

Singletarian Policies

(Please read and keep for future reference)

We welcome our new members and invite you to attend any activities that appeal to you. **We are happy to have you!**

We ask you to host at least one activity per year, and if you are feeling unsure about hosting, you can also **co-host with someone else**. Your efforts will be helping the group tremendously and **you will feel much more a part of the Singletarians**.

Appropriate behavior is expected at all functions. Members and/or their guests must be considerate of others, not abusive and not in possession of drugs or excessive alcohol. If a person's behavior is deemed inappropriate, he or she will be asked to leave the function promptly. The Board will then evaluate the membership of that individual in the Singletarians. No business solicitations will be made at meetings or to individual members.

When you meet people who are coming to a Singletarians' event for the first time, please remember to greet them and make them feel welcome. We were all new once, and it is often difficult to go to a place where you don't know anyone. Let's make them feel welcome.

We have a web site with lots of information about our club. Please take a look at: www.singletariansocial.com

Our annual dues will be \$30 for all new and renewing members. Renewals are due on the anniversary date a member joins. New members, who join at the monthly Greet and Meet activity, will receive a \$5 discount on the first year of their membership dues.

Members who have been in the Tucson Singletarians for 20 years or more will receive a free membership. Members age 85 and up are not required to pay annual dues.

For every new member that a current member brings in to the club, the current member is entitled to a \$5 reduction in their annual dues.

Prospective new members may attend three (3) Singletarian events before deciding to join our club.

Those persons offering their homes, apartments or other meeting places for a function or hosting or serving as Member-in-Charge (MIC) of a function may attend that event at no charge. Members or their guests will be welcome at parties held in members' homes.

Hosts can spend up to \$15 for items for their event, which will be reimbursed by the club. Additionally, if a host collects money at an event, it must be sent to our treasurer. A completed Income/Expense Report must accompany any money sent to the treasurer and must also be used to request reimbursement for expenses to host an activity. Receipts are required. **The Income/Expense form can be obtained from a board member or downloaded from our website, under the "Activities" heading.**

The Board must approve all expenses incurred over \$50.00. Receipts are always required.

If a member has any unused Social Hour paperwork and unused materials from the packet, please return those items to Don Harclerode (520-207-8414, 6812 E. Calle De Oro, Tucson, AZ 85715).

The charges per person for Potlucks are: \$2 with a dish and \$10 without a dish to share. The charges per person for activities that have snacks instead of a potluck are: \$2 with a snack and \$4 without a snack to share. When you are bringing food or drinks to a potluck, please remember to bring enough for six people.

The newsletter goes to the printer on the 21st of each month. If you want to get something into the newsletter, please contact Paul Thompson (azpkt@cox.net or 520-745-5866) no later than the 19th.