



“Lots of new Events”

Tovrea Castle

Nov 8th & 16th



Commemorative Air Force Museum

Nov 14th



Christmas Luncheon

Dec 12th



PXG Factory Tour

TBD



Guided Birding at Rio Salado -Audubon Center

TBD



Central AZ Project Informational Lecture

TBD



Arizona Falls

January 14th



Lake Pleasant Cruise Tour

Feb 26th



Southwest Airlines

April 15th



Sanderson Ford Village & Museum

Feb 28th





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Do you know where to find your dues date?

“Aero Activities Club”

Hard copies which are in black & white is under the address .

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

If there are not changes to your acct!

Please just send in a check, thank you

When the month of October comes around,
Please consider sending in your dues for the following year .

ONLY USING YOUR CELL PHONE NOW - Please call to update our records.



Keith's thoughts



I hope everybody is enjoying the cooler weather and spending time outside. As I write this we are preparing to go to our son's house in Gilbert for Halloween. It is a big event there where they close the street and last year gave out 15,000 pieces of candy. I am told the house decorations are spectacular so we are looking forward to it.

We have several events scheduled in November. The two visits to Tovrea Castle are fully booked but if there is interest we will set up another visit next year. So far we have visited 16 times and I have people on a waiting list so let me know if you are interested.

On November 14th we will visit the Commemorative Air Force Museum at Falcon field. I am told there are several aircraft in a static display and you get to walk through the Mechanics Hanger and watch them rebuild parts. If interested in going contact Tom Leard.

In December we have our Christmas Luncheon. In past years we have held a dinner dance but some members are having concerns driving at night, so after a survey we decided to try an luncheon and combine with the Honeywell Retirees Club. Our venue this year is the Arrowhead Country Club, so if you are interested contact Steve Flood.

For those who read and followed up on my comments last month on the Cox Nomorobo I have an update. We normally get several Robo calls a week on our answering machine and after I wrote the article we went to Rocky Point for two weeks. On our return we had no Robo calls on our answering machine so early indications suggest it works. More surprising is that it is a free Cox service!

Finally, dues are payable by December 31, 2019; if your membership goes through this calendar year. If your money is due by year-end, the committee hopes you will send the check by December 15th. That way we can update our files and you will not have an interruption in receiving your Wings newsletter. Consider paying for 2 or 4 years to help us cut down on administration effort. We particularly appreciate the lady that signed up for 20 years. True.

Have a Happy and safe THANKSGIVING.

Keith

Our New website (noneedaddress:forcapital) [AeroActivitiesClub](http://www.AeroActivitiesClub.com) or WWW.A.com





“Down Memory Lane”

If you have memories & you would like to share them. Please submit them to Joyce Colella aeroactivitiesclub@yahoo.com or Mail to: SRC @ Joyce Colella, 11128 W Mirandy Ct. Sun City, AZ 85351. We will take a look to determine if we can publish them.





Commemorative Air Force Museum @ Air Base Arizona

November 14, 2019



No need to pay until the day !

BUT reserve NOW !

Limited to 25 people.

**\$ 10 per
person .**



CASH ONLY !!

Where: 2017 N Greenfield Rd, Mesa, AZ 85215 (480 924 1940)

Time : Arrive 12:45 p.m. Tour starts : 1:00 p.m.

- Meet at front door
- Tour will last approximately 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours
- Free parking
- Limited scooters/wheel chairs

To reserve, please contact:

Tom Leard : tomflyer12@hotmail.com



Christmas Luncheon

Aero Activities Club & Honeywell Club

December 12, 2019

Cost: \$35.00 per person

Arrowhead Country Club

19888 N. 73rd Avenue

Glendale, AZ - 623-561-9600

11:AM to 2:00 PM

<https://binged.it/2WDothz>

Use your CTRL key and Click



You're invited

Cash Bar

Buffet:

Mixed Salad

Chicken Marsala

Sliced Beef - Burgundy Demi glaze

Roasted Red Potatoes

Seasonal fruit

Vegetables & Rolls

Desserts.

All reservations are due and payable by **November 20, 2019**

We will have our 50/25/25 Raffle
Along with 6 Gift cards

Coordinators: Steve Flood azrat@aol.com

Make out checks to: Aero Activities Club (AAC)

Send to: Steve Flood - 7858 W Andrea Dr, Peoria, AZ 85383 - 602-717-0990

Come Join the fun... Meet new Faces and enjoy the Association.

Enjoy the Holiday Feast.



The Sanderson Village and Museum

February 28, 2020

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 on February 28, 2020 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. No limit if not eating.**



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



Southwest Airlines Tour April 15, 2020



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Back by Popular Demand

Several members have requested this tour again so here goes. This is a unique opportunity to tour Southwest Airlines Maintenance Facility at Sky Harbor Airport. You may be able to walk through an aircraft and sit in the cockpit then tour the maintenance and operation areas in a two hour guided tour.

You will find out why the first aircraft were painted those colors, how they fit an aircraft that is too big into the hanger and maybe debate the correct part numbers of the APS we see in the stores.

Last year we sat in an aircraft only 5 flight hours old and not yet entered service. Yes it had the new aircraft smell.

This free tour is planned for April 15, 2020. All attendees are required in advance for security purposes. Spaces fill quickly. I have to limit the group to 40 for practical reasons.

To register, send the full names of all in your party to Keith Hughes at keith8411@cox.net or call 623-825-5243 for details.



Arizona Falls

January 14, 2020



Arizona Falls, formed by a natural 20-foot drop along the Arizona Canal between what is now 56th and 58th streets, reopened in June 2003 as a restored hydroelectric plant and neighborhood gathering place where visitors can learn, interact and reflect.

The new Arizona Falls combines art, history and technology to generate clean electricity from the canal's waterfall.

Features:

The site showcases the Phoenix Art Commission's "Water-works at Arizona Falls" project, designed by renowned Boston artists Lajos Heder and Mags Harries. The main entrance is on the south side; a footbridge connects the north bank to the viewing platform.

Visitors, surrounded by water on three walls in the water room, may sit on large boulders as they enjoy the cool and soothing sounds of flowing water. Through sheets of flowing water, the antique gears used in the original hydroelectric plant can be seen. Two aqueducts frame the room to create the feeling of being inside the historic waterfall. A shade structure covers stone block seats near a pool of water, allowing visitors to enjoy the experience year-round.

Where:

G.R. Herberger Park, 56th Street and Indian School Road.

Meet at the power plant at 10.30 am. People can hike or bike and then lunch and tour the plant at their leisure.

Contact Kevin Vetter for more details. Email Snuffles@q.com or 602-942-0038



Lake Pleasant Cruise Tour

Wednesday, February 26, 2020

Join us for a 90 minute narration cruise of Lake Pleasant on the brand new cruise boat “Phoenix”. The boat includes a full service bar, large viewing windows, open air shaded upper deck and two spacious restrooms.



If we are lucky, we will see some of the local area wildlife during the cruise.



The tour will begin at 12:30 PM. Boarding the Phoenix begins at 30 minutes before the departure. Plan to arrive at Lake Pleasant Marina 45 minutes before cruise departure to allow for walking time to the marina from the parking lot.

Prices, subject to change for 2020, at our group rate are \$18/adult and \$12/children (5-12). Marina parking is \$6/car. **Contact Steve Flood at 602-717-0990, or e-mail to azrat@aol.com**

if you have any question. Will start taking reservations in December. More information to follow.



Central Arizona Project Informational Lecture

Date: May TBD

Presentation topics include:

- CAP 101
- Future water supplies for central and southern Arizona
- Water conservation and environment issues related to the Colorado River
- Risk of Colorado River shortage and protecting Lake Mead

The lecture will be held at the CAP office at 23636 N 7th Street.

Minimum of 20 people required. More information to follow.



Guided Birding – Rio Salado Audubon Center

Date: April TBD

Morning Guided Bird Walks:

- One hour: 8-9:00
- Walk through Rio Salado habitat area
- Bring water, binoculars and sunscreen.
- Loaner binoculars are available upon request.



Bird walk participants will need to meet their Audubon volunteer bird guide inside the Nina Pulliam Rio Salado Audubon Center. Arrive at least 5-10 minutes prior to the 8 AM departure time. Restroom facilities will be available for use at the Center.

No admission fee. More information to follow.



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?

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
Ken Probert	Charlie Paine		
North Valley			
Bob Farney	Lee Rippstein	Dan Schott	



"In Memory"



Richard F. Stokes
Mary Francis Russell Hull
"John" Samuel John Reed, IV
Paul Parent

"Welcome New Members"

U'ng Nguyen
Darrell Golic
Karen Calabrese

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
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
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 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

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



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 #623-815-8246

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

Name _____ Home # _____

Address _____ Cell# _____

City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Personal Email Address _____

Changes

Please help us 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 do not need to be retired) you are welcomed to come join

Aero Activities Club
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