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Race Day Schedule:

Gates Open 8:00 AM

Breakfast 8:30—10:00 AM

Registration 9:00 AM—Noon

CLOSES PROMPTLY AT NOON

1K Race 10:-00 AM

5K Race 1:00 PM

Burgers After Race

Awards Ceremony 3:00 PM

Water Volleyball After Awards Ceremony

WANDA's Birthday: A Show of Love and Respect

By David P.

Always a venue for really special times in members' lives, Tara Hall was the scene of a birthday celebration for WANDA on March 23. Festivities were marked by a gathering of friends, balloons, cards, cards and more cards, gifts, munchies, and not one, but TWO cakes! WANDA fairly glowed as she received good wishes and hugs from this assembly of Sahnoans. "She's genteel" cried out one member; "She's the only person I know who doesn't get on my nerves!" offered another. She was truly stunned when Ivan announced that the Council has honored Wanda with a LIFETIME membership. She joins only a small handful of other Sahnoans so uniquely feted in the Club's 50+ year-history. WANDA is frequently the "voice of reason" which is sought by members "after hours" when some situation has run off the rails. This birthday party saluted not only another year in her life, but it represented the esteem in which she is held in this Community. All those present were honored to share this special time in WANDA's life.



Straw Poll will be held on Saturday, April 6th at Noon in Tara Hall. This is the time for all members to come vote who they want to see on the board. This helps the Sahnoan Council to hear what the membership is wanting for board members. There are 3 positions open.

Letters and Proxies will be mailed the first week of March. If you cannot make it to the Stockholders Meeting on April 27th, please sign your proxy and return to the office.

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Having the opportunity to serve Star Ranch and all of our Sahnoans for the past two years has been a privilege and a blessing. I will spare you the long-winded biographical information; however, in reading the bio I submitted two years ago, I find that the last paragraph is as true today as it was then. I quote:

“Star Ranch is a community filled with great potential, but we also have challenges to overcome. As a member of the board, I will work to resolve those challenges in a positive way. I will listen to the concerns of our members and act respectfully, in a manner that is based on what I believe to be best for our community.”

With your approval, I will recommit myself to fulfilling that promise for the next two years.

Thank you.
Larry S.

My name is Paul Oldmixon. I have been a member of the Sahnoans since 2000 and a resident of Star Ranch since 2009. My wife Jeanie and I were on the council for seven years until 2018. We helped revise and amend the Constitution to its present structure, allowing for a fully elected Council of The Sahnoans for the first time in our club's history. I was employed part time working maintenance for the club for seven years. Truly a labor of love.

I retired from ATT (Southwestern Bell) after thirty seven years of service. Most of my career was as a Customer Service Technician (repair man). I did spend eight years as a first level manager but at year thirteen the company and I agreed to disagree and I was allowed to take back my tools. My extent of business experience comes from those eight years in the trenches and struggling to raise four children.

I like to think I would bring to the board a life experience that has cultivated a level head, cool composition, and a fair analytical sense as witnessed by the survival and thriving of four children, six grandchildren, two stepchildren and two step grandchildren.

I think as a member of the Board of Directors, my mission will be to observe, learn and be supportive until I have demonstrated an ability to contribute positively to the running of this company. It is my vision, intention to support and facilitate the growth and stability of this company and this community.

I bring an abiding love of and fierce loyalty to this community and would be honored to serve my fellow Sahnoans to the best of my abilities.



I have been involved in Star Ranch since 1994 and from 1994 to 2002 I was a member and resident..in 1996 due to dismissal of management my wife Judy and I were asked to fill in as management until a replacement was found which we did willingly for about 3 months. A replacement was found. In 2002 due to circumstances we reluctantly relinquished our membership and residency at Star Ranch...

Having missed the Star Ranch community I (we) rejoined in 2010 and soon became residents again. Two of our kids and their spouses are also members of the Star Ranch community. My wife Judy and I have proudly served on the council for the last 2 years.

My working career started as an electrician trainee but as my family started to grow I soon realized I needed more income.. so the rest of my 30 year career was in power distribution.. savings and investments allowed me to retire at the ripe old age of 48. After retirement I worked as a catastrophe insurance adjuster for 3 years. Also instrumental in incorporating Judy's father's air filter business and served as CEO. Lastly worked as a power distribution power line inspector.

I have seen Star Ranch progress and grow. As a member of the council and working closely with the board I feel that I have developed an understanding and respect of the responsibilities of the board. As a member of the board I would like to build on its potentials to make Star Ranch a better place, and preserve it for future generations to enjoy.

Thanks, Ivan McGowan



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5	6 Work Day 8—9 AM Breakfast Noon Straw Poll
7 8:30—10 AM Breakfast	8	9	10 6 PM Potluck with Music by Phil and Phriends	11	12	13 5K Bare Buns Run See page 1
14 8:30—10 AM Breakfast	15 TAX DAY	16	17	18	19 6 PM Birthday Dinner	20 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 10 AM Board Mtg 2 PM Adult Easter Egg Hunt
21 EASTER 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 10 AM Council Mtg 1 PM Potluck	22 Earth Day	23	24	25	26	27 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 10 AM Stockhold- ers Meeting 2 PM Cake Contest 5:30 PM Cake Auc- tion 6 PM Hot Dog Pot- luck
28 8:30—10 AM Breakfast	29	30				



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 May Day	2	3	4 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 2 PM Snacks at Pool 10 AM Washers Tourna- ment
5 Cinco de Mayo 8:30—10 AM Break- fast	6 No Diet Day	7	8 6 PM Potluck with Music by Phil & Phriends	9	10	11 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 2 PM Snacks at Pool
12 Mothers Day Moms eat free! 8:30—10 AM Break- fast	13	14	15	16	17 6 PM Birthday Dinner	18 Armed Forces Day 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 10 AM Board Mtg 2 PM Snacks at Pool 7 PM Dance
19 8:30—10 AM Break- fast 10 AM Council Mtg	20	21	22	23	24	25 Memorial Weekend Schedule on page 8:30—10 AM Breakfast 2 PM Snacks at Pool
26 8:30—10 AM Break- fast	27 Memori- al Day	28 Natl Hamburger Day	29	30	31	

JUNE 2019

Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

1 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast
2 PM Snacks at Pool

2 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast

3

4
Hug Your
Cat Day

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7
National Choc-
olate Ice Cream
Day

8 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast
2 PM Snacks at Pool

9 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast

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12
6 PM Potluck
with Music by
Phil & Phriends

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15 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast
10 AM Board Mtg
2 PM Snacks at Pool

16 *Fathers Day*
8:30—10 AM
Breakfast—Dad's
eat Free
10 AM Council Mtg

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6 PM Birthday
Dinner

22 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast
2 PM Snacks at Pool

23 National
Pink Day

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8:30—10 AM
Breakfast

29 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast
2 PM Snacks at Pool

30 8:30—10 AM
Breakfast

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Volunteer award for the month of February goes out to Grace L for making sure people had Saturday breakfasts!!

Thanks, Grace



Sahnoan Council

Ivan and Judy Mc Dina P
Pete and Lisa T Craig and Linda Mc
Deborah V and Tim S



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Mark W 4/4
Emily L 4/4
Owen T 4/6
Pixie M 4/12
Fred H 4/13
Marta M 4/14
Nancy D 4/14
Steve N 4/19
Carla W 4/20
Melissa S 4/28
David W 4/28
Roy E 4/29
Kat Wh 4/30

Kelly E 5/2
Mike K 5/3
Jacob P 5/4
Robert B 5/4
Anna S 5/8
Michelle G 5/9
Mary L 5/10
Ronald C 5/11
Charles L 5/18
Ivan M 5/18
Melanie S 5/21
Jack R 5/27
David M 5/27
Paul L 5/27
Cleva P 5/28
Linda M 5/30

Larry T 6/1
Deborah V 6/3
Tara V 6/7
Tim S 6/3
June S 6/11
Debbie J 6/12
Dylan L 6/14
Davie B 6/19
Marta D 6/19
Kelly R 6/21
Don J 6/23
Gail P 6/27
Chris A 6/28

CAKE CONTEST

Saturday, April 27th

Turn in cakes by 2 PM

Mixes and store-bought icings/frostings are acceptable

Include copy of recipe

Judges will choose 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners. A baker may turn in more than one cake. However, that baker may not win more than one prize. In the event the baker wins two prizes, the baker will be awarded the higher of the two prizes and the other prize will go to the baker with the next highest number of judging points.



Cakes will be judged on Appearance, Frosting, Texture and Taste.

Cakes will be auctioned off at 5:30 PM in Tara Hall.