# VILLA MONTEREY Community News // Established 1962

#### **Mark Your Calendars**

# Monthly Board Meeting

October 11 at 9 a.m. at the Ramada

#### **Friday Happy Hour**

September 19, October 3, and October 17 at 5 p.m. at the Ramada

#### **Brush and Bulk Trash Pickup**

Week of September 22 Week of October 20

#### **Book Club**

Tuesday, October 14 at 6 p.m.

#### **Community Yard Sale**

October 18 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

#### **Neighborhood Block Party**

November 8 from 3 to 5 p.m.

#### FYI

## Non-Emergency & Dispatch Police

District: 480-312-5000



#### **Scottsdale Senior Services**

Find resources and activities at ScottsdaleAZ.gov/Seniors

## **Newsletter Printing**

Courtesy Joy Estes, Your Local State Farm Insurance Agent 480-946-5489



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#### Ready, set... declutter!

Gather the stuff you're tired of looking at or that just takes up space and could better serve someone else. A community yard sale is planned for Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you only have a few items, team-up with a neighbor to sell your wares so customers will have fewer shopping stops.

Additionally, the Board is seeking a volunteer to help coordinate the event... Bill can't do it himself. If you're willing to pitch in, please contact President Bill Marshall at 602-463-9790.

# Happy Hour returns to the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month!

The weather should start cooling down and we want to catch up with you at Happy Hour. Please bring a light snack to share, your beverage of choice, and gather at the Ramada at 5 p.m. on September 19<sup>th</sup> and October 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>.



#### Book club: Last Bus to Wisdom: A Novel

If you read this great American coming-of-age tale, join neighbors on October 14<sup>th</sup> at 6 p.m. to discuss. Those present will select the November book, meeting date, and host location. Contact Emily at estes.cross@gmail.com for info.



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#### Get it in your calendar!

Our Fall Neighborhood Block Party is planned for Saturday, November 8<sup>th</sup> from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Ramada. There are new neighbors to welcome and it's a great time to catch up with those you already know after the summer.



#### Love food? Who doesn't!

It's the most wonderful time of the year...
Arizona Restaurant Week! Check out the participating restaurants, menus and details at www.arizonarestaurantweek.com

Find 2 days of love and tacos at Arizona's iconic annual Taco Fest, October 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> at Salt River Fields. www.tacofestaz.com



# A Note from Bill

The Board of Directors held its meeting on September 13<sup>th</sup> and plan to start posting the Board minutes on our website: www.VMRA2.com.

If you have something you need to get to the Board of Directors, please use this email: wmra2hoaboard@gmail.com. Your email will be sent to all the Board members, and someone will get back to you.

To keep our HOA dues affordable, we rely on volunteers to serve on the Board and help out with other activities. I need help with the yard sale and designing the newsletter and would greatly appreciate hearing from you if you can assist.

The Board is working on items that need to be taken care of, and reminds HOA members that we all have our likes and dislikes on things going on in our neighborhood. Just realize that others may not have the same opinion. The Board of Directors must consider other homeowners, and as a result, things may not go the way you would like them to go.

Thanks!

Bill Marshall, VMRA 2 President