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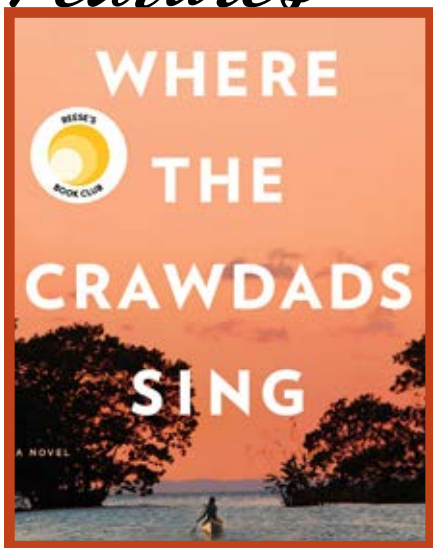
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As many of you are aware, almost two years ago the Grayhawk Community Association (GCA) approved engaging the engineering firm Wood Patel to prepare and submit an application for a Letter of Map Revision (LOMR) to FEMA to re-designate the section of Grayhawk in the Rawhide Wash floodplain from an AO floodplain to an X floodplain. By successfully re-designating this area, which is most of the western portion of the community between Scottsdale Road and Hayden Road, homeowners who currently have a mortgage may be eligible to no longer be required to carry flood insurance on their property by their lender. This may also allow condominium associations located in the Rawhide Wash floodplain to cancel, not renew, or reduce their flood insurance premium.

Earlier this year, FEMA notified the GCA that their LOMR request was approved. Currently, the GCA is nearing the end of the required 90 day appeal period and the tentative effective date for the re-designation of the Rawhide Wash floodplain in Grayhawk is June 14. As long as there are no appeals to the GCA's LOMR approval, the City of Scottsdale will prepare a press release notifying the affected homeowners of this change to the floodplain classification near the effective date. The GCA will also notify affected homeowners on or near the effective date and indicate the necessary documentation that will need to be supplied to your lender and insurance provider if you choose to no longer carry flood insurance on your property. Please note that some lenders may still require flood insurance for mortgage holders, however, this re-designation should result in a reduced premium.

On another topic, if you live in the Retreat Village Association (RVA), later this month we will be installing new readers at all of the entry gates. The reason for this change is that our current Sirit gate entry system will no longer be supported by the manufacturer and our current system will soon be obsolete due to the inability to get replacement parts in the future. It is for that reason that the RVA Board of Directors has approved changing the entry gate readers and transponders to the TagMaster system. This will require all homeowners to get new TagMaster transponder tags for their vehicle which will be at no charge for the homeowner. There will be extended installation hours and the installation of the new readers will take approximately 3-4 weeks. Please read the "New Readers" article also found in this edition of the *Grayhawk Flight* for more information.

We'll talk again soon.

Michael Fee

Grayhawk Community Manager

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BOARD MEETINGS – JUNE 2019

Board meetings are open to residents and we encourage you to attend.
Your involvement does make a difference!

Grayhawk Board of Directors

Mon., June 3 at 5:30 p.m. in the Talon Room,
GCA office
Grayhawk_board@grayhawkcommunity.org

Grayhawk Board of Directors Executive Session Meeting

The Board of Directors will be meeting in
Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. Section
33-1804 (A)(3) at 5:00 p.m. in the GCA
office.

Retreat Village Board of Directors

Mon., June 3 following the GCA meeting in
the Talon Room, GCA office
Retreat_board@grayhawkcommunity.org

Retreat Village Board of Directors Executive Session Meeting

The Board of Directors will be meeting in
Executive Session pursuant to A.R.S. Section
33-1804 (A)(3) at 5:00 p.m. in the GCA
office.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Communications Committee

Call Jennifer Sheets at 480-563-9708 for more
information.

Event Planning Committee

Call Sarah Van Dwyne at 480-563-9708 for
more information.

Landscape Committee

Call Stacey Harvey at 480-563-9708 for more
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Operational Review Committee

Call Stacey Harvey at 480-563-9708 for more
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Architectural Review Committee

Tues., June 4 and 18 at 4:30 p.m. at the GCA
office.

OTHER ASSOCIATIONS

Avian Condominium Association Board Meeting

Tues., June 18 at 6 p.m. in the Talon Room
in the GCA office. Call Associated Property
Management 480-941-1077 for details.

Cachet at Grayhawk Condominium Association Meeting

No meeting scheduled.
Call FirstService Residential at 480-551-4300
for details.

Crown Point Board Meeting

Call Stacey Harvey at 480-563-9708 for
details.

Edge Condominium Association Board Meeting

Visit www.theedgegrayhawk.com or call
480-584-4647 for details.

Encore Condominium Association Board Meeting

Thur., June 13 at 6 p.m. in the Encore
Clubhouse
Visit www.encoreatgrayhawk.com for details.

Tesoro Condominium Association Board Meeting

No meeting scheduled. Call Kinney
Management at 480-820-3451 for details.

Venu Condominium Association Board Meeting

No meeting scheduled. Call Associated
Property Management at 480-941-1077 for
details.

Village at Grayhawk Condominium Association Board Meeting

Thur., June 20 at 6 p.m. in the Raptor Room,
GCA Office. Call FirstService Residential at
480-551-4300 for details.

Vintage Condominium Association Board Meeting

No meeting scheduled. Call Associated
Property Management at 480-941-1077 for
details.



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Board Briefs

Grayhawk Master Association Board of Directors Meeting – May 6, 2019

Development Committee

David Van Omen reported that meetings were recently held regarding airline flight patterns. The potential Thompson Peak Park dog park has moved on to the next stage in being added to a potential bond. The Reata Wash Flood Plain project did not move on.

Operational Review Committee

Richard Zielinski reported that the committee did not meet.

Landscape Committee

Arlene Smith reported that the committee met on April 23. Turf is being aerated in preparation for the summer Bermuda grass and watering will increase. The committee unanimously voted to change the color of rip rap in the Park to Desert Gold going forward. This will be a gradual change as projects arise. There is no difference in the cost of Desert Gold rather than the current Salt and Pepper.

A motion was made and approved to accept a DLC proposal to pay \$3,838.00 to repair erosion damage near the tot lot in the Windsong neighborhood by regrading the slop and adding rip rap to the area.

Community Enhancement Committee

Bob Mann reported that the committee did not meet.

Event Planning Committee

Sarah Van Duyne reported the spring events had been very successful. The Family BBQ and Movie Night and the Easter Egg Hunt were both well attended and very popular.

The Hula Happy Hour at BLK Live received positive feedback. About 60 residents attended to enjoy food, drinks, a steel drum band and hula dancers. BLK Live was easy to work with and offered great pricing.

The 4th Annual Community Golf Tournament was attended by just over 200 people. The sponsors and Grayhawk Golf Club did a great job as they have in years past.

Grayhawk is hosting a gift card drive to benefit teens in foster care through Arizona Helping Hands.

Communications Committee

Jennifer Sheets reported a short survey following the Easter Egg Hunt had been positive and residents offered good feedback to consider for future events.

The committee will be finalizing and sending out the first section of a four part community survey soon.

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Architectural Review Committee

Paul Alessio reported that there had been 14 submittals for the April 2 meeting. The committee is hoping to have a recommendation regarding the monument sign stone for the Board of Directors at the next meeting.

There was question as to the font on the monument signs and Stacey Harvey confirmed that the font will be the same on every sign.

Budget/Finance Committee

Jeanette Griswold reported that the committee did not meet.

Executive Committee

Michael Fee reported that the committee did not meet. David Van Omen and Micahel Fee recently hosted the Condominium Association Board President meeting at the GCA Office.

New Business

A motion was made and approved to accept the committee rosters for 2019-2020:

Treasurer's Report

Jeanette Griswold reported that facility rentals, special events and advertising were all slightly under budget for income. There was a \$10,000 water expense reduction through March.

There was \$79,607 taken in through Community Enhancement in March, with a year-to-date total of \$142,608.

Management Report

Michael Fee reported Stacey Harvey will be meeting with the project manager regarding the guardhouse remodel project. Pete Day recently met with Trident Security staff to assess the needs at the gate.

Jennifer Sheets is working on ordering new chairs for the Talon Room. These are a reserve item.

Homeowner Assessments

Your Grayhawk Community Association master assessments for the third quarter are due July 1, 2019. Please watch for your statement and make sure to pay your assessments on time. All payments not received are subject to late fees. If you have any questions regarding payments on your account, please call the GCA office at 480-563-9708. For payment options, including how to set up direct debit, please visit the payment section on www.ccmnet.com. Assessments are collected quarterly in January, April, July and October.

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Time for Teens Gift Card Collection

Now – June 24

GCA Office, 7940 E. Thompson Peak Pkwy. Ste. 102

We are on to our latest and greatest idea on how to help the kids in foster care through Arizona Helping Hands. This time around, we are specifically reaching out to those in foster care who are easily overlooked -- the teens! We are accepting gift card donations and will deliver them to Arizona Helping Hands. The cards can range anywhere from \$5-\$25 and should be to a place that teens are interested in or need. Cards to Target, Subway (or other restaurants), Starbucks, Amazon, Walmart, and Dick's Sporting Goods are all great places for a tween or teen with any interest or need. We are throwing a pizza party and game night for all the tweens and teens who donate a gift card. Please feel free to invite friends who do not live in the community and are willing to donate a gift card. Cards can be dropped off at the GCA office Monday-Friday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. through June 24.

RENT @ ASU Gammage

Sun., June 2 at 6:30 p.m., \$92 per ticket

1200 South Forest Avenue, Tempe

The Pulitzer Prize and Tony Award- winning masterpiece RENT returns to the stage in a vibrant 20th anniversary touring production. A re-imagining of Puccini's La Boheme, RENT follows an unforgettable year in the lives of seven artists struggling to follow their dreams without selling out. With its inspiring message of joy and hope in the face of fear, this timeless celebration of friendship and creativity reminds us to measure our lives with the only thing that truly matters- love. We have third and fourth row orchestra level seating in the VIP section for this showing at a discounted rate of \$92 each. These tickets will go fast! Register online to reserve and pay for your tickets at www.grayhawkcommunity.org. Seats are all next to each other and will be assigned on a first come, first served basis.



NIGHT AT THE MOVIES: Aladdin – The new live action remake

Thurs., June 20 at 5:30 p.m.

Harkins 101, 7000 E Mayo Blvd, Phoenix

Gather your family and friends and join us for a private Grayhawk movie night! We are going to be viewing Aladdin at no cost to you. All you are responsible for is your own concession purchases. This popular new movie is rated PG. Please read the reviews and decide if this movie is appropriate for your child. Feel free to view the trailer by copying this link into your browser: <https://www.imdb.com/title/tt6139732/>. You must RSVP online at www.grayhawkcommunity.org by Tues., June 18 to participate. Seats are limited!



Child and Babysitting Safety Certification Class

Thurs., June 13 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Raptor Room, GCA Office, 7940 E. Thompson Peak Pkwy. Ste. 102

This popular class covers infant/child safety and basic care techniques for present or would-be babysitters. Topics cover everything from pediatric CPR and first aid to basic child safety and diaper changing. A workbook for participants to keep is included in the course fee. Certification cards are issued upon successful completion of the course.

Certification is valid for two years! Participants must be at least 10 years old and up to 17 years old to participate. Price is \$40 and includes a pizza lunch. Payment may be made by cash or check.

Checks need to be made out to ABC's of CPR. RSVP online at www.grayhawkcommunity.org and prepay by Tuesday, June 11. We must have at least 8 participants to hold this class, so please RSVP early! Non-Grayhawk residents are welcome to register.

Time for Teens Pizza Party and Game Night

Wed., June 26 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Talon Room, GCA Office, 7940 E. Thompson Peak Pkwy. Ste. 102

Be prepared to split up into teams and play some good old-fashioned minute to win it competitions! Your teen can expect music, prizes, pizza, treats, and FUN! The gift card donation for Arizona Helping Hands is your entry fee for this event. We will also happily accept gift cards from anyone who may not be able to or want to participate in the pizza party. We want to fill the room, so feel free to invite friends that may not be residents of Grayhawk. Register online at www.grayhawkcommunity.org and drop off the gift card at the GCA office anytime through June 24. We look forward to celebrating teens in the month of June!



Scottsdale Happenings

McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park's concert series continues in June. Enjoy a variety of local bands from 7:30-9 p.m. Sundays, April 28-June 30 at the park. Bring a blanket, chairs and snacks – or buy munchies on-site. Train and carousel tickets are \$2 each with kids younger than 2 riding free with a paying adult. For more information visit TheRailroadPark.com

Summer Reading program offers opportunities for entire family. Sign up for the free Summer Reading program at any Scottsdale library location starting June 1. Programs are available for babies, youth, teens and adults! For more informations visit ScottsdaleLibrary.org

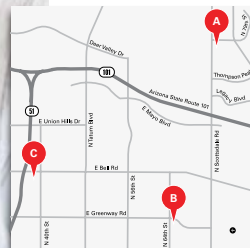
Be part of the muddy tradition at this year's Mighty Mud Mania. Sling mud at this year's Mighty Mud Mania from 7 a.m.-noon on June 8 at Chaparral Park (5401 N. Hayden Road). This free event offers muddy obstacle courses for people of all ages and ability levels. Visit ScottsdaleAZ.gov and search "Mighty Mud Mania" for more information.

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Grayhawk Book Clubs Help with Your Summer Reading List

Earlier this year, Grayhawk's five book clubs got together for their annual social. Over 40 women, all intelligent, interesting, funny individuals who have a passion for reading attended the event. They ate, drank and shared their favorite reads of 2018. The women compiled a list of their picks in hopes that their Grayhawk neighbors would be able to use the list to find their next book. Enjoy!

Mystery / Thriller

**The Life We Bury*, Allen Eskens

Origin, Dan Brown

The Marsh King's Daughter, Karen Dionne, Louise Penny

Contemporary Fiction

Little Fires Everywhere, Celeste Ng

**Where The Crawdads Sing*, Delia Owens

The Immortalists, Chloe Benjamin

The Overstory, Richard Powers

Eleanor Oliphant Is Completely Fine, Gail Honeyman

Salvage The Bones, Jesmyn Ward

The Extraordinary Life Of Sam Hell, Robert Dugoni

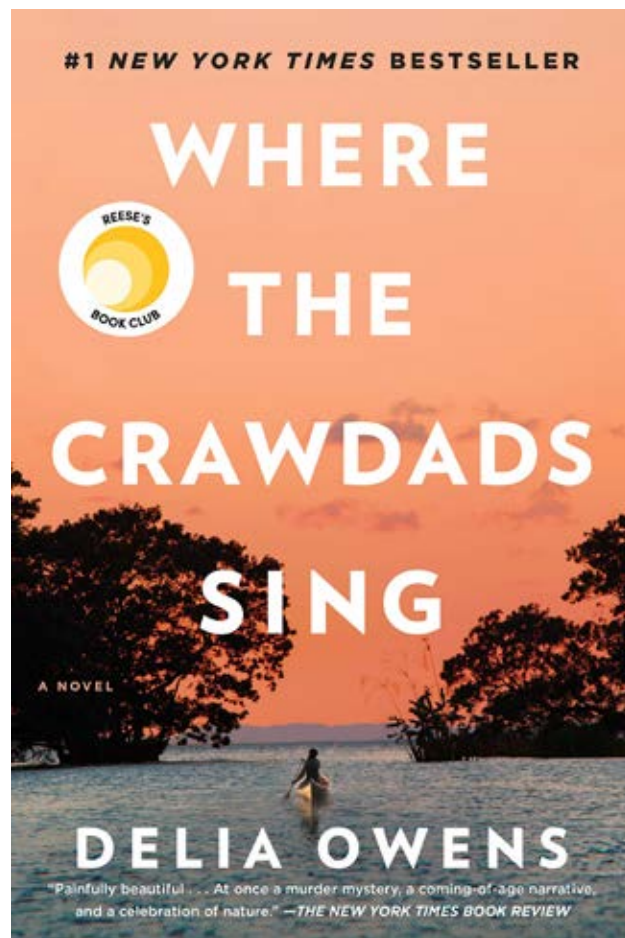
An American Marriage, Tayari Jones

The Great Alone, Kristin Hannah

Home Front, Kristin Hannah

Classics

Rebecca, Daphne Du Maurier



Historical Fiction

My Dear Hamilton: A Novel Of Eliza Schuyler Hamilton,
Stephanie Dray & Laura Kamoie

**The Other Einstein*, Marie Benedict

**The Storyteller's Secret*, Sejal Badani

Before We Were Yours, Lisa Wingate

Rules Of Civility, Amor Towles

The Rent Collector, Cameron Wright

Once We Were Brothers, Ronald H. Balson

Love And Ruin, Paula McLain

Daughters Of The Night Sky, Aimie K. Runyan

Biography/Memoir

The Sound Of Gravel: A Memoir, Ruth Wariner

**Educated*, Tara Westover

**Becoming*, Michele Obama

Heart Berries, Terese Marie Mailhot

A River In Darkness: One Man's Escape From North Korea,
Masaji Ishikawa

Nonfiction

The Day The World Came To Town: 9/11 In Gander, Newfoundland,
Jim Defede

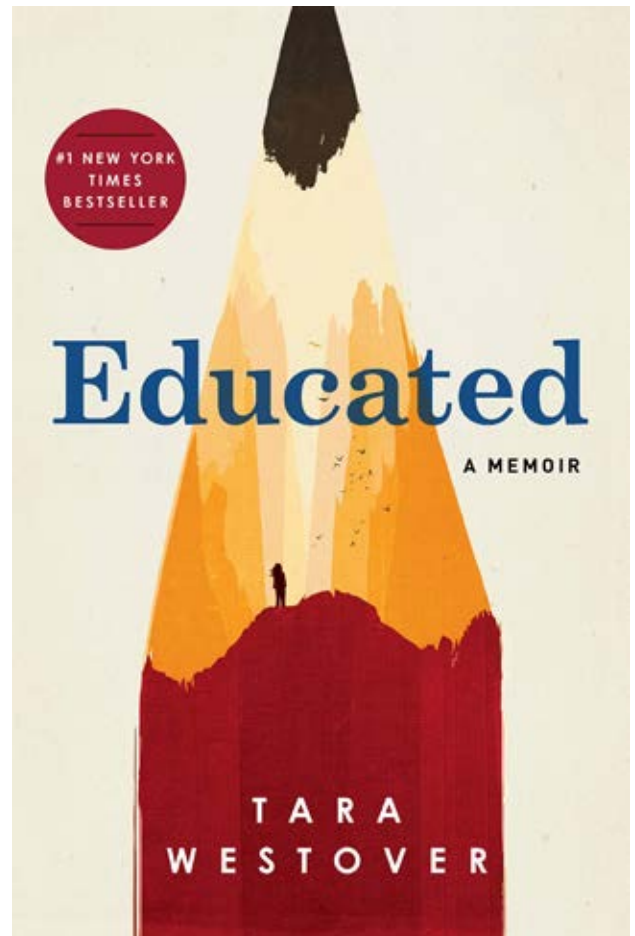
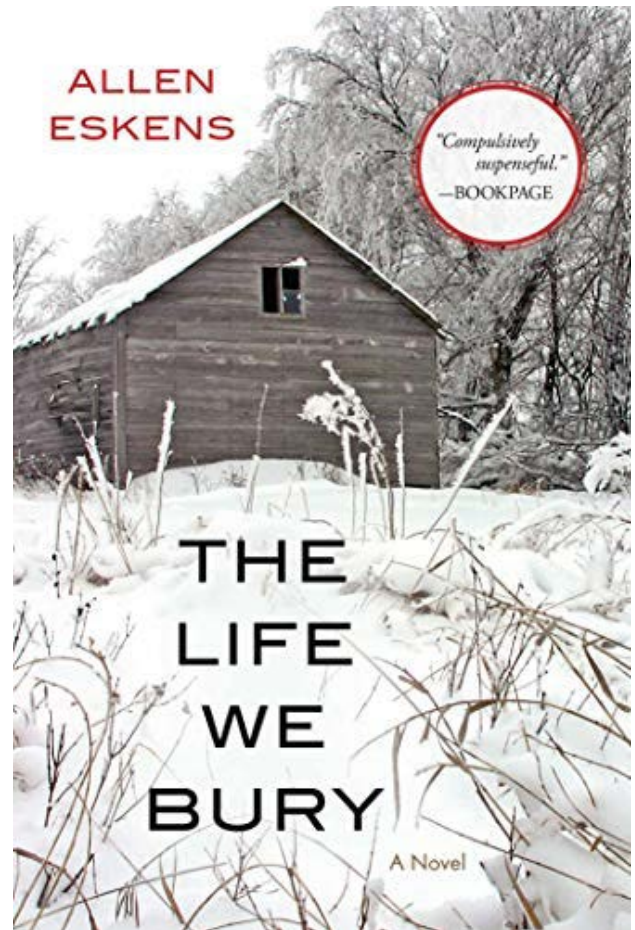
*The Girls Of Atomic City: The Untold Story Of The Women Who
Helped Win World War II*, Denice Kiernan

*The Books That Changed My Life: Reflections By 100 Authors,
Actors, Musicians And Other Remarkable People*, Bethanne Patrick

*American Kingpin: The Epic Hunt For The Criminal Mastermind
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*So Close To Home: A True Story Of An American Family's Fight For
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2 RENT 6:30 p.m. ASU Gammage	3 GCA and RVA BOD Mtgs 5:30 p.m. Talon Room	4 ARC Mtg. 4:30 P.M. GCA Office	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13 Babysitting Class 9 a.m. Raptor Room Encore BOD Mtg. 6 p.m. Encore Clubhouse	14	15
16	17	18 ARC Mtg. 4:30 P.M. GCA Office Avian BOD Mtg. 6 p.m. Talon Room	19	20 Movie Night 5:30 p.m. Harkins 101 Village BOD Mtg. 6 p.m. Talon Room	21	22
23	24	25	26 Teen Party 6 p.m. Talon Room	27	28	29
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Retreat Residents Will Need New Transponders

Due to discontinued maintenance support of the current Sirit readers installed at the Retreat Village entry gates, the Operational Review Committee made a recommendation to the Retreat Village Association Board of Directors to replace the readers. The Board of Directors recently selected TagMaster as the replacement and has been working with the vendor in order to provide a smooth transition.

What does this mean for Retreat Village residents? Residents will be getting updated technology at the gates, but each homeowner will need to obtain a new transponder that will work with the new readers.

Each gate will be transitioned in a way that reduces the impact to residents as much as possible. If you do not obtain your new transponder right away, you should still temporarily be able to access your home through another entry gate. As a reminder, you can always gain access through the main Raptor and Talon entry gates located at Thompson Peak Parkway and Hayden Road. The gates will be transitioned per the schedule below:

Week of June 17:

Raptor main entry gate and Cachet at Grayhawk back gate on Hualapai Drive

Week of June 24:

Crown Point Norte and Avian entry gates

Week of July 1:

Raptor back entry gate at Hayden Road and Grayhawk Drive, and Talon main entry gate

Week of July 8:

Talon back entry gate at the south end of Grayhawk Drive

Once the reader has been replaced per the above schedule, the transponders currently being used will no longer work. Replacement transponders will be given at **NO COST** to residents. Installation hours will be extended for the convenience of the residents. Temporarily extended hours can



be found in bold below along with the regular transponder installation schedule. These hours will be in effect from June 17 through July 12.

Monday from 8 a.m.-9 a.m.

Tuesday from **7 a.m.-8:30 a.m.** and 2 p.m.-3 p.m.

Wednesday from 9 a.m.-10 a.m.

Thursday from 12pm-1pm and **4 p.m.-5:30 p.m.**

Friday from 8 a.m.-9 a.m.

Saturday, June 29 from 8 a.m.-10 a.m.

If you are planning to stop in for a new transponder, you can expedite the process by removing the existing transponder prior to having a new replacement transponder installed. This can be done by using a razor blade to gently scrape off transponders that are installed on windshields and a glue solvent to remove transponders that have been installed on headlamps.

Please remember to be patient and kind to the Trident Security and Grayhawk Community Association management staff during this process. We are working hard to make improvements to your community and make this process as inconvenient and seamless as possible!

Meet Martha Castaneda



If you live in the Retreat Village, you may already be familiar with our newest maintenance staff member. She's worked for almost a year as the entry gate guard with the Trident Security team.

Martha moved to the United States from Mexico and has been a U.S. citizen for 28 years. It's fitting, considering she was born on the 4th of July! She lived in California for 29 years before moving to Phoenix in 2004.

In addition to working with Trident Security, Martha was a paraprofessional with Maricopa School District and worked at GoDaddy.

Martha has three children and two grandchildren. She loves to cook and also enjoys kayaking and hiking.

Meet Chantel Martin



Chantel has been with the Grayhawk maintenance team for a little while, so you may already know her by name. She too came from Trident Security, where she spent four years on-site as part of the community patrol.

Chantel was born in Hackensack, NJ and moved to Arizona in 1996. She spent six years with Parker & Sons Air Conditioning before taking her position with Trident Security and later, a maintenance position on the Grayhawk staff.

Chantel has been married for almost 13 years and has three children, ages 5, 8 and 11. She enjoys camping and fishing on her free time.

If you see Martha or Chantel out and about in the community, make sure to give them a big wave and a "hello."

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Sonoran Benefactor

By Victoria Kauzlarich, Volare

The Ironwood tree may be alone in its species (it has no relatives) but it is a great companion. If you had to live out your life as a desert plant, you would find no better friend than the Ironwood.

These Sonoran natives rule. Topping out at 45 feet, they are the tallest native plant in our desert and they are champions of longevity.

But their relationships and their age are just part of a fascinating tale that begins when they do.

YOUNGSTERS

When Ironwoods are young, they face the same problems all young trees face: browsing animals. But Ironwoods are in this for the long haul and they put up a formidable defense to make sure they survive.

Young Ironwoods circle their trunks with spines AND they sport a pair of spines under each set of leaves. Translation? A spine in every bite. Ouch!

As they age, Ironwood trunks drop their spines, harden over and eventually get gnarly. The spine pairs under the leaves remain.

KEYSTONE AND PROTECTOR

As this slow-growing tree reaches maturity, it has an outsized impact on its ecosystem, making it a Sonoran keystone species. Ironwoods spend their lives improving their habitat and our desert environment. Without assistance or fanfare, they enable the survival of some 500 species of plants and animals. Day after day. Year after year. For hundreds of years on end.

But wait. There's more. Ironwoods are also nurse plants to many species, providing shade and nutrients which enable the "nursed" to thrive. The most important of these relationships is between the Ironwood and the Saguaro. If a Saguaro is lucky enough to germinate in the shade of an Ironwood, it has a protector for life.

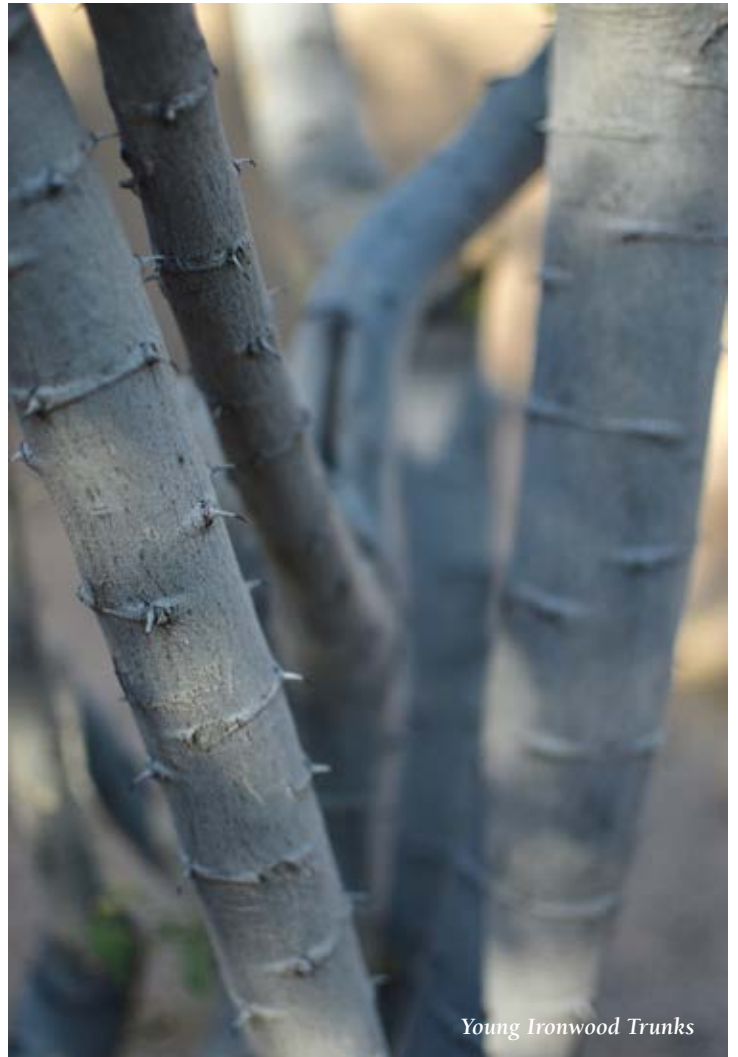
OLD GROWTH TREES

Ironwoods grow only here, in the Sonoran. As they age, they take on the grizzled look of a veteran desert dweller.

Their bark expands into gnarly shapes and they live so long that they occasionally lose some of their parts. But, never mind. They'll just grow new ones. One reason for the Ironwood's longevity is that they regrow from their trunks.

Their wood is among the heaviest and most durable in the world. Tipping the scales at over 60 pounds per cubic foot, this wood doesn't even float.

Ironwoods withstand storms far better than Palo Verdes or Mesquites; they are simply stronger. And, since they have the unique ability to provide their own replacement parts, they can live forever. Well, okay, not forever, but typically around 600 years. The hardiest among them can reach the ripe old age of 1,200. Years. Old.



Young Ironwood Trunks



An Elderly Ironwood Trunk

*Ancient Ironwood in the
Parking Lot of My Sister's Attic
on Pima & Pinnacle Peak*



RUGGED BEAUTY

As if their singular endurance, generosity and toughness were not enough, Ironwoods offer up etherial beauty when they bloom.

As the last of our native trees to flower in the spring, their lavender/pink flower clusters almost make us forget those millions of yellow Palo Verde blossoms.

Now. If only they could talk.

LOOKING FOR A GOOD READ?*

As a self-confessed (or is that obsessed?) plant geek, I am in awe of all plants but especially trees. So, naturally, I was drawn to ***The Overstory*** by Richard Powers. This book does for trees what ***Flight Behavior*** does for Monarch butterflies, but more. Much more.

Powers explores the relationship between humans and our natural world by focusing on a half dozen or so central human characters and their relationships with trees. The interrelationships, both human and botanical propel the narrative across five decades and give the reader tremendous insight into the value of trees, their forests and their vulnerability - to continued development and a warming planet.

Once you put yourself between Powers' well-written pages, you cannot help but be changed by this book. "Trees are chemical factories," he says. "They take light and air and water and remake them into wood."

How could you not be fascinated?



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Grayhawk Memorial Bench Program

After the installation new benches throughout Grayhawk, the Operational Review Committee got to thinking “What if there was a way to make these benches more than just a place to put your seat?” And the Memorial Bench Program was born.

The Memorial Bench Program is designed to build a sense of community and create history in Grayhawk by allowing Grayhawk residents to be honored, celebrated or memorialized through plaques on the benches that are placed along greenbelts or in pocket parks.

How does it work? Benches will be reserved on a first come, first serve basis. Benches are not reserved until payment in full is received. Honorees must be or have been a Grayhawk resident.

The plaque size is 4” x 8”. The style, font, amount of text and format will be determined by the Landscape Committee, and all wording for the plaques must be approved by the committee as well. There will be no commercial sponsorship or advertising allowed.

Cost for a memorial bench is \$1,500. In order to purchase a memorial bench, the donor must complete the application form, including the desired inscription, and submit complete payment for approval by the Landscape Committee. Maintenance and installation will be the responsibility of the Grayhawk landscape contractor and/or Grayhawk maintenance staff.

If you are interested in finding out more about the Memorial Bench Program, please contact Stacey Harvey at sharvey@ccmcnet.com or 480-563-9708.



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Grayhawk Resident 2019 Class Valedictorian at Notre Dame Preparatory

Congratulations to Grayhawk resident Gabriella Alessio who was recently announced as Valedictorian at Notre Dame Preparatory (NDP) High School, Class of 2019. Gabby attended Grayhawk Elementary and Explorer Middle School before entering NDP.

In addition to excelling in academics, Gabby's extra curricular activities included varsity letters in sand volleyball, track & field and robotics, as well as multiple leadership roles in student government, regional leadership conferences and Christ's Church of the Valley (CCV) Scottsdale Campus.

Gabby received offers to study Biomedical Engineering from UCLA, Purdue, Michigan, Texas A&M and UCSD, but ultimately decided to accept an offer to attend the Barrett Honors College at Arizona State University (ASU). Gabby received multiple scholarships to attend ASU including being selected as an outstanding incoming freshman in the Leadership Scholarship Program (LSP) founded by Dr. Christine Wilkinson, Senior Vice President at ASU.



The Grayhawk community congratulates Gabby on her recent accomplishments and wishes her well in the next chapter of her life at ASU.

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Sip and Tell

By Sue Lukenbill, Encore Resident

Welcome to the wonderful month of June when we celebrate Father's Day and say hello to summer. We also celebrate Flag Day on June 14th, a day for Americans to show respect for our flag, its designers and makers. And like many other months of the year, June seems like a great month to eat out. After all, what else is there to do when it is sooo hot out?

I know I must sound like a broken record because if you remember from my previous June articles, I love this time of the year because it is the beginning of many birthday celebrations with my family and relatives. We have five of us celebrating birthdays between June and August. And that doesn't include relatives! I love birthdays possibly more than anyone I know. I guess I am still a kid at heart! Actually it gives me something to keep my mind off of the heat, and I look forward to all of the family fun.

Remember the song, "June is bustin' out all over?" Well I seem to be bustin' out all over because I can't wait to tell you about the casual, cute, little place that Jennifer Sheets and I lunched at last month for this review. It is called **Dog Haus**, a restaurant that opened in Scottsdale Quarter in April of this year. And it is getting rave reviews. Their craft-casual gourmet hot dogs, sausages and burgers along with their shakes and soft-serve ice cream and beer program that spotlights local brews seems to have garnered critical acclaim and national attention since they opened their first location



in their hometown of Pasadena, CA in 2010. They are known for their signature all beef Haus Dogs and hand crafted proprietary Haus sausages as well

as the 100% genetically tested, humanely raised Black Angus beef using no hormones and no antibiotics. Another reason the dogs, sausages and burgers are special is that they serve them on grilled King's Hawaiian rolls. In addition they even have a **Bad Mutha Clucka** which is a beer battered or grilled chicken breast with lettuce, pickles, miso ranch on a grilled Hawaiian roll, plant based items like the Impossible Burger, Corn Dogs, Sliders, and BYO, where you create your own. There is a kid's meal along with cookies and shakes for dessert.

The key to ordering is to first decide what you what? What sounds good? A burger, a hot dog, a sausage, or possibly a slider? I ordered the **Das Brat**, a bratwurst with caramelized onions, sauerkraut, and spicy brown mustard. Jennifer Sheets had the T-Mex, a beef chorizo & pepper jack sausage with avocado, chipotle aioli, Haus slaw, pickled jalapeños, and pickled peppers. Both were served on a grilled Hawaiian bun. For sides we ordered the French fries and sweet potato fries. We could have been more adventurous and ordered the **Chili Cheese fries** or tots or the **Love Boat**, which is fries or tater tots, Haus chili, Haus slaw. We both had diet cokes. I know..boring!!! We had fun and thoroughly enjoyed our meals. I just zoned and forgot that next month, July, is National Hot Dog Month, and I was going to order the **Sooo Cali** because I am kinda of a "So Cali" kind of a gal and plus it had avocados on it. And I do love avocados. That will just give me a reason to return soon to have the **Sooo Cali** which is a hot dog topped with wild arugula, avocado, tomato, crispy onions and spicy basil aioli. Yummy!!! I did find out that popular items to order are **Sooo Cali**, **Pineapple Express**, **The Fonz**, **Ringer**, and **Little Mule**.

It is interesting to note that people love **Dog Haus'** hot dog, sausage and burger creations. Patrons have remarked of how much fun a trip to **Dog Haus** is. Simply put, there is no place quite like **Dog Haus**. It's the Haus that everyone wants to be in.

And remember that when eating a dog, sausage or burger, one can work up a mighty thirst. **Dog Haus** has the answer with the best craft beers around. They are passionate about curating tap lists that highlight local brews, featuring something for everyone and emphasizing both quality and variety. It's important to them that the beer they serve is as memorable as our food, and that each **Dog Haus** location's tap list is as unique as its community.

So next time you are out at Scottsdale Quarter, I hope **Dog Haus** is on your list. They have a great happy hour from 4pm – 7pm featuring specials on food and drink.

Until next month, stay cool and hydrated. And Happy Father's Day to all of the dads, grandfathers, step dads, and God fathers. Enjoy your special day.

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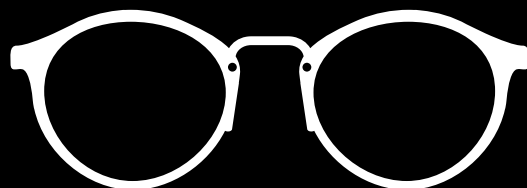

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