

40s/50s + CLUB

of SUN LAKES



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December 2009

Upcoming

Events:

February 2010

Motown Dance

March 2010

Golf Cart Rally

April 2010

Progressive Dinner



SPECIAL NOTE!

Membership renewals are due by January 31, 2010.

A special thanks to Rick Kenny for offering to serve as Secretary on the 40s50s+ Club board.

It's Trivia Time Once Again

When? Saturday, January 16 at 5:30 PM

Where? Arizona Room at Sun Lakes Country Club

All of you fans of *Jeopardy* and *Who Wants to be a Millionaire* get ready for the 40s/50s trivia competition. Back by popular demand, Trivia Night returns on January 16, 2010. Each team member helps answer questions covering all sorts of topics like movies, history, TV, sports and more. Eight person teams will be formed by random drawing when you arrive and your table number will be marked on your name tag (sorry, you cannot sign up as a group and create "ringer" teams). Only a secret few of our members know what the questions will be until the evening of the event.

Cash prizes will be given to all members of the teams scoring high enough to be in the top 3, but you don't need to be in the top 3 to win. Even if you didn't have stunning answers, you may still qualify for cash prizes.

It all starts at 5:30 PM with snacks and a cash bar. Dinner, which will include tossed salad, an assortment of Croissant Sandwiches, Deli Wraps and chips (from Jason's Deli), and cake will be served beginning at 6:00 PM. Around 6:45 PM we will have a few announcements and then at 7:00 PM - let the games begin!

Reservation fee is \$15 for members. This has been a very popular event and we may have limited availability. For this reason, we are limiting reservations to club members only.

Get your checks in early so you won't miss out on this thought-provoking event. The deadline to register is **January 8, 2010**. No late reservations will be accepted and no refunds will be made after the deadline date!

Send your checks, payable to the 40s/50s Club, and a filled-out registration form to: Eileen & Wes Shapiro, 10026 E. Arrowvale Drive, Sun Lakes, AZ 85248.

MEMBER INFORMATION PAGE

2009 – 2010 BOARD MEMBERS

July 2009 – June 2010

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Attention all Members

For the majority of you, we have discontinued sending the newsletter via US post mail. In its place, we are sending you an e-mail monthly with a link to the newsletter on the website. However, many e-mails are being returned for a variety of reasons including old email addresses. The Internet Service Provider regards our e-mail as spam. Please make sure we have your most recent e-mail address on file. You can do this on the website (first page) or by sending an e-mail to mrbanta@gmail.com.

Also, please add the following addresses to your e-mail program:

webmaster40s50s@gmail.com 40s50splusclub@gmail.com as acceptable senders.

Members Application (Members ... please pass this form to friends or neighbors:

Annual dues for 2010 are \$10.00 per person, \$20.00 per couple

The 40s/50s + Club of Sun Lakes is made up of members (including Board Members) who work TOGETHER to create a club that is FUN. All members are encouraged to help where needed, at least a couple of times during the year; working on activities that help to make this club FUN. We always need help in the following ways: Event setup and cleanup, assisting with activities, or just your good ideas.

I/WE COULD ASSIST THE CLUB IN THE MONTH OF: _____

New Member #1: _____ *Home State _____ * where you moved from

New Member #2: _____ *Home State _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP _____ Phone ____ - ____ - _____

E-Mail: _____ I would like to receive the newsletter electronically ____ Yes ____ No

New Member 2010 ____ Renewal 2010 ____ Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Make checks payable to 40s/50s+ Club. Mail To: Mike & Roxy Banta 9122 E. Diamond Dr. Sun Lakes, AZ 85248

Questions?? e-mail: mrbanta@gmail.com.

COMING EVENTS

"What's Going On?"
"I Heard It Through The Grapevine" there'll be "Dancing In The Streets" "All Night Long" at the
MoTown Lounge on February 20th
Retro cocktails, DJ soulful tunes, hot hor d'oeuvre stations
"Get Ready" to "Come and Get These Memories"

March 13, 2010 – Golf Cart Rally – always a popular event

April 17, 2010 – Progressive Dinner – another favorite event for the 40s50s+Club

SPECIAL NOTES:

Help A Homeless Veteran

"Stand Down" for Homeless Veterans is Feb. 5-6-7, 2010. There is a need for new sweat tops & bottoms and boots, or gently used clothing for both men and women. Cash donations are most welcome. If you can help, contact Art Sloane at 802-6810 or artgbeard@aol.com Art is the Veterans' Voice columnist for the Arizona Republic.

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP COUNT: 383

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Marie & Ron Doetsch

Forest Ernst

Andrea & Howard Hummel

Please respect our members' privacy. Use of member e-mail addresses are for 40s/50s+ club business only.

Reservation Form for TRIVIA GAME NIGHT – Saturday, January 16, 2010

Deadline for registration and cancellation is: January 8, 2010. No exceptions

Cost: Members: \$15.00 _____

Total Amount Enclosed

Print your name(s) below as you want them on your event name tag

\$ _____

Name #1: _____

Name #2: _____

Phone # _____ NEW E-Mail Address: _____

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Absolutely no registrations accepted after the deadline of January 8, 2010.



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STATE FAIR EVENT RECAP

The 40s' and 50s' + Club had their first State Fair event that took place at Sisk Park in Palo Verde on a Saturday afternoon. Three team games were played: "Spoon on a Rope", "Pass the Jelly Beans", and "Horseshoe Throw". Several carnival games were played: "Bean Bag Toss", "Bowling with Bocce Balls", "Balloon Dart Throw", "Bucket Toss", "Duck Pond Ring Toss", "Basketball Hoops", a "Trivia Game", a "Grab the Safety Pins in Rice Bowl Game", and a "Hole In One Golf Game". The carnival popcorn machine made fresh, hot, and buttery popcorn. Cheeseburgers, hamburgers, hot dogs, and brats were served with all the trimmings. Chips, potato salad, and coleslaw were an added extra. For dessert, State Fair ice cream bars that stayed frozen on dry ice were served.

This event turned out to be a popular event that would not have happened if it were not for these committee members: Bill and Marilyn Brenner, Dick and Rosie Crewse, Mario and Sue Carranza, Mark and Diana Nelinson, Lynn Rodeman, Pat Rossacci, Don and Geri Weston. A great big Thanks goes to the day of the event volunteers: Tom Amrhein, Denese Anderson, Roxanne Banta, Marie Graziano, Helene Guinther, Ollie Johnson, Gayle King, Jim and Karen Larson, Ron and Cheryl Schaab.

Bill Brenner and Dick Crewse handmade the awesome carnival props that are sure to be used at another event. Susan King was the Board of Directors' Activity Committee Officer. Everyone, including the committee members and volunteers, had a chance to play games. Eighteen team game winners received \$5.00. The winning tickets for the carnival game winners were pooled and there were drawings for several prizes. Our goal was to see happy faces and we saw them.