Apache Wells Newsletter

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Architectural Rules Reminder

The purpose of the Architectural Committee is to review all proposed exterior changes, additions or improvements that homeowners wish to make to their property. This includes, but not limited to, fences, walls, masonry, paint colors, sight barriers, additions, storage sheds, golf course netting, installation of AC/Heating units, removal of an existing home and construction of a new home. Homeowners must submit a Project Approval Request form to the committee 3-5 days prior to a scheduled meeting for approval. Forms are available in the office. The committee meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 2:00PM in the Hopi Room. The next meeting is March 6.

Minnesota Party

The 4th Annual Minnesota Party will be held on Tuesday, February 25th from 4:00-6:00PM in the Navajo Room. Attendees should bring another friend from Minnesota, your own beverages, and an appetizer to share. Decaf coffee will be provided. Don't forget your name tag. If you came to the 2013 Minnesota Party you know what a fun time it was, great food, a chance to meet fellow Minnesotans and share your experiences when you lived in the Golden Gopher State full-time. Bring some stories of life at 40 below, if you remember those days. Last year we introduced "pass the microphone" where you could tell the attendees a little bit about yourself and listen to some stories from others. Aren't you glad that you are here in Apache Wells this time of year? It should be a fun get-together. Mark your calendars and see you there! For more information, please call Bobbi DeGeer at 480-807-3354.

Schwan's Truck

Wednesday, February 26, 1:00-3:00 at the Gazebo is the next scheduled date for the truck. They will be here every other Wednesday. They have meats to desserts.

Bobby Freeman, Musical Mascot of the Arizona Diamondbacks

Thursday, February 27, 7:00 PM, Maricopa Room, \$10 per ticket with a check only. Wear your favorite baseball attire!!

In 1998, Bobby had the honor of being named the official organist for the Arizona Diamondbacks and provides the music and "rally chants" for all home games at Chase Field. This variety show will be sure to include those pieces along with requests as he can reproduce the big band tunes, polkas, waltzes, Latin and rock 'n roll. He has an engaging personality and the ability to thoroughly entertain his audience. Bobby may even talk about his time with the Diamondbacks and show his ring.

Peach Blossom Tour at Schnepf Farms

Friday, February 28, leaving AW at 9:45 AM, \$20, checks only, payable to Schnepf Farms; deadline is noon, Friday, February 21. Please see the Roundup for full details.

Quilt Show

Saturday, March 1, 8:00-1:00 in the Navajo Room, will be a showing of beautiful quilts and more made by members of our two quilt groups the Hummingbirds and Git'er' Done Piecemakers. You will be able to vote for your favorites and purchase quilted household items.

Flea Market

There's still time to reserve your space at the March 1st Flea Market at the parking lot. Contact Harry Lipert at 807-1195 or Jerry Dunn at 361-5784. They will gladly accept your sellable items if you don't want to rent a space. Donuts and coffee will be for sale in the Quilters room 7:00AM-9:00AM and burgers and brauts will be for sale at the Gazebo 9:00-1:00. The proceeds from the Flea Market support the operation of the mini cars used by the club in parades.

Mariachi Pasion

Friday, March 7, 7:00 PM, Maricopa Stage, \$7 until noon, February 28 (\$10 after the 28th). The heart of **Mariachi Pasion** is the common love and respect for mariachi music; the soul of the group is the desire to perform in an all-female mariachi. Come enjoy the evening as we hear them play their violins, trumpets, bass guitars and tenor guitar while singing in Spanish and English.

Aluminum Pull Tabs

Please save those pull tabs from beverage and food cans for McDonald House. There is a jar in the Library for depositing them. Lillian and Joe Hahn take a large box of the tabs to McDonald House every year.

Hot Tub for Sale

The hot tub the association purchased for temporary use while the Aquatic/Fitness center is being built is for sale now. The price is \$6000, seats five, includes warranty and moving it to your site. Contact the Homeowners Office if you are interested.

HOA Meeting Schedule Feedback

President Peter Eikren has received suggestions of changing the monthly HOA meetings to late afternoons or possibly once or twice a year as many other HOA's do. He would like your feedback as to your opinion. If there is enough interest, the change would not take effect until next season. You may contact him by email at: tnpeik@arvig.net or leave a written message at the HOA office.

In Memoriam

Victor Krupka passed away December 20.

Dr. Duane Reaney passed away on December 22nd. Services were held on December 27th at the United Church of Christ of Yankton, SD. Dr. Reaney is survived by his wife Kathryn.

Floyd Jacobs passed away on December 26.

Lucille Enos passed away on December 30.

Joanne Baglien passed away on Thursday January 9th. Services were January 17th, in Grand Forks, North Dakota.

William Palomto passed away on January 13.

LaDena Younglund passed away on January 13.

Annette Wilkins passed away on January 15.

Betty Jones passed away on Thursday, January 30th. A graveside committal service was held at the National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona on February 4th.

Norma Hill, wife of Donald, passed away on February 8.