

SERVICES PROVIDED AT FOY

Freddy's Store: 7 days a week, 8am-5pm. 760-354-4510.

Sunset Grill-Wednesday-Saturday, 11am-1pm and 4-6pm. Closed Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Closed 3/27

Veggie Man: Every Tuesday & Friday, 11am-2pm under the pavilion next to the Fresh Water Pool. Time is approximate.

Steve the Barber: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 10am-3pm. Walk-ins welcome. Please call to make an appointment during business hours only. 509-850-5507 Hair Salon: Mary Dekker, Monday & Friday 8:30am-2pm. Call 442-226-6567 or 760-354-1473

Massage Studio in Moonrise Hall-Sue Peterson Please call Sue at 951-265-3457 to schedule an appointment Monday-Saturday. Sue accepts cash, checks, Zelle and Venmo; there is a \$5 charge for using Zelle and Venmo



March Newsletter

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REMINDERS FROM THE ACTIVITIES OFFICE

At this time in our season, we start planning for the 2025/26 Season. If you want to schedule a class, activity, or event for 2025/26 season, please come to the Discovery Center and fill out a Scheduling Form. Do not assume that you will have the same schedule as this season.

Everyone has to fill out a form. Also, we want to remind those who have keys turn your keys into the Discovery Center before you leave the park. Thank you. We want to thank all our volunteers who have helped us this season with so many jobs relating to the Discovery Center and Activities Office. We couldn't have done it without your help. We will be closing our office for the season on Friday, March 28 at 4pm. Please have a wonderful and safe summer. See you next season! Wendy, Kurt, Sue, Savanna, Charlene, Petra, and Pat

FREDDY'S STORE

STORE HOURS FOR MARCH
7 DAYS A WEEK, 8 AM—5PM.

760-354-1340

THANK YOU FOR SHOPPING AT

FREDDY'S STORE

VEGGIE MAN

EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY,
11AM-2PM UNDER THE PAVILION
BY THE FRESH WATER POOL.

FROM THE FOY MAIL ROOM

Thank You for another Great Season. Packages Processed October 1st to February 15th 14,905. February 1st to February 15th 2,024.

Please let us know when you need us to start forwarding your mail OR Don't forget to return your key for your refund. To Our Canadian guests please come by and update your address and check to see the balance is on your Canadian Forwarding Account,

FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH GENERAL INFORMATION

***** In a life threatening emergency*****

Call 911 for an Ambulance, Fire Department, or Sheriff's Department. Please call the gate next at 760-354-1555. Please report any crime or suspicious activity to Sheriff/Law

Enforcement 1-800-452-2051

Border Patrol—760-324-4001 or 760-324-3658

Address: FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH SPA RV RESORT
1500 SPA ROAD, NILAND, CA 92257

Office: 760-354-1340 / Open Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm, Saturday & Sunday, 9:00am-2:00pm. The Reservation Office will be closed for lunch from 12:00 to 1:00pm, Monday through Friday

Discovery Center is open: Monday - Friday, 9am-4pm, closed for lunch, 12-1pm, Closed Saturday & Sunday
760-502-6450.

Mail Room Window Hours: Monday-Friday, 10-11am & 1-4:30pm. Closed Saturday & Sunday

Gate: 760-354-1555 / Sunday-Saturday 7am-10pm
THE GATE IS LOCKED AT 10PM EACH NIGHT & OPENED AT 7AM. YOU MAY ENTER THE BACK GATE WITH A KEY CARD. GO TO THE OFFICE TO PURCHASE A KEY CARD.

MARCH PANCAKE BREAKFAST
SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 7-10AM IN
HAYS HALL-\$8

Don't miss our last Pancake Breakfast of the season! We serve a fresh made meal of "any way you want your eggs," ham, pancakes, orange juice and coffee for \$8. Real cream for coffee and butter for pancakes. The monies raised, help support our Clubs and Volunteers at FOY. There's a free raffle ticket with each breakfast. The Activities Office wishes to thank all the volunteers that have helped with the Breakfast each month. You all are a great example of dedication and support. A special thanks to Gene & Sylvia for their many years of service to the pancake breakfast.

MARCH FLEA MARKET

FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 8AM-12PM

CAN YOU BELIEVE THAT THIS IS THE LAST FLEA MARKET OF THE SEASON?!! THE FLEA MARKET IS LOCATED INSIDE HAYS HALL AND ON THE PATIO.

HOT DOGS AND BOTTLED WATER WILL BE FOR SALE ON THE PATIO. HOT DOGS FOR \$4 AND WATER FOR \$1. CINNAMON ROLLS FOR \$1 AND FREE COFFEE ARE IN HAYS HALL..

TABLES ARE AVAILABLE IN HAYS HALL FOR \$10 AND ON THE PATIO FOR \$5.

CONTACT WENDY IN THE DISCOVERY CENTER TO RESERVE A TABLE OR IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS. 760-502-6450. WE APPRECIATE EVERYONE WHO HAS ATTENDED, VENDORED, AND HELPED THIS SEASON WITH THE FLEA MARKET. WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION AND SUPPORT.

BLOOD DRIVE IN MARCH

Due to the date change of the Flea Market in February, the Blood Mobile was unable to be at that event. They will be at FOY on Monday, March 10th, 8am-12pm, and their van will be parked next to the Pavilion by the Fresh Water Pool. They want to thank everyone who has donated blood this season and are grateful for one more opportunity to receive the gift of life for those that need it.

HOT DOG NEWS

Can it be True? The last Hot Dog extravaganza of the season is on March 14th at Hays Hall in conjunction with the Flea Market! It's your last chance this season to savor a Ramey's all Angus Beef hot dog covered in onions, kraut, relish, hot sauce and an assortment of other condiments. If you like it blackened, medium well, medium – or just slightly touched to the grill– we can do it all. On February 7th we were a busy bunch with 460 regular dogs cooked and sold as well as 16 veggie dogs (they are getting more popular!). All this in a four hour period. We will serve up breakfast, brunch or lunch hot dogs from 8am to noon on the patio outside of Hays Hall. We enjoy seeing your smiling faces as you come through the line and enjoy the visiting that takes place at the picnic tables while you are savoring the hot dogs. Proceeds will be distributed at the end of the season to help fund the activities at FOY such as Pickle ball, Volleyball, Ping Pong Bocce Ball, etc. Please thank the volunteers that cook and serve as you go through the line, a little smile doesn't hurt either. Hope to see you there! Lee & Linda Abrahamzon

FOY Volunteers

We have had an amazing group of Volunteers this season. We appreciate and thank each one of you for all that you do to make FOY the best place to have "Fun in the Sun". Please get your hours turned in to the Discovery Center and collect your rewards. There is no volunteer meeting in March.

TUESDAY NIGHT TALENT IN HAYS HALL AT 7PM

TNT has been wonderful this year. We're looking forward to another great show on March 4 with the Ukulele band, the Salton 'C' Strummers performing a FLOWER POWER CONCERT on March 11. Come dance and where your tye dye and flowered shirts. March 18, Margo may share her talents, so don't forget to check it out. I have loved being your emcee this year and God willing, I'll be back next season to start sharing concerts in December! Thanks for being such a fabulous audience. Caryn Mears

RESPONSIBILITIES WHILE YOU ARE AT FOY

1. No wood burning or charcoal fires permitted at any time. Only propane stoves and fires.
2. Pets are to be leashed at all times outside of your home or RV. Leash not to exceed 6ft. No pets within 25 feet of FOY Buildings.
3. QUIET hours 10pm-7am. No unnecessary or excessive noise at any time.
4. No Off-Road Vehicles (ORV) are to be used as transportation within the park.
5. All vehicles are to be driven by legally licensed drivers. As per California Vehicle Code Section 38601 all ORV occupants must wear DOT approved safety helmets.

PARADE DAY WINNERS

What a an awesome Parade Day! The theme, the decorations, the costumes, the food, the vendors, the raffles; everything was just over-the-top amazing! Everyone was a winner, but here are the results from each area of this epic day.

Best Parade Entries: 1st place: Mad Hatter Tea Party, Foy Spinners, 2nd place: Peter Pan, Bocce Ball Club, 3rd place: VW Bus & Hippy Gang, Cue Club. Costume Contest: 1st place: May Poppins, Kellie George, 2nd place: Tinkerbell, Rosalyn Beveridge and 3rd place, The FOY Fairies, Jim Melancon & Gary Lissow. Pet Parade Winners: Cat Winner-King Mufasa, owner, Vicky VanSickle and Dog Winner, Dodge, owner, Shelly & Mark.

Club Activities Raffle Winner: Pat Harris (5 Handcrafted Wooden items)

Chili Cook-off Winners: 1st Place: Gary White, 2nd Place: Sonja Lynch, 3rd Place: Debbie Chitwood
CAN/AM Games Winner: Canada

Congratulations to all winners and participants. A huge "thank you" to everyone who contributed in making the FOY 59th Anniversary Parade Day an awesome success. Remember the FOY 60th Anniversary Parade Day theme is "The Wild, Wild West!"

NEWS FROM THE SUNSET GRILL

Monday– 3/3-Kitty on the Sax, 3/10– CTR, any other entertainment will be announced

Wednesday– Trivia– To Be Announced

Thursday– KARAOKE NIGHT, 6-8pm

Friday-DANCING IN THE STREETS, 6-8pm

Grill Days and Hours: Wednesday-Saturday, 11am-1pm and 4-6pm. The Sunset Grill will be closing on Thursday, March 27th at 6pm. Thank you for your patronage.

FOY AL-ANON

FOY Al-Anon meets on Tuesdays at 9:45-11:15am in the Card Room. Al-Anon is an anonymous fellowship of relatives and friends of alcoholics who share experience, strength and hope in order to solve our common problems. We believe alcoholism is a family illness and changed attitudes can aid recovery.

ROCK PAINTING

Join Marianne Keet in the Card Room for Rock Painting at 1pm on Wednesdays, except the 2nd Wednesday of the Month. There is a one time Registration fee of \$5. Please join the group for a time of creativity and fun.

READER'S CLUB

The Reader's Club meets every Friday at 2 pm at Space #5. We don't all read the same book, we just report on books each of us have read and loved. We also have good conversations. Please join us. Joan Weidemann, Space #5

CANADIAN SNOWBIRD SOCIAL

We had a very successful event once again with 182 people in attendance. The Canadian Snowbirds Social (formerly known as Canada Day) is a day for Canadian Snowbirds to get together and celebrate their good fortune in being able to escape the cold winter in Canada. It is great to meet like minded folks who have driven for 3 or more days in order to enjoy a few warm months at FOY. The 2026 Canadian Snowbirds Social will be held on January 29, 2026. We are looking for your help to plan next season's event. The first planning meeting will be held December 9, 2025 at 2pm in the meeting room. Cathy Ashbee

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LINE DANCE AT FOY

ABSOLUTE BEGINNER, Saturday, Hays Hall 1-2pm– a drop in beginner class where you will learn the basic line dance steps. This class is perfect for those new to line dancing. Our last class will be March 29th. Instructor-Lynne Menard. FRIDAY NIGHT LINE DANCES REFRESHER, Saturday, Hays Hall 2-3pm come out and learn, or re-learn, all the line dances we do at the Friday Night Street Dances. This will be more of a beginner to low intermediate class. Our last class will be March 29th. Instructor-Lynne Menard. FUN CLASS+, Wednesday, Hays Hall 1-3pm this class will be a progression from the Saturday classes, so some familiarity with line dance steps is expected. We will practice Friday Night Street Dances, review some dances we worked on in the past, and learn some new ones. Last class is March 26th Instructor-Jim Melancon BEYOND BEGINNER, Thursday, Hays Hall 1-3pm–this class is for those who have some line dance experience and know the most common line dance steps (jazz box, coaster step, etc.). These steps are NOT taught in this class. A variety of dance levels will be taught, mostly improver. Last class is March 20th. Instructor-Debi Robbins. Thank you for attending all our classes this season. Have a wonderful Summer and see you next Fall.

COME OUT FOR FUN, FITNESS AND FRIENDSHIP WITH LYNNE!

Tuesday & Thursday, Hays Hall, 9-9:45am, Chair Dance Party is great for people who have mobility issues, but still like to participate in a fun activity that benefits your body, mind and spirit. Come out and dance to all of our favorite songs. Tuesday and Thursdays, Hays Hall, 10-10:45am, Chair Yoga Enjoy all the benefits of Yoga in a chair. We work on core strength, balance, and flexibility. Perfect for those with mobility issues. Tuesday and Thursdays, Hays Hall, Gentle Yoga Classes, 11am-12pm Learn the basics of Yoga. Improve flexibility, strength and balance, as you decrease your stress with relaxation techniques and deep breathing. Thank you for attending my classes this season. Our last class will be Thursday, March 27th. Lynne Menard

MARCH DATES FOR GLOSSY

Our favorite swim suit shop will be at FOY the following dates. Saturday, March 1 and 15, 11am-2pm under the pavilion by the Fresh Water Pool. We want to thank Glossy for coming to FOY this season.

New Line Dancing Class

FUN CLASS, Sunday 6:30-8:00pm, Hays Hall. This class is for all levels! Come dance to your favorite dances, and learn some new ones too! Last class is March 30th. Lynne Menard

Stretch & Strengthen Class 9:15—10:45AM / Hays Hall
Chair Stretch & Strengthen 11:00—Noon / Hays Hall

Join me Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for a combination of stretching, weight lifting and a little cardio. Bring a mat and some light weights. Last class will be Friday, April 18. Charlotte Shave

REMINDER– Daylight Savings Time, Sunday, March 9th. Spring forward. Turn your clocks ahead 1 hour.

SALTON "C" STRUMMERS

The Salton Sea Strummers meet Tuesday and Sunday afternoons at 2:00pm in Moonrise Hall. Our next concert will be Tuesday, March 11th at 7pm in Hays Hall where they will present "A Flower Power Concert of Love" featuring songs of the 60's and 70's. Bring your hippie friends dress in tie dye shirts and flowers, and groove to their new songs. Our last practice of the season will be March 18th. If you'd like to hear more of their music or ukulele up dates, please join FOY Ukulele on Facebook. For more information, please call Caryn Mears at 509-430-7515. Looking forward to seeing next season!

JAM BAND

Jam band continues throughout the season every Tuesday and Friday 2-4pm in Hays Hall. This is a friendly gathering of people who enjoy playing and singing together. Bring your instrument and/or just come to sing with us. When it is your turn, you can play/sing a song of your choice and we will join along. We look forward to having new people join us for a low pressure and fun time in sharing music. Everyone is welcome! Come, have fun and make some music. Or come, listen and clap!! Tim Evans. Text or call me if you have questions: 541-218-8539

Craft Room News

The 2024/2025 FOY Craft Room season has been filled with innovative, fun-filled crafts! It has been a wonderful place to learn new skills, share talent and positively contribute with senior and children's donations.

The Craft Room volunteers have been busy completing 15 lap/wheelchair blankets, 70 crumb catchers (bibs), and 15 fidget blankets this season for the convalescent hospital in Brawley. Tuesday/Thursday volunteers completed 35 Children's Comfort Quilts for the hospital in Imperial. In addition, talented crocheters made beanies, blankies and animals to accompany the quilts. What a wonderful personal treasure for children!

The Craft Fair on February 21 had over 400+ attendees. The event was a wonderful success from beginning to end: set up, entries, voting, awards, and clean up! A huge thank you to everyone participating. The fair is a fantastic event in which to highlight extremely talented FOY members.

The final Flea Market will be held on Friday, March 14. This will be the last chance to buy raffle tickets for the beautiful quilt by Deb Prada. Craft items sewn by the volunteers will also be available for purchase. Proceeds help to purchase fabric, batting, thread, sewing needles, etc. These supplies make it possible for volunteers to continue making items to donate to the seniors and children.

End of Season get together and last "Show & Tell" will be held Monday, March 17th . Looking forward to seeing everyone next season! Please make sure you have access to the FOY Craft Room Facebook page so you can keep abreast of ideas/tips, sewing projects and news from crafters!

FOY ARTIST'S GROUP

The FOY Artist's Group meets in Sunrise Hall on Mondays, Wednesdays, 9am-1pm and in Moonrise Hall on Thursdays, 12-3pm for a Pastels class with Del Lucca. All levels and mediums are welcome. Please join us and express your artist flair with us.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Thursday in Moonrise Hall at 7pm, and every Sunday at 6pm in the Picnic Area by Cornhole.

Friends of Bill W Group

Classic Music Concerts

The next Classic Concert will be on Saturday, March 1st in Sunrise Hall at 7:00pm. This is a free event. If you would like to perform at this Concert, please contact Luna Stolpmann-760-587-1135.

OUTDOOR FUN AT FOY

TUESDAY MORNING HIKES FROM FOY

3-5 Miles-8am
Meet at Dry Camp Gate

Questions Call Allan-541-805-5123

BIRDS***BIRDS***FOY CLUB

Meets 8am Thursdays. Meet at the Check-In Parking Lot for car pooling. We will explore migration areas around the Salton Sea. Let us know if you are interested. Bring binoculars and a spotting scope if you have them. For more information call Larry at 442-230-1352.

WATER EXERCISE CLASSES IN THE FRESH WATER POOL

7-8am—Claudia Bobst, Monday-Friday.

8-9am—Theresa Bettencourt & Ann Marie Labre, Sunday-Saturday.

9-10am—Linda Abrahamzon, Monday-Friday.

10-11am-Ivan and RoeAnn Wallin, Monday-Friday.

WATER VOLLEYBALL IN THE FRESH WATER POOL

Women's Volleyball, 2:30-3:30pm, Monday-Friday

Co-Ed Volleyball, 3:30-5pm, Monday-Friday.

Club Volleyball, [Salt Water Pool](#), 10:30am-1:30pm Monday-Friday. [Aqua Challenge with Jim and Gary, Thursday, 9-10am in the Salt Water Pool.](#)

Bocce Ball

Thanks to everyone who helped out on Parade Day. The float was amazing and came in second place. Our cute little Tinker Bell came in second for the individual costume. It is great to see the group work together to accomplish wonderful ideas. Thanks also to those who helped with ice cream sales. I will be collecting ideas for the Wild, Wild, West theme parade. This way we can bring things from home. Our tournaments were well attended and lots of fun for those who came out. Bocce will continue till at least the end of March or mid-April depending on how many people come out to play. For information, contact Randy at 801-913-5858 or Ann Marie at anngil73@hotmail.com.

HORSESHOE CLUB

Spring is around the corner and there are warm sunny smiles at the Horseshoe Pits!!! Come join our group—if you are new and need some pointers, be at the upper pits on Monday, Wednesday or Friday at 9am. There are extra Horseshoes there to practice with. We will continue with our regular schedule for the month or March. Dortha Loomis

PICKLEBALL CLUB & GUESTS COURT HOURS

CLUB MEMBERSHIP IS \$20. MEMBERSHIP PLAY IS 9am-12pm, EVERYDAY, UNLESS THERE ARE COURTS OPEN, THEN ANYONE IS WELCOME TO PLAY. OPEN PLAY IS 12:30-10pm. [PICKLEBALL LESSONS ARE ON TUESDAYS AT 1pm.](#)

TENNIS

Tennis is played every morning at 7:30am at the Tennis Courts. Please join us for an early activity to start your day.

FLINTSTONE GOLF

Join us Friday mornings at 9:15am for 9 holes of desert golf at the 9 Palms Golf Course located off Spa Rd. The annual membership fee is \$3. See you at the course. The last league play will be Friday, March 7. Thank you all for a great season. Petra Mandock

GARDEN BOX NEWS

If you are interested in obtaining a Garden Box for next season: 2025-26, please come into the Discovery Center and see Wendy to sign up. The Boxes are assigned for two seasons and there is a fee of \$20. Sign up and dream of fresh greens and tomatoes.

CARDS AND OTHER INDOOR GAMES AT FOY

POKER ROOM—Saturday morning poker tournament at 9am. Buy in is \$12. Regular morning poker will be on Tuesday and Thursday, 9 am–12noon with a buy in of \$4. The Fountain of Youth wished to extend their sympathies to the family of Nancy Larson.

CARD BINGO

Every Sunday 1:45-4:00pm, we will be playing Card Bingo in Hays Hall. Card Bingo is a easy to learn, fun game, involving a regular deck of cards. All you need to bring is “4” Nickels, “4” Dimes, “4” Quarters, and “1” one dollar bill. Come join us. We will continue to play as long as we have 16 people to participate. Last date will be April 27th. Joe Sonduck-509-994-7134

PING PONG CLUB

Play time is every Tuesday and Thursday from 12:30–3:00pm in Sunrise Hall. We have monthly tournaments, and we enjoy a social gathering on the third Thursday of each month in Sunrise Hall, 3/20, 4-6pm. Please join us—no experience required!! We play hard, work on our skills, and laugh a lot!!! So come and be a part of this great group of fun individuals!! Loretta Clay

CRIBBAGE — Cheryl, Pat, & Bev

Cribbage will continue through Friday, March 28th. Cribbage is held every Monday and Friday in the Card Room. No sign-up sheet. *(unless a tournament). Door opens at 12:45pm, and play begins at 1pm. Bring \$.50. It’s been a great season. Let’s keep pegging. It isn’t over yet...

Other Games at FOY

Mahjong- Sunday, 6pm in the Card Room
Mexican Train-Sunday, 6-9pm in Moonrise Hall
Jokers and Marbles- Monday, 6-9pm in the Card Room
Sticks- Tuesday, 6-9pm in the Card Room
Mahjong- Wednesday, 6-9pm in the Card Room
Swoop- Thursday, 6-9pm in the Card Room
Hand & Foot- Saturday, 9:30am-12:30pm in the Card Room. Card games will end 4/18.

SHUFFLEBOARD—Sylvia & Gene Premer

We have had a great season with lots of fun-loving people playing shuffleboard. We will continue playing every Monday and Wednesday mornings at 8:15am as long as we have people who want to play. New players are always welcome. Please have a safe trip home and see you next season.

MAHJONG—SYLVIA PREMER

We gather to play on Sunday & Wednesday evenings at 6pm in the Card Room. Everyone is welcome, but you will need nickels, dimes & quarters. If you would like to learn to play, come and watch to learn the tile markings. It’s a very addicting game, and once you get comfortable, it’s so fun with lots of conversation and laughs.

PINOCHLE GAMES-Barb Burleson-Tuesday & Thursday, 12:30-4:00pm. Join us for Pinochle in the Card Room! We play double-deck pinochle. Please bring 50 cents, and we will see you soon.

BINGO, BINGO, BINGO!!!

Come out to Bingo Monday Nights in Hays Hall! Doors open at 5:30pm, sales end at 6:15pm, and Bingo starts at 6:30pm. You can play all games for \$10! Call Tracy at 307-747-8817 if you have any questions. Remember, you can’t win if you don’t play....

CUE CLUB

Come on over to the Moonrise pool hall to enjoy some 8 ball. Cue Club round robin plays every Tuesday and Thursday morning, with scheduling at 8:15. The annual membership fee is \$5.00 per person. All level of players are welcome. Gals and Pals play @ 8:15 each Wednesday morning. We are a fun loving group who are looking to improve our 8 ball game. Gals come on out with your guy in tow 9 or we will endeavor to find you a guy) and enjoy a morning of pool. We will finish the Cue Club season March 27. Have a great summer and we’ll see everyone in the fall. Cathy Ashbee

2024-25 CRAFT FAIR WINNERS

Afghans

- 1 Cindy Blair
- 2 Lisa Thoreirson
- 3 Rhonda Phipps

Wall Hangings

- 1 Carolee Hartigan
- 2 Laura Mealing
- 3 Elaine Semin

Needlework

- 1 Gwen Hougo
- 2 Niki Barber
- 3 Deb Prada

Sewn Projects

- 1 Shyrlee Mealing
- 2 Janet Romo
- 3 Barb Buzzelli

Infant Items

- 1 Ann Thomas
- 2 Petra Mandock
- 3 Gwen Hougo

Quilts

- 1 Rosalie Passmore
- 2 Luise Norman
- 3 Kitty Saber

Small Quilted Items

- 1 Carolee Hartigan
- 2 Kitty Saber
- 3 Rosalie Passmore

Wood or Metal Craft

- 1 Bill Castillo
- 2 Lee Abrahamzon
- 3 Carolee Hartigan

Beading or Fiber Art

- 1 Gwen Hougo
- 2 Jan Tutor

Photography

- 1 Gordon Needham
- 2 Gwen Hougo
- 3 Deb Prada

Dolls, Toys, Games

- 1 Petra Mandock
- 2 Gwen Hougo
- 3 Rhonda Phipps

Crocheted Items

- 1 Petra Mandock
- 2 Kim Hoffert
- 3 Lisa Thorgeirson

Knitted Items

- 1 Christy Socol
- 2 Anita Walter
- 3 Ann Thomas

Large Craft Over 20"

- 1 Shirley Wilbur
- 2 Gwen Hougo
- 3 Dean Myers

Small Craft Under 20"

- 1 Anita Walter
- 2 Ann Flesvig
- 3 Cathy Ashbee

Garden Art

- 1 Roy Park
- 2 Rhonda Phipps

Jewelry

- 1 Kasey Dolan-King
- 2 Cathy Ashbee
- 3 Shirley Wilbur

Holiday Craft

- 1 Niki Barber
- 2 Shirley Wilbur
- 3 Gwen Hougo

Paper Craft

- 1 Richard Lorence
- 2 Gwen Hougo

Special Category: Where am I From?

- 1 Carolee Hartigan
- 2 Sandy Naffin
- 3 Gwen Hougo

CHURCH NEWS

Interfaith Fellowship meets every Sunday 10-11:30am in Hays Hall. Hymn Sing, every Sunday 5pm in Sunrise Hall. Men’s & Women’s Bible Study every Thursday 9:30-10:30am in Sunrise Hall.

Teacher: John Zillstra

Lutheran Fellowship meets every Sunday at 9am in Sunrise Hall. Ash Wednesday service will be on March 5 at 9am in Sunrise Hall. Last service is March 23.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day-Saints meets Sundays at 10am, Brawley Ward, 490 West D Street, Brawley, CA 92227. All are welcome!! For more information contact: Randy Adams at 801-913-5868 Seventh Day Adventists– Service is every Saturday from 10am-2:30pm and every 2nd and 4th Saturday 6-10pm. Every Wednesday, 6:30-8pm every Friday 5:30-8pm, all in Sunrise Hall. Catholic Mass will be held every Saturday at 4pm in Sunrise Hall. Other scheduled Masses are: Sunday at 8am at St. Patrick’s Church in Calipatria. Sunday at 12 noon at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Niland. Any questions, call Mike Reilly at 508-813-9027.

Dear Friends at FOY,

This is the last Newsletter that I will be sending to you, and I will no longer be working in the Activities Office. It has been a pleasure working with you for the last 6 seasons. Sam and I came here in 2019 to lead the effort in the Activities Office. We have created what you see today without any plan or example of what was done in past seasons. We made mistakes, lived through the Covid years and tried to make it the best Activities Center. We’ve had a lot of people help us throughout the seasons. Sam became the General Manager in 2022. The last 2 seasons, myself and others have worked hard to keep the Activities Office a place of resources and smiling faces. Thank you for allowing me to serve you during this time. Sue Birky

