



## June 2014 Asides



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### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Please Note New Start Time For Our  
Regular 2014 Meetings

July 7, 2014	Tickets go on sale for <i>What the Bellhop Saw</i>
July 20, 22 - 26, 2014	<i>What the Bellhop Saw</i>
August 6, 2014	SLCT Happy Hour at Oakwood, 4:00 p.m.
October 9, 2014	<b>Our First Fall Meeting at Cottonwood in the Ballroom 6 – 6:30 Cocktails 6:30 Meeting</b>
October 17 - 21	<i>Trouble At The Tropicabana at Oakwood</i>
October 24 - 25	<i>Trouble At The Tropicabana at Sun Lakes Country Club</i>
November 13, 2014	6-6:30 Cocktails 6:30 Meeting
November 19 – 23,	<i>Murder at the Howard Johnson's</i>
December 9, 2014	<b>Holiday Party at Palo Verde</b>

DON'T FORGET! Mark your calendar, if you  
 haven't already done so. August 6, 2014 at  
 4 pm. SLCT Happy Hour at Oakwood.

# President's Message

Are we having fun yet or what? With so much going on in Sun Lakes for us on the Board and for our actors memorizing lines and directors designing sets and working on scripts and details galore, that we are indeed busy.

Tickets will be going on sale for **What the Bellhop Saw** very shortly and we don't want you to miss out. They will be sold at the Cottonwood Saguaro Room as always. The dates of the ticket sales will be announced soon. I encourage you and your friends to purchase your tickets to this wonderfully funny show.

Thank you to those folks who have offered to help with tickets. Your name has been passed on. Your willingness to help will make the workload lighter.

At this time I wish to sing the praises of our Construction, Sound and Lighting Crews. They work so very hard for us to help make each production a seamless, enjoyable experience. Because of our realistic scenery, which can rival that of so many other theatres, and our expertise in sound effects and lighting which quickly respond to the actor's actions, our theatre happenings are indeed something to be proud of. And that isn't accidental. Our volunteers spend countless hours working to perfect and then execute their crafts. We cannot thank them enough for their help. Due to our show scheduling, we have given them all a most challenging summer/fall season and their work isn't going unnoticed. Many thanks to each and all of you for what you do for SLCT.

See you at **What the Bellhop Saw!**

The SLCT Board has learned that Gerry Pieters' surgery went very well and he is home now recuperating. We hope he continues to feel better.

Kathy Jensen is going in for surgery on 6/6 and we send her our best wishes and hope she too feels better soon.

We were sorry to learn of the passing of Merrie Crawford's mother. Our condolences to her and her family.



“Mark your calendars, tell your friends & neighbors & think of us if you are somewhere cool this summer, but most of all remember to get your tickets for SLCT’s summer and fall shows.. Terrific plays with our own so very talented performers: ***What the Bellhop Saw, July 20 & 23-26; Trouble at the Tropicabana, October 17-21 & 24-25 and Murder at Howard Johnson’s, November 19-23.***

See you all there...”

Marcia Stevic, Publicity

Diana Nelinson along with Jack Rubinoff’s assistance is directing this fall’s production of “Murder at the Howard Johnson’s”. The characters for this hilarious production are being played by Joyce Recupido as Arlene Miller, Harlie Youngblood as Paul Miller, Bill Munn as Mitchell Lovell and Veda Baack as the HoJo’s maid. The show run is from November 19-23<sup>rd</sup> in the SanTan Ballroom.

## The Improvables

If any of you have not seen one of our shows, we encourage you to get tickets and support your fellow theatre members!! We are working hard; helping to get SLCT's name out there in our community and spreading laughter and goodwill.



### Upcoming Shows

Association For Theater in Higher Education conference, Thursday, July 24, 3:15 -4:45 pm, Fairmont Scottsdale Princess Hotel

AAUW Holiday Show, Saturday, December 6, 2014, in Oakwood at 12:30

Oakwood Ladies 99ers, Tuesday, December 9, 2014, in Oakwood at 1:00

Oakwood Show, Thursday, January 22, 2015, in Oakwood time, TBA

Do you belong to any organization or group that needs entertainment? Let us know

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SLCT currently sends out periodic email blasts to provide general information about SLCT activities and would also like to send notifications about any theatre related events in the area. As an example, since we have been donors to the drama departments of the Chandler high schools, it is important that we support them with our attendance at their productions. Similarly, we have SLCT members who are occasionally involved in productions outside of Sun Lakes and it would be encouraging to support them with our attendance as well. If you know of any of these, please let us know by emailing the information to [info@slctinfo.com](mailto:info@slctinfo.com).

### SLCT is a Well-Wired Organization

Please visit the SLCT website at <http://www.slctinfo.com/>. It has information on upcoming productions, club history, past productions, photo slideshows, and much more. It even has a Resources page full of links to job descriptions of all SLCT roles, our bylaws, and other important information. It also has a button on the home page to connect you to our Facebook account and a button that points to an up-to-date calendar of scheduled SLCT events. If you have ever had a question about anything in SLCT, this is the place to go. See you there.