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Glendale's Barrel District

October 9, 2015

Greetings!

It was my privilege this week to join Copperwood School in celebrating "Walk and Bike your Kid to School Day." The day encouraged community awareness towards reducing traffic congestion, speeding, and pollution, while promoting fitness. Students who participated were awarded a flashing bracelet. Many of our students continue to walk and bike to school. Please remember to watch your speed in designated school zones and to come to a complete stop when school buses are loading/unloading students.



Here are a couple of upcoming events I think you may enjoy:

The "SILKSCREEN SIX" Comes to Gallery Glendale. "The Silkscreen Six: A Monosilkscreen Print Exhibition" will be on display and for sale throughout the month of October at **Gallery Glendale, located inside Westgate Entertainment District, 9380 W. Westgate Blvd., Suite D-102.** Discover how six accomplished Valley artists uniquely approach this printmaking medium. **The exhibit will be on view every Friday and Saturday in October during regular gallery hours, Oct. 2-31, from 6 to 9 p.m.**

Vegetable Gardening in Tune with the Desert. Learn about plant selection, soil preparation, and seasonal tips to give your garden the kick-start it needs for producing organic homegrown vegetables year-round. **The Vegetable Gardening in Tune with the**

Desert event will take place on Wednesday, October 21, at 6 p.m. at the Glendale Main Library. For more information and to register, call **623-930-3760** or contact wsimonson@glendaleaz.com.

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[Barrel District Webpage](#)

City Announcements

City Offices Will Close Monday, October 12 for Columbus Day. City of Glendale offices will close Monday, October 12 in observance of the Columbus Day holiday. All scheduled residential garbage pick-up and recycling will be shifted one day due to the holiday. The schedule for garbage pick-up is as follows, please note that the garbage pick-up will be shifted one day for the ENTIRE week because the holiday falls on a Monday.

Monday (10/12) to Tuesday (10/13)
Tuesday (10/13) to Wednesday (10/14)
Wednesday (10/14) to Thursday (10/15)
Thursday (10/15) to Friday (10/16)
Friday (10/16) to Saturday (10/17)

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Glendale Announces Five Finalists For City Manager. The City of Glendale is pleased to announce the names of the five candidates selected as finalists in the City Manager search. They are (in alphabetical order):

- David Garcia, current City Manager, Coachella, California;
- Craig Malin, most recently City Manager, Davenport, Iowa;
- Kevin Phelps, current Deputy County Executive, Pierce County (Tacoma), Washington;
- John Pombier, current Assistant City Manager, Mesa, Arizona;
- Susan Thorpe, current Assistant City Manager, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Each candidate will be interviewed by the Mayor and City Council in Executive Session at a special workshop to be held on Thursday, October 15. On

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that same day, candidates will also meet with an advisory panel of executive-level city employees. A reception that evening will give the candidates the opportunity to meet and greet a diverse group of Glendale stakeholders, including business and community leaders.

Once the interviews are complete, the Mayor and City Council will determine the next steps and timeline for a decision and/or offer of employment.

City Events

Glendale Fire Begins Fire Prevention Series. The Glendale Fire Department will kick-off Fire Prevention Week this year with a Fire Prevention Series of educational classes. The next class available to the public is scheduled for Wednesday November 4, 2015, from 6:30 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. at the main Glendale Public Library located at 5959 W. Brown Road Glendale.

Fire Prevention Week started in 1927 and commemorates the Great Chicago Fire a tragic 1871 conflagration that killed more than 250 people, left 100,000 homeless, destroyed more than 17,400 structures and burned more than 2,000 acres. Every year, there is a theme and this year it is: "Hear the Beep Where You Sleep. Every Room Needs a Working Smoke Detector."

For more information regarding the classes contact Dr. Janet Boberg at jboberg@glendaleaz.com.

Getting Arizona Involved in Neighborhoods

This year's G.A.I.N. event will take place on **Saturday, October 17th** from **12-4 p.m.** at **Nazarene Church** located at **5902 W. Cactus**.

For those who may not be familiar with G.A.I.N., G.A.I.N. is an annual event designed to heighten crime awareness and generate support and participation in local anti-crime efforts by uniting community members to help create safer neighborhoods. G.A.I.N. is a program that promotes residents and police working in partnership, to share and promote safety and awareness of community issues and increase neighborhood communication and participation. The Police Department believes in the power of prevention and encourages residents, businesses, public and private institutions and faith based organizations to work in collaboration with the

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Glendale Main Library



Glendale Adult Center



Sahuaro Ranch Park



Glen Lakes Golf Course

Police Department to make our community a safer place to live and work.

G.A.I.N will include a **Chili Cook Off!** from noon to 1:30 p.m. Enter your chili or your neighborhood watch group's chili into the contest and bring the group out to support your entry! Winners will be selected from the contestants. Contact Community Action Team Member **Doreen Anderson** at **623-695-0440** for entry or for more information.

Touch-A-Truck Presented By Empire Cat.

The annual Touch A Truck event will return to Glendale on Saturday, **October 17** from **10 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the Westgate's east parking lot.** Come out, look at, sit in, and touch trucks of all sizes and shapes. This exciting event is a wonderful opportunity for families to see, touch, interact with, and learn about big trucks and their functions. Commercial and industrial vehicles including a stretch limousine, tow trucks, fire trucks, dump trucks, commercial bucket loaders, sanitation vehicles, backhoes and 18-wheelers will be onsite to explore. Live equipment demonstrations will also take place. Along with the trucks, there are special activities for children, including inflatables, a sand play area, a miniature roadway with toy vehicles called Tiny Tot Drivers and The Big Dig where children can try their hand at scooping sand with a contraption that works like a backhoe. The event is sponsored by Empire Cat.



Ongoing Drop-in Exercise Classes
At the Glendale Adult Center, 5970 W. Brown St.

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State of the University:
West Valley
(From Left to Right:
Councilmember Lauren Tolmachoff, ASU President Michael Crow, Councilmember Bart Turner)
Photo by Ed Sharpe
Glendale Daily Planet



National Championship Organizing Committee Event at Challenger Middle School.

The Arizona Organizing Committee has made a

Classes adapted for older adults. Call 623-930-4321 for more information.

Zumba Gold
2 to 2:55 p.m., every Monday/Wednesday/Friday
Class is free to members, \$5 per class drop-in fee for non-members.

T'ai Chi - Essentials
1 to 2 p.m., every Tuesday
Class is free to members, \$5 per class drop-in fee for non-members.

Yoga Basics
2:15 to 3:15 p.m., every Tuesday/Thursday
\$5 per class drop-in fee.

Zumba
3:30 to 4:30 p.m., every Tuesday/Thursday
\$5 per class drop-in fee.

commitment to provide \$1,000,000 in charitable contributions, the bulk of which will be spent to benefit education in Arizona through Extra Yard for Teachers.

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