



April is the beginning of life being positive

AAC Spring Picnic



April 29, 2021



Sanderson Ford Museum

May 14th



AAC Kick-Off Luncheon

Sept 16th



Tovrea Castle tour

Nov 4, 2021



ABT/updates

TBD



Christmas with Santa

Dec 9th





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Do you know where to find your dues date?

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

No changes to your acct. Please just send in a check, thank you

You can go to <https://aeroactivitiesclub.com/>
to use the PayPal program to get your dues paid; you can update all information

**IF YOU ARE *ONLY* USING YOUR CELL PHONE NOW - Please call 623-363-2969
or email me aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com
to update our records**

Keith's Thoughts

The last few months have been tough for everybody from social isolation to serious health issues. By the time you read this everyone in the club will be eligible to receive a vaccine and I hope you have been able to get one. The scheduling process leaves a lot to be desired but it is worth the effort. We all need to get vaccinated to stop the spread and return to normal life.

As you can see the club is balancing your safety with trying to schedule new events. Now that restrictions have been lifted our committee can contact potential venues for future events. Our goal is to only offer events that are COVID safe for you.

First up is our annual spring picnic at Rio Vista Park. So far almost 40 people have signed up and we have reserved a space for 100 people so we can spread out in the open air for safety. As stated last time we are providing all the food this time for health issues. We would appreciate volunteers to help serve. Contact Larry Bowe if you are able to help. To plan for the event and plan for food we ask everyone to RSVP. Follow the instructions on the AAC Spring Picnic page or go to our website [event sign up page](#)

The Sanderson Village and Museum tour is almost fully booked. This is our 6th visit there and still there is a lot of interest with something for everyone to see. Even if you are not a car enthusiast the old mercantile store and ice cream parlor and the 50s neon signs are interesting. Housed in a 20,000 square foot warehouse there is plenty of room for social distancing. Check out photos from previous visits on our website [Sanderson Ford Pictures](#)

For those wanting to go to Tovrea Castle there are only a few places left for the November tour. I know it is a long way off but the tour is so popular to the public there is now a lottery system for tickets and they have raised the price so nothing is available to the public through the end of the year. So if you are still on the fence think of this as shopping at Costco. Buy it when you see it because it may not be there next time.

As many of our events were canceled in 2020 we gave all our members a free year. This year we are resuming events and I encourage members who have dues to pay this year to pay promptly and help us keep the club running smoothly. You have three options to pay:

1. Print the form in this newsletter and send a check
2. Go online to print the form and send a check
3. Go online to fill in the form and pay using Paypal. You do not need a Paypal account to use this.

To renew online click here [Online Membership Renewal](#)

The website address for past newsletters, event photos etc is [AeroActivitiesClub.com](#)

As always please stay safe and I hope to see you all at the picnic.

Keith

Help us update our rooster of members:

The website link: aeroactivitiesclub.com

is very user friendly; when you go to the website...

At the top on the page click on:

- Membership - Current Members

Then down scroll to:

- Member Info Change Form:

After you have completed your information changes - Just click on submit

To Reiterate:

If you have any of the changes below...

1. *New home addresses*
2. *New phone numbers*
3. *New Cell phone numbers*
4. *New email Addresses*

*Thank you,
We appreciate your helping us update our files*




“Down Memory Lane

If you have memories & you would like to share them.

Please submit them to Joyce Colella aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com


Mail to: SRC @ Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351 623-815-8246.

We will take a look to determine if we can publish them on <https://www.Facebook.com/aeroactivitiesclub>

1998 QUALITY WEEK 

Regulatory Interface Office

Air Transport Systems



*First Row – Max Berghammer, Elaine McCall, Shani Solberg, Hal Thomas;
Second Row – Miles Hughes, Eddie Aranda, Gerry Fischer, Bill Winters.*

Mission statement:

To ensure that Air Transport Systems is fully aware of all aviation regulatory requirements and assists in ensuring compliance by being the repository of expertise and the focal for communication.

Accomplishments:

- ❖ RIO formation approved by Walt McConnell in June 1998
- ❖ Strategic guidelines established
- ❖ Communication of RIO to Federal Aviation Administration underway
- ❖ Appropriate personnel being identified for RIO membership

Contact: Max Berghammer. 436-2047

**ARIZONA
BROADWAY
THEATRE****UPDATES**

Chicago is coming back in 2021-22 Season along with other plays. Right now ABT is allowing us attend any date for Chicago in groups as small as 2.

When the new season shows and dates are announced the Wings newsletter will provide dates for the shows.

Currently ABT is serving meals in the lobby. Only time will tell how things will change.

So, I look forward to this fall season and will try to accommodate as many wishes as possible. At this time I am only working on Chicago for the group.

When the fall season shows are announced my plan is to select several show times and offer those on a first come basis.

I do not know if ABT will limit the group size due to limited seating or what.

- **Lots of questions and few answers as we work through this new normal.**

Many thanks for staying interested in the ABT and I hope to see you at a future show.

Kevin

“AAC Spring Picnic”

Thursday April 29th



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 - 602-615-7150-lbowesr@gmail.com



**“AAC will provide all food & Desserts due to Covid”
 “Burgers and Brats and all the trimmings”**

*Because of Health issues, we asked you to not bring personal trays;
 Please use the disposal plates provided.*

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

“RSVP” will be needed for food quantity

****If you plan to attend the Spring Picnic send the following information to
 Larry Bowe at lbowesr@gmail.com or use the sign-up link aeroactivitiesclub.com
 Name, number of attendees and cell phone number.***



We will have the Book exchange or you can purchase a book for \$1



TWO WINNERS IN OUR RAFFLE - 50/25/25
(One ticket for \$1.00 or seven tickets for \$5.00)

Again, this year we will be offering a chance to win cash. You can purchase ticket/s and win cash.
 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 Aero Activities Club will be used for Club Activities.

Come join the fun & association



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The Sanderson Village and Museum

Friday May 14th

Due to Covid Precautions; Tour size is limited so sign-up quickly

You are invited to tour a private, invitation only, museum. The Sanderson Village and Museum, contains dozens of cars and nostalgic items, such as a beautifully recreated old mercantile store, a kitchen from the '40s and a '50s diner with oodles of chrome and period furnishings and accessories such as Coca Cola items from the '30s through the '50s. The 20,000 square-foot warehouse has one of the best ford collections anywhere and has something for everyone to enjoy.

This free tour is at 9:30 am in Glendale. The tour lasts 60 - 75 minutes. Afterwards you may visit the Starliner Diner on the same site and purchase a late breakfast or lunch. **For reservations contact Keith Hughes at keith8411@cox.net.**



Please tell me if you are staying for a meal as space is limited to 30 people. Diner Menu.

<http://sandersonford.com/Starliner-Diner>



Kick-off Luncheon

Thursday Sept. 16th

You're Invited!



Palmbrook Country Club

9350 W. Greenway Road
Sun City, AZ 85351

\$20.00 per person

**11:00AM - 2:00PM
(Luncheon beginning at 11:30am)**

Deli Buffet

Garden salad with Raspberry & Ranch dressings
Potato salad & Fruit

Sliced Ham & Turkey and Assorted Breads
Assorted cheeses with Onion - Lettuce - Tomato

Mayo & Mustard
Ice Tea & Water - Hot Coffee

Desserts

Brownies & Cookies

Deadline for this event is: Sept. 12th

Contact: Joyce Colella @ 623-815-8246 or AeroActivitiesClub@yahoo.com

Make Checks out to AAC and mail them to:

Joyce Colella - 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351

Raffle - \$1 for one ticket and \$5 for seven tickets.. Our 50/25/25 drawing

There will be two lucky winners who will be able to walk away with 25% of the monies collected
The other 50% will go to back into the AAC budget, which is used to subsidize out activities and events.

Tovrea Castle

Friday Nov 4th, 2021



Event is on with COVID Precautions

“We will be taking every precaution to ensure the health and safety of our Guests and Staff. Everyone is required to wear a mask, will practice social distancing, with tour sizes broken into smaller groupings.” Most of the tour is outside riding on Golf Carts. This maybe relaxed by the tour date.

This is a private tour for Aero, Honeywell, Garrett clubs. Tours are approximately 2 hours and include the historic Castle's main floor and basement, extensive grounds and cactus gardens surrounding the Castle. Most of the tour is outside riding a tram so dress warm. The tour starts at 10.00 am and the grounds are cool. The tour is wheel chair accessible but no electric scooters are allowed. There are seats inside the building to rest so it is not a strenuous tour.

Guests are greeted by Tovrea Carraro Society volunteers at the Visitor Center and taken through the Carraro Cactus Gardens on a tram with a docent. The tour winds through the beautiful 44 acres, viewing the outer buildings, before arriving at Tovrea Castle. The Society has increased the price to \$25 and the club is using a special price of \$22 each.

This will be our last tour for 12 months so please do not delay in booking the last tickets. We have had over 400 members visit on 17 different dates and the event is still popular.

Only a limited number of tickets are available so book early to avoid disappointment.

If interested send the following to keith8411@cox.net.

Name, number of tickets, club affiliation and cell phone number in case of last minute changes.

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Christmas with Santa

Thursday Dec. 9TH

Arrowhead Country Club
19888 N. 73rd Avenue
Glendale, AZ - 623-561-9600

**More information to come
as the date gets closer...**

**Come join the festivities and
Socialize with the friends
11:AM to 2:00 PM**

*Santa will be there
to take your picture*



Coordinator: Steve Flood @ Azrat@aol.com - 602-717-0990

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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 **Gary Kains, Gary at 480-835-6060** 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 **Gary at - 480-835-6060.**

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	Stu Mitnik	
North Valley			
Bob Farney	Lee Rippstein	Dan Schott	Paul Wiley
	Kevin Vetter		



Elsie Francis Anderson
Stan Lequin
Bryan Gerber
Kenneth Loffman
Ronald Abraham
Jean Spence

Welcome New Members

Douglas Rehblom
Michael Schwartz

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

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

You're Benefits Resources™
<https://directaccess.ps.honeywell.com/cwa/mobilelogin.jsp>

or
<https://leplb0750.upoint.alight.com/web/honeywell/login?forkPage=false>

Questions for Medicare contact

1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)
Or via the website at www.medicare.gov
Northern Trust / Pensions
PO Box 92922
Chicago, Ill 60675 - **1-877-258-3699 #5**

Unisys Pension

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 currently has 11 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 AAC 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**
- 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 Fulfillment 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 Tour
- Ping & PXG Factory Tour**
- The AZ Highways Collection
- Barry Goldwater's Photography**
- Rio Salado Audubon
- Commemorative Air Force Museum**



Application for Aero Activities Club Membership

"Remember you can pay for more than one year at a time"

New Member Renewal Dues are \$5 Annually Date _____

Full Name _____ Spouse/Partner _____

Address _____ Cell# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Home # _____

Check #: _____ Amount: _____ Personal Email Address: _____

*Checks payable to: Aero Activities Club & mail to: Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351
or go to our sign-up at aeroactivitiesclub.com*

Note: If you Change **ANYTHING** OR you want to go from a **Hard Copy to Email copy**
Please email me at: aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com

<p>Name _____ Home # _____</p> <p>Address _____ Cell# _____</p> <p>City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____</p> <p>Personal Email Address _____</p>	Changes
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⇒ Do you want your email published to members only, so friends may contact you? Please Yes No

⇒ Do you need the Black and White copy in the mail only? Please Yes No

If you are 50 and worked at Sperry/Honeywell: (You do not need to be retired) you are welcomed to come join

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