



First day of Spring March 20th

Watch for all our upcoming Activities 2017

Sponsored by the Sperry & Honeywell Clubs

Spring Pot Luck Picnic
Clothes for the Homeless

April 27th



Kick- off Luncheon

Sept 21st

Verde Railroad Trip
Don't Miss out- RSVP now

Oct 21st



Christmas Dinner Dance
Sperry & Honeywell Event

Dec 12th

Tovrea Castle Tour

TBD



Remember to pay your 2017 dues. You don't want to miss any issues. Thank You so much



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Friends are sewn with threads of love

Please

Notice your dues date location

Hard copies which are in black & white is at the end of your address.

Email copies your dues are in the body of the mail.



Our March Message from Kaye's Korner



I hope all of our members had a great Valentine's Day last month and if you happened to visit downtown Glendale for their Chocolate festival like yours truly, you didn't over-indulge in the sweet treats being offered to the attendees. Now that it's March, the spring equinox is just three weeks away which means spring is just around the corner. This month is not only American Red Cross Month and Fire Prevention Month but several other notable days are marked, including Read Across America (March 2, which is Dr. Seuss' birthday), St. Patrick's Day (March 17) and Pi Day (March 14). No, Pi Day isn't for those who love to eat Pie but it's a day for those of you who are 'math geeks'. The number Pi is 3.14 - therefore it's celebrated on March 14. Cleaver, right?

We had 31 members and guests attend Menopause the Musical last month and even a few husbands showed up to enjoy the classic 60s music with the words changed to fit the play's scene.

We had 29 members and guest at the Sanderson Ford Museum, what a great place taking you back in time.

From the photographs, I've seen, the Day at the Races was well attended by 44 members and guest which was enjoyed by all. Even several folks went home a winner. We need to make sure everyone sends a special thank you to Vic Fragnito again for his tireless effort organizing this HRSC-sponsored event.

Plans are under way for our Spring picnic for April 27th. Be sure to set aside your favorite recipe so you can bring it to the park to share with your SRC members and friends.

In closing, your board hopes you have a good month and don't over indulge on St. Patrick's Day.



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There seems to be some confusion when paying your dues.

Please, when sending in your dues and **nothing** has changed like your address, phone number etc.

DO NOT FILL OUT THE APPLICATION sheet. *Just send us a check*



“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 and determine if we can publish them. <https://www.facebook.com/Sperrymember/?ref=bookmarks>



Andy Wolff
25 years



Arnold Chafin
20 years



Carl Clifton
20 years



Rose Gunder
20 years



Raymond Brumfield
15 years



Keith Johnson
15 years



Frank Mackey
15 years CRO



Joyce Montey
15 years



Jean Thomas
15 years



Arlene Becker
10 years



Dominic Alamito
10 years



Fred Cass
10 years



James Lehar
10 years



Bob Parker



Steve Pepelnjak
10 years



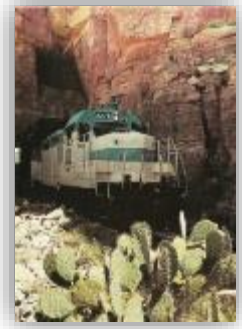
Don Rathsmann
10 years

1998



Verde Canyon Railroad

Oct. 21th



Where: Clarksdale, AZ

Time: Train Leaves Clarksdale at 1:00 PM
Round trip takes approximately 4 hours

A first-class ticket is \$85 per person
with sandwich/snack style food provided on board the train.

We don't need payment until Sept, but we need RSVP's.

We will need 30 people to go on the trip to get our own dedicated 1st Class Car that is handicap accessible. Sign up now, so we will know if we have enough people to get this dedicated car and the discounts.

**If you are interested in this fun trip, please contact
Larry Bowe @ larry.bowe.sr@showdogstore.com
or call him: 1-928-759-2367.**

Non-members are always welcomed





Valentines' Day at the Races Results

"We had 44 people at this event and what a wonderful time we had. The results were lots of wins and loses all with smiles and laughter."



Good Friends
Good Food
Lots of Laughter



GENESEE STREET
"Honeywell" Purse

Esteban Martinez, Owner	Purse \$7,000
Andy Kruljac, Trainer	Miss Molly (2nd)
Andrew Ramgett, Jockey	Aikman's Gal (3rd)
Phoenix, AZ	5 Furlongs :58.07
	\$7.60 \$4.00 \$2.20

55 COADY





Exciting Sanderson Ford Museum

We had 29 people for this amazing museum. We were able to go back to the fifties by hearing and seeing the memories of those days, it makes for a wonderful experience.

By the time you receive your newsletter all of the tours will be over. If you are still interested in taken a tour, please call or contact: Keith Hughes 623-825-5243 or email keith8411@cox.net to be put on a waiting list.



1929 Graham Paige Touring



1930 Ford Model A Town Sedan



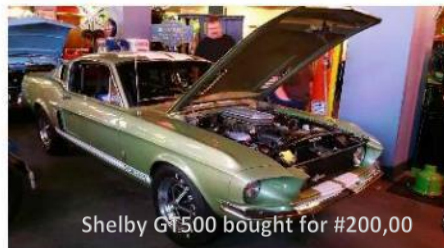
Ford Coup



1949 Custom Woody



Good Gulf Gasoline Truck



Shelby GT500 bought for #200,00



50's Ice Cream Parlor



Members injoyng an old switchboard

Click here to see more pictures

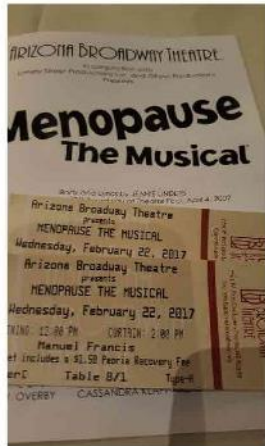
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AZ Broadway Theater=Menopause

We had 31 members at this hilarious musical comedy spoofed the often taboo subject of a woman's change of life. The musical opened when four unlikely cast members identified only by their archetypes — a professional woman, a soap opera star, a housewife and an earth mother — with nothing in common except their gender and approximate age find themselves in Bloomingdale's struggling over an on-sale foundation garment.

Lots of Laughs & Good Friends





“SPRING POT LUCK PICNIC”

April 27, 2017



Location: Rio Vista Park, 8866 Thunderbird Rd, Peoria
Ramada 4-8-9
Time: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Lunch Served around 11:30 AM.
Prizes: we will have our 50/25/25 drawing
Coordinator: Larry Bowe - 928-759-2367/larry.bowe.sr@gmail.com



Your Sperry Retirees Club will provide free hamburgers, free chicken burgers, free Brats and rolls, Water and plates, utensils, condiments etc.
Because of Health issues, we asked you to not bring personal trays; Use the disposal plates provided.

You will receive a door prize ticket
Attendees are urged to bring a covered dish to share, more Hot Casseroles, Baked beans, Salads and just a little less Desserts to share.

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)

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.



Need your help!

Almost Spring Cleaning Time

of Cloths you know longer wear. don't fit, out of date?

All donated will be given to the **Homeless**. Cloths, blankets, coats, any items you think they can use. Bring them to the Picnic and receive an extra ticket to win a prize?





Tovrea Castle

All 200 tickets purchased by the club have been sold for this popular tour. If you try to go as an individual, you will find no tickets are available for the rest of the year.

If there is sufficient interest the club may buy more tickets in June 2017; they will be for visits to the castle in January or February 2018. If you are interested email Keith Hughes at keith8411@cox.net and ask to be placed on a waiting list. Please note that the tickets in the past have all be allocated in days or weeks so procrastinators will miss out just like shopping in Costco. Tickets will be \$15 per person and with reasonable warning I have been able to reallocate tickets for people unable to go.



To guarantee the opportunity to buy a ticket email me by mid-June 2017. I save the requests in date order with highest priority to early dates.

The email is not a commitment to buy but helps me assess interest to judge how many tickets to buy.





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We can help our Sperry/Honeywell retirees or surviving spouses with fix-it jobs around the house that you are able to accomplish. This will hopefully keep the job from being a budget buster. Leave a clear message, giving the job information, your name and telephone number, YOUR nearest cross streets. We furnish the labor; you furnish the costs of parts. We probably can help and will get back to you as quickly as practical.

**Fix-It-Guys - NORTH (602) 765-4466
Volunteers from Sperry/Honeywell/Garrett**

Bob Farney	Ed Skutecki
Gene Kupka	Wally Secosky
*Clint Langford	Dan Schott
Lee Rippstein	Roy Newbolt

Fix-it-Guys - EAST (480) 820-9604

Mike Briske	Bob Davenport
Mike Griffin	Frank Holman
Nick Hughes	Jim King
*Warren Koepsel	Stu Mitnik
Chuck Mottet	Charles Paine
Ken Probert	

* Coordinators 480- 502-0852-602-765-4466
summer months

Attention

**We need Volunteers, check your skills and
come join us. Contact the West phone
number above, if you would like to
volunteer as a Fix-It Guy or Gal.**

**Northern Trust / Pensions
PO Box 92922**

Chicago, Ill 60675 - 1-877-258-3699 #5

**Credit Union Location
AERO Federal Credit Union
20250 N 59th Ave Ste. 102
Glendale, AZ 85308 - 623-776-479**

Unisys Pension

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Service Center - 1-888-560-1782
1-701-221-7565**

“In Memory”



**Larry L Burgener
John (Jack) Miller**

L J Wieke 8-12-16

Matthew McNally 8-12-16

Juanita, “Jo” Adams -wife of Dwayne Adams 10-29-16

Bonita Supan -wife of Larry Supan 10-29-16

“Welcome NEW MEMBERS”

**Steve Grothe
Doug Keeling
Bill Nolte
R. Fred Polak
Mike Smith**

“You’re Benefit Resources”

Honeywell Retiree Service Center

Dept. 09796 - 2601 Research Forest Drive

The Woodlands, TX 77381

Phone number: 1-800-526-0744

Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday

9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M. Eastern Time

Website: You’re Benefits Resources™

<http://resources.hewitt.com/honeywell>

**Questions for Medicare contact
1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)
Or via the website at www.medicare.gov**



**THINK HAPPY
THOUGHTS AND
GOOD THINGS
WILL HAPPEN**



Jump on board

Looking for new board members

The Sperry Retiree Club (SRC) 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 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.

Sperry Retiree Club



If you have found something at one of our functions, please give it to Joyce, so she can place it here and get it to the rightful owner.

Call: Joyce Colella – 623-363-2969

“Funny Faux Pas”

Humorous true stories: Ones that really happened to you while you were working.

We will not use any names; this is only for fun.

Email them to:

sperryrc@yahoo.com

or Mail them to: Joyce Colella, 11128 W. Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351



Snakes

Although this is not a funny story, I do remember in the early days at Sperry, the entrance guards had snake lassos to capture diamondback snakes which were common in the area.

Stairs & High Heel Shoes Don't mix

The year was 1970-something and in those days any lady who was working in the office was expected to wear dresses or suits, high-heel shoes and nylon stockings. I had just purchased a pair of new shoes which hadn't been broken in but boy did I look GREAT! I remember walking up the stairs to the Executive area and yep you guessed it I missed a step and fell flat on my face. Laying there spread eagle hoping my dress was down and not showing anything I hear a male voice behind me asking if I was OK and not hurt anywhere. It wouldn't have been so bad but to make the embarrassment worse it was the President who was walking behind me.

After that 'trip' I made sure I held onto the stair railings after that.





SPERRY RETIREE CLUB

March 2017

Application for Sperry Retiree Club Membership

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

Membership Renewal **Dues are \$5 per Year** **New Membership**

Full Name _____ Spouse/Partner _____ Phone # _____ - _____ - _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Check #: _____ Amount: _____ Email Address: _____

Checks are payable to: **Sperry Retiree Club & mail to: Shani Solberg, 5223 W Pontiac Dr. Glendale, AZ 85308**

Please Only - If you have Moved or Changed your Phone # or you would like to go from a Hard Copy to an Email Copy
Name _____

Address _____ + _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone # _____ - _____ - _____

Email Address _____

Please Only - If you Changed your Email
Please send it to Shani Solberg:
sassyshani@cox.net - or Call 623-572-2811
This helps expedite the process for Shani
The subject line should read: ***Email change***

Email _____

Name _____

Phone # _____ - _____ - _____

Please help us to cut the costs by signing up for e-Mail-only Wings distribution.

⇒ 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 are welcomed to come join the Fun

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