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Join us to celebrate community togetherness, safety, and to show support for Phoenix Police and other departments that keep our neighborhoods safe.

Saturday October 18, 2014 - 8:30AM - 11:30AM
For more info contact: info@phxrevitalization.org or call (602) 253-6895

HARMON PARK - 1425 SOUTH 5th AVENUE
BIKE RODEO - FOOD - MUSIC - ENTERTAINMENT
SAFETY RESOURCES - MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS
PRIZES - CRIME PREVENTION - GAMES & FUN!

Special Guest Councilwoman Kate Gallego

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Central City South Residents and Stakeholders—Everyone is invited

**Community Action Team Meeting - CAT**

“**Fighting blight and crime together, connecting our community**”

Emmett McLoughlin Community Training and Education Center
1150 S. 7th Avenue (NW Corner / 7th Avenue & Buckeye Road) - Light refreshments will be served

**5:30 PM - 7:00 PM**

Next Meeting: **Holiday Safety Tips**

Thursday November 13, 2014

Facilitated by Phoenix Revitalization Corporation
info@phxrevitalization.org / Office: 602-253-6895

Silent Witness is a Metro Phoenix program designed to provide you with an anonymous means of providing police with information on non-drug felony crimes you have witnessed or may have knowledge of. If you provide information that leads to the arrest of a criminal or outstanding fugitive, you may be eligible for a cash reward of up to $1000.00. Note that some unsolved crimes have reward amounts greater than $1000.00, paid for by friends, family, or victim reward funds.

To be eligible for cash rewards of up to $1000.00, you must call to obtain a secret code!

Looking for an Affordable Apartment to rent?

If you are in need of an affordable apartment to rent, please visit our web-site at www.phxrevitalization.org or call Phoenix Revitalization Corporation (602) 253-6895.

We can provide you with a list of rental properties and qualification guidelines.

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Child Care Professional Training

Sixty (60) hours of training offered as a daytime two week session, or twice a year as monthly evening sessions

To register for the Child Care Professional Training, contact the Association for Supportive Child Care at 480-829-0500 or 800-535-4599 ext. 1137 or via email at kreb@asccaz.org.
For more information, please check our website at www.asccaz.org

Child Care Professional Training

Child Care Professional Training is a two week (60 hour) course. This training prepares individuals for employment in the early education field. Child Care Professional Training is provided by trainers from the Association for Supportive Child Care. Training topics include:

I. Introduction to Child Development
II. Creating a Developmentally Appropriate Learning Environment & Positive Discipline
III. Language and Literacy in Early Childhood
IV. Mathematics in Early Childhood
V. Including Children with Disabilities in Child Care
VI. Child Care Licensing & Keeping Children Healthy in Child Care
VII. Keeping Children Safe & Child Abuse Recognition & Reporting
VIII. Child Nutrition and Menu Planning
IX. Collaboration/Professional Development
X. CPR and First Aid Certification

The “rolling” of fingerprints, which is a requirement for most employment in the child care and early education profession, is available at no cost to all participants.

Participants may elect to receive either 60 hours of Training OR three College Credits at no cost!

CCPT SCHEDULE
October 2014 – September 2015

Monday-Thursday Evenings and Saturdays

October 2014 Evening/Saturday
English

February 2015 Evening/Saturday
Spanish

July 20-31, 2015
West Valley
English

January 5-16, 2015
East Valley
English

June 1-12, 2015
English

July 6-17, 2015
English

Central Valley

October 13-24, 2014
Spanish

November 3-19, 2014
English

March 2-13, 2015
Refugee

April 13-24, 2015
English

August 17-28, 2015
Spanish

September 01-16, 2015
English

North Valley

May 4-15, 2015
Spanish

For further information regarding the class schedule please call the number listed above.

Under Titles VI and VII of the Civil rights Act of 1964 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, The Association for Supportive Child Care (ASCC) prohibits discrimination in admissions, programs, services, activities or employment based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age and disability. ASCC must make reasonable accommodation to allow a person with a disability to take part in a program, service or activity. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. For example, this means that if necessary, ASCC must provide sign language interpreters for people who are deaf, a wheelchair accessible location or enlarged print materials. It also means that ASCC will take any other reasonable action that allows you to take part in an activity. If you believe that you will not be able to understand or take part in a program or activity because of your disability, please let us know of your disability needs in advance, if at all possible. To request this document in alternative format or for further information about this policy, please contact Monica Horner at 480-829-0500 x 1133 or 800-535-4599 x 1133.
Father Matters in partnership with the Division of Child Support Services

Father Matters provides child support assistance services to fathers and their families. Work one-on-one with a child support case worker in a safe and secure environment.

- Applying for child support services
- Establishing paternity
- Modification of a current support order
- Discuss your arrears
- Interested in discussing a settlement of arrears
- Help with an out of state child support case

Contact

Contact Father Matters at 602-774-3298 or info@fathermatters.org to schedule your appointment.
Create the event of your dreams, your way. If you are into DIY, the Arizona Flower Market has all the wholesale floral and decor you need. Located in the heart of the Phoenix Flower District, the Market is your one stop shop to plan your perfect DIY wedding.

Come on down and shop like a florist!

Phoenix Flower District

2050 S. 16th St., Ste. 105 Phoenix, AZ 85034
Phone: 602-707-6294

azflowermarket.com
James Foley
Served the Students of Our District

It is with sadness that we learned of the reported killing by ISIS of former Lowell Teacher, Mr. James Foley. James Foley was a teacher at Lowell School in Phoenix Elementary School District #1 from 1996-1999 through Teach for America. We are honored that such a brave citizen served the students of our district. We are deeply saddened by his death.

We send our condolences to his family and friends. We will honor Mr. Foley throughout our schools and district.

Thank you,
Dr. Myriam Roa
Superintendent,
Phoenix Elementary School District #1
Letter from our Founders

With the help of our partners, The Foley Foundation was created. Little did we know that our idea would lead us to not only the start of a formal scholarship program but also a registered 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Organization. Today, in collaboration with our partners, the motivation of our children and the children in our expanding community, launching and managing The Foley Foundation has become a passion.

The Foley Foundation was created as a basic thought; we wanted to raise funds to give back to our community. We were going to give back in the form of a scholarship in honor of our dear friend James Foley, Award-winning American journalist who was kidnapped on November 22, 2012 in Syria and murdered on August 19, 2014 after 636 days in captivity.

Eddie and I have been overwhelmed and humbled by the enormity of this project and have been blown away by how far it has come so quickly. Since establishing The Foley Foundation, our initial passion was to ensure that the life of our dear friend James Foley is remembered for how he lived rather than how he died. In undertaking a project of this magnitude we realized that we needed to balance our outsider’s perspective with that of experts from inside the field. To that end, we assembled a diverse Board of Directors of 14 members to help us realize our vision.

Our path is not easy, and it requires an enormous amount of resourcefulness, determination and commitment from teachers, parents, children and administrators but we believe we are creating a special scholarship like no other. Join us in this path.

Eddie and Kristen Martinez
Co-Founders
The Foley Foundation

WAYS TO CONTRIBUTE:
To make donations to The Foley Foundation please donate online at www.GoFundMe.org/jamesfoleyscholarship
OR
Checks can be made out to The Foley Foundation and mailed to
P.O. Box 90331, Phoenix, AZ 85066

Follow us on Social Media:
Facebook: www.facebook.com/JamesFoleyFoundation
Twitter: @AZJamesFoley
City of Phoenix Public Meetings

The City of Phoenix is conducting an Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice (AI)

The AI is a review of barriers that affect the rights of fair housing choice. Public and private policies, practices, and procedures affecting housing choice are examined and serves as the basis for fair housing planning.

This document provides essential information to policy makers, administrative staff, housing providers, lenders, and fair housing advocates, and assists in building public support for fair housing efforts.

As an active City of Phoenix resident, your input is needed!

Input and comments from the public are needed and encouraged! Please plan to attend one of the meetings on fair housing in your area.

Focus Group

Tuesday, October 21, 2014
EMMETT MCLoughlin COMMUNITY TRAINING & EDUCATION CENTER
1150 S 7TH AVE
3:00 pm – 4:30 am
602-534-1548

Take the Survey
The Fair Housing Survey is an important part of the process for developing an Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing Choice. Surveys can be completed electronically at:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/PhoenixAI
https://es.surveymonkey.com/s/PhoenixAI-Espanol

For more information, contact:
City of Phoenix, Rachel Milne
Department of Neighborhood Services
Phone: (602) 262-7369 or, you may contact WFN Consulting at kroberts@wfnconsulting.net

*One-on-one or small group meetings with the Consultant are also available. Please contact WFN Consulting to schedule: kroberts@wfnconsulting.com or (770) 420-5534
Central City South

Business Network Brunch

Thursday October 23, 2014
10:30AM - 12:30PM
(Networking 10:00a-10:30a / bring your business cards!)

Harmon Library
1325 S 5th Avenue - Phoenix, AZ 85003
(Southeast corner of 5th Avenue & Yavapai Road)

Come learn about:

♦ Local development projects
♦ Crime updates for businesses
♦ Resources for establishing or expanding your business
♦ Meet a business neighbor

For more information contact:
info@phxrevitalization.org   (602) 253-6895

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CHASE
Native American Community Service Center
Presents the 6th Annual Fall Festival

Tuesday, October 21, 2014, 3:00pm to 6:00pm
4520 N. Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85012

Join us for this Annual Community Event

- Tour - Phoenix Indian Center, People of Color Network, Native American Connections and more
- Bring your children dressed in Halloween costumes to trick-o-treat
- Fun games and activities on every floor
- FOOD, SNACKS AND LOTS OF FUN, FUN, FUN!
- Free Raffles
- Vendor Booths featuring jewelry, crafts and more!
- $5 Meals available @ Emerson Fry Bread Truck

Your one-stop shop for behavioral health, affordable housing, educational programs, job readiness training, health services and COMMUNITY FUN!

FAMILY FRIENDLY EVENT

For more information contact:
Phoenix Indian Center 602.264.6788
Native American Connections 602.254.3247
Native Health 602.279.5262
October-November, 2014

CHILDREN:

Family Storytime – Weekly (Ages birth to five with caregiver)
   Tuesdays, 5:15-6:00pm
   Children birth to five accompanied by a caregiver can have fun sharing books, fingerplays, songs, flannel board stories and more. Parents can learn tips to build a strong foundation for reading while using interactive reading activities.

Library Explorers - Weekly (Ages 7-11)
   Thursdays, 4:00-5:00pm
   Enjoy interesting and fun afterschool activities including STEM activities (science, technology, engineering and math), games, and more!

Young @ Art – Weekly (Ages 5-11)
   Saturdays, 1:00am – 2:00pm
   Come get creative with an easy arts and crafts project for children. Younger children may need caregiver assistance.

TEENS (Ages 12-18):

Club Harmon – Bimonthly (Ages 12-18)
   1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 4:00-6:00pm
   Wednesday, October 1, Wednesday, October 15
   Wednesday, November 5, Wednesday, November 19

ADULTS:

Discover Your Family History – Monthly, 2nd Saturday
   2nd Saturday of the month, 11:00am - 1:00pm
   Saturday, October 11, Saturday, November 8
   Need direction in researching your family history? The Black Family Genealogy & History Society is here to help. All are welcome to attend this monthly meeting where members share their research techniques, family stories, and experiences. ALL ethnicities are welcome.

FAMILY EVENTS:

Saturday, October 11th - 2-3 PM
   Harmon Library’s 5th Anniversary Party and Dance with Primavera
   Make a Mexican paper flower and enjoy Baile Folklorico (performed by Primavera Folklorico Dance Company) in celebration of Harmon’s Fifth Anniversary and Latino Heritage Month! The roots of baile folklorico, or folk dancing, will be explained and explored in the narration provided by Maria Leon, Principal Dancer. The different regions of Mexico will be highlighted in many dances that are strongly connected with the expression of cultural identity, with styles and costumes reflecting the many diverse influences from Europe, to Africa and Meso-América. Come enjoy a performance and demonstration by Primavera and learn a step or two! No registration, all ages welcome.

Thursday, October 30th - 5-6 PM
   Harmon’s Halloween Bash!
   Come in costume to Harmon Library’s annual costume parade and party for tricks, treats and more!
¡Todos los programas son gratis!  
Octubre-Noviembre, 2014

NIÑOS:

Hora de cuentos para familias – Semanal (Para niños hasta 5 años)

Los martes, 5:15 - 6:00
Programa presentado para niños recién nacidos hasta 5 años acompañados por una persona mayor. Diviértanse con sus niños por medio de actividades, lecturas, canciones, juegos de dedos, cuentos relatados con pizarra de fieltro, y más. Aprendan pistas para crear una base para la lectura, incluso actividades interactivas de lectura.

Los Aventureros - Semanal (Edades 7-11)  
Los jueves, 4:00-5:00pm
Disfrute una nueva actividad cada semana después de la escuela: actividades divertidas de STEM (ciencia-tecnología-ingeniería-matemáticas), construcción con bloques plásticos Legos, juegos, y más!

“Young @ Art” (Arte para los niños) Semanal  (Edades 5-11)

Los sábados, 1:00am – 2:00pm
¡Use sus fuerzas creativas haciendo proyectos de arte y manualidades sencillas! Para niños de 5 a 11 años. Los niños más jóvenes necesitarán la ayuda de una persona mayor.

ADOLESCENTES (De 12-18 años)

Club Harmon  - Dos miércoles al mes
El primer y el tercer miércoles del mes  4:00-6:00pm

EVENTOS PARA LA FAMILIA

El sábado, 11 de octubre 2-3pm
El cumpleaños 5 de edificio de Biblioteca Harmon con Baile Folklórico!
Haz artes de flores mexicanos, divertirá la compañía Primavera y María León, bailarina princesa para explicar y explorar la historia del Baile Folklórico. Las diferentes regiones de México se pondrán de expresar la identidad cultural, con estilos y trajes que reflejan las diversas influencias de Europa, de África y Meso-América. Venga a disfrutar el Baile Folklórico de Primavera y aprender un paso o dos. No hay registro, todas las edades son bienvenidos.

El viernes, 30 de octubre, 5-6pm
Harmon’s Halloween Bash
Vienen en costume de Biblioteca Harmon para disfrutas y fiestas con trucos, trata y mucho más!
Save the Date

PHOENIX DAY’S ANNUAL
Stone Soup
CELEBRATION!

Taste authentic, homemade
soup prepared by Phoenix
Day’s teachers and children.

Central Park
Neighborhood Center
140 E. Tonto St.
(1st Street and Tonto)

Thursday, November 20, 2014
5-7:30 pm

We hope to see you there!
Safer, Better Businesses: Auto Repair and Body Shops
By Katelyn Parady, Volunteer Writer
katelynparady@asu.edu

Along with its residences, schools, parks, and churches, Central City South is home to many commercial and industrial businesses. Many of these businesses are auto-related. Auto shops provide important jobs and services for people in CCS and the greater Phoenix area. However, they can also create pollution risks. Working on cars and trucks requires solvents for cleaning and degreasing and can involve hazardous materials and generate waste fluids. Some of these substances can leak inside shops or spread into the air and soil of surrounding areas, while others get flushed down drains and end up in our water systems.

Fortunately, with the right training and new technology, shops can learn to use safer practices and better products. In Phoenix and other cities across the country, auto facilities have eliminated chlorinated solvents, improved indoor air ventilation, switched to water-based or low-pollution products, recycled and reused fluids, reduced waste, and more. Changes like these have the potential to prevent occupational illness and environmental contamination, benefit shop neighbors, and save time and money.

Are you an interested business owner or worker, or a concerned community member who wants to learn more? Free training videos and workbooks are available online and are listed at www.azdeq.gov/function/programs/greenauto/. You can find fact sheets about water-based products and cleaning methods, hazardous materials recycling, tips for floor cleanup, and more at www.epa.gov/region9/waste/p2/autofleet/factauto.html. That link will also take you to case studies explaining how businesses like yours made changes and how much money they saved as a result. Finally, all auto-related industries can benefit from the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality’s (ADEQ) guidance manual on pollution prevention, available at http://www.azdeq.gov/function/forms/appswaste.html#p2. The manual has instructions for assessing your business and making a pollution prevention plan.

ADEQ also offers green certification options for auto repair shops that are a member of the Automotive Service Association or AAA. If your shop falls into this category and you’re interested in conserving resources and preventing pollution, contact AAA or ASA for information about the certification process. While any steps you can take to clean up your shop are great, formal certification can help you attract customers looking for cleaner shops.

Sometimes, making changes in a workplace can be overwhelming. Learning about options for creating a cleaner and healthier shop is the first step. Then, focus on one doable change at a time. Even small adjustments to cleaning and ventilation methods can make a difference for neighborhood environments and for people who work for or live near Central City South’s auto facilities.

If you need help accessing any of the resources linked to in this article, call PRC at 602.253.6895.
Have an article or would like to suggest a topic for us to cover?

Submit your articles for the Central City South Newsletter to: jayolivas@phxrevitalizaiton.org
“Off Beat” Holidays!

11/1:  Sadie Hawkins Day
11/2:  National Plan Your Epitaph Day
11/4:  King Tut Day
11/5:  Guy Fawkes Day
11/6:  National Saxophone Day
11/7:  International Tongue Twister Day
11/13: World Kindness Day
11/15: Clean Out Your Refrigerator Day
11/18: Use Less Stuff Day
11/19: International Toilet Day
11/19: International Men’s Day
11/22: National Start Your Own Country Day
11/23: National Day of Listening
11/28: Red Planet Day
11/29: National Square Dance Day

from PRC and the Board of Directors

We will be closed from Wednesday, November 26th and re-open Monday December 01, 2014.