#### FAIRWAY VILLAS

# **NEWSLETTER**

## Notes From the Office:

- \*Thank you for your patience while the acoustics were installed inside the great room of both the Club and Lodge. There are four more panels to be put up in the Club, but it should not disrupt our activities. The furnishings at the Lodge will be put together, and that space will begin to be used as it has always been intended—another space for you all to enjoy and meet for cards, games, events, and community. We have unlocked the front doors to the Lodge, but please be aware that there may still be some hazards as furniture is being delivered and put together.
- \*With the Lodge opening as a new space to meet, we must remind all groups to contact Gina to find out if a specific room at the Club or Lodge is available before you meet. We use this information to ensure the space is properly stocked, cleaned, and open for scheduled groups and events taking place.
- \*Since updating the security at the Lodge, we have discovered that the key fob readers are slightly more sensitive. Please make sure you are contacting the reader with the flat side of your fob. Please let Gina or Sabrina know if you have any problems going forward.
- \*Madhu will be out of town May 8<sup>th</sup> May 31<sup>st</sup>. During this time, Teresa Latimer, Kathy Villere, and Kay Williams will substitute teach all of Madhu's classes.

## Calendar Quick Links!

Fitness Class Schedule
Activity Schedule
May Calendar of Events

## **Upcoming Events**

#### Men's Pancake Breakfast

Clubhouse Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup> / 8:00AM
Join Jack Sargent and the men of Fairway Villas for a pancake breakfast. You are welcome to come earlier and enjoy a cup of coffee. Cost is \$10.00 per person. Please plan to pay the day of the event. Contact Jack at jacksargent4@aol.com if you'd like to help set up or flip the cakes! For more details or to secure your spot CLICK HERE!

## **Beginner Poker Workshop**

Lodge *Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> | 6:30PM*Our resident poker expert and group lead, Lloyd Jenssen, will be holding another Beginner Poker Workshop! He will be covering the basics again, while also building on what was taught last time. Newcomers and those that came to the last workshop are always welcome. We will start promptly at 6:30pm. There will be a \$5 buy in per game. Please bring in nickels, dimes, and quarters. (Some change will be available for trade.) JOIN!

## Cinco de Mayo!

Clubhouse Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup> / 5:00PM Chef Damien Vartanian will be cooking a Mexican feast right here in our own kitchen at the clubhouse. Some beverages will be available, but please bring your own if you want something specific. Dinner will be served at 5:00pm. Please let us know if you'll be coming!

## **Happy Hour on the Patio**

Clubhouse Friday, May 17<sup>th</sup> | 4:30PM Please join your fellow neighbors for a fun Friday Happy Hour! We are hoping for nice weather, and to be able to enjoy the warm spring weather on the patio at the clubhouse. Bring an appetizer to share and your beverage of choice. Let us know if you'll be joining!

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#### **Book Club**

Clubhouse *Tuesday*, *May* 7<sup>th</sup> / 6:30PM We will be discussing Go as a River, by Shelley Read.

#### **Crochet and Fiber Arts Club**

Clubhouse Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup> / 5:30-7:30 PM The Crochet Club will meet in front of the fireplace at the clubhouse. Any fiber artists-knitters, needlepointers, crosstitchers and crocheters alike are welcome to join! If you are interested in learning one of these fun, relaxing pastimes you are also welcomed to come ask questions of the experts in attendance.

## **Mother's Day Event**

Clubhouse Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> / 10:00AM
Join us for a morning celebrating the mothers, grandmothers, and all mother figures that reside in Fairway Villas! We will have a light breakfast and flower arranging. Let us know if you will be HERE! \*This event is just for the ladies.

## **Small Group Fitness**

Lodge *Tuesdays and Thursday 10-11AM*Certified Sr. Fitness Instructor, Anne Nolan, leads this one-hour fitness class. In these classes you will work on cardio, strength, flexibility, and balance. Class size is limited to 6 people. Please only sign up for one spot per week to maximize the number of residents able to participate.

May 7th ClassMay 9th ClassMay 14th ClassMay 16th Class

\*Anne's personal training slots are currently full, but for more information please reach out directly by texting her at: (813) 240-6429. She has a ... dedicated block of time at the Club, and a second block of time at the Lodge for personal training.

#### **FV World Series of Poker**

Clubhouse Fridays | 6:00PM

Next Tournaments: May 10th and 24th

#### **Bike Club**

Clubhouse Saturday, April 27th | 9:00AM

The Bike Club will also be utilizing Team Reach to organize throughout the season. The code is: Bikeclub6. If you need help logging into the app, please see Gina in the office. All rides are subject to cancellation due to weather or trail conditions. May 4<sup>th</sup> - Ride #2: Aurora Reservoir. Meet at the Aurora YMCA -- 6100 S Kewaunee Way, Aurora, CO 80016. This will be a 10-mile round trip with 100ft change in elevation, 70% paved roads, and 30% trail.

May 11<sup>th</sup> – Ride #3: Rocky Mountain Arsenal National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center. This will be an 18-mile round trip ride with 75ft change in elevation, 60% paved roads, 40% trail. We will pause at the visitor center before the return ride.

#### **Active Minds – Picasso**

Clubhouse Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup> / 10:30AM\*
Born in Spain in 1881, Pablo Picasso would live a life that would redefine the structure and concept of visual art. Over the course of his 91 years, his works as a painter and sculptor would be associated with various movements in 20th Century modern art, most notably Cubism. Join Active Minds as we explore the life and revolutionary works of Picasso.

## **Community Garage Sale**

Saturday, June 1st

Please let us know if you'd like your address to be highlighted on our 2024 Garage Sale map! Follow the LINK HERE.

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#### **Infant and Adult CPR/AED Class**

Clubhouse Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup> / 1:00-3:00PM One of our Fairway Villas residents, Randy Schrantz, recently became a certified CPR/AED instructor. Another date is being offered for this class to familiarize yourself with CPR and using an AED machine like the ones that are in the Club and Lodge. These classes will not include the actual certification. The purpose will be to have as many residents as possible able to assist in an emergency or lifesaving situation. Please arrive promptly at 1pm and prepare to stay until 3pm. The cost involved will be \$10 (cash) and is meant as a reimbursement to the church we are borrowing the manikins from. Class size is limited to 8 people. Please register HERE.

## New Club! Walking Group

Clubhouse and Lodge Daily | AM and PM Times A group of residents has started a walking group. They will begin meeting this Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup> in the evening. The following days and times will be tested for two weeks, and then depending on the response we will adjust the schedule. Meet by the door of the Lodge or Club depending on the meetup location indicated below.

Sunday, Wednesday, Friday: LODGE 6:15PM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday: CLUB 8:00AM

## Save the Date:

#### Men's Book Club

Clubhouse *Tuesday, May 28<sup>th</sup> | 10:00AM* The next book to be discussed will be: <u>The 6:20</u> Man, by David Baldacci.

## **Outdoor Pool Opening Potluck**

Clubhouse *Monday*, *May* 27<sup>th</sup> / 12:00PM More information to come!

## **GVR Day Trip to a Rockies Game!**

Clubhouse Thursday, June 20<sup>th</sup> / 11AM
The GVR Metro District is also inviting Fairway
Villas residents to take part in occasional day
trips. This first big day trip is to see the Colorado
Rockies play the Los Angeles Dodgers. The cost
is \$25 for outfield tickets, and the bus ride to the
stadium. The bus is limited to 14 people at this
time. More information is available on the flyer
attached to the Newsletter email. Please reach out
to Gina in the office if you have any questions!

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### Dear Friends at Fairway Villas,

First, let me start by saying Sabrina, Gina, and Nick are truly angels and I can't thank them enough for all the time and work they put into making the Elvis night such a huge success. We are so blessed here to have such an amazing staff that are always so willing to take on any project and to go the extra mile. Thank you all for an amazing night of fun and memories.

Next, let me say thank you to all my friends that worked on decorations, food, etc. and made the party run so smoothly from the beginning to the end. You guys are amazing!

Last, but certainly not least, let me thank everyone that showed up and participated in the party. I enjoyed seeing and visiting with each and every one of you.

I feel so incredibly blessed to have each one of you in my life. Words truly fail me in trying to tell you what you mean to me. Each one of you are my family and I am so truly grateful for each and every one of you.

I Love You All So Much!!!
Patti Cowell