

TUESDAY NIGHT **BINGO** AT THE CCC

NEWSLETTER

We Had a Great UNO de MAYO Party!

May 22, 2012

For our Uno de Mayo Party at our May 1, 2012 session, the attendance prize drawing was a nice, large (and empty) pinata. If you have a good imagination, it looked like it had bingo balls on each side. Heidi won the pinata and plans on using it for an upcoming grandchild's birthday celebration.

Attendance Up at May 1st Session

Our attendance was up to 122 players at our May 1, 2012 session. This is a good number for us (though we'll always be happy for more players).

Lucky 7 Progressive Jackpot Held at \$1199

The Lucky 7 Jackpot has reached \$1199! We're holding it there to avoid tax consequences for the ultimate winner. In the meantime, the money we set aside each week to grow the jackpot is still being set aside and is building the next Lucky 7 Jackpot. If the Jackpot is not won in the next couple of months, we will have a special game at one of the sessions to play Lucky 7 until someone wins the \$1199. We will announce that session in our text messages. If you don't already get our text messages, you can sign up by texting MHBINGO to 760-670-3130.

Cherry Bells are Here!

Cherry Bells appeared beginning at our last session of April. They seem to be very popular and we're happy to offer them to our players. It's all about making it more fun and entertaining for you!

Early Bird 50-50 has been added.

At our May 8, 2012 session we introduced the Early Bird 50-50. It was a hit! The Early Bird 50-50 is a fourth Early Bird game played at 6:15p.m. Players can purchase one or more 3-on sheets for \$1 each to play. The money paid by the players is split 50-50 and half of the money goes into the prize pool. It's inexpensive and it's fun - a chance to pick up a little more in winnings and help the seniors. Our first two Early Bird 50-50 games paid \$79 and \$71 each.

Reward Card Sign-ups have started.

On May 15, 2012 we started taking sign-ups for the Loyalty Rewards Cards and issuing the cards. We issued over 90 cards at this session. Everyone signing up received a 500 point sign-up bonus. When we start using the cards (hopefully on 5/22...depending on software changes), every player swiping their card in the reader at check-in will get 100 points for attendance and credit for their buy-in. When a player accumulates 1,500 points, they can use those points for a \$15 credit toward their bingo buy-in. In the future, we will add a way to get points for flash purchases.

Thank You Jiffy Lube!

For some time, we've been seeking donations of oil changes. Our local Jiffy Lube on E. Dunne Avenue has donated two certificates for oil changes. We will give away one of these at the session prior to Father's Day.

EOM Drawing on May 29.

Five Tuesdays in May, so the end-of-month drawing will be held at the May 29, 2012 session. We'll be giving away another gift certificate to Rosy's at the Beach here in Morgan Hill. Rosy and Rich Bergin have been great supporters of our seniors. When you go there, we highly recommend their award-winning salmon tacos!

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