

# MARLBOROUGH MESA



Strengthening our Neighborhood and Promoting the Well-being of our Community

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#### MARCH thru AUGUST 2016

# Easter Egg Hunt and Community Picnic

#### By Monette Coyle

When: Saturday, March 26, 2016 Where: Marlborough Mesa Park

**Time:** Picnic 11:30 am/**Egg hunt:** 12:30 pm **Who:** The **Egg Hunt** is for children in 6th grade

and younger who live in Marl-

borough Mesa.

Come and take part in our annual neighborhood Easter egg hunt and picnic.

We need adult and teen volunteers to make this a fun

event. If you are new to our neighborhood or have never volunteered, don't be afraid to get your "feet wet." If you can help with the planning, operations or make a donation of foods/drinks needed, we have made it easy for you to sign up online:

www.SignUpGenius.com/go/20F0948ADAF2CA75-marlborough

You may drop off items at our home, 1007 W. Posada Ave., by 7 p.m. Friday, March 25th.

Should you need to contact me: email Monette Coyle at <a href="monettecoyle@yahoo.com">monettecoyle@yahoo.com</a> or call 480-491-9659

## Birds and Street Lights

By Linda Murphy

If the birds are using the street light in front of your house as a perch, you may want to contact the city for "bird spikes". The city will send someone out to see how many dropping are on the sidewalk. If it looks unsightly and unhealthy, they will install 'bird spikes" on the top of the street light for free. You can contact traffic control at 480-644-3038 to start the process.

## **Upcoming Vote**

Aside from the Presidential voting, we will soon be electing a new Councilmember for District 3, which is Dennis Kavanaugh's seat. The only one running so far is Ryan Winkle. He is young and just starting a family. I have met him, as many of you have because he walked our neighborhood to meet and talk with you all.

Ryan and his family will be at our Easter Picnic and Egg Hunt as well as Councilman Kavanaugh.

Also, we are trying to get a fire truck, police car and some patrolmen. This way, children get to know them in their own "backyard".

# Neighborhood Notes



## **Stranger Among Us?**

(This is an account from of of our neighbors.)

"A man came up to me in the driveway last week and said he would repair the dent in my car for a good price. He told me he has repaired many of the neighborhood's cars. No payment up front. His son was 'going to come back with a business card'. Of course I never saw him again." Neighbors BEWARE.

#### "Bees" are on the move

It is that time of year once again, and the bees are indeed looking for a new place. Should you see a hive beginning to form or one that has already formed, it is best to get it taken care of before it gets too big.

One of our neighbors had this happen. The bees love any yard with blooming trees and pools. So if your yard has this combination, do be on the lookout. Should you have one, Roy Arnold, at 623.326.3125 will come and relocate them for a donation. Many people you find on the Internet will eradicate the bees, but that is not what is needed. A relocation program is much better, as we need those bees for our food supply.

## Always a Welcome Tote for New Homeowners or Renters

If <u>you</u> know of a new homeowner or renter who has just moved into the neighborhood, please contact me and we will make sure they receive a welcome tote from the Ambassador of that street. Call or email almajones2@cox.net or 480-831-1525.

**Sandra Steil** continues to make all of the Welcome Totes for our neighborhood.

## Change your email/phone?

Please email me at <u>almajones2006@cox.net</u> with updated info. As you know, this information is kept confidential.

## Household Hazardous Waste Events

Bring your household hazardous waste material such as paint, appliances, electronics, propane tanks, pesticides, automotive fluids, batteries, etc. to this event at no charge. Be sure you bring your City of Mesa utility bill as proof that you reside in Mesa.

#### April 9, 2016

Center Street Facility, 2412 N. Center Street (Center Street, north of McKellips Road) 8 a.m. - Noon Materials no accepted after 12 noon.

#### October 15, 2016

East Mesa Service Center, 6935 E. Decatur St. (Power Road, north of University Drive) 8 a.m. - Noon Materials not accepted after 12 noon.

# MM CLASSIFIEDS





HAVE assorted kitchen cabinets for sale. Asking price is \$40 a cabinet. Please call Rich at 480-838-2138 if interested. We have a list of all the sizes.

**AUTO Sales** - Autonation Toyota 7970 s. Autoplex Loop, Tempe, AZ 85284 (Tempe Autoplex at I-10 and Elliot Rd)

Contact: **Dale Ballard**, Marlborough resident Cell Phone: 480-430-1692

Email: www.ballardd@autonation.com

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