



Have a wonderful February and hopeful a better year

AAC Spring Picnic

April 29, 2021



Sanderson Ford Museum

May 14th



AAC Kick-Off Luncheon

Sept 16th



Tovrea Castle tour

Nov 4, 2021



ABT/ Play to be decided

TBD



Christmas with Santa

Dec 9th





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Do you know where to find your dues date?

**Hard copies which are in black & white is under the address.
Email copies 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 at aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com to update our records



As I write this in the beginning of February there are signs that the COVID vaccine distribution is taking place although slower initially compared to what we were led to believe. I know some of you have already had your first shots and hopefully you have all been able to sign up for shots in the next few weeks. Remember we need 80% of people vaccinated for herd immunity.

Because of the COVID situation the committee is concentrating on events in the Fall and Winter months for safety but a lot of places will not commit to an event until the situation improves so many of our ideas cannot be announced yet.

One event is the return of the AAC Picnic that will be outside in an area big enough for social distancing. We had to cancel last year and I look forward to it as it gives a chance for all our members to get together and renew acquaintances. To make it COVID safe we will provide all the food and you just bring drinks as buffets are currently banned.

RSVP will be required to ensure we have sufficient food and in case we have to cancel last minute. Note that we had to bring forward the date a week as the adjacent playground area is being rebuilt from May to August and we wanted to avoid the dust and noise.

Another popular event is a visit to Sanderson Ford Village and Museum. Cars range from a 1926 Model T Ford to a Shelby Cobra purchased for \$200,000 at an auction. There are several nostalgic items from the 30s through 50s in an old mercantile store and ice cream parlor. This is housed in a 20,000 sq ft building but we will limit numbers to ensure social distancing so do not delay your sign up. After the tour we can visit a 50s diner for lunch.

Most of our other events will be in the Fall and Winter in the hope COVID issues will be behind us but stay tuned in case we have to cancel an event.

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

Tom Leard has retired from the committee and I would like to thank him for his valuable service. He was our docent for the Commemorative Air force Museum and always had a logical and well thought out perspective in any discussions the committee had. Sometimes we do get a little carried away!

Finally on behalf of the committee we wish you and your family a Happy and Healthy New Year and look forward to seeing you at future events.

Keith

Our website address for signing up or paying your dues: AeroActivitiesClub.com





Help us update our rooster of members:

The website 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 - jc8246@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. <https://www.facebook.com/Sperrymember/?ref=bookmarks>



Elaine Wetsch
Minneapolis
40 years



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Wichita
30 years



Ira McNear
Phoenix
30 years



Ralph Morales
Phoenix
30 years



John Pacenti
Phoenix
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William Strefeler
Phoenix
30 years



Carol Baldwin
Minneapolis
25 years



Keith Browning
Phoenix
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Dwight Colby
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Phillip Lawson
Minneapolis
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Mike Martin
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29 years



Shirley Carola
Phoenix
27 years



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26 years



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24 years



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20 years



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“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.
 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





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>

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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

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

Ice Tea & Water - Hot Coffee

Desserts

Brownies & Cookies

Deadline for this event is: Sept. 10th

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.

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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



Richard Borg
 Bob Fischer
 George R. Doten
 Raymond R. Benavides
 Wayne Sr Donnay & his wife Carole
 John "Topp" Toppi Sr

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Don Nicholas
 Curtis Walters

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

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 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 10 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 are payable to: Aero Activities Club & mail to:
Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351 or call #623-363-2969*

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 _____</p> <p>Personal Email Address _____</p>	Changes
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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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