

# Chateau Brickyard

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**Bob Nohavec & The Mixed Nuts are here every first Friday of every month!**



### We Appreciate Referrals

The highest honor you can bestow on us is referring someone you care about. We are committed to providing service that is worthy of referral. Your referrals are the heart of our business.

Please direct all referrals to our Community Outreach Director.



“Like” Our Facebook Page at Chateau Brickyard Senior Living and stay updated of all the fun our residents have!

If you would like your family to receive our e-newsletter and be informed of our upcoming events, activities and more, please fill out our new contact information form! Get your forms at the front desk!

**Featuring Bob Nohavec- The Mixed Nuts Band**  
 Bob Nohavec is the leader of a band called The Mixed Nuts. They play songs from the '30s, '40s, '50s and the start of the '60s before the hippies and rock 'n' roll hijacked the decade. Swing music, most of it's called, from the big-band era. Every armchair, every couch, every folding chair is filled. Wheelchairs line the back wall. Tara Bencosme, the woman in charge of booking entertainment, knows the secret behind the band's enduring success. Bob was born in Nebraska in 1936, smack in the middle of the Great Depression. His father played saxophone in a polka band and before Bob knew it he was playing saxophone, too. Later on he was part of a big band. When it came time for a career, no one was surprised when he chose music. He started out as a choral director in public schools in Nebraska, then got a doctorate and became a school media specialist. He came to Utah in 1977 when he was hired as the state director of school media. In 2007, not long after retiring as an educator, the door of opportunity flew open for Bob's second career as a music man. It started when the bishop of a West Jordan ward of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints called and invited the choir of the nearby Mountain Vista Methodist Church to perform at its fall party. Bob was director of the Mountain Vista choir. Not only would the choir be happy to perform, he responded, but he threw in a bonus. He and pianist Richard Stevenson had been practicing some big-band tunes and he offered to perform those as well. That led to an invitation from yet another Latter-day Saint bishop, who heard the duo perform, to ask Bob and Richard to play at his ward's dance. The ball was rolling toward a full-fledged ensemble band. A bass player named Keith Day was a member of the second ward and joined the group. Keith's son, Joey, a Baptist, came aboard as a drummer. How popular are they? In their history, The Mixed Nuts have done over 2,400 performances. This year they're scheduled to do 360 shows, virtually one per day. A cast of 30 people makes up the band roster in 2019. Each position — drums, keyboard, vocals, bass, vibraphone — has five or six musicians who rotate in and out, depending on work and family schedules. But there's only one saxophonist: Bob. The Mixed Nuts is his full-time passion. He is the ultimate band leader. He schedules all the gigs, organizes all the talent, makes up all the playlists — from a repertoire of 1,500 songs — and emcees and plays sax in virtually every show. Two heart surgeries, two knee replacements and the removal of a cancerous prostate hasn't even begun to slow him down. “Music for people of age is not only fun, it's therapeutic,” Bob says. “It brings back so many fond memories, so much enjoyment. It really makes people feel better.”



### October Events

#### Wine and cheese party

Monday, October 7  
1:00-2:00 pm

#### Taste the world!

Friday, October 11  
3:30 pm

#### Harry Potter Party & Houses competition!

Thursday, October 24  
3:00 pm

#### Community Health Fair

Friday, October 25  
11:00 am-5:00 pm

#### Chili cook-off contest

Wednesday, October 30  
1:30 pm

#### Halloween lunch and costumes parade

Thursday, October 31  
11:30 am-1:00 pm

#### Parade: 12:30 pm

#### Kids Trick or treat!

Thursday, October 31  
3:30-5:00 pm



### Special Days

**Yom Kippur Begins at Sundown**  
October 8

**Columbus Day/ Indigenous Peoples Day (U.S)**

**Thanksgiving (Canada)**  
October 14

**Sweetest Day**  
October 19

**Simchat Torah Begins at Sundown**  
October 21

**Halloween**  
October 31

### Management Staff

#### Executive Director

Emily Howarth

#### Activities Director

Gigi Gazani

#### Dining Services Director

Hector Flores

#### Building Services Director

Eric Nielsen

#### Housekeeping Supervisor

Molly Mitchell

#### Business Office Manager

Jarom Burgess



### What's Lucky in October?

**Lucky Colors: Orange and Burgundy**

**Lucky Days: Tuesday and Saturday**

**Lucky Numbers: 3 and 9**

**Lucky Letters: O and C**

**Lucky Plant: Pumpkin**



## Good People Getting Scammed - #5

Dear Residents,  
Here we are at number five of our *Good People Getting Scammed* newsletter article series. After the four previous articles we hope you are feeling better informed of the pitfalls of robocalls and sweepstake scams. By now you may have even had an opportunity to practice hanging up without speaking a single word! This month we are learning about “Grandparent” Scams.

There are several variations of this scam. In the most common version, the victim will receive a call from someone claiming to be their grandson, saying he has been in an **accident**. The caller will instruct the victim to purchase iTunes gift cards to allegedly pay for medical treatment or property damage. After purchasing the iTunes card, the victim will be asked to read the numbers on the back of the cards to the person on the phone. This allows the scammer to steal the funds off the card.

In another version, the victim will receive a call from someone claiming to be their grandson with news that they have been **arrested**, usually outside the United States. They will say they need money for bail, or an appearance bond and/or additional money to pay a fine for negligence. In yet a third version, instead of the “grandchild” making the phone call, **the con artist will pretend to be an arresting police officer, a lawyer or doctor**. It is common for the con artist impersonating the grandchild to talk briefly with the victim and then hand the phone over to an accomplice impersonating an authority figure. Because the exchange with the alleged grandchild is so brief, it will be difficult for the victim to recognize that the voice on the phone does not belong to their grandchild. Although the grandparent scam is frightening, do not fall for it. Please hang up the phone and contact a family member who can help alleviate any concerns of your grandchildren’s well-being.

### Resources for Grandparent Scams include:

- **Local/State Attorney General Office** – <http://www.naag.org/current-attorneys-general.php>
- **FTC Consumer Response Center**, 1-877-382-4357 – <http://www.consumer.ftc.gov/>

## Musical Performances

- 10/02 Sue Talmage
- 10/04 The Mixed Nuts
- 10/07 Betsy Yeates
- 10/14 Kevin Scott
- 10/16 Bob Shorten
- 10/18 Heart & soul: Jim Hayes

## Outings

Sign up in the book located at the front desk for meals out, shopping, and these exciting outings!

### Picnic & fishing at Rockport state park!

Friday, October 4 at 9:15 am

### Let’s go to the movies! Monday, October 7 at 9:25 am

### Pumpkin days at the wheeler farm

Monday, October 14 at 2:00 pm

### Witchfest & lunch bunch at Gardner Village

Friday, October 18 at 10:00 am

### Scarecrow festival at Thanksgiving Point

Saturday, October 19 at 9:15 am

### Pumpkins decorating with Preschoolers at Cottonwood elementary

Monday, October 21 at 9:50 am

### Kuwuhara’s thriller park & pumpkin patch

Monday, October 28 at 1:00 pm



## October Fact

October is a strange month, weatherwise.

The first frost usually occurs in October, but days of warm, almost summer-like weather can reappear. Farmers rushing to harvest the last of their crops are grateful for these Indian summer days. October, with its beautifully changing foliage, is one of the most colorful months of the year.



## October Birthdays

- October 3 Mark M.
- October 7 Joyce F.
- October 9 Darla R.
- October 10 Thomas S.
- October 13 Ezra H.
- October 13 Linda M.
- October 17 John B.
- October 23 Sally A.
- October 31 Richard R.

