



December 17, 2020

Dear Community Member:

Council Committees

Executive Committee

New Executive Committee Members

The Green Valley Council will be welcoming a new President Debbie Kenyon along with Vice-President Royal Martin, Treasurer Georganne Rodgers-Garn and Members-at-Large Martha Van Vactor and Richard Kidwell to the Executive Committee. Their terms are for two years, that is, January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2022.

Health and Human Services Committee

Who is Responsible for Keeping Me Safe from Covid-19?

I've come to the conclusion that I am! I follow the Big 3 – Wear a mask, Wash my hands, Social Distance. Beyond that, I am the only one who can determine how much Risk I am comfortable with.

It's a Risk when I pump gas for my car, when I handle money, when I go to the store, when friends ask me over for dinner. Should I.... go to a restaurant for dinner? stop by a friend's house to visit? Should I go where there is a crowd.... to see a movie? go to church? to see a program? And on, and on, and on. Every Risk I take makes me vulnerable to the virus.

I urge everyone to assess the Risks they may be taking every day. Plan to stay safe!

The Arizona Department of Public Health has issued a risk index, *reposted here*, for your safety.

The State of the Canoa Parks

In one year's time incredible changes have occurred in the Canoa Parks. Partnerships have been fostered with Pima County Natural Resources Parks and Recreation and the Regional Flood Control District.

A third diamond is under construction at the Preserve. While the ball fields are temporarily closed, many people are still enjoying the walking trails. The Canoa Hills Trails boasts 5+ miles of safe pathway, remediated retaining walls, benches, picnic tables, a new human and pet water fountain, and sidewalks along Camino del Sol. The former driving range was recently hydroseeded. 50 - 70 cars park in the lot daily. This is in addition to those people who access the Park from the surrounding HOAs. The Regional Flood Control District will release the Park Survey and Concept Plans after the first of the New Year.

COVID-19 RISK INDEX

Know Your Risk During COVID-19

Always wear a mask
when in public

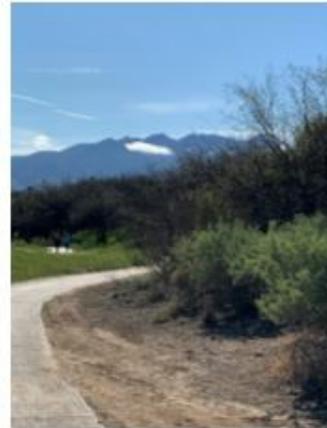
For more information, visit:
azhealth.gov/COVID19



Risk level	Activity	
	<i>On a scale of 1 to 10, how risky is...</i>	
1	Opening the mail	LOW RISK
1	Teleworking from your own home	
2	Getting takeout from a restaurant	
2	Pumping gasoline	
2	Playing tennis	
2	Going camping with your household or other usual close contacts	MODERATE-LOW
3	Grocery shopping	
3	Going for a walk, run, hike, or bike ride with your household or other usual close contacts	
3	Playing golf	
4	Hanging out with your quarantine team at their house	
4	Staying at a hotel	
4	Sitting in a doctor's waiting room	
4	Going to a library or museum	
4	Eating outside at a restaurant	
4	Walking in a busy downtown	
4	Spending time at a playground	MODERATE RISK
5	Dinner party at someone's house with people who are not your usual close contacts	
5	Attending a backyard barbecue	
5	Visiting a lake or tubing	
5	Shopping at a mall	
6	Sending kids to school, camp, or day care	MODERATE-HIGH
6	Working in an office building	
6	Swimming in a public pool	
7	Going to a hair salon or barbershop	
7	Eating inside a restaurant	HIGH RISK
7	Attending a wedding or funeral	
7	Traveling by plane	
7	Playing a close contact sport such as basketball or football	
8	Eating at a buffet	
8	Working out at an indoor gym or fitness center	
8	Going to an amusement park	
8	Going to a casino	
8	Going to a movie theater	
9	Attending a large music concert	
9	Going to a sports stadium	
9	Attending events or services with 50+ people	
9	Going to a bar	

Highlights at Historic Canoa Ranch include the Cienega and pollinator garden with maintained pathways, rusted wrought iron fencing, a courtyard ramada, monument entrances, and the new Visitor's Center. Over 82,000 people have enjoyed the Ranch this year!

For more information on these beautiful Green Valley resources contact us at info@gvcouncil.org or 520-648-1936.



Clockwise from Top: New Monument Entrance at Canoa Ranch; Canoa Hills Trails Walkway; Historic Canoa Ranch Landscaped Field; Canoa Preserve Ball Field; and New Signage/Waypoint Map at the Canoa Hills Trails.



"The best times in our lives were not about what we had, but who we were with" ...unknown

The Council wants to thank you, our HOA members and all residents of the Green Valley community, for all you contribute to making this a great community to live in and we welcome your input on how we can better serve you and the community in the future.

This will be the last GVC newsletter for 2020. Look for the first issue in 2021 the second week in January by our new president, Debbie Kenyon. As the Acting President, I have gently steered the Council to the end of the year. Despite the Coronavirus Pandemic, we have continued to serve you, the community, to the best of our ability. It is with great pleasure that I introduce the new President and the new editor of our GVC newsletter.

Happy Holidays

The Green Valley Council



Dick Roberts, Acting President

