

DESERT MOUNTAIN CLUB

NAGONIE

JULY | AUGUST | SEPTEMBER 2019

LONG-RANGE FACILITIES PLAN UPDATE

What's Next?

GOLF

SWGA WINNER
& TURF TALK
PG 4-5

FOOD & BEVERAGE

FOOD &
MUSIC EVENTS
PG 8-9

SONORAN

BOCCE BALL &
GREECE RETREAT
PG 12-14



Lucky us!
Our newest clubhouse
and course, now open.
From course to clubhouse and back out again...
fun comes full circle at Seven Desert Mountain™



Members are enjoying a new brand of
championship golf, delicious food and festive fun at
Seven, Desert Mountain's first fully integrated clubhouse
and golf course experience.

The only USGA-rated championship par 54 course in the country,
No. 7 at Desert Mountain™ is challenging for skilled players working to hone short
game skills and welcoming to those who are new to the game.

Girls groups, guys groups, couples and families of all skill levels and ages are finding fun at
No. 7. Bonus! Bocce courts, fire pits, and a putting course all add to the outdoor experience.

The luxe feature is the Seven Clubhouse - designed to create seamless connectivity between
the course and the restaurant/bar areas – offering member-favorites, like the decadent avocado
toast topped with crab, savory short rib sliders, the Seven Burger and tangy cauliflower tempura.
Let us fill your glass with a handcrafted cocktail perfect for the summer. We recommend the Sparkling
Seven featuring Tito's vodka, pear purée, simple syrup, lemon juice and prosecco.





No. 7 at Desert Mountain — the only USGA-rated, championship par 54 course, a next-gen, short-game design for players of every level, from beginner to expert.



Seven Celebration

Potential homebuyers enjoyed a first look at life at the Seven Clubhouse.





LONG-RANGE FACILITIES PLAN UPDATE

Desert Mountain is a special and unique Club with a terrific membership, more amenities than almost any Club in the world, quality services and diverse programming for every interest. Our financial position is very strong and the national and local economies are in excellent health. In order to continue improving the member experience, increase utilization of the Club, remain competitive, positively impact our real estate and, ultimately, ensure our financial prosperity, we must move away from project-to-project decision making and develop a comprehensive, long-range process inclusive of our members' input.

We are Poised for Greatness, Together.

In 2018, the Board of Directors and Senior Leadership team developed a five-year capital plan that includes major projects such as:

- Cochise/Geronimo Clubhouse renovation. Presentations and tours of this clubhouse have already been held with the membership with more scheduled for September 17 and October 16.
- Renegade Pro Shop and Hideout renovation, range improvements and land configuration.
- Cochise golf course renovation.

In addition, the Long-Range Facilities Planning Workgroup was established with a diverse group of 11 members, and the Club hired industry planning experts, Chambers and DTJ Design, to review/tour all existing facilities and develop

concepts to improve operations, functionality, décor and financial efficiencies throughout.

It's a Process, Not a Project.

In the first quarter of 2019, group visits were held with Chambers and DTJ and preliminary design concepts were presented and refined with input from the Board of Directors, the Workgroup and Senior Management team. In May 2019, seven Member Focus Groups, with over 100 participants total, were held to review the conceptual designs, and the Workgroup reviewed the exit surveys from the focus groups to further refine the concepts.

What is Next?

As we advance through 2019, the Club will continue to provide transparent communications on every level by hosting additional member focus groups/informational sessions in the fall, and communicating the progress as we further refine the design concepts, priorities and project costs. Presentations will be held for the membership in a Coffee Talk format throughout 2019 and into 2020. Once the plan is ready and funds are available, it will be put to a member vote next spring.

It is our vision to be the finest golf and recreational community in North America, and we want to provide updated facilities that our members love to use and our staff can efficiently operate behind the scenes. We encourage you to stay in the know by attending upcoming Coffee Talks and tours to have input and learn how we desire to enhance our world-class Club.

LONG-RANGE PLANNING PROCESS





Desert Mountain Summer of Love Member Referral Promotion

*Share Your Love of Desert Mountain
wherever you are this summer.*

When your new referral applies for a membership by September 30, your party of 4 receives a groovy VIP experience to see the legendary Cher, in Phoenix on November 23 at the Gila River Arena.*

We Got You, Babe:

- Talk up your favorite Club all summer long wherever you go
- Meet someone with an interest? Send contact information to membership@desertmountain.com
- When a new member application is processed (you must be listed as the referring member) by Sept. 30, your party of 4 is headed to see the legendary Cher, performing at the Gila River Arena on November 23
- Summer of Love VIP Package includes happy hour for 4 at the stunning Seven Clubhouse, Mountain Coach transportation and VIP dinner and concert experience



*Limited to first three members who source a new membership application by September 30, 2019.
Referral must be a new addition to the membership sales pipeline.

Have a great summer and share the love!

Nicole Forbes, Director of Membership Sales
Cherie Crooks, Membership Sales Manager
Nathan Carl, Membership Relations Manager

480-595-4110 | membership@desertmountain.com | desertmountain.com



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

APRIL-JUNE 2019

Noah Mandel | Wisconsin

Daniel Mandel | Wisconsin

Bruce Weisenthal & Carolynne Paulsen
Illinois

William & Bridget Hudspeth | California

Todd & Kim Ostrom | Idaho

Kevin & Dana Peters | Arizona

Jeff & Amy Call | Missouri

Les & June Lewis | Florida

Bill & Mari Orke | Minnesota

Gary & Margaret Kachadurian | Illinois

John & Jill Gwazdauskas | Washington

Rob & Trish Weatherby | California

Bob & Joan Zelnio | Illinois

Dr. Don Bice | Arkansas

Travis Okamoto & Alexis Valerio
Arizona

Tom & Siobhan Gray | California

Michael & Sharon Kaiser | Colorado

Jerry & Dorothy Hoffman | California

Art & Margie Fine | California

Rick & Sandra Wedge | California

Dr. Patrick & Lisa Daley | Indiana

Patrick & Diane Jack | New Mexico

Bill Sawyer & Connie Hugg | California

Jimi & Kelly Michalscheck | Wisconsin

Tom & Sara Lewis | California

Jim & Karen Williams | Indiana

Duane & Peggy Montana | Texas

Jim Moorman & Susan Howe | Florida

Chuck Hood & Mimi Zychal | Pennsylvania

Lucas Haldeman & Sarah Roudybush
Colorado

RETURNING MEMBERS

Jack & Carrie O'Keefe | Arizona

Ike & Gerry Zeringue | Louisiana

SOUTHWESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION TO EXPAND ANNUAL MEN'S TOURNAMENT TO INCLUDE WOMEN AND MIXED TEAMS IN 2020



For the first time in its 104-year history, **Southwestern Amateur** one of the country's leading tournaments for top-ranked men's amateurs, will open competition to women as well as mixed team play starting in 2020.

The event has been played at Desert Mountain Club for the past six years and the Club will continue to host the newly expanded, 105th annual tournament

scheduled June 17-20, 2020.

"We are excited to be breaking new ground by bringing an additional tournament to women's amateur golf as well as continuing the 105-year-old men's tournament," said John Ranslem, executive director of the Tournament.

In addition, the SWGA, sponsor of the tournament since 1915, is expanding the event to include mixed team play which will consist of one man and one woman per team for a total of 72 teams. "We think the team concept will be well-received by top-ranked amateur players worldwide," said Phil Mahoney, SWGA president.

The 2020 tournament will remain a four-day event and will be played on two Desert Mountain courses. The team event will be played the first two days while both men's and women's individual play will be over four days and 72 holes.

"The SWGA is proud to have supported men's amateur golf for more than 100 years and we now look forward to supporting women's amateur and team amateur play for the next millennium," Ranslem noted.

The longest-running men's tournament of its kind in the Southwestern U.S., the Southwestern Amateur has been won by many of today's PGA Tour and Champions Tour players like Jay Haas, Jim Carter, Ryan Palmer, Corey Pavin, Mark O'Meara and Nick Watney. Several recent winners, including J.T. Poston (2013) and Kyle Jones (2014), are now on the PGA Tour, and Kevin Dougherty (2011) is on the Web.com Tour.

Early stars of the event have included Bob Goldwater, the "Father of the Phoenix Open," who won at 17 in 1927 and twice more in 1942 and 1951; and Tucsonan Dr. Ed Updegraff, considered one of the greatest amateur golfers in the world, who won four times between 1954 and 1969.

Throughout its history, the Southwestern Amateur has been hosted by many clubs throughout Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada and West Texas, where the event was held at El Paso Country Club for 13 years.

The Southwestern Golf Association is a non-profit organization that promotes amateur golf in the Southwest.



**THE 104TH ANNUAL SOUTHWESTERN AMATEUR CHAMPION:
HUNTER OSTROM - NOTRE DAME UNIVERSITY**

Hailing from Meridian, Idaho, Senior Hunter Ostrom shot a final round five-under-par 65 (including a hole-in-one on #2) to capture the 104th Southwestern Amateur on Cochise course.

Ostrom finished at 16 under par.

Hunter's parents, Todd & Kim, recently purchased a home and golf membership at Desert Mountain and will be splitting their time between here and Meridian.

Welcome to Desert Mountain, Ostrom Family!

TURF TALK - 45 more days of golf a year? Yes please!



Jim Key, Agronomist



When the winter season of 2019/2020 arrives, Desert Mountain will have established cool season grasses on four golf courses and warm season grasses on three courses with established overseeded ryegrass. This 4/3 plan will provide more available tee times and avoid cart path restrictions during the fall season.

COOL SEASON COURSES

RENEGADE

Greens & fairways – bentgrass (007 and MacKenzie varieties)
Tees – bentgrass | Rough – tall fescue and bluegrass

NO. 7 AT DESERT MOUNTAIN

Greens & fairways – bentgrass (007 and MacKenzie varieties)
Tees – ryegrass | Rough – ryegrass

CHIRICAHUA

Greens & approaches – bentgrass (007 and MacKenzie varieties)
Fairways – ryegrass | Tees – ryegrass
Rough – ryegrass/tall fescue & bluegrass

APACHE

Greens – bentgrass – Dominant variety
Fairways, rough & tees – ryegrass

WARM SEASON COURSES

COCHISE AND GERONIMO

Greens – bentgrass
Fairways, rough & tees – bermudagrass base with full overseeded ryegrass

OUTLAW

Greens – bentgrass
Fairways & rough – Outlaw will not be overseeded again in 2019 due to the conversion of Apache to cool season ryegrass. However, it will be in the overseed rotation in future years.
Tees – bermudagrass base with overseeded ryegrass

COOL SEASON GRASSES

These grasses grow best when temperatures are 65-75 degrees Fahrenheit. However, many varieties have adapted to grow well in warmer regions of the country, even the desert southwest. Turfgrass researchers continuously develop new grasses for use on golf courses and turfgrass managers have identified cultural programs to maintain cool season grasses on a year around basis.

Creeping bentgrass (*Agrostis palustris*)

is a cool season species that is normally adapted to cool, humid environments such as those found in the northeastern United States. However, plant geneticists have developed new bentgrasses that grow well in our environment. Research plots at Desert Mountain have identified varieties named 007 and MacKenzie that are now established on the greens at Outlaw and Cochise as well as the new greens and fairways at Renegade, No. 7 and the new greens at Chiricahua. This grass is well suited for putting greens because it spreads horizontally by stolons (above ground stems) and forms a dense sod that tolerates close mowing.

Perennial ryegrass (*Lolium perenne*) is a widely used grass on golf courses for winter overseeding. It establishes quickly from seed and provides deep green color through the winter season when bermudagrass is dormant and brown. Bermudagrass will out compete ryegrass in the summer heat although some ryegrass plants will persist as “clumpy” ryegrass which is difficult to control.

Tall fescue (*Festuca arundinaceae*) is one of the most heat tolerant out of all cool-season grasses. It is a very durable grass which tolerates traffic with good recovery from underground stems.

Kentucky bluegrass (*Poa pratensis*) forms a dense, medium textured turf with dark green color. It is adapted to cooler regions of the country but will grow in semi-arid, transition zone locations.

WARM SEASON GRASSES

Bermudagrass (*Cynodon dactylon* x *transvaalensis*)

Bermudagrass is native to eastern Africa but has been widely distributed throughout the warm humid, tropical and subtropical regions of the world. Most golf courses are planted with hybrid, turf-type bermudagrasses. 419 or Tifway bermudagrass is the most widely used hybrid bermudagrass for golf courses, including Desert Mountain. It is a fine textured, deep green grass that is very tolerant of most environmental stresses, although it will not grow in shade. Bermudagrass will go dormant and turn brown in the winter with the frost. It is overseeded with ryegrass in the fall and must go through transition back to bermudagrass in the late spring/early summer.

save the date...

RED, WHITE & BLUE DAY
Thursday, July 4 | Outlaw Course

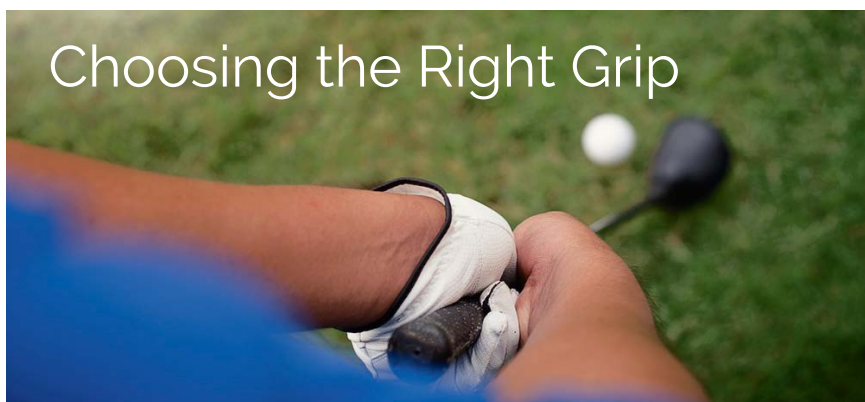
MONSOON MEMBER/MEMBER
Saturday, July 27 | Geronimo Course

CROSS COUNTRY PRO/AM
Saturday, August 10 | Outlaw Course

**INAUGURAL SUMMER SEASON
MEMBER/GUEST**
Sunday, August 11 | Geronimo Course

**THE GILA MONSTER -
Superintendent's Revenge Pro/Am**
Monday, September 2 | Geronimo Course

SCRAMBLE WITH A TWIST
Saturday, September 14 | Renegade Course



Much of the focus when selecting and customizing clubs is directed towards the club head and the shaft. The grip is the only point of communication between the player and the club, and also happens to be the easiest and quickest alteration that can be made.

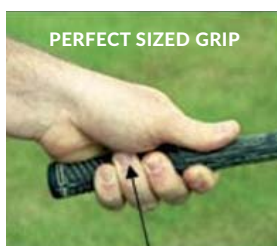
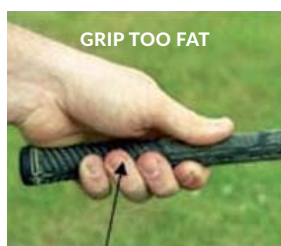
Materials

The most common materials used in golf grips include rubber, silicon, elastomer, and plastic. Weather plays an important role in which of these materials best suits each player. Corded grips, such as the Golf Pride Z Grip or the MCC, provide great moisture management to keep the club securely in your hands with light grip pressure. The Winn DriTac series also provides excellent grip in warm weather for those looking for a softer and tackier feel.

Size and Taper

The size of the grip can be determined by holding the club in your lead hand at the top of the grip. The fingers wrapped around the grip should barely touch the palm of your hand. After size has been selected, we then move onto the three types of taper to choose from — traditional, reduced, and non-taper. This can affect both the feel of the club as well as face rotation. Tapered grips promote face rotation, making it preferred for players who tend to slice. They also give more feel for the less technical player.

Reduced and non-tapered grips reduce the rotation of the club head and help reduce hooks. The Golf Pride MCC +4, for example, has the equivalent of four extra wraps of tape underneath the low hand. Alongside changing ball flight, these grips also provide relief from arthritic pain. Due to their size and shock absorption, Golf Pride's CP2 Pro/Wrap and Winn's Excel W7 are both great for those with arthritis.



Next Level Design

The Phantom X is the most technically advanced putter designed by Scotty Cameron. The collection includes nine new mallet designs with three different neck styles that reduce face rotation throughout the stroke.

Alignment

While a center line is more common, Scotty Cameron uses the full front to back lines that frame the ball for alignment. The three dots pinpoint the center of the face, and the brightly colored paint fill against the dark aluminum ensures players can line up with ease.

Materials

The face and sole of the Phantom X is constructed as one solid piece of light-weight 6061 aircraft grade aluminum. A heavier 303 stainless steel has been used around the perimeter to increase MOI and resist twisting of the club head with off center hits.

Grip

Scotty Cameron's Pistolero Plus is a brand new grip that has less taper than the original Pistolero, adding the equivalent to two extra wraps under the lower hand. Less taper aligns with the performance characteristics of a mallet while still providing great feel.

Greg Norman X-Lite 50 Polos for Men

Cochise/Geronimo is debuting Greg Norman's new X-Lite 50 men's golf shirts for summer. This micro-woven technical fabric incorporates 4-way stretch and features PlayDry® moisture management. PlayDry® fabric wicks perspiration away from the skin and transports it to the garment's outer layer so it evaporates quickly. Perhaps the best feature of the new X-Lite 50 fabric is its UPF 30+ UV sun protection manufactured at half the weight of a typical golf shirt.

Not only is the X-Lite 50 golf shirt technologically advanced, it also offers an elegant, refined look on and off the golf course. Greg Norman has taken the best performance characteristics of a golf shirt and has made it as light as air with a clean crisp feel. Try the latest in technical performance fabric from Greg Norman and take your game to a new level.



Sun protection and safety is a top priority at our Club as it is critical to protect your skin from the harmful UVA and UVB rays of the sun. More people are diagnosed with skin cancer each year in the U.S. than all other cancers combined. This is why we are so active in sourcing brands and products that feature the best sun protective qualities, and we believe SParms delivers exactly this.

SParms is redefining sun safety by designing high-tech apparel for sport and leisure activities that features a combination of UPF50+ protection fabrics that cool your skin, are highly breathable, wick moisture and dry fast. The extremely lightweight, Italian fabric provides optimal comfort and adapts to enhance superior performance. Experience for yourself why SParms are the preferred choice by over 135 LPGA Tour players and their caddies. This exciting new product is now available at the Cochise/Geronimo Golf Shop in unisex arm sleeves and a shawl!

SParms
Best
Protection
Under
the Sun



MONSOON MADNESS

During the month of July, take advantage of tremendous savings in the open Desert Mountain shops! Enjoy 30% off all apparel and headwear, and 15% off bags, headcovers, gifts, and accessories. Plus, take an additional 10% off already discounted sales rack merchandise! Stop in today to get these limited time discounts on some new items for summer. See staff for details and exclusions.



BRINGING *Vision* TO LIFE

The Events & Catering team's quest is to take a vision created by the member and develop a one-of-a-kind culinary experience containing elements of outstanding food and service to produce a memorable event. From intimate gatherings to corporate events, our team has the flexibility to accommodate any occasion.

Desert Mountain Club offers a variety of settings, both indoor and outdoor, that provide an entirely new dimension to catered affairs. We can create any ambiance from a rustic BBQ to a casual golf group dinner to an elegant anniversary celebration. The possibilities are endless.

Consider your next corporate meeting at Desert Mountain. Our Events & Catering team will ensure every detail is arranged, from a creative menu with expertly paired wines for that celebratory dinner, developing a customized teambuilding activity, to arranging all your audio/visual needs for a business conference.

Another option that appeals to generational appetites that favor ethnic variety, quality ingredients, quick service and relatively low price points is the Desert Mountain Food Truck. Our Food Truck is a fun alternative to an in-home catered event.

**IN-HOME CATERING
MEETINGS**

**TEAM BUILDING
WEDDINGS**

**FOOD TRUCK
GROUP RECEPTIONS**

**HOLIDAY EVENTS
CELEBRATIONS**



STRESSED OVER THE HOLIDAYS?

tired of barking
up the wrong
tree?

no worries!

Desert Mountain Catering
would love to be part
of your 2019 holiday
party!

Let us plan your
menu, toss the
tinsel and get the
jingle bells jingling!

Call or email us
today and let us
host your jolly
holiday party with
that special "vision"
from our Events
& Catering team.

DESERT MOUNTAIN EVENTS & CATERING
480-595-4146 | CATERING@DESERTMT.COM

Limiting Food Waste and Saving Money does Taste Better

We all enjoy saving...saving money, saving time...but there is also saving our resources, like food. Chef Bertrand shares with us how he reduces food waste in his own kitchen by using scraps from his everyday cooking.

1. Keep all vegetable scraps (stems, cores, etc.) in a sealed bag in the freezer. Once you have enough scraps, throw them in water and simmer on the stove for about 1 hour until you have a nice vegetable stock ready to use for your next meal.
2. Using the same steps as above, don't throw away those delicious rotisserie or fried chicken bones. Keep them in the freezer to make a delicious chicken stock.
3. When cooking with tomatoes, put all the seeds and scraps you don't use, even tomatoes that are over ripe, in a sealed bag in the freezer to make a homemade tomato sauce. See Chef Bertrand's recipe on the next page!



FEATURED DISH

Ricotta Tortellini with Variations of Peas and Carrots



This delicious dish at Seven is comprised of handmade tortellini, stuffed with ricotta cheese and parmesan. The pasta sits on a bed of sweet carrot purée and is tossed with shaved organic carrots, roasted carrots, snap peas, snow peas, green peas and pea tendrils. It's a perfectly light but filling pasta dish to complement the warm summer weather.



Chef Bertrand's CLASSIC TOMATO SAUCE

ingredients

1/4 cup olive oil
1 onion, finely diced
1 bay leaf
1 teaspoon chopped fresh oregano or 1/2 teaspoon dried
2 garlic gloves, roughly chopped
2 teaspoons salt or to taste
2 tablespoons tomato paste
4 ripe tomatoes (and scraps) chopped
Two 28-ounce cans whole San Marzano tomatoes in their liquid

preparation

Heat the olive oil in a large pot over medium heat. Add the onions, bay leaf, oregano, garlic and salt and cook, stirring often, until the onions are soft and translucent, about 10 minutes.

Add the tomato paste and continue cooking for 5 minutes. Add the tomatoes and stir constantly until the sauce begins to boil. Lower the heat and simmer for 1 hour, stirring every 5 minutes or so to prevent the sauce on the bottom of the pot from burning. Taste and season with additional salt if desired. Remove the bay leaf before serving.

Once your sauce is made, freeze in portions appropriate for your family and plan your next meals using those ingredients.

MAMMA MIA HERE WE GO AGAIN!



Join us for an evening of fabulous Mediterranean cuisine matched with unique wines from Greece while being entertained by **ABBAFAB!**

ABBAFAB! is a stunning tribute to the music of ABBA. There's no generation gap here; just memorable music and memories. They offer a truly unique experience you will not soon forget.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9 | COCHISE/GERONIMO | \$75
6 p.m. reception, 7 p.m. dinner, 7:30 p.m. show

save the date...

OLD WORLD WINE TOUR

Wednesday, July 24 | 6 p.m.
Cochise/Geronimo Clubhouse

BOURBON & BBQ

Tuesday, August 27 | 6 p.m.
Outlaw Clubhouse

DINNER ON THE TITANIC

Friday, September 13 | 6 p.m.
Cochise/Geronimo Clubhouse

SEAFOOD NIGHT

Tuesday, September 24 | 6 p.m.
Cochise/Geronimo Clubhouse

it's the life at Desert Mountain...





RENEGADE RE-OPENS

Soft open dates: June 11 - July 14
Reopen date: September 5



SONORAN | AT DESERT MOUNTAIN

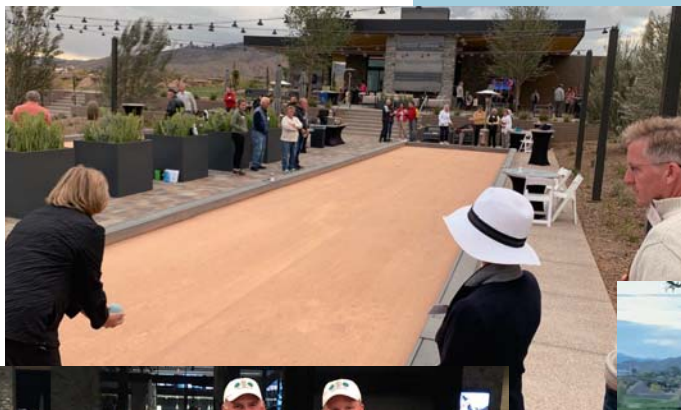
SUMMER OPEN PLAY AT SEVEN

Every Tuesday, beginning July 9, we will be hosting open play bocce at the Seven Clubhouse. There are two time slots available on a first come, first served basis — 6 or 7:30 p.m. and members need to register weekly on the Club calendar. There is no fee but there will be a \$5 no show per person. Members may indicate who they wish to partner with and we will do our best to accommodate. Each team of eight members will play three 25-minute games with assignments given at the start of the evening. Same playing rules apply as the DM Bocce League.

If time slots are not full on the website, we welcome walk-up players to join the fun! Order from the delicious Seven menu during play.

Open Play Schedule: Every Tuesday
July 9-September 3, 6-7:30 p.m. or 7:30-9 p.m.

July 9
July 16
July 23
July 30
August 6
August 13
August 20
August 27
September 3



Summer Bocce League Champions

Congratulations to the winners of the 2019 Summer Bocce League, **Chewbocce!**

Team Captain — Tom Kuerschner

Team Co-Captain — Eric Burdon

Teammates —

Kurt Buckowich, Maggie Buckowich,

Craig McKibben, Mel McKibben,

Stefanie Kuerschner, Robert Clark, Julie Clark,

Tricia Burdon, Bobbi Winter, Robert Winter,

Dan Dreyer, Dottie Dreyer

oh the Deboccery!

FIRST YEAR OF BOCCE BALL

The Desert Mountain Bocce League started in the fall of 2018 as a social activity for our members to get to know their neighbors and socialize with their friends from around the Club. The inauguration of the bocce league was a great success! The league started with one day and two time slots at the Sonoran Clubhouse for the fall season. Due to its immediate popularity, the league was increased to two days with four time slots as we moved into the spring season at the Sonoran Clubhouse. For the summer league, spots immediately filled with one day and three time slots at the Seven Clubhouse. Our member involvement more than doubled from the fall 2018 season to the spring 2019 season, and we are expecting to have a 313% increase from the 2018 fall league to the 2019 fall league. We are looking forward to welcoming more members to this fast-growing Club activity!

FALL:	92 Players
SPRING:	195 Players
SUMMER:	146 Players
Projected for fall 2019:	288 Players





BOCCE 101

If you are interested in learning how to play bocce, our activities coordinator, Haven Lewis, is available for lessons and will be hosting Bocce 101 events for members to learn how to play. Members can sign up for Bocce 101 through our member website.

**JULY 10, AUGUST 7 & SEPTEMBER 4
6-8 P.M. | SEVEN CLUBHOUSE**

REGISTRATION FOR FALL LEAGUE

Registration for the Fall Bocce League will open on the member website on Thursday, August 1, and will close on Sunday, September 1. Members can sign up as a single, couple, with a team, or as a substitute. The cost is \$25/person to play in the league.

Due to the high demand for the leagues, members must sign up using the form on the bocce ball page under Sonoran. Sign-ups emailed or called in will not be accepted as this is a first come, first served registration and we don't want to miss anyone. The Fall Bocce League is a six-week league with the playoffs/championship held on the seventh week. The fall league will be played at Seven Clubhouse.

Fall Bocce League Schedule:
Tuesdays at 3, 4:15 & 5:30 p.m.
 October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
 November 5
 November 12 - playoffs
Wednesdays at 3, 4:15 & 5:30 p.m.
 October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
 November 6
 November 13 - playoffs

For information on bocce classes, leagues or play, contact
 Haven Lewis
 Activities Coordinator
 hlewis@desertmt.com
 480-595-4364



EQUIPMENT ORIENTATION

Each year, the Fitness Team works together on selecting new equipment with cutting-edge technology, which could be potentially confusing to first-time users. We will help you understand how to select, adjust and use the equipment that will best suit your needs. Check out what is new in the Fitness Center for 2019.

- New Circuit Area for "Pump & Burn" Class (and member individual use), including:
 - Rubberized flooring at this space
 - 5' TRX A-Frame with two TRX Suspension Training Straps
 - Dumbbell Rack with 2 sets of 15, 20, 25, 30 and 35 pound weights
 - Two Stages SC3 Spin Bikes
 - Two Concept2 Rowers
- Cybex Dual-Stack Cable Crossover
- Cybex Eagle Leg Press
- Cybex Eagle Arm Curl
- Cybex ARC Trainer
- Concept2 Skierg
- Two Upright Espresso Bikes
- Two Matrix Crankcycles
- Matrix Climbmill
- Two NuStep Recumbent Bikes
- Two Precor Upright Bikes
- SciFit Pro UBE (Upper Body Ergometer)
- Two Stairmaster Free Climbers
- Technogym Anterior & Posterior FLEXability pieces
- True Recumbent Bike

To schedule an orientation, please contact Jim Franklin, Director of Fitness & Wellness
jfranklin@desertmt.com.

TENNIS/PICKLEBALL EVENTS

WIMBLEDON WOODIES AND WHITES - July 13, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Wood rackets and all white attire to pay homage to Wimbledon. We will have customary Wimbledon strawberries and cream, and will play grass court inspired doubles.

US OPEN MEN'S FINAL VIEWING PARTY - September 8, 12:30-4:30 p.m. We will be bringing out the big screen at the Sonoran to watch the finals of the US Open Grand Slam. There will be a buffet lunch, raffle prizes, and fun competition throughout the match.

PICKLEBALL SUMMER SHOOTOUT SERIES - July 12, August 16, September 6, 7-10 a.m. Competitive round-robin format shootout. See who ends up on top of the Mountain by the end of the summer!



GOLF CROQUET SUMMER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	Social Play 9-11 a.m.
TUESDAY	Casual Play 9-11 a.m.
WEDNESDAY	Ladies Play 8:30-9:30 a.m.
	Competitive Play 9:30-11:30 a.m.
FRIDAY	Mimosa & Mallets 9-11 a.m.

AMORGOS GREECE RETREAT

Health, Wellness & Adventure

JULY 3-8, 2020

APHRODITE BASIC PACKAGE

\$1,599 PP/SGL | \$1,099 PP/DBL

- Five nights at Aegialis Hotel & Spa
- Fresh, local breakfast and dinner daily
- One relaxing spa massage
- Rejuvenating movement classes daily
- Indoor/outdoor saltwater pool, spa & fitness
- Hotel transportation upon arrival and departure

OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE:

Authentic Greek cooking class & wine tasting	\$85
Historic bus tour of Amorgos and Monastery	\$60
Exciting boat adventure in the Aegean Sea	\$120

Contact Wendie Marlais or Emily Grout,
DM Yoga and Pilates instructors at:
wmarlais@desertmt.com or egrout@desertmt.com
Registration Deadline December 6, 2019

Famed for its clear waters, iconic monastery and authentic Cycladic character, Amorgos is an island of endless fascination, history, beauty and special energy.

In antiquity, Amorgos was selected for the Temple of Apollo, and its water Oracle. Today, the same magnetic attraction beguiles wellness enthusiasts, which flock to the island, attracted by its strong revitalizing energy and the abundance of therapeutic herbs, which make Amorgos the perfect place for spiritual and physical uplift.

Aegialis Hotel & Spa is the only 5-star property on Amorgos island. All rooms offer amazing views of the Aegean Sea and beach!



MONTHLY SPECIALS - JULY

ANDA SKINCARE - NEW!

Holistic sustenance for your skin, rich in vital nutrients that offer clinically-proven, transformative results to improve not only complexion but skin wellness.

THE VITAL FACIAL | 60 MINUTES | \$115 (\$125 value)

After a self-love meditation nourishes the spirit, multi-function organic products rich in adaptogenic vital nutrients visibly revitalize the skin. A massage cleanse, paired masques and custom ANDA product blend are enhanced with specialized Gua Sha techniques and dynamic structured water elixer.

NEROLI BLOSSOM MASSAGE

60 or 90 MINUTES | \$100/135 (\$110/145 value)

Renew and refresh body, energy and spirit with this therapeutic treatment incorporating dry brush, tension release, energy and breathing techniques with the uplifting essence of Neroli.

MONTHLY SPECIALS - AUGUST

ORGANIC OXYGEN GLOW TREATMENT

60 MINUTES | \$145 (\$155 value)

This treatment brings together corrective organic ingredients and oxygen to pack a powerful hydrating and brightening glow. We start with a revitalizing organic enzyme treatment that will exfoliate and bring blood flow, promoting your skin's natural radiance. This treatment will strengthen elasticity, soften fine lines and promote healing.

CUSTOMIZED ORGANIC AROMATHERAPY MASSAGE

60 or 90 MINUTES | \$100/130 (\$110/145 value)

Taking massage to the next level, this enhanced treatment begins with a warm eucalyptus foot compress. Lavender-infused towels warm the body as a calming aromatic ritual imparts comfort and serenity.

MONTHLY SPECIALS - SEPTEMBER

MANGOSTEEN RESURFACING FACIAL

60 MINUTES | \$130 (\$140 value)

Reveal your inner radiance with Eminence Organics' proprietary Lactic Acid Complex paired with antioxidant-rich "super fruit" Mangosteen. Ideal for all skin types, this deep-cleansing facial gently resurfaces dull skin, minimizes pores and refines skin tone.

AROMA SENSORY RETREAT

90 MINUTES | \$140 (\$155 value)

Enjoy a customized mineral salt scrub, cocoon wrap with invigorating foot massage and finishing with a revitalizing full body massage.

Customize your sensory retreat with your choice of Lavender, Ginger or Neroli Oil.



Everyone had a great time at OdySea for the Kid's Day Out event on Monday, June 3. The Mountain Coach was there to escort everyone to and from the aquarium after watching all the different sea life and enjoying lunch. The next trip is planned for September, so sign up now!

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21. Depart Sonoran at 8:45 a.m., returning at 2 p.m. Visit the member website or contact Ali Royer to sign up at aroyer@desertmt.com.

STAND UP PADDLEBOARDING ON BARTLETT LAKE

The June Paddleboarding excursion was a sold out hit and it's no wonder. Spending the morning on a beautiful lake surrounded by rolling hills and soaring hawks is the perfect way to start a summer day! And, when you go with Desert Mountain we handle all the planning for you. The Mountain Coach will transport you to and from nearby Bartlett Lake, you will receive a quick lesson on the proper rowing techniques and then head out on a 2-hour guided tour around the lake. Wrap up the morning with lunch on the docks looking out at the serene lake. If you missed the first excursion, you are in luck as we will be heading out each month through September. Whether you are new or have paddleboarded before you are sure to have a blast! All ages are welcome.



CLUB LIFE | ON THE MOUNTAIN



2019-2020 DM SPEAKER & DINNER SERIES

Registration begins early July.
Subscribe while space is available!

We are very pleased to announce the 2019–2020 season of the Desert Mountain Speaker and Dinner Series. Please take a moment to look at the line up and learn how to register. Registration begins early July, watch your email for the online form and speaker biography.

FORMAT FOR THE SERIES

Membership for the entire series is \$125 per person. This up-front fee provides the season's budget, which is used only to pay the modest speaker fees and their expenses. As in years past, all members pay the same fee regardless of the number of events they attend.

Each of the six events begins with a half-hour reception from 5:30-6 p.m. and dinner from 6-7 p.m. at the Cochise/Geronimo Clubhouse. Your Desert Mountain membership will be charged for your meal (\$38 per person) and any alcoholic beverages you might order. The camaraderie enjoyed during the reception and dinner adds to the fun of the evenings. In the Sunset Terrace, between 7-8 p.m., the speakers present for approximately 45 minutes and then take questions. On occasion, books will be available for purchase.

THE LINE UP

OCTOBER 15, 2019 – “Madame President” - Suzy Whaley, PGA/LPGA President, PGA Master Professional

NOVEMBER 12, 2019 – “Nothing Will Ever Be the Same” - Zak Dychtwald, Author, *Young China: How the Restless Generation will Change their Country and the World*

JANUARY 21, 2020 – “A Biographer’s Journey” - Evan Thomas, Journalist, Historian, Best-selling Author

FEBRUARY 18, 2020 – “Fighting Global Infectious Disease and Bioterrorism” - George Poste, DVM, Ph.D., Innovator in Public Health and Global Biosecurity

MARCH 17, 2020 – “Navigating the Ocean in Canoes” - Stefan Krause, Ph.D., Cultural Anthropologist

APRIL 14, 2020 – “Reaching New Heights” - Alan Mallory, Adventurer, Author, Performance Coach

WATER ACTIVITIES

Stay cool this summer at one of these fun water venues. A splashing good time for the entire family!

Salt River Tubing
Mesa | 480-984-3305

Hurricane Harbor Phoenix
Glendale | 623-201-2000

Big Surf
Tempe | 480-994-2297

Oasis Water Park
Phoenix | 602-438-9000

OdySea Aquarium
Scottsdale | 480-291-8000



As part of the National Concierge Association, Member Services works with many amazing vendors, tour and attraction companies, as well as local hotels to find some of the most amazing activities for our members to experience. Here is just one event that is close to home and will help you stay cool this summer!

DESERT BELLE CRUISE

The Desert Belle Cruise is offered at Saguaro Lake in East Mesa – a 1-hour and 10 minute drive from Desert Mountain Club. Hop on board the Desert Belle, a restored sightseeing vessel, for a narrated 90-minute cruise with spectacular views of the desert landscape. Snap photos of Tonto National Forest, and look for local wildlife such as bald eagles, coyotes and bobcats.

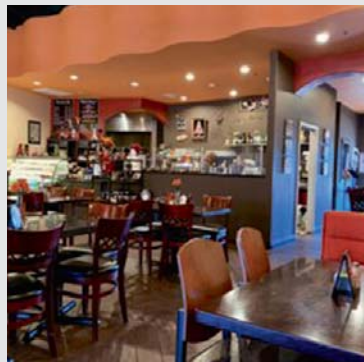
Make it a date...



THE CITY CREAMERY

6268 E. Cave Creek Rd.
480-397-1130

Take it back to the good ol' days by having ice cream with your spouse or a friend at the new ice creamery in Cave Creek. Open 7 days a week, The City Creamery is a family-run operation featuring all hand-churned and home-made ice cream.



THE VILLAGE COFFEE & CREPERIE

7100 E. Cave Creek Rd., Suite 138
480-488-3835

Another fun option for breakfast/brunch at The Village Coffee & Creperie, where they use authentic French crêpe griddles to make their savory and sweet treats!

mosaic glass class

Tuesday, September 24
Cochise/Geronimo Upstairs Library
10 a.m.-5 p.m.
This is a beginner abstract glass class.

Take a look at what your fellow members have been up to!
A gallery of finished projects were on display in the Cochise/Geronimo breezeway in May.



OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES for ADULTS & FAMILIES

The summer means many opportunities to get away for a day trip to go hiking or spend the afternoon at a museum. Take a look at some of the activities planned for the entire family to enjoy.

JULY

HIKE IN SEDONA

Monday, July 29

The red rocks are calling! Sedona is a hiker's paradise and for good reason. Join us as we get out of the heat for the day and enjoy a scenic hike in beautiful red rock country. Transportation provided.

AUGUST

ARIZONA MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY

Monday, August 12

Be a hometown tourist with us for the day as we explore the many archaeology, paleontology and native cultural exhibits of the Arizona Museum of Natural History. Transportation provided.

HIKE IN FLAGSTAFF

Monday, August 26

No time like the present to head up to Arizona's mountains and pines. Get ready for a full day of adventure as we hike in the cool, crisp air of Flagstaff. Transportation provided.

SEPTEMBER

ARIZONA SCIENCE CENTER

Monday, September 16

Hometown tourism continues as we visit the place of wonder and imagination. Perfect for all ages. Transportation provided.

HIKE IN SEDONA

Monday, September 23

Join us for this last hike of the summer season in Sedona. Transportation provided.

Pick up a copy of the Summer on the Mountain publication for more details or visit the member website.

DM|GIVESBACK



The Desert Mountain Foundation is a non profit organization benefiting Desert Mountain employees and community. DMF is aligned with the Arizona Community Foundation

DMF ANNOUNCES THE ESTABLISHMENT OF HELPING HANDS, EMPLOYEE EMERGENCY HARDSHIP FUND



Helping Hands is a hardship fund to help employees weather a financial crisis that results from a serious, unexpected event completely out of their control. Many of these circumstances prevent our employees from providing basic needs, for themselves or their families, such as shelter, food, transportation or healthcare. Often, the employee in crisis has to leave his or her job at Desert Mountain because of the problem. Such a fund qualifies for 501(c)3 status with the Internal Revenue Service and is highly regulated to ensure the program is fair, consistent and accessible to those in need.

We need such a program at Desert Mountain because, on average per month, 3-4 employees face hardships that would qualify for assistance. Helping Hands is a professionally administered fund that allows members to receive a tax deduction for their donations. Typically, the fund will pay a company or agent (such as a hospital) on behalf of the employee. The payment is tax exempt for the employee.

As important, this valuable benefit can be a differentiator for our Club as it competes to attract and retain top talent in the Phoenix-metro area.

Applications will be anonymous and done online. A group of members will make the decisions within 72-hours and Keli Greenberg, Executive Director of Human Resources will act as an advisor with no vote.

Please visit the "Desert Mountain Gives Back" section of the member website to learn more about the Helping Hands employee hardship fund.

save the date

DESERT MOUNTAIN FOUNDATION

Home & Lifestyle Party

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2019
COCHISE/GERONIMO CLUBHOUSE
4-6:30 P.M.

Food, Drink, Friends, Sponsors, Prizes,
Robert Seaton entertaining, and much more!

SUPPORT THE DMF EMPLOYEE SCHOLARSHIP FUND



2019/2020 DESERT MOUNTAIN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

We are pleased to announce our 2019/20 Scholarship winners! In April, a team of volunteers reviewed each application, discussed the merits of each, voted on who should receive awards and forwarded the recommended list to the DMF Board of Advisors for approval. Eighteen students have been awarded \$50,500. *Thank you Desert Mountain residents and Club members, we couldn't do it without you. Our total scholarship awards are \$266,250 in seven short years.*

Please join us in congratulating Whitney Cherekos, wife of Andrew Cherekos, and Gabby Keller, daughter of Francine Keller on their graduations!



Michael Antahn
son of Kathleen Antahn,
Senior Accounting Clerk,
DMC
Will attend Gateway
Community College,
studying Respiratory
Therapy



**Benjamin Alvarez
Martinez***
son of Ana Palestino, CG
Banquet Captain, DMC
Attending U of A,
studying Women and
Gender Studies
Russ Lyon Sotheby's Scholar



Annalyse (Annie) Harris
Server at Seven, DMC
Attending ASU, studying
Criminal Justice/
Criminology
*Moe Krabbe and Suzy
Shanbrom-Krabbe Scholar*



Jane Heddles-Flint
Massage Therapist,
Sonoran Spa, DMC
Will obtain a Craniosacral
Certificate from Well
Being Retreat Center



**Melany Hernandez
Marquez***
daughter of Michel
Hernandez de la Osa,
Assistant Golf Course
Superintendent, Cochise
DMC, Attends ASU,
studying Global
Management
Jaque.Design Scholar



Mackenzie Lizarraga*
daughter of
Anibal Lizarraga
Carrillo, Mechanic III,
Geronimo DMC
Attends ASU College,
studying Education
Pinnacle Aviation Scholar



Juan Marquez Garcia
Café Verde Specialist,
Sonoran Clubhouse, DMC
Will attend Paradise
Valley Community
College,
studying Fashion



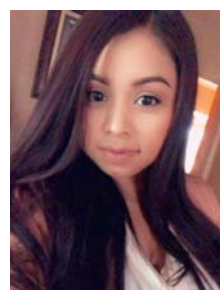
**Christopher Martinez
Reyes**
son of Martin Martinez
Vasquez, Irrigation
Technician, Apache, DMC
Attends Glendale
Community College,
studying Exercise and
Wellness



Kelly Montana*
Personal Trainer, Sonoran
Clubhouse, DMC
Will attend Titleist
Performance Institute



Mario Ortega
son of Mario Ortega
Evangelista, Equipment
Operator III, Apache,
DMC
Attending Phoenix
College, studying
Engineering



Nancy Ortega*
daughter of Mario Ortega
Evangelista, Equipment
Operator III, APC, DMC
Attends Northern
Arizona University,
studying Nursing
Russ Lyon Sotheby's Scholar



Jessica Plasencia*
daughter of Leonardo
Plasencia Lugo,
Equipment Operator,
GER, DMC
Attends ASU,
studying Psychology
Russ Lyon Sotheby's Scholar



Alyssa Ramirez*
daughter of Arturo
Ramirez, Chef de Cuisine,
OLW, DMC
Attends Grand Canyon
University, studying
Environmental Science



Ezekiel Randall
son of Andrea Randall,
CFO, DMC
Will attend U of A,
studying Architecture



Mekena Sparks
daughter of Rodney
Sparks, Golf Course
Maintenance Coordinator,
DMC
Will attend Grand Canyon
University, studying
Business Administration
and Performing Arts
Russ Lyon Sotheby's Scholar



Tena Marie Wilson*
Massage Therapist,
Sonoran Clubhouse, DMC
Will attend a Medical
Massage Therapy Class



Taryn Wyckoff
Fitness Desk Specialist,
Sonoran Clubhouse,
DMC, daughter of Kathy
Wyckoff, Director of
Member Services, DMC
Will attend ASU,
studying Finance
John E. Evard, Jr. Scholar

*Denotes repeat Scholar recipient.



CARE is a 100% volunteer organization of Desert Mountain members working together to achieve a shared vision – win the fight against cancer. The results are millions raised for local world-class cancer research, countless friendships built, and lots of fun had; which is why CARE's close-knit volunteer community has been thriving for over 20 years.



For more information about volunteering with CARE, email CARE@caredm.org

CARE is a 501(c)(3) organization.



Russ
Lyon

Sotheby's
INTERNATIONAL REALTY

The #1 Real Estate Company
Sales Volume & Units Sold
In Desert Mountain

The Onsite Sales Team



JOANIE BARREIRO
480.235.2776
joanie.barreiro@russlyon.com



CHERYL D'ANNA
480.319.3800
cheryl.danna@russlyon.com



DONNA LEGATE-TERRY
602.399.0829
donna.legate@russlyon.com



BARRY CONSER
602.790.3313
barry.conser@russlyon.com



PAUL PERRY
602.319.1110
paul.perry@russlyon.com



PATRICK RICE
970.846.5461
patrickrice@russlyon.com



SHAWN CHAPPEL
480.329.2020
shawn.chappel@russlyon.com



BOB TERRY
602.370.0644
bob.terry@russlyon.com



JIM SMITH
602.882.0534
jim.smith@russlyon.com



KATHLEEN LANE
480.489.2655
kathleen.lane@russlyon.com



CYNTHIA KOLANDER
480.980.4073
cynthia.kolander@russlyon.com



JAMES KOLANDER
480.326.5775
james.kolander@russlyon.com



BRIAN HERRERA
480.244.8298
brian.herrera@russlyon.com



KEITH MARSHALL
602.809.4100
keith.marshall@russlyon.com



KIRK MARSHALL
602.882.2112
kirk.marshall@russlyon.com



MICHELLE O'NEILL
480.776.9958
michelle.oneill@russlyon.com



ELIZABETH GILLENWATER
602.882.8184
elizabeth.gillenwater@russlyon.com



JAN LUX
480.363.3543
jan.lux@russlyon.com



MIKE DOYLE
602.390.0494
mike.doyle@russlyon.com



KATHY REED
480.262.1284
kathy.reed@russlyon.com



HUGH REED
480.570.6939
hugh.reed@russlyon.com



DAN WOLSKI
480.266.7557
dan.wolski@russlyon.com



TAMI HENDERSON
480.341.2815
tami.henderson@russlyon.com



ANNE MORRISSEY
480.205.2941
anne.morrissey@russlyon.com



KAREN BALDWIN
480.694.0098
karen.baldwin@russlyon.com



KATHLEEN BENOIT
480.544.5565
kathleen.benoit@russlyon.com



BEE FRANCIS
602.679.3193
bee.francis@russlyon.com

Supporting Cast



JOE KIEGL
Managing Broker



TROY GILLENWATER
Managing Partner



JACK O'KEEFE
Managing Partner



DEEMS DICKINSON
Designated Broker



JOANIE BRADY
Office Manager



MIKE BALZOTTI
Director of Marketing



NADINE ARTECHE
Media Art Coordinator



DEREK ZIEDER
Chief Technology Officer



DM|STAFF



15, 20, 25, 30 YEAR CELEBRANTS



Desert Mountain Employees are shining bright at this year's "Day of the Stars" annual event held in the Sunset Terrace at Cochise/Geronimo Clubhouse.

Employees celebrating 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 and even 30 year anniversaries, get together to enjoy lunch, play "Deal or No Deal", laugh, and celebrate their accomplishments. Our very own Bernie Gonzalez celebrated 30 years at DM! Congratulations, Bernie!



5 AND 10 YEAR CELEBRANTS



Coming Q4 of 2019...

The Nagonie will be undergoing a revitalization — driven by stories of our very own membership. Send us your celebratory photos, story ideas and your favorite Desert Mountain moments. Look for the reimaged issue on newsstands October 2019!

NAGONIE - nuh-goh-nee - APACHE WORD FOR "STORY"

NAGONIE

Nagonie is the official newsletter for members of Desert Mountain Club.

If you have comments, photos or story ideas that you would like considered for publication in Nagonie, please contact us.
www.members.desertmountain.com

EDITORIAL TEAM

Kim Atkinson - katkinson@desertmt.com
Traci Williams - twilliams@desertmt.com

GRAPHIC DESIGN

Maryann Krusniak

Please address all correspondence to:
Nagonie, Desert Mountain Club, Inc.
10550 E. Desert Hills Drive | Scottsdale, Arizona 85262
© Copyright 2019 | Desert Mountain Club, Inc.