

Adobe Wells

Divot

December 2022

Christmas Dinner - Sunday, December 25th

MENU: ham, scalloped potatoes, corn, fruit salad, & dessert.
Dinner will be served at Wertz Hall. The charge is \$5.00, payable at the door. (PLEASE have the correct change.) The doors will be open from 10 am to Noon for everyone to bring their place settings. Come back at 4 pm for the **Social Hour** (BYOB). Dinner will be served at 5 pm. Sign-up sheets are posted at both post offices and Wertz Hall and will come down on Friday, the 23rd after Happy Hour. If you need takeout, there are sign-up sheets at both post offices and at Wertz Hall; sign up by Friday, December 23rd.
Happy Hour and your dinner will be delivered to your home around 4:30 at the same cost of \$5.00 per person.



Homeowners Meeting Highlights

Homeowner Meeting Minutes are posted on-line: adobewells.net (use pw)

Old Business

1. Daffodil Road Project covered under New Business. More details will appear in the minutes. 2. North Side Sewage Lift Station Project nothing new to report. 3. Summer Projects are now complete. 4. Wertz Hall Roof There was another leak which has since been repaired. 5. Nominating Committee Chair: Mary Higgins; Committee: Jackie Graves, Shirley McHaney, Tammy McHaney, Susie Oden, and Marlene Thorsen. See page 6 for running candidates. 6. Audit Committee Chair: Hart Amlee; Committee: Andrea Jones and Jim Stevens. The Committee will report at January meeting. 7. New Fairway Mower is working well. Please compliment Victor and staff for their hard work. 8. Trees for Golf Course are doing well. 9. New Flags for Flagpoles on Golf Course have been installed. Also, new aluminum cups were installed on each green. 10. New Bilingual Signs for Park Entrances are getting many compliments.

New Business

1. **Daffodil Road Project** A hearing was held on Weds. and \$125,000 was awarded, but is subject to appeal by the City or by Adobe Wells. Our lawyer intends to appeal. 2. **Report from Rules & Regulations Committee** The Committee of 3 has been working on reviewing and adding to existing rules. Revision is subject to attorney review and will be voted on by homeowners. 3. **Landscaping Request** Current budget is \$3,000 per year. Request was made for an additional \$1,000 per year. 4. **North-side Post Office** concrete is in bad shape. We are currently getting estimates to put down non-slip tile, which would be considered a Maintenance Expense. 5. **January Board Meeting** will be held on Tuesday, January 3rd at 9 am. Employees are off on Monday. 6. **2023 General Budget** A budget meeting will be held on Friday, January 13th from 1 to 2:30 pm where homeowners can ask questions about the budget before we vote on it.

Missing Committee Chair:

Crafts Tuesdays: 9 am to noon

Call *Nick Golden* 320-305-0617

Business Office

will be closed:

Fri., Dec. 23rd

Mon., Dec. 26th

Fri., Dec. 30th & Mon., Jan. 2nd

Will be open Tues., Dec. 27th 9 am to noon

Southside Gate Duty & Lockup

Sign-up sheet on bulletin board in Wertz Hall.

Please volunteer.

Questions, call *Bill Barnes*
319-975-6531

DIVOT info

The **DIVOT** is published November through March on Tuesday following the Homeowner's meeting.

Monthly deadline for submissions is the Thursday before Homeowners' Meetings. PLEASE SUBMIT ON TIME.

Editor: Carol Schindel

Information for the Divot should be typed or printed and include name and phone number. Email or put in designated Divot mailbox.

schinc@mts.net

PH: 701-520-3731

Divot mailbox is on a carport post at 3104 Cedar (north side of Daffodil)
Next deadline is: Thursday, January 12, 2023 12 noon.

Divot on-line: adobewells.net (use pw)

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Breakfast Wertz Hall 8-10 am

Next Dates: Jan. 7th, 14th, & 28th

Farmers Breakfast Any & All \$9.00

Omelet OR Scrambled Eggs Loaded \$8.00

w/1 Pancake or 1/2 French Toast

Pancakes w/Bacon, Ham, or Sausage
or

French Toast w/Bacon, Ham, or Sausage
or

Waffles w/Bacon, Ham, or Sausage
or

Biscuits & Gravy \$6.50

Eggs(2) w/Bacon, Ham, or Sausage

PLUS: 1 Pancake or 1/2 French Toast \$8.00

Hash Browns (Available with any Order)

Coffee No Chg.

Bloody Mary or Mimosa \$2.50

Bring your own table service & cup

Wednesdays

7 pm at Wertz Hall

Doors open at 6:30 pm

Hosts: Steve & Maria Spafford

Bring a can for a free card!



Another Hole-In-One!

December 3rd-Jay Ritter Hole #10

Congratulations!

Potluck Dinner & Entertainment Schedule

1st and 3rd Tuesday at Wertz Hall
2022

Dec. 20 - Dale & Gayle

2023

Jan. 3 - Rusty Rierson

Jan 17 - Mountain Highway

Feb. 7 - Rick McEwen

March 7 - Jason Whorlow

March 21 - Spittin' Image

Dinner at 5pm

Entertainment at 6pm

You don't have to participate in the potluck to enjoy the entertainment.

Come at 5:45 to get a seat. We will "pass the hat" during the show phase

to help cover the cost.

Everyone is Welcome!

Who's Who: Please provide a 4 x 6 or smaller picture of yourself, ages 5 and under for a fun activity in February. Please put your name on the back of the photo and deposit it by January 15th in the box on Laurie Lee's front steps (4905 Azalea). Copies only, no originals, please.

Not Your Grandma's Bingo

Mondays at 6:30 pm Wertz Hall

Bring: 4 Nickels, 4 Dimes,
4 Quarters & 2 One Dollar Bills.

Bring a friend!

New Homeowners

Veronica DeLaCruz-5004 Bluebonnet

Welcome To Your New Home in Adobe Wells!

New Renters

Ed Blinks & Linda Bowers-4821 Harvey

Henriette Desutter & Robert Jolivet-5004 Bluebonnet

David Enriques-4825 Bluebonnet

Maria Evans-5029 Bluebonnet

Iris Koons-4820 Carnation

Hans & Rose Medina-4912 Harvey

Leo & Anita Strong-5025 Bluebonnet

Dale & Linda Woytoich-5028 Camelia

Welcome to Adobe Wells!

Cards Anyone?

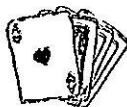
Bridge

(Ladies) Monday 1 pm Wertz Hall



Cribbage

Thursday 7 pm 19th Hole



Euchre

Bid: Tuesday 7pm 19th Hole
7:30 pm on days of Potluck at
Wertz Hall



Hand & Foot

Monday 7:45 pm at Wertz
Hall
& Weds. 7 pm at 19th Hole



Mahjong

Thursday 1 pm Wertz Hall Card Room



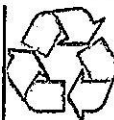
Poker

Wertz Hall Card Room
Monday Nickel/Dime Poker
7:30

Tues. & Weds. 6:30 to 8:30 pm
Saturday 1 to 3 pm

Pool Practice daily at 1 pm

Everyone is Welcome



REUSE REDUCE RECYCLE

Save Adobe Wells Money Every

Monday at 9AM-Volunteer Pickup

Bag Together: Clean Plastic- Tin Cans- Glass

Bundle Together: Newspaper-Magazines-Computer Paper

Bag Separately: Rinsed Aluminum Cans (beer & pop)

Bundle Separately: Cardboard (*Break down boxes*)

Old Phone Books: Set out with other recyclables.

DO NOT DEPOSIT AT CLUBHOUSE.

Bundle Request: Please use twine

(Available at Walmart) **DO NOT**

USE : yarn, tape, rubber bands, or string.

EXERCISE

The early morning chair exercise group
continues to meet **Mon. & Weds. at 8
am in Wertz Hall.**

Mondays @ the 19th Hole, at 1 pm, Adobe Sew Wells
formed to inspire & encourage all forms of Fiber Arts (*Not
Just Quilts*), focusing on fun, learning and sharing. Everyone
is welcome to come. Bring sewing, quilting, embroidery,
crochet, knitting or any other fabric projects. We aspire to
complete a yearly service project and learn new
techniques. Everyone is welcome at the 19th hole
on Monday mornings. You do not need to sew or have a
specific project to join us, come enjoy a cup of coffee, bring
inspiration, and camaraderie.

WEDNESDAY POTLUCK

Wednesdays at 19th Hole started
Dec. 7th at 5:30. We eat at 6:00.

You still have time to go to Bingo. We meet
every week. Bring your table service and a
dish to share. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME!**
Questions, call Yvonne Blush 303-902-5210

Y O G A with Laurie Lee
at 19th Hole

Traditional Yoga

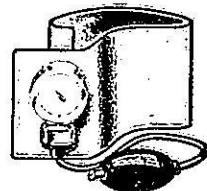
Tuesday & Thursday

7:45 to 8:25 am

Balance and Flexibility Exercise

Tuesday & Thursday 8:35 am

**FREE Blood
Pressure Check**



Attention: All



Homeowners and Renters

The screenings take place in the
billiards room at the club house from
9 to 9:55 am before the Homeowners'
Meeting held the third Monday of each
month, November through April. Your
blood pressure will be taken by nurses
and recorded and kept in the office.
Contact person: **Robin Feltman**

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RECYCLE Every Monday 9 am
Good for the environment and good for Adobe Wells.

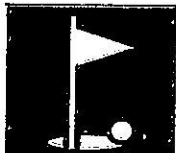
Regular Garbage Pickup Tuesdays and Fridays 9 am

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<p align="center">RECYCLE Every Monday 9 am Good for the environment and good for Adobe Wells.</p> <p align="center">Regular Garbage Pickup Tuesdays and Fridays 9 am</p>					
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Board Meeting 9 am		1 Club Ice Breaker \$3 No handicap needed 5 players/hole Pays Gross Only			
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Men's Early Bird		Women's Early Bird		Breakfast 8 to 10 am
				Deadline for Divot Submissions Noon		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
	Blood Pressure Screening 9 to 9:55 am Homeowners' Meeting 10 am				Business Office Closed	Church - Wertz Hall Includes Holy Communion 4:30 pm
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Business Office Closed <i>Boxing Day - Canada</i>	Business Office Open 9 am to Noon	SURPRIZE Retirement Party for Miguel Homeowners welcome from 12:30 to 1:30 pm		Business Office Closed	 New Year's Eve Dance 8:30 to 12:30 Doors open 7:30
Dinner at Wertz Hall 5 pm Social Hour 4 pm						

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
HAPPY NEW YEAR 2023	Business Office Closed	Board Meeting 9 am	Wertz Mixed Couples Tournament 9 holes		Meet the Candidates 1 pm Wertz Hall	Breakfast 8 to 10 am
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Election Day 9 am to 2 pm		3 Tournaments: 70's - 9 holes 80's - 9 holes 70 & 80's - 18 holes	Deadline for Divot Submissions Noon	2023 Draft Budget Review Meeting 1 to 2:30 pm Homeowners Welcome	Breakfast 8 to 10 am
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Blood Pressure Screening 9 to 9:55 am Homeowners' Meeting 10 am		Men's Putting Women's Putting			
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Martin Luther King Jr. Day		Wellness Screening 7 am 70+ Women's Tournament			Breakfast 8 to 10 am
29	30	31				
			RECYCLE Every Monday 9 am Good for the environment and good for Adobe Wells. Regular Garbage Pickup Tuesdays and Fridays 9 am			



Golf News

Men's 1-Club Icebreaker

Held December 7th

1ST FLIGHT:

1st Place(29) Mark Werderman	\$15
2nd Place(30) Russ Garrett	\$10
3rd Place(30) Rick Strozzyk	\$7.50

2ND FLIGHT:

1st Place(33) Mike Venker	\$15
2nd Place(33) Al Dosch	\$10
3rd Place(33) Dave Calley	\$7.50

3RD FLIGHT

1st Place(34) Dale Gill	\$15
2nd Place(34) Craig Trpkosh	\$10
3rd Place(34) Roger Broitzman	\$7.50

4TH FLIGHT:

1st Place(35) Dick Bergeron	\$15
2nd Place(35) Mike Mielitz	\$10
3rd Place(36) Gordy Martin	\$7.50

5TH FLIGHT:

1st Place(38) John Fjelsta	\$15
2nd Place(38) Roy Odem	\$10
3rd Place(38) Gary Tonn	\$7.50

Chairs: Gene & Lisa Guinn

Women's 1 Club

Icebreaker

Held December 7th

1ST FLIGHT:

1st Place(31) Lisa Guinn	\$15
2nd Place(34) Sonya Bush	\$10
3rd Place(35) Becky Sander	\$8

2ND FLIGHT:

1st Place(38) Kate Kakacek	\$15
2nd Place(38) Tammy McHaney	\$10
3rd Place(39) Susie Edelman	\$8

3RD FLIGHT:

1st Place(42) Jackie Graves	\$15
2nd Place(42) June Davisson	\$10
3rd Place(43) Nancy Burgett	\$8

4TH FLIGHT:

1st Place(46) Pat Judge	\$15
2nd Place(47) Leslie Lorenzo	\$10
3rd Place(47) JoAnn Mozack	\$8

Chairs: Gene & Lisa Guinn

**Congratulations
To All The Winners!**

Upcoming Golf Tournaments

- *Wertz Mixed Couples-Wednesday, January 4th (Pick your own partner)
- *70+ and 80+ Men's-Wednesday, January 11th (9 & 18 Holes)
- *Men's Putting & Women's Putting Wednesday, January 18th
- *70+ Women's-Wednesday, January 25th

Men's Early Bird-18 Holes

Held December 13th

1st Low Gross(122) Dave Kakacek & Mike Venker \$9 ea.

2nd Low Gross(130) Steve Evans & Rick Strozzyk \$6 ea.

1st Low Net(104) Hex Hoechstebach & Rudy Young \$9 ea.

2nd Low Net(112) Dale Gill & Ken Fletcher \$6 ea.

Chairs: Bill McCoy & Bill Venker

Men's Early Bird-9 Holes

FLIGHT A:

1st Low Gross(62) Mike McCann & Ralph King \$7.50 ea.

2nd Low Gross(67) Bob Bailey & Stan Shook \$4.75 ea.

1st Low Net(57) Jim Johnson & Rick Schindel \$7.50 ea.

2nd Low Net(57) Herb Calley & Roy Odem \$4.75 ea.

FLIGHT B:

1st Low Gross(66) Darrill Burgett & Gene Brown \$7.75 ea.

2nd Low Gross(72) Ed Blink & Bob Trpkosh \$5.50 ea.

1st Low Net(56) Ed Plue & Roger Broitzman \$7.75 ea.

2nd Low Net(57) Mike Mielitz & Harry DeBoer \$5.50 ea.

Chairs: Bill McCoy & Bill Venker

Women's Early Bird-9 Holes

Held December 15th

FLIGHT A:

1st Low Gross(70) Jean Elsenbast & Cheryl Bergeron \$7.25 ea.

2nd Low Gross(71) Tammy McHaney & Peg Ritter \$4.75 ea.

1st Low Net(58) June Davisson & Terry Carlson \$7.25 ea.

2nd Low Net(58) Anna Hartwig & Pat Mulvaney \$4.75 ea.

FLIGHT B:

1st Low Gross(73) Barb Secrest & Carol Gill \$6.30 ea.

2nd Low Gross(73) Jackie Graves & Julie McCann \$4.20 ea.

1st Low Net(59) Sheila Thompson & Kay Shaw \$6.30 ea.

2nd Low Net(62) Vickie Loftin & Shirley Theil \$4.20 ea.

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Women's Early Bird

FLIGHT C:

1st Low Gross(82) Nancy Burgett & Roseann Venker \$6.30 ea.

2nd Low Gross(83) Rose Medina & Gloria Raatz \$4.20 ea.

1st Low Net(54) Carol DeBoer & Jeanie Seager \$6.30 ea.

2nd Low Net(55) Barb Rush & Marlene Thorson \$4.20 ea.

Chairs: Dave & Jan Calley

Attention Those In Charge of Golf Tournaments or other activities.

Please be sure to drop off printed info and/or golf results along with your Name & Phone # at the DIVOT Mailbox which is on a carport post at 3104 Cedar (north side).

Editor: Carol Schindel

Reminders:

*Homeowners or Renters with guests who golf: fee is \$2/day per person; please pay Veronica in the Business Office.

***NO MORE THAN FIVE PLAYERS IN A GROUP FOR GOLFING.**

*All owners and renters are required to display an Adobe Wells Golf Tag on their golf bag. Tag can be purchased in the Business Office for \$2.00.

Addition to Adobe Wells Golf Rules:

No. 15.

- g. If you forget to sign card a 2-stroke penalty will be assessed
- h. No disqualification



Have a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Announcement: Stacey Estes is now in charge of The 'Red Envelope' Program. The Red Envelope Questionnaire has been redone. Also, Glucose Gel has been placed in refrigerators in Wertz Hall and the 19th Hole. If one is used, please let Stacey know so she can replace it.

'Red Envelope' Program

All residents are asked to complete medical emergency information sheets, place them in the Red Envelope and with a magnet, attach it to your refrigerator. Forms and envelopes are available outside the Information Office and in the Business Office.

Stacey Estes.

WELLNESS SCREENING

The Wellness Screening will be Wednesday, January 25, 2023, at Wertz Hall at 7:00 am. This is a blood test offered by Rio Grande Regional Hospital. Sign-up sheets and price lists will be posted at a later date. Cash and checks are accepted. For more information, contact

Mary Pruett 309-335-2261

TROPICAL CHRISTMAS SONG

I wanna wanna wish you a Merry Christmas.
I wanna wanna help you celebrate. I wanna wanna wish you lots of presents.
I wanna wanna help you decorate. The party-going, mistletoeing time is here.
I'm wishing you a white-sand Christmas this year.
The finest gift of all doesn't come with a bow.
It's the people like you, we're so glad to know.
So have no worries, don't you hesitate. The holidays are here. Time to celebrate! Yeah, celebrate. Merry Christmas! Warmest wishes for a merry Christmas!



MEET THE CANDIDATES
Homeowners are invited to Wertz Hall on Friday, January 6th, at 1 pm to meet the candidates running for officers and directors positions in the Adobe Wells election to be held Monday, January 9, 2023 from 9 am to 2 pm at Wertz Hall. **ABSENTEE BALLOTS** available in Business Office. Candidates will tell you about themselves and answer questions. Questions may be submitted in writing upon arrival. A moderator will pose your questions to the candidates. Please come meet your candidates. *Election/Voting Chair: Judy Seifert*

Candidates for Monday January 9th Election:
President—Joyce Venker, Ed Adams
Vice President—Connie Harmon, Denny Hahn
Treasurer—Dave Estes
Directors: Section I (one vacancy)
Sylvia Stillwell, Gene Brown
Section II/III (two vacancies)
Ailene Wills, Craig Tripkosh, Dee Brown, and Roy Oden and Deb Strozky.
Section II RV (one vacancy)
Ron Seager, Hex Hoechstebach, and Melanie Campbell
Nominating Committee Chair: Mary Higgins



The Committee

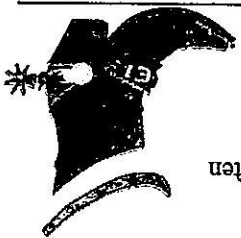
New Year's Eve Dance

Thanksgiving Dinner
Thank you to all the volunteers! One hundred and fifty-four (154) meals were served in total. A special thanks to Dot Durrance for playing the piano to set the mood. "It was such a rewarding experience, we thought we'd do it all over again and chair the Christmas Dinner!"
Co-chairs: Ellen & Ken Pannier

Food Pantry Giving
Adobe Wells continues to help the poor and hungry. Every week our Food Cart gets filled with residents' donations. They are delivered weekly to the Pentitas' Food Pantry which serves over 300 families each month. The Pantry is so thankful to our park for their wonderful generosity!

Merry Christmas!

CHRISTMAS HOEDOWN
Bow to your partner, give a little twirl. Ease off the egg nog or ya gonna hurr! Share a candy cane as you do-si-do. Pull your partner underneath the mistletoe! Christmas time is hectic, there's just no denyin'. But try to pace yourself or you'll find yourself cryin'... and when the dance is over and you're back in place, hope you're left with a great big smile on your face!



Thursdays at Wertz Hall 1 to 2 pm

Country Line Dancing
Instructor: Vickie Lofren

Adobe Wells Daily Activities Calendar- current as of Dec. 19, 2022

Attention Activity Chairs: If your activity shown below is inaccurate, please e-mail me (schinc@mts.net) or put a note in the Divot Box. Carol Schindel, Editor

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Exercise 8 am None until January	Yoga 7:45 to 8:25 am 19 th Hole	Exercise 8 am None until January	Yoga 7:45 to 8:25 am 19 th Hole	Garbage Collection 9 am 8 am Dec. 23 rd & 30 th ONLY	Breakfast 8 to 10 am every 2 nd Saturday No Breakfast Dec. 31 st	Golf Cart Church 10:30 am
Recycling 9 am Cardboard & Aluminum	Balance & Flexibility Exercise 8:35 am 19 th Hole	High Handicap Golf 10:30 am Only Wednesdays when Homeowners' Meeting was on Monday	Balance & Flexibility Exercise 8:35 am 19 th Hole	Mixed Golf 9 & 10:30 am	Poker 1 to 3 pm card room	Pegs & Jokers 6 pm 19 th Hole
Board Meeting 9 am 1 st Monday Nov. through April 1 st Tuesday January ONLY	Garbage Collection 9 am	Water Aerobics South Pool 11 am	Men's Pool League 9 am	Water Aerobics South Pool 11 am		
Blood Pressure Screening 9 to 9:55 am Prior to Homeowners' Meeting 3 rd Monday	Board Meeting 9 am 1 st Tuesday January ONLY	Couples' Golf 3:30 pm	Ladies' Golf 9 holes 9 & 10:30 am Line up 8:45 & 10:15 am	Happy Hour 4 pm		
Homeowners' Meeting 10 am 3 rd Monday Nov. through April	Crafts 9 am to noon <i>not happening until someone volunteers to chair</i>	Pottluck Happy Hour 5:30 pm Eat @ 6 pm 19 th Hole	Ladies' Golf 18 holes 9:30 am Line up 9:15			
High Handicap Golf 10:30 am Handicap of 10 & above Line up 10:15 Cost = \$0.50 Will be on Wednesdays on Homeowners' Meeting days	Men's Golf 9 holes 9 am 18 holes 9:30 am	Poker 6:30 to 8:30 pm card room	Line Dancing 1 to 2 pm			
Water Aerobics South Pool 11 am	Pottluck 5 pm 1 st & 3 rd Tuesdays	Bingo 7 pm	Mahjong 1 pm card room			
Adobe Sew Wells 1 pm 19 th Hole	Poker 6:30 to 8:30 pm card room	Hand & Foot 7 pm 19 th Hole After Pottluck	Cribbage 7 pm 19 th Hole			
Ladies' Bridge 1 pm	Bid Euchre 7 pm* *7:30 pm on Pottluck Tuesdays 19 th Hole Cost = \$0.50					
Not Your Grandma's Bingo 6:30 pm						
Hand & Foot 7:30 pm						
Nickel/Dime Poker 7:30 pm						
Bible Study 7:43 pm 19 th Hole						

UPDATED Due to some activities

changing day or time, this calendar is being included
with the December 2022 Divot and replaces the calendar
that was included with the November Divot. As changes occur,
updated copies will be available in the Business Office.

All activities take place at **Wertz Hall** unless otherwise stated.