

ÉIRINN GO BRÁCH



If you are well versed in the official language of the Irish Republic you will recognize the above phrase as “May I stay in Ireland forever.” Saint Patrick’s day - Saint Paddy’s Day - celebrates March 17th as the day of the death of Ireland’s Patron Saint, St. Padrig of Eire, and the arrival of Christianity in Ireland. Although he is credited with driving all the snakes from Ireland, there have never been snakes on the island. The snakes probably refer to the pagans that he converted.

March marks the last full month of our winter season, as many of our friends will soon begin their exodus to the north lands to escape the desert heat, file their taxes, shovel their houses out of the snow and other enjoyable spring pursuits.

The rest of us sun worshipers will enjoy the warm spring with its’ myriad of wild flowers and beautiful cactus blossoms, at least until the

summer heat and monsoon dust and thunder storms chase us into the confines of our air conditioned homes.

During the off season many of our activities will continue for our full time residents. During this time Jerri French will be the focal point for activities.

Last month we enjoyed a cruise dinner to several ports of call. Next season we will visit each of the destinations and enjoy a dinner and entertainment appropriate to each port.

You don’t have to be Irish to like corned beef and cabbage, so be sure to sign up and get your tickets for our annual dinner on March 17th.

We have many other events scheduled for this month, so be sure and read the schedule on page 2 and frequently check the big calendar in the north hall for the most updated event schedules.

This is the last newsletter for this season, but we will have several activities in April. These will be

posted on the big calendar.

If you happen to misplace your newsletter you can visit our website, www.arizonianresort.com/activities.html, and view or print any of our past or present newsletters.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to stop in my office to discuss them, or just stop in to visit. My office hours are Monday through Friday from 8am until 12pm. You may also reach me on my cell phone, 602-432-8307 or email me at k.a.house@att.net.

May you always have...
 Walls for the winds
 A roof for the rain
 Tea beside the fire
 Laughter to cheer you
 Those you love near you
 And all your heart might desire



FAMOUS QUOTES

There is nothing impossible to him who will try.
Alexander the Great

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 the money in the box on the west wall inside the north 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 \$47 in pennies.

ALUMINUM CANS

Save your aluminum cans and put them in the collection containers in the two halls. 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 these containers.

MEALS

Unless you are advised differently always bring your own table service and glasses/cups to meals and ice cream Socials.

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MARCH						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
6:30 PM Ice Cream Social 6:30 PM Billiards 7:00 PM Card Bingo	7:00 AM Men's Coffee 8:30 AM Coffee & Donuts 9:00 AM Shuffling 1:00 PM Out of Park League Pool 1:30 PM Bible Study 4:00 PM Happy Hour at Pool 6:00 PM Poker 6:30 PM Billiards	7:00 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:00 AM Pickle Ball 1:00 PM Cards 6:30 PM Billiards	7:00 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:00 AM Create & Chat 1:00 PM Bingo 6:30 PM Billiards 6:30 PM Pinochle	7:00 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 9:00 AM Pickle Ball 9:00 AM Quilting 10:00 AM Stained Glass 1:00 PM Cards 6:30 PM Billiards	7:00 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Shuffling 6:00 PM Poker 6:30 PM Billiards 6:30 PM Friday Night Gambling	7:00 AM Men's Coffee 9:00 AM Pickle Ball 9:00 AM Shuffling 6:30 PM Billiards 6:30 PM Texas Hold 'em

**NOTE: ALL TABLE GAMES ARE IN THE NORTH HALL
CHECK THE BIG CALENDAR IN THE NORTH HALL FOR MOST RECENT UPDATES**

MARCH 2013 SPECIAL EVENTS	
Mar. 1	9:00 AM Potluck Brunch
Mar. 3	5:30 PM Father's Day Dinner & Entertainment (Sign Up & Tickets)
Mar. 4	8:30 AM Activity Meeting with Complimentary Coffee and Donuts & Teaser with George Dyer
Mar. 5	5:30 PM Potluck (Sign Up)
Mar. 8	9:00 AM Shuffleboard Tournament & Lunch (Sign Up)
Mar. 9	9:00 AM Patio Sale
Mar. 11	8:30 AM Coffee & Donuts with CalAm
Mar. 11	7:00 PM George Dyer Show (Sign Up & Pay)
Mar. 12	11:00 AM Ladies Lunch Out (Sign Up)
Mar. 13	Until Noon Last day to buy tickets for Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner
Mar. 15	9:00 AM Pinochle Tournament (Sign Up)
Mar. 17	5:30 PM Corned Beef & Cabbage Dinner (Sign Up & Pay by Mar. 13th)
Mar. 19	9:00 AM One-Stroke Paint Class (Sign Up)
Mar. 19	5:30 PM Potluck (Sign Up)
Mar. 23	12:00 PM End of Season Party
Mar. 24	1:00 PM Square Dancing
Mar. 28	8:30 AM Biscuit & Gravy Breakfast (Sign Up)
Mar. 31	1:00 PM Easter Dinner (Sign Up)