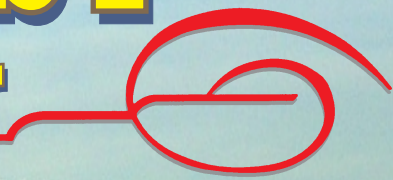




SUNBURST Newsletter



SUNRISE BLUFFS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

OCTOBER, 2011

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CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

Potluck Breakfast

By Riche Baiori

The Potluck Breakfast for October 8th has been cancelled.



WOMEN'S FRIDAY COFFEE GROUP

Every 1st and 3rd Friday mornings at 9:00 am. We meet to talk and have coffee (or any drink of choice). If you have any questions or comments, please contact Darlene Hargrave at #227 or Geni Hatch at #142. Hope to see you there!



Coffee and Donuts

First Saturday of the month at 9:00AM.
Saturday, October 1st hosted by Warren & Luci Reynolds.

THIS & THAT

This & That will be postponed until further notice. Contact Laura Bird #215 or Luci Reynolds #209. Thanks.



Men's Club

Each Tuesday morning coffee at 9:00am.
If you have any questions, contact Warren Reynolds at #209.

CONDOLENCES

By Mike Cava

Condolences go out to Wayne Herr (#124). His wife, Deanna, died on September 15, 2011. Please pray that our LORD of peace grant him peace in every way. May the Holy Spirit descend upon Wayne and comfort him and may our GOD of Hope fill him with the hope that there will be a reunion with our loved ones. For even death cannot separate us from GOD'S love.

Potluck

Usually third Saturday at 5:00 pm
Saturday, October 15th hosted by Kathy Buckley. Please volunteer on the sign-up sheets located in the clubhouse foyer. If you have any questions contact Jan Alderfer, #301. Bring a dish and beverage with your table service and take them home to wash.

CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

PO-KE-NO



We meet each Wednesday evening from 7:00pm to 9:00pm we will be playing Po-KE-NO in the dining room. Bring your pennies and join us for this fun game. Contact Madeline Schwalm at #238.



COUNTRY MUSIC JAM

Each Monday we have a jam of country musicians from inside and outside our community at the clubhouse dining room from 2:00pm to 5:00pm. Contact Charlie Babecka at #160 for more information.

Mah Jongg



Come join us playing Mah Jongg Thursday at 1pm. Mah Jongg is played with tiles. Everyone is learning a new card, so come and join us. If you have any questions, call Liz at #204.



Bridge

Every Monday at 9:00 am. We are always looking for new members, either as regulars or subs. This is a fun group. Call Linda Parry #152 for more details.

Ponytail Canasta

Every Monday & Tuesday at 12:30 pm and every Friday night at 6:00 pm.

Pinochle

Every Thursday at 9:30 am. Come and join the fun even if you haven't played in a while. Call Sandy Mayfield at #242.

SATURDAY PINOCHLE

We meet in the cardroom at 1:00 pm on the first and third Saturday of each month and play a couple of games each time. Contact either Mel and Char Ragsdale or Lee and Linda Meadows for further information.

CRIBBAGE

Cribbage is played every Wednesday, in the card room, from 1:00 pm - 3 pm. For details or questions contact Russ Silcott #217.

Fan-Tan



The fast moving card game called Fan-Tan (also known as "Sevens") will be played in the dining room each Thursday from 1:00PM to 3:00PM. Bring your pennies and come play this fun card game. Contact Riche Baiori at #302.



TGIS (Thank Goodness it's Saturday)

Every Saturday at 5 PM in the dining room. Bring your own beverage and a snack to share with others. This is a no-host gathering so each person is responsible for cleaning up after themselves. If you have questions contact Gwen King at #239.



MONTHLY MOVIE

by Riche Baiori

On October 18th, this month's movie will be Casper starring Bill Pullman, Christina Ricci and, of course, Casper the Friendly Ghost.

Doors will open at 3:45 PM and the movie will start at 4:00 PM. You may bring your own lawn chair to be more comfortable. Popcorn will be served, but you may also bring your own snacks and a beverage.

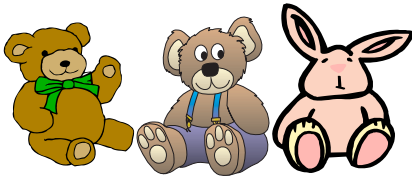


Lunch Bunch
- by Sandy Mayfield

The once a month lunch bunch will meet on Thursday, October 20th at Genghis Grill, 4410 The 25 Way NE, Albuquerque 344-9335. We'll meet 11:20am at the clubhouse. Please contact Sandy Mayfield at #242 by Tuesday, October 18th to let her know if you will be going to lunch. She will be calling for reservations on Wednesday, October 19th. Hope to see you there!



Tennis
Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 9:00 am.
Anyone who wants to play is welcome!
For information, contact Larry Fisher #138 or Dave Grussendorf #201.



Cuddly Bears for Cuddly Kids
- Becky Chrisman

In the card room is a box for teddy bears and stuffed animals. When the box is full, it is taken to the Belen Police Department for their use in domestic disturbance calls. If there is a child in the house, the police give them a teddy bear or stuffed animal to hug. Or if a child is brought into the station, a stuffed animal is also given to them. Since 2004, the Sunrise Bluffs community has been helping with their cause by purchasing either a teddy bear or stuffed animal and placing them in the box provided. This is an ongoing project. Remember....it must be a NEW stuffed toy. DO NOT bring a stuffed toy you want to discard. Please help this worthy cause. Thank you, Becky Chrisman.



Happy Birthday!

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| Ginger Kittilsen 10/03 | Beverly Mikita 10/21 |
| Nancy Anderson 10/06 | Sandra Schneck 10/23 |
| Donna Panici 10/08 | Randy Blair 10/23 |
| Terry Block 10/08 | Robin Carlson 10/25 |
| Ruby Glasscock 10/09 | Doug Rietz 10/27 |
| Wayne Hargrave 10/11 | Billie Cobb 10/27 |
| Robert Power 10/13 | Adelyn Grudier 10/29 |

Memorial Luncheon for Deanna Herr

At the request of the family, there will be a potluck luncheon in memory of Deanna Herr, who passed away on September 15. The luncheon is scheduled for Saturday, October 8. Detailed information will be sent out through the Helping Hands email nearer the date. Thank you. Gloria

From the Block Captains

All homeowners are reminded to insure their visitors know how to "buzz" them from the gate pad on the guard shack. Homeowners are also reminded that to respond and open the gate, they must dial "9" on the phone that is programmed into the gate. Only one phone number is programmed into the gate pad. This is the number you gave to the office. It could be your land line or your cell phone. Hopefully, this will clear up any confusion. A visitor can not call the homeowner on a cell phone and expect the gate to open. He must use the gate pad. And, please ensure all visitors and guests leave their "attitude" at home.

Mike Cava

WELCOME-HELPING HANDS

HELPING HANDS - We are available to help with short term needs that our neighbors might have. We have assisted with meals during illness and for a memorial. Other possible assistance could be a ride to the doctor, grocery needs, a book at the library.

DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

The following are available - contact Mary Hahn at #129 if you would like to borrow or have additions to her list.

Adjustable crutches

15# push collapsible wheelchair

Full size wheelchair

Seated walker

Raised toilet seat

Frame to fit over toilet with arms on both sides for support

Folding cane

Shower bench

Tub seat

Please feel free to contact any member if you need assistance

Linda Wascher #222

Kathy Buckley #132

Gloria Comstock #335

Barbara Bransky #232

Darlene Hargrave #227

Nancy Kent #144

Jan Alderfer #301

Nedra Denison #334

Pam Rietz #106

Mary Hahn #129

From Block Captain Mike Cava

But no man can tame the tongue. It is an unruly evil, full of deadly poison. With it we Bless our God and Father, and with it we curse men, who have been made in the similitude of God. Out of the same mouth proceed blessings and cursing. My brethren this ought not to be so. Does a spring send forth fresh water and bitter from the same opening?

In short, when talking with your neighbor for whatever reason, let's watch our attitude and not flavor our speech with salt. And remember when you point a finger at someone, three fingers are pointing back at you.

Fire Chief Manny Garcia visits SRB

A Fire Prevention Seminar was presented by Manny Garcia, Belen Fire Chief, at the Clubhouse on September 16, 2011. Chief Garcia gave a very informative presentation on Fire Awareness and Prevention for over 20 of our SRB residents. He discussed common fire hazards typically found in and around our homes and how to address their resolution for our safety. Following the presentation he took questions and answered particular resident concerns.

Chief Garcia is willing to come back to talk again for those residents who missed the first presentation.

He is also willing to come and do house inspections for fire safety for those residents who would like to have him check their homes for fire dangers. A&E will set up a few dates that Chief Garcia can come in to inspect homes. Residents will then be able to contact A&E to be put on the schedule for the dates Chief Garcia is available for home inspection. Gloria Comstock

Activities and Entertainment Report
For October 2011
Gloria Comstock and Riche Baiori, Co-Chairs
Members: Jan Alderfer, Barbara Bransky, Mary Hahn, Jan Holder, Ginger
Kittilson, Mel Kittilson, JoAnn Treslar, Linda Wascher

For Labor Day the A&T Team, with the help of many community residents, served up a Labor Day cookout of chicken and hotdogs with delicious side dishes provided by those attending the event. This was followed by fast card games with a door prize won by Randy Blair.

On Saturday, September 10, residents were treated to the sweet sounds of Sugartime, a trio of ladies who sang and performed for us.

Manny Garcia, Fire Chief for Belen, conducted a Fire Awareness and Prevention Seminar on September 16 for residents. Chief Garcia has offered to come back and speak to those residents who have missed the first seminar. He will also conduct home inspections at a later date. The A&E Team will be setting up times for these in the near future. Watch the Sunburst for more information.

October 1 (Saturday) County Services for Seniors Seminar: Stay after the Monthly Coffee to hear Mr. Jose Campos, Director of the Valencia County Older Americans Program, talk about the services offered by the county for seniors. There will also be a question and answer period. This is a free event.

October 12: Italian Night: An Italian themed dinner is planned. Please see the flyer for complete details on the menu. Tickets are \$5 for residents and \$7.50 for guests. Please contact Linda Wascher for tickets.

Halloween Party: There will be a Halloween party on Monday, October 31, starting at 5pm. A light supper of sandwiches, salads, chips and punch will be served. Residents are asked to bring a Halloween themed dessert to share. Tickets will be \$2.50 for residents and may be purchased from Riche and Terry Baiori.

Other upcoming events:

There will be a Thanksgiving Dinner on Thursday, November 24. A&E will provide the turkey, dressing, rolls & butter, relish tray, two cranberry sauces, iced tea, lemonade & coffee. Attendees will bring pot luck side dishes.

The Holiday Open House is schedule for Sunday, December 11.

A Christmas dinner will be offered on Christmas Day.

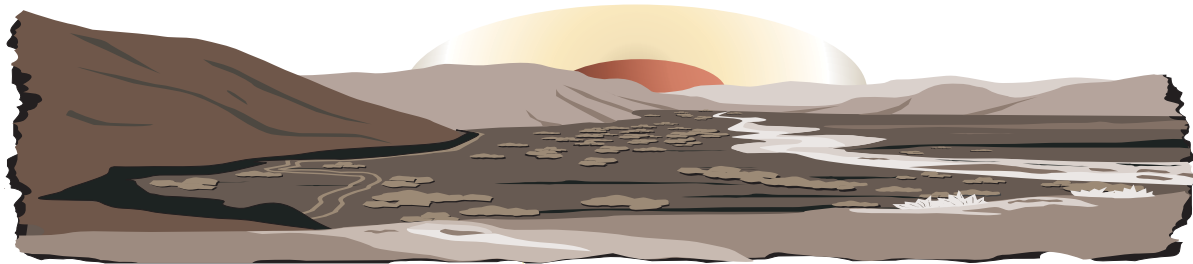
For New Year's Eve we will be having a party with live music.

From the Activities and Entertainment Team

**"We meet the first Tuesday of each month at 10:00 am in the Card Room. If you'd like to check us out you're welcome to sit in and observe. Perhaps after you see how we work you'll decide to become a committee member." -
Gloria**

October 2011 Clubhouse Activities by Kate Grussendorf

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday



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KEY: C.R. (Card Room), D.R. (Dining Room), P.R. (Poker Room) Lib. (Library)

Non-Clubhouse Activities & Events



October 2011

REGULARLY SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES:		
Swimming Pool:		
Day and Time	Activity	Contact For More Information
Monday Through Friday		
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Water Aerobics	Irene Jollie
9:00 AM -10:00 AM	Water Aerobics	Carole Moran
Billiard Room:		
Day and Time	Activity	Contact For More Information
Monday Through Saturday		
7:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Men’s Billiards	Al Denison
Sunday		
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Women’s Billiards	Duf Rowland
Wednesday		
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Women’s Billiards	Duf Rowland
Friday		
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM	Men’s Billiards	Al Denison
Multi - Purpose Park, Belen:		
Day and Time	Activity	Contact For More Information
Monday, Wednesday & Friday		
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Tennis	Dave Grussendorf
SPECIAL EVENTS:		
There Are No Non-Clubhouse Special Events Scheduled This Month.		

Submitted By JoAnn Treslar, A&E Committee Member