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## **SKATEBOARDING COMPETITION ATTRACTS VALLEY-WIDE COMPETITORS**

**GLENDALE, Ariz.** – The Union Hills Classic III skateboard competition will attract skaters from around the Valley. Over 125 participants and more than 750 spectators attended the last year’s event held last March.

The competition will be held beginning at 8 a.m., Saturday, Jan. 28 at Foothills Park skate court, 57<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Union Hills Drive. It features judges looking at skaters’ technique, style, difficulty of tricks, landings and sportsmanship. Trophies awarded to the first through third place winners in each age division. A Best Trick Contest will be held with the winner landing a \$300 gift certificate to Pulse Boardshop provided by Kronik Energy.

Raffles will be held throughout the day with prizes ranging from skate decks, trucks and wheels to t-shirts, sunglasses and gift certificates. The raffles benefit the Glendale Parks and Recreation Department’s skateboarding programs.

Skaters of all ages and skill levels are encouraged to compete. Registration is \$15 for the competition and an additional \$5 to enter the Best Trick Contest. Registration will be held on site from 8 to 9 a.m. Spectators are welcome to watch the action; the entrance fee is \$1.

For more information on registering, visit [www.unionhillsskatepark.com](http://www.unionhillsskatepark.com) to download the registration form and event waiver. For more informaiton, call 623-930-2042.

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