



Hemisphere flyer

February 2023



SAPHC - We Party with a Purpose!



**January Happy Hour
Next Happy Hour is
Thursday, February 16th, 2023
The Mineshaft**

902 NE Interstate 410 Loop, San Antonio,



President's Letter to the Phlock

SAPHC,

Well January was a busy month. SAPHC had a good crowd at both Pardi Gras and Lone Star Luau. They were a lot of fun, and it was great to see old phriends while making new ones. We get a lot of comments at outside events on how well SAPHC travels to support other events. It is phun to see how these events are put on while picking up new ideas to make ours even better!

Annually we provide a recap of our previous year to Parrot Heads in Paradise (PHIP), our parent Group, and renew our Charter. A BIG round of applause to y'all!! We donated \$ 14,360 and provided 1180 volunteer hours for 2022--well done!! We ended up the year with 240 members, down a little bit from previous years, so please keep your membership up to date as we can't do it without you!!

SURVIVE 2023 is set for 19-20 May in Port Aransas at the Island Hotel. Still working details, but we'll have The Jonas Lorence Band for Saturday night. Keep watching for emails on registration and committee meetings- we can always use some help planning/setting up this phun event.

We have some great House Concerts coming up. Lakeside Lanai has Dan Sullivan and Aubrey Wollet on 12 March and Aaron Scherz on 13 May. Isla Bella will have Tall Paul and Kristie Bobel on 22 April and Brent Burns on 27 May. House Concerts are a great way for you to not only hear the artist, but for you to get acquainted with them as they provide some background on themselves and their songs!

PHINS UP!!

Cooler Dave
SAPHC President





January Happy Hour

"It's important to have as much fun as possible while we're here. It balances out the times when the minefield of life explodes." - Jimmy Buffett





Next Happy Hour— February 16th, 2023

Happy Hour at The Mine Shaft

Come join us for great Phriendship, Music, and Phun!

This ought to be a Phun Rodeo Happy Hour as we have JR Herrera playing for us, a little bit of CW and Trop Rock. Break out your Rodeo attire!!

We have a great two month raffle for a corn hole game donated by JR and Dee Troy along with our 50/50 raffle. Our charity this month is Soldiers Angels. Let's see how many socks we can donate!!!!!!

Just for info, we'll be at the Mine Shaft for this Happy Hour and will move to Bracken Store and Icehouse for March and April!



**Always collecting
Travel Size Toiletries for
Soldier's Angels**





FEBRUARY CHARITY—SOLDIER'S ANGELS

Provide comfort for brave soles.



Believe it or not, one of the items that is most requested from Service Members and Veterans is socks!

Just think how nice a brand new pair of socks feel when you slip your feet in...

*Soldiers' Angels wants to help keep our Troops and Veterans toes feeling toasty, and you can help! Please donate **new** socks in all colors and sizes in their original packaging. The socks will be distributed to Veterans in VA Hospitals and include in care packages to deployed Service Members. Don't worry, we know there are regulations for the type of socks our troops wear when in uniform, but they request socks to wear when out of uniform—so really, any kind of sock will do!*



SAPHC Happenings

- Feb 16 Happy Hour—Mineshaft
- Mar 12 Lakeside Lanai with Aubrey Wollett
- Apr 22 Isla Bella with Tall Paul and Kristie Bobel
- May 13 Lakeside Lanai with Aaron Scherz
- May 19 SURVIVE
- May 27 Isla Bella with Brent Burns

Membership Update - February, 2023

Number of Current Members as of February 1 – 235

A loss of 5 since the January 1 Membership Report

Number of members renewed in January: 11

Number of outstanding renewals for January: 8

Number of new members: 1

Members at January Happy Hour: 43



Our Director of Membership Diane Elliot

Thank you Diane for all of your hard work!



Lakeside Lanai has two house concerts scheduled for the spring. We are excited about both shows.

Sunday, March 12 - Aubrey Wollett - Afternoon times to be announced soon.

Saturday, May 13 - early evening show with Aaron Scherz

***Details will be at Lakeside Lanai Facebook page.
600 Lakeside Pass, New Braunfels TX***



***Thank you,
Connie and Scott***



Windy Cindy's February, 2023 Blog

We made it through the first month of the year with lots of fun adventures already. I know many of you went to Pardi Gras in NOLA and had a phantastic time. I am hoping to be able to join you party animals next year. I miss Lucky Dogs, Zydeco music and gumbo. I did get to travel to Lake Conroe for the Lone Star Luau. As usual it was 3 days FILLED with music. However probably my favorite part of the long weekend was hanging out with my friends. We found a delicious place to have breakfast on



Friday morning, The Toasted Yolk, then a winery, and The Big Sombrero for dinner Friday night. Every night ended with a pajama party where we drank wine, laughed and stayed up until wee hours of the morning. Do you know what crazy words come out of your mouth at that time? I am looking forward to more great times in March-especially the St. Patrick's Day Pub Crawl in New

Braunfels hosted by the Seguin Parrot Head Club.

“Keep your face always toward the sunshine, and the shadows will fall behind you.” Walt Whitman

Phins Up!

Cindy



Kathy's Recipes

Tot Sliders

If you didn't think sliders could get any smaller- or cuter then you haven't tried swapping coin shaped tots for buns. This dish is one of the times where it tastes as good as it looks.

Ingredients:

32 frozen potato rounds (such as ORE-IDA CRISPY CROWNS)

2 tablespoons vegetable oil

8 ounces ground beef (85% lean)

1/4 pinch kosher salt

1/4 teaspoon black pepper

4 slices American cheese

1 tablespoon ketchup, or to taste

1 tablespoon mustard, or to taste

16 pickled gherkins, drained

16 toothpicks

Makes 16 mini sliders

Directions:

Preheat the oven to 450 degrees

Toss tots with oil on a 10X15 inch baking pan, then spread into single layer.

Bake in the preheated oven, turning once halfway through, until browned and crisp, 15 to 18 minutes. Meanwhile put ground beef on a sheet of waxed paper.

Top with another sheet and press beef into a 4 X 6 inch rectangle. Remove top sheet. Sprinkle beef with salt and pepper then cut into 1 X 1 1/2 inch rectangles.

Break each cheese slice into quarters. Fold quarters over to make 16 pieces of double layered cheese. Cook beef in a large skillet over medium heat until browned on one side (about 3 minutes). Turn burgers over, top with cheese,

cook covered until beef is no longer pink in centers and cheese has melted

(about 3 minutes). Top a tot with a cheeseburger, ketchup, mustard, pickle and another tot. Spear stack with a toothpick. Repeat with remaining ingredients.



Enjoy!



Marisela & Luis' Drink of the Month

FRENCH GIMLET

Ingredients:

2 oz Gin

1 ½ oz St-Germain

½ oz Lime Juice

Preparation:

Stir and serve in a coupette with a lime twist! Cheers!



Quote:

“Shells sink, dreams float. Life's good on our boat.”

— Jimmy Buffet



The Old Man's 2023 Schedule

Jimmy Buffet shows from Margaritaville.com. Please remember to get PHIP Club Tickets for the concerts you need to be a current SAPHC Member. You can renew/join at www.saphc.org/membership

Mar 4	MGM Grand Garden Arena	Las Vegas, NV
Mar 7	Acrisure Arena	Palm Springs, CA
Mar 9	Footprint Center	Phoenix, AZ
Mar 11	MGM Grand Garden Arena	Las Vegas, NV
Apr 22	Ameris Bank Amphitheatre	Atlanta, GA
May 6	Snapdragon Stadium	San Diego, CA



If you can't make it to the concert, you can watch on MargaritavilleTV.com



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Adopt-a-Highway
Alzheimer's Association
Converse Animal Shelter
Elf Louise Project
NEISD McKinney Vento
Project Cool
Ronald McDonald House
San Antonio Food Bank
SAMM's
Seton Hall
Soldier's Angels

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Troy ERA Realtors
The Mine Shaft Saloon
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Rebecca Creek Distillery
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Island Hotel, Port Aransas
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JANUARY

FEBRUARY

Christian	Top Cat
Flance	Beverly
Flance	Rob
Jauregui-	
Lieber	Gloria
Lieber	Bill
Muir	Cindy
Muir	Don
Starling	Pam
Willis	Paul

Albers	Dakota
Daniels	Justin
Fabrie	Deno
Gabel	Stoney
Galloway	Wesley
Klenk	
(Gabel)	Rebecca
Messina	Mary
Tooney	Darreyl



Members who need to renew now can do so online by going to the club membership page at <https://www.saphc.org/membership> and filling out the online form. You can then pay online by credit card by following the link to the Club Square store. You also have the options of printing a form and mailing it in with a check, or by signing up in person at a Happy Hour meeting with Membership Director Diane Elliot.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!



FEBRUARY/MARCH BIRTHDAYS!!!

FEBRUARY

Dickson	William	1
Hughes	Scott	1
Spenny	Sally	5
McNeill	Debbie	6
Bellows	Chris	9
Martin	Nancy	9
Bellows	Lyn	10
Blanchard	Warren	10
Boyd	Robert	13
Mikeska	Mark	15
Norvell	Gerry	16
Prevou	Karen	16
Arnsworth	Helen	18
Diaz	Mary	18
Medina	Mike	19
Bobo	Paul	21
Gordon	Mandy	22
Perkins	Sharon	22
Cronkhite	Sharon	23
Blocker	Bill	26
Dinges	Ronald	28
Elliott	Kim	29

MARCH

Hall	Sam	1
Simpson	Sean	1
Anderson	Paul T	6
Dickson	Susan	6
Hudler	Cindy	7
Diaz	Jerry	8
Johnson	Jeff	8
McDaniel	Janet	8
Hunter	Charlotte A	9
Dowell	Wanda	10
Stanley	James (Jim)	14
Brunner	Barbara	15
Mitchell	Gayla	19
Mitchell	Steve	22
Thompson	Jen	23
Hughes	Amy	25
Marlatt	Helia	29





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