



What's Up Phlock

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Election Time For the 2010

Arizona Parrot Head Club Board of Directors

The nominations for officers and members-at-large ended on October 15, 2009 and those nominated have been notified. The Nominees running for a position on the AZPHC Board of Directors need to have their bios delivered to me via email or snail mail no later than October 29, 2009 to be considered for a place on the ballot. Ballots will be sent out soon after that October 29th deadline. So, watch your mailbox for your ballot and be sure to return it before the posted deadline. The results of the election and the 2010 Board of Directors will be announced on December 5 at the Christmas Party at Tammy and Goat's.

Jan McGuffin
Elections Officer

Charities that the AZPHC contributes to:

UMOM-United Methodist Outreach Ministries

<http://www.umom.org/default.html>

Alzheimer's Association

<http://www.alzds.org/>

Arizona Hemophilia Society

<http://www.hemophiliaz.org/>

Hospice of the Valley

<http://www.hov.org/>

Christopher's Cure

<http://www.christopherscure.org/>

Andrea's Closet

<http://www.andreascloset.org/about.html>

Castaway Kids

www.castawaykidsmexico.net

West Valley Child Crisis Center

<http://www.wvccc.org/>

Packages From Home

<http://www.packagesfromhome.org/>

Arizona Humane Society

www.azhumane.org

CHARITY CORNER

This Quarter's Spotlight on:

Arizona Hemophilia Society

The Hemophilia Association is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life in the bleeding disorder community by providing programs and services that offer emotional, financial and educational assistance and support. We advocate and create awareness to promote and protect access to healthcare for the bleeding disorder community. We bring together individuals and families of all ages to promote the sharing of experiences and information.

"Life doesn't stand still and neither should your child."

<http://www.hemophiliaz.org/>

They participate/sponsor many events to help raise money for these kids; some of the events are Arizona Desert Classic Golf Tournament, My Nana's Best Tasting Salsa Challenge and the Rock N' Roll Marathon.



Toys collected for Andrea's closet at our Christmas in July Party

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Hello Phlock - Message from the Prez

Arrgh My fellow Phun seekers

We started out the summer with a great party for Andrea's Closet with our Christmas in July party at the home of Barb and John Young. We had shrimp provided by Margaritaville Foods. With the Stage Whores providing the music.

Thursday nights were spent at Margaritaville enjoying a good time Stranded On the Sandbar with our own Ray Cody providing the music.

We had a great time at the yearly big event in September - PARROT GRANDE, with live entertainment provided by Randy Renner and Coral Reefer Madness, Brent Burns, Bob Karwin and Ray Cody. We had good weather and a good turn out even in these financially uncertain times.

In the up coming months I hope to have a chance to see you all again and have some more phun and smiles. We still have Happy Hour at Geasewood's and the Christmas party at the Bauman's. Hope to see you all out there Partying with a Purpose.

Remember "Growing older but not up"

With a big smile sincerely
The Pirate Captain



Rick Dudley
Arizona Parrot Head Club - President

Christmas In July

Barb Young

The annual Christmas in July party was held Saturday, July 25 at our house. Once again, we really did prove we know how to "Party with a Purpose." After a quick Board Meeting, the fun started! There was lots of delish food, including Goat's Meat, and it all went quickly. (If you missed the "Goat's Meat" sign, well.....) There was even a tropical birthday cake for me! And Jello Shots from the Jello Shot Prince Jeff Brown reflected the season: Cranberry, Sugar Cookie, Egg Nog, and Gingerbread! And of course, John served his famous shots – this year dubbed "Jingle Bell Shots." 175 of the bell-ringers were consumed.

Music was provided by our very talented Parrot Head band members Woody, Rick & Steve, and Jaaan sang "Crazy" for us, too. I don't know about you, but I sure appreciate our talented members who are always so willing to play for us at any party. Secretly, they're Stage Whores, even though they'll never admit it! But we still love 'em all.

Around 7:30 or so, the Christmas Gift Exchange began. It was a little chaotic but there were some great and not-so-great gifts. Woody won a Homer Simpson Chia pet and thought he'd get away with leaving it behind. I fooled him – brought it to him at Stranded on a Sandbar the following Thursday. Lots of good bottles of wine and booze and even a mini-keg of Heineken, which John was heart-broken he didn't get to keep. The best present, though, was the Lottery Scratch-Off ticket that Julie won -\$10,000 or.....NOT. After a scream-fest in the kitchen that probably caused my cats to crawl under the bed, it was discovered to be a joke.

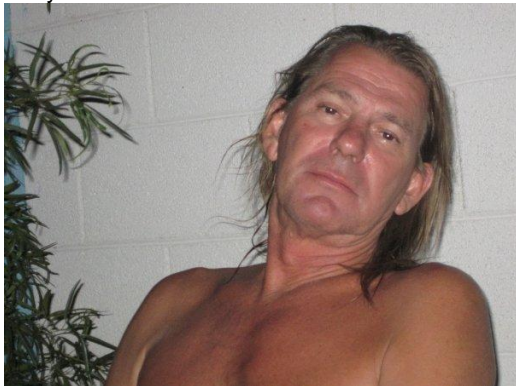
The pool provided a little relief from the heat, along with some iced Mango-scented towels. And Goat was a stand-in for Crash who couldn't be there for her signature belly flop into the pool. However, there was one mishap which no one got a picture of (thankfully). The Old Broad (that would be me) fell into the dirt pond right next to the gazebo. Don't know how I did it, but I think vodka was involved.

At the end of the night, we counted up all the toys that we had donated for Andrea's Closet. It was amazing the generosity we saw. The estimated \$1,000 worth of toys made an impressive sight, once again proving that the Parrot Head Phamily really comes through whenever asked to help.



There was also a phenomenon at the party never before seen in one place: 3 Steves!

Thanks to everyone that came out – we're looking forward next year already!



Merry Christmas to all and to all a Good Night!

**Parrot Grande '09
Barb Young**

Another Parrot Grande has come and gone and boy, what a great one it was. Passing up the Labor Day weekend (and the rain that Saturday) was a great idea. We had sunshine and great temps every day. And I think everyone had a good time. We even had some Parrot Heads from Utah join us.

For those who came early and stayed Thursday night, there was the traditional dinner at Badillon's. And afterwards, the 8th floor party was a happenin' event. Until the hotel sent up security to shoo us inside. Nothing like starting off the weekend right with a little warning about our partying with a purpose! But Goat and the Queen were gracious enough to let everyone invade their abode, so we slipped by the authorities.

Parrot Grande officially began Friday afternoon. At registration, everyone received their Parrot Grande commemorative towel and badge and checked out the awesome raffle prizes and Silent Auction items. We

even had a "car" to give away this year. I use the term "car" loosely because it was a vehicle that Crime Dog "procured" for Parrot Grande. It had a psychedelic paint job thanks to a few Parrot Heads' efforts and was a target for golf balls. Unfortunately no one won it (or wanted it!), so it quietly slipped away into the sunset, much like the hippies at Woodstock! Friday night's party around the pool with live music was definitely a party with a purpose! I think I speak for everyone when I say that the line up of Ray Cody, Brent Burns, Bob Karwin, and Coral Reefer Madness was more than we expected – too much fun! And again, when the party at the pool ended, it continued on to the 8th floor. It was a little windy, but it didn't slow down the partying. But once again, there were some party poopers below and security made another appearance. Hopefully, next year the hotel will put all the Parrot Heads on the 7th floor so the 8th floor can party in peace! Had to do something so everyone could all stay awake for the It's Midnight and I Still Can't Putt contest!

Saturday morning started off early with the golf tournament at 7AM. And at 8AM, a new tradition began: the Golf Widow's Breakfast. 15 or so people attend in their jammies but the general concensus was that 9AM would have been a better time to start. OK, next year the non-golfers can sleep in a little. But those who did this year missed a great time. And the chance to win some Weiner Slicker (how's that workin', Leeann?).....have some chocolate cake.....answer some Woodstock trivia. Yeah, it was all good.



The Pirate Boat races on Saturday afternoon showed some real creativity. And thanks to the Tucson PH Club for hosting the games by the pool – the frozen T shirts were amazing. Of course, there were some traditional belly flops at the pool and the Laughlin Horns made an appearance Saturday, too. Ring of Fire will never be the same!

But Saturday night was the big finale. The 40th Anniversary of Woodstock party brought out the hippie in everyone! I've never seen so many aging hippies in one place in my life! The costumes were awesome and Coral Reefer Madness played right along with the theme. Those guys did a fantastic job for us that night and it will truly be a night to remember. They said they



had a great time, too, and that's what makes a good band – when they're having just as much fun as the audience.

There was a special presentation Saturday night, too. Crash and I decided that our Parrot Head musicians just don't get enough recognition for their talents and willingness to play at the drop of a hat, so we decided to thank them for their continued entertainment. Each of the guys received a neon yellow T shirt with "The Stage Whores" emblazoned across the front in blue. All of us appreciate you Woody, Steve, Pirate Captain, Crime Dog, Sam, Goat, Rick, Phil, Karl, and Wayners! We are lucky to have you and your talents. I bet there aren't many Clubs around the country that can boast their own in-house band!



As everyone knows, Parrot Grande just doesn't happen by itself. There are many, many people who volunteer their time to put this party together. Thanks to all the committee chairs for their tireless efforts this year. And thanks to everyone who volunteered to man the mini-mart/auction room, sell raffle tickets and donate prizes. Even if you worked just one hour, it is truly appreciated. Parrot Grande is definitely a group effort and our group is the BEST when it comes to stepping up and helping. (Thanks to everyone whose pictures I pilfered to add to this article. Hope you all haven't copyrighted them!)

And the best thing about PG- we raised \$5000.00 for the kids!

2009 Things Overheard at Parrot Grande

You can play with more than 4 strings. Sponge Goat Square Pants. Comment about Queen's glasses: Objects may appear larger than they actually are. You all may be princesses, but she's the Queen. It's almost as good as sex. Is it the cream? You have to swallow though. Oh you've numbered them: Slut 1 and Slut 2. His Highness has to get home immediately on Sunday so he can watch football and swim naked. If you get it wet, it's done. Hey Lewie, take my picture, I'm dry. She traded a Woody for a Goat. Utah SLUTS. In Utah, Goat's are highly prized. West Vile nitrous. You got a big one there. I need refreshed. She needs refreshed. It's all liquid, just swallow. I'll get ya in one stick. He's got a little

caterpillar. I'm chaffed already. It's still up there, but it's flapping. I'm going to town to buy softer toilet paper. Sponge Goat Square Head. I'm wet. You don't even want to see my spots.

It's Midnight and I Can't Putt Yet

Russ & Tamyra Althof

Once again, many intoxicated Parrot Heads made their way toward the Francisco Grande putting green. They were in search of the much coveted "It's Midnight and I Can't Putt Yet" trophy. The trophy is an old, worn out putter covered in glitter and pink feathers...the perfect addition to any Parrot Head home. While nearly all event attendees participated in the event, most REALLY just wanted to get on up to the 8th Floor Party! And I quote, "Please let me miss so I can get to the 8th floor!" ...Kathy Pfister.

Dave Seaholm won the putting contest this year and was awarded the trophy.



PARROT GRANDE GOLF 2009

Russ & Tamyra Althof

Parrot Grande Golf started off with a new event – a 50/50 Raffle. \$5.00 bought three chances to take a swing at the Hippie Mobile. Friday afternoon everyone was able to participate at the FG Driving Range. John Young and the Golf God challenged each other to "put up or shut up." Several dollars were collected for WVCCC, and John and Russ each won a ticket. During the tournament, many others attempted to hit the car, but only a few succeeded. Russ Althof won the 50/50 Raffle.

Thirty-two golfers participated in the Saturday golf tournament. Sixteen 9-Hole golfers played their own special holes, such as putting with a hockey stick, a croquet mallet and a lime. They also putted off of Communion cups and used dice to determine which 2 clubs could be used on Hole 6. The team of Kathy Pfister, Lewie Edwards, Karl Winkleman and Tamyra Althof won First Place for the 9 Hole Tournament.



Apparently, those who cheat best, win! Custom "Fins" trophies were awarded to the team members.

Sixteen 18-Hole golfers played the tournament and the team of Dave Seaholm, Rick Metivier and Louie Jandro won First Place.

All golfers participated in the Inside the Circle Raffle on Hole 8 and the 50/50 (Hit the Hippie Mobile) Raffle between Holes 8 and 9. Betty Young won the Inside the Circle raffle and was awarded a weekend golf package at Francisco Grande.

Two other contests on the course were the Longest Drive Down A1A and the Closest to the Parrot. John Young, 18 holer and Scott Holt, 9 holer, won the Longest Drive contest. Betty Young, 18 holer and Paula Masiulewicz, 9 holer won the Closest to the Parrot contest. These winners were also given custom "Fins" trophies.

The custom "Fins" trophies were designed, made and donated by Everett Grondin.

Special thanks to our volunteers: Jim and Dori Lerua, Mary Albright, and Pam Kline.

Approximately \$800 was raised for WVCCC.



SOS Thursdays

Mark McGuffin

This summer marked a first for the AZPHC, when one of our own members graced the stage at Margaritaville Glendale! The Great Ray Cody was equal to the task, putting on four terrific shows during Margaritaville's "Stranded On A Sandbar" summer happy hours through July and August, accompanied on percussion by Mark "Crime Dog" McGuffin. Ray packed the house for every show, playing a blend of his own originals, folk tunes, and of course those great old Parrothead standards. Many of your best friends were lucky enough to score in the nightly drawings Margaritaville's (and AZPHC's)

very own Michelle Vivian put on. Woody "The Woodeye" Joyner won the grand prize of a Margaritaville Frozen Concoction Machine one evening, and then was gracious enough to donate it back to the club for auction at Parrot Grande.

All of us were in for a very special treat one of those summer evenings, when Bob and Janissa Karwin came all the way out from San Diego to enjoy the Ray Cody show. Not only was it awesome to hang with a few of our long distance members, but Bob also sat in with Ray and Mark for an unforgettable and oh-so-fun set of Karwin originals and Buffett favorites.

The entire AZPHC will want to join me in a big "THANK YOU" to Mike Taylor and Michelle Vivian at Margaritaville for treating us all like very special guests, not only during the summer's SOS Thursdays, but every time any one of us walks through their door.

And if you'd like to catch Ray again, be sure and pay him a visit at www.raycody.com and see where he's scheduled next. C'mon. You know you want to!

Member Corner

Congratulations to:

Sonja Bolf and Steve Schroder on their marriage
September 19th.

Tracy Kenison and Scott Holt on their marriage
September 26th.

Mary Ellen Simmons on becoming a Grandma to Baby
Dawn on October 2nd

Steve Byrum has been diagnosed with cancer and will be starting chemo. Feel free to email or snail mail him wishes:

Steve Byrum, 16408 N 48th Way, Scottsdale, AZ
85254 or sbyrum@gmail.com

**Please let me know if you have any announcements you would like in future newsletters.

Welcome to our New Members!

Janissa Karwin, Bob Karwin, Burgess Raby, Susan Schauf, Paul Kerwien, Sue Holm, Aimee Buffo, Fred Buffo, Sue Csencitz, Linda Anderson, Wilford Anderson, Lewie Edwards, Michael Williams, Tom Bowman, Lora Bowman, Lori Delahunt, Betty Young, Beth Schaub, Sue Talipski



Treasurer's Report

	<u>Sep 30, 09</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
M&I Bank/ checking	13,317.50
M&I Bank/ Savings	<u>595.84</u>
Total Checking/Savings	13,913.34
Accounts Receivable	
Accounts Receivable	<u>153.00</u>
Total Accounts Receivable	<u>153.00</u>
Total Current Assets	<u>14,066.34</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>14,066.34</u></u>
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Equity	
Opening Bal Equity	14,745.95
Unrestricted Net Assets	-9,432.80
Net Income	<u>8,753.19</u>
Total Equity	<u>14,066.34</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	<u><u>14,066.34</u></u>



**Any ideas or suggestions for the newsletter?
Please send them to Tammy at**
jelloshotqueen@parrotheads.org

GROWER OLDER BUT NOT UP... PHOLKS CELEBRATING ANOTHER TRIP AROUND THE SUN THIS QUARTER



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| 7/1 Scott Cadow | 8/10 Shannon Madden |
| 7/4 Colin Markley | 8/11 Linda Myers |
| 7/8 Carol Vyrostek | 8/25 Brett Bigelow |
| 7/8 Shirley Treadway | 8/26 Bob Ludwig |
| 7/11 PJ Hankins | 8/28 Lou Eagley |
| 7/12 Bob Rohn | 8/31 Mark McGuffin |
| 7/14 Steven Pfister | 8/31 Steve Chitwood |
| 7/15 Karen Eagley | 9/5 Marisa Molinari |
| 7/16 Jim Douglas | 9/8 Sharlot Hruska |
| 7/20 Barb Young | 9/11 Kristy Gilluly |
| 7/21 Tom Hankins | 9/12 Mary Albright |
| 7/23 Mary Ellen Simmons | 9/19 Susan McNelly |
| 7/25 Millie Crane | 9/21 Julie Dudley |
| 7/27 Cindy Judge | 9/21 Phillip Myers |
| 7/29 Tina Davis | 9/26 Vivian McGuffin |
| 7/31 Wayne McGuffin | 9/29 Connie Schultejeans |
| 8/1 Patrick Dugan | |
| 8/1 Lee Reynolds | |
| 8/1 Marianne Reynolds | |
| 8/1 Lucy Dickens | |
| 8/3 Norma Mesa | |
| 8/3 Paula Masiulewicz | |
| 8/7 Donna Jandro | |
| 8/9 Scott Leeder | |

UPCOMING EVENTS!

October 24th A night at the Dog Races!
Phlocking begins around 6:30p, first race is at 7:30p. \$5 per person. At the bottom of the escalator, tell them you are with the Parrot Head club and let will let you up. Pay your \$5 fee to Tammy Bauman. Proceeds over our fee will go to Adopt a Greyhound.



****October 30th & 31st Ray Cody** will be playing at Hurricane Bar & Grill at 11340 W. Bell Rd in Surprise 623-583-7300

November 14th BOD Meeting at Tracy Holt's home 2pm

For directions to Tracy's house, email her at: PatriotGirl@parrotheads.org

November 14th Happy Hour at Greasewood Flats at 5pm
27900 N. Alma School Parkway
Scottsdale, Arizona 85262
480-585-9430
www.greasewoodflat.net

November 22nd Happy Hour at Margaritaville 2 – 5pm
On the patio.

December 5th BOD/Club Meeting/Holiday Party at the Bauman's!

BOD meeting at 3pm, Holiday party at 6pm. Club Meeting will occur after 6p.

What is provided: Pulled pork, ribs, meatballs, salsa, queso dip, plates, utensils, water, soda

What you need to bring: a side to share, your alcohol, chair, a joke for the contest and a toy for Andrea's Closet!

RSVP to the Goat & Queen at ggsjq@cox.net or 602-993-8387. We have a list of nearby hotels, let us know if you would like the list.

January 17th Rock N' Roll Marathon

Please contact Sonja (Bolf) Schroder if you would like to volunteer, help in anyway or just want information

Sonja_bolf@yahoo.com

This is a fun event, bring your friends!

****Check out where our club members may be playing:**

Ray Cody at: <http://raycody.com/>

Sam the Rocketman Rainwater at:

<http://www.samrainwater.com/music.htm>

****Denotes not an official club event, but fun all the same!**

We're always adding new events so check out

www.parrotheads.org

Check out the website, we have added more photos!

Pictures



Our own Ray Cody & Crimedog at M'Ville

Christmas in July Pics



Jello Shot Prince's creations-yum!



The winning \$10,000 ticket...not!



Nice sunset was provided also!



Thom trying not to waste any alcohol



Jaan sings with the Band!



Pool fun



Crash & Crimedog make a splash!

Parrot Grande pics



Jeff Brown leads the Laughlin Horns



8th floor jam session



Ahhh, the beverage cart!



Looking good Todd!



Peace Jon & Sarah



Goat & Queen



Barb & John – groovy



I don't think John, Crash & Thom are dressing up!



McGuffins, McGuffins & Chitwoods (sounds like a law firm!)



Dave Seaholm-Winner of 'bucket o' crap' and Midnight Putting Contest



Photos this quarter courtesy of Tammy Bauman and whoever Barb Young stole them from.

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The Arizona Parrot Head Club is a Non-Profit Corporation for people interested in Jimmy Buffett's music and tropical spirit. The Club's purpose is to assist in community outreach programs and to provide members with a means of social interaction.