



What is the Filipiniana Club? Our club, established in March 2012, serves to benefit residents of Sun City Anthem by aiming to preserve, promote, and share the Filipino culture and traditions. Club membership is open to all City Anthem residents in good standing. Club dues are only \$5 annually and our Board members meet on a monthly basis (4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month) in Independence Center to plan events, discuss club business, share experiences, etc. All Club members are welcome to attend Board Meetings. We hold our General Membership meetings quarterly (or as needed). Visit our website at [www.scafc.org](http://www.scafc.org) to see some of the events from this past year and to get more information on our activities.

October was a busy month. Our Club's Country Western event on Oct 7 was a hoot! Who knew that some of our members could two-step? Catered by Superior Event Services (Ray Esposito) we enjoyed BBQ ribs, chicken, and all the fixins that accompanied it. Country-western music, provided by DJ Eric Colima filled the ballroom while everyone kicked up his or her heels for a boot-scooting good time. Near the end of the month at our General Membership meeting, we elected our new Club Officers for 2017. For those of you, who attended and participated in the election process, THANK YOU. You now know who the new 2017 Club Officers will be. However, if you missed the meeting, you will just have to wait until next month to find out.

Although we do not have a scheduled event or general membership meeting for November, we welcome any Club member in good standing to attend our Board meeting on Monday, Nov 28 at 10 AM in the Nelson/Morris Rooms, Independence Center. Also, do not forget that we play games every Tuesday afternoon at Independence Center. Please come, join the fun and play your favorite games.

Now is the time to mark your calendars and reserve the date for our **Annual Christmas Party**. We will have it in the Grand Ballroom, Anthem Center, on Friday, Dec 16. Filipiniana Club members should contact their table leaders for tickets. We will be emailing additional information to our Club members as details become available. Members without email addresses should check with their table leaders or check the Club website at [www.scafc.org](http://www.scafc.org) for information. Lastly, it is also time to think about renewing your Club membership for 2017. This year we will be verifying your information to ensure its accuracy. If you have changed your email address, be sure to let us know.

**Did you know?** The most active typhoon season for the Philippines was 1993, when 19 moved through the country. A typhoon is a strong tropical cyclone equivalent to a hurricane in North and Central America. The highest wind velocity for a typhoon that crossed the Philippines was recorded in Virac on November 30, 2006, when Typhoon Reming had a peak gust of 198 mph (320 kph).