



In the meaning of colors, purple and violet represent the future, the imagination and dreams, while spiritually calming the emotions. They inspire and enhance psychic ability and spiritual enlightenment, while, at the same time, keeping us grounded. The color violet relates to the fantasy world, and a need to escape from the practicalities of life.

Musical Instrument Museum/Treasures

April 14th



Spring Picnic

April 28th



Discovery Princess /Alaskan Cruise

August 14th





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Do you know where to find your dues date?

- **Hard copies:** are in black & white is under the address.
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**IF YOU ARE ONLY USING YOUR CELL PHONE NOW - Please call 623-363-2969
Or email me aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com to update our records**

If you have to dues that need to pay please note

There are 3 way to pay

1. **Contact:** Joyce Colella@ 623-815-8246/AeroActivitiesClub@yahoo.com
2. **Sign-up or pay dues** or **just make any changes :** **Current Members** (aeroactivitiesclub.com)
3. **Make a check out to:** AAC@Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351



Keith's Thoughts



We have several events planned for the next few weeks. First is a Musical Instrument Museum Tour with a Signature Event featuring Bob Marley and the Wailers on February 5th. This event is held on a Saturday so our members who are still working can attend. The one hour tour is followed by a treasure hunt and you can have lunch in the MIM cafe.

The second Musical Instrument Tour is on April 14th and features a Legendary Musical Instrument Exhibit. More than twenty instruments have been loaned from renowned museums and private collections. As before there is a treasure hunt and you can snack in the MIM cafe.

On April 28th we have our annual Spring Picnic. I am expecting a large attendance as last year we had 75 members attend and this year the Honeywell Retirees club is joining us. This event is free for our members and because of COVID concerns we will provide all the food. Larry Bowe does a great job organizing this event and cooking the burgers and Brats. I am sure he would appreciate your help if you want to assist. Last year we added ice cream for dessert and it was enjoyed by all on that warm sunny day.

We had some issues with our PayPal account in early January that prevented members using it. That is now fixed so you can pay your dues and event fees online again.

Thank you to all of you have already sent in your annual dues. Several have paid for more than one year and that saves us time and money. Our membership is on a calendar year basis so if your Wings came with a message to say 2021 Dues you need to renew. You can fill in the form at the end of this newsletter or renew on our website. On the website you can choose how much you want to pay so as our membership is \$5/year, if you entered \$20 you would be signing up for 4 years.

The website address for past newsletters, event photos etc is AeroActivitiesClub.com

Please take care and stay safe, Keith

Please help us keep your information updated:

The link is: [Current Members \(aeroactivitiesclub.com\)](http://aeroactivitiesclub.com)

It is very user friendly; when you go to the website,

Then down scroll to: [Member Info Change Form:](#)

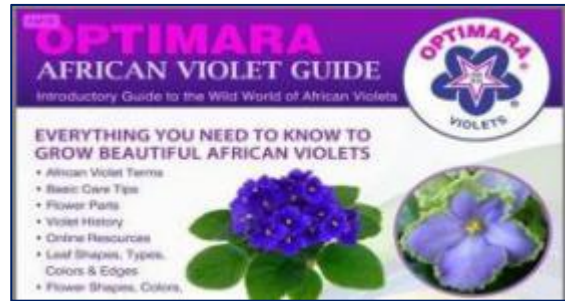
After you have completed your information changes - Just click on submit

You can also call me 623-363-2969 or email me at: aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com

To Reiterate:

Only if you have any of the changes to:

- ◆ Home addresses
- ◆ Home Phone numbers
- ◆ Cell phone numbers
- ◆ Home Email Addresses



Thank you,

We appreciate all your help, so we can keep our files updated...



"I think we're past the point where rebooting will help."



I hit the Control key...
so why am I not in control?





“Down Memory Lane”

If you have memories you would like to share them.

Please submit them to Joyce Colella: aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com

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

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

1998 QUALITY WEEK 

Wellness Connection

Commercial Aviation Systems



First Row – Jean Pilgrim, Irene Erickson, Janet Ludwig, Shanna Estes;
Second Row – Gerry Dye, Jeanette Taylor, Dan McCrobie, Sunny Ryan, John Barber.
Not pictured: Troy Mullay.

Mission statement:

To encourage Honeywell employees, retirees and their families to improve their health and practice healthy life-style behaviors through preventive care, education, physical fitness and reward and recognition.

Accomplishments:

- ◆ On-site Mammograms
- ◆ Speakers
- ◆ Skin Cancer Screenings
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- ◆ Monthly and year-end drawings for cash rewards

Contact: Health Services at Deer Valley Campus, 436-2400.

A wonderful trip to the Arizona Canal on Jan 11th 2022

They found the path was fairly flat and goes past the Wrigley Mansion, the Biltmore Estates, the massive Phoenix Water Works, some very interesting back yards and OSHO Brewery, ending at the Arizona Falls power generating station at G.R. Herberger Park, 5802 E. Indian School.





(MIM) Musical Instrument Museum Tour ***Treasures: Legendary Musical Instruments Exhibit***



Thursday, April 14th, 2022

4725 E. Mayo Boulevard (Tatum Road south of 101)

NOTE: This is the second of two separate Events at MIM in 2022

Event: Museum Tour with Signature Treasures: Legendary Musical Instrument Exhibit

Experience MIM's newest exhibition, Treasures: Legendary Musical Instruments, that celebrates some of the world's most notable musical moments, performance traditions, and musical instrument developments. Eighty exceptional instruments fill the Target Gallery, including some of the finest from MIM's collection and more than twenty loans from renowned museums, private collections, and musicians around the world. Visit Treasures - Musical Instrument Museum (mim.org) to learn more.

Time and Location: 1:00 PM arrival near the MIM entrance.

**Your Aero Activities Club coordinator: Barbara Brockett, will be there to meet you.*

Format: Attendees will participate in the one-hour guided museum tour (with headsets), with highlights of the special exhibit. Afterwards you can tour the full museum and special exhibit at your leisure and participate in a treasure hunt. We will meet-up to hear the treasure hunt results and celebrate our winners. Members and non-members are welcome.

Cost: \$27 per person

Other Info: Parking is free. MIM has complimentary wheelchairs on a first-come-first-served basis. You can use your own mobility scooter. Assistive listening systems are available upon request. The MIM café is open for food and drink after the tour as well.

Reserve Your Ticket: There are 2 ways to reserve your ticket and pay by **March 30th.**

1. Sign-up at <https://aeroactivitiesclub.com/>

➤ **Click on [4/14/22 MIM Tour](#) to purchase your ticket.**

OR

2. Contact Barbara Brockett to reserve your ticket and mail your check

➤ **E-mail: b.brockett@cox.net OR call [623-251-0221](tel:623-251-0221)**

➤ **Make checks payable to Aero Activities Club**

➤ **Mail check to: Barbara Brockett, 22623 N. 72nd Drive, Glendale, AZ 85310.**

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AAC/HRSC Spring Picnic

“There is such a thing as a free Lunch”

Thursday April 28th



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](mailto:lbowesr@gmail.com)

**“We 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 in order to have the correct food quantity”

*If you plan to attend the Spring Picnic send the following information to Larry Bowe at lbowesr@gmail.com or use the this link: [Sign-up for the Picnic](#)

“Name, number of attendees & cell phone number”

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



We will have our raffle.. You can purchase ticket/s and win cash.



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

***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 future Club Activities.***

Come join the fun & Association



Botanical Gardens

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

Bring your camera for all of this beauty

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.



Click on this to go the the Website:

<https://tickets.dbg.org/webstore/shop/viewItems.aspx?cg=ST&c=GA>

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



Barbara Rippstein Invites You North to Alaska

The travel industry is abuzz with new cruises. The cruising public is already booking cruises up to 2024. Personally, I usually book our cruises a year in advance to make sure that I can get a handicap cabin. But it is surprising the number of cruisers booking now.

During the COVID scare in 2020, cruise lines parked their ships in ports without much traffic, miles offshore to avoid paying port charges or scrapped them.

They offered passengers credits for future sailings or refund. Now everyone with credits is booking trips.

I have booked a 7-day Alaskan cruise round trip from Seattle starting August 14, 2022, on the Discovery Princess. An information ad is also included in this issue of the Bridge. Alaska is a beautiful state. Everyone should see it at least once.

We have six of our retirees already signed up for this cruise. Join us going North to Alaska.

If you have any questions,
please call me at 623-566-1572 or our travel agent Susan Ray at 602-615-5117.

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JOIN BARBARA RIPPSTEIN to ALASKA!

7-Days sailing roundtrip from Seattle

DEPARTING: AUGUST 14, 2022 — THE NEW DISCOVERY PRINCESS

PRINCESS PLUS RATES—RECEIVE:
Beverage Package, Free WIFI, & Prepaid Onboard Gratuities!

Interior Stateroom Starting From:

\$1,249.00*

Please see one of our professional travel consultants for full category pricing and all the current group, regional, public and past passenger promotions available on this sailing.

Experience the beauty and grandeur of all that is ALASKA! From the comfort of the brand new Discovery Princess, this is sure to be an exciting and memorable vacation you'll not soon forget! Optional shore excursions will enable you to get up close to the wildlife and scenic wonders of our 49th state!

Book early for the best pricing, promotions and stateroom availability.

*Rates are cruise only, per person, based on double occupancy. Taxes, Fees and Port Expenses of \$264.00 additional for all guests. Rates are subject to availability and may change without notice. Restrictions may apply. Rates shown are based on "Princess Plus" promotion.

7-DAY CRUISE ITINERARY

Date:	Port of call	Arrive	Depart
Aug 14	Sail aboard <i>DISCOVERY PRINCESS</i>		4:00PM
Aug 15	Day at Sea		
Aug 16	Ketchikan, Alaska	6:30AM	3:00PM
Aug 17	Endicott Arm & Dawes Glacier		
SCENIC CRUISING			
Aug 17	Juneau, Alaska	12:30PM	9:00PM
Aug 18	Skagway, Alaska	6:00AM	5:00PM
Aug 19	Day at Sea		
Aug 20	Victoria, Canada	7:00PM	11:59PM
Aug 21	Seattle, Washington		Morning

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Honeywell Clubs Fix-It Guys Program

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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.

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



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Jump on board

Looking for new board members

The Aero Activities Club currently has 12 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

You are welcome to join if you are 50 & worked at Sperry/Honeywell: (You do not need to be retired)

“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 [Current Members \(aeroactivitiesclub.com\)](http://aeroactivitiesclub.com)

Note: If you CHANGE anything OR you want to go from a Hard Copy ⇒ Email copy
Please email me at: aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com

Name _____ Home# _____

Address _____ Cell# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

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