



This Week in SCOV

January 8, 2026

Association News

What to Expect as a Board Member – You are invited to an informational meeting on Monday, January 12, 1 pm, WC3, sponsored by the SCOV Nominating Committee to provide information to interested residents about Director expectations, time commitment, an overview of the Association and candidate support during campaigns.

Due to rain, painting of the Bocce court lines is delayed until Monday, January 12. The Bocce courts will be closed on Monday, January 12, to give the lines time to cure. Play on the courts can resume on Tuesday, January 13. Thank you for your cooperation in helping us prepare for the Senior Olympic Bocce Tournament.

Board Candidates Sought: Your Association is seeking candidates for the Board of Directors. Two positions, each with a three-year term, will be filled in March 2026. To run, submit a Statement of Interest to the Nominating Committee by 6 am, on the fourth Tuesday of January. Follow link here > <https://suncityorovalley.com/group/pages/statement-of-interest-board-of-directors-candidacy?formId=37> for the form.

Copper Center Community Meeting: The third Copper Center Community Meeting will be Wednesday, January 21, 10 am, Activity Center/Kiva Room and Zoom > <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88587183343>. We will report on progress toward the Certificate of Occupancy, talk about the Work Team's request for funding construction drawings and their importance, a review of Q&A to date, and an opportunity to ask additional questions and provide your input into what has been accomplished.

Missed the Board/GM Chat? You can find it here - www.bit.ly/3NdQ07C, to review the GM's report. The following topics were discussed at the Board–GM Chat held on January 7:

- The new disco ball in the auditorium was not working on New Year's Eve and the issue was noted for follow-up.
- Concerns were raised that the Bistro has recently been running out of certain products.
- A question was asked regarding who is responsible for painting the utility boxes throughout the community.
- It was suggested that the Board of Directors and the General Manager share a joint statement encouraging kindness and civility as we enter the Board of Directors campaign period.

- A rumor circulating that all toilets at Copper Center were removed two years ago was addressed and confirmed to be untrue.
- SCOV needs to reconnect with the Town to discuss the lighting on Rancho Vistoso as well as the ongoing maintenance of the medians.
- Long Range Planning will be presenting their benchmarking survey at the January Board meeting.

Friendly Reminder: Please Pick Up After Your Pets. This is a friendly reminder to please pick up after your pets. We've received a few reports of pet waste being placed in the divot repair sand buckets on the golf course. These buckets are not trash cans, the sand inside is used specifically to repair divots on the course. For everyone's safety and enjoyment, please dispose of all animal waste in a proper trash can. We appreciate your cooperation and help in keeping SCOV clean and enjoyable for all.

SCOV Profile Check: This is a reminder to review and update your profile information—including phone number, email address, photo, and more—which appears in the online Community Directory. To check your profile, log in to the website, select My Profile, and review both the View Profile and Address sections to ensure all information is current. The directory is accessible to residents, and the Posse relies on this information to contact you—for example, if your garage door is left open.

Fallen Organic Debris Per our Master Declaration Section 4.4:..Landscaping on each Lot shall be properly maintained as required to provide a neat and attractive appearance, including, but not limited to, removing dead foliage. When blowing your yard, please gather any fallen organic debris and dispose of it rather than just blowing it into the street.

There is a vacancy on the Finance and Budget Committee. If you are interested in learning more about how SCOV finances work or have a financial background, please consider applying online at www.bit.ly/4s44zKV. If you have questions, you are welcome to attend a committee meeting or contact Pati Olson, PatiOlson@yahoo.com.

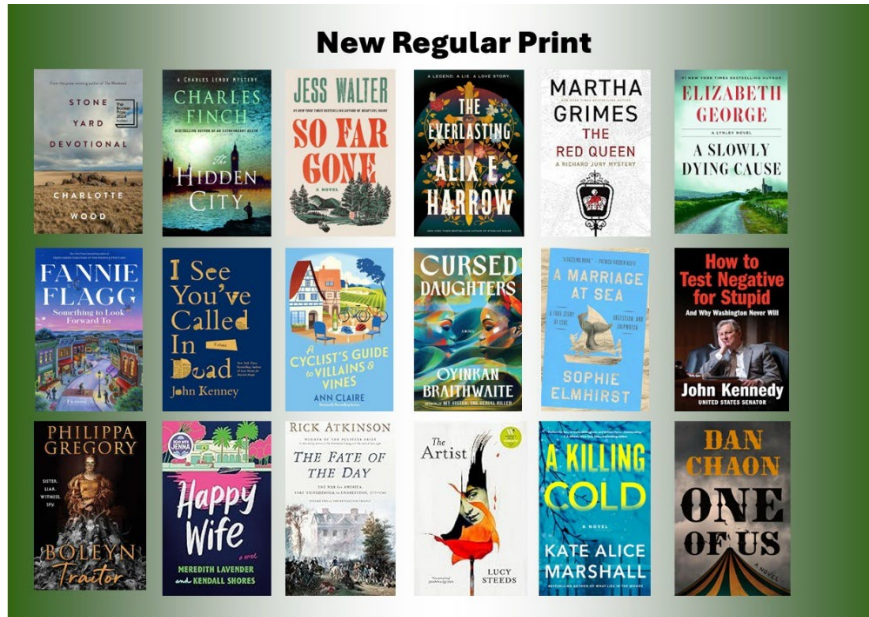
The Neighborhood Pride Committee (NPC) will soon begin touring this month. Teams will be on the lookout for driveway plant heights exceeding 42 inches, Window Screens, Mailboxes, and Illuminated Address Boards. For further details, refer to the SCOV Development Standards available on the SCOV website or in printed form at the Welcome Center. Additionally, ensure your yards are clear of weeds and debris. Teams will report any violations they notice during the tour. Thank you for your efforts in maintaining the beauty of SCOV.

Did You Know Between 2000 and 2003, our Welcome Center and parking lot were not part of SCOV. They were owned by a private party. The property came up for sale and the community voted to both purchase and renovate the facility. To fund these efforts, homeowners approved two special assessments: \$325 and \$143. Adjusted for inflation, in today's dollars, those assessments would equal \$865.

Did You Know SCOV has an Asset Reserve Fund to cover the repair, maintenance and replacement of over 700 items we own, such as air conditioners, pools, grounds, golf course, furniture, work vehicles, desks, shades, carpet and even wall paint. Everything that costs more than \$1,000 and will last more than one year is on this asset list. What might not be known is that the physical SCOV building structures are not a part of this asset list.

Gift Shop News: Monday, January 12, 10 am–Noon, is our first Monday Madness sale of the New Year. You'll find pottery, fabrics, jewelry, wood, glass, cards, and more—all at reduced prices. The Gift Shop is open Monday through Friday, 10 am–4 pm, and Saturday, 10 am–1 pm. We hope to see you there and thank you for shopping locally.

New to the Library:



Association Activities

Coming Events can be found on the mobile app under Reservations, or our website.

Put your brainpower to the test at Trivia Night Thursday, January 8, 6 pm, Activity Center/Kiva Room. Just \$2 pp. Doors open at 5:30 pm, game starts at 6 pm. Compete for gift cards to The Views Restaurant. Bring your favorite drinks and snacks for a fun evening!

This Friday the Active Health Committee (AHC) starts a 4-week series on Brain Health. Dr Rick Menet will share what's new in the field of research and testing to prevent and improve cognitive decline and neuro-degenerative conditions. This is a multi-session series, so please mark your calendar to attend all presentations and Q&A sessions. Join us on Fridays—January 9, 16, 23, and 30, 2 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium.

The Balance Class is on Mondays, 10:30-11 am, Aquatic and Fitness Center (AFC) Studio. This is a Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention class. Tai Chi improves balance, increases strength, flexibility and reduces stress. Wear comfortable clothes. All the movements are done standing. Please register on the SCOV website to join the class. The teacher is Judy Greenberg, gfam5@yahoo.com, (631) 974-4375. Please join us.

Our Monthly Wellness Series returns in 2026! Join us Monday, January 12, 3 pm, Activity Center/Kiva Room, for a helpful dental presentation covering oral health basics, dry mouth care, denture tips, implant options, and preventative practices. Reserve your seat at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Join us for the annual SCOV Health and Wellness Fair! Wednesday, January 14, 9 am–Noon, Activity Center/Auditorium. Explore local practitioners and health-related businesses. Interested in participating? Contact Annette Eggiman, Lifestyle Coordinator, aeggiman@suncityorovalley.com, to reserve a table. Don't miss this community wellness event!

Ready to be whisked away to Oz? Join us for a free matinee of Wicked: Part 1 — the magical, musical story before Dorothy dropped in! Sunday, January 18, 3 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Grab a friend and enjoy the adventure. Please reserve your seat at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Rescheduled from December to January. The third and final free 3-part Dog Behavior Group Trainings: Barking, Monday, January 19, 2 pm, Catalina Vista/Mt. Lemmon Room. Each workshop is designed to give helpful strategies and a solid reference point. Training is done by a Certified Dog Behavior Specialist. Reserve at SCOV.com > Association Events. Please leave your dog at home.

Save the date! Our Annual Club Presidents' Meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 28, 10 am–Noon, Activity Center/Auditorium. Attendance is mandatory. More details will follow. If you have any questions, please email Annette, AEggiman@suncityorovalley.com.

Correction to January Tipster: The article on the Annual Club Presidents' Meeting incorrectly lists the Annual Club Fair date as February 1. The correct date for the Annual Club Fair is February 17. Thank you for your understanding.

Weekly Market hours are Wednesdays from 10 am–Noon. Vendors vary on a weekly basis and are there rain or shine. Stop by, take a look, and help support small local businesses. Located in the front parking lot between the Welcome Center and the tennis courts.

Golf course walking hours: The January walking hours are before 8 am and after 5 pm. Golfers maintain the right of way, so we kindly ask that both carts and walkers stay on the designated cart paths. Please refrain from bringing bikes onto the course. Additionally, please clean up after your pets and keep them leashed for their safety and the comfort of others. Thank you for your cooperation.

Board & Committee Meetings

Board and committee meetings are open to all SCOV members unless designated as an Executive Session.

Friday, January 9

10 AM, 40 & Fabulous Gala Committee, WC1, Zoom/www.bit.ly/49fTlvK

Monday, January 12

1 PM, SCOV What to Expect as a Board Member, WC3

3:30 PM, Election Committee, WC2

Tuesday, January 13

2 PM, Architectural Review Committee, WC3, Zoom/www.bit.ly/3XRFvJG

3 PM, Active Health Committee, WC2

Wednesday, January 14

9 AM, Gift Shop Board Meeting, WC1

9 AM, Long Range Planning Committee, Catalina Vista, Mt Kimball, Zoom/www.bit.ly/4gPX58A

1 PM, Government Affairs Committee, WC1, Zoom/www.bit.ly/3Xp3bFB

Thursday, January 15

9 AM, Properties Committee, WC1, Zoom/www.bit.ly/3AdysCf

9 AM, Copper Center Community Meeting, Activity Center/Hohokam, Zoom/www.bit.ly/4pUhMUF

News at The Views Restaurant

Visit The Views Restaurant and Lounge, www.suncityorovalley.com/restaurant/

January Restaurant Entertainment Schedule:

Date	Name	Time
1-09-2026	Billy Shaw Jr.	4 to 7 PM
1-10-2026	Total Recall	5 to 7 PM
1-15-2026	Lowell Sletton	4 to 7 PM
1-16-2026	KT Klassics	4 to 7 PM
1-17-2026	Sedona Crossing	4 to 7 PM
1-19-2026	Joe Bourne	4 to 7 PM
1-21-2026	Whiskey & Bad Decisions Country Night	4 to 7 PM
1-22-2026	Steve Bragg	4 to 7 PM
1-23-2026	Mr. Boogie Woogie	4 to 7 PM
1-24-2026	Chuck Moses	5 to 7 PM
1-29-2026	Michael Holper	4 to 7 PM
1-30-2026	Somebody to Love	4 to 7 PM
1-31-2026	Sean Lewis	4 to 7 PM
2-6-2026	Johnny and The Rumlbers	4 to 7 PM
2-7-2026	Total Recall	5 to 7 PM

News at The Views Golf Course

Visit The Views Golf Club, www.theviewsgolfclub.com

Our golf clinics are held every Tuesday from 9–10 am, with private lessons also available. To register, call the Pro Shop at (520) 825-3110.

The Grille at The Turn will be closed this Friday and Saturday due to weather conditions, it will reopen next Friday, January 16, at 10:30 am.

Club News

Nature Club: Mark your calendars for February 3, 2 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium for a presentation of *Out There*, the award-winning National Park documentary described as a stunning visual tribute and a grassroots love letter. Seating is limited. Tickets are \$10 for members and \$15 for nonmembers and will be on sale Friday, January 9, and Tuesday, January 13, 9–11 am, Wednesday, January 14, and Saturday, January 17, 1–3 pm, Activity Center/Main Hallway.

The Democratic Club will hear from Joanna Mendoza, candidate for U.S. Representative for District 6, and Edgar Soto, candidate for the Arizona State Senate in Legislative District 17, on Saturday, January 10, 1 pm, Activity Center/Hopi and Hohokam Rooms.

The Casual Mahjong group is going to be teaching Mahjong to beginners, starting Sunday, January 11, 1–3 pm, Catalina Vista. If interested, please contact judeewick@gmail.com, to be included. The classes will cover up to 4 weeks. It is necessary to attend most of these to become proficient enough to enjoy the game and play with the regular group.

The Technology Club's general meeting on Monday, January 12, 1 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium features Sandy Fritz and Sue Lane presenting on the AARP Foundation Tax-Aide program, a free tax assistance and tax preparation service for seniors. Learn how this program can benefit you. Free and open to all residents.

The Republican Club will meet on Monday, January 12, 3 pm, Catalina Vista/Mt Kimball. The speakers will be Arizona Free Enterprise Club representative Lisa Stuessel and state senate candidate Anthony Dunham. As we begin a new year, there is much to be done—please attend. All are welcome.

SCOV Charity Works will be collecting gently loved donations of jewelry, purses, fashion jackets, tops, hats, scarves and sweaters on Wednesday, January 14, 1–3:30 pm, Activity Center/Hohokam. These donations are for the Accessories Boutique returning March 14. Net proceeds from this free event benefit Emerge Center Against Domestic Abuse.

Veteran Club Annual Pancake Breakfast, Saturday, January 31, Activity Center/Auditorium. Breakfast seating times are 7:30 am, 8 am, and 8:30 am. Purchase tickets for \$10 pp, on January 15, 20, 22, and 27, between 9–11 am and 1–3 pm on each of those dates at the Activity Center/Main Hallway. Ticket purchase is strongly recommended, as there are limited resources for walk-ins without a ticket. Breakfast includes pancakes, sausage links, apple sauce, coffee and apple juice. All proceeds support local Veteran organizations.

The Minnesota Club Party Planning Committee welcomes new members to help plan our annual party in March. This year's theme is The Great MN Get-Together, celebrating the Minnesota State Fair. Our next meeting is Thursday, January 15, 1 pm, Activity Center/Kiva Room. There will be one meeting each in February and March prior to the party on March 20. If interested, please contact: gregersen.kathy@gmail.com.

RV Trips for Quarter 1, 2026 include January 15–18 for *Wings Over Wilcox*, featuring migrating cranes and birding; February 4–6 for the Tubac Arts Festival; and March 13–16 for the Yuma Air Show. Details and online registration are available at <https://sundownersrvclub.wildapricot.org/>. *Life's a book—if you don't travel, you only read one page!* The next meeting will be held Monday, January 12, 9 am, Catalina Vista.

The newly formed SCOV Car Club, Unique Wheels, will hold its first meeting on Friday, January 16, 12:30 pm, Activities Center/Kiva Room. We are a social club centered around automotive culture. If you're interested in automobiles—vintage, classic, modern classic—or motorcycles, or simply appreciate unique wheels, please join us. New members are welcome.

When is the next Art Walk? Friday, January 16, 4–6 pm. All SCOV residents are invited to attend the newest art exhibition now on display throughout our beautiful Activity Center. Many SCOV artists will be attending to discuss their latest work. This event is casual, and no sign-up or registration is necessary. Just come and enjoy meeting friends and artists. The Bistro will be open for your purchases during the event.

The 2026 Tucson Senior Olympic Bocce tournament will be hosted by the SCOV Bocce Club on our courts from January 19–24, 9 am–4 pm. During that week, the courts will be closed to all except tournament participants. SCOV has teams competing in each of the three divisions, so come out to cheer them on! The men play on January 19 and 20, the coed teams on January 21 and 22, and the women on January 23 and 24.

Culinary Club: Join us Wednesday, January 21 for our Chili and Dessert Kickoff. Come taste and vote on delicious entries. Nonmembers are welcome—simply sign up at the door with the \$10 annual membership fee. More Information and to reserve your spot: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0849ADAC2EA0FC1-61049952-culinary#/>, or email culinarydiscussionclub@gmail.com.

The Ballroom Dance Club is proud to present the Fourth Annual Dance Expo on Friday, January 30, 5:30 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Enjoy this opportunity to learn about different dance styles and see beginner, advanced and professional dancers demonstrate them. The Expo is free!

The Woodcarving Club will be offering Woodcarving 101 on January 31 and February 7, 1–3:30 pm. The cost is \$10, which covers all supplies and includes your first year's membership in the club. The class is limited to six students. The sign-up sheet is located in the Lapidary Room, or you may text Dick Minch, (262) 844-7444.

The Tennis Club is offering tennis clinics every Friday afternoon in January and February. Each week concentrates on a specific skill helpful to both experienced and beginning players. Free for club members and a \$15 fee for nonmembers (includes club membership). More Information and registration at scovtennis.com.

Happy New Year! SCOV Performers Club would like to thank all of you who attended our December 17 performance. It was a big hit! Mark your calendars for our next showcase on February 11, 4 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Don't miss it, free admission!

Units 18 and 18A Potluck Dinner, Friday, March 6, 6–8 pm, Catalina Vista, \$3 pp. Last names beginning with: A-C, bring main dish, D-J, bring appetizer, K-R, bring side/salad, S-Z, bring dessert. Bring your own beverage, plates, silverware, napkins, serving utensil. RSVP Deb, Debwehrung@gmail.com, by February 18.

Join the Food Bank fundraiser for Interfaith Community Services by Sun City-Vistoso Cyclists. Your donation qualifies for Arizona charitable tax credits for residents: \$495 for individuals and \$987 for couples. Donate online now at: Vistoso Cyclists - Interfaith Community Services | Tucson, Arizona; or mail a check made to *ICS* and memo *VCC Food Bank* and mail to Rose Mary Meyer, 1749 E Crown Ridge Way. Thank you for your generosity!

Community Support Groups

Stop by the Community Support Groups area at the Health Fair on Wednesday, January 14. Featured groups include Brain Health Circle, Caregivers of Loved Ones with Cognitive Loss, Grief, Visually Impaired, Cancer, along with information about the upcoming season of Active Health Committee presentations. Sign up to win prizes, including a five-piece set of resistance bands and an adjustable dumbbell set (2-4 lb). Hope to see you there!

The next monthly meeting for Caregivers of Loved Ones Living with Cognitive Decline will take place Thursday, January 15, 1–2 pm, Vistoso Community Church. Recreational activities for individuals with memory loss will be offered from 1–4 pm. For more information, contact Mary Nowotny, mnowotny13@gmail.com, (970) 764-7856, or Nancy Bulinski, nancybulinski@gmail.com, (559) 676-2666.

A new monthly Cancer Support Group will begin on Wednesday, January 28, 1 pm, Activity Center/Navajo Room. Join others in a safe, confidential space to connect, share, and support one another through this journey. Cancer patients, survivors, and caregivers are welcome. For additional information, please contact Kelley Thompson, (541) 788-5228.

Resident News

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You're welcome to join in playing Hand & Foot as we organize a new SCOV club. All games are held on Thursdays, January 8, and January 22, 6 pm, Catalina Vista. More information: text or call (253) 208-5162, or email dj47@outlook.com.

Revolutions Per Minute: A New Spin on Art and Music from the 1960s and 1970s. Join us Tuesday, January 13, 10 am, Activity Center/Navajo and Hohokam Rooms, for our free January Art Talk about art and music after experimentation in the 60s and 70s. Questions? (520) 818-6332.

They lived to tell their story: Personal histories of two holocaust survivors, told by their daughter. At a time of rising antisemitism, remembering the holocaust is essential. Congregation B'nai Midbar invites you to join us as we honor survival, resilience, and renewal. Eva Friedner shares her parents'

extraordinary journey. Remember, learn, and affirm: Never again. Friday, February 6, 2 pm. Santa Catalina Catholic Church.

SCOV Merchandise Shoppe

Last Chance! Merchandise Must Go!

Sun City Shirts in a variety of colors and patterns, and comfy flip-flops at unbeatable prices:

👕 Shirts — \$5, 🩴 Flip-flops — \$3

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