

# PHOENIX THUNDERBIRD CLUB

Arizona Chapter #66

## President's Message

### Cupcakes:

We will make cupcakes for THANKSGIVING and CHRISTMAS, to deliver to the two nursing facilities.

For Thanksgiving, we will need them on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 19th.



For Christmas, we will need them on Sat. Dec. 16th or Sun. Dec. 17th in the evening. Thanks for baking.

Helen & Caron



It's hard to believe that we are now in our Fall time; Thanksgiving, Christmas holidays are soon going to be upon us.

Everyone is busy preparing for travels, gift purchasing, baking and looking forward to spending time with family and friends. I hope we will see many of you at our November and December luncheons.

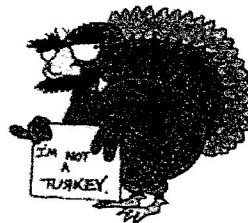
I am happy to let you all know, if you have not heard already. The new Pioneer Museum is now open to the public. Much hard work and dedication went in to making this happen for all to now enjoy. The new location is at PIONEER PARK, located at I-17 North on Pioneer Rd., which is one mile north of Carefree Rd.

Have a safe and Happy Holidays and we all look forward to seeing your smiling faces at the luncheon.

Helen and Caron

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Our new Pioneer Website is [telecompioneers.org](http://telecompioneers.org).



## Newsletter Subscriptions

Don't forget; please send in your \$10.00 for the years 2018/2019. This helps pay for printing our newsletters as well as postage, envelopes, address labels and return address labels for the next two years. Give your friends this information if they are not receiving them.

**Make checks payable to:**  
Phoenix Thunderbird  
Club.

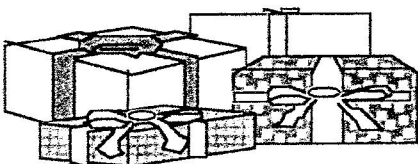
**Mail payments to:**

Edna Keller, Secretary/  
Treasurer 1408 N. 37th  
Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85009

If you have already sent  
your \$10.00 payment for  
2018/2019, we thank you.

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## Happy Holidays



## VETERAN NEWS

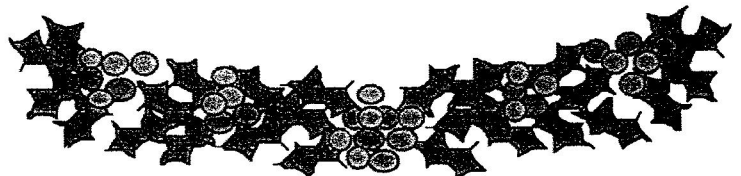
Looks like summer is almost done, thank goodness. Groups here at the VA are starting to prepare for the holidays. The American Legion Auxiliary has been buying gifts all summer for the gift shop. This is where the hospitalized veterans and other low income vets can come in and shop free for Christmas presents for members of their families. Their gifts are wrapped free for them also

I just got a donation from someone who worked at a yard sale and saved a lot of wrapping paper, gift boxes, ribbon, tags and bows for them. They were so excited, since they don't have to buy those things. That means more money for buying gifts for the vets. Any donations for the gift shop must be new, since this is for Christmas. They will take toys and items for children of vets as well, also new children's books.

After that we will start taking donations of coats, jackets, socks, tee shirts and other items for the homeless vets who are on the streets. They strive to give them new items also or just slightly used. Please make sure all items have been washed before donating them.

Don't forget any donations of furniture go to the furniture store. Used medicine or medical items, crutches, canes, etc. go to Nicaragua and for any other items, just give me a call. I always return all calls as soon as I can.

Thank you Pioneers for all that you do, not only for the Veterans, but for anyone else. You are all Angels and so appreciated. Carole Spiess, 602-242-1026



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### \*\*\*Sympathy\*\*\*

We send our prayers for strength and comfort to  
the families of this who have passed away.

Dian Carbonel

Frances Clayton, sister to Helen Hayes

Donald S. Reagan

Robert Valenti

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### \*\*\*\*Get Well\*\*\*\*

Thoughts of Health and Recovery Go To:  
All of our ill members and families.

Marilyn Kennedy

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September Luncheon Winners: no list

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October Luncheon Winners:

Free Lunch:

\$5.00: Harry Kennedy & Edna Miller

50/50: Ruth Buck & Caron Personke

Special Drawing: Marci Richison, Ellen Miller,  
Dorothy McShee, Ron Novak & Lois Burr



## November Luncheon

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

**Place: Rustler's Rooste Restaurant**

**Address: 8383 South 48th St., Phoenix, AZ  
85044**

**Off Baseline Rd. above the Arizona Grande Resort**

**Time: Social Hour 11:00 a.m. Lunch at Noon**

### Menu

B-B-Q Ribs & Baked Chicken

Cole Slaw & Texas Fries

Corn on the Cob

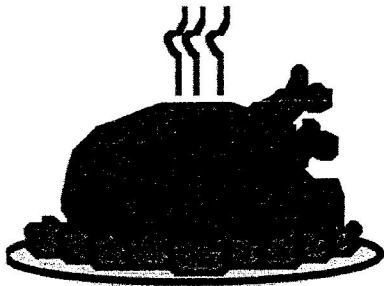
Rolls & Butter

Dessert: Ice Cream

Coffee & Iced Tea

**Price: Life Member, Spouse & Guests: \$15.00 each**

**All reservations must be in by deadline.**



Happy Thanksgiving



**Please make reservations for:**

LIFE MEMBER \_\_\_\_\_ SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

GUEST \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to:**

**Phoenix Thunderbird Club**

Refunds for cancellations require notice **48 hours** prior to the luncheon.

**RESERVATION DEADLINE: Friday, Nov. 10th**

**Please call or mail your reservations to:**

**Lottie Novak: 602-569-9470, or mail to, 19043  
N. 33rd Way, Phoenix, AZ 85050**

**\*\*\* *Old Chinese Proverb* \*\*\***

*If you want to be happy for an hour, take a  
nap.*

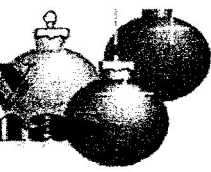
*If you want to be happy for a day, go fishing.*

*If you want to be happy for a month, get  
married.*

*If you want to be happy for a year, inherit  
money.*

*If you want to be happy for a lifetime,  
serve others !*

# Merry Christmas



NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 2017



## December Luncheon:

Wednesday, December 13, 2017

*Arizona American Italian Club*

7509 N. 12th St., Phoenix, AZ 85020

**Time:** Social hour, 11 a.m., Lunch Noon.

**Menu:** Garden Salad w/ dressing on side

Spaghetti with Meat Balls

Chicken Marsala & Veggies

Coffee & Iced Tea

**Price:** Life Member, Spouse and Guests:  
\$15.00 each.

All reservations must be in by deadline.

## Don't Forget

### Bring to these folks at luncheons:

Box tops for Education, Pam Nelson

Campbell Soup Labels

Hug A Bear supplies, Helen Trobough

Ronald McDonald House & Treasures for Teachers, Aluminum pop tops, cans & postage stamps, Dorothy McShee

Veteran's Hospital, small personal items, magazines etc. Carole Spiess

West Side Food Bank, monetary donations, Bob Dowis.

Volunteer Hours: Tom Nelson

Address Changes, deaths, Marilyn Kennedy

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LIFE MEMBER \_\_\_\_\_ SPOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

GUEST \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to: Phoenix Thunderbird Club. Deadline, Friday, December 8th.**

Refunds for cancellations require notice **48 hours** prior to the luncheon.

**Remember, luncheon is on the 2nd Wed. in Dec.**

**Call or mail reservations to:** Lottie Novak,  
602-569-9470, or 19043 N. 33rd Way, Phoenix,

## Yearly Scholarship Applications

Attached to this newsletter you will find forms for those who wish to apply for our Robert M. DeBusk Memorial Scholarship which is offered by our Phoenix Thunderbird Club. On these forms you may also apply for our AZ Chapter #66 Scholarships.

We hope to receive many applications. Keep in mind the deadline date for receiving applications is March 15, 2018.