Green Valley RV Resort (GVRVR) Newsletter – February 2024

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MESSAGE FROM THE ACTIVITY COMMITTEE CHAIR:

Happy New Year!

We have been working hard to list all the activities for the season on the calendar. I am sure you will have no trouble finding many activities that interest you!

There is a Potluck Dinner on January 31st. We are continuing our giving tree through January. The donations are for Valley Assistance Services. By donating to Valley Assistance Services, you are providing hope, security and dignity to those in our community who need it most. No one should face the prospect of homelessness in their golden years or when a family is responsible for children. Thank you for being a beacon of hope to so many in our community. Thank you for your support!

Mary Johns, Activity Committee Chair, Lot 20, 206-898-6594, denmar@southendaccountant.com

BLOCK ASSIGNMENTS:

MONTH	LOT #'s	LEADER(S)	LEADER'S LOT #
February 2024	154-223	Carole Drewis	188
March 2024	224-304	Nancy Mikleton & Nancy LeVey	278 & 253

WOW, we had 50/60 participants at the February Block Meeting. Thanks everyone for all the GREAT ideas. We're changing things up a bit for February, SO WATCH FOR SIGN-UP SHEETS and INFO POSTERS. We're starting off with a SOUP SUPPER on Wed, February 7th followed by a SUPERBOWL Party on the 11th. Celia and Ed Fellows (Lot 180) have offered to make 2 or 3 SUPER BOWL BLOCK BOARDS in different price ranges. Even if your team is out of the picture, come join the fun. You can bring hors d'oeuvres and we'll have free hot dogs, beans and chips at halftime (BYOB). We're also trying a breakfast/lunch BRUNCH on Saturday the 24th at 10A.

Watch for future SIGN-UP SHEETS for all these events. There will be regular potlucks on the 14th, 21st and 28th with 50/50 drawings each night. P.S. Don't forget to buy your honey some flowers on the 14th - Your February Block Crew

MESSAGE FROM THE INDOOR COORDINATOR:

We are still looking for any volunteers that would like to learn how to operate the karaoke equipment. We are still looking for a volunteer who would like to be the coordinator of the April 12th Fashion Show. If you are interested in volunteering for any of the above activities, please contact me at 218-790-1844. If there is no answer, please leave a message so I can call you back.

We are now starting a new year and I am happy to say that as of this month, all activities are now meeting and available for you to join. If you are looking for something special to participate in, please look at the bulletin boards in the clubhouse or the individual calendars posted in each room area. If you do not find what you are looking for, please contact me.

Karla Abdo, Indoor Coordinator, Lot 83, 218-790-1844, karlaabdo1844@gmail.com

2024 ENTERTAINMENT LINE UP:

DATE	PERFORMER(S)		
February 3	Eagles Tribute		
February 17 (Valentine's Party)	Throw Back Band (formally Kelly Bryan Band)		
March 2	Brady Goss on the Piano		
March 16 (End of the Season Dance)	Harry Mathews		

A copy of the entire GVRVR Talent / No Talent show will be available for two weeks and can be downloaded or viewed at https://ldrv.ms/v/s!AjeRot_MYZVzj9xTHlcf01idPAS42A?e=gcJQwG. It is a large file and if anyone would sooner have a DVD copy for \$2.00 or bring a thumb drive for a free digital copy, I can accommodate. Patrick Williams Sr., Lots 129 & 130, 920-226-0218, patanpat3@patanpat.com

Cathy McConaugha, Entertainment Coordinator, Lot 18, 757-434-1001, cmcconaugha@gmail.com

SAVE THE DATES:

February 13 @ 1P – Poker Run – \$2 entry. Open to residents of GVRVR and GVE. Tickets may be bought during and after Sticky Buns on Tuesday mornings 8 to 9:30A on Jan 30, Feb 6 and Feb 13. Tickets on Feb 13 must be purchased by 10A. Start and end in the pool area. All participant envelopes must be turned in by 3P. Winners announced in the Ballroom 4P ish. Come out - meet your neighbors and have some FUN! - Coordinator Nancy Mikleton, Lot 278, 503-799-0494



February 19 @ 3P - Presentation on How Did We Finance the Revolution War Without a Government? - Presenter Susan Maza 509-833-0005

February 22 @ 1P – Hat Decorating Class in the Craft Room (for the Woman's Tea) - There will be a prize for the cutest hat! If you wish to attend, there is a sign-up sheet in the clubhouse. For the class, bring your own hat (good places to find hats are the White Elephant, Beals, T.J Maxx, Walmart, etc.). Bring ribbons, flowers, feathers, pretty pins, greenery or anything you have that you would want on your hat. If you have a hot glue gun, or any wire, please bring that too! – Coordinators Melba Cologne 832-293-8068 & Nancy LeVey 810-434-1256

March 7 @ Noon – Woman's Tea – Doors open at 11:40A the day of the tea and the entertainment starts at Noon. Tickets go on sale February 21st. \$10 each. Tickets are assigned to a table. There will also be door prizes. If you would like to volunteer to help with this event, please contact the coordinators. - Coordinators Teresa Telkamp 605-864-0808 & Erlene Johnson 712-255-4057

April 12 – Fashion Show – Volunteer Coordinator Needed

GVRVR NAMETAGS \$7 & HONEY SALES \$12 / JAR:

The Activity Committee has RAW, UNPROCESSED DESERT FLOWER HONEY for sale. Supposed to be good for allergies. Bees are kept near Elephant Head. Contact Rosie Sauve for nametags and/or honey, Lot 187, 520-625-1423, mas1935@gmail.com

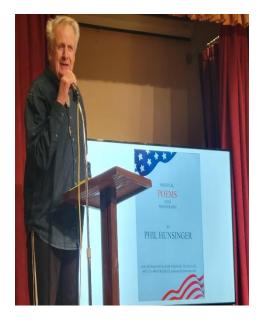
PARTYLINE: Get on the mailing list or submit content by emailing partyline@patanpat.com. Messages are sent out every morning. Patrick Williams Sr., Lots 129 & 130, 920-226-0218, partyline@patanpat.com

NEWSLETTER: Please send all March GVRVR newsletter submissions, including special events (birthdays, anniversaries, etc.) by **Monday, February 19** to Renee Williams, Lot 137, 720-641-0646 (text preferred), TDorn@aol.com (please put GVRVR Newsletter Submission in the subject line)

GVRVR TALENT / NO TALENT JANUARY 2024: Photos courtesy of Sally Van Atta and Nancy LeVey











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CLEOS (Classy Ladies Eating Out)

Ladies meet the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month (and occasionally on a Monday) at different area restaurants for lunch. The sign-up sheets are posted on the bulletin board Thursday afternoon. PLEASE, print your name, lot # and phone # under driver or passenger. PLEASE USE PENCIL, NOT INK. The driver will contact her passengers for pick-up arrangements. As you know, the prices of food in restaurants have gone up...so please order wisely (according to your budget). Beverages are usually \$3-4 plus...(Ouch)...and water is healthier.

SAVE THE DATES:

February 1, Thursday, 11:30A, Dominics, 77 E. Paseo De Golf, GV

February 15, Thursday, 11:30A, Wisdom's Café, 1931 I-19 Frontage Rd, Tumacacori

March 4, Monday, NOON, Agave (inside Desert Diamond Casino), Sahuarita (\$23 each, menu selections offered, LIMIT of 32 gals)

March 21, Thursday, 11:30A, Olive Garden, 1213 W. Irvington Rd, U-127, Tucson

Questions: Carol Greer, Lot 194, 330-606-5379, cgreer4956@cs.com OR Sally Van Atta, Lot 162, 231-670-0538, smvanatta@gmail.com

CROCHETING AND KNITTING

Crocheting and knitting meets in the craft room on Tuesday mornings. Join us



from 9:30A-11:30A. Come as early as you want to and stay as long as you can. Bring a project or let us help you get started.

Questions: Erlene Johnson, Lot 262, 712-255-4057, gordonjohnson42@gmail.com OR Jan Weber, Lot 62, 503-680-8479, jdweber32@yahoo.com

ROMEOS (Retired Old Men Eating Out)

The ROMEOs Lunch Group meets on the 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month through April 2024. Lunch locations alternate each time, one at a place close to GVRVR and the next one farther away.

Each lunch is posted two weeks ahead on a signup sheet on the cardroom bulletin board. To sign up, please fill in all the information requested (in pencil).

We can always use more drivers, so if you can drive, sign in on the "driver" line (the top line in a box). During lunch, please wear your name badge.

The next two GVRVR ROMEOs lunches are scheduled for:

11:30A on Thursday, February 1st at the Coyote Grill (4201 S Camino Del Sol, Green Valley, AZ 85622)

11:30A on Thursday, February 15th at the Longhorn Steakhouse (5725 Broadway Blvd., Tucson AZ 85711)

Questions: Al Harrison, Lot 193, 330-608-2699, buckeyeal07@gmail.com

CREATVIE WRITING / MULTI-TOPIC DISCUSSION GROUP

The Creative Writing Group meets on Mondays from 11A to 1P in the Ballroom. New members are welcome to try it out. As elders we have rich stories to tell and questions for the universe. We write, listen respectfully and enjoy sharing.

The Multi-Topic Discussion Group meets on Fridays from 11A to 1P in the Ballroom. We value differing points of view on the group-chosen topics and hard questions. Respectful listening is expected as we allow everyone to be heard. New members are invited. If the group becomes too large, we will start another group.

Questions: Don Fish, Lot 76, 319-883-0373, cjphilfish@gmail.com

CAMERA CLUB

Tuesdays at 1P in the library. The theme changes weekly. Please get your thumb drive to Eric by Sunday.

This class is for Everyone who likes taking or even just looking at pictures. You do not have to have the fanciest equipment. Many photographers use their phone and take some amazing photos. You do not have to be a professional photographer!

This is a learning class too, so you will pick up many tips and tricks on how to use your equipment and how to take better pictures.

Questions: Eric Felton, Lot 253, 313-790-0114, ekfelton@yahoo.com

BIRDING GROUP (new)

We invite seasoned and beginner birders to learn about and identify in the field local birds. We meet at 'local' areas (such as Desert Meadows Park, Santa Rita Lodge, etc.) weather permitting, or hang out at someone's yard in our Resort to observe and discuss. You do not need to walk to participate. You will be able to sit and observe birds.

Scheduled for the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month 9:30-11:30A at a designated location. Signup sheets are on the bulletin board. Limited to 16 people.

Bring your own (any of the following): binoculars, camera, smartphone, munchies, water, camp chair, walking shoes, and/or appropriate attire. Please wear your name badge.

Coordinators will meet you at the designated location at 9:30A.

Questions: Sandy Thompson, Lot 168, 208.681.6463, sandy2np57@gmail.com OR Jo Knopf, Lot 168, 208.521.4367, jollyjemsid@gmail.com

JAM SESSIONS / MOVIE NIGHTS

Jam Sessions - all are welcome to participate or enjoy the music.

Movie Nights are the first and third Sundays of the month at 6P in the GVRVR Ballroom. The movies are shown on a big screen TV with Boise sound. See bulletin boards for the movie being shown. Always free popcorn.

Questions: Patrick Williams Sr., Lots 129 & 130, 920-226-0218, patanpat3@patanpat.com OR Patricia Williams, Lots 129 & 130, 920-226-0208, patanpat2@patanpat.com

BILLIARDS / POOL (SHARKETTES)

The ladies play pool on Monday and Thursday mornings from 9-11A in the billiards room. Some



gals arrive closer to 10A and join in if others must leave. Plan your schedule and come enjoy the game and friendships. Monday and Thursday mornings are reserved for 'LADIES ONLY'. Beginners welcome; no sign-up or fees. Cues are available for free. Four tables allow 16 gals to play at the same time.

Questions: Sally Van Atta, Lot 162, 231-670-0538, smvanatta@gmail.com

OPEN ART - ARTIST GATHERING

Fridays from 9A-Noon in the craft room. Gathering of artists, want to be artists and all interested. No formal instructor, just help and ideas from some of us old timers. All mediums are welcome. Watercolor, acrylic painting, coloring in book, painting dots on rocks. All ideas are welcome. I have supplies, brushes, paper, canvas and some project ideas.

Questions: Anne Reslock, Lot 132, 520-975-1342, areslock@gmail.com

GVRVR ACTIVITY COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Name/Office	Lot	E-Mail	Phone	@ GVRVR
Mary Johns, Chair	20	denmar@southendaccountant.com	206-898-6594	Oct-May
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Brent Lucas, Treasurer	221	teacherbrentlucas@yahoo.com	838-333-5352	Oct-Apr
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Beth Richards,	89	eirichards@shaw.ca	520-526-4193	Nov-Mar
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Outdoor Coordinator		cawmar43@gman.com		
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Entertainment				
Coordinator				
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Jeff & Annelle Holzman,	office	info@greenvalleyrvresort.com	520-625-3900	all year
Managers		ronald.holzman@sbcglobal.net		

AED RESPONDERS 2024: call 911 FIRST, then contact from this list:

NAME	PHONE	LOT	SEASONAL or FULL TIME
Renee Williams	720-641-0646	137	Full Time
Jim Asher	720-255-7672	137	Full Time
Ricki Letowt	207-632-3354	14	Full Time
Jorge Martinez	520-235-9045		Maintenance Crew
Jeff Holzman	520-625-3900		Manager
Mark Smith	419-680-3303	164	Seasonal
Jolene Mennenga	402-841-1543	218	Seasonal

Dale Powers, AED Coordinator, Lot 29, 503-680-5761, dpowers136@hotmail.com



