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# Member Dispatch

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When you shop with this card SBCO receives 6% of what you spend. Compliments of Bashas. How many cards do you have?

## Mark Your Calendars

It's the summer slowdown. However, 2013-2014 programs and events are being planned.

Contact us with ideas for programs and events.

## Things You Might Have Missed

Look for news of this in our SaddleBrooke papers, but for now, FYI. On Sunday, April 14th the SaddleBrooke Ranch Men's Golf Association (SBRMGA) held its annual golfing fundraiser and raised \$2,300 for SBCO's Education Committee's College scholarship program.

Save the Date for the Walkathon: October 26, Saturday morning, SaddleBrooke One Clubhouse. 7:40 warm-up exercises and 8:00 start. Enjoy a fabulous hot breakfast and take home our signature-designed tee shirt.



Food drive volunteers are happiest when driving food.

Have you welcomed our new board of directors? Welcome to Tim McCauley, Mary Britton, and Gayl Van Netter. Let's also welcome SBCO board veteran Judy Williams to her new position as VP of Kids' Closet.

We hope you had a chance to donate to or help with our annual SBCO – Tri-Community Food Bank food drive last month. We collected over 19,000 pounds of food and raised \$8,500.00.

Congratulations to our Volunteer(s) of the Year = Melanie Stout, Patricia Tewksbury, and Pat Schlote. But wait. There's more. Congratulations to our Sponsor of the Year = T.B. Contractors.

## Things You Don't Want to Miss

Walkathon planning will be on-going throughout the summer. Would you like to help? If so, contact Joe McGowan at [domerjoe@wbhsi.net](mailto:domerjoe@wbhsi.net).

A home/garden tour is being discussed for the spring of 2014. Garden trains are a consideration! Do you know of someone with such a train? Would you like to be part of a home/garden committee? This is another opportunity to contact Joe.

Standby for education news. Soon we will have the names of next year's college scholarship recipients and announcements regarding SBCO-funded enrichment programs for the year.

How about that Golden Goose! Are you aware that 54% of SBCO's annual revenues come from the Goose? Visit its website [www.goldengooseaz.com](http://www.goldengooseaz.com). Donate generously and shop extravagantly. Do both early and often.

Two big happenings at the Golden Goose in April. On Sunday, April 21st, Goose volunteers attended a party to celebrate the 10th anniversary of the Golden Goose, where it was announced that the Goose reached the \$5 million mark in distributions to SBCO and Catalina Community Services. Also, the Goose is now accepting, picking up and sorting clothing donations. Catalina Community Services will also continue to accept clothing. The upside of this new policy is that clothing and accessories can now be donated at two locations - whichever is more convenient to you. Wherever you choose to donate, you can be sure that the clothing will benefit both charities and the local community. Your donations are always gratefully appreciated.



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## Classifieds

Help Wanted! Math and reading volunteers. Contact Steve Groth or Julie Goodman for details.

Help Wanted! Suite L volunteers. We are always looking for folks to staff our Suite L. Shifts are three hours, 9am to noon or noon to 3pm, Monday through Wednesday. It's quiet, peaceful, and non-strenuous. Contact Joan Coyne at [jhcoyne@att.net](mailto:jhcoyne@att.net).

Help Wanted! Our communication team is interested in more publicity for our activities and successes. Do you like to write or take pictures? Call Nan Nasser, 825-1245

Space Needed! Due to MountainView Clubhouse construction next year we will hold our membership meetings elsewhere. Would you offer your home/yard? This is often a gathering of about 35 people. Or, would you host an SBCO happy hour in your home to promote our programs and membership?

Brainstorming Needed! Ideas for general membership meeting programs are welcome and encouraged!

For Sale! Bashas-SBCO community support cards. Bashas and SBCO have devised a way for us all to donate to SBCO while purchasing groceries. When we use our Bashas'-SBCO prepaid (gift-like) cards 6% of our purchase price will be donated to SBCO. You fill the card with cash, check, or credit card and then use it at the store like a gift card. Cards are available (\$5.00) at Suite L in SaddleBrooke's commercial center. The cards are free since each new card has \$5.00 of purchasing power [already] on it.



Have we detected conspirators among us? No. These two are SBCO veterans Pat Ford and Nan Nasser. Nan is passed president. This was Pat's final year as VP of Kids' Closet. Tremendous service for many years. Thank you, Pat. Thank you, Nan.

[More photos on the next page.](#)



SBCO Volunteers of the Year - Melanie Stout, Patricia Tewksbury, and Pat Schlote.



Every year Oracle Ford donates its vehicle in support of our annual food drive. Thank you.

### Your SBCO Officers

President Maggie DeBlock; Executive VP Joan Roberts; Treasurers Anne Everett & John Young; Recording Secretaries Stefanie Modos and Gayl van Netter; Corresponding Secretaries Joan Coyne and Mary Britton; Kids' Closet VP's Paula Morgan and Judy Williams; Education VP's Stephen Groth and Julie Goodman; Special Events VP Joe McGowan; Directors of Membership Ken Siarkiewicz & Willie Reich; Director of Communication Tim McCauley; Golden Goose Representative Ann Coziahr.