



DESERT HARBOR—A 55+ COMMUNITY—APACHE JUNCTION, AZ—JANUARY 2019

## REMEMBERING OUR NEIGHBORS

*by Connie Riter, Dave Borchardt & Jane Boudreau*

Each January we remember those residents who passed away during the previous year. This year the article is a collaboration. Thank you from all the families who lost a family member this year.

Your friendship and support have helped each of us with this new journey we are undertaking.

We did not choose this path however, its one we must pursue

May you all have a blessed and wonderful 2019.

**BILL BOUDREAU**, As many of you know my husband , was one of those who passed away. He was a very private introspective and loving person. He began helping the Activities Organization during Ken Camp's first presidency. Ken was organizing a silent auction. Bill said he felt we could do better than yellow tablet paper for bid sheets. Bill began designing posters announcing activities, sign up sheets, tickets and other printed material for the Activities Organization. Before he left for the summer, he had material prepared for those known activities through Thanksgiving. He was my right-hand man during the creation of material for the Fun Days. He enjoyed visiting with other residents especially his neighbor Doug Harris. They visited almost daily for coffee, cigarettes and as Doug would say good old Missouri BS. Bill enjoyed spending time on the Gasconade River in Missouri. If the fish weren't biting, he would float down and motor back up stream and do it again. He loved Arizona's landscape and shared as much of it as he could with visitors. The Apache Trail to Roosevelt Lake, Desert Botanical Garden. Besh Ba Gowah and the Superstition Museum were a few of his favorites. He was able to share these with his grandchildren Elloura and Oliver, daughter Kristine and son-in-law Neil Lockhart when they visited from London during their Easter break in 2017.

**DAVID FOX** David moved into lot #11 with his son Glenn in 2015. David was born on June 10, 1935 in Trumbauersville, Pa. He served in the Air Force for 4 years. He worked for the US Gauge for 40 years. He and his wife were very involved in breeding and grooming Wheaton Terriers. David also enjoyed going to Happy Hour at the clubhouse.

**GLENN FOX** Glenn moved into lot #11 with his Dad David in 2015. Glenn was born July 7, 1962 in Quakertown, Pa. He worked in various manufacturing settings. His real interest was in model trains. He belonged to a train club which built model train displays and scenery and also worked for a hobby shop which was located in the old Quakertown railroad station. Glenn also enjoyed going to Happy Hour at the clubhouse and playing poker until his health wouldn't allow him to. He also loved Roller Coasters.

**HARRY GREEN** was born in Philadelphia, PA., on Dec 18, 1941. Harry was 76 yrs. of age when passed away peacefully at Hospice of the Valley in Tempe, AZ. on April 22, 2018 with his wife, Liz by his side. Harry joined the Navy after graduating from Jefferson High School in El Paso, Texas in 1959. He served 4 years in the Service (2 of which were in the Marines) where he was deployed as Corpsman to Vietnam. In 1963 he left the Service and after meeting and later marrying his first wife Joan they moved to San Diego, Ca., before settling in Arizona. Unfortunately they never had any children of their own but he was everybody's favorite "Uncle Harry". After Joan's passing in 2000 it wasn't until May of 2012 when he and Liz moved into Desert Harbor from Queen Creek, AZ. Harry was a Religious Man and until his health failed him, he loved singing in the choir with his best friend Jean Hansen (another resident of the "Harbor"). And he was best known for his bar-b-que ribs and his love of Mexican Train Game Nights (Dominoes).



**DOUG HARRIS** liked to have a project to keep him busy. A couple of years ago he purchased a Corvette at a garage sale. He restored the car during his winter months here in Desert Harbor. He loaded it onto a trailer and took it home to Estevan for a new paint job. He also helped with the Fun Days by repairing donated furniture items, painting signs and placing them around the community. For several years the Canadian residents have hosted a dinner dance for all the residents. Doug and Bertha assisted with the preparation and hosting of the evening. Doug and their dog JJ were often seen cruising the streets of Desert Harbor in his golf cart. Doug would say to JJ "Lets go visit Bill" and she would beat him to our door. One morning I heard something outside and he was building a bridge to make it easier for Bertha to come over to our home. Another time I found him sanding our security door preparing it for a new coat of paint. Doug was a successful business owner in Estevan however, who enjoyed his winters here in Arizona. An evening at the casino was a great way to top off a full day for him. He also, enjoyed visits from his children and friends who came to escape the winters in Canada. He was a wonderful neighbor who is very missed.

**RICHARD HASSETT** (lot #49)

**WILFORD JAMES (Jim) HUTSON** (lot #56) and his wife Kitty were long time residents of Desert Harbor. He attended bible study group prior to becoming a care giver for his wife. He will be missed by his loving family.

**LARRY LUBY** I can still picture Larry walking the streets with his little black dog, "Annie." Larry and Bertha lived at the far end of our street (#86) and it was a frequent experience to see Larry and Annie taking each other for a walk and Larry saying "hello" to everyone he met on the way. They moved into the Park in 1998 being some of the first residents of the newly developing Desert Harbor. Bertha now lives in Florida with her daughter, Susan, and I had a delightful conversation with her to get information for this article. Bertha and Larry were married for 50 years living in New York, Connecticut, Florida, Gilbert and finally in Desert Harbor. Larry served two years as a Marine in Japan during the Korean War. He worked for 37 years for NY Telephone Company and then for Southern Bell when he moved from New York. He and Bertha had 6 children between them.

"He was a sports nut," Bertha said. He loved football and baseball and met frequently with his friends to discuss various games. He loved everybody and had a million jokes which he shared with everyone he met on his walks. "I got the dogs and Larry walked them," Bertha told me. (She was afraid of falling.) "Larry was a great guy," Bertha said. "I used to call him 'the mayor' because he was so outgoing and friendly." Until we meet again, Larry, we will miss you!



**DOROTHY MILLER** Dorothy moved into lot #186 with her daughter Sherry and son-in-law Herm Weinert. At first they went back to Wyoming for the summer months but as time went on they really wanted to live in Desert Harbor full time and Dorothy was so thrilled when they finally did. Dorothy really led a full and active life and it continued with her time here at Desert Harbor. She enjoyed many of our activities but probably her most enjoyment was playing Texas Hold Em. She was loved by many and will be missed by all.



**TONY TENAGLIA**

Tony and Rose moved into #140 in 2007. Tony was a man who kept to himself. He was active in the Social club for many years helping with cooking and grilling on occasions. Tony also liked to use the swimming pool, walking the park, laying out in the sun and going to casinos. Tony was an Air Force veteran.

**RICHARD (DICK) TIETZ** was a relative newcomer to our community arriving in 2017. He and his wife Mary were originally from Minnesota. Dick was an avid golfer and occasionally found time to fish one of the lakes in Minnesota. He was an active fellow enjoying bowling, shooting pool and playing cards. Not one to sit still, he had five part time jobs during his retirement years. He was also a Fast Pitch Softball Umpire for over 40 years for both men and girls. His youngest daughter was a pitcher in high school and college. He was what you'd call a people person, never knowing a stranger and making friends easily. Wish I'd had the opportunity to meet this loving husband, dad and grandfather.

**CHUCK VENDL** (by Mickey Kosar) Frank and I first met Chuck on Maui, Hawaii, on the beach at sunset. Chuck had just purchased his condo at the Nani Kai Hale. Frank and I lived 3 floors above Chuck, so we made the sunset on the beach with Chuck and friends part of our routine. Chuck loved traveling taking cruises around the world, but especially loved travels to Mexico. The latter being his last cruise to Mexico with his daughters, which was, as he stated, "the most enjoyable" of memory. Chuck was also a very good cook. He self published a cookbook for friends and family. Wish I had asked for one, LOL! During Chuck's stint in the Navy he was involved with development of the aerospace program, which he was sworn to "secrecy," which in his 80th year he thought he could talk a bit about, but not into much detail. Chuck was a good cook, a good friend who had an exceptionally good sense of humor, he will be sorely missed. RIP Chuck. Aloha ah hui ho (until we meet again).

**JAMES WALLACE** who lived in #36 also passed away this year. No one seems to have known him very well, not even his closest neighbors.

**From the President's Desk—Dave Borchardt**

Thank you to everyone who helped with our first Christmas Day Pot Luck. We didn't have anyone signed up to be host and hostess but we ended up with more than enough people for set up and a lot of people did an excellent job with clean up. It truly was a team effort.



I'm sorry to say that our large Blue Recycle Dumpster was taken away. It's such a shame because we worked so hard to get one put in here in the first place. The company had warned us many times that it would be taken out if the garbage continued to be found in the dumpster.

We have a lot of activities and entertainment coming up in the next few months so be sure to sign up and attend these events.

Our annual Fun Day is right around the corner on March 9th so take a look around your house and shed to see what you can donate to our biggest fund raiser of the year. Please be sure that whatever you donate is in good working condition and clean.

Thank you to all our volunteer residents who helped make 2018 the great year that it was.

**ACTIVITIES ORGANIZATION**

President (term 2018-2020)	Dave Borchardt	Lot #142	612-790-7549
Vice President (term 2018-2010)	Bruce Wicken	Lot #37	612-418-5194
Secretary (term 2017-2019)	Connie Riter	Lot #81	315-657-3078
Treasurer (term 2017-2019)	Richard Granata	Lot #99	860-922-3642
Board Member (term 2016-2019)	Richard Lewis	Lot #23	480-983-0085
Board Member (term 2017-2020)	April Doud	Lot #31	509-881-1130
Board Member (term 2018-2021)	Bonnie Harrison	Lot #40	480-304-2449

**DESERT HARBOR ACTIVITIES COORDINATORS**

<b><u>ACTIVITY</u></b>	<b><u>COORDINATOR</u></b>	<b><u>TELEPHONE</u></b>
BEAN BAG	CLIFF TESSMER	480-671-1414
BINGO	KAREN KROSCHER PAULA BARKER	509-209-3722 712-490-7118
BUNCO	BECKY GARDNER	480-288-9068
CLOSET QUILTERS	CAROLE HOBSON	480-288-6270
CLUBHOUSE DECORATING	SUSAN HOOPES LINDA EDWARDS	505-280-5049 360-772-3858
ENTERTAINMENT	CAMI WEISS	480-234-5074
GENEALOGY	ESTHER LOUGH	480-288-8579
LADIES SOUP & SALAD IN PARK	CONNIE RITER	315-657-3078
LADIES LUNCHEON OUT OF PARK	BEA GOUDESEUNE	480-661-9117
MAHJONGG	ESTHER LOUGH	480-288-8579
PING PONG	DON-JUDY CHILDERS	480-982-3664
POKER	DAVE DROUIN	602-459-9039
SHUFFLEBOARD	WAYNE MILLER	480-688-6903
TAI CHI	MIDGE DROUIN	602-459-9039
WATER VOLLEYBALL	LINDA STEPHENS	480-621-9216
WELCOME	BILL & SHARI HAUCKE	928-978-4457
SUNSHINE	BONNIE HARRISON	480-304-2449

**WEB MASTER, DICK SMITH, 480-983-5819**

**DESERT HARBOR MANAGER, 480-288-8876**

**NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE**

**Co-Editors: Connie Riter & Dave Borchardt**

**Writers: Midge Drouin, Jane Boudreau, Barb Nienkark, Cami Weiss**

## BIRTHDAYS - ANNIVERSARIES

### JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

<u>DAY</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOT</u>
1	Dick Norman	54
7	Jerry Stai	126
8	Bill Hightower	8
9	Linda Edwards	153
12	Esther Lough	123
14	Judith Dilley	9
20	Peter Jackson	55
24	Bob LeVeque	62
24	Jan Lofthus	119
25	Dave Drouin	203
25	Guy Nagy	108
25	Judy Pfeifer	50

### JANUARY ANNIVERSARIES

<u>DAY</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOT</u>
4	Barry & Nellie Dalton	145
14	Mike & Judy Pfeifer	50
17	Jim & Kathy Leach	148
22	Gene & Mary Pat Summers	189



If you wish to add your birthday and/or anniversary or make any corrections to the list, please call Dick Smith at 480-983-5819

*Our advertisers are very important to us as they help to offset the cost of printing this newsletter. Please let them know where you saw their ad whenever you use their products or services. Thank You!*



**THE DUTTONS** *by Karen Kroschel*

On Saturday, Dec. 15th, several residents attended a fantastic matinee show by The Duttons at their theater in Mesa. Always an exciting and polished performance by an entire family, or most of them. They are reminiscent of the original Osmonds back in the day. Each plays several instruments, sometimes trading instruments with each other throughout a song. Sometimes all playing each other's violins with their own bow while standing in a row, maybe overhead or behind their back. Always amazing. Always they add something new, never the same show each year. And they change shows each month.

Through the years it is fun to watch the younger ones grow up and see them perform. One example this year was a little 8 or 9 year-old boy play the piano. He played Silent Night out there all alone and brought many to tears with his rendition. I have never heard it played with all the embellishments he put into it. Absolutely beautiful. Some of the teens did "Frosty The Snowman" in a bit of funky rap form, complete with neon lighting, and some clever dance moves. And then there is "the hornsuit". A dad and son have developed quite a competition among each other with those. Hilarious.

They have all become proficient dancers of all kinds of dance. And none seem to have been given a bad voice. Simply amazing show!

Be sure to go see them when you can. Check their website for all of their local information. They will be performing here through March then they move to Branson, MO, to their own theater there.

## Summary of the Residents Meeting on Dec 1, 2018

Dave Borchardt, president, opened the meeting at 9 am with about 80 residents present. Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were approved as written. Cami mentioned that she is compiling a "dog form" for residents to use if they have a dog. This way if one gets lost, it will be easier to return them to their owners. Tom indicated that we received \$180 for our used papers (several months' worth).

Cami spoke on some of the upcoming entertainment and NY Eve. For decorating houses we agreed on a \$25 gift card and a traveling trophy. Judging will be done by ballot by the community. Susan Hoopes mentioned that we will be having a Christmas movie in the clubhouse every Thursday at 3 pm. The 50/50 raffle of \$80 was won by Larry Heming. Melanie Briggs has been appointed regional manager of all our parks and is also manager at Rancho Mirage. Dick Smith won the ipad Dave was raffling off. We adjourned at 10:20 am.

---

## FUN DAY VOLUNTEERS AND DONATIONS NEEDED

*by Jane Boudreau*

As we begin the new year plans are being made for our annual Community Sale and Fun Day. This year's event will take place on March 9, 2019. I am looking for individuals to lead teams preparing for that day. Please answer the call when you are contacted. If you would like to be involved, please contact me and I'll find an opportunity for you to shine.

As you clean those closets and sheds please remember there are items we **DO NOT** accept for sale. They are:

CLOTHING & SHOES

BROKEN FURNITURE OR THOSE WITH EXCESSIVE WEAR

BROKEN ITEMS

ELECTRONIC ITEMS such as: TV's, phones, computers, monitors printers, key boards

As you prepare your items, we ask you to wash the linens and glassware. If the item isn't in a condition you would purchase, why would someone else.

This is the largest fund raiser for the Activities Organization. The funds raised are used to provide free entertainment for the residents of Desert Harbor. We endeavor to make this a fun day for those who are working as well as for those who attend. More information will be available at the January 5<sup>th</sup> Residents Meeting.

Thank you for your help and support.



# UPCOMING EVENTS

## FEBRUARY

2	Saturday	Meeting 9:00 am
3	Sunday	Super Bowl 53 Party 4:00 pm
6	Wednesday	Chili Contest 3:00 pm
14	Thursday	Vintage Gold Band
16	Saturday	Pot Luck 4:30 HH 5:00 Food
28	Thursday	Bernie & Red 6:30 pm

## MARCH

2	Saturday	Meeting 9:00 am
2	Saturday	Annual Canadian Party
9	Saturday	Annual Fun Day
10	Sunday	Tim Eggebraaten 6:30 pm
23	Saturday	Guilty Pleasures Outdoor Concert Bar-B-Q 5:30 pm

## APRIL

6th	Saturday	Resident Meeting
21st	Sunday	Easter Pot Luck

***ALL EVENTS, DATES AND TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE***

## WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS



### **Donald and Sandy Baumstark**

Donald & Sandy recently moved into lot #60 from the state of Wisconsin and will be here full time.

Donald enjoys golf & grandkids, Sandy enjoys sewing, cooking, embroidery and grandchildren.

They have two sons and three grandchildren.

Please welcome Donald & Sandy.

---

When you are putting your Christmas cards away, rather than recycling them, you may want to send the fronts, only, to the only place in the country that accepts used cards and makes them into new cards to sell.....

St. Jude's Ranch for Children  
Recycled Card Program  
100 St. Jude's Street  
Boulder City, NV 89005

I am told they employ some of the children who live there to repurpose the cards, paying them a little for each card they make. Check them out on their website. You can even buy some of the handmade cards, if you like.

## **MOUNTAIN BROOK CONCERT**

*By Karen Kroschel*

Our community had a great opportunity to start off the Christmas season by attending a wonderful choral concert at Mountain Brook community in Gold Canyon. Those that attended really enjoyed it. The performers sang beautiful music and were accompanied by a full orchestra. The entire thing is produced and performed by volunteers. What dedication and it shows in the professionalism.

---



## **STEVE BRIGGS** *By Cami Weiss*

Steve Briggs brought his one man band to Desert Harbor on December 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. and played until 9 p.m. It was a great turn out from the members of the community. We had about 84 people and everyone seemed to have a great time. A little dancing and some requests. Steve really did a great job of entertaining. We for sure are going to have him back again. Thank you all for attending and Steve wrote that this was the best audience that he had for a long time.

Thanks Steve and also all of those that attended.

## BUS TRIPS AVAILABLE

By Connie Riter



Want to see some of Arizona without driving there? Consider one of the following bus trips which are available ...

Jan. 20 – 22 3 days 2 nights in the **Silverton Casino in Vegas** and eat in one of 10 restaurants inside. Tour the Neon Museum and learn about the history of Vegas. \$269pp dbl or \$314 with Neon Museum.

Jan. 24 – 25 **Aquarius in Laughlin**. \$159 pp dbl or \$196pp dbl with Righteous Brothers tribute concert. Includes breakfast.

Feb. 6 – **60<sup>th</sup> annual Tubac Festival of the Arts** \$75 Day Trip.

Feb. 9 – **Turf Paradise Gold Cup \$99 pp day trip**. Reserved seating in the Turf Club Terrace with a prime rib and turkey buffet lunch. WE USUALLY HAVE A GROUP GOING TO THIS EACH YEAR. SIGN UP SHEET AVAILABLE TO SEE IF WE CAN GET A PICK-UP HERE IN THE PARK.

Feb. 13 – 15. **Valentine's Day in Laughlin** \$279 pp. dbl. Stay at the Aquarius. Includes 2 breakfast buffets. (Prime Rib Dinner at the Riverside is extra, but very good, and quite reasonable.)

Feb. 19 **Kartchner Caverns**. \$99pp Lunch at Benson City Grill, then tour the Great Room and spend some time browsing the Discovery City.

Feb. 27 – 28. **Prescott and Verde Canyon Railroad**. \$289 pp Spend the afternoon touring the shops in downtown Prescott. Stay at the Hasayampa Inn. Enjoy breakfast there then travel the Verde Canyon RR. Enjoy a box lunch or take it on the train. Refreshment stop on the way home.

Feb. 27 – March 1 **Laughlin Winter Dance Party**. \$299 pp dbl. Stay at the Aquarius and enjoy the re-creation of the Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens, and the Big Bopper's final tour. 2 Breakfasts included.

March 5 – 7 **Fun in Rocky Point**. \$399 pp dbl. more info. available upon request.

March 12 – 14 **Tucson Trails**. \$399 pp dbl. 3 days, 2 nights at the Desert Diamond Resort and Casino. Tour the PIMA Air and Space Museum and the famous "Boneyard." Visit Mission San Xavier. Enjoy a tour of Borderland Brewery (sample the beer or wine) and enjoy the tamales from Tucson Tamale Company. Relax on a train tour of Sabina Canyon.

March 16 – 18 **St. Patty's Day in Las Vegas**. \$319 pp dbl. Stay at the Golden Nugget. Tour Fremont Street – Be sure to wear your green!

If you are interested in any of these trips, give me a call, for reservations. Some sell out quickly!

## **CHRISTMAS HOME DECORATION WINNER**

*by Jane Boudreau*

The Activities Organization hosted a home decoration contest this year. The residents voted on their favorite home. The ballots were counted by Dave Borchardt and Jane Boudreau. The winner was announced at the Christmas Potluck on December 25. Jean Hanson and Liz Pawlowski who reside in #151 received the most votes. They were awarded a \$50-dollar gift card. Karen Ayo who resides in #25 was a close second. She was awarded a \$25-dollar gift card.

A big thank you to all who decorated their homes. I personally enjoyed driving around the community enjoying the bright lights.

---

## **LADIES GET ACQUAINTED SOUP N SALAD LUNCHEON**

*by Jane Boudreau*

The monthly Ladies Get Acquainted Soup N Salad luncheon is held on the first Tuesday of the month. The December luncheon was held on the 4<sup>th</sup> with 12 attending. We had two soups, Lasagna and Beef Vegetable accompanying salads and desserts

A 50/50 drawing was held with Rose Chrissis with the winning ticket.

The next luncheon will be held on February 5, 2019. An announcement sheet and signup sheet will be posted in the clubhouse. The luncheon is open to all the ladies of Desert Harbor and their guests. Luncheon is served at 12 noon so join us about 11:45am. This is a great opportunity to try out a new recipe or resurrect an old favorite. My sister Teri, a guest in December, found a low carb Keto diet friendly pumpkin dessert. It was very good, and Ready Whip was a wonderful addition.

Please join us for our next luncheon and take this opportunity to meet your neighbors. Bring your own beverage to drink unless you want coffee. We will have a pot available for your drinking pleasure. You may want to bring multiple small bowls for sampling soups. Don't forget your cash to purchase 50/50 tickets. If you have never attended a luncheon come as our guest. A dish is not necessary.

*Hope to see you at the next luncheon.*



## **CHRISTMAS CAROLING**

*by Jane Boudreau*

A big thank you to Bev Borchardt for organizing the caroling which took place on Thursday December 20. A group of approximately 50 residents rode in decorated golf carts and walked the streets of Desert Harbor spreading cheer. Pre-recorded music accompanied the residents as they used the song books provided by Bev. The music preceded the carolers as they moved down the streets. Stops were made at homes of residents who were under the weather or unable to get out to enjoy the holidays.

As the group approached the home of Bonnie and Jim Harrison, a libation station of hot chocolate and other beverages were available. Following the stop at the Harrisons they wound up back in the clubhouse. Sharon Schupbach had hot chocolate with marshmallows waiting. Cookies, cakes and candies were available to accompany the hot chocolate. Thank you to all residents who supplied the goodies.

All the carolers I spoke with enjoyed the evening bringing holiday cheer to their neighbors. I personally had the opportunity to meet my new neighbors.

*Let's do this again next year!*



## **Bunco Results** *by Becky Gardner*

Hello everyone ,  
2018 is just about over and we will be jumping into 2019 with a bang .  
Bunco will be going strong. Winners for Dec. 6th were Linda Edwards  
with Most Bunco's and Anna Parker had most wins and Sid Gardner  
came in second. Nancy Pavkov has most losses and Don Childers  
ended up with last Bunco .

Dec. 20th winners were Sid Gardner with Most Bunco's and last Bunco . Judy Childers has most  
wins and Don Childers had most losses .

I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas. Put these Bunco dates on your calendar  
Jan. 3rd, 17th and 31st. Feb. 7th and the 21st!

See you all in 2019

---

## **DESERT HARBOR CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT**



The December tournament was held on Tuesday December 11th with  
a total of 13 people playing.

Mina Ternus had the high hand with a 28 (4—5's and a King).

Sue Behrens had high card with 4 out of 5 wins and 2 skunks  
for a total of 10 points.

Thank you to Scott and Char Hudson for hosting the tournament.  
Next tournament is Tuesday Jan. 15th at noon.



## **CHRISTMAS DAY POT LUCK**

*By Midge Drouin*

On Tuesday, December 25th, Desert Harbor had their annual Christmas Pot Luck. Happy hour started at 1PM. and dinner started at 1:30. There were approximately 78 in attendance.

There were two types of meat served, turkey...which had dark and white meat and gravy, and plenty of ham with a side of apple sauce. Connie Riter and Midge Drouin served up the meat. The rest of the food table had many delicious salads, squash, mashed potatoes, carrots, coleslaw, corn dishes, deviled eggs, bread, jello fruit salad, and much more. We have some great cooks here in our park! Now, for the dessert table. We also had an array of delicious sweets: cupcakes, cookies, cakes and it all seemed to disappear.

We had quite a few raffle items to be won after dinner. The fifty-fifty table had a busy afternoon with tickets being sold by Dick Smith and Dave Blomeyer. The first of the raffles was the 50/50 prize which was won by Bonnie and Jim Harrison in the amount of \$100. Some of the other winners included were Margo Crawford winning the \$50 Fry's gift card, Bonnie Harrison a bottle of wine, Rhonda Smaldino the Hallmark cookie platter, Carol Sabo a Terry Redlin ornament, Karen Kroschel a summer sausage, Sharon McCall and David Coffin each won a Coyote coupon book, and John Eubanks won the \$10 gift card from Starbucks.

We want to thank Noran Olson for making the coffee for everyone and thanks to all who participated in the cooking of the hams and turkey and for clean-up of our clubhouse and kitchen. It was a fun time for all.





Super Bowl 53 is right around the corner. It will be held on Sunday February 3rd and we will have our Super Bowl party at the clubhouse around 4:00 pm. We plan on having pizza again and everyone is encouraged to bring food to share and of course what you would like to drink. We usually have a pretty good turn-out for this event. We will have both TV's on as well as the sound system so everyone will be able to see and hear what's going on.

---



Our annual Chili Cook-Off will be held on Wednesday February 6th at 3:00 pm. Once again Pat and Jerry Murphy will host the cook-off. Please be sure to sign up and indicate whether you will be supplying chili for the contest. We would like to have at least 10 entries so plan on whipping up one of your best chili recipes.

After Christmas, a teacher asked her young pupils how they spent their holiday away from school. One child wrote the following:

We always used to spend the holidays with Grandma and Grandpa. They used to live in a big brick house but Grandpa got retarded and they moved to Arizona where everyone lives in nice little houses, and so they don't have to mow the grass anymore!

They ride around on their bicycles and scooters and wear name tags because they don't know who they are anymore. They go to a building called a wreck centre, but they must have got it fixed because it is all okay now. They do exercises there, but they don't do them very well. There is a swimming pool too, but they all jump up and down in it with hats on. At their gate, there is a doll house with a little old man sitting in it. He watches all day so nobody can escape. Sometimes they sneak out, and go cruising in their golf carts! Nobody there cooks, they just eat out. And, they eat the same thing every night - early birds.

Some of the people can't get out past the man in the doll house. The ones who do get out, bring food back to the wrecked centre for pot luck. My Grandma says that Grandpa worked all his life to earn his retardment and says I should work hard so I can be retarded someday too. When I earn my retardment, I want to be the man in the doll house, and then I will let people out so they can visit their grandchildren.

ENJOY LIFE NOW... IT HAS AN EXPIRATION DATE!



## ***ADVERTISERS WANTED***

*If anyone knows of a company that you would recommend and you think they might be interested in advertising in our newsletter, please let anyone on the newsletter committee know and we will follow up with them.*

*Our advertisers help us to offset some of the costs associated with printing our monthly newsletter and we appreciate them very much.*



**HAPPY NEW YEAR** from Sunshine Home Sales. We've been serving home sale and listing needs of Desert Harbor residents and the East Valley for over a decade. As your Desert Harbor neighbor at Lot 173, Karen has your best interest at heart. Please feel free to call anytime with questions or concerns regarding the listing and sale of your home. With over 30 years of combined experience in the industry, we know the local market and will find you a new home, or sell your present home at the best possible market price.

*T'is the Season. 7 Days a week, 24 hours a day.*

**Karen Majur**  
Cell: (480) 250-2219

**Hagit (Heidi) Francis**  
Cell: (602) 309-9678

## LOBO AZ LANDSCAPING

- Pruning & Trimming
- Planting & Removal of all Plants
- Irrigation & Drip Systems
- Full Lawn & Yard Maintenance
- Gravel Installation & Decoration
- Pavers, Flagstone, and much more



Contact me @: 480-297-5654  
Christopher Mendoza

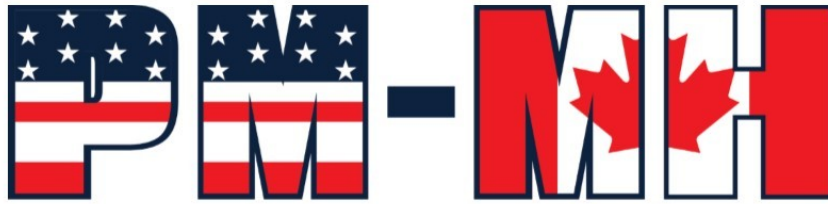
## LOBO AZ MOBILE HOME SERVICE



- Interior & Exterior Painting
- Power Wash Homes & Driveways
- Furniture Movers & House cleaning/ Junk Removal
- Laminate Flooring & Carpet installation
- Re-leveling, Duct Cleaning, Air Duct Sealing and Repair and home inspections
- Sub-floorings & Many other home repairs



Christopher Mendoza: 480-297-5654



Park Model - Manufactured Home  
Insurance Services, LLC

**We Make House Calls!**

Let us customize a quote for your home



Kody

**480-493-4863**

**520-244-1244**

**866-223-0842**



Deron

<b><u>COVERAGES</u></b>				
Manufactured Home/Additions	\$80,000	\$100,000	\$120,000	\$140,000
Adjacent Structures (if needed)	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
Personal Contents	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000
Additional Living Expenses	\$16,000	\$20,000	\$24,000	\$28,000
Personal Liability	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000
<b>Premium Per Year</b>	<b>\$420</b>	<b>\$458</b>	<b>\$496</b>	<b>\$534</b>

**We have a program to insure any age, value or location  
of your Park Model or Manufactured Home**

*Above is a brief illustration of current rates for a 2000 park model or manufactured home located in a +55 Senior Park. Rates may vary due to age of customer, age or location of home. Annual premiums for newer homes may be lower and homes older than 2000 can still be insured at a slightly higher rate.*

CAZ-HV-01

## INFORMATION

- GARBAGE** Picked up every Monday and Thursday morning (please don't put your food garbage out the night before because the Coyotes love to rip it open). If one of the following holidays falls on a week-day, the garbage will be picked up one day later:  
*Independence Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day*
- RECYCLE** We have dumpsters located on the west side of the clubhouse. There is one yellow color container for paper and cardboard. We get money for the paper and cardboard so PLEASE use it as it helps the Activity Club's treasury. This is for paper and cardboard only nothing else. There is a small container that is marked Aluminum Cans Only, Aluminum only, no other kind of can.
- MAIL** The mail person that delivers our mail will put the "red flag" up when he/she is done. If you have outgoing mail, just put it in the outgoing mail slots and it will be picked up. Please do not put the red flag up, let the mail person do it.
- WEB SITE** [www.desertharboraz.net](http://www.desertharboraz.net)  
You can find lots of information there including updates to our calendar
- NAME BADGES** Custom made name badge with your name & lot number  
Contact Mike Kereluk, lot #82, 480-987-8587
- FOOD BANK** There is a cardboard box in the clubhouse marked "Food Bank". Please bring non-perishable items to put in the box. Please do not bring outdated or expired items, we just have to throw them away.
- MEDICINE DISPOSAL** You can drop off your old prescription medications at the Apache Junction Police Dept., 1001 N Idaho Rd., Monday through Thursday from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

### DRIVERS LICENSE & TITLE-REGISTRATION

575 N Idaho Rd Ste 600 Apache Junction 85119 [www.azdot.gov](http://www.azdot.gov)

### APACHE JUNCTION CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

567 Apache Trail Apache Junction 85120 [www.ajchamber.com](http://www.ajchamber.com)

## DESERT HARBOR RESIDENTS OFFER SERVICES

<u>NAME</u>	<u>LOT</u>	<u>SERVICE</u>	<u>PHONE</u>
Midge Drouin	203	Haircuts, Styling, Blow Drying	602-459-9039
Esther Lough	123	Puppy Sitting	480-288-8579
Connie Riter	81	Bus Trips	315-657-3078
Jean Myers	44	Pet & House Sitting, Drive to Store, Doctor's Office, Airport, House Cleaning	480-671-4481
Bob Myers	44	Yard work, odd jobs	480-671-4481
Liz Pawlowski	6	Odd jobs, anything you can't do yourself	623-385-5429
Karen Majur	173	Sunshine Home Sales	480-250-2219
Barry Dalton	145	<a href="http://www.abcliveit.com">http://www.abcliveit.com</a>	801-616-2643
Joyce Hoopes	141	Pet Sitting	505-250-6613
Richard Nienkark	192	Light landscaping, irrigation, gutter cleaning	480-288-0568
Karen Ayo	25	House cleaning, Elder care	480-383-9071
Jim Jackson	57	Computer help (call after 1:00 pm)	480-625-1364
Pat Pederson-Ed Kelly	69	Hummingbird Homes, Inc.	480-832-6241
Elaine Granata	99	Hairdresser	860-922-3681
Wayne Miller	161	Tree & Bush Trimming, Yard Maintenance	480-688-6903
Ed Williams	176	Watch Repair & Watch Battery Replacement \$4.00 Includes labor & cleaning	480-558-1579
Karen Hamillton	111	House Cleaning, Holiday decorating	602-291-7574

# JANUARY 2019

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<b>AM</b>	6:50 Water Aerobics 9:00 Tai Chi - Yoga 10:00 Ping Pong	6:50 Water Aerobics  10:00 Ping Pong	6:50 Water Aerobics  10:00 Crafting	6:50 Water Aerobics 9:00 Tai Chi Yoga	6:50 Water Aerobics  10:00 Ping Pong 10:00 Wood Carving	7:00 Coffee Donuts
<b>PM</b>	12:30 Poker  1:00 Mahjongg  6:30 Bingo 6:30 Billiards	2:30 Pizza Lot #131 6:00 NDQ Poker 6:30 Cards	12:00 Wtr V-ball 1:00 Mex Train 3:00 Shufflebrd 6:30 BibleStudy	1:00 Cards 1:00 Quilting  6:30 Billiards 6:30 Cards	4:00 Happy Hour	12:00Wtr V-ball  3:00 Bean Bag  5:30 Poker

		1	2	3	4	5
				10am BUNCO 3pm Movie "South Pacific" 6:00 pm Poker		9:00 am Resident Meeting  CAROL
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		5:00 pm Ron E Cash Music Dance		3pm Movie "Unsinkable Molly Brown"		Private Party 12:30—3:00  MIKE K
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		11 am Ladies Out Of Park Luncheon PF Changs  12:00 noon Cribbage Tournament		10 am BUNCO  3pm Movie "Roman Holiday"	5:30 Poker	Pot Luck 4:30 HH 5:00 Food  HERM
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
			5:00 pm Pete Byam Music Dance	3pm Movie "State Fair"		CLARK
27	28	29	30	31		
			4:00 pm Health Seminar "Good food for The gut"	10am BUNCO  3pm Movie "Singing in the Rain"		DICK N

# COMPARE AND SAVE!

We can insure any park model or manufactured home no matter age, value or location.

## COVERAGE'S

Manufactured Home	\$40,000	\$50,000	\$60,000	\$80,000
Adjacent Structures	4,000	5,000	6,000	8,000
Personal Contents	20,000	25,000	30,000	40,000
Additional Living Expenses	8,000	10,000	12,000	16,000
Personal Liability	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000
Medical Payments	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Flood	Included	Included	Included	Included
<b>Premium Per Year</b>	<b>\$281</b>	<b>\$317</b>	<b>\$351</b>	<b>\$432</b>

## Program Highlights:

- No Credit Check, No Hidden Fees
- Stated Value Policy
- Replacement Coverage For Home And Contents..... NO DEPRECIATION
- USA Insurance Group Only Represents Companies That Are Rated A- (Excellent) Or Better By AM Best For Financial Strength
- EFT, Credit Card And Monthly Payments Available



**Your Manufactured Housing  
Insurance Specialist**

**800-344-7605  
480-396-9100**

**WWW.USAINSURANCEGROUP.COM**  
Red Mountain Plaza, 9124 E Apache Trail, Ste 10, Mesa, AZ 85207

This is a brief illustration of current rates that are subject to revision. The insurance company reserves the right to accept or reject applications for insurance upon review of all underwriting information. Rates may vary due to age of customer, age or location of home.