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NEXT MONTHLY MEETING WILL **BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 12TH** AT TUMBLE-WEED ELE-MENTARY SCHOOL CAFE TERIA AT 6:30. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE

# Cactus Park \* West November 2014

## **NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS**



"Dedicated to the Sharing of News and Information Concerning our Neighborhood, Schools and Community"



#### **NEIGHBORHOOD** APPRECIATION DAY ON **OCTOBER 4th WAS A GREAT SUCCESS....**



Thanks to you, we had well over 350 people in attendance at one point in the day! We had some great volunteers which included Bill J. who hosted the event and

did a fantastic job of entertaining us, board members, Dan, Vicki, Guy, Gloria, Alyssa, Hank, PR, Larry, Nick, Sonja, Kassy and many neighbors for their contributions of time and effort. A

BIG. BIG thank you goes out to Moon Valley High School. We had around 76 MV Student Council, Key Club, Rescue Rockets, National Honor Society students and a few Cholla Middle School volunteers who helped with setting up, cooking, making signs, running the games, and cleaning up. Thank you Principal Nathan Kleve.....We could not have done this event if it were not for MVHS's participation! The MV Culinary Dept baked 240 cupcakes with the help of some neighbors' ingredient donations, in addition to many thoughtful neighbors who also baked items for the cake walk.



Thanks to all our wonderful sponsors, groups and companies for their fabulous contributions to our raffles and prizes which include, multiple big ticket donations from Singh Smilecare and Liberty Tax at 35th & Peoria, Greenway Mini Storage, Arizona School of Massage Therapy, Gourmet Cakes & More, Garcia's Mexican Restaurant, Chick-Fil-A at Metro, Vicki Allen, West USA Realty, Dairy Queen at 28th Dr., Castles and Coasters, Culvers at Metro, Laser Quest, Hungry Howie's, Sardellas, Cathy with Scentsy, Ryan Hays with Farmers Insurance, UPS at Metro, Cactus Park West Neighborhood Association and Cactus Park Community Alliance, (CPCA).

Thanks to the people who brought a booth, provided info or entertained us which include: Singh Smilecare, Liberty Tax, Ryan Hays with Farmers Insurance, Phoenix Police officers Gerry Lee and David Chambers brought their mini car, Paul Curiel with Pubic Work Recycling, Jody with Fallen Feathers had some great birds on display, Kaity's Way, Cathy with Scentsy, the Humane Society, Derek Elmore with Silent Witness, Nextcare Urgent Care, Prop 487 volunteers, Erin with Tandy Leather, Tumbleweed School Programs, MV Rescue and Pride Clubs. District 1, Councilwoman Thelda Williams and Principal Nathan Kleve spoke and we had fantastic performances by the MV Marching Band, Flag Line and the MV Dance Team. (I hope I didn't forget anyone)....

#### Your neighbors also brought 130 cans of food and \$50.00 which were donated to St. Mary's Food Bank. - Great job!

DID YOU KNOW we went through 800 brats and hot dogs, 500 bags of chips and over 850 drinks, courtesy of Cactus Park West. Thanks to Gloria for precooking those brats in beer, because they were sure tasty!

If you were curious about the guessing games, there was 375 pieces of hardware, 669 pennies and 294 pieces of macaroni in the jar. Everyone had a lot of fun playing the games, jumping on the bouncy houses, running the three legged race, playing ping pong toss, bottle tip it, football toss, Hexapong and Foosball, walking the cake walk and participating in the pie eating contest.. We had over 31 raffle prizes with the Grand Prize winner getting a \$100 Visa gift card.

Special thanks go out to Sardellas, Hungry Howies, Dairy Queen and Chick-Fil-A for their multiple donations, as we were able to give Moon Valley volunteers a pizza party and extra goodies for all their hard work. Thanks to everyone who participated to make this years GAIN event (Getting Arizona Involved in Neighborhoods) a great success. See you next year! Continued page 2

NEIGHBORHOOD DAY CONT.

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Row 1: Bill J, performing Willie, MV Marching Band, MV Flag Line. Row 2: Pie Eating Contest, 3 Legged Race, Cake Walk. Row 3: Moon Valley Students, cooking food and face painting. Row 4: Booths: Singh SmileCare, Liberty Tax, Fallen Feathers. Row 5: Many neighbors eating and enjoying entertainment and raffles, playing Hexapong

Visit our website to view over 260 photos at http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/ and Facebook at 2014 CPWNA GAIN Event Photos

#### NEWS FROM MOON VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

#### MOON VALLEY STUDENTS & CACTUS PARK WEST NEIGHBORHOOD DAY, 10/4/14

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Our gratitude goes out to Mr. Nathan Kleve, principal of Moon Valley High School for

supporting Cactus Park West Neighborhood Alliance and encouraging the neighbors, staff and students to get involve with the community. Many thanks to Ms. Sarafini, Mrs. Woolfenden, and Ms. Raab for supporting the Student Council, MV Key Club, National Honors Society, and Rescue Rockets members to volunteer. A big shout out to Ms. Duecey and her culinary department students for baking 24 dozens of cupcakes. Kudos to Daneel Kendalo, president of Key Club for keeping an open communication with us and ensuring that our needs are met. And lastly, who would ever forget the awesome performances of our Moon Valley Pride Marching Band led by Mr. Williford and Dance Team from Ms. Sussex group. We had more than 200 students and teachers involved and participated for this year's event and we are more than delighted to see the success and partnership we have created with our neighborhood schools

"Community building must become the heart of any school improvement effort." ...Thomas Sergiovanni



#### Moon Valley November Calendar of Events



**Nov 3 -** Rocket Booster Mtg, Bldg 5, Conference room, 7pm

Nov 5, 12, 19 & 26 - Late start 9:00 am Nov 7 - Student Council & UBS Blood Drive, Moon Valley Practice Gym, 7:30 am to 2:30 pm

Nov 11 - Veterans Day, - No School

Nov 27 & 28 - Thanksgiving Break - No School

For more info call 623-915-8000

#### Not Waiting a Moment

Posted on 2014/10/03

Anne Frank once said, "How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before beginning to improve the world." Volunteerism is not only encouraged on our campus, but orchestrated. Faculty and staff members join together to find ways in which to serve our community. Well the numbers are in! Volunteer hours for the last school year, 2013-2014, have been tallied. The Rockets gave 17,510 hours back to our community. That's about 730 days or two years' worth of hours. The betterment of our community is achieved, while also instilling in our students who volunteer, a sense of awareness and concern about others. Another benefit to volunteerism is the advantage it creates for higher education. When competing for enrollment at highly sought after institutions or perhaps for scholarships and grants, volunteerism adds another rung in their ladder of success. After last year's achievement, we anticipate wonderful things from our teens and great things in our community for the ongoing school year.

2013-2014 Clubs that Volunteered **Badminton** Baseball **Boys Basketball Boys Soccer Cross Country** Family Career and Community Leaders of America Football French National Honor Society Health Careers Education, HCE Mobile Robotics Club National Honor Society Navy ROTC **Rocket Reporter, Journalism Spanish National Honor Society** Spiritline **Student Council** Volleyball Wrestling

#### CACTUS PARK WEST NEIGHBORHOOLD SCHOOL & COMMUNITY INFO

#### NEWS FROM TUMBLEWEED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Tumbleweed Elementary School hosted their annual Anti Bullying Family Night on October 2nd. Over 400 people from the Tumbleweed community attended this event. Students and their families enjoyed free hot dogs, chips, and cotton candy while playing carnival type games that provided education and information about bullying. Participants also had the opportunity to visit the Tumbleweed Book Fair as part of the evening festivities. A big thank you to Fry's on 43<sup>rd</sup> and Cactus for their generous donations and support!

A very special thank you to the Moon Valley High School Key Club members, youth and adult leaders from Apollo Baptist Church, and all of our wonderful Tumbleweed teachers and staff who volunteered at this event and helped to make it a huge success.



Marci and crew with Tumbleweed School participated in the Cactus Park West Neighborhood Appreciation Day on 10/4 to promote their before/after school programs

Saturday, October 18<sup>th</sup> was the annual

North Phoenix Kiwanis Walkathon at MetroCenter. Tumbleweed raised over \$1000 dollars for the organization and 70% of the money comes back to the school . The Penny Wars was very successful with kindergarten the winner; the students in that grade will receive a special prize!



#### NEWS FROM CHOLLA MIDDLE SCHOOL

#### Cholla's Fall Sports Teams Make It to District Tournament Playoffs

7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Boys Volleyball and 7<sup>TH</sup>/8<sup>TH</sup> Grade Girls Volleyball

Cholla played skillfully during the season. At Tournament, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls nearly pulled off the District Title losing a very close final match. Although our teams did not win the District title, we exemplified the meaning of team work, good sportsmanship & Cholla pride.

#### 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls Soccer Undefeated!

Cholla Girls Soccer Team remains undefeated as it heads to Tournament. Stamina, hard work, skill, & good sportsmanship keep us motivated to win.

#### **Cross Country Team**

Cholla's 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> Grade Co-Ed team works out daily building endurance and shaving minutes off event times. District Meet is November 3. Good luck, Chargers!

#### **BOYS BASKETBALLSEASON OPENER IS NOV 4**

**October Parent/Teacher Conferences:** Celebrate Student Success. More than 300 parents and students met with Cholla teachers to celebrate 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter student achievement and success and address academic goals for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter. Cholla realizes that educational success is triangular ....–

#### CHOLLA CONTINUED....

teacher, student and parent. As *MEAN* teachers – *Making Excellence a Necessity* – we are committed to maintaining frequent, open communication with parents as we help our students experience success.

#### **October Activities & Celebrations --**

Kiwanis Walk-a-Thon raised more than \$500 \* Trunk-or-Treat Community Event \* Movie Field Trip \* Academic Success Breakfasts for Cholla students.

Several Cholla students helped run games and did set up and clean up at the Cactus Park West Neighborhood Appreciation Day on 10/4.



#### Dates to Remember

Veterans Day Holiday – November 10-11 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Midterms – November 19 Thanksgiving Holiday – November 27-28 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Ends – December 18

#### NEWS FROM ABRAHAM LINCOLN TRADITIONAL

#### HONEYBAKED.....YUMMMMM......

The ALTS Chapter of the National Junior Honor Society will again be selling HoneyBaked Hams, Turkeys and many other products for Thanksgiving. You can order using the forms that will come home with students November 14 or online at <u>http://www.honeybakedfundraiser.com/f-712-Abraham-Lincoln-NJHS.aspx</u>. Prices are the same as at the HoneyBaked store, and you don't have to wait in line! The last day to place your order is Friday, November 21 and orders will be available for pickup on Wednesday, November 26 in the ALTS cafeteria from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Thanks for supporting ALTS NJHS.

#### **Meet the WESD Superintendent Candidates**

The WESD Governing Board would like to invite parents, guardians and community members to meet the finalists for the WESD Superintendent position. This Community Forum is scheduled for Thursday, November 6, 5:30 p.m. at the WESD Administrative Center, 4650 West Sweetwater Avenue, Glendale, AZ. Attendees will have the opportunity to hear each candidate speak about his or her educational experience. The new superintendent will begin work on 7/1/15.

November 2014						
5	PLC Early Release: K-2 = 1:05 p.m./3-8 = 1:45 p.m.					
10	10 No School					
11	1 No School - Veterans Day					
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17	Executive Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.					
17	Guild Meeting 7:30 p.m.					
19	PLC Early Release: K-2 = 1:05 p.m./3-8 = 1:45 p.m.					
19	Progress Reports go home					
21	Fall Family Dance 6:30 p.m. (Cafeteria)					
24	Site Council Meeting 4 p.m.					
26	Fall Parties					
26	PLC Early Release: K-2 = 1:05 p.m./3-8 = 1:45 p.m.					
27-28 Thanksgiving No School						

#### **COMMUNITY INFORMATION**



**Coffee with a Cop** Pros Ranch Markets 3415 W. Glendale, November 5th, 2014 at 8AM

### SHOP WITH A COP



The holiday season is just around the corner. The Phoenix Police Department is partnering with Target Stores to pair deserving students from local schools with police officers, one on one, from each of our

city's 8 precincts to shop for holiday gifts for family member and for personal items of clothing for the student themselves.

Cactus Park Community Alliance would like to present you with an opportunity to help with this endeavor. Although some funding is provided by Target Stores for this event, the officers could sure use your help.

If you would care to sponsor a child for this event you may do so by: Making a secure tax deductible charitable donation to Phoenix Law Enforcement Association (PLEA) Charities at azplea.com. Indicate that your donation is for Shop With a Cop.

Thank you for considering becoming a community partner in "Shop with a Cop". This event goes far to foster positive relationships between youngsters and police officers.



#### METROCENTER WALK 'N TALK EVENTS

FREE Presentations will be provided monthly in the Metrocenter Commu-

nity Room on the 1st Thursday of each month at 8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M. (Located at the end of the hallway leading to the

restrooms by the Food Court.) Please note: Presentations are for the purpose of providing FREE information. Presentations ARE NOT for the purpose of sales pitches.

#### November 6th

"Nutrition versus Diabetes" Presented by Aubrey Uhling, Dietician

**November 5th** is "National Eating Healthy Day"

#### December 4th

"Home Safety and Smoke Detectors" Presented by Captain Robert E. Johnson, City of Phoenix Fire Department FREE Blood Pressure Checks by CareMore Insurance at each Event. Note: If you walk entirely around the upper level of Metrocenter Mall (including mall entrance corridors) you will have walked 2/3 of a mile! For more info contact: MetrocenterWalkNTalk@gmail.com



#### REMEMBER TO VOTE 11/4/14

Need voter info: Go to <u>www.azsos.gov</u> or call 1-877thevote or 1-877-843-8683.

Did you know what the numbering on the ballot measures mean?

**100** = Constitutional amendments, whether initiated by the people or referred by the Legislature

**200** = Citizen initiatives to create new or amend current state laws (statutes)

**300** = Legislative referrals to create new or amend current statutes

400 = Local matters

What is on your ballot?

**Prop: 122** - Proposed Amendment to the AZ Constitution by the Legislature relating to the rejection of unconstitutional Federal action. Yes or No

**Prop: 303** - Referred to the People by the Legislature relating to the use of investigational drugs, biological products or devices (HCR 2005). Yes or No

**Prop: 304** - Provides for an increase in the salaries of State Legislators from \$24K to \$35K per year. Yes or No.

From the editor: I usually have a sample ballot, but cannot find it anywhere, but have brochures on the following which may also be on your Ballot.

**Prop: 480** - Special Health Care District Bond for Maricopa Integrated Health System, Yes or No

**Prop: 487** - Proposed Amendment to the Phoenix Charter by Initiative Petition - Changing city employees retirement plans, Yes or No

Glendale Union High School District 205 Special Election: Budget Override Continuation, Yes or No

And of course Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, State Treasurer, Superintendant of Public Instruction, AZ Corporation Commission, Mine Inspector, State Senators, Representatives, and Judges.

Need to research anything? Let your fingers chose your search engine (Bing Google, Ask) and get informed about the issues. It's that simple!

http://ballotpedia.org/Sample\_Ballot\_Lookup



#### COME ONE, COME ALL TO THE CACTUS PARK WEST YARD SALE NOVEMBER 7 - 9TH

Thank you to Larry Herrera who lives at 3745 W. Lupine. He has graciously offered his home for the CPW Yard Sale which benefits the printing of the monthly newsletter, neighborhood school donations, annual Neighborhood Appreciation Day and maybe an upcoming ice cream social....

To donate your items, **call Larry at 602-725-7488** and we will arrange for a pick up. We will need volunteers for setting up, clean up and manning the sale also, so please call or email the editor, vallen@westusa.com or 602-460-0246 to volunteer. We think we have some Moon Valley students coming, but could always use more help.

Setup - Date (**Thurs, Nov 6**) 3:00 pm - 630 pm Friday **Nov 7** - 7:00 am - 2:30 pm Saturday **Nov 8** - 7:00 am - 2:30 pm Sunday **Nov 9** - 8:00 am - 1:00 pm Sunday - Clean-up 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

#### Anything left over will be given to Moon Valley clubs for their fundraising efforts

Bill Joswick with his blue VW bus did this for many years and raised over \$20K from 1999 to 2011. It's time to start a new tradition!



During the holiday season, Phoenix Rescue Mission delivers 500 holiday food boxes

to families who would otherwise go without. You can help give a family hope this Thanksgiving. Simply fill a box with nonperishable items to make a Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings! It's Easy to Participate! Determine the number of families you or your group wish to feed. (One food box feeds a family of four.) Use your own medium-sized box. Fill each box with the menu items listed below (no glass jars, please): Instant Potatoes | Cranberry Sauce Stuffing Mix | Corn Bread Mix Gravy | Cake Mix Canned Fruit | Canned Pie Filling Canned Yams | Canned Goods to Fill Box Canned Vegetables Purchase a \$15 grocery store gift card to be used by Phoenix Rescue Mission to purchase a frozen turkey. DO NOT PUT GIFT CARD IN BOX. Hand to PRM staff upon delivery. Be creative! Add seasonal paper plates, napkins, favors or decorations (no candles, please). Homemade items are especially welcome! Close the box by overlapping the

flaps. Please do not tape shut. Return filled box between Monday, November 17th and Friday, November 21st to PRM Donation Warehouse, 1468 N. 26th Ave., Phoenix 85009. Warehouse is open Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Mission can pick up large donations of 50 boxes or more. For more information on the Fill-A-Box project or hosting a canned food drive, contact the Volunteer Hotline at **602-346-3363**, or rm@phoenixrescuemission.org.

#### ASU's West campus hosts traditional pow wow, Nov. 8

The Fletcher Library Lawn at Arizona State University's <u>West campus</u> will come alive with the sights and sounds of Native drummers, singers and dancers on Saturday, Nov. 8, during the campus's 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Veterans Day Weekend Traditional Pow Wow, a <u>Native American</u> <u>Recognition Days</u> event. The Pow Wow, from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. at 4701 W. Thunderbird



Road in Phoenix, is **free and open to the public**. There is no charge for visitor parking on weekends. In addition to dance and drumming/ singing performances, the Pow Wow will feature grand entries at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m., Native arts and crafts, and food booths offering fry bread and more. "The event's theme is 'A Celebration of Native Veterans,' and all veterans are especially encouraged to attend," said Dennis Eagleman, a 2005 ASU alumnus and event chairman for the Pow Wow. "They will be welcomed and thanked for their service to our country at 7:30 p.m." The day's schedule is:

11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. – Gourd dancing 1-1:30 p.m. – Grand Entry 1:30-5 p.m. – Pow Wow 5-6 p.m. – Dinner break 6-7 p.m. – Gourd dancing 7-7:30 p.m. – Grand entry 7:30 p.m. – Recognition of veterans 10 p.m. – Closing

Scheduled participants include Announcer Chuck Benson, Arena Director Donald Sabori, Head Man Dancer Steve Bison, Head Woman Dancer Elizabeth Young, Southern Drum Melvin "Sonny" Deer, Jr., Northern Drum Cornelius Nelson, and Head Gourd Dancer Keith Tagaban. The color guard will be the First Nations Warrior Society. Attendees are encouraged to bring their own lawn chairs. (Limited seating will be provided for tribal elders.)

Volunteers are needed to help stage the event; to sign up to volunteer, visit <u>http://links.asu.edu/powwowvolunteersignup</u>.

The Pow Wow is sponsored by the Native American Events Committee, Native American Student Organization, and the Office of Public Affairs at ASU's West campus. Other organizations supporting the event include the Student Veterans Organization of ASU at the West campus, ASU's Teachers of the Future club, and the Native American Student Association from Glendale Community College.

For more information, call (602) 543-5300 or email

westevents@asu.edu.

Matt Crum, media relations manager Arizona State University's West campus <u>matthew.crum@asu.edu</u>, (602) 543-5209

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2-3 Dave & Cindy Curran	Paradise Dr., 39-4200, 41 <sup>st</sup> Dr.	34-PR Nelson	Mercer Av (35-3600), homes facing S. of 35th&		
5-Connie Weaver	Poinsettia Dr., 40th Dr, 42 <sup>nd</sup> Dr.	Can The A	Cholla		
6-Ruben & Kristen Kolb	42 D1. Sunnyside Ave., 40-4200, 42 <sup>nd</sup> Dr., to 11431.	4-Emily Wiersema	Laurel Ln., 41 <sup>st</sup> Ave., 42 <sup>nd</sup>		
7-Guy & Vicki Allen	Altadena Ave., 42 <sup>nd</sup> Ave., 41 <sup>st</sup> Ln., 4ast Dr., 41 <sup>st</sup> Ave.,	22B – Maureen Bayardi	Ave. Cholla St., 35-3800 S 37 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Cholla-Mercer		
8-Margaret Sanders	Cortez Ave. Sierra St. (40-4200), 42 <sup>nd</sup>	27-Jeff Shortsleeve 30-David & Janet Ellison	Desert Cove, 39-4200 Yucca St., 35-3800, 36 <sup>th</sup>		
9- Howard & Denise Holben	Ave. Lupine Cul-de-sacs Sunnyside Ave., 39-4000,	31-Michelle Banayat	Dr., 37 <sup>th</sup> Dr., Mescal/Shangri La Rd., 37-		
10-Betsy Glauber	40 <sup>th</sup> Dr. Altadena Ave., 39 <sup>th</sup> Ln.	32-Carol Glomski	3800, plus 38 <sup>th</sup> Dr. Shangri La Rd., 35-3600		
11-Doug & Becki Hauser	39 <sup>th</sup> Dr. Lupine Ave., 39 <sup>th</sup> Dr., 39 <sup>th</sup> Ln., 40 <sup>th</sup> Ave., 40 <sup>th</sup> Ln.	33-Kathy Chowanice	Mescal St., 35-3600, 37th Dr 35th dr		
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12A – Paula Siebert	35 <sup>th</sup> Ave., West Side, North of Cholla St.	41-Paula Siebert	39 <sup>th</sup> Ave., (Peoria to the Park), plus Desert Cove		
13-Hank Leyva	Poinsettia Dr., 37-3800, Sunnyside Ave., 36 <sup>th</sup> Dr.	42-Rick Beebout	Cul-de-sac (3800). Homes facing Peoria Ave		
15-Gary Jensen	Altadena Ave., 35-3600				
16-Dik & Doreen Jackson	Altadena Ave., 37-3800	CACTUG	DV WEST		
17- Larry Kugler	Sierra St., 35-3600	CACTUS PA			
18-Sonia Mehren 19-Tony & Gretchen Janes	Sierra St., 37-3800 Cortez Ave., 3600, 3	NEIGHBORHOOD ZONES			

20-Kevin Geoffrey 22A - Hank Leyva

#### For The Area, CJ19

21-David Kampf 23-Luella Kolb (Kalyn Hamilton)

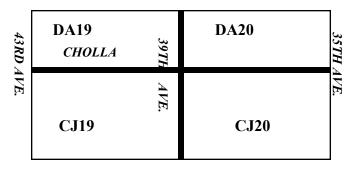
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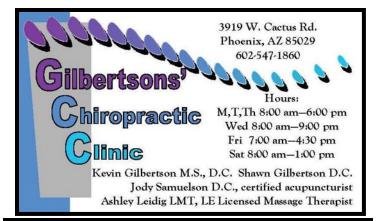
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If you presently have a dentist you are happy with, please consider this information helpful. If you are looking for a dentist or want a second opinion, please think of us as we'll be happy to welcome you into our dental family.



#### YOUR NEWSLETTER

Has been partially paid for by a City of **Phoenix Neighborhood Block Watch Grant.** The newsletter is printed by UPS page 7.

#### **More uses for Baking Soda**

10. Treat swine flu? Baking soda has a history to treat flu symptoms. In 1924 Arm & Hammer produced a booklet that claimed its product would minimize flu symptoms. The booklet said that "rarely any one who had been thoroughly alkalinized with bicarbonate of soda contracted the disease." There are people who ingest baking soda in small amounts to keep blood alkaline levels in check.\*

#### Baking Soda and Baking Powder

Wondering what's the difference between baking soda and baking powder?

You'll want to pay careful attention when baking because there is a difference as to when to use baking soda or baking powder; however, let's start with what's the same. They are both leavening agents! So what makes them different?

Baking soda (great for cookies) has only "Bicarbonate Of Soda," which is a leavening agent. When baking soda mixes with acidic ingredients like honey or buttermilk, the chemical reaction is carbon dioxide. The micro bubbles expand under heat, which causes cookies to rise. When you use baking soda, bake immediately after mixing the ingredients because the reaction happens immediately.

Baking Powder (ideal for biscuits and cakes) has "Sodium Bicarbonate" mixed with other ingredients, such as corn starch (a drying agent) or cream of tartar (an acidifying agent) among other ingredients. Baking powder releases carbon dioxide when exposed to moisture and heat, causing dough and batters to rise making them ideal for biscuits and cakes. In fact, during the Great Depression, women often replaced eggs with baking powder to make their "Depression cakes."

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1 26	Address	Code	Sale Price	<b>Rental Price or Status</b>
Elle and	19039 N. Signal Butte, Sun City	22RDSO1G2S	\$108,500	
	4713 W. Eva, Glendale	32.5FRDXT2G	\$118,000	
	5012 W. Flynn, Glendale	32R2C	\$140,000	
	15005 W. Maui, Surprise	42FR2G2S	\$155,000	I
	4001 N. 294th Ln, Buckeye	42.5FRDPO3G2S	\$175,000	
	15160 W. Riviera, Surprise	43FRDXPO2G2S	\$214,900	
	21026 N. 66th Ln, Glendale	42FRO2G2S	\$225,000	
	14668 W. St. Moritz, Surprise	42.5O3G5S	\$229,500	
	328 W. Southern, Phoenix	32.5FRDXO2G2S	\$439,000	
SWEATURN REALTOR .	4554 E. Paradise Vlg Pkwy, Phx	22R1C		\$ 795
	3001 N. 86th Ln, Phoenix	32RX1S		\$ 875
Property values are	16825 N. 14th St, #8, Phx	22R2G		\$ 975
rising again. Ready	4644 W. Havasupai, Glendale	32RD2G		\$1,150
to sell? Call me for a	9077 W. Maui, Peoria	32RXP2G		\$1,250
comparative analysis	2134 E. Robin, Phoenix	32FR2G2S		\$1,295
1 2	2538 W. Village, Phoenix	32RF2G4S		\$1,300
of your property	5203 W. Pontiac, Glendale	32RD2G1S		\$1,395

## AREA HOME VALUES

	Address	Features	Sq. Ft.	Date Sold	Sales Price	Address	Features	Sq. Ft.	Date Sold	Sales Price
10 35	09 W. Sunnyside 518 N. 38th Av 15 W. Sahuaro	42FP2G 32RDX2G	1590 1820 1550	05/21/14 05/23/14 05/23/14	\$168,000 \$133,500	4032 W. Paradise 3927 W. Mercer 4125 W. Altadena		1632 1707 1898	07/29/14 07/30/14	4 \$140,000 4 \$136,000 4 \$185,000
383 400	24 W. Shangrila 35 W. Garden 62 W. Mercer 43 W. Cholla	31.75FR4G 32FRD2G 32RD2G 32R2G	1806 1778 1570 2186	05/30/14 05/30/14 06/02/14 06/06/14	\$ 58,000 \$159,500	3538 W. Mercer 4220 W. Yucca 3727 W. Poinsettia 3802 W. Shangrila		8 1773 1931 1590 1458	07/30/14 07/31/14	4 \$155,000 4 \$155,000 4 \$163,000 4 \$160,000
41 40	10 W. Cholla 16 W. Cortez 13 W. Shangrila	32F2G2S 31.75FR2C2S	1120 1346 1630	06/09/14 06/09/14 06/11/14 06/19/14	\$125,000 \$134,500	4068 W. Mescal 3849 W. Mescal 3749 W. Mercer	42FBX2G3S 31.75FBO2G3S 32FRPO2G2S	1438 1771 1458 1419	08/01/14 08/05/14	4 \$148,000 4 \$156,000 4 \$156,000 4 \$162,000
412 374	28 W. Laurel 43 W. Mercer 529 N. 36th Ave	42FRXP2G 52FRXPO2C2S	1771 2820 1398	06/20/14 06/24/14 06/25/14	\$165,000 \$219,500	3807 W. Becker 3909 W. Cholla 4218 W. Desert C	32FRD2G 42RPS2G2S	1790 1771 1522	08/14/14 08/15/14	4 \$130,000 4 \$193,500 4 \$161,000
392 40	17 W. Sierra 25 W. Becker 02 W. Cortez	42FRP2G2S 32RD2G 32R2G	1674 1338 1346	06/26/14 06/27/14 06/30/14	\$130,000 \$132,900	3830 W. Sunnysid 4209 W. Yucca 3736 W. Altadena	32RO3G6S 42FRDX2G2S	1674 1092 1824	08/22/14 08/28/14	4 \$127,000 4 \$110,000 4 \$145,000
364 113	64 W. Desrthills 49 W. Lupine 833 N. 40th Dr 15 W. Yucca	32FBX01C3S 22FR2G 31.75FRXP02G 32RP2G	2154 1125 1707 1780	07/08/14 07/14/14 07/18/14 07/18/14	\$102,000 \$142,000	3526 W. Altadena 3707 W. Lupine 4102 W. Sunnysid 11610 N. 41st Ln	31.75FRX2G	1306 1590 1346 1931	09/05/14 09/05/14	4 \$118,000 4 \$169,900 4 \$137,000 4 \$162,000
112	210 N. 36th Dr 41 W. Yucca	42BDXP2C2S 32FRDXSO2S	2341 2331	07/22/14 07/24/14	\$180,000	3958 W. Cholla 3539 W. Altadena	32FBO2S	1386 1306	09/15/14	4 \$134,000 4 \$144,750

Feature codes: First # = how many bedrooms, Second # = # of bathrooms, R = Refrigeration, B = Evap & Refrigeration, R = Refrigeration, F = Family Room, D = Formal Dining, X = Fireplace, 2C = 2 car carport, 2G = 2 car garage, P = Pool, RV = Recreational Vehicle Parking

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#### **IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS** CACTUS PARK \* WEST (Updated – Clip and Save) NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION **Police Emergency** 9-1-1 Police Non-Emergency (Crime Stop) 602-439-5937 602-262-6151 Neighborhood Drug Complaints 602-275-5886 **BOARD MEMBERS** Speeding Vehicle 'Hotline' 602-534-SPEED Police Information Desk (24 Hrs.) 602-262-7626 Dan Glauber Chairman Cactus Park Precinct Main Number 602-495-5009 Guy Allen Vice Chair **Community Action Officer (CAO)** Vicki Allen Vice Chair Karen Freund. 602-495-5009 Alyssa Glauber Secretary 602-534-0430 Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol (PNP) Gloria Lamb Dist 1 Councilwoman, Thelda Williams 602-262-7444 Treasurer Sonja & Kassy Lazoya Distribution Abandoned Vehicle Hotline 602-495-0809 Bundle Drops Abandoned Shopping Carts 602-CRT-PKUP Hank Leyva Animal Control 602-506-7387 Zone DA20 **Barking Dogs** 602-262-6466 Frank Brown Zone CJ20 Building, Zoning Violations 602-262-7844 P.R. Nelson Zone CJ19 C.E.R.T. Information 602-534-CERT Vicki & Guy Allen Zone DA19 City Bus Service & Dial-A-Ride 602-253-5000 Hank Leyva Commercial **City Prosecutor** 602-262-6461 **Construction Permits** 602-262-7844 Plus the backbone of your Neighborhood: Garbage Collections 602-262-7251 40 PLUS Delivery Volunteers, whose **TO REPORT GRAFFITI IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD** names are Proudly displayed on page 8 cactusparkwest@gmail.com or call Brad: 602-615-9449 of this publication Graffiti Busters Removal Hotline 602-495-7014 いたいたいたいたいたいたいたいたい Graffiti in progress 9-1-1 Graffiti.busters.nsd@phoenix.gov ------Graffiti Vandal Reward Program 602-262-7327 Advertising Free Paint – Tools – Paint Sprayers 602-495-0323 602-262-7251 Illegal Dumping QUARTERLY (3 months) Vector Control (Green Pools, Mosquitos) Business Card Size \$ 65.00 602-506-6616 \$ 95.00 **Neighborhood Services** 602-534-8444 Quarter Page Poison Control 602-253-3334 One Half Page \$ 175.00 **Property Maintenance Violations** 602-262-7844 Our Distribution exceeds 2,200 monthly, (Also on the web, at www.blight@phoenix.gov) including all area homes, four local schools Public Parks 602-261-8606 (while in session), several city departments SLIENT WITNESS 480-948-6377 and other 'neighborhood groups' leader-Silentwitness.org Streetlights, Power Outages (APS) 602-371-7171 ship. Some retail distribution is also pro-Time and Temperature 602-265-5550 vided. Trash Containers 602-262-7251 All media (Ads) are to be submitted by Vice Hotline 602-426-1231 the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month (along with pay-Email: Vice.complaints.ppd@phoenix.gov Liquor Complaints **ment)**, preceding the month of publication; Email: Liquor.task.force.ppd@phoenix.gov Ads need to be in a JPEG format ready **Domestic Violence 'Hotline'** 1-800-799-SAFE for print. We reserve the right to refuse (For support, shelter or services - Free, confidential) any ad deemed inappropriate for our publi-1-800-4-A-CHILD Child Abuse 'Hotline' (If you know of a child being abused or neglected) cation. Rape, Abuse & Incest Network 1-800-656-HOPE



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