



News

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

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MARCH through AUGUST 2017

Marlborough Mesa's Community Picnic and Egg Hunt

By Monette Coyle

Date: Saturday, April 8, 2017

Where: Marlborough Mesa Park

Time: Picnic 11:30 a.m.

Egg Hunt 12:30 p.m.

Who: Egg Hunt is for children in 6th grade and younger who live in Marlborough Mesa

Hello Marlborough Mesa Neighbors:

It is Easter time again. Come and take part in our annual neighborhood Easter egg hunt and picnic. We have lots of new families both with and without children. *If you have never volunteered - now is the time to get started. What better way than in your own neighborhood?*

We need adult and teen volunteers to make this a fun event. If you can help with the planning, operations or make a donation please sign up below.

Please drop off items at our house:
1007 W. Posada Ave.
by 7 p.m. Friday, April 7th.

To view sign up page, go to:
[2017 Marlborough Mesa's Community Picnic and Egg Hunt](#)

Our Welcome Totes

If you are or were a newcomer to Marlborough Mesa at one time, you may have received one of these Welcome Totes.

However, these may become a thing of the past unless we find a new COORDINATOR. So, all you creative people, please ... please step forward. Sandra Steil, the former coordinator, has moved.

This will take very little of your time. The process is:

An Ambassador will call me when someone new moves in. I in turn, will contact you to make up a Welcome Tote for new neighbors (supplies are all furnished). You can then bring it by at your convenience when you get it assembled. Most others who have had this "job" in the past usually make up 4 or 5 at a time and have them ready.

We have been welcoming new neighbors with these baskets or totes for almost 20 years. So this is a program I would definitely hate to see fall by the wayside.

Please call or email me if you are interested and can help.

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Spring has Sprung ...

And so have our weeds! My goodness - they are everywhere!!! You may want to cut them, pull them or spray them because Code Compliance comes around often especially this time of year and they will write you a warm and welcoming ticket.

Don't let *citrus* become roof rats blue plate special

Yes, those rats are in Marlborough Mesa and quite the opportunist.

This time of year, the rats are surging because of our wet winter, which gave them plenty to eat and drink. On average, one rat can produce a whopping 6-11 pups! AND, their gestation period is only 22 days. How scary is that?

Citrus trees are usually considered their #1 food source. So the minute citrus hits the ground, it should be picked up. The quicker you get all citrus off your trees, the better you will be.

Homeowners/renters need to keep attics sealed off to prevent the rats from making *your home their home*. They will chew up wiring, tear insulation off and do all kinds of damage in your attic. It takes only a hole the size of a quarter for them to get in and live there.

Also, homeowners/renters need to keep yards cleaned up and free from debris. Any undisturbed areas tend to be potential nesting areas.

And last - but not least - BAIT your yards.

Let's all work together to get rid of these roof rats.

For baiting and further information, go to:
www.azcentral.com/story/entertainment/home/2016/06/06/...roof-rats.../85208246/

Household Hazardous Waste Program

April 8, 2017 - 8 a.m. - Noon AND
December 9, 2017 - 8 a.m. - Noon
Center Street Facility, 2412 N. Center St.
(Center Street, north of McKellips Road)

October 21, 2017 - 8 a.m. - Noon
East Mesa Service Center, 6935 E. Decatur St.
(Power Road, north of University Drive)

Desert Wave Invitational

This will be held at:

Rhodes Aquatic Center
Saturday April 29, 2017 from 11am-2 pm.
1860 S. Longmore in Mesa

Free hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided by the Mesa Fire and Medical Dept. Grillers.

There will also be a free open swim for families.

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