

Coronado Thunderbirds Newsletter

September/October 2019

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Paul F. Hlava
at daughter Holly's wedding

President's Message

Hello Thunderbirds,

It is late August and the Summer is almost over, the kids are back in school (I am old enough to remember when school didn't start until after Labor day!), cool weather should be coming soon, I hope, and the battles outside my windows have intensified. I have 5 hummingbird feeders up where I can easily watch them. Normally the black-chinned hummingbirds battle for the feeders even though there are lots to choose from. But now that the rufous hummers, decked out in their bronze armor, are back on their way south, the battles are more common and vicious! They remind me of the Lilliputians from Gulliver's Travels - diminutive and bellicose!

I have missed a few meetings lately because of travel. The August BOD meeting because I was in Portland being inducted into the inaugural slate of fellows of the Microbeam Analysis Society. The regular meeting I was in the Cleveland area visiting friends (Yes, I have a few! Or maybe they are my wife's friends.), and experiencing a murmuration of purple martins (great!). And I'll be going to Colorado and then Arizona to sell jewels at gem and mineral shows. But I'll be back in town for the fall ABQ show at EXPO NM and the October T-Birds meetings.

I will miss the September T-Birds meeting be-

cause I'll be on my way to Denver. This meeting is where the people selected, so far, to be on next year's BOD are introduced and elected/approved. Ah, but if you have a driving urge to be on the Board, volunteer! We'd be happy to have more new people.

We do have programs set up for both September and October.

In September we will have **Joe Abbin** who will talk about **ABQ Blues**. Much of this talk is derived from his book, "**ABQ Blues - Crime and Policing in Albuquerque, NM.**"

In October we will have a presentation from a representative of the **Zoo and BioPark** talking about "**Animal Care & Conservation in a Zoo Setting.**"

Programs

Remember, the General Meeting is at the KAFB Mountain View Club, in the Manzano Room. Social time begins at 11:00 am. You may buy a meal for only \$10.00. A Business meeting is held at Noon, and after that, we have the program.

Program, Tuesday, September 10th—Joe Abbin will give a presentation on "**ABQ Blues.**" Based on his book, ABQ Blues: Crime and Policing in Albuquerque, NM, Mr. Abbin will give us insights from his activities as an Albuquerque Police Department Reserve Officer since 1983—including both serious and not so serious. Mr. Abbin is also retired from Sandia National Labs. He is a registered professional engineer in the state of New Mexico and is the author or co-author of over 40 technical articles and five books. He holds five US patents. Please join us for what should be a thought-provoking presentation.

September is the Annual Meeting, Ice Cream Social, and Presentation of Awards. The 2020 Board of Directors candidates will be introduced, and then members present will be eligible to vote on them.

Board of Directors 2019

President—Paul Hlava

Vice President/Programs—Open (filled by other



Board members this year)

Treasurer—Lionel Holguin

Secretary—Guylaine Pollock

Entertainment—Pam Miller

Membership—Pete Havey, Sr.

Publicity/Newsletter—Connie DeFoe

Calling Committee— Open (filled by Connie DeFoe and Eric Moss)

Past President—John Anthes

Awards—Ken Deller

Board of Director 2020 Candidates

President—John Anthes

Vice President/Programs—David Melgaard

Treasurer—Alice Kilgo

Secretary—Guylaine Pollock

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Membership—Pete Havey, Sr.

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Calling Committee— Eric Moss

Past President—Paul Hlava

Awards (appointed position) - Genelia Boenig

Program, Tuesday, October 8th—Our guest speaker from the Albuquerque BioPark and Zoo will make a presentation on, "Animal Care and Conservation in a Zoo Setting."

Pam Miller

Entertainment 2019

220-2409 (texting preferred)

Popejoy Hall—2019/2020 Season

(To get the Popejoy group rates, we need a minimum of 10 people going to a show.)

- Russian Ballet Theatre Swan Lake – Sun, Oct 13, 2019, 6:30 pm
- Jesus Christ Superstar—50th Anniversary Tour – Thu, Oct 17-Sun, Oct 20, 2019, various times
- Bandstand — Fri, Nov 01, 2019, 7:30 pm
- The Four Italian Tenors perform "Viva Italia!" — Sun, Nov 10, 2019, 3:00 pm
- Blue Man Group — Tue, Nov 12, 2019, 7:30 pm; Wed, Nov 13, 2019, 7:30 pm
- Waitress — Thu, Dec 12-Sun, Dec 15, 2019, various times
- The Swingles—Winter Tales — Thu, Dec 19, 2019, 7:30 pm
- 'Twas the Night Before Christmas — Fri, Dec 20, 2019, 7:30 pm
- Mariachi Christmas — Sun, Dec 22, 2019, 3:00 pm
- The Peking Acrobats — Sun, Jan 12, 2020, 3:00 pm
- Ballet Folclorico Nacinal de Mexico de Silvia Lozano — Fri, Jan 17, 2020, 7:30 pm
- Cirque Mechanics in 42FT—A Menagerie of Mechanical Marvels — Fri, Jan 31, 2020, 7:30 pm
- The Book of Mormon — Back By Popular Demand — Tue,

Feb 4-Sun, Feb 9, 2020, various times

- Mystery Science Theater 3000 — Fri, Feb 14, 2020, 7:00 pm
- We've Only Just Begun: Carpenters Remembered — Sun, Feb 23, 2020, 3:00 pm
- 1984 — Sun, Mar 1, 2020, 3:00 pm
- The Mikado — Thu, Mar 5, 2020, 7:30 pm • Pilobolus — Sat, Mar 7, 2020, 8:00 pm
- Michael Londra and The Celtic Fire — Sun, Mar 8, 2020, 3:00 pm
- Jimmy Buffet's Escape to Margaritaville — Thu, Mar 12-Sun, Mar 15, 2020, various times
- The Tap Pack — Fri, Mar 20, 2020, 7:30 pm
- Broadway Princess Party — Sun, Mar 22, 2020, 3:00 pm
- Bollywood Boulevard—A Journey Through Hindi Cinema LIVE — Fri, Mar 27, 2020, 7:30 pm
- Killer Queen — Sat, Mar 28, 2020, 8:00 pm
- Drum Tao 2020 — Fri, Apr 3, 2020, 7:30 pm
- The Play That Goes Wrong — Thu, Apr 16-Sun, Apr 19, 2020, various times
- Canadian Brass — Sun, May 3, 2020, 3:00 pm
- Come From Away — Tue, Jun 9-Sun, Jun 14, 2020, various times

Albuquerque Little Theatre—90th Season

- Amadeus—August 23-September 8, 2019
- Mama Mia — October 11-November 3, 2019
- Miracle on 34th Street — December 6-24, 2019
- Agatha Christie's Murder on the Orient Express — January 24-February 9, 2020
- Disney's Beauty and the Beast — March 6-29, 2020
- The Odd Couple — April 17-May 3, 2020
- The Music Man — May 29-June 21, 2020

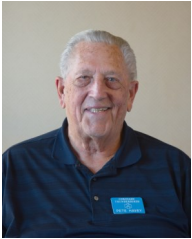
Adobe Theater

- Harvey — August 23-September 22, 2019
- The Women — October 11-November 3, 2019
- A Christmas Carol — November 22-December 22, 2019

From the Kirtland Air Force Base App - "Eubank Gate Security Improvement Project - Kirtland Air Force Base (KAFB) will soon begin a construction project at the Eubank gate to address security concerns and provide access to the new NNSA Albuquerque Complex.

The 15-month construction project is expected to begin in September 2019. Those who live, work, and provide services to the base will experience impacts and delays."

We will try to keep you updated with information as we hear about it and as it affects access to the Base for Coronado Thunderbird activities.



Pete Havey, Sr.
Membership 2019
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If your Base pass is expiring soon, contact our Membership Chair for the latest Base pass request form. It does take a little time for your MVC Club membership to be confirmed, and then it takes 10—14 days to get a new badge made. Also, please keep Pete updated with your current address, phone number, and email address.

Want to purchase a Coronado Thunderbirds name badge? You have two choices where you may buy one:

1. KA-MO Engravers (Mike Holly), 5001 Douglas McArthur NE, 87110, phone 883-4963, email is KAMONM@aol.com. Mike's shop is at his home, so please do not call before 10:00am. His price is \$5.00 for a badge with safety pin clasp. A badge with a magnetic holder is \$7.00. His turnaround time is usually around 1-2 weeks.

2. Awards, Etc., 904 Juan Tabo NE, 87112, phone 292-3337, email is linda@nmawards.com. Her price is \$6.41 for a badge with a magnetic back. Her turnaround time is usually three days.

Mountain View Club Activities for September 2019

Club Night--Friday, September 6th - Doors open at 6:00 pm; the party kicks off at 8:00 pm. FREE ENTRY. Join us for beer pong, live music, an awesome bar menu, cold drinks and more!

UFC Fight Night—UFC 242 — Saturday, September 7th, Relativity Bar & Grille. World Lightweight Championship: Khabib vs. Poirier. Doors open at 6:00 pm, PPV starts at 8:00 pm. **Members: FREE; Non-member: \$5.00.** Buffet Dinner: **Members—\$8.50; Non-member—\$10.00.** Buffet dinner will be available from 6:00 pm-9:30 pm.

Sunday Brunch—Sunday, September 15th, 10 am to 1:30 pm. Come enjoy our delicious brunch here at the Mountain View Club with your entire family. Come join us at the Mountain View Club for a wonderful spread. Expect a good time! **Members—Adults: \$16.00; Children (5-11 years old) - \$8.50; Children (4 & under) - Free. Non-Members—Adults - \$18.00; Children (5-11 years old) - \$9.50; Children (4 & under) - \$4.50.**

Family BINGO—Buffet Dinner & Games!—Friday, September 27th—Dinner at 5:30 pm, BINGO at 6:00 pm. Additional cards just \$1.00. Open to all DOD ID holders. No discount for children. Winners must be 18 or over to claim prizes.

Football & Wings - Every Thursday, 4:00 pm-7:00 pm - \$0.60 wings for Members; \$0.75 wings for Non-Members. Variety of flavors to choose from (minimum of 10 wings).

Friday Unwind —Every Friday, 4:00 pm-8:00 pm, Relativity & Ground Zero for the Nightlife crowd! Starting at 4:00 pm in Ground Zero, join us for delicious food, professional bartenders, & hot dance music. Social hour food is served between 5:00 pm-6:00 pm in the Relativity Bar & Grille. **Members: FREE** appetizers; **Non-members: \$5.00.**

September Specials of the Month—Relativity Bar & Grille

- Sandwich—Tender smoked turkey on grilled French roll, with lettuce, sliced tomatoes & flavored mayo. Add cheese for just \$0.50!) \$8.95
- Drink—Jack & Coke (Jack Daniels Tennessee Whiskey, Coke & ice) \$3.25

Meals2Go – Every Wednesday — Meal for Two (Half Order) – **Members: \$12.00, Non-Members: \$13.00;** Meal for Four (Full Order) – **Members: \$18.00, Non-Members: \$20.00.** ORDERING IS EASY! Call 846-5165 or 846-1746 by noon each Wednesday, give your name, phone number, and what size meal you would like! (Club Members must let us know if you would like your free meal for two when placing order, depending on the first letter of your last name.) Extras will not be available at time of pick up (Wednesday, 3:30 pm-5:30 pm). Pick up is at the Mountain View Club drive-through area.

- 4 Sep – BBQ Pork Loin with mac ‘n’ cheese & Cole slaw (X, Y & Z)
- 11 Sep – Roast Turkey Breast with mashed potatoes, stuffing, green beans & gravy (F)
- 18 Sep – Grilled Chicken in Mushroom Gravy with mashed potatoes & mixed veggies (K)
- 25 Sep – Peppered Beef with white rice & mixed veggies (A)

Base Theater

A Night of Variety & Comedy—Friday, September 20th, 6:00 pm—**FREE SHOW**—Family Friendly—Ivan Pecel, Making Juggling Tolerable; Russ Merlin, High Energy Comedy, Las Vegas Residency. Presented by the Air Force Services Center.