



This Week in SCOV

October 23, 2025

Association News

Asphalt Project Update (Tuesday, October 14 - Friday, November 7) – There will be major road work on Monday, October 27–Wednesday, October 29, where the road from Rancho Vistoso to the restaurant and south of the tennis courts will be reconstructed. Access in and out of the area is being coordinated by the asphalt company. The cart path is closed Wednesday, October 29 and Thursday, October 30. Catalina Vista is closed Thursday, October 30, for lot resealing. Desert Oasis (including the pool) is closed Thursday, November 6, for lot resealing. The restaurant and pro shop will remain open throughout the project. Please continue to visit and, when possible, use golf carts (except on October 29-30). Parking for carts is available east of the restaurant and behind the Activity Center and Artisan Center. Visit the Projects webpage > <https://suncityorovalley.com/group/pages/projects>, for additional information and closure maps. Thank you for your patience as we complete these important improvements.

Help Shape the Future of Our Community's Landscape

Sun City Oro Valley (SCOV) is known for its natural beauty and commitment to sustainable living in harmony with the Sonoran Desert. Now, we're inviting you to help guide the future of that vision. Whether your background is in landscape design, horticulture, irrigation, desert ecology, or sustainable planning or related fields we welcome your insight and involvement. This is a meaningful opportunity to lend your expertise and help shape a sustainable, beautiful landscape that reflects the values of our community.

A Common Area Landscape Task Force (CALTF) is being formed to create a Landscape Master Plan for SCOV's common areas—and we need your expertise!

We're looking for community members who are:

- Passionate about the Sonoran Desert
- Committed to water-wise and energy-saving practices
- Skilled in landscape planning or related fields

Together, we can create a landscape plan that not only enhances our shared spaces but also preserves and respects the desert environment we call home. This is your chance to help shape a sustainable, desert-friendly future for Sun City Oro Valley. Interested in volunteering? Please apply here >

www.bit.ly/3U1BZf.

Government Affairs is soliciting questions from the community for the Thursday, November 13 forum with LD 17 Representative Rachel Keshel (Jones), which will be held at the Activity Center from 3:30–5 pm. Questions will be compiled and submitted to Representative Keshel prior to the forum. Your name will not be released unless you request otherwise. Please send your questions to the following email address, scovga@gmail.com.

Time to Declutter! Republic Services will deliver two 40-foot roll-offs at SCOV, November 17–18 (by the Library side of the Welcome Center). When they're full, that's it—so round up your large junk now and make the most of this annual cleanup event. Note: No needles, paint, or toxic materials are allowed.

A heartfelt thank you to all the volunteers who worked tirelessly before and at the Vaccine Clinic on October 14. Special thanks to Jan Atwood, Gail Barr, Jeannette Moore, and Barb McNeill for their dedication. We deeply appreciate your hard work and commitment to making this important event a success!

The Community Assistance Committee provides collection bins for aluminum cans. A large bin is located next to the SCOV Activity Center at the back entrance to the kitchen, beside the garbage dumpsters. Please place loose aluminum cans in bags. The Loan Room has a small recycling bin.

Gift Shop News: Is there a new baby or baby on the way in your family? Our Casa Amigas consignors create beautiful quilts in a variety of colors; they are soft and made with baby-safe fabrics. Our Seniors for Kids consignors create huggable bears perfect for the little ones. These organizations support agencies helping local children. Visit the Gift Shop for these and more.

Library News: Tickets are available for our Sun City Author talk starting today, Thursday, October 23. Please see our newly added books and author talk flyer below.

New Regular Print

The SCOV Library
Brings You An Author Talk
Featuring Sun City **Alfred**
Author **Oakland**

Better known for his contributions to an in-depth visitors guide to Tucson, the author's freshman foray into fiction centers around a 1970's era detective and his well rounded background enabling him to save the country's military projects from foreign operatives.

Thursday
November 6
10:00 AM
to Noon
Welcome Center
Room 3

Free tickets are available in the Library starting Thursday October 23

This event is open to the entire SCOV Community

Association Activities

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

Get ready for an unforgettable evening of great food and phenomenal music! Join us for All Hail the Queen! A dinner show celebrating the legendary Aretha Franklin. Featuring the incredible Charity Lockhart—as seen on America’s Got Talent—this powerhouse performance will have you cheering for more! Enjoy soulful hits, dazzling vocals, and a Southern Soul dinner of fried chicken, pork chops, all the fixins’, dessert, iced tea, and lemonade. Friday, October 24, 7 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Doors open at 5:30 pm. Tickets are \$44 pp, including dinner and show. Don’t miss this night of soul, flavor, and fun—purchase now at SCOV.com > Association Events!

October Free Movie Night! Join us for a frightfully funny showing of Young Frankenstein, starring Gene Wilder, Wednesday, October 29, 6 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Enjoy free popcorn from The Bistro and tasty hamburgers and hot dogs for purchase. Bring your friends for a monstrously fun evening! Reserve at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Don’t miss an enchanting evening with the Tucson Symphony Orchestra String Quartet! Thursday, October 30, 6 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Enjoy timeless classics and modern works. Tickets \$20 pp at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Pool Float and Sound Bath has been rescheduled, Sunday, November 2, 6–7 pm, Desert Oasis pool, for an evening of sound healing, floating atop the water’s surface to embody Mother Nature’s beauty. Floats will be provided. \$20 pp. Wear your swimsuit. Buy tickets here > SCOV.com > Association Events. No need to pay again if you paid for the October 12, event.

Protect and preserve your estate. Join us for a free informational event on safeguarding your estate with Wills and Trusts. Wednesday, November 5, 9:30 am, Activity Center/Kiva Room. Enjoy a light breakfast while you learn. Reserve your spot at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Join us for the second session of our free monthly wellness talks, *Chronic Inflammation*, Wednesday, November 5, 1 pm, Activity Center/Kiva Room. Registered Dietitian Sarah Duke explains how inflammation accelerates aging, impacts health, and offers strategies to counter it. Reservations are encouraged at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Pamper & Sip invites you to create luxurious bath and body treasures, Thursday, November 6, 4 pm, Activity Center/Hopi Room. Bring your favorite drink, relax, and take-home handmade creations. Optional add-ons available by contacting (520) 559-3890, one week ahead. \$45 pp. Tickets at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Welcome back! Join us for a fun-filled evening of dinner and dancing on Sunday, November 9, 6 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Enjoy an Italian buffet and lively music by Total Recall, featuring four SCOV residents. Doors open 4 pm, dinner 5–6 pm. BYOB. Tickets \$20 per person. Purchase at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Free 3-part Dog Behavior Group Trainings. Session 2, leash pulling. Tuesday, November 11, 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.

Join us for the SCOV Annual Car Show! Thursday, November 13, 11 am–2 pm, parking lot between the Welcome Center and tennis courts. All motorized vehicles are welcome to participate. Enjoy lively music, food available for purchase, and a 50/50 cash prize game for participants. If you're interested in showcasing your vehicle, register here > <https://tinyurl.com/8vrhh489>.

The fall session of the Chair Balance class begins Friday, November 14, 10:30–11:30 am, Activity Center/Kiva Room. Dr Paul Lam's Tai Chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention program is a gentle form of exercise that improves balance, muscle strength, and flexibility. Participants may sit or stand during class. Purchase your PunchPass and register on the SCOV website. Contact Teresa Powell, teresa.powell26@verizon.net, for more information.

Free lecture, Cantando con Tata: Celebrate Arizona legend Eduardo "Lalo" Guerrero, the Godfather of Chicano music, Friday, November 14, 4 pm, Activity Center/Kiva Room. Artist Zarco Guerrero shares stories of Lalo's Grammy-winning career, cultural legacy, and impact on Chicano music, blending art, music, and storytelling in a powerful program. Reserve your seat at SCOV.com > Association Activities.

Free Movie Night! Wednesday, November 19, 6 pm, Activity Center/Auditorium. Watch *A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving* and the comedy *Planes, Trains and Automobiles* starring Steve Martin and John Candy. Enjoy free popcorn from the Bistro. A perfect evening of laughter and holiday spirit! Reserve your seat at SCOV.com > Association Activities.

New hours: Weekly Market hours are Wednesdays from 10 am–12 pm. 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 October walking hours are before 7 am and after 6 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, October 24

1 PM, Fab Forty Talent Sub Committee, Activity Center/Hohokam

Monday, October 27

3 PM, Forty and Fabulous Gala, Catalina Vista/Pusch Ridge, Zoom/www.bit.ly/49FTlvK

Tuesday, October 28

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

Thursday, October 30

10:30 AM, Lion Head Fountain Task Force, WC1

News at The Views Restaurant

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

The Food & Beverage Committee, in collaboration with the Administration, has developed a brief survey to gather resident input on how the Views Restaurant can better meet your needs and enhance your dining experience.

We kindly ask all residents to take a few moments to complete the survey here >

<https://lp.constantcontactpages.com/sv/NXmBis5>. Once finished, simply press the *submit survey* button to submit your responses. Your feedback will help shape future menu offerings and identify operational improvements that matter most to you.

Our goal is for the Views Restaurant to be a valued dining destination—offering high-quality, consistent food and service at affordable prices. Thank you for your thoughtful participation.

October & November Restaurant Entertainment Schedule:

Date	Name	Time
10-24-2025	Lost in the sixties	4 to 7 PM
10-25-2025	Total Recall	4 to 6:30 PM
10-30-2025	Sean Lewis	4 to 7 PM
10-31-2025	Whiskey and Bad Decisions	4 to 7 PM
11-01-2025	Chuck Moses	5 to 7 PM
11-06-2025	Jessiah	5 to 7 PM
11-07-2025	Sean Lewis	4 to 7 PM
11-08-2025	Whiskey and Bad Decisions	4 to 7 PM
11-13-2025	Richard Rodriquez	4 to 7 PM
11-14-2025	Kt Classics	4 to 7 PM
11-15-2025	Sedona Crossing	4 to 7 PM
11-17-2025	Joe Bourne	4 to 7 PM
11-20-2025	Steve Bragg	4 to 7 PM
11-21-2025	Lowell Sletten	4 to 7 PM
11-22-2025	Johnny and the Rumlbers	4 to 7 PM

Thanksgiving

Buffet Menu November 27, 2025 11am-5pm

Culinary Highlights

- Herb Crusted Turkey
- Slow Roasted Prime Rib
- Apple-Sized Roasted Pork Tenderloin

Chilled Harvest

- Assorted Salads
- Fresh Dinner Rolls
- Homestyle Deviled Eggs
- Poached Shrimp
- Chilled Oysters with Mignonette

Garden & Harvest Sides

- Three Cheese Mac & Cheese Garlic Mashed
- Potato & Gravy Sweet Potato Soufflé
- Old-Fashioned Sage Stuffing
- Farmhouse Green Bean Gratin
- Roasted Fall Vegetables
- Harvest Cranberry Chutney

Sweets

Assorted Decadent Desserts, too many to list

\$55 per person
\$20 per person - UNDER 12

Reservations Recommended

The Views Golf Course
1000 Views Dr. Suite 100
520-825-3110

Thanksgiving

- Dinner Menu -
Takeout

Limited Orders

Serves 5-7 People **\$168.20** *Choice of* **Turkey**

Serves 8-12 people **\$309.20** *or* **Ham**

Mashed Potatoes
Gravy
Stuffing
Green Bean Casserole
Dinner Rolls
Cranberry

Dessert
Cheesecake \$35
Pumpkin Pie \$20

The Views Golf Course
1000 Views Dr. Suite 100
520-825-3110

News at The Views Golf Course

Visit The Views Golf Club, www.theviewsgolfclub.com

Our golf clinics are every Tuesday from 8–9 am, and private lessons are available as well. Call the Pro Shop to sign up, (520) 825-3110.

Club News

SCOV Friends of the Library and SCOV Variety Theatre are partnering for a special fundraiser in support of the SCOV Library. Join us in the Auditorium on Saturday, November 1, 7 pm, and Sunday, November 2, 2 pm, for a staged, costumed reading of the two-act comedy, *A Fine Time to Be Lucille*. The program also includes a humorous skit, *What's on TV?* Tickets are \$10 each, on sale at the Activity Center/Main Hallway, 9 am–noon, October 29, and in the Library Lobby, 1–3 pm, October 24, and 31.

Look for SCOV Dancing Witches at the Energetic Exercise Halloween Party, Friday, October 24, 4:30 pm, Activity Center/Kiva, and on Halloween, at All Seasons Assisted Living, 4 pm, Chalk Creek Block Party, 5 pm, and Starlight Ballroom Dance, Auditorium, 6:30 pm. Want to dance next Halloween? Contact Sue Reeves, (435) 258-8004, scovwitchdance@gmail.com.

Rock and Roll Club tickets for Saturday, October 25th dance with the Little House of Funk are still available. Tickets are \$10 members and \$15 nonmembers. Checks only. Contact Kim West, scovrrcmembership@gmail.com, or (520) 343-0662.

Staying in Charge as We Age, Sunday, October 26, 2 pm, Activity Center/Hohokam Room. Do the colors orange and purple mean anything to you? School or team colors? They are the colors of personal notebooks designed to contain information vital to your loved ones, executors, and successors in the event of a crisis or life's end. Plan ahead for those that need to be in the know.

Spanish Cultural Club: Monday, October 27, 7 pm, Catalina Vista. Sigrid Flatness has invited Alex La Pierre of Borderlandia to discuss the 250th anniversary of Juan Bautista de Anza Expedition from Tubac into California. All welcome, including nonmembers.

Raffle ticket sales for Brewster Evans patriotic quilt will be at the Activity Center/Main Hallway on October 28 and 30, Nov 5 and 6, between 9–11 am. Drawing will be at the Veterans Day ceremony on Tuesday, November 11. You do not need to be present to win. \$5 each or 5 for \$20. Proceeds go to local Veteran organizations. If you are out of town and want to purchase tickets, contact Mike LaBarbera, (812) 431-4727.

Calling all musicians and performers, especially instrumentalists to accompany singers. The Performers Club is beginning a new season. Join us to share and hone your creative self in a safe supportive space. Perform solo or connect and share with fellow artists. Meeting Wednesday, October 29, 3–5 pm, Activity Center/Kiva Room.

The complex science of preserving Mission San Xavier. San Xavier del Bac is Arizona's oldest European structure and a masterpiece of Spanish colonial architecture. It was initially founded by Padre Kino in 1692 and completed in 1797. Patronato San Xavier funds its ethical conservation and teaches about its significance. Thursday, October 30, 2 pm, (meeting will have a change of place due to Catalina Vista parking lot resurfacing), Activity Center/Hohokam. Guest speaker, Miles Green. All residents invited, the Institute of Learning in Retirement (ILR) Sampler sponsored.

Do you enjoy cooking, meeting new people, and entertaining? The SCOV Prepare and Share Dinner Club is the perfect recipe! You will host one small dinner group in your home and be a guest at three other in-home dinners where attendees furnish part of the meal. Our Fall Kickoff Dinner is Saturday, November 1. For details on how to join and to make reservations, email Debbie Winger, scovprepareshare@gmail.com.

SCOV Charity Works Fall fundraiser will be a raffle of themed baskets. This raffle will benefit Emerge Center Against Domestic Abuse. Themes include Wine, Italian, Spa, Gift Cards, Coffee, Saguaro and so much more! View baskets and purchase tickets Saturday, November 8, 9 am–2 pm, in front of the Gift Shop. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Future ticket sales to be announced. Be a lucky winner and support a great cause.

The SCOV Veterans Club is now collecting non-perishable food items to donate to the VA Patriots Pantry until Veterans Day, Tuesday, November 11. No large Costco or Sam's items. Suggested donations include Spam, tuna, protein bars, instant potatoes, granola bars, peanut butter, soups, pasta, cereal, etc. Bring your donations to 2145 E Bighorn Mountain Dr. Monetary donations or checks made out to the *VA Patriots Pantry* are also accepted.

Drumming Circle: Our new season begins Wednesday, November 12. Our circle is open to everyone. No experience necessary. If you can clap your hands or tap your foot to music, you are perfect for our circle. Margaret Bellerby, a retired music instructor, will lead us from 2–3 pm, then open drumming. The club has extra equipment for everyone. Questions? (520) 638-6644.

Are you feeling root bound? Outgrowing your pot? Have you purchased a new plant? The Garden Club Beautification Committee is offering an Indoor Plant Repotting Service. We will come to your home and repot your plants for you. Contact Donna Brown for further information, text (724) 396-0141. Donations to the Garden club welcome.

Resident News

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Local historian and SCOV resident Jim Williams is currently writing a history of the 40 years of Sun City Oro Valley to be published next year. He is looking for photos to scan and use for the book that focus on early Sun City (1986-2005). If you have any to share, please contact him at jaswilliams128@msn.com.

All are invited to Unit 3's annual Halloween party on Friday, October 31, 4–6 pm, Chalk Creek Dr near Bright Angel. The fantastic band, Arroyo Boyó, will delight us with their infamous tunes. Whispers of wanton wild witches visiting to scare the willies out of us have been heard. Or maybe do a wee little jig... Cost to invitees: Snacks or beverages for 10 and perhaps tip money for the band. Costumes welcome!

Welcome Back! ASPIRE meetings resume Friday, October 31, 1–3 pm Activity Center/Kiva. All homeowners and all points of view are welcome, including Board members and our General Manager. ASPIRE, hosted by homeowners, offers a safe space for open, respectful discussions. ASPIRE– Always Seek Perspective with Integrity, Respect and Encouragement.

Get involved! SCOV is a self-governing community, and we are looking for residents who want to get involved. Learn the best way to get on the committee of your choice and have a voice in our community governance! Meet committee members and find your passion. Help shape today's community and mold our future community. We look forward to meeting you! Friday, November 14, 2 pm (rescheduled from October 23), Activity Center/Kiva Room.

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