





March flower, March winds, St Patty's day

Watch for all of our upcoming Activities

2000	Penske Racing Museum Tour	March 15
1	Day at the Races	April 10 th
· A	Verde Energy Education Center	April 18 th
SOUTHWEST	Southwest Airline tour is back	April 19 th
	Spring Pot Luck Picnic	April 26 th
	North to Alaska Cruise Sale	Aug. 5 th



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Friends are sewn with threads of love



Windy March

Please read-locate your due date

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There seems to be some confusion when paying your dues.

If there are NO Changes, like your address, phone number or email...

<u>lust send in a check, thank you</u>

When the month of Oct comes around, Please think about sending in your dues for the following year.

Note: We have a new Location to send your dues, please check the last page



Message from Kaye's Korner



Greetings everyone welcome to March 2018! I hope your Valentine's Day was as expected and you didn't consume too many sweets.

This month I need everyone to consider volunteering your time to join the SRC advisory board. Why you ask? Unfortunately, we're losing four of our current members either due to health problems or family commitments. Your time would be well spent attending our meetings which are once a month (2 hours max) September through May and brain storming exciting ideas for membership participation in events, trips, tours, etc.

We realize retirement years are precious, but your active participation on the steering committee would really be most appreciated and welcome. And, we

know many of you have wonderful thoughts and ideas you'd like to share with the group and membership on future events.

If our committee members continue to decrease, we may not be able to sponsor the normal amount of social activities you've come to expect. So, if you can spare a couple of hours once a month, please contact one of the persons listed on page 2 of this month's Wings.

We had 37 members and guests attend the musical play Showboat last month.

The Penske Racing Museum tour is scheduled for the 15th of this month. If you haven't already RSVP, be sure to do so. If you LOVE fast cars and trophies, I know you'll enjoy this free event.

Both the Day at the Races and our Spring Picnic are coming up fast. Be sure to check out the articles in this month's Wings.

In closing, once again your Steering Committee is looking for new members to join our group. Without this committee, the SRC won't be the same. I hope everyone has a great month and if your Irish or Irish descent.

Happy St. Patrick's Day!!!

Kaye





"Down Memory Lane"

If you have memories & you would like to share them. Please submit them to Joyce Colella - <u>jc8246@yahoo.com</u> Mail to: SRC @ Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 8535. We will take a look to determine if we can publish them. https://www.facebook.com/Sperrymember/?ref=bookmarks

Rawhide Buckaroos





Hell's Angels of the West — Only these European cowboys, Marc Leveille, Giovianni Abrate and Colin Black, could wear leather and cowboy hats and look stylish. Maybe it's urban-cowboy-punk?



There goes this week's check — Good thing it was only Rawhide money on the blackjack table. Bill Bailey (left), Mel Smith, Bill Folette, Bill Wood and Ken Suggs won a few and lost a few, but the drinks were free.



Just a few more bucks . . . I'm hot — Carl Brown (back to camera) begs for more cash at the Rawhide blackjack table. Wayne Shelton (left), Dave Timms and Al Krone (right) have heard it all before.



Voted most photogenic couple, the Henri Sackmans posed for this publicity photo.

On the social side, there was a western night at Rawhide, an authentic western town. After an abortive bus hold-up, gamblin', carousing, steaks and beans, Sperry buckaroos were witness to a shoot-out and a near hanging of John Dietrich and Wayne Shelton.



Pat Perelli (left) and John Nims discuss goat-roping on the streets of Rawhide, moments before the shoot-out.



SPERRY RETIREE CLUB ARIZONA BROADWAY THEATRE

March 2018





We had 37 people attend this play; it is a shame we did not get any photos.



Here are a few pictures from another play.

These plays are so magnificently done. We have wonderful food along with some great association.



March 2018

Penske Racing Museum Tour

Thursday, March 15, 2018 - 11:00 am

(101 & North Scottsdale Road) 7191 E. Chauncey Lane Scottsdale 101 Auto Collection



Have you ever wanted to see an Indy 500 race car up close and personal? Your Sperry Retiree Club is sponsoring a free tour through the Penske Racing Museum in Scottsdale.

The Penske Racing Museum showcases an amazing collection of cars, trophies and racing memorabilia chronicling the career of one of the most successful dynasties in all of sports.

Team Penske has over 50 years of racing experience and over 400 major race wins highlighted by a record setting number of Indianapolis 500-mile race victories.

Come join your steering committee for an interesting, non-guided tour through Roger Penske's collection of various cars and memorabilia.

If you wish to have lunch after the tour, there are several restaurants just north of the museum you can select from. The SRC is not organizing a set luncheon for this event.

Therefore, if you want to tour the museum, please contact Kaye Eibeck at (480) 948-9910 or email at kwithane@cox.net before Monday, March 5, 2018.

She will also discuss your desire to have lunch on site or elsewhere.





Day at the Races

Tuesday, April 10, 2018





Where: Turf Paradise Park @ 1501 West Bell Rd

Time: Arrive at 11:00 AM at the Turf Club

Cost: \$24.00 per person Coordinator: Fred Polak

Free Parking: Use the Turf Club Entrance on 19th Avenue

Package includes:

Parking, Admission, How to Wager Guide, Senior Buffet Lunch, Coffee/Tea, Dessert, Tax and Gratuity & Winner Circle Photo - The retiree clubs will have a race named after them.

Reservation Due Date: April 3rd

Make checks payable to: Sperry Retiree Club - send to: Fred Polak at 5338 W Barbara Ave, Glendale, AZ 85302 fredpolak@cox.net or call him at 623-937-5316

Senior Buffet Lunch

SALAD BAR

Mixed salad greens
Tossed Caesar salad
Paradise pasta salad
House made Coleslaw
Fresh fruit salad
Country potato salad

CARVED MEATS

Roast breast of turkey
Brisket of beef
Cranberry sauce
Horse radish sauce
Assorted breads,
muffins, rolls

DESSERTS

Apple cobbler Assorted pies Assorted cookies Brownies Coffee and tea



Palo Verde Nuclear Power Station



I am sorry to say the Palo Verde Trips on Feb 7th and 14th have been **CANCELLED** due to limited resources at the station. I am trying to reschedule but the best I can do is get something next year.

So when I went on the first trip I found it very interesting and it gives me bragging rights that I went there but on reflection most of the time we looked at the outside of buildings we could not go into and was told what they were for.

It appears the Education Center gives you much more information and I have arranged a personal tour on. See that article below

Palo Verde Energy Education Center

Buckeye, AZ April 18th, 2018 at 9.30am

This tour goes into more detail on nuclear power generation and Palo Verde. It is recommended for all even if you also go to the power station.



The Palo Verde Energy Education Center (EEC) opened in 2011. The main purpose for this facility is to serve as an emergency base of operations in the event of a crisis at the Palo Verde Nuclear Generating Station (PVNGS), which is conveniently located 22 miles away. During non-emergency times, the center is used as a technical and education facility. Information from the PVNGS is displayed via live data streams and monitored closely by employees at the facility.

They are able to communicate instantly with the individuals at the plant and other officials around the world if any issue arises at the nuclear plant.

At the center you will see digital maps of Palo Verde, Full size sample fuel rods, reactor models, emergency procedures, different reactor designs, power distribution full size model of a spent fuel container and the use of treated water.. This plant is 27 miles west of I-10.

If you are interested in going, please email Keith @ keith8411@cox.net and ask to be put on the list and include your club affiliation.

Thanks, Keith

Southwest Airlines Tour-Back by Popular Demand

April 19th 2018 at 10AM



Several members have requested this tour again so here goes. This is a unique opportunity to tour Southwest Airlines Maintenance Facility at Sky Harbor Airport. You may be able to walk through an aircraft and sit in the cockpit then tour the maintenance and operation areas in a two hour guided tour. You will find out why the first aircraft were painted those colors, how the fit an aircraft that is too big into the hanger and maybe debate the correct part numbers of the APUs we see in the stores.

Last year we sat in an aircraft only 5 flight hours old and not yet entered service. Yes it had the new aircraft smell.

This free tour is planned, but names of all attendees are required in advance for security purposes.

This will be our 4th tour and spaces fill quickly. I have to limit the group to 40 for practical reasons.

To register sent the full names of all in your party to Keith Hughes at keith8411@cox.net or call 623-825-5243 for details and include your club affiliation.

Windy March



"Spring Pot Luck Picnic"

April 26, 2018



Location: Rio Vista Park, 8866 Thunderbird Rd, Peoria

Ramada 4-5-9

Time: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Lunch Served around 11:30 AM.

Prizes: 50/25/25 drawing

Coordinator: Larry Bowe - 928-759-2367-- larry.bowe.sr@gmail.com

Your Sperry Retirees Club will provide free_hamburgers, free Brats and rolls, water along with plates, utensils, condiments etc.

Because of Health issues, we asked you to not bring personal trays;

Please use the disposal plates provided.



Attendees are urged to bring a covered dish to share, more Hot Casseroles, Baked beans, Salads along with Desserts

You may bring your own beer (we have a beer permit) or soft drinks if you would like.

Absolutely NO glass containers in the park



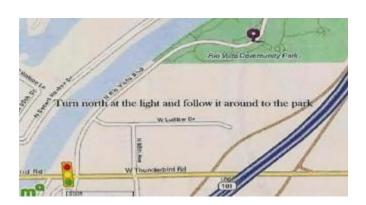
Two Winners in our Raffle - 50/25/25

(One ticket for \$1.00 or six tickets for \$5.00) along with 6 DOOR PRIZES

Again, this year we will be offering a chance to win cash. You can purchase ticket/s and win cash. All cash goes in a jar with your matching ticket. When the money is counted, two tickets will be drawn. Each of the two winners will receive 25% of the monies collected. The other 50% is deposited into the Sperry Retiree Club Account to be used for Sperry Retiree Club Activities.



Come join the fun & association



TRAVEL WITH BARBARA RIPPSTEIN FARTHER NORTH TO ALASKA



Although the first portion of our trip starts with the land tour, you can join the group for the cruise portion only. It is a 7 day cruise starting on August 11. We'll discuss the tour portion again next month.

You join us in Anchorage (Whittier) and board the Star Princess for the Voyage of the Glaciers. Many of Alaska's greatest glaciers and most beautiful scenery can only be experienced by sea and with Princess you don't miss any of the splendors. We will be visiting Hubbard Glacier and Glacier Bay, both are Scenic Cruising.

You can go out on the decks or your balcony to catch the glaciers calving and admire the beautiful blue ice. Or stay in one of the many lounges with a cup of hot coffee or chocolate and watch the beautiful scenery go by.

In addition to the glacier viewing experiences, you'll also get to know the character of Alaska's culture in the charming ports of Skagway, Juneau and Ketchikan. During the gold rush, Skagway, the gateway to the Klondike, boasted 20,000 residents and nearly as many saloons, dance halls and gambling palaces. Today the city of 1000 is perhaps Alaska's most lovingly preserved of gold rush-era life.

Some 30,000 people live in Juneau, the capital of Alaska. Its total area makes it one of the biggest towns, in size, in the world. Today Juneau is famous not only for gold and government but also for its breathtakingly beautiful glaciers and stunning views of both water and mountains.

Ketchikan has charming Creek Street, one of Ketchikan's main attractions. It was the town's red light district during the gold rush days. Equally famous are Native totems on display at the Saxman Native Village and the regions fabled salmon fishing.

Our cruise ends in Vancouver where we will disembark on August 18. Vancouver is a great place to spend a few days sight-seeing. Ford's World Travel would be happy to help you plan your cruise, tour, air and hotel stays.







Because there are so many options, I invite you to contact Ford's Travel.

They will send you brochures, more information and prices.



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Clubs Fix-It Guys Program

Sponsored by Honeywell, Garrett and Sperry Retiree 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 acting Coordinator, Warren Koepsel, at (480) 510-9304 to schedule a trip to your home. If you reach voice mail, leasuressage 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!

Since the passing of Clint Langford, our group of North Valley handymen has experienced a significant decline. Warren Koepsel has graciously offered to temporarily coordinate Fix-It Guys activities for the North Valley until we find a replacement for Clint. So ... 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 Warren or GRC President, Mark Steele, (602) 541-5360 or HRSC President, Ed Taschner (602) 300-6262. We would love to talk with you!

The table below lists our current Fix-It Guys Team. Thanks guys - for all that you do.

East Valley					
Mike Briske	Frank Holman	Warren Koepsel	Charlie Paine		
Bob Davenport	Nick Hughes	Stu Mitnik	Ken Probert		
Mike Griffin	Jim King	Chuck Mottet			
North Valley					
Bob Farney	Roy Newbold	Lee Rippstein	Dan Schott		







Jump on board

Looking for new board members

The Sperry Retiree Club (SRC) currently has <u>9</u> 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 Sperry Retire Club could be in jeopardy. To keep SRC 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.

Lost and Found

If you lost or found anything at our events! Please give it to any member on our board and they will be sure to get it back to the owner if possible

Our Present & Past Activities

Sept Kick-off Luncheon

Verde Canyon Railroad Trip

Tovrea Castle

Palo Verde Nuclear Plant

The 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 Fullfillment tour

AZ Science Museum

Sperry - Happy Birthday Jesus

Musical Instrument Museum

Cerreta Candy Company Factory Tour

Butterfly Wonderland

University of Phoenix Stadium Tour

Dolly Steamboat Tour

Cruises

Penske Racing Museum Tour

March 2018

Application for Sperry Retiree Club Membership "Remember you can pay for more than one year at a time"

New Member Renewal	Dues are \$5 Annual Membership			
Full Name	Spouse/Partner Phone #			
Address	CityState Zip Code			
Check #: Amount:	Email Address:			
Checks are payable to: Sperry Retiree Club & mail to: Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351 #623-815-8246				
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