



"Lots of new Events"

Amazon Tour - Rick Carter/HSRC Feb 6th amazon You can call for future tours

Day at the Races Feb 19th

Ping Factory Tour/Canceled 15th Feb 27th

Essilor Eyeglass Lab Tour March 20th

PXG Factory Tour March15th

April 4th AZ Broadway Theater/Mama Mia

Spring Pot Lunch Picnic April 25th

Verde Valley Railroad Oct 26th

Coastal Cruise Nov 19th

Barry Goldwater's photographs TBD

MIM Instrument Museum TBD

























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Please read- locate your due date "Aero Activates Club"

<u>Hard copies</u> which are in black & white are under the address. <u>Email copies</u> your dues are in the body of the mail.

There seems to be some confusion when paying your dues.

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

Iust send in a check, thank you

When the month of <u>October</u> comes around, Please think about sending in your dues for the following year.

If you are only using a Cell Phone as your contact number!

Please call to update our records.



Message from Kaye's Korner



January has come and gone – now onto February. Not only is this month American Heart Month but also Canned Food Month, Creative Romance Month, (one of my favorites) Great American Pie Month and of all things the first Friday of the month is Bubble Gum Day! Where's my Hubba Bubba?

How many of you have visited the Aero Activities Club new web site – AeroActivitiesClub.com? If you haven't, be sure to look at it and give us your thoughts. A lot of work went into developing it.

I had the opportunity to tour the Tovrea Castle in early January - VERY interesting tour. So, if you want to get on the waiting list for future tour tickets, be sure to contact Keith Hughes. Also, if you were able to attend the Sanderson

Ford Museum tour on January 23, I know it brought back great memories of Phoenix in the bygone era.

Fred Polak is heading up the Day at the Races on February 19, and Keith has one more Ping Factory tours on February 27th. So if you haven't already contacted those gentlemen for any of those events, be sure you do before their deadlines – which can be found in this month's Wings.

Tickets are still available for Mama Mia. So be sure to contact Lydia Gonzales if you're interested. Steve Flood has scheduled a tour through the PXG factory at Scottsdale Air Park and I believe he still has some openings.

The spring picnic planning is under way for Thursday, April 25th. As usual, Larry Bowe is heading up the event. It's a great opportunity to join us in the fresh air, have some good food and renew old acquaintances.

There are a couple of new events your steering committee is looking into – a tour of Barry Goldwater's photographs in Scottsdale's Museum of the West and a tour of the Musical Instrument Museum (MIM). So be sure to read about this in this month's Wings.

So, in closing, I hope everyone has a great month and celebrate Valentine's Day with someone special. Oh, and it you have the chance, be sure to check out the Glendale Chocolate Affaire on February 9-10 in historic Glendale. There's something there for EVERY chocoholic! Also, if you haven't already replied to our survey for the 2019 Christmas event, please be sure you do. Deadline is March 1.

Kaye

Our New website address: www.AeroActivitiesClub.com



"Down Memory Lane"

If you have memories & you would like to share them. Please submit them to Joyce Colella - <u>ic8246@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.



Randall Gaylor Albuquerque 35 years



Paul Parent 35 years



Robert Parker 35 years



Ed Purvis 35 years



Bob Atkin 30 years



Paul Hatcher 30 years



Vaughn Bussma Albuquerque 20 years



Jim Carl 20 years



Toby de Glopper Seattle 20 years



Sheila Gordon 20 years



Craig Herdman 20 years



Terry Lippert 20 years



Harold Snavely Wichita 20 years



Ron Stoner 20 years



Larry Bartlett Albuquerque 15 years



Tom Elliot 15 years



Joanna Langdon 15 years



Paul Mandeville 15 years



Dee Brewster 10 years



Pat Burdi 10 years



Sandee Farrand 10 years



Jeffrey Genet 10 years



Steve Grothe 10 years



Leonard James 10 years



Thomas Schade 10 years



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The following employees marked 5-year milestones with Honeywell: William Blair, Thomas Bolz, Jr., Frances Brown, William Campbell, Ilene Caudle, Christine Daley, Phylis Davis, David De Grose, Carmelita Dupuls, Robert Friberg, Terri Gilderoy, William Gural, Garry Henderson, Loren Hendry, Steven Jilek, James Kotecki, Betty Kubeczko, Kevin Lively, Richard Mahin, Nancy Mann, John Minnick, Martha Owen, Elsie Perez, Esther Porter, Jerry

Roush, Emiliano Sanchez, Karen Savage, Lawrence Thorell, Vincent Villavicencio, Linda Zurcher.

Ping Factory Tour

Feb 27th 2019



The Ping Gold Room is a vault, and yes the putters you see are gold.

Any player that wins a tour event with a Ping putter gets that putter gold plated and one goes in the vault. Any player that wins a Major Tournament gets a solid gold putter and one goes in the vault.

On Nov 29th a group of us toured the factory. I know absolutely nothing about golf so I will not embarrass myself with a long description. However the tour for me was fascinating, full of details and over 2 hours long. And you really do walk at least ½ a mile.

The facility is their main design and production site with 800 employees out of a worldwide workforce of 1500. We toured everywhere from custom bag manufacturing, putter head milling, assembly of the clubs at various stages, driving range and the vault.

There was some famous PGA player trying out new clubs on a very nice test range. The picture above is the vault with over 3400 gold plated and solid gold putters. Apparently if you win a big championship using Ping clubs they make a gold putter for you and keep a replica in the vault.

We discovered that the next day (Nov 1st) they were introducing a variable length putter to the market. Apparently 80% of players use the wrong length.

This has been a popular event and all three dates (Oct31st, Nov 9th and Nov 29th) are fully booked.

If interested in going on Feb 27th - please contact keith8411@cox.net

• Include name, number of tickets, club affiliation and phone number along with the first and second choice date you prefer.

Day at the Races

Tuesday Feb 19, 2019





Where: Turf Paradise Park @ 1501 West Bell Rd

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

Cost: \$26.00 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.

Reservations are due and payable on or before by Date: Feb 5th

Make checks payable to: <u>Aero Activities Club</u> - send to: Fred Polak at 5338 W Barbara Ave, Glendale, AZ 85302 <u>fredpolak@cox.net</u> or 623-937-5316

Senior Buffet Lunch

SALAD BAR	CARVED MEATS	DESSERTS
Mixed salad greens Tossed Caesar salad	Roast breast of turkey Brisket of beef	Apple cobbler Assorted pies
Paradise pasta salad House made Coleslaw Fresh fruit salad	Cranberry sauce Horse radish sauce Assorted breads,	Assorted cookies Brownies Coffee and tea
Country potato salad	Muffins, rolls	

PXG Factory Tour

Monday March 15th





The PXG (Parsons Extreme Golf) tour will include: history of the company, introduction to the products/technology, a talk about the tour staff, viewing of the fitting studio and walk through the build shop.

The tour will be 9:00 AM, Friday, March 15th at the PXG headquarters at: 15690 N 83rd Way, Scottsdale, AZ. The tour will last approximately an hour. The number of tour participants is limited.

Reserve your attendance early by calling Steve Flood at 602-717-0990 or an e-mail to steveflood.realtor@gmail.com.

Be sure to provide the names of the people who will be attending.

Essilor Factory Tour

Saturday March 20th



Essilor is the largest manufacturing company of eye wear in the world, with the latest technology. There is a laboratory in Phoenix which processes the lenses and coatings. This tour will provide information on Essilor and explain the processes that are involved in making the lenses. A tour of the lens making lab with be included.

The tour will be 11:00 AM, Wednesday, March 20th at the Essilor laboratory at, Meridian Optical, 3711 East Atlanta Ave, Phoenix, AZ. The tour will last approximately an hour. Parking will be on the street. Enter through the main door. Ability to walk up a stairway to a second floor is required. The number of tour participants is limited.

Reserve your attendance early by calling Steve Flood at 602-717-0990, or an e-mail to steveflood.realtor@gmail.com.

Be sure to provide the names of the people who will be attending.

Arizona Broadway Theater

Thursday April 4, 2019





Location: 77th Avenue & Paradise Lane

Dining Time: 12:00 pm

Curtain Time: 2:00 pm

Coordinator: Lydia Gonzales

Phone: 623-561-1174

E-mail: lcgonzales12@cox.net

Cost: \$65.00 per person includes dinner, show, tax and gratuity

Please make checks payable to <u>Aero Activities Club</u> and mail to Lydia Gonzales - 7028 West Taro Lane, Glendale, AZ 85308

All checks are due and payable by: March 7, 2019

A mother, a daughter, three possible dads!

A wedding you'll never forget! ABBA's timeless songs, including "Take a Chance on Me, Chiquitita, and Dancing Queen", tell this enchanting saga of a free-spirited mother, her daughter, and the three men who may be Dad. This Broadway-blockbuster international sensation is an unforgettable show filled with love, laughter, and friendship that will leave you dancing in the aisles!

"Spring Pot Luck Picnic"

April 25, 2019



Location: Rio Vista Park, 8866 Thunderbird Rd, Peoria

Ramada 4-5

Time: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Lunch Served around 11:30 AM.

Prizes: 50/25/25 drawing

Coordinator: Larry Bowe - <u>928-759-2367-larry.bowe.sr@gmail.com</u>

Aero Activities 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.

<u>Absolutely NO glass</u> containers in the park

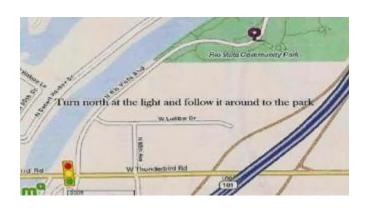


Two Winners in our Raffle - 50/25/25 (One ticket for \$1.00 or six tickets for \$5.00)

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





Verde Canyon Railroad

Oct. 26th



Reserve Now! No need to pay until Sept.



Where: Clarksdale, AZ

300 N Broadway, Clarkdale, AZ 86324

Cross Streets near the intersection of N Broadway and Miller Rd

(800) 293-7245

Time: the Train Leaves Clarksdale at 1:00 PM

Round trip takes approximately 4 hours

Cost: Same price as 2 years ago. 1st Class ticket is \$85 per person total (all

ages). This reflects our discount and includes all taxes (savings of over \$13). The fare includes sandwiches/snacks on board the train.

Non-members are always welcomed

Accommodations: We need about 30 people to get our own 1st Class Car.

"1st Class Car that is handicap accessible"
Don't miss out, sign up now.

If you are interested in this fun trip, please contact

Larry Bowe @ <u>larry.bowe@gmail.com</u> or Call him: 1-928-759-2367



<u>Send Larry a check</u> make out to <u>Aero Activities Club</u> and mail to: Larry Bowe - 11452 Turquoise Circle, Dewey, AZ 86327







Royal Princess Cruise

November 9, 2019

Join Your Friends on A California Coastal Cruise The On-Board Host, <u>Barbara Rippstein</u>, invites you on a 7 Day cruise. Itinerary: San Francisco, CA, Monterey, CA, San Diego, CA, Ensenada, Mexico

Princess Cruises offers the most affordable balcony staterooms, freedom and flexibility in dining choices, and unmatched service. Make your plans now to take advantage of the best staterooms and our Princess Group prices and benefits.

The popular All Aboard! Sale is on right now.

Interior cabins are from \$909 per person with onboard spending money of \$100 per guest. Balcony cabins are \$1079 per person with onboard spending money of \$150 per guest. Mini-suite cabins are \$1459 per person with onboard spending money of \$100 per guest.

Taxes, Fees & Port Expenses additional: \$190 per person.

\$100 onboard Credit for Retired Military Personnel and Veterans with an Honorable Discharge

Deposit of 10% per guest made under the All Aboard! Sale is refundable. All prices above are subjected to availability and change without notice.

For complete details, prices and reservations contact Ford's World Travel 10738 W. Bell Road, Bell Camino Center Sun City, AZ (623) 933-8256



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Photographs by Barry M. Goldwater

The Arizona Highways Collection-TBD



Scottsdale's Museum of the West has a display of 34 of Barry Goldwater's photographs through June 23, 2019. Admission is \$13 for seniors and active military, \$15 regular admission and \$8 for students with valid ID. For those of you who may not be familiar with Barry Goldwater, he is known as an Arizona icon, a politician and the father of American Conservatism who ran for president in 1964.

Your Aero Activities Club is thinking about organizing a tour of Goldwater's photographs, but we would like to find out how many of our members would be

interested.

If you would like to join us, please let Kaye Eibeck know via 480-948-9910 email kwithane@cox.net

Keep reading the Wings for updates on this and our other tours/events we've set up for everyone.

Musical Instrument Museum (MIM) Tour-TBD



How many of you have had the opportunity to tour MIM? Your Aero Activities Club is looking into organizing a weekend tour for our members and their guests, but we'd like to find out how many persons are interested.

Cost is \$20 per person (no discounts) however we'd have our own guide. The tours are approximately one hour but afterwards you have the opportunity tour main at the museum and walk around at your leisure.

MIM has complimentary wheel chairs on a first-come-first-served basis. They also have assistive listening system available upon request.

Here's a little information about the venue: MIM displays more than 6,800 instruments collected from around 200 of the <u>world's countries and territories</u>. Most displays are enhanced by state-of-the-art audio and video technologies that allow guests to see the instruments, hear their sounds, and observe them being played in their original contexts—performances that are often as spectacular as the instruments themselves. What's more, all guests are invited to play instruments from around the world in the <u>Experience Gallery</u>. They can also see instruments from music icons such as Elvis Presley®, Johnny Cash, Pablo Casals, John Lennon, "King" Sunny Adé, Clara Rockmore, Maroon 5, and many more in the <u>Artist Gallery</u>.

So, if you think you'd be interested, contact Kaye Eibeck at kwithane@cox.net or 480-948-9910 Then we'll pursue a tour for our group.



February 2019

2019 Aero Activities Club Christmas Event Survey

This message is a follow-up to the statement I made during the 2018 Christmas Dinner/Dance. As I mentioned, your steering committee has a noticed sizeable decrease in the number of attendees the past couple of years for the Christmas dinner/dance.

2016 - 75 2017 - 81 2018 - 53

These numbers also include HRSC members and their spouses/guests plus the steering committee and their spouses/guests. Therefore, we are looking at numbers approximately 10-15 less than reported above.

In fact, the numbers for our fall kick-off luncheon has also dropped somewhat

2016 - 79 2017 - 86 2018 - 58

Talking to several members, we found contributing factors for the declining numbers are several – we're getting older, people don't like to drive at night and some of our members who used to attend have passed.

Thinking about ways to remedy the decline in attendance... The steering committee is considering a couple of alternatives:

- 1. Change the venue to a <u>Christmas luncheon</u>. Continue with the buffet theme. Check to see if the cost per person could be less.
- 2. Eliminate the Christmas event all together and focus on our kick-off luncheon.

Your opinions are VERY important to us. Therefore, we'd like you to vote for one of the following:

1.	Christmas dinner/dance	YES	NO
2.	Christmas luncheon	YES	NO
3.	Eliminate Christmas event & focus on kick-off luncheon	YES	NO

The steering committee needs your vote/response NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 2019.

You can respond two ways – send to me via USPS, Kaye Eibeck, 7521 E. Via Estrella Avenue Scottsdale, AZ 85258-1121

Or via email using the following email address: <u>AACresponse@yahoo.com</u>
Remember – your vote is important, so don't forget to vote!

Honeywell Clubs Fix-It Guys Program

Sponsored by Honeywell, Garrett and 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, Warren Koepsel, at (480) 510-9304 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?

HELLE

Your Clubs really need your help!

Since the passing of Clint Langford;

Our group of North Valley handymen has experienced a significant decline. 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 (480-510-9304). 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					
Bob Davenport	Frank Holman	Warren Koepsel	Stu Mitnik		
North Valley					
Bob Farney	Lee Rippstein	Dan Schott			



"In Memory"

Charlene Eva (Chase) Kremer Richard E. Eckert David K. Womack Richard I. (Dick) Peterson



"Welcome New Members"

Alan Baldwin
Art Beyer
Atul Mitley
Benjamin Kyung
Bruce Orner
Charla Carter
David Martinaz
Dawn Foley
Deb Martin
Debbie Brooks
Debby Armstrong
DeDe Fox
Diana Thompson
Don Rugle
Ed Rutledge

Eric Neal
Greg Beal
Hau Nguyen
Isevin Parkhorst
Jay Mesick
Kathy Dickinson
Kathy Glenn
Kathy Hospodic
Ken Wyke
Kennedy Logan
Khoa Do
Kim Nguyen
Kristin Quintin

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Honeywell Retiree Service Center

Dept. 09796 - 2601 Research Forest Drive
The Woodlands, TX 77381

Phone number: 1-800-526-0744

Hours of Operation: Monday - Friday
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Northern Trust / Pensions
PO Box 92922
Chicago, Ill 60675 - 1-877-258-3699 #5

<u>Unisys Pension</u>
Pension Plan - 1-877-864-7972
Service Center - 1-888-560-1782
701-221-7565



Jump on board

Looking for new board members

The Aero Activities Club (SRC) currently has <u>11</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 Aero Activities 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.

Our Present & Past Activities

Sept Kick-off Luncheon Verde Canyon Railroad Trip Tourea Castle Talo Verde Nuclear Flant 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 Fleasant Cruise Amazon Fullfillment tour **az** Science Museum Musical Instrument Museum Cerreta Candy Company Factory Tour Butterfly Wonderland University of Phoenix Stadium Tour Dolly Steamboat Tour Cruises Penske Racing Museum Jour Ping Factory Tour



February 2019

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

New Member Renewal	Dues ar	e \$5 Annually	Date		
Full Name	Spouse/Partner		Phone #		
Address	City	State	Zip Code		
Check #: Amount:	Email Addr	ess:			
Checks are payable to: Aero Activities Club & mail to: Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351 #623-815-8246					
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Aero Activities Club @Joyce Colella 11128 W Mirandy Ct					



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