Shared Interests, Meaningful Connections

In addition to organized committees and clubs, residents also initiate a wide variety of informal activities based on shared interests. Examples include:

- Pickleball
- Line Dancing
- Ukulele Class
- Biking
- Woodworking
- Bible Study
- Jewelry Consultation
- Group Meditation
- Resident Choir
- Golf
- Water Volleyball
- Model Train Group
- Mirabella Play Readers
- Games (Mahjongg, Rummikub, Mexican Train, Ping Pong, Poker, and more)
- Support groups for Parkinson's disease, low vision, caregivers, and bereavement

> *"We get from life in a retirement community in proportion to what we give to it."*
>
> Adapted quote from
> Richmond B. Shreve, NaCCRA
> Board Member & Vice President (2026)

For more detailed information about each group's mission, meeting times, and contact information, please refer to:

- The **Groups** tab on *Miranet*, the internal communication platform
- The in-house publication, *The Mirabella Monthly*

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Activities

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Resident-Led Committees & Clubs

Mirabella offers a vibrant and engaging community with a wide array of activities, ensuring residents always have opportunities to stay active and involved. Unlike many other local Life Plan communities, most events—including lectures, concerts, excursions, and classes—are resident-driven. Rather than relying on an activities director appointed by management, residents collaborate to plan, organize, and lead the diverse programs available each day.

The following list provides a brief overview of the many groups and activities within the community. Some are focused on social and recreational engagement, while others serve in an advisory capacity to management. All play an important role in enhancing the overall quality of life at Mirabella.



Active Arts Committee: Organizes classes in a variety of creative disciplines, including fine art, crafts, and creative writing, providing residents with opportunities for artistic expression.

Art Committee: Enhances the visual environment of the community by curating temporary exhibits and displaying artwork throughout the residence.

Book Club: Enriches the reading experience through hosted monthly discussions of selected titles.

Bridge Club: Offers residents the opportunity to play bridge four days a week, with options ranging from informal play to duplicate bridge.

Dining Committee: Collaborates with the Dining Services team to provide enjoyable and high-quality dining experiences for residents and their guests.

Emergency Preparedness Committee: Promotes resident awareness and readiness for emergency situations, including earthquakes and fires.

Employee Appreciation Committee: Recognizes and celebrates initiatives that recognize and celebrate employee contributions, including coordinating an annual fundraising effort for year-end bonuses.

Environment and Facilities Committee: Recommends improvements to buildings and grounds with a focus on sustainability.

Finance Committee: Works with administration to provide insight into financial operations affecting residents.

Health & Wellness Committee: Encourages residents' physical, mental, and social well-being.

Library Committee: Maintains books and media collections and coordinates Bookmobile visits.

Lifelong Learning Committee: Organizes lectures, classes and presentations on diverse topics, as well as coordinates with UW Osher Institute.

Mirabella Seattle Foundation: Supports quality of life for residents, staff, and the broader community.

Movie Club: Screens films twice weekly that are entertaining and thought-provoking.

Opera Club: Hosts monthly opera screenings and organizes related events and outings.

Outside Activities Committee: Plans and coordinates excursions beyond the residence, including cultural, theatrical, museum, sporting, shopping, religious, walking, and dining outings, and arranges transportation for all events.

Performing Arts Committee: Presents a diverse range of musical, theatrical, and dance performances for residents several times each month.

Re-Store: Is a resident-managed retail space where donated items are sold six days a week. Proceeds support the Mirabella Foundation.

Residents' Association: Works to enhance the quality of life at Mirabella by fostering community, encouraging resident participation, and promoting effective communication between residents and management.

The Mirabella Monthly: Produces an award-winning community newsletter featuring news, announcements and articles.

Welcome Committee: Partners with administration to support and guide new residents, helping them integrate smoothly into the Mirabella community.