

ABEVA BRIEF

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ABEVA Mission Statement

ABEVA pledges thoughtful and motivated leadership to enhance our Biltmore Lifestyle by seeking innovative improvements and beautification, while preserving and protecting the ambiance, esthetic, and standards enjoyed by all ABEVA members.

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*Happy Easter From
The ABEVA Office And
The ABEVA Board of Directors!*



FROM THE ABEVA BOARD

April ABEVA Board Meeting

The next ABEVA Board Meeting is Monday, April 18th at 5:30 p.m. in the ABEVA office conference room. The meeting will also be held on Zoom; please get the Zoom information at the abeva.com website. ❖

Executive Director Retires

Everyone at ABEVA would like to say goodbye and good luck to Executive Director, Carol Jones. Carol has been with ABEVA for 10 years and has been a great asset to the community. Carol is retiring and moving on with the next exciting chapter of her life.

The ABEVA Board of Directors and the many homeowners want to thank Carol for her many hours, days, and years she has been dedicated to ABEVA. Carol, you will be missed! ❖

Are You Online?

If you are online, could you share your email address with ABEVA? We promise to use it only to alert you when there is an important event occurring (e.g., a police emergency). If you have not shared your email address with ABEVA, please contact the office at abevaoffice@abeva.com. ❖

President's Corner

A Message From The ABEVA President

I hope this finds you and your families enjoying the fabulous spring weather. It's so lovely to see all the blooms and blossoms flourishing. My condolences to those of you who have allergies. We are seeing some positive changes in the ABEVA community.

Your Beautification Committee reports that the City Water Pump Station at 24th Street and Missouri is currently in the demolition phase. They are studying easements and if ABEVA can be involved in the beautification of the corner.

The ABEVA Board recently welcomed **Tiffany Siegel** as a new Director. She joins us from the Biltmore Gates sub-association, where she serves on their Board as well. Tiffany brings many skills to the ABEVA team, with a background in mediation and communication. She has joined our Communication Committee as the Chair, and will be helping us improve how we communicate with our members. We look forward to working with her.

You will notice that we have updated the ABEVA Mission Statement at the top of the cover of *THE BRIEF*. It was decided that it too needed an update, and I think it hits the mark rather well.

The board will be interviewing candidates for a new office manager, as Carol Jones finished with us at the end of March. In the interim, Beth Rose will be filling in as manager and can be contacted during regular ABEVA office hours. We thank her for stepping in to help keep the office running smoothly.

I look forward to our continued work on the Beautification project and we hope that 2022 will be a landmark year for the ABEVA community.

Stay well, and be kind to one another
Garnet Harding, ABEVA President





1. The tallest Easter egg chocolate was made in Italy in 2011. It stood at 10.39 meters and weighed an astounding 7,200 kg.
2. In the U.S., only 12 of the 50 states recognize Good Friday as a holiday.
3. The art of painting eggs is called pysanka, which originated in Ukraine. It involves using wax and dyes to color the egg.
4. The term Easter gets its name from Eastre, the Anglo-Saxon goddess who symbolizes the hare and the egg.
5. The exchange or giving of Easter eggs actually dates back to before Easter and the giving of eggs is actually considered a symbol of rebirth in many cultures.
6. There used to be a tradition churches observed that resembled the game of "hot potato." Here, the priest would toss a hard-boiled egg to one of the choir boys. The boys would toss the egg amongst themselves and when the clock struck 12, whomever had the egg was the winner and got to keep the egg.
7. Peep peep... did you know Americans buy more than 700 million marshmallow Peeps during Easter? This makes Peeps the most popular non-chocolate Easter candy.
8. Americans consume more than 16 million jelly beans during this holiday. That is enough jelly beans to circle the globe not once, not twice, but three times.
9. Are you an ears, arms or tail person? Seventy-six percent of people eat the ears on the chocolate bunny first, 5 percent go for the feet and 4 percent for the tail.
10. During the holiday, more than 90 million chocolate bunnies, 91.4 billion eggs and 700 million Peeps are produced each year in the United States alone.
11. Next to Halloween, Easter is the biggest candy-consuming holiday of the year. Good thing they are almost six months apart, perfect for your yearly dentist check-ups!
12. An estimated \$14.7 billion is spent in total for Easter in the US.
13. The Easter egg is said to symbolize and represent joy, celebration and new life.
14. Easter is the celebration of the resurrection of Christ; it is the oldest Christian holiday and one of the most important days of the year.

15. Half the states in the United States banned the dyeing of chicks on Easter; however, Florida recently overturned this law and now prevents the dyeing of all animals.
16. Not only did Florida overturn the dyeing of animals, but the state also held the largest Easter egg hunt, where 9,753 children searched for 501,000 eggs.
17. The White House of tradition of the Easter Egg Roll started back in 1878, with President Rutherford B. Hayes!
18. Workers in Birmingham, England who make the famous Cadbury Creme Egg, produce more than 1.5 million egg delights a year.
19. The idea of the Easter bunny giving candies and eggs is said to have originated in Germany during the middle ages. No matter how old you are or where you are in the world, Easter is a fun family tradition that never gets old. ❖

SECURITY

The ABEVA year-end Incident Report, which shows the total number of events recorded by the patrol officers, is posted on the ABEVA website and sent to the Community Managers. The Board also noted that managers for the sub-associations should be providing security updates to their respective Board of Directors monthly.

Should you see anything suspicious, call Roving Patrol at 602-369-4776 or Phoenix Crime Stop at 602-262-6151, and if it is an emergency call 911. For your safety, please program both of these numbers in your home and cell phones. ❖

Monthly ABEVA Patrol Report for February 2022	
Name of Incident	Total Incidents
ALARM	2
BURGLARY	2
COLLISION	3
DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	6
DOOR NOT SECURE	1
GARAGE DOOR OPEN	71
GATE	10
JUNK, LITTER AND DEBRIS	5
LANDSCAPING	19
LIGHTS OUT	14
LOST & FOUND	1
MOVING VIOLATION	1
OTHER	29
PACKAGE FOUND	1
PARKING VIOLATION	169
POLICE - FIRE - EMS ON SITE	4
POLICE ON SITE	4
SOLICITATION	1
SUSPICIOUS PERSON	5
SUSPICIOUS VEHICLE	5
THEFT	5
TRESPASSING	5
VANDALISM TO PROPERTY	4
WATER	5
WILDLIFE	1
TOTAL REPORTS:	373



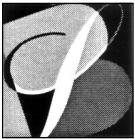


SPECIAL OFFERS AND EVENTS

Biltmore Ladies Lunch Bunch

Calling all women who live in one of our beautiful Biltmore communities to our monthly Biltmore Ladies Lunch Bunch (BLLB) Luncheon! BLLB meets the 2nd Thursday of every month at 11:45 a.m. at McArthur's Restaurant at the Arizona Biltmore Resort in the Atrium Room for fun, food, fellowship and just a casual time to get to know your neighbors! The next luncheon is Thursday, April 14th. It's BYOM/C (Bring Your Own Money/Cash) to assist with the end billing, so please bring cash to the luncheon to assist. Please RSVP so we can let the restaurant know our group size in advance of each Thursday. You can contact Carla Hancock at CHancock@BayEq.com or 602-350-1351 and/or Kerrie@Northandco.com or 602-451-6329 to provide your RSVP or if you have any questions. We look forward to welcoming you there! Carla Hancock and Kerrie Kruse, Co-Coordinators. ❖

Biltmore Area Partnership



The April Biltmore Area Partnership Networking Luncheon will be held on April 26th at the AC Hotel Phoenix Biltmore. The speaker will be Ron Price the CEO of Visit Phoenix. This should be a wonderful highlight of all that Phoenix has to offer.

The AC Hotel is located at 2811 E. Camelback Road in Phoenix. Reservations are required by Friday, April 21st.

Networking will be from 11:30 a.m. to 12 noon, when lunch is served. The speaker will address the attendees from 12:30 to 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$35 for members and \$40 for nonmembers. For additional information, please email Ed Rossi at azbapphx@aol.com. Reservations and checks should be sent to Biltmore Area Partnership at 3104 East Camelback Road, #174, Phoenix, AZ 85016. ❖

Arizona Biltmore ~ A Waldorf Astoria Resort

Easter Brunch: Join us in welcoming Spring with an Easter Brunch and Springtime Garden Party at the Arizona Biltmore. What better way to celebrate Easter's season of new beginnings than with a relaxed and joyful brunch, bringing together friends and family over a leisurely buffet in elegant surroundings. Spread across the magnificent settings of both the Aztec and Gold Rooms with their connecting outdoor spaces, the Biltmore's Easter Brunch promises a suitably spectacular buffet menu, topped off to perfection by their signature Aviation Cocktail. While adults relax and feast, serenaded by a graceful harpist, children will have an unforgettably great time out on the lawn at the Springtime Garden Party, exploring the delights of a petting zoo, face painting, the cotton candy stand and more. ❖

Arizona Biltmore Golf Club News

We hope to see you at the Arizona Biltmore Golf Club and The Adobe Restaurant during the month of April. Here are a few of the things that are happening.

Renovation Work to Begin This Month: Renovations will begin this month at the Arizona Biltmore Golf Club with a new golf shop, member facilities, and an underground golf cart storage facility that allows for additional cart parking. Once complete, parking at the golf club will be substantially expanded, and resort-style landscaping will blend beautifully and seamlessly with the community and resort. In the meantime, please be patient as parking will be limited. Please visit www.YourBiltmoreGolf.com for updates.

Adobe Restaurant Welcomes New GM: Be sure to say hello to new restaurant General Manager, Heather Wissler, the next time you are dining at The Adobe Restaurant. Heather has more than a decade of experience in food and beverage operations, including most recently at The Wigwam Resort. Heather and her team are focused on outstanding service and menus to whet all appetites.



ABEVA Board of Directors

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602-262-6151

Website Information

Please visit the website at www.abeva.com. There is a link to pay your annual assessment. You can download many ABEVA documents; CC&Rs, Parking Permission, Architectural Request Form, and more. You may also read board minutes and the *ABEVA Brief* online. ❖

Handy Contacts

City of Phoenix Back-Washing
602.256.3190
Dead Animal Pick-up
602.262.6791
Dog Catcher
602.506.7387
Snake Control
480.894.1625
Fish & Game
602.942.3000
SRP Outages
602.236.8811
Water Department
602.262.6251
Water Department (after hours)
602.261.8000



Enjoy Easter At The Adobe Restaurant: Easter falls on Sunday, April 17th, and The Adobe Restaurant is the perfect spot to celebrate. The Adobe will feature a delicious Easter Brunch Menu that will be available until 2:00 p.m. After 2:00 p.m., The Adobe's lunchtime favorites will be available, including the Clubhouse Sandwich and the Famous Biltmore Dog (kosher). To make Easter reservations, please call 602-468-9160.

Patio Time: Enjoy the Adobe Restaurant's beautiful patio throughout the month of March. The bar is always open until 6:00 p.m. If you are hungry, you can dine from the afternoon or happy hour menu until 4:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 5:00 p.m. Friday through Sunday.

Are You A Rewards Member? Did you know Biltmore Rewards Members automatically save on greens fees just for signing up? Its free and easy to become a Rewards Member – either download the Arizona Biltmore Golf Club App and sign-up there or sign-up in the golf shop. Rewards Members earn points for playing and purchases towards free golf!

Adobe Happy Hour: Enjoy Happy Hour drink specials at The Adobe Restaurant. Specials begin at 3:00 p.m. and go until close (6:00 p.m.). Draft specials include \$4 Barn Brew, \$4 Bud Light, \$4 Domestic Cans, and \$5 Seasonal Craft Selection; Wine Specials include \$5 House White/Red and Bubbles; and all Craft Cocktails are \$8.

Golf Clinics and Lessons: From adult golfers just taking up the game and juniors learning the fundamentals, to

golfers who want to break 100, 90, 80 or even 70, Tina Tombs is here to help with weekly golf clinics and lessons. Learn more and sign up for all the classes and programs at the website at www.tinatombsgolf.com.

Adobe Curbside Takeout: The Adobe Restaurant continues to offer curbside takeout service from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. daily. The takeout menu offers a full menu of favorites, plus beer, wine and soft drinks are available. To view The Adobe Restaurant's Takeout Menu, visit the website at www.theadoberestaurant.com and click the menu button. To place an order, call 602-468-9160.

Specials at The Arizona Biltmore Golf Club: The Arizona Biltmore Golf Club offers great ways to play and save:

- ↳ Sunday Family Day: Kids under 17 play free with a paying adult after 1:00 p.m. (1 child per adult 21 years or older).
- ↳ Lunch Break Special: Enjoy a hot dog, a drink and a bucket of practice balls for just \$15.

Frontline & Public Service Rate: As a small token of appreciation for all they do for the community and country, all frontline workers and first responders (doctors, nurses, police, fire, emergency services and military) will receive \$5 off their round. Bring up to 3 friends with you at the same rate and enjoy the great conditions. (Must have valid I.D., good for all current and retired personnel).

For more information, to book a golf tee time, corporate lunch or private function, please visit the websites at www.azbiltmoregc.com or www.theadoberestaurant.com. ❖



ABEVA MEMBER DISCOUNTS FOR APRIL 2022

The following businesses and ABEVA partners have graciously offered to provide discounts to ABEVA MEMBERS ONLY. THERE IS NO ABEVA-ISSUED CARD. TO SHOW YOU ARE A MEMBER OF ABEVA, BRING THIS SECTION OF *THE BRIEF* WITH YOU. Please call first to verify that they are open.

Restaurants

- **Wrigley Mansion** - 20% off brunch. For your reservation, call 602-955-4079.

Partners & Businesses

- **Foothills Pet Resort** - 3165 E. Lincoln Drive. 10% off boarding, daycare, and grooming services. Call 602-956-2302 or visit www.foothillspetresort.com.
- **Sculpt AZ Medical Spa** - 20% off your first service & 6 FREE units of Botox. Experience luxury and top notch beauty treatments like you have never seen before. Call 602-699-3311 or visit www.sculptazmedspa.com.



- **Hair Craft Salon** - 1622 N. 16th Street - 50% off any hair service for 1st visit. Call 602-435-8488.
- **UPS Store** - 3219 E. Camelback Road (next to Tomaso's) 10% off 602-952-8830.
- **Get Your Move On, Delicate Moving & Storage** - \$100 off for your next move. Call 480-695-6621.
- **RunBuddy Mobile** - Mobile Dog Gym. Call/Text 480-433-8835 or visit runbuddymobile.com. Starting at \$45 for one dog.
- **Pet Market** - 4719 N. 20th St. #A30. Mention you are an ABEVA member to receive 10% off your entire purchase. To redeem use code item#:500170. 602-954-4000. or visit www.choicepetmarket.com.

