The Res/Org







Happy Labor Day to our residents who are still working.

Labor Day was created by the labor movement in the late 19th century and became a federal holiday June 28, 1894 when President Grover Cleveland signed a law making the first Monday in September of each year a national holiday. Labor Day is a day set aside to pay tribute to working men and women. In fact, it was labor unions themselves that celebrated the first labor days in the United States. The original celebrations included a street parade to show the public the strength and common spirit of the trade and labor organizations, and a large picnic to provide some fun for workers and their families.

Submitted by resident Cheryl McDonald

Patriot Day - September 11 Lest Not We Forget

20th Anniversary - National Day of Service and Remembrance on 9/11 commemorates the tragic 2001 attacks on the World Trade Center and Pentagon. Many of us remember that day no matter where we were or what we were doing. Very sad day. Please honor this day and let us not forget and be thankful for all we do have.

Patriot Day on September 11th honors the memory of the nearly 3,000 innocent victims who died in the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. Each year Americans dedicate this day to remembering those who died and the first responders who risked their own lives to save others.



Come see what a great tribute Tempe has at Tempe Town Lake!

The Tempe Healing Field

What: September 11th Healing Field® Memorial

Where: Tempe Beach Park – September 9th – September 11th 2022.

Why: Honor those killed on September 11th, 2001

Very emotional to just walk around all these hundreds of flags but well worth it!

Submitted by resident Cheryl McDonald



The Res Org needs you!

The Res Org has some opportunities for you to get involved in your community.

Serve on the Board of Directors. Current opening is for a Treasurer.

Become a volunteer for the "A Little Help From My Friends" program

Be a "pit crew" member at the Golf Cart Wellness Check event

Help set-up and take down equipment at our Saturday meeting

Write an article for publication in the monthly Round Up

Make the rounds with the Birthday Brigade each Friday morning

Participate with the Author Zone and Book Clubs

Walk the track every Tuesday and Thursday with the Happy Feet group

Lend a hand to the Welcome Committee

Organize a fall/winter horseshoes league

Bring a new idea that makes our residents lives better to the board

Those of us who already serve get a great deal of satisfaction helping make

So, come on, get on board! It's a lot of fun too.

Crescent Run a better place to live. This is waiting for you too.

Les Norde



Welcome!

New Residents Organization Board Member Larry Wilwerding Member-at-large



Retired Board Members

The Residents Organization wishes

Roy McClymonds and Maureen Morin

"Happy Trails"



Thanks for a great job!

Welcome New Residents!

As the Welcome Committee Chairperson for the Residents Organization, Cheryl McDonald, I would like to personally "Welcome" all of our new residents. Each month our members try to visit each new resident, welcome them to our wonderful community, and give them a "Welcome Packet". This packet has lots of information explaining what our Residents Organization is, how to become a member, a list of board members, important Crescent Run phone numbers, and also community services you may find helpful. If you have not been greeted yet, just know we will be on our way soon. All members wear a name badge and a smile!

Hope to see you soon!

Cheryl McDonald - Welcome Committee chairperson

Stephen & Zabrina Buhaly	Lot #434	Sunland Ave
Tom & Glynda Ballinger	Lot #505	84 th Way
Rod & Carla Bustrom	Lot #147	Sunland Ave
Jerome & Marsha Hawker	Lot #4	84 th Way
Stephen & Deborah Wobosel	Lot #502	84 th Way
Daniel Thompson & Nan Diao	Lot #477	Enid Ave
Bernd & Debra Linzbach	Lot #418	84 th Place
Kathleen McGuire & Beth Kingery	Lot #127	Emerald Ave
Georgia Shaw-Holden	Lot #3	Emerald Ave
Joann Carlson	Lot #357	Hampton Ave



National Grandparents Day (Sept. 8)

The Why of Grandparents

Nothing brings more warmth than what we feel in their embrace

We know we are loved when we see a smile upon their face

They like to tell us stories of times gone by

and are always there to wipe a tear from our eye

No matter if we've come from afar

There most likely will be some cookies in their jar

They like to tease us and make us laugh,

grandparents are for knowing all the things you are dreaming of and for creating the joy in your life that will forever last!

Written by resident Midge Maddox

Staying Hydrated!

In this summer heat,

PLEASE remember to drink lots of fluids

So you DO NOT dehydrate.

We like you just the way you are!

Stay Healthy!!



Written by resident Cheryl McDonald

REMEMBER WHEN...

The Crescent Run residents were introduced to a **new program** at the August Residents Organization Meeting. The "Remember When..." program, a mix of trivia and resident participation, will initially run for three months. Sadly, the assembled residents could not answer the first set of questions having to do with the 1965 hit the "Clapping Song."

A second set of questions included a hula hoop demonstration. The responses were much better in the second round with winners receiving \$TUCKER BUCKS!

Win enough \$TUCKER BUCKS and a GRAND PRIZE awaits.



Your next opportunity for \$TUCKER BUCKS will be at the Saturday, September 3, 2022, Residents Organization Meeting.

Again, please remember that blurting out answers or using a cellphone to look up answers is strictly prohibited.

Hope to see you there!

Written by resident Don Wharff

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Clubhouse Ballroom Floor

Please help us maintain the beautiful wooden floor in our Ballroom! If you assist with setting up or taking down tables, try to remember to **NOT DRAG** the tables across the floor. This leaves scratches and sometimes indentations. Please find a partner to assist you. The Ballroom floor is buffed only once a year so let's keep it looking good.

Thank you in advance!

Written by resident Cheryl McDonald

New! Outstanding Resident Award

The Residents Organization Outstanding Resident Award is presented to those Crescent Run residents who lead



the way in making a positive impact to our great community. They always have the best interest of our residents in mind as they continually demonstrate selfless acts of service, dedication, and commitment for all residents of Crescent Run.

The Process:

Th	ne criteria for nominees under this program include two key elements:
	Individuals considered for recognition must be a resident of Crescent Run.
	Individuals must be recognized for outstanding contributions toward the betterment
	of Crescent Run through community involvement, volunteer work, and dedication
	to the community.

The **nomination process** shall include completing a Residents Organization Outstanding Resident application form. The form will provide information about the nominee and their contributions and services for the Crescent Run community.

The **completed forms** may be presented to any Residents Organization board member or can be dropped off at the monthly Residents Organization Community meeting. The Residents Organization board will review all application forms in their next Board meeting and determine the winner(s).

The Residents Organization Outstanding Resident Award **winner**(s) will be officially recognized in the next Residents Organization monthly community meeting and be presented with a certificate of appreciation.

Form is on the next page.

The Residents Organization Outstanding Resident Application Form

The form should contain information about the nominee and their contributions and services for the Crescent Run community.

Today's Date:
Nominee Name:
Nominee Lot Number:
Please list examples of Nominee's contributions and services for the Crescent Run Community.
Why should your nominee win the Outstanding Resident Award?
Your Signature:
Your Lot Number:

Written by resident Don Nolan

Bicycle Safety



Board member and road biker, Don Wharff, gave a brief presentation on bike safety at August's Resident Organization meeting. Don covered the importance of wearing a helmet, the use of riding lights, following traffic laws and paying attention to the road ahead.

A biker typically sits 6 feet in the air and a fall from that height, even when standing still, can be hazardous. Don pointed out that senior citizens are far more likely to fall getting on and off a bike than while riding down the street. Conclusion, please wear a helmet. Helmets can be purchased for around \$30.

Lights are an important part of ensuring a rider's safety. Don demonstrated use of both white (front) and red (rear) running lights. He noted that his white blinking light has saved him on more than a few occasions. People just don't look for bikers when pulling out from a side street. Don recommended that residents riding inside Crescent Run use a white front light. He joked, "Old people live in Crescent Run, and they may look for a car when backing out of driveway but not a bike!" A set of rechargeable lights can be purchased online for as little as \$16.

Vehicle traffic laws also apply to bikers. Don cautioned that if you ride outside Crescent Run, always ride on streets that have clearly marked BIKE LANES. Lastly, when signaling a turn, do so in an exaggerated way. It is important to be noticed. That is why bikers wear bright colored shirts.

Don's last comments focused on paying attention to the road ahead. Never take your eyes off the road in front of you nor to any side streets to your left and right. Inside of Crescent Run, ride on your side of the road. Again, Don emphasized that old people live here and they all think they own the whole road, especially the turns.

Stay on your side of the road and pray. Safe riding!

Written by resident Don Wharff



Doggie Shower!

Many of you may not know, but at the Dog Park on 85th Way (by lots 1-5)

A special shower is there just for the DOGS!

Easy to use and available anytime! Try it!

Written by resident Cheryl McDonald

In Honor of National Coloring Day (Sept. 14). Have fun!



Interesting Stats from 1922

The year is 1922,"One hundred years ago." What a difference a century makes!

Here are some statistics for Year 1922:

The average life expectancy for men was 47 years.

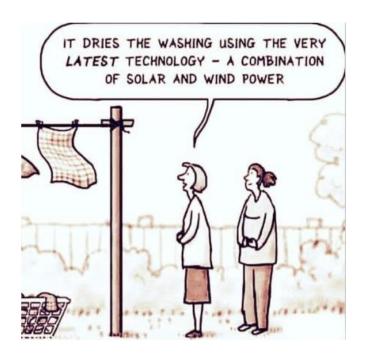
- Fuel for cars was sold in drug stores only.
- Only 14 percent of homes had a bathtub.
- Only 8 percent of homes had a telephone.
- The maximum speed limit in most cities was 10 mph.
- The tallest structure in the world was the Eiffel Tower.
- The average US wage in 1922 was 22 cents per hour.
- The average US worker made between \$200 and \$400 per year.
- A competent accountant could expect to earn \$2,000 per year.
- A dentist earned \$2,500 per year.
- A veterinarian between \$1,500 and 4,000 per year.
- And, a mechanical engineer about \$5,000 per year.
- More than 95 percent of all births took place at home
- Ninety percent of all Doctors had NO COLLEGE EDUCATION! Instead, they attended socalled medical schools, many of which were condemned in the press AND in the government as "substandard."
- Sugar cost four cents a pound.
- Eggs were fourteen cents a dozen.
- Coffee was fifteen cents a pound.
- Most women washed their hair once a month and used Borax or egg yolks for shampoo.
- Canada passed law prohibiting poor people from entering into their country for any reason.

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- The Five leading causes of death were:
 - 1. Pneumonia and influenza
 - 2. Tuberculosis
 - 3. Diarrhea
 - 4. Heart disease
 - 5. Stroke
- The American flag had 45 stars ...
- The population of Las Vegas, Nevada was only 30.
- Crossword puzzles, canned beer, and iced tea hadn't been invented yet.
- There was neither a Mother's Day nor Father's Day.
- Two out of every 10 adults couldn't read or write and, only 6 percent of all Americans had graduated from high school.
- Marijuana, heroin, and morphine were available over the counter at local drugstores.
 Back then pharmacists said: "Heroin clears the complexion, gives buoyancy to the mind, regulates the stomach, bowels, and is a perfect guardian of health!" (Shocking?)
- Eighteen percent of households had at least one full-time servant or domestic help...

There were about 230 reported murders in the ENTIRE U.S.A. Wow!

Donated by an "anonymous" resident





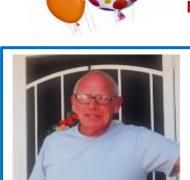


Birthday Golf Cart Brigade

Sponsored by Residents Organization



Here are some residents who were surprised this past month:



Paul Morin



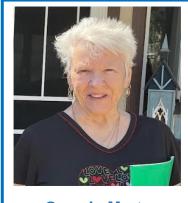
Joanne Waldrop



Linda Jones



Wilma Derks



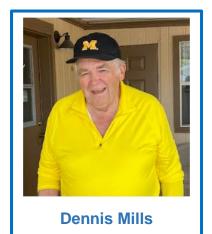
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David Grimes



Chuck Powell







Pat Petro



David Arendas



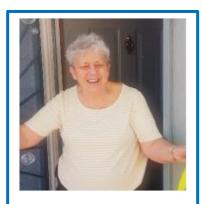
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Russ Taylor



Mary Twigg



Barbara Caffery



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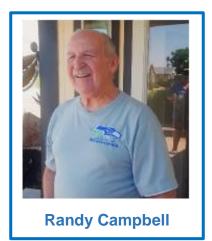
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Pat MacLean



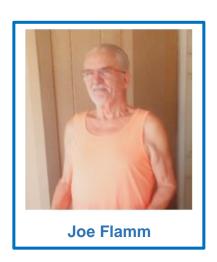












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