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MARDI GRAS PARADE & PARTY

On Saturday, February 19, the OBSC will host the annual Mardi Gras Parade and Party. The theme this year is: **TIMES OF YOUR LIFE: your favorite decade.** The parade will start at the Club-house at 4:00PM; please arrive by 3:30PM for preliminary judging and staging. As per OBSC policy, we will have the best judges money can buy!! Awards will be given for the best overall, best conforming to theme, most quirky and the judges' favorite. The winners will be announced after dinner. We encourage everyone to participate in the parade, even if they do not have an entry. The club will supply Mardi Gras beads and trinkets, but please bring candy to throw to the crowds lining the parade route. Happy hour will start immediately after the parade. As usual, beer and wine will be flowing. Dinner will be served around 6:30PM. Jerry Ketelhut, Jr. and his crew will serve a fabulous Cajun meal. The main course will be killer cajun shrimp and jambalaya. The main course will be trimmed with Auntie Em's okra and tomatoes, fresh French bread and tossed salad. After dinner, we will indulge in bananas foster!! All this for the usual \$10/members and \$15/guests. Remember those flashbacks they warned us about?? Flashback to the 40's, 50's, 60's 70's or 80's and honor the times of your life at the OBSC Mardi Gras celebration.



COMING EVENTS • 2011

February 19 - Mardi Gras Parade & Dinner

Hosts: Jerry Ketelhut, Jr.

February 20 - General Meeting

March 19 - St. Patrick's Day

Host: Shirley McDonald

March 20 - General Meeting

April 16 - 25th Annual BBQ & Bash

Hosts: Tucson Sue Sledge & Helen Dahlstrom

May 7 - Steak Fry

Hosts: Lew & Agnes Felton

May 8 - Mothers' Day Brunch & Meeting

June 18 ?? - Summer Barbecue

OLD BOYS' AND GIRLS' BIRTHDAYS February - March



Shirley Jadus • Feb 1
Mike Lynch • Feb 2
Christine Helfers • Feb 2
Stan Christian • Feb 3
Barbara Dammann • Feb 6
Rich Davilla • Feb 9
Susie Lynch • Feb 15
Paty Lee • Feb 15
Jim Hurst • Feb 16
Bille Jo Crumpley • Feb 19
Maurine Henry • Feb 20
Agnes Felton • Feb 21

John Norsworthy • Feb 22
Crystal Renner • Feb 25
Ron Schremp • Feb 25
Roy Haenfler • Feb 29
Bev Hobbs • March 2
Terri Ross • March 4
Mark Mertel • March 5
Enedina Otanez • March 5
Ken Golash • March 8
Helen Dahlstrom • March 9
Estelle Maud • March 13
Brian Oesterreicher • Mar 14

Darren Dodd • March 15
Tom Clark • March 16
Clarence Wilson • March 18
Jane Jadlot • March 18
Bob Proctor • March 18
Sandy Luker • March 24
Rick Schwartz • March 27
Kinta Heath • March 30

Winterfest

The Caballeros and Perrottas master-minded another fabulous Winterfest on January 15, 2011. Roughly 60 members and guests enjoyed a delicious wine brisket and incredible tortilla soup. A outstanding dessert put an exclamation point on the meal. After dinner, the famous Cholla Downs were put back in service. Three winter-themed animals crossed the finish line to the delight of their owners and gamblers. Many thanks to the Caballeros and Perrottas for this annual treat!

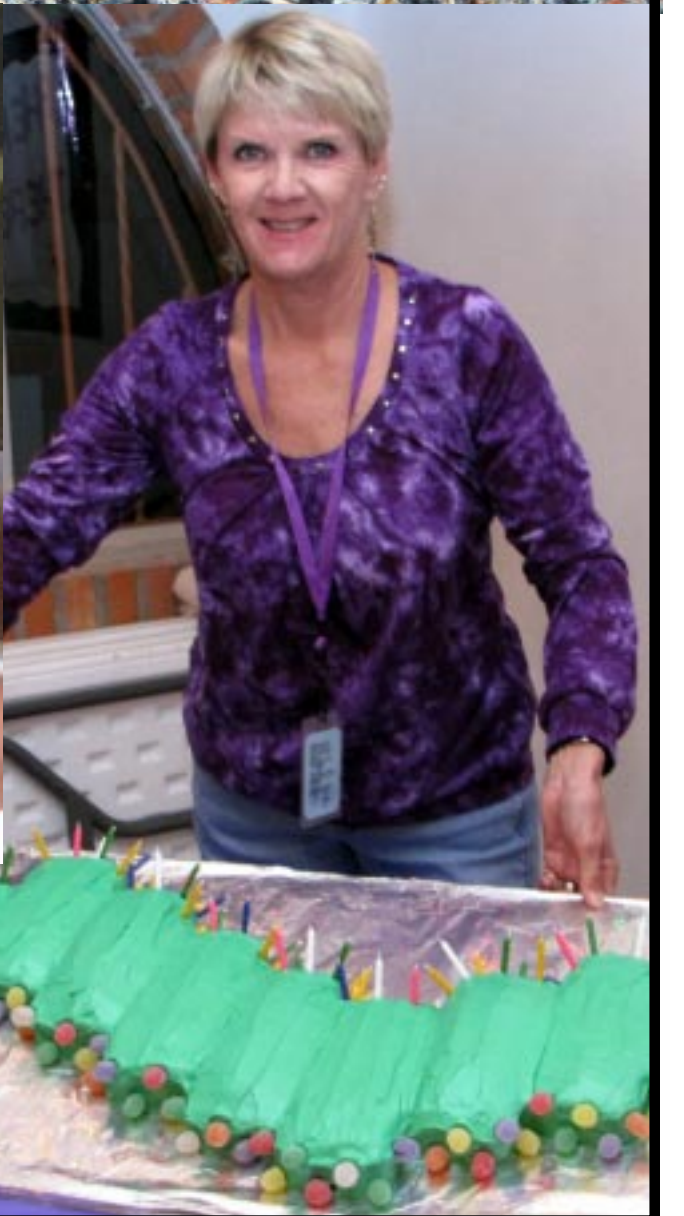
New Year's Eve

Kay Murphy delivered on her promise to host a fabulous New Year's Eve event. A whole year's planning resulted in a memorable evening for the 60 members and guests in attendance. The boeuf bourguignon main course was first class as was all of the trimmings. The tequila sunrise theme was reflected in the decorations and the beverages. Live music brightened the entire evening. Some of our members actually revealed some well-hidden talent during the karaoke portion of the evening. Kay would like to thank all of her help. This big thank you includes John & Arlene Stevenson, Bob & Adriana Adams, Jo Barnes and Chuck Payne. Kay collected some unique artwork donated by herself and artistic friends. These beautiful pieces were given away throughout the evening to lucky door prize winners. Her artists include Jo Barnes, Bob McLellan, Rich Spenser, Dixie Call and Vivian Hoffman, as well as herself. Many thanks to Kay for such a great beginning to 2011!

25th Annual BASH!!

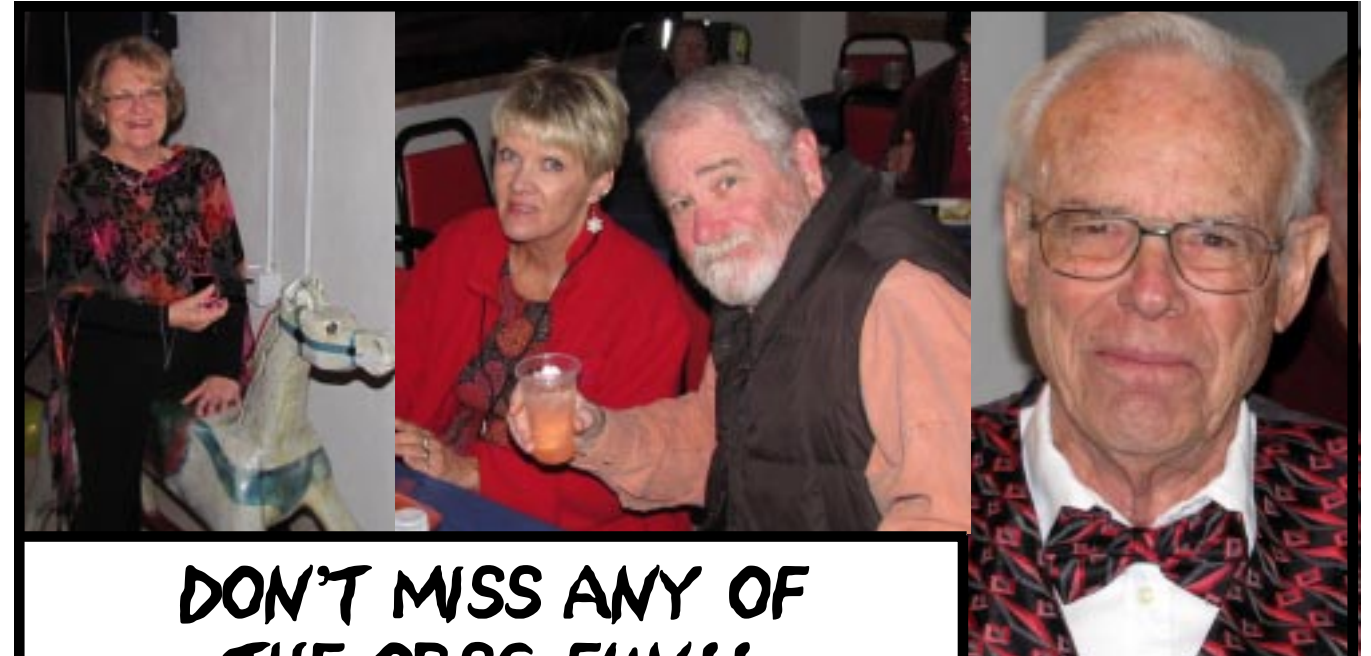
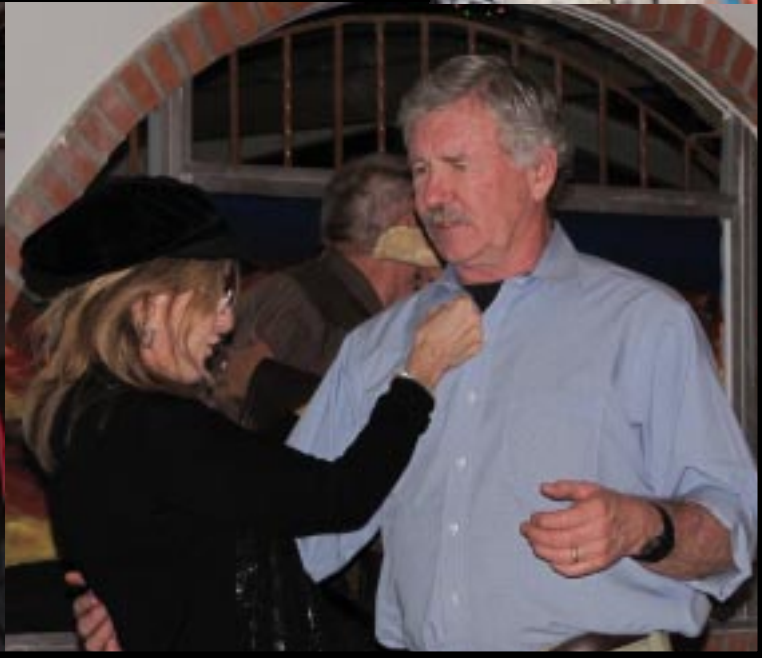
Tucson Sue Sledge and Helen Dahlstrom are planning a GREAT annual Bash & Barbecue on Saturday, April 16th from 2:00-6:00PM. The Bash features live music, all kinds of games of chance and little-skill, our legendary pit BBQ, beer and trash can Margaritas. This party is FREE for members and the public, so the raffle tickets are the main source for funding the Bash. The top three raffle prizes for the Bash are cash: \$500, \$300, and \$200, but there are countless other valuable prizes, thanks to the generosity of local businesses. Sue & Helen are designating four \$25 cash prizes for only those present to win. Each year the OBSC donates cash to the Lion's Club and the DIF in Puerto Peñasco. These donations have spread goodwill among our Mexican hosts for well over 20 years. We must sell at least 5,000 raffle tickets to make the Bash a financial success. Each member is asked to PLEASE sell or buy at least the 25 raffle tickets enclosed with this newsletter. Many members are in a position to sell or buy many more!! And they do!! Additional tickets can be checked out from Monica Koerner (local phone 382-5251, email: vecinosdelacholla@yahoo.com) in Cholla. Completed raffle tickets can be returned directly to Monica or mailed to the PO Box in Lukeville. Be sure to include the booklet cover with your name to be entered in the members' cash lottery held at the May 2011 general meeting. Do your part to make the 25th Bash another success!!





WINTERFEST
Jan 15, 2011

 Photos by
John Perrotta



DON'T MISS ANY OF THE OBSC FUN!!

The OBSC continues to be the best party in Puerto Peñasco. Membership dues remain \$25 annually per member. The OBSC has gone paperless! All newsletters will be emailed to members and will be available on the website. However; you may opt for the classic membership (\$30) and have your newsletter snail-mailed to your home. Please mail your dues with the renewal card sent in December to the P. O. Box in Lukeville. You may also pay your dues directly to Annette Maynard, OBSC membership chair. Annette asks all members to PLEASE fill out all information on the card. We need an accurate email list for the electronic newsletters in 2011 and want the most current information. The 2011 membership cards will be in the form of a name badge to be attached to a lanyard. Annette makes commemorative tags for each party to be attached with your membership badge. Make it a New Year's resolution to collect them all in 2011!!



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