Western Skies News and Information August 27, 2021

Are you new in town? Interested in getting to know your community? Would you like to be involved in the local organizations? If you feel you would enjoy being a volunteer, or simply want to meet new friends, we would love to have you! Here are a few of the possibilities.



The Dolan Springs Trails System meets Sept 8th at 6:00 pm at the Chamber of Commerce, next to the library, which is north of the Fire Dept. If you would like to explore the local hiking possibilities, or join in on a 4x4 exploration, come join in! There are rumors of a hike to Grapevine Springs in Meadview, and you won't want to miss that! Also, the yearly fund raiser raffle is in full swing. There is an upcoming Health Fair at Mt Tipton, and the Trails System will be involved in the Community Celebration on October 9th. Contact Ian at (928) 767-3630 or go to dolanspringstrails.com for more info.

The Dolan Springs Community Council (DSCC) will reopen for Friday Night Dinner and Bingo Sept 3rd. Paper sales start at 5 pm and games begin at 6. They are located at the corner of Pierce Ferry Rd and Edgemont. We are looking forward to seeing old friends and new faces! You don't need to be a member to come, but for the very reasonable cost of \$5.00 you can become a member and get an awesome weekly email that will give you information on many local events.

Every 3rd Thursday of the month St Mary's distributes free food at the Dolan Springs Community Council

Town Hall Meeting with Sheriff Schuster on September 14th, 2021, at 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM. at the DSCC

On September 4th, 2021, at 11:00 AM the annual Membership meeting will be held at DSCC. One guest will be North County Medical Group. They will be discussing how they are bringing out a mobile unit to assist those who have difficulty getting to Kingman. The second guest will be Siena Snedeker.



Don't forget the Dolan Springs Community Celebration to be held at Mt Tipton Park on October 9th. 2021. If you've never attended, you don't know what you're missing!



Play Bingo at the VFW on Sundays at 1:00 and watch for their dinners on Friday. The VFW will be hosting a fundraiser for local children for Christmas. Mark your calendars September 18th, 2021, for the fund-raising dinner.



Have you been to St Vincent De Paul's yet? It's behind the old DD (what will the new name be?!) at the end of 11th St. They have a wonderful thrift store which is open Monday and Wednesday 8-12 (summer hours) and donations are gratefully

accepted. On the 1st and 3rd Fridays there is food distribution 8-12. Simply pop in and sign up! Beginning September 22, and every Wednesday thereafter there will be a soup kitchen from 11:00-1:00, for those who would like to attend. What a wonderful opportunity to volunteer!

The Arts and Crafts Market will be held at the DSCC on Sept 11 and Dec 11 from 9-3. Local artist and craft persons selling their own creations. The kitchen will be selling goodies too.

Lee McWilliam's Memorial will be held at the Dolan Springs Trail System at the 14th St Kiosk Sept 22 at 4:00.

Redneck Feed is open 7:30 to 5:00 Tuesday thru Saturday, 7:30 to 4:00 on Sunday, closed on Monday. They are right on Pierce Ferry Rd at Cedar. Not just a feed store, there is a gift shop, a weekend swap meet, fish bait (anchovies, chicken livers and soon, worms) and free bread from the bread ministry. Around Halloween there will be a haunted house for the kiddies of all ages, the date soon to be announced. For delivery call 928 234-2049



If you love the challenge of gardening in the desert join us at the newly forming Dolan Springs Gardeners Group. Contact Julia at juliaanza@aol.com

If you have any news or announcements contact Julia at

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Did you know? The first Library in Dolan Springs was located on Don Nell Drive, which runs parallel to Pierce Ferry Rd, in front of the RV Park. The building is still there, a tiny place surrounded by a wood fence. It was begun in the early 70's by two ladies who knew there was a need in Dolan Springs. Eventually Mohave County took it up, and the current building was brought in in the summer of 2004. The Friends of the Library paid for the trailer behind the library, where the book sales are located.



I would love to be able to get this information out in Spanish, so if anyone is able to translate this newsletter, please contact me at juliaanza@aol.com

