

# Happy New Year

It's hard to believe that a whole year has passed so fast. We had a great 2008 and 2009 promises to be even better. We finished off the year with a fun New Year's Eve party with lots of food.

We started the new year with a delicious sausage, pancake and French toast breakfast that attracted a lot of hungry eaters. The volunteers that cooked and cleaned up deserve a big thanks.

We will have our first activity meeting of 2009 on Monday morning, the 5th, at 8:30 AM with complimentary coffee and donuts.

Women's Bible study begins on Monday, the 5th, at 1:00 PM.

We will have a fashion show and salad luncheon on Saturday, the 10th, at



11:30 AM. Clothing sales will start at 10:00 AM. Bring a salad to share.

Our first soup lunch of the year will be on Tuesday, the 13th, at noon. It will cost \$4.00; pay at the door, but you need to sign up.

On Thursday, the 15th, ladies lunch out will be at Macaroni Grill. We will leave the hall at 11:00 AM. Please sign up.

Enjoy an all-you-can-eat pizza and salad dinner on Friday, the 16th, at 5:30 PM for only \$6.00. Sign up and purchase tickets in advance.

Learn fabric painting on Wednesday, the 28th, at 9:30 AM. Please sign up.

By popular demand we'll have another soup lunch at noon on Thursday, the 29th. Sign up and pay at the door.

Our final special event of the month is a Jam Session on the 31st at 1:00 PM. All musicians are urged to join in.

Snacks and beverages will be available for purchase.

We are trying to arrange a two night trip at Avi Casino - located about 12 miles south of Laughlin, Nev. - for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, February 1st 2nd and 3rd. More information will be available after we have confirmed the dates and cost.

We have been collecting toiletries for the battered women's shelter in Apache Junction. Please bring your contributions to the main hall as soon as possible so we can deliver them.

Our new line dancing classes attracted a good group of students. Come on Thursdays at 6:30 PM and learn to line dance like an expert.



## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

### POP, WATER, ICE & COFFEE

Soda pop and bottled water are available in the refrigerator for 50¢ each and ice, for \$1.50 per bag is available in the ice case outside. Place in the box on the west wall inside the hall.

### DONATE YOUR PENNIES

There is a bucket in the North Hall for collecting your spare pennies. At the end of the season we will roll the pennies and donate them to the Apache Junction Food Bank. Last season we donated \$69 in pennies.

### ALUMINUM CANS

Save your aluminum cans and put them in the collection container in the North Hall. The cans will be donated to the Order of the Amaranth for their diabetes philanthropic project. All income from the recycling of the cans will go to diabetes research. Nothing is withheld for expenses or salaries. Please do not put garbage in this can.

### MEALS

Unless you are advised differently always bring your own table service and glasses/cups to meals. Bowls and spoons are provided for ice cream socials.

Volunteers don't get paid, not because they're worthless, but because they're priceless.

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**WEEKLY ACTIVITIES FOR JANUARY 2009**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
6:30 PM Ice Cream Social 6:30 PM Billiards 7:00 PM Card Bingo	7:30 AM Men's Coffee 8:30 AM Coffee & Donuts 9:00 AM Shuffling 11:00 AM Water Aerobics 1:00 PM Bible Study 6:30 PM Billiards	7:30 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:30 AM Exercise 9:30 AM Tennis 11:00 AM Water Aerobics 1:00 PM Cards 6:30 PM Billiards 6:30 PM Cribbage	7:30 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:00 AM Create & Chat 11:00 AM Water Aerobics 6:30 PM Billiards 6:30 PM Pinochle	7:30 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:30 AM Exercise 9:30 AM Tennis 11:00 AM Water Aerobics 1:00 PM Cards 6:30 PM Billiards 6:30 PM Line Dancing Class	7:30 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 11:00 AM Water Aerobics 6:30 PM Poker 6:30 PM Friday Night Gambling	7:30 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:30 AM Exercise 9:30 AM Tennis 10:00 AM Schwann's Delivery 6:30 PM Billiards

**NOTE: ALL TABLE GAMES ARE IN THE CARD HALL EXCEPT CARD BINGO**

**JANUARY 2009 SPECIAL EVENTS**

Jan. 3	8:30 AM	Pancake & Sausage Breakfast (Sign Up)
Jan. 5	8:30 AM	Activities Meeting With Complimentary Coffee & Donuts
Jan. 6	5:30 PM	Potluck (Sign Up)
Jan. 10	11:30 AM	Potluck Salad Lunch, Fashion Show and Clothing Sale
Jan. 12	9:30 AM	Pinochle tournament (Sign Up)
Jan. 13	12:00 PM	Soup Lunch (Sign Up)
Jan. 15	11:00 AM	Ladies Lunch Out (Sign Up)
Jan. 16	5:30 PM	Pizza Party (Sign Up)
Jan. 20	5:30 PM	Potluck (Sign Up)
Jan. 23	5:30 PM	Arizona Opry (Sign Up & Pre-Pay)
Jan. 28	9:30 AM	Fabric Painting Class (Sign Up)
Jan. 29	12:00 PM	Soup Lunch (Sign Up)
Jan. 31	1:00 PM	Jam Session

**CHECK THE BIG CALENDAR IN THE HALL FOR ANY CHANGES TO THE SCHEDULE**



We will publish a residents' directory for the 2008-2009 season. All information is optional and will help us so we can keep in touch with each other during the summer. Please fill in the form below and turn it into the Activity Office as soon as possible. **If you do not submit a form, even if you were listed last season, we will assume that you do not want to be listed or did not return.** The directory will not be distributed outside of the park.

Forms must be turned in to the Activity Office by noon, January 15th to be included in the directory.

**DIRECTORY INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Space \_\_\_\_\_ Park Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address #2: \_\_\_\_\_

**HOME ADDRESS**

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

**BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY INFORMATION**

His Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ (Month and day only)

Her Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ (Month and day only)

Anniversary: \_\_\_\_\_ (Month, day and year)