



# SUNBURST Newsletter



SUNRISE BLUFFS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

JANUARY, 2012

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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 January 14th.



### **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, January 7th. A volunteer is needed to hosted this event. Please sign up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board in the clubhouse foyer.*

### **Potluck**

*Usually third Saturday at 5:00 pm*

Saturday, January 21st a volunteer will be need to host this event. Please sign up on the sheet posted on the bulletin board located in the clubhouse foyer. If you have any questions, contact Jan Alderfer, #301.



### **Men's Club**

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

# 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.

## 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

The Monthly Movie time is scheduled for after the potluck. Once we have secured a movie, A&E will send out a flyer with the announcement.



### Lunch Bunch

- by Sandy Mayfield

The once a month lunch bunch will meet on Thursday, January 20th at the Red Lobster, 5555 Montgomery, Albuquerque, 884-4445.. We'll meet 11:20am at the clubhouse. Please contact Sandy Mayfield at #242 by Tuesday, January 18th to let her know if you will be going to lunch. She will be calling for reservations on Wednesday, January 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.



## Happy Birthday!

Laura Bird 1/1

Don Treslar 1/3

Marie De Planche 1/6

William Bird 1/11

Sharon White 1/11

Gwen King 1/12

Shelly Haase 1/16

Charles Babecka 1/22

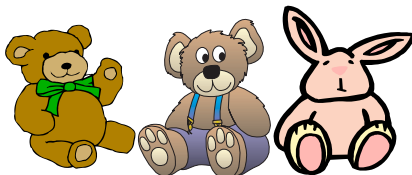
Harold Price 1/22

Nancy Breyer 1/23

Sandy Wisdorf 1/27

Joan Burnett 1/27

Linda Meadows 1/30



### 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.

### CLUBHOUSE BULLETIN BOARD

For those of you who may not be aware, there is a bulletin board in the foyer of the clubhouse. The bulletin board provides residents with a prominent location to advertise items and/or services for sale. All residents are free to make use of this board. The Sunburst Newsletter is not being used for this purpose and only publishes articles relating to Sunrise Bluffs events and activities.

Sy Goldman

## **Lawyer to speak on Saturday, January 7, 2012**

Is the will you wrote in the state where you used to live still valid in New Mexico? Do you even need a will? What is a durable Power of Attorney?

Please plan to stay after coffee on Saturday, January 7, 2012 to hear Don Pinnock, Attorney at Law, from the Senior Citizen's Law Office, Inc. (A non-profit organization) speak to our residents about your wills, Power of Attorney. Would a Transfer on Death Deed save thousands of dollars for your heirs? , as well as other information pertinent for seniors. Mr. Pinnock will start speaking after coffee, at about 930a. He will be taking question from our residents. Mr. Pinnock assures me that he'll even take questions about the 1935 Chicago Cubs line up. Come prepared with your questions and concerns.

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### **Wii PIZZA PARTY**

Come celebrate Valentine's Day with a Wii Pizza Party at the clubhouse. A member of the A&E Committee has graciously agreed to allow us to borrow their Wii console so we can have you enjoy this fun game. We will also provide pizza and soda to those attending. The cost of this event is \$3 per person. No advance tickets are required. Simply pay at the door when you arrive. The party starts at 1:00 PM on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup>.

Riche Baiori, Activities & Entertainment Committee

### **New Line Dancing Class**

Have you ever thought about Line Dancing? It improves balance and coordination, is good exercise and above all great fun. A beginner class will start at the clubhouse on January 9, 2012, on Monday mornings from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. Instructors will be Warren and Linda Wascher, Paul and Georgia Eddy, Becky Chrisman and Barbara Bransky.

All of us may not be present for every class but someone will always be there to instruct. See you there.

Thank you, Barbara.

## **THANK YOU ACTIVITIES & ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Last year, 2011, was a transitional year for the Activities & Entertainment Committee from the former leadership of Kate Grussendorf and Weldon Paxton. Several long-time members stated that they would stay on for a while to help the new leadership of Gloria Comstock and Riche Baiori. Some of these people turned the "a while" into the entire year. We thank the following people for staying with us as we made this transition: Jan Alderfer, Frank King, Ginger & Mel Kittilsen, JoAnn Treslar, and Cindy Van Meter. We also thank those members that are staying with us, and those that have joined the committee over the course of the year. They are: Terry Baiori, Barbara Bransky, Mary Hahn, Jan Holder, Eunice Sanchez, and Linda Wascher. A special thanks goes to Don Treslar for creating all of those wonderful flyers that A&E distributed over the years (we're sure gonna miss ya).

We also want to thank all those community members who helped out in so many ways. And finally, a special thank you to all of you who have attended various events.

Gloria Comstock and Riche Baiori, A&E Committee Co-Chairpersons

# **Come Celebrate the Chinese New Year!**

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**We celebrated world wide New Year's at 12 midnight**

**Now come celebrate the Chinese New Year**

**THE YEAR OF THE DRAGON**

**on Monday, January 23.**

**We will be meeting at Lin's Buffet at 4710 Montgomery Blvd NE  
at 1145a, to have lunch at 12, noon.**



**Please contact Gloria @ 335 for tickets - Phone number is in the directory. Leave a message with your phone number if no answer. Price will be \$5.00 per person. Tickets will be sold January 7<sup>th</sup>, at the monthly coffee, through Saturday, January 21. No tickets will be sold after that date.**

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## **WELCOME COMMITTEE REPORT**

Members of the Welcome committee recently visited our new neighbor, Susan Lawrence, at #116.

Susan had lived her whole life in Buffalo, New York, before moving here. She has a brother who lives in Albuquerque, and while visiting him many times, fell in love with New Mexico. Widowed less than two years ago, she was looking for a 55+ community and found Sunrise on the internet. She has two sons, one lives in Seattle and one in Ithaca, NY. The light of her life is her two year old grandson, Caedyn. She also has an adorable dog named Reeses.

Susan does beautiful stain glass work and enjoys knitting and crocheting. She also likes to swim and has already joined the ladies to play pinochle.

Welcome the Sunrise Bluffs, Susan.

Barbara Bransky

Kathy Buckley

Mary Hahn

# January 2012 Clubhouse Activities

by Kate Grussendorf

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1</b>  <b>Happy New Year!</b>	<b>2</b> 9:00am-1:00pm Bridge-P.R.Parry 9:00am-10:00am Line Dancing Group D.R.-Eddy 12:30pm Ponytail Canasta-C.R. Mayfield 1:30pm-5:00pm Music Jam D.R.-Babecka	<b>3</b> 9:00am Men's Club-D.R.Reynolds 10:00am A&E Mtg-C.R. Baiori & Holder 12:30pm Ponytail Canasta-C.R. Mayfield	<b>4</b> 9:00am-3:00pm Sewing Group D.R.-Schneck 9:30am-11:30am Bible Study C.R.-Ragsdale 1:00pm-3:00pm Cribbage C.R.-Silcott 7:00pm Pokeno D.R.-Schwalm	<b>5</b> 9:30am Pinochle-C.R. Mayfield 1:00pm Mah Jongg-C.R. Paquet	<b>6</b> 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	<b>7</b> 9:00am-Coffee D.R.-Alderfer 9:30am-11:30am Attorney Presentation Wills & POA's D.R. A&E Baiori & Holder 1:00pm-Pinochle C.R.-Ragsdale 5:00pm-TGIS-D.R. King.
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**KEY: C.R. (Card Room), D.R. (Dining Room), P.R. (Poker Room) Lib. (Library)**

## Non-Clubhouse Activities & Events



**January, 2012**

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

Submitted By JoAnn Treslar, A&E Committee Member

## SUNRISE BLUFFS HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION

**Sunrise Bluffs HOA hereby declares the following individuals represent the Board of Directors, VP's and Block Captains for 2011 - 2012**

Ronald D. Brown, Director and President (883-1674)  
JoAnn Brown, Director (883-1674)  
Sharon Walsh, Director (883-1674)

Duf Rowland, Community Director (151)  
Term of service is 1 year Jan 1, 2012 to Dec 31, 2012

Dave Paquet, Community Director (204)  
Term of service is 2 years Jan 1, 2012 to Dec 31, 2013

### **Management Committee (VP's) for 2012**

The term of service is 3 years rotating with a new or re-elected candidate each year

Russ Silcott (217) 3 year term as of Jan 2012

Bob Moran (137) 2 year term as of Jan 2012

Riche Baiori (302) 1 year term as of Jan 2012

### **Block Captains for 2011 - 2012**

The one year term for Block Captains is July 1, 2011 until June 30, 2012

Phase I Block 1 (including Lots 101 to 128)	Mike Cava	(122)
<i>Alternate for Phase I Block 1 (including Lots 101 to 128)</i>	<i>Irene Jollie</i>	<i>(105)</i>
Phase I Block 2 (including Lots 129 to 160)	Bob Power	(149)
<i>Alternate for Phase I Block 2 (including Lots 129 to 160)</i>	<i>Carole Moran</i>	<i>(137)</i>
Phase II Block 1 (including Lots 201 to 224)	Paul Eddy	(214)
<i>Alternate for Phase II Block 1 (including Lots 201 to 224)</i>	<i>Kate Grussendorf</i>	<i>(202)</i>
Phase II Block 2 (including Lots 225 to 244)	Frank King	(239)
Phase III Block 1 & 2 (including Lots 301 to 336)	Paul Hasse	(303)
<i>Alternate for Phase III Block 1 &amp; 2 (including Lots 301 to 336)</i>	<i>Kim Bloom</i>	<i>(333) or</i>
<i>Alternate for Phase III Block 1 &amp; 2 (including Lots 301 to 336)</i>	<i>Maynard Luurs</i>	<i>(336)</i>