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Diamonds - the theme for the
60th anniversary of CBSC

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

VISIT US ON FACEBOOK
CHOLLA BAY SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

DO YOU WANT TO GET YOUR CHATTER ON-LINE???
EMAIL LAURA MCINTYRE AT THE BELOW ADDRESS.
YOU CAN GET IT ON-LINE PLUS IN THE MAIL IF YOU WISH.
YOU WILL SEE THE PICTURES IN COLOR ON-LINE



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EVENTS COMING UP

See details inside

GOLF TOURNAMENT

GAME NIGHT

HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

FISHING DERBY

FISH FRY

DON'T MISS OUT ON THESE

PLAN TO BE HERE



Cholla Bay Sportsmen's Club

Date: February 14, 2015
 Place: Peninsula de Cortez
 Golf Course
 Mayan Palace
 Puerto Peñasco, Mex
 8:30am Sign in
 9:00am Shotgun Start

7th Annual Golf Tournament

This year's tournament will be a FOUR MAN SCRAMBLE. Doesn't matter what your handicap is, you could win!!!! Awards for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Places, Closest to Pin and Longest Drive.

Help us Celebrate the CBSC's 60th Anniversary



Entry Fee: \$100.00
 Contact:
 Mike Dugan (Mexico); 382-5237
 Tony Romero; 602-402-0191
 Enedina Otañez; 520-481-5820
 to secure your position in history!

NEWS FROM VILLA AT THE LAUNCH RAMP

There were few boats out between Christmas and the new year because of the weather.

Two boats have been towed in recently. One was someone from one of the condos or RV Parks. The other one was a Cholla person named Bill. He was out by the 20 mile reef, and his boat wouldn't start when he was ready to come back in. Pennington went out to tow him in. Upon arrival in the Bay, Villa towed Pennington in and Lupe went out to get Bill, but he lost a wheel from his launcher. So Villa went back out to get Bill, and Jipe towed Lupe's launcher back in. Bill and his passengers had to get out in the cold water to hook up the trailer. However, at least everyone was safely back in to shore.

**SHIP'S STORE**

We now have the 2015 tide calendars for just \$11.00. You can get them from Pat Goodin at M19L1, or call 382-5056 in Cholla to get one.

We also have new "60th Anniversary T-shirts, both long and short sleeve for sale. You will want to get one of these as a "collector" shirt. They not only depict the "60", but show the events which CBSC has now, such as golf tournament, horseshoe tournament, etc. You can also call me to get one if Ship's Store isn't open. When the weather warms up a bit, we will try to have Ship's Store open on Saturday afternoons "for your shopping convenience".

HERE FISHY, FISHY, FISHY

If you are a fisherperson, be sure to mark these dates on your calendar:

April 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th

May 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th

May 21st, 22nd and 23rd

Fish Fry and awards - MAY 24TH

There will be an open house and early registration on April 8th from 5:00 - 7:00. Watch for more information on this in future Cholla Chatters

A FIRE IN CHOLLA**PUT OUT BY MARGARET & JIPE'S WATER TRUCK**

A dune buggy owned by Rick and Sue Deming caught fire outside Xochilt's Restaurant in January. Luckily, Margaret and Jipe's water truck was there immediately and put the fire out (with help from the driver of course). Thank you. It happened right beside Sally's propane tank, which had just been filled. We're all so happy nothing else caught on fire.





DIAMOND ANNIVERSARY CBSC T-SHIRT QUILT RAFFLE

To Benefit Cholla Charity Fund

Ticket Price: \$5.00 each
or Five for \$20.00

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cabin: _____

3 Winners! Drawings to be held at the CBSC Clubhouse at Game Night, Horseshoe Tournament & the 60th Annual Derby Fish Fry.

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Diamond Anniversary CBSC T-Shirt Quilt Raffle



I am so excited to announce that we received enough t-shirt donations to make THREE T-SHIRT QUILTS! This means that we will have THREE WINNERS! Tickets are good for all three drawings, which will be held at our Game Night, the Horseshoe Tournament and at our 60th Annual Fish Fry. You need not be present to win!

100% of the proceeds on the quilts will go directly to the Cholla Charity Fund. This fund benefits local Mexican families who either live in Cholla Bay, or have strong community ties to our beloved Bay. This charity is one of our most important and we feel this is an excellent opportunity to replenish some much needed funds for the coming year.

Raffle tickets are on sale now and can be bought at our events, Ships Store or from one of the board members. Ticket prices are \$5 each or you can buy 5 tickets for \$20. For your convenience, we have provided you with five tickets here that you can send in with your check to PO Box 398, Cortaro AZ 85652. You can copy them and buy more or share with your friends and family too! There will be a quilt on display at all of our events if you'd like to see it in person.

Thank you for your support, we are really hoping to make this a great success for the Cholla Charity Fund! *Laura McIntyre*



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CBSC 60th Anniversary - Special Chatter Edition

To help celebrate CBSC's 60th anniversary this year, we would like to put out a "Special Historical 60th Anniversary" chatter. Hopefully we can get this out in April or May. We are asking those who have been members through the years, even recent years, to help us with this endeavor. Perhaps you have old pictures or articles that you could send to help with this special edition. Also, many of you have wonderful stories about Cholla and your experiences here. Perhaps newer members have heard things of interest about Cholla that you can share.

Please email or send your pictures and articles, or copies of them, and/or memories to Pat Goodin, nolehacepat@yahoo.com or Nancy Schmidli nschmidli645@gmail.com or mail them to Nancy Schmidli, 10645 W. Connecticut Ave., Sun City, Az. 85351 or Pat Goodin, P.O. Box 261, Lukeville, Az. 85341.

8TH ANNUAL HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

APRIL 18TH, 2015

The CBSC annual Horseshoe tournament is quickly approaching, April 8th. The deadline for preregistration is March 31st., so go to Facebook, CBSC Horseshoe Tournament and print out an entry form. The directions for entry are there.

If you do not preregister you may register April 18th at the clubhouse in Cholla Bay between 8 and 10 a.m.

In the spirit of getting more females involved in the tournament, we are "up-ing" some prize money for them!! \$100 for the ALL FEMALE team that makes it the furthest! \$50 for the ALL FEMALE 2nd place team that makes it the furthest! Come on ladies, show the men that we can do it too!! You all have the "assets" to distract your opponents! If you would like to be a Sponsor, please contact Tammy at tambil314@gmail.com or call her at 602 399 0652. There will be more information in the next chatter or go to Facebook, CBSC Horseshoe Tournament for up to date information.



Remember..... If The Shoe Fits, Throw It!!!!

Sick Bay

Wes Little, Glenda Maud's brother passed away this past December. Glenda's address is P.O. Box 633 Lukeville, Az. 85341.

Richard Spencer passed away on Dec. 31st. He had gone to Tucson to his brother, Lou's, house on his way to catch a plane to Sacramento. While there he suffered a stroke, was taken to the hospital where he died soon after. The address for his brother for cards is Lou and Bev Spencer, 7580 N. Oliver, Tucson, Az. 85741.

Mary Ann Oren who, as was reported in the last chatter, suffered a stroke in early Dec. has been moved from the hospital to Boswell Rehab in Sun City. She is still extremely weak. She does have a feeding tube in her stomach, which is good as she hasn't been able to swallow yet and get nourishment through the tube but it also gives her a lot of discomfort. Hopefully, she will be able to swallow soon and get further on the road to recovery. Prayers and cards of encouragement may be sent to 11623 N. 111th Ave., Sun City, Az. 85351.

Raymond Jackson is suffering from terminal lung disease. Please send prayers and cards to him at P.O. Box 69820, Tucson, Az. 85737.

CBSC Gives Back to it's Members and Supporters

60th Anniversary Diamond Prize

In celebration of our 60th Anniversary, the CBSC has purchased a Yamaha Rhino and will give it away at the 60th Annual Fish Fry & Awards Ceremony. You must be a current member and be present at the Fish Fry - which makes the odds very good for winning it! The Rhino will be on display at the Club Events so renew your membership, sign up your friends and join us at the Fish Fry in celebrating this amazing milestone and help us continue for another 60 years!

60th Anniversary Golden Prizes

In celebration of our 60th Anniversary we are also holding a Golden Ticket Drawing for CASH PRIZES. First prize will be \$1,000.00, second prize will be \$500.00 and third prize will be \$250.00! This drawing is open to everyone and you need not be present to win. You will get a FREE Golden Ticket by bringing in a new paid membership!

DIAMOND PRIZE - YAMAHA RHINO, CBSC Members Only

When a new or current member/family pays for/renews their membership their name will be entered into our Diamond Ticket Drawing. (Only one ticket per family/membership!) That ticket with your name/family name will be entered into our DIAMOND BOX. We will draw ONE TICKET at our 60th Annual Fish Fry. That one ticket winner will win the Rhino.

Here are the rules for this Diamond Ticket Drawing:

1. One ticket per membership. (Membership constitutes one Single Person or a Family of Spouse/Partner and/or Children under the age of 18. Adult children are not considered members without their own paid membership.) Diamond tickets cannot be bought or transferred.
2. New membership and renewals for 2015 in the club will gain you a Diamond Ticket and can be paid for and entered into the drawing up to one hour before the drawing.
3. You must CHECK IN AND BE PRESENT AT the drawing (to be held at the 60th Annual Fish Fry on 05/24/15) to win this Diamond Prize. Winner must take prize where and as is and assumes all ownership and responsibility. The prize has no cash value.

GOLDEN TICKETS - CASH PRIZES: \$1,000 - \$500 - \$250 - Open to Everyone - No Limit

There will be three winners in our Golden Ticket Drawing. First prize will be \$1,000.00, second prize will be \$500.00 and third prize will be \$250.00! Golden Tickets will be sold for \$5 each or five for \$20. We will also be including a FREE Golden Ticket here and there with raffle table prizes at our events! You can also gain a free one by bringing in a new paid membership! The drawing for the Golden Tickets will also be held at the 60th Annual Fish Fry. Tickets are available from any board member and can be bought at all of our events up to the Fish Fry.





CBSC 60th ANNIVERSARY
GOLDEN TICKET

Ticket Price: \$5.00 each or Five for \$20.00
 1st = \$1,000.00 • 2nd = \$500.00 • 3rd = \$250.00

Drawing held at the 60th Annual Fishing Derby Fish Fry
 Sunday, May 24, 2015 • Not need be present to win

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cabin: _____

email: _____

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Here are the rules for Golden Ticket Drawing:

1. There are no limits on the number of tickets that you can purchase.
2. You do not have to be a CBSC member to win one of the three Golden Ticket prizes.
3. You do not have to be present at the Fish Fry to win. If your ticket is drawn and you are not present at the Fish Fry, we will notify you by phone and/or email/US Mail.

Ask a Board member for Golden Tickets or cut this one out and send it in with your check to the PO Box at the bottom.

NO LIMIT on how many you can purchase!
 With \$ 1000, \$ 500 and \$ 250 up for grabs,
 why not get the 5 tickets for \$ 20?



Cholla Bay Sportsmen's Club
DIAMOND JIM JUBILEE
CASINO/GAME NIGHT

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2015 • 7:00 PM

\$20 PER PERSON
INCLUDES "CHOLLA PLAYING CHIPS"
BOOZE, & LIGHT SNACKS

CHOLLA BAY CLUB HOUSE ~ CHOLLA BAY, SONORA, MEXICO

LAS VEGAS GAMES OPEN TO ALL.
BLACK JACK, LEFT-RIGHT-CENTER, TEXAS HOLD-EM,
CHOLLA-STYLE WHEEL OF FORTUNE.

"CHOLLA CHIPS" ARE USED TO TRY YOUR LUCK ON THE GAMES.
YOUR WINNINGS CAN BE USED DURING THE AUCTIONS FOR GREAT PRIZES!



MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Hey Gang!

Howzit Going!?! ☺ 2015 has started off swimmingly here - hope yours has as well! We brought in the New Year in The Bay and ABOUT froze to death! I know it was colder than usual, but I think we forgot just how cold it CAN get! I don't know about you all, but I'm definitely looking forward to the beautiful springtime weather that we'll soon be seeing!!

I feel like our Quilt Raffle sales are starting out a bit slow and I'd like to see The Cholla Charities Fund really benefit from this. Find the details on the Quilt Raffle page, cut the tickets out, write your check for \$20 and MAIL IT ALL TO ME! ☺

As of today, we have 169 members current in 2014 with 48 paid up for 2015. For those of you who are counting, we've had some new members since last month! Join me in welcoming Alison Reeve & Terry Himes, Charlotte & Bob Keller, Rose Barringer, Jeff & Yvonne Jones and welcome back to Tricia Runner! For those not yet renewed, your membership letters will be sent out in February. You can save the Club some postage and get them in now!!!!

We'd love to see our 60th Anniversary year bring double the membership! To encourage everyone to sign up someone new this year, I'm offering a FREE GOLDEN TICKET entry to anyone whose name appears at the top of a new membership form! Golden Tickets are good for a CASH PRIZE drawing to be held at our 60th Anniversary Fish Fry in May!

If you're on Facebook, please go to our "Cholla Bay Sportsmen's Club" fan page – we have 352 likes now! Please share your own stories and pictures on the page for others to enjoy! The email address for the club is chollacbsc@gmail.com which you can use to contact any one of us on the board. If you'd like to receive your Chatter by email in FULL COLOR, drop me a line to let me know – It's Nifty!

Annual membership is \$40; checks should be made payable to CBSC and mailed as noted below.

Later Alligators! ☺ Laura McIntyre ☺



CBSC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION Annual Dues: \$40.00

Membership dues and other activities of the CHOLLA BAY SPORTSMEN'S CLUB funded the purchase of radio equipment and continue to support the operation and maintenance of Marine VHF Radio (**Channel 28**) for the Northern Sea of Cortez. The CBSC pays the salary of the Cholla Bay Radio Operator, assists in search and rescue operations, and when necessary can assist with some arrangements for the emergency transportation of critically ill or injured. The CBSC conducts an annual Fishing Derby, hosts numerous events, publishes the "CHOLLA CHATTER" Newsletter, and promotes good relations between American visitors and our Mexican neighbors.

Currently the Chatter is mailed to the address provided. We are now able to offer the Chatter via E-mail to those who would prefer. If you would rather receive your Chatter via Email and not regular mail, please check the Box to the Left.

NAME: _____ SPOUSE: _____

ADDRESS: (US or PO Box ONLY) _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____

Email address: _____

Cabin Number/Address: _____ Local Phone: _____

Please make your check out to **CBSC** and mail to: **CBSC - c/o Laura McIntyre • PO Box 398 • Cortaro, AZ 85652**