



SUNBURST

Newsletter



SUNRISE BLUFFS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC. SEPTEMBER, 2011

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CLUBHOUSE ACTIVITIES

Potluck Breakfast

By Riche Baiori

The former Community Breakfast has been changed to a Potluck Breakfast because there are no volunteers to cook. The time has also been changed to start at 9:00 AM.

Bring your favorite breakfast dish to the clubhouse dining room on the 2nd Saturday of the month at 9 AM to share with your friends and neighbors. You will also need to bring your own plate and eating utensils. The next Potluck Breakfast will held on September 10th.



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!

THIS & THAT

We will meet again the first Sunday in September from 1 to 4 pm. Contact Laura Bird #215 or Luci Reynolds #209. Thanks.

Coffee and Donuts

First Saturday of the month at 9:00AM.

Saturday, September 3rd hosted by Riche and Terry Baiori.

Men's Club

Each Tuesday morning coffee at 9:00am.

If you have any questions, contact Warren Reynolds at #209.

Potluck

Usually third Saturday at 5:00 pm

Saturday, September 17th. Hosted by Rosemary Koenig.

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

This month's movie will be Short Circuit starring Ally Sheedy, Steve Guttenberg and a robot called Number Five.

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

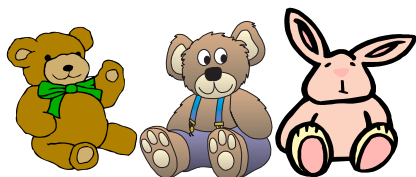
The once a month lunch bunch will meet on Thursday, September 15th at Trombino's, 5415 Academy, Albuquerque 821-5974. We'll meet 11:20am at the clubhouse. Please contact Sandy Mayfield at #242 by Tuesday, September 13th to let her know if you will be going to lunch. She will be calling for reservations on Wednesday, September 14th. Hope to see you there!



REMINDER
The speed limit in Sunrise Bluffs is 15 MPH for ALL VEHICLES.



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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| Jim Christy 9/01 | Nancy Pennington 9/20 |
| Louise Hasse 9/10 | Jane Adams 9/21 |
| Cindy Van Meter 9/10 | Russ Silcott 9/24 |
| Madeline Schwalm 9/15 | Fred Jenkins 9/25 |
| Paul Hasse 9/17 | Don Ahiskog 9/25 |
| Kathy Buckley 9/19 | Sharon Stevens 9/28 |

BELEN FOOD PANTRY--Liz Paquet

Anyone who can spare an hour and a half to work at the Belen Food Pantry, please call Magda Rundles at 854-0427. Any donations of non-perishable food or cash would be very much appreciated.

Email Update Reminders

If you change your email address please also remember to update your email address with A&E (sunrisebluffsae@gmail.com) and Helping Hands (srbhelpers@excite.com) if you wish to continue getting the mailings from these two groups within Sunrise Bluffs.

Updating your information for the Directory (by contacting Carren Goldman @ #221) does not update your email for those mailing lists nor do changes to the Directory change the other data bases.

Thank you,
Gloria Comstock

Knives Missing From Clubhouse Kitchen –

During a recent Clubhouse event it was noticed that many of the serving/carving knives were missing from the kitchen. These knives, of which a number are restaurant quality, were donated to the HOA by a resident and were meant to be kept in the Clubhouse kitchen for use at various resident events. If you borrowed these implements, please return them without delay to the kitchen.

For future information; if anyone needs to borrow any of the HOA equipment, please contact the HOA Manager listed on the masthead of the Sunburst to sign out the equipment. You will be expected to return any borrowed equipment in a timely fashion.

Thank you, The Management Team

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

**Activities and Entertainment Report
for September 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**

August 14, COOL SUMMER SALADS AND HOT AUGUST NIGHTS: Sunrise Bluffs residents and guests enjoyed a cool potluck dinner of salads and fruit dishes in the clubhouse with A&E providing the beverages. After dinner folks strolled out to the parking lot for an evening of dancing to live music. Joe Otero provided a fine variety of music for listening and dancing enjoyment. Toes were tapping and hands were clapping. Steve's Italian Ice truck was set up in the parking lot and each attendee was given a ticket for a cooling and refreshing Italian ice. For some folks this was their first experience with Italian ices. Other snacks, including fresh popcorn, were available. Highlights of the evening included a song dedicated to Jack and Libby Olver who will be celebrating 70 (SEVENTY!) years of marriage as of the end of August and singing Happy Birthday to Eddy Van Meter, who was celebrating his birthday the next day.

August 16, MONTHLY MOVIE was Grease. Fresh hot popcorn was served.

September 5 (Monday) LABOR DAY COOKOUT: You're A&E Team will be serving up all beef hotdogs (with all the usual trimmings) and barbequed chicken and supplying lemonade and iced tea. Attendees will also bring potluck side dishes. Cost will be \$2.50 for residents and \$5.00 for non residents who will be partaking of the meat portion of the meal. Please remember to bring your own table service for this event. There is no charge for those folks who choose to not partake of the grilled entrees. Please refer to the flyer emailed to you from A&E or the one in the clubhouse for more information.

September 10 (Saturday) SUGARTIME: This trio of ladies will provide an hour of entertainment starting at 2pm. Numbers performed may cover times spanning the '30's to the 80's. A&E will be providing iced tea and lemonade. You are welcomed to bring your own snacks. This is a *free* event.

September 16, (Friday) Belen Fire Department: As part of our Informational and Educational series, Belen Fire Chief Manny Garcia will conduct a Fire Awareness and Prevention Seminar at the clubhouse starting at 1030am. Depending on attendee participation this seminar will take 30 -60 minutes of your time – but may save a life. This is a *free* event.

September 20, (Tuesday) MONTHLY MOVIE: This month's movie will be Short Circuit starring Ally Sheedy, Steve Guttenberg and a robot called Number Five. 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. This is a *free* event

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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 (Date TBD) Italian Night: An Italian themed dinner is being planned to celebrate Columbus Day. Please watch your email and flyers in the clubhouse for more information on this event.

The HOLIDAYS: The A&E Team is working on events for the holidays. Watch your newsletter and email and look for flyers for these upcoming events.



WELCOME COMMITTEE REPORT

Our new neighbors in 121 are Dave and Lenore Oaks. They were visited on July 21st by Barbara Bransky, Mary Hahn and Darlene Hargrave of the Welcome Committee.

They moved to Sunrise Bluffs about a month ago and are originally from Pennsylvania but have been living in Estancia recently.

Their daughter told them about Sunrise Bluffs because they like small town living. Their children live in New Mexico except for one son who recently moved back to Pennsylvania. Dave also has a mother living in Pennsylvania who is 103 years young.

Dave was a truck driver and Lenore worked as a surgery nurse for heart transplants etc.

They mostly enjoy eating "especially ice cream" and playing pinochle.

Welcome!

Our new neighbors, Ron and Judy Rich, at 107, were visited in August by Jan Alderfer and Kathy Buckley of the Welcome Committee.

Ron and Judy are both from California. Judy grew up in Escondido and Ron in Los Angeles. They moved here from Twentynine Palms, Ca. Ron is retired military and he served in the Navy. A later career took him all around the world and he has many momentos of his travels. Judy is retired from the medical profession. She was successful at many different aspects in that field. They have been very active in volunteer work, especially with retired military.

Our new neighbors learned of Sunrise Bluffs on the internet. They were looking for an adult community and once they visited SRB, they decided this was the place for them.

They would like to find others who would be interested in playing poker. They both enjoy reading and are also looking forward to visiting and learning more about places here in New Mexico.

Welcome to Ron and Judy

September 2011

Clubhouse Activities by Kate Grussendorf

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday



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<p>9:30am Pinochle-C.R. Mayfield 1:00pm-3:00pm Fan Tan D.R.-Baiori 1:00pm Mah Jongg-C.R. Paquet</p>	<p>9:00am - Women's Friday Coffee D.R.-Hargrave & Hatch 2:00pm-3:00pm Line Dance-D.R.-Eddy 6:00pm Ponytail Canasta-C.R. Mayfield</p>	<p>9:00am-Coffee D.R.-Alderfer 1:00pm-Pinochle C.R.-Ragsdale & Meadows 5:00pm-TGIS-D.R. King</p>	<p>1:00pm-4:00pm This & That D.R.-Bird</p>	<p>9:00am-1:00pm Bridge-P.R.Parry 9:00am-10:00am Line Dancing Group D.R.-Eddy 12:00 pm Labor Day BBQ! D.R.- A&E 12:30pm Ponytail Canasta-C.R. Mayfield</p>	<p>9:00am Men's Club-D.R.Reynolds 10:00am A&E Mtg-C.R. Baiori & Comstock 12:30pm Ponytail Canasta-C.R. Mayfield 1:00pm Farkel C.R. Rowland</p>	<p>9:30am-11:30am Bible Study C.R.-Ragsdale 1:00pm-3:00pm Cribbage C.R.-Silcott 7:00pm Pokeno D.R.-Schwalm</p>
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KEY: C.R. (Card Room), D.R. (Dining Room), P.R. (Poker Room) Lib. (Library)

Non-Clubhouse Activities & Events



September 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