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## **GLENDALE HONORS MOTHERS FOR MOTHER'S DAY!**

**GLENDALE, Ariz.** – Looking for a fun event for Mother's Day? Look no further! The city of Glendale is hosting a special Mother's Day Celebration Saturday, May 9 in historic downtown Glendale from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The event is free and anyone is welcome. Moms will receive flowers and deals that will make them feel special.

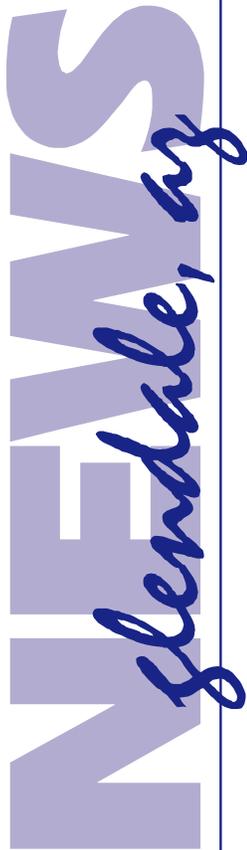
Moms start their celebration at the Glendale Visitor Center where they will pick up a free, beautiful flower, event map and goodie bag, which features a floral tote bag, a seed packet of flowers and a coupon sheet with merchant offers.

Free flowers will be available at more than a dozen shops throughout downtown. Moms will pick up the flowers and then assemble them at Glendale Flowers. Flowers will be available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Entertainment will be positioned along the celebration path, including music, stilt walker, balloon artist, as well as free caricatures.

In addition, many of the downtown shops and restaurants will feature discounts and giveaways and special Mother's Day gift ideas. Various restaurants will also be offering Mother's Day Tea.

The celebration of Mother's Day is just over 100 years old. Anna Jarvis is credited with beginning the Mother's Day celebration in 1908 with special events held in Grafton, West Virginia and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Jarvis handed out flowers at her Methodist church in honor of her late Mother.



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The Glendale Visitor Center is located at 5800 W. Glenn Drive, Suite 140 in downtown Glendale. For more information, call 623-930-4500 or visit [www.VisitGlendale.com](http://www.VisitGlendale.com).

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