



## What a great way to start the New Year!

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Here we are again, facing yet another New Year with great anticipation and excitement! It's not only a time to look forward, but at time to look back, reflect, and count our blessings. The New Year also reminds us that, as the years fly by, our birthdays do the same, and suddenly the term "aging in place" has a more profound meaning. Yes, getting older can present new challenges, but fortunately, we live in a beautiful community with supportive friends, neighbors, and our own Senior Village to assist with some of those challenges.

And yes, you can count on Senior Village to lend a hand, but did you know Senior Village also has many great monthly activities for our members to brighten your days? Here is the list of our exciting events; please post in your home in a prominent place and plan to be part of the Senior Village's fun member activities in 2018:

**Birthday lunch:** Members are called during their birthday month and invited to a no-host lunch at one of the SaddleBrooke restaurants; spouses and guests are welcome.

**Bingo:** First Friday of the month at Mountain View Clubhouse.

**Putters:** Second Wednesday of the month; at the Catalina putting green on Ridgeview.

**Bocce:** Third Wednesday of the month at the HOA1 bocce ball courts.

**Book Club:** Once a month; day/week/place to be announced

So, no more excuses! Sign up as a Senior Village member and join the fun in 2018. Our volunteers will even pick you up if you need a ride. To learn more about being a Senior Village member, volunteer, Friend, or to donate to Senior Village, please call **520-314-1042**.

