

Siena Style

A Monthly Newsletter of the Siena Community Association

Two Homeowner Representatives Elected to the Siena Board of Directors



Craig Hutzler



John Schewanick

On Thursday, November 29, the Siena Community Association homeowners “voted in” the first two resident Board of Directors representatives. All ballots cast were counted during the November 29th Board Meeting by four resident volunteers.

Five Candidates were running for the two positions and included Thomas Cavanaugh, Marna Rogers, and Victor Ruybalid. All persons running for the Board of Directors were excellent candidates.

The winning candidates were Craig Hutzler and John Schewanick who will begin their two-year terms in January 2002.

Craig Hutzler, born in Michigan has a BA from Michigan State and an MBA from Central Michigan and is a retired Air Force pilot and Aerospace Executive. He served on a California Association Board of Directors as the Vice-President and President for 2 1/2 years. He understands compliance issues in regards to the CC & R's and has been volunteering with the Design Review Committee.

John Schewanick is a 25-year Nevada resident with a BA in criminal justice and a BS in Electronic Engineering. He was a Manager for Security/Safety/Risk Management for Sprint. He has served on three different association boards in two states the largest being 3,000 homes. John also volunteers his time to the Design Review Committee.

Congratulations to you both!

Golf Clubhouse Beam Signing

On Saturday, November 10, homeowners and guests were invited to a Beam Signing for the new Golf Clubhouse. This day



Ginny Ade smiles big after signing the beam of the Golf Clubhouse.



John Zielinski gets ready to sign the beam.

also included Demo Day where everyone got to try out the newest golf equipment technology. Food and music and a Clubhouse Dedication were also part of this event.

The Golf Clubhouse, which is slated to open in Spring of 2002, will feature a full service restaurant, pro shop and cart facility.

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A Summerlin Village,
Las Vegas, Nevada

Dear Residents



A year ago we had just opened the Siena Social and Fitness Center. While these buildings marked a milestone in the growth of Siena, this January brings a completely different milestone. Siena is welcoming its first resident Board members; Craig Hutzler and John Schewanick. Mr. Hutzler and Mr. Schewanick bring a lot of personal and professional experience to the table and I am sure will bring stable guidance to our community leadership effort. Volunteerism is one of the key elements to success in community's like Siena and all the candidates for the Board are to be congratulated for putting their valuable time on the line. Congratulations Craig and John.

The community buildings have seen a lot of action over the previous 12 months. We have gone from a few people using the

Fitness Center each day to over 100 visits per day. We have active pool users, a thriving Bocce Club, the Tennis Club has just been founded, the various aerobic room classes are starting to take off, the water aerobics group has outstanding attendance.

We have also taken over the first phase of streets. The streets in unit 1A, including Riva De Fiore and Mandarinino, have had the final repair and restoration done on them and the final resurfacing is complete. Construction is complete in these areas and now the maintenance responsibility for the streets rests with the Community Association.

It is important for the communication between the residents and our staff to be frequent and complete. While it is almost impossible to meet each one of you and spend significant, quality time together during the work day, I do find it very satisfying to read the comments people give to us on a daily basis in the form of our resident comment form. The Association management team uses these forms to gauge the quality and quantity of events we offer and to monitor the quality of the facilities. Therefore, I encourage you all to take time and give us feedback, both good and bad, on your experience using any of the community's facilities or events.

Happy New Year! Enjoy your fresh start!

John Holden

General Manager

Siena Welcomes New Homeowners

The Siena Community Association, in conjunction with the Resident Welcome Committee, invite you to an informative "Welcome to Siena" presentation. This presentation will include information on the association, fitness and social centers, community standards and customer service.

If you have closed your house within the last 30 days, we hope you will join us on Wednesday, January 16th at 5:30pm in the Social Center. Refreshments will be served.

Siena Web Site

If you would like to access the Homeowner Only web site, please go to www.sienavillage.com and click on the "Residents Only" button. Type in your member number only (do not type in the letter that comes after your member number i.e. A, B) and then enter your password, which is the first letter of the primary members first name and your entire last name. Please Note: The primary member is usually the member with the "A" on their card. Type your password in all lowercase letters.



Siena Social Center
4405 Fiore Bella Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV 89135
838-3994

Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday
8:00am-10:00pm

Saturday
9:00am-10:00pm

Sunday
12:00pm-5:00pm

Staff

John Holden
General Manager

Marilyn Kerney
Administrative Assistant

Kristyne Blake
Activities Manager

Melanie Dykins
Activities Assistant

Wayne Ireland
Health & Fitness Manager

Tammy Kelley
Community Standards Manager

Todd Boshart
Maintenance Manager

Diane Carter
Controller

Restaurant Hours

7:00am-5:00pm

Grille Hours*

Monday-Thursday

8:00am-4:00pm

Friday-Sunday

7:00am-4:00pm

*Sandwiches and Beverages are available from 4:00pm-5:00pm

Golf Club Reservations



As our New Year is upon us, we are undergoing some changes in our appearance and in our operation. Homeowners are a valuable part of our operation and our relationship with this community. We look forward to another year of developing wonderful relationships with all of you.

There have been some changes in policy at Siena Golf Club with reference to homeowner golf starting reservations. It has become necessary to make sure that all homeowners receive a confirmation number when making a golf reservation. Please help us make sure that you get the golf reservation time that you request by waiting for a confirmation number before leaving the golf shop.

The matter of no-shows and late cancellations has become a serious problem for Siena Golf Club from all players including homeowner golfers. As of December 1, 2001, we put in place a policy for all golfers regarding these late cancellations and no-shows. The policy reads as follows:

All players are required to cancel any starting reservation at least 48 hours before that starting reservation. Failure to cancel in the prescribed time will result in the player being responsible for the charges for those times. Additionally, each player shall provide a valid credit card as back up for the golf reservation. No golf reservation will be accepted without a valid credit card.

Siena Golf Club has changed guest rates for homeowner guests effective January, 1, 2002. The rates will be \$60 Monday through Thursday, \$65 Friday through Sunday. Twilight rates are \$45 Monday through Thursday and \$50 Friday through Sunday.

These policy guidelines will, hopefully, allow us to provide the kind of service to our homeowners and other guests that they deserve. Should you have any questions please call me at 341-9200.

Barry Walburn
Siena Golf Club

Board Meeting Reminder

The next regularly scheduled Board of Directors Meeting for the Siena Community Association will be Wednesday, February 13 at 6:00pm in the Siena Social Center Ballroom. We will be taking resident comments during the first part of the meeting and conducting association business thereafter. The agenda will be posted 10 days in advance in the Social Center.

Community Standards Corner



Walk-in Hours are: Monday and Friday 1:00pm-4:00pm, Tuesday and Wednesday 9:00am-12:00pm. If you need to meet at another time, please call for an appointment.

The Design Guidelines have been revised and each of you will receive the modified pages by mail. If you require a full new set of Design Guidelines, copies are available at Community Standards and the Social Center for \$5.00.

One of the changes in the guidelines is that as of January 1, 2002, the Design Review Committee is requiring fees for the review of submitted plans in accordance with the following schedule: (All fees are due prior to the review of any submitted plan).

Category I - \$0

Accessories
BBQ (Portable)
Flagpole Holder
Landscape (below 20 plants)
Lighting
Mailbox
Patio Furniture
Screen Door
Security Door
Solar Screens
Satellite Dish
Window Tinting

Category II - \$25

Awnings
BBQ (Built-in)
Concrete
Fountain
Landscape Modification (above 20 plants)
Gate
Patio Cover
Solar Panels
Spa (Above Ground)
Wall
Windows

Category III - \$50

Bay Window
Greenhouse Windows
Landscape Easement
Ramada/Gazebo
Spa (In ground)
Villas (Rear yards)

Category IV - \$75

Fence
Pool

Category V - \$100

Initial Landscape
Patio Enclosure
Room Addition

* If you have multiple specific categories being submitted for approval, only the the highest category fee will be assessed to your submittal. You will not be assessed multiple fees.

* For items not listed and submitted at a later date, the DRC may charge a reasonable fee depending on the nature of the request.

Just as a reminder, all your beautiful holiday exterior accessories including colored lighting will need to be removed by January 15, 2002.

If you have any questions, about any of the topics discussed or have suggestions of new topics, please feel free to contact the Community Standards Office at 562-0810.

Tammy Kelley
Community Standards Manager



Special Interest Group Announcements

Air Force Mah Jongg

Join us for a fun game of Air Force Mah Jongg on Thursday evenings from 6:00pm-9:45pm.

Bridge

Calling all Siena Bridge Players! Daytime, evening couples or singles. Party style or duplicate! Contact Lois Burns at 240-4201 or Bobby Pensler 242-3313 and let them know what times are good for you. All levels are welcome!

Bocce Club- Official Chartered Club

It was decided that Bocce will now play on Thursdays at 1:00pm with adjustments made for weather. If you have never played Bocce or would like to learn, come join us and have a fun time every Monday. For additional information, call Eric at 243-9533.

Book Club

The book for the January 4th meeting will be Road Song by Natalie Kusz. Please come prepared to discuss this book. We will meet at the Social Center at 1:00pm on January 4th. Please contact Vivian Dreyfuss at 255-1185 or Suellen Levy at 304-1040 if you have any questions.

Computer Club-Official Chartered Club

Club Elections will be held on Wednesday, January 9, at 7:00pm in the Social Center. If you are interested in becoming a club officer, sign-up sheets are available in the Computer Lab. It is requested that Siena Association members update their e-mail addresses with the computer club and in the Siena Phone Book by filling out a revision form at the Social Center front desk. George Roberts and Charlie Lichtenstein are running a help clinic every Friday at 1:00pm in the computer lab. If you have a problem with your computer they are there to help you.

Beginning Mah Jongg

Haven't played in a while? Always wanted to learn? Friendly, non-threatening atmosphere. Men and Women Welcome. We play on Tuesday at 2:00pm in the Card Room at the Social Center. Come join us!

Men's Golf Club-Official Chartered Club

Come Join!! We play every Tuesday at 8:00am. Membership is restricted to Siena Residents. If you do not have a current U.S.G.A handicap index you can apply for one through the Siena Golf Shop. Please be ready to play 30 minutes before the first tee time. Annual Membership dues are \$30.00. Call John Zielinski at 242-2167 or Jerry Cherson at 243-7688 for more information.

Pan

New Pan games forming on Friday at 12:30pm and Sundays at 12:00pm in the Social Center. Please come join us, we guarantee a spot for you!

Scrabble

Join your neighbors (and meet some new ones) over some friendly Scrabble games Friday afternoons starting at 1:00pm at the Social Center Card Room.

Siena Sew & Sews

Start off the new year by having some fun and meeting new people. The Siena Sew & Sews meets every Monday at 9:00am in the Sewing Room at the Social Center. Each month a new sewing or craft project will be introduced. This month's project is a fleece jacket. Hope to see you there! We will be offering a "denim" quilt class in March. If you have any old jeans that you care to donate for this project, please bring them to the Social Center, Sewing Room. Each person who donates jeans will be automatically entered in a raffle for a finished quilt.

Siena Sharps & Flats Organ Club-Official Chartered Club

Our mixer this month will be held on January 3rd at 7:00pm in the Social Center. This month we will be playing music from the "Roarin' 20's". All residents are invited to come and listen to our accomplishments. Music lessons are given for all levels at the Social Center every Friday, beginning at 11:00am. Lesson books are \$9.95 which covers 10 weeks of lessons. The lessons are given at no charge. If you have any questions, please call Bev Schewanick 838-7774.

Siena Sunshine Club-Official Chartered Club

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, January 8 at 2:00pm. Our Club Elections will be on Tuesday February 12 at 2:00pm. Meeting: Discussion of committees and rules also signing of waivers for Siena by Volunteers. For further information, please contact any of the following residents: Rosalie Cavanaugh at 656-8765, Vivian Dreyfuss at 255-1185 or Sandy Hurst at 363-3625.

Ski Club

Is anyone interested in small group driving ski trips to Brian Head, Salt Lake or Mammoth Mountain? Call Craig at 616-3532.

Solo Club

The next meeting of the Solo's Club will be Tuesday, January 15th at 6:00pm. All solo's welcome.

Tennis Club - Official Chartered Club

The Tennis Club will be holding their club elections on Tuesday, February 5th at 7:00pm in the Social Center.

Theater Group

January 10th at 6:00pm is our next meeting and everyone is welcome! All positions open. Come have fun with us and discover your hidden talent. For more information call Faith at 256-3001.

Travel Club

Travel Group Forming. All those interested, please meet on Monday, January 14 at 7:00pm in the Social Center. Please call Marlene Heller for details 228-9128.

Schedule of Classes January 2002

Sewing Project - Americana Wall Hanging - Tuesday, January 8, 15, 22 & 29th from 9:00am-11:00am

This month's project will be an Americana wall hanging, which can also be used as a table topper. Join us for this simple project! This four-week course is perfectly designed for all skill levels. As always we will review basic terms and skills of sewing. A list of supplies you will need to bring with you to class will be available at the time you sign up.

Cost: \$15.00 per person

Location: Sewing Room, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Tuesday, January 1st. Class is limited to 8 participants.



Basic Computers - Monday, January 14, 21 & 28th from 1:00pm - 2:30pm

This three-week course will cover the basics of how to navigate Microsoft Word. Topics will include how to properly turn on/off the computer, save a document, use tabs and tables, use different fonts, name a document, navigate a mouse, use graphics and word art.

Cost: \$11.00 per person

Location: Computer Lab, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Monday, January 7th. Class is limited to 10 participants.

Intermediate Computer Class - Tuesday, January 8, 15, 22 & 29th from 7:00pm - 8:00pm

During this four-week program you will view the basic operation system of Windows, learn how to collect and paste information between Microsoft Word and Excel, and create spreadsheets in Excel. Also, view Microsoft Outlook, which will help you manage your time and communication, as well as compose and retrieve e-mail messages. Lastly, learn to navigate the Internet.

Cost: \$25.00 per person.

Location: Computer Lab, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Monday, December 24th. Class is limited to 10 participants.

Beginning Salsa - Friday, January 4, 11, 18 & 25th from 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Join Renee Lesink, who has been teaching line dancing for the past 25 years, for fun and easy salsa lessons. This four-week course teaches the fundamentals and basic steps of salsa, also known as salsaerobics, and is perfect for singles or couples. Classes will progress along with everyone's skill level. Please wear comfortable clothing and shoes.

Cost: \$20.00 per person.

Location: Ballroom, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Wednesday, December 26th. Class is limited to 25 participants.

Basic Self-Defense - Wednesday, January 9, 16, 23, 30, February 6 & 13th from 11:00am -12:00pm

Both men and women need to learn self-defense in case of an emergency. Paul Stahulak, who has been teaching self-defense for 38 years, will conduct a six-week course, which will cover the basic techniques and tools you need to protect yourself. It will also teach you what to do if you get grabbed from behind, in front and/or if someone grabs your purse or wallet. Would you freeze up in an emergency? This class will make sure you do everything you can to safely protect yourself and your loved ones.

Cost: \$21.00 per person.

Location: Ballroom, Social Center

RSVP deadline Wednesday, January 2nd. Minimum 5, maximum 20 participants.



55 Alive - Thursday, January 24th & Friday, January 25th from 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

AARP's 55 Alive Drive Safety Program is the nation's first and largest classroom driver improvement course specially designed for motorists age 50 and older. This course helps drivers refine existing skills and develop safe, defensive driving techniques. Upon successful completion, graduates may be eligible to receive a multi-year discount their auto insurance premiums.

Cost: \$10.00 per person (make check out to AARP, which will be collected by the instructor).

Location: Ballroom, Social Center.

RSVP deadline is Thursday, January 17th. Class is limited to 24 participants.

All prices listed above are the cost for the entire course and not a per class cost. You may sign up for any of these classes at the Siena Social Center. Payment must be received at the time you register.

Schedule of Classes February 2002

Sewing Project - Sweetheart Block Quilt - Tuesday, February 5, 12, 19 and 26th from 9:00am to 11:00am

This month's project will be a sweetheart block quilt. Join us for this fun and different project! This four-week course is perfectly designed for all skill levels. We will review basic terms and skills of sewing. A list of supplies you will need to bring with you to class will be available at the time you sign up.

Cost: \$15.00 per person

Location: Sewing Room, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Tuesday, January 29th. Class is limited to 8 participants.



Basic Computers - Monday, February 4, 11 & 18th from 1:00pm to 2:30pm

This three-week course will cover the basics of how to navigate Microsoft Word. Topics will include how to properly turn on/off the computer, save a document, use tabs and tables, use different fonts, name a document, navigate a mouse, use graphics and word art.

Cost: \$11.00 per person

Location: Computer Lab, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Monday, January 28th. Class is limited to 10 participants.

Intermediate Computer Class - Tuesday, February 5, 12, 19 & 26th from 7:00pm - 8:00pm

During this four-week program you will view the basic operation system of Windows, learn how to collect and paste information between Microsoft Word and Excel, and create spreadsheets in Excel. Also, view Microsoft Outlook, which will help you manage your time and communication, as well as compose and retrieve e-mail messages. Lastly, learn to navigate the Internet.

Cost: \$25.00 per person

Location: Computer Lab, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Tuesday, January 22nd. Class is limited to 10 participants.



Custom Computer Card Making - Wednesday, February 20th from 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Impress your friends and neighbors! In this easy three-hour class you will learn how to make your very own greeting cards. Utilizing basic computer techniques with clip art, you can create personalized cards for any and all occasions. All supplies will be provided.

Cost: \$3.00 per person

Location: Computer Lab, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Wednesday, February 13th. Class is limited to 15 participants.

Material Card Making - Wednesday, February 27th from 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Have you ever wanted to make your own greeting cards? You will learn how to create personalized, homemade greeting cards using material and heat and bond in this easy three-hour class. Students will make all-occasion cards and materials will be provided - just bring your own pair of manicure scissors!

Cost: \$3.00 per person

Location: Computer Lab, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Wednesday, February 20th. Class is limited to 15 participants.

Beginning Line Dancing - Friday, February 1, 8, 15 & 22nd from 6:30pm - 8:30pm

Join Chiu La Masters, a dancing instructor with over 15 years experience, as this four-week course teaches the fundamentals and basic steps of country line dancing and is sure to be perfect for singles or couples. Classes will progress along with everyone's skill level. Please wear comfortable clothing and shoes.

Cost: \$12.00 per person

Location: Social Center Ballroom

RSVP deadline is Friday, January 25th. Class is limited to 20 participants.



Latin Dance Lessons - Monday, February 4, 11, 18 & 25th from 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Let's Dance, a Miami-based professional dance studio that's been in business for more than 13 years, is offering Latin dance lessons. This four-week course will cover such dances as the cha cha, salsa, rumba, marenque, and samba. Beginners are welcome! Take advantage of this great opportunity to become skilled in some of the hottest dances for your Mexican cruise or night out on the town.

Cost: \$40.00 per person

Location: Ballroom, Social Center

RSVP deadline is Monday, January 28th. Class is limited to 20 participants.

All prices listed above are the cost for the entire course and not a per class cost. You may sign up for any of these classes at the Siena Social Center. Payment must be received at the time you register.

January 2002 - Signature Events

Saturday, January 5th - Let's Dance Party

Let's Dance, a professional dance studio based out of Miami that's been in business for more than 13 years, would like to invite you to a special dance event. At 7:30pm in the Social Center Ballroom there will be a "meet the cast"/cocktail hour where you can meet and mingle with the performers. At 8:00pm the show begins. You will experience a showcase of the latest ballroom, Latin, and swing. Immediately following the show there will be a mini-dance lesson, and the dancers will show us how to do some of their expert moves. There will be exciting giveaways throughout the night, so don't miss it! Cost: Free. A cash bar will be available. RSVP deadline is Friday, December 28th. Space is limited to 96 participants.

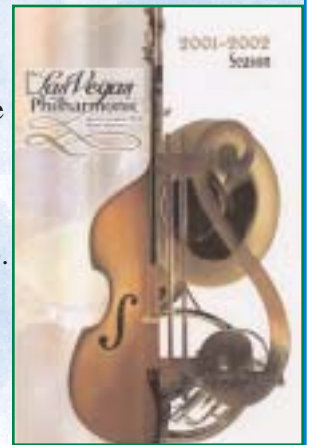


Wednesday, January 9th - Guggenheim Museum at the Venetian

Join us for a special guided tour of "Masterpieces and Master Collectors" at the new Guggenheim Hermitage Museum at the Venetian. This inaugural exhibition presents a selection of 45 masterpieces that highlight the distinct strengths of these two world-renowned collections, featuring key examples of Impressionism, Post-Impressionism and early Modernism, including paintings by Cézanne, Chagall, Kandinsky, Matisse, Monet, Picasso, Renoir and van Gogh. After the tour you are free to explore the casino, have lunch, check out the Grand Canal Shoppes, whatever you like! Buses will pick up residents at 10:00am and will return at 3:30pm. Cost: \$15.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Wednesday, January 2nd. Space is limited to 20 participants.

Sunday, January 13th - Las Vegas Philharmonic

Richard McGee, Associate Conductor of the Las Vegas Philharmonic, presents "The Family's Guide to the Orchestra". With a special celebrity narrator you will hear music from such great composers as John Williams (Superman), Hans Zimmer (Gladiator), Gustav Holst (Mars), and Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky (Capriccio Italien). Buses will pick up residents at 1:00pm (the show starts at 2:00pm), at Artemus W. Ham Hall at UNLV, and will return after the show (approximately 5:00pm). Cost: \$20.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Friday, January 4th. Space is limited to 20 participants.



Friday, January 18th - Las Vegas Ski Resort

Calling all snowbirds! Get out those skis and accompany us to Lee Canyon at Mount Charleston for an afternoon of downhill skiing. Nestled high in the Spring Mountain Range just 45 minutes from town, embrace the scenic wonders of nature amidst the beautiful pines of the Toiyabe National Forest. Buses will pick up residents at 11:00am at the Social Center, and upon arriving at the resort will be served a lunch of your choice of hot dog, hamburger, or chicken sandwich, with side dish, chips, and soft drink, on a private deck overlooking the ski lifts. After lunch, we will enjoy an afternoon of skiing, and will return to Siena around 5:00pm. Bring your own skis, or rent them at the resort for just \$11.00. Ski bibs and jackets are also available for rent. Cost: \$40.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Friday, January 11th. Space is limited to 20 participants.



Tuesday, January 29th - Review Journal Tour

Stop the presses! On Tuesday, January 29th buses will pick up residents at 9:15am at the Social Center and transport you to the Las Vegas Review Journal, where we will be getting a private behind-the-scenes tour of their newest presses! This one-hour tour will go over how the newspaper functions from writing to delivery! Cost: \$7.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Tuesday, January 22nd. Space is limited to 20 participants.

**You may sign up for any of these events at the Siena Social Center.
Payment must be received at the time you make the reservation.**

February 2002 - Signature Events

Friday, February 1st - Scintas at the Rio

The Scintas, a highly energetic and entertaining variety act, presents a unique and diverse blend of music, comedy and impressions in a classic cabaret-style presentation. The musical foursome takes to the stage at the Rio with everything from music to impersonations to a five-minute version of "The Wizard of Oz". Join us for some good old-fashioned Las Vegas-style entertainment. Buses will pick up residents at 5:30pm to give everyone enough time to have dinner, shop or try their luck on the slots before the show starts at 8:00pm, and we will return immediately after the show, around 11:00pm. Cost: \$44.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Friday, January 25th. Space is limited to 20 participants.



Sunday, February 3rd - Superbowl Party

ARE YOU READY FOR SOME FOOTBALL? Watch your favorite team play in the biggest game of the year on two big screen TVs in the Social Center. Pre-game festivities begin at 2:30pm and kick off is at 3:00pm. Enjoy a SUPER buffet featuring assorted snacks, make-your-own deli sandwiches, hot dogs, assorted desserts, beer and a variety of soft drinks in the Social Center Ballroom. A cash bar will be available. Cost: \$20.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Monday, January 28th. Space is limited to 96 participants.



Friday, February 8th - Mount Charleston Pink Jeep Tour

Prepare yourself for an exhilarating adventure on a road less traveled as we explore beautiful Mount Charleston. This exciting tour takes you through the Toiyabe National Forest, where we will stop at the Mount Charleston Lodge, nestled amid a forest of ponderosa pines. Views of the jagged, towering cliffs, encompassed by the fir, spruce and aspen trees make this the perfect photo opportunity, and the perfect place to have lunch (not included). Descending through Kyle Canyon, we will venture off the highway for an excursion through the desert that exposes the true natural beauty of this one-of-a-kind region. The luxurious hot pink jeeps and suburbans will pick up residents at the Social Center at 8:00am, and will return around 2:00pm. Cost: \$60.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Thursday, January 31st. Space is limited to 20 participants.

Saturday, February 16th - Valentine's Day Dance

Cupid's arrow has once again struck Siena! Join us for a romantic evening with your sweetie on Saturday, February 16th from 6:00pm - 9:30pm in the Social Center Ballroom. Feast on a four-course meal including fresh spinach salad with bacon bits and bleu cheese crumbles, roast Cornish game hen with mushroom and wild rice stuffing, fresh asparagus with hollandaise sauce and chocolate grand marnier cake for dessert. Don't forget those dancing shoes, as we also have a live band. A cash bar will be available. Cost: \$30.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Thursday, February 7th. Space is limited to 96 participants.

Tuesday, February 19th - Yucca Mountain Tour

What is the Yucca Mountain Project we've been hearing so much about in the news? The project involves extensive scientific study on Yucca Mountain's geology, hydrology, biology, and climate. If found suitable, Yucca Mountain could be part of the nation's first long-term solution to a compelling environmental problem, spent nuclear fuel and high-level radioactive waste. We will be taken through the underground tunnels by train and learn what the scientists are discovering. A boxed lunch (croissant sandwich, piece of fruit, pie, salad and soft drink) will be served. Due to security crossing the test site gate, there is extra information we must provide and you must be a U.S. citizen to attend this tour. Please fill out a form when you sign up. Since we will be riding underground in rocky terrain, you are required to wear long pants, sturdy leather shoes and long sleeves. Buses will pick up residents at the Social Center at 7:00am, and will return around 4:00pm. Cost: \$9.00 per person. RSVP deadline is Tuesday, February 5th. Space is limited to 50 participants.



**You may sign up for any of these events at the Siena Social Center.
Payment must be received at the time you make the reservation.**

Game Schedule

Please note the Game schedule below at the Siena Social Center. All residents are welcome to play any game...just show up the day of the game that you want to play and you will be included! If you have any questions, or would like to see another game added, please contact Kristyne Blake at 838-3994.

Every Monday:

Canasta	1:00pm-4:00pm
Pan	12:00pm-4:00pm

Every Tuesday:

Beginning Mah Jongg	1:00pm-4:30pm
Pan	6:30pm-9:45pm
Dominoes	6:30pm-9:30pm

Every Wednesday:

Bridge	1:00pm-4:00pm
Mah Jongg	12:30pm-4:00pm

2nd & 4th Wednesday:

Pan	11:30am-3:30pm
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Every Thursday:

Mah Jongg	6:30pm-9:30pm
Pan	11:00am-3:00pm
Air Force Mah Jongg	6:00pm-9:45pm

Every Friday:

Scrabble	1:00pm-4:00pm
Pinochle	6:00pm-9:00pm
Mah Jongg	12:30pm-4:00pm



Lending Library

A lending library has been placed in the ceramics room in the Social Center and is currently looking for donations. If you would like to donate your books, please bring them to the Social Center and put them on the shelves provided. We do ask that you do not bring any reference material such as encyclopedias, as our

library is too small to accommodate these items. Any resident may "check out" a book as we are working on the honor system.



A Free Ride

The **Suncoast** Casino will be picking up residents on Thursdays at the Social Center at 11:30am and transporting them to the Suncoast. Buses will leave the Suncoast at 5:00pm to transport residents back to Siena. If you ride their bus three times you get a free buffet coupon! No sign up necessary.

The **Palms** Casino will be picking up residents on Tuesdays at the Social Center at 10:00am and transporting them to the Palms. Buses will leave the Palms at 2:00pm to transport residents back to Siena. No sign up necessary.

Signature Events



Homeowners toast the Siena Lifestyle at the Thanksgiving Feast



Thanksgiving "Siena" style



Good food, friends and music were all a part of the Thanksgiving Celebration



Residents get their cookies ready at the Holiday Cookie Exchange



Everyone picks out their cookies to take home

Health & Fitness News

Fitness Center Hours

Monday-Sunday
6:00am-9:00pm

Fitness Center Phone Number is 360-1944

January 2002 Classes

Equipment Orientation Classes-

This class will introduce residents to the policies and procedures of the Fitness Center. Cardiovascular and strength training equipment will be discussed and demonstrated. Please wear closed-toes shoes. Sign up at the fitness center. Class is free. Minimum 5; Maximum 10. Sessions will be held:

Session A- Wednesday January 9, 10:00am -11:00am

Session B- Tuesday January 15, 10:00am - 11:00am

Session C- Friday January 18, 1:00pm - 2:00pm



Walking Group- We will start our walk at the Siena Fitness Center and continue through the Community. Walks will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 7:00am. Residents will meet at the Fitness Center, stretch with a fitness staff member and then follow the staff member on a two-mile walk. Sign up at the front desk of the fitness center. First walk of the year will be January 3. All walks are free.

Tennis Ball Machine- Every Tuesday and Thursday for the month of January from 8:00am to 11:00am.

CPR Class- Have you ever wanted to learn CPR (Cardio-pulmonary Resuscitation). A CPR class will be held on Wednesday, January 16th from 12:00pm to 4:30pm at the Wellness Center. Class will be \$30.00 per person. Checks must be made out to Sally Puskcar. Sign up at the front desk before January 14th.

Golf Conditioning Class- Join us at the Siena Fitness Center as we strengthen our sport specific golf muscles. This class will help prevent injuries in the abdominal, back and hamstrings. We will be concentrating on flexibility in the torso and hamstrings. The class will last for 12 sessions, 45 minutes a session. Starting on Friday January 18th at 7:15am the class will run continuously on every Monday, Wednesday and Friday until Wednesday February 13th. Class is \$10.00 and you can sign up at the front desk of the Fitness Center before January 10th.

Personal Training- Siena has personal trainers available for your fitness needs. Health by Choice, Body by Design is a

personal training business that will help design and implement an exercise program depending on your health goals. If you are looking for an individual trainer or have any questions, call 243-8900.

Nutrition Exchange Group- The Siena nutrition group meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month. This month's meeting will be on January 17th at 11:00am in the Wellness Center, and we will be discussing the basics of healthy eating. Some upcoming items of discussions will be handling stress as you retire, sensible eating habits, reading food labels, good fats and bad fats, freezing tips, cooking for two, and shopping for nutritious meals, Please sign up at the fitness center. Class is free.

New Year's Resolutions and Personal Training - The number one resolution every year is to lose weight. Wayne Ireland can help you achieve this goal as he starts taking on personal training clients. He will design a tailor made exercise program depending on your health goals and needs. Wayne is certified by the American College of Sports Medicine as a Health and Fitness Instructor. If you would like to start personal training, call the front desk at 360-1944

Fitness Center Rules

1. Residents must present Membership cards upon entering facility.
2. To use a treadmill, sign-up with the front desk staff.
3. To use a lap lane in the pool, sign-up with the front desk staff.
4. Make sure you shower before entering the pool or spa, this is a Nevada State law.
5. Proper dress is required when using the Fitness Center. Sandals may be worn only in the pool areas. Jean shorts are not appropriate in the Fitness center. No tee shirts are allowed in the pool unless you present a physician's note.
6. Wipe off exercise equipment with a towel when you are finished.
7. To use tennis courts, reserve times by phone after 7:00am or in person at the Fitness Center 48 hours in advance.
8. There is a \$5.00 charge for lost towels and/or keys.
9. Children's pool hours will be from 1:00pm-4:00pm. Oversized inflatable or flotation devices are not permitted.
10. Smoking is prohibited in all Association facilities.
11. A resident must accompany guests under the age of 19 at all times. Guest passes must be produced when checking a guest in.



Regularly Scheduled Classes

Water aerobics- This is a fun and exciting water class that combines muscle toning and cardiovascular fitness.

Aerobics- This is an easy to moderate level fitness class that will combine cardiovascular training and muscle toning. This class will begin with a warm-up, cardiovascular training, cool down and stretch.

Yoga- This class is excellent for total fitness, combining strength, stamina and flexibility. It is designed to improve wellness by using positions that accentuate these components.

Tai Chi- This class involves meditative exercise for the body. Tai chi offers a calm and tranquil mind, balance, alignment, motor control and rhythm of movement.

Water/Land/Tai Chi/Aerobic classes- Tickets may be purchased at the front desk for \$30.00 (\$3.00 per class). One Ticket has 10 classes on it; classes are one hour classes. When the ticket is completed, you may purchase another ticket at the front desk.



Wellness Center



Siena is in partnership with Summerlin Hospital Medical Center and their Senior Advantage Program. The Wellness Center's current hours of operation are from 8:00am- 11:30am, Mondays and Fridays.

- Blood pressure Screenings will be offered every Friday from 9:00am-10:00am
- Medicare Counseling will be available every Monday by appointment, a Medicare Certified Counselor.
- Health Screenings of various types will be scheduled on the 4th Monday of every month and the second Tuesday of each month. Local physicians will conduct these seminars.
- The Wellness Center also has a video learning library stocked with health-related videos as well as medical literature and reference books. For more information, please contact, Summerlin Hospital's Senior Coordinator at 233-7540.

Your Aging Eyes- Poor eyesight is not inevitable with age. Some physical changes occur during the normal aging process that can cause a gradual decline in vision, but most older people retain good eyesight into their 80's and beyond. Join Dr. Ronald Dutton from Clear Vision Eye Centers on Tuesday January 15th at 7:00pm. He will be speaking about your aging eyes and what is happening to them. Refreshments will be served. The lecture is free and will be held at the Wellness Center. Please sign up at the front desk of the fitness center.

Glaucoma Screening- Join Dr. Ronald Dutton from Clear Vision Eye Centers, he will be performing free glaucoma screenings on Monday January 28th at 9:00am. He will be doing the screenings at the Wellness Center. Please sign up at the front desk.

Dental Implants- We welcome you to attend a free seminar presented by Dr. James J. White on Thursday January 17th from 7:00pm -9:00pm. Dr. White will discuss dental rejuvenation and dental implants. Get the information you deserve to give you what you want from a top dentist with over 25 years experience. Life is just beginning! Please sign up at the front desk of the fitness center before January 14th. Class is free.

Have a Happy and Healthy New Year!

We would like to ask, for the safety of all residents and guests, that you close the steamroom and shower doors after use. Also, when using the rest room areas after showering, please make sure you dry off, because leaving a standing puddle of water can cause safety issues. With the New Year here, we should all have healthy start!



Indoor Pool Schedule

Children Pool Hours	Every Day	1:00pm-4:00pm
Wateraerobics	Mon, Wed, Fri	9:30am-10:30am
Wateraerobics	Tues, Thurs	7:00pm-8:00pm

Aerobics Room Schedule

Aerobics	Mon, Wed	8:00am-9:00am
Yoga	Tues, Thurs, Sat	9:00am-10:00am
Table Tennis	Wed, Fri	2:00pm-4:00pm (open play)
Table Tennis	Sun	9:00am-12:00pm (open play)
Tai Chi	Mon, Thurs	6:15pm-7:15pm
Tai Chi	Mon, Thurs	2:00pm-3:00pm

* The outdoor pool will re-open March 15th.

Destination Siena Salon Spa

Massage Therapist- Jill Eisnor is looking forward to meeting you and is now offering massage services 6 days a week by appointment. Jill has Wednesdays off.

Hairdresser- Peter Kim is looking forward to meeting you and specializes in haircuts and color. Call for an appointment at our Salon, Thursday through Saturday 9:00am -5:00pm. Kathy Kim is also looking forward to meeting and specializes in makeup, facial massgae, color and haircuts. Call for an appointment, Kathy will work Tuesday and Wednesday from 9:30am-5:00pm.

Manicurist/Pedicurist- Stephanie Mitchell is looking forward to meeting you and is now offering nail services. Her hours are: Thursday (10:30am- 3:00pm), Friday (10:30am - 3:00pm), Saturday (10:30am - 4:00pm).



Resident Classified Ads

Window Cleaning. Call Jim 838-4783. Siena Resident.

Gerald L. Gersten, First Vice-President- Investments

Financial Consultant. Siena Resident.

Salomon Smith Barney, A member of Citigroup.

1645 Village Center #80 562-1100

House Cleaning, House Sitting

Call Linda, Siena Resident 240-3643.

GE Financial Assurance

Long Term care Call Jerry McElroy,

Siena Resident 869-9903.

Lewis Stadtmauer, Tax Preparation

Rainbow Tax Svc. Call 873-1040.

Mary Kay Cosmetics and Gifts

Call Annette Gelhaar 341-8758 or 595-6633.

Any Electrical jobs, Fans, yard outlets etc.

Call Joe 896-6639, Lic # 51879 Res. Son.

Arthur J. Icke EA Income Tax Prep,

Tax Planning, TQ Long Term Ins.,

Call Art 251-9333, Siena Resident

6985 W. Sahara Ave Ste 205.

If you want to advertise your items for sale you will need to fill out a form which you can obtain in the Siena Community Association offices. All forms must be submitted by the 8th of the month to be included in the following month's newsletter. The charge for this service is \$2.00 per line (a line consists of 16 characters). Please Note: The Siena Community Association retains the right to edit all submittals.



Have You Registered Your Vehicle?

The Siena Community Association, in conjunction with Siena Security, would like to remind all

homeowners that you must have all of your vehicles registered with the Guard House. If you are a new homeowner, have recently bought a new car, or have changed license plates and have not informed the Guard House, we ask you to do so by January 31, 2002. Forms can be obtained at the Guard House on Siena Monte. If you have questions on whether or not you have registered your vehicle, please go to the Guard House so they may look up your information. We appreciate your cooperation.

Heating and Air Concerns



You may have heard that Magnum Air Conditioning is no longer in business to handle our needs here at Siena but we are not without service for you. As usual, we ask that you submit a Service Request form to customer service for any non-emergency repairs during your One-Year Limited warranty period. We will arrange for service and repairs with our new subcontractor, Valley Air Conditioning.

For EMERGENCY repairs you can contact Valley Air direct at 361-7716 for their after-hours emergency service. Siena's emergency response number after 5:00pm and on weekends/holidays is 1-800-264-3503. An emergency is described in your New Home Reference Manual as "a complete loss of heat during very cold weather" or "a complete loss of Air Conditioning during extremely hot conditions of over 100 degrees outside". If you have two units and one is still working that is not an emergency. Still follow the above procedures and we will get someone out as quickly as possible.


WARRANTY - the installation of your HVAC system is covered under your Siena One-Year Limited Warranty period. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE REGULAR MAINTENANCE. Many of the parts and functions of the units are covered by the Manufacturer's Warranty. All manufacturers require these systems to be serviced regularly in order to maintain your warranty coverage. For manufacturer's warranty information you may contact any Lennox dealer, or visit them on-line at www.lennox.com to locate an authorized dealer who may offer an extended maintenance program.

For those homeowners who contracted directly with Magnum Air Conditioning for an extended service policy we encourage you to contact the NVState Contractors Board for assistance in recovery of your payments. That number is (702) 486-1100.

Some tips for an enjoyable winter season: Have your system serviced. Change your filters monthly. Inspect the insulation around the freon lines at the outside units. Use ceiling fans or leave the HVAC fan in the "ON" position to keep heated air circulating and save energy costs. (Hugging someone gives you a warm feeling also!)

Regional Vice President of Customer Service

Resident Guest Passes



As of January 1, 2002, all residents must use a Guest Pass in order to bring a guest to the Social Center and Fitness Center. If you have not picked up your Guest Passes you may do so at the Social Center Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 9:00pm. If you have questions, please call the Siena Community Association at 838-3994.