



New Frontiers News

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New Frontiers Membership Fee to Increase on July 1, 2008

The New Frontiers Council has voted to increase annual and semi annual membership fees for the first time in thirteen years. **The new increase was prompted by the Mesa Community College decision to increase the per student registration charge paid to MCC by New Frontiers.** The registration charge helps off-set some of the MCC expenses to provide support for NFLL activities. New Frontiers annual membership will be \$70 and semi-annual membership will be \$55. The new fees will be in effect for all who join New Frontiers after July 1, 2008.

Special Reduced Cost Membership Fees!!

MCC and New Frontiers have agreed to offer a **one-time opportunity to join NFLL for the next year at the current membership fee if payment is received BEFORE July 1, 2008.** The reduced fee of \$60 for annual membership and \$45 for semi-annual membership will be available to all members if registration and payment are received before July 1, 2008.

Registration may be completed by phone (480-461-7497) or in person (Community Education Office, Building 37, East of Kirk Student Center on the MCC Dobson and Southern Campus). **You may not register on-line.**

Please contact any NFLL Council Member if you have questions or need additional information.

New Frontiers Facilitators Luncheon

Thirty five New Frontiers facilitators; **Marie Allen**, MCC/ New Frontiers Liaison; and **Ann Cox**, Administrative Assistant for Center Operations were present at the Shalimar Country Club on Friday, May 9, 2008 for the thank you luncheon honoring the 2007-2008 New Frontiers facilitators. Co-Chair of the Curriculum Committee, **Shiela Millhollon** and Executive Council President **Skip Carney** opened the celebration by thanking everyone for their hours of dedication in sharing their talents, making it possible for others to widen their experiences, knowledge and enjoyment. Shiela forwarded **Joe Milner's** message of "great disappointment that he couldn't attend the luncheon because of his recent stroke".

Megan Kestner, the continuing recipient of the New Frontiers Scholarship, was unable to attend the luncheon because of finals, so the presentation was not made at that time.

At the close of the meal, **Ray Spatti** extended a heartfelt thank you, on behalf of all the members, to **Pat De Blake** for her past three years of extraordinary work in expanding New Frontiers through obtaining so many new facilitators and presenters adding a tremendous number of interesting and varied classes. Pat immediately stood up and responded how she wouldn't have been able to do any of it without the support she received from everyone.

It can be said that everyone at the luncheon enjoyed good friendship, good food and a good time! Submitted by Shiela

Millhollon, Curriculum Co-Chair

**Please see enclosed insert regarding summer schedule
From Curriculum Committee**

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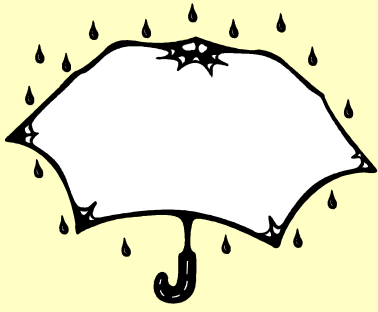
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**The New Frontiers Board
Wishes Each of You
A Safe & Happy Summer**

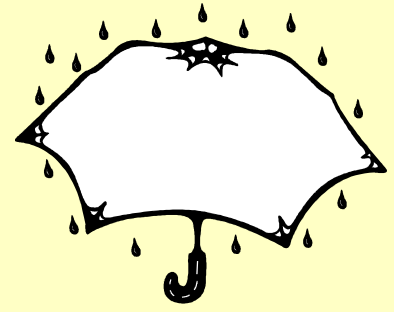
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SUMMER CLASSES

NEW FRONTIERS

**MESA SENIOR CENTER
247 MACDONALD**

Lunch with Popular Speakers – Cost \$3.00 – 11:30 am

Thursday, June 19 – Larry Fraher of the Kino Institute of Theology

The End of the World as We Know It – The ‘end times’ is one of the most controversial topics in Christian Theology so we will explore ideas common to mainstream Christianity and in so doing examine some commonly held notions.

Thursday, July 17 – Leonard Gordon, Dean of ASU Emeritus College

Mass Media and Collective Behavior – It is an election year! The mass media reports events of high public interest in various outlets. How that information is processed by us is the basis of various forms of collective behavior.

Wednesday, August 27 – Steve Wylie of New Frontiers

The Year 1776 – Why you read about heroes and the authors you read.

Note: Money for the lunch will be collected at the door. If registered for the session and unable attend please notify Pat De Blake at least two days in advance, or you will be charged for the lunch. This is necessary to cover the cost of the prepared food.

The Best Movies You May Have Missed – Tuesdays - 9:30 am

NF member Mary Masyga with Free Popcorn plus Good Discussions

Tuesday, July 8 – *Johnny Belinda* starring Jane Wyman

Tuesday, July 22 – *A Patch of Blue* starring Sidney Portier

Tuesday, August 5 – *Marty* starring Ernest Borgine

Ladies Billiards Class – Thursdays – 1:00 pm

Norree Smith, Senior Olympic Medalist and East Valley Billiards League Winner

Ladies, learn to play billiards! It's a "girl thing" time so you'll learn the games, and game techniques, make new friends, learn new skills and enjoy a 'cool' sport.

Thursdays, June 5, 12, 19, and 26 1:00-3:00 pm

Supervised Shoot Around one hour

(Non-New Frontiers members cost is \$10.00)

Driver Refresher Course

Mesa Police Department

Thursday, June 26 9:30-11:30

The Traffic Unit of the Mesa Police Department is hosting A Driver Refresher Course that highlights some of the most common Arizona traffic laws and questions including rules on turns, intersections, freeway driving, emergency vehicles, school crossing zones, handling emergencies, DUI, and child seat safety. They strive to keep our streets safe and hope that you will take advantage of this free course.

Cool Summer Reading

Tuesdays and Thursdays of August at 10:00 am

The Quiet Leaf Group will provide us with authors for our enjoyment. Each author will present/discuss their book. Each book will be on display for purchase.

INTERESTING OPPORTUNITIES AT OTHER LOCATIONS

Beyond the Galaxy – Adventures in Astronomy

South East Regional Library – Riparian Park, Greenfield and Guadalupe, Gilbert

Fridays, June 13, July 11, August 8 and September 12 8:00 pm

East Valley Astronomy Club continues the popular Friday night astronomy programs and telescope viewing in Gilbert. Sessions are open to us!

Chandler Center for the Arts – Free Summer Concerts

250 North Arizona Avenue, Chandler

Free Parking too!

Days Vary, July 26, August 2 and 16, September 6 and 19 7:30 pm

Chandler Center for the Arts offers five free concerts this summer. No tickets are required and doors open one hour prior to show time. Open seating on a first come first serve basis. Refer to the enclosed flyer for the details of each concert. Attend one or all the concerts.

Registration for Classes Is Required. Contact the Community Education Department at **480-461-7497**. Be prepared to give your name, the course numbers from the grid that you wish to attend. If you have to leave a message, please include your name and telephone number – you will receive a returned call.