

Cliff Notes

Honeywell–Garrett Retirees Club of Arizona

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Our **mission** is to provide fellowship, networking among retirees, and interesting speakers at monthly Club meetings. We also promote philanthropic community and academic activities.

We are a Nonprofit Corporation Dues and Donations are tax deductible.

Club members – Hope all of you are having a wonderful summer. Soon it will start cooling off and we will have our first meeting Oct 5.

Big news - This summer Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club became a nonprofit corporation. We were a nonprofit association. We also expect to obtain IRS 501(c)(3) status shortly. That means both dues and donations are tax-deductible and 100% of your donations will go for scholarship assistance to Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club descendants. This is great.

Dues - Prior to the Oct 5 meeting, you will be receiving via paper mail Club Dues Notice. As mentioned in the May newsletter we had to raise Dues to \$15. The prime reason is we are back to having live meetings and the Scottsdale Senior Center is charging us rent for the room and audio video equipment. The Dues Notice will show if you are delinquent or paid in advance.

Year 2019 and earlier dues were \$15 each year, 2020 and 2021 were \$5 each year since we were not having live meetings, 2022 and forward we are back to \$15 per year.

There are three entry lines on the notice

- First line is current dues for next season, some have paid in advance or are surviving spouse
- Second line for delinquent dues if any
- Third line for scholarship foundation donations

Our members are consistently generous. One member donates \$500 every year and another \$250 yearly. This year all donations go to our Club member descendants.

The dues notice also is the way we get updates on you, such as change of address, or email address, or phone number, or spouse.

Make your check out to Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club.

Mail the notice with your check to Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club PO Box 11633, Scottsdale AZ 85271-1633 no later than Nov 15. Thanks

To encourage prompt payments, we set Nov 15 as the due date. That provides two meetings for those who pay in person. For those who mail, mail no later than Nov 15. If late there is a \$5 late fee. Hope this encourages on time payments that in turn allows our Treasurer to manage bank deposit fees. Yes you read that right, bank charges for deposits if done indiscriminately.

Upcoming Meetings

October 5 is our first meeting of this season. Guest speaker is Mike Madsen, President and CEO of Honeywell Aerospace. He will be presenting the state of Honeywell Aerospace. This will be Mike’s first appearance at our Club. Mike started as a performance engineer in Garrett. He is one of us. The meeting will be held in Scottsdale Granite Reef Senior Center room 8 starting at 1:00pm

November 2 meeting will feature Stephanie Bevins. She is an attorney with more than 25 years of elder law, special needs and estate planning experience. She will speak about issues concerning people in our age group. The meeting will be held in room 8.

December 7 Our first social event will be our traditional **Holiday Charity Luncheon**. Event Director Dianne Bennett is putting together a special luncheon like she has in all past years.

2023 We are planning member meetings in the Senior Center for Jan, Feb, Mar, and May.

April we are considering a spring type picnic. Please let our event director Diane Bennett know if interested. I am.

The other two local Honeywell retiree clubs, Honeywell Retiree Social Club, HRSC, and Aerospace Activity Club, AAC, have meetings and social events. Event information can be viewed an www.hrcaz.org

New Members-There are ten this year, all from our website.

Spence Bennion
Robert Catalani
Jeff Fletcher
Keith Hughes

George Keene
Steve Mitchell
John Morris, Jr
Bill North

Ron Rich
Bill Watson

Welcome to the Club. We like recent retirees because you are younger than rest of us and this keeps the Club alive. Now you youngsters need to volunteer for some Board positions.

Fix-It-Guys help club members including surviving spouses who may need assistance with handyman type jobs. We provide labor and you provide materials.

Frank Holman is the Fix-It-Guys Coordinator and his phone number is 602-695-2565. All three local clubs participate in this activity Honeywell-Garrett Retirees Club, Honeywell Retiree Social Club, and Aero Activities Club. Current Fix-It Guys are:

HGRC	Frank Holman		
HRSC	Lee Rippstein	Dan Schott	Paul Wiley
AAC	Bob Farney	Kevin Vetter	

During 2022 year there have been 12 requests for assistance from the Fix-it-Guys, most from the west side of town. All requests have been successfully resolved except one had to be denied due to the complexity of the request.

Scholarships Thanks to the efforts of Cheryl Wiley all checks have been successfully mailed to the lucky recipients. We had 11 awards this calendar year, 10 from HGRC and 1 from HRSC. The table below lists the students. The Scholarship organization had \$18,800 of donations to distribute among the successful applicants.

The recipients have provided a brief thank you letter and a photo that will appear in future newsletters.

Next year our Club will have complete control of HGRC scholarships.

Name	Club	University	Major	Grandparent
Otto Brink	HGRC	ASU	Political Science	Jim Brink
Macy Zimmerman	HGRC	ASU	Sports Business	Charles Jonkosky
Alyssa Ford	HRSC	UofA	Restaurant Management	Carl Ford
Page Nye	HRSC	NAU	Neuroscience	Kay Nye
Caity Dimerling	HGRC	UofA	Nutritional Science	Craig Thompson
Ben Carlo	HGRC	UofA	Business	Dennis Riebe
Ryan Carlo	HGRC	UofA	Public Health	Dennis Riebe
Paige Cornell	HGRC	ASU	Counselor	John Cornell
Nicholas Keneham	HGRC	ASU	Marketing, Bus Admin	Jim (James) Keneham
Hallie Jonkosky	HGRC	NAU	Economics	Charles Jonkosky
Sean van Dobben	HGRC	NAU	Psychology	Dolf Strom

In Memoriam Recent Passing's Noted by Obituaries or Members since May newsletter

KEITH WAYNE ATCHLEY JR.
 DARREL BURCH
 JIM CHAPIN
 RAY HAND (CORPORATE)

ELMER SMITH
 JERRY SMITH
 DICK TURNAGE

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Volunteers needed for several positions.

Club **Editor**: This position was held by Stu who resigned. New and recent Members who like to write and see their material published This job is for you.

Membership. This job has two functions. The first one is receiving initial inquires and application submittals. Sending out welcome letters, and name badges. Today this task is being done by Diane Bennett.

The second function is maintaining member records, maintaining the Club Active roster and the Deceased roster. Also creating mailing lists for dues notice, email newsletter and paper mail newsletter. This Job requires knowledge of Excel, particularly IF and IFS functions. This is the position we need a volunteer who knows Excel.

Fix-It-Guys Frank Holman could use two volunteers

All members please refer recent retirees to our Club. Direct them to our website www.garrettreteeresaz.com

Treasurers Report for May-June-July 2022 Activity

Bank Date	Description	Credit < Debit >
Apr 30	Bank account ending balance	\$3779.50
May 26	Network Solutions 4-week fee	<-\$7.49 >
June 6	Deposit May member-meeting 50-50 raffle income (cash)	+\$16.00
June 9	Hospitality Director purchase – cards	<-\$6.49>
June 10	Website maintenance monthly fee – makeup for missed May billing	<-\$45.00>
June 10	Check #1079 cashed – Fix-It-Guys gasoline reimbursement	<-\$30.00?
June 22	Website monthly maintenance fee - make-up for missed May billing	<-\$45.00>
June 23	Domain name and email maintenance 4-week fee	<-\$7.49>
June 23	Arizona Corporation Commission fee for filing corporation request	<-\$75.00>
July 6	Office Supplies	<-\$89.67 >
July 18	Monthly website maintenance fee	<-\$45.00 >
July 21	Network Solutions – 4-week fee to maintain email lists	<-\$7.49 >
July 31	Ending Balance	\$3436.87

Board meetings are held before general meetings. All Club members can attend Board meetings. You just have to give us advance notice so we can be prepared for extra attendees.

Wishing everyone good health and see you at our October meeting

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