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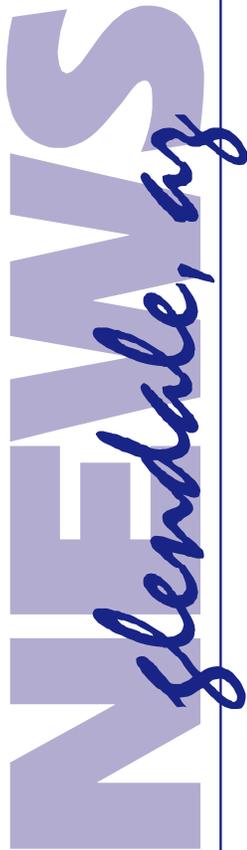
FALL SHOPPING FESTIVALS BREEZE INTO GLENDALE

GLENDALE, Ariz. – Back by popular demand and welcomed by cooler temperatures, two fun shopping events are taking place in Historic Downtown Glendale during a mid-October weekend.

Friday Nite Lights kicks it off with an early Halloween twist on Friday, Oct. 16 from 5 to 9 p.m. Shoppers will enjoy an evening of fun-filled activities with a special theme of “No Tricks, Just Treats.” Participants are encouraged to start their shopping adventure at the Glendale Visitor Center where a downtown walking map and a list of activities and shops can be picked up.

The first 50 visitors to the Glendale Visitor Center will receive a free treat bag filled with surprises. Many shop owners will be getting into the Halloween spirit by dressing up in their favorite costume, and shoppers are encouraged to dress up as well. Many of the downtown shops and restaurants will also feature fun treats.

The following day is the 15th Annual Front Porch Festival & Old Towne Marketplace, which will take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 15 in Historic Catlin Court District, Old Towne and the Promenade at Palmaire in downtown Glendale. This event features a day of shopping with special activities on the lawns and front porches of the charming shops and boutiques. More than 80 shops and eateries are offering many special activities, including demonstrations, make-and-take crafts and special treats. Shoppers may start the day at the Glendale



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Visitor Center where walking maps and a list of activities for the day are available.

For more information, contact the Glendale Visitor Center at 623-930-4500 or visit online at www.visitglendale.com. The Glendale Visitor Center is located at 5800 W. Glenn Drive, Suite 140.