



*Manistee Ranch Park*

*Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>*



*Sunset Music Cruise/~~Canceled~~*

*Nov 15<sup>th</sup>*



*ABT -Beauty & The Beast – Sold out*

*Dec 5<sup>th</sup>*



*Holiday Lunch Celebration*

*Dec 19<sup>th</sup>*



*RECYCLING*

*Jan 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025*



*Honeywell Flight Operations Tour*

*Jan 30<sup>th</sup>*



*Explore Wrigley Mansion*

*Feb 15<sup>th</sup>*



*Caribbean Cruise*

*March 8<sup>th</sup> & March 15<sup>th</sup>*



*ABT – Phantom – Matinee*

*March 20<sup>th</sup>*





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## Keith's Thoughts



As you can see from the front page of our newsletter our board has been working hard to provide you with new events. But first have you ever seen an item in Costco and thought that is interesting, I will buy it next time only to find it is sold out when you do back.

Well, the same is true for a lot of our events. Several of them we have to guarantee a minimum number weeks before the event. So please if you see an event then sign up promptly.

Unfortunately, we had to cancel the Sunset Music Cruise as we did not have enough members sign up by the deadline.

By the time you read this the Nov 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. It is SOLD OUT. Beauty and The Beast musical on December 5th

The good news is that there are still several events left that you can sign up for.

Last month I told you about our Holiday Lunch planned at a new venue. For years we have used the same venue but new management has raised the costs so we are using a new place that we believe is much better. The menu is also different. We are going to use this lunch as a celebration of the joining of the two clubs and would like to see as many members attend as possible. To mark the event the board decided to subsidize the price of the meal bringing it down to \$30 including tips as a thank you for the support of our members. The room holds 200 people comfortably so please do not hesitate to sign up to reserve your place. This room is bigger than the one we booked last year and had to turn people away. The deadline for this event is Dec 6<sup>th</sup> so please do not delay in signing up. We have added PayPal to make it easier to pay.

Ever wondered what happens to all that Christmas wrapping paper that you throw out. Well now is your chance as we visit the City of Phoenix North Gateway Transfer Station and Materials Recovery Facility (MRF). Now you can experience the sight, sound and smell of recycling.

In January we have a unique opportunity to visit Honeywell's Sky Harbor Flight Test Operations. This is a rare opportunity to see where Honeywell tests new engines and Avionic concepts in flight pushing the boundaries of aviation innovation. Space is limited so sign up quickly to avoid disappointment.

We are still looking to publish an article about the different divisions each month. It could be about your favorite product/project or some amusing story that happened in your career. Please contact Joyce the newsletter editor if you have any suggestions at [hrac.navigator@gmail.com](mailto:hrac.navigator@gmail.com)

Our new website continues to be updated with the latest information on upcoming events. The site is the go-to place to sign up for events, see pictures of past events and review past copies of our newsletters. The new website address is [hracaz.org](http://hracaz.org)

Keith Hughes. [keith8411@cox.net](mailto:keith8411@cox.net)

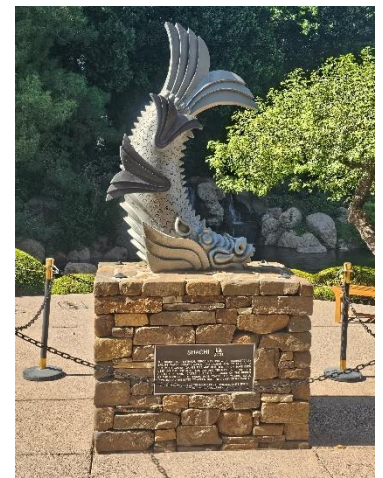
Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club (HRAC) President





## ***Japanese Friendship Garden tour Success***

***We had 20 people attending this tour. This beautiful Friendship Garden tour located near downtown was well worth it; as we learned a great deal about the building and the layout of the garden including the way it was built to provide hidden views as we walked along the trail.***







## ***Historic Manistee Ranch Park***

**Private tour Saturday Nov 9<sup>th</sup> at 10am**



### **History**

Built in 1897 by a wealthy lumber baron from Wisconsin named Herbert W. Hamilton, Manistee Ranch began as a 320-acre spread along what is now Northern Avenue. Hamilton sold the place to Louis M. Sands, a prominent Arizona businessman and rancher, in 1907, and it stayed in the Sands family until it was sold to the Glendale Historical Society in 1996.

Today the ranch is on the National Register of Historic Places, and its four buildings – a garage, office, barn and house – can be visited by anyone who wants to get a little taste of Glendale history.

Guests will be treated to a 7000 square foot home decorated in antique furnishings that are original to the home or that were collected from within the city. The basement houses a collection of photographs, Glendale grammar school items and old farm equipment that was used on the ranch.

The farm equipment was utilized mainly to harvest feed for the livestock, which included cattle, sheep, horses, ducks, and chickens.

The Sands family also grew citrus and dates on the ranch. In the 1920's workers would harvest the dates and store them in a date house next to the rose arbor. The dates were then sold for 25¢ a pound. Today, the ranch is home to 11 different species of palm trees including Hayany, Bent Kebella, Medjoul, Braim, Barhe, Zadhi, Maktoom and Deglet Noor, to name a few.

The date grove has been turned into a garden by the City of Glendale, where visitors can sit and meditate among the palms, some of which are more than 100 years old.

And Manistee's owners were not just ranchers. Through the years, the Sands family made significant contributions to the city. Before World War II, they were the largest employer in the city. And after World War II, they leased a portion of the ranch's acreage for Glendale's first mall – Valley West Mall, 52nd Avenue and Northern Avenue, Glendale, Arizona 85301.

The parking lot is on the west side of 51st Avenue just south of the businesses at Northern Avenue.

To book a tour contact Keith Hughes at [keith8411@cox.net](mailto:keith8411@cox.net)

Sign-up here: [Historic Manistee-Ranch](#)

Cost is \$4 at the door.



## Lake Pleasant SUNSET MUSIC CRUISE

Friday - November 15th - 5:00 PM – 6:45PM

\$30 person.



Our final count is due October 26th, so I am asking for final reservations by October 19th.  
To reserve a space, please contact: Don Nicholas at [dgnicholas@aol.com](mailto:dgnicholas@aol.com)

**Please meet us at Lake Pleasant Harbor Marina  
8708 W Harbor Blvd. Peoria, AZ 85383**

### Parking Instructions

- Pleasant Harbor charges a \$7.00 per vehicle (\$2.00 per person on chartered buses) entry fee. Veterans get FREE entry with ID.
- After driving through the point of entry gate, take a right at the T. Park in the paved parking lot next to fire station.

Shuttle golf carts are available to pick you up in the parking lot at the blue canopy and bring you down to the marina. It is a 5-10 minute walk from the parking lot to the marina. Important information:

Sign-up here: [Sunset Music Cruises](#)

**I will be there at 4:00 PM**

All children 12 and under are required to wear a life jacket (provided). All gratuities received throughout the cruise are split evenly amongst the captain and crew and are greatly appreciated. CASH ONLY for snacks and beverages on board. APPROPRIATE ATTIRE for the current weather conditions. BOTTLED WATER in clear, factory-sealed bottles is allowed. OUTSIDE FOOD of any kind is not allowed. OUTSIDE BEVERAGES are not allowed. No hydro flasks, reusable water bottles or coolers allowed.

**SMOKING is not allowed on board**



## RECYCLING

***Tour Thursday January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 10am***

***Ever wondered what happens to all you trash and how it gets recycled?***

**Well now you can find out.**



### ***Zero Waste Team Education***

The City of Phoenix has goals to reach 50% waste diversion by 2030 and zero waste by 2050, consistent with the goals set by the City's [Climate Action Plan](#). To reach these goals, Phoenix seeks to develop the circular economy and maximize recycling and reuse efforts to further divert resources away from the landfill. Our efforts will lessen environmental impacts by reducing the amount of greenhouse gases entering the atmosphere, while creating healthier communities, and spurring economic activity.

In order to reach the city's zero waste goal by 2050, the Zero Waste team provides education and community outreach to teach the community about waste diversion. These methods include group tours of the city's North Gateway Transfer Station and Materials Recovery Facility (MRF), educational presentations to schools, neighborhood and community meetings and hosting informational booths at community events.

Now you can experience the sight, sound and smell of recycling at the North Gateway Transfer Station. The address is 30205 N Black Canyon Hwy, Phoenix, AZ 85085. Gate 3. I have organized a group tour on Thursday January 9<sup>th</sup> at 10am. The tour lasts 1 hour.

To sign up go to [HRACAZ.ORG](https://hracaz.org) and events or click [Here](#) to go straight to the form.

Alternatively contact Keith Hughes at [keith8411@cox.net](mailto:keith8411@cox.net)



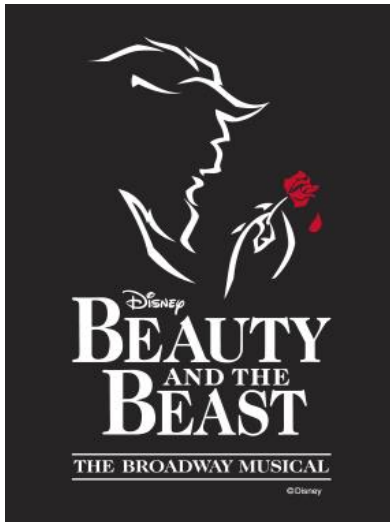


## ARIZONA BROADWAY THEATRE

7701 W. Paradise Lane Peoria 85382

**Thursday, December 5, 2024, 12 Noon.**

**COST:** \$70 per ticket. See details below.



ABT brings this revered fairy tale to life on stage. This “tale as old as time” reminds us to look beyond one’s exterior and find the beauty from within. Belle finds herself in the middle of a daring and magical adventure, attempting to rescue her beloved father from a terrible beast and offering herself in exchange for his freedom.

She soon discovers that she is not the only prisoner held in the beast’s extraordinary castle. All of the fanciful characters, such as a talking tightly wound clock (the butler), adorable teacup (a young boy), kindhearted candelabra (maitre d’) are trapped in this spellbound form until the beast, who is actually a young prince, can learn to love and have his love returned.

Tickets are limited, and non-members are welcome to join us.

To reserve your seat(s), Email Kevin Vetter at [snuffles@Q.com](mailto:snuffles@Q.com) Once he confirms there are tickets available, please send a check ASAP.

Make the check out to HRAC and mail to: Kevin Vetter, 3111 W. Waltann Lane, Phoenix, AZ 85053.

*We typically have more ticket requests than tickets, so don’t delay. If there’s someone you want to sit with, please include that request in your email and try to send in your checks together.*

*Once your money is received, you will be assigned your seats – first come, first served ☺.*

***Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> is the last day to Pay - Tickets are non-refundable.***

**“Sold Out”**

**Details:** Lunch service starts at noon; the show begins at 2 p.m. INCLUDED: Standard starter of soup or salad, choice of standard entrée, coffee or tea and \$4 gratuity included in your ticket price.

**On December 5, please arrive at ABT no later than 12:15.**

Kevin will be outside the theatre wearing a **RED Honeywell 777 ballcap** to hand you your tickets.

Hope you can join us!





# ***Holiday Lunch Celebration***

## **Honeywell Retirees**

**Thursday - Dec 19<sup>th</sup> - 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM**



**Deadline for this event is: Dec 9<sup>th</sup>**  
**No Walk Ins**

**Sun City Country Club - \$30**

**9433 N 107<sup>th</sup> Ave, Sun City, AZ 85351**

### **Lunch Choice**

**Bruschetta Chicken or Sliced Glazed Ham**  
**Vegetable Medley**  
**Roasted Potatoes**

### **House Salad**

**Ranch & Raspberry Vinaigrette**  
**Rolls & Butter - Coffee, Tea, Water**

### **Desserts**

***Half and Half Chocolate and Vanilla Cake***

**Bruschetta Chicken**  
Marinated overnight.  
mozzarella cheese  
herbs and with tomato  
and balsamic  
vinaigrette dressing



***Please... Choose your Lunch and dressing per person***

***"Please place your dinner choice card in front of you for the hostess to see"***

***Three ways to sign-up:***

- 1. Sign-up at: Holiday sign-up & pay with PayPal, debit card or credit card**
- 2. Please indicate what entree you have chosen, either here or on your check or online, we want to have enough entrées.**
- 3. Contact: Joyce Colella @ 623-363-2969 - hrac.navigator@gmail.com**
- 4. Make checks out to: Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club (HRAC) @ Joyce and  
Mail to: **Joyce Colella 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351****

**Raffle - \$1 for one ticket and \$5 for seven tickets. We will have 2 winners who will each receive 25% of the drawings. The other 50% will go back to our club for more events.**

**"In your **ENVELOPE**: there will be a **door prize ticket** per person, a **name tag** per person and your **dinner choice cards**"**



## ***Honeywell's Sky Harbor Flight Test Operations Tour***

***Thursday, January 30th, 1:00PM***

***SIGN-UP DEADLINE: January 9<sup>th</sup>***

Honeywell has graciously offered to give us a view into their fascinating flight test operations at Sky Harbor Airport, here in Phoenix. Honeywell operates a fleet of testbed aircraft, including a Boeing 757-200, Embraer E170, Dassault Falcon 900EX and Gulfstream G550. These aircraft are used to test and develop various new aerospace technologies, from turbine engines to advanced avionics and high-speed



connectivity solutions. You will get to meet some members of Honeywell's team, which includes highly skilled engineers, technicians, mechanics, and pilots who work together to push the boundaries of aviation innovation.

### **Accommodations and Limitations:**

- Space is currently limited to 20 guests. Sign-up for members and up to 1 guest will close after capacity is reached.
- Due to the nature of the facility, we are unable to accommodate individuals in wheelchairs. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.
- The tour is not open to non-U.S. persons due to technology restrictions.

### **Logistics:**

- Date: January 30th, 2025
- Time: Arrive by 12:45 for the 1:00 tour, which will take ~ 1 hour.
- Location: Honeywell Flight Operations is located at the Sky Harbor Airport. Attendees will be given directions for arrival and parking.
- Event Coordinator: Barbara Brockett

**SIGN-UP:** Reserve spots for members plus up to 1 guest using one of these two options:

1. Contact Barbara Brockett at 623-251-0221 or [hrac.membership@gmail.com](mailto:hrac.membership@gmail.com)
2. Or sign-up on the HRAC Website: [1/30 Sky Harbor Tour \(hracaz.org\)](https://hracaz.org)





## *Explore Wrigley Mansion on this wonderful tour*

**Ever wonder about those ghost stories?  
Curious about the history of Wrigley Mansion?**

**Discover the colorful history and memorable details of two grand families – Wrigley and Hormel – that make the Wrigley Mansion one of Phoenix's most storied landmarks. Along the way, you will find out what makes us an award-winning fine dining and special-event venue.**



**Tour on: Feb. 15, 2024 @ 11 AM**  
**Cost \$17 per person**

**The tour is limited to 15 people, so sign up early**

**Exclusive Private tour showcasing the mansion's intricate architecture and stunning interiors.**

**The tour will last about an hour and most of the tour is accessible.**

**There is a section at the end that would require descending/ascending 3 steps. You will still be able to hear the last section of the tour from the top of steps. You would not be able to see many of the historical photographs.**

**The Mansion is located on two floors, there is an elevator to take to the second floor for those using a motorized cart.**

**There is self-parking at the entrance for the tour. Complimentary valet parking is offered at the top of the hill, avoiding a 7 flight stairs hike from our self-parking area. Utilizing the valet will also bring to the front doors and is the closest to mansion.**

**The Wrigley Mansion is located near the Arizona Biltmore at 2501 E Telawa Trail, Phoenix, AZ**

- 1. If you are interested: [Sign-up here: Wrigley Mansion](#)**
- 2. Contact: Larry Bowe @ 602-615-7150 or [lbowsr@gmail.com](mailto:lbowsr@gmail.com)**
- 3. Make check payable to HRAC - (\$17 per attendee)**
- 4. Mail to: Larry Bowe, 11452 E. Turquoise Circle, Dewey, AZ 86327**

***JOIN BARBARA RIPPSTEIN to the CARIBBEAN!******Aboard THE NEW - SUN PRINCESS******Take the 7-Day Eastern Caribbean Itinerary on March 8, 2025******OR******The 7-Day Western Caribbean Itinerary on March 15, 2025******BETTER YET******TAKE BOTH for a 14-day Complete Caribbean Adventure!*****7-DAY EASTERN CARIBBEAN  
CRUISE ITINERARY****7-DAY WESTERN CARIBBEAN  
CRUISE ITINERARY**

Date:	Port of call	Arrive	Depart	Date:	Port of call	Arrive	Depart
Mar08	Ft. Lauderdale			Mar 15	Ft. Lauderdale		
	Sail aboard <i>SUN PRINCESS</i>		3:00PM		Sail aboard <i>SUN PRINCESS</i>		3:00PM
Mar09	Princess Cays	9:00AM	5:00PM	Mar 16	Day at Sea		
Mar 10	Day at Sea			Mar 17	Roatan, Honduras	10:00AM	8:00PM
Mar11	Amber Cove, Dominican Rep.	8:00AM	6:00PM	Mar 18	Belize City, Belize	7:00AM	6:00PM
Mar 12	Grand Turk, Turks & Caicos	8:00AM	6:00PM	Mar 19	Cozumel, Mexico	9:00AM	7:00PM
Mar 13	Day at Sea			Mar 20	Day at Sea		
Mar 14	Day at Sea			Mar21	Day at Sea		
Mar 15	Ft. Lauderdale	6:00AM		Mar 22	Ft. Lauderdale	6:00AM	

Experience the relaxed Caribbean lifestyle on the quintessential vacation surrounded by white-sand beaches, turquoise waters and tropical wonders. Swim, snorkel, sail on a catamaran and indulge in authentic Caribbean cuisine. The excitement continues on board with Rhythm of the Caribbean, offering activities for all ages that bring the island vibe to life, from music and dance to rich cuisine. Connect on a cruise with Princess, and share a summer vacation you and your loved ones will always remember.

Please contact one of our professional travel advisors for full category pricing and all the current group, regional, public and past passenger promotions available on this sailing. Book early for the best pricing, promotions and stateroom availability.

**For reservations & information:**

SUN CITY 10738 W BELL ROAD-Safeway/CVS Center





## ARIZONA BROADWAY THEATRE

7701 W. Paradise Lane, Peoria  
Thursday, March 20, 2025. 12 noon.  
**Cost: \$70 per ticket. Details below.**



*"Yeston and Arthur Kopit's Phantom" is a musical adaptation of Gaston Leroux's famous novel "The Phantom of the Opera." The musical follows the plot written by Leroux and provides a deeper insight into every character, their motivations, and their back stories. We begin by meeting Eric – disfigured from birth yet as beautiful on the inside as he is misshapen on the outside. He was hidden beneath the famous Paris Opera House to live out his years. When an untalented egomaniacal Diva takes over the Opera House, the musical environment so dear to his life, and on which he subsists, he is shattered. When seeking a voice and a singer to restore the beauty, he finds himself falling in love with Christine Daae. This beloved story version of "Phantom" features a score that blends elements of classical and contemporary musical theatre styles while providing a fresh take on one of literature's most iconic characters.*

**DETAILS:** Lunch service starts at noon; the show begins at 2 p.m.  
**INCLUDED:** Standard soup or salad, choice of standard entrée, coffee or tea and \$4 gratuity included in your ticket price.

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# distributor newsletter



Dassault Falcon 20 features improved control response with Sperry autopilot

## SPZ-200 joins jet set in Falcon 20

Certification in the Falcon 20 has moved the SPZ-200 AFCS into the pure jet market.

Now flying in the Beech E-90, Rockwell International 690A, and MU-2J as well as the Cessna 421B pressurized twin, SPZ-200, as installed in the Falcon 20 under STC obtained by Little Rock Airmotive, offers a new dimension in automatic flight control authority for the Dassault-built fanjet.

Thanks to an artificial control feel monitor designed and engineered by Sperry, the SPZ-200 safely applies twice the control authority as other autopilots in the Falcon 20.

The monitor checks proper "Arthur" (control feel system) operation and disconnects the autopilot upon detection of "Arthur" malfunction. Previously, autopilot torque values had to be set low enough to avoid excessive control surface deflection by the autopilot if the "Arthur" failed to function at high speed. The result was less than

ideal control response, particularly at low indicated air speeds.

Now, with the assurance that the autopilot will uncouple with an inoperative "Arthur," control surface servo torque force available is double previous values. This feature of the Falcon 20 STC provides a high degree of precision in radio beam capture and other maneuvers in the approach configuration.

In addition to the Falcon 20 certification and the others mentioned above, SPZ-200 has also recently received an STC through Downtown Airpark, Oklahoma City, for retrofit in the 690A.

Certification is nearly complete in the Beech King Air 200 and is in advanced stages for the Piper Cheyenne, CASA 212, and DHC-5 Buffalo.

Engineering work is progressing on the advanced SPZ-500 system, which will incorporate air data and vertical control modes and feature a redesigned autopilot controller.





## Family Events.....



### ***Fantasy of Lights Street Parade*** ***Event Website***

***November 29, 2024***

***Start Time: 4:00 pm - End Time: 9:00 pm***



### ***ZooLights at the Phoenix Zoo***

***November 27, 2024 - January 12, 2025***

***Event Website*** ***-(602) 286-3800***  
***455 N. Galvin Parkway, Phoenix, AZ***  
***85008***

#### **Newsletter...**

**Do you know where to find your dues paid through date?**

- **Hard copies:** are in black & white and under the address.
- **Email copies:** in the body of the email

**If you have no changes to your account, *just send in a check*, Thank you**

- **Pay:** Make a check out to: Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club, Honeywell Inc. (HRAC)
- **Mail to:** Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club, Honeywell Inc.  
1860 West Rose Garden Lane, Phoenix, AZ 85027-2704 (same as membership form)
- **For any changes to your account (address, email, phone),** see last page of this newsletter to make these changes your information. or [Website Membership](#)



## Desert Botanical Gardens

**Free admission days, Second Tues of each month - 8AM - 6PM**



The Desert Botanical Garden has free admission on the second Tuesday of the month from the hours of 8-6 PM. The garden and the neighboring Phoenix Zoo are accessible from the bus line; however, not by the light rail.

Best advice is to check the bus schedule, as times and bus numbers are subject to change.

Desert Botanical Garden is a 140-acre botanical garden located in Papago Park, at 1201 N. Galvin Parkway in Phoenix, Central Arizona.

Founded by the Arizona Cactus and Native Flora Society in 1937 and established at this site in 1939, the garden now has more than 50,000 plants, in more than 4,000 taxa, one-third of which are native to the area, including 379 species, which are rare, threatened or endangered.

All guests (members or general admission guests) are required to register and have a timed-entry ticket prior to entry to the Garden.

### [Botanical Gardens](#)

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### **Culture Pass:**

**available at any Phoenix City Library**

#### **Benefits:**

Two-person admission passes, good for one week, are available to a variety of places including:

- Arcosanti - Sedona Heritage Museum
- **Cave Creek Museum, Desert Caballeros Museum,**
- Heard Museum, Superstition Mountain Museum,
- **Desert Botanical Garden, Pueblo Grande Museum**
- Cosanti - Cosanti is the gallery and studio of Italian-American architect Paolo Soleri
- **Phoenix Art Museum, Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art,**
- Reid Park Zoo, U of A Museum of Art,

People with a Phoenix City Library card can go on the website for more information and may be able to reserve them online. Only a certain number of passes are given out each month.

### [Culture-pass](#)



## Honeywell Clubs Fix-It Guys Program

**Sponsored by Honeywell, Garrett & Aero Activities Clubs**

We help Honeywell retirees or surviving spouses with fix-it jobs around the house.

This program is designed to keep the job from being a budget buster for you.

Call our Coordinator: **Frank Holman @ 602-695-2565** to schedule a trip to your home.

If you reach voice mail, leave a clear message giving job information, your name, telephone number and nearest cross streets. We will get back with you to schedule a visit.



**Are YOU Handy?**

***Your Clubs really need your help!***

**We're hiring!!!**



You don't have to be a contractor level kind of handyman—just generally handy around the house.

Some of you may have special skills (Computer/Plumbing/Electrical/Drywall) that can significantly help our members in need. **Why not try it?**

**Call: Frank Holman 602-695-2565 - We would love to talk with you!**

The table below lists our current Fix-It Guys Team.

*Thanks guys—for all that you do.*

<b><i>East Valley</i></b>		
	<b>Frank Holman</b>	
<b><i>West Valley</i></b>		
<b>Bob Farney</b>	<b>Lee Rippstein</b>	<b>Dan Schott</b>
<b>Paul Wiley</b>	<b>Kevin Vetter</b>	





## Recurring Lunches



### **Honeywell IAC Ole Timers Luncheons:**

Location: Harbor Seafood Super Buffet  
10030 North Metro Parkway, Phoenix, AZ 85051

<u>Monday, March 4th</u>	<u>Tuesday, June 4th</u>	<u>Wednesday, September 4th</u>	<u>Thursday, December 5th</u>

### **Bull Old-Timers Lunch Bunch: Top Shelf Mexican Food & Cantina** **3301 W Greenway, Phoenix 85053**

THIRD Tuesday January thru April, THIRD Wednesday May through August, and THIRD Thursday September through December. 11:30 AM - Contact: Robert Hetrick [honeybulloldones@gmail.com](mailto:honeybulloldones@gmail.com)

<u>Tuesday, January 16th</u>	<u>Tuesday, February 20th</u>	<u>Tuesday, March 19th</u>	<u>Tuesday, April 16th</u>
<u>Wednesday, May 22nd</u>	<u>Wednesday, June 16th</u>	<u>Wednesday, July 17th</u>	<u>Wednesday, August 21st</u>
<u>Thursday, September 19th</u>	<u>Thursday, October 17th</u>	<u>Thursday, November 21st</u>	<u>Thursday, December 19th</u>

### **Southwest Over the Hill Gang: - Golden Corral Buffet & Grill** **1318 North Cooper Road, Gilbert, AZ 85233**

FIRST Thursday of the month at 10:30 AM -

Contact: Joan Schenamsgruber - 602-526-0357 - [roberta40joan@gmail.com](mailto:roberta40joan@gmail.com)

<u>Thursday, January 4th</u>	<u>Thursday, February 1st</u>	<u>Thursday, March 7th</u>	<u>Thursday, April 4th</u>
<u>Thursday, May 2nd</u>	<u>Thursday, June 6th</u>	<u>Thursday, July 4th</u>	<u>Thursday, August 1st</u>
<u>Thursday, September 5th</u>	<u>Thursday, October 3rd</u>	<u>Thursday, November 7th</u>	<u>Thursday, December 5th</u>

**NOTE:** HRSC sponsored programs and events, where payments are required in advance, will provide refunds anytime there is no cost to the Club. We will make every effort to provide refunds when requested; however, for some events funds will have been committed by the HRSC and will not be refunded.



Dave Carmichael  
Kenneth E. Fitzgerald  
Rod Iverson  
Bill Klaus

**NEW- HR Direct Honeywell**  
Dept.09796 - 2601 Research Forest Drive  
Woodlands, TX 77381 - 1 - 877- 258- 3699

Hours of Operation: Monday- Friday  
9: 00 A.M.- 6: 00 P.M. Eastern Time

Checking your Pension After Jan 1st

[www.benefitcenter.com/honeywell](http://www.benefitcenter.com/honeywell)  
or

**Regular mail** - Honeywell benefits Service  
Center PO 18016 Norfolk, VA 23501

**Overnight mail** - 1434 Crossroads Blvd,  
Chesapeake, VA 23320

**Questions** - 1-877-258-3699 #5

**Retired members - Medicare contact**

1-800-MEDICARE (1-800 633-4227)

Or via the website at [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov)  
Northern Trust/ Pensions PO Box 92922  
Chicago, Ill 60675 - 1 - 877 - 258 - 3699 # 5



### ***Jump on board***

#### ***Looking for new board members***

The HRAC Club currently has 15 Board members working to keep the Club going. As the Club gets older so do, we.

Several of these members have been on the board for many years. If anything was to happen to them or they resign from the Board, the HRAC Club could be in jeopardy. To keep HRAC from being at risk we need more Board members.

If you can spare a little time and like to work with others, please contact any one of the Board Members on page 2. What do you get for doing this? The same as us, the pleasure of knowing you are keeping a legend going.

### **Our Present & Past Activities**

Sept Kick-off Luncheon  
**Verde Canyon Railroad**  
Tovrea Castle  
**Palo Verde Nuclear Plant**  
Sanderson Village and Museum  
**The Orpheum**  
AZ Broadway Dinner Theater  
**Southwest Airlines Tour**  
Day at the Races  
**Christmas Dinner Dance**  
Coco Cola Bottling Facility Tour  
**Lake Pleasant Cruise**  
Amazon Fulfillment tour  
**AZ Science Museum**  
Musical Instrument Museum  
**Cerreta Candy Company Factory Tour**  
Butterfly Wonderland  
**University of Phoenix Stadium Tour**  
Dolly Steamboat Tour  
**Lake Pleasant SUNSET MUSIC CRUISE**  
Penske Racing Museum Tour  
**Ping & PXG Factory Tour**  
AZ Highways Collection  
**Barry Goldwater' s Photography**  
Rio Salado Audubon  
**Commemorative Air Force Museum**  
Scottsdale's Museum of the West



# Laughter is the Best Medicine

Crabby Road



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A man without a woman is a bachelor.  
A woman without a man is a genius.



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# Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club

**Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club (HRAC) is for current and retired Honeywell employees who want to have fun and stay connected.**

- HRAC coordinates events targeted for retired and late career employees. HRAC helps members stay connected through newsletters and events.
- Joint events are held with all Phoenix Valley Honeywell retiree clubs. ALL current and retired employees from ALL Honeywell sites are welcome!  
*Membership cost is only \$5 a year.*

## Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club

<https://hracaz.org/>

**Here are just a few of the exciting past and planned events:**

### Entertainment and Enrichment

- Incredible Escape Room
- Verde Canyon Railroad Trip
- Arizona Broadway Theater
- Ocean Cruises
- Lake Pleasant Cruises
- Musical Instrument Museum
- Arizona Capital Museum

### Touring and Exploring

- Southwest Airlines Maintenance Facility
- Amazon and Ping Factories
- Palo Verde Power Plant
- Sanderson Ford Museum
- Guided Bird Walk
- Bike Tours
- Hall of Flame Museum

### Connecting with Others

- Christmas Luncheon
- Spring Picnic
- Newsletter and “Down Memory Lane” Articles



***Come Join the Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club and keep active.***

**Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club (HRAC) of Arizona****Membership Application, Renewal or Change Form**

- Visit [hracaz.org](http://hracaz.org) for on-line applications, info updates or payments:  
[Manage Your Membership \(hracaz.org\)](http://hracaz.org)

Membership dues are **\$5.00 per year**, for May 1st through April 30th.

Members are entitled to receive **The Navigator** newsletter and participate in club activities and functions. Member's spouses or partners are granted free membership.

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**New Member ☐ Membership Renewal ☐ Data Change ☐**

**Please print clearly:**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Partner First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Landline No: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

*If your spouse/partner would like to receive the newsletter, please provide their e-mail address:*

**OPTIONAL:** Spouse/Partner E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Dues: \_\_\_\_\_ (# of years) at \$5 per year \$ \_\_\_\_\_

(Multiple year payments are appreciated to save cost and effort.)

**Make check payable to: Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club (HRAC)**

**Mail to: Honeywell Retirees and Activities Club, Honeywell Inc.  
1860 West Rose Garden Lane, Phoenix, AZ 85027-2704**

Do you want your e-mail address periodically listed in The Navigator member email list?

**Yes ☐ No ☐**

**Note:** The E-mail list is NOT available on the website; only HRAC members will receive it.

Standard newsletter delivery is through e-mail, providing color content and live links to items of interest. Members who require a hard copy can receive a mailed, black & white copy.

**Newsletter distribution: E-mail ☐ or Mailed Hard-copy ☐**

**Honeywell Affiliation (If multiple, please indicate main one only):**

**Aero: Avionics ☐ Aero: Space ☐ Aero: Engines/APUs ☐ Aero: Air & Thermal ☐ Aero: Other ☐**

**BULL ☐ HIS ☐ IAC/HPS ☐ Other ☐ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Members will be notified of their membership expiration date with their newsletter delivery. Contact Barbara Brockett at [hrac.membership@gmail.com](mailto:hrac.membership@gmail.com) or 623-251-0221 with any membership, newsletter delivery or dues questions.**







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