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NEXT MONTHLY MEETING WILL **BE HELD ON** SEPT 9TH AT TUMBLEWEED ELEMENTRY SCHOOL CAFATERIA AT 6:30 WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE. WE NEED VOLUN-TEERS FOR RAFFEL ROUNDUPS

Cactus Park * West September 2015

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS



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

UPDATE ON NEIGHBORHOOD **APPRECIATION DAY** which is fast approaching

We are still in the planning stages of our great annual Neighborhood Appreciation Day which is our version of GAIN (Getting Arizo-

na Involved in Neighborhoods) or National Night out. Join us on Saturday, October 24th, Noon to 4pm, at Cactus Park, (3801 W. Cactus) 39th Avenue and Cactus, east of Tumbleweed school near the playaround equipment. We are busy lining up the events with the City of Phoenix, Phoenix Police Department, Phoenix Fire Department and other neighboring businesses. We will have an announcer TBA, music, speakers and entertainment, TBA. Moon Valley High School clubs will be getting involved and we hope to have the whole itinerary in the October edition. The MV clubs will be cooking hotdogs and brats, running the games and helping with setup and cleanup. Gloria Lamb's help with coordinating the Moon Valley students has been invaluable and without their help, we could not do this event every year, so THANK YOU MOON VALLEY!

So far we have commitments for some booths that will have community information for the neighbors which include Kaity's Way, (prevention of teen dating violence), Paul Curiel, Public Works Dept will have recycling information, and Singh Smilecare will be providing great discounts and dental Hygiene information at their booth. If you want to have a booth (no selling of products), you need to bring your own table and chairs, call the editor.

So far we have raffle/prize donations from Dairy Queen, 28th Drive (100 free mini blizzards), Laurie O'Neill dropped off two bags of costume jewelry for the kids prizes, CPCA will provide a crime prevention kit and materials, a \$50 gift certificate to Gourmet Cakes & More, \$25 Visa gift card from Vicki Allen, West USA, (5) free pastas from Sardellas, 60+ free single pizzas from Hungry Howies, (2) free meals from Culvers, something from 35th Ave Lock & Key and J-N-J Auto Service, 25% of alteration service from Sew Many Comforts, Singh Smilecare will be providing (3) certificates for dental services worth up to \$700, (5) free massages from The Arizona School of Massage Therapy, Scentsy warmers from Cathy Barnett, and the last raffle prize of the day will be a \$100 gift card at Fry's Food, courtesy of Cactus Park West Neighborhood Association. We will have two bouncy cages, Hexapong, raffles, three legged race, cake walk, pie eating contest, the funny photo booth, free food and drinks, games and much more to say in the October edition.

If you know of any other civic organization or business that would like to attend our event that would have useful services for our neighbors, let us know. We could also use volunteers to bake cakes and baked goods or donate some for our cake walk and pie eating contest. We have a few neighbors so far that will bake some stuff. UPS at 31st & Cactus was kind enough to print 300 letters for us this year. We are not mailing letters to businesses this time and are trying to round up some volunteers to drop off letters at Metrocenter and the surrounding businesses, so If you can do that, please let us know and we will give you a list of businesses to visit. If you can contribute something for the hourly raffles, let us know.

We will be collecting canned food for St. Mary's Food Bank. Get an extra raffle ticket for every can you bring in at the sign up desk.

We will have sign up sheets to help with the set-up, clean-up, baking or donations for the cake walk and running of the games at your next monthly meeting on Wednesday, September 9th at Tumbleweed School at 6:30. Call Alyssa Glauber to sign up at 602-714-6866 or Vicki at 602-460-0246. Come meet your neighbors and enjoy a hot dog or brat, some games, raffles and entertainment. Come get involved, it will be FUN!

KEEP KIDS ALIVE, DRIVE 25

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PIKES PEAK MAGIC! 45 family members who's loved ones died in traffic incidents gathered on Pikes Peak this past weekend to honor all families and loved ones across the globe. Our 12-member Live Forward! team ran in their honor and memory. I will turn it over to Beth, Nate's mom, to speak for all gathered.

I cannot say enough about this weekend. The first amazing part was actually completing the run. My qualifying race was the Lincoln half-marathon in 2013, which I ran with Nate. Wendy Everson was a Godsend. I would not have finished without her.

The other great part of the weekend was spending it with all the other families. Losing Nate shattered my world. I have come to find my new normal and still live life. But the "new normal" is nowhere close to anyone else's normal. This weekend, my new normal was the same as everyone else's normal. No needing to explain my world. No having to explain that I have two boys who continue to grow older and one that is forever 15. All of us have a child whose age is frozen in time.

I was expecting this weekend to be emotionally significant but I never expected it to be as amazing as it was. Just being able to look at someone and I knew exactly what they were feeling and they knew what I was feeling, was just so comforting. We could all just be ourselves and experience the weekend without having to explain our backstory. Our worlds are forever changed. We It's About Kids! It's About Safety! It's About Caring! It's About Time!"

appreciate the small things, we don't get undone with things that aren't worth our time, we have a new appreciation for being present in the moment. This changes the way we interact with the rest of the world and some days the world doesn't understand us. This weekend there was no having to worry about our little world misunderstanding us, we were all living in the same world so we could just enjoy the time together.

Like I said, I never expected this weekend to have such an impact on me, but all I can say is that it was a life changing experience.

Beth

<u>Learn more @ Live Forward!</u> <u>& Run to Remember</u>

LOVED ONES WE REMEMBER:

Shauna Hill, Age 16, Eagle, ID * Tyler Hanson, Age 17, Omaha, NE * Conor Lynch, Age 16, Van Nuys. CA *Kelsey Belcher, Age 18, Boise, ID * Cady Ann Reynolds , Age 17, Omaha, NE * Seth Olson, Age 20, Boise, ID *Taylor Sauer, Age 18, Caldwell, ID Alexa Johnson, Age 19, Loveland, CO * Brian Austin Astle, Age 20, Kuna, ID *Andrew Smith, Age 34, Aurora, CO * Kaytlyn Cooper, Age 16, Sebring, FL * Daniel Cook, Age 11, Kuna, ID *Greg Holmes, Age 14, Boise, ID * Anna Lundberg, Age 15, Omaha, NE Nate LaFave, Age 15, Omaha, NE * Christopher Starr, Age 8, Unionville, IA * Kyle Lee, Age 20, Caldwell, ID *Jason A Von Tersch, Age 29, Omaha, NE * <u>Owen Cole Brezitski</u>, Age 8, Harrisburg, PA * <u>Katie</u> DeCubellis, Age 13, Narragansett, RI * Bobby Rogers, Age 16, Meridian, ID * Tiffany Walters, Age 17, Meridian, ID * Amanda Reynolds, Age 19, Kuna, ID * Elijah Alvitre, Age 3, Salinas, CA * Amanda * Holoubek, Age 18, Omaha, NE * Nikki Kellenyi, Age 18, Sewell, NJ * Johnny Little, Age 8, Saginaw, MI * Sabrina Titus, Age 28, Omaha, NE * Alexandra Bedel, Age 19, Omaha, NE * Kayden Hope Fronterhouse, Age 19 Months, Bristow, OK * Heather L. Hurd, Age 26, Davenport, FL * Xavier Bevan, Age 20, Bellevue, NE * Jared Hunt, Age 2, Council Bluffs, IA * Kylie Remmereid, Age 16, Bennington, NE * Maddison Hart, Age 5, Sikeston, MO * Misty Dawn Tamayo, Age 14, Council Bluffs, IA * Matthew Waldrup, Age 7, Avon Park, FL * Mikey Rice, Age 20, Omaha, NE * J.T. Butrick-Chase, Age 13, Omaha, NE * Kayla Wilkins, Age 15, Elkhorn, NE * Christopher Lantz, Age 19, Bennington, NE * Bryn Dirkschneider, Age 16, Fremont, NE * Ken Berglund, Age 32, Kearney NE * Skyler Dickey, Age 24, Villisca, IA * Andrew Brumback, Age 8, Westminster, CA * Tim Hill, Age 12, North Las Vegas, NV * Erica Forney, Age 9, Fort Collins, CO * Brandon Bruggeman, Age 13, Carroll, IA * Zak Bruce, Age



17, La Veta, CO * Stephen Moeller, Age 17, St. Louis, MO * Brianna Vitek, Age 16, Winona, MN * Erika Joy Rowan, Age 16, Cozad, NE * Emily Jasmine Ranyak, Age 18, * Merritt Island, FL * Gabby Mair, Age 12, Deltona, FL * Brandon McPherson, Age 16, Weatherby Lake, MO * Myles McCarron, Age 16, Lunenburg, MA * Anna Diffenderfer, Age 2, Perkiomenville, PA* Nikki Simonson, Age 5, Phoenix, AZ * Nicolas Riconosciuto, Age 5, Ormond Beach, FL * Stephen Loder, Age 5, Commerce Township, MI * Stephanie Loder, Age 8, Commerce Township, MI * Lisa Xavier, Age 6, Menlo Park, CA * Shannon Lloyd, Age 7, Omaha, NE * Landon Bos, Age 7, Norfolk, NE * Aaron David Sumner Brock, Age 7, Haughton, LA * Shannon Ventry, Age 7, Omaha, NE, * Shaye Martin, Age 8, Doral, FL * Justin Faust, Age 9, Lees Summit, MO * Stephen Richard Schroder, Age 10, Fort Thomas, KY * Kyle Foster, Age 10, Mesquite, TX, * Sierra Feaster, Age 10, Lanoka Harbor, NJ * Tia Townsend, Age 11, Shoreline, WA * Graeme Preston, Age 12, Freehold NJ * Kevin Clawson, Age 13, Freehold, NJ * Melissa Tindell, Age 13, Panama City, FL * Tyler Tscheschlog, Age 14, Forest Hill, MD * Anthony Henry, Age 14, Yardville, NJ * Nicole King, Age 14, Katy, TX * Nick Peters, Age 15, Wahoo, NE * Kyle Clark, Age 16, Wahoo, NE * Anthony Rizzo, Age 16, New York, NY * Caleb Koke, Age 17, Austin, TX * Eric Laufersweiler, Age 17, Webster Groves, MO * Irma Laufersweiler, Age 50, Webster Groves, MO * Ashley Steffan, Age 17, Waukesha, WI * Ashley Smith, Age 17, Scotrun, PA * Jacqueline G. Becker, Age 17, Cape May County, NJ * Christina M. Becker, 19, Cape May County, NJ * Ian Taggart, Age 19, La Veta, CO Kimberly Hoover, Age 18, Barberton, OH * Nadia Chowdhury, Age 20, Naperville, IL * Erika Kelly Anstett, Age 20, Redford, MI * Joe Anstett, Age 51, Detroit, MI * Steven Dennis Schult, Age 21, Valley, NE * Natalie DeLeon, Age 21, Springfield, MA * Blake Goodman, Age 21, Wakefield, MA * Gia Marie Kakas, Age 21, Hamilton, NJ * Matt Schmill, Age 23, Omaha, NE * Robb Morast Jr, Age 25, Spring Branch, TX * James Davis, Age 29, White Bear Lake, MN * Paul Vetter, Age 30, Omaha, NE * Robert "Rob" Williams, Age 33, Shawnee, KS * Rick Mowery, Age 41, Ironton, MO * Kyle Wassenaar, Age 51, Long Beach, CA * Jim Johnston, Age 56, Omaha, NE * Holbrook Mann MacNeille, Age 66, Cleveland, OH * Mary Anne Nortrup, Age 67, Ottawa, IL * Morris Muniz, Age 74, Houston, TX

If you know of a loved one who has died due to a traffic incident and would like to see him or her included in our *Run to Remember*, please email **Tom@kkad25.org**

Tom Everson

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NEIGHBORHOOD SCHOOLS





Moon Valley High School's Navy JROTC cadets...

took to the sea and honed their leadership skills over the summer. Three cadets, Freshmen

Cloe Checkley and Sophomores Andrea Ortiz and Johnny Rodriguez attended Sail Academy in Coronado, California. While there the cadets learned to sail twenty-two to twenty-seven foot sail boats. Cadet Ortiz distinguished herself winning academic honors. Cadet Rodriguez crewed the boat that one championship regatta.

Several other cadets were selected to attend the highly regarded Naval Area 11 Leadership Academy. The top cadets from Arizona, California and Colorado reported in to Moon Valley High School for the week long training. They received intensive leadership and drill training broken up with a trip to Grand Canyon University and an evening of water survival indoctrination and fun at nearby Cactus Park Pool. The academy was under the Command of Moon Valley High NJROTC Cadet Commander Cassandra Harris. Others in attendance included Martin Gonzalez, Ellysia Chamberlain-Mills, Edwin Morales, Austin Passarelli, Hector Rodriguez and Jeanette Rodriguez. All Moon Valley cadet's completed the week and earned their silver leadership aiguillette to be worn on their uniform as a symbol of their expertise.

Yale Educator Award Posted on 2015/08/26

Congratulations go out to Mrs. Kim Thomas for receiving an award from Yale University! Students entering the



asked to nominate outstanding educators who have deeply impacted their lives. Moon Valley's own, Mrs. Kimberley Thomas, was nominated for the 2015 Yale Educator Award by MVHS graduate, Madison O'Neal. This award, sponsored by the Yale Office of Undergraduate Admissions, recognizes educators from around the world who inspire and support their students to perform at high levels and to achieve excellence.

Moon Valley September Calendar of Events



Sept 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, Late Start 9am Sept 23, Career Fair, 8 am to 11:30

For more info call 623-915-8000

Rockin' Refuel Posted on 2015/08/19

Congratulations to Moon Valley HS for being selected as a Team Rockin' Refuel school. Shamrock Farms will donate \$4,500 of Var-



sity Muscle Recovery to our school! Our athletes will be able to take advantage of Rockin' Refuels great tasting, REAL milk and natural protein that they need to build and rebuild muscles. Additionally, with the support from the Dairy Council of Arizona, the program will educate the athletes about smart, post-workout nutrition education. Please show your support for Moon Valley Athletics and Rockin' Refuel by following them on social media. Instagram: @RockinRefuel

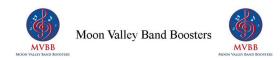
Twitter: @RockinRefuel #RockinRefuel @MVRocketsAZ @MVRocketsFB



September 9th 2015 from 5pm-9pm 3121 W. Peoria Ave Phx, AZ 85029

Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support the Moon Valley High School Band (MVBB). Come in to the Chronic Tacos & Menchie's Frozen Yogurt located at 3121 W Peoria Ave on Wednesday Sept. 9th from 5pm to 9pm.

Bring in this flyer/show it on your phone & mention to the cashier you're supporting the Moon Valley High School Band (MVBB) and a portion of proceeds goes to our organization for the Moon Valley High School Band



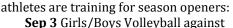
CACTUS PARK WEST NEIGHBORHOOLD SCHOOL & COMMUNITY INFO

NEWS FROM CHOLLA MIDDLE SCHOOL Charging Forward as we work together to empower lifelong learners.



On Thursday, August 6, Cholla welcomed our parents and students back to school with an Open House. We showcased what everyday life at Cholla looks like from walking student schedules to meeting teachers in classrooms and learning what is being taught. As always, it was well at-

Charger Fall Sports are underway. Charger





Sep 14 Girls Soccer at Mountain Sky

Sep 28 Cross Country at Mountain Sky

Join us as we support our Chargers!

Royal Palm

TAX CREDITS

You can help our students at Cholla!

- Dollar for dollar reduction in state income taxes Married \$400/Single \$200
- Designate it specifically to Cholla
- The funds support extracurricular activities
 - \Rightarrow After school classes
 - \Rightarrow Sports and Music programs
 - \Rightarrow Clubs

 \Rightarrow Educationally related field trips Join us as we support our Chargers!



tended.

BOX TOPS AT CHOLLA!

Save those box tops! Cholla gets 10 cents for every box top we collect. Encourage your students to bring them to school at any time. We have a Box Tops collection box conveniently located in the Student Center.

NEWS FROM TUMBLEWEED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Welcome to the 2015-16 school year!

The Tumbleweed staff is excited about the new school year. We extend a warm welcome to our new staff members: Danica Grobnagger – first grade, Krista Lemon – third grade, Heather Hottle – fifth grade, Diana Hays – resource teacher, Cristin Saiz – Reading Intervention Specialist and Marcy Hyde – Program Coach. We have a great staff that has high expectations for our students' academic achievement here at Tumbleweed.

We are continuing to implement, for security reasons, our **Locked Campus Policy**. If you adults would like to come on campus, please sign in at the front office and get a badge...and <u>wear it.</u> Also, **we ask that you not pick up your children during the last 15 minutes of school.** If you have an emergency or an important medical appointment, please pick them up before the last 15 minutes so that teachers can utilize all of their instructional minutes.

Tumbleweed Cont....

Thank you from Tumbleweed

Tumbleweed would like to thank Mayo Clinic, Apollo Baptist Church and Fry's (43rd Ave/Cactus store) for their generous donations to our students and staff. We received pens, pencils, paper, folders, glue stick, water, tissues,



wipes, hand sanitizers, water, back packs and some much more. These donations will be able to assist our school throughout the year.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

Office	896-6600	Attendance	869-6610
Fax	896-6620	Cafeteria	896-6617
Library	896-6609	Counselor	896-6658
Sp. Needs	896-6669	KidSpace	896-6615
Transportation	896-5270	Head Start	896-6615

Event Schedule

September

- 02 Early release 1:00 p.m.
- 07 **NO SCHOOL** Labor Day
- 09 Early release 1:00 p.m. Midterms go home
- Neighborhood meeting 6:30
- 10 Governing Board meeting 7:00 p.m.
- 14 PTA meeting 6:30 7:30 p.m.
- 15 Hearing and Vision screening
- 16 Early release 1:00 p.m.
- 17 PTA Bingo night 5:00 -7:00 p.m.
- 23 Early release 1:00 p.m.
- 24 Governing Board meeting 7:00 p.m.
- 30 Early release 1:00 p.m.

NEWS FROM ABRAHAM LINCOLN TRADITIONAL SCHOOL

Abraham Lincoln Traditional School began school on Monday, August 10th. We have approximately 600 students currently attending the school Kindergarten through Eighth Grade.



Be aware of extra traffic around Peoria and 39th Avenues during the morning drop off time, and

then again during the afternoon pick up times as well. Thank you for your patience with moving a large number of vehicles a few times during the day.

Our first school event was Peter Piper Pizza Night on Thursday, August 27, 2015, at the Metro Center Peter Piper Pizza, 4:00 PM – 8:00 PM.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION



Coffee with a Cop Sept 2, 8:00 am Los Altos Ranch Market 3415 W. Glendale (602) 249-1400



A NOTE FROM THELDA -

I am happy to announce that the election is over and we are back from the summer recess. Over the past months, my office and the city has been busy working on several ballot issues, special projects, business and development opportunities and answering the questions and concerns of the great people of our district and city. Thank you all for your continued support and I am proud to be returning as your Councilwoman for the next four years!

CITY NEWS & EVENTS

DISTRICT 1 COMMUNITY BREAKFAST



Special time! The next Community breakfast will be on **Friday, September 18th**. New location! We will be at the Radisson Hotel Phoenix North, located at 10220 North Metro Parkway East. Breakfast starts at 7:30 and the speaker begins at around 7:45. See you there!

This month's guest is Sheriff Joe Arpaio. You probably know him as "America's Toughest Sheriff," a name given to him years ago by the media. It's a name he has certainly earned as head of the nation's third largest Sheriff's Office, with more than 3,500 sworn and civilian employees, serving a county of over 4 million people. With over 55 years' experience in law enforcement, Arpaio knows what the public wants, "The public is my boss," he says, "so I serve the public." He has served them well by establishing several unique programs. His leadership and the excellent work of his staff have catapulted the Maricopa County Sheriff's Office into the ranks of elite law enforcement agencies.

UPCOMING PUBLIC CITY MEETINGS

Downtown, Aviation and Redevelopment Subcommittee Meeting – Wednesday, **September 3rd**, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. in Assembly Rooms A, B and C, Phoenix City Hall, 200 West Washington Street.

• City Council Formal Meeting – Wednesday, September **2nd**, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. in City Council Chambers, 200 West Jefferson Street.

• Zoning Adjustment Hearing – Thursday, **September 3rd**, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. in Assembly Room C, Phoenix City Hall, 200 West Washington Street.

• Board of Adjustment Hearing – Thursday, **September 3rd**, 2015 at 1200 p.m. in City Council Chambers, 200 West Jefferson Street.

meetings continued....

For more information on these and all other public City meetings visit:

https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/publicmeetings/ notices. City Council meetings are live on Cox Cable Channel 11 and streamed live on phoenix.gov and facebook.com/cityofphoenix. Past City Council meetings are posted to YouTube at http:// www.youtube.com/cityofphoenixaz.

PLAN AND PAY FOR COLLEGE WITH HELP FROM COLLEGE DEPOT

Learn about Scholarships from Scholars 2 – 3:30 p.m. **Saturday, Sept. 19**

Discover where to search and how to apply for scholarships featuring a student panel and hands-on help hosted by ASU Doran Scholars.

College Applications and Essay Writing 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. **Thursday, Oct. 8** Learn to successfully complete a college application and review tips on writing strong essays followed by hands-on assistance.

Space is limited. For more information, call 602-261-8847 or visit <u>phoenixpubliclibrary.org/collegedepot</u> to register online.

College Depot is a full-service college planning center open to anyone seeking assistance with planning for college. The college planning advisors and assistants offer one-on-one appointments and workshops regarding admissions, financial aid, and scholarships. For a complete list of workshops and events, visit phoenixpubliclibrary.org/collegedepot. Like us at facebook.com/CollegeDepotPhx and follow us at twitter.com/CollegeDepot.

CITY NEWS VOTER APPROVED BALLOT PROPO-SITIONS FROM TUESDAY'S CITY ELECTION

• **Prop. 100** – General Plan Update. The 2015 Phoenix General Plan establishes a vision

for the entire city along with polices and goals to guide future development. The state requires cities to update their plans. Our plan was developed over a two year period by residents of Phoenix and the Phoenix City Council.

• **Prop. 101** – Home Rule. This allows the city to continue setting its own budget and expenditure amount after receiving extensive citizen input and a final approval vote from the City Council. By law, Home Rule must be reapproved every four years.

• **Prop. 102** – Electronic Payments. Allows the Finance Department the modern convenience of issuing payments to vendors electronically instead of with an old fashioned paper format. Changing the way we do business with this type of technology

will also save the city hundreds of thousands of dollars every year.

• **Prop. 104** – Comprehensive Transportation Plan. A comprehensive transportation strategy funded with a sales tax. Will expand light rail and bus services and improve streets. The passage of Prop. 104 will also allow the city to reallocate \$16 million annually from the General Fund to go towards the hiring of new police officers.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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CAN YOU DELIVER A NEWSLETTER ROUTE?

Thank you to Larry Herrera for taking over Route 12A and Diane Pedersen for taking over Route 41 temporarily. Welcome Delight

Lydiate who will be taking over bundling and distribution!

Brandon had a fire and will need someone to take over route #1, Desert Hills Dr., 41st dr, Shaw Butte, 42nd Dr. If you can volunteer, please call Alyssa at 602-714-6866

Bulk Trash Placement is 9/5/15 Collection is 9/14/15

METROCENTER

2015 Schedule of Informational Presentations: Mall opens at 10:00 A.M.

FREE Presentations will be provided monthly in the Metrocenter Community Room on the

1st Thursday of each month at 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 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.

Sept. 3, 2015, "Energy Cost and \$avings Tips" presented by Tanya Hughes, Salt River Project

Oct. 1, 2015, National Crime Prevention Month, presenta tion by Chief Yahner, City of Phoenix Police Department

We are always seeking presentations to serve your needs. Please send your requests and ideas to MetrocenterWalkNTalk@gmail.com.



We were given several laminated signs at last nights Cactus Park Alliance Block Watch meeting at the Beuf Community Center. (35th Ave & Pinnacle Peak) If you would like one, please come to our monthly block watch and I will give

you one, plus you will get to meet some great neighbors!! Larry Herrera

CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

1. Lock all your doors and windows. At the minimum ensure that the front door has a good deadbolt lock, 3 inch screws in the hinges and strike plate, and a peephole. If you can afford it, get a security door and make sure it is properly installed.

2. Put a lock on your side yard gate or any gates that

lead to the backyard. Eliminating access to an area of your house that watchful neighbors can't see suspicious people around helps reduce your chances. If you have service personnel who use the gate, make sure it is locked immediately after they leave.

3. Keep your garage door closed at all times, even if you are just inside for a short time. It does not take long for someone to enter your garage and grab items from inside your car or garage and leave. It is easy to get distracted when unloading kids, groceries, etc but take a few extra seconds to make sure the door closes all the way when you leave and when you arrive home.

4. Put your vehicles in the garage. If you must park in the driveway or outside, lock the doors and have windows rolled up all the way. Do not leave any valuables inside car or even bags that look like they may have something of value inside them, this is an easy opportunity for someone walking or biking by to break in.
5. Leave your front door and exterior garage lights on all night, from sundown to sunrise. Get a timer or timer switch if unable to remember or for out of town trips.
6. If an unknown person comes to the door, do not open the door, talk through the door and ask what they want. If they persist on you opening the door or refuse to leave, call police. Do not ignore the knock or doorbell ring.

7. No one knows your neighborhood better than you so be watchful of your surroundings and watch out for each other in your neighborhoods. Having an involved and watchful neighborhood is one of the most important crime prevention methods around. Get to know your next door and neighbors across the street and exchange at least phone numbers or email addresses so you may keep each other informed of absences on trips.

"IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING, AND CALL 911 OR CRIME STOP 602-262-6151!"

Safety Advice Reminders from a Policeman

Take 5 minutes to read this. It may save your life or a loved one's life.

In daylight hours, refresh yourself of these things to do in an emergency situation... This is for you, and for you to share with everyone you know.

1. Tip from Tae Kwon Do : The elbow is the strongest point on your body. If you are close enough to use it, do!

2. Learned this from a tourist guide. If a robber asks for your wallet and/or purse, DO NOT HAND IT TO HIM. Toss it away from you... Chances are that he is more interested in your wallet and/or purse than you, and he will go for the wallet/purse. RUN LIKE MAD IN THE OTHER DI-RECTION

3. If you are ever thrown into the trunk of a car, kick out the back tail lights and stick your arm out the hole and start waving like crazy.. The driver won't see you, but everybody else will. This has saved lives.

To be continued in next months edition....

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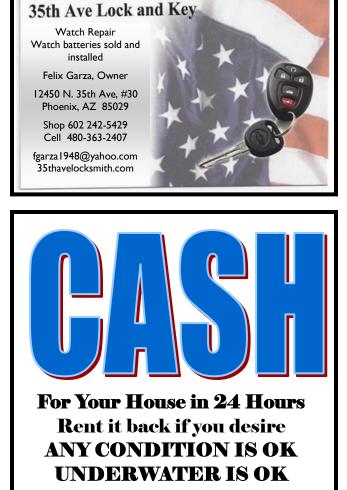
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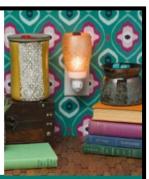


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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

IF YOU AREN'T GETTING YOUR NEWSLETTER OR CAN'T DELIVER IT, PLEASE CALL ALYSSA @ 602-714-6866

The "Neighbors Who Care - Team"

For The Area, DA19

1-Brandon Epperson, OPEN

2-3 Dave & Cindy Curran

5-Emily Weirsema

6-Ray (Skip) Vink

7-Guy & Vicki Allen

8-Larry Herrera

9- Howard & Denise Holben

10-Crystal Burge

11-Doug & Becki Hauser

12-Kathy Long 14–Robin Fernandez

Apts - Vicki & Guy Allen

Desert Hills Dr., 41st Dr. Shaw Butte, 42nd Dr. Paradise Dr., 39-4200, $41^{st} Dr.$ Poinsettia Dr., 40th Dr, $42^{nd} Dr.$ Sunnyside Ave., 40-4200, 42nd Dr., to 11431. Altadena Ave., 42nd Ave., 41st Ln., 4ast Dr., 41st Ave., Cortez Ave. Sierra St. (40-4200), 42nd Ave. Lupine Cul-de-sacs Sunnyside Ave., 39-4000, $40^{th} Dr.$ Altadena Ave., 39th Ln. $39^{th} Dr.$ Lupine Ave., 39th Dr., 39th Ln., 40th Ave., 40th Ln. Cholla St., 39-4200 N/S Sunnyside Ave., 3800, 38th Ave. Apts @ 43rd & Cactus, Tumbleweed, Cholla, Abraham LTS & MV HS

For The Area, DA20

12A – Larry Herrera

13-Gloria Lamb

20-Nicole Harris

15-Garv Jensen 16-Dik & Doreen Jackson 17- Larry Kugler 18-Sonia Mehren 19-Tony & Gretchen Janes

Sierra St., 35-3600 Sierra St., 37-3800 on 37th dr Lupine Ave., 35-3600 22A - Julie Fredericks/Hank Leyva Cholla St., 35-3900 N

 $40^{th} Dr.$

 42^{nd} Ave.

For The Area, CJ19

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

24-Teri Harris

25-Tom & Julie Journey

Altadena Ave., 37-3800 Cortez Ave., 3600, 3 homes Retail shops Lupine Av, (37-3800) 41st Ave., Plus Garden Dr.

 $(41-4200), 41^{st} Dr., 42^{nd}$

Dr., and Mescal(off 43^{rd}) Garden Dr., 38-4000,

Yucca St., 39-4200,

25a-Jenny & Mark Moore

26-Dolores Krzystofzyk

28-Joey Coassole

29-Caleb & David Anderson

29A- Colin O'Neill 34-PR Nelson

22B – Maureen Bayardi

30-David & Janet Ellison

27-Jeff Shortsleeve

31-Michelle Banayat

33-Kathy Chowanice

36-Joelle & Jeff Holt

37-Jim & Lois Ditzler

39-Lisa Wallenberg

40– Wilmer Dagen

41-Diane Pedersen

42-Rick Beebout

38-Jim & Dea Leonhardt

32-Carol Glomski

35-Bev Brewer

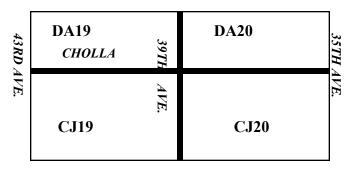
For The Area, CJ20 4-Emily Wiersema

Laurel Ln., 41st Ave., 42nd Ave. Cholla St., 35-3800 S 37th Ave. Cholla-Mercer

Yucca St., 35-3800, 36th Mescal/Shangri La Rd., 37-3800, plus 38th Dr. Sahuaro Dr., 38-3900 Becker Ln., 37-3800 37th Ave., Peoria-Mercer Sahuaro Dr., 35-3600 36th Ave. 36th Avenue. 37th Dr., 38th Ave., Peoria to Mercer. 39th Ave., (Peoria to the Park), plus Desert Cove Cul-de-sac (3800). Homes facing Peoria Ave

CACTUS PARK WEST NEIGHBORHOOD ZONES

CACTUS RD.



PEORIA AVE.

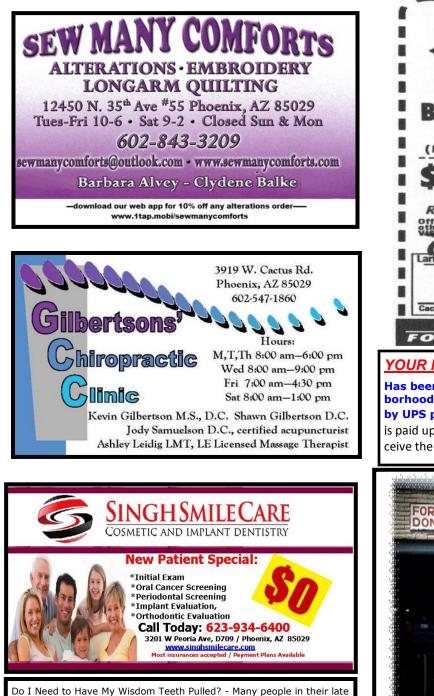
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39th Dr., Desert Cove to Yucca St. Shangri-La Rd., 40th, 41st. 42nd Avenues, Mescal St., (2) Cul-de-sacs Mercer Ln., 40-4100, 42nd Av., 41st dr. 39th Dr. Christv dr. Christy Dr., 39-4000, Sahuaro Dr., Becker 40th Avenue Mercer Av (35-3600), homes facing S. of 35th& Cholla

Desert Cove. 39-4200 Dr., 37th Dr., Shangri La Rd., 35-3600 Mescal St., 35-3600, 37th Dr 35th dr Mercer Ln., 37-3900

North of Cholla St. Poinsettia Dr., 37-3800, Sunnyside Ave., 36th Dr. Altadena Ave., 35-3600

35th Ave., West Side,



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	15974 N. 90th Ave, Peoria	32RO2G		\$1,195			
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	16036 N. 11th Ave, #1115, Phx	32.5R2G		\$1,375			
	5033 E. Roberta, Cave Creek	32RPO2G		\$1,500			

AREA HOME VALUES

Address	Features	Sq. Ft.	Date Sold	Sales Price	Address		Sq. Ft.		Sales Price
009 W. Lupine	32RDXS2C	1532	<i>02/27/15</i>		4116 W. Paradise	32RO2G	1452		\$159,900
830 W. Garden	42FRPO2G2S	1931	<i>03/03/15</i>		4141 W. Dsrt Cv	31.75FRDX2G2S	1706		\$155,500
951 W. Sunnyside	43FBPQO3G	2444	<i>03/04/15</i>	\$227,500	3926 W. Garden	32RDXP2G1S	1577		\$177,000
919 W. Lupine	32FRXP2G3S	1505	<i>03/11/15</i>	\$169,000	4025 W. Yucca	32FR2G	1958		\$182,000
518 W. Shangrila	41.75FR2G4S	1821	<i>03/18/15</i>	\$170,000	4149 W. Laurel	32R2G2S	1532	05/28/15	\$156,000
061 W. Desert Cv	32RD2G	1570	03/26/15	\$170,000	4102 W. Poinsettia	32RP2G2S	1532	06/05/15	\$172,500
138 W. Poinsettia	32FRDO2C2S	1632	03/31/15	\$146,500	10802 N. 37th Av	32FR2G2S	1763	06/05/15	\$166,500
0714 N. 36th Ave	32FRS2C2S	1545	03/31/15	\$140,000	3849 W. Garden	42FRP2G	1980	06/09/15	\$199,000
1220 N. 40th Dr	32FRDO2G	1800	<i>04/01/15</i>	\$155,000	4101 W. Lupine	31.75RO2G2S	1380	06/0915	\$173,000
736 W. Cholla	42RP2G4S	1821	04/03/15	\$184,000	3842 W. Cholla	32FRXPO2G2S	1654	06/15/15	\$120,000
631 W. Shangrila	42FRDXP2G3S	2300	04/15/15	\$195,000	10841 N. 41st Dr	31.75FRDXO2G25	S 1706	06/17/15	\$173,000
952 W. Cholla	32FRDO2G2S	1745	04/20/15	\$169,000	3830 W. Altadena	32RXP2G	1590	06/26/15	\$168,500
035 W. Poinsettia	31.75FRDXP2G2S	1408		\$153,000	3712 W. Mercer	32FRXP2G1S	1680		\$200,000
915 W. Paradise	32R2G2S	1120	04/23/15	\$149,900	11216 N. 39th Ave	32FRDX2G2S	1768	06/30/15	\$172,500
114 W. Desert Cv	42FRXP2G	1771	04/25/15	\$174,000	4151 W. Shawbutte	32RO2G	1404		\$145,000
120 W. Mercer	42FRDXPO2G4S	1791	04/30/15	\$157.000	3844 W. Lupine	32FRO2C	1596	07/07/15	\$160,000
121 W. Sierra	32B2G	1380	04/30/15	\$155,000	3835 W. Garden	32RDO2G1S	1778	07/09/15	\$185,000
2018 N. 42nd Dr	43RPO1S	1730	04/30/15	\$146,500	11001 N. 40th Av	42FRP2G2C2S	1771	07/10/15	\$187,000
1208 N. 40th Dr	42FRP2C2S	1771	05/01/15	\$190,000	3830 W. Lupine	42FRP2G3S	1674	07/17/15	\$200,000
836 W. Garden	32.75FRDXPO5S	2298	05/04/15		11201 N. 37th Av	32FRDPO2G	2428		\$150,888
1801 N. 40th Dr	32FRXO2G1S	1408		\$121,000	11615 N. 42nd Av	53FRDXO2G	2608		\$237,500
952 W. Lupine	42RXP2G4S	2052		\$180,100	3939 W. Cholla	42RDP2G2S	1871		\$198,900

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

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

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************************************ IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS CACTUS PARK * WEST (Clip and Save) NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION Police Emergency 9-1-1 602-714-6866 Police Non-Emergency (Crime Stop) 602-262-6151 Neighborhood Drug Complaints 602-275-5886 cactusparkwest@gmail.com Speeding Vehicle 'Hotline' 602-534-SPEED **BOARD MEMBERS** Police Information Desk (24 Hrs.) 602-262-7626 Cactus Park Precinct Main Number 602-495-5009 Alyssa Glauber Chairwoman **Community Action Officer (CAO)** Guy Allen Vice Chair Wade Niver. 602-534-6988 Vicki Allen Vice Chair wade.niver@phoenix.gov Daniel Glauber Secretary Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol (PNP) 602-534-0430 Gloria Lamb Treasurer Dist 1 Councilwoman, Thelda Williams 602-262-7444 **Delight Lydiate** Distribution Abandoned Vehicle Hotline 602-495-0809 **Bundle Drops** Abandoned Shopping Carts 602-CRT-PKUP Hank Leyva Zone DA20 Animal Control 602-506-7387 Frank Brown Zone CJ20 Barking Dogs 602-262-6466 Building, Zoning Violations 602-262-7844 PR Nelson Mescal Zone C.E.R.T. Information 602-534-CERT Zone DA19/CJ19 Vicki & Guy Allen *City Bus Service & Dial-A-Ride* 602-253-5000 Commercial Hank Leyva City Prosecutor 602-262-6461 Plus the backbone of your Neighborhood: Construction Permits 602-262-7844 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 Graffiti Busters Removal Hotline 602-495-7014 Graffiti in progress 9-1-1 Graffiti.busters.nsd@phoenix.gov Advertising Graffiti Vandal Reward Program 602-262-7327 Free Paint – Tools – Paint Sprayers 602-495-0323 QUARTERLY (3 months) Illegal Dumping 602-262-7251 Business Card Size \$ 65.00 Vector Control (Green Pools, Mosquitos) \$ 95.00 602-506-6616 Quarter Page One Half Page \$ 175.00 **Neighborhood Services** 602-534-8444 Poison Control 602-253-3334 Our Distribution exceeds 2,200 monthly, **Property Maintenance Violations** 602-262-7844 including all area homes, four local schools (Also on the web, at www.blight@phoenix.gov) (while in session), several city departments **Public Parks** 602-261-8606 and other 'neighborhood groups' leader-SLIENT WITNESS 480-948-6377 ship. Some retail distribution is also pro-Silentwitness.org Streetlights, Power Outages (APS) 602-371-7171 vided. Time and Temperature 602-265-5550 All media (Ads) and articles are to be sub-Trash Containers 602-262-7251 mitted by the 20th of the month (along Vice Hotline 602-426-1231 Vice.complaints.ppd@phoenix.gov Email: with payment), preceding the month of Liquor Complaints publication; Ads need to be in a JPEG for-Email: Liquor.task.force.ppd@phoenix.gov mat <u>ready for print</u>. We reserve the **Domestic Violence 'Hotline'** 1-800-799-SAFE right to refuse any ad deemed inappropri-(For support, shelter or services - Free, confidential) **Child Abuse 'Hotline'** 1-800-4-A-CHILD ate for our publication. (If you know of a child being abused or neglected) Rape, Abuse & Incest Network 1-800-656-HOPE (Please don't hesitate, make the call)



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10659 W. Tropicana	3bed/2bth/1car	1346	PENDING	\$115,000
3840 W. ParkView	4bed/2bth/pool/3car	2056	PENDING	\$250,000
966 S. 220th Lane	3bed/2bth/2gar	1961	PENDING	\$145,000
222 S. 122nd Lane	4bed/2bth/pool	2136	SOLD	\$232,800
7372 W. Oraibi	4bed/2.5bth/pool	2756	SOLD	\$355,000
9057 N. 72nd Drive	4bed/3bth/workshop	1955	SOLD	\$185,000
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