

# SILVERIDGE NEWSLETTER

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Meet Silveridge's new GM, Shawn Codina and our new Business Manager, Sue Isbell  
Thank you to Jarrod White for the new flower garden in our courtyard.



These Silveridge residents dressed up all in red for our Valentine Boogie.

Pictured in the back row: Chuck Dressel, Duane Erickson, Steve DuVall, Chuck Poulton, Don Erickson, John Allensworth, Mike Purcell. Front Row: Barb Colling, Eileen Tommervik, Carol DuVall, Joyce Poulton, Nita Dressel, Marilyn Purcell, Verta Martell, and Jaci Allensworth



# Olympic Gold

*Message From Sue Activity Director and Editor*

As I write my final letter of the season to you I am filled with gratitude for a successful year. It was an “Olympic Gold” Season! The Olympics have just completed and I am always awed by the talent of the young Olympians (only the young could perform those daring jumps and feats!) It also makes me proud seeing our American kids perform— and what tears of joy to see the gold, silver, or bronze medal around their necks.

In my book, we should all receive a medal for an Olympic year! It has been a year filled with new ideas and many hard working volunteers who have made this year special. As I recap the year I look at what worked well and then try to come up with new and improved ideas for the following season.

We had 17 Boogies- the majority were sold out! Yes, we will keep the Tuesday Dinner Boogies. You out did your selves with your original costumes. I have more themed dances next season and maybe a couple Friday night Dances. Our surprise of the year was the over the top “Dancing With your Stars.” I took a chance when I booked them but thanks to your overwhelming support it was a big success. And yes, we are doing it again with all new Silveridge stars! This year we added the Anniversary Party and a Ladies Fashion Show. Because of YOU they were also well received. The talent in this park is phenomenal and even though the Variety show has not taken place at the time of this printing, I know it will be a hit! Next season I will continue the concerts and themed Dinner Shows and add the Nativity Pageant and another “Ladies Day” (Maybe a Tea?) Continuing with the tradition, we will have another Christmas parade with an added twist of Best Decorated Homes of our park.

We are so lucky that we have delicious and hot food with most of our events. What an Olympian we have with Harvey, our head chef!! I feel so lucky to have Harvey, Jerry and Tracy as well as all the kitchen volunteers on my team. Our functions would not be the success they are without them. Let’s all remember to thank them when we are at a food event. Always stretching for the gold in her decorating ideas is Lou and her decorators. Thank you for always making our events so glamorous!

Kudos to all the “Olympian Club Leaders.” These volunteer leaders give us the opportunity to expand our physical, mental and spiritual growth. (My husband bought me a Droid cell phone this year and because of the computer classes I knew what it was!) Check out the new Silveridge Facebook pages. I have been adding pictures of all our events and your picture may be on there! Don’t miss Deanna Darrah as she takes us on a tour of Silveridge!

We had our first full year at the SilverScreen. Thanks to our movie operators and popcorn makers we were entertained and fed. We were impressed with our first ever documentary Safari Show presented by our own residents.

What memories we made as we learned, played and prayed together!

Another special Olympian in my book is my assistant Jill. Our front office would not run as smoothly as it does without her. You see her every day out in front selling tickets and taking care of all your service needs. She types all the Power Point messages that you receive on Channel 6 and works with all our faithful office volunteers.

Last but certainly not least are my “gold stars.” To my husband Jeff who is happy eating Harvey’s food (He had to give up on peanut butter and jelly sandwiches as they were too high in carbs!) And to Mom who prays for me daily and to Jerry who lends me his car when I need it – a heart felt thank you. There are so many people that I want to thank but due to space and time I will save many thank yous for the volunteer party on Mar. 20th.

Thank you God for these Bronzed Memories, Silver Linings, and another Golden Year!

# Celebration Time- Come On!



## 2014– 2015 Entertainment

Our theme once again for our next season will be Celebrate Let's Celebrate life and love, and all in the party atmosphere! I am still working out details, but here's a line-up of some of the upcoming events. Get a good rest this summer as you will be partying all season long!

### Concerts:

**Dancing with Your Stars:** Upon popular request! Who will be the new Silveridge Dancing Stars?? The "Big Reveal" will happen in January 2015 and the performance of our stars and the extremely talented ballroom stars will be on January 23rd!

**Circus of Illusion:** Hang on to your seats when you see Craig Davis perform his magic. I promise you an illusion show like no other, combining the art of illusion and the spectacle of the circus. And a real treat for the guys-An award winning Belly Dancer!!

**"I've Got the Music in Me"** Cindy Miller will blow you away with her Cabaret. It is a musical comedy of impersonations "starring" such women as Celine Dion, Tina Turner, Julie Andrews, Barbara Steisand and many more.

### Dinner Shows:

**Cahal Dunne:** "The Funny Irishman" Back once again to charm us with his music, and heart-warming stories. This will be our Valentines show on February 12th

**Crossstrung:** This is one of the best bluegrass groups you will ever hear! If you liked "Link Union" you will love this energetic, humorous, and culturally rich family of musicians. They will even entertain you with some Irish Clogging! This will be our March 5th St. Patricks Day show.

This is just a sampling of what I have planned just for you. I have lots of your favorite Boogie Bands booked and some new bands as well. I have a children's Mexican ballet booked as a Dinner Delight, our 3rd annual Lights Parade, and so much more. Watch for more entertainment in my Summer Message on the Silveridge Web pages .



### Volunteer Party Thursday, March 20th 4:30pm, Ballroom

**To All Volunteers who have helped during the season...** Please stop by the Activity Office with your "6-hour" volunteer sheet and pick up your complimentary ticket. If your spouse or significant other was unable to volunteer this season you can purchase a ticket for \$9.00 so they may accompany you. The menu will be Chicken Cordon Bleu with dessert and beverage. The success of our 2013-2014 season has been largely because of you- our gracious volunteers. Thank you- Thank you- Thank you!





# March Boogies and Dinner Delight

## Southwest Surfers



### “Splish Splash” Boogie Tuesday, March 4th, 4:30pm

Do you remember the Beach Boys? The Surfers performed last year for us and were a big hit. They will take you back in time when we were young. Come and relive the era and wear your beach clothes!

## Strolling Strings



**Highland High School Orchestra**  
**Dinner Delight Tuesday, March 18th, 4:30pm**  
Once again we present our ever so popular kids performing for us. They will delight you as they stroll through our ballroom playing their violins. This is our #1 always sold out event! Show only tickets available for \$5.00

## Tom Blair



### Honky Tonk Boogie Tuesday, March 11th, 4:30pm

Tom Blair is a talented musician who has “jammed” in his own park in Mesa for years. It is a one man show but he has an orchestra in his computer! He will bring back many memories as he plays a variety of country hits.

## Come Back Buddy



### Come Back Buddy Boogie Tuesday, March 25, 4:30pm

Do not miss our final boogie of the year. This 50's and 60's band will keep you on the dance floor all night long. Come and rock and roll and enjoy your friends at our last boogie for the season.

**All Boogie tickets are only \$9.00 and include dinner. BYOB and Table Settings**



## The Folk Collection Thursday, March 13th, 5:00 Social Hour 6:00 Dinner

Our last Dinner Show of the year is The “Peace and Love Show.” The Folk Collection are 4 guys singing harmony to classics from Peter Paul and Mary tunes along with TV Western theme songs and many more. The Folk Collection will leave you singing, toe tapping and smiling! Lou and her decorators will have all the Hippie decorations so don’t forget to wear a flower in your hair!

## VARIETY SHOW

Come one come all to our semi-annual variety show featuring Silveridge’s own! Master of Ceremonies, Armand Gagnier has recruited some talented stars. We have a Tribute to the 60’s Starring Chubby Checker, Elvis Presley, Willie and Waylon, Kenny Rogers, Dolly Parton, and Tina Turner. Also there will be 5 comedy skits that will tickle your funny bone!! Our own Jammers will play from 6:15-6:45. Doors open at 6:00 and show starts at 7:00

Tickets are only \$5:00 and selling fast.!!!

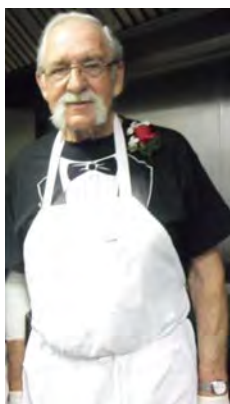
## Residents Craft Fair Saturday, March 15th, 9:00 -1:00pm

Check out all the talent right here at Silveridge as our residents display their handiwork.

Many items are for sale!

The food court will be open from 10:45-1:00pm so grab a bite to eat before you leave.





## Harvey's Saturday Breakfasts

**Saturday, March 8th & 22nd (Last Breakfast)**

**Serving from 7:00-9:00 am**

**Come and enjoy a hot breakfast of sausage or ham, eggs, toast or pancakes (plain or blueberry) Coffee and juice.**

**All this for only \$5.00!!**

## Spring Farewell Socials

**Eastern Social March 1st, 3:00pm** Social Hall. Anyone who lives east of the Mississippi or anyone who is from a state who does not have a social. Bring an appetizer or dessert. Sign up on the activity boards.

**Westerns States March 8th, 4:30pm** Alaska, Washington, Oregon California, Nevada, Idaho. Colorado, Montana. Utah and Wyoming. Sign up on Activity board or call Lou Hyde # 7447 or Marion Cook #7023

**Softball Social ,March 2nd**

**Exercise Groups March 12th 12:00 noon**

**Golf Social March 14th, 4:30pm**

**Computer Social March 15th, 4:30pm**

**Lawn Bowling Social March 16th, 4:30**

**Billiards Social March 21st, 4:30pm**

**Tennis Social March 23rd, 4:00pm**

**Bingo Social March 31st, 6:00pm**



**The PhotoShow is Saturday, March 8th from 1-3 in the Social Hall.** Many entries were submitted. Come and observe all the photos and find out who the winners are! The winning entries will be displayed at the Residents Craft Fair on March 15th. Vote for Best in Show

# Bingo

**Every Wednesday starting  
At 6:45pm**

**Food Served from 5:00-6:15pm. Dinner is \$7.00 / \$6.00 with Bingo Ticket**

**Sandwiches are \$3.50 Soda, water, popcorn, pies, cookies, ice cream sundaes served at intermission with your choice of toppings. Check with the Activity Desk or on Channel 6 for Chef Harveys Dinner**

**Games include: Double Action, Bonanza, Money Ball,  
Betty Boop**



**King and Queen Bingo Payouts– Door Prizes!!!**

**\$1,000.00  
Progressive  
Jackpot**



## Silveridge Christian Fellowship



Our Christian Fellowship Service is every Sunday at 9:00am in the Ballroom. Please join us for our non-denominational services which are open to everyone. This gives you the opportunity to worship with your friends and neighbors right here in the park.

## Silveridge Fellowship Choir

You are welcome to join the fun and fellowship of the Silveridge Choir. Our practice sessions are on Wednesday mornings at 9:00am in Room 1. The choir will sing at the Fellowship Services. For further information, contact Terry Boren at #524

## Celebration of Life



Through the year let us remember our residents who have lived at Silveridge who have passed away:

**Jim Rechtzigel**, February 9th

**Ken Allen**, February 25th

“Anyone who believes in me shall have eternal life”

John 3:15

## Bible Studies

Wednesday night Bible Study starts at 7:00pm in Room 4 and is led by Bob Oelschagel.

Ladies Bible Study in Room 4 at 9:30am

Leader is Cecile VanBeek.

## Pastor Ritchie Peterson Will Retire

Pastor Ritchie Peterson has announced his retirement effective March 31st, 2014 concluding nearly 13 years of service here. In addition to his weekly messages, Pastor Ritchie has served as visitation pastor, visiting the sick in the hospital, or in their home. He would visit shut-ins that were family members of Silveridge residents and offer support and comfort to those experiencing hardship, personal problems, or tragedy either by personal visitation or written messages from his Minnesota home. In addition to his ministry, he can be found every Saturday helping to prepare the ballroom for the Sunday service. We have all been blessed by Pastor Ritchie Peterson's ministry and wish him God's blessing. We are pleased that he and his wife Fran plan to continue to reside at Silveridge as winter visitors. We would like to invite everyone to join us for cake and coffee after church services on March 23rd to celebrate his many years of service to the Silveridge Christiana Fellowship.

Photo By Jim Bryan





## Activities 2013-2014

### Tai Chi and Qigong

Treat yourself to energy building, fun, and healthy exercise of Tai Chi. Taught by Quang and Laura who have years of experience in both the Tai Chi and Qigong forms of this art. Quang has a way of making the classes fun and motivational. Classes are held in the ballroom or exercise room on Fridays from 10:00-12:00 pm. Tai Chi is first followed by Qigong.

### Zumba

Zumba is aerobic dancing that is a lot of fun and easy to learn. Celebrate Fitness by exercising the fun way! Instructor Susan Tuttle uses upbeat music to get into shape. Classes are on Monday at 10:30am in the ballroom.

### Line Dancing

Come and learn how to do the fun moves at line dancing with Dee Dee on Tuesday mornings starting on Nov. 5th. in the ballroom. She teaches very beginners at 8:30am, beginners at 9:00, Easy intermediate at 10:00 and extended intermediate at 11:00 am.

## Wellness Tip: Get Moving

### Step Aerobics

This is a low impact exercise. Classes are on Mon /Wed /Fri. at 6:45 and 8:00 am and on Tues. and Thur. 8:00am Instructors are Tracy Gagnier Ellen Jones and Judy Minto

### Water Aerobics

Mon.-Fri. 7:45am and Tues. and Thur. 9:00am Instructor Nita Dressel 128

### Pilates

A total body workout involving stretching and toning. Pilates gives you core strength and improves your posture. Classes are Mon. in the exercise room- Wed. and Fri -ballroom. Rita Soine Instructor

### Yoga

Back again! This a great way to stretch, relax and strengthen your body. Come join the group on Monday in the Ballroom and Thur. in the exercise room from 7:00-8:00pm. Wear comfortable clothing and bring your own mat. Instructor Judy Minto #103

### Lapidary

If you like gems and rocks you will enjoy cutting stones and creating them into a thing of beauty. Classes are Monday 1:00-4:00pm and Fridays 9:00-12:00pm. Instructors are Fred Ward and Abe Pettyjon.

### Sterling Silver.

Make a ring for yourself. or for someone else to treasure. All supplies are furnished. Fee is \$10.00. Instructor is Jim Pickard # 596. Classes are Wed. and Fri. 9:00-12:00.

### Stained Glass

Come and learn the art of Stained Glass. Monitors will be on duty to help you with your projects. Watch for the times on the stained glass door. You may work on your art at any time.





# Sports

## Time For Tennis

By Connie Mainers

If you've been looking for exercise, competition and fun, tennis may be the answer. Silveridge Tennis Club membership is one of the best bargains around. Members are invited to participate in tournaments, East Valley Senior Tennis League (EVSTL) competition, club meetings and all tennis socials. In addition, members are entitled to use the club's ball machines and practice balls.

### Free Beginning Lessons and Fun Games

Our club offers free tennis lessons. Although lessons are over for this season, there will be a sign-up sheet on the tennis board next fall for organized lessons with our volunteer coaches. When you're ready to play for fun, All Play is just the ticket. Scheduled Monday through Friday, 4-5:30 p.m., these mixed skill level, round-robin type of pick-up games are a great way to make new friends and practice your tennis strokes in a relaxed setting.

### East Valley Senior Tennis League

For tennis players who want to test their skills against players from other parks, East Valley Senior Tennis League offers spirited competition each weekday morning. Our club has several teams of different ability levels; one of them is just right for you. Contact one of our tennis club members if you are interested in being a part of one of our teams.

### Aluminum Cans

A major fundraising project of the Tennis Club is the recycling of cans. Barrels are available across the park where you can deposit soda and beer cans. Look for them in the main ballroom, by all the dumpsters, and at the pool and tennis courts. Please **do not** use these barrels for trash or plastic. Your help is very much appreciated.

### And More.....

March 5 – Executive Committee Meeting, Room 4 @ 3:00

March 7 – EVSTL play ends

March 10 – General Membership Meeting, Social Hall @ 7:00

March 19 – Executive Committee Meeting, Room 4 @ 3:00



## Lawn Bowling

*"An hour to learn, a lifetime to master"*

Lawn Bowling is played with the players that show up, no leagues to join.

**Monday-Saturday 12:50pm**

Beginner lessons every day at 1:00pm

\$ 10.00 Club fee (no fee for the beginner lessons) Free supper in March

**Contact:** Doug Fraser #496, Paul Brown #332, or Byron Nate # 667

Photo by Doreen



# Silveridge Billiards

By Kay Gettler

Welcome from the Silveridge Men and Ladies Billiards. This is a great way to meet new people, learn or refresh yourself in the sport, and join in the fun and fellowship. The Billiard room is open to all, (most days) and all evenings for anyone who would like to play, practice or observe.

We have men's leagues, in park mixed tournaments. Ladies practices, monthly birthday celebrations, luncheons, holiday parties, in park mixed tournaments with the guys, and best of all...free lessons. You can become a member for only \$5 a year dues and \$6 for a locker if you have your own cue. If you would like more information please call Sue Fouche at 515-491-1061 or Kay Gettler at 515-822-2354

## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

March 9th-Men's Can-Am in the Billiard Room 1:00 p.m.

March 13-Ladies Pizza and Birthday Party 12:00 Card Room

March 21-Mixed Social, (guys, gals& spouses) after 3:00 Fri. Billiards in the Social Hall. Check board for more info.

## Pickleball



Pickleball recently had a fun in house tournament. Many players were involved. There were Gold, Silver and Bronze levels. Homemade medals were given to the winners. After the tournament there was a pizza party at the SilverScreen theater followed by a general meeting.. New officers were elected. Byron Nate, Jim Knox and Rick Winters (pictured above) are returning officers. Gail Caraca is the new Communication Director and Allan LePoudre (not pictured) will be the new secretary. Pickleball is played daily on the courts. Come anytime and enjoy the play!!

## Softball



Congratulations to the Silver Softball team for winning the City of Mesa, Senior 7A Divisional Championship for the Winter League 2014. Check out their plaque in the Activity Office.

Pictured back row : Allen McDowell, Beau Pyatt, Doug Nute, Mike Schindel, Wayne Ferguson, Jacques Coutu, Byron Jones, Denny Long and Larry Jones. Front Row: Don Offer, Stan Markham, Abe Pettyjohn, Roy Loutit, Barry Ott, Coach Harvey Jamieson, and Bob Cook.

# Hiking on Tuesdays

We have two hiking groups (**Group 1 and Group 2**) that hike every Tuesday morning at **7:30 am** or **8:30am** from November through March. Please read separate information posted on the bulletin board about each groups hikes. Then sign up for the hike/walk you would like to go on. PLEASE take into consideration your hiking ability when signing up for your hike. Please visit our new site at [www.silveridgehikers.wordpress.com](http://www.silveridgehikers.wordpress.com)

**Group 1 Hikers:** This group meets at **7:30am** Come along and enjoy a day of hiking and experience the extraordinary mountain and desert scenery in beautiful Arizona. Look for the hiking information on the Hiking Activity Board. If you have any questions please call Betty Royal #374

## Group 2: Hikers and Walkers

This group meets on Tuesdays at **8:30am**. We will do 3 to 5 mile hikes and walks thru Arizona's wonderful desert and mountains. This group is for people from walkers to hikers. Hikes are chosen so that people of different abilities can go distances BUT, should be able to walk a mile or two on desert trails. We will walk or hike about 2 + hours, stop for a snack and return to the trailhead. We will return to Silveridge in the early afternoon. Please look for information and sign up sheets on the Hiking Activity Board. Call Pat McDonald if you have any questions.



## Silveridge WoodWorkers Shop

By Barry Wetter

If you have an interest in working with wood come join us in the Silveridge WoodWorkers Shop from Monday to Saturday 8:30 to 12:00 AM and 1:00 to 4:00 PM (closed Sunday). Monthly meetings are held the second Wednesday of each Month from November through March. The March meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 12<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM in the wood shop when the election of officers for the coming year will take place. A \$20 annual fee puts a wide variety of excellent power and hand tools at your disposal. Knowledgeable individuals are available to assist you in learning to use the equipment and for help on your projects. Display your projects and help in supporting the club at the final craft fair for this season. Drop by the shop to view the available equipment and talk with members about the different projects you may wish to complete.



**We have changed our name! We are now known as**  
**SILVERCOM COMPUTER AND TECHNOLOGY CLUB**  
**(SILVERCOM CTC)**

**Y**OU can still join Silvercom CTC. Monday programs continue through March. For only \$5 per living unit, payable at any Monday meeting or sent to Susan Bommersbach, #429, along with a completed membership form, found on the Computer Club bulletin board, you can attend programs and special interest groups.

**MONDAYS at 9:00 a.m. in Ballroom**

March 3—General Meeting: Election of Officers; Troubleshooting; New Gadgets  
 March 10—“Tricks of Photography—Make a SPLASH” by Jim Hyde  
 March 17—Mystery program—Digital presentation to be determined  
 March 24—Mystery program—To be announced

**ALL MONDAYS through MAR 24 at 10:15 a.m. in Computer Room**

Genealogy Special Interest Group—come anytime

**MONDAYS, MAR 3 and 10 at 10:15 a.m. in Card Room**

Android Smartphone Special Interest Group—come anytime

**WEDNESDAYS, MAR 5 AND 19, at 1 p.m. in Room 4**

Digital Camera Special Interest Group—come anytime

**ALL FRIDAYS through MAR 21, at 1 p.m.**

Computer Help Session in Computer Room—Bring individual computer problems

**ALL CLASSES ARE FILLED OR FINALIZED FOR THIS YEAR.  
 SIGN UP FOR CLASSES NEXT YEAR!**

**SATURDAY, MAR 15.**

**End-of-year Silvercom Computer Club Party in Social Hall**

**Look for sign-up sheet on Silvercom CTC bulletin board**

**ENJOY YOUR SUMMER! Join Silvercom CTC again next year!**

Do you have questions? Please contact President Fran Dexter at 7428 or [fdexter66@gmail.com](mailto:fdexter66@gmail.com).

Silvercom CTC is a member of East Valley Association of Computer Clubs  
 and Arizona Association of Computer Clubs.





## IMPORTANT INFO



### from the MAIL ROOM!

It's time to start thinking about going home for the summer so this is a reminder what to do with your mail so that it gets back to you in a timely manner.

I know most of you that did a change of address with the post office put a STOP date on it, but just to make sure that it gets stopped from being forwarded, wait until you return home and contact your *local* Post Office and tell them you're back and to **STOP** forwarding your mail. Let them make the change. This should stop having the mail shipped back and forth, getting caught in a loop. This is for US Mail. I will start to forward your mail when you let the office know that you are leaving. It would also be a plus to drop a slip or note in the IN PARK BOX located on the back side of the mailroom, for me in case I haven't been informed.

It is very important for those who have medicine shipped here to stress when ordering which address to ship it to. This will get it to you faster in case you are running low. If it has to be forwarded from here it could be delayed. And there have been issues where the post office returns to sender for reasons unknown.

Also **PLEASE** contact your newspaper and magazine subscribers and change your address **directly** because by law we are only responsible for forwarding those items for 2 months.

We know many of you asked to have your Lot # added to your forwarded mail and it was left off. When returning in the fall **PLEASE** stress to your local Post Office that it is necessary to have it included in your address. Please also let any of your correspondence like family know that it needs to be on the envelope.

The mail room is very challenging and in order to make sure that everyone gets their mail, these things need to be addressed. Any questions **PLEASE** ask me and together hopefully we'll make it a smooth transition.

Have a safe and healthy summer and I look forward to seeing you all in the fall.  
Remember to check out with the office and check in when returning.

Thanks, Kim



*L to R- Marge Sison, Edie Greiner, Margaret Ebersbacher, Kay Gettler  
Marilyn Seibert, Jenet Brorson, Linda Cron*

Card Room in the lobby area. Cards are also played in the poker rooms by the mail area and a few cards are played in room 4. A listing of all the card games with places and times are in the [Activity Line Up sheet](#) which you can get at the Activity Office. The popular game of Mah Jongg is in the Card Room on Mondays and Thursdays from 1:00- 4:00pm



Dear Silverridge Residents,

Thank you so much for your generous donations to Sunshine Friends.

Because of you, we are able to extend a helping hand to our dear residents in the park. Let us know

if someone is in the hospital, has a long term illness or a death in the family. We want to help in any way we can.

**Karilyn Martinsen 763-257-2709**

**Sunshine Friends**



Thank you to all the volunteers and those who came to celebrate Canada Days. It was a huge success! Proceeds from Canada Days were distributed between the Kitchen, Decorating and the Sunshine Friends

**Judy Minto, Chair for Canada Days Hosted by Manitoba and Saskatchewan**

**The Ladies Poker Room** recently got their Poker tables recovered.

Card playing is not only fun but a good way to visit with your friends while keeping your mind sharp!

We have Bunco, Cribbage, Dominoes, Euchre, Hand and Foot, Ladies Poker, Mens Poker, Pinochle, "500", Pitch, Saskatchewan Rummy, Ladies Bridge, Sixty-Five, Whist, and Texas Hold'em .

Many of our card games are played in the

Photo by Kay Gettler



# Arts and Crafts



## Piecemakers Quilting and Sewing Group

The sewing ladies in Room 6&7 recently received new chairs bought by the Renters Association. The new chairs are comfortable and adjustable. Pictured are Jan Bryan and Sylvia Loutit. The Piecemakers and the Silveridge Quilters will showing their quilts at the Residents Craft Fair on Mar. 15th. Be sure to view their handiwork! The Piecemakers meet in room 6-7 on Wed. and Thur. from 9:00am to 4:00pm. Meetings and demos at 10:00 am. Check the bulletin board for more details Contact Marge Faktor # 565 or Noell Duffy # 422 or Pat McDonald

**Silveridge Quilters** meet on Mondays 9:00-4:30pm and Fridays 9:00-12:30pm. Leaders are Diana Monroe # 424 and Donna Rollins. # 220 The Quilters are raffling a handmade quilt and the money helps buy the materials and supplies for future quilts. The quilts go the Sunshine Acres and other charities Tickets are available at coffee and donuts. The winning ticket for the quilt will be drawn at the Residents Craft Fair.

## Room 9: Ceramics, Pottery and Doll Making

The ceramic and pottery classes are in full swing. New ceramic leaders, Nancy Lambertson and Jan Billings have added shelves to show off the completed ceramic pieces. Thank you to Richard Rusk and the Woodworkers for hanging them. Come and learn how to make something unique for your home or as a gift. Ceramics class meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Pottery meets on Wednesdays and Porcelain Doll making meets on Mondays and Fridays

## Massage Therapy

Are you feeling stressed or have you pulled a muscle? Then consider having a massage with either Sandie or Kelly. Both ladies are licensed Massage Therapists who work at Silveridge. Sandie works Monday-Wednesday and Kelly works on Saturdays from 9:00-4:00pm. Call 602-309-2482 for an appointment.

## Paint With Pat

Enjoy some relaxation and fun while completing an oil painting in a day. Look for the weekly class project displayed on the easel near the activity desk. This year they will paint from several still life projects on canvas. Artists are encouraged to use their own techniques and ideas in their paintings. Space is available on Tuesday and Thursday classes from 9:00 am to 4:30pm. All levels of painters are welcome.

Please call Pat Paulus if you have questions. #473

## New Art Journaling

*Make your own Art Journal to record your life. Draw, Doodle or Watercolor. Classes start on Mondays from 1-4pm in Room 5. Instructor is Linda Davis # 10.*



**Please do not pick anyone's fruit without permission!**

## Alice's Get Away

Join this fun group on Tuesdays from 1:00- 3:00pm in Room 6. Bring your hand sewing, crafts, knitting or whatever project you are working on.



## The Activity Office is Here to Serve You!

There are many ways that we can help you at the Activity Desk. Not only do we sell tickets to all our events, we can be of help to you in many other ways.

**Newspaper: Subscribe to the Arizona Republic.** Subscription Options:

**Sun Club** : Includes home delivery plus year-round digital access. See us for pricing.

**EZ Pay** \$25.70 pr month (comes out of your credit card monthly)

**Printed Bill** \$28.37 pr month, Monday-Sunday. They will send you a monthly bill.

**Order monthly upfront** (min.3 months) and pay by credit card or check made out to the Az. Republic

We do not offer just the Sunday and Wednesday paper this year. Except for the Sun Club you still need to call to cancel your subscription.# 602-444-1000 Thank you in advance for ordering through the Activity Office!

**Copies: \$.10 pr page**

**Faxes: \$1.00 pr page sending or receiving**

**Laundry: New! Purchase your quarters from the business office**

**Stamps : US and Canadian. You may mail packages from The Resort (our sister park)**

**The Activity Desk** is where you purchase all your tickets for this season's events. All Dinner Delights, Boogie Nights, Dinner Shows and reserved Concert seats require a ticket before the event starts. The Saturday Breakfast and the Food Court during the Arts and Crafts Fair are the only events by the Activity Department that do not require a ticket.

Sample Ticket

All checks must be U.S.



**At the Hop Boogie**  
**Come Back Buddy Band**  
 Tuesday, March 23rd, 2014  
 4:30 - 7:30pm  
 BYOB and Table Settings

### NEW

*Order Ticket List. Mark the activities you want. Bring in the list and we will add it up. Come back later. Pay by check or cash and receive your tickets. (no credit cards)*

## New Activity Policies

We would really appreciate your getting your tickets before the day of the event. If you need to get them at the last minute please do so by 12.00pm the day of the event. Our kitchen needs to have an accurate count of the number of people attending. If you want to sit with your friends it works well for all of you to come in and purchase together. Please pay for your tickets when ordering them. **We can only hold seats without payment until 3:00pm of that day. The seats will then be released for purchase. (unless it is a long distance call in order or an email order.)** Several of our events have sold out. **On the Boogie nights only:** people from outside the park will not be able to purchase tickets until one week prior to the event. This will ensure everyone of our own residents to be able to purchase tickets.

## Place Settings

Please bring your place settings to all Activity food events. This consists of plate, utensils, napkin, cup and glass. We encourage plastic or glass plates. Paper plates do not hold up under the amount of food served. The only exception is at the food court during the Arts and Crafts Fair and Welcome Back parties where we furnish your table service. The Decorating committee would appreciate if you would clear your own tables. Please remove table coverings and personal items.

**Newsletter Deadline for articles from Club leaders is October 15, 2014**

# February Memories



Left to right: Our lovely models at our Fashion Show: Lois, Kay, Judy, Linda and Barb; Jarrod and Mannequin- Jim and Lou at Latin night, Darlene and Gordon Daily, Prom Night Tracy and Armand Gagnier, Valentine Boogie; Joan Rosenberger, Wendy Homolka, and Deanna Darrah at Las Vegas Night, Harvey and Jerry cooking on Prom night, and Fran and Allen Dexter.

