

BARRIO BLUE MOON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

<http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/tucson/bluemoon>

Mosquito prevention tips

- The best way to prevent West Nile is to be sure you are not harboring mosquito breeding sites. **ELIMINATE STANDING WATER**
- Repellents containing DEET and some natural repellents are effective for varying periods of time. Check the product information to determine which repellent is best for you.
- Long sleeves and long pants, even in the summertime, are a good way of avoiding mosquito bites during the periods of high mosquito activity.
- Window and door screens need to be in good repair. Check for holes or cracks.
- Avoid outdoors when mosquitoes are out

For mosquito complaints or control tips call **520.243.7999**



We want YOU!

YOUR NEXT NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING

Wednesday, October 10th

6:30-7:30pm

422 W. Speedway, enter from Calle Granillo

We invite + encourage **EVERYONE** to attend. This will give you the perfect opportunity to meet your neighbors and become an **ACTIVE** participant of the Barrio Blue Moon Neighborhood.

It is so important to attend these meetings. If you have an opinion, suggestion or question, this is the time and place for it!

Report Graffiti

Work with your neighbors and your neighborhood association to be the eyes and ears for your community. Please take part and help report graffiti, don't wait for someone else to do it.

Graffiti cannot always be prevented, but property owners and residents can reduce the incidence of graffiti on building exteriors and walls by having good lighting and uncomfortable vegetation in place.

Putting graffiti on public or private property is against the law. If you see someone in the act of "tagging," call **911**. If the graffiti is already in place, call **792-CITY (792-2489)** or email graffiti@tucsonaz.gov to report it. Graffiti left in place tends to attract more graffiti.



Certificate of Appreciation

Pete Salgado, an employee for Parks and Recreation has been solely responsible for the upkeep and care of Esquer Park. On Wednesday, September 5th at the Mayor and Council Meeting, Ward III on behalf of all the residents of the Barrio Blue Moon Neighborhood, presented Mr. Salgado with a Certificate of Appreciation for all of his hard work and dedication.

In addition, Parks and Recreation has confirmed that they will put him on their list to receive an award for his exemplary work.



Report Crimes when they happen

The best way to prevent crime is to report it immediately. If you see ANY suspicious activity, please call **911**. This includes but is not limited to burglary; graffiti, drug activity, illegal dumping, domestic violence, homeless activity and speeding vehicles (make sure to get the license plate number).

Construction at Oracle and Drachman

There is a weekly meeting held every Wednesday at 9am, located in the basement at the Tucson House. Everyone is welcome to attend! Any questions or concerns will be addressed and you will be provided with the most current update on the project.



Movies in the Park

Come join your neighbors in the Park and enjoy a family movie (movie titles are subject to change)! Weed and Seed funding has provided this chance to have the Tucson Police Department bring their Mobile Movie Unit to our Neighborhood! There will be discussion topics at each event before the movie to help educate our children.

6:30 pm at Esquer Park

Friday, Sept 14th: "Honey I Shrunk the Kids"

Friday, Oct 19th: "Rebound"

Friday, Nov 9th: "Rookie"



Join our email distribution list

Receive updates on your neighborhood, Ward III and events around your area. All you need is an active email address!

If you'd like to be added to the email distribution list, please contact Heather at 520.791.7035 or email barriobluemoon@hotmail.com





Have you ever wandered where the name came from?

Barrio Blue Moon is one of Tucson's older neighborhoods and was named after the "Blue Moon Ballroom" a dance hall which opened in 1920 and was very popular until it burned down on March 16, 1947. Entertainers, Billy Eckstien, Paul Whitman and Tommy Dorsey performed at the "Blue Moon".

Many longtime residents recall dancing there which they describe as a large barn with wooden window flaps that were pulled up at night so the cooling air could enter.

A sincere thank you goes to Dolores Martinez for providing us with this picture. Oh how times have changed!

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We're on the Web!

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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Emergencies and Non-Emergencies (Graffiti, Vandalism, Suspicious Activity, etc) **911**

If a Street Light is out **791-3154** City of Tucson Street lights

Roaches **319-4601** Pima County Wastewater

If there is a stray animal **743-7550** Pima County Animal Control

If there is a problem with trash **791-3272** City of Tucson Solid Waste

If you want report graffiti or volunteer to paint over graffiti **792.2489** Graffiti Abatement

Need help dealing with the City of Tucson? **791-4711** is your Ward 3 Council

Are you a senior and need help? **790-7262 x5040** for Carol Ostander of Pima Council on Aging or Westside Hope **628.4700**

Need help with food or a food garden? **622-0525** Community Food Bank

To report a junk car, contact **791.4444**. Other resources are: The Tucson Police Department (if the vehicle is on the street) and Neighborhood Resources Property and Housing Complaints help line at **791-5843** (if the vehicle is on private property).

About Our Organization...

Barrio Blue Moon Association Officers

President – Page W. Repp Jr.
Vice President – Jose Rivera
Secretary – Stacy Burnett
Treasurer – Joyce Hendricks

