



This Week in SCOV

July 16, 2026

Association News

Catalina Vista Patio Replacement continues through approximately July 24. A tree will be removed that was lifting the patio and threatening the foundation. A portion of the parking lot has been cordoned off for material storage, including sand and pavers. Please use caution around the work zone. Thank you for your patience as we complete this improvement.

Pool & Spa Project Update – Installation of the heater ventilation system continues in preparation for the new gas meter. Once the venting installation is complete, Southwest Gas will be scheduled to upgrade the gas meter. After the new meter is installed, the heaters will be commissioned, and the pool water will begin heating. We will continue to provide updates as work progresses.

Copper Center Update Shive Hattery is currently arranging for three engineering reports to address the major building systems. We are creating larger spaces from smaller spaces, so these systems will be impacted: • Mechanical Engineer to address HVAC, plumbing, ventilation needs • Electrical Engineer to address electrical needs related to club use • Structural Engineer to address walls with new openings to assure we are in accordance with code requirements. This should be done by August, then the architect will proceed with final construction drawings. These items must be completed before we can develop potential costs, which should be in the fall.

Videographers Wanted: Once upon a time SCOV had its' own YouTube channel. It's still there, but the info on it needs some work. We would like to update that channel with stories about life in our community. If you are an experienced videographer or a talented amateur, we would love to recruit you to work on this project. Please contact Greg Thatcher at clank32@gmail.com for more information. We can use your help!

In the July 9 Board meeting, there were audio issues. The root cause of the problem is being investigated and we are working on an interim solution prior to the next meeting. The long term solution is part of the Auditorium audio project which is in the RFP stage. The goal is to have a workable interim solution, while containing costs until the long term solution is in place.

Lesley Chace, Trish Jensen, and Muriel DeLaVergne Brown have volunteered to revise the charter for the Mountain Vista Plaza redesign.

The Neighborhood Pride is currently touring for the month of July. During the tour, teams will be searching for trash cans that are visible from the street, conduits that need to be painted, suckers, weeds, and debris. If any violations are noticed during the tour, teams are encouraged to report them. For detailed information on these items, please consult the Development Standards/Master Declaration, available at the Welcome Center or online at <https://suncityorovalley.com/group/pages/governing-documents>. If you have any questions about the committee or the ongoing tours, feel free to reach out to the Covenants Coordinator at 520-917-8087. Your dedication to preserving the beauty of SCOV is greatly appreciated.

Gift Shop News: Add a touch of natural beauty to your day with our collection of handcrafted earrings made from genuine healing stones. Available in a wide variety of colors, each pair showcases the patterns and natural charm of stones such as turquoise, tiger eye, rose quartz, jasper, and more. These earrings offer something for every style and personality. Thoughtfully designed and lightweight to wear, they make a meaningful gift or a special treat for yourself. Visit the shop to find these and much more.

Library News: It's Raining Books at the Sun City Library. Stop by with a friend and support your library. New to our large print collection this week:

New to the Library



Association Activities

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

Free matinee movie Join us Monday, July 20, 3 pm, AC/Kiva for “The Natural”. This inspiring baseball classic follows Roy Hobbs as he revitalizes a struggling team. Enjoy Bistro refreshments and free popcorn. Kindly RSVP at SCOV.com > Association Events and reserve your seat today. Please note: The ILR movies will be every Wednesday in July, 1 pm, AC/Kiva.

Enjoy an evening of music, laughter, and audience participation with Clay Whittington and Alassane Diarra’s Dueling Pianos show, Friday, July 31, 6 pm, AC/Auditorium. Sing along, request favorite songs, and enjoy musical surprises. Tickets are \$30 per person and are available at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Experience the Kitt Peak Night Sky Adventure on Wednesday, August 5! View stars and planets through research-grade telescopes. Cost is \$229 pp and includes transportation, snacks, bottled water, and dinner at Fred’s Arena Bar & Steakhouse. Purchase tickets at SCOV.com > Association Events. Depart the Welcome Center at 3 pm; return around midnight.

Hop aboard the *Chattanooga Choo Choo* and join The Manhattan Dolls on a *Sentimental Journey* through the great music of the 30s and 40s, Wednesday, August 12, 6 pm, AC/Auditorium. Sentimental Journey blends beautiful ballads with your favorite toe-tapping tunes, and, in classic USO fashion, takes time to honor our brave men and women in the military. Tickets are \$30 pp, purchase at SCOV.com > Association Events.

Put your brainpower to the test at Trivia Night Thursday, August 13, 6 pm, AC/Kiva. Just \$2 per person. 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!

Golf course walking hours before 6:30 am and after 6:30 pm. Golfers maintain the right of way. Both carts and walkers stay on the designated cart paths. Bikes are not permitted on the golf course or cart paths. In addition, all pets must remain leashed, and owners are responsible for cleaning up after their pets. Thank you for your cooperation.

Board & Committee Meetings

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

Monday, July 20

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

Tuesday, July 21

10 am, 40 & Fabulous Steering Committee, WC2

2 pm, SCOV GM/Board Chat, Kiva

News at The Views Restaurant

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

July & August Restaurant Entertainment Schedule:

Date	Name	Time
7-17	KT Classics	5-8 pm
7-18	Sedona Crossing	5-8 pm
7-19	Karaoke	4-7 pm
7-20	Joe Bourne	4-7 pm
7-23	DC & Co.	5-7 pm
7-24	Lowell Sletten	5-8 pm
7-25	Chuck Moses	6-8 pm
7-26	Karaoke	4-7 pm
7-31	Sean Lewis	5-8 pm
8-1	Jessiah	6-8 pm
8-2	Karaoke	4-7 pm
8-7	Cochise County All-Stars	5-8 pm

News at The Views Golf Course

Visit The Views Golf Club, www.theviewsgolfclub.com

Our golf clinics are held every Tuesday from 8-9 am, with private lessons also available. To register, call the Pro Shop at (520) 825-3110.

Club News

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The Institute of Learning in Retirement is showing Wednesday matinee movies every week in July, 1 pm, AC/Kiva. No reservations, no tickets, all free. Next week: *A Man Called Otto*. Tom Hanks is a grumpy, suicidal widower whose life is turned around by his new, lively neighbors. The film explores themes of love, loss and finding purpose with flashbacks revealing Otto's past with his late wife, Sonya.

Art Sale The SCOV Summer Art Sale begins July 2, at the Activity Center. Most of the art exhibited will be available at a discounted price. Any SCOV resident is welcome to exhibit in this sale. Please visit the Activity Center for artful discounts! Supported by Art League.

Competitive water volleyball players need to be aware the Desert Oasis pool will be closed for cleaning on Wednesday, July 15, and August 12. Otherwise the schedule for water volleyball on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday remains unchanged.

Hand and Foot game schedule for July: Catalina Vista at 6 pm, July 9 & 23. Catalina Vista at 10 am, July 15, and at 3:30 pm, July 29. Beginners and experienced players are always welcome. For rules and more information dj47@outlook.com or 253-208-5162

The next cancer support group will be held on Wednesday, July 22, 1 pm, in the AC/Navajo room. Join others in a safe confidential space to connect, share, and support one another through this journey. Cancer patients, survivors and caregivers welcome. For additional information, contact Kelley Thompson at 541-788-5228 klthompson.az@gmail.com.

The country's 250th celebration has renewed interest in United States History. A proposal for a new club: SCOV History Club has been submitted to the Board for review and approval. The primary purpose is to provide collaborative, intellectually stimulating experiences where members can explore the past, share diverse perspectives and better understand how historical events continue to shape the present. The interim officers: Mary Lee Fitzgerald, president; Jim Williams, vice-president, Carol Rohr, secretary and Martin Comey, treasurer. Membership will be open to all residents.

Thimblelenas: Thimblelenas is now designated as a charitable organization, 501c3, under the IRS code. We welcome monetary donations as well as fabric, and related donations. Clean, gently used sheets and towels are also welcomed. A tax deductible form will be provided when you drop off your donation Monday - Thursday 9am to noon, and Monday - Wednesday 1pm to 3pm in our Sewing Room. Please support our organization with your contributions. To donate clothing and household items, please contact Susan Radka at 720-936-3522.

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