make sure the items are clean and suitable for sale. Proceeds of the sale help support activities of the Social Committee. There will be additional information for BOTH these events in the February Fling. If you have any questions or need clarification on either the Community or W.E. Sale, please call either of the cochairs (Steve Horst at 309-781-5154 or Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233).

#### **POTLUCKS**

Social Committee needs help hosting
Potlucks. There is a sign up in the clubhouse.

# ALL FAITH DEVOTIONAL

Dear Friends in the Highlands. In memory of my beloved husband, Ray Johnson, I will be hosting an All Faiths Devotional on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month in the Resource Room, next to the office. The Theme will be Love, Unity, Peace, Health and Healing for our loved ones, our community, and our world. Everyone is welcome to join and share whatever might inspire you, prayers, poems, prose, quotes, music. We will begin gathering at 9:15 am and begin prayers at 9:30 and finish at 10:00. I look forward to seeing you to begin 2024 on an uplifting and positive note. LaNelma Johnson

# RENTAL CAP INFO MEETING

Thursday, January 4<sup>th</sup> from 10-12:00 at the Clubhouse. Chuck Ardingo will be hosting the meeting.

#### **BACK AGAIN!!**

Pizza and Karaoke is back. Join us Sunday, January 21st, at 5:00 pm for Pizza and Karaoke/Sing-Along. Join your friends and neighbors for a tasty meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Only \$5.00 each

will get you Dominos pizza, salad, and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up and mark your choice of pizza so we know how much to buy. We'll provide the table service (plates & plastic ware). And we'll give you 4 chances to win back your \$5.00 with a few trivia questions. Limit of 70 people. See ya all there.

#### H.O.R.A.C UPDATE

The "Tuesday Tans and Tunes" Concert series will begin on January 16, with Corey Spector performing. Tickets will be \$6. A second concert with meal is planned for March 26 featuring the Cochise County All-Stars. A removable shade cover will be designed to attach to the front of the gazebo for concert performers. We will be organizing an event for February dubbed "The Highlands Olympics". The idea is to field teams of residents to compete in a series of games available in the recreation area (shuffleboard, horseshoes, bocce ball, mini golf or cornhole). No details have been determined as of yet, and we are looking for help with this event. HORAC has purchased an LP "fire pit" that will be placed under the overhang on the east side of the Clubhouse. It will be available on a first come-first served basis. A pool key will be required to access the LP tank valve and igniter. We are hoping this will

be another way to bring people together.....outdoors. Pickleball is now taking place on Mondays and Thursdays at 9 a.m. at Riverfront Park. Come join in this fun form of exercise. The "cactus identification" project will begin in January. We will be making engraved signs to place in front of the many unique cacti (like Tohono Chul) in our garden near the Clubhouse. Do you know your cacti? Let one of our committee members know. We would like to organize a group to play Disc Golf. We will put a sign-up sheet in the Clubhouse to gauge interest. We would likely start out by setting up a temporary course at Riverfront Park. We are looking to add more members to our committee. If you are interested in joining, please contact Ron Weihl. As you can see, we have a lot of fun activities and projects to plan and do. Our next regular meeting will be held Thursday, January 11, 2024 at 3 p.m. in the Resource Room. Committee members: Chris Ardingo, Brian Tomac, John Pangburn, Tom Clark, Cheryl Haggard and Ron Weihl.

# WELCOME BACK HAPPY QUILTERS

The Highlands' quilting group will meet again on Thursday afternoons beginning January 11th at 1:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Anyone who is interested in coming to check out the group is welcome. For

winter renters we do have a few sewing machines available for quilting in the Clubhouse. We are continuing our service project from last year, quilts for kids going into foster care. If anyone has cotton quilting fabric looking for a new home, we will gladly take donations. Questions should be directed to Sheila Tomac at (920) 619-8074 or Lori Tendler at (605)323-8009

#### **CARDS SENT**

Bernie Lee - Sympathy. loss of his sister
Joan Clow - Thinking of You
Jan Pepperdine - Get Well
Barbara Scantlan - Get well
Kathy Ahlberg - Get Well
Barbara Scantlan - Thinking
of You
Barbara Scantlan - Sympathy
Loss of her sister
Bill Franklin - Thinking of You
John Sand - Sympathy loss of
his sister

### **CULINARY GUIDE**

The social committee is looking for volunteers to meet on January 25, 11:00 am at the clubhouse to put ideas together for a Highlands Cookbook. Thank you Cindy Bennett

#### HOLIDAY DONATIONS

The Gospel Rescue Mission appreciates the generous holiday donations from our community. Again, thanks to all of you gave.

#### MATEO?

Community members have found greeting cards that apparently were lost. The name on the envelope is Mateo, does anyone in the community know anyone by the name of Mateo that may have done work in the community? If so, please contact the office.

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

Thursday, Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> Asian Fusion 12985 N Oracle Rd., #125 Rancho Vistoso Shopping Center. It is under new management and has great food. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:15 am. Both men and women are welcome. Sign up in the clubhouse.

#### **KUDOS CORNER**

Kudos to Kent Hinds. The spa light has been replaced and is fixed and operational now. Thank you, Kent!

Kudos to Jerry Dennis for building a ramp for the office front door. Thank you, Jerry!

### HIGHLAND'S DERBY

It's a horse race complete with horses, jockeys, and a pot roast dinner. Six horses will be up for adoption at the Coffee Chat on January 13. We are looking for a person or group willing to "care" for them and get them ready to race. Owners will 'hire' a jockey to "ride" the horse. The jockey can also wear the horse's colors, if desired. Betting windows will be open before dinner the night of the race. All the ladies & men will be encouraged to decorate and wear hats in similar fashion to those seen at the Kentucky Derby. Tickets will go on sale in January.

# 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.

We are starting off 2024 with a clean slate. Your item will be listed for one month, and if you want it continued or changed you must email me before our end-of-month production.

# ITEM/SERVICE TO BE OFFERED, SOLD, TRADED OR GIVEN AWAY

Brief description (about 3 or 4 lines) of that item or service will go in the space below.

Your contact number (indicate phone or text) or email:

**Email** CROSEHIGHLANDS23@GMAIL. COM and *put Marketplace in subject line*.

BIG THANK YOU to all the people that helped this Christmas season, from the decorations, to coordinating the dinner and the donations and the Christmas Craft Sale. You all did a super job. The decorations inside and out of the Clubhouse were beautiful this year. A lot of work went into this - it was obvious. What a nice representation of our community.

#### PHOTOS IN OUR DIRECTORY:

If you want to participate you can email a photo to Connie (include your name and put "DIRECTORY PHOTO" in subject line) before the February '24 printing. Connie - **crosehighlands23@gmail. com**.

Don't have a digital photo? Connie can scan one. Don't know how to email it? Contact me.

Also - Connie and Sara will take photos after the next board meeting, Wed. Jan. 17th.

# 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.

A REMINDER: When using the hot tub, please cover it when done. We're trying everything to lower the gas bills and with our cold nights, we need to keep it covered to maintain some of that heat. Thank you.

**BATHROOM REMODEL UPDATE:** The board unanimously approved hiring *The Workman Company* to remodel the men's restroom, which includes making it handicapped accessible.

TREE PROJECT UPDATE: The Tree account is established and we have 4 donations to date, totally about \$1200. I planted 3 trees, and plan on a spring planting of large shade trees when the nursery has the new stock. Fan Tex, a native Ash tree has been decided. Those who have indicated a desire to contribute, now is the time. The money will be needed to purchase and plant larger trees. Contact Connie for further details.

The Board wishes one and all a very Happy New Year.

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(English, Spanish, German, Hawaiian, Swedish/Norwegian, Greek and Finnish)

# January 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

**Fri.- Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>**Annual Open Board Meeting
1:00 pm

1:00 pm
Sun.- Feb 4<sup>th</sup>
Celebration of Life 2 pm
Sat.- Feb 10<sup>th</sup>
Coffee Chat/Village Medical
9 am

Mon.- Feb 12<sup>th</sup> Book Club

Tues.- Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>
Valentine's Potluck 5:00 pm
Wed. - Feb.14<sup>th</sup>

Men's Breakfast 8 am

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Social Meeting 9 am The Highlands Olympics 10 am

**Sat.- Feb.17**<sup>th</sup> Community Yard Sale

7 am

Thurs. – Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> International Lunch 11:15 am

Sat. - Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>

White Elephant Sale 8 am

**Thur. – Feb. 29**<sup>th</sup> Quilters Open House 1 pm

# PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

ANNUAL OPEN BOARD MEETING

Annual open Board Meeting Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1:00 pm VOTE in person Feb. 2nd from 8-10 in the resource room.

# COMMUNITY AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALES

The annual Community Yard Sale will be held Saturday February 17, 2024, from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you have items to sell, Please **PRINT** your name and address on the sign-up sheet located in the poker room in the Clubhouse. You can also note on that sheet with a "ves" in the last column that tells us you'll have a balloon attached to your mailbox for prospective buyers to see. This sale will also be listed on Craig's List but will not be in the newspaper or Explorer as this was cost prohibitive. The following Saturday, February 24th, the White Elephant Sale will be held at the Clubhouse from 8:00 a.m. until noon. This is your opportunity to donate any items that you have too many of or that you are no longer in need of (but NO clothes, bedding, hats or shoes). Please make sure any items that you're donating are Clean and SUITABLE for sale. Here are some examples: women's accessories such

as purses, belts & jewelry are very popular; tools of any kind; household items such as furniture, rugs, curtains, decorative pillows, dishes, small appliances, towels, plants, books, movies, craft supplies, etc. Drop off time at the Clubhouse for all items is Friday February 23rd between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. which allows our volunteers to get everything priced and the Clubhouse locked up by noon. If you need help with large items, call Steve Horst (309-781-5154) or Jamie Horst (309-230-0233) to schedule a time and identify what the item/items are that need to be picked up. If you want to volunteer or help at this wonderful event, please call one of your co-chairs (Steve & Jamie) and they'll be happy to add vour name to their list. PLEASE NOTE: The Clubhouse will be **CLOSED** to **all** residents who are not helping with the sale from 7:00 a.m. Friday until the sale (noon) and the

# ATTENTION HIGHLANDS' BAKERS

2:00 p.m.) end on Saturday.

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The bake sale is held annually in conjunction with the White

Elephant Sale. Gather your favorite recipes and start baking. Plan to drop off your treats at the Clubhouse on February 25th at 8:00 a.m. You can also call Cheryl Stafford at 586-876-4589 for pick up. IMPORTANT: Please be sure to mark items that are perishable. Also list ingredients on baked goods for those with allergies to nuts, wheat, etc. THANK YOU to all our gifted bakers who always do a wonderful job making this a tasty and enjoyable event!

### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

2/06 Rosie Bussman 2/11 Jack Nunez 2/15 Donna Smith 2/16 Meredith Hentschel 2/17 Chris Fargo 2/19 Cindy Bennett 2/20 Cheryl Sommer 2/21 Ron Baumbach 2/23 Joan Clow 2/23 Lynn Nix 2/27 Laura Nelson

### HIGHLANDS GOLF LEAGUE

2/29 Linc Keilman

The Highlands Golf League plays every Wednesday afternoon until the end of March.

ALL golfers are welcome to join this group, no matter ability. Balanced teams are put together weekly based on sign-ups, which helps meet new people. The format is a 4-person best shot. Please call Al Rausch 319-350-2117 or Terry Tendler 605-360-1761 with any questions.

### **FOOD TRUCK COMING**

Hello Highlands Community. The Social Committee is lining up to have a BBQ Food Truck here in March for the "Western Night" event. There will be more information in the March "Fling", but this would be your opportunity to check out the menu, and mark accordingly using Tally Mark, what you'd like to eat, in the poker room. This would give you an opportunity to try this food truck adventure and enjoy it at your home if you're not planning to purchase a \$5 ticket for the band that will be playing that night after our dinner. If you have any questions, please let me know. Thanks. Jamie Horst -SoComm Treasurer

### **ARTS & CRAFTS**

For February there will be two projects coming up. Monday Feb 12th we will be making a beaded Sun Catcher on a piece of Cholla wood taught by Jeanie Weihl. \$15 cost. Monday February 26th there will be a landscape Watercolor class taught by Patti Triplett \$5 cost. Limit 10 ppl.

Please sign up for these in the clubhouse on the clipboards.

#### **ANNUAL ART EXHIBIT**

The Annual Art Exhibit is not going to be held this year in the usual manner in March. If you have things you were hoping to display in the annual show, please let the art committee know and it can be arranged for your work to

be displayed in the clubhouse for a period of time.

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### FEB. BOOK CLUB

Not unexpectedly our genre for February is "ROMANCE." From "Pride and Prejudice" to "The Great Gatsby", "The Notebook" to "Romeo and Juliet", the options are astounding. And let us not overlook Danielle Steele, Robyn Carr, Emily Henry and other prolific contemporary writers. There are also subgenres including comedy/romance, romantic suspense and romantic memoirs. Find a book you enjoy and join us for discussion on Feb 12 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. No sign up needed.

BOOK CLUB meets on the 2nd Monday of the month. Upcoming themes: March 11 - An Irish author or Irish setting April 8 - Author James Patterson

## HIGHLANDS HAPPY QUILTERS OPEN HOUSE

Come to our Quilter's Open House on Thursday, February 29<sup>TH</sup> from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Highlands Clubhouse. Come see our artist appliqué projects done by our local Quilters. We will show a demonstration on appliqué. We will have quilting items for sale to support our Mission Projects. Refreshments will be served. Looking forward to seeing you on February 29 th! Any questions, please call Sheila at 920-619-8074 or Lori at 605-323-8009. Use metal stamps to put designs on metal blanks. Hammers and other jewelry tools will be used. Supplies included. You will complete a pair of earrings or two pendants. Then the same class will be offered on Monday, January 29th at 1:00pm. Find the day you like and sign up on the clipboard in the Clubhouse. Class size will be limited to six in each class. The cost is \$10 for either class. Taught by Jeanie Weihl and looking ahead to February mark your calendars for Monday, February 12th we will be making a Beaded Sun Catcher on Cholla, \$15 cost.

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### HIGHLANDS ARTISAN AND CRAFT MARKET

On Saturday, March 9<sup>th</sup> we will be having our 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Artisan and Craft Market at the clubhouse. It will be from 9 am-2 pm.

This market is an opportunity to showcase all the wonderful talent we have in The Highlands Community. We will be advertising in flyers, social media sites and more. So, if you do, wood working, paining, sewing, knitting, crocheting, etc. we would LOVE to have you involved. Please sign up in the clubhouse. If you have questions, you can call Mary Rausch 319-350-5258, Cindy Bennett 810-599-8929, or Jeanie Weihl 231-981-2535.

# THE HIGHLANDS COOKBOOK

Please check out the clubhouse sign-up boards, for more information.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The next Men's Breakfast will be on February 14th, 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 February 12th so that we may give the restaurant an accurate headcount ... 23 men attended the January breakfast!! Looking forward to seeing you there on Valentine's Day!!

As a reminder, the restaurant doesn't open until 8AM ... Steve Horst

# UZBEKISTAN? WHERE IS THAT?

If you are at all curious about travel, our world. Sara Danville-Gelhaus will be giving a presentation on her October 2022 trip to Uzbekistan. She will be giving her presentation next Friday, Feb. 9th, 2024, at 10 am.

## H.O.R.A.C- NEWS HIGHLANDS 2024 OLYMPICS

Have you ever dreamed of competing in the Olympics? Well, here is your chance!! On Thur. Feb 15th at 10 am H.O.R.A.C is hosting the first Highlands Olympic games. The events are putt-putt golf, corn hole. Shuffleboard and washer toss. NO FEE'S, JUST FUN. There will be 8 teams, 4 per team. Sign-up sheets at the clubhouse. You can sign up individually or as a team. Teams will have 20-30 minutes per game. Estimated total time for the games 2-3 hours. Teams will choose their own names. The team with the highest score wins the event. Ties are settled by play off by using an abbreviated version of one game. There will be opening ceremonies, a parade of teams, lighting of the Olympic flame. Game schedule. closing ceremonies and awards. Snacks and water will be provided. Be part of the first Olympics!

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCH

Thursday, Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup>
Mojo Cuban Restaurant
1929 E Grant Rd
Meet at Clubhouse, we will
carpool. Sign up at the
clubhouse.



### National Honor Flight Network Mission

To celebrate
America's veterans
by inviting them to
share in a day of honor
at our nation's memorials.

#### **HIGHLANDS VETERANS:**

Do you know about the Honor Flight Southern Arizona? Free for veterans, it's a 2-day trip to Washington DC to view various war monuments and memorials – a way of thanking and honoring them. All trips are 100% funded with donations from private citizens, other organizations, and fund raisers.

Spouses and guardians can accompany the veteran, but assume the cost of the trip (around \$2200).

There are 2 trips a year and reservations are made well in advance. See the website (Honorflightsaz.org )for further information - also there is a flyer posted at the Clubhouse. For further local info, contact:
Ed Dunlap

(Cell): (520) 247-9700 edunlap@honorflightsaz.org Honor Flight Southern Arizona Since 2012, we have flown over 1100 Veterans spanning 33 flights

- 720 WWII 267 Korean War
- 165 Vietnam War All Veterans are flown at no cost to them.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Kaylynn Holloman –
Sympathy, loss of Mother
Sara Yoakum
Joann Lieder- Get Well
Terry Reagan- Get Well
Lisa Fisch- Sympathy, loss of
Father, Roger Farmer
Barbara Scantlan- Get Well



Photo by Community Member, Art Palm

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## **Drywall repairs:**

Install drywall. Tape, Texture and finish. 44 years experience.

Lenny Beyer 847-417-9684

#### For Rent:

10716 N Mont Blanc Avenue
We call it "Mesquite Manor"- 3 bedrooms,
2 bath unit. Rented on a short-term basis
if you need a place to rent for out-of-town
guests. Please call/text Mari Stein
847-682-1103

# For Sale: Schwinn recumbent exercise bike.

I paid \$450, will part for \$180. Text Rich Vertel at 847-431-0232.

## Want to make a little \$\$?

An Oro Valley Police Volunteer is interested in renting a carport with a height of 10ft.+. If interested, please contact Gayle Peacock at 952-221-8880.

#### PHOTOS IN OUR DIRECTORY:

Last chance if you want to put a photo in the 2024 directory (include your name and put "DIRECTORY PHOTO" in subject line of your email) before the February '24 printing. Connie - crosehighlands23@gmail.com.

Don't have a digital photo? Connie can scan one.

# 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.

### **ANNUAL MEETING FRIDAY FEB. 2 - 1 pm**

This meeting is where we announce the results of our elections. If you have not turned in your ballot at this point you have the chance to turn it in personally *or vote in person if you've misplaced the ballot*, at the RESOURCE ROOM that Friday morning - between 8-10am. Thanks to any who volunteered to fill out our board roster, saving us from hiring a management company.

Also - in addition to board members, this is the only time that any new changes or additions to the CC&Rs are voted on. There is one change coming up - in regards to the Rental Cap issue.

THIS MEETING WILL BE CONSIDERED THE FEBRUARY OPEN BOARD MEETING.

A REMINDER: When using the hot tub, please cover it when done. Elizabeth reported at the Board Meeting that we saw a big difference in the last month's gas bill. Thank you all. And we could still use volunteers for the covering of the swimming pool. Please see the sign-up sheet in the poker room.

#### FRUIT PICKING COMING THIS SPRING

If anyone wants the fruit picked from their trees I will organize this again with the Iskashitaa Refugee Network. Read about them on their website: www.iskashitaa.org. Look for sign ups in the poker room or contact me at: crosehighlands23@gmail.com

There will be a \$20 per yard donation.

# JANUARY RAINS BRING FEBRUARY WEEDS

We had blessed rains in January. Now we have blasted weeds. Please be aware and combat.

# February 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Groundhog Day	3
				Pickleball 9 am Riverfront Yoga 10 am Quilters 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Annual Board Meeting 1 pm Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm
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	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	Chair Yoga 11 am	Pickleball 9 am		Coffee Chat 9 am
Celebration of Life 2:00 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am		
	Arts & Crafts 1 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	Gourds 1 pm	Quilters 1 pm		Texas Hold'em 2 pm
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44	Ping Pong 6:30 pm	12-2 pm	44	Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Games 5 pm	47
11	12	13 Mardi Gras	14 Men's Breakfast 8 am		16	17
Superbowl Sunday	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	All Faiths 9:15 am	Social Meeting 9 am		Yard Sale 7 am
Bingo 2 pm	Book Club 10 am	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Chair Yoga 11 am	Highlands Olympics 10 am		
	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am		Texas Hold'em 2 pm
	Arts & Crafts 1 pm	Potluck 5 PM	Gourds 1 pm	Quilters 1 pm	Social Hour 4 pm	
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18	19 Presidents' Day	20	21	22	23	24
	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	Chair Yoga 11 am	Pickleball 9 am	Clubhouse closed for	White Elephant 8 am-12:00
Bingo 2 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	White Elephant set-up	
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#### **MARCH EVENTS**

Tues. - March 12th
Food Truck and Country Band
4:30 pm

Wed.- March 13th Men's Breakfast 8 am

Saturday- March 16th Pancake Breakfast 7:30 am

Wed.- March 20th Open Board Meeting 10 am

Tues.- March 26th Outdoor Concert

2 pm

Thurs.- March 28<sup>th</sup>
International Luncheon
11:15

Thurs.- March 28<sup>th</sup> Golf Banquet 4:30 pm

#### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A FUN LUNCH AND MEETING NEW PEOPLE. MEN AND WOMEN are welcome. Husband and wife or singles, come join us! March 28<sup>th</sup>, Thursday. Relaxed, family-friendly spot offering Native American fare such as red or green chile popovers. (FRY BREAD) Sign up in the clubhouse. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:15 and we will carpool to the restaurant. Hope to see you there! Suzan Wilkinson

# OPEN BOARD MEETING

The Open Board meeting will be held March 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Please submit agenda items by Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup>.

# BEAT ON THE STREET

From Neighborhood Watch: Dear neighbors, as you know, we are still striving to participate in the safety of our neighborhood, and part of that responsibility is conveying information to the rest of our community. Oro Valley Police have informed us that OV has had an increase in home invasions. some of them in broad daylight. Please don't leave car or home doors unlocked, even in the daytime, although the perpetrators seem to be targeting homes with absent residents (So don't make it obvious you're not here if you're seasonal). This is why if you see a solicitor or other strange person in the area, please call 911 immediately. The police are there to protect us and have

insisted over and over that they would rather have it be a false alarm than have you endanger yourself by trying to interact with strangers, or even leaving your home to try to take photos of strange vehicles. Recently a truck and motorcycle were parked across from the clubhouse, around midnight, with two persons fleeing on foot. At some point they returned and abandoned the stolen truck nearby, escaping on the motorcycle, fleeing from the police. The police are not yet sure what tie they might have to the Highlands, but the perpetrators, a man and woman were caught and are apparently from the Phoenix area. This summer we had lawn furniture and decor stolen over the summer, cacti stolen from our beautiful landscaping and now this. Police also informed us that a perpetrator was seen looking into windows at night again. They used drones and helicopters but were not able to find them. The police have done middle of the night 'wellness checks' in the past couple of weeks because of suspicious activity in the community. Many of you have reached out to say there

seem to be a lot more 'unknown' persons in the area. Please be aware of your surroundings at all times and call 911 at once if you feel there is something suspicious happening. There has been an increase in volunteer patrol persons seen in our community, and late-night police patrols have been scanning the neighborhood with spotlights recently. We are on a heightened alert to possible crime right now. That said, we could really use some help to increase the members patrolling our neighborhood. Even if you are an early morning walker or casual golf cart rider and are willing to notify the police and Neighborhood Watch of any suspicious persons or activity so we can keep on top of problems here at the Highlands, we could use your participation. Even once a week would lighten the load of others. OV Police have stepped up their patrols, and we would like to help be their eves and ears because we know better than anyone what is normal and suspicious in our community. If you would like to help out with our Neighborhood Watch, please call: Elizabeth Hinds or Terry Reagan. We will also put a signup sheet in the poker room.

#### **HIGHLANDS HIKERS!**

Save these dates for some springtime hikes! Fridays-March 1<sup>st</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>. See details and hike locations in the clubhouse in the sign-up area. Contact Cheryl Stafford with questions.

# CLUCK, CLUCK, CLUCK!!

Chicken and karaoke again. Join us Sunday, March 17th, at 5:00 pm for Chicken and Karaoke/Sing-Along. Join vour friends and neighbors for a nice chicken meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Only \$5.00 each will get you fried chicken, potato wedges, salad, and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up in the poker room so we know how much to buy. Don't forget to bring your own table service. Also, we'll give you 4 chances to win back your \$5.00 with a few trivia questions. See you there.

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

meets March 11 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. Come share a favorite book related to Ireland: history, travel, biography, an Irish setting or by an Irish author. This is Informal conversation. No signup needed.

### MEN'S BREAK FAST

The next men's breakfast will be on March 13th, 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 March 11th so that I may give the restaurant an accurate headcount ... 25 were present for the February breakfast.

The restaurant opens at 8AM. See you there!! Steve Horst

### ARTS AND CRAFTS SPRING FLOWER ARRAINGING

Spring Flower Arranging Did you ever buy flowers at the store, bring them home and plunk them in a vase only to think something is lacking in the arrangement? Come and join us on Monday, March 11 at 1:00 in the Resource Room to learn how to arrange them. Bring one or two bunches of mixed spring flowers, your own vase, and a sharp knife. I personally like to get my flowers from Trader Joe's. The class is free, but please sign up in the clubhouse. If you have any questions, call Patti Triplett at 520-887-4120.

# YOUR CHANE COULD CHANGE A LIFE

Tere'Nuñez is a volunteer at **NEW LIFE PREGNANCY** CENTER where free services are offered such as pregnancy testing, parenting classes, ultrasounds, peer counseling, material assistance. Each parent who attends a parenting class receives "BABY BUCKS" which they can use to purchase new and gently used items in their Baby Boutique. New Life is providing hope and care to those facing a pregnancy, planned or unplanned. through Christ centered ministries.

When you see the giant baby bottle Tere' is carrying around, please remember...YOUR CHANGE CAN CHANGE A LIFE. You can contact Tere'@520-647-1166 if you have any questions or donations.

### **MARCH BIRTHDAYS**

3/01 Colleen Nolan

3/02 Jan Gates

3/05 Joann Leider

3/09 Jeanie Weihl

3/10 Darlene Sand

3/11 Kay Delong

3/13 Barbara Moe

3/19 Dan Wojdyla

3/24 Lela Krohn

3/28 Tony Springer

#### **CARDS SENT**

Willis Jackson – Get Well Ken Swearingen- Get Well I want to thank the generosity and thoughtfulness of those who donated their cards to me. I do so appreciate your kindness. - Mariyln Staley

#### H.O.R.A.C NEWS

The 1<sup>st</sup> Highlands Olympics was enjoyed by all who participated. Consensus was "Let's do it again next year." Upcoming events include: March 1<sup>st</sup> Hikers meet at the clubhouse at 8:30 and then carpool. Check signup sheet in the clubhouse. The H.O.R.A.C. committee meeting will be held in the Resource room on Thursday, March 7<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm. Tan/Tunes at 2 on March 26<sup>th</sup>, "Cochise County All-Stars."

# HIGHLANDS ARTISAN AND CRAFT MARKET

Come see on Saturday,

March 9<sup>th</sup> the Craft Market. Adjusted time 9 am-1 pm. This market is an opportunity to showcase all the wonderful talent we have in The Highlands Community.

# FOOD TRUCK OPPORTUNITY

We're trying something new for the Highlands, so on March 12th we'll have 'Black Market BBQ' on site to serve up some delicious food. There is a sheet in the poker room that we're asking you to review and place a "tally mark" by what items you'd be interested in eating that night. And there are two ways to enjoy this meal: 1) you buy a \$5 ticket for the Clear Country Western **Band** that will be playing from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. and bring your food into the clubhouse to eat or 2) after you purchase your meal you can enjoy it at your home. The food truck will be on site and ready to serve dinners at 4:30 p.m. and leave the Highlands around 5:45 p.m.

Tickets will be on sale at every event we have and always at the social hour on Friday nights. Jamie will be selling them by the north patio door, so you don't have to stay. He'll also be selling them at Tuesday coffee, Saturday Coffee Chat, Sunday bingo or you can stop by 202 Appalachian St. and pickup a ticket or two!

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The pancake breakfast will be held on March 16<sup>th</sup> from 7 am

to 9:30 am. 2 pancakes, 2 sausage patties, scrambled eggs, potatoes, orange juice and coffee. \$7.00 per person. For tickets, call Bernie Lee 520-409-8709

### **PIZZA PAN HANGER**

March 25th, pizza pan hanger! join us for a new craft, we will have supplies to decorate your painted pizza pan hanger, spring/summer, patriotic, or watermelon!
The cost will be \$7.00, includes pan, plus different embellishments. Sharon Dennis, teacher, limit 10, sign up early, as supplies need to be purchased!

#### **KUDOS CORNER**

HORAC put on a very "Professional Olympics", the verv FIRST! Everyone on the team needs a big THANK YOU. There was the Olympics Torch, Our American Flag and all the participating teams in sections as they marched into the arena, the first 4 person team competition at the Miniature Golf, then besides them was the shuffle board, 4 person team, then there was the Corn Hole, scores tallied and the grand finale at the Bocce Ball Court to determine the Grand first place Prize, with awards handed out to second place. and WE ARE THE CHAMPIONS song playing, refreshments and snacks to all competing. A very well organized first Highlands Outdoor Recreation Activity.

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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 – \$130. Text Rich Vertel at 847-431-0232.

### **VOLUNTEERS** make our world go round!

We've had various examples of our volunteers at work. And thanks to them we have fun activities and experiences in our neighborhood. It took an army of volunteers to organize and display the White Elephant Sale. Special KUDOS to Jamie and Steve Horst - I saw them working for days ahead of time in the Clubhouse.

Thanks to the pool coverer/uncoverers too - At this time of year. It is very important to get that pool covered in the evening - as the temperatures drop down into the 40s at night here still. So please follow through.

**And - the Highlands Olympics -** what a fun, mammoth undertaking that was. That was a ton of fun put on by the HORAC committee volunteers.

**And The Winner Is...**well everyone won that day. But there were medals handed out to:

FIRST PLACE: *the dark horse dingos* team – with Chuck Ardingo, Nancy Clark and Rick and Shari Sanders.

SECOND PLACE: *the no names* team – Al and Mary Rausch and Danny and Joyce Emory

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THIRD PLACE: The team – 'the real winners' – Reed Snell, Don Hall, Alicia Gatti and Teri Sebastian.

FREE CONCERT by RUKUS, a group of neighbors comprised of Dennis Thate and Brian Tomac and company, was fun and well attended. A beautiful day at the pool! THANK YOU!

We applaud everyone for creating the fun.

**REMEMBER - any of these committees always could use volunteers**. The Neighborhood Watch group could use mo

Neighborhood Watch group could use more volunteers right now, calling night owls, and day-time folks as well. As the summer approaches, people in this group have helped during day times, like helping someone who had fallen in their yards, seen water leaks or checked on general welfare – as well as monitor scoundrels and interface with Oro Valley police, as Elizabeth wrote in her column. Please contact Elizabeth Hinds or Terry Reagan or sign up on the sheet in poker room.

**TREE DONATIONS.** And a big thank you to the following people who donated to our Memorial Tree Project.

The Scantlans led off the rally right away with a generous donation. They were followed by the Keilmans, Charlotte Marshall, Ken Kemerling, Dee Farris-Morelli, Jan and Curt Hagen, the Pickars, the Dennis', the Tomacs, Kathy Kouzmanoff and Bob Wallace.

#### RAINS BRING WEEDS, WEEDS WEEDS

We had about 2-1/2" of rain in Feb. It's been a very rainy winter! Please be aware and stay on top of the weeds on your property. If you need help with referrals, please contact someone on the board. Thanks.

# March 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
					1 Hiking 8:30 am	2	
					Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm Clubhouse Rented 6 pm	
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	Chair Yoga 11 am	Pickleball 9 am		Coffee Chat & Craft Fair 9 a	
Bingo 2 pm	Clubhouse Rented 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am			
	Arts & Crafts 1 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	Gourds 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	HORAC Meeting 1 pm Quilters 1 pm	Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	
	Ping Pong 6:30 pm			Poker & Games 5:30 pm			
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	Men's Breakfast 8 am	Pickleball 9 am	Hiking 8:30 am	Pancake Breakfast 7:30 am	
Bingo 2 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	All Faiths 9:15 am	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Social Meeting 9 am		
	Arts & Crafts 1 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	Chair Yoga 11 am	Quilters 1 pm	Social Hour 4 pm	Clubhouse Rented 3 pm	
		FOOD TRUCK & Country B		Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Games 5 pm		
	Ping Pong 6:30 pm	4:30 pm	Poker & Games 5:30 pm				
17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20	21	22	23	
	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	Board Meeting 10 am	Pickleball 9 am		Coffee Chat 9 am	
Bingo 2 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am		Riverfront Yoga 10 am			
Karaoke 5 pm	Arts & Crafts 1 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm Clubhouse Rented 5 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Quilters 1 pm Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	
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	Pickleball 9 am	Coffee 8 am	All Faiths 9:15 am	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Hiking 8:30 am		
	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am	Chair Yoga 11 am	International Lunch 11:15		Texas Hold'em 2 pm	
Bingo 2 pm	Arts & Crafts 1 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm	Quilters 1 pm	Social Hour 4 pm		
		Outdoor Concert 2 pm	Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Golf Banquet 4:30 pm	Games 5 pm		
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### **APRIL EVENTS**

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

Mon.- April 8<sup>th</sup> Book Club 10 a.m.

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

Tues.- April 16<sup>th</sup> Poolside Concert 2 pm

Wednesday April 17<sup>th</sup> Open Board Meeting 10 a.m.

Thurs. April 25<sup>th</sup>
International Luncheon
11:15 a.m.

### **OPEN BOARD MEETING**

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

### **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 8<sup>th</sup> 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 16<sup>th</sup> 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 4<sup>th</sup> 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.

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#### **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.

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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

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Bingo 2 pm	Hand & Foot 1 pm Arts & Crafts 1 pm  Ping Pong 6:30 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am Texas Hold'em 2 pm	Chair Yoga 11 am Hand & Foot 1 pm  Poker & Games 5:30 pm	Riverfront Yoga 10 am International Lunch 11:15 Quilters 1 pm Pokers & Games 5:30 pm	Social Hour 4 pm Games 5 pm	Texas Hold'em 2 pm
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#### **MAY EVENTS**

Fri.- May 3<sup>rd</sup> Social Hour 4 pm

Wed.-May 8<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast 8 am

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#### **MAY BIRTHDAYS**

5/3 Ed Triplett
5/5 Donna Fritz
5/5 Jean Jackson
5/6 Carol Nadeau
5/11 Tyann Wallace
5/14 Rick Anderson
5/15 Connie Rose
5/15 Bob Wallace
5/16 Jerry Dennis
5/16 Reed Snell
5/16 Shirley Tomac
5/22 Larry Clow
5/22 Tim Forrest
5/22 Lee Olsen
5/23 Alicia Gatti

5/23 Susan Weber 5/24 Bernie Lee 5/26 Helen Keilman 5/29 Jean Sellers 5/30 Bill Kuhlman

### **CARDS SENT**

Judy Douglas - Sympathy, loss of her Mother, Leona Lewis Jerry Dennis - Get well Jan Pepperdine - Get well Joann Lieder - Get well

# NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR DOCTOR REFERRALS

By Mike Cook Recently I have conducted a door to door canvasing of the Highlands neighborhood looking for doctors we would recommend to our closest friends or family members. The effort was met with tremendous enthusiasm and cooperation. 35 neighbors completed referral forms; which provided 50 doctors. Your neighbors believe these doctors provide superior medical care. We now have a community list of "Neighbor to Neighbor Doctor referrals"\*. The list is alphabetical organized by medical field ie Cardiologist.... Urologist, etc.

Doctors name and phone number; and most importantly, a short statement of why they think the Doctor meets this high standard of care. This list is currently posted in the clubhouse on the bulletin board. I hope it will be helpful to the community. \*Please do your own research. This list is the honest opinion of the persons surveyed and neither the Highlands or the board members endorse or recommend any particular practitioners.

### **HIGHLAND'S QUILTERS**

The guilters will meet in the Club House on the 2nd and 4th Thursday during the summer months. Kathy Garver will be the contact person and can be reached by phone at 520-345-2188. Quilting will start at 9:30 a.m. and go on until 11:30 a.m. Kathy has some fun sewing projects to sew. We also have sewing kits to make children's quilts and backpacks. The quilting days for May are on May 9th and May 23rd. All are welcome to come!

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

ORDINARY GRACE
Highlands Book Club is
reading this stand-alone from
mystery writer William Kent
Krueger. The narrator looks
back forty years to the
summer of 1961 in a small
town in Minnesota, when
tragedy changed a

community. The discussion will be on Monday, May 13 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. Contact Valerie Day to sign out a copy of the book.

### **SOCIAL COMMITTEE**

The committee would like to thank everyone who helped out at an event and also to the community for supporting us. This was truly a GREAT season.

### **POTLUCK**

Our May potluck is Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm. Please sign up in the poker room to bring a dish and your table service.

# FEEDING WILD ANIMALS

It is not legal to feed our wild animals, especially Javalina's, that can be very dangerous if approached. They are known to attack dogs and people.

# WELCOME NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Dennis Torregrossa 10728 N Highlands Dr Dale & Valerie Stewart 111 W Vesuvius Edward Nigl 127 Appalachian St.

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

Cheddars Scratch Kitchen
American Food 3455 E
Broadway, Tucson, AZ
Thursday, May 23rd
We will be trying American
Fare
on this trip. Great menu and
great food.
Meet at clubhouse at 11:15am
and we will carpool to the
restaurant.

#### **KUDOS CORNER**

# HIGHLANDS QUILTING GROUP

The Social Committee and those that host events at the clubhouse cannot thank your group for making us new aprons! We're pretty sure the blue ones have been around for some time and needed to be 'retired'. We know the Highlands Community will also enjoy seeing the new reversible aprons at future events. Thanks once again for donating your time and resources in making these lovely aprons. With our thanks, the Highlands Social Committee.

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#### RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS:

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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 any 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.

#### SPEAKING OF CONTACTING BOARD

MEMBERS: If there are comments/complaints/ issues by a resident, against this board and their decisions, you can contact the board *liaison for gripes*, Rich Vertel. His number is in the directory. Any vitriol to our front office angel, Lynne, will no longer be tolerated. It is not her job to make and enforce rules. Any one of us Board Members will be happy to discuss the issues with you, saving Lynne the unnecessary stress. Our phone numbers/emails are in the directory. So please don't shoot the messenger.

**SECURITY ISSUES:** We have ongoing discussion and suggestions around security for the Highlands. The Oro Valley police were at one of our coffee hours recently and there are Neighborhood Watch stickers in the office if you want one for your window. But it's stressed over and over – if you see something out of place or

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nefarious, do NOT go outside shaking your fist, but use your judgment. Check with neighbors about visiting friends, and ascertain from a distance any disturbance before calling 911. The police welcome the call, any time of day or night, and are most responsive to us and our residents. They once responded in the middle of the night to strange footsteps heard on my mom's front porch. They came promptly – and caught the javelinas in the act!

Various possibilities were discussed at the Open Board Meeting, from cameras to gates, to motion sensors... One thing to do, especially if you are a snow bird (or heat wimp as Cindy Bennett calls you) is to install a personal security system. Those like the RING system have cameras at your house around your front door. Some (or most) of these systems can be monitored with an app on your phone. Motion sensor lights are another deterrent. And remember, even when observing something from out of town you can still phone the Oro Valley Police. Their number is: (520)229-4900. Use 911 if you are local.

**KUDOS** to **Kent Hinds** for getting the heater replaced in the hot tub. He has saved us lots of money and aggravation. And to **Dave Armstrong** and the maintenance department and **Chuck Ardingo** and crew for following the solar project in it's installation and use. Also **Brian Tomac** and **Ron Weihl** who engineered the solar project, among other things.

MORE KUDOS: to Cindy Bennett, Social Committee Chair, Ron Wiehl, HORAC Chair and their committees for another fun and activity filled winter season! And a special thanks to Jamie and Steve Horst for the huge amount of work organizing another successful White Elephant Sale, plus the annual bus trip that we all look forward to! THANKS ONE AND ALL!

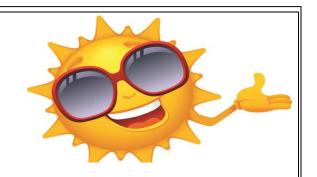
# May 2024

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5 Cinco de Mayo	6 Pickleball 8 am	<b>7</b> Coffee 8 am	8 Men's Breakfast 8 am	9 Pickleball 8 am	10	11 Coffee Chat 9 am
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Tues. – June 11<sup>th</sup>
Potluck

Wed.- June 12<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast 8 am

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### JUNE

6/1 Larry Day
6/4 Jo Galli
6/5 Terri Sebastian
6/9 Jane Force
6/9 Judi Olson
6/11 Andy Gerrie
6/11 Salvador Gutierrez
6/12 Valerie Day
6/19 Laurie Hartman
6/20 Jim Tomac
6/21 Ginnie Brooks
6/21 Paul DeLong
6/22 Judy Pope

### JUNE POTLUCK

6/24 Lloya Osier 6/26 Mike Cook

6/26 Bob Nolan

Our June potluck will be the second Tuesday, June 11 @ 5:00 pm. Please sign up at the clubhouse poker room. Bring a dish to share

and your own place setting. Hoping to see you then!

# THE HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

The Highlands Book Club is taking to the road. While our neighborhood census dips for the summer, some of us will do our traveling through the pages of a book. This month readers will choose a book about a destination or a journey. Whether your dream trip is to Nantucket beach or visiting Mars, you are invited to travel widely this month. Any genre is acceptable: Rick Steves' Travel Guide or the Odyssey by Homer, Travels with my Aunt, or Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy. Come and share your journey in our discussion group Monday, June 10 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse.

# NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Mary Hauge, 317 W Weisshorn Suzan Kane, 110 W Olympus

# BURGERS OR BRATS.?

# You choose!

Join our Independence Day Celebration Thursday, July 4, 2024 @ 12 noon in our Clubhouse.

Bernie Lee, 520.409.8709, is selling tickets. Cost is \$10 each.

Besides the meat, buns, & condiments the meal includes baked beans, slaw, brownies & ice cream. BYOB Your table setting is included.

Chuck Moses will provide music after lunch.

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DOES ANYONE DO UPHOLSTERY? Know an upholsterer? I have an upholstery project I want to have done. Connie - 520-343-5965

2014 CHRYSLER Town and Country Minivan in very good condition. New brakes and oil change. Needs new tires. Has 119k miles and a Smooth ride. Contact Dorie at 808.987.1402 by June 7.

WANTED: LIGHTWEIGHT STEP STOOL. Does anyone have a small lightweight step stool they are not using? I'd really appreciate it. Those in the stores are too big or heavy for me. Dorie 808.987.1402

# RENTAL PROPERTY OWNERS:

Since February we have been reminding Property Owners to make sure that you register your rental property and have your renters register at the office. Our reminders indicated that effective April 15th we would more closely monitor rental properties. We also indicated that The Highlands collects a \$25 Administrative fee for each new tenant.

Additionally, we indicated that we would provide the option to have rental fees included in your quarterly HOA statement by contacting our office.

Please review the State code listed below and should you have any questions feel free to contact Chuck Ardingo or Matt Roth.

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The Arizona State code 33.1806.01 provides guideline on fees we can collect and explains what the property owner and The Highlands need to do with regards to rental properties. Non-compliance fees may also be applied.

Here is a QR CODE to our renter registration form on our website.

Speaking on the issue of renting your property - there are also requirements by the City of Oro Valley with permit applications and fees. Here is a QR code to the exact page on their website explaining these "Short Term Rental" and "Vacation Rental" regulations.

Owners who rent in the Highlands for vacation or short-term rentals are expected to follow the city's requirements.

#### **HUGHES SANITATION FEES**

It was time to renegotiate our contract with Hughes Sanitation. There are many reasons we chose them and stay with them. There is a rate change starting in their next billing. The fee will go up \$3 - from \$43.50 to \$46.50. If gas goes above \$4 a gallon, a surcharge of \$1 a month will be tacked on.

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16 Father's Day	17 Aquafit 9:00 am	<b>18</b> Coffee 8:00 am	19 Juneteenth Aquafit 9:00 am	20 June Solstice (GMT) Aquafit 9:00 am	21 Aquafit 9:00 am	<b>22</b> Coffee Chat 9:00 am
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Noon
Sold out

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NO SOCIAL HOUR IN JULY
NO POTLUCK IN JULY

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7/2 Bob Beck
7/2 Louise Freker
7/6 Randy Shouse
7/13 Ken Reinking
7/17 Kelly Gelhaus
7/18 Lori Tendler
7/20 Kathy Ahlberg
7/20 Kathy Reagan
7/21 Sharon Dennis
7/21 Deanna Lederer
7/27 Dan Wallace
7/28 Linda Wilcoxson

# THANK YOU, COMMUNITY

Larry Clow passed away peacefully in his home early on Memorial Day, May 27<sup>th</sup>. Most people knew Larry as riding around on his scooter with his small dog, Buffy.

The memorial service for Larry is set for Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 pm. We welcome all in this community. This gives his grandchildren their chance to come, also one grandson will be back from his Air Force Tour of Duty in England. We thank the community for your overwhelming support of love with your visits, cards, phone calls and food. We are blessed. - Joan Clow and Family.

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

The Highlands Book Club is "chilling out" this month a light-hearted book of humor. Choose a funny book and come share it with your friends on Monday July 8, 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. From "The Essential Calvin and Hobbes" to a Janet Evanovich novel, there's plenty to laugh about.

The August book club selection is "The Lilac Girls" by Martha Hall Kelly. If you need a copy of the book, contact Val through the office.

### **GASLIGHT THEATRE**

The Highlands Social Committee has scheduled a night at The Gaslight Theatre to see "SHRIEK" (A Parody of True Love & Ogre-Acting) on October 24th. There will **NOT** be a sign-up sheet in the poker room, so if you're interested in going please email me (jah1705@gmail.com) or call me (309-230-0233) if you want to purchase a ticket. I only have (52) tickets, so I know they'll go fast as we haven't been there in a number of years. The cost is \$22/person and if you're interested in doing dinner at Grandma Tony's (located next door to the theatre) you can let me know that as well. This restaurant has a full menu and is an excellent way to get a 'good' parking place prior to the crowd coming in and for a quick exit after the show. I'll be back in the Highlands in September to collect your money, so no need to send a check to me or take one to Lynne. If you have any questions or concerns please let me know. Jamie

# NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS

John and Elena Forester 109 W Matterhorn

#### **POTLUCK**

There will be NO potluck in July.

#### **SOCIAL HOUR**

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#### **CARDS SENT**

Bernie Lee - sympathy - Loss of his brother Ed Craig Bennett - Thinking of You Elizabeth Hinds - Thinking of You Barbara Scantlan - Get Well Bob Nolan - Get Well

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#### **FACEBOOK:**

Did you know? The Highlands has an active Facebook page (The Highlands of Oro Valley). In order to sign up for Facebook – if you are not a member – go to www.facebook.com. Take your time and learn about the settings and privacy to feel safe using Facebook. Once joined, search for *The Highlands of Oro Valley* and join that group (that's us!) There are interesting comments, photos, reviews of events attended, hints about the desert wildlife and fauna...There are 153 members signed up at this point.

Once you have joined you can contribute your own sage comments and photos.

Oh - and remember your password! And what email address you registered under.

## News from our Facebook group:

There's a very interesting segment one of our neighbors posted on research done with rattlesnakes and rattlesnake bites. Posted on May 21, 2024, it starts out:

In a study, scientists used a fake leg to simulate a person stepping on a rattlesnake. Out of 175 snakes that were physically "stepped on" by

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the booted foot, only six bit the leg. The rest tried to get away, froze in place, or wriggled in surprise but didn't react aggressively. It's actually really hard to get bitten by a rattlesnake. They just want to be left alone.

#### Then continues:

Rattlesnakes also don't rattle before striking. A rattle doesn't mean aggression, it's an "excuse me, I'm down here." They rattle to tell you, or other large animals, that you are about to step on them, since they blend in very well with their surroundings and they'd rather you didn't smush them accidentally. Strikes are generally noise-free acts of last ditch desperation.

Only about 1% of rattlesnake bites are deadly, and those that are generally happen in situations where medical care was delayed. A quarter of rattlesnake bites don't actually involve any venom at all, they are "dry bites" intended as a warning only. As long as you get to a hospital in a reasonable amount of time, you will probably be fine. This is not a situation where minutes count, just move promptly towards medical care. The deadly bites generally happen in very remote areas, when people are hiking alone, or when drugs and alcohol are involved, since all of these can increase the amount of time it takes someone to get to help or result in poor decision-making.

First aid for a bite? Just get the person to a hospital, promptly, but safely. There is nothing else you need to do, and anything you might think about doing is just wasting time getting the person to a hospital and potentially complicating things by rubbing germs into the wound or further stressing the currently stressed tissue in the area. Don't ice it, tourniquet it, or suck on it, just call 911 or start hiking back to the trailhead.

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Potluck
5 pm

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### **AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

8/04 Jerry Ferrill
8/10 Marilyn Staley
8/11 Terry Reagan
8/14 Ginny Tanner
8/19 Addie Everett
8/26 Shelly Armstrong
8/26 Kathy Wallace
8/29 Dave Freker

# 4<sup>th</sup> of JULY CELEBRATION

Our 2024 Independence Day celebration was a great success thanks to almost 30 helpers who planned the event, sold tickets, bought groceries, set-up, baked brownies, grilled the meats, cooked the sides, served as emcee, entertained, served our food, and cleaned up. Hoping to see you all next year!

# PURPLE HEART DAY-August 7<sup>th</sup>

The purple Heart decoration created by General George Washington in 1782 is one of the most recognized and respected medals awarded to members of the U.S armed forces.

Purple Heart Day is a day for America to remember and honor the men and women who bravely represented this country and were wounded while serving. The Highlands has 3 residents who have received the Purple Heart decoration:

Richard Alberda Andy Gerrie Steve Horst Thank you for your sacrifice.

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Several of our community members recommended the August book club selection, "Lilac Girls," by Martha Hall Kelly. It is historical fiction, telling the story of three women whose lives intersect in Europe in WW2. Our discussion will be Monday the 12th at 10a in the clubhouse. All are welcome. A copy is available in the Highlands library, and there are multiple formats at the public library. Our discussion topic for September will be POETRY.

# NEIGHBOORHOOD WATCH UPDATE

Neighborhood Watch Update Officer Steve has notified us that they have stepped up patrols and the house breakins have decreased substantially. A problem they are currently having reported is a rash of mailbox break-ins. So please stay aware and if you are expecting any checks or banking information, try to get your mail as soon as possible. Going paperless when possible is a good idea. Keep up the good work of staving vigilant and notifying the police if you see any unusual or suspicious persons in the vicinity. This happened twice in the past month. Neighbors watching out for neighbors works! Elizabeth Hinds 520-440-7056

# NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Paul Danville 10668 N Kittatinny Ave

#### AUGUST POTLUCK

Our August potluck will be the second Tuesday, August 13th @ 5:00 pm. Please sign up at the clubhouse poker room. Bring a dish to share

#### **KUDOS**

Kudos to Mickey Sloan for checking on us during that bad storm on Sunday evening, July 14th and to Louise Adams and Jerry Ferrill for letting us use their electricity while our power was off. You are great neighbors. God Bless you.

 Naomi Osgood & Virginia Brooks

#### **LETTERS SENT**

Laura Nix - Sympathy loss of her Mother, Lynn Sandy Fiordalis - Get well Donell Forrest - Get well Bernie Lee- Get well Anita Lee - Get well

# THE HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY

My husband Tim and I wanted to share that we have learned the hard way that we picked the best community to belong to. Many of you know that I was critically injured during one of the recent monsoons that included 80 mph rotating

winds, rain, and hail. I had to return to lowa in order to get surgical treatment. So many kind wishes, offers of support, and friendship came our way. The Highlands truly is a community and one we look forward to spending time at -Just not during monsoon season! (I guess we're safer with lowa's tornadoes!) Special thanks to Jane Force for loaning me some medical equipment! It was a life saver! Again, thank you all for the kind words, support and prayers. Hopefully I'll be able to return this fall. Donell Forrest

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DOES ANYONE DO UPHOLSTERY? Know an upholsterer? I have an upholstery project I want to hire out. Connie - 520-343-5965

#### STORMY WEATHER

What didn't blow down last August in our storm was taken care of this July. On Sunday - the 14th - we had a huge monsoon storm roar through the highlands. This taught us a couple of things.

## #1 – Secure any lawn furniture or objects.

The hazard in these strong events is flying objects. So - you've heard this before but it needs repeating. In a bad storm event, unplug your electronic devices and go to the center of your house away from windows. Do not go outside to watch the storm pass and the lightening display.

#### #2 - DO NOT GO INTO THE POOL OR HOT

**TUB.** Even if you don't see lightening, if you hear thunder it is close enough to strike. "Why not", you say? I saw a video of a lightening strike hit a small stream. The water BOILED immediately. Water attracts lightening (as does metal - so don't go out playing golf either). And if you don't think lightening strikes around here, my lightening app showed a ground strike that Sunday near Olympus and Rainier Streets.

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Thank you to all who helped in the clean up of the mess. Two people I know of: Bill Lynde, and Donato – and no doubt others.

#### **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 any 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.

And as a reminder, renters must be 55 years old or older.

#### **FALL VACCINATIONS:**

Again this year, Karen Molique has started the ball rolling for our free vaccine clinic. We had one last year, you may recall. They were conducted by Safeway. The director of this community outreach said that earlier this year would be advisable - and suggested late September. He also added that they could do it on a Tuesday morning, dovetailing with the coffee hour. That way walk-ups could be accommodated too. There will be a sign up sheet - and time slots to sign up, plus the vaccine(s) you want. The vaccines offered are: flu, covid, pneumonia, tetanus, whooping cough, shingles and RSV.

Look for the sign-up sheet and date coming soon. This is a free clinic offered to the residents as a convenience and not meant to aggravate the anti-vaxers.

#### WE'RE SAVING MONEY!!!!!!

Our gas bill has been cut in half at the Clubhouse since we put in the solar tubes!!!

# August 2024

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#### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH

https://www.jundynasty.com/me nu-1#menu

We will be going to Jun Dynasty Chinese restaurant.

2933 E Grant Rd Thursday, September 26th.

Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:15 and we will carpool. Questions: call Suzan Wilkinson at 575-937-3737.

Please leave a message and I will return your call.

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#### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

9/6 Larry Wilcoxson
9/8 Suzan Wilkinson
9/9 Lynn Fuller
9/9 Elizabeth Hinds
9/10 Charlotte Marshall
9/13 Craig Bennett
9/13 David Cruz
9/14 Rich Alberda
9/18 Chris Horst
9/18 John Sands
9/20 Gail Horst
9/21 Madeline Hurley
9/23 Mary Rausch
9/23 Alan Ahlberg
9/29 Bill Krohn

#### **POTLUCK**

The Sept. potluck will be Tuesday, Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 pm. Please bring a dish to pass and your table setting.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Sandy Fiordalis- Get Well

David Knudson- Get Well David Santa Maria- Get Well

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Whether you are a reader or a writer of poetry, or you are just curious, please join the book club for an informal conversation about POETRY on Monday Sept 9 at 10 a.m. in the Resources Room. (Note change of location).

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John & Elena Forster 109 Matterhorn St. Harry & Nancy Kendall 10676 N Kilimanjaro Ave Sam & Mary Lorona 10700 Rainier Ave

#### **VACCINATION CLINIC**

Tuesday, October 8, in the Clubhouse. There are 3 main vaccines offered - from the recent COVID - Flu - RSV plus others. (indicate on consent form). Sign up in the poker). They are mostly free to Medicare people and those with supplemental insurance plans. Bring your cards.

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#### SEPTEMBER IS HERE!!!

What a wonderful time - heralding the end of summer and it's punishing heat. We're looking forward to the fall - and the return of our neighbors! They seem to bring in the welcome cool. There are some noticeable changes in the clubhouse. Come check them out - like the modernization of the men's bathroom, which will show the updates and workmanship in store for the women. And we have new flooring in the poker room and the walkway through the library.

So thanks to the bathroom committee, especially Jane Force and Reed Snell and Gary Wilkinson for their past leadership on this project and José Vega and his crew for doing the work in record time within budget.

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There is a December 1st deadline for applications. The ballots and biographies have to go out December 13 for the voting which takes place on Friday, February 7, 2025.

One of the most valuable things about living here is, we are governed by fellow residents who value your opinion, not by some nameless, faceless corporation. The Board would also love to hear any positive feedback about HOA management, rather than the negative stories we repeatedly hear.

#### **MORE VACCINE INFO:**

Look for the sign-up sheet and Informed Consent Form in the poker sign-up room. On this Consent form you can designate other vaccines that you might want them to give you. Contact me with questions. Connie - email: crosehighlands23@gmail.com

#### BINGO!!

There was a big WINNER recently! Congratulations Joann! We know who you are and where you live!

Come join the BINGO fun on Sundays. It's a great way to meet your neighbors, make new friends and perhaps walk away with some cash!! (Yes, we play with cold, hard cash!)

#### **IN-PERSON BOARD MEETINGS:**

Our next one will be Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at 10AM.

# September 2024

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#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Tues. Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>
Vaccine Clinic
Appts. Start at 9:30 am

Wed.- Oct. 9th Men's Breakfast 8 am

Sat.- Oct. 12<sup>th</sup> Coffee Chat 9 am

Mon.- Oct. 14th Book Club 10 am

Wed.- Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> Board Meeting 10 am

Thurs.- Oct. 24th
International Luncheon 11:15

Thurs.- Oct. 24th Gaslight Theatre 4:30 pm

> Sat.- Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> Coffee Chat 8 am

Tues.- Oct. 29th Octoberfest 3:30 pm

# OCTOBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Monday, Oct. 7<sup>h</sup>. Board meeting Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am.

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#### OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

10/1 Terry Tendler

10/2 Jerry Lederer

10/7 Ken Giallombardo

10/8 Mae Giallombardo

10/8 Tere Nunez

10/9 Barbara Mort

10/9 Al Rausch

10/11 Steve Horst

10/16 Patti Triplett

10/22 Donato Valdivia

10/29 Javier Valdivia

#### FREE VACCINE CLINIC

Oct. 8 (Tuesday) starting after the coffee hour - in the Clubhouse. There is a sign-up sheet in the poker room with time slots to manage the flow. We sign up to 8 people per half hour starting at 10:00 am. Please take an Informed Consent Form also. On this Consent form you can designate other vaccines that you might want them to give you - from Shingles to pneumonia to whatever is listed. Please think about this and sign up - so we can give them an idea of the kind and quantity of vaccine needed. Let's try to fill up the slots from early to later. BUT WALK-INS ARE WELCOME. Contact me with questions. This is offered as a convenience to the neighborhood - nothing more. Connie - Email: crosehighlands23@gmail.com

# "SHRIEK" AT THE GASLIGHT THEATRE

If you're interested in attending this event on October 24th, please let Jamie know so he can get your name on the list. The cost is \$22/person and he'll collecting that money upon is return (September 26th) to the Highlands. The doors open at 6:00 p.m., but if you're planning to eat at 'Little Anthony's Diner' which is connected to the theatre, you'll need to arrive there between 4:30 and 5:00 p.m. Of course you can always eat someplace else or at your home prior to arriving for the show. We currently have (26) residents signed up, so if want to join us for this very entertaining show please give Jamie a call at 309-230-0233.

#### **POTLUCK ANYONE?**

Do you enjoy a potluck to get to know your neighbors? Great! We are in need of volunteers to host. It doesn't take much, maybe 2 or 3 people, most people attending will help out. A Potluck is scheduled for Oct 8, at 5:00 pm. but a HOST is needed. PLEASE HELP!

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

The book club will meet Monday, October 14 to discuss *Ladies of the Canyon*, by Leslley Poling-Kempes. "... the true story of a group of remarkable women whose lives were transformed by the people and landscape of the American Southwest in the first decades of the twentieth century"- (from the publisher) Multiple copies have been provided by the Pima County Public library and are available from Valerie Day.

### NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Brian & Linda Lawson 10650 N Everest Ave.

#### **WINE CORKS NEEDED**

Please save your wine corks for an up coming art project. You can put them in a bag under the sign-up sheets in the clubhouse.

#### **SOMETHING NEW**

Games will be under the signup shelves, Just like the library TAKE IT, ENJOY IT AND RETURN IT!

# ACTIVITIES IN THE HIGHLANDS

If you're interested in an activity that's happening In the clubhouse and would like to hear more about it, here is some contact information.

Bingo - Donna Fritz

Book Club - Valerie Day Hand & Foot – Rosie

Bussmann

520-400-1330

Texas Hold'em - Bob Beck

520-461-9540

Social Hour - Bernie Lee

520-409-8709

#### **OCTOBERFEST**

Bouncing Czechs will be performing here at The Highlands on October 29, 2024.

Tickets go on sale on the 1st of October. Music, dancing & dinner all for \$15. Dinner includes: brats, German potatoes, green beans, sauerkraut, dessert & coffee. Music starts at 4:00 pm & dinner at 5:00 pm.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

El Charro Restaurant 7725 N Oracle #101 Kohl's shopping center. Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup>. We will meet at the clubhouse at 11:15 and carpool to the restaurant. El Charro is a Mexican Food restaurant that has a

wonderful menu of delicious food to choose from.
This is open to men and women and couples. Please join us and get to know some of your neighbors.
If you are new in the Highlands, we would love to

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Wanted: recycled magazines with images of older women, landscapes, nature. I have an upcoming seminar at Ghostranch.org called Celebrate Women; Flourishing with Aging, October 13-18 in northern NM. Contact me, Susan, at: (505) 927-4216 to pick up magazines, or if you're interested in the seminar!

#### **OCTOBER:**

Your board has been busy this summer - some of it will be very visible - some of it not and some of it has supply chain holdups. We are finishing up the women's bathroom and you can see there's a temporary door installed at the men's room to make that unisex usable. We're trying hard to get this project done before the majority of our neighbors return. We hope you enjoy the upgrades.

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Having an involved Board made up of homeowners in a nice community is a real asset. So - whatever skill or interest you can bring to the table is very welcome.

#### **OTHER VOLUNTEER OPTIONS:**

If you don't want to get involved with the board, please consider these other options.

THANKS IN ADVANCE.

- POOL COVERING:
- · ENTRANCE SIGNAGE
- NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH
- · SOCIAL COMMITTEE
- · HORAC (Highlands Outdoor Recreation organizers)

#### **WATCH OUT FOR RATTLE SNAKES!**

STILL... I assumed they were still active, especially basking in the morning sun on any cement patio/step after a chilly night. Watch your step in the morning when you step out of your place. Then I was told that a neighbor recently killed 3 baby rattlesnakes in her yard! 3! Wow! You know that's bad, right? Bad for you. The bite of the baby rattler is extremely venomous and they don't know how to control it - so you get a full dose of venom.

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Fall Craft Fair 10 am

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Wed.- Nov. 13th Men's Breakfast 8 am

**Tue - Nov. 19th**Farewell to Lynne Jordan
1 pm

Wed.- Nov. 20th
Open Board Meeting
10 am

Sat.- Nov. 23rd Coffee Chat 9 am

Thurs.- Nov 28<sup>th</sup>
Thanksgiving Potluck
2:30

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#### **FALL CRAFT FAIR**

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, November 9, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. Please make time to stop by and support your neighbors.

#### NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

11/16 Barbara Scantlan 11/20 Kathy Garver

11/20 Kay Morgan 11/20 Dori Zelin

11/23 Diane Leigh

11/24 Yvonne Kuhlman

11/29 Donell Forest

11/29 Jan Hamilton

### MEMORIAL FOR LARRY CLOW

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## MEMORIAL FOR JAKE JACOBSON

Once a resident here with his wife Ann - and related to many of our current residents - Jake will be remembered for many kind things by many people.

A memorial service for Jake Jacobson will be Saturday, November 2 at 11:00 am at the Resurrection Lutheran Church in Oro Valley.

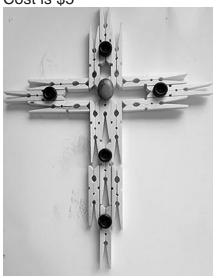
#### **CRAFT CLASS**

CRAFTS ON MONDAY in the resource room at 1:00 November 18.

Come join us for our first craft class of the season! We will be making decorative crosses out of clothespins. Everything will be supplied. Please sign up in the clubhouse. Questions can be directed to:

Patti Triplett 520-887-4120 or

Sharon Dennis 360-708-7247 Cost is \$5



# FAREWELL TO LYNNE JORDAN

If you haven't already heard, our office personnel Lynne is leaving us. If you would like to say goodbye and tell her how much she will be missed, stop in the resource room on November 19, from 1:00 - 3:00 pm.

#### HIGHLANDS BOOKCLUB

The Highlands Book Group meets the second Monday of the month at 10 a.m. in the Resource Room next to the office. We have a diverse group of readers, who appreciate some freedom in choosing books, so our selection rotation often includes a "reader's choice" discussion related to a general topic. For our November 11 conversation, participants will share a book related to ASIA. Possible examples include: fiction by an Asian author, a volume related to the war in Vietnam or Korea, history of the Silk Road, a cook-book of Thai food, or a selection of Japanese Fairy Tales. We will gather in the Resource Room on Monday. November 11 at 10a.m. All are welcome, no sign up needed.

## LIFESTYLE YOGA CLASSES

Lifestyle yoga classes
A gentle class for anyone
who prefers not to be down
on the floor. All yoga
postures will be done
seated or standing, using the
chair as a prop for support
and balance. The class will
be well-rounded with a
variety of stretches and
breathing techniques to help
you feel more flexible,
relaxed, stronger, and
energized! All are welcome,
guys included!

Can easily be adapted for home, office and travel! Led by Susan Weber, Highlands' resident. I have been a certified yoga instructor since 2001 in my own studio in Abiquiu NM, Ghost Ranch Retreat Center & aboard National Geographic ships. class is approximately 45 minutes, donations accepted. Call me at 505-927-4216 to register, questions, or just show up. Beginning Wednesday, November 6, 11 am. in the Clubhouse. Hope to see you!

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

As we approach the Thanksgiving and Christmas Seasons, this is your first reminder that it's time to start gathering and putting your "treasures" together for the Community Yard Sale and White Elephant Sale coming in February. You'll be seeing more information in December, January, and February, but you can start by marking your calendars for the Yard Sale on February 15th and the White Elephant Sale on February 22nd. Any questions please feel free to contact either of the co-chairs

... Steve or Jamie Horst.

#### THANK A VET

Check for a flag in front of homes on Veterans Day, November 11<sup>th</sup> and take the time to thank the resident for his/hers or their service.

#### **CRAFT SHOW**

"In house" Craft Show
Saturday November 9th
10:00 after morning Coffee
Chat. Please invite your
friends to come join in the
fun. There will be handmade
holiday decorations, gifts,
and cards to start your
holiday shopping. Crafters, if
you want to participate, you
must sign up for a table in the
clubhouse clipboards. Sale
will run from 10:00 to 1:00 in
the Clubhouse.

#### 13<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GOLF CART PARADE

Our 13th annual Golf Cart Christmas Parade is scheduled for December 15. All are welcome - just decorate your Golf Cart, your bicycle, yourself and ioin us. The parade will start at 4:15 pm, so meet at the clubhouse at 4:00 pm. After the parade we will meet at the clubhouse for a social event (approximately 5:15 pm). Please bring your own drinks and some snacks to share. There will also be a sing along led by Linc & Helen Keilman. Between 6:30 & 7:00 pm, those who have lights, and wish to, we will tour the parade route one more time. Any questions call Bill Behrendsen at (916) 798-7733.

### THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

When attending a Potluck at The Highlands, you should bring a dish to share. Something that will serve 8-10 people. Also, please bring your own place setting and **SIGN UP** at the clubhouse. There will be limited seating and turkey will be supplied by the Social Committee. Turkeys need to thaw out, so the cut-off date for sign up is NOVEMBER 23. It's Everyone's responsibility to clean up after themselves when using the Clubhouse. There is a broom and dustpan in the laundry room.

# MESSAGE FROM HUGHES SANTITATION

Hello everyone, Sam here with Hughes Sanitation With a lot of you coming back for the s THANK A VET Check for a flag in front of homes on Veterans Day, November 11th and take the time to thank the resident for his/hers or their service. eason (welcome back) and new residents. wanted to go over some guidelines for the trash and recycle pick up. Acceptable RECYCLE for curb side pickup is as follows:

\*Non-glossy paper

\*Cardboard broken down flat (does not need to be bagged, but it does help us if it is tied up) \*Aluminum cans (soda and soup cans)

\*Number 1 plastic (water, soda, milk bottles) - All recycling except cardboard needs to be in a bag. This allows us to reduce wear and tear on your roads by only having to go through once to pick up trash and recycle at the same time. By bagging it, it allows us to separate it without it blowing everywhere in your community.

#### TRASH PICKUP:

\*We have had some issues with people sharing service, this is NOT ACCEPTABLE. It is stealing and when we find the persons sharing, they will be cut off from our service. So please do not share service; we are a local company just trying to make a living.

\*The weekly amount of trash is 90 gallons worth. If you have more or bulky items that need to be picked up, please contact our office at 520-883-5868 or speak with your driver.

\*All branches need to be bundled with rope, wire or twine into manageable bundles that we can pick up

\*We cannot pick up wet paint, tires, batteries, especially lithium they cause fires or anything that contained freon.

\*Please have all trash to the curb by 6 a.m. Again, thank you for your continued support of a local business. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at 520-883-5868.

Sam Hughes

#### MARKETPLACE.....

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

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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.

Hand Painted Greeting Cards: If anyone is in need of my watercolor cards, you don't need to wait for a craft show to purchase them. Just call or text me: Patti Triplett at 520-887-4120.

I Have Been Making Aprons using mens dress shirts!! I have several to choose from, if you want a unique gift, or just want to treat yourself to a one-of-a-kind handmade apron! I also have decorated jeans jackets! Or if you have a jacket that you would like customized to your particular style, I can do that for you! Call or text Sharon Dennis @ 360-708-7247

#### **Drywall repairs:**

Install drywall. Tape, Texture and finish. 44 years experience. Lenny Beyer 847-417-9684

#### Miscellaneous furniture:

2 matching recliners. Excellent cond. \$40 each. Full-size oak desk. \$35. End table with glass insert. \$15. Call: 520-471-8555

#### **NOVEMBER:**

We're welcoming back more and more of our neighbors, and looking forward to fun things that our social committee and HORAC plan. The first 2 events of the season are actually sold out - so don't deliberate too long when you see something happening. These committees are always welcoming volunteers to help pull off these happenings.

#### **UPDATES:**

At the Board Meeting in October, we got a comprehensive review of all the improvements and repairs we have done and are doing. Thank you Dave for tracking that container ship that has the long-delayed back order of parts to assemble our solar water heating for the pool. We should

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see that work completing. This doesn't negate the need to cover the pool in the winter months. Heating the water to let all that heat dissipate overnight is foolish – that volume of water won't reheat up instantly. So, if you are a pool user and want to organize this effort, please speak up. And - what a relief to get those bathrooms updated, once we saw the condition of the 60 year old pipes!

#### **ANOTHER IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

Please consider helping on the Board. Ask any of us what is involved.

There is a December 1st deadline for Board applications. The ballots and biographies have to go out December 13 for the voting which takes place on Friday, February 7, 2025.

#### OTHER VOLUNTEER OPTIONS:

If you don't want to get involved with the board, please consider these other options.

THANKS IN ADVANCE.

- · ENTRANCE SIGNAGE
- · NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH
- · SOCIAL COMMITTEE
- · HORAC (Highlands Outdoor Recreation organizers)

#### **HELPFUL REMINDER:**

The office has a room filled with medical equipment to loan - before you go to an expense.

#### STRONG REMINDER:

Please remove all political campaign signs by Nov. 6.

#### **NEXT IN-PERSON BOARD MEETING:**

ALL welcome. This is open to the community. Wednesday, November 20, 2024, at 10AM.

**LAST REMINDER:** Please give our office manager the utmost respect. We will not tolerate foul language, threats or yelling. If you have a complaint, please speak with our Vice President, Rich Vertel.

# November 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					Aquafit 9:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:10 pm
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		Notes *Trash pickup or	□ n Saturday due to Thanksg	jiving Holiday	EX Green= Re	n the Clubhouse/Pool CEPT: source Room Site Activity

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#### December 2024



#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

#### NO INTERNATIONAL **LUNCH IN DECEMBER**

Mon 12/9

Book Club - 9 am

Wed 12/11

Men's Breakfast - 8 am

Sat 12/14

Coffee & Chat - 9 am

Wed 12/18

Open Board Meeting 10 am

Sat 12/28

Coffee & Chat - 9 am

Tue 12/31

New Year's Eve Party 5 pm

#### **DECEMBER OPEN BOARD MEETING**

Please submit agenda items to the office by Monday, December 9. All are welcome at the Board Meeting Dec 18 at 10 am.

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESUMES NEEDED**

The Highlands annual election will be held Friday, February 7, 2025. We are seeking three members to replace outgoing directors. Please email or drop resumes off at the office by December 2. Please call Sara Danville-Gelhaus at (951) 453-1035 or email at kbgsld@sbcglobal.net 12/22 Dee Farris or call Rich Vertel at (847) 431-0232 with any questions that you may have.

#### CHRISTMAS POTLUCK

December 25<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 pm. Please sign up early. The signup sheet will be taken down on December 18th so the Social Committee will have time to buy the hams. Once again, this is a POTLUCK, so bring your own place setting and a dish to share for 8-10 people.

#### **DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

12/01 Jean Thate 12/02 Reggie Wenaas 12/03 Sarah Danville-Gelhaus

12/06 Willis Jackson

12/08 Elaine Reed

12/09 Dave Calkins

12/09 Lynne Jordan

12/16 Karen Reinking

12/22 Carol Coville

12/25 Dave Knudson

12/29 Helen Knudson

12/29 Jim Rehnberg

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#### **ARTS AND CRAFTS**

We meet every Monday afternoon at 1:00 p.m. in the Resource Room. We hope to hold a class on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays of each month; on the other Mondays, we encourage you to bring and work on your own unfinished projects. Another option is to help paint "welcome rocks" that the Art Committee gives to new residents. This is a chance to meet your neighbors, visit and share ideas. Due to the holidays in December, we will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays. Activities have already started, but we hope you will come ad join the fun!

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be on December 11<sup>th</sup> at the Olde Mexican Grill located at 2080 West Orange Grove Road. Please sign up in the Clubhouse by December 9<sup>th</sup> so that I can give the restaurant an accurate headcount...11 attended the November breakfast. See you on the 11<sup>th</sup>. Steve Horst

#### WINE CORKS NEEDED

Please save your wine corks for an upcoming art project. You can put them in a bag under the sign-up sheets in the Clubhouse.

#### TERRA COTTA CHRISTMAS TREE OR ELF



The tree or elf would be a nice pairing with last year's santas or cute on their own. Class will be held on December 16 at 1:00 p.m. in the Resource Room. Please sign up in the Clubhouse by December 9. Cost to make one is \$10, or make both for \$15. Indicate your choice to insure we have enough materials. Class is limited to 10 with a waiting list option. Instructor is Terry Wojdyla.

# GOURD CLASSES CONTINUE

December 4 and 11. Then January 8, 15, 22, 29, 2025; February 5, 19, 26. And for those who plan their calendar FAR OUT, we have March 5, 12 and 19.

# MINI CHRISTMAS NATIVITY SCENE



Get into the holiday spirit! This class will be held on December 9 in the Resource Room. Sign up in the Clubhouse by December 6. Class is limited to 10 people; cost is \$10. Instructor is Jeanie Weihl.

# HIGHLANDS BOOK GROUP

The group meets the second Monday of each month at 10:00 a.m. in the Resource Room. We are an informal "Reader's Choice" group, meaning individuals choose their own book around a common theme. Everyone is welcome; there is no signup necessary. Topics for the next three months:

December 9: GIFTS – a book you have given or received as a gift, OR a book with "Gift" or "Present" in the title or on the cover.

January 13: Something seasonal – winter, snow (golf in Arizona).

February 10: Author WILLA CATHER.

# LIFESTYLE MINDFUL YOGA

Come join us every Wednesday at 11 a.m. in the Clubhouse (except the day of the Board Meeting, then we meet in the Resource Room). It is a well-rounded class with a variety of stretches and breathing techniques to help you feel more flexible, stronger, relaxed and energized! Can easily be adapted for home, office and travel. All stretches are done on the chair or standing, nothing on the floor. Donations accepted. We will take a break over the holidays with no class on December 25th or January 1st. Call or text Susan Weber at (505) 927-4216 for further information.

#### TRADITIONAL YOGA

If you are able to get on the floor, I also offer traditional yoga at Riverfront Park on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Times very depending on temperatures, but always in the morning. For more information, text or call Susan Weber at (505) 927-4216.

Susan Weber BA LYI, has been teaching since 2001 from a private studio, Ghost Ranch Retreat Center and aboard National Geographic Ships. I enjoy sharing my knowledge to assist others staying healthy, as well as my own well-being. Come join!

# ACTIVITIES IN THE HIGHLANDS

If you're interested in an activity that's happening in the Clubhouse and would like to hear more about it, here is some contact information: Bingo – Donna Fritz Book Club - Valerie Day Chair Yoga – Susan Weber (505) 927-4216 Hand & Foot - Rosie Bussman (520) 400-1330 Poker – Reed Snell (520) 668-0135 Texas Hold'em – Bob Beck (520) 461-9540 Social Hour - Bernie Lee (520) 409-8709

# HORAC (Highlands Outdoor Recreational Committee)

Welcomes everyone back. We need help with volunteers. Please call Ron Weihl (231) 292-2554. Join us for Pickle Ball at Riverfront Park every Monday, Wednesday & Friday at 9:30 a.m.

# COMMUNITY YARD SALE AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

The annual Community Yard Sale is scheduled for February 15 and the White Elephant Sale for February 22. For those of you who are new to the community, we recommend displaying your unwanted items at the Yard Sale and donating any unsold items to the White Elephant Sale. We **DO NOT** accept clothing or shoes for the White Elephant Sale, but most household items sell well. Please make items are clean and suitable for sale. Proceeds of the sale help support activities of the Highlands' 'Committee. Additional details for signing up will be given in the January and February Flings. For additional information, please call Steve Horst at (309) 781-5154 or **Jamie Horst** at (309) 230-0233.

#### NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

December 31 at 5:00 pm. Tickets \$20 per person, includes dinner & music by Gus D'Oldie & Ms. Gina. BYOB. Contact Bernie Lee.

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#### **NEW OFFICE MANAGER AND HOURS:**

Diane Flores is our new office manager. The office will be open from 10AM-2PM Mon.-Fri

#### **HEALTH EQUIPMENT LOAN CHEST:**

The office has a room filled with medical equipment to loan - or to receive. Something recently added: a swivel seat cushion for your car if you've had hip or knee surgery and have a hard time getting out of the car.

#### 911 TELEPHONE

Upon suggestion of a resident at the board meeting in September, we have installed another 911 phone in the Clubhouse. It is in the little telephone booth at the opening to the poker/sign-up room (left of entry).

#### **NEW RESIDENTS OR SEASONAL GUESTS:**

We do have CC&Rs that outline the rules and regulations of this community. Of course. You can find them on our website, ask at the office for a copy, and coming next printing - our directory will have the most common used regulations.

Point your cell camera at this code and click on "open..."



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#### **FEBRUARY ANNUAL MEETING:**

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 7, 2025

At this meeting we not only vote for the board members, but any changes posed to the CC&Rs. One that was discussed at our last open meeting was the cap on rental homes in our community. Chuck Ardingo has put much time and study into the issue. We want to refine the wording and the math. Chuck will hold a couple of meetings to educate and collect input from the home owners. So - watch for announcements for the dates and times of these informational meetings.

#### **IMPORTANT VOTING INFORMATION**

All HOA and RV dues need to be paid by 2:00 PM, Jan 31, 2025 in order for your vote to count in February's election.

#### ANOTHER IMPORTANT NOTICE:.

There is a Sunday, December 1st deadline for Board applications. The ballots and biographies have to go out December 13 for the voting which takes place on Friday, February 7, 2025.

POOL USERS: Since our board meeting and pleas for pool covering volunteers, we have finally gotten some help. Alicia Gatti, Don Hall and Brian Tomac oriented with Dave on the process. 2 more couples signed up to help with closings. The sign up sheet is in the poker room. We still need help in openings. Please call Alicia Gatti to volunteer or for questions. 719-488-8659. The hot tub will always be available - just uncover and cover it back up yourself.

#### ONE MORE AREA WE NEED VOLUNTEERS:

THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE. All these great functions and dinners and the beauty of the clubhouse is done by mainly one person with a few scattered helpers. Please think about the help you can offer and give Cindy Bennett a call. PLEASE. 810-599-8929.

# December 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Coffee 8:00 am	4 Aquafit 10:00 am	5 Aquafit 10:00 am	6 Aquafit 10:00 am	7 Pearl Harbor Aquafit 10:00 am
Bingo 2:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am	Aquafit 10:00 am Line Dancing 10:00 am	Chair Yoga 11:00 am Gourds 1:00 pm	Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Texas Hold'em 2:10 pm	Social Hour 4:00 pm	Memorial 1:30 pm Texas Hold'em 2:10 pm
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22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26 Kwanzaa begins	27	28
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Bingo 2:00 pm		Aquafit 10:00 am	Potluck 2:30 pm	Hand & Foot 1:00 pm		Aquafit 10:00 am
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	Poker 5:30 pm	Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Texas Hold'em 2:10 pm				
29	30	31 New Year's Eve				
	Aquafit 10:00 am					
Bingo 2:00 pm		New Year's Eve				
	Poker 5:30 pm	Party 5:00 pm				
		Notes		l		in the Clubhouse/Pool
						Resource Room
						Site Activity

# THE HIGHLANDS FLING

January 2023

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#### JANUARY EVENTS

Tues.-Jan.3rd

Reserve Plan Information Meeting 10:30 am

Tues, Jan. 10th

Reserve Plan Informational Meeting 10:30 am International Lunch 12:00 pm Tan &Tunes Concert 2:00 pm

Potluck 5:00 pm

Wed. Jan 11th

Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

Sat. Jan.14th

Kaffee Klatch

9:00 am

Tues.- Jan. 17th

Reserve Plan Informational Meeting 10:30

Wed.- Jan. 18th

**Open Board Meeting** 10:00 am

Sun.- Jan. 22nd

Pizza & Karaoke 5:00

Thur. - Jan. 26th

Ladies Luncheon 11:30 am

Sat. - Jan.28th

Kaffee Klatch 9:00

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

#### **ROAD WORK** SCHEDULED

The road crack repair will begin on Jan. 23rd -Jan. 26th. The crack repair does not require full road closure. please be cautious of the road repair crew.

#### JANUARY BOARD **MEETING**

Please submit agenda items to the office by Jan 6th. Board meeting will be Jan. 18th, at 10:00 a.m.

#### **Reserve Plan Funding Informational Meetings**

Our current CC&Rs require that our Reserve Plan Savings satisfy a "100% Full Funding" equation. The Board has voted to submit a change to "80% Full Funding" for the upcoming annual election. Bob Beck, in charge of Reserve Plan, will host informational meetings in the Clubhouse to explain the 80% approach. The meetings will occur on Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th,</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> at the Clubhouse. If you plan to attend a meeting, please sign up in the Clubhouse, so we know how many handouts to make.

#### JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Jan Pepperdine	1/3
Ron Pepperdine	1/3
John Osier	1/7
Sue Cook	1/11
Ken Kemerling	1/11
Sarah Yoakum	1/13
Mary Pasquini	1/15
Jamie Horst	1/17
Judy Calkins	1/18
Patrick Hinds	1/18
Louise Adams	1/21
Anita Lee	1/31

#### TO THE HIGHLANDS COMMUNITY

Thank you, community of friends & neighbors, your sympathies have gone out to us after our son's death. There are never enough ways to say how we were comforted by you in time of need. Love, Larry & Joan Clow

#### COMPLIANCE CORNER

Per Arizona Statue 33-1806-01 please ask your tenants to register at the front office.

#### TRASH CANS

Friends and Neighbors in the Highlands, please use your own trash cans. Do not dump your trash in your neighbors' cans.

Submitted by community Member.

#### **BACK AGAIN....**

Pizza and Karaoke is back. Join us Sunday. Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup> at 5:00 pm for Pizza and Karaoke/Sing-Along. Join your friends and neighbors for a tasty meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Only \$5.00 each will get you Dominos pizza, salad and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up and make your choice of pizza so we know how much to buy. We'll provide the table service (plates and plastic ware) and we'll give you 4 chances to win back your \$5.00 with a few trivia questions. Limit of 70 people. See ya all there!

#### **BOARD CANDIDATES**

The Social Committee would like to invite members who are running for the Board of Directors to attend our next 2 coffees on Jan. 14<sup>th</sup> & Jan. 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am. Come & meet some of the residents so they can put your name to a face.

#### H.O.R.A.C Update

We are looking to sponsor these organized activities in the near future: Bicycle rides, hikes and Pickleball. Look for sign-up sheets in the Clubhouse. Join us for a free "Pickleball Primer" and organizational meeting at the Riverfront Park Pickleball courts (south of Lambert Lane) Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. We will introduce new players to game fundamentals and scoring and play a dew games. Sign up in the

Clubhouse. Pickleball paddles, balls and duffle bag (donated by Ron Weihl) are now in the equipment shed by the Shuffleboard courts. Use pool key for access. Please return when done. We have scheduled the following "Tuesday Tunes" concerts. Cork Spector on Jan. 10th and Red Feather on Feb. 7th. Concerts will be held near the mini golf area at 2 p.m. Tickets for each performance will be \$6.00. Contact Ron Weihl (231) 292-2554 for more information/tickets. We are looking for energetic residents to Join HORAC (Highlands Outdoor **Recreation Activities** Committee). If interested, please contact Brian Tomac (920)819-7795 or Ron Weihl (231)292-2554.

# COMMUNITY AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALES

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Please PRINT your name and address on the sign-up sheet located in the poker room in the Clubhouse. You can also note on that sheet with a "ves" in the last column that tells us you'll have a balloon attached to your mailbox for prospective buyers to see. This sale will also be listed on Craig's List but will not be in the newspaper or Explorer as this was cost prohibitive. The following Saturday, February 25th, the White Elephant Sale will be

held at the Clubhouse from 8:00 a.m. until noon. This is your opportunity to donate any items that you have too many of or that you are no longer in need of (but NO clothes, bedding, hats or shoes). Please make sure any items that you're donating are Clean and SUITABLE for sale. Here are some examples: women's accessories such as purses. belts & jewelry are very popular; tools of any kind; household items such as furniture, rugs, curtains, decorative pillows, dishes, small appliances, towels, plants, books, movies, craft supplies, etc. Drop off time at the Clubhouse for all items is Friday February 24th between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. which allows our volunteers to get everything priced and the Clubhouse locked up by noon. If you need help with large items, call Steve Horst (309-781-5154) or Jamie Horst (309-230-0233) to schedule a time and identify what the item/items are that need to be picked up. If you want to volunteer or help at this wonderful event, please call one of your co-chairs (Steve & Jamie) and they'll be happy to add your name to their list. PLEASE NOTE: The Clubhouse will be **CLOSED** to all residents who are not helping with the sale from 7:00 a.m. Friday until the sale ends on Saturday at 2:00 p.m.

#### **LADIES LUCHEON**

The ladies' luncheon will be on Thurs, Jan.26 at Bottega Michelangelo. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The next Men's breakfast will be on Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> at 8 a.m. at Jerry Bob's, 7939 N Oracle Rd. Please sign up on the sheet located in the poker room of the Clubhouse. Signup sheet will come down on Jan.9<sup>th</sup>. If you need a ride, be at the clubhouse by 7:45 on the 11<sup>th</sup>. See you on the 11th!

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Meets Jan.9th, 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse. Theme this month: Clocks and Calendars. Choose any book with a title referencing TIME (Season, day, month, hour, etc.). This is an informal "No stress" conversation about books. Participants choose their own section around a theme. No sign up needed.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

The next luncheon will be held at Mojo,1929 E Grant Rd., Tucson, a new Cuban restaurant with great reviews, on Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Sign up for the luncheon in the clubhouse by the poker tables on or before Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Please contact Suzan Wilkinson @suzzzwilk@gmail.com with any further questions.

#### BARLEENS AZ OPERA TRIP HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

# ART COMMITTEE JANUARY ACTIVITIES

All activities take place on Mondays, 1 – 3 PM in the Resource Room next to the Office.

Jan. 9th: Meet & Greet.
Come meet the art committee and other Highland's artists and crafters. Enjoy light refreshments and view samples of the projects you can sign up for this winter.
And let us know if you have a skill that you would like to share with others.

Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>: Button Flowers. Fun class taught by Sharon Dennis. Watch for sign-up sheet in clubhouse. \$5 fee for supplies.

Jan. 23rd: Artists and Crafters Hangout. Come to finish up a previous project, do some meditative coloring. knitting or other work in a supportive environment. Jan. 30th: Acrylic Landscape Painting with Vonnie Lincoln. Paint a desert scene with bold colors. No experience necessary. Watch for sign-up in clubhouse. Maximum 10 participants. \$5 supply fee. Coming in February, learn to make Ukrainian eggs. We will be doing the traditional design or etched eggs. A fee will be charged for materials tbd. Look for sign up sheet in the Clubhouse.

#### **KUDOS KORNER**

#### **KUDOS**

Thank you to all those who donated toys for Christmas to Gospel Rescue Mission.

#### **KUDOS**

Kudos to our treasurer, Rich Vertel and our Reserve Plan Specialist, Bob Beck, for their conscientious, time consuming and thoughtful approach to the THI 2023 budget, which the board passed unanimously. I appreciate their efforts in creating multiple solutions to the impending shortfall, plus suggesting the one most palatable to the THI community members. Great job guys!!!!

Submitted by President, Sara Danville-Gelhaus

#### **KUDOS KORNER**

Do you know of someone that you would like to give Kudos to? Please contact Lynne in the office by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

#### **NEW RV LOT RATES**

Effective 01/01/23 15'-20' \$15.00 month 21'-50' \$20.00 month 51' over \$25.00 month

#### **HIGHLANDS QUILTERS**

Attention Quilters or those interest in learning to quilt. Come join The Highlands Quilters starting Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> from 1-4pm in the Clubhouse. We meet weekly on Thursdays and work on service projects the group has agreed on or learn new techniques and try out new ideas. If you have questions, please contact Sheila Tomac at (920) 619-8074 or Lori Tendler at (605)323-8009.

Our past service projects have been making lap quilts for veterans, quillow quilts for cancer patients, and currently making quilts and pillowcases for Child Protective Services for children being taken out of their homes.





#### DID YOU KNOW......

The Fling and other forms can be found on our website?

#### PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET

Pet waste has been reported by Community Members in their yards and the common area and around the Clubhouse. Please pick up after your pet.

#### CITRUS CARE-FERTILIZATION

Preparation:

- Circle out anywhere from 2-4' from the tree trunk, depending on the maturity of the tree following/tracking root growth.
- Around that diameter dig a ditch approx. 3-6" deep.
- In the ditch, sprinkle 2-3 Tablespoon of fertilizer around the diameter, then ample water. Recommended Feb., May & August, 3X year.
- Additional key step in Oct., water (a bit more than a trickle, N, S, E, W each 30-minute duration. This nourishes over winter months and protects roots from frost.
- Note: The first year of this process may not produce desired results, although consistency each year will yield delectable tasting fruit whether

orange, lemon, or grapefruit. Just be patient! "Keep calm and let the garden handle it". "In nature nothing exists alone" Rachel Carson. A fruitful cultivation. Submitted by Dianne Jacobs

MEMORIAL BENCHES Memorial benches are available for purchase. Please contact Bernie Lee for more information 520-409-8709

# JANUARY 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
New Year's Day Bingo 2:00	2 Hand & Foot 1pm Crafts/Workshop 1-3pm Texas Hold'em 2:15pm Ping Pong 7-8pm	Coffee 8:00pm Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Resv.Plan Info 10:30 Texas Hold'em 1:15 Gourd Class 1-4:00pm	4 Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	5 Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10am Quilting Club 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	6 Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4pm	7 Texas Hold'em 2:15
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#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri.- Feb. 3rd

Annual Open Board Meeting 1:00 p.m.

Tues. Feb. 7th

Tan &Tunes Concert 2:00 pm

Wed. Feb.8th

Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

Sat. Feb. 11th

Kaffee Klatch/Angel Care 9:00 a.m.

Tues. Feb. 14th

Potluck 5:00 p.m.

Thurs. Feb. 16th

International Lunch 11:30 a.m.

Fri. Feb. 17th

Social Club Meeting 9:00 a.m.

Sat. Feb. 18th

Community Yard Sale

7:00 a.m.

Sun. Feb.19th

Celebration of Life 2:00 p.m.

Tues. Feb. 21st Music from Within 6:00 p.m.

Thurs. Feb. 23rd

Quilters Tea 2:00 p.m.

Sat. Feb. 25th

White Elephant Sale 8:00 a.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

#### **MEETING**

The Annual Open Board meeting will be held Feb. 3rd at 1:00.

#### **FOUND**

Gold locket, found on Matterhorn near the office. Please contact the office.



#### **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

Ray Scantlan	2/2
Rosie Bussman	2/6
Jack Nunez	2/11
Donna Smith	2/15
Meredith Hentschel	2/16
Chris Fargo	2/17
Cindy Bennett	2/19
Cheryl Sommer	2/20
Ron Baumbeck	2/21
Joan Clow	2/23
Linda Nix	2/23
Laura Nelson	2/27
Linc Keilman	2/29

#### **HOA MAINTENANCE FEE CHANGES**

Effective 04/01/2023, the HOA Maintenance fee will increase to \$66.00 per month/\$198.00 per quarter.

#### DIRECTORY/EMAIL

A reminder to notify the office by Friday, Feb.3rd, if you

would like to have your email placed in the phone directory.

#### CARDS SENT

Paul Ganoff - Sympathy loss of his mother Bud Bates - Sympathy loss of his sister in-law LaNelma Johnson - Thinking of you. Jerry Ferrill- Get Well Judy Pope - Get Well LaNelma Johnson -Sympathy, loss of her husband, Ray

#### **ATTENTION HIGHLANDS'** BAKERS

The bake sale is held annually in conjunction with the White Elephant Sale. Gather your favorite recipes and start baking. Plan to drop off your treats at the Clubhouse on February 25th at 8:00 a.m. You can also call Cheryl Stafford at 586-876-4589 for pick up. IMPORTANT: Please be sure to mark items that are perishable. Also list ingredients on baked goods for those with allergies to nuts, wheat, etc. THANK YOU to all our gifted bakers who always do a wonderful job making this a tasty and enjoyable event!

#### KAFFEE KLATCH

On Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, a person from Angel Care Home Health is coming to talk with us about trips & falls.

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supplies, etc. Drop off time at the Clubhouse for all items is Friday February 24th between 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. which allows our volunteers to get everything priced and the Clubhouse locked up by noon. If you need help with large items, call Steve Horst (309-781-5154) or Jamie Horst (309-230-0233) to schedule a time and identify what the item/items are that need to be picked up. If you want to volunteer or help at this wonderful event, please call one of your co-chairs (Steve & Jamie) and they'll be happy to add your name to their list. PLEASE NOTE: The Clubhouse will be *CLOSED* to all residents who are not helping with the sale all day Friday.

# WHATS COOKIN'GOOD LOOKIN?

Come share the LOVE and you're COOKING at our VALENTINE'S DAY POTLUCK, Tuesday February 14th at 5pm.
Celebrating great FOOD, FRIENDS and FAMILY...and

great music too Sign up at the clubhouse.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The next Men's breakfast will be on Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> at 8 a.m. at Jerry Bob's, 7939 N Oracle Rd. Please sign up on the sheet located in the poker room of the Clubhouse. If you need a ride, be at the Clubhouse by 7:40 on the 8<sup>th</sup>.

Looking forward to seeing you on the 8<sup>th</sup>!

### HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Lisa Wingate is "author of the month" for the discussion on February 13. She has penned more than 30 novels. including the 2017 best seller "Before We Were Yours." Her most recent volume is "The Book of Lost Friends." The book club meets in the clubhouse at 10 a.m. on the 2nd Monday of the month. For this informal discussion, readers are free to choose their own selection around a general theme. The theme for March 13 is ROYALTY. All are welcome - no sign-up needed.

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

The next luncheon will be held Feb. 16<sup>th</sup> at Grain River Asian Bistro, 12985 N Oracle Rd, Rancho Vistoso Center. Meet at 11:30 a.m. at the Clubhouse. Sign up at the Clubhouse. Please contact Suzan Wilkinson @suzzzwilk@gmail.com with any further questions.

#### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The pancake breakfast will be held on March 4<sup>th</sup> from 7 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. 2 pancakes, 2 sausage patties, scrambled eggs, orange juice and coffee. \$7.00 per person. Tickets only. For tickets, call Bernie Lee 520-409-8709. Cutoff date for ticket sales February 26<sup>th</sup>.

### ART COMMITTEE'S OFFERINGS

February 13, 1 PM - Fun with watercolor pencils. Play with this medium to learn what you can do. Watercolor pencils are like other colored pencils but are activated with water and can produce art similar to watercolor paints. Instructor: Patti Triplett. Fee \$15 includes your own set of 12 watercolor pencils, a water pen and paper. Registration limited. Sign up in the clubhouse. February 27, 1 PM - Watercolor painting on Yupo paper. Learn how to use this fascinating substrate to produce a free-flowing painting. Instructor: Suzan Wilkinson, Fee: \$15 includes all supplies needed. Registration limited. Sign up in the clubhouse. February 6 and 20 are Artist Hangout days. Bring your unfinished artwork or craft project to the resource room to work on in the company of others. No registration or fee required. Jewelry Making class with Jeanie Weihl is full. Watch for future openings. The Art Committee will be working for several weeks on filling in the details for the approved design of a mural on the block wall next to the mini golf course. Be patient while the work is in progress. Highland Artists, mark your calendars for the annual Art Show on March 24. Get your artwork ready for submission and watch for information on deadlines and forms. We want to showcase all the amazing talent in the park!

#### **VACATION SHARE**

Have you ever been to Antarctica? Have you ever wanted to go to Antarctica? Have you wondered why anyone would want to go to Antarctica? Do you like to cruise? Do you think penguins are adorable? If you answered yes to any of these questions, you might want to see photos and videos from Sara Danville-Gelhaus' recent trip on the Viking Polaris Ship hit by a roque wave. Sara will tell her story on Tuesday, January 31, 2023, at 2 PM in the THI Clubhouse.

#### H.O.R.A.C UPDATE

The first "Tuesday Tunes"
Concert was a great success, with 116 tickets sold. We will be sponsoring the next concert featuring "Red Feather", on Tuesday, February 7 at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$6. Contact Ron Weihl (231)292-2554 for more information/tickets. Two March concerts are also being planned.

The Pickle Ball kick-off was also well attended with 14 eager participants. Pickle Ball will now be scheduled for every Tuesday & Thursday morning at 10 a.m. at Riverfront Park, and has been added to the calendar. Join us to learn this fun game and get some exercise!

Cheryl Stafford has agreed to be the coordinator for our

Hiking Group. The goal is to

do 1-2 hikes per

month with 2 levels of

difficulty. The first hike is

tentatively scheduled for January 30. Look for sign-up sheets in the Clubhouse. Thank you, Cheryl! We are still in search of a coordinator for the Biking Group. Please contact Ron Weihl (231)292-2554 or Brian Tomac (920)819-7795 if interested.

The base colors for the mural on the wall next to the mini golf course have been completed. Watch for some beautiful artwork developing in the upcoming weeks thanks to the Art Committee!

A big thank you to Mary Rausch and John Pangburn who have joined H.O.R.A.C. Our next regular meeting will be held Thursday, February 2 at 3 p.m. in the Resource Room.

#### RENTERS REGISTRATION

A reminder to please have tenants register with the office.

#### **HIGHLANDS QUILTERS**

Heartful thanks message Supervisor Suzanne Coffer shared with her manager and co-workers how one child's gratitude to receive a used blanket during a removal from the home, touched this child so much, that this story had to be shared. Prior to joining the DDD District South team, Suzanne worked as a child protection investigator with the Department of Child Safety on the after-hours investigative team. Suzanne shared one of her most memorable investigations (without disclosing name and details of the incident) with

her mother regarding a removal of two children from a home, where they had been sleeping on a mattress with no blanket. Suzanne shared with her mother how this event was traumatic for these two children until they were both given a used blanket to wrap themselves in as they were transported to the placement center. The little girl hugged Suzanne and thanked her for this blanket. her brother intervened and reminded his sister that they could not keep these blankets, however Suzanne told them they could. Their expression and happiness that these old blankets brought to these two children, touched both Suzanne and her mother. Suzanne's mother was so touched by this incident that she shared with her quilting group from Oro Valley, "The Highlands" how they too can help touch other children(s) lives by making homemade quilts and donate to the placement center. Suzanne coordinated with DCS placement center coordinator and the afterhours investigative team supervisor to bring over 60+ handmade quilts and pillowcases for the children's center.

Now THAT'S a heart warming story! Gives me a sense of pride for all the years I served in social services/health care organizations before coming here. Thank you, Suzanne and The Highlands Quilters. J.J



#### AFTERNOON TEA

Afternoon Tea
The Highland Quilters
Request the pleasure of your
company
for an afternoon Tea
Thursday, February 23rdHighlands Club House
Between 2 and 4 pm –
PROGRAM - TRUNK SHOW OF QUILTS BY

MICHELL TURNER

Music will be provided.

Bring your favorite Teacup.

# Tickets - \$7 a person Deadline to purchase tickets February 16<sup>th.</sup>

Contact Lori at 605-323-8009

or Sheila at 920-619-8074

Raffle tickets will be sold for chances to win a gift basket.

The money from the raffle tickets sales will enable our quilting group to buy supplies to make quilts for our charity project chosen. We are presently making quilts for Child Protective Services.

### SAVE THE DATE CRAFT FAIR

Mark your calendars, crafters get ready March 11, will be the craft fair at the clubhouse from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

#### MARIACHI ASTLAN NIGHT

This event is March 16, tickets will be going on sale at the clubhouse on Friday's at 4:00 pm.

This year we ask you to bring your own beverage and a Tapas to share. Tickets are \$10.00 and we will sell out fast.

# "MUSIC FROM WITHIN"



#### **INSTRUMENTAL**

"Play what you know and learn what you don't"

#### **GET TOGETHER**

### To those in the park that play a musical instrument or sing.

- 1. Do you play a musical instrument?
- 2. Are you a closet musician that only plays alone?
- 3. Do you think you're not that good at playing?
- 4. Can you play many tunes, or only one?
- 5. Would you like to learn more or just get together with other enthusiasts?

If your answer is yes to any of the above, then drag that dusty old instrument out of the closet and come join the new, improved, musical get together at the clubhouse. Come share as many notes, cords or songs you may know. An opportunity to enjoy an evening producing musical notes with like-minded others in the park. Held the third Tuesday of the month Feb 21st at 6:00 p.m.

Call Morris Coville (541) 754-2261 or Brian Tomac (920) 819-7795 if you have any questions.

# FEBRUARY 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	2 Groundhog Day Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 am Quilting Club 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	3 4 Annual Board Meeting 1pm Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	Texas Hold'em 2:15
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#### MARCH EVENTS

Sat.- March 4th

Pancake Breakfast 7:00 a.m.

Tues. March 7th

International Luncheon 11:15 a.m.

Tan &Tunes Concert 2:00 p.m.

Wed. March8th

Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

Sat. March 11th

Kaffee Klatch

9:00 a.m.

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Craft Fair

9:30 a.m.

Tues. March 14th

Potluck 5:00 p.m.

Wed. March 15th

Open Board Meeting 10:00

Thur. March 16th

Mariachi Band 4:30 p.m.

Fri. March 17th

Social Club Meeting

9:00 a.m.

Sun. March19th

Dinner & Karaoke

5:00 p.m.

Thur. March 23rd Clubhouse Closed

Friday March 24th

Art Exhibit 10:00 a.m.

Sat. March 25th

Kaffee Klatch/Adult Care

9:30 a.m.

Tues. March 28th Tan & Tunes 2:00 p.m.

Thurs. March 30th

Golf Banquet 4:30 p.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN

#### OPEN BOARD **MEETING**

The Open Board meeting will be held March 15th at 10:00 a.m. Please submit agenda items by Monday, March 6th.

#### MARCH **BIRTHDAYS**



Colleen Nolan - 3/1 Joann Lieder - 3/5 Kathy Zeleznik - 3/8 Darlene Sand - 3/10 Barbara Moe - 3/13 Dan Woidvla - 3/19

Lela Krohn - 3/24

#### **HOA MAINTENANCE FEE CHANGES**

Effective 04/01/2023, the HOA Maintenance fee will increase to \$66.00 per month/\$198.00 per quarter.

#### **NEW AUTOMATIC CLUBHOUSE DOOR**

The outside door next to the kitchen is now automatic. When button is pushed the door will stay open for 30 seconds to allow folks with walkers and canes to enter before the door starts closing. Do not try to pull the door closed. The new library door is on order.

#### THE HIGHLANDS LIBRARY

Here's how our Highlands' library works:

- 1.The library is run by volunteers who give time almost daily. Decisions are made by the group. Volunteers are always welcome.
- 2. Books are not banned nor censored.
- 3. Shelf space in the library is limited.
- 4. Donations of books, DVDs, puzzles are accepted in the basket. Donations that are duplicates, over twenty years old or that are not circulating are recycled @ Oro Valley Public Library Book Shop, Big-Brothers - Big Sisters, & some church libraries. At the present time several genres of books have been packed in storage in preparation for the upcoming installation of the new handicapped entrance through our library in the Clubhouse great room. Concerns, questions or to volunteer, give me a call. Jane Force, 520-245-4164 Librarian most of the time since April 2014

#### KAFFEE KLATCH/ADULT CARE

Adult Care will be here to speak at Kaffee Klatch on March 25<sup>th</sup> from 9:30-10:30. Adult Assistance is here for you, so you will not have to leave your home. Living at home empowers independence and keeping you out of an assisted living home. You will learn of all the services offered by Adult Care Assistance and you can ask any questions regarding specific needs.

# THANK YOU, COMMUNITY

The entire Johnson family sends heartfelt thanks to The Highlands community for the many ways you have shown so much kindness with cards, flowers, and words of sympathy and condolences for the passing of our beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather. He will be greatly missed, but his huge heart and spirit lives on. Love, Lanelma and family.

#### **CLUBHOUSE WIFI**

Wi-Fi is now available in the clubhouse.

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#### **CARDS SENT**

Paul King - Get Well Janice Pepperdine – Sympathy loss of husband Joann Lieder - Get Well Annabella & Rob, Lynn & Denise- Sympathy loss of mother DeDe Venot.

#### **THANK YOU**

Thank you to all the community members who put their trust in me and voted for me to serve on the HOA Board. Communications is my role and I want to bring consistency and fairness to this role. I am also maintaining and updating our website. http://www. thehighlandsmhp.com/ And I want to help bring us into the digital realm by emailing the Fling to residents who request this convenience. Please email me any time with feedback and suggestions for improvement and ideas. Put 'resident' in the subject line. Thanks. Connie Rose CroseHighlands23@gmail.co

### CLUCK, CLUCK, CLUCK!

Chicken and Karaoke again. March 19th, at 5:00 pm for Chicken and Karaoke/Sing-Along. Join your friends and neighbors for a nice chicken meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Only \$5.00 each will get you fried chicken, potato wedges, salad, and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up in the poker room so we know how much to buy. Don't forget to bring your own table service. Also, we'll give you 4 chances to win back your \$5.00 with a few trivia

questions. See ya there. Join us Sunday.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The next Men's Breakfast will be on March 8th at 8 a.m. at Jerry Bob's, 7939 N Oracle Rd (Magee & Oracle). Please sign up on the sheet located in the poker room of the Clubhouse. If you need a ride, be at the Clubhouse by 7:40 on the 8th.

### HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

The Highlands Book Club meets in the clubhouse at 10 a.m. on the 2nd Monday of the month. It is an informal discussion, where readers are free to choose their own selection around a general theme. The theme for March 13 is ROYALTY. Whether you are dying to read that current best-selling memoir, find another of Philippa Gregory's historical fiction, or appreciate a biography - this month has plenty of selections! All are welcome no sign-up needed.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

The next luncheon will be held Tuesday, March 7th at Saffron Indian Bistro, 7607 N Oracle Rd, Meet at 11:15 a.m. at the Clubhouse. Sign up at the Clubhouse. Please contact Suzan Wilkinson @suzzzwilk@gmail.com with any further questions.

#### **FRUIT GLEENING**

If you are overburdened with fruit, I would like to coordinate a fruit picking with the local immigrant group: Iskashitaa Refugee Network Iskashitaa is the Somali and Maay Maay word for "working cooperatively together." They drive up here with a crew of people and pick the tree clean. I will accompany them around the neighborhood to other trees that have been signed up. There will be a small donation. Check them out at:

https://www.iskashitaa.org/ Please email me if you want to participate or donate. Thanks. Connie. CroseHighlands23@gmail.co m

# ARTWORK AND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Annual Art Show seeking Artwork and Volunteers Artists, the annual Highlands Art show featuring neverbefore-seen artwork by Highlands artists is happening on Friday, March 24. The Art Committee is looking for submissions of all kinds of visual arts to display. You may choose to sell items or not. Application forms will be available in the clubhouse soon with a March 17 deadline for submission. Now is the time to finish up those projects! Volunteers, the committee is also looking for help on the morning of March 23 from someone with good handwriting who can print labels for artwork, and others to help in the kitchen serving refreshments on March 24.

Please call Terry at 520 219-2603 (landline, no texts) to volunteer

#### **ART HAPPENINGS**

Mondays at 1 PM in Resource Room:

March 6 Artist Hangout March 13 Framing Workshop, free presentation by Sharon Dennis

March 20 Artist Hangout March 27 Flower Arranging, free class by Patti Triplett. Bring your own cut flowers (one or two bunches, Trader Joe's recommended) vase and sharp knife. And everyone be sure to come to the annual Highlands Art Show on Friday, March 24 between 10 am and 3 PM in the clubhouse. No admission fee, lots of lovely artwork to admire and some to buy, home baked cookies, coffee. tea and lemonade.

#### MARIACHI ASTLAN NIGHT

Mark your calendars Thursday, March 16, at 4:30pm. Bring your own beverage and an appetizer to share. Mingling, food & then music. Tickets are SOLD OUT!

#### H.O.R.A.C UPDATE

The "Tuesday Tans and Tunes" Concert featuring Red Feather was well-attended, with 116 tickets sold.

Because of the wonderful support H.O.R.A.C. has received, we would like to say "thank you" to the Highlands by having a **FREE CONCERT** featuring "KT Klassics" on Tuesday, March 7 at 2 p.m.

So spread the word, mark your calendars and let's have a big turnout! Please bring a chair and refreshments. Also, on Tuesday, March 28 at 2 p.m., the "Cochise County Allstars" (4 musicians) will perform. A meal of hot dog/bun/condiments, chips, water and cookies will be provided for an admission price of only \$10. Tickets will go on sale at the March 7 FREE concert. For more information, contact Ron Weihl (231)292-2554. Pickle Ball continues to be very popular with many in the park. Due to crowded courts on Tuesdays, we will now be playing every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 10 a.m. at Riverfront Park. So, there are a lot of opportunities to learn and enjoy this fun game. Two hikes, coordinated by Cheryl Stafford, were done in February. The first was a little more difficult than planned, and the second was characterized as "very nice". Again, look for sign-up sheets in the Clubhouse for future

hikes. In case you haven't noticed, the mural is nearing completion and looks amazing! Thanks again to the Art Committee for their efforts. Once completed, a clear topcoat will be applied to help preserve the artwork. The west and north walls will also be painted in a sand color to complete the project. Our next regular meeting will be held Thursday, March 2 at 3 p.m. in the Resource Room.

### RENTERS REGISTRATION

A reminder to please have tenants register with the office.

## OUR WEBSITE - AND HOW TO ACCESS IT.

http://www.thehighlandsmhp.c om/ Our website contains general information, various forms to download, a compendium of past Board Meeting minutes along with the current one, and past issues of the Fling, as well as the current one. There are a couple of ways to get to it. Once there, bookmark it for easier access. 1. Type in the address into the browser (Be sure you use the address with MHP in it (stands for Mobile Home Park). If you use the other INC address, you will reach the website after a confusing cautionary message.) 3. OR hover your camera phone over this graphic (QR code) and when a vellow square pops up, click on it. That takes you directly there and you'll have the website on your phone. If any of this information is foreign to you and you want to try to use it, email me and I'll help you. Connie.

CroseHighlands23@gmail.co m



### TOWN OF ORO VALLEY RENTAL ORDIANCE

On Jan.4, the Oro Valley town council approved an ordinance establishing rules. regulations and licensing requirements for short term and vacation rentals (e.g., Airbnb, Vrbo, etc). Short term or vacation rentals are dwelling units used as a rental term less than 30 days to transient quests. The ordinance went into effect on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>; however, understanding that some individuals may need time to become familiar with the licensing process, Town Council allowed for a 90-day implementation period during which time the ordinance will not be enforced. The deadline to register short term rental properties is May 5th, and enforcement of the ordinance begins May 6th. Town staff will be assisting short term and vacation rental owner as they navigate the licensing system and requirements during the 90day time frame. Registering for short term rental license will be similar to the online

process for applying for a business license. Owner will need to prepare a list of required documents, provide neighbors notification of intent to rent, evidence of insurance, evidence that the property is registered with the Pima County Assessor as a short-term rental and a form of personal identification to apply. Short term rental license will be \$80 a year- the same as a Town of Oro Valley business license.

For more information call Sara Cox at (520) 229-4831 or email scox@orovalleyaz.gov

# MARCH 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	2 Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 am Quilting Club 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	3 Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	4 Pancake Breakfast 7:00 Texas Hold'em 2:15
5 Bingo 2pm	6 Hand & Foot 1 pm Crafts/Artists' Hangout 1 pm Ping Pong 7-8 pm	7 Coffee 8am Yoga Riverfront 9-10 am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 am International Lunch 11:15 Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Tans & Tunes 2:00	8 Men's Breakfast 8am Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	9 Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 am Gourd Class 1:00 p.m. Quilting Club 1pm	Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	7 Craft Fair 9:30 am Texas Hold'em 2:15
12 Bingo 2pm	Book Club 10am Crafts/Framing Workshop Hand & Foot 1 pm Ping Pong 7-8 pm	Yoga Riverfront 9-10 am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 an Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Pot Luck 5:00 p.m.	15 Open Board Meetin 10:00 Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	1 6 Yoga Riverfront 9-10 Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Quilting Club 1pm Mariachi 4:30 pm	17 St. Patrick's Day Social Committee Mtg 9 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	18 Texas Hold'em 2:15
19 Bingo 2pm	20 Book Club 10am Crafts/Artists' Hangout 1-3 Hand & Foot 1 pm Ping Pong 7-8 pm	21 Coffee 8 am Yoga Riverpointe 9-10 am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm	22 Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	23 Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Pickle Ball Riverfront 10 am Gourd Class 1:00 p.m. Cards & Games 6pm	24 Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	25 Texas Hold'em 2:15
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#### **APRIL EVENTS**

Sun.- April 2nd Ice Cream Social 1:00 pm

Tues. - April 11<sup>th</sup>
International Luncheon
11:00 am

Potluck

5:00 pm

Weds. - April 12<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Sat.- April 15<sup>th</sup>

Grill your own Meat 5:00 pm

Weds. - April 19<sup>th</sup>
Open Board Meeting
10:00 am

Friday – April 21<sup>st</sup> Social Committee Meeting 9:00 am

### OPEN BOARD MEETING

The Open Board meeting will be held March 19th at 10:00 a.m. Please submit agenda items by Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>.

#### APRIL BIRTHDAYS



Dianne Jacobs - April 1 Morris Coville - April 4 Donna Baumbach - April 17 Jim McManus - April 21 Lucy Phelan - April 26 Bud Bates -- April 27 Gary Wilkenson - April 28 Marg Rehnberg - April 30

#### HOA MAINTENANCE FEE CHANGES

Effective 04/01/2023, the HOA Maintenance fee will increase to \$66.00 per month/\$198.00 per quarter.

#### **ART NEWS**

There will be a repeat of the popular Flower Button Class by Sharon Dennis on April 3 at 1 PM in the resource room. The fee is \$5, payable at class. Please sign up in the clubhouse.

The Art Committee is celebrating completion of the Highlands community mural after more than a year in the

making. Here is the story from our perspective: During the winter of 2021/2022 the idea of painting a mural on the east side of the block wall facing the mini golf course was born. Ron Weihl, member of HORAC (Highlands Outdoor Recreational Activities Committee) approached the Art Committee about their willingness to design and paint such a mural. The committee was enthusiastic about the idea and set about to draw conceptual sketches to submit to HORAC and the Highlands Board of Directors for approval and funds. Members felt the original wall was very long and would be way too much to tackle all at once but thought it would be reasonable to begin in the middle and work in both directions, gradually tapering off, so that the project would look finished even with only a portion of the wall painted. The basic idea was approved, but by that time it was spring, and several members of the Art Committee had left for cooler climates. In the early winter of 2022/2023, the idea was resurrected, and funds were approved. HORAC got the wall patched, washed and

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

painted with three basic colors representing the sand, the background and the sky. The artists then got to work making the divisions between the three parts more varied and then chalked in some desert plants and animals. Cold wet weather slowed down progress more than had been anticipated. Wind and sun dried out paints quickly, and the rough surface was challenging, as was the frequent squatting and kneeling required to reach low areas, but the artists persisted. After painting from one end of the east wall to the other with many positive comments from appreciative Highland residents, the artists became inspired to continue around to the south wall, which is first seen when people drive into the Highlands. So, the artists rolled up their sleeves again and kept painting more of the same types of desert plants and animals. In mid-March of 2023, the painting work was finally finished, and a good sealer recommended by Tucson muralist Joe Pagac is to be professionally applied by the end of March to protect our efforts from the elements. You are encouraged to come and take a close look at the work and admire the many details. The names of the artists who participated can be found on the leaves of the agave where the two painted walls meet. A Mural Treasure Hunt, a game of discovery at two levels of difficulty, will be available inside the mini golf storage shed.

Thanks to HORAC for their inspiration and support: members of the Art Committee and other volunteers for painting; Steve Horst for his daily encouragement; Jonathan Kosakoff for his suggestions; Mary and Al Rausch, Bill and Louise Bohrer, John Pangburn and Ron Weihl for putting on the base coat; and Ron Weihl for getting the ball rolling, adding extra blocks on top and providing half a golf ball for Kokopelli. The project was a joint effort of many that will enhance our community for years to come. A total of 88 feet of wall reaching almost 6 feet high was painted with a total of 440 volunteer hours. The cost came in at under \$1000. Volunteer mural artists were Sharon Dennis, Patti Triplett, Terry Wojdyla, Kay DeLong. Vonnie Lincoln, Ginny Tanner, Chris Ardingo, Nancy Clark, Marg Rehnberg, and Joyce Emory.

### THE HIGHLANDS BOOKCLUB

"... there are good books which are only for adults, because their comprehension presupposes adult experiences, but there are no good books which are only for children." W. H. Auden The April book discussion topic is "children's and young adult literature." You are invited to revisit a children's classic. check out a Newbery winner, get a recommendation from a grandchild or branch out to an author biography or something else of your choice. This informal

conversation group meets the second Monday, April 10, at 10 a.m in the clubhouse.

### APPRECIATION ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Mark your calendar April 2, The Highlands appreciate all volunteers! Please come at, 1:00 pm in the Clubhouse, for a FREE ice cream sundae. And stay and play BINGO at 2:00. Be sure to sign up so we know how much ice cream to buy!

#### **GRILL YOUR OWN MEAT**

Come to the clubhouse on Saturday, April 15, at 5:00 pm for this popular event. We provide the grill, you bring the meat of your choice and grill it yourself. Salad, baked beans and dessert will be provided for \$3.00 per person. Please be sure to bring your table service.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

Tuesday, April 11, 2023 Polish Cottage 4520 E Broadway Tucson Meet at the Clubhouse at 11 am and we will carpool over. Quaint, homey eatery with colorful decor serving pierogi & other handcrafted Polish recipes & beers. polishcottageaz.com to check out the menu. DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP IN THE CLUBHOUSE! TEXT. Suzan @ 575-937-3737

Email. <u>suzzzwilk@gmail.com</u> with questions.

#### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

A celebration of life will be held for DeDe Venot on Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup> from 2-4. All are welcome!

#### **CLUBHOUSE WIFI**

CLUBHOUSE WIFI Wi-Fi is now available in the clubhouse and around the pool. Highlands\_guest\_2,4 Highlands\_guest\_5G Password: 10700Highlands NOTE: The password for the WIFI - is case sensitive. The correct password is: 10700Highlands (with a capital H).

#### **CARDS SENT**

Ron Baumbach- Get Well Jan Pepperdine- Get Well

# WELCOME, NEW NEIGHBORS

Nancy Goebel & Yvonne Becker – 10716 Rainier Timothy & Donell Forrest-10725 Everest Robert & Karen Peck-310 Adirondack Mathew & Margaret Roth-225 Appalachian

#### **HOSTS NEEDED**

We need Hosts for Potlucks. No Hosts, no potlucks.

#### H.O.R.A.C UPDATE

The "Tuesday Tans and Tunes" Free Concert with KT Klassics was attended by 102 people and thoroughly enjoyed. A few folks from Desert Springs attended the concert as well.

The outdoor equipment shed near the shuffleboard area was blown over and nearly destroyed in a windstorm in early March. The Highlands Board has approved funding to build a new wood-frame shed directly on the existing concrete slab. Construction will be completed in early April. The "Highlands Mural" is now complete. The thought, effort, artistry, and detail put into this masterpiece is really quite remarkable! Special thanks to the artists: Patti Triplett, Sharon Dennis and Terrya Wojdyla. Also, thanks to Chris Ardingo, Joyce Emory, Kay DeLong, Nancy Clark, Marg Rehnberg, Vonnie Lincoln and Ginny Tanner for their assistance with the project. The clear topcoat has been applied so the mural can be enjoyed for vears to come. We encourage all residents (and their quests) to take an upclose look at our beautiful mural to truly understand how special it is. A few minor repairs were needed for some of the obstacles on the mini golf course and were completed in mid-March. Some of the obstacles will also be given a coat of touchup paint to assure they are protected from the elements as much as possible. Our next regular meeting will be held Thursday, April 6 at 3 p.m. in the Resource Room.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The April Men's Breakfast will be at 8 AM on April 12th at Jerry Bob's located at 7939 N Oracle Rd (Magee & Oracle). If you need a ride, be at the Clubhouse by 7:40 that morning. The sign-up sheet is in the Poker Room of the Clubhouse. See you in April.

#### **THANK YOU!**

The Highland's Quilter's would like to thank everyone for attending the tea and supporting us at the craft show. We greatly appreciate your support for our service project making kids guilts and pillowcases for Child Protective Services. With your support we are able to continue buying supplies for making more guilts. We made 38 quilts and pillowcases this winter for the kids. This project warms our hearts by giving these blankets to these children being taken out of their homes. We truly appreciate your generosity for this cause. Thanks again for your

# A NOTE FROM DESERT SPRINGS

support.

Desert Springs Independent Living would like to thank Ron, from the H.O.R.A.C. Our residents had a wonderful afternoon of music on March 7<sup>th</sup> with KT Klassics for this free concert. Thank you. Cheryl, Activity Director, Desert Springs

## SLOWING DOWN IN THE HIGHLANDS

During the last two Open Board Meetings there was discussion regarding the fast rate of speed many of us are

witnessing in our community. While we are looking at options to respond to this concern, we have been active in observing the carriers (UPS, FedEX, Amazon and others) delivering packages and looking at cars and golf carts driving our streets. I will be contacting some of the carrier companies shortly to make them aware of our speed limit, but it was surprising to observe that many of the people speeding and driving through STOP signs are actually residents of "The Highlands". We are an active Community with many walking, biking and socializing as we greet neighbors and friends every day. As we continue to work through the best options needed to keep everyone safe, I am asking everyone to be aware of their speed as they drive through the community. Thanking you all for your cooperation in advance for Slowing Down. Chuck Ardingo

#### **KUDOS KORNER**

Thank you to Sandy Mrotek for donating a new Brothers Sewing machine to the quilters!! We are so excited to have a new sewing machine to share with our sewing ladies. We really appreciate your generosity. Kudos to you Sandy!

# SIGN UP SHEETS IN POKER ROOM

Anything from potlucks, luncheons, activities, and other communications — like sign up with your email if you

want the Fling in electronic form...sign up if you want to contribute to a memorial tree planting...sign up your opinions on this or that...

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

There is a free medical equipment loan chest in our main office. We have loads of stuff - from walkers of all kinds and sizes, wheelchairs, crutches, bedside commodes, even a knee scooter (to get around when you can't use one foot). Just come in and see Lynne during regular office hours.

#### **INCORRECT EMAIL**

The email for Board Secretary Yvonne Kulman is incorrect on The Highlands Board of Directors page of the 2023 directory. Yvonne's correct email is *kuhlmayv@luther.edu* 

#### **FRUIT GLEENING**

The immigrant organization is coming on Saturday April 8 to pick fruit. If you have some trees to pick, please email me for further information. Thanks, Connie Rose at <a href="mailto:crosehighlands23@gmail.c">crosehighlands23@gmail.c</a> om

# NEW... THE BACK PAGE

Here we list to connect with activities and services.

#### **DISPOSE-A-MED**

Next date: Saturday, April 22, 2023 10:00 AM to 02:00 PM his includes veterinarian medications and vitamins. Please keep all pills in their original containers. All the work is done for you! Please do NOT bring batteries or household hazardous waste. You can drop off any medications and it is completely anonymous. We will no longer be

We will no longer be accepting metal or glass inhalation aerosol containers, syringes, epipens, gels, creams or liquid medications. ONLY pill and powder medications will be accepted. Medical businesses and doctors offices are not allowed to

utilize this program for disposing medications.
All medications and labels are incinerated with the help of the DEA.

MEDICATIONS ARE ONLY ACCEPTED DURING DISPOSE-A-MED EVENTS AT THE DESIGNATED EVENT LOCATION.

**When** Saturday, April 22, 2023, 10:00 AM - 02:00 PM

#### Location

Oro Valley Police Department
- Main Station, 11000 N. La
Canada Dr., Oro
Valley, 85737

# APRIL 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	31	April Fool's Day
2 Ice Cream Social 1:00pm Bingo 2pm	3 Pickle Ball 9:00am Hand & Foot 1pm Crafts 1pm Ping Pong 7-8 pm	Coffee 8am Yoga Riverfront 9-10 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm	5 Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	6 Passover Pickle Ball 9:00am Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Quilting Club 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	7 Good Friday Pickle Ball 9:00am Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	8 Kaffee Klatch 9am Texas Hold'em 2:15 Clubhouse Reserved 5pm-9pm
9 Easter No Bingo	Pickle Ball 9:00am Book Club 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Crafts 1pm Ping Pong 7-8 pm	7 Coffee 8am Yoga Riverfront 9-10 am International Lunch 11am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Potluck 5:00pm	12 Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm Men's Breakfast 8am Cards & Games 6pm	13 Pickle Ball 9:00am Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Quilting Club 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	Pickle Ball 9:00am Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	15 Grill your own Meat 5pm Texas Hold'em 2:15
16 Bingo 2pm	Pickle Ball 9:00am Hand & Foot 1pm Crafts 1pm Ping Pong 7-8 pm	Coffee 8am Yoga Riverfront 9-10 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm	19 Board Meeting 10am Chair Yoga 10am Hand & Foot 1pm	Pickle Ball 9:00am Yoga Riverfront 9-10am Quilting Club 1pm Cards & Games 6pm	Pickle Ball 9:00am Social Comm. Meeting 9am Texas Hold'em 2:15 Social Hour 4 pm	22 Earth Day Texas Hold'em 2:15 Kaffee Klatch 9am
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### **MAY EVENTS**

Tues.- May 9th Potluck 5:00 pm

Wed.- May 10th Men's Breakfast

Sat.- May 13<sup>th</sup> Kaffee Klatch 9:00 am

May 18<sup>th</sup>
International Lunch
11:30 am

Sat.- May 27th Kaffee Klatch 9:00 am

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### MAY BIRTHDAYS



Ed Triplett - May 3 Donna Fritz - May 5 Jean Jackson - May 5 Carol Nadeau - May 6 Tyann Wallace - May 11 Connie Rose - May 15 Bob Wallace - May 15 Jerry Dennis - May 16 Reed Snell - May 16 Shirley Tomac- May 16 Larry Clow - May 22 Lee Olson - May 22 Alicia Gatti - May 23 Susan Weber - May 23 Bernie Lee - May 24 Helen Keilman - May 26 Bill Kuhlman - May 30

### H.O.R.A.C Update

The "Tuesday Tans and Tunes" Concert with the Cochise County Allstars and meal was attended and enjoyed by 103 people. We will be planning two concerts for next year; tentative dates are January 16 and March 12 (with food). We will be organizing a new event for next February initially dubbed "The Highlands Olympics". The

idea is to field 4 teams of 8 residents to compete in 4 games available in the recreation area (shuffleboard, horseshoes, bocce ball, mini golf or cornhole). The hope is that residents on the teams will practice the games prior to the competition and maybe find a new interest in one or all of them. No details have been determined as of yet, so stay tuned!

The new outdoor equipment shed near the shuffleboard area has been built and painted. Construction went well and came in under the budget approved by the Board. Thanks to all who helped with this important project (Ron Weihl, Chuck Ardingo, Gary Wilkinson and Brian Tomac).

Ladies, we now have a nice set of women's golf clubs and bag in the equipment shed. If you would like to learn to play golf and/or spare the cost of renting clubs, please check them out. Thanks to Dennis and Jeanne Thate for this nice donation!

Pickleball will now be limited to Mondays and Thursdays due to limited participation when there were 4 days scheduled. Times will be dependent on the weather/temperature. We would like to have at least two additional members on our committee. If you are interested in helping, please contact Ron Weihl ((231)292-2554. We have a lot of fun new initiatives we would like to get going next year, so please consider joining us. Our next regular meeting will be held Thursday, December 14, 2023, at 3 p.m. in the Resource Room.

#### **THANK YOU!**

The family of Lloyd Tomac would like to sincerely thank the residents of The Highlands for their wonderful outpouring of support both before and following the passing of Lorraine Tomac; wife, mother and grandmother. Your amazing generosity and love was shown in the form of great food, cards, prayers, flowers, heartfelt personal condolences, hugs and great attendance at the funeral. We are blessed to call each and every one of you our friends. May God Bless You All!

#### **SUMMER POTLUCKS**

There will be potlucks each month on the second Tuesday at 5:00 p.m., except in July when it will be on July 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. Jane Force will be chairing them. If you can help at one or more, please call Jane at 520-245-4164

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Who says you can't judge a

book by the cover? \* This month you are invited to choose a book based on the cover (whatever that means for you) Will it live up to your expectations? Come share it with the group on Monday, May 8 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. Looking ahead -- We plan to discuss the popular novel "West with Giraffes," by Lynda Rutlege. There is a long "hold" list at the library so get signed up there or see if you can borrow a copy ahead of the discussion in June or July... \* (Well, it was Bo Diddley who sang that in 1962....)

#### **CARDS SENT**

Lloyd Tomac- Sympathy Larry & Joan Clow- Thinking of you. Ken and Elizabeth Hinds-Thinking of you.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH

Thursday, May 18, at Scordato's Pizzeria 49II N. Stone Ave, Tucson Contemporary eatery with artisanal pizza and Italian entrees, in warm, wood-accented quarters. Meet at clubhouse at 11:15 am and carpool to the restaurant.

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# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:

Is there anyone in our community who knows a person they would recommend for a part time position helping with pool and ground chores on the weekends? Or would a resident themselves care to apply? Contact Gary Wilkinson for further information and job description. Thanks. Gary Wilkinson:

garrwilk@msm.com

#### **NEW RESIDENTS:**

310 Adirondack, Robert and Margaret Stafford 223 Weisshorn, Suzanne Kreger and Ed Saunders 10667 N. Everest Avenue, Dennis & Jeanne Thate

### ISKASHITTAA FRUIT PICKING

Thanks to all who participated and donated to this effort. On April 8 they filled up one whole van on the west side of the property and will return to pick the east side later in the month.

#### E-MAILING THE FLING

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#### **A REMINDER**

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#### **ONE SAD REPORT**

Use poison in your pest control. Has anyone seen those beautiful great Horned owls who live here? You can hear them for sure. Well - you used to see and hear them. Recently two owls were found dead on our property, obviously the victims of poisoned rodents. Please, please, please think twice before putting out poison for these rodent critters. The poisoned pack rats and mice will be eaten by the next beautiful animal in the food chain. Thank you for thinking about and acting on this issue.

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#### **KUDOS CORNER**

### ONE RESIDENT WRITES — KUDOS!!

I would like to say kudos to Dave Armstrong (and the Maintenance team per Dave) for fixing the dryer! It cuts almost an hour off of my laundry day each week! Having use of the laundry facilities, including the clothes drying area, is a wonderful amenity for those of us snowbirds who don't have our own washer and dryer (not to mention guests who may use the RV lot).

### ANOTHER RESIDENT

**WRITES:** April 8, 2023, Dear Highlands Board, I went up to

look at the wall that the Art Committee painted for our park. It is absolutely beautiful, and we are so fortunate to have all these great people who contributed their talent to the painting of the wall. I studied it very diligently and I think every creature and plant of our desert has been recognized on the wall. It is just breathtaking. I have not been quite up to par emotionally or physically lately and the wall really helped to raise my spirits. I wish to thank the committee who did this work. They all should be well honored for their time, talent, and effort. I have lived here now for over 30 years and this addition to our park is one of the best pieces of work anyone has done besides our beautiful landscape project. Oh - the golf course looks very nice too. Sincerely, Addie **Everett** 

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# THE DISCUSSION OF WEEDS VS WILDFLOWERS.

Wildflowers are beautiful and there were some beautiful displays in our park. They can also spread all over into neighbor's yards and, When finished for the season, can leave behind a mess and a fire hazard. If you like wildflowers, please incorporate them into your landscape nicely and clean them up when they're finished. Thank you.

### NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

We have our own neighborhood watch group here at the Highlands, in addition to the Oro Valley Dark House program. The Dark House Program is well utilized in the entire Oro Valley town and is staffed by a few volunteers. Our own Neighborhood Watch gives very specific watch to our specific community with our own resident volunteers. Email Elizabeth Hinds at drelizfortin@aol.com

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#### JUNE EVENTS

Wed. – June 7th Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

> Mon.- June 12<sup>th</sup> Book Club 10:00 am

Tues.- June 13<sup>th</sup> Potluck 5:00 pm

Tues. - June 20<sup>th</sup> Game Day 3:00 pm

Thurs. – June 22nd International Dinner 4:30 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### JUNE BIRTHDAYS



6/1 Larry Day
6/4 Jo Galli
6/5 Terri Sebastian
6/9 Jane Force
6/9 Judi Olson
6/11 Andy Gerry
6/12 Valerie Day
6/19 Laurie Hartman
6/20 Jim Tomac
6/21 Paul DeLong
6/22 Judy Pope
6/24 Lloya Osier
6/26 Mike Cook

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

"Ideas are like rabbits. You get a couple and learn how to handle them, and pretty soon you have a dozen." ~ John Steinbeck. Noble Laureate John Steinbeck authored 33 books including fiction, nature writing, memoir, and collections of short stories. Readers are invited to choose one of his works and join us for informal conversation in the club house at 10 a.m. Monday, June 12.

# INTERNATIONAL DINNER

Mr. An's Teppan Steak & Seafood 6091 N Oracle Rd Thursday, June 22, we will be dining out for dinner. Mr. An's take pride in serving you the best quality Japanese cuisine. The Master Tappan Chefs perform dazzling shows and prepare your food right at your table. We will be leaving the clubhouse at 4:30 pm and carpooling to the restaurant. Sign up at the clubhouse. Questions call Suzan at 575-937-3737.

#### **GAME DAY**

Tuesday, June 20, 3:00 pm Are you ready to play some games? We will be playing games inside the clubhouse to beat this heat. What games you ask, we were thinking cornhole and lasso golf throwing. Bring your drink & a snack if you like, mark your calendar!

#### **AQUAFIT**

Aquafit has begun. We meet at 9:00 Mon., Tues, Thur., Fri., Sat., at 9:00 am and Wed., at 10:00 am.

### THANK YOU, COMMUNITY!

I'm grateful for all your thoughts and prayers. Your kindness made the hours of uncertainty manageable and strengthened me daily. Lynne Jordan

### THE HIGHLANDS ASSISTANCE DOG SUPPORT GROUP

A new social group has been formed in The Highlands. The purpose of the group is to support owners of Assistance and Emotional Support Dogs here in The Highlands. Activities will include group meetings to discuss dog care. sharing information on community issues, and planning fun events with our dogs. We would encourage any Highland residents that love dogs or want to get one of these wonderful companions to join us. There is a sign-up sheet in the club house.

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#### **KUDOS CORNER**

**Kudos** to Chuck Ardingo for working two days cleaning up brush & Debris at our entrance off Lambert.

Thanks, Chuck, for making our community a beautiful place to live.

**Kudos** to Jane Force for initiating the article about the Art Mural in the Loving Life after 50 and The Explorer news publications.

**Kudos** to Sharon Dennis and Patti Tripplett for completing the four walls of the mural.

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#### **NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH - report**

BEWARE of RATTLESNAKES on the warm roadway - in the evenings. One 'watcher' has seen people walking, talking on their cells, and nearly stepping on snakes - in the low light of evening.

#### From the website: Rattlesnake HQ

Exercise extreme caution! You don't want to move around too much or you'll risk stepping on it and will most certainly be bitten. Once you have located the snake, either stay still and allow it to move or else start to back away slowly.

SO YES - THE SNAKE CAN STRIKE WITHOUT BEING COILED - IF YOU STEP ON IT, MOST CERTAINLY.

But, any snake will probably strike you if you step on it.

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#### **ORGANIC WEED CONTROL**

Yes, there is a homemade recipe which combines vinegar, salt and liquid dish soap.

Read more about it at:

https://nativeplantherald.prairienursery. com/2019/01/how-to-make-a-homemade-weed-killer/

#### The Recipe

Pour 1 gallon of white vinegar into a bucket. 5-percent household white vinegar is fine. It may take two or three days longer to kill the weeds with the lower concentration, but it does work.

Add 1 cup of table salt. Stir the solution with a long-handled spoon until all the salt dissolves completely.

Stir in 1 tablespoon of liquid dish washing soap. The soap helps the vinegar and salt solution coat and adhere to the weeds.

Blend all thoroughly and then funnel the weed killer into a plastic spray bottle.

This site says that household vinegar (which is 4% acetic acid) is sufficient - but takes longer. A resident emailed me that industrial vinegar is 45% concentrated and is ideal.

Correction from May Fling. On the report of using poison in pest control. The first sentence read "Use poison in your pest control." Should have read, "DO NOT use poison in your pest control."

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#### JULY EVENTS

Tues - July 4th 4th of July BBQ 1 pm

Mon. - July 10th Book Club 10 am

Thurs.- July 13<sup>th</sup> International Luncheon 11:30 am

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### JULY **BIRTHDAYS**



7/2 Louise Freker

7/13 Ken Reinking 7/17 Kelly Gelhaus

7/18 Laurie Tendler

7/20 Kathy Ahlberg

7/20 Kathy Reagan 7/21 Sharon Dennis

7/21 Deanna Lederer

7/27 Dan Wallace

7/28 Linda Wilcoxson

### HIGHLANDS BOOK **CLUB**

In celebration of our Independence, readers are free to choose any book they would like to read and share with the group at our next gathering, Monday July 10 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. This informal conversation about books happens the second Monday of every month year-round. Everyone is welcome, no sign up.

### 4th OF JULY BBQ

After the June potluck, a group of us residents were brainstorming ideas for the 4th of July. The idea of a Brisket BBQ was born.

Volunteers met and lunch was planned. The menu along with BBQ beef brisket on bun, baked beans, Cole slaw, watermelon, and homemade ice cream. Place settings are included, bring your own beverages. Local and live music will be provided after lunch. Tickets are \$10.00, there are a few tickets available.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

GREEK FOOD IN JULY... Hope you will join us for fun and good food. Great way to meet new people who live in the Highlands!

LOCATION: IT'S GREEK TO

ME 15920 N Oracle #120. Catalina. AZ

DATE: Thursday, July 13th

TIME: 11:30 am meet at

Highlands Clubhouse SIGN UP: Sign up list is in the

clubhouse in the Poker table area. Questions?? Call Suzan Wilkinson 575-937-

3737. Please leave a message if I don't answer.

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The Aquafit schedule has changed. We now meet Monday through Saturday at 9:00. am.

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### A/C, FURNACE REPLACEMENT:

Yikes - the 100 degree heat has come for good it seems (well for the next 3-4 months anyway). What a time for our antique A/C system in the office to give out! Luckily the Reserve Fund had proactively allocated this expense so it was replaced in short order - and Gary Wilkinson even coaxed an extra year warranty out of it. Thank you maintenance crew!

#### **A REMINDER**

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### NEW RESIDENTS: .....

### **Gary Jones:**

301 W Andes

### Craig & Lisa Johnson:

10734 N Kilimanjaro

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#### **AUGUST EVENTS**

Tues – August 8th Potluck

Mon – August 14th Book Club 10 am

No Men's Breakfast until Fall

No Kaffee Klatch in August

### **AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

8/4 Jerry Ferrill 8/10 Marilyn Staley 8/11 Terry Reagan 8/14 Ginny Tanner 8/19 Addie Everett 8/26 Kathy Wallace 8/29 Dave Freker

#### **AUGUST POTLUCK**

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# GUIDELINES FOR THE HIGHLANDS

In April of this year at the Open Board Meeting some quidelines were presented for growing Wildflowers within The Highlands Community. We recognize that many of our residents like flowers and the colors they provide, especially in spring. We offer the following guidelines for 2023/2024: Please keep all wildflowers in groupings or in flowerbeds; raised beds or bordered beds are acceptable. Please keep

flowers approximately 18 inches from road pavement or curbing depending upon where you reside. Do not let your flowers spread outside the perimeter of your property unless you have spoken to and have permission from neighbors that may be impacted. Please exercise caution when planting close to your home. In dry hot weather fire hazards are possible. It is also recommended that you remove dried flowers at the end of the season. Should you have any questions, comments or suggestions please feel free to contact Chuck Ardingo or Linc Keilman Thank You!

#### **SCRAPBOOKING**

Do you have boxes of photos or memorabilia you want to preserve, but you just don't know where to begin?
Do you have a creative side, bursting to try something new? Do you like color, shapes, textures and dimension?
If you are interested in learning how to scrapbook or make cards, please call Sara Danville-Gelhaus at (951) 453-1035.

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Wall hugger electric recliner. 1 year old. Paid \$1250. Will sell for \$700.00

**Recliner.** 1 year old \$300.00 Text Naomi at 520-204-6673

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into the search bar. Or - you can point you phone camera at the QR code here and click on the connecting link that appears. That takes you directly to our website where you can find current and old Flings, the CC&Rs,



downloadable forms and updated info.

### **CORRECTIONS CORNER**

In the May ('23) issue under new residents I received a correction from Peg Stafford: Margaret (Peg) Stafford lives at 326 W Appalachian St and there isn't a Robert with me.

I'm sorry for the error, Peg and welcome to our community.

# AUGUST 2023

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9-13 David Cruz

9-13 Craig Bennett

9-18 Chris Horst

9-18 John Sands

9-20 Gail Horst

9-21 Madeline Hurley

9-23 Mary Rausch

9-23 Alan Ahlberg

9-29 Bill Krohn

### DOLLY STEAMBOAT BUS TRIP

The Highlands Day Trippers bus trip to Canyon Lake & Organ Stop Pizza is sold out, but you can call Jamie (309-

230-0233) to get your name on the waiting list. The date of the trip is Tuesday October 17th, and the cost is \$81/person which includes your seat on the bus, an hour and half narrated paddle wheel boat ride around Canyon Lake, a pizza & salad lunch @ Organ Stop Pizza with an amazing show on the Wurlitzer Organ and "bus bingo" on the way up with the chance to win VALUABLE prizes!! More info will follow in the

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

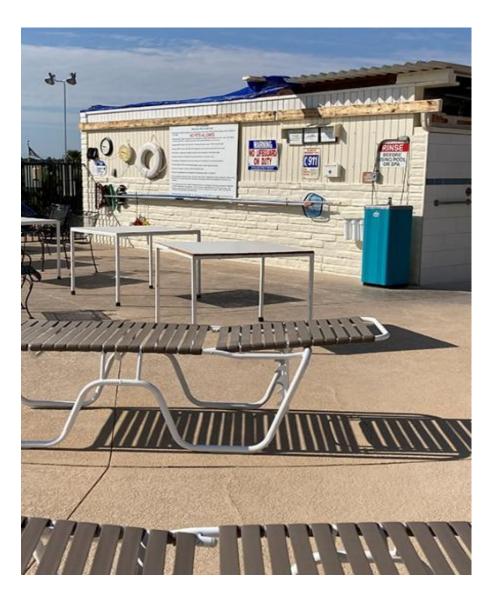
October Flina.

Thursday, September 14th Saffron Indian Bistro 7607 N Oracle Rd, Oro Valley, AZ 85704 WE WILL MEET AT THE CLUBHOUSE AT 11:15 am and carpool to luncheon. Men and women are all welcome to join us. Please sign up in the clubhouse. The signup sheets are along the windows next to the poker table.

# WE HAD QUITE A STORM ON AUGUST 16<sup>TH</sup>.

The winds were unofficially clocked at 80 MPH near the clubhouse! There was widespread damage - but the good news is that no one was injured. That storm also brought out the goodness in our neighbors, as we see people pitching in to help clean up debris, advise, recommend... It also can bring out predators and solicitors (sharks as some call them). We have a sign posted at the entrance: No soliciting allowed - so if you are approached by someone wanting your work, remind them of this policy. There is a resource bulletin board at the clubhouse. If you have a good contractor/handyman/roofer/ house cleaner, etc. please place their card, and a note who is recommending them, there.







### MARKETPLACE ....

It has been discussed that we offer a Marketplace section in the Fling. Residents can buy/sell items or services to other residents of the Highlands.

(This will not be publicized outside of the park).

**Email** CROSEHIGHLANDS23@GMAIL. COM and *put Marketplace in subject line*. Then send a brief description and your contact information.

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Fri., Sept. 29 & Sat., Sept. 30 7:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Vintage, one-of-a-kind items, household items, handmade quilts, outdoor furniture and much more. Everything goes!

WINTER RENTAL. Fully furnished 2 bedroom, 2 bath home for rent at 10734 Kilimanjaro. Available for the winter months from mid Dec. or January 2024 to May. Call 520-241-0822 or Lisa Johnson at 785-787-4787.

# **SCHWINN** recumbent exercise bike.

I paid \$450 will part for \$180.

Rich Vertel.

Pedego electric bike. Paid \$3,400. Will sell for \$1,800. Only had 60 miles on it. Virtually new. Very dusty though. Could use a good bath.

Text interest at 847-431-0232.

### LAST PAGE

This section is a communication between the board and the residents – and the residents and the board.

#### **GRAPHIC DESIGN**

Want to self publish a book, prepare a business document, advertise an event or product? I can help.

Text Connie at: 520-343-5965

#### FOR YOUR SAFETY AND CONVENIENCE

I think we will be protecting ourselves from the COVID virus for a long, long time. I personally have friends and family who continue to relax their precautions and are coming down with the virus. We have decided to place antibacterial soap and hand sanitizer in convenient, touchfree dispensers throughout the clubhouse and at the office. Not all the soaps in the restrooms have been replaced yet, nor at the pool, but will be when we install automatic paper towel dispensers later in the fall. They are touch free - just place your hand under the dispenser and a dollop of soap or sanitizer is dispensed. Feel free to use these - to protect yourselves and others. Thanks.

#### **A REMINDER**

We do have a loan chest in the office of medical equipment. Before going to any expense, come see what we have.

# SEPTEMBER 2023

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#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Sat.- Oct. 7th Tusong Sing-Along 6:30-8:00 pm

> Tues. - Oct 10<sup>th</sup> Potluck 5pm

Sat.- Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> Kaffee Klatch 9 am

Tues.- Oct. 17th Boat Trip 7am

Friday- Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> Social Club Meeting 9am

Sun.- Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup>
Donato Valdivia's Birthday
Please wish him a Happy
Birthday

Sat. – Oct 28<sup>th</sup> Kaffee Klatch 9 am

Tues.- Oct.31<sup>st</sup>
Halloween Potluck 5pm
Dress accordingly if you
choose, let's get scary!

# OCTOBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Monday, Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>. Board meeting Oct. 18<sup>th</sup> at 10.00 am.

### OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

10/1 Terry Tendler10/2 Jerry Lederer

10/7 Ken Giallombardo

10/8 Mae Giallombardo

10/8 Tere Nunez

10/9 Barbara Mort

10/9 Al Rausch

10/11 Steve Horst

10/16 Patti Triplett

10/22 Donato Valdivia

10/29 Javier Valdivia

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESUMES NEEDED

The Highlands annual election will be held Friday, Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024. We are seeking 3 members to replace outgoing directors. Please email or drop resumes off at the office. Please call Sara Danville-Gelhaus with any questions that you may have. 951-453-1035 kbgsld@sbcglobal.net

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

On Thursday, October 28th, we will be dining at a cozy little European restaurant. Sign up in the club house over by the poker table.

We will carpool from the clubhouse at 11:15 am. Location: CHEF ALISHA'S Address: 5931 N Oracle Rd Tucson, AZ.

Time: 11:15 meet at the clubhouse and we will carpool Please call me if you have any questions.

nave any questions. Suzan Wilkinson 575-937-3737

Please leave a message if I

don't answer.

#### **TUSONG SING- ALONG**

Do you like to sing? Tusong, a local sing-along band, will be at the clubhouse Saturday, Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:00. They will lead us in some popular and simple sing-along songs. Singing and dancing to the music is encouraged.

### HIGHLANDS DAY TRIPPERS

Our bus trip to the **Dolly**Steamboat and Organ Stop

Pizza is scheduled for the
17th of October. All seats on
the bus have been paid for so
if you <u>CANNOT</u> make the trip,
please let Jamie Horst (309230-0233) know as he has a
waiting list. We will leave
from the clubhouse @ 7:00
a.m. on the 17th of October
as we have to be ready to

board the vessel by 9:30 a.m. Our cruise will start at 10:00 a.m. and they do have an 'onboard' concession which is CASH only at your cost. We'll head to the Organ Stop Pizza after our hour and half cruise around Canvon Lake for a pizza & salad bar buffet and of course the amazing entertainment done on the nearly 100-year-old Wurlitzer Organ. Soft drinks are included in your ticket price. but they do have wine and beer for sale at YOUR cost. I'll be arriving back in the Highlands on the 27th of September and will be around to collect the additional money owed. TOTAL price per person is \$81.00 and while some of you have already paid this, the majority of you still owe \$46.00 per person. Looking forward to a wonderful trip and if you have any questions, please give me a call. Thanks, Jamie Horst

### **ARTS & CRAFTS**

The resource room will be open again for Arts & Crafts on Mondays at 1:00-3:00 in October for anyone wanting to paint rocks or work on their own projects. We will not begin classes until later in the season. Keep a look out in the Fling and at the Clubhouse for updates.

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Pulitzer Prize
 winner, Geraldine
 Brooks will be the
 featured author for

- our discussion October 9, 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. Her 2022 bestseller, HORSE is based on a true story of the recordbreaking thoroughbred, Lexington. Readers are invited to choose from any of her novels. Other subjects include: Cal eb's Crossing, the first Native American graduate of Harvard; People of the Book, a 15th century illuminated manuscript; The Secret Chord, the Biblical King David: March, the absent father in Little Women: and The Year of Wonder, a novel of the plaque of 1666.
- Looking ahead.... In honor of Veteran's Day, our November topic will be "WAR and PEACE." Not the Russian novel (whew!) - just choose a book from any genre on those topics. For December, select a book with "Red" or "Green" in the title. These informal book-ish conversations happen the second Monday of every month... no sign up required.
- The Book Club would like to hear from

authors who are part of the Highlands Community. Please contact V. Day 607-565-9387.

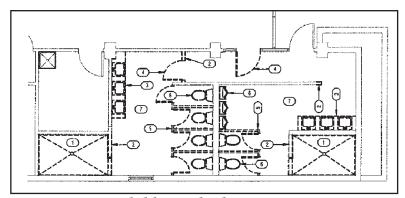
#### **HELP**

We need help, chair people are stepping down! At this time, we are looking for someone to do Saturday morning Kaffee Klatch at 9:00 am, 2nd & 4th Saturday of every month. Next we are looking for someone who would like to chair the Ladies Lunch (you pick the day). And last, we need someone to step up and do the Marquee. If you are interested, even a little bit please contact Cindy Bennett (810) 599-8929 Social Committee Chair. These social events effect many people, and we can't do them without.

#### CHEMO CAPS

I would like to form a group of ladies that would meet every Monday from @1:00 p.m. -2:00 p.m. at the Club House to crochet or knit Chemo Caps to donate to the BAGITCANCER.org. Once we have 12 or more we can put them in a Ziplock bag with a note that says: MADE WITH CARE BY (your name). I will call for them to be picked up and delivered to the patients. I do have a very easy pattern to follow. Mark your calendar to meet me starting October 16th. Tere' Nuñez@520-647-1166

# Floor plans for the Clubhouse Bathrooms Remodel October 2023



Architect Chuck Meyer, who was hired by the THI Board last spring, has submitted his final draft for our Clubhouse Bathrooms Remodel to the Town of Oro Valley for approval.

Hopefully several bids will be presented at the October Board meeting.

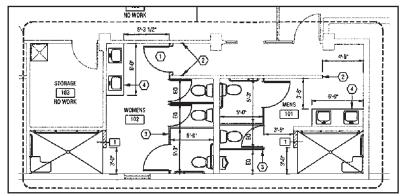
### Existing Clubhouse bathrooms -Women's room on left, men's room on right. September 2023

(Basically: 3 sinks reduced to two in both,
4 toilets in women's reduced to 3
- one large handicap toilet.

Men's two toilets remain, one large handicap,
reducing urinals to one.

Enlarging the opening to both showers and
removing the entrance block and resurfacing

and resloping the shower floors.)



Revised Clubhouse bathrooms -Women's room on left, men's room on right. September 2023

August 16, 2023 storm

### **Memorial Tree Project**

Remember the tree project we started last May? The project to replace the Palo Verdes?

We had a very long, dry, very hot summer and planting trees was put on hold. Thankfully - new trees wouldn't have survived the wind on Aug. 16. That day, two established Palo Verde trees were violently uprooted, leaving 2 new spots to fill. There were 3 individuals who signed the sheet for providing memorial funds for the trees, thank you to them. I put the sign up sheet back in the poker room for anyone else who would like to donate – to increase that Tree Project budget. Lynne will set up a tree fund with any money donated.

I have definite ideas and will be tree shopping as it is fall!! Join me if you can and learn all about it. I think there's only one or two of us on the committee.

Connie Rose. Email me at: crosehighlands23@gmail.com - put "trees" in the subject line.

Thanks.

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Rich Vertel.

#### **FOR SALE**

2019 TOYOTA COROLLA. Red. About 94,000 miles. Perfect condition with a few scratches. Call or text Helen. 520-235-7086

#### **FOR SALE**

Women's Schwinn 21 Speed Bike with extras. Nice Ride, Excellent Condition \$100. Contact Terri Sebastian 231 W Matterhorn

#### A VIEWPOINT FROM ANOTHER

**RESIDENT:** regarding weeds and keeping up your property.

"Those who do not live here year round have to understand that many of us are full-time residents. You might not have to look at your yards for 4-5 months, but we have to look at it

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every day." Please consider that when you are leaving. Have in place someone who can tame the weeds in your absence. Thanks.

HIGHLANDS MAINTENANCE WILL PICK UP SMALL AMOUNTS OF STORM DEBRIS IN OCTOBER. Bundle the debris and put on curb. The trash company has also volunteered to pick up small amounts on trash day. Thank you for your considerations.

# YOU CALL IT WEEDS, I CALL IT WILDFLOWERS!

**WILDFLOWER GUIDELINES** (Reprinted from the August 2023 Fling)

In April of this year [2023] at the Open Board Meeting some guidelines were presented for growing Wildflowers within The Highlands Community. We recognize that many of our residents like flowers and the colors they provide, especially in spring. We offer the following guidelines for 2023/2024: Please keep all wildflowers in groupings or in flowerbeds; raised beds or bordered beds are acceptable. Please keep flowers approximately 18 inches from road pavement or curbing depending upon where you reside. Do not let your flowers spread outside the perimeter of your property unless you have spoken to and have permission from neighbors that may be impacted. Please exercise caution when planting close to your home. In dry hot weather fire hazards are possible. It is also recommended that you remove dried flowers at the end of the season. Should you have any questions, comments or suggestions please feel free to contact

Chuck Ardingo or Linc Keilman Thank You!

# OCTOBER 2023

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#### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

**Wed. - Nov. 8**<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast 8 am

Sat.- Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> Coffee Klatch 9 am

Tue.- Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> Vaccine Clinic 9:30 am

> Wed.- Nov. 15th Board Meeting 10 am

**Fri. - Nov.17**<sup>th</sup> Social Club Meeting 9am

**Thur. – Nov.23rd**Thanksgiving Potluck 2:30

Sat. – Nov. 25th Coffee Klatch 9 am

# NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Monday, Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>. Board meeting Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> at 10.00 am.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

11/1 Paul Gerleman 11/01 Mont Hartman 11/03 Janet Reed 11/04 Claudia Jensen 11/04 Patty James 11/09 Karen Molique 11/10 Don Hall 11/15 George Tanner 11/16 Barbara Scantlan 11/20 Kathy Garver 11/20 Kay Morgan 11/20 Dori Zeilin 11/23 Diane Leigh 11/24 Yvonne Kuhlman 11/29 Donell Forest 11/29 Jan Hamilton

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#### **MENS BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will resume on 11/08/2023 As many of you know Jerry Bob's on Magee has closed.

We will be looking for a new place. On the 8th we will head to Ole Mexican Grill located at: 2080 W Orange Grove Rd. They open at 8AM so there is no need for early arrival. The signup sheet will be in the Clubhouse so please sign the list. It is important we give the owners an accurate count so that they can assign their staff accordingly. See you there ... Steve Horst

# THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

When attending a Potluck at The Highlands, you should bring a dish to share; something that will serve 8-10 people. Also, please bring your own place setting and SIGN UP at the clubhouse. There will be limited seating and turkey will be supplied by the Social Committee. It's everyone's responsibility to clean after themselves when using the clubhouse. There is always a broom and dustpan in the laundry room.

#### **RV LOT RENTERS**

Please remove weeds in your lot.

### RECENT ARIZONA SUPREME COURT RULING REGARDING CC&R AMENDMENTS

The following information is about the challenge of amending CC&Rs in Arizona. The Arizona Supreme Court issued an opinion last March that may require consent of 100% of the owners to make any changes "of substance" likely including all of the use restrictions. But at a minimum, the Arizona Supreme Court's opinion cast doubts on the validity of most new amendments, unless they have 100% consent approval of the owners UNLESS the amendments apply only to future buyers. Despite the language CC&Rs about amending the CC&Rs, the Arizona Supreme Court has said that a general amendment provision IS NOT ADEQUATE NOTICE to inform buyers what types of changes by vote of their neighbors.

Things like changing whether pets are allowed or imposing a cap on the number of rental units. A SINGLE OBJECTING OWNER COULD POTENTIALLY UNDO ANY AMENDMENT ON THESE TOPICS.

In the case of capping the number of rentals all we have to do is apply the cap to incoming new owners—preventing LLCs from swooping up future homes for the purpose of renting them. Current owners would be grandfathered in.

The pet issue is totally

different. If we were restricting

pets it would apply to new owners only if a current owner had a pet. If we are originally restricting pets, we can't all of the sudden allow pets unless we had 100% agreement of all owners.

#### **CORK PUMPKINS**

Come join us to make a Fall Cork Pumpkin decoration November 13th Cost \$5 Sign up in the clubhouse on the clipboards.

### BATHROOM REMODEL-REED SNELL

The building code requires that if a bathroom has an accessible stall and a shower. the shower must also be accessible. Unfortunately, the drawing shown in the October Fling has been rejected by the Town of Oro Valley after they submitted it to the U.S. Access Board. There is also the issue of having a dressing space available which further complicates the available space for the accessible shower. A copy of this letter has been given to all board members and may be viewed in the office if anyone wishes to understand some of the specifics. After meeting with Dave Willett and having a conversation with Chuck Meyer, the architect selected for this project, the best solution from a cost standpoint would be to eliminate the showers and convert the area into storage space. Trying to keep showers would add tens of thousands of dollars and require essentially gutting the restrooms and starting from

scratch. There is no code requirement to have the showers, nor is it practical to keep them and so the committee recommends the showers be eliminated and converted into storage. An argument was presented that we have a responsibility to provide showers to guests that stay at the RV lot. There are only a couple of spaces available to rent and our agreement only covers a base `fee and power hookup. There is no mention of showers being a part of that agreement. Anyone staying at the lot is a relative or guest of a member here and we feel certain that they could shower at their host's place. We all wish that keeping the showers would be feasible, but the committee doesn't believe it would be cost effective for the little usage they would get. Please let your board member know that you would like to proceed with the remodel despite losing the showers. Delaying this only adds more cost to the project. Thank you everyone for helping to make this a reality!

# HISTORY LOVERS COFFEE KLATCH NOV. 11TH

We have a guest speaker:
Douglas Woodard who is now
serving as the Historical
Advisor to the San Angelo
NAACP Buffalo Soldiers
Memoria Project. He is also a
life member of the Tuskegee
Airman National Organization.

# GOLF CART CHRISTMAS PARADE

Our 12th annual Golf Cart Parade is scheduled for December 10<sup>th</sup>, all are welcome just decorate your golf cart, your bicycle, yourself, and join us. The parade will start at 4:15, so meet at the clubhouse at 4:00. After the parade we will meet at the clubhouse for a social event, all are welcome. Please bring your own drinks and some snacks to share. There will be a sing-along led by Linc and Helen Keilman. Between 6:30-7:00 those who have lights, and wish to, we will tour the parade route one more time. Any questions call Bill Behrendsen at (916) 798-7733.

#### **CHEMO CAPS**

Chemo Cap Creators: Knit, crochet, sew, or donate yarn. We are meeting in the Resource Room every Monday 1:00-3:00 not in the Club house as mentioned in the October Fling.

#### **HOLIDAY SALE**

Mark your calendar we will be having a Holiday Sale at Saturday morning Coffee Klatch on Nov 25.

# MARK YOUR CALENDARS

As we approach the Thanksgiving and Christmas Seasons, this is your first reminder that it's time to start gathering and putting your "treasures" together for the Community and White Elephant Sales coming in February.

You'll be seeing more info coming in December, January, and February, but you can start by marking your calendars for the community sale on Feb. 17th and the W.E. Sale on the 24th. More information on these two events will be seen in the months to follow. Any questions please feel free to contact either of the co-chairs, Steve, or Jamie Horst.

#### **CLUBHOUSE WIFI**

Wi-Fi is now available in the clubhouse.

Highlands\_guest\_2,4 Password: 10700Highlands

NOTE: The password for the WIFI - is case sensitive. The correct password is: 10700Highlands (with a capital H).

### NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

Hello neighbors, and welcome back to our returning seasonal residents! We have seen quite a few rattlesnakes around lately and wanted to remind you that they are very active this time of year and for the next few weeks because they are eating up all they can find to prepare for their winter hibernation. So, as always please be careful and don't walk without a flashlight at night. The beam hits them and lights them up and you will see those sparkly diamonds on their back and realize it's not a stick you see up there in the road. They like

to lay in the road and soak up the remaining heat once it cools down at night. Also, anyone who would like to help with Neighborhood Watch, even if it's just for the winter to give a little time off to those who watched your property in the summer heat, please give me a call. We have lost quite a few members over the last few years, from folks moving or passing away. Thanks! Elizabeth Hinds 520-440-7056

### **CHAIR/OFFICE YOGA**

A gentle class for anyone who prefers not to be down on the floor. All yoga postures will be done seated or standing, using the chair as a prop for support and balance. The class will be well-rounded with a variety of stretches and breathing techniques to help you feel more flexible, relaxed, stronger, and energized! All welcome, guys included! Led by Susan Weber. Highland's resident. I have been a certified yoga instructor since 2001. Class is approximately 45 minutes, donations accepted. Call me at 505-927-4216 to register or questions. Every Wednesday, beginning November 8, 11 am. Hope to see you!

# RIVERFRONT YOGA with SUSAN WEBER.... BSW, LMT, LYI

Stretch into your day and enhance your week with mindful yoga! You will feel refreshed, energized, stronger and more peaceful to face your challenges in these turbulent times. My style is accessible for all levels (beginners & beyond), all body types with variations for many postures to fit your body, and not force your body to fit the posture. I begin with some fun warm-ups, (5-8 minutes), then a flowing asana practice and guided resting pose (sivasana) with occasional pranayama practices (breathing exercises). Class runs 45-60 minutes. Bring your amazing self, invite a friend, and bring a mat or large towel, & blocks if you have them. We will meet at the picnic tables to sign in and begin at a flat area near the tables at Riverfront Pk. The first class is November 7 & 9, Tuesday & Thursdays thereafter. Donations kindly accepted (suggest \$5-10), Questions? Call or text me at 505-927-4216. Susan has been teaching yoga since 2001 at **Ghost Ranch Conference** Center in NM, aboard National Geographic Ships for 7 years, and her own studio in NM. I have a social work background, and also am a licensed massage therapist. I look forward to having you in my class! Namaste' Susan Weber

### RENTERS REGISTRATION

A reminder to please have tenants register with the office.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Jan Pepperdine Get Well
Sara Danville
Gelhaus Sympathy
on loss of her brother
Bill Franklin Get Well
Karen Lason Sympathy
Loss of her husband
Gene Malik Get Well
Jan Pepperdine Get Well

**Kudos** to Dave and Shelly Armstrong for the use of their tractor and trailer. It saved the Highlands hundreds of dollars and many hours of backbreaking labor!

IN MEMORY OF... Bill Lason Yvonne Schultz

# SOCIAL HOUR & GAMES

Come meet some neighbors, bring a beverage, a snack to share and a few dollars for some games of chance.
Afterwards you can join in on some games, Euchre, Farkle, Five Crown, Uno...

#### **KUDOS CORNER**

Kudos to Ray and Barbara
Scantlan for getting our
Tree Project kitty rolling.
There are several
other residents to thank who
have signed on to
this project. Wendy Pickar,
Dee Farris-Morelli,
Helen & Linc Keilman, Jerry
and Sharon Dennis,
Charlotte Marshall & Ken
Kemerling, the
Knudsens. Email me for
further info. Connie.
crosehighlands23@gmail.com

### MARKETPLACE .....

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### For Sale By Owner

Home located at 10668 N Kittatinny Ave. in The Highlands Community. 1968 square feet; 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, 500 square foot stick built addition, 3 evaporative cooling units, work shop. Washer, dryer and all kitchen appliances included. Sold as is. Shown & information by appointment only. Please call or text 520-471-4729.

**Ford Ranger 2008 XLT** Supercab 4x2. 165,000 miles Call Nancy 780-608-6792 (on Rainier)

VACCINES. TUESDAY NOV. 14. Have you had all the vaccines you want? Sick of running around trying to find the Pharmacys that offer them? Karen Molique had this idea of a vaccination clinic, she researched the details and help set it up. Safeway will offer a vaccination clinic at the Clubhouse NOVEMBER 14. It will start at 9:30 am after the Tuesday morning coffee. If interested, PLEASE sign up in the card room on the clipboard and indicate which vaccine you are interested in getting. Most, but not all, vaccines are free. Just bring your insurance card, medicare card or credit card. Also take and fill out the Informed Consent form. And indicate a time slot too.

#### WE NEED YOUR INPUT!!!

The bathroom remodel committee is recommending major structural changes, including eliminating the showers and converting them to storage areas. I'll let Reed - the chairman of this committee for 3 years at least - explain this better on the inside pages.

### 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.

Please provide your input regarding the bathroom shower sacrifice to the board by email, phone call, text and/or please attend the Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 10:00AM.

Further, a new Arizona Supreme Court case impacts changing HOA CC&Rs. Our HOA Attorney, Jason Smith, will address our membership at our next open board meeting regarding the Supreme Court ruling on handling CC&R changes. So please attend the Open Board Meeting on Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 10:00AM to hear about these implications from Jason Smith, our attorney.

WE DO HAVE A MEDICAL EQUIPMENT LOAN CHEST in the office. Before going to any expense, come see what we have.

THOSE OF YOU THAT BACK UP TO THE WASH - Please do not throw your debris into the wash as it can 'wash' down stream and create a dam and potential flooding for residents!!

#### **BRAINIAC IDEA: Photos in our directory.**

Yvonne brought up an idea - for any of us who are name/face challenged - to have our photos in the phone directory. Nothing like a glamour shot, just think school yearbook size, black and white, with accompanying name, grouped many on the page.

If you want to participate you can email a photo to Connie (include your name and put "directory photo" in subject line) before the February '24 printing. I am right organized to store them on my computer. Connie - CROSEHIGHLANDS23@GMAIL.COM

# NOVEMBER 2023

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#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Thurs.- Dec 7<sup>th</sup>
International Lunch 11:15

Sat.- Dec. 9th Coffee Klatch 9 am

Wed.- Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> Men's Breakfast 8 am

Wed.-Dec. 20<sup>th</sup>
Open Board Meeting 10 am

**Mon.- Dec. 25**<sup>th</sup> Christmas Potluck 2:30 pm

**Sun.- Dec. 31st** New Year's Eve Party 6:00 pm

# DECEMBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Monday, Dec 6<sup>th</sup>. Board meeting Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> at 10.00 am.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

12/2 Reggie Wenaas
12/2 Teresa Wojdyla
12/3 Sara Danville-Gelhaus
12/6 Willis Jackson
12/8 Elaine Reed
12/9 Dave Calkins
12/9 Lynne Jordan
12/16 Karen Reinking
12/22 Carol Coville
12/22 Dee Farris
12/25 Dave Knudson
12/29 Helen Knudson

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESUMES NEEDED

12/29 Jim Rehnberg

The Highlands annual election will be held Friday, Feb. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024. We are seeking 3 members to replace outgoing directors. Please email or drop resumes off at the office by Dec 10th. Please call Rich Vertel- with any questions that you may have. 847-431-0232

#### **MENS BREAKFAST**

The next Men's Breakfast will be 0n December 13th at the Ole Mexican Grill located at 2080 W Orange Grove Rd. Sign-up sheet is located in the Clubhouse. Please

sign up by December 11th so that we may give the restaurant an accurate headcount ... the November breakfast at Ole went very well. Look forward to seeing you there. Steve Horst

#### **CHRISTMAS POTLUCK**

Dec 25 at 2:30 pm.
Please sign up early, the signup sheet will be taken down
on Dec 18 so the Social
Committee
will have time to buy the
hams. Once again this is a
POTLUCK so bring your own
place setting & a dish to share
for 8-10 people.

# GOLF CART CHRISTMANS PARADE

Our 12th annual Golf Cart Parade is scheduled for December 10th, all are welcome just decorate your golf cart, your bicycle, yourself and join us. The parade will start at 4:15 so meet at the clubhouse at 4:00. After the parade we will meet at the clubhouse for a social event, all are welcome. Please bring vour own drinks and some snacks to share. There will be a sing along led by Linc & Helen Keilman. Between 6:30 and 7:00 those who have

lights, and wish to, we will tour the parade route one more time. SPECIAL NOTE: For those of us that have lights on our carts we will meet at the clubhouse on Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:15 and tour the park at 6:30, then meet at Bernie and Anita's for a get-together around their fire pit. (byob) Any questions call Bill Behrendsen at (916) 798-7733

# HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB meets in the clubhouse at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month, for an informal discussion of books. At the December 11 gathering readers with share a personal selection with "RED" or "GREEN" in the title or on the cover. This "open format" makes for lively conversation across genres. For January, we will read a book in common, "Snow Flower and the Secret Fan," by Lisa See. Everyone is welcome - no sign up necessary.

# INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

December 7<sup>th</sup> at Bottega Michelangelo's 420 W Magee Rd. WE WILL LEAVE THE CLUBHOUSE AT 11:15 a.m. Limited seating, so sign up quickly please. Call or text Suzan with any questions. 575-937-3737

#### **ARTS & CRAFTS**

We will be making Terra Cotta Santas. Come join on Dec 13th us at our usual time of 1:00 in The Resource Room to make this fun and easy craft. The cost of \$5 to offset the materials will be collected at the time of class. Sign-up on the clipboard located in the Clubhouse card/poker.

# COMMUNITY AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALES

This year the Community Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, Feb. 17th, 2024. If you have any items that you're looking to sell there will be a "Sign-up" sheet in the Clubhouse (Dec.1st) for you to put your name and address on. We will post the sale on Craig's List, but you can also purchase a RED helium balloon at Dollar Tree or Fry's for \$1.50 to help identify your address for those looking to buy items. We will post a sign on the road by the office that advises prospective buyers to look for those balloons as they drive through The Highlands. The White Elephant Sale will be held Saturday, Feb.24th, 2024 from 8:00 to noon. The money brought in on this day is used to help support our Social Committee activities. We will be looking for donations of household items, tools, jewelry, yard tools, lawn chairs, ...almost anything EXCEPT clothing, bedding, hats, and shoes. Any items that are NOT sold will be boxed up and set aside where "Tucson HelpVets" will come and pick them up and use them for their facility supporting area Veterans.

# CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE

To donate new, unwrapped toys, just put them under the tree in our clubhouse by Monday, December 18<sup>th</sup>. Kathy and Terry Reagan will deliver them to the Gospel Rescue Mission. Thanks, to you. Jane Force

# COAT, HAT, MITTEN DRIVE

To donate warm clothing, put under the tree in the clubhouse unwrapped. Kathy and Terry Reagan will deliver to the Gospel Rescue Mission.

#### **JOLLY QUILTERS**

The quilt club will be offering free Christmas wrapping at the Coffee Klatch on Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>. Any donations are appreciated but not required. The donations help offset our current service project, Child Protection Services.

### NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

Sunday Dec. 31 at 6:00 pm Bernie Lee is selling tickets or get them at Friday's Socials. \$20. per person this includes a dinner, and music by Gus D' Oldie & Ms. Gina. BYOB

## ATTENTION HIGHLAND BAKERS

Just thinking ahead to our White Elephant/Bake Sate. We need your favorite recipes for Feb 24,2024. More info in Jan. Fling!

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#### **FOR SALE BY OWNER**

10668 N Kittatinny Ave.
Situated on a full & true double lot (8276
SF.). Interior of 1968 SF inclusive of a 500
SF. stick-built family room addition w/ a
walk-in closet & office. Family room with
outstanding mountain views has potential to
become a fabulous master suite. Extra large
patio with spectacular mountain views. 2
BRs; 2 BAs; A/C plus a 3-evap cooler system;
Gas furnace & new hot water heater; All
electric kitchen; Washer & Dryer; Workshop.
"Home Will Sell As Is"
Shown & Information by appointment only

**FORD RANGER 2008 XLT** Supercab 4x2. 165,000 miles

Call Nancy 780-608-6792 (on Rainier)

Call or text Robb Gray @ 520-471-4729

SCHWINN recumbent exercise bike. I paid \$450, will part for \$130. Text interest at 847-431-0232. Rich Vertel.

### THANKS TO DAVE ARMSTRONG FOR THIS DELICIOUS RECIPE!

(Only joking - but don't tell the pack rats that!) **Poisoning rodents** will poison other animals up the food chain. Please consider this and try this tried-and-true alternative: **1 to 1 mix of jiffy corn muffin mix to Baking Soda**, the Jiffy mix will attract the rat and the baking soda is what kills the rat. Mix it up, pile it near activity.

NEIGHBORHOOD ALERT. We had about 12 mature cactus specimens stolen around the Clubhouse grounds Fri.or Sat. (11/24-25) night. I know residents here would not do that - but perhaps fly-by-night landscapers. If you have any ideas, hired someone you didn't know or saw anything suspect, please contact us. Thank you.

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### Email: Highlands332@gmail.com

#### PHOTOS IN OUR DIRECTORY.

If you want to participate you can email a photo to Connie (include your name and put "directory photo" in subject line) before the February '24 printing. Connie - **crosehighlands23@gmail. com**.

Don't have a digital photo? Connie can scan one. Also - Sara offered to take photographs at the next Board Meeting (December 20).

WE NEED HELP. Just a little bit of muscle and commitment. This time of year we cover and uncover the pool. If you can help with this - there will be a sign up sheet in the poker room. As Elizabeth Hinds pointed out, our gas bills for keeping the pool at a balmy temperature is really costing us. We definitely need to attend to the pool cover, if you like the use of our beautiful pool all winter. Thanks to Rodney McBride for coordinating this chore.

### QUESTIONS ABOUT THE RENTAL CAP BALLOT PROPOSAL?

Contact Chuck Ardingo via email or phone. He will hold an informational meeting in January at the clubhouse, the date to be determined. dingo457@msn.com or 206-919-7487.

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### JANUARY EVENTS

Sun - Jan 9

Celeb of Life 2:00 pm Brenda Henderson

> Tue - Jan 11 Potluck 5:30 pm

Wed - Jan 12 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Sun - Jan 16 Karaoke & Pizza 5:00 pm

Wed - Jan 19 **Open Board Meeting** 10:00 am

Fri - Jan 21 Social Committee Meeting 9:00 am

Sat - Jan 22 Dinner & Dance with Clear Country 5:00 pm

Tue - Jan 25 Jam Session 6:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### ATTENTION GOLFERS

On Monday, January 10th at 2:30 p.m., there will be an informational meeting for all Highlands' golfers who may be interested in a golf league/ outings, or just meeting other golfers in our community. The meeting will be held in the Clubhouse and is open to men and women of all skill levels. If you cannot attend the meeting but would like additional information, call Al Rausch at (319) 350-2117.

### HORAC REPORT

The Highlands' Outdoor Recreational Activities Committee conducted a survey last spring. After reviewing results of the survey, we presented the following potential upgrades to THI Board on December 15, 2021.

Based on potential use, we need a RAMADA (a covered area with open sides) for some classes and events. This is a long-range, high cost item to repurpose part of the laundry drying area. The following are based on

popularity:

BOCCE BALL - ready for play now, but will be upgraded when money is available.

CORNHOLE - two games ready to play.

Equipment for Bocce Ball and Cornhole is kept in the shed which can be opened with your pool key.

MINI GOLF will be redesigned using \$1000 provided by THI Board. Volunteers are needed for constructing and painting this project. The coordinator is Ron Weihl (231) 292-2554.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The Conditions, Covenants and Restrictions (CC&Rs) of The Highlands prohibit yard sales except for the annual Community Yard Sale in late February. This information can be found in Section 6, Solicitation. The only exception is for a moving or estate sale when you sell your home and are leaving The Highlands.

### JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

Jan & Ron Pepperdine – Jan 3 John Osier - Jan 7 Sue Cook - Jan 11 Sarah Yoakum – Jan 13 Mary Pasquini – Jan 15 Jamie Horst – Jan 17 Judy Calkins – Jan 18 Kent Hinds – Jan 18 Louise Adams - Jan 21 Anita Lee – Jan 31

### **ART COMMITTEE OFFERINGS**

The Highlands' Art Committee will be offering five workshops this winter. All are suitable for beginners at minimal cost. Most materials will be furnished. The number of participants for each workshop will be limited for the safety and comfort of all. Watch for sign-up sheets in the clubhouse before each event. If you are an artist who prefers to work at home, please submit something for the art show scheduled for March 24.

Workshops happen on Monday afternoons at 1:30 in the Resource Room next to the office. Unscheduled weeks are open craft days where you can bring your own project to work on or complete.

Schedule (subject to change) Jan 10 - Basic Jewelry Making with Jeanie Weihl. Complete an aluminum or copper pendant using basic techniques. Use of tools and materials provided. Limit six participants. Cost \$20 Jan 24 – A second Basic Jewelry Making for six new participants.

**Feb 7** – Intro to Zentangle with Kay DeLong and Vonnie Lincoln.

Feb 21 – Clay pot painting with Sharon Dennis.

Mar 7 - Dipped mugs with Patti Triplett.

Mar 24 - Thursday Evening Art Show for all to enjoy and be inspired by our Highlands' artists.

Because of limited space, we encourage only fully vaccinated individuals to register for the workshops.

Other art happenings are the popular gourd decorating classes with Ginny Tanner and Helen Keilman, plus an intensive oil painting class in February with Char Sax, details to be announced.

### WINTER POOL HOURS

The pool will be open from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. during the winter months. If the outside temperature is below 65 degrees, the pool will remain closed.

### WELCOME BACK **QUILTERS**

The Highlands' quilting group will meet again on Thursday afternoons beginning January 6th at 1:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Anyone who is interested in coming to check out the group is welcome. Questions should be directed to Sheila Tomac at (920) 619-8074 or Lori Tendler at (605) 323-8009.

### **EXERCISE CLASS**

Shelly Whitlatch, exercise physiologist, is back teaching balance and fitness classes. Same time, same place: every Monday and Thursday from 8:00 a.m. until 8:55 a.m. beginning January 3 at the Highlands' Clubhouse. The fee is \$5 per class or \$30 a month. The first class is free. For additional information, call Shelly at (520) 349-3037.

### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

A celebration of the life of Brenda Henderson will be held in the Clubhouse on January 9<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

### **DINNER & DANCING!**

Grab your cowboy hat and dust off your boots. On Saturday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, we'll be dancing to the music of "Clear Country Band". Dinner will be served at 5:15 p.m. We'll have pulled pork, beans, coleslaw, coffee and dessert. Tickets are \$15 each, but buy early because seating is limited. Questions can be directed to Cindy Bennett at (810) 599-8929 or Bernie Lee at (520) 409-8709.

### STRESS MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

There will be a new class starting January 12th. Learn and practice new skills for handling stress, substituting old habits with more effective ones, in a supportive group of Highlanders. Scientists have proven, in fact there are many reports of, changed brains.

Tools taught will include Mindfulness, EFT/Tapping, Meditation, Journaling, Breathing Techniques, Body Scan, Visualization, etc.

Dr. Christina Gilman, a fulltime Highlands' owner, earned her doctorate in Counseling from Boston University. She has been facilitating Personal Growth Skills with individuals and groups for years.

Meetings will be held in the Resource Room next to the office on Wednesdays from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. beginning January 12. The fee is \$5. Please wear a mask. For more information, call (808) 754-7894 or email

drchristinagilman@gmail.com



### IT'S BAAAACK!

Pizza and Karaoke is back, Sunday, January 16th, at 5:00 p.m. Join your friends and neighbors for a nice meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Just \$5 each will get you Domino's Pizza, salad and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up and mark your choice of pizza so we know how much to buy. We'll provide the table service (plates and plastic ware). And, you'll have four chances to win back your \$5 with a few trivia questions. See ya all there!

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Florence Dutton, Get Well Kent Hinds, Get Well Lynn Nix, Get Well Eleanor Spiker, Sympathy Loss of her husband, Charles

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

Note From Marilyn: I want to thank all those who donated cards to me. THANK YOU! The cards are greatly appreciated and will be put to good use.

# TAI CHI AT THE HIGHLANDS New Class Starting Soon!

Tai Chi is proven to have a positive effect on one's overall health. Studies show that the practice of Tai Chi improves and prevents many chronic conditions including arthritis, heart disease and diabetes. It also improves balance and reduces stress!

The Tai Chi for Health program was created by Dr. Paul Lam of the Tai Chi for Health Institute (taichiforhealth institute.org), and is endorsed by the Arthritis Foundation and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. The movements are gentle and beneficial. They can even be performed seated!

Starting January 6, 2022, certified instructors Andy Gerrie and Meredith Hentschel will offer a beginning class in Tai Chi for Health at the Highlands' Clubhouse. Classes will be on Thursday mornings at 10:00 on a donation basis. All proceeds benefit the program. For more information, e-mail highlandstaichi@hotmail.com.



Walter Kauz Charles Spiker

### **COZI YOGI CHAIR**

My Gift to the Highlands Community, in celebration of my one year residency – your January sessions will be complimentary!

New Beginnings – give your breath and Cozi Yogi Chair a chance.

New Time – Tuesdays and Fridays from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

New Relationships – In union with your body, your breath and your balance.

New Neighbors – meet me. New Newbies – no excuses. We supply the chair – just bring your derriere.

Hope to see you there! Thank you for your support! Dianne Jacobs (520) 403-1815.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

This month's Men's Breakfast will be held on January 12<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. The men will meet at their favorite place, Jerry Bob's at Magee and Oracle.

## INFORMATION FROM THE EDITOR

You may have noticed that we have several new events here at The Highlands. I have had to add many lines to the calendar and it's almost impossible to fit everything in. If I need additional lines in the future, I will have to omit Aquafit from one or more days. Since Aquafit is held Monday through Saturday at 10:00 a.m., it is most logical to leave off.

The Fling Newsletter will be delivered to your home beginning in November and continue through April. During the summer months, we ask that you pick it up in the Clubhouse or Resource Room because we don't know which residents are on vacation or have left for the season.



## COMMUNITY YARD SALE AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

The annual Community Yard Sale is scheduled for February 19th and the White Elephant Sale is scheduled for February 26th. Additional details for signing up, etc. will be given in the February Fling. For those of you who are new to the community, we recommend displaying your unwanted items at the Yard Sale and donating any unsold items to the White Elephant Sale. We do not accept clothing or shoes for the White Elephant Sale, but most household items sell well. Just make sure the items are clean and suitable for sale. Proceeds of the sale help support activities of the Social Committee. For additional information, please call Jamie Horst (309) 230-0233 or Steve Horst (309) 781-5154.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Please indicate "Fling Article" or something similar in the subject line.

## JANUARY 2022

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### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri - Feb 4

Annual Open Board Meeting 1:00 pm

Sun - Feb 6

Celebration of Life 2:00 pm

Tue - Feb 8

Potluck 5:00 pm

Fri – Feb 11

Dinner and Entertainment by Manny Herrera 5:00 pm

Sat - Feb 19

Community Yard Sale 7:00 am

Mon - Feb 21

Outdoor Games Grand Opening 2:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### ANNUAL OPEN BOARD MEETING FEBRUARY 4th

The Annual Open Board Meeting will be held in the Clubhouse on Friday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. Newly elected Directors will be announced and other Highlands' business will be discussed. All members are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

Note: If you did not return your absentee ballot and wish to vote in person, you may do so between 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. at the Clubhouse. The Clubhouse will be closed from 10:00 a.m. until noon to allow the committee to count the votes.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Kathleen Hurlbert – 325 Shenandoah Rodney McBride – 125 Matterhorn

## DINNER & ENTERTAINMENT

February 11 at 5:00 p.m. Entertainment by Manny Herrera. Tickets are \$15 each and sales are limited; no sales at the door. Purchase tickets at the Friday Social Hour from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

### **FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS**

Ray Scantlan – Feb 2
Rosie Bussman – Feb 6
Jack Nunez – Feb 11
Meredith Hentschel – Feb 16
Chris Fargo – Feb 17
Cindy Bennett – Feb 19
Cheryl Sommer – Feb 20
Ron Baumbeck – Feb 21
Joan Clow – Feb 23
Linda Nix – Feb 23
Laura Nelson – Feb 27
Linc Keilman – Feb 29

### ATTENTION READERS!

Interested in an ongoing book group? Join us in the Clubhouse at 10:00 a.m., Monday, February 7, for an informational conversation and possibilities. Bring your ideas, experiences and be prepared to note a favorite book or author. Questions should be directed to Valerie Day at (607) 565-9387.

### SCHEDULE CHANGES

Potlucks will be at 5:00 pm from now on.

Quilters' Tea CANCELLED
White Elephant Sale

CANCELLED

Char Saxe regrets that she is unable to come and offer a painting class this year.

### FEBRUARY POTLUCK

This month's potluck will be hosted by Bill and Louise Bohrer, but it will be a regular potluck, not the usual baked potatoes. Be sure to bring your place settings and a dish to share. Please sign up and note that it starts at 5:00.

## HIGHLANDS' GOLFERS GROUP

The golf group is now active weekly and open to new members. We play on Wednesdays, starting at 11:00 a.m., at Silverbell, and we play a best shot. When there is a Board Meeting, we play on Tuesday. Sign-up sheets are in the Clubhouse each week for the following week. Come meet your fellow residents and enjoy a relaxing round of golf! Questions can be directed to Al Rausch at (319) 350-2117 or Terry Tendler at (605) 360-1761.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be held on February 9th at Jerry Bob's on Oracle and Magee at 8:00 a.m. Please be sure to sign up so we can make a reservation.

### **HIGHLANDS' PROUD?**

If you like living here, how about showing our pride by wearing a shirt with our logo? HORAC members will soon be selling shirts at coming events as a fundraiser toward future outdoor projects. Cheryl Haggard is our contact at (520) 609-1340.

## LET OUR GAMES BEGIN!!

On Monday afternoon, February 21, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m., we'll be celebrating the grand reopening of the Highlands' Outdoor Activities area. We will have live music by KT Classics.

At 4:00 a supper of a frank with a bun or hamburger with a bun, condiments, chips, cupcake or brownie will be offered at a cost of \$7 per person. We will also be serving lemonade and water or BYOB. The ticket chairperson is Ron Weihl at (231) 292-2554.

You are encouraged to bring your chair.

Currently, the equipment for five games including mini-golf, bocce ball, cornhole, shuffleboard and horseshoes, is in the sheds which can be opened with your pool key.

### COMMUNITY YARD SALE

Our Community Yard Sale will be held on February 19, from 7:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. If you have items you want to sell and want your house listed on the map, there is a sign-up sheet at the Clubhouse. Please print your name and address on the sheet. There will be maps at the entrance; however, we recommend everyone with items to sell purchase a balloon for their mailbox. Helium balloons can be purchased for \$1 at Frys or the Dollar Store.

The sale will be advertised in the local newspaper. Please contact John Sand at (520) 270-2688 with questions.

### ART COMMITTEE OFFERINGS FOR FEBRUARY

Activities listed require participants to be fully vaccinated and boosted. There is no charge for either activity.

The Zentangle workshop scheduled for February 7 has been changed to individual outdoor lessons. Please contact Vonnie Lincoln at (541) 990-0998 or sign up to make arrangements.

For the clay pot painting on February 21, please bring your own pot. Paints, brushes and ideas will be provided. Watch for the sign-up sheet.

Char Saxe regrets that she is unable to offer a painting class this year.



Florence Dutton Bob Marshall

Note: A memorial for Florence Dutton will be held on Saturday, February 12, at 11:00 a.m., at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 8799 Northern Avenue, Tucson 85704. A luncheon will follow. All are welcome.

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Julie Loughridge, Get Well
Patti Triplett, Get Well
Dennis Weber, Get Well
Florence Dutton, Get Well
Cheryl Marshall, Sympathy
Loss of her husband, Bob
Florence Dutton Family,
Sympathy at Florence's
passing.

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### **COZI YOGI CHAIR**

Happy Heart Day! Instead of taking your breath away, Cozi Yogi wants to give you your breath back.

Thanks to those who supported me last month. It was my joy to share in the benefits to your well-being. Let's keep feeling better and better.

In the beginning of my Yoga journey, my instructor gave me encouragement with three simple messages.

- (1) Keep coming.
- (2) Breathe
- (3) Relax your shoulders Chair Yoga in the Clubhouse on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. Bring Water; Donations Appreciated!

Thank you for your support! Dianne Jacobs (520) 403-1815.



March 5, 9:00 to 1:00 Craft Fair

March 9, Bus Trip Barleen's \$68/person Sign up in the Clubhouse Jamie Horst is the contact

### RETARDED GRANDPARENTS

(Submitted by Chuck Miller)
After Christmas, A teacher
asked her young pupils how
they spent their holiday away
from school. One child wrote
the following:

We always used to spend the holidays with Grandma and Grandpa. They used to live in a big house, but Grandpa got retarded and they moved to Arizona. Now they live in a tin box and have rocks painted green to look like grass. They ride around on their bicycles and wear name tags because they don't know who they are anymore. They go to a building called the wreck center, but they must have got it fixed because it is okay now. They do exercises there, but they don't do them very well. There's a swimming pool too, but they all jump up and down in it with their hats on. At their

gate, there is a doll house with a little old man sitting in it. He watches all day so nobody can escape. Sometimes they sneak out and go cruising in their golf carts. Nobody cooks, they just eat out. And, they eat the same thing every night... early birds. Some of the people who can't get out, bring food to the wrecked center for potluck. My Grandma says that Grandpa worked all his life to earn his retardment and says I should work hard so I can be retarded someday too. When I earn my retardment, I want to be the man in the doll house. Then, I will let people out so they can visit their grandchildren.

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### **MARCH EVENTS**

Sat – Mar 5 Craft Fair 9 am to 1pm

> Tue - Mar 8 Potluck 5:00 pm

Wed – Mar 9 Barleen's Opry 9:30 am

Wed – Mar 16 Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Fri – Mar 18 Social Committee Meeting 9:00 am

Sun – Mar 20 Chicken & Karaoke 5:00 pm

Fri – Mar 25 Annual Art Exhibit Open House 10 am to 4 pm

**Sun – Mar 27**Bus Trip to Renaissance
Festival & Windmill Winery

**Tue – Mar 29**Jam Session 6:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### **CRAFT FAIR**

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, March 5, between 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 pm. Residents have signed up to sell handcrafted items. Please make time to stop by and support your neighbors.

### **ART SHOW**

The Art Show is back as an Open House! After two years of cancellations, the Art Show has been redesigned with public health in mind. Instead of one short evening with crowds of people, the Clubhouse will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, March 25, so everyone can come when they please. Refreshments will be served. Some art will be for sale, other pieces will be just for admiring. Come and support your local artists, find inspiration and see neverbefore displayed works in many styles and mediums.

Artists: pick up submission forms in the Clubhouse and return to Sharon Dennis by March 16. The committee needs time to make labels and plan how to best display the works.

### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Colleen Nolan – Mar 1 Joann Leider – Mar 5 Kathy Zeleznik – Mar 8 Darlene Sand – Mar 10 Barbara Moe – Mar 13 Dan Wojdyla – Mar 19 Lela Krohn – Mar 24

## MARCH ART WORKSHOPS

The following Art Workshops will be held at 1:30 p.m. in the Resource Room.

On March 7, Patti Triplett will teach a workshop on mug dipping to create beautiful designs on coffee mugs. Cost is \$5 per person with all materials provided. Participation is limited. Sign up at the Clubhouse.

On March 21, Sharon Dennis will offer everyone a chance to try coloring designs for adults as a relaxing mindfulness practice. Printed pages will be available at no cost, and there is no need to sign up in advance. Just bring your own colored pencils.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

This month's Men's Breakfast will be held on March 9 at 8:00 a.m. The men will meet at their favorite place, Jerry Bob's at Magee and Oracle.

### **BOOK GROUP**

The Highlands' Book Group meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of each month, in the Clubhouse.

March 14 discussion will be a biography or memoir of your choice. All are welcome.

## MONTHLY MONDAY MUSIC

After the great response to our first outdoor concert, our second one is planned with KT Klassics on Monday, March 28, from 2 to 5 p.m. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased from Ron Weihl (231) 292-2554. Please bring your own drink and a chair.

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Ernie Lehner, Get Well
Randy Shouse, Get Well
Jean Jackson, Get Well
Robert Jeffery, Get Well
Jim Coffee, Thinking of You
Nancy Clark, Thinking of You
Stan Petterson, Thinking of
You
Raul Corloman, Thinking of

Paul Gerleman, Thinking of You

Bob Williams, Sympathy Loss of his wife, Doris

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

**Note From Marilyn:** Thanks again folks for all the cards donated.

### CLUCK, CLUCK, CLUCK!

Join us Sunday, March 20th at 5:00 p.m. for Chicken and Karaoke/Sing-Along. Meet with your friends and neighbors for a nice chicken meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Only \$5 will get you fried chicken, potato wedges, salad and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up in the poker room so we know how much to buy. Don't forget to bring your own table service. Also, we'll give you four chances to win back your \$5 with a few trivia questions. See ya there!

### **FROM HORAC**

The Highlands' Outdoor Activities Committee is sponsoring tournaments in March and April. Please sign up in the Poker Room.

When the Highlands' Logo shirts arrive, we will put up the sandwich board at the fourway stop!

Thank you all for your support! Highlands' Proud!

### LADIES' LUNCH

The Ladies' Lunch will be on March 24, at Olive Garden in the Oro Valley Marketplace. Meet at 11:30 a.m. at the Clubhouse. Questions should be directed to Lucy Phelan at (970) 290-4007.

### NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

Hello neighbors! Here are a couple of things you should know. First, Neighborhood Watch Patrol will NEVER be in your yard at night. The only time we enter anyone's yard is when someone asks us to keep an eye out while they are away. We do perimeter patrols in the daytime only, for the safety of our members. If someone is in your yard after sunset, call 911 immediately. The police urge you to do so.

Please lock your vehicles and house doors at ALL TIMES. We had a vehicle robbed in the community this week, and the police say they are likely to return because they weren't caught. Two different neighbors have seen someone looking in their windows in the middle of the night and multiple trespass incidents have been reported between and behind homes after sunset.

Various neighboring communities have reported peeping Toms, burglaries and vehicle break-ins. Recently police had the entire neighborhood next to us on watch, urging residents to stay inside as they sought a criminal. Please, please be vigilant. Crime in Oro Valley is up 1500 percent. We will continue to do what we can to help keep our neighborhood safe.

Elizabeth Hinds, Neighborhood Watch Coordinator (520) 440-7056 text or message.

### WINTER POOL HOURS

The pool will be open from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. during the winter months. If the outside temperature is below 65 degrees, the pool will remain closed.

### **VOTING RESULTS**

Here are the results of the votes cast for the Annual Meeting in February. Four people were elected to the Board of Directors:

Gary Wilkinson Yvonne Kuhlman Richard Vertel David Cruz

The three proposed changes to the CC&Rs all passed.

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### **APRIL EVENTS**

Sat – Apr 2

Pancake Breakfast 7:00 am to 9:15 am

Sun – Apr 3

Ice Cream Social 1:00 pm

Sat - Apr 9

Grill Meat 5:00 pm

Tue - Apr 12 NO POTLUCK

Fri – Apr 15

Social Committee Meeting 9:00 am (last one this season)

Wed - Apr 20

Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Tue - Apr 26

Jam Session 6:00 pm (last one)

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST Saturday, April 2, 2022

Serving from 7:00 to 9:15 am

Come One Come All No Sign-up Needed!

All You Can Eat Pancakes, Sausage, Orange Juice, Coffee and Real Butter Bring your own cup, plate & silverware Just \$5.00

### **HUGHES BILL**

You have probably noticed that your bill for trash pickup by Hughes Sanitation has a \$3.00 fuel surcharge. Our contract with Hughes states that if gas prices go above \$4.00 we will be charged \$1.00 per month surcharge. This is temporary and will be removed if/when gas prices go below \$4.00.

### GRILL YOUR OWN MEAT

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, April 9, at 5:00 for this popular event. We provide the grill, you bring the meat of your choice and grill it yourself. Potato salad, baked beans and dessert will be provided for \$3.00 per person. Please be sure to bring your table service.

### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

There will be an Ice Cream Social on April 3, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. This event is FREE. Be sure to sign up so we know how much ice cream to buy!

### **APRIL BIRTHDAYS**

Dianne Jacobs – Apr 1 Morris Coville – Apr 4 Donna Baumbach – Apr 17 Lucy Phelan – Apr 27 Bud Bates – Apr 27 Gary Wilkenson – Apr 28 Marg Rehnberg – Apr 30

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Josephine Galli
309 W Andes
Robert & Diane Hurley
10666 N Everest
Paul & Ann Hines
121 W Vesuvius
Mary Sims
229 W Shenandoah



**Stan Petterson** 

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

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### **GOT WEEDS?**

Please be sure to take care of weeds on your property before you leave town. We would hate to have to send you a weed letter!

### **BOOK GROUP**

The Highlands' Book Group meets in the Clubhouse at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month. We do not read a specific book, but share our reading around a theme for the month. On April 11, we will discuss books set in Arizona or written by Arizona authors. Choose a new book from any genre, or report on one you have read previously. Our Highlands' library has several choices available including books by Zane Grey, J.A. Jance and Barbara Kingsolver. Men and women are participating and no sign up is required.

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

David Knudsen, Get Well Bernie Lee, Get Well Morris Coville, Sympathy Loss of his mother Joan Petterson, Sympathy Loss of her husband, Stan

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### **COZI YOGI CHAIR**

Beginning May 1<sup>st</sup>, Cozi Yogi Chair classes will be suspended until The Fall.

Thank You to those supporters of self-care and sharing in the presented breath and wellness exercises;

and especially our mutual meditation sessions.

I have greatly appreciated being Your Guide on this Journey!

**Enjoy Your Summer!** 

Dianne

### **SNOW BIRDS**

Have a great summer and we'll see you in the fall!

## HOME DELIVERY OF THE FLING

This is the last month the Fling Newsletter will be delivered to your home until November. During the summer and early fall months, we ask that you pick it up in the Clubhouse or Resource Room because we don't know which residents are on vacation or have left for the season. Thanks so much!

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Please indicate "Fling Article" or something similar in the subject line.

## APRIL 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					April Fool's Day Chair Yoga 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am 5 Crowns 12:30 pm Social Hour 4:00 pm	Pancake Breakfast 7 am Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
3 Ramadan begins  Ice Cream Social 1 pm Bingo 2:00 pm 8-Ball Tournament 5:00 pm	4 Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30pm Chess 2:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	5 Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Chair Yoga 9:30 Tai Chi 10:45 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Chair Yoga 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	7 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 10:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Quilt Group 1:00 Cards/Games 6:00 pm	8 Chair Yoga 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am 5 Crowns 12:30 pm Social Hour 4:00 pm	9 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Grill Your Own 5 pm
Bingo 2:00 pm  8-Ball Tournament 5:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00am Book Club 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Chess 2:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Chair Yoga 9:30 Tai Chi 10:45 am/1:30 pm Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm NO Potluck	13 Aquafit 10:00 am  Men's Breakfast 8:00 am  Chair Yoga 10:00 am  Hand & Foot 1:00 pm  Cards / Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 10:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Quilt Group 1:00 Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 5 Good Friday  Social Comm. 9:00 am  Chair Yoga 9:30 am  Aquafit 10:00 am  5 Crowns 12:30 pm  NO Social Hour	Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
1 7 Easter  Bingo 2:00 pm  8-Ball Tournament 5:00 pm	18 Taxes Due Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30pm Chess 2:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	19 Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Chair Yoga 9:30 Tai Chi 10:45 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Board Meeting 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	21 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 10:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Quilt Group 1:00 Cards/Games 6:00 pm	22 Earth Day Chair Yoga 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am 5 Crowns 12:30 pm Social Hour 4:00 pm	23 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am
24  Bingo 2:00 pm  8-Ball Tournament 5:00 pm	25 Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30pm Chess 2:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	26 Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Chair Yoga 9:30 Tai Chi 10:45 am/1:30 pm Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm	27 Admin Assist Day Aquafit 10:00 am Chair Yoga 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	28 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 10:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Quilt Group 1:00 Cards/Games 6:00 pm	29 Chair Yoga 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am 5 Crowns 12:30 pm Social Hour 4:00 pm	30 Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
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### **MAY EVENTS**

Thu – May 5 Cinco De Mayo Potluck 4:00 pm

Tue - May 10 NO POTLUCK

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

## HIGHLANDS' DIRECTORY

We would like to include residents' email addresses in the 2023 edition of the Highlands' Directory. If you choose to have your email address included in the directory, please submit it to Lynne Jordan, Office Manager, at highlands332@gmail.com or to Yvonne Kuhlman, Board Secretary at kuhlmayv@luther.edu

## CINCO DE MAYO POTLUCK

Come to the Clubhouse on Thursday, May 5, at 4:00 for a Cinco De Mayo Potluck.
Cocktails (bring your own) at 4:00 p.m.; dinner at 5:00 p.m. Please sign up in the Clubhouse. Bring a dish to share and don't forget your table setting!

### **BOOK GROUP CHAT**

"I'm Not Old – I'm a Classic!" You are invited to join other readers to share a book published in the year of your birth. From "Nancy Drew" to "1984", from Agatha Christie to Winston Churchill – a book of your choice from any genre. All are welcome to join this informal conversation in the Clubhouse at 10:00 a.m., the second Monday of the month. Next gathering May 9.

### **MAY BIRTHDAYS**

Ed Triplett – May 3
Donna Fritz – May 5
Jean Jackson – May 5
Carol Nadeau – May 6
Tyann Wallace – May 11
Bob Wallace – May 15
Jerry Dennis – May 16
Reed Snell – May 16
Shirley Tomac – May 16
Larry Clow – May 22
Lee Olson – May 22
Bernie Lee – May 24
Helen Keilman – May 26
Jean Sellers – May 29
Bill Kuhlman – May 30

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

David Ihrig 233 W Appalachian

#### MEN'S BREAKFAST

April was the last outing of the H.O.M.E. Boys Breakfast this spring. Watch the Fling for startup in the fall. Thanks to all who participated, and we always have room for more.

Steve Horst.



**5 CROWNS**5 Crowns is discontinued until fall.



In Memory Of Joe Zeleznik

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Ken & Karen Reinking, Sympathy, Loss of their Son

Kathy Bentler Zeleznik, Thinking of You

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### ATTENTION DOG OWNERS

We have had several complaints regarding people bringing their dogs into the Clubhouse. We are aware that the Federal Guidelines say that service, assistance and emotional support animals are allowed in common areas. For the sake of those with allergies and/or who are afraid of dogs, we respectfully request you keep dogs in the outdoor common areas. Thank you for your consideration.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Please indicate "Fling Article" or something similar in the subject line.

## MAY 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
] Bingo 2:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 8:30 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	4 Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	5 Cinco de Mayo  Riverfront Yoga 8:30 am  Aquafit 10:00 am  POTLUCK 4:00 pm	6 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	7 Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
8 Mother's Day NO BINGO	Aquafit 10:00am Book Club 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 8:30 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm NO POTLUCK	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	12 Riverfront Yoga 8:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	13 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	1 4 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
15 Bingo 2:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 8:30 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	18 Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	19 Riverfront Yoga 8:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	20 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	2] Armed Forces Day  Aquafit 10:00 am  Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
22 Bingo 2:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	24 Coffee 8:00 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	25 Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	26 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	27 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	28 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
29 Bingo 2:00 pm	3() Memorial Day Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	31 Coffee 8:00 am Texas Hold'em 1:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm				
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### JUNE EVENTS

Wed – June 8 Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

**Tue – June 14** Potluck – 5:00 p.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### HOMEOWNER LANDLORDS – IT'S THE LAW!

If you rent out your home in an HOA community, Arizona Revised Statutes state that you must provide the following information to your HOA (our office): The name and contact number of any adults occupying the property, the time period of the lease, including the beginning and ending dates, a description and license plate numbers of the tenants' vehicles and a government issued identification with a photo to confirm the tenant(s) meet the community's age restriction. Failure to comply may result in fines.

#### MEN'S BREAKFAST

Some of the men have expressed interest in continuing the Men's Breakfast throughout the summer. Ed Pearlberg (520) 404-8486, has volunteered to host the popular event. The breakfast will be held at Jerry Bob's on Magee and Oracle on the second Wednesday of the month, June 8, at 8:00 a.m. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up so we can make a reservation.

### JUNE BOOK CHAT: MYSTERIES

"As far as I'm concerned, you can't beat a good whodunit; the twists and turns, the clues and the red herrings and then, finally, the satisfaction of having everything explained to you in a way that makes you kick yourself because you hadn't seen it from the start." – ANTHONY HOROWITZ

Come discuss that wideranging genre of "mystery" reading. Share a favorite author, a classic re-read, cozy plot or psychological thriller. This is intentionally a "nostress" book club. Read what you choose.

Monday, June 13, 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse. No sign-up needed. Everyone is welcome!

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Jack and Michelle McCarthy 10684 N. Stromboli Ave. Dorie Zelen 318 W. Appalachian St.

### JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Larry Day – June 1 Jo Galli - June 4 Terri Sebastian – June 5 Judi Olson - June 9 Lorraine Tomac – June 10 Andy Gerrie – June 11 Bill Behrendsen – June 12 Valerie Day - June 12 Sandy Fiordalis – June 12 Carol Behrendsen – June 17 Vonnie Lincoln – June 19 Jim Tomac - June 20 Judy Pope – June 22 Lloya Osier - June 24 Mike Cook - June 28 Bob Nolan - June 26

## NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH ALERT

Recently we have had some late-night prowlers in our community. They have been seen by residents, but not yet apprehended by police. The culprits have knocked on the outside of homes, tapped on windows, and even rung doorbells between 9:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m. These pranks could be an attempt to get residents to unlock their door or even come outside. NEVER go outside if this happens, call 911 immediately; don't wait until morning because the police want to establish a pattern. It is a good idea to invest in a ring doorbell or other video device. The police are capable of transferring the video from your phone to theirs. Be Alert: Stay Safe!

Elizabeth Hinds Neighborhood Watch Coordinator (520) 440-7056

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported there were no cards sent this past month.

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### SYNOPSIS OF GOLDER RANCH SAFETY PRESENTATION

By Elizabeth Hinds
Three representatives of
Golder Ranch Fire
Department's Community
Assistance Program came to
the Clubhouse and gave a
presentation on fire safety.
The information is beneficial to
all residents.

\*All outside electrical should be ground-fault circuit interrupter protected and all electric tools should be stored out of the weather.

\*Cooking safety includes staying in the kitchen when the stove is on and keeping anything flammable away from the cooktop. For a small grease fire, turn off the burner and cover the pan with a lid. If fire is in the oven, turn it off and keep the door closed.

\*Grilling should be done out from under the eaves and tree branches, and away from patio railings. Never use lighter fluid or other flammable liquids. Check the hoses on your gas grill tank each year prior to use.

\*Smoke alarms should be changed every ten years and their batteries should be changed every year. \*It was suggested that seasonal residents turn off their power before leaving. Always unplug items after use, including phone chargers, to avoid electrical fires.

\*A free fire safety inspection is available from the fire department. You may purchase a resident lockbox so the fire fighters or paramedics can enter your home without breaking down your door during an emergency.

\*Wildfire risk management was discussed due to the recent fires in the mountains. Red, yellow and green readiness door hangers were distributed.

\*If you were unable to attend, you can pick up a pocket refrigerator magnet to hold your medication list for paramedics to access during a medical emergency.

#### SAVE THE DATE

A potluck is planned for July 4 at 12:30 p.m. Please sign up in the Clubhouse.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Please indicate "Fling Article" or something similar in the subject line.

## JUNE 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4
		Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
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Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
13	14 Flag Day	15	16	17	18
Aquafit 10:00am Book Club 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm Potluck 5:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
20	21 June Solstice (GMT)	22	23	24	25
Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm Tai Chi 1:30 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Cards / Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Texas Hold'em 2:15 pm
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### **JULY EVENTS**

Mon – July 4 Potluck – 12:30 p.m.

Wed – July 13 Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

## HOMEOWNER'S INSURANCE INFO

I recently received my annual statement for my homeowners' insurance and realized the total home replacement payout was only \$108,000 and personal property (clothes, furniture, etc.) was \$60,000.

I contacted my insurance company, Oakley Insurance Group on Oracle Road in Tucson, and had them run the numbers on the three Manufactured Home insurance providers they represent for the best price on increasing my homeowner's insurance.

The best coverage they could find was with my current provider, American Summit. I upped my coverage to \$160,000 with an additional \$40,000 for a complete rebuild, and personal property to \$80,000 with a total cost replacement adder (insurance companies discount personal property claims to garage sale prices without this provision).

I also upped my personal liability from \$100,000 to \$300,000. My deductible went from \$500 to \$1.000.

All of this was about \$100 extra for the year.

That's a "no brainer" as my property has increased in value about 50% (maybe more) in the last year.

Let me know if I can answer any questions.

Gary Wilkinson 116 W. Matterhorn (575) 937-6783 garrwilk@msn.com

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

This month's breakfast will be held at Jerry Bob's on Magee and Oracle, July 13, at 8:00 a.m. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up so we can make a reservation.

Questions should be directed to Ed Pearlberg (520) 404-8486.

### JULY BOOK CHAT

Join the discussion of "Killers of the Flower Moon: The Osage Murders and the Birth of the FBI". True crime and U.S. history are explored in this acclaimed 2017 bestseller – soon to be released as a movie directed by Martin Scorsese.

Monday, July 11, 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse. No sign-up needed. Everyone is welcome!

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

David & Cheryl McCaskey 425 W. Matterhorn Nancy Nunez 301 W. Matterhorn Walter Ranson 465 W. Matterhorn Gerald Freund & Ann Highum 254 W. Adirondack

### **JULY BIRTHDAYS**

Bob Beck – July 2
Ed Pearlberg – July 4
Ken Reinking – July 13
Kelly Gelhaus – July 17
Chris Baumbach – July 18
Lori Tendler – July 18
Kathy Ahlberg – July 20
Kathy Reagan – July 20
Sharon Dennis – July 21
Deanna Lederer – July 21
Lloyd Tomac – July 27
Dan Wallace – July 27
Linda Wilcoxson – July 28

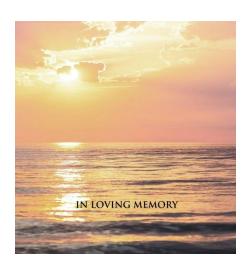
Belated June Birthday Jane Force – June 9

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### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent during the past month: Barbara Scantlan – Thinking of You Lucy Phelan - Thinking of You Kathy Reagan - Get Well Kelly Gelhaus – Get Well Jerry Dennis - Get Well Elizabeth Hinds – Get Well Mary Billings – Sympathy Loss of his wife Deb Sarah Yoakum – Sympathy Loss of her sister Connie Rose – Sympathy Loss of her mother, Jean

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.



Jean Rose Nancy Muzzy



If you live on the west side of The Highlands, you have seen this mother/daughter walking duo. In fact, you've seen them almost daily. That was Jean Rose and her daughter, Connie. Sadly, Jean passed away shortly after her 97th birthday. She walked up to the gazebo with my brother on her birthday, May 19. She died peacefully at home on June 6, after congestive heart failure retired her.

I want to thank the community of The Highlands for their support, encouragement and friendship as we pursued this trek almost every single day since 2013. Mom agreed that this is the best community to live in – both for the people and walking safely.

Connie Rose

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
					Aquafit 10:00am Social Hour 4:00pm	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm
3	4 Independence Day	5 Coffee 8:00am	6	7	8	9
BINGO 2:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am POTLUCK 12:30PM	Aquafit 10:00am Tai Chi 1:30pm	Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Social Hour 4:00pm *No Trash Today	Kaffee Klatsch 9:00am Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm
10	1 1 Aquafit 10:00am	Coffee 8:00am	13	14	15	16
BINGO 2:30PM	Book Club 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00pm	Aquafit 10:00am Tai Chi 1:30pm	8:00 Men's Breakfast Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Social Hour 4:00pm	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm
17 BINGO 2:00PM	18 Aquafit 10:00am	19 Coffee 8:00am Aquafit 10:00am	20 Aguafit 10:00am	21 Aquafit 10:00am	22 Aquafit 10:00am	23 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00am
DINGO 2.00FW	Hand & Foot 1:00pm	Tai Chi 1:30pm	Hand & Foot 1:00pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Social Hour 4:00pm	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm
24 Parents' Day	25	26 Coffee 8:00am	27	28	29	30
BINGO 2:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00pm	Aquafit 10:00am Tai Chi 1:30pm	Aquafit 10:00am Hand & Foot 1:00pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm Cards / Games 6:00PM	Aquafit 10:00am Social Hour 4:00pm	Aquafit 10:00am Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm
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### **AUGUST EVENTS**

**Tue – August 9** Potluck – 5:00 p.m.

Wed – August 10 Men's Breakfast 8:00 a.m.

Saturday
August 13 & 27
NO COFFEE

Sun – August 14 NO BINGO

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### **COMPLIANCE CORNER**

The speed limit (15 mph) applies to all moving vehicles, cars, golf carts and bicycles. Please drive carefully as we are a 55+ community and don't move as swiftly as when we were younger.

Assistance animals are to be kept on a leash no longer than six (6) feet. Make sure you have your neighbor's permission to allow your animal to trespass onto their property. And thanks for picking up after their deed is done.

### **AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

Jerry Ferrill – August 4
Marilyn Staley – August 10
Terry Reagan – August 11
Dan Lincoln – August 11
Ginny Tanner – August 14
Addie Everett – August 19
Kathy Wallace – August 26

### **TEXAS HOLDEM**

Everyone is welcome.
Tuesday, Thursday and
Saturday at 2:15 in the
Clubhouse. Please email
Rich Vertel at
rvertel@gmail.com 24 hours
in advance if interested in
playing. Please enter POKER
in the email subject
line.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Andrew & Cecelia Brannon 10718 Kilimanjaro Cynthia Wolfe 309 Andes

### HIGHLANDS' BOOK CHAT

BOOK or MOVIE – which was best??

\*Monday, August 8 \*10 a.m. in the Clubhouse \*Informal – No sign up needed From "The Wizard of Oz" to "Anatomy of a Scandal" books find their way to the screen. This month, choose a book that has been made into a movie or series. Check out the book and/or movie and come join the conversation. Classics or modern; comedy, tragedy or mystery; silver screen, Netflix or Amazon Prime. A list of possibilities is posted in the library.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be on August 10, at their favorite place, Jerry Bob's at Magee and Oracle. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up!

## AUGUST 2022

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### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Tue - September 13 Potluck – 5:00 p.m.

Wed - September 14 Men's Breakfast 7:45 a.m

Fri - September 16 9:00 Social Committee Meeting

**Thurs - September 22** Lady's Luncheon 11:30 a.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### **NEW FLING KEEPER**

Starting this month, Lynne Jordan will be editing The Highlands Fling. Please send all information to Highlands332@gmail.com. Thank you, Carol Nadeau for many years of service!

### CHAIR/OFFICE YOGA

A gentle class for anyone who prefers not to be down on the floor. All yoga postures will be done seated or standing, using a chair as a prop for support and balance. The class will be well-rounded with a variety of stretches and breathing techniques to help you feel more flexible, relaxed, and stronger and energized! All Welcome, guys included! Led by Susan Weber, Highland's resident. Susan has been a certified yoga instructor since 2001.

Class is approximately 45 minutes, donations accepted. Call Susan at 505-927-4216 to register or for any questions that you may have. First class is Wednesday, 9/7/22 10:00 a.m. & each Wednesday in September.

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESUMES NEEDED**

The Highlands annual election will be held Friday, Feb.3rd, 2023. We are seeking 4 members to replace outgoing directors. Please email or drop resumes off at the office. Please call or email Sara Danville- Gelhaus with any questions that you may have. 951-453-1035

kbgsld@sbcglobal.net

### **WELCOME NEW** RESIDENTS

Paul & Angie Carbone 300 W. Matterhorn **Sharon Caruso** 240 W. Matterhorn

### LADYS LUNCHEON

The lady's luncheon will be on Sept. 22. at Cracker Barrel. 8400 N Cracker Barrel Rd. Tucson. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30, if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up!

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be on Sept 14th, at their favorite place, Jerry Bob's at Magee and Oracle. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up!

### CARDBOARD BOXES

Please break down cardboard boxes for the trash. It may increase our trash rates if we don't

### HIGHLANDS' BOOK CHAT

Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday at 10:00 a.m., in the clubhouse. No signup required. We choose a "Theme", you choose a book. We offer brief reviews and conversation ensues. NEXT MEETING: Monday 9/12/22 at 10:00 a.m. THEME: Presidents. Any genre works from Four volumes on LBJJ by Robert Caro to The President is missing, by Bill Clinton. Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> theme: Travel.

### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Larry Wilcoxson- 9/6
Suzanne Wilkinson- 9/8
Lynn Fuller- 9/9
Myrna Wenaas- 9/10
Craig Bennett- 9/13
David Cruz- 9/13
Chris Horst- 9/18
John Sands- 9/18
Gail Horst- 9/20
Madeline Hurley- 9/21
Mary Rausch- 9/23
Alan Ahlberg- 9/23
DeDe Venott- 9/27
Bill Krohn- 9/29

#### **CARDS SENT**

Cards sent by Marilyn Staley: Andrew Brannen- Get Well Donato Valdivia- Get Well Joan Clow- Get Well Kelly Gelhaus- Get Well Vonnie Lincoln- Get Well Kathy Bentler- Get Well Lucy Phelan- Get Well Ursula Forssell- Get Well

**NOTE**: If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### SAVE THE DATE

Oct. 1st, 2022, Clubhouse 7-10 p.m.
Baba Marimba! World Beat Music.
Come dance or just listen to this multitalented Tucson Group. You will hear saxophone, trumpet, flute, viola, guitar, bass, drums percussion and kalimbas for a fun evening of exciting music!
Mark your calendars, invite your friends & come out! BYOB & kindly asking \$10.00 per person to reimburse all this talent!

Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022, The Highlands Community will be 62 years old. We will be celebrating with a party in the clubhouse on Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>. Entertainment by Joe Bourne. Later this month tickets will be sold at Social Hour on Fridays in the Clubhouse from 4:00-5:00. This is where tickets can be purchased for future events.

## SEPTEMBER 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4 Bingo 2:00PM	5 Labor Day	6 Coffee 8:00am	7 Chair Yoga 10am	8	9	10 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00am
		Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	Cards & Games 6pm	Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm	Social Hour 4pm	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm
Patriot Day Grandparents Day	12 Book Club 10am	13 Coffee 8:00am Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	1 4 Men's Breakfast 8:00am Chair Yoga 10am	15	16 Social Committee 9am	17 Constitution Day
Bingo 2:00PM	Book Glab Tourn	Potluck 5pm	Cards & Games 6pm	Texas Hold 'em 5:30pm	Social Hour 4pm	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm
18	19	20 Coffee 8:00am Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	21	22 Ladies Lunch 11:30 a.m	23 Autumnal equinox (GMT)	24 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00am
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### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Sat- Oct. 1 CANCELLED: Baba Marimba

> Tues.- Oct. 11 Potluck 5:00 p.m.

Wed.- Oct. 12 Men's Breakfast

Wed.- Oct.12 Anniversary Party 4:00 p.m.

Tues.- Oct.18
International Luncheon 12:00

Wed.- Oct.19
NO YOGA

Wed. - Oct.19
Board Meeting

Fri. – Oct. 21 Social Committee Meeting 9:00 a.m.

Sat.- Oct 22
Donato Valdivia's Birthday,
please wish him a Happy
Birthday.

Thurs. – Oct. 27 Ladies Luncheon

LEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

### VOTER REGISTRATION

Hi Neighbor! As your Legislative District 17 Precinct Committeewoman, I have some information to share with you, regarding our state redistricting. Your Voter I.D. card has changed, so take a good look at it. Every 10 vears Arizona has a redistricting, therefore, the Legislative District (LD) for Oro Valley use to be District 11 and now it is District 17. Also, the Congressional District (CD) has changed from District 1 to District 6. Deadline to register is October 11. If you have moved, or have had a name change, you will need to reregister to vote. I have the Voter registration forms if you need one. Please call me Tere Nunez 520-647-1166 if you need a form. Your Welcome Representative at The Highlands.

Note: Nearest place to vote is Oro Valley Library on Niranja. VOTE PROUD! REGISTER TODAY!

### OCTOBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Oct.5<sup>th</sup>. Board meeting Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

## 2023 PHONE DIRECTORY

We will now have emails listed in the community phone directory, please contact Lynne at the office if you would like to have your email included or if you need to update your information.

### HIGHLANDS ANNIVERSARY PARTY



## ENTERTAINMENT AND DINNER

Oct.12<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m. Entertainment and dinner. This year "The Highlands" is 62 years old. Come out and meet your neighbors and friends for a good time! We will be entertained by Joe Bourne by the pool, so bring your own chair & drink, immediately following, dinner will be at the clubhouse. Tickets will be sold at Social Hours on Fridays at the CLUBHOUSE from 4:00-5:00 p.m. Cost is \$15.00 per person.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

October's luncheon will be held at The Persian Room Fine Dining, 9290 N. Thornydale Rd, Tucson on Tuesday, Oct.18<sup>th</sup>. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 *sharp* for carpool. If you will be driving yourself, please be at the restaurant by 12:00. Sign up in the Clubhouse, for further information, contact Suzan Wilkinson at suzzzwilk@gmail.com

### LADYS LUNCHEON

The lady's luncheon will be on Oct.27th, Olive Garden, Market Place, Oro Valley. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30, if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up!

### **COZI YOGI CHAIR**

Welcome back to Cozi Yogi at the Clubhouse, beginning Oct. 4th & each Tuesday thereafter from 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. Chair poses, deep breathing exercise & To the Moon Mindful Meditation! On Tuesday, Nov. 1st New Journey Meditation with Crystal Singing bowl, come and experience sound healing. This will be after our regular class and part of our To the Moon Mindful Meditation! This is a special uplifting experience! All are welcomed! First class is complimentary to new students. Donations accepted! Contact Diane Jacobs for additional information (520)-403-1815.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be on Oct.12th, at their favorite place, Jerry Bob's at Magee and Oracle. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up!

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Virginia Brooks 317 W. Weisshorn St. Naomi Osgood 317 W. Weisshorn St.

### POTLUCK HOST NEEDED FOR 2023 SEASON

The Social committee needs volunteers to host our monthly potlucks. If we have no Host for a particular month, the potluck will be cancelled for that month. Please consider volunteering to be on the list of hosts willing to be available. If interested, please contact Ed Triplett at (520-887-4120).

## HIGHLANDS BOOK CHAT

### HALE TO THE CHIEF!

10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 10th Come to discuss a book with a presidential affiliation: Biography, memoir, historical fiction president as author. Example: The Bill Clinton/James Patterson mystery series available at The Highlands Library. We decide on a category and each reader chooses a book that fits that theme. The conversations are guaranteed to add books to your "TBR' list.

## FROM THE COMPLIANCE CORNER

- Walkers- Walk against oncoming traffic in case you need to get out of the way quickly
- Cyclists and golf carts- Be aware of the speed limit.
   Many of us are not as fast as we used to be.

### **OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

Terry Tendler 10/1
Jerry Lederer 10/2
Patty Ganoff 10/3
Ken Giallombardo 10/7
Mae Giallombardo 10/8
Tere Nunez 10/8
Barbara Mort 10/9
Al Rausch 10/9
Steve Horst 10/11
Patty Triplett 10/16
Donato Valdivia 10/22

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESUMES NEEDED

The Highlands annual election will be held Friday, Feb.3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023. We are seeking 4 members to replace outgoing directors. Please email or drop resumes off at the office. Please call or email Sara Danville- Gelhaus with any questions that you may have. 951-453-1035 kbgsld@sbcglobal.net

### SAVE THE DATE

In November we will be having a *CONTEST*: Decorate your golf cart, bike, or surrey in Hawaiian theme. Prizes will be awarded.

November 14<sup>th</sup>, HAWAIIAN LUAU. Tickets will be sold at Social Hours on Fridays from 4:00-5:00.

## OCTOBER 2022

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2 Bingo 2:00PM	3	Coffee 8:00am Chair Yoga 10am Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	5 Yom Kippur Chair Yoga 10am Cards & Games 6pm	6 Texas Hold 'em 4:30pm Cards & Games 6:00pm	7 Social Hour 4pm	8 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00am Texas Hold 'em 2:15
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Bingo 2:00PM	17	18 Coffee 8:00am Chair Yoga 10am International Lunch 12PM	19 Board Meeting 10am	20 Gourd Class 1:00-4:00 Texas Hold 'em 4:30pm	21 Social Committee 9am Social Hour 4pm	22 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00an Texas Hold 'em 2:15
23	24 United Nations Day	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm  25  Coffee 8:00am	Cards & Games 6pm	Cards & Games 6:00pm  27  Ladies Lunch 11:30am	28	29
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### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Wed.- Nov. 9
Men's Breakfast

8:00 a.m. **Wed. – Nov. 9** 

Reserve Plan Informational meeting 11:00

Sat. - Nov. 12

Decorate your cart, surrey, or bike contest

9:15 a.m.

Mon. - Nov. 14

Hawaiian Lua

4:00 p.m.

**Tues. - Nov. 15** 

International Luncheon 11:00 (meet at Clubhouse)

Wed.- Nov. 16

Board Meeting

10:00 a.m.

Thurs.- Nov. 17

Ladies Luncheon 11:30 a.m.

Fri. - Nov. 18

Social Committee Meeting 9:00 a.m.

Thurs. - Nov. 24

Thanksgiving Potluck 2:30 p.m.

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

VOTE LOUD!!
VOTE PROUD!!

### URGENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Highlands is seeking people to run for the Board of Directors. If interested, please submit your resume by Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022, for the February election.

### **POOL CLOSURE**

The pool will be closed as of 11/15/22 for pool renovation. The project is estimated to take 30 days.

## NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Nov 3rd. Board meeting will be Nov. 16th at 10:00 a.m.

## DO YOU LIKE SPREAD SHEETS?

Bob Beck would like to train someone to manage our reserve plan. The work involves updating a spreadsheet of all capital equipment that we maintain. Want more info? Call Bob at 520-461-9540.

# INFORMATIONAL MEETING: POSSIBLE CHANGE TO RESERVE PLAN SAVINGS

The Highlands current CCRs require that our Reserve Savings Plan satisfies a "100% Full Funding "equation. Bob Beck, in charge of the Reserve Plan, believes only an 80% Plan Savings approach is necessary. Bob will host an informational meeting in the Clubhouse to explain and justify the 80% approach, before recommending the Board propose a change to 80% for approval in the 2023 HOA elections. The meeting will occur on November 9th at 11:00 a.m. If you plan to attend, please sign up in the clubhouse, so we know how many handouts to make.

### MILITARY VETERANS

Please check the clipboard in the clubhouse regarding Military Veterans. Please sign your name if you do not see it on the list. Names are listed by street. Call Colleen if you have questions or need further information 520-576-7804.

### HANDICAP RESTROOM INFORMATIONAL MEETING

Reed Snell will host a meeting regarding the proposed Handicap Restroom Project. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, 11:00 a.m. at the Clubhouse.

### **NOTARY SERVICES**

Notary services are now available at The Highlands office. This service is free to The Highlands Community. Please contact Lynne in the office for more information.

## RENTAL REGISTRATION

According to Arizona Statutes 33-1806.01, you must notify the HOA when your home is being rented. Please provide name and contact number of tenants, time period of lease and proof of age.

### NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Paul Gerleman 11/01
Janet Reed 11/03
Claudia Jensen 11/04
Patty James 11/04
Karen Molique 11/09
George Tanner 11/15
Barbara Scantlan 11/16
Kathy Garver 11/20
Dori Zelin 11/20
Diane Leigh 11/23
Yvonne Kuhlman 11/24
Jan Hamilton 11/29
Javier Valdivia 11/29

### LADIES LUNCHEON

The ladies' luncheon will be on Thurs. 11/17/22 at The Outback Steak House. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON CAFE DESTA

This is a lovely little Ethiopian food restaurant. The Ethiopian way to eat is with a bread and scoop it up and eat it. However, if you're not up to that you can request silverware. Hope you'll join us. We had lots of fun at the Persian Fine Dining, SIGN UP AT THE CLUBHOUSE to make your reservation. Men and Women are both invited. Tuesday, Nov. 29th. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:00 a.m. to get people in as few cars as possible. We will have only a limited number of spaces. Hope you will join us for the fun! Gary and Suzan Wilkinson. If you have any questions, please text 575-937-3737.

### GOLF CART CHRISTMAS PARADE

Our 11th Annual Golf Cart Christmas parade is Dec. 4th. All are welcome, just decorate your Golf Cart, bike, yourself, your car and join us. The parade will start at 4:15, so meet at the Clubhouse at 4:00. After the parade we will meet at the Clubhouse for a social event all are welcome. Please bring your own drinks and some snacks to share. There will be a sing along led by Linc and Helen Keilman. between 6:00 and 6:30 those who have lights, and wish to, we will tour the parade route one more time. For those of us that have lights on their carts, we will meet at Bernie Lee's home on Dec. 11th, 18th, and 23rd at 6:00 to tour the

park around 6:30. Any questions, please call Bill Behrendsen (916) 798-7733.

### **HAWAIIN LUAU**

November 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00. Entertainment by Chuck Moses by the pool, so bring your own chair and drink, immediately following, dinner will be served at the Clubhouse. Tickets will be sold at the CLUBHOUSE on Fridays from 4:00-5:00 p.m. Cost is \$20.00 per person. Make sure you bring your ticket stub, this is a test, you need it for a chance to a chance to win a prize.

## LUAU THEMED GOLF CART CONTEST

To get ready for our luau, we are having a cart, surrey or bike decorating CONTEST (Hawaiian themed). Bring your decorated vehicle to the Clubhouse on Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>, by 9:15 (Kaffee Klatch) judging will start at 9:30 a.m. Prizes will be handed out. Also, at Kaffee Klatch on Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>, there will be crafts for sale. These are made by our Community Members.

#### MEN'S BREAKFAST

The men's breakfast will on Nov. 9th at their favorite place, Jerry Bob's at Magee, and Oracle. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Don't forget to sign up.

Are you on Facebook? Check us out "The Highlands of Oro Valley", you must live or own in the Highlands to join.

## HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Mondays at 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse. At the gathering on Nov.14th readers are invited to present a travel book of your choice. We also will be planning our selections for the next few months, so participants are asked to bring recommendations of two books they would suggest for a group read AND a topic or theme for our "Fun and Flexible" selections. For example, this year we read "Killers of the Flower Moon" as a group. Last month we chose a topic "Presidents" and previously a flexible theme was "a book published the year you were born." This is a "no-stress" informal conversation about books. Everyone is welcome. No sign up needed. DON'T FORGET TO STOP IN OUR COMMUNITY LIBRARY-THERE IS SOMETHING **NEW EVERDAY!** 

## THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

When attending a Potluck at The Highlands, you should bring a dish to share: something that would serve 6-8 people. Also, please bring your own place setting and SIGN UP at the Clubhouse. There will be limited seating and turkey will be supplied by the Social Committee. Its everyone's responsibility to clean after themselves when using the Clubhouse. There is always a broom and dustpan in the laundry room. At times, the tables have been left sticky and there are crumbs on the floor.

## HOME DELIVERY OF THE FLING

The Fling newsletter will be delivered to your home beginning in November and continue through the month of April. If you like to walk, we are looking for people to pass the Fling out once a month and just a section of the Highlands.

## WE'RE BACK AND GETTING READY

As we approach the Thanksgiving and Christmas Seasons, this is your first reminder that it's time to start gathering and putting your "treasures" together for the Community and White Elephant Sales coming in February. It's been two plus years since our last sales even took place and you'll be seeing more info coming in December, January, and February. You can start by marking your calendars for the community sale on Feb. 25th. More information on these two events will be seen in the months to follow. Any questions please feel free to contact either of the co-chairs. Steve, or Jamie Horst.

### **SAVE THE DATE**

The Christmas Parade and Social will be held Sunday, December 4<sup>th</sup> starting at 4:00 p.m. at the Clubhouse, bring a snack. The parade will end at a Christmas Tree outside, so please bring a plastic ornament so we can all decorate the tree before

lighting. After decorating we will be going to the Clubhouse for snacks and a Christmas Sing-Along.

### **NEW RV LOT RATES**

Effective 01/01/23 15'-20' \$15.00 month 21'-50' \$20.00 month 51' over \$25.00 month

### **CARDS SENT**

Jane Force- Thinking of you Yvonne Kuhlman- Get Well Helen Keilman- Get Well Steve Horst- Get Well Barbara Scantlan- Get Well Barbara Moe- Get well De De Venot- Thinking of you. **NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532

### **KUDOS KORNER**

My name is Naomi Osgood and I just moved into The Highlands with my friend Ginny Brooks. We had a visit from The Highlands Welcome lady, Tere Nunez. She presented each of us with a Welcome packet. I would like to thank Tere and give her Kudos for the excellent job shed did on the Welcome packets, for someone new to Oro Valley, they were very informative and helpful. Thank you for a great job. Naomi Osgood and Ginnie Brooks.

### NEW..... KUDOS *KORNER*

Do you know of someone that you would like to give Kudos to? Please contact Lynne in the office by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

### NOVEMBER 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31 Halloween	1	2	3	4	5
		Coffee 8:00am	Aquafit 10am	Aquafit 10am	Aquafit 10am	Aquafit 10am
		Aquafit 10am	Chair Yoga 10am			
			Hand & Foot 1pm	Gourd Class 1:00-4:00	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm
			Cards & Games 6:00pm	Cards & Games 6:00pm	Social Hour 4pm	
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	Book Club 10am		Board Meeting 10am	Ladies Luncheon 11:30am	Aquafit 10am	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm
Bingo 2:00PM	Hand & Foot 1pm	Info Meeting 10:00am	Hand & Foot 1pm	Gourd Class 1:00-4:00	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	
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	Texas Hold'em 2:15			Cards & Games 6:00pm		
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		Coffee 8:00am		Aquafit 10am		Kaffee Klatsch 9:00am
		Aquafit 10am	Chair Yoga 10am			
Bingo 2:00PM	Hand & Foot 1pm		Hand & Foot 1pm	Thankgsgiving Potluck 2:30	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm	Texas Hold 'em 2:15pm
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		Aquafit 10am	Chair Yoga 10am			
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#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Sun. – Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>
No Bingo
Sun.- Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>
Cart Parade
4:00 p.m.
Tree Lighting
5:15 p.m.

Sun. – Dec.11<sup>th</sup> Cart Parade 6:00 p.m.

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Thurs.- Dec.15<sup>th</sup> Ladies Luncheon 11:30

Sun.- Dec.18<sup>th</sup> Cart Parade

Wed. – Dec.21<sup>st</sup> Board Meeting 10:00 a.m.

Fri.- Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>
Cart Parade
6:00 p.m.

Sat.- Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 a.m.

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#### **POOL CLOSURE**

The pool will be closed as of 11/15/22 for pool renovation. The project is estimated to take 30 days.

### DECEMBER BOARD MEETING

Please submit agenda items to the office by Dec.8<sup>th</sup>. Board meeting will be Dec.21 at 10:00 a.m.

### RENTAL REGISTRATION

According to Arizona Statutes 33-1806.01, you must notify the HOA when your home is being rented. Please provide

Contact Information such as name/phone number, vehicle information and proof of age.

#### DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Reggie Wenaas 12/02 Teresa Wojdyla 12/02 Sara Danville-Gelhaus 12/03 Willis Jackson 12/06 Elaine Reed 12/08 Dave Calkins 12/09 Karen Reinking 12/16 Carol Coville 12/22 Dee Morelli 12/22 Dave Knudson 12/25 Florence Dutton 12/26 Helen Knudson 12/29

### CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE

Jim Rehnberg

To donate new, unwrapped toys, just put them under the tree on our clubhouse stage before Monday. Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>. Kathy & Terry Reagan will deliver them to Gospel Rescue Mission. Thank you.

12/29

### LIGHTING OF THE CHRISTMAS TREE

December 4<sup>th</sup> at 5:15 p.m. Please bring a plastic ornament to the Christmas Tree by the flagpole, located at the south end of the commons area.

### NO SOCIAL COMMITTEE IN DECEMBER.

#### **CHRISTMAS POTLUCK**

The Christmas Potluck sign up deadline is December 21, 2022.

#### HIGHLANDS GOLF LEAGUE

Our League will start on Jan. 4th and continue each Wednesday afternoon until mid-April. This year we are lucky enough to have our league at El Conquistador, which gives us access to two great 18 hole courses at a great price, not to mention it is only a couple minutes away. Our format will again be a 4person best shot. We work to balance the teams so that an individual's skill is not important. Each week we rotate individuals, which is a great way to meet your fellow Highlands residents. We Encourage all golfers to attend our informational meeting on Friday, Dec. 30th at 10:00 a.m. in the Highlands Clubhouse. Please email us with any questions.

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#### GOLF CART CHRISTMAS PARADE

Our 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Cart Christmas parade is Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome, just decorate your Golf Cart, bike, yourself, your car and join us. The parade will start at 4:15, so gather at the Clubhouse at 4:00. After the parade we will meet at the Clubhouse for a social event all are welcome. Please bring your own drinks and some snacks to share. There will be a sing along led by Linc and Helen Keilman, between 6:00 and 6:30 those who have lights, and wish to, we will tour the parade route one more time. For those of us that have lights on their carts, we will meet at Bernie Lee's home on Dec. 11th, 18th, and 23rd at 6:00 to tour the park around 6:30. Any questions, please call Bill Behrendsen (916) 798-7733.

#### YOGA IN THE PARK

Yoga in the park is back. Please feel free to join me at Riverfront Park on Tuesday & Thursday at 9-10 a.m. Bring a mat and blocks if you have them & meet behind the tennis courts. All levels welcome, donations accepted. Call or text for questions. Susan Weber 505-927-4216.

#### **LADIES LUCHEON**

The ladies' luncheon will be on Thurs, 12/15/22 at El Charro Restaurant, 7725 N. Oracle at 12:00. Please bring a \$10 Gift for exchange. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be at 8 a.m. on Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> at Jerry Bob's located near Magee and Oracle. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 if you need a ride. Please remember to sign up as it helps the restaurant staff accordingly.

The sign-up sheets come down on the Tuesday preceding the breakfast date.

Are you on Facebook? Check us out "The Highlands of Oro Valley", you must live or own in the Highlands to join.

### HIGHLANDS BOOK CLUB

Meets Dec. 12<sup>th</sup>, 10 a.m. in the Clubhouse. AUTHORS OF THE MONTH: Richard Russo, Pulitzer Prize winner and University of Arizona Alumnus. He has written several volumes of fiction, short stories, memoir, and screenplays. Choose any one and come prepared to share your response to the work. Informal conversation, no sign up needed.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCHEON

There will be no International Luncheon in December. The next luncheon will be held at Mojo,1929 E Grant Rd., Tucson, a new Cuban restaurant with great reviews, on Jan. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Sign up for the luncheon in the clubhouse by the poker tables on or before Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Please contact Suzan Wilkinson @suzzzwilk@gmail.com with any further questions.

## COMMUNITY AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALES

This year the Community Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023. If you have any items that you're looking to sell there will be a "Sign-up" sheet in the Clubhouse (Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>) for you to put your name and address on. We will post the sale on Craig's List; you can also purchase a RED helium balloon at the Dollar Tree or Fry's for \$1.50 to help identify your address for those looking to buy items.

We will post a sign on the road by the office that advises prospective buyers to look for those balloons as they drive through The Highlands. The White Elephant Sale will be held Saturday, Feb.25th, 2023 from 8:00 to noon. The money brought in on this day is used to help support our Social Committee activities. We will be looking for donations of household items. tools, jewelry, yard tools, lawn chairs, ...almost anything EXCEPT clothing, bedding, hats, and shoes. Any items that are NOT sold will be boxed up and set aside where The Gospel Rescue Mission will come and pick them up and use them for their facility.

#### **NEW RV LOT RATES**

Effective 01/01/23 15'-20' \$15.00 month 21'-50' \$20.00 month 51' over \$25.00 month

#### **CARDS SENT**

Larry & Joan Clow- Sympathy on the loss of their son, Stewart.

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532

### HEADING BACK TO BARLEENS

We're planning a February 22, 2023, bus trip back to the BALEENS AZ OPRY. There will be a signup sheet at the Clubhouse, in the poker room for you to sign up and remember you will need to pay \$35.00 for your seat on the bus when signing up to Jamie.

This is a non-refundable payment as we need to make sure the bus cost of \$1600 is covered before we go. Please make out checks payable to T.H.I. obviously if we do not go, your \$35.00 seat payment will be returned to you. The total for each person for the bus, dinner and show is \$83.00. Thank you, Jamie

#### **KUDOS KORNER**

Kudos to Cindy Bennett and all the great workers, servers, decorators, and all behind the scenes for a wonderful luau. The food was delicious and thank you Cindy so much for cooking it all! Jamie, you did a great job on the bell. Even though it was too cold for me to sit outside and listen to the music. I could hear it from where I live, and it sounded great! Again, thank you all. I look forward to the next one. Hopefully, it will be warmer.

Naomi Osgood

The Social Committee would like to thank Sharon Dennis, Patti Triplett and Theresa Wojdyla for the beautiful work in decorating the clubhouse for the Hawaiian Luau. Thanks to both of you. Cindy B.

#### NEW..... KUDOS *KORNER*

Do you know of someone that you would like to give Kudos to? Please contact Lynne in the office by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month.

#### **NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH**

For those unable to attend the last board meeting, Watch Patrol Captain, Terry Reagan, wanted to point out a few things. Residents and patrol who have night video cams have noticed cars not belonging to residents and strangers on foot going through the neighborhood after midnight and before dawn, on multiple occasions. Since the OV police have notified the residents that there have been a lot of vehicle break-ins and bike/scooter robberies in nearby neighborhoods, please lock up any outdoor valuables. Call 911 if you see suspicious people at night. Better to be safe than sorry according to local police. There has also been a lot of wildlife activity recently. Please take caution when walking at night with lights and/or reflective apparel and be sure to secure your service animals. If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, contact Elizabeth Hinds, Neighborhood Watch Coordinator: 520-440-7056

#### **QUILT CLUB**

The Highlands Quilt Club will be doing free Christmas gift wrapping at the Kaffee Klatch on Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>. Brin any gifts you would like to have wrapped! They will also have some holiday aprons and other popular items for sale to help raise money for next years' service project.

### DECEMBER 2022

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#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Fri - Dec 3

Decorate Clubhouse For Christmas 9:00 am

Sun - Dec 5

Golf Cart Parade and Social 4:00 pm

Wed - Dec 8

Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Sat - Dec 11

Music by Carol Coville Kaffee Klatsch - 9:00 am

Wed - Dec 15

Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Wed - Dec 15

Ladies Lunch 11:30 am

Sat - Dec 25

Christmas Potluck 2:30 pm

Fri – Dec 31

New Year's Eve Party 8:00 pm

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### GOLF CART CHRISTMAS PARADE

This is our 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Cart Christmas Parade. We will meet at the Clubhouse before 4:00 p.m. and start the parade shortly thereafter. The parade will run a little faster this year, with no stopping. After the parade, all are invited to a sing-a-long led by Linc and Helen Keilman. Please bring a snack to share! Last year we had 23 golf carts...let's make this one our best ever! Questions should be directed to Bill Behrendsen at (916) 798-7733.

NO SOCIAL COMMITTEE MEETING IN DECEMBER!

### **DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

Reggie Wenaas – Dec 2
Sara Danville-Gelhaus – Dec 3
Willis Jackson – Dec 6
Elaine Reed – Dec 8
Dave Calkins – Dec 9
Karen Reinking – Dec 16
Carol Coville – Dec 22
Dee Morelli – Dec 22
Dave Knudson – Dec 25
Florence Dutton – Dec 26
Helen Knudson – Dec 29

#### **COZI YOGI CHAIR**

As a wisdom seeker, "this newbie to The Highlands" is open and willing to be guided by other elders in the community. Let's endeavor to get to know each other, and the best way to do this is through direct contact. If there are concerns, questions and/or objections, I hope to hear from you.

Chair Yoga in the Clubhouse on Mondays and Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Bring Water; Donations Appreciated!

Thank you for your support! Dianne Jacobs (520) 403-1815.

#### CORRECTION!

Last month I inadvertently spelled Dianne Jacobs' name with only one "n".

#### **CHRISTMAS BLOCK**

Carol Coville will be hosting a craft class on December 8th at 1 p.m. at the Clubhouse to make Christmas lighted glass blocks for decorating your home. The cost is \$20 with all supplies provided. You will go home with a finished block to enjoy (see photo below). There will be a variety of ribbon and embellishments for you to choose from, so vou can personalize your block to suit your own taste. Please sign up in the Clubhouse. Questions may be directed to Carol at (541) 990-2743.



#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be held on December 8th at Jerry Bob's on Oracle and Magee at 8:00 a.m. Please be sure to sign up so we can make a reservation.

# FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

Happy Holidays everyone, and welcome back to our seasonal residents! Your

Neighborhood Watch has been diligently patrolling the community during the hot summer months and would like to give you an update.

First, someone commented on our use of flashlights. When patrol members walk the community at night, we use flashlights to see the rattlesnakes on the roads and to check dark areas between houses for two or four legged beings. Javelinas and coyotes often run out from between houses or out of the wash. sometimes straight at patrol members. We may also shine flashlights into empty houses to make sure there aren't uninvited visitors.

One final note is that we have seen some strangers in the community and in the washes and desert behind the community. Please keep your doors locked at all times, don't leave valuables in your cars or carports. There have been some "snatch and grab" robberies in the surrounding areas. Stay alert and safe.

If you would like to volunteer for the Neighborhood Watch, please contact Elizabeth Hinds, Neighborhood Watch Patrol Coordinator at (520) 440-7056.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

The Ladies' Lunch will be held at El Charro on December 15. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. We will leave at 11:35. Bring a small gift for a grab bag. Questions should be directed to Lucy Phelan at (970) 290-4007.

# TAI CHI AT THE HIGHLANDS New Class Starting Soon!

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Starting January 4, 2022, certified instructors Andy Gerrie and Meredith Hentschel will offer a beginning class in Tai Chi for Health at the Highlands' Clubhouse. Classes will be on Thursday mornings at 10:00 on a donation basis. All proceeds benefit the program. For more information, e-mail highlandstaichi@hotmail.com.



Larry Staley Brenda Henderson

#### NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

The New Year's Eve Party will be held at the Clubhouse with a disk jockey from 8:00 p.m. until midnight. Bernie Lee will be selling the tickets which will stay at \$20 per couple.



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent: Mont Hartman, Get Well Bill Franklin, Get Well Stan Petterson, Thinking of You

Rick & Jennifer Henderson, Sympathy, loss of his Mother, Brenda LLoya & John Osier, Sympathy Loss of her Aunt, Brenda Henderson

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

Note From Marilyn: On October 29, I lost my husband of 57 years, Larry. I want to thank those who sent sympathy cards, made phone calls and attended his memorial at the Clubhouse. My family and I are grateful for your support; it meant so much to all of us.

### NO JAM SESSION IN DECEMBER

### HOME DELIVERY OF THE FLING

The Fling Newsletter will be delivered to your home beginning in November and continue through April. During the summer months, we ask that you pick it up in the Clubhouse or Resource Room because we don't know which residents are on vacation or have left for the season.



#### **MONDAY CRAFTS**

Beginning December 6<sup>th</sup>, bring your projects to the Resource Room at 1:30 p.m. We meet each Monday to share ideas and information.

#### STRAIGHT 8-BALL TOURNAMENT

Open to all Highlands' Residents and Guests!

When – 5:00 p.m. Sunday January 9<sup>th</sup> (and the same time every Sunday)

Where – The Highlands' Clubhouse

Entry Fee - \$10.00 Format – Double Elimination Winner Take All Maximum 12 Players (due to Only one table)

Contact: Dennis Carder Phone (203) 906-6775

### SOUP AND SALAD POTLUCK

On January 11, 2022, Tere Nunez will host this popular Potluck starting at 5:30 p.m. She needs three volunteers to help set up. Please call Tere at (520) 647-1166 to volunteer.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Please indicate "Fling Article" or something similar in the subject line.

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#### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Wed – Nov 10 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Sat – Nov 13
Kaffee Klatsch - 9:00 am
YOU MUST SIGN UP IF
YOU WANT DONUTS

Wed – Nov 17 Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Fri – Nov 19 Social Committee Meets 9:00 am

Thur – Nov 25 Thanksgiving Potluck 2:00 pm

Sat – Nov 27 Kaffee Klatsch and Craft Fair - 9:00 am

Tue - Nov 30 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

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#### DID YOU KNOW?

When attending a Potluck at The Highlands, you should bring a dish to share; something that would serve 6-8 people. Also, please bring your own place setting.

It is everyone's responsibility to clean up after themselves when using the Clubhouse. There is always a broom and dustpan in the laundry room. At times the tables have been left sticky and there are crumbs on the floor.

### THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

We need help cooking turkeys for the Thanksgiving Potluck. Cindy Bennett will deliver a roasting pan, the turkey and bag to cook it in. Look for a sign-up sheet in the Clubhouse.

#### NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Paul Gerleman – Nov 1
Janet Reed – Nov 3
Claudia Jensen – Nov 4
George Tanner – Nov 15
Barbara Scantlan – Nov 16
Kathy Garver – Nov 20
Diane Leigh – Nov 23
Yvonne Kuhlman – Nov 24
Jan Hamilton – Nov 29

#### **ATTENTION VETERANS**

If you are a veteran, please sign up in the Clubhouse so you can be thanked for your service on Veterans' Day, November 11. A flag will be placed in the ground in front of your home.

### FIVE CROWNS CARD GAME

Same Game – New Time. Friday at 1:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Easy to learn; fun to play. Bring 12 dimes and one quarter for each of two games.

#### **FALL CRAFT FAIR**

Crafters get ready! Please sign up for a Fall Craft Fair.

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, November 27, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. where handcrafted items by Highlands' residents will be for sale. The sale may be inside or out depending on the weather.

#### **BINGO IS BACK!**

Bring your bingo daubers and come join the fun! Every Sunday at 2:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Questions should be directed to Donna Fritz at (509) 690-4953.

#### **WEEKLY CHESS**

Come to the Clubhouse on Tuesdays at 1:00 p.m. and play Chess. Everyone is Welcome! Call Reed Snell at (520) 668-0135 for additional information.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

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#### **TEXAS HOLDEM?**

Some of us are considering starting a weekly afternoon Texas Holdem tournament. If you like Poker and are interested in trying his, please contact Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

#### WI-FI PASSWORD

The password for the Clubhouse Wi-Fi is posted on the Clubhouse bulletin board.

# YOGA AT RIVERFRONT PARK & CHAIR YOGA AT THE HIGHLANDS

Please join me, Susan Weber, for yoga at Riverfront Park on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Stretch into your day and you will feel refreshed, energized and stronger, yet relaxed. My style is accessible to all levels and all body types. Bring your own mat and blocks if you have them. Classes run 45 to 60 minutes; donations accepted.

Fit Chair Yoga is for anyone wanting to feel good without getting down on the floor. We will start with some warm-ups, then yoga stretches on a chair, standing balance poses and guided breathing exercises. Class will be in the Resource Room on Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. Each class is approximately 45 minutes; donations accepted.

Call or text Susan Weber at (505) 927-4216 with questions. I have been teaching yoga since 2001. I look forward to seeing you in class.

## VOLUNTEER COMPUTER OPERATORS NEEDED

Some members would like to participate in Open Board Meetings from a remote location. This requires an "operator" in the Clubhouse controlling the connections. If you could tackle this function, please call Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

#### **CHAIR YOGA CLASS**

Diane Jacobs will be conducting a Chair Yoga class on Mondays and Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. She recommends you bring water. The first class is complimentary; thereafter the cost is \$7 per session. For additional information, please contact Diane Jacobs at (520) 403-1815.

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Tai Chi is proven to have a positive effect on one's overall health. Studies show that the practice of Tai Chi improves and prevents many chronic conditions including arthritis, heart disease and diabetes. It also improves balance and reduces stress!

The Tai Chi for Health program was created by Dr. Paul Lam of the Tai Chi for Health Institute (taichiforhealth institute.org), and is endorsed by the Arthritis Foundation and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. The movements are gentle and beneficial. They can even be performed seated!

Starting January 4, 2022, certified instructors Andy Gerrie and Meredith Hentschel will offer a beginning class in Tai Chi for Health at the Highlands' Clubhouse. Classes will be on Tuesday mornings at 9:30 on a donation basis. All proceeds benefit the program. For more

information, e-mail highlandstaichi@hotmail.com.



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Carrie Lett, Get Well
George Tanner, Get Well
Brenda Henderson, Get Well
Kathy Reagan, Get Well
Barbara Scantlan, Get Well
Jimmy Coffey, Thinking of You
Brenda Henderson, Thinking
of You

If you know of someone who should receive a card from The Highlands, please contact Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

**Note:** Many charities often send out packets of assorted cards. If you don't want them, please donate them to The Highlands.

### HOME DELIVERY OF THE FLING

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The Christmas Parade and Social will be held Sunday, December 5, starting at 4:00 p.m. After enjoying the parade, bring a snack and your voices to the Clubhouse for a Christmas Sing-A-Long.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Chair Yoga 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am Chess 1:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Chair Yoga 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Chair Yoga 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 10:00 am 5 Crowns 1:00 pm Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	6 Aquafit 10:00 am
7 Daylight Saving Bingo 2:00 pm	8 Chair Yoga 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am Chess 1:00 pm	Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Chair Yoga 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Chair Yoga 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 2 Aquafit 10:00 am 5 Crowns 1:00 pm Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	13 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am *Trash Pickup Today
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28 Hanukkah begins Bingo 2:00 pm	29 Chair Yoga 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Aquafit 10:00 am Chess 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm				
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#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Sat – Oct 9 & 23
Kaffee Klatsch - 9:00 am
YOU MUST SIGN UP IF
YOU WANT DONUTS

Tue – Oct 12 Potluck – 5:30 pm

Fri – Oct 15 Social Committee Meets 9:00 am

Wed – Oct 20 Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Tue - Oct 26 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE POKER ROOM AT THE CLUBHOUSE!

\*\*PLEASE WEAR A MASK FOR YOUR SAFETY\*\*

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Currently the community is in need of someone to take charge of the Ladies' Lunch and the Men's Breakfast. Each event is held once monthly. If you are interested in either activity, please contact Cindy Bennett at (810) 599-8929, or come to the next Social Committee Meeting or a Kaffee Klatsch.

Additionally, we are seeking people to run for the Board of Directors. This is a three year term to replace outgoing directors. Questions may be directed to current Board members. If interested, please have your resume to the office by December 1, 2021, for the February election.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Fall is here and that means sign-up sheets are in the Clubhouse for upcoming events. Check the attached calendar to see what's happening that might interest you.

Co-hosts are always needed for our monthly potluck dinners. Many people are willing to help and there are written directions with simple steps to follow.

Everyone is welcome to join in on a Social Committee Meeting. Get active and meet new people. Our next meeting is October 15 in the Clubhouse.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Laura Reeb Javier Valdiva Gary & Susan Wilkinson

#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Wish "Happy Birthday" to your friends and neighbors. The names and dates (not the year) will be in the Fling each month. Sign up in the Clubhouse or leave a message with Colleen at (520) 576-7804.

#### **OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

Barbara Mort – Oct 9 Al Rausch – Oct 9 Steve Horst – Oct 11 Patti Triplett – Oct 16

### FIVE CROWNS CARD GAME

Play will resume on Sunday, October 17 at 1:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Coins needed: 12 dimes and one quarter for each of three games. Easy to learn; fun to play.

#### **ATTENTION VETERANS**

If you are a veteran, please sign up in the Clubhouse so you can be thanked for your service on Veterans' Day, November 11.



#### CARDS SENT

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Richard Alberda, Get Well
Jimmy Coffey, Get Well
Joan Petterson, Get Well
Carrie Lett, Get Well
Paul Gerleman, Get Well
Yvonne Kuhlman, Get Well
Jean Layton, Get Well
Donna Smith, Thinking of You
Nancy Muzzy, Sympathy, loss
of her husband, Dick
George & Ginny Tanner,
Sympathy, loss of their
son-in-law, Edmund



Donald Ruel Johnson

Don and his wife Virginnia were residents of The Highlands' for several years. Don was 93 and had recently been a resident of the MN Veterans' Home. Virginnia passed away last year. Don's obituary and funeral service may be seen online at the Morris Nilsen Funeral Chapel, Bloomington, MN website.

#### FRIDAY SOCIAL HOUR

The Friday Social Hour has resumed. The event is held in the Clubhouse every Friday at 4:00 p.m.

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3	4 Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	5 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am	Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	8 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	9 Aquafit 10:00 am Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am
10	Columbus Day Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	12 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Potluck 5:30 pm	13 Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Aquafit 10:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Social Comm. 9:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	16 Sweetest Day Boss's Day Aquafit 10:00 am
17	Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am	Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Open Board Mtg 10 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	21 Aquafit 10:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Aquafit 10:00 am Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am
24 United Nations Day	Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	26 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am	Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 Aquafit 10:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	29 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30 Aquafit 10:00 am
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#### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Fri – Sept 17 Social Committee 9:00 am

**Sat – Sept 18** Memorial Service for Harry Nix – 2:00 pm

\*\*PLEASE WEAR A MASK\*\*

#### MEMORIAL SERVICE

A memorial service celebrating the life of Harry Nix will be held in the Clubhouse on Saturday, September 18, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Harry's wife, Lynn, has invited anyone who wishes to come and pay their respects.

#### **SOCIAL COMMITTEE**

The first Social Committee Meeting of the season will be held in the Clubhouse on Friday, September 17, at 9:00 a.m. Come and bring your ideas for future social events.



Dick Muzzy - former resident and Board Member.

Expressions of Sympathy may be sent to:
Nancy Muzzy
4001 Ivanhoe Blvd.
Columbia, MO 65203

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5	6 Labor Day Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	7 Rosh Hashanah Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	8 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	9 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm  *No Trash Today	Patriot Day  Aquafit 9:00 am  *Trash Pickup Today
12 Grandparents Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	7 4 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 6 Yom Kippur Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 7 Constitution Day Aquafit 9:00 am Social Comm. 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	18 Aquafit 9:00 am
19	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	21 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	22 Autumnal equinox (GMT) Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	24 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	25 Aquafit 9:00 am
26	27 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	28 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	29 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm		
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#### **AUGUST EVENTS**

Tue – Aug 3 Potluck – 5:30 pm

**Wed – Aug 18** Meet & Greet – 4:00 pm

#### PLEASE SIGN UP!

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#### **MEET & GREET**

Come and meet some new folks. Join us at the August Meet and Greet, Wednesday, August 18, from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. Bring your beverage and a snack to share. No need to sign up.

#### **POTLUCK**

Our August potluck will be held Tuesday, August 3, at 5:30 p.m. Please sign up on the sheet in the Clubhouse, bring a dish to share and your place setting. Looking forward to seeing you there.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Barbara Scantlan - Get Well Harry Nix - Thinking of You Gail Franklin - Get Well Morris Coville - Get Well Lynn Nix - Sympathy, Loss of Her husband, Harry

If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### **Note from Marilyn:**

I want to thank everyone who donated cards for our community mailings. Last week someone left beautiful Sympathy Cards in the Clubhouse for giveaway and my neighbor, DeDe Vannot brought them to me. THANKS TO ALL WHO DONATE THEIR CARDS!

#### **ATTENTION!**

To anyone who went to the July Meet and Greet. I lost a large slotted serving spoon that goes to my set of silverware. It apparently went home with someone else. If you find it, please leave it on the counter in the clubhouse with my name on it, or give me a call at (520) 887-4120. Here's a drawing of the spoon.



Thank you so much, Patti Triplett



Barbara Davis Harry Nix

### AUGUST 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	3 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Potluck 5:30 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	6 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Aquafit 9:00 am
8	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	13 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Aquafit 9:00 am
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22	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	24 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	26 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	27 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 Aquafit 9:00 am
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#### **JULY EVENTS**

Sunday – July 4

Potluck – 4:30 pm Golf Cart Parade - After the Potluck

**Wed – July 14** Meet & Greet – 4:00 pm

Wed – July 21 Ladies Luncheon – 11:30 am

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MASK IF YOU HAVE
NOT BEEN FULLY
VACCINATED AGAINST
COVID\*\*

PLEASE SIGN UP!

#### **NOTICE!**

All articles published in The Fling have been approved by the President of the Board.

### CELEBRATE OUR INCEPENDENCE!

All residents are welcome to attend the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Potluck at 4:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Please sign up in the poker room at the Clubhouse. Bring a dish to share, your table service and a drink if desired. The Wellness Golf Cart Parade will resume after dinner. Let's decorate those golf carts! Questions should be directed to Jane Force at (520) 245-4164.

#### **NEW, NEW, NEW!**

Recently some changes have taken place at our office. The office is now open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. It has been updated with new furniture, flooring and paint. Lynne Jordan will be greeting us at the office and handling our transactions. Lynne has lived in the Tucson area for 13 years. She enjoys cooking, aviation and the outdoors.

#### **TAI CHI CLASS**

Rick Anderson will be teaching Tai Chi at the Clubhouse on Monday and Wednesday at 9:30 a.m. Questions should be directed to Rick at (970) 245-8001.

#### **MEET AND GREET**

Come to the Clubhouse on July 14 from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. and meet your neighbors. The meet and greet is open to all residents. Bring your beverage and a snack to share.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Louise Adams – sympathy, loss of her sister Phyllis Lynde – get well Bill Lynde – sympathy, loss of his mother, Phyllis Lucy Phelan – sympathy, loss of her caregiver & friend, Barbie

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### LADIES' LUNCHEON

The Ladies' Luncheon will be July 21 at Ole Mexican Grill, 2080 Orange Grove Road. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30. Please sign up in the poker room at the Clubhouse. Provide your first and last name, your phone number and indicate whether or not you can drive. Your phone number is necessary in case we have to cancel due to Covid. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik/Bentler at (440) 821-5591.

### UPDATED RESERVE PLAN

An updated reserve plan, dated April 2021, is on file in the office. A PDF version may be requested by members.

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Phyllis Lynde

# FROM THE HIGHLANDS' NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

The Oro Valley Police have asked us to share information regarding the recent rise in thefts of catalytic converters. The cost of replacing a catalytic converter will be very expensive, and the thieves can pocket about \$200 per converter.

Here are some steps you can take to help prevent theft of your catalytic converter:

- -Park in a garage or well-lit area.
- -Add a commercial catalytic theft prevention device.
- -Install an under-vehicle alarm system.
- -Etch the vehicle VIN number on the converter.
- -Report the theft to law enforcement immediately.

Oro Valley Police
Department is asking that you watch for anything suspicious, particularly anyone working on the undercarriage of a vehicle. Please call OVPD at (520) 229-4900 and allow them to investigate. Without the public's help, they will have difficulty stopping this crime.

Questions should be directed to Elizabeth Hinds, Neighborhood Watch Coordinator, at (520) 440-7056 or drelizfortin@aol.com.

### JULY 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3 Aquafit 9:00 am
4 Independence Day  Pot Luck 4:30 pm  Golf Cart Parade after	5 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	6 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	7 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	8 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	9 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 O Aquafit 9:00 am
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25 Parents' Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	27 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi 9:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	29 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	31 Aquafit 9:00 am
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#### ATTENTION DOG OWNERS

Some residents (myself included) have witnessed dog waste on their property or the curbs of our streets. We have a NO PETS POLICY in The Highlands and many of us chose to live here because of that policy. The paperwork you signed regarding "Rules for Reasonable Accommodation of Service or Assistance Animals" clearly states that you are required to carry a trash bag and immediately pick up any waste deposited by your animal (Rule 6). The Fair Housing Act, Section 504, indicates that you must be in control of your animal at all times, which includes cleaning up any waste left by the animal. The Federal Government also gives us the right to require vour animal be removed from the community if you refuse to follow the guidelines. PICK **UP AFTER YOUR DOG!** 

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#### NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

Many residents have left for the summer, but we are keeping watch over your property. In the past, we have caught water leaks/irrigation breaks and called police to report suspicious persons in the community. Oro Valley Police have told us crime is up 150 percent. One of our patrol members discovered a vagrant camped out in the RV lot after 3 a.m. At 12:30 a.m. a resident heard someone running in their yard. A patrol member saw a stranger near the RV lot at 3:15 a.m.

We strongly advise you to keep your cars and houses locked, even during daylight hours. Never open the door to strangers. Call 911 if they refuse to leave.

Stay safe by being aware and careful at all times. If you notice something suspicious, call 911.

Elizabeth Hinds Neighborhood Watch Coordinator (520) 440-7056

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:
Carrie Letts – get well
Jeff Thomas – get well
Ray Ghiselline – get well
Jerry Dennis – get well
Anita Lee – get well

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Glen & April Hulstrand Neil & Sarah Poese

#### **PARADES**

Wellness Parades will resume July 4.



Ray Ghiselline

### **JUNE 2021**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Coffee 8:30 am Aquafit 9:00 am	2 Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm  *No Trash Today	5 Aquafit 9:00 am *Trash Pick Up Today
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#### **MAY EVENTS**

Thursdays
Golf Cart Parade - 6:00 pm

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MANY SOCIAL EVENTS

ARE CANCELLED UNTIL

**FURTHER NOTICE** 

PLEASE SIGN UP!

#### **URGENT**

It doesn't seem possible that any grandparent or parent would intentionally injure their child. On April 3, several residents observed a very small child (3-4 years old) standing up driving a golf cart, which even appeared to be exceeding the speed limit.

We've all seen stories on TV about freak accidents that happened because someone wanted to allow a child to "have some fun". No child under 16 should be driving a motorized vehicle. STOP – think how you will feel if your grandchild or child gets hurt.

### FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A three-year contract has been signed with Hughes Sanitation, so please note the following changes:

The monthly rate goes from \$13.00 to \$13.50, which means the quarterly payment will be \$40.50.

If gas reaches \$4.00 per gallon, our monthly rate will immediately go up \$1.00 until the gas price goes down.

Doubling up with a neighbor is strictly **PROHIBITED** and if caught will result in \$100 fine; back payments will also be assessed.

#### **FROM HORAC**

Most residents should have received the survey from the newly formed Highlands' Outdoor Recreation Committee (or HORAC) asking for your input regarding existing and possible future outdoor activities at The Highlands. Your input is very important. If you did not receive a survey, please contact Cheryl Haggard at (520) 609-1340.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Martin Wolf
Daniel & Joyce Emery
Edward & Christina Gilman

#### PARADE TIME CHANGE

Effective May 1, the Golf Cart Parade will begin at 6:00 p.m. on Thursdays.

#### LIGHT POLE CREDIT

If you are supposed to receive a 'light pole credit' it will appear on the FIRST quarter invoice, which means your quarterly amount owed to The Highlands will be \$6.00 less (\$174 - \$6 = \$168). This same credit would apply if you were paying bi-annually or yearly as well.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:

Judy Pope – get well Florence Dutton – get well Linda Wilcoxson – get well Addie Everett – get well Bernie Lee – get well Rich Staska – sympathy Loss of his mother, Jane

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### SING-A-LONG

Morris Coville is interested in leading some Sing-A-Longs. He will provide the lyrics and music. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Morris at (541) 990-0263.



Jane Staska Bill Hullfish

### SUBMITTED BY A RESIDENT



#### **NOTE OF THANKS**

Thank you to everyone for the cards and prayers after the passing of my mother.

Jan Cason

#### REMINDER

The Fling will not be delivered to your home from May until November. There will be copies in the Clubhouse and Resource Room. It can also be found on our website.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com

### MAY 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						Aquafit 10:00 am
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#### **APRIL EVENTS**

Wed, Apr 21 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

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**FURTHER NOTICE** 

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The office has medical equipment available for residents to borrow. There is no cost for the service.

We are looking for a committee to suggest ideas for outdoor activity areas... should we keep them? change them? update them? etc. Please sign up in the Clubhouse by April 5.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Kelly & Sarah
Danville Gelhaus
Norma Jean Sellers
Mark & Regina Linsalata
Laura Nelson
Thomas & Nancy Clark
Lisa Stiller
Dianne Jacobs
James & Margaret Rehnberg
Michael Faron
Chuck & Chris Ardingo

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

The Board is looking for someone who would be interested in serving as Assistant Secretary. For additional information, please contact Mary Rausch at (319) 560-5258.

#### **TUESDAY COFFEE**

Come to the Clubhouse for coffee at 8:30 a.m. each Tuesday. All are welcome. Cost is \$1 for sweets and coffee.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent.
Louise Adams – get well
Joseph Luoma – sympathy
Loss of his mother
Eila Waterland – sympathy
Loss of husband, Sonny
Addie Everett – get well

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### THE HIGHLANDS' DIRECTORY

Just before her untimely passing, Georgia called me with an article for the Fling. She wanted to thank Cindy Bennett and the others who helped her create the phone directory. She wanted anyone whose information is incorrect to let us know so that we can make up a list to be included with a future issue of the Fling. If your information is incorrect, please drop a note in the box on the office door. I will get the information in the Fling.

#### HIGHLANDS' NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

The faithful members of the Highlands' Neighborhood Watch have been patrolling regularly. We have members who patrol on foot, by scooter, golf cart, car and truck. All members have been issued a fluorescent yellow vest to identify them as members of the Highlands' Security Patrol.

We usually have five to six patrols during a 24-hour period focusing on the hours when personal property is most susceptible to crime. We have a new member who patrols in the wee hours between 2:30 and 4:30 a.m. We can't be all places at all times, but we try to make our presence known.

We have communicated with the Oro Valley police and they have agreed to step up their patrols between midnight and 5:00 a.m. Our police liaison suggests you put all valuables away where they can't be seen.

Theft has increased in Oro Valley due to a number of factors such as pandemic unemployment, etc. Lock your cars and your doors! Install a motion detector!

If you have questions, please contact Elizabeth Hinds, Neighborhood Watch Coordinator, at (520) 440-7056.

#### **NOTE OF THANKS**

Many thanks for the calls, cards, and concerns. I am doing well so far.

Linda Wilcoxson



Georgia Pfleiderer

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### **APRIL 2021**

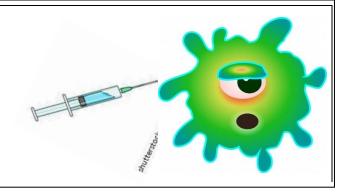
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#### **MARCH EVENTS**

Sat, Mar 6

Craft Show & Sale 9:00 am - 12:00 noon

Sun, Mar 14

Celebration of Life - 2:00 pm

Wed, Mar 17

Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Fri, Mar 19

Social Comm Mtg - 9:00 am

\*\*PLEASE WEAR A MASK\*\*

MANY SOCIAL EVENTS

ARE CANCELLED UNTIL

**FURTHER NOTICE** 

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

#### **REMINDER**

If you wish to have "The Fling" delivered to your home, please make sure you have a tube available. Your mailbox can only be used for US Mail.

#### THE POOL

Recent revelations from the CDC have surfaced regarding community pools. They believe that an outside pool has enough air circulation and chemicals to mitigate the spread of germs.

The Board of Directors has discussed this and voted unanimously to immediately open the pool to guests and children. Social distancing is required and children must be under the supervision of an adult.

Please be considerate of others when using the pool. Enjoy, Craig

#### **CRAFT SHOW & SALE**

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, March 6, between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon. We have nine residents signed up to sell handcrafted items. The show and sale will be set up outside next to the Clubhouse. Please make time to stop by and support your neighbors.

#### **NEW YOGA CLASS**

You are invited to a chair yoga class for anyone not wanting to stretch on the floor. All yoga poses will be done either seated or standing using a chair for support and balance. The class will be well rounded for strength, flexibility and breathing techniques. You will feel relaxed and energized! Class will begin on Tuesday, March 2, at 11:00 a.m. for 45 to 60 minutes. Classes will be held at the Clubhouse. Please wear a mask and we will socially distance our chairs. Suggested donation is \$5. Call or text Susan Weber at (505) 927-4216 to register, or just show up.

#### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

On Sunday, March 14, at 2:00 p.m. there will be a Celebration of Life to honor those residents who passed away during the last year. This event will be held outside near the shuffleboard court.

#### **CARDS SENT**

There was no report of cards sent this month.

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn Staley at (520) 484-8532.

#### NEW PAINT COLOR WHEEL

In an effort to allow homeowners to view ALL the colors and numbers that can be used when painting a house, a "new" color wheel has been placed in the Resource Room. The new wheel is not attached to the wall; therefore, if you take it home, PLEASE sign the clipboard on the table. Kindly include your address and phone number on the sign-out sheet so we know where the wheel is located. Sherwin-Williams makes minor changes to their paint colors and numbers every few years, so we will be able to update ours as well.

Please Note: You are not required to use Sherwin-Williams brand paint. If you take their color number to your supplier, they will be able to create a similar color.

A HUGE thank you to Sharon and Jerry Dennis who spent a lot of time updating the color wheel.

**THI Compliance** 

#### SING WHILE YOU DRIVE

45 MPH - "Highways Are Happy Days"

55 MPH - "I'm But a Stranger Here, Heaven Is

My Home"

65 MPH - "Nearer My God to Thee"

75 MPH - "When the Roll is Called Up Yonder, I'll Be There"

85 MPH - "Lord I'm Coming Home"

Submitted by a Resident

### THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

For those of you who have asked about positions held by the 2021-2022 Board of Directors, here is the information.

#### **President**

Craig Bennett (810) 923-9236

#### **Vice President & Contracts**

Sara Danville-Gelhaus (951) 453-1035

#### **Treasurer**

Jamie Horst (309) 230-0233

#### Secretary

Mary Rausch (319) 560-5258

#### Maintenance/Compliance

Bernie Lee (520) 409-8709

Morris Coville (541) 754-2261

#### Compliance

Jimmy Clark (520) 484-3336

Kent Hinds (520) 444-1107

#### **Director**

Bob Beck (520) 461-9540

### A SPECIAL NOTE OF THANKS

Dear Highlands Friends and Family,

After living in the Highlands for 26 years without an issue, I really could not believe it when my tricycle was stolen. I enjoyed it so much!

To my amazement, I received money to replace the tricycle from the wonderful group here in The Highlands.

I thank you all so very much. Words cannot express my appreciation for such wonderful people.

Sincerely, Shirley Nicodemus

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Please send information to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com

### MARCH 2021

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Covid 19 is in The Highlands. Mask up, Stay 6 feet apart and Wash your hands!!

#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri, Feb 5
Annual Open Board Meeting
1:00 pm

Wed, Feb 17 Open Board Mtg 10:00 am

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MANY SOCIAL EVENTS

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FURTHER NOTICE

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#### **CANCELLED!!**

Due to ongoing issues with the pandemic, we have decided to cancel the Community Yard Sale (2/20) and White Elephant Sale (2/27) for this year. There will, however, be a 20 yard dumpster placed in the RV Lot for homeowners' use the week of February 22<sup>nd</sup>. This dumpster can be used to eliminate any "treasures" including yard waste, branches, old screens, etc. You **CANNOT** put the following items in the dumpster: tires, fuels, batteries or anything that ever contained Freon!! We would like to continue using a dumpster in the future, but it depends solely on homeowners following the rules. If you have any items that can't be placed in the dumpster, you can take them to the Catalina Transfer Station which is on Oracle Road. We believe the cost to do this is \$25 per load.

Best Regards, Steve & Jamie Horst

#### **RV LOT HOURS**

There is a new gate at the entrance to the RV Lot. The gate will be locked from 9 p.m. until 6 a.m. If you need access to your unit, please be aware of the new hours.

#### **CRAFT SHOW & SALE**

Come to the Clubhouse grounds on Saturday, March 6, between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon. Handcrafted items by Highlands' residents will be for sale. More information to follow.

#### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

On Sunday, March 14, at 2:00 p.m. there will be a Celebration of Life to honor those residents who passed away during the last year. This event will be held outside.

#### COVID VACCINE

Here is the website to sign up for the Covid Vaccine and see if/when you qualify: pima.gov/covid19vaccine

#### **NEED HELP PICKING** FRUIT?

I will help pick your fruit in exchange for some. Contact Susan Weber at (505) 927-4216. Thank you.

#### CARDS SENT

Linda Ortiz – Sympathy Loss of Mother, Georgiana Wallace Judy Pope - Get Well Jane Force - Get Well Kathy Reagan – Get Well Lloya Ossier - Get Well Sharon Dennis - Get Well Gene Malik – Get Well Sharon Malik - Get Well Barbara Moe – Sympathy Loss of Sister Marcia Pritikin

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn Staley at (520) 484-8532.



Harry Farris

If you need a Tucson Phone Book, there are several in the library. If you enter the library from the sliding glass door, they are on the bottom shelf just before you enter the main room of the Clubhouse.

**TUCSON PHONE** 

BOOKS

#### THE POOL

The pool is open at 10:00 a.m. if the temperature is reported to be 65 degrees or higher. It will be closed at 5:00 p.m. We still need volunteers to cover and uncover the pool. If you can help, please call Louise Bohrer at (715) 448-3301. Let's all do what we can to keep the pool open. Thank you.

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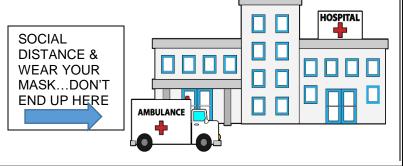
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#### **JANUARY EVENTS**

Wed, Jan 20 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

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### SPEED BUMPS COULD BE COMING!!

The topic of speeding in The Highlands was brought up and discussed at the Board Meeting on December 16.

Cars and Trucks traveling on our roads at unsafe speeds has been an ongoing problem. We are fortunate that there have not been any accidents or injuries YET! We are asking residents to be mindful of their speed while driving in The Highlands and remind any guests or friends to do the same.

We will be contacting many delivery companies, contractors, utilities and other commercial drivers to remind them of our 15 miles per hour speed limit. We are also requesting that the local police patrol our streets to stop speeders and ticket them if necessary.

Anyone who is walking, riding a bike or just standing on the side of the road has a responsibility to allow vehicles to pass safely. Wear bright clothing and carry a flashlight at night so you can be seen.

One final note, STOP is not a suggestion or recommendation, it means...STOP! That goes for cars, trucks, golf carts and bicycles! Please be safe and remember...ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT SPEED BUMPS! Craig Bennett HOA President

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENT

Terri Sebastian, Matterhorn

#### **CARDS SENT**

Jerry Dennis - Get Well Lynn Nix - Get Well Herb Johnson - Sympathy Loss of wife Al Rausch - Sympathy Loss of mother

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Georgiana Wallace, age 93 ¾ Mother of Linda Ortiz

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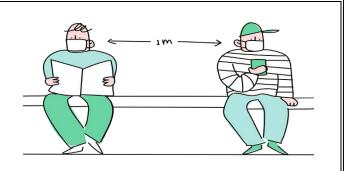
### JANUARY 2021

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#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

**Sun, Dec 6** Christmas Parade - 4:00 pm

**Thu, Dec 10** Holiday Market - 10:00 am

Wed, Dec 16 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

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MANY SOCIAL EVENTS

ARE CANCELLED UNTIL

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**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

#### TIME IS RUNNING OUT!

Although our annual election isn't until February 5th, the ballots must go out no later than December 22<sup>nd</sup> and we need at least two weeks to print and prep the ballots for mailing. We're extending the deadline for submitting resumes to December 8th. We need at least three names to fill the three openings on the Board. If we don't get three names, openings can be filled by appointment, but that requires consent by the proposed appointees. If we don't fill the nine member Board, we may have to turn over our responsibilities to a management company which will raise our maintenance fees considerably. And...if you've heard any of the horror stories about management companies...'enuf said! Please consider running for the Board of Directors, write up a simple resume and submit it to the office or any Board member.

#### CHRISTMAS PARADE

Our Golf Cart Christmas Parade is scheduled for Sunday, December 6<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome; just decorate your golf cart, your bicycle, yourself, your car and join us. This year there will be no walkers in front so the parade will move a little faster. The parade will start at 4:15, so meet at the Clubhouse at 4:00. There will not be a party after the parade this year due to the Covid outbreak. We will also join the Wellness Parade on Thursdays...check the marquee for times. Call Bill Behrendsen at (916) 798-7733 with any questions.

### HIGHLANDS' HOLIDAY MARKET

We are planning a Holiday Market on Thursday, December 10, 2020, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The market will be located outside the Clubhouse and will be for our residents by our residents. It will not be advertised or open to the outside community. Come and support your friends and neighbors.

Artists and Crafters: If you are interested in participating, call Jeanie Weihl at (231) 981-2535 for more details and to reserve your spot.

#### **FYI - PAINT WHEEL**

The paint wheel containing approved colors for all outside homes and trim has been moved from the office carport bulletin board back to the Resource Room. Please consult this before planning outside painting. **Remember** to submit an Improvement Request form (available in the Resource Room) for **ANY** outside projects.

### FROM THE NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING

Only 20 residents attended the meeting.

The Highlands' draft budgets for 2021 are available by email from the office, or you can stop by and pick up a copy.

The annual review status report for the Reserve Plan is available by email from the office, or you can stop by and pick up a copy.

The Board is looking for copies of minutes from old Board Meetings. If you have any available, please take them to the office. Georgia will make copies as necessary.

Nov and Dec Social Committee Meetings cancelled.

Repair of the pool is ongoing. Some issues were found which increased the original estimate.

Several changes were approved regarding spaces in the RV lot. The current policy is available in the office.

We don't know whether or not we will be able to hold the White Elephant Sale in 2021. The Board approved providing a dumpster during the week of Feb 22 to Feb 27 to allow residents to dispose of unwanted items.

#### **SLOW DOWN!!**

All residents are being asked to tell your guests and contractors to watch their speed. We have more residents walking and riding bikes and we need to keep them safe.

#### **URGENT**

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Please let the office know your wishes as soon as possible. Just drop a note with the information in the slot at the office. Thank you.

#### **CARDS**

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn Staley at (520) 484-8532.



Joe Termes

Some of you may not be aware that Joe passed away in June 2020.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Please send information to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com

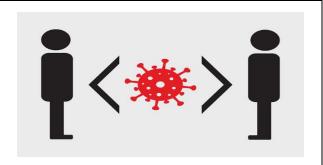
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20	21 Dec. Solstice (GMT) Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	22 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	23 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	24 Christmas Eve Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	25 Christmas Day  *No trash today	26 Kwanzaa begins  Aquafit 10:00 am
27	28 Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	29 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	30 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3 New Year's Eve Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm		
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#### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Wed, Nov 18 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Fri, Nov 20 Social Comm - 9:00 am

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Please let the office know your wishes as soon as possible. Just drop a note with the information in the slot at the office. Thank you.

#### ATTENTION DOG OWNERS

Neither you nor your dog is allowed on anyone's private property unless invited. Some residents are afraid of dogs, allergic to dogs or just don't like dogs. Our community has a "no pets" policy; however, federal law states that we must allow service, emotional and assistance animals. Most animals remain inside a home and don't infringe on the rights of others. Dogs have to be walked and thus can cause issues. Please respect your neighbors by keeping your dog off private property.

#### **RIVERFRONT YOGA**

You are invited to join Susan Weber for an all levels yoga class at Riverfront Park on Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning November 3 at 9:00 a.m. The class will last for one hour and you will feel refreshed, energized, and stronger, yet relaxed!

Bring a mat or big towel and meet at the picnic table area to sign in. We will do the class in an adjacent flat area.

Donations are accepted. I have taught chair yoga at the Highlands and hope to begin again soon. Questions should be directed to Susan at (505) 927-4216 or susankweber@icloud.com.



Spike McMurtrie Mina Natzmer\*

\*Note: Mina Natzmer, a longtime resident of The Highlands, passed away on September 26, 2020. Her family has decided to purchase a 'matching' bench to be placed next to her husband's below the American Flag. If you would like to make a donation "in memory of Mina", please send your check to Dawn Curtis, 1210 Shevchenko Drive,

1210 Shevchenko Drive, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103, and note Natzmer Bench in the memo line. Thank you for all the love and friendship you have shared with our Aunt over the years. Take care and stay healthy!

The Family of Mina Natzmer

#### **SOCIAL COMMITTEE**

The Social Committee meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month at 9:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. All are welcome. This is your opportunity to present your ideas for upcoming events or entertainment.

In October, we agreed that it is still too soon to hold social events inside. So no Saturday Kaffeeklatsch, Potluck, etc. until further notice.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS!

Christine Fargo
133 W Vesuvius
Lela & William Krohn
232 W Andes
Walter Krauz
301 W Matterhorn
Kathleen Hurlburt
325 W Shenandoah
Stanley & Robin Tenpenny
10725 N Kilimanjaro

#### IT'S NOT TOO EARLY!

Our annual election isn't until February, 2021, but it's not too early to think about running for a Board position. This is your opportunity to help keep The Highlands a wonderful place to live! Notify a Board member or the office of your intention to run for election, write a resume with your personal information and reason for running, turn it into the office by December 1, and we'll get your name on the ballot.



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were recently sent:

- \*Paul Gerleman get well \*Joann Lieder - get well - two cards sent 10/5, 10/19
- \*Ron Baumbach get well \*Anita Lee - thinking of you

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

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8	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	7 Veterans Day Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	13 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Aquafit 10:00 am
15	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	17 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	18 Aquafit 10:00 am Open Bd Mtg 10:00 am** Cards/Games 6:00 pm	19 Riverfront Yoga 9:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	20 Aquafit 10:00 am Social Comm 9:00 am** Cards/Games 6:00 pm	21 Aquafit 10:00 am
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#### Social distance, please



#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Fri, Oct 16 Social Comm - 9:00 am

Wed, Oct 21 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Wed, Oct 28 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 Noon

Thur, Oct 29 Gourd Class 1:00 - 4:00 pm

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Please let the office know your wishes as soon as possible. Just drop a note with the information in the slot at the office. Thank you.

#### **IT'S NOT TOO EARLY!**

Our annual election isn't until February, 2021, but it's not too early to think about running for a Board position. Three Board members' terms expire in February...Craig Bennett, Linc Keilman and Bill Bohrer. Craig has not announced a decision to run or not run for re-election; Linc will not run for re-election; Bill has fulfilled the two term limit meaning he cannot run for re-election. During the early onset of COVID-19

restrictions, several residents voiced their opinions that "this Board is out of control", so this is your opportunity to put your words into action. The pay is...OOpppps, sorry folks this is a volunteer job, but the satisfaction of keeping The Highlands a wonderful place to live is priceless! Notify a Board member or the office of your intention to run for election, write a resume with your personal information and reason for running, turn it into the office by December 1, and we'll get your name on the ballot.

# FROM THE MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT

If you are a dog owner, please be respectful of the common grounds of The Highlands and clean up after your animal. DO NOT use the common area trash cans to dispose of dog waste. Stop it immediately and put it in your own trash. Having a dog here is a privilege and should be treated as such. We are not here to clean up after residents or your animals.

#### **HIGHLANDS LIBRARY**

Thank you Jane Force for many years of service as the Highlands' Librarian. Welcome Louisa Sadler who will be taking over the function. If you are interested in helping, please contact Louisa at (520) 343-9248.

#### LADIES' LUNCHEON

The ladies are planning to hold a luncheon on October 28, at The Parish Restaurant, 6453 N Oracle Road.

Please either sign up or call Kathy Zeleznik at (440) 821-5591 to let her know you will be attending. If she doesn't answer, leave a message.

#### **TUESDAY COFFEE**

The Tuesday Coffee group will begin meeting again starting October 6. The group meets at 8:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. All are welcome.

#### SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Social Committee will begin meeting monthly starting Friday, October 16, at 9:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. This is your opportunity to present your ideas for upcoming events or entertainment.



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were recently sent:

- \*Cindy Bennett get well
- \*Gail Franklin get well
- \*Kathy Zeleznik get well
- \*Kathy Reagan get well
- \*Anita Coffey get well

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

# FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PATROL

Please watch out for rattlesnakes, especially when you are taking your evening walk. This is the time of year when snakes are seeking warmth on the cement and asphalt as the nights get cooler. Also, look before you leap into the swimming pool. Rattlesnakes have been known to skim over the surface of the water!!

We've also observed several raccoons in the community recently. It's important that you don't put your trash out early. If you don't have a covered can, lightly spray the bags with ammonia or diluted bleach to help deter animals. You can also put moth balls around the garbage bags or in your cans. Don't do anything to attract hungry animals to our community.

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11	1 2 Columbus Day  Aquafit 10:00 am  Hand & Foot 1:00 pm  Crafts 1:30 pm  Needlecrafts 1:30 pm  Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	1 4 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	15 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 6 Boss's Day Aquafit 10:00 am Social Comm 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	17 Sweetest Day  Aquafit 10:00 am
18	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	21 Aquafit 10:00 am Open Bd Mtg 10:00 am** Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	24 United Nations Day  Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am  Aquafit 10:00 am
25	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	27 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	28 Ladies Lunch 12 noon Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	31 Halloween  Aquafit 10:00 am
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#### **NOTE OF THANKS**

Thank you all so much for your generous gifts, warm friendship, support, prayers and love.

Anita Lee

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were recently sent:

\*Harold Haas - get well
\*Steve Johnson - sympathy
for the loss of his mother
Virginia Johnson

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

Please don't forget your mask! Us older folks are trying to stay safe!!

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### SEPTEMBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	2 Aquafit 9:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am
6	7 Labor Day Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	8 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 pm	9 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Patriot Day Aquafit 9:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am
13 Grandparents Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	16 Aquafit 9:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Constitution Day Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	18 Aquafit 9:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	19 Rosh Hashanah  Aquafit 9:00 am
20	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	22 Autumnal equinox (GMT) Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	23 Ladies Lunch 12 noon Aquafit 9:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	24 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	26 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am
27	28 Yom Kippur  Aquafit 9:00 am  Hand & Foot 1:00 pm  Crafts 1:30 pm  Needlecrafts 1:30 pm  Ping Pong 7:00 pm	29 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	30 Aquafit 9:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm			
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AUGUST EVENTS

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Joe Carder

#### NOTICE

The Highlands sent quarterly statements to homeowners in July. Please remember that if your "Amount Due" is in (parenthesis) or has a minus (-) in front of it, you currently have a credit balance and no payment is required.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent during late May and early June:

- \*Louise Adams get well
- \*Lucy Phelan get well
- \*Bud Bates get well
- \*Anita Lee get well
- \*Kathy Zeleznik get well
- \*Bernie Lee get well

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### LADIES' LUNCHEON

The ladies are planning to hold their luncheon on August 19, at Charred Pie, 12125 North Oracle Road, Oro Valley Marketplace. We will leave the Clubhouse at 11:35. Please contact Kathy Zeleznik at (440) 821-5591 with any questions.

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### AUGUST 2020

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### SAVE THE HUMMINGBIRDS!

Many of us in The Highlands enjoy feeding and watching the hummingbirds. Please remember to change the food every day when it is so hot. If you are going to leave town, take the feeders down while you're gone. Thanks.



Joe Termes

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Read the Pandemic Letter

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent during late May and early June:

- \*Anna Pufahl get well
- \*Eugene Malik get well
- \*Anita Coffey get well
- \*DeDe Venott get well
- \*Bud Bates get well
- \*Phoebe Hart get well
- \*Lacy Termes sympathy

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### A NOTE OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone who participates in the Thursday Night Wellness Parade. We even made KGUN 9 News on May 7 and 8. You can see the TV clip on "The Highlands of Oro Valley" social committee Facebook page. Sometimes we hand out candy; sometimes we receive candy (thank you Randy). One resident named us "Electro-glide Roadsters". Hope we keep up the good work and stay safe!

Cindy Bennett Social Committee Chair

PLEASE SIGN UP!

From: Highlands Board of Directors

To: Highlands Membership

Date: 6/30/2020

**Subject: Highlands Pool Status Update** 

When the COVID-19 Pandemic broke out, closing the pool and clubhouse was considered by the board. After several weeks, COVID-19 began to spread rapidly throughout the country and some states began to put social distancing into required practice. The CDC began to issue protocols to help curb the spread of the virus.

Shortly after that, the governor of Arizona issued a shut down order for all non-essential businesses throughout the State. This included all public and semi-public swimming pools until further notice. CDC guidelines were put into effect and compliance was expected. Gatherings of ten people or more was prohibited and Social Distancing became mandatory.

At that time, the Highlands Board of Directors made the decision to close the pool and clubhouse to follow the Governor's directive and better safeguard the Highlands Community. They were to remain in force until further directives were issued by the Governor, the City of Oro Valley and Pima County.

The pool and clubhouse remained closed until the Governor made the statement pools could be reopened. On May 20<sup>th</sup> the Governor said, pools could be re-opened However Oro Valley remained closed until June 1st. The Board had an executive meeting on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of May about re-opening the pool and clubhouse. A committee was formed and met to obtain more information.

Signs, sanitization materials, equipment and cleaning protocols needed according to CDC, City and County recommendations were discussed and acted upon.

Signage was designed and ordered while sanitization dispensers, paper towels spray bottles, etc. were procured and put in place prior to opening the pool and clubhouse. Some items were unavailable due to high demand or had long lead times which resulted in delays in getting the pool and clubhouse ready for opening.

It was a lengthy process getting everything ready for the opening and it was accomplished on June 6th. Contrary to negative rumors being spread about the Highlands community that the Board was ineffective and nonproductive the pool and clubhouse were opened in a safe and timely manner.

The Board has worked tirelessly at making sure the pool and clubhouse were brought up to current expectations of the various governmental institutions and done so with community safety and wellbeing in mind.

In closing, we would like to point out that additional posted rules and regulations along with Social Distancing are required at the pool and clubhouse for the safety of the individual as well as the community. COVID-19 is serious and it will take everyone being cooperative and vigilant to keep us all safe.

In the short time the pool has been opened, we have already had problems with those that refuse to comply. Social Distancing was not followed, more than one person was in the hot tub, and children were swimming in the pool along with their dog. This is unacceptable behavior and it puts us all at risk.

Please be considerate, follow the posted rules, and sanitize after yourself. Thank You.

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### EMERGENCY MEETING HELD BY BOARD

On May 22, the Highlands' Board of Directors held an emergency meeting by e-mail to discuss how to open the pool for member use. The minutes of this meeting will be posted on the bulletin boards and on the website.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

We have been trying to welcome all new residents during the winter months so that winter visitors will see the article. The following people have moved into The Highlands since the February notice:

\*Liza & Leonard Beyer 232 Weisshorn

\*Alicia Gatti

301 Adirondack

\*Donna Fritz

134 Matterhorn

\*Richard Vertel

10730 Mont Blanc

\*William & Mary Lee Vincent

110 Olympus

\*Roger & Arlene Pelton

40 Matterhorn

\*Robert Wallace & Kathleen

Kouzmanoff

10761 Highlands

\*Heidi Straub

301 Andes

WELCOME!!

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent during late April and early May: \*Eila Waterland - sympathy for the loss of her daughter \*Family of Frank Slezak Sympathy for loss \*Family of Marita Hufnagl Sympathy for loss \*Phoebe Hart - get well

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### IN MEMORIAM

Frank Slezak Marita Hufnagl

Note: Marita Hufnagl passed away at Catalina Springs
Memory Care, where she had been living since leaving The Highlands. Marita's family is planning to place a fountain in the courtyard in her memory. If you would like to send a donation, please make the check payable to Catalina Springs Memory Care, indicate "Courtyard Fountain" in the "memo" area and send to the following address:

9685 N Oracle Road Oro Valley, AZ 85740 Thank you from the family of Marita.

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### **JUNE 2020**

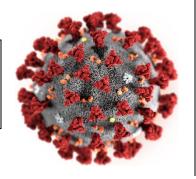
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# FROM THE MONDAY & THURSDAY EXERCISE GROUP

The Monday and Thursday Exercise Group sessions ended as of April 16. Thanks to all of you who attended and we look forward to seeing you again in the fall. Have a safe and happy summer!

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Did you know that it is every homeowner's responsibility to have some general knowledge of the CC&Rs? For example, you must submit a written request for any and all changes to the outside of your property; you cannot have clotheslines on your property (all clothes drying is to be done on the lines provided near the Clubhouse); all property must be kept clean and maintained (this includes free from weeds. unsightly items in your carport, etc).

#### COMPLIANCE REQUEST

We know this has been a dreadful year for weeds and grass in the Highlands, but we're asking that everyone

PLEASE keep your yards. carports and surrounding areas in respectable condition. We also know that there are a few homes which are extremely overgrown, and we are doing everything in our power to get these yards cleaned up. If your neighbor has some health issues or can't get out, perhaps you could offer to help them with their yards. We appreciate everyone who has spent countless hours and dollars keeping their yards and surrounding areas in good shape. Thanks from your Compliance Directors.

### PLEASE REPORT SPEEDERS!!

The speed limit in The Highlands is 15 miles per hour for a reason. Many of our residents are disabled, using walkers, wheel chairs, bicycles, etc. We have an agreement with Oro Valley Police to issue citations to speeders, so please call (520) 229-4933 and report the license number, location, date and time of the incident. I personally see someone speeding every day. It is easy to tell the difference between 15 MPH and 40+ MPH.

PLEASE SIGN UP!

#### HIGHLANDS' STATEMENTS

In the past, we only sent statements to members who were behind on their payments. This year, the state of Arizona enacted a new law requiring us to send all members a quarterly statement. Don't forget, a zero balance on your statement indicates we show you as "currently paid in full". A helpful tip for reading your statement: If your balance shows a negative number, congratulations! Your account has a credit.



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported there were no cards sent during the past month. She hopes everyone stays well and safe!

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com



### THANKS FOR THE MASKS!

The Highlands' Quilters have been busy making masks to help protect from the virus. Elizabeth Hinds made over 200...then gave them out to the Neighborhood Watch Group and donated to places in need. The rest of the group have also donated to those in need. PLEASE NOTE: If you have caregivers coming into your home, be sure they wear a mask. They have visited other homes and could be carrying the virus.

#### REMINDER

Beginning May 1, the Fling will be available for pick-up and on the website. Since both the Clubhouse and Resource Room are closed, please pick up copies in the laundry room or outside the office.

#### ROSIE'S BEST EVER RUM CAKE

1 or 2 Quarts Rum
1 Cup Butter
1 Tsp. Sugar
1 Large Egg
1 Cup Dried Fruit
Lemon Juice
Brown Sugar
Baking Powder

Before you start, sample the rum to check for quality (good isn't it?). Now go ahead. Select a large mixing bowl, measuring cup, etc. Check the rum again, it must be just right. To be sure of the highest quality, pour 1 level cup of rum into a glass and drink it as fast as you can. Repeat.

Beat 1 cup of better in a large fluffy bowl. Add seaspoon of thugar and beat again. Meanwhile, try another cup of rum. Open second quart if necessary. Add 2 large leggs, 2 cups fried druit and beat till high. If druit gets stuck in beaters, pry loose with a drewscriver. Sample rum again checking for tonscisticity.

Sift 3 cups pepper or salt (it doesn't matter which). Sample the rum again. Sift ½ pint of lemon juice. Fold in chipped butter and strained nuts. Add 1 babblespoon of brown thugar (or whatever color you can find). Wix mell. Grease oven and turn cake pan to 350 gredees. Now pour the mess into the coven and ake. Check the rum again and go to bed.

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# APRIL EVENTS ALL SOCIAL EVENTS ARE CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

#### LET'S HAVE SOME FUN! (or RESIDENT WELL-CHECK)

This coronavirus issue has us all in a bit of 'funk', so we thought it might be nice to have a little fun. Since all social events have been cancelled, weather permitting, and if we get enough carts to have a parade – let's have one! On Mondays and Thursdays at 4:00 p.m. (happy hour) those of us who have a golf cart will meet at the Clubhouse (making sure we practice 'social distancing') and tour the community with an occasional horn honk. This will just be for FUN and could be an opportunity for our residents to get out of their homes, get the 'stink' blown off, enjoy some nice weather and maybe wave as we go by (no one finger salutes please)!!! Parades will start on April 2, which is the first Thursday in April.

### DARK HOUSE PROGRAM

If you are a "snow bird/heat wimp" and filling out a 'Dark House Form', the Oro Valley Police have informed us that this program has been temporarily stopped because the volunteer patrols have

been temporarily stopped. You should let your neighbors and the Neighborhood Watch group know that you are leaving and when you might be returning. The police will keep the forms on file and will begin checking homes as soon as the patrols start up again.

### COMPLIANCE REQUEST

We know this has been a dreadful year for weeds and grass in the Highlands, but we're asking that everyone PLEASE keep your yards, carports and surrounding areas in respectable condition. We also know that there are a few homes which are extremely overgrown, and we are doing everything in our power to get these yards cleaned up. If your neighbor has some health issues or can't get out, perhaps you could offer to help them with their yards. We appreciate everyone who has spent countless hours and dollars keeping their yards and surrounding areas in good shape. Thanks from your Compliance Directors.

PLEASE SIGN UP!



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:
Jerry Dennis - Get Well
Georgia Chase - Get Well

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

Susan Weber has graciously offered to help anyone with rides, errands, etc. during this month. Her phone number is (505) 927-4216.

Editor's Note: There are many of us who are willing to provide similar services for those in need. If you are unable to drive or need help running errands, please call me and I will help you find someone to assist you. Carol Nadeau (520) 742-2722

#### **REMINDER**

Beginning May 1, the Fling will be available for pick-up in the Resource Room or the Clubhouse. In the event the Clubhouse remains closed, please pick them up in the Resource Room. Home delivery will resume in October.

OFFER TO HELP

#### HIGHLANDS' DIRECTORY

We are aware that some of you have been asking about the newest Highlands' Directories. Please note that we are working to get updates completed and sent off to the printer. We will let you know as soon as they are ready!!

#### LADIES' LUNCH

If we are lucky enough to be able to hold the Ladies' Lunch, it will be at noon on April 22, at Charred Pie, 12125 N. Oracle Road. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on (440) 821-5591

### BOARD SUMMER TRAVEL SCHEDULE

See the next page in this newsletter for this information.

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### **APRIL 2020**

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#### **MARCH EVENTS**

Sat, Mar 7 Mariachi & Tacos - 4:45 pm

> **Sun, Mar 8** Movie Night - 6:30 pm

Tue, Mar 10 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Sat, Mar 14 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, Mar 15 Dinner & Karaoke - 5:00 pm

Wed, Mar 18 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

> Thur, Mar 19 Art Exhibit - 6:00 pm

Fri, Mar 20 Social Comm Mtg - 9:00 am

> Sat, Mar 21 Bus Trip - 7:30 am

Sat, Mar 28 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, Mar 29 Ice Cream Social - 2:00 pm

Tue, Mar 31 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### ATTENTION POTLUCK GOERS!!

Recently a resident became ill after one of our Potlucks due to a nut allergy. If your contribution contains nuts or other know allergens, please label it. Also, if your dish is gluten free, please let the hosts know. We want to make sure everyone enjoys the meal!

### MARIACHI ASTLAN AND TACO NIGHT

A reminder to all who will be attending a night of mariachi music and fun food! La Hacienda Family Mexican Restaurant is catering the Taco Dinner. They will provide a buffet style Taco Bar at 5:00 p.m. Plates, forks and napkins will be provided. Bring your own beverage; coffee will be available.

Mariachi Astlan de Pueblo High School is Tucson's most popular youth mariachi. The group plays traditional mariachi music arranged and conducted by director, John Contreras. Mariachi Astlan is motivated by pride and dedication to their cultural heritage of Mexico.

#### 8<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ART SHOW AND MARCH ART CLASSES

Mark your calendar for the Highland's Annual Art Exhibition showcasing the varied talents of our own artists. Thursday, March 19, from 6:00 until 7:30 p.m. original works of many different mediums will be on display at the Clubhouse. Admission is free, and light refreshments will be served. Some works will be for sale. Come to be inspired and to support your local artists.

On Mondays in March at 1:30 p.m., the following workshops will be offered in the Resource Room. Sign up early to ensure your place. \*March 3, Fabric Painting using sponge stamps with Patti Triplett. Fee \$10; maximum 16 students. Bring a prewashed t-shirt, apron, tote bag, etc.

\*March 9 & 16, Ukrainian Egg Painting with Terry Wojdyla. Fee \$5; maximum 8. Includes all supplies; basic class, no experience needed. \*March 23, rock painting. No fee; no sign up. Bring your own rocks; paints and brushes supplied. \*March 30, TRA. Check for

\*March 30, TBA. Check for sign-up sheet later.

**NOTE:** See back of calendar for instructions on submitting your art to the art show.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

This month's movie is American Graffiti.

#### MEN'S BREAKFAST

The Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up! Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month, the group has selected La Hacienda Family Mexican Restaurant at 11931 North First Avenue. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you wish to carpool. Questions should be directed to Carol Hastings (520) 989-9139 or Elaine Reed (520) 219-4504. Please sign up! Note: Effective April 1, David Cruz will take over scheduling for the International Lunch Group. Questions may be directed to David at (347) 406-2825.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

At publication time, there is no information available regarding the March Ladies' Lunch. Please report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant. If you are going directly to the restaurant, please call Kathy Zeleznik at (440) 821-5591. Be sure to sign up!

### FROM THE FEBRUARY OPEN BOARD MEETING

\*All incumbent Directors were reelected. The Board will not change.

\*Linc has been updating RV Park information and is 99% completed. There is one open spot available. Two places are reserved for contractors because they cannot park on residents' lots overnight.

\*The changeover to Quick Books Online has been halted at the recommendation of our accountant.

\*Morris Coville has sold his business and should be back at the Highlands (and part of the Board) in approximately 30 days.

\*New pool covers have been installed.

\*A new 1000 watt light has been installed in the RV lot. \*There is a binder in the office containing Treasurer's Reports and comments. Members may request an opportunity to review it.

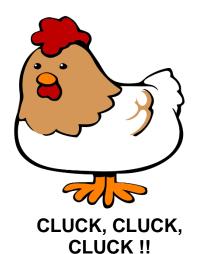
\*Volunteers from the community will be repairing the cracks in the road. Work will begin soon.

\*Quotes for handicap bathrooms have been received. More discussion expected at March meeting. \*Policies and Procedures Committee is scheduled to meet on February 28. An update will be presented in March.

\*Bob Beck discussed the need to write a policy regarding liens on property with accounts in arrears. If we don't file a declaration of lien, we could lose the delinquent amount if the property is sold.

#### CHANGE FOR CHAIR YOGA GOERS

Please note that Chair Yoga will be held on Wednesdays beginning March 4. The time, 11:00 a.m., and place, Resource Room, remain the same.



Chicken and Karaoke again. Come to the Clubhouse on Sunday, March 15th, at 5:00 p.m. for Chicken and Karaoke/Sing-Along. Join your friends and neighbors for a nice chicken meal, then stick around to be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. Only \$5.00 each will get you Fry's fried chicken, potato wedges, salad and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up in the poker room so we know how much food to buy. Don't forget to bring your own table service. Also, we'll give you four (4) chances to win back your \$5.00 with a few trivia questions. See ya there!



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:
Paul Gerleman - Get Well
and Thinking of You

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

# ARTISTS' SUBMISSIONS TO ART SHOW

Artists, please pick up an application in the Clubhouse for submitting your work to the Art Show. The deadline for turning in an application is March 10, so that the committee can prepare labels and plan for the display. The work itself must be delivered the morning of March 19, and picked up at the close of the show. If you will be away, please arrange for delivery and pick up by a friend. We need all types of art: painting, sculpture, wood working, fabric art, mixed media and more! It should not be work that has been in previous Highlands' art shows. More information and contact info will be on the application itself. You may choose to offer your work for sale.



### CHANGE IN OFFICE PERSONNEL

We recently hired a new Bookkeeper/Office Administrator. Her name is Georgia Pfleiderer. If you have reason to visit the office, please make her feel welcome.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com

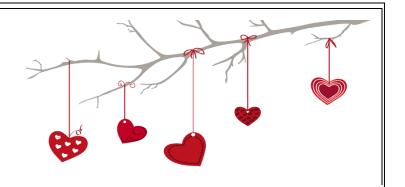
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#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri, Feb 7 Annual Open Board - 1:00 pm

Sun, Feb 9

Celebration of Life - 2:00 pm Movie Night - 6:30 pm

> Tue, Feb 11 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Feb 12 Bus Trip - 7:30 am

Sat, Feb 15

Community Yard Sale - am Valentine Dance - 5:00 pm

Thur, Feb 20

Quilter's Tea - 12:00 noon Sock Hop - 3:00 pm

Fri, Feb 21 Social Committee - 9:00 am

Sat, Feb 22

White Elephant Sale - am No Kaffeeklatsch

Tue, Feb 25 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

Sat Feb 29 Craft Fair - 9:00 am

PLEASE SIGN UP!

# ANNUAL OPEN BOARD MEETING FEBRUARY 7TH

The Annual Open Board Meeting will be held in the Clubhouse on February 7<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. Newly elected Directors will be announced and other Highland's business will be discussed. All members are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

**Note:** If you did not return your absentee ballot and wish to vote in person, you may do so between 8:00 and 10:00 a.m. at the Clubhouse. The Clubhouse will be closed from 10:00 a.m. until noon to allow the committee to count the votes.

### ART ATTACKS FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT

Monday afternoons for the next five weeks, the Art Committee is offering the following workshops at 1:30 in the Multipurpose Room next to the office. Signup sheets are located in the Clubhouse. Sessions fill up fast, so don't delay. Check to see if additional workshops have been added.

\*Feb 3, Rock Painting. BYOR (Bring your own rocks). All

materials provided. Drop-in activity; no fee; no signup.
\*Feb 10, Watercolors – painting the Arizona Sky with Patti Triplett. Materials provided. Fee is \$5. Sign up. Class is limited to 8, but may be repeated.

\*Feb 17, Zentangle – designed for beginners, but also suitable for intermediate level.
Zentangle is a relaxing and fun way to create beautiful images by drawing and combining patterns of lines and shapes.
Vonnie Lincoln, instructor.
Materials provided. Fee \$5.
Sign up, limited to 12 participants.

\*Feb 24, Rock painting as above.

\*Mar 2, Fabric Sponge
Painting Bring something to
paint on (a tote bag, apron, tshirt, etc). Prewash items that
will need future washing. All
other materials provided. Patti
Triplett, instructor. Fee \$10.
Sign up, limited to 16.
\*On-going painting classes
with Char Saxe will continue

with Char Saxe will continue through February.

#### **COFFEE WITH A COP**

Come to the Kaffeeklatsch on February 8 for some safety tips. Please be sure to sign up!

### BAKED POTATO POTLUCK

This is one of our most popular events and seating is limited, so be sure to sign up early. Bring a salad, dessert or special toppings for the potatoes. Sour cream, bacon bits and butter will be provided. As always, bring your table settings.

### HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY CUTE-TEA!

Join us on February 15 for a night full of food, fun and music. Entertainment provided by Manny Herrera (many of you remember Manny singing for us last year). Bring your phone or camera so we can take a picture of you and your honey. NO SIGN UP, you need to buy your tickets from Bernie. Get them early; they will sell out. Where can you go to hear live entertainment and good food for \$15.00 per person?

#### **FIVE CROWNS**

Seventeen players came for the introductory session of Five Crowns. Games will be played on Sundays at 1:00 p.m. and Thursdays at 6:00 p.m., a scheduled game night. Bring 11 dimes and one quarter for each of the two games played. Would you like to be introduced to the game? Call Colleen at (520) 576-7804.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up! Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool. Please sign up.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

The February Ladies' Lunch will be held at Grumpy's Grill, 2960 West Ina Road. Please report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant. If you are going directly to the restaurant, please call Kathy Zeleznik at (440) 821-5591. Be sure to sign up!

#### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

On Sunday, February 9, at 2:00 p.m., there will be a Celebration of Life to honor those residents who passed away during the last year.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

This month's movie is Tombstone. February 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Don and Valerie Allen
David and Michele Armstrong
J R Clarke & Kimberly Picard
Larry and Valerie Day
David and Louise Freker
Kathryn Garver
Curtis and Janice Hagen
Polly Hardy
Diane Leigh & Janet Hamilton
Bob and Cheryl Marshall
Nancy Rodie
Clayton Springer

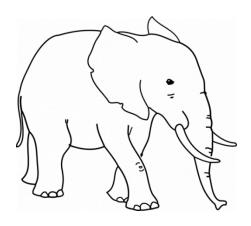
#### QUILTERS TEA, SOCK HOP AND CELEBRATION OF LIFE FOR JEANNE VISGAR

Last year Jeanne was a very active member of The Highlands. She planned a tea to earn funds for the Quilting Group's service project and was planning to chair the Sock Hop this year. Unfortunately, Jeanne passed away quite suddenly last August. The Quilting Group will be holding a tea in Jeanne's memory on Thursday, February 20, from noon until 2:00 p.m. The cost is \$5 per person. Casual dress is recommended. Then, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m., Jeanne's daughters will be hosting a sock hop in her memory. There is no cost for the sock hop; however, please sign up for both events to allow for food planning. For additional information, please contact Sheila Tomac at (920) 619-8074 or Lori Tendler at (605) 323-8009.



### CRAFT SHOW AND SALE

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, February 29, between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Handcrafted items by Highlands' residents will be for sale. Please come, bring a friend and shop.



# COMMUNITY YARD SALES AND WHITE ELEPHANT SALE!

The annual Community Yard Sales will be held Saturday, February 15, from 7:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. If you have items to sell and want your house listed on the map, there are sign-up sheets at the Clubhouse. PLEASE print your name and address on the sheet and write "yes" in the last column if you are planning to buy a balloon to tie to your mailbox. Questions should be directed to John Sand at 520-270-2688. Please contact him before February 5. The sale will be advertised in the local newspaper.

The following Saturday, February 22, the White Elephant Sale will be held in the Clubhouse from 8:00 a.m. until noon. Check your belongings for items that you no longer need (no clothes or shoes please). Make sure the items are clean and suitable for sale.

Here are some examples: Women's accessories such as purses, belts and jewelry are very popular (even broken jewelry sells well); tools; household items such as furniture, rugs, curtains, decorative pillows, dishes, small appliances, towels, bedding, plants, books, movies, craft supplies, etc.

Drop off time at the Clubhouse for all small items is Friday, February 21, between 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. If you need help with large items, call Steve Horst at (309) 781-5154 or Jamie Horst at (309) 230-0233 to arrange pick up.

If you would like to volunteer or help at the event, please call Steve or Jamie at the above phone numbers.

The Country Kitchen will be selling homemade baked goods for you to enjoy (see related article below).

Proceeds of this sale help support activities of the Social Committee.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

The tables will be set up on Friday for the sale and the hall will be locked at 7:00 p.m. until the sale begins on Saturday morning! Only workers will be admitted.



### ATTENTION HIGHLANDS' BAKERS

The bake sale is held in conjunction with the White Elephant Sale. Gather your favorite recipes and start baking. Plan to drop off your

treats at the Clubhouse on February 22 at 8:00 a.m. You can also call Cheryl Stafford at (586) 876-4589 for pick up.

**IMPORTANT:** Please be sure to mark items that are perishable. Also list ingredients on baked goods for those with allergies to nuts, wheat, etc.

**THANK YOU** to all of our gifted bakers who always do a wonderful job making this a tasty and enjoyable event!

# ATTENTION WHITE ELEPHANT COMMITTEE MEMBERS!

Please plan to attend two meetings regarding the White Elephant Sale. There will be a pre-sale meeting on Wednesday, February 19, and a post-sale meeting on Wednesday, February 26. Both meetings will be held at 10:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. Please contact Jamie Horst with questions.

#### HIGHLANDS' DAY TRIPPERS

There is a sign-up sheet in the Clubhouse for a trip to the Musical Instrument Museum in Phoenix on February 12. The bus will leave the Clubhouse at 7:30 a.m. and return about 5:30 p.m. Lunch at the museum will be at your own cost and convenience between 11:30 and 2:00. The cost is \$62 per person; \$35 to be paid when signing up to hold your seat on the bus. See "Coming Soon" for information about a second trip in March.

### FROM THE JANUARY OPEN BOARD MEETING

\*One family with an underage resident has been given an exception to the CC&Rs. She will remain in The Highlands until she reaches age 25.

\*The Board voted to remove the map and signs outside the office. The "Over 55 Community" and "Service Animals Only" signs will be incorporated into the Marquee.

\*A new 1000 watt LED light has been purchased for outside the shop.

\*The pool deck has been

\*The pool deck has been repaired and looks nice.

\*There has been a major project in the office; we are converting from Quick Books

to Quick Books on Line.
\*There is a binder in the office

containing Treasurer's Reports and comments. Members may request an opportunity to review it.

\*The Board approved 100 chairs for the Clubhouse to be purchased by the Social Committee.

\*17 Ballots for the February election were returned as undeliverable. They have been sent back out to an alternate address.

\*Maintenance trailers may not be left on any home owner's property overnight.

\*It was suggested we need to replace two of the pool covers. \*Kent Hinds will chair a committee to research the wash which goes behind the homes on the east side of Mont Blanc.

\*Al Rausch will chair a committee to review the Policies and Procedures.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported the following cards were sent:
Ron Pepperdine, Thinking of You

**NOTE:** If you know of someone who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

#### **NOTE OF THANKS**

In January, two Hilton
Speakers were donated to the
Clubhouse by Duane Steel.
These speakers have traveled
with Duane for many years to
square and clogging dances in
both Washington and Arizona.
Thanks to Terry Reagan for
installing them at the
Clubhouse!

#### ATTENTION DOG OWNERS!!

Some residents have reported seeing dog poop on our streets. In fact, one person reported having to step over it three times during her walk. The droppings were not from a coyote, which looks quite different from dog droppings. Please respect our community and your neighbors by having your animal on a leash and picking up after it.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month, the group has selected Pappoule's at 7475 North LaCholla Blvd. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you wish to carpool. Questions should be directed to Carol Hastings (520) 989-9139 or Elaine Reed (520) 219-4504. Please sign up!



#### **TACO NIGHT**

There will be Tacos and live entertainment on March 7. See attached flyer for details.

#### **CALLING ALL ARTISTS**

The Art Committee reminds you to get your artwork finished in order to exhibit it at our 8<sup>th</sup> annual Art Exhibition on March 19<sup>th</sup>. Deadline for submissions is March 12. All visual arts are welcome. Submission forms will be in the Clubhouse around March 1.

NOTE: If anyone has extra acrylic paints that you no longer use, please consider donating them to the Art Committee for our projects. We can also use old plastic tablecloths.

#### **BISBEE TRIP**

On Saturday, March 21, we'll be heading to the Bisbee Copper Queen Mine for a tour and spending the afternoon in Bisbee. Cost is \$45 per person with \$25 due when signing up to hold your seat on the bus. Lunch will be at your own cost at any of the downtown eateries. We will leave the Clubhouse at 7:30 a.m. and return around 6:00 p.m. The mine tour does NOT allow any heels or open toed shoes. It's always cool during the one hour tour, so a light jacket is suggested.

### ASSISTANT TREASURER WANTED!

Our By-Laws allow us to appoint an Assistant Treasurer. This would be an individual who could train or take over the Treasurer position in the event the current Treasurer needed to retire. Essential qualifications are experience developing and managing budgets and reporting financials status. Interested parties should contact Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com

### HOW TO FLY AND LIGHT THE AMERICAN FLAG AT NIGHT

I was asked to include this information in the "Fling" because a resident was out walking at night and noticed that many flags are not properly lit.

This report presents the Flag Code as found in Title 4 of the United States Code and section 36.

The American Flag is to be treated with respect as it is a representative of a living country and understood to be a living entity according to Section 8 of the "Flag Code". The flag should not be shown disrespect, dipped to any person or thing, never carried horizontally, never touch the ground, the floor, water or merchandise and never worn as apparel, bedding or drapery.

Section 6 of the Flag Code specifies appropriate times and occasions for displaying the flag. Traditionally, the flag has been flown only from sunrise to sunset on buildings and stationary flagstaffs. Explicit permission to use an all-weather flag is also stated in that same section. Synthetic fabrics like nylon and polyester are typical; flags made from these materials are commonly seen in rain, snow and other adverse weather that would normally and disrespectfully tatter or stain natural fabric flags.

The Flag Code also discusses the use of the

American Flag at night. "When a patriotic effect is desired, the flag may be displayed 24 hours a day if properly illuminated during the hours of darkness."

The code does not discuss any official methods for lighting the flag so long as the display of the flag does not violate the "spirit of the Flag Code". The code further explains that "the dignity accorded to the flag is preserved by lighting that prevents its being enveloped in darkness".

The American Legion has developed recommendations on lighting the American Flag at night. They have interpreted proper illumination to mean a light or lighting plan specifically placed to illuminate the flag. Alternatively, the Legion believes that having a light source sufficient to illuminate the flag so it is recognizable as such by the casual observer is also permissible.

### FEBRUARY 2020

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Note: Clubhouse will be closed 10:00 am to 12:00 noon after the election on Feb. 7 to facilitate ballot counting

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### **JANUARY EVENTS**

Wed, Jan 8 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

**Sun, Jan 12** Pizza & Karaoke - 5:00 pm

> Tue, Jan 14 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Jan 15 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Fri, Jan 17 Social Committee - 9:00 am

Sat, Jan 18 Pancake Breakfast - 7:00 am

> Sun, Jan 19 Movie Night - 6:30 pm

Tue, Jan 21 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, Jan 22 Ladies' Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Jan 25 Dinner & Dance - 5:15 pm

Tue, Jan 28 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### WINTER POOL SCHEDULE

The winter pool hours will be 11:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. If the temperature is below 65 degrees, the pool will remain closed. If you use the hot tub after 5:00 p.m., please cover it before you leave. It is important to keep our costs as low as possible and still enjoy our facilities.

# INVITING NEW AND FORMER CANVAS PAINTERS

All "wanna-be" artists. including oil, acrylic and watercolor painters are invited to join the classes offered at the Highlands. A schedule will be set up according to the number of interested persons and availability of the Clubhouse or Resource Room. Classes will begin at the end of January and continue through February. Painting supplies will be available for approximately \$4.00 per person. If interested, please sign up at the Clubhouse or call Char Saxe at (608) 484-0229.

#### ITTTT'S BAAAACK!!

Pizza and Karaoke is back. Come to the Clubhouse on Sunday, January 12th, at 5:00 p.m. Join your friends and neighbors for a nice meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by those same friends and neighbors. \$5.00 each will get you Domino's Pizza, salad and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up and mark your choice of pizza so we know how much to buy. Table service (plates and plastic ware) will be provided and we'll give you four (4) chances to win back your \$5.00 with a few trivia questions. See ya all there!

### SOUP AND SALAD POTLUCK

January 14<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. Sign up to bring your favorite soup, salad or dessert to our annual Soup and Salad Potluck. Hot bread and butter, coffee and water will be provided. Bring your empty bowls, plates and flatware (spoons too). Don't forget to sign up at the Clubhouse.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

This month's movie is Amadeus. January 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m.

### **NEW CLASS CHAIR YOGA!**

A gentle class for anyone who prefers not to be down on the floor. All yoga postures will be done seated or standing, using the chair as a prop for support or balance. The class will be well-rounded with a variety of stretches and breathing techniques to help you feel relaxed, stronger, more flexible and energized! Susan Weber, Highlands' resident, has been a certified yoga instructor since 2001 and is looking forward to offering the class here. Held in the Resource Room on Tuesday at 11:00 a.m., approximately 45 minutes. First class will be January 7. Suggested donation \$5. Call Susan at (505) 927-4216 to register or with questions.

### **DINNER & DANCING!**

Grab your cowboy hat and dust off your boots. On Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, we'll be dancing to the music of "Clear Country Band". Dinner will be served at 5:15 p.m. We'll have pulled pork, beef brisket, beans, coleslaw, coffee and dessert. Tickets are \$15.00 each, but buy early because seating is limited. Questions can be directed to Cindy Bennett at (810) 599-8929 or Bernie Lee.

# ATTENTION CANDIDATES RUNNING FOR THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Please come to the Pancake Breakfast or either of the two Saturday Kaffee klatches to meet the residents.

### NEW CARD GAME EASY TO LEARN EASY TO PLAY!

A five suited Rummy card game. Win dimes when you win any of the 11 rounds. Win quarters if you win the game! Sign the **FIVE CROWNS** interest list on the clipboard in the Clubhouse. Questions should be directed to Colleen Nolan at (520) 576-7804.

### LOW CARB SUPPORT AND MORE!

January 8 and 22 (Wednesdays this year) the first meetings of the Low Carb Support and Information Group will be held in the Clubhouse at 4:00 p.m. Newcomers and the curious are all welcome. Our first meeting will include a presentation on oxalates (a natural compound found in plants which can contribute to many health problems in humans). Feel free to bring quests, questions and recipes of low-carb foods to share. No cost and no obligation. For additional information, call Vonnie at (541) 990-0998.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

If the County comes to inspect our pool and finds the gates unlocked, THEY WILL CLOSE THE POOL indefinitely. The locked gates are there for safety. The County does inspect community pools on a fairly regular basis. Don't be the one who causes ours to close!!

### **DON'T FORGET!**

The Pancake Breakfast is January 18, serving from 7:00 until 9:15 a.m. No sign-up needed! All you can eat pancakes, sausage, orange juice, coffee and REAL BUTTER. Bring your own cup, plate and silverware. Cost is just \$5.00 each.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

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### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

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### LADIES' LUNCH

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#### **KEEP UP-TO-DATE**

It is important that our office be kept up-to-date when residents' information changes. Please note that it is the homeowner's responsibility to advise the office when they rent to someone new. Seven volunteers recently spent time calling all owners for current information! Going forward, please notify the office of changes in your phone, address, e-mail or renter by calling (520) 297-2722, emailing highlands332@gmail. com or stopping by the office.

### FROM THE DECEMBER OPEN BOARD MEETING

- \*A letter has been sent to homeowners thought to have underage children living with them
- \*A committee recommended getting rid of the map and sign next to the office. Contact the Board with your comments. \*Board voted to spend an additional \$1500 to increase our liability insurance coverage \*The budget for 2020 was accepted
- \*There is a "Financials" binder in the office
- \*261 envelopes were completed for the February election
- \*Pima County Pool Inspector found no violations
  For additional information, the minutes are available on our website and on the bulletin boards in the clubhouse and outside the office.



### **CARDS SENT**

This month Marilyn reported two cards were sent: A get well card to herself. She also sent a sympathy card to herself and her husband Larry for the loss of their son.

Marilyn and Larry, please accept this note of sympathy from the Highlands Community for the loss of your son, Daniel.

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#### **NOTE OF THANKS**

I would like to thank everyone who participated in our 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Parade. We had 20 golf carts, two scooters and two bikes. The after-party was a number one hit! The food, the music, the fun were "out-standing". A special thanks to Linc and Helen for the entertainment. I'm so looking forward to our 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Parade scheduled for December 6, 2020. It will be here before we know it. Again, thanks to all!

Bill Behrendsen



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# JANUARY 2020

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TO: Highland Members and Residents

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As we near the time when many of our Members head to their other homes THI Board wanted to make everyone aware of the Board members travel plans at this time. As always, Georgia will be able to contact any of us during the summer. She will also be kept up-to-date on any changes to the schedule below.

Board Member	Leaving date	Estimated Return date
Craig Bennett-President	July 1, 2020	July 31, 2020
Linc Keilman-Vice President	May 8, 2020	First week in October
Bob Beck-Treasurer	No plans to leave at this time	
Mary Rausch-Secretary	March 21, 2020	November 8, 2020
Jamie Horst-Asst. Treasurer	Second week of May	Second week of October
Bill Bohrer-Compliance	May 1, 2020	November 1,2020
Morris Coville-Maintenance	No plans to leave at this time	
Bernie Lee-Maintenance	No plans to leave at this time	
Kent Hinds	Leaves on Saturdays	

Currently Bill Bohrer, Linc Keilman, and Jamie Horst are our Compliance directors. During the summer months Bernie Lee, Craig Bennett, and Kent Hinds will be assisting with any compliance issues that arise. We want to remind everyone that our CC&R's do not allow Board meetings to be held from June 1 to October 1. If there are any emergencies the Board can and does attend to them during the summer.

December, 2019

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#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Dec 3 & 5
Decorate Clubhouse - 9:00 am

Wed, Dec 4
Barleen's Trip - 9:15 am

Tue, Dec 10 No Potluck

Wed, Dec 11 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Tue, Dec 17
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, Dec 18 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

> Fri, Dec 20 No Social Committee

Tue, Dec 24 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

> Wed, Dec 25 Christmas Potluck 2:30 pm

Tue, Dec 31 New Year's Eve Party

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

### BOARD DIRECTORS NEEDED

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#### **AGENDA PROCESS**

The Board of Directors has opted to discontinue monthly agenda meetings. If you have an item you would like added

to the agenda, you may e-mail it to the Secretary at <a href="highlandssec332@gmail.com">highlandssec332@gmail.com</a>. For those who do not have access to e-mail, you may call any Board Member with your request.

### **POOL COVERING**

We are in need of volunteers to cover and uncover the swimming pool. This takes about one-half hour of your time. We may be forced to leave the pool covered if we cannot get enough volunteers. It is very expensive to leave it uncovered. Please consider volunteering and sign up in the Clubhouse.

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

We lost our accounting services provider this year and need to replace them. Our treasurer, Bob Beck, needs a committee to help find and evaluate a replacement. Plan on two or three meetings per week, 1-1/2 hours long, for up to six weeks. The first meeting is scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on December 2 in the Resource Room. Please join in and help!

### CARE TO JOIN THE MICROPHONE POSSE?

The posse is a small group of residents who set up and tear down the audio equipment in the Clubhouse when needed. It involves turning switches on and off and checking or setting amplifier levels. A written procedure exists. The posse shares the work so no one person is called upon too often. Please volunteer to help. Call Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

### ANOTHER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

Elizabeth Hinds is chairing a committee to investigate getting a gate at our entrance. The committee would be contacting vendors and getting cost estimates. Please contact Elizabeth at (520) 440-7056.

# AND ANOTHER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

Several residents have suggested we refurbish or change the sign outside the office (the one with the map, not the marquee). There will be a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse for those interested.

### DECORATING THE CLUBHOUSE

Please come help decorate the Clubhouse on December 3 at 9:00 a.m. Also, we need help putting up lights on December 5 at 9:00 a.m.

#### FREE GIFT WRAP

The Quilt Group is offering to wrap your gifts! There is no charge for the service, but donations toward our fundraising efforts will be greatly appreciated. We will be making quillows for cancer patients. Gift wrapping will begin at 9:15 a.m. on December 14. Please contact Elizabeth Hinds on (520) 440-7056 for further information.

### **COOKIE EXCHANGE**

Kathy Reagan will be hosting a cookie exchange on December 9 at 5:30 p.m. Bring as many cookies as you want and take the same number home. In addition, there will be a soup and salad supper for \$5.00 per person. Questions should be directed to Kathy at (520) 661-4998.

#### **TOY DRIVE**

Please place your donation of unwrapped toys under the tree in the Clubhouse by December 14. The toys will be delivered to Gospel Rescue Mission's Women and Children's shelter by Francy Lee.

### BALLOTS FOR THE FEBRUARY ELECTION

Where do you want your ballot sent? Our plan is to send all ballots to your Highlands address unless you inform the office of an alternate address you wish to use. Non-resident owners will receive their ballot at the address on record.

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#### TAI CHI FOR HEALTH

Tai Chi for Health is a safe, effective and fun way to improve balance, mental clarity, relieve pain and create an overall feeling of well-being through natural breathing and slow, gentle, meditative body movements. Movements can be adapted for all levels of mobility, including seated. The focus of this class will initially be on the Basic 6 movements of Dr. Paul Lam's Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention. Classes will be held in the Resource Room on Fridays at 8:30 a.m. starting January 10. Suggested donation is \$5; the first class is free!

### **STAY SAFE**

For safety's sake...if you walk or ride a bike when it is dark, please wear a reflective or bright color!



#### **CARDS SENT**

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Bill Bohrer/get well Barbara Davis/get well Tony Gansluckner/get well

A big "thank you" to Barbara Scantlan and Bud Bates for the cards donated!

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# INTERESTED IN WORKING ON THE FLING?

Carol Nadeau is looking for someone to "edit" The Fling for part of the year. This involves updating the calendar and typing the newsletter. Perhaps a winter visitor would be interested in helping for a few months. Training is available. For additional information, please contact Carol at (520) 742-2722.

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### FROM THE NOVEMBER OPEN BOARD MEETING

- \*Linc Keilman appointed as interim Director
- \*No Agenda Meetings in the future
- \*Process for getting an issue on the agenda
- \*Pool Covering
- \*ID Verification for all residents
- \*Refurbish or change sign outside office
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#### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Sat, Nov 9

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am Memorial Service Barb Ferrill - 2:00 pm

> Tue, Nov 12 No Potluck

Wed, Nov 13

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am No Agenda Meeting

Fri, Nov 15

Social Comm - 9:00 am

Tue, Nov 19

International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

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#### FROM THE LIBRARY

Last year, the library received a donation of the extensive Zane Gray collection in hard cover. During the past few months, this prized series has been disappearing. Please return each book as it is read so that others may also enjoy them.

### ATTENTION ALL ROCK PAINTERS!

Perhaps you have noticed that there are a few ladybug rocks near both clubhouse doors. We need more ladybug rocks to join them in order to make a ladybug parade! So, start painting and add to the collection. Come join the fun at the Resource Room every Monday at 1:30 p.m. to work on your creations!

### THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

Cindy Bennett will be hosting the Thanksgiving Potluck and is looking for volunteers to cook the turkeys, help with prep and clean up. This is a potluck; everyone should bring a side dish or dessert to share. Be sure to bring your own tableware and drinks. Seating is limited so PLEASE SIGN UP and tell us how many will be in your party.

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Barbara Ferrill Linda Steger Kent Haas

**Note:** A memorial service will be held for Barbara Ferrill in the clubhouse November 9 at 2:00 p.m.



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Linda Steger/get well
Lynn Nix/get well
Jerry Ferrill/loss of wife, Barb
Harold Haas/loss of son, Kent
Chuck Steger/loss of wife,
Linda

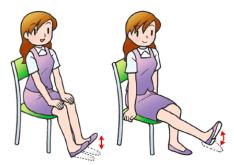
Judy Pope/get well Brenda Henderson/get well Bill Franklin/loss of his aunt Joan Petterson/get well

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### WATERCOLOR FALL LEAVES

If you would like to paint a beautiful fall leaf in watercolors, come join Patti Triplett in the resource room on Monday, November 11 at 1:30 p.m. All materials included for a cost of \$3.00 per person. Class is limited to ten participants. Be sure to sign up in the clubhouse, where you can see a sample of what you will be painting.

### GET STRONG FITNESS CLASS LIVE LONGER LIVE STRONGER



Shelly Whitlatch, Exercise Physiologist, will begin classes on Monday, November 4, at 8:00 a.m. in the clubhouse. Classes will be held every Monday and Thursday from 8:00 until 8:55 a.m. The cost is \$30 a month for eight classes or \$5.00 per class. The first class is FREE, so come and check it out. All levels are accommodated - sit or stand. For additional information, call Shelly at (520) 349-3037 or Donna Smith at (520) 297-1765.

#### FROM THE OFFICE

Please complete the attached form and return it to the office at your earliest convenience. This information is needed to mail ballots for the upcoming February Election and to compile the new directories.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We still need help for the Christmas potluck dinner. Please sign up to help!



### BARLEEN'S ARIZONA OPRY

There will be a bus trip to Barleen's Arizona Opry on December 4, 2019. Cost is \$63.00 per person and is due by November 18. For additional information or to pay for the trip, please contact George or Ginny Tanner at (520) 360-1926. If you are unable to reach Tanners, you can contact Cindy Bennett at (810) 599-8929.

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UPDATE YOUR INFORMATION WITH THE OFFICE Information needed for the 2020 Directory and the February Annual Meeting ballot mailing.
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PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS:
PROPERTY OWNER RENTER  (Please Circle One)  Only Property Owners are allowed to vote  Renters will be included in the 2020 Directory
EMAIL:
PHONE:
Please submit with your next payment, put it in the door mail box, or mail information to Judy.
THANKS!

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#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Tue, Oct 8 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Oct 9 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, Oct 12 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, Oct 15
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, Oct 23 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Oct 26 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, Oct 27 Octoberfest - 5:30 pm

**Tue, Oct 29** Jam Session - 6:00 pm

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

### ASSISTANT TREASURER WANTED!

Our By-Laws allow us to appoint an Assistant Treasurer. This would be an individual who could train or take over the Treasurer position in the event the current Treasurer needed to retire. Essential qualifications are experience developing and managing budgets and reporting financials status. Interested parties should contact Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

### BOARD DIRECTORS NEEDED

The Highlands is run by volunteers, which is a way to keep our fees low. We are currently in need of members to run for the Board of Directors. All resumes must be received in the office by December 1, for the upcoming February election. Please consider running for this important position.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

This month, the Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's on La Canada. Please remember to sign up! Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

#### SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The first Social Committee Meeting for the 2019-20 season will be held Friday, October 18, at 9:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. This is a great opportunity to meet your neighbors and make suggestions for future events.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month, the group has selected Grain River Asian Bistro, 12985 North Oracle Road, Suite 125. The restaurant offers Japanese and other Asian options. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you wish to carpool. Please sign up!



Spike McMurtrie

### LADIES' LUNCH

The Ladies' Lunch will be at Chef Alisha's, 5931 North Oracle Road. Please report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant. If you are going directly to the restaurant, please call Kathy Zeleznik at (440) 821-5591.



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Louise Sadler/loss of husband Alicia Girard/loss of mother Kathy Hughes/loss of mother Lloyd & Lorraine Tomac/loss of their grandson Barbara Scantlan/get well Larry Staley/get well Susie McMurtrie/loss of husband

**NOTE:** If you know someone in the Highlands who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

### **OCTOBERFEST**

This year the Octoberfest will be held on Sunday, October 27, at 5:30 p.m. Join us for dinner and dancing to music by The Bouncing Czechs. Dinner will be brats, German potatoes, green beans, sauerkraut, dessert and coffee. Tickets are \$12.00 per person and can be purchased from Bernie Lee or Cindy Bennett. The deadline is Monday, October 21. Hosts are Craig & Cindy Bennett and Terry & Kathy Regan.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

We have had a busy year at The Highlands. Many new residents have joined us since the beginning of 2019. Welcome to our community.

Ronald & Donna Baumbach Randall & Linda Deighton Paul Gerleman Donovan Hommen Robert & Kathleen Morgan Brian & Sheila Tomac Ron & Jean Weihl Richard & Joan Williams

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@aol.com.

### COMING SOON! BARLEEN'S ARIZONA OPRY

There will be a bus trip to Barleen's Arizona Opry on December 4, 2019. Cost is \$63.00 per person and there is a sign-up sheet in the Clubhouse. A \$25.00 deposit per person is required to secure your reservation. NOTE: If you sign up and do not pay your deposit, YOU WILL NOT HAVE A SECURE RESERVATION! For additional information or to pay your deposit, please contact George or Ginny Tanner at (520) 360-1926.

### **NOTE OF THANKS**

To our friends at The Highlands, we want to send our sincere thanks and love for those of you who sent us food, flowers, cards, phone calls, visits and prayers at the loss of our dear Grandson Eric. We do appreciate all everyone did and may God bless you!

Lorraine & Lloyd Tomac

# OCTOBER 2019

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		Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am
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20	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	24 United Nations Day  Aquafit 9:00 am  Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	26 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
27 Octoberfest 5:30 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3   Halloween  Aquafit 9:00 am  Cards/Games 6:00 pm		
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#### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

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Wed, Sept 11 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, Sept 14 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Sun, Sept 15 Celebration of Life Mark Sadler 2:00 pm

Tue, Sept 17
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, Sept 25 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Sept 28 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

### ATTENTION APPLE COMPUTER USERS!

The team maintaining The Highlands' Website (Bob Beck and Connie Rose) would like to add a third member. Maintenance involves: (1) Monthly minor formatting and uploading "The Fling" to the website and (2) Formatting and uploading of Monthly Board Meeting Notes to the website (when the Board is in session). Qualifications include: (1) Comfortable using a computer to edit documents; (2) At ease with an Apple Computer, or ability to become at ease; and (3) Available for 30 minutes to two hours each month. Interested parties should contact Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

By popular demand, the Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up! Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month, the group has selected Queen Sheba located at 5553 East Grant Road. The restaurant offers African cuisine with lamb, beef and chicken dishes as well as some vegetarian options. Meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you wish to carpool. Please sign up!



Jeanne Visgar – August 22 Mark Sadler – August 23

PLEASE NOTE: A
Celebration of Life will be held
for Mark Sadler on September
15 at 2:00 p.m. in the
Clubhouse.

### LADIES' LUNCH

The Ladies' Lunch will be at El Molinito Mexican Restaurant, 10180 North Oracle Road. Please report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant. If you are going directly to the restaurant, please call Kathy Zeleznik at (440) 821-5591.



### ATTENTION PINOCLE PLAYERS

There is a group of Highlands' residents who meet at the Clubhouse on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 p.m. We are looking for one or more additional players. Please join us!

#### **REMINDERS**

Beginning on October 1, the Fling will be delivered to your home provided you have a tube where the delivery people can put it. We are not allowed to put newsletters in your mailbox.

### **CRAFT FAIR!**

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#### 2019 CC&Rs

The CC&Rs which were approved by the membership in February are currently on the website. To print out your copy, go to thehighlandsinc.com, click on documents and then click on CC&Rs. For those of you without a computer, perhaps a friend or neighbor would print an extra copy for you. If not, you can get a copy at the office...however, please call ahead so that Judy has time to print it.

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Steve Horst/Get Well Ron Baumbeck/Get Well Jeanne Visgar/Thinking of You

**NOTE:** If you know someone in the Highlands who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

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### SAFETY REMINDER

Our pool is a place of relaxation and enjoyment, but it is also a water source for many living things. Several people have been stung by hornets. Recently there was a rattlesnake spotted near the pool; did you know they like to crawl inside the noodles? Stay alert and be aware of your surroundings.

### **NOTE OF THANKS!**

The Highlands' Community wishes to express our thanks to the Neighborhood Watch crew. We have noticed you patrolling all summer during the intense heat. Your efforts to keep our community safe have not gone unnoticed!

# SEPTEMBER 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Labor Day Aquafit 8:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	3 Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 8:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 8:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm *No Trash Today	Aquafit 8:30 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Aquafit 8:30 am
8 Grandparents Day	Aquafit 8:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 8 :30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 pm	Patriot Day Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Aquafit 8:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 8:30 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Aquafit 8:30 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
1 5 Celebration of Life Mark Sadler 2:00 PM	Aquafit 8:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	7 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 8:30 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Cards/Games 6:00 pm Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	18 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 9 Aquafit 8:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 8:30 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	21 Aquafit 8:30 am
22	23 Autumnal equinox Aquafit 8:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	24 Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 8:30 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	26 Aquafit 8:30 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 8:30 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 Aquafit 8:30 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
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#### **AUGUST EVENTS**

Sat, August 10 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, August 13 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, August 14 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Tue, August 20
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Sat, August 24 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Wed, August 28 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

### DUES SCHEDULE CHANGE

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### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

By popular demand, the Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

The group has selected Villa Peru, 1745 E. River Road for the August International Lunch. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you would like to carpool.



Our friend and former neighbor, Emma Ford, died on July 5, 2019.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

This month the ladies will be dining at Outback Steak House at the Foothills Mall. Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant. If you are going directly to the restaurant, please call Kathy Zeleznik at 440-821-5591.

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

If you have evergreen trees on your property, you are responsible for cleaning them up. There are piles around the community from various trees. This presents a huge fire hazard to all of us. Please be considerate and clean up your yards!

The cable line that is across Kilimanjaro is being addressed. We have contacted Comcast and made them aware that this is a safety hazard in our senior community.

#### THANKS DAVID!

Most of us know that David Cruz has been updating the marquee outside the office for the past few years. Thanks for your efforts and sense of humor!



#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents.

Joan Clow – Get Well Barbara Moe – Sympathy, loss of her sister Leona Lewis – Get Well

Ron Baumbeck - Get Well

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### **REMINDERS**

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The Social Committee has decided to hold a craft fair next winter. The scheduled date is Saturday, February 29. There will not be a charge for you to have a table to display and sell your crafts. Additional information to follow in the fall.

### **DISPOSE-A-MED**

Here's a chance to get rid of outdated or unused medications. Bring them to Walmart Neighborhood Market, 7951 North Oracle Road on August 17 for safe disposal.

#### WATER AEROBICS

Please note that Water
Aerobics will be held at 8:30
a.m. on Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday and
Saturday. They will not start
until 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday
to allow for pool cleaning. This
time change will continue for
August and September.

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# AUGUST 2019

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#### **JULY EVENTS**

Thur, July 4

Dinner - 6:00 pm Fireworks – 7:45 pm

Tue, July 9

Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, July 10

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, July 13

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, July 16

International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Sat, July 27

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

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### JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEBRATION

Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. and includes chicken, salad and dessert. Table service will be provided. The cost is \$5 per person. The fireworks start at 7:45. Be sure to sign up...the sign-up deadline is July 1. Any questions should be directed to Ed and Patti Triplett at 520-887-4120.

#### **NO FLING DELIVERY**

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### GET CREATIVE THIS SUMMER!

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Barb Ferrill/Thinking of You
Joe Carter/Get Well
Brenda Henderson/Thinking of
You

Patti Triplett/Get Well
Julie Istad Family/Sympathy

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#### JUNE EVENTS

Sat, June 8 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, June 11 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, June 12 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Tue, June 18
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Sat, June 22 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Wed, June 26 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

### DUES SCHEDULE CHANGE

On July 1, The Highlands is changing from membership dues being owed monthly to being owed no-less-frequently than quarterly. The quarterly amount owed is \$174, which is three time the monthly amount of \$58. Because different members' accounts are paid in advance by differing numbers of months, you may or may not owe a payment on July 1. If you are unsure of the financial status of your membership account, please contact us. To save time and postage, we prefer this inquiry be via e-mail to highlands332@gmail.com. You can also call us at 520-297-2722. If the change to quarterly payments presents a financial hardship please call the Treasurer, Bob Beck, at 520-461-9540 to be exempt from this requirement.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at the Chinese Bistro on LaCanada and Lambert. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you would like to carpool.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

By popular demand, the Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.



### JULY 4<sup>TH</sup> CELEBRATION

Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. and includes chicken, salad and desert. Table service will be provided. The cost is \$5 per person. The fireworks start at 7:45. Be sure to sign up...the sign-up deadline is July 1. Any questions should be directed to Ed and Patti Triplett at 520-887-4120.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

This month the ladies will be dining at Cracker Barrel in Marana. Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant, or notify Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591 if you are going directly to the luncheon.

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### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Eila Waterland/Get Well Kathy Zeleznik/Thinking of You Kathy Reagan/Get Well Family of Rick Peterson/ Sympathy

Lorraine Tomac/Get Well
Dave & Judy Calkins/
Sympathy, Loss of Son

**NOTE:** If you know someone in the Highlands who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@ aol.com.

### HIGHLANDS' NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH

In response to recent breakins, we are now registered with the National Neighborhood Watch program and are seeking volunteers to help keep our community safe. We have set up daily patrols but would appreciate more help. There is a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse for those who are willing to participate, even if you are willing to call 911 when you see suspicious activity such as a car with no lights or someone prowling the streets late at night.

We are still looking for volunteers to function as Block Captains. There is a sign-up sheet in the Clubhouse.

The Highlands' Security Patrol volunteers have a training session on the use of Walkie Talkies on Saturday, June 1, at 10:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse.

PLEASE DO NOT CALL Bernie with questions about the Code Red Phone Tree, Operation ID or Neighborhood Watch. All questions regarding these issues should be directed to Elizabeth Hinds at 520-440-7056.

Check out our Facebook page at facebook.com/NW/TheHighlandsOroValley.

# JUNE 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	27 Memorial Day					Trash Pick Up Today Due to Memorial Day  Aquafit 9:00 am Security Patrol 10:00 am
2	3 Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	4 Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	6 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Tai Chi Begin 9:45 am Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	8 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
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#### **MAY EVENTS**

Wed, May 8 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, May 11 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, May 14 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Tue, May 21
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, May 22 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, May 25 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

**PLEASE SIGN UP!** 

### LOCK THE POOL GATES!

The locked gates on our pool are there for a reason. If the County comes in to inspect the pool and finds the gates unlocked, THEY WILL CLOSE THE POOL. The County does inspect community pools on a fairly regular basis. Don't be the one who causes ours to close!!

### BE ALERT!! STAY ALERT!!

The Highlands has always been one of the safest places to live in Tucson, but recently that is NOT the case. We have had property stolen from around the Clubhouse, patio chairs stolen from peoples' homes, a chain cut on the back of a vehicle and a bike stolen. This week there has been a break-in at one of our neighbors. PLEASE make sure that you always LOCK YOUR DOORS and, if you're a snow bird, let your friends and neighbors know when you are heading home so they can watch your place. We recommend using the Oro Valley dark house program. Most importantly, if you sense something is wrong, CALL 911.

### HIGHLANDS' DAY TRIPPERS

Beginning May 1, in the poker room, you will find a sheet looking for ideas for day trips or overnight stays that you might be interested in doing in the future. Please write down your ideas and include your name and phone number so I can get in touch with you. I have some ideas for 2020, and we've already planned a Barleen's Christmas Show for December 4, 2019.

Thanks, Jamie

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Chuck Miller/Sympathy
Dee Farris/Get Well
Angela Rodriguez/Thinking of
You

Duane Olson/Get Well LaNelma Johnson/Thinking of You

Larry Staley/Get Well Barbara Ferrill/Get Well Carol Richards/Get Well Ron Pepperdine/Get Well Joan Petterson/Get Well

**NOTE:** If you know someone in the Highlands who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at (520) 484-8532.

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#### LADIES' LUNCH

Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for It's Greek to Me in Catalina or notify Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591 if you are going directly to the luncheon.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

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### HIGHLANDS' ENTRANCE SIGN

It has been suggested that The Board update our entrance sign. Craig Bennett would like to receive your thoughts on this idea throughout the summer. The Board will then revisit this item in the fall. Please send your comments, ideas, etc. to highlands332@gmail.com.

### GET CREATIVE THIS SUMMER!

The Social Committee has decided to hold a craft fair next winter. The scheduled date is Saturday, February 29. There will not be a charge for you to have a table to display and sell your crafts. More details to follow in the fall.

### **MANY THANKS!**

Dear Friends, Since February 1, we have had so many wonderful cards, food, calls and friends sending their prayers and love. Thank you so much for the support and kindness shown by so many in our wonderful Highlands community.

Fondly, LaNelma & Ray Johnson

### **DEHYDRATION ALERT!**

First, thank you to Lucy
Phelan for giving me the
opportunity to go to Rocky
Point; thank you to my bus
mates for paying cash to the
Mexican ambulance; thank you
Craig and Jamie for
accompanying me on the 90
mile drive (one way) to make
sure I was safely back in the
USA, where I took to a US
ambulance to Tucson Medical
Center Emergency.

Second and more importantly, I want to remind everyone about different types of dehydration. I have been trained as an EMT and a member of Pima County Search and Rescue, but I WAS STILL FOOLED!

Here is a list of the seven causes:

1. Vomiting

- 2. Diarrhea
- 3. Sweating, Fever
- 4. Certain Medications
- Not drinking enough fluids\*
- 6. Caffeine\*
- 7. High Altitude

\*One cup of a caffeinated beverage requires two cups of water to rehydrate. Many things have hidden caffeine such as tea, chocolate, etc.

There are three stages of dehydration: 1) Mild, 2) Moderate and 3) Severe. Severe can cause confusion, hallucinations and unconsciousness (which I was).

Only water counts to prevent dehydration, not just any liquid. If other liquids contain caffeine or alcohol, you must drink twice the amount of water.

There is a product called ORS (Oral Rehydration Solution) that can help with stages 1 & 2. Ask a pharmacist about ORS.

Remember, summer is upon us increasing the need for fluids that can only be replaced by water.

Again, thank you to the Social Committee for their response. Maybe someday I will get to see Rocky Point.

Carol Richards

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#### **APRIL EVENTS**

Tue & Wed, Apr 2 & 3 Rocky Point Trip – 7:00 am

> Tue, Apr 9 Potluck - 5:30 pm

> > Wed, Apr 10

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Sat, Apr 13 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, Apr 14 Movie Night - 6:00 pm

Tue, Apr 16 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, Apr 17 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Sun, Apr 21 Grill Your Meat - 5:00 pm

Wed, Apr 24 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Apr 27 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

PLEASE SIGN UP!

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

A hiring committee has been formed to lead the effort to replace our office person, Joanie Mauger, who is retiring at the end of May. The committee plans to meet every Monday and Thursday at 9:00 a.m. for one hour in the resource room. Association members are welcome to attend committee meetings and give input to the committee. It would also be helpful if several additional members would volunteer to join the committee. Contact Bob Beck at (520) 461-9540.

### GRILL YOUR OWN MEAT!

Come to the Clubhouse on Sunday, April 21 at 5:00 p.m. and bring the meat of your choice to grill. Baked beans, salad and dessert will be provided for \$3.00 per person.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

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### SPRING TIME REMINDER

With all the rain we've seen, the Compliance Directors know that weeds have been difficult to control. Whether you will be leaving soon to return 'home' or staying in The Highlands, PLEASE make sure you get those weeds sprayed or pulled. We've made four trips around the community over the last two months and have sent out sixteen letters to homeowners reminding them to get their 'curb appeal' back in line. If you need help or a phone number of someone to take care of your yard, please give one of us a call. We know not having any weeds is unrealistic, but we're asking that you make the attempt to eliminate as many weeds as possible. Thanks and have a great summer! Respectfully, Bill B., Dan W. and Jamie H.

#### **NEXTDOOR**

The Highlands is now using a free, private, online network called Nextdoor for recommendations. notifications, items for sale/ free, safety updates, local events and much more. Our community currently has 90+ residents using this site. You can look at just The Highlands or broaden your search to surrounding neighborhoods. Go to www.nextdoor.com/join to get signed up. If you have questions, please contact Jeanne Visgar at (309) 242-3252 or jdvisgar@comcast.net.

#### **POOL COVERING**

We stopped covering the pool at night as of Sunday, March 31. Many thanks to those residents who assisted this season: Rick Anderson, Tom Stevens, John Sand, Ray Ghiselline, Bill and Louise Bohrer, Rich Staska, Judy Polar, Pat and Raechel Yurczyk, Susan Weber, Dan and Terry Wojdyla and Laura Valade.

#### **DISPOSE-A-MED**

On Saturday, April 27, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. bring your unwanted or outdated pills and liquids to Target in Oro Valley for proper disposal. This includes veterinary meds and vitamins. Please do not bring household hazardous waste or batteries.

#### QUILTING GROUP

The Quilting Group will continue to meet every Thursday from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. until May 16<sup>th</sup>.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

The movie for April 14 is "Metropolis".

# NO MONDAY & THURSDAY EXERCISE GROUP

April 11 will be the last day for the Monday and Thursday Exercise Group.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at Chef Alisah, 5931 N. Oracle Road. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you would like to carpool.

#### MANY THANKS

Our last Karaoke for the season was March 24. Thank you to all of you helped out and those who joined in the fun to make it a success.

Helen & Linc Keilman

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### MARCH EVENTS Wed, Mar 6

Barleen's Bus Trip - 9:30 am

Sat, Mar 9

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, Mar 10

Movie Night - 6:00 pm

Tue, Mar 12

Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Mar 13

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Sun, Mar 17

Ice Cream Social - 2:00 pm

Tue, Mar 19

International Lunch Group

Wed, Mar 20

Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am Appreciation Lunch - 12:00 n

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Art Exhibit - 6:00 pm

Sat, Mar 23

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, Mar 24

Dinner & Karaoke - 5:00 pm

Wed, Mar 27

Ladies Lunch - 12:00 pm

PLEASE SIGN UP!

## FROM THE ANNUAL OPEN BOARD MEETING

Congratulations to the new members of the Board of Directors: Morris Coville, Jamie Horst and Mary Rausch. The membership also unanimously voted to have the streets sealed by Holbrook Asphalt. Most of the proposed changes to the CC&Rs were adopted. The Minutes from the meeting are posted in the Clubhouse and outside the office. They will also be available on the Website as time permits.

## FREE ICE CREAM SOCIAL AND CONCERT

Come to the Clubhouse on Sunday, March 17, at 2:00 p.m. for ice cream and fun with your neighbors. This year, it's free! Please sign up by Friday, March 15, so we know how much ice cream to buy!

Around 3:00, Randall Deighton is going to entertain us with a medley of music as a "thank you" for everything our community has done for him and Linda.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

By popular demand, the Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### APPRECIATION LUNCH

There will be an appreciation lunch on Wednesday, March 20, at noon for anyone who has volunteered and participated in an event at The Highlands. The lunch is free for volunteers and will be catered by Fraustos.

### **DINNER & KARAOKE**

Come to the Clubhouse on Sunday, March 24, at 5:00 p.m. for dinner and karaoke. There are songs available from many venues, or just enjoy your neighbors' songs. The dinner will be baked chicken, salad and potatoes; cost is still only \$5 per person. Please bring your table service and don't forget to sign up!

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Your pool key will open the doors to the restrooms when the Clubhouse is closed!
It can cost about \$1000 for an ambulance ride to the nearest hospital. Golder

Ranch has a plan costing \$92.98 per year that covers whatever your insurance will not pay. I will leave some flyers in the Resource Room if you are interested, or you can call 520-825-9001 to request one.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at The Persian Room, 9290 N. Thornydale Road, Suite 100. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you would like to carpool.



### **ANNUAL ART EXHIBIT**

The seventh annual Highlands' Art Exhibition will take place on Thursday, March 21, from 6:00 until 7:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse. All works will be originals by Highlands' residents and not previously displayed. Come and be inspired by our talented artists. and possibly find a unique piece of artwork to purchase! Light refreshments will be served; there is no cost for admission or food. If you need transportation to or from your home, please call Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233 to arrange a ride. **ARTISTS** – don't forget there is a firm deadline of March 13 to submit your application to enter your work.

Pick up a form at the Clubhouse. The committee needs time to plan an arrangement for the entries.

### LADIES' LUNCH

On March 27, the ladies will have lunch at Mama's Famous Pizza and Heros, Oracle and Magee. Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant or notify Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591 if you are going directly to the luncheon.

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

The movie for March 10 is "Thunderball".

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

DeDe Vernott - Thinking of You

Bob Knudson - Thinking of You

Pat Kammameyer - Get Well Ray Johnson - Get Well Harry Ferris - Get Well

**NOTE:** If you know someone in the Highlands who should receive a card, please call Marilyn at 520-484-8532.

### **ROCK 'N' ROLL 2019**

I wish to thank everyone who helped make this event a huge success. The theme was Memories and I'm sure everyone had plenty of memories from their era. I appreciate everyone who attended and helped support our fabulous community.

Brenda Henderson



### **BUS TRIPS**

We are excited about our trip to Barleen's Opry on March 6<sup>th</sup>. As a reminder, we will leave the Clubhouse at 9:30 a.m., make a brief stop at the McDonald's in Florence on the way to Apache Junction, where we'll have a wonderful, home-cooked meal and see the show (it's a new one called "Variety Spectacular"). The trip is probably sold out, but you can contact Jamie Horst on 309-230-0233 to check. Cost is \$62.50 per person.

On April 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>, we are going to Rocky Point (PASSPORT required). The bus will leave the Clubhouse at 7:00 a.m., make a rest stop along the way, and arrive at Penasco Del Sol Hotel where you can spend a relaxing afternoon. The next day, we'll have breakfast, load the bus at 9:00 a.m. and head to Old Port for some history and/or shopping. We'll head back to the Highlands around 1:00 p.m. and arrive about 5:30 p.m. The cost is \$240 per person, which covers transportation, hotel stay, breakfast on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, gratuities, games and a GREAT time with your Highlands' neighbors!

Any questions, please don't hesitate to call Jamie at 309-230-0233.

## MARCH 2019

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### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri, Feb 1 Annual

Open Board Mtg - 1:00 pm

Sat, Feb 9

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am Sarver Heart Center Demo

Sun, Feb 10

Celebration of Life - 2 pm Movie Night - 6:00 pm

> Tue, Feb 12 Potluck - 5:30 pm

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Wed, Feb 13

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Fri, Feb 15

Social Committee - 9:00 am

Sat, Feb 16

Community Yard Sales - am Rock N' Roll - 5:00 pm

Tue, Feb 19

International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Sat, Feb 23

White Elephant Sale - am
No Kaffeeklatsch

Wed, Feb 27

Ladies Lunch - 12:00 pm

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### ANNUAL OPEN BOARD MEETING FEBRUARY 1ST

The Annual Open Board
Meeting will be held in the
Clubhouse on February 1st at
1:00 p.m. Newly elected
Directors will be announced,
as will the results of the Street
Sealing Ballot and the CC&R
revisions. All members are
encouraged to attend this
important meeting.

## BAKED POTATO POTLUCK

This is one of our most popular events and seating is limited, so be sure to sign up early. Bring a salad, dessert or special toppings for the potatoes; sour cream, bacon bits and butter will be provided. As always, bring your table settings.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The February Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's on Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at El Guero Canelo, 2480 N Oracle Road (just north of Grant). Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you would like to carpool.

### LADIES' LUNCH

This month, the ladies will be dining at Red Lobster, Innovation Park, Oro Valley. Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant or notify Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591 if you are going directly to the luncheon.

## FROM THE JANUARY OPEN BOARD MEETING

The Minutes from the January Open Board Meeting are posted in the Clubhouse and outside the office. They will also be available on the Website as time permits. We encourage everyone to attend the meetings, which are held on the third Wednesday of each month (October thru April) at 10:00 a.m. in Clubhouse. The Annual Open Board Meeting is always the first Friday in February.



### COMMUNITY YARD SALES & WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

The annual Community Yard Sales will be held Saturday, February 16, from 7:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. If you have items to sell and want your house listed on the map. there are sign-up sheets at the Clubhouse or in the office (when Joanie is there). PLEASE print your name and address on the sheet and write "yes" in the last column if you are planning to buy a balloon and tie it to your mailbox. Questions should be directed to John and Darlene Sand at 520-270-2688. Please contact them before February 5. The sale will be advertised in the local newspaper.

The following Saturday, February 23, the White Elephant Sale will be held in the Clubhouse from 8:00 a.m. until noon. Check your belongings for items that you no longer need (no clothes or shoes please). Make sure the items are clean and suitable for sale.

Here are some examples: Women's accessories such as purses, belts and jewelry are very popular (even broken jewelry sells well); tools; household items such as furniture, rugs, curtains, decorative pillows, dishes,

small appliances, towels, bedding, plants, books, movies, craft supplies, etc.

Drop off time at the Clubhouse for all small items is Friday, February 22, between 8:00 and 11:00 a.m. If you need help with large items, call Steve Horst at 309-781-5154 or Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233 to arrange for pick up.

If you want to volunteer or help at the event, please call Steve or Jamie at the above phone numbers.

The Country Kitchen will be selling homemade baked goods for you to enjoy (see related article, below).

Proceeds of this sale help support activities of the Social Committee.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

The tables will be set up on Friday for the sale and the hall will be locked at 7:00 p.m. until the Sale begins on Saturday morning! Only workers will be admitted.



## ATTENTION HIGHLANDS' BAKERS

The bake sale is held annually in conjunction with the White Elephant Sale. Gather your favorite recipes and start baking. Plan to drop off your treats at the Clubhouse on February 23 at 8:00 a.m. You can also call Cheryl Stafford at 586-876-4589 for pick up.

IMPORTANT: Please be sure to mark items that are perishable. Also list ingredients on baked goods for those with allergies to nuts, wheat, etc.

**THANK YOU** to all our gifted bakers who always do a wonderful job making this a tasty and enjoyable event!

## ATTENTION WHITE ELEPHANT COMMITTEE MEMBERS!

Please plan to attend two meetings regarding the White Elephant Sale. There will be a pre-sale meeting on February 20 at 10:00 a.m. and a post-sale meeting on Wednesday February 27 at 10:00 a.m. Both meetings will be held in the Clubhouse. Please contact Jamie Horst with questions.

### **ROCK N ROLL 2019**

This year's dinner, dancing and old time memories will be held February 16 at 5:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. The DJs will be Gus and Ms. Gina. Cash and CD prizes will be awarded. Tickets are \$15.00 each and sales are limited. No sales at the door. Call Brenda Henderson to purchase your ticket, or come to the Clubhouse on February 9<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. until noon for a ticket.



### HIGHLANDS' PAINTERS TO MEET

January 29 was the first meeting of the Highlands' Painters. The class will meet in the Clubhouse at 10:00 a.m. every Tuesday and Thursday through February or until the paintings are complete. For those who have signed up, please bring supplies you may have available. For new painters, supplies of paint and brushes will be available. Cost of the class is \$30 plus \$5 for the canvas. All levels of painters are welcome. For additional information, please call Char Sax on 608-484-0229.

### **ROCK PAINTING**

On Monday, February 4<sup>th</sup>, we will be painting rocks at our regular "craft" time (1:30 p.m.) in the Multipurpose Room. Everyone should bring a nice smooth rock; all other supplies will be provided. Sharon Dennis will help you with this fun and easy project. Cost is \$1.00 to help pay for paint.

## WET AND WILD CANVAS WORKSHOP

Sharon Dennis has agreed to host another "Wet and Wild Canvas" workshop this year. The class will be limited to ten people and all supplies will be

provided. We will be using acrylic paint and hopefully everyone will go home with a finished painting. The workshop will be held February 27, in the Clubhouse, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. There will be a sample of this year's project on display to help you decide whether or not you would like to attend this workshop.

### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

On Sunday, February 10, at 2:00 p.m., there will be a Celebration of Life to honor those residents who passed away during the last year.

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

The movie for February 10 is "Walk the Line" about the life of Johnny Cash.

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Susie McMurtrie - Get Well Karen Santa Maria - Get Well Chuck Miller - Sympathy Bill Kuhlman - Get Well

### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The 2019 Pancake Breakfast was, once again, a great success. Dennis Weber and I, as Co- Chairmen, wish to give a special thanks to all those men who contributed their time and energy to make this event a huge success!

Bill Behrendsen

### **GOT WEEDS?**

The recent rains have caused lots of weeds to pop up. Compliance is asking everyone to check their yards and clean them up. Let's keep the community looking great!

### **COMING EVENTS**

The Annual Art Exhibit is scheduled for March 21. This is a friendly reminder to get those projects done and ready for our show. Watch for applications to participate coming soon in the Clubhouse!



### **BUS TRIPS**

There are now sign-up sheets at the Clubhouse for the two bus trips.

Our first trip is to the Barleen's Opry on March 6th. We will leave the Clubhouse at 9:30 a.m., make a brief stop at the McDonald's in Florence on the way to Apache Junction, where we'll have a wonderful. home-cooked meal and see the show (it's a new one called "Variety Spectacular"). The cost is \$62.50 per person. A \$25.00 deposit is due when you sign up to secure a bus seat. The deposit is nonrefundable, so if you can't make the show, you will need to find someone to take your place.

The second trip will be to Rocky Point (PASSPORT required) on April 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>. We will leave the Clubhouse at 7:00 a.m., make a rest stop along the way, and arrive at Penasco Del Sol Hotel where you can spend a relaxing afternoon at the beach or doing some shopping. The next day, we'll have breakfast, load the bus at 9:00 a.m. and head to Old Port for some history and/or shopping. We'll head back to the Highlands around 1:00 p.m. and arrive about 5:30 p.m. The expectation here is that if you sign up you are GOING. The cost is \$240 per person, which covers transportation, hotel stay, breakfast on the 3rd, gratuities, games and a GREAT time with your Highlands' neighbors!

Any questions, please don't hesitate to call Jamie at 309-230-0233.



Lois Egerstrand, long-time resident of The Highlands, passed away on January 17 in Wisconsin. She was 97. Condolences may be sent to Jean's daughters:
Marianne Egerstrand, 2413 Freemont Avenue Madison, WI 53704

or Kris Schmuhl 5310 Companion Lane, Middletown, WI 53562 For additional information, please contact Jean Layton on 520-490-2915.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@ aol.com.



### IT TAKES A VILLAGE

Saturday, January 19, was one of the most memorable days of my life. It was a celebration of the life of my dear wife, Nancy Miller, held here in our wonderful Highlands' community. Our family was overwhelmed by the outpouring of love and support we received from you. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Special thanks to everyone who contributed their time, energy and effort to this celebration. I offer my sincere gratitude for your part in making the celebration deeply moving for our family.

I will never be the same as before losing Nancy, but I am ever grateful to have spent most of my life with her and to be living here in our loving, supportive community as I begin my search for what comes next.

Warmest regards to all of you, and have some fun today!

Chuck Miller

## FEBRUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					7 Vote 8-10:00 am Tai Chi Begin 9:45 am	2 Groundhog Day
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	Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Painting 10:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am	Aquafit 11 :00 am Ukrain Egg Class 12:30	Painting 10:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am	Tai Chi Begin 9:45 am Aquafit 11:00 am	R & R Staff Mtg 9 am
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### JANUARY EVENTS

Tue, Jan 8 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Jan 9

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Sat, Jan 12 Pancake Breakfast - 7:15 am

> Sun, Jan 13 Movie Night - 6:00 pm

Tue, Jan 15 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, Jan 16 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Fri, Jan 18 Social Committee - 9:00 am

**Sun, Jan 20** Pizza & Karaoke - 5:00 pm

Wed, Jan 23 Ladies' Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Jan 26 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

## TRASH/RECYCLE INFORMATION

Hughes Sanitation has always requested our trash and recycling be curbside by 7:00 a.m. We became accustomed to the collection time being around 11:00 a.m. and many of us missed the pick-up on December 7 because they came earlier. To be on the safe side, you should always have your trash out by 7:00 a.m.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Highlands is run by volunteers. This is one way we keep our fees low. We need volunteers for various committees (such as the Social Committee); we always need hosts and helpers for the Potlucks and other events. Please contact Cindy Bennett at 810-599-8929 or Ed Triplett at 520-887-4120 to help.

### FROM THE OFFICE

If you have not already done so, please complete the attached form and deliver it to the office. This information is needed for the Highlands Directory.

### SHOW SOME RESPECT!

There are no sidewalks in the Highlands. There are people with walkers, in wheelchairs, on bicycles and just walking. We constantly ask drivers to respect our 15 mph speed limits. Apparently you don't care if you hurt or kill someone! We will be recording license plate numbers of speeders and reporting them to the Oro Valley Police. Remember ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT SPEED BUMPS!

**MEN'S BREAKFAST** 

This month, the men have decided to return to Sunnyside Café in Catalina. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, January 12, 2019, between 7:15 and 9:30 a.m. for all you can eat pancakes, sausage, orange juice, coffee and this year REAL BUTTER! No sign-up needed...just bring your own cup, plate and silverware. Cost is just \$5.00.

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

This month's movie will be "Rainman" starring Dustin Hoffman. Note time change to 6:00 p.m.



## SOUP & SALAD POTLUCK

Bring your empty bowls and place settings to the annual Soup Potluck on January 8<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. in the Clubhouse. Plan to make your favorite soup, salad or dessert to share. Hot bread and butter will be provided. We're going to vote for the best soup!! What a great way to unwind after the Holiday festivities. Don't forget to sign up

### **QUILT GROUP**

It's time for the Highlands'
Quilters to get together again.
The first meeting will be
Thursday, January 10, from
1:00 to 3:00 at the Clubhouse.
All skill levels are welcome.
Bring your sewing machine
and join in the fun!

### JANUARY BOCCE BALL

The January doubles tournament will begin on the 5<sup>th</sup>. We're still looking for more players...if you need a partner, let us know. Call Bob Beck on 520-461-9540.

### PIZZA & KARAOKE NIGHT

We had a blast last season, so let's do it again! Join us Sunday, January 20th at 5:00 p.m. for Pizza and Karaoke/ Sing Along. Socialize with your friends and neighbors for a nice meal, then stick around to be part of the entertainment or just listen to the music. Just \$5.00 will get you Domino's Pizza (paper plates and napkins provided), salad and coffee (or bring your own beverage). This time we're adding something new...4 chances to win back your \$5.00 dinner fee by answering a trivia question. Be sure to sign up and mark your choice of pizza so we know how much to buy. See ya there!

## BEGINNERS' TAI CHI CLASS

Tai Chi for Health is a safe. effective and fun way to improve balance, mental clarity, relieve pain and create an overall feeling of well-being through natural breathing and slow, gentle, meditative body movements. Movements can be adapted for all levels of mobility, including seated. The initial focus of this class will be on the Basic 6 movements of Dr. Paul Lam's Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention program. Classes will be held in the Resource Room on Fridays at 9:45 a.m. beginning January 4th. Suggested donation is \$5.00. The first class is free!

## ALL PAINTERS AND PAINTERS-TO-BE

The Highlands' Arts Committee will again offer painting classes in oil, acrylic or watercolor at the Clubhouse beginning the last week of January through the first week of March. Those who have an interest in learning to paint or need more instruction may paint with other class members as a group. More experienced painters may choose to work on their own project with help as needed. Cost of the class will be \$30, and necessary supplies will be available. For additional information, call Char Saxe, Art Instructor, at 608-484-0229, or one of the members of the Highlands' Art Committee. Dates and times of the classes will be decided at a later date depending on the needs of class members and availability of the Clubhouse. Please sign up.

### LOW CARB EATERS...

The Low Carb/Keto Support Group will meet Thursday, January 10 at 4:00 p.m. Newcomers are welcome! Discussion will include menu planning and recipes. No charge, no sign-up, no commitment. Come and learn whether this way of eating might help you with chronic conditions. For additional information, call Vonnie Lincoln at 541-990-0998.

### KAFFEEKLATSCH UPDATE

The January 12<sup>th</sup> Kaffee-klatsch will be replaced by our annual Pancake Breakfast. Then on January 26, Officer Sarah Leiner, Oro Valley Police Department will talk about issues pertinent to our safety. Watch for more information about Kaffee-klatsch changes in the February Fling.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at It's Greek to Me in Catalina. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

## NOTICE REGARDING THE LADIES' LUNCH

Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant or notify Kathy if you are going directly to the luncheon. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

## ANNUAL MEETING TIME CHANGE

Please note that the Annual Open Board Meeting, which is scheduled for February 1, 2019, will begin at 1:00 p.m. This will allow the Election Committee to count the votes and still attend the meeting.

## ATTENTION GRANDPARENTS AND CAREGIVERS!

Please remember that any children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult when

in common/recreational areas, driving a golf cart, or using the swimming pool. ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT INJURY!!!

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Ginny Tanner - Sympathy Nancy Miller - Get Well Jim Tomac - Get Well Sonny Waterland - Get Well Ron Pepperdine - Get Well

## CHECK OUT THE LIBRARY

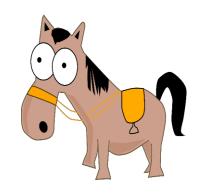
Thanks to the Board of Directors for approving funds to update the library. A committee of seven people came up with many ideas. We decided on wall magazine racks, new chairs and a table, some adjustable shelves plus a puzzle table and floor lamp. All improvements were completed by volunteers and we came in under budget. We welcome books published after 2000, CDs, DVDs, puzzles and current magazines. There is no checkout system; just return items to the basket.

## THE RESERVE PLAN VOLUNTEER NEEDED

The Reserve Plan has been approved by the Board of Directors. Bob Beck will maintain and update the plan. We are looking for a volunteer to join his team so we are doubly-covered and better able to handle future contingencies. The job requires experience with and interest in Excel. Experience with financials and budgets is also helpful. Call Bob Beck on 520-461-9540.

### NOTICE!

If you would like to receive The Fling, but do not have a tube on your mailbox, you will have to pick it up in the Resource Room. We are not allowed to place any notices in your mailbox.



**The Derby**...What is it? -It's a horse race...complete with horses, jockeys and a <u>catered meal!</u>

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- -Owners will decorate the horse in colors of their choice. Owners may also wear costumes and colors (or your golf cart).
- -Owners will 'hire' a jockey to 'ride' the horse (preferably someone lucky because the horses move by rolling dice).
- -Pari-mutuel betting windows will be open before dinner the night of the race.
- -Ladies and gents are encouraged to wear hats. It's a FUN, FUN evening!!!

### **THANK YOU**

Jane Staska thanks everyone who contributed toys at the Clubhouse. The toys were given to homeless children at Gospel Rescue Mission.

### THI RESERVE PLAN

The THI Reserve Plan (100 pages) and the Reserve Plan Committee Report (20 pages) are available for THI member review. There are paper copies that can be checked out from the office, or PDF computer files that can be accessed by emailing a request to the office.

## FROM THE DECEMBER OPEN BOARD MEETING

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The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@ aol.com.

### COMING EVENTS...



### **ROCK N ROLL 2019**

It's that time again: dinner, dancing and old time memories. February 16 at 5:00 p.m. in the Clubhouse. The DJ will be Gus and Ms. Gina spinning oldies but goodies. Cash and CD prizes will be awarded. Bring your own beverage. Tickets are \$15.00 and only 100 tickets will be available. No sales at the door. Call Brenda Henderson to purchase your ticket or come to the Clubhouse on February 9th from 10:00 a.m. until noon for a ticket.

### COMMUNITY YARD SALES & WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

This year the annual community yard sales will be held on Saturday, February 16<sup>th</sup> and the White Elephant Sale will be Saturday, February 23. For new residents – if you have items to sell and want your address shown on our map, we will let you know who to contact in next month's Fling. The

community yard sale is advertised in the local newspaper. The White Elephant Sale helps support the activities of the Social Committee. We will be looking for donations of household items, tools, jewelry...almost anything except clothing and shoes. We can always use volunteers to help set up and work at the White Elephant Sale. If you would like additional information or wish to volunteer for the sales. please contact Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233 or Steve Horst at 309-781-5154.

### **PUMPKIN PIE CAKE**

1-16 oz. can pumpkin (not pie filling)

3 eggs
1 cup sugar
3 tsp. cinnamon
½ tsp. salt
¾ cup butter (melted)
1-12 oz. can evaporated milk
 (not sweetened condensed)
1 box yellow cake mix

3/4 cup chopped pecans

Beat eggs and milk together, add pumpkin, sugar, salt and cinnamon. Mix well. Pour into a 9" x 13" lightly greased pan. Sprinkle cake mix over top, drizzle with melted butter and sprinkle with pecans. Bake at 350 degrees for 55 to 60 minutes until done. Serve warm or cold with whipped cream.

## JANUARY 2019

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### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Wed, Dec 5
Cookie Exchange - 1:00 pm

Sat, Dec 8
Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am
Free Concert 9:45 am

Sun, Dec 9 Movie Night - 6:00 pm

Mon, Dec 10 Christmas Parade - 4:30 pm

Wed, Dec 12

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Tue, Dec 18
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, Dec 19 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Fri, Dec 21 Social Committee - 9:00 am

Sat, Dec 22 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, Dec 25 Christmas Potluck 2:30 pm

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

## TRASH/RECYCLE INFORMATION

Beginning December 1, the trash pick-up day will be on Friday each week (not Thursday). There was an error in last month's Fling regarding recycling. All recycling must be in a plastic bag, but items do not need to be separated. The plastic bag can be placed in your recycle bin or clearly marked for recycling. Any items in the recycle bin which are not in a plastic bag will be put in with the trash!



### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Highlands is run by volunteers. This is one way we keep our fees low. We are in need of members to run for the Board of Directors. All resumes must be received in the office by December 1 for the

upcoming February Election. We also need volunteers for various committees such as the Compliance Committee. Please contact a Board Member if you are willing to volunteer.

### FROM THE OFFICE

If you have not already done so, please complete the attached form and deliver it to the office. This information is needed for the upcoming February election.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Carol Schulhauser 301 W. Adirondack Joan Murray 325 W. Matterhorn Brian & Sheila Tomac 245 W. Shenandoah

### CHRISTMAS POTLUCK

We still need a host/hosts for the Christmas Potluck. Hosts never work alone; there are many who will be willing to help with prep and clean up. Remember to bring your place setting and a dish to share for 8-10 people. Those bringing more than four people should bring an additional side to share! Please contact Ed Triplett at 520-887-4120 to volunteer.

### **COOKIE EXCHANGE**

Kathy Regan will host a cookie exchange on December 5 at 1:00 p.m. Everyone must bring the number of cookies they wish to exchange. Bring one dozen; take one dozen, etc. Please bring copies of your recipe. Coffee and tea will be served.

## FREE CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Come to the Clubhouse on Saturday, December 8 for a Christmas Concert with Manny Herrera. The Kaffeeklatsch will be held at 9:00 a.m. (nope, it's not free) and the concert will begin about 9:45.

## ANOTHER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

We need someone to visit new home owners and give them a welcome packet. Contact Cindy Bennett on 810-599-8929 if you are willing to volunteer.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST (Venue Change)

This month, the men have decided to return to Jerry Bob's on Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

This month's movie will be "A Christmas Carol". Note time change to 6:00 p.m.



### **CHRISTMAS PARADE**

Our annual Christmas Parade is scheduled for Monday, December 10. Meet at the Clubhouse at 4:00 p.m. to line up. The parade will leave the Clubhouse at 4:30 p.m. and wind through the community. Walk, drive your golf cart, ride your bike or come up with something unique. After the parade, everyone is invited to the Clubhouse for a Christmas sign-along led by Linc and Helen Keilman. Bring a snack to share.

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## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at Grain River Asian Bistro, 12985 N. Oracle Rd. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

## NOTICE REGARDING THE LADIES' LUNCH

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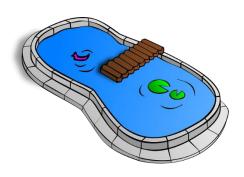


## ATTENTION GRANDPARENTS AND CAREGIVERS!

Just a reminder that anyone under 18 must be accompanied by an adult when driving a golf cart, using the swimming pool or in recreational areas, etc. ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT INJURY!!!

### **DISPOSE-A-MED**

Safely dispose of outdated or unwanted medications. Come to the Walmart Neighborhood Market at Oracle and Magee, December 8 from 9:00 a.m. until Noon.



### PLEASE...

If you use the swimming pool, kindly replace the floats, noodles, etc. We don't have a maid on site and others who want to swim should not have to clean up after you!

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Larry Staley - Get Well Lucy Phelan - Sympathy Addie Everett - Get Well David Rivera - Get Well

### **UKRAINIAN EGG CLASS**

There are still openings in the Ukrainian Egg Class, which meets Wednesdays in December from 12:30 until 3:30 p.m. Contact Terry Wojdyla on 520-219-2603 with questions.

### WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO COVER THE POOL DURING THE WINTER MONTHS! CONTACT RICH STASKA FOR DETAILS!

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### NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

The New Year's Eve Party will be held in the Clubhouse from 8:00 p.m. until midnight. Once again Bernie and Anita will be hosting...dancing and some door prizes. Call Bernie on 409-8709 or Anita on 405-1081 for tickets.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

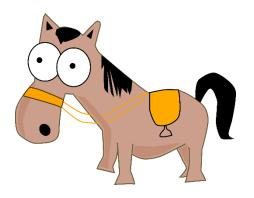
Homeowners can sign up for WaterSmart, which is a program to notify owners of any irregularity in their water consumption (for example, a leak). It's easy to sign up by going to orovalley.watersmart.com, enter your account number and choose the manner in which you would like to be notified of excess water usage. Questions can be directed to Oro Valley Water at 520-229-5000.

### COMING EVENTS...



Pancake Breakfast...Come One, Come All

- -Saturday, January 12, 2019
- -No Sign-Up Needed
- -All you Can Eat Pancakes, Sausage, Orange Juice and Coffee
- -Bring your own cup, plate and silverware.
- -Serving from 7:15 to 9:30 am
- -Cost is just \$5.00 per person!



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### THE SALES!

Don't forget it's time to start putting your "treasures" together! The Community Yard Sale is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of February and the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday we hold the annual White Elephant Sale. More info in the coming months.

## NOTICE

# OPEN MEETING REGARDING CC&R UPDATES

THE CC&R COMMITTEE HAS FINALIZED PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE CC&Rs AND WILL HOLD AN INFORMATIONAL MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, AT 10:00 A.M. IN THE CLUBHOUSE. PLEASE SIGN UP IF YOU ARE GOING TO ATTEND!

## DECEMBER 2018

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### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Sat, Nov 10 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Wed, Nov 14

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Sun, Nov 11 Movie Night - 6:30 pm

Fri, Nov 16

Social Committee - 9:00 am

Tue, Nov 20

International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, Nov 21

Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Thu, Nov 22

Thanksgiving Potluck 2:30 pm

Sat, Nov 24

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, Nov 27

Jam Session - 6:00 pm

Wed, Nov 28

Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### **IMPORTANT**

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### FROM THE OFFICE...

If you have not already done so, please confirm or update your contact information on the attached form to aid in mailing ballots for the February Election and compiling the Directory. Thanks.

## THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

Carol Coville will be hosting the Thanksgiving Potluck for the first time and is looking for volunteers to cook the turkeys, help with prep and clean up. This is a potluck; everyone should bring a side dish or dessert to share. Be sure to bring your own tableware and drinks. Coffee and water will be provided. Please call Carol at 541-990-2743 to offer your help.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST (Venue Change)

This month, the men have decided to change their venue to The Views at Sun City, 1555 E. Rancho Vistoso Blvd. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at Torino's Café, LaCanada and Lambert. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

## BOCCE BALL REMINDER!

If you want to participate in The Highlands' bocce ball tournaments, please call Bob Beck at 520-461-9540.

## NOTICE REGARDING THE LADIES' LUNCH

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## RESERVE STUDY DETAIL REPORT

There will be a brief review of the Reserve Study given at November Board Meeting. If you have questions or want more details, we are planning a one and one-half hour Detail Report presented at the Clubhouse on November 28 at 10:00 a.m. In order to set-up the room and have sufficient handouts, please let Bob Beck know if you plan to attend: robertbeck@comcast.net or 520-461-9540.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

We still need hosts for the Christmas potluck dinner or we will be forced to cancel. Hosts never work alone; there are many who will be willing to help with prep and clean up.

Please contact Ed Triplett at 520-887-4120 to volunteer.

## ANOTHER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

Our Website is managed by the team of Bob Beck and Connie Rose. They are seeking a third teammate. What's involved? 1) Uploading and downloading files; 2) edit downloaded files; 3) merge PDF files. The team uses software for iMacs; PC based users would need to access equivalent capabilities. Regular updates take about one hour each month. Contact Bob Beck on for additional details.

### **UKRAINIAN EGG CLASS**

Learn the art of Ukrainian Easter Eggs. Through the centuries, these eggs have been treasured and passed down through family generations. The class is limited to ten (10); however, an additional class may be added. This class will be held on Wednesdays from 12:30 until 3:30 p.m. and will begin in late November, continuing for four to six weeks. The \$10 fee covers all materials needed to complete the class and will be collected at the first class. Don't forget to sign up in the Clubhouse! Contact Terry Wojdyla at 520-219-2603 for additional information.

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

Movie Night is scheduled for Sunday, November 11, at 6:30 p.m. This month's presentation is "Catch Me If You Can" starring Leonardo DiCaprio.

### **EXERCISE CLASS**

The exercise and balance fitness class led by Shelly Whitlatch, exercise physiologist, is scheduled to begin on November 5<sup>th</sup>. Classes will be held at 8:00 a.m. every Monday (not Tuesday as indicated in the October Fling) and Thursday.

### **RECYCLING FACTS**

Do you wonder why your recycling is thrown in with the regular trash? Here are the rules for recycling. Plastics in one bag; cans in one bag; paper in one bag; all in a container marked "Recycle". If you do not separate your recycling, it will be thrown in with the regular trash. The Hughes guys should not have to separate the recycling for you!

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reports cards have been sent to the following residents:

Jan Gates – get well

Paul Finstad – get well

Giles Jackson Family sympathy Mae Giallombardo – get well Sandi Webb – sympathy Phyllis Dolman – sympathy Joann Lieder - sympathy

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### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Tue, Oct 9 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Oct 10

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am Agenda Meeting – 1:00 pm

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Wed, Oct 17 Open Board Mtg - 10:00 am

Fri, Oct 19 Social Committee - 9:00 am

> Sun, Oct 21 Octoberfest - 5:30 pm

Wed, Oct 24 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Oct 27 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, Oct 30 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

#### **POOL CLOSURE**

As many of you know, a resident recently died in the swimming pool. We are in the process of draining the pool to sanitize it; so we are taking this opportunity to complete needed repairs. The pool will be closed until further notice.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

If you are interested in running for the Board of Directors, your resume must be received in the office by December 1.

There is a "no cash" policy in The Highlands' office. All maintenance fees and RV lot rent must be paid by check, money order or cashier's check. You may pay for copies or faxes with cash.

There is no smoking in the pool or spa area. The designated smoking area is the gazebo.

All trailers, RVs, campers, boats, etc. must be stored in the RV area. This is according to Section 8 of the CC&Rs.

### ATTENTION SERVICE DOG OWNERS!

Oro Valley Statutes indicate ALL dogs must be on a leash no longer than six feet. You must CLEAN UP after your animal and it is NEVER allowed on private property unless invited by the owner. Please show some respect to your neighbors who are afraid of or allergic to animals.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Anthony & Lise Bettens 308 W. Andes

### FROM THE OFFICE...

Please confirm or update your contact information on the attached form to aid in mailing ballots for the February Election and compiling the Directory. Thanks.

## **NEW TO THE HIGHLANDS?**

The Open Board Meeting is held the third Wednesday of each month (October thru April) at 10:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. Everyone is encouraged to attend.



### **OCTOBERFEST**

This year, the Octoberfest will be held on Sunday, October 21 at 5:30 p.m. Join us for dinner and dancing to music by The Bouncing Czechs. Dinner will be brats, German potatoes, green beans, sauerkraut, dessert and coffee. Tickets are \$12.00 per person and can be purchased from Bernie Lee or Cindy Bennett. The deadline is Monday, October 15. The hosts are Craig & Cindy Bennett and Terry & Kathy Regan.

### **SOCIAL COMMITTEE**

The first Social Committee meeting for the 2018-19 season will be Friday, October 19 at 9:00 a.m. in the Multipurpose room. This is an opportunity for you to have input regarding future events.

## MEN'S BREAKFAST (Venue Change)

This month, the men have decided to change their venue to Jerry Bob's at Magee and Oracle. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at Tamarind Indian Restaurant, 7265 N. LaCholla Boulevard (near Foothills Mall). Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

## NOTICE REGARDING THE LADIES' LUNCH

Please all report to the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. before leaving for the restaurant or notify Kathy if you are going directly to the luncheon. This month we will dine at Chili's, 11065 N. Oracle Road. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.



Giles Jackson - 9/25/18

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

We are looking for volunteers to assist with setting up for the Jam Session each month. This should only take about half an hour and involves setting up a few tables. Please contact Lucy at 970-290-4007 or Rosy at 520-400-1330.

We need hosts for both the Thanksgiving and Christmas potluck dinners or we will be forced to cancel. Hosts never work alone; there are many who will be willing to help. Please contact Ed Triplett at 520-887-4120 to volunteer.

### **MOVIE NIGHT**

Movie Night is scheduled to being again on Sunday, October 14, at 6:30 p.m. This month's presentation is Hitchcock's Rear Window.

### **DISPOSE-A-MED**

Oro Valley will be collecting medications at Fry's on LaCanada and Lambert, October 3, from 9:00 a.m. until noon. This is an opportunity to safely dispose of unwanted or expired medications.

### **EXERCISE CLASS**

The exercise and balance fitness class led by Shelly Whitlatch, exercise physiologist, is scheduled to begin on November 5<sup>th</sup>. Classes will be held at 8:00 a.m. every Tuesday and Thursday. Additional information will be provided in the November Fling.

### **INTERESTING FACTS**

48% of our residents have a permanent Highlands' address and 52% have a permanent address elsewhere.

The deadline for Fling articles is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at cboydna@ aol.com. Please note that the Fling is a Board publication and some articles may require Board approval. Thanks.

## OCTOBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	3 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	6 Aquafit 9:00 am
7	8 Columbus Day Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 p.m.	Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Agenda Mtg. 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 7 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	13 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
1 4 Movie Night 6:30 pm Hitchcock's Rear Window	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	17 Aquafit 9:00 am Open Bd Mtg 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	18 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	19 Social Comm 9:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	20 Sweetest Day  Aquafit 9:00 am
21 Octoberfest 5:30 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	24 United Nations Day Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	25 Aquafit 9:00 am Private Party 3-9 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	27 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
28	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm	3   Halloween Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1	2	3
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### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Sat, Sept 8 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, Sept 11 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, Sept 12 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Tue, Sept 18
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Sat, Sept 22 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Wed, Sept 26 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### **WEBSITE CHANGE**

If you access The Highlands' Website, please note that our primary address has been changed to thehighlandsinc.com. This was addressed by the Board at the April, 2018 meeting. The Highlands' website averages 20 visits each day, or about 600 per year.

### **QI GONG**

Qi Gong is a gentle exercise similar to Tai Chi. Classes are held each Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. During the summer, we meet in the Resource Room; when it gets cooler, we move to the Clubhouse. For additional information, contact Rick Anderson at 970-245-8001.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Jonathan & Kim Halpun 230 W. Adirondack Street

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

In September, the men are going back to their favorite place, Sunnyside Up in Catalina. Meet at the Clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### **BOCCE BALL?**

Bob Beck is interested in resurrecting the Bocce Ball activity previously guided by Ells Hanson and Stan Petterson. The emphasis will be "relaxed fun". If you have questions or are interested in participating, please contact Bob at 461-9540 or by e-mail at robertbeck@comcast.net.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

On the 18<sup>th</sup>, the International Lunch Group will dine on Mediterranean cuisine at Za'Atar, 2310 North Country Club Road, which is just south of Grant. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you want to carpool.

### LADIES' LUNCH

This month, the ladies are dining at Sweet Tomatoes, 4420 North Stone Avenue. Meet at the Clubhouse by 11:30 if you wish to carpool, or meet at the restaurant at noon. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

## SEPTEMBER 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	31	Aquafit 9:00 am
2	3 Labor Day Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	4 Coffee 8:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	6 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm *No Trash Today	7 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	8 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
9 Grandparents Day	Rosh Hashanah Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Patriot Day Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 p.m.	12 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	13 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	15 Aquafit 9:00 am
16	7 Constitution Day Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	19 Yom Kippur Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	20 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am  Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
23 Autumnal equinox	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Qi Gong 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	26 Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	27 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	29 Aquafit 9:00 am
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### **AUGUST EVENTS**

Wed, Aug 8 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, Aug 11 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, Aug 13 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Tue, Aug 21 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, Aug 22 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, Aug 25 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

## BIBLE STUDY & DISCUSSION GROUP

Questions? Answers! Just bring your Bible and notebook. The first meeting will be Thursday, August 23 at 207 W. Adirondack Street. We'll have fun! Call Sarah Yokum at 505-604-5554 for additional information.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Claudia Jensen, 501 W. Matterhorn Blake Vail 317 W. Weisshorn Brett & Cheryl Haggard 10658 N. Pyrenees Richard Kuhlman 10697 N. Pyrenees

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

On August 8, the men are going back to their favorite place, Sunnyside Up in Catalina. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### LADIES' LUNCH

On August 22, the ladies will dine at Cracker Barrel, in Marana, off Cortaro Farms Road. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported that get well cards were sent to the following people:
Harold Haas, Georgiana
Wallace, Jane Force, Joan
Clow, Sonny Waterland, Kathy
Zeleznik, Linda Wilcoxsen.
Marilyn can be reached on
520-484-8532 if you have a card request.

## RESERVE PLANNING STATUS

The reserve planning study contractor (FD Reserve Studies) completed their Highlands' survey visit on July 11<sup>th</sup> and are now preparing the first draft of the results. The reserve planning committee expects to be reviewing the draft during August.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

This month the International Lunch Group will dine at El Cisne 4717 E. Sunrise at Swan. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

## AUGUST 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	31	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am
5	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	7 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	8 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	9 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am  Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
12	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 p.m.	1 5 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	16 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	17 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	18 Aquafit 9:00 am
19 Aviation Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	21 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	24 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	25 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
26	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	28 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	29 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	31 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	
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### **JULY EVENTS**

Wed, July 4
Dinner & Fireworks
6:00 pm

Tue, July 10 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, July 11 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, July 14 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, July 17
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, July 25 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

**Sat, July 28** Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

The SPEED LIMIT in the Highlands is 15 miles per hour. We have an agreement with Oro Valley Police to ticket speeders. Residents who observe speeders should call the Traffic Control Hotline (229-4933). The more calls the police receive from a given area, the more attention they give that area!

## RESERVE PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Reserve Planning Committee has completed a list of all maintenance items to be considered in our Reserve Study and selected a contractor to perform the study. We plan to have the results available in time for the Board of Directors to evaluate them and use the information to prepare the 2019 budget. For additional information, contact Bob Beck on 520-579-6399.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

On Wednesday, July 11, the men are going back to their favorite place, Sunnyside Up in Catalina. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### CARDS SENT

Marilyn Staley reported that get well cards were sent to the following people: Barbara Scantlan, Bernie Lee, Jerry Dennis

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

On July 17<sup>th</sup> the international lunch group will dine at El Guero Canelo, which is on the east side of Oracle Road just north of Grant. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you want to carpool.

### LADIES' LUNCH

As of publication time, I have not received information regarding the Ladies' Lunch. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

### **BOOK CLUB?**

Would you be interested in starting or joining a book club at the Highlands? Please contact Carol Hastings with your ideas at carol\_h\_79701@ yahoo.com

## JULY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	3 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	4 Independence Day Aquafit 9:00 am  Dinner & Fireworks 6:00 pm	5 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm *No Trash Today	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Aquafit 9:00 am
8	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 p.m.	Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	13 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
15	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	18 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 9 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	21 Aquafit 9:00 am
22 Parents' Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	24 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	26 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
29	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	3 1 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	1	2	3	4
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### **JUNE EVENTS**

Sat, June 9 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

> Tue, June 12 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, June 13 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Tue, June 19 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Sat, June 23 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Wed, June 27 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

All trailers, RVs, campers, boats, etc. must be stored in the RV area. This is according to Section 8 of the CC&Rs.



## JULY 4<sup>th</sup> CELEBRATION

Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m. and includes chicken, salad and dessert. Cost is \$5 per person. Table service will be provided. The fireworks start at 7:45. Signup deadline is July 1!

### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported that get well cards were sent to the following people:

Jerry Dennis Louise Adams Anna Pearson Kent Haas Tom Beebe Elizabeth Aiken

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Jeffrey & Penny Wolff 41 W. Matterhorn Richard Kuhlman 10697 N. Pyrenees

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be at Jerry Bob's, Magee and Oracle, on June 13. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 7:45 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

On June 19<sup>th</sup> the international lunch group will dine at A Taste of India in the Safeway Plaza, Rancho Vistoso and Tangerine. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. if you want to carpool.

### LADIES' LUNCH

As of publication time, I have not received information regarding the Ladies' Lunch. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

DEADLINE FOR FLING ARTICLES IS THE 20<sup>TH</sup> OF EACH MONTH!

## JUNE 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28 Memorial Day	29	30	31	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2 Aquafit 9:00 am
3	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	5 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	6 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	9 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
10	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 p.m.	13 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 4 Flag Day Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	16 Aquafit 9:00 am
17 Father's Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	20 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2 ] June Solstice Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
24	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	26 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	27 Aquafit 9:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	29 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30 Aquafit 9:00 am
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### **MAY EVENTS**

Tue, May 8 Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, May 9 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Sat, May 12 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, May 15 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, May 23 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, May 26 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

There has been a "no cash" policy in The Highlands' office since September 1, 2012. All maintenance fees and RV lot rent must be paid by check, money order or cashier's check. You may pay for copies or faxes with cash.

The Highlands does not send out invoices for monthly maintenance fees. Fee payments are due on the first of each month and 10% interest will be charged if not paid by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. You may also choose to pay quarterly, biannually or annually.

Oro Valley has a dark house project. Residents can notify the police they will be away and the police will walk around each home weekly to check for water leaks, open doors, broken windows, etc.

Effective immediately you may no longer smoke in the pool or spa area. The designated smoking area is the gazebo (see notes from the April 18 Open Board Meeting).

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!

Volunteers are needed throughout the summer months. We continue to hold potlucks and other events for those who stay here year round.

Linc and Helen Keilman have been hosting the Kaffeeklatsch on the second and fourth Saturday each month; however, they will be leaving for Ohio at the end of May. We need hosts beginning in June. This involves picking up the donuts, setting up and cleaning up afterward.

Contact Cindy Bennett on 810-599-8929 for additional information.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Larry & Linda Wilcoxson 10682 N. Everest Jeanne Visgar & Alicia Girard 39 W. Appalachian Carol Jean Layton 10674 N. Everest John & Diana Pangburn 448 W. Matterhorn

### FROM THE OPEN BOARD MEETING APRIL 18, 2018

- -Bob Beck is chairing a committee compiling information needed for a Reserve Study. The Board has three bids and approved up to \$2700 to hire one of the companies to complete the study.
- -The Board voted to change the name on our website from The Highlands MHP to The Highlands, Inc.
- -The Board voted to make the pool and hot tub areas "no smoking". Smoking will be allowed in the gazebo only.
  -Only two letters will be sent to residents regarding weeds. After the second letter, we will hire someone to clean up and the home owner will be charged for the work plus an administration fee.
- -The Board adopted Protocols for running each open board meeting. They will be posted on the wall during the meetings.
- -Bernie Lee and Jerry Dennis presented a proposal to refurbish and maintain the pool. The Board asked for volunteers to research the issues in greater depth, using the expertise of Kent Hinds. -Some Board members would like to hold Open Board Meetings year round; however it will require a change in the By-Laws by the membership. -The Board nullified the \$1700 which was approved last month to replace the street name signs. We should revisit the issue and perhaps paint some of the cast metal ones.

- -David Cruz was appointed assistant maintenance director to help ease Bernie's workload.
- -Any and all expenditures over \$250 require three bids and approval by the entire Board.

## HOMEOWNERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR...

Your yard. Whether you are here or in your summer place, it is up to you to keep your yard neat and clean. Ask a friend or neighbor to watch for weeds and let you know if they are becoming invasive. If you did not plant them, they are weeds! We want to keep our community nice year round, not just during the winter months!

NOTE: Here's a great **Weed Killer Recipe** from Cindy
Bennett:

1 Gallon Vinegar
2 Cups Epson Salt
1/4 Cup Dawn Dish Soap
(original blue type)
NOTE: I am told that regular
table salt will also work.

### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be held at Sunny Side Up in Catalina on Wednesday, May 9. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

Articles for next month's Fling are due by the 20<sup>th</sup>. Contact Carol Nadeau on 742-2722 or <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

On May 15, the International lunch group will dine at Ragazzi's (Italian) in the Trader Joe Plaza, Magee and Oracle. Don't forget to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

### LADIES' LUNCH

On May 23, the ladies' lunch will be at Dove M Chinese Bistro, Thornydale and Tangerine (near Fry's). Meet at the clubhouse if you would like to carpool. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

## RESERVES PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Reserves Planning
Committee was approved at
the May Board meeting.
Anyone interested in attending
the meetings to listen or
comment can contact Bob
Beck on 579-6399. The
Committee objective is to
prepare a recommended multiyear plan for the Highlands'
reserve savings and spending,
prior to creation of the 2019
budget.

#### NOTICE!

The Fling will not be delivered to your home again until October. Copies may be picked up in the Clubhouse or Resource Room. The Fling is also available on the website.

## MAY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29	30	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	2 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4 Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	5 Cinco de Mayo  Aquafit 9:00 am
6	7 Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	8 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 p.m.	9 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Aquafit 9:00 am Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
13 Mother's Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	16 Ramadan begins Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1 7 Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	19 Armed Forces Day  Aquafit 9:00 am
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#### **APRIL EVENTS**

Mon &Tue, April 2 & 3 Overnight Bus Trip - 7 am

Sun, April 8 Movie Night - 6:00 pm

Tue, April 10 Potluck - 5:30 pm

#### Wed, April 11

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am And Board of Directors Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Sat, April 14 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, April 17
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, April 18 Open Board Meeting - 10 am

Sun, April 22 Grill Your Own Meat - 5 pm

Tue, April 24 Jam Session - 6:00 pm

Wed, April 25 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, April 28 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

We are seeking volunteers to work on a Reserve Study for The Highlands. This study will establish a plan to keep the community well maintained and determine the adequacy of our current reserve funds and plans. Please indicate your interest as soon as possible so that we can seek Board approval prior to the summer break. Interest and questions should be directed to Bob Beck on 579-6399. We expect to perform the work this summer.

#### FROM THE OPEN BOARD MEETING MARCH 21, 2018

- -Minutes were read from a meeting held on February 12.
- -Brenda Henderson resigned from the Board effective February 5.
- Kent Hinds was appointed to the Board in charge of contracts.
- -The survey regarding Clubhouse renovations was discussed. The Board voted to drop this issue.
- -Oro Valley presented information to The Highlands

regarding flood plain issues. A committee of three Board members is working on this.

- -All verbal compliance issues will be followed up with a letter to establish a paper trail.
- -The debris will be removed from the washes, but no patching or repair shall be done without permits from Oro Valley.
- -Bernie Lee is working on a preventive maintenance plan for The Highlands.
- -Bernie is also in the process of obtaining bids to seal the streets.
- -The Board approved \$1652 to purchase additional gravel.
- -The Board also approved \$1713 to replace the street name signs.
- -The Board voted to increase the overnight guest rental fee from \$10 per night to \$20 per night effective May 1.
- -The cleaning contract review was tabled until the next Open Board Meeting.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Reed Snell - Vesuvius
Helen & David Knudson –
Andes
Michael & Patty Ganoff –
Kittatinny
Julie & Lashley Loughridge –
Pyrenees



#### **GOT WEEDS?**

Spring is here and the weeds are popping up everywhere. Please check your yards! Snow Birds, please be sure to take care of your yards before you leave for the summer.

NOTE: Here's a great **Weed Killer Recipe** from Cindy
Bennett:

1 Gallon Vinegar 2 Cups Epson Salt 1/4 Cup Dawn Dish Soap (original blue type)

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be held at Sunny Side Up in Catalina on Wednesday, April 11. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

On April 16<sup>th</sup> the international lunch group will dine at It's Greek to Me in Catalina. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

This month, the ladies' lunch will be at Bubb's Grub in Catalina on April 25. Meet at the clubhouse if you would like to carpool. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

On April 8, the movie will be The Music Man from 1962. Join the fun at 6:00 p.m.

#### **NEW LIBRARY BOOKS**

The Social Committee has approved a request to purchase additional large print books for our library. If you have suggestions regarding authors and/or book titles, please contact Jane Force via e-mail at <a href="mailto:iforce40@yahoo.com">iforce40@yahoo.com</a> or call her on 297-9068. We will be looking at local book stores, on-line and at the Oro Valley book sales. Join in to help with the selections!

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported that cards were sent to the following people: Rich Alberda – Sympathy Loss of Sister Deborah Judy Calkins – Get Well Linda McCleary – Get Well Eila Waterland – Get Well

Sonny Waterland - Get Well

Barbara Scantlan - Get Well

#### SUNDAY SUPPER BRING YOUR OWN MEAT TO GRILL

A Sunday Supper will be held on April 22 at 5:00 p.m. The cost is \$5.00 per person. Baked beans, salad and dessert will be provided. The sign-up deadline for this event is Wednesday, April 18.

## LAST JAM SESSION VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The last Jam Session of the season will be Tuesday, April 24 at 6:00 p.m. Rosie Bussmann and Lucy Phelan are the hosts, but are asking for volunteers to help set up and donate food. Please contact Rosie at 400-1330 or Lucy at 970-290-4007 if you are willing to help.

#### **EXERCISE CLASS**

Thursday, April 5, will be the last Exercise Class for the season. Look for us again in October.

# APRIL 2018

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22 Earth Day  Grill Your Own Meat  5:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 10:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm	25 Admin Assist Day Aquafit 10:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	26 Aquafit 10:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 10:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
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#### MARCH EVENTS FRI., MARCH 9

Adult Assistance 1:00 pm

#### Sat., March 10

Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am Sock Hop 6:00 - 9:00 pm

#### Sun., March 11

Movie Night 6:00 pm

### Tues., March 13

Potluck 5:30 pm

#### Wed,. March 14

Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Agenda Meeting 1:00 pm

#### Sun., March 18

Pizza & Karaoke 5:00 pm

#### Tues., March 20

International Lunch 12:00 noon

#### Wed., March 21

Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

#### Thurs., March 22

Annual Art Exhibit 6:00 - 7:30 pm

#### Sat., March 24

Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

#### Sun., March 25

Ice Cream Social 2:00 pm

#### Tues., March 27

Jam Session 6:30 pm

#### Wed., March 28

Ladies Lunch 12:00 noon

#### Thurs., March 29

Volunteer Appreciation Lunch 12:00 noon

#### SIGN UP FOR EVENTS!!



### FEBRUARY OPEN BOARD MEETING

- The meeting was very well attended.
- There were several additions/corrections to the minutes of January 17.

- The signs at both entrances and in the pool room will be updated to make the clubhouse rules clearer.
- There was a complaint that the flag south of the clubhouse was not properly lit; this has been corrected.
- A survey will be sent to all residents asking for thought/opinions regarding renovating the clubhouse; not an official vote.
- Addition of the handicapped bathroom will cost between \$27,000 and \$67,000. We should add this to the survey because we are not required to provide one.
- Requests for service or assistance animals must be submitted with a letter on the doctor's letterhead or prescription form.
- Only service animals with ADA registration cards will be allowed to accompany guests staying in the RV Area.
- Craig Bennett, Bill Bohrer and Dan Wojdyla were elected to the Board of Directors.
- Treasurer's Report: Total deposits in accounts are \$356,209.

#### MARCH POTLUCK

Cindy and Craig Bennett, Lynn Fuller and Bob Beck are chairing the potluck. If you want a seat, be there ahead of 5:30. There is no theme. Just remember to sign up, bring your own table service and enough food to serve several others.

### VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION LUNCH

This is a way to say "Thank You" to you if you have helped here in the Highlands this year in any way. Please sign up in the clubhouse and come to the lunch on Thursday, March 29th at noon.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men will go to the First Watch for breakfast on Wednesday, March 14th at 8:00 am. This is located in the Rooney Ranch Shopping Center. Sign up in the clubhouse.

#### **WOMEN'S LUNCH**

The women of the Highlands have chosen Olive Garden in the Marketplace for their lunch destination on Wednesday, March 28. Please note that there is a change in time to gather at the clubhouse to carpool - 11:30 to arrive at Olive Garden at 11:45. Don't forget to sign-up in the clubhouse.

#### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

The International Lunch Group will have lunch at Bianchi's Italian Restaurant on Tuesday, March 20. This is a taste of Italy just around the corner, 3620 W. Tangerine in Marana. Please meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 am to carpool or meet at the restaurant at noon. Come join us!



#### PIZZA AND KARAOKE NIGHT

We had a blast in January, so let's do it again in March. Join us Sunday, March 18th, at 5:00 pm for Pizza and Karaoke/Sing-Along. your friends and neighbors for a nice meal, then stick around to help entertain or be entertained by these same friends and neighbors. \$5.00 each will get you Dominos pizza, salad, and coffee (or bring your own beverage). Please sign up and mark your choice of pizza so we know how much to Table service will be buy. provided. See ya there.

#### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Where: At the clubhouse
When: Sunday, March 25th
at 2:00 pm
Cost: .50¢ a scoop which
includes a variety of
toppings
Please sign-up on the
clipboard at the clubhouse.

#### **FLAN MAKING CLASS**

David Cruz will be offering a Flan Making class on Tuesday, March 12th from 9:00 - 11:00 am. The class will be at his residence, 309 W. Weisshorn St. Class size is restricted to four (4). You will be able to watch how a flan is made from scratch, have a sample, take home a sample and a recipe card. All = \$15.00 Sign-up sheet at the clubhouse.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

March movie night will be Sunday, March 11th at 6:00 pm. It will be Ben Hur (1959). Note the earlier time as it is 3 hours long Bring your own snack.

#### MARCH 15 DEADLINE FOR ART SHOW WORK

Attention, artists! Please pick up your submission form in the clubhouse for work you want to enter in this year's Art Exhibition and return to Sharon Dennis by March 15. A firm deadline is necessary to give the committee time to plan and prepare for

properly exhibiting the works. Don't delay!

### ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION

Artists and art lovers, mark your calendars for Thursday, March 22, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm, for our free annual exhibition of new works produced by Highlands residents and others who have participated in Highlands art classes. As in the past years, there will be live piano music by Jerry Lederer and light refreshments to enhance the evening. New this year is a silent auction of some beautiful donated works to raise funds for equipment for future art classes. For anyone in the park needing a ride to or from the event, the Horst brothers have generously offered a shuttle Call Jamie at service. 309-230-0233 to make arrangements.

#### REMINDER

Don't forget to fill out the "Highlands Clubhouse Renovations Survey" and mail it ASAP.

#### REFUSE AND RECYCLE

As there are new renters and owners here in the Highlands it is time to give some information from Hughes Sanitation Services. Please go to tucsontrash.com and click

on Highlands. This will give you all the facts you need. For those who do not have a computer the main thing you need to know is if you want to recycle you must place the items in a plastic sack and mark the container with a "R" and place the container next to the trash can. Please DO NOT SHARE with your neighbor as it is not fair to anyone.



Joanie in the Highlands office would like to say a special thanks for those who helped with the new directory.

#### WHITE ELEPHANT THANK YOU

Jamie and Steve Horst would like to thank all who helped and all who purchased. We couldn't do it without you. Approximately 300 came through our door. Put it on the calendar for next year, We especially need more jewelry and baked goods.

#### FROM LUCY

To all the wonderful friends in the Highlands: Thank you for the cards of sympathy and love you shared with me and my family. Herb, I know, would have been very proud. Love and God bless you all.



### DEATHS IN THE HIGHLANDS

#### Evelyn Hanson Feb. 6 Herb Phelan Jan. 31

#### **CARE AND CONERN**

Marilyn Staley reports that the following cards were sent to:

Lucy Phelan in sympathy for the loss of her husband, Herb.

Anita Lee and Ells Hanson in the death of their mother, Evelyn.

Get Well Cards to: Lawrence Payne Lorraine Tomac Nancy Muzzy

#### "DISPOSE-A-MED"

Tuesday, March 6th is the date to take any unused or expired meds or vitamins to Sun City Oro Valley at 1565 E. Rancho Vistoso Blvd. from 9:00 - 11:00 am. Please leave them in the container.

# MARCH 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
25	26	27	28	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Quilt Group 1:00 pm Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3	
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25 Ice Cream Social 2:00 pm	26 Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:30 pm	28 Spanish 9:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Appreciation Lunch 12 n Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	3() Good Friday Aquafit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am NO Social Hour ** Cards/Games 6:00 pm	31 Passover	
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#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri, February 2
Vote for Directors
8:00 – 10:00 am
Annual Open Board
Meeting – 10:00 am

Tue, February 6 Potluck – 5:30 pm

Sat, February 10 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Sun, February 11 Celebration of Life - 2:00 pm

**Tue, February 13**Bus Trip to AZ Opry 9:00 am

Wed, February 14 Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Tue, February 20 International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

**Sat, February 24** Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, February 27 Jam session - 6:30 pm

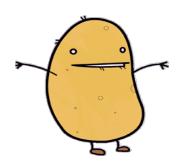
Wed, February 28 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

#### IMPORTANT REGARDING MARCH FLING

I will be out of town at the end of February; Jean Jackson will be editing the Fling. Please send any articles to her by February 20. You can reach Jean at 345-6863 or jeanjackson1937@ gmail.com. I will return in time to edit the April issue. Thanks.

Carol Nadeau



## BAKED POTATO POTLUCK

Remember that Potluck is one week early this month, on February 6. Be sure to sign up because this is a very popular event! You can bring salad, dessert or special toppings for the potatoes; sour cream, bacon bits and butter will be provided. Remember to bring your table setting.

#### **CARDS SENT**

Marilyn Staley reported that the following cards were sent:

Tom & Dee Beebe – Sympathy on the loss of their grandson.

Jeanmarie Nutt – Sympathy on the loss of her father.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

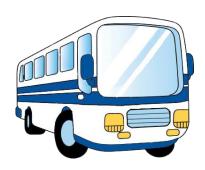
The men's breakfast will be held at Sunny Side Up in Catalina on Wednesday, February 14. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

The international lunch group will dine at Za'Atar Mediterranean Restaurant, 2310 North Country Club Road on February 20. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

This month, the ladies' lunch will be at The Parish Restaurant, 6453 North Oracle Road, just north of Orange Grove, on February 28. The deadline for signing up is February 21. Meet at the clubhouse if you would like to carpool. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.



### HIGHLANDS' DAY TRIPPERS

You have TWO opportunities to join us in 2018. On February 13, we leave the clubhouse at 9:30 a.m. and travel to Barleen's Arizona Opry for a delicious meal, dessert (served 1st), non-alcoholic beverages and a delightful "Variety's Best" show. Cost is \$61 per person.

Then on April 2<sup>nd</sup>, we leave the clubhouse at 7:30 a.m. for the two day Verde Canyon Train Ride and Out of Africa experience. The trip includes first class train travel, appetizers and a cash bar on the train while enjoying the beautiful Verde Canyon. We spend the night at the Best Western where breakfast is included. Tuesday morning at 8:45 a.m., we will board the bus and head to "Out of Africa" where we get close to some very exotic animals. Cost is \$445 per couple or \$275 per single. Tickets go guickly, so call Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233 to reserve your spot!

#### **CELEBRATION OF LIFE**

On Sunday, February 11, at 2:00 p.m., Bernie and Anita will host a Celebration of Life to honor those residents who passed away during the last year.

#### COMMUNITY YARD SALES & WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

The annual community yard sales will be held Saturday, February 17 from 7:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. If you have items to sell and want your house shown on the map, notify John and Darlene Sand at 520-270-2688. Please contact them before February 20. The sale will be advertised in the local newspaper.

The following week, February 24, the White Elephant Sale is held. Check your belongings for household items, tools, etc. that you no longer need (no clothes or shoes please). Be sure the items are clean and suitable for sale. Here are some examples: Household furniture, rugs, curtains, decorative pillows, dishes, small appliances, towels, bedding, plants, books, movies, craft supplies, etc. Women's accessories such as purses, belts and jewelry are very popular (even broken jewelry sells well).

Drop off time for all small items is Friday, February 23, between 8:00 a.m. and noon. If you need help with LARGE items, call Steve Horst at 309-781-5154 or Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233 to arrange for pick up.

If you would like to volunteer or help at the event, call Steve or Jamie at the above phone numbers.

The Country Kitchen will be selling homemade baked goods for you to enjoy while shopping.

Proceeds of the sale help support activities of the Social Committee.

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

The tables will be set up on Friday for the sale and the hall will be locked at 7:00 p.m. until the sale begins on Saturday morning! Workers only will be admitted.



#### ATTENTION HIGHLANDS BAKERS

The Bake Sale is held annually in conjunction with the White Elephant Sale. Gather your favorite recipes and bake away. Plan to drop off your treats at the Clubhouse on February 24 at 8:00 a.m. You can also drop off your baked goods at 309 Adirondack Street or call Barb Stevens at 520-544-7378 for pick up! Thank you in advance to all our gifted bakers who always do a wonderful job making this a TASTY and enjoyable event.

### LOVE THE JAM SESSION?

We need a volunteer to host the Jam Session on the last Tuesday of each month or we will be forced to discontinue it. Call Cindy Bennett at 810-599-8929 for additional information.

### FROM THE OPEN BOARD MEETING, 1/17/18\*

- \*Seven letters were read.
- \*Pat announced that Joanie Mauger is now a Highlands' employee; no longer works for Account Temps.
- \*There is a "no cash" policy in the office.
- \*All contracts are current.
- \*The pool heater has been replaced. It will cost \$949 to repair the old one as a backup.
- \*Three contractors liked our plans (copies on bulletin boards) for a handicapped bathroom; we are still waiting for bids.
- \*A CPA is in the process of reviewing our records.
- \*The proposal to raise the title transfer fee from \$100 to \$200 was voted down.
- \*The proposal to raise maintenance fees \$6 a month was tabled.
- \*Bernie stated it will cost more than \$40,000 to coat our roads and seal the cracks.
- \*We will begin updating the Pet Policy in February.
- \*Bernie motioned that the Board approve \$2900 to purchase gravel for around the clubhouse and easements and \$900 to have the tiles around the pool cleaned.
- \*The Social Committee will look into purchasing a ping-pong table to replace the damaged one.

#### **MANY THANKS!**

Thanks to those men who worked at the pancake breakfast and all who supported us. As always, the breakfast was a huge success!



#### WINE AND WET CANVAS WORKSHOP

By popular demand, Sharon Dennis will be conducting a wine and wet canvas workshop in the Clubhouse during the evening of February 20. You will go home with a 16" x 20" acrylic painting of a desert sunset. The class is limited to ten, but Sharon will repeat the workshop at a later date if there is enough interest. Cost for the canvas, paint and supplies is \$15. Bring your own wine or other beverage of choice. Painting experience is not necessary. Join the fun and go home with your very own original painting!! DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP.

### CALLING ALL ARTISTS AND CRAFTERS

Think about finishing up your projects for the annual Art Exhibit, which will be here before we know it! The exhibit is scheduled for Thursday, March 22.

### DISAPPEARING SUPPLIES!

Due to continued issues with supplies disappearing, the locks to the back storage room have been rekeyed and a padlock has been installed on the kitchen supply room. Donato has moved the white erase board to the right side of the kitchen counter where anyone can list supplies needed for the Clubhouse.

#### **NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH**

Elizabeth Hinds is interested in resurrecting the Neighborhood Watch group from years ago (or starting a new/current group). Please contact Elizabeth at 520-440-7056 to voice your interest in this worthwhile cause.

#### **COLD AND FLU SEASON**

Unfortunately, the flu is rampant this season. Germs are spread through the air and on surfaces. The best way to prevent getting sick is to WASH YOUR HANDS FREQUENTLY. Please, if you are sick, stay at home and away from as many people as possible. Thank you.

## FEBRUARY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2 Groundhog Day Vote 8-10 am Annual Mtg 10 am Aquafit 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	3
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Celeb of Life 2:00 pm  Movie Night 6:30 pm	2 Lincoln's B-Day Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am AZ Opry Trip 9:30 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Gourd Class 1:00 pm	1 4   Ash Wednesday   Men's Breakfast 8:00 am   Spanish 9:00 am   Aquafit 11:00 am   Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Chinese New Year Social Comm 9:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm	17 Community Yard Sales 7:00 am to 1:00 pm
18	Presidents' Day Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Gourd Class 1:00 pm Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Spanish 9:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Aquafit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am NO Social Hour Clubhouse Closed*	24 White Elephant and Bake Sale 8:00 am to 12 noon
25	26 Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	27 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:30 pm	28 Spanish 9:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Ladies Lunch 12 noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1	2	3
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#### **JANUARY EVENTS**

**Tue, January 9** Potluck – 5:30 pm

Wed, January 10
Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am
And Board of Directors
Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Sat, January 13 Pancake Breakfast - 9:00 am

Tue, January 16
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, January 17 Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

**Sat, January 20** Highlands' Derby - 5:30 pm

Wed, January 24 Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, January 27 Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

**Sun, January 28** Pizza & Karaoke – 5:00 pm

Tue, January 30 Jam session - 6:30 pm

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!



### OVERHEARD AT POTLUCK

"I didn't bring anything...I never do!" Imagine what would happen if no one brought anything. We would have a lot of hungry people and NO FOOD! The idea of potluck is to socialize and share. If you are going to attend, please contribute to the meal. You can easily purchase prepared food or dessert at the market.

### FROM THE OPEN BOARD MEETING, 12/20/17

- -Carol Hastings has been appointed as the Treasurer.
- -Laurie Hartman resigned effective 12/21.
- -Seven letters were read.
- -Discussion regarding speeding in the community.
- -Bernie is obtaining proposals to replace the pool heater.
- -Bill Borer has one proposal of \$26,000 for a handicapped bath and is waiting for two others.

- -The office doors and all file cabinets have been rekeyed because of some concerns.
- -The sliding doors to the pool room and poker room will be locked during private parties.
- -It was suggested we install a security camera in the clubhouse because of recent damage in the poker room. Brenda will secure bids.
- -THI received a notice from the Town of Oro Valley indicating we must hire a civil engineer and reconstruct the bridge over the west wash.
- -It was suggested that HOA fees should be increased by 10% each year to cover pending projects. This was tabled until January.
- -There was discussion regarding auditing our books.
- -We still need volunteers to cover and uncover the pool.
- -Ballots for the February election were mailed on Monday, 12/18. Everyone should have received them by now.

#### **HIGHLANDS' QUILTERS**

The first meeting of the quilt group will be on January 11. All skill levels are welcome...bring your sewing machine. If you would like information about the first project, call Nancy Muzzy on 573-823-9635.



#### WHAT IF...

What if you planned a meal for 14 people and 29 showed up? That's what happened at the last kaffeeklatsch! Yeah, it's only coffee and donuts, but our volunteer hosts and servers were put in a bind when they ran out of both. We love to see everyone attending our events, but PLEASE sign up in advance so we know the amount of coffee and donuts to provide. And this applies to all of our events.

#### SOUP POTLUCK

The annual Soup Potluck will be held on January 9. Plan to make your favorite soup, salad or dessert to share. Bring your empty bowls and place settings; hot bread will be provided. What a great way to recover after all the New Year festivities. Please sign up at the clubhouse.

#### LEARN TO MAKE UKRAINIAN EASTER EGGS

The class will begin Wednesday, January 10 and run for four weeks from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m. in the Multipurpose Room. The fee for the class is \$10, and the class will be limited to ten people. Another class will be added if there is sufficient interest. Call Terry Wojdyla on 219-2603 for additional info.

## SPANISH CONVERSATION GROUP

An intermediate Spanish conversation group, led by Vonnie Lincoln, will be held starting Wednesday, January 10. We will meet weekly from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. in the Multipurpose Room through March 28. The group is designed for those who have some Spanish, but you don't have to be able to carry on a conversation to participate. Please sign up in the clubhouse or contact Vonnie at 541-990-0998 for additional information. Anyone who would like help learning beginning Spanish should contact Vonnie for information.

### LOW CARB/KETOGENIC SUPPORT GROUP

Come to the first meeting at the Clubhouse on January 10 at 1:00 p.m. to find out what this WOE (way of eating) has to offer you. In addition to losing weight, you can lower levels of inflammation and pain, increase energy, decrease blood sugar levels, resolve mood disorders and much more. For additional information, call Vonnie Lincoln at 541-990-0998 or sign up at the Clubhouse.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men's breakfast will be held at Sunny Side Up in Catalina on Wednesday, January 10. Please remember to sign up. Meet at the clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

#### **NEW CHI GONG CLASS**

Rick Anderson will start teaching a Chi Gong (form of Tai Chi) class on January 16 at 10 a.m. in the clubhouse. This will be a beginner class covering the basic principles of Chi Gong which include simple movements for improving strength and balance. Anyone is welcome to drop in.

#### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

The international lunch group will dine at Goyita's on Lambert Lane, near Domino's, Tuesday, January 16. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you want to carpool.

### IT'S ALMOST DERBY TIME!

The 2<sup>nd</sup> annual Highlands' Derby is Saturday, January 20. It's time to start thinking about your hat and the horse you want to back. You can view the carts decorated and on display at the pancake breakfast on January 13. On the 20<sup>th</sup>, there will be a catered dinner at 5:30; cost is \$20 per person. Tickets must be purchased by January 10! Sign up in the clubhouse or call Bernie on 409-8709 for additional information.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

This month, the ladies' lunch will be at Cracker Barrel in Marana on January 24. Meet at the clubhouse if you would like to carpool. Questions should be directed to Kathy Zeleznik on 440-821-5591.

#### PAINTERS AND "WANNA BE" PAINTERS

The Highlands' Art Committee will again offer painting classes in oil, water and acrylics! Char Saxe, local Highlands' Art Instructor, will work with the class members. If you have always wanted to paint on canvas, or you want to improve your skills, come join the class which will start on January 23 and run through February. Cost for the class, which includes canvas and supplies, is \$6 per session. Char will have supplies available for purchase at wholesale cost, or bring your own. Please call Char at 608-484-0229 or Sharon Dennis at 360-708-7247 for additional information. There will be a sign-up sheet at the clubhouse.

### PIZZA, KARAOKE and SING-ALONG

Come to the clubhouse Sunday, January 28 at 5:00 p.m. to be fed and entertained. We will be serving Domino's pizza (paper plates and napkins included) and coffee. If coffee's not for you, just bring your own beverage. Then stick around to be part of the entertainment or listen to your neighbors as they sing popular songs from bygone days, classic country tunes, rock 'n' roll oldies.

#### YOGA ANYONE?

Susan Weber is a certified Yoga Instructor and would love to teach in the Highlands if there is interest. Susan could offer a chair yoga class also working on strength and balance with some standing postures, as well as a gentle hatha yoga class with mats and some floor postures. She can also add some breathing techniques which are very helpful for stress and anxiety. Please call or text your interest to 505-927-4216 and we will try to figure out a time and day that works.

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

We welcome these new residents to The Highlands.

Regg & Myrna Wenaas Bart Morris & Penny Watts Michael and Susan Cook

#### THANK YOU!

Jane Staska thanks everyone who contributed toys for the children at Gospel Rescue Mission. Perhaps they would not have received Christmas gifts without your generosity.

#### FROM THE BOARD

#### Reminder Regarding Animals

Because this is a "No Pets" community, there are requirements which must be met BEFORE bringing in an animal. The owner must submit documentation from a physician, psychiatrist or social worker stating the type of disability and how the animal will assist in alleviating symptoms. This meets Federal Housing Authority rules by which we are governed. After arriving in the community, you are required to follow the list of rules you received from The Highlands regarding animals. All animals are required to be leashed when not on your

property. They are not allowed to run into the street and greet walkers! You cannot walk to your "friend's" home without your animal on a leash. Animals are not allowed on other residents' property unless invited by the owner. All residents, including renters, are governed by these rules. Visiting animals are not allowed in the community. Our hope is that we can all live in harmony in this community by showing respect for each other.

#### Regarding Speeders

Speeding continues to be a problem in this community. This is a reminder that the Speed Limit is 15 mph. Residents who observe speeders should report them to the police by way of the Traffic Control Hotline (229-4933) which is listed on the inside cover of The Highlands' Directory. The more calls the police receive from a given area, the more attention they give that area.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

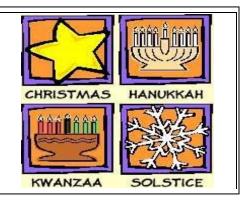
There are two exciting opportunities to join The Highlands' Day Trippers in 2018. On February 13, we once again go to "Barleen's Arizona Opry". Cost for this trip is \$61 per person. Then on April 2 & 3, we take the Verde Canvon Train Ride and Out of Africa experience. Tickets for this two day trip, including room and breakfast on Tuesday, will be \$445 per couple and \$275 for a single. Tickets go quickly, so reserve your spot by calling Jamie Horst on 309-230-0233. More details on each trip will be provided in a later issue of The Fling.

## JANUARY 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	New Year's Day	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	3 Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm * No Trash Today	5 Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	6
7	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Soup Potluck 5:30 pm	Men's Breakfast 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Ukrainian Eggs 12:30 Agenda Mtg 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Pancake Breakfast 9:00 am
Movie Night Latest Version of "King Kong" 6:30 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Chi Gong 10 am Aquafit 11:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Gourd Class 1:00 pm Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Spanish 9:00 am Open Bd Mtg 10:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Social Comm 9:00 am Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Highlands' Derby 5:30 pm
21	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Gourd Class 1:00 pm Paint Class	24 Spanish 9:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Ladies' Lunch 12 Noon Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Quilt Group 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	27 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
28  Karaoke & Pizza 5:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Gourd Class 1:00 pm	3 ] Spanish 9:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1	2	3
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#### **DECEMBER EVENTS**

Sat, December 9

Kaffeeklatsch and Derby Horse Auction (info on Page 2 under Derby Day) 9:00 am

Tue, December 12

Potluck - 5:30 pm

Wed, December 13

Men's Breakfast - 8:00 am

Board of Directors Agenda Meeting - 1:00 pm

Tue, December 19

International Lunch Group 12:00 noon

Wed, December 20

Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

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Ladies Lunch - 12:00 noon

Sat, December 23

Kaffeeklatsch - 9:00 am

Tue, December 26

Jam session - 6:00 pm

Sun, December 31

New Year's Eve Bash 8:00 pm - Midnight

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

#### **IMPORTANT MESSAGE**

Please consider running for one of the four vacancies on the Board of Directors. Directors are elected at the Annual Open Board Meeting in February. Each Directors serves on the Board for a term on three years. In February, 2018, there will be four vacancies due to resignations. Resumes should contain a brief summary of your background and your vision for the community. **Resumes** must be received in the office by December 1, to allow for mailing of absentee ballots.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Volunteers are needed to cover and uncover the swimming pool during the winter months. The cover is quite heavy, so you should be physically able to handle it. We cover it about 5:00 p.m. and uncover about 9:00 a.m. Please contact Karen Santa Maria at 520-419-8660.

#### **ATTENTION RENTERS**

All issues with regard to the property you are renting must be taken up with your landlord. The property owner will decide what issues should be directed to the Board.

#### **CHRISTMAS PARADE**

The annual Christmas Parade will be held on Sunday, December 17. Participants should meet at the Clubhouse at 2:00 p.m. to line up; the parade will start at 2:15. Bring snacks and drinks to share after the parade. Questions should be directed to Bill Behrendsen at 916-798-7733.

#### **COOKIE EXCHANGE**

There will be a cookie exchange at the Clubhouse on Wednesday, December 6 at 1:00 p.m. Bring as many cookies as you want and take the same number home. Bring any recipes you would like to share. Questions should be directed to Kathy Reagan at 661-4998.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

The Highlands welcomes these new residents.

Morris & Carol Coville from
Oregon – on Ranier
William & Jutta Demay from
Arivaca, Az – on Adirondack
Richard Doxtadar from
Michigan – on Everest
Barton Morse & Penny Watts
from Tucson – on Highlands

#### **GOT WEEDS?**

The Compliance Committee will be doing the quarterly inspection of yards and carports. Please be sure to clean up your property.



Marilyn Staley reported that cards were sent to the following people:

Harry Farris – Thinking of You Barbara Davis – Get Well Tom Beebe – Thinking of You Bernie Kestler – Sympathy (loss of husband Dave) Bernie Lee – Thinking of You Evelyn Hanson – Thinking of You

#### CHRISTMAS DINNER

Christmas Dinner will be served at 2:00 p.m. on December 25. Hams will be provided by The Highlands. Everyone who plans to attend should bring a dish to share. Deadline for sign-up is December 19.

#### **LADIES LUNCH**

The Ladies Lunch will be on December 20 at Mimi's Café on Oracle Road. Meet at the Clubhouse by noon if you want to carpool. Please contact DeDe Venott at 520-235-9777 if you sign up and then cannot attend.



Bob Staska – October 23 Marjorie Brayack – October 31 Dave Kestler – November 2

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men are returning to Sunny Side Up in Catalina for breakfast this month. Meet at the Clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

#### PINOCHLE CANCELLED

Please note that Wednesday Pinochle has been cancelled due to lack of interest.

#### **NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY**

Come to the Clubhouse for the annual New Year's Eve experience! Music will be provided by Gus and Gina, popular DJs. Finger foods will be provided. Drawings for prizes will take place every half hour and a grand prize will be awarded at midnight. The extravaganza will be held from 8:00 p.m. until midnight. Tickets are \$20 per person. Contact Bernie on 409-8709 or Anita on 405-1081 for tickets or information.

#### **TOYS FOR TOTS**

Remember to bring new, unwrapped toys to the Clubhouse for the children at Gospel Rescue Mission and Toys for Tots.

#### **COMING SOON**

Details for these three events will be included in the January Fling.

### SECOND ANNUAL DERBY DAY

Get ready to participate in the Second Annual Derby Day! On December 9, the ponies will be auctioned off at the Kaffee-Klatsch. The actual derby will take place on January 20. Prizes will be given for the favorite horse and best ladies' and mens' hats.

#### **HIGHLANDS' QUILTERS**

The first meeting of the quilt group will be on January 11. All skill levels are welcome. If you would like information about the first project, call Nancy Muzzy at 573-823-9635.

#### LEARN TO MAKE UKRAINIAN EASTER EGGS

The class for this traditional art will meet for 4 to 5 weeks beginning in January and will be limited to ten people. There will be a fee for class materials. The contact for this project is Terry Wojdyla at 219-2603.

Please note the deadline for next month's *Fling* is the 20<sup>th</sup>. Send articles and information to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>

## DECEMBER 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2
3	4 Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	5 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	6 Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	7 Pearl Harbor Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	8 Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	9 Kaffeeklatsch and Derby Horse Auction 9:00 am
Movie Night 6:30 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 pm	13 Chanukah  Men's Breakfst 8:00 am  Aquafit 11:00 am  Agenda Mtg 1:00 pm  Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	15 Social Comm 9:00 am Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	16
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24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day  Christmas Dinner 2:00 pm	26 Kwanzaa begins Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm	27 Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	28 No Trash Today *  Exercise 8:00 am  Aquafit 11:00 am  Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	30
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#### **NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Wed, November 8
Board Agenda Meeting
1:00 pm

Fri, November 10 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Sat, November 11 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

Tue, November 14
Potluck
5:30 pm

Wed, November 15 Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Fri, November 17
Social Committee Meeting
9:00 am

Tue, November 21
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Wed, November 15 Ladies Lunch 12:00 noon

Sat, November 25 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

Tue, November 28
Jam session
6:00 pm

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO HOST POTLUCK!

We all enjoy the monthly potlucks; however, we need hosts and helpers to keep them going. Anyone interested in hosting one of the potlucks should obtain a sign-up sheet from the Clubhouse kitchen (second drawer from the left), add your name as host and ask three or four friends to help. There is a binder in the same drawer with instructions for hosting a potluck. We still need hosts for November 23. December 12 and 25. November 23 is Thanksgiving. Jean Jackson has volunteered to help, but we need hosts and people to cook turkeys. Questions should be directed to Cindy Bennett at 810-599-8929.

**PLEASE NOTE** - If there is no sign-up sheet posted five days prior to any potluck, it will be cancelled that month!

#### **NEWS FROM THE OFFICE**

Joanie Mauger is the current Bookkeeper. She started in late March and is in the office Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm. Stop in and say hello.

**WILD ANIMALS** – Please do not feed the wild animals that

visit the community, especially the Javelina. These are very dangerous animals that cause property damage, can kill small service dogs and severely injure residents.

### OWNER/RENTER INFORMATION FORM -

Each resident must complete the attached form in order to update the office records (place the form in office drop box). There is a great deal of turnover in the community and the office must have current information on file. The information will also be used to complete the 2018 Highlands' Phone Directory.

#### MEMORIAL BREAKFAST

The family of Aileen Tomlinson, who passed away in August, will be hosting a Memorial Breakfast on Tuesday, November 14, at 8:00 a.m. in the Clubhouse. The family will cater the breakfast; you must sign up before November 10, if you plan to attend.

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

Robin Engdahl
Dawn & Dennis Klepfer
Richard Peterson
Debra Redmer

### REMINDER ON-LINE FORUM

Last Spring, Bob Beck created, and agreed to moderate, an online forum for Highlands' residents. This is a place where items of mutual interest can be announced and discussed; where we can share items for sale, service provider recommendations, safety concerns, etc. If you would like to be a member of this forum, send an e-mail request to: highlands-residents-forum+subscribe@googlegroups.com

#### **MONDAY CRAFT GROUP**

Last month we announced that the Needlecrafters would combine with other crafters to form a group of all residents interested in crafting. The group meets in the Multi-purpose Room every Monday from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

In October, 20 residents attended the International Lunch at It's Greek to Me. The food was excellent and a great deal of fun was had by all. On November 21, the group will dine at A Taste of India in the Safeway Plaza on Rancho Vistoso and First Ave. Meet at the clubhouse by 11:30 if you wish to carpool (we leave by 11:35) or come to the restaurant at 12:00 noon. Please sign up so we can make a reservation.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

On Friday, November 10, the men will be going to Golden Corral for breakfast (they do not serve breakfast on Wednesday). Meet at the Clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

#### LADIES LUNCH

On November 15, the Ladies' Lunch will be at Coco's on Oracle Road. Meet at the Clubhouse at 12:00 noon if you want to carpool.

### WINE CORK CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

On November 8, come to the Clubhouse and learn to make a cork horse decoration for Christmas (see picture below). Please bring five wine corks if possible. The class begins at 1:00 p.m. There will be a signup sheet for this class. Contact Cindy Bennett with questions.



#### **GOURD CLASS**

The Fall Gourd Class will begin on November 9 at 1:00 p.m. in the Multi-purpose room. The class is already full; but watch for another beginning in January. For further information, contact Ginny Tanner on 520-818-1226.

#### **ROCK ANGEL**

Have you noticed the painted rocks tucked into our landscape? Thank you to the artist/angel who has been enhancing our environment. If you haven't yet noticed the beautiful rocks, be sure to look for them around the Clubhouse, Pool and Office.

#### **CHRISTMAS PARADE**

We are looking for volunteers to walk at the beginning of the Christmas Parade. Interested parties should contact Bill Behrendsen at 916-798-7733 or behrbill@outlook.com

### RESIDENT PHONE NUMBERS

Please note the following new or changed phone numbers:

Giles Jackson, 232 Weisshorn, 802-777-8441 Carole Marlow, 253 Adirondack 520-975-0947 Sharon Dennis, 1 Matterhorn 360-708-7247

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## NOVEMBER 2017

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29	30 31		Aquafit 11:00 am Pinochle 6:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	2 Aquafit 11:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	4
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19	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	21 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	Aquafit 11:00 am Ladies' Lunch 12 Noon Pinochle 6:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Thanksgiving  No Trash Today *	Aqufit 11:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	25 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
26	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Crafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	28 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Jam Session 6:00 pm	29 Aquafit 11:00 am Pinochle 6:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Exercise 8:00 am Aquafit 11:00 am Gourd Class 1:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	1	2
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#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

Tue, October 10
Potluck
5:30 pm

Wed, October 11 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Sat, October 14 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

Tue, October 17
International Lunch Group
12:00 noon

Sun, October 22 October Fest 5:30 pm

Wed, October 25 Ladies Lunch 12:00 noon

Sat, October 28 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

Tue, October 31 Jam session 6:00 pm

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!



#### **EXERCISE ANYONE?**

The exercise and balance fitness class led by Shelly Whitlatch, exercise physiologist, will be held in the clubhouse each Monday and Thursday morning beginning October 30 at 8:00 a.m. The fee remains the same as last year, \$30 a month for eight (8) classes or \$5 per class. The first class is free, so come check it out and enjoy exercise with friends.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Please consider running for the Board of Directors next February. We especially need someone with an appropriate background who is interested in the Treasurer position. Our Home Owners Association is run by volunteers, which helps keep our fees low. One alternative would be to hire a management company. Resumes for all Director positions must be received in the office by December 1, 2017.

### NO OPEN BOARD MEETING IN OCTOBER

There will not be an Open Board Meeting in October because we will not have enough Directors for a quorum.



#### **NEW CRAFT GROUP**

Let's add something new this season! We have had a long standing gathering of needle-work crafters who meet in the Clubhouse on Monday afternoons at 1:30. We would like to change that and invite ALL "crafters" to join in. Bring whatever project you are working on at the present time; share ideas, knowledge, expertise and have some fun doing it!

This will be an "Open Studio", NO instructor, sign-up or leader. We hope to see some of our new residents along with our long-timers. Stop in and check it out...maybe even learn a new craft. Questions should be directed to Sharon Dennis at 360-708-7247.

#### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

On October 17, the International Lunch Group will be savoring food at It's Greek to Me, 15920 Oracle Road. Meet at the clubhouse at 11:30 if you wish to carpool, or come to the restaurant at 12:00 noon. Please sign up so we can make a reservation.



#### **OCTOBER FEST**

Bring your favorite German beer or wine to the October Fest on Sunday, October 22. Plan to arrive at 5:30 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:00 and will include brats, German potato salad and sauerkraut. Dancing will be from 6:30 to 8:30 with music by The Bouncing Czechs. Tickets are \$12 per person. Sign up at the clubhouse and Cindy Bennett will be around to collect your money. All money must be received by Wednesday, October 18.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men are going to First Watch for breakfast this month. Meet at the Clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

#### **LADIES LUNCH**

On October 25, the Ladies Lunch will be at Outback Restaurant at the Foothills Mall. Meet at the Clubhouse at 12:00 noon.

### SAVE THOSE WINE CORKS

Sometime in November, there will be a class on how to make Christmas decorations out of wine corks. You can drop the corks off in the clubhouse near the sign-up sheets or contact Cindy Bennett.

#### AVON REPRESENTATIVE

Georgia Wallace has retired as The Highlands' Avon Rep. Avon books will be in the clubhouse with all the information needed to make a purchase.

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### WELCOME NEW RESIDENT!

Rick Anderson, North Pyrenees From Grand Junction, Colorado

#### PHONE LISTINGS

Please note that these people are not listed in the current directory:
Carol Hastings
10725 N. Kilimanjaro
520-989-9139
Richard Stein
10725 N. Kilimanjaro
520-989-9139
Donna Reynolds
324 W. Matterhorn
520-789-7208

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#### SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Wed, September 6 International Lunch Group 11:30 am

Sat, September 9 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

Tue, September 12
Potluck
5:30 pm

Wed, September 13 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Fri, September 15 Social Comm Meeting 9:00 am

Sat, September 23 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am

Tue, September 26 Jam Session 6:00 pm

Wed, September 27 Ladies' Lunch 12:00 noon

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

Fourteen people attended the first International lunch, which was held at Cuban Blaze Restaurant. Delicious foods such as Cuban sandwiches, ropa vieja stew, tostones, rice and beans were savored and shared. The conversation was lively and enjoyable.

On September 6, the group will venture to Thuan Kieu, a Vietnamese restaurant at 1990 West Orange Grove Road. A sign-up sheet will be available. We will meet at the Clubhouse at 11:30 a.m.



## WATCH OUT FOR SNAKES

Several snakes have been seen in the Highlands this month. Please use caution when walking, especially in the evening. It helps to carry a big stick (although I'm not sure it would help me, but it might scare the snake)!

#### JAM SESSIONS ARE BACK

Starting September 26, the Jam Sessions will be held the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Clubhouse. Everyone is invited...come and join the music or enjoy listening.



#### FIRE/SMOKE ALARMS

As many of you know, there was a house fire on Matterhorn during August. Please be sure your smoke alarms are up to date and working. Also have any electrical issues checked by a qualified electrician.

For a limited time, Golder Ranch Fire is providing free tenyear smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors to area residents. Contact Inspector Brenda Staggs at 520-818-1017. She will come to your home and install the alarms.



Marilyn Staley reported that Get Well Cards were sent to: Eila Waterland Aileen Tomlinson Dave Calkins

#### **LADIES LUNCH**

This month, the Ladies Lunch will be at El Molinito on Oracle Road. Meet at the Clubhouse if you want to carpool or contact DeDe Venott at 520-235-9777 if you are going directly to the restaurant.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The men are returning to Sunny Side Up in Catalina for breakfast this month. Meet at the Clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. if you would like to carpool.

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Aileen Tomlinson – August 16 Bill Page (former resident) – August 17

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### PUMPKIN CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES

Although the original version of these cookies calls for all-purpose flour, pumpkin pairs nicely with whole wheat — so why not go for a dessert with whole-grain goodness? Check out the original recipe at <a href="https://www.kingarthurflour.com/recipes">www.kingarthurflour.com/recipes</a>.

2 ¼ cups King Arthur White Whole Wheat Flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
½ teaspoon baking soda
½ teaspoon salt
1 ½ teaspoons Vietnamese Cinnamon

½ teaspoon ground ginger
1 cup unsalted butter, softened
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup granulated sugar
15 ounce can pumpkin
2 large eggs
1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
Grated zest of 1 orange, optional
2 cups semisweet choc chips
1 cup chopped walnuts

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Lightly grease two baking sheets or line with parchment.

Wisk together flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt and spices. In a separate bowl, beat together butter and sugars. Scrape sides and bottom of bowl, then beat in pumpkin, eggs, vanilla and orange zest. Scrape bowl again, then add the dry ingredients beating until thoroughly combined. Stir in chocolate chips and nuts.

Using a tablespoon cookie scoop, drop the dough onto the prepared baking sheets. Bake on the middle oven rack for 15 to 18 minutes, until the edges are lightly browned. Remove cookies from oven and cool on the pans for five (5) minutes before transferring to racks to cool completely.

Yield: 5 dozen

Recipe courtesy of Jean Jackson.

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17 Constitution Day	Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	19 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm	20 Aquafit 9:00 am Pinochle 6:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	21 Rosh Hashanah Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	22 Autumnal equinox Aqufit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	23 Kaffeeklatsch 9:00 am
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#### **AUGUST EVENTS**

Tue, Aug 8
International Lunch
Group
12:00 noon

Potluck 5:30 pm

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Wed, Aug 23 Ladies Lunch 12:00 noon

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DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!



# NEW! INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

The International Lunch Group will meet on the second Tuesday of each month at noon. There will be a sign-up sheet for head count. The restaurant of the month will be listed on the sign-up sheet. Meet at the Clubhouse if you want to carpool, or meet at the restaurant. Call David Cruz at 347-406-2825 with questions.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

The ladies' luncheon will be held on Wednesday, August 23, at Macaroni Grill on Ina Road. Please sign up so we can make a reservation. Meet at the clubhouse by 12:00 noon if you want to carpool.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be held on Friday, August 11. This is a change from the second Wednesday. It will be held at the Golden Coral on Thornydale at 8:00 a.m. Meet at the Clubhouse by 7:45 if you would like to carpool. Remember to sign up and come for the fun. Please bring a friend (or a stranger).



#### **MEL BROOKS MONTH**

August is Mel Brooks Month at the Highlands' Clubhouse. One of Mel's movies will be shown every Sunday night at 6:30 p.m. Movie titles will be posted on the marquee. Bring your own snacks and beverages...have fun!

## ATTENTION POOL USERS

We are very lucky to have Donato and Ray clean and vacuum our pool. This is done every Sunday and Wednesday at 9:00 a.m. PLEASE DO NOT ENTER the pool BEFORE 9:00 a.m. on those two days. It stirs the debris and extends the cleaning time which is normally 2 or 2-1/2 hours.

Thank you for being considerate!



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#### THANK YOU

Evelyn Hanson wishes to thank all of you who wished her a "Happy 96<sup>th</sup> Birthday"

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6 Mel Brooks' Movie 6:30 pm	7 Aquafit 9:00 am Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Needlecrafts 1:30 pm Ping Pong 7:00 pm	8 Coffee 8:00 am Aquafit 9:00 am Internat'l Lunch 12 N Hand & Foot 1:00 pm Potluck 5:30 pm	9 Aquafit 9:00 am Pinochle 6:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aquafit 9:00 am Cards/Games 6:00 pm	Aqufit 9:00 am Tai Chi Adv 11:00 am Men's Breakfst 8:00 am Social Hour 4:00 pm Cards/Games 6:00 pm	12 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am
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#### JUNE EVENTS

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Dinner and Fireworks
7:00 pm

Sat, July 8 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am

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Wed, July 12 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

Sat, July 22 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am

Wed, July 26 Ladies Lunch 12:00 noon

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### INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION!

Come to the Clubhouse on July 4<sup>th</sup> to celebrate Independence Day. Dinner will start at 7:00 p.m. with chicken, salads and dessert. Table service will be provided. Cost is \$5 per person. Fireworks will start about 7:45 p.m. Be sure to sign up by July 1 deadline!



Please note that "Regular Tuesday Coffee" will be held on MONDAY, July 3, at 8 a.m. to allow volunteers to set up for the Independence Day celebration on July 4.

Kaffee Klatsch is held the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at 9 a.m. Coffee is \$.50 and each donut is an additional \$.50.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

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#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

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#### INTERNATIONAL LUNCH GROUP

David Cruz is looking to form an International Lunch Group to savor foods from different parts of the earth. One day a month you can transport your palate to another area via cuisine. Imagine: Brazil, Argentina, Vietnam, Thailand, Peru, Salvador, Cuba, Mexico, Puerto Rico and others.
Hmmm...Ideas? Contact David Cruz by e-mail at tainoz@yahoo.com or phone (347) 406-2825.



Marilyn Staley reported that she received a phone call from Helen Sawyer, who lived in The Highlands for eight (8) years before moving to The Fountains. Helen would love to hear from former neighbors and friends. Her address is:

2001 West Rudasill Road Apartment 6304 Tucson, AZ 85704 Her phone number is: (520) 818-3667

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#### JUNE EVENTS

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Wed, June 28 Ladies Lunch 12:00 noon

## DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP!

### WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS

- \* John Osier (Matterhorn) from Fort Wayne, Indiana
- \* Giles Jackson (Weisshorn) from Midland, Texas
- \* Lee & Judy Olson (Stromboli)
- \* Larry & Joan Clow (Matterhorn) from Denver, Colorado and Minnesota
- \* Toni Monson (Pyrenees) from Duluth, Minnesota
- \* Judy Spanger (Pyrenees) from Parker, Colorado
- \* William & Nancy Allen (Matterhorn) from Maple City, Minnesota
- \* Frances Hastings and Richard Stein (Kilimanjaro) from Midland, Texas

Welcome to the Highlands. Please join us for some of the events...We would love to meet you!

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### REMINDER FROM THE TREASURER

According to the CC&Rs, Article 12.b, monthly HOA maintenance fees are due and payable by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month (see below). If the fees are not paid, 10% interest (\$5.80) is added until the amount is paid. Please be sure to pay all fees on time; this includes quarterly, semi-annual and annual payments.

### Article 12. COMMUNITY AREAS & FEES

b. Each monthly maintenance fee shall constitute a lien on the home site and shall be due and payable with fifteen (15) days after the first of each month. Notice of delinquent fee payment shall be mailed or delivered to such home site owner. Interest shall accrue at ten percent (10%) per annum of the delinquent amount until paid.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

The ladies' luncheon will be held on Wednesday, June 28 at Olive Garden, Oro Valley. Please sign up so we can make a reservation. Meet at the clubhouse by 12:00 noon if you want to carpool.

#### **MEN'S BREAKFAST**

The Men's Breakfast will be on June 14 at Sunny Side Café in Catalina. Meet at the Clubhouse by 8:00 a.m. if you wish to carpool.



Marilyn Staley reported that cards were sent to the following people:

Bob Staska – Thinking of You Kathy Zeleznik – Get Well Joe Zeleznik – Sympathy, loss of mother

## A SUCCESSFUL MAY POTLUCK

Last month, we announced that there were no planned Potluck Dinners for the summer months. Thanks to the residents who volunteered to host the May potluck. With only five days' notice, 36 people showed up and brought some great food!



### SUMMER VOLUNTEERS STILL NEEDED!

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### NOTES FROM COMPLIANCE

The monsoons are on the way and more weeds will be popping up.

Carports are for cars, trucks, golf carts and bicycles ONLY. All other items should be placed in your storage shed.

Additional information and rules on these items can be found in the CC&Rs under the Property Maintenance and Vehicles sections.

The Compliance Committee will do weed, yard and carport inspections during the second week of June.

The Board has received several calls and letters regarding noise, illegal parking and speeding in the community. Oro Valley Police have worked with us and residents are to call them with details such as addresses, descriptions of cars, etc.

PLEASE DO YOUR PART TO KEEP OUR COMMUNITY SAFE!

#### PLEASE NOTE

Helen Sawyer has requested we let everyone know she is at The Fountains of LaCholla.



#### 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY DINNER & FIREWORKS

Dinner will begin at 7:00 p.m. with chicken, salads and dessert. The cost will be \$5 per person. More details in the July Fling. Sign-up deadline is July 1.

### PLANNING A PRIVATE PARTY OR EVENT?

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Please note the deadline for next month's Fling is the 20<sup>th</sup>. Articles and information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Thank you.

### The Highlands, Inc.

#### **Spring 2017 Community Improvement Carousel Results**

The information in the charts below were recorded directly from the posters that were put up in the Highlands Club House in February 2017

Items in the charts below were written down directly from the posters and the total points listed on the posters were added together to come up with values for each item in the charts below

The Community Improvement Carousel results will be used by the Board of Directors and the Community for future planning.

If you have questions about the results, please contact Ray Scantlan The Highlands, Inc HOA Treasurer

Ray.scantlan@gmail.com 520-301-4652

#### Admin Building Office, Multi-purpose Room, Resource Room

Item	Value	Cost	complete
Management Company to keep rules	1		
Don't need Management Company	35		
Expand entrance between Resource	26.5		
Room & Multi Purpose Room with			
Accordion doors for social gathering			
Install motion sensor lights in	15		
resource room			
Replace carpet with vinyl tile (smells)	24		
Lock resource room overnight	5		
Create and maintain a reserve study			
and plan to more objectively consider			
the affordability of new projects			

#### Comments

Item	Value
Management company will double HOA Fees	
Hire Lewis Management to Run The Highlands	
Make letters to the board more accessible to residents	
Keep and publish census count in fling for the number of snowbirds	

### **Clubhouse**

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
Maintain as is	20		
Solid wood floor in ballroom	21		
No wood floors	27		
No A/C	32		
TV used for sports	38		
Install door openers for ADA	5		
Replace old heavy uncomfortable	39		
chairs with folding chairs			
Wi-fi in clubhouse	54		
Solar panels for electric	40		
Control shower use	41		
Remove showers from bathroom	18		
Cable TV	6		
Add A/C	113		
Spruce up kitchen, paint cabinets &	5		
tile floors			

#### Comments

Item	Value
Do not raise HOA fees for any new stuff	95
Culture here sucks part-timers vs. full timers	
Do not have hardwood floors, to expensive	
This park is unique, people move here for the uniqueness, repair & keep up do not	
change	
Solid chairs are safer then folding chair, folding chairs are hard on the butt	

### Committees

Suggested committees	Volunteers
Social Committee-volunteers	Judi Olson & Terry Wojdla
Club house Committee	Dan Wojdla
Pool area Committee	Laura Valade
Sustainability Committee	Vonnie Lincoln
Financial Audit Committee	

### **Communications Between Residents**

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
The Highlands Facebook group	47		
Online discussion forum for residents	5		

### No Particular Subject

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
Put a Defibulator-AED in club house	53		
Computer classes-volunteer teachers	35		
Locked secure mailboxes, remove old	5		
rural boxes			
Allow dogs, people need dogs	25		
No dogs	40		
Enforce leash laws	45		

#### Comments

Item	Value
NO Dogs, not what I signed up for, don't want dogs period	
Only certified service dogs allowed	10
The Highlands as a pet friendly community	
I have seen a lot of Poop and a lot of dogs. Especially off leash show some	
consideration	
No walking dogs on street	
The reason HOA fees are low is because of the Volunteer activities, we should	
have a yearly appreciation dinner for Volunteers at HOA Expense	

### Outdoor Game Area

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
Pickle ball court	56		
Weight room in part of clothes line	62		
area			
Keep clothes lines	42		
Pickle ball is a fad, leave as is	50		

#### Comments

Item	Value
Residents can play outside of The Highlands	
Very minimum number of active residents in The Highlands	
If pickle Ball and the clothes lines can co-exists-sounds great. A more active sport	11
for more active/able residents	

### Pool Area

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
ADA dressing Room& Shower	55		
ADA Chair Lift	31		
Covert Pool to Salt Water	129		
Re-do Pool deck	29		
Need showers for pool			

#### Comments

Item	Value
Keep Pool temps lower when air is warm	40
No Smoking in pool area, smoke is toxic and does not stay in its designated area	35
Do Not close pool in summer	

### RV Area

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
Add wood shop	50.5		
No Wood shop	58		
Repair, replace culverts to meet 100 year flood plan, 700 CFS current only	25.5		
meeting 100 CFS			
One vehicle per space or pay more	8		

Comments

Item	
Wood shop insurance??	

### Streets & Signs

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
Need I ADA sign and designated	24		
space for van access			
2 signs and 2 designated spaces for	25		
ADA			
Speed Bumps	12		
Need new street signs, some pealing	14		
Traffic circle around club house	6		
should be one way			
Slow down	22		
No Speed bumps	19		
Double yellow line south of	11		
clubhouse to long			
Stop running stop signs	19		

### **Trips & Events**

Item	Value	Cost	Complete
Bisbee Mine tour, mine museum,	44		
shopping			
Patagonia & Southwest AZ Wine tour	46		
Kartchner Cavern Continued	9		
Tombstone	17		
Sky watch on Mt. Lemon	22		
Group dinner out early	17		
Super bowl party using cable TV	37		
Monday night football cable TV	38		
No Cable TV	41		
Diamond Casino	8		
Barrett Jackson Car auction,	10		
Scottsdale in Jan			

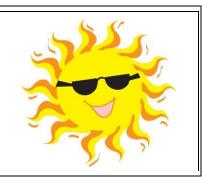
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**HERB'S BIRTHDAY** 

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#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

Your pool key can be used to open the cabinet containing the equipment for Shuffle Board. Mini Golf. etc.

#### SIGN-UPS??

Are you the person who has been writing all over our sign-up sheets? Do you cross off the names of people who are attending a function? Please stop this childish behavior: save us the trouble of installing a nanny-cam and save yourself the embarrassment of getting caught.

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## ON-LINE FORUM (Correction)

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Marilyn Staley reported that a get well card was sent to Addie Everett.

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## NEW PHOTOS ON THE HIGHLANDS' WEBSITE

The Highlands' website has been updated to include two new panoramic photos of our Catalina views. The opening page shows a daytime view and there is a sunset view on the "Contact Us" page. Check them out at thehighlandsmhp.com

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#### **APRIL EVENTS**

Tue, April 3
Dolly Steamboat Trip

Sat, April 8 Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am

**Tue, April 11**Potluck Dinner 5:30 pm

Wed, April 12 Men's Breakfast 8:00 am

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Fri, April 21
Social Committee Meeting
9:00 am

Sun, April 23 Sunday Supper 5:00 pm

Wed, April 26 Ladies' Lunch 12:00 Noon



## ATTENTION GRANDPARENTS

Recently children have been seen driving golf carts without adult supervision. This presents a very dangerous situation not only for the children, but also for our residents. The owner of each golf cart is responsible for any injury caused regardless of who is driving. How will you feel if your grandchild or other relative has been hurt or you are being sued by an injured resident? Please be sure there is an adult supervising the driving of golf carts!



## NOTES FROM THE OPEN BOARD MEETING

\*The next Open Board Meeting will be in October; no meeting in April.

- \*Welcome new Board Members, Ray Scantlan, Bernie Lee and Carole Alberda.
- \*Ray Scantlan is the "go to"
  Director for any concerns or
  problems with office activities.
- \*Tile flooring will be installed in the Resource Room.
- \*Air conditioning for the clubhouse and the handicap bathroom remain tabled pending more feedback from residents.
- \*A liability clause will be added to the Guest RV registration form.
- \*A second printer will be purchased for the office.
- \*Twelve new chairs will be purchased for the clubhouse and two loungers for the pool area.

## NOTES FROM THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Upcoming and past events were discussed. We also talked about whether or not we should continue to meet. A meeting is scheduled for April.

#### OFFICE STAFF CHANGE

Ruthie has decided to leave The Highlands. Joanne Mauger will be the new person in the office.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

We still need volunteers to chair the Sunday Supper on April 23. Call Jane Force at 297-9068 if you are willing to help.



#### SUNDAY SUPPER BRING YOUR OWN MEAT TO GRILL

A Sunday Supper will be held on April 23 at 5:00 p.m. The cost is \$5.00 per person. Baked Beans, salad and dessert will be provided. Table service will also be provided. Bring your beverage of choice. Sign up by Wednesday, April 19.

## REVISED CC&Rs ARE AVAILABLE

The revisions to the CC&Rs, By-Laws and Articles of Incorporation which were approved by majority vote in February have been completed. The revised documents are available on the website. Members can pick up at the office during regular hours. Any member who would like a copy mailed to them should call the office to schedule.

#### **THANK YOU!**

To all the wonderful and generous bakers of the Highlands...I would like to personally thank each of you who contributed baked goods to the recent White Elephant Bake Sale. We had an amazing array of goodies! I had a great time as chairperson of the bake sale and couldn't have done it without your generous contributions. A HUGE thank you to my wonderful helpers – Cindy, Helen, Lorraine.

With Many Thanks, Barb Stevens

#### **INTERESTING INFO**

During one 84 day period from November 2016 to February 2017, The Highlands' website was visited (viewed) more than 14 times a day! This trivia was provided by Bob Beck. Thanks Bob.

#### **SALUTE TO VETERANS**

At the Potluck Dinner on March 14, The Highlands' Quilters presented a handmade lap quilt to each Veteran in attendance. In fact, four Vets who attended but had not registered were also given quilts. Quilts were delivered to those unable to attend. Here's the breakdown:

US Army 17 US Navy 9

US Marines 2

US Airforce 1

Merchant Marines 1

National Guard 1

Kay DeLong wrote a beautiful poem for the event (see last page of this newsletter).

## ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT SPEED BUMPS!

Everyone seems to be in a hurry and lately the problem has gotten worse. The Speed Limit on all Highlands' streets is 15 miles per hour. Yes, that seems slow, but there are bikers (and trikers), walkers, wheelchairs and even children on our streets. If you are one of the speeders, please slow down. If you're an observer, please call the Oro Valley Police Hotline (520-229-4933) and report the incident. The more calls the police receive from a given location, the more they patrol.

## HOME BOYS' BREAKFAST

On April 12, The Home Boys will again have breakfast at Sunny Side Up in Catalina. Meet at the Clubhouse at 8:00 a.m. to car pool. Don't forget to sign up and try to bring a friend. The more, the merrier!

#### LADIES LUNCHEON

This month, the Ladies of The Highlands will be going to Café Torino at LaCanada and Lambert. Reserve the date – April 26 and don't forget to sign up!

#### **POOL HOURS**

It is getting warmer and we no longer need to cover the pool. It will be open 24/7.

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Marilyn Staley reported that cards have been sent to the following people:

Duane Olson – Surgery

Charlotte Marshall – Loss of Her Brother

Carol Edwards – Loss of her Mother, Alice Cordell

Rick Peterson – Thinking of You

Jean Jackson – Thank You For 8+ years as Fling

Editor

#### **SPECIAL THANKS**

Let's give special thanks to those who serve on the Board of Directors, the Social Committee and volunteer in this community throughout the year. It takes commitment, planning and a lot of work to coordinate workshops, classes, parties and other activities for us to enjoy. You are greatly appreciated!



#### **JEAN JACKSON**

You are greatly appreciated by The Highlands community for serving as Editor of The Fling for the last eight years. You did a great job and we thank you!

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Vehicles in the RV Storage lot must have current plates and registration by May 1, 2017, per the revised CC&Rs.

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Bob Beck has created, and will moderate, an on-line forum for Highlands' residents. This forum is not an official activity of or approved by The Highlands. It is a place where items of mutual interest can be announced and discussed; where we can share items for sale, service provider recommendations, safety concerns, etc. If you would like to be a member of this forum, send an e-mail request to: highlands-residents-forumsubscribe@ googlegroups.com with the subject "subscribe" and your Highlands' address in the body of the text. Please note that your e-mail address will never be used or shared.

#### **SPRING CLEANING**

On Monday, March 20, twenty Highlands' volunteers gathered in the Clubhouse for Spring Cleaning. Every plant leaf and each vertical blind was cleaned by hand. All the chairs were steam cleaned and the tables were repaired and cleaned. This event was sponsored by the Social Committee. Many thanks to all who participated.

## PLANNING A PRIVATE PARTY OR EVENT?

Private Parties for 25-100 people are usually held in the Clubhouse and should be booked through Brenda Henderson @ 297-8569. The fee is \$25 plus a \$100 refundable deposit. For a meeting, class or small party (2-20 people) the Multi-Purpose Room is more suitable. To Reserve the Multi-Purpose Room, please contact Jane Force @ 297-9068. Please call two weeks in advance for reservations.

Please note the deadline for next month's Fling is the 20<sup>th</sup>. Articles and information should be sent to Carol Nadeau at <a href="mailto:cboydna@aol.com">cboydna@aol.com</a>. Thank you.

#### THE 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ART SHOW ON MARCH 23 WAS A HUGE SUCCESS.





## THIS POEM WAS PRESENTED TO EACH VETERAN WHEN THEY RECEIVED THEIR QUILT By Kay Delong

#### **Thank You for Your Service!**

The <u>Highland Quilters</u> set plans for a patriotic mission, To honor Highland Veterans was our focus and ambition,

Let's give a gift that brings warmth and feels like a hug, So into our supply of material, we eagerly dug,

In February, the quilters got busy with lots of sewing, Our veteran project got going;....and kept GROWING!

The list of names on the clipboard grew longer each day, Of men and women who served in their special way,

With many branches of the military represented there, It was fun discovering who served.....and where,

These veterans live here as neighbors and friends, Getting to know them better is the message it sends.

Each beautiful quilt was made as a THANKS to you! For your military time serving the red, white and blue!

Cheers to you; as you receive your quilt today! God bless those who serve;.....God bless the USA!

## THE HIGHLANDS FLING

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#### **MARCH EVENTS**

Sun., March 5

Karaoke & Dinner 5:00 pm

Wed., March 8

Home Boys Breakfast

8:00 am

Sat., March 11

Kaffee Klatsch

9:00 am

Sun., March 12

Classic Movie

6:30 pm

Tues., March 14

Potluck Dinner 5:30 pm

Wed., March 15

Open Board Meeting

10:00 am

#### **AND**

Ladies' Lunch

12:00 noon

Fri., March 17

Social Committee 9:00 am

Sunday, March 19

Flavors of Hawaii

5:30 pm

Wed., March 22

Ladies Theme Party

1:30 pm

Thurs., March 23

5th Annual Art Exhibition

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Sat., March 25

Kaffee Klatsch

9:00 am

Sun., March 26

Ice Cream Social 2:00 pm

Tues., March 28

Jam Session 6:00 pm



## NOTES FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Items from the February 3rd Annual Board Meeting:

**New Business:** 

- Ladders were removed from the pool to make covering easier.
- The reimbursement for yard/ street lights will remain at \$6.00/year.
- Ruthie Cole has been hired in the Office Support Position. Office hours will remain 10:00 am to 1:00 pm Tuesday thru Thursday. The first hour of each day is closed to business to allow Ruthie to conduct bookkeeping activities uninterrupted.

**Unfinished Business:** 

 See meeting minutes for Annual Reports.

Results of the Annual Election are:

- All of the voted on sections of The Highland's Subdivisions of the CC&R's passed.
- New Board Directors voted in are Ray Scantlan, Bernie Lee, and Brenda Henderson.
- Carole Alberda was appointed to the open position.

- Thanks to the outgoing Directors Dick Muzzy, John Pearson, and Jerry Ferrill.
- The Current Board is:
  Pat Yurczyk, President
  Laurie Hartman, Vice Pres.
  Ray Scantlan, Treasurer
  Brenda Henderson, Secretary
  Bernie Lee, Maintenance
  Bill Bohrer, Lead Compliance
  Rich Staska, Compliance
  Carole Alberda, Compliance
  Judy Pope, Contracts
- A No Cash policy has been initiated for all payments in the office except for copies and faxes.

## NOTES FROM THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE

A representative group from the Social Committee met with the THI Board to clarify the responsibilities of the THI board and the Social Committee. Jamie Horst will continue keeping the Social Committee books as he is doing currently. The Social Committee is now responsible for the Fling and the Calendar. Upcoming and past events were discussed.

## SUNDAY DINNER AND KARAOKE

Come up to the clubhouse Sunday, March 5th at 5:00 pm to be fed and entertained.

We'll be serving Bianchi's baked lasagna, salad, garlic bread, coffee, and dessert. If coffee's not for you, just bring your own beverage. Then stick around to be part of the entertainment or just to listen to your neighbors as they sing some popular songs of our bygone days, classic Country tunes, and rock 'n' roll oldies.. We'll also have some old standards where everyone can sing along. Only \$7.00 per person, and we'll even provide your table service. Please sign up in the poolroom. We need a head count to order the food. See v'all there.



#### **MARCH POTLUCK**

At potluck on March 14th, The Highland Quilters will honor our park Veterans by drawing names for the Lap Quilts the group has made. The quilts will be on display from 5:00 to 5:30 pm. They will be presented immediately after dinner. You must be present to receive a quilt if your name is drawn.

The Highland's residents who have volunteered to serve the potluck are: Tere Nunez, Sandy Mrotek, Ken

Swearingen, Bob Beck, and Lynn Fuller.

#### **HOME BOYS' BREAKFAST**

The Home Boys will return again to one of their favorite places, Sunnyside Up in Catalina on Wed., March 8th. Sign up at the clubhouse. Meet by 8:00 am to go together.

#### **LADIES' LUNCH**

The ladies will go to Guiseppes located at 6060 N Oracle.

Please note the change in date. Because of the Ladies Theme Party on our usual date we will be having our lunch on the 3rd Wednesday, the 15th of March. Sign up at the clubhouse. Meet in the clubhouse at least 5 min. before noon to carpool. If you have signed up and know that you can't make it, please give DeDe Venott a call so we won't wait on you. (235-9777)



#### Sunday, March 19 Flavors of Hawaii

5:30 pm -Island Style BBQ \$8.00

See you there in your muumuu, flowered shirt or grass skirt. Ukulele entertainment. Table service provided. Sign up before Thursday, March 16.

## SPRING CLEANING IN THE CLUBHOUSE

Come and join in the fellowship and fun. Bernie Lee will provide the cleaner and the supplies to spruce up the clubhouse. Some of the table tops need to be tightened. The chairs need to be cleaned and the artificial plants need to have their frosting (dust) removed. March 20th at 9:30 is the time.

## WOMEN'S THEME PARTY "IF THE SHOE FITS"

Wednesday, March 22nd in the clubhouse at 1:30 pm. Cost is \$8.00

Put your best foot (shoe) forward and join Pam & Darlene for a fun afternoon of games, prizes, short program, dessert and coffee. Shoe'd you decide to come wear your favorite shoes. If you have any vintage shoes bring those along.

Sign up sheet will be in the clubhouse. Tickets from Darlene Sand, 456 W. Matterhorn St. 520-270-2688 or 612-251-7537.

#### CALLING ALL ARTISTS

The Art Committee is looking for new pieces of art for our annual Highlands Art Show. Visual artists of all types are urged to pick up an application form at the clubhouse and deliver to Sharon Dennis at #1 Matterhorn no later than March 13th. Older works are acceptable if they have not previously been shown at the

Highlands. For questions, please call Sharon at 360-708-7247.



#### FIFTH ANNUAL HIGHLANDS ART SHOW

Mark your calendars for our fifth annual Highlands Art Show on Thursday, March 23, from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm. This free event features the many artistic talents of our local residents. The art works are fresh and new every year. Come and see what your neighbors have been creating.

#### LOW CARB GROUP MEETINGS

A group has formed for support in starting and maintaining a low carb or ketogenic diet for decreased inflammation and pain, weight loss, blood sugar and blood pressure control and many other health benefits. We will meet at 9:30 on March 13 and 27 in the clubhouse. Come to learn or bring recipes and information to share. For information, contact Vonnie Lincoln at 541-990-0998.

#### **CLASSIC MOVIE NIGHT**

Sunday, night on March 12th bring your own snacks and drinks and come to watch a Classic Movie in the clubhouse at 6:30 pm.

#### **ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

Come for ice cream with lots of toppings at 2:00 pm on Sunday, March 26. Cost will be \$1.00 per scoop.

## CARES AND CONDOLENCES



Marilyn Staley reported: Get Well cards were sent to Jean Jackson and Mary Rausch.

Thinking of You to Joe Termes. In the Loss of Mother, Phoebe Hart and Coleen Nolan.

#### <u>FYI</u>

- 125 Highlands residents were served at a very successful pancake breakfast.
- Golf carts are NOT to be driven on the sidewalks by the clubhouse. Golf cart drivers should use the parking areas created for golf carts, one to the north of clubhouse and one to the east of the pool. Enter them by way of the access openings.

- Be a good neighbor. The Fling and often flyers for
- some upcoming events are placed in the tubes located with our mailboxes. If you know that your neighbor is out of town, please rescue the papers so that they don't attract attention or become litter in our community.
- The Highlands website internet address is shown on the Fling banner at the top of page one. There are web pages for Home, About us, Amenities, Activities, Documents and our Contact information (phone, fax, email and mailing address). Besides informing about the Highlands, the website provides downloadable copies of our CC&Rs, our Articles of Incorporation, our By-Laws, Minutes of all the Board Meetings, our monthly Fling and our monthly Calendar. Also, you can download and print 9 different Highlands forms. If a friend wants to know about your neighborhood, consider sharing this web address with them!
- Occasionally there have been phone numbers reported incorrectly in our directory. If you happen to be one of those residents please contact Carol Nadeau @742-2722 so that it can be published in the Fling.
- Dick and Nancy Muzzy corrected phone #573-239-6658.

(Repeated from last month.) Private **Parties** (clubhouse) and Events/ Meetings (Multi-Resource Room). Private parties (25-100 people) are booked with Brenda Henderson. @297-8569 for the clubhouse. The fee is \$25. and a \$100. refundable deposit. Call two weeks in advance. An event, classes, or small party (2 - 20) have the use of the Multi-Purpose Call Jane Force, Room. Social Director 297-9063. Again a two weeks advance notice. Parties and events are now being reserved for March and April.

#### **Thank You**

The 3rd Annual 50/60's Rock N Roll party was a sell-out event. 100 guests rocked the night away to the music of "DJ Extraordinaires." There were 4 cash prizes awarded to Sonny Waterland, Cheryl Stafford, Barb Mort, and Chervl The Grand cash Anderson. prize was \$50. won by Ernie, a quest of Herb and Lucy Phelan. I wish to thank all the fabulous volunteers that helped me pull off just more more Rock N Roll event. Brenda

#### NOTE FROM COMPLIANCE

We have had nice rains plus warmer weather, that equals weeds. Please control your weeds one way or another. Keepour Highlands community looking good.

#### DOLLY STEAMBOAT/ORGAN STOP PIZZA TRIP

Jamie reported that as of this writing he still has 3 tickets available for the trip due to cancellations. Please consider it. It is a great experience. For details call Jamie Horst at 309-230-0233

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Just a note to tell you all that Carol Nadeau will be editing the Fling. After more than 8 years I feel it's time to turn over the job to a very capable lady. Look for new things. My parting words are: if you have an article or information for the Fling remember the date we begin to work on the Fling is the 20th of the month. It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to get the information to Carol. It is not hers to call you! Jean Jackson

Please send any information to C a r o l @ 7 4 2 - 2 7 2 2 . cboydna@aol.com

HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY



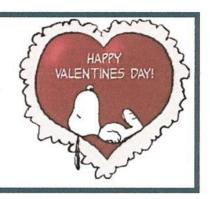
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#### **FEBRUARY EVENTS**

Fri., Feb. 3 **VOTE TODAY** 

Election 8:00 - 10:00 am Annual Board Meeting 10:00 am

Tues., Feb. 7 Day Trip to AZ Opry

9:30 am

Wed., Feb 8

Home Boys Breakfast 8:00 am

Sat., Feb. 11

Pancake Breakfast

7:00 - 9:30 am

Sun., Feb. 12

Celebration of Life

2:00 pm

Tues., Feb. 14

Potluck Dinner 5:30 pm

Wed., Feb. 15

Open Board Meeting 10:00 am

Fri., Feb. 17

Social Committee 9:00 am

Sat., Feb. 18

Community Wide Yard Sales 7:00 am - 1:00 pm

and

50's Rock n Roll 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Tues., Feb. 21

Movie night 6:30 pm

Wed., Feb. 22

Ladies Lunch - noon

Sat., Feb. 25

White Elephant Sale 8:00 am - 12:00 noon

Tues., Feb. 28 Jam Session 6:00 pm



#### **GET OUT AND VOTE**

Show your support for our Board of Directors by showing up on Friday, February 3rd and casting your ballot. need at least 33% of the eligible votes to be cast, or the election is invalid.

There are five (5) proposed changes to the existing 2004 CC&Rs to be voted on. Please review and Mark your choice FOR or AGAINST each proposed change.

You will vote for 3 of the 5 candidates for the BOD or you own write-ins..

In-park residents wanting to participate in the election must be current with payment of their HOA fees through January 2017, which must be received in the office by 1:00 pm on Tuesday, January 31.

#### HOME BOYS' BREAKFAST

The Home Boys will return again to one of their favorite places, Sunnyside Up in Catalina on Wed., Feb. 8th. Sign up at the clubhouse.

Meet by 8:00 am to go together.

#### **BUILD YOUR OWN BAKED** POTATO POTLUCK

This is one of the very well attended events here at the Highlands. Be sure and sign up early. The committee will provide and bake the potatoes. You will bring a salad or dessert and your favorite toppings, i.e., cheese, chili, onions, or one of your own The sour cream, creation. bacon bits and butter will be provided. Bring your own table service. Louise and Bill Bohrer will chair.



#### **FEBRUARY 11** PANCAKE BREAKFAST

7:00 - 9:30 am all you can eat \$5.00 Pancakes, Sausage O.J. & Coffee No ticket or reservation needed Bring your plate, silverware & cup

come all

## CELEBRATION OF LIVES LOST THIS PAST YEAR

Join us February 12th at 2 pm to remember the eleven residents who have passed away this past year. Light refreshments will be served.

#### INDIVIDUAL YARD SALES

Coming, Saturday, February 18 from 7:00 am to 1:00 pm are the INDIVIDUAL YARD SALES.

If you want your house noted on our community map., please call the THI office at 297-2722 or email to highlands332@gmail.com and give your address.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

The ladies have chosen Sunny Side Up for their lunch gathering on Wed., Feb. 15th. It is located in Catalina. Sign up at the clubhouse. Meet in the clubhouse at least 5 min. before noon to carpool. If you have signed up and know that you can't make it, please give DeDe Venott a call so we won't wait on you. (235-9777)



#### 50/60's Rock N Roll Party

The 3rd Annual 50/60's Rock N.Roll Party will be February

8th at 6:00 pm in the clubhouse.

Tickets will be \$15.00. Gus & Ms Gina will D.J. the event again this year. Dinner will be served by our car-hops and Soda Shack will do your root beer floats.

Come and enjoy our memories of days gone by.

See or call Brenda @ 297-8569 for a ticket. Tickets are limited and you must RSVP. No money will be taken at the door. The tickets will be available until Monday, 2-06-2017.

#### **MOVIE NIGHT**

A recently released film will be shown on our new big screen TV on Tuesday, Feb. 21st at 6:30 pm. Bring your own drink and munchies. See you there! It's FREE.



The WHITE ELEPHANT SALE will be held on Saturday, Feb., 25th in the clubhouse.

Check your closets, cupboards, and tool shed for items you no longer need. Please make sure the items are clean and suitable for sale. We want just about anything except clothing or shoes.

Examples:

Household: Furniture, rugs, curtains, decorative pillows.

Accessories: Belts, purses, jewelry (even broken jewelry sells well.)

Tools: Garden tools, workshop items - tools and supplies for home maintenance.

Kitchen items: Dishes, small appliances, cookware, flatware and utensils.

Linens: Towels, bedding, tablecloths and napkins.

Plants: Real or artificial, vases and pots.

Books, movies, CD's, electronics, puzzles and toys for the grandkids.

Lawn and patio furniture.

Decorative items: Paintings, wall hangings, display shelves. Craft supplies: Yarn, fabric, sewing and quilting supplies, etc.

Drop off date for all SMALL items is February 24th between 8:00 am and noon. If you need help with LARGE items call Steve Horst @ 309-781-5154 or Jamie Horst @309-230-0233 and they will arrange for pick-up. Kindly give them several days notice if possible.

If you wish to volunteer or help at the event please call Steve or Jamie at the above numbers.

The Country Kitchen will be selling homemade cookies and coffee for you to enjoy while shopping. Proceeds of the sale go to support the activities of the Social Committee such as coffee, clubhouse decorations, entertainment, etc.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

The tables will be set up on Friday for the sale and the hall will be locked at 7:00pm until the sale begins at 8:00 am on Saturday morning. Please do not request to be admitted earlier unless you are a worker!

#### **BAKE THOSE GOODIES**

We're having a bake sale again this year in conjunction with the White Elephant Sale. It will be located in the pool room. Our sale last year was a smashing success and we'd like to top that this year. We need all you bakers to hep us Popular items include: out. cookies, pies, breads, muffins, cupcakes, coffee cakes, candy and snack mix. Please label vour item so we know what it is and indicate if it contains nuts. Also, put your name on your container if it needs to be returned. Bring items to the clubhouse at 7:00 am the morning of the sale. If you have any questions, please call Barbara Stevens @544-7378.

#### ART LESSONS

Char Saxe will again be offering a class in oils, acrylics and water colors. The classes are held every Tuesday, from 10 am until noon in the clubhouse. These classes will go through February. Please sign up in the clubhouse. If you have any questions call Char at 608-484-0229

## ALL ARTISTS AND CRAFTSMEN

Reminder! March will be here before you know it!! So all of you artists and craftsmen need to be working on your NEW projects to be shown in our 5th annual Art Exhibit!! Hope we have lots of new submissions this year, exhibit will be held March 23rd! You still have time to complete that project!!!



#### ATTENTION HIGHLAND VETERANS!

In February the Highland Quilters will begin working on a sewing project to create unique THANK YOU Quilts for our Highland Veterans. Winter snowbirds or full time residents, if you served in the military and reside in the Highlands, you qualify! There is a clipboard in the clubhouse labeled Military Veterans of the Highlands; sign up to be part of a drawing for a throw-sized quilt. We will post the names of the recipient of the THANK YOU Quilt in the March Fling. It is our way of acknowledging and honoring the Highland veterans who have served our Also, interested to country.

see which branch of the military will be most represented on the list.

#### CARE AND CONCERNS

One card was sent to Ken Swearingen in the death of his brother.

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Bus trip to Kartchner Caverns & Visit to Tombstone...
MARCH 6th; \$72.00 per person which includes: Bus fare; tips; box lunch; 1 1/4 hour walk through either the BIG room or the Rotunda @ Kartchner Cavern (caverns NOT caves); 2:00 pm gunfight @ the O.K. Corral in Tombstone; special presentation in the Tombstone Historama; and AWESOME prizes while on the bus.

Bus trip to Dolly Steamboat & Organ Stop Pizza ... April 3rd; \$67.00 per person which includes: Bus fare; tips; wonderful prizes & games while on the bus; a "hard to imagine you're still in Arizona" steamboat ride in the canvons above Apache Junction; visual sightings of wildlife; and an AWESOME lunch at the Organ Stop Pizza which will, without a doubt, leave you breathless in how ONE MAN can control 100 + instruments from his organ console!!

Although the Gaslight Theater and Barleens AZ Opry sold out very quickly, the above mentioned two trips still have openings that I can guarantee you will thoroughly enjoy and remember!! Please make sure you signup on the sheets in the clubhouse. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to call Jamie Horst @ 309-230-0233.

## MORE ON UPCOMING EVENTS FOR MARCH

March 5th - Karaoke and Sing-a-long dinner March 6th - Trip to Kartchner Caverns and Tombstone March 12th - Sadie Hawkins Dance.

March 19th - Sunday
Hawaiian Supper.
March 22nd - Ladies Theme
Party 1:30 pm
March 23rd - 5th Annual Art

Exhibit

# PRIVATE PARTIES (CLUBHOUSE) AND EVENTS/MEETINGS (MULTIPURPOSE RESOURCE ROOM)

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An event, classes, or small party (2 - 20) have the use of the Multi-Purpose Room. Call Jane Force, Social Director, 297-9063. Again a two weeks advance notice is required, Parties and Events are now being reserved for Feb., March & April.

#### **DISPOSE-A-MED**

If you have out-dated or unused medicines you may dispose of them on February 4th from 9 - 12:00 noon over near the Target store.

#### LOCK YOUR DOORS

There have been thefts from unlocked cars. Please take precaution to lock cars and houses when you leave.



#### **THANK YOU TO RESIDENTS**

"The lighted wreath at the entrance on Lambert and the decorations in and around the clubhouse looked so very festive. A great job!

Thanks a million to all who were responsible for making the park take part in the spirit of Christmas"

"Thank you to all of the residents who brought much needed toys to give to 'Toys for Tots' and Gospel Rescue Million."

#### FYI

Mister Car Wash on Oracle near Magee gives a \$5.00 discount to seniors on all car washes on Wednesdays. REMEMBER THE SPEED LIMIT IN THE HIGHLANDS IS 15 MPH. ENFORCED BY THE ORO VALLEY PD,

#### **Shelf Life after Opening:**

Ketchup = 4 to 6 months in refrigerator.

Mustard = 6 to 8 months in refrigerator.

Mayo = 2 months only in refrigerator.

Jelly = 1 year in refrigerator.

Broth = only 2 days in refrigerator.

Peanut Butter = 2 to 3 months.

Brown Rice = 6 months in refrigerator.

Flour = 10 - 15 months in refrigerator.

Vegetable Oil = 3 months in

pantry, 6 months in refrigerator.

Olive Oil = 12 - 18 months

Vinegar = 6 months



If you're new in our community or just want to meet some other folks, VOLUNTEER to help out at an event. Our park is run by volunteers!

Just contact Lynn Fuller, 579-6399 or Jane Force, 297-9068.

Editor: Jean Jackson 3 4 5 - 6 8 6 3 or jeanjackson1937@gmail.com You are invited to a Memorial Service to help us celebrate the life of Alice Cornell, who passed away on Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, at The Villas at La Canada.



<u>Memorial Service</u> Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup> at 7PM

Casas Church in the Barrier Chapel 10801 N. La Cholla Blvd, Oro Valley

Cookie reception to follow

Need a ride? Contact Kathy Reagan at 661-4998

## FEBRUARY 2017

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#### **JANUARY EVENTS**

Mon., Jan. 2
Un-decorate the clubhouse 8:30 am
Tues., Jan. 10
Potluck Dinner 5:30 pm
Wed., Jan. 11

Home Boys Breakfast 8:00 am

and

Trip to the Gaslight Theater Sat., Jan.14

Kaffee Klatsch 9:00 am

Tues., Jan. 17
Highlands' Derby
6:00 pm
Wed.,Jan., 18
Open Board Meeting
10:00 am
Fri., Jan. 20
Social Committee
9:00 am

Sun., Jan. 22
Karaoke and Pizza
5:00 pm
Wed., Jan. 25
Ladies Lunch - noon
Sat., Jan., 28
Kaffee Klatsch
9:00 am

Mon., Jan. 30
Antiques Road Show noon
Tues., Jan. 31

Jam Session 6:00 pm

## CLUBHOUSE UNDECORATING

Come join the fun on Monday, Jan. 2nd at 8:30 am.to help un-decorate the clubhouse. It is lots of fun when we all join together. Sign up in the clubhouse.

On the same note **Thanks A Million** to all who were responsible for helping the park take part in the spirit of Christmas. The lighted wreath at the entrance on Lambert and the decorations in the clubhouse looked so very festive.

## JANUARY POTLUCK DINNER

Nancy and Dick Muzzy will host the January 10th potluck. It will be the traditional Soup and Salad dinner which is always a huge success. Bring your favorite recipe of soup, salad or dessert. Hot bread will be provided. The sign-up sheet is already in the clubhouse. Bring your table service and wear your name tag as we have several new residents.

#### **HOME BOYS' BREAKFAST**

The Home Boys will return to one of their favorite places, Sunnyside Up in Catalina on

Wed. Jan. 11th. Sign up at the clubhouse. Meet by 8:00 am to go together.

#### LADIES' LUNCH

The ladies have chosen U-Like Buffet for their lunch gathering on Wed., Jan. 25th. It is located on Oracle just north of River Road on the west side of the street. Sign up at the clubhouse. Meet in the clubhouse at least 5 min. before noon to carpool. If you have signed up and know that you can't make it, please give DeDe Venott a call so we won't wait on you. (235-9777)

## HIGHLANDS' DERBY January 17, 2017

It's the greatest horse race in 2017 and it's happening at the Highlands.

A field of six beautiful thoroughbred stick ponies will run for the roses. So you'll know who to wager on the following are the names of the thorough bred ponies:

Purple Bash -owners, Herb & Lucy Phelan.

Highland Hoofer - owners, Jerry & Sharon Dennis.

Hoof Hearted - owners, Richard & Carole Alberda.

Highland Laddie - owners, Harry & Dee Farris.

Lucky Foot - owner, Mina Natzmer.

Terminator - owners, Mont & Laurie Hartman.

Post time is 8:00 pm. This is going to be a great event, so get your tickets early. Each ticket holder will receive a catered dinner and a \$2.00 wager on the pony of your choice. All bets will pay 2 for 1, so if your pony wins and you have a \$2.00 wager you will win \$4.00.

At 5:30 pm we will have drinks and appetizers followed at 6:00 by a hat contest. After the derby we will have a delicious dessert to round out the evening. In addition there will be door prizes and a 50/50 raffle.

Tickets will be available for purchase from Bernie and Anita Lee and also from Brenda Henderson. Ticket price is \$20.00 each



#### **HIGHLAND DERBY HAT**

Buy a ticket to the Derby and come with your most beautiful hat. You will look terrific and also have an opportunity to win some money. Men, this is for you, also. Dress up, put on your best hat and come to the Derby A prize will be awarded to the first and second place

winner of the most beautiful hat.



#### **HIGHLAND QUILTERS**

We will get our Highland Quilters group started on January 12th from 1:00 - 3:00 pm at the clubhouse. Bring your machines and be ready to sew!! I have the pattern for our first project. You are welcome to pick one up after January 3rd. We welcome all skill levels. Call Nancy Muzzy @ 573-823-9635.

#### CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH

A conversational Spanish class will be offered again this winter if there is enough interest. This class is for anyone who has had at least a bit of Spanish in the past and is willing to make an effort to attend weekly classes and do a little homework. We will use the same textbook as last year. Time and day of the week will be decided based on what works best for everyone. Please notify Vonnie Lincoln by phone (see directory) or sign up in the clubhouse.

## ANTIQUES APPRAISALS AND LUNCH

Ladies & gentlemen, it's time to dig out your family treasure of collectables. Our very own Antiques "Highlands" Roadshow" is coming Monday, January 22nd at noon where a catered lunch will be served. Then, on Monday, January 30th at noon a catered lunch will be served. Then the appraisals will begin! Catherine Baron, long-time certified appraiser has agreed to appraise one item, large or small, for each guest. Whether you bring an item or just want to enjoy the lunch and fun, please sign-up by Sunday, Cost is \$13 each. Jan. 22. Guests are limited to 60. Any questions? Call Jane @ 297-9068

## ATTENTION HIGHLAND ARTISTS! (or art enthusiasts!)

Art classes will begin January 24 and run through February on Tuesdays from 10:00 am to noon at the Highlands' Community Center. In addition to oil, acrylic and water color painting which we have been working on for the five years. Interest has been shown in other classes. Do vou have interest in other forms of art You may be expression? interested in getting involved with...drawing, sculpting, free form pottery, tooling or other dimensional forms of art. Also available is the gourd class. The Art Committee welcomes

your suggestions. Scheduling will be made according to your needs and interests. Cost per painting class will be \$4.00 per session with some supplies provided. Times and dates can be negotiable according to your needs providing a room would be available for instruction. Please call Charlene Saxe, 608-525-6616 or cell 608-484-0029 or Art Committee members: Vonnie Lincoln 541-990-0998, or Jeanmarie Nutt 349-6242 or Sharon Dennis 360-708-7398.



#### **SING FOR YOUR SUPPER?**

No, you don't have to sing for your supper, but you can sing after your supper at the Sunday Supper on Jan. 22nd at 5:00 pm. Pizza Man will provide all-you-can-eat pizza for \$7.00 each (bring your own beverage or enjoy coffee provided by the Social Committee). Linc & Helen will have karaoke and sing along music. You can sing solo, as a duet, join everyone on our sing-alongs songs, or just come to listen and encourage our participants. See ya there.

#### TAI CHI AT THE HIGHLANDS NEW CLAS STARTING SOON!

Tai Chi is proven to have a positive effect on one's overall health. Studies show that the practice of Tai Chi improves and prevents almost all chronic conditions including arthritis, heart disease, and diabetes. It also improves balance and immunity to disease, and reduces stress! Starting January 6th, on Friday mornings at 9:30 am, Jeanmarie Nutt will offer a beginning class in Tai Chi at the Multipurpose Room in the Office building. The program, Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention. was created by the Tai Chi for Health Institute (taichiforhealthinstitute.org) and is endorsed by the Arthritis Foundation and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention. The movements are gentle and easy and beneficial for everyone and can even be performed seated! Classes will be offered on a donation basis and all proceeds benefit the program. Sign up at the clubhouse!

#### **GOURD CLASSES**

Our next set of classes will begin on Jan. 19th and run for 6 weeks, starting at 1:00 pm and running through 4:00 pm. We will be dividing up into a Tuesday group and a Thursday group. Please send me an email as to which day will be better for you. We will try and

have no more than six women in each group. Our earlier classes have been successful and have produced some really nice gourds. If you are already here, would you please get your check of \$25.00 to me for supplies and to hold your place. I have received some of this information from a few of you already. When I get this information I will let you know the day you will be assigned. Thank you and hope to hear from you soon. Ginny

#### **JAM SESSION**

The Jam Session will return again on Tues., January 31, 2017 at 6:00 pm. Remember every show needs an audience. We'd love you to be a spectator or be part of the entertainment. Donations are essential to help defray the cost of the light meal. Otherwise, the cost comes out of someone's pocket. Come join us for a fun evening of entertainment.

## MEET OUR BOARD CANDIDATES

The candidates for the Board of Directors will be introduced at our Kaffee Klatsch on January 28. Gather your questions for our candidates.

#### **GASLIGHT THEATER**

The trip to Gaslight is completely full. Sorry, sign up early next time.

### NEWS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors unanimously approved Robert Beck as the Assistant Treasurer for THI, as allowed by the By-Laws.

The Board of Director's meeting minutes are available as PDF documents at the Highlands MHP website. Please also note that letters received by the Board of Directors are mentioned in the Minutes and a copy of any letter may be requested by an owner from the Board of Directors secretary, Brenda Henderson.

"ALL requested Absentee Ballots and Sample Ballots have been distributed: mailed or hand delivered. If you still need either, please request your choice through the Office. Receipt deadline is Tuesday, January 31, at 1:00 pm in the office for both absentee ballots and payment of your January HOA dues. for your vote to count. Please do not write comments, erase out, or mark up your ballot as it will be voided. Vote for no more than three Directors and either For or Against the 6 CC&R revisions." (please see the following paragraph)

#### **ELECTION BALLOT SNAFU**

"After some discussion at the Open Board Meeting, the Board agreed that the wording on the Residential Structures issue did not allow voters to vote against either option 1 or 2 and therefore was against voter rights and in conflict with the voting instructions that accompany the ballots. Since out-of-town ballots have been mailed, the only solution at this time is to void this issue only (5. Residential Structures). and nullify any and all votes cast on this issue only (5. Residential structures) This issue can then be re-visited and re-worded correctly for a future election. The Election Committee will be instructed to not count any votes cast on this issue."

The monthly board and annual board meeting minutes are available at the Highland's website, on the documents page.

#### **COMING EVENTS**

Feb 7 - Arizona Opry, Jamie Chair

Feb. 11 - Pancake Breakfast Bill B. & Dennis Weber cochairs

Feb. 18 - Community Wide Yard Sales

Feb. 18 - 50/60's Rock N Roll Party, Brenda Henderson, chair

Feb. 25 - White Elephant Sale

(start collecting items)

#### 50/60's Rock N Roll Party

Put Feb. 18th at 6:00 pm on your calendar. Tickets will be \$15.00, Tickets are limited & you must RSVP. See and call Brenda Henderson before Feb. 6 for tickets. 297-8569. There will be no money taken at door.



If you're new in our community or just want to meet some other folks, VOLUNTEER to help out at an event. Our park is run by volunteers!

Just contact Lynn Fuller, 579-6399 or Jane Force, 297-9068.

## JANUARY 2017

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