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TEDDY BEAR DAY CELEBRATES 10 YEARS IN DOWNTOWN GLENDALE SEPTEMBER 6

GLENDALE, Ariz. – Teddy bears make the world a happier place. That’s why downtown merchants and the Glendale Convention & Visitors Bureau are teaming up to hold the 10th annual Teddy Bear Day on Sept. 6, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. in Historic Downtown Glendale.

One of the most important components to Teddy Bear Day will be a donation drive to support the Glendale Fire Department’s Teddy Trauma Program, which collects bears to comfort young children affected by traumatic events. Bears will be on sale for \$8, will be donated on site and all proceeds of the sales will also go to the program. The Fire Department–approved bears will be available at three locations, the Visitor Center, Bears & More and the Country Maiden (see addresses listed below.)

Teddy Bear Day activities will include make-and-take arts and crafts, special treats and exclusive deals in Historic Downtown Glendale. Attendees are encouraged to start their day at the Glendale Visitor Center, 5800 W. Glenn Drive, Suite 140, where they can pick up a map of participating merchants, coupons and a savings pack for the first 250 families. Visitors will also be greeted by Al the Bear and can enter the Name the Bear contest to win – what else? A teddy bear!

Another highlight of Teddy Bear Day will be the Grand Opening Celebration of the Arizona Doll & Toy Museum at their new location in downtown Glendale. Admission will be free for children, and the celebration will include cake and punch, plus a display of antique teddy bears.

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Teddy Bear Day

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For more information about Teddy Bear Day and other upcoming events, log on to VisitGlendale.com, [Facebook.com/GlendaleCVB](https://www.facebook.com/GlendaleCVB), [Twitter.com/GlendaleCVB](https://twitter.com/GlendaleCVB) or call the Glendale Convention & Visitors Bureau at 623-930-4500.

Here is a complete list of activities, specials and discounts at participating merchants:

(activities and specials are subject to change without notice)

Catlin Court Historic District

Arizona Doll & Teddy Bear Museum
5847 W. Myrtle Ave.

Discount: Admission FREE for children.

Activity: Grand Opening Celebration! Enjoy cake and punch. Antique Teddy Bears on display.

Bears & More

7146 N. 58th Drive

Activity: AZ Search Dogs Demonstrations

4 Cousins Lemonade Stand and Baked Goods

The One Man Produce Stand with home grown produce and seedlings with proceeds to benefit AZ Search Dogs.

Country Maiden

7146 N. 58th Ave.

Discount: Final Summer Clearance-up to 75% off.

Delfina Salon & Day Spa

5742 W. Paltaire

Activity: Guess How Many Teddy Bears are in the Jar Contest

Glendale Flowers

7145 N. 58th Drive

Activity: Teddy Bear Make and Take Puppet-Free

The Open Door

5836 W. Paltaire

Activity: Meet with Arizona Coyotes Mascot Howler and the Paw Patrol from noon to 1:30 p.m.

One Free Balloon per child (while supplies last)

Papa Ed's Ice Cream

7146-B N. 58th Ave.

Discount: Teddy Bear Sundae-\$3 each. Choice of ice cream, chocolate topping, garnished with a Teddy Bear Cookie

Activity: Teddy Bear Coloring Contest and Girl Scout Troop 966 Craft Activity

Shelley's Specialty Desserts

5845 W. Paltaire

Activity: Decorate a Bear Cookie - \$2 each

Shope on the Corner

7163 N. 58th Drive

Activity: Face Painter & Balloon Artist from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. - nominal fee

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Vintage Green Old Town Treasures

7146 N. 57th Drive

Activity: Glitter Crafts & Teddy Bear Glass Painting – Free

2Share Gifts

7142 N. 58th Ave.

Activity: Meet the Glendale Fire Department (10:30-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-2:30 p.m.) – based on service calls/availability

Old Towne Shopping District

A Mad Hatter's Antiques-Home Décor

5734 W. Glendale Ave.

Activity: Make and Take Craft with a local Girl Scout Troop. Nominal fee – proceeds to benefit the Hope for Hunger Food Bank

The Astrology Store

5735 W. Glendale Ave.

Activity: \$15 Readings; \$5 Massage. Face Painting (Teddy Bear Design) \$5 per child

Free Amethyst Point to 1st 100 customers

Bitz-ee Mama's

7023 N. 58th Ave.

Activity: Meet Author Karen Rosenkilde who will be signing Woollybear's Adventures with Little Katie from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Special Menu Item: StrawBery Pancakes

Cerreta Candy Company

5345 W. Glendale Ave.

Activity: \$5 Make and Take Chocolate Bear

Coyote Oaties

7005 N. 58th Ave.

Activity: Special Menu Item: Fresh Brewed Ice Tea with Real Berries In Each Cup

Glass Creations Gifts & Collectibles

7011 N. 58th Ave.

Discount: 10% off selected items

Hop Stop Diner

7013 N. 58th Ave.

Discount: Special Menu Item: \$1 off Straw-bery Smoothies

Pink House Boutique

7009 N. 58th Ave.

Activity: Free Glitter Teddy Bear Tattoos. Prize Drawings.

Pizza Old Roma

5740 W. Glendale Ave.

Activity: Special Menu Item-Fresh Bery Lemonade

Zola Bell's Vintage Emporium

7003 N. 58th Ave.

Discount: Storewide Sale: 15% off

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