

THE BMCA e-BULLETIN

Mission Statement: To promote the exchange of resources and information that deters crime and secures our communities through the development of partnerships with fellow neighborhood organizations and city/county agencies and departments.

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BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT NEWS

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The BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE is an all-volunteer network of neighbors helping neighbors serving their community. We are an alliance of Block Watch Groups, PNP Groups / Members, Neighborhood Groups, HOA's, Businesses, Schools, City/County Agencies and Departments and Individuals in the BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT. Our goal is to prevent crime and improve the quality of life within our neighborhoods. All are welcome to attend our monthly BMCA Block Watch / Black Mountain Precinct Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol (PNP) MEETINGS on the 2nd Wednesday of each month (except July, August and November) at 6:30 pm where you can meet with your CAOs, get the latest PNP info and see informative Presentations on Crime Prevention at the Deer Valley Comunity Center (in the Multi-purpose Room), 2001 W. Wahalla Lane, Phoenix, Arizona 85027

NEXT BMCA EVENTS

NO NOVEMBER BMCA MEETING
Fall/Winter Break

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13th at 6:30pm Block Watch GRANT Writing Workshop

WEDNESDAY,
DECEMBER 11th at 6:00 pm

ANNUAL PARTY/POTLUCK

at the Deer Valley Community Center Multipurpose Room

If your name begins with:

A - I please bring a Main Dish

J - R please bring a Side / Salad

S – Z please bring a Dessert

...and don't forget a wrapped gift for the White Elephant DICE Gift Exchange

and new, unwrapped toys for the Harvest Compassion Center - Phoenix Christmas Toy Drive



BLOCK WATCH GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13th at 6:30 pm
HOSTED BY

THE BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE at THUNDERBIRD HIGH SCHOOL

Thunderdome Conference Room 1750 W. Thunderbird Road Phoenix, AZ 85029

WHETHER YOU ARE A FIRST TIME
BLOCK WATCH GRANT WRITER,
OR HAVE BEEN WRITING GRANTS FOR YEARS,
SEE A NEW PERSPECTIVE AND NEW IDEAS
FOR BLOCK WATCH GRANT
CRIME PREVENTION & SAFETY PROJECTS
AND WHAT CAN HELP YOU ACCOMPLISH THEM!

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED!

E-mail info@bmcainfo.com / 480-467-7399 to reserve a seat!

Phoenix Police Department Black Mountain



Precinct **NEWS**





Black Mountain Precinct

33355 North Cave Creek Rd., Cave Creek, AZ 85331 Precinct: 602.495.5002

MENTAL HEALTH AND THE HOLIDAYS

Happy Fall !!! We are now entering in the best few months that Arizona has to offer. Hopefully you can get out and enjoy this weather. I thought since I have been your abatement detective for the last year, I should properly introduce myself.

In May of 2000 after spending 4 years in **THE United States Marine Corps**, I began my career on the streets of Phoenix out of the Desert Horizon Precinct for the next 10 years.

In Aug of 2010, I was privileged to be on one of the first NET teams in (the brand new) Black Mountain precinct. In June of 2015, I took a position on the department's Employee Assistance Unit (EAU), where the motto is "Serving those who serve others".

So, what is EAU? This is the unit devoted to the mental health and welfare of all the police department's employees, both civilian and sworn. Our role during critical incidents is to assist officers involved with Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM). This allows an officer to process what happened when they are involved in such an event. CISM is not an investigation, but is simply meant, as we like to say, to bring the officer back down to earth. These incidents can be anything involving great stress to the officer(s) on scene. Officers are often the first to arrive on scene and these incidents can leave a lasting effect in a person's mind. Part of my job was to help provide resources to the officers or their families in the event they needed help.

Mental health if left unchecked, can ruin an individual's life before they even notice that they have a problem. Getting treatment for a mental health concern has had a negative stigma for years. EAU is trying to change that.

Mental health doesn't just affect public safety; it can affect anyone of us in the community. If you suspect someone you know is suffering and needs help, I encourage you to help get them the resources they need.

There are several resources in Arizona for someone who experiencing a crisis. Just a few resources are listed below:

- 1) Suicide Prevention Hotline- 1-800-273-TALK (8255).
 - https://www.sprc.org/about-suicide
- Suicide prevention/survivor meetingswww.healinghearts.com
 Email: info@azhealinghearts.com.

Individuals may also visit <u>www.dreamcitychurch.us</u> for registration and meeting information.

- Southwest Behavioral- https://www.sbhservices.org

 Administrative office: (602) 427-4600
 Crisis Line: (602) 222-9444 or (800) 631-1314 TTY (602) 274-3360 or (800) 327-9254
- Community Bridges Inc. (CBI)-https://new.communitybridgesaz.org/

 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

For some, the holidays can be a tough time of year. I ask that you look out for those around you pay close attention to not only what they say, but (probably more important) HOW they say it. Body language can speak volumes. And if you notice something, say something. It's better to ask the questions or tell someone who can help, than to stay quiet.



Abatement Officer Jason Cooper #7200 602-495-5228 or jason.cooper@phoenix.gov

'IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING!"
AND CALL 911, CRIME STOP 602-262-6151
OR SILENT WITNESS 480-WITNESS!

NEXT BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT'S

COFFEE WITH COPS



CAO Tom Owsley, CAO Tim Mitten, Officer Jason Cooper and Lt. Bryan Knueppel

Thursday, November 21st, 8:00 am at Deer Valley Airport Restaurant, 702 W. Deer Valley Rd.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

GET TO KNOW YOUR CAO!



WOMEN'S HEALTH AND FITNESS EXPO

Join us for a quick HIIT workout or yoga session.

Speak to female Phoenix Police Officers and

Dispatchers about exciting careers in law enforcement.

Stay for the expo!

Saturday, November 9th 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. at Phoenix Regional Police Academy 10001 S. 15th Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85041



Information at Phoenix.gov/Police





Wear **blue** on August 6th, September 6th, October 6th... and the 6th of each month.

We support our Phoenix Police Officers.

Let's ALL show it on the SAME day!

No need to gather at one place.

We will be everywhere for all officers to see.

"JUST IN CASE"

the unthinkable happens and your loved one is missing or lost!

Have all important updated identification information available at a moment's notice!

FREE PERSONAL ID KITS for Children, Adults & Seniors!

Made possible by the Phoenix Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program

The **Black Mountain Community Alliance** Board Members are trained and available to attend your Community Events with the EZ Child ID System. The PERSONAL ID KIT is for children and adults of all ages.





To schedule the BMCA to come and do PERSONAL ID KITS at your Event, please allow two months lead time and call Candice Fremouw at 480-467-7399 to check on the dates the BMCA has available. We will then e-mail you an EVENT APPLICATION FORM to fill out and return to us at info@bmcainfo.com

We are available to the general public for PERSONAL ID KITS on the 4th Thursday of each month (except June, July, November and December) from 6 – 8 pm at the Deer Valley Park Community Center, 2001 West Wahalla, Phoenix, AZ 85027.

Upcoming 2020 DATES:

January 23rd, February 27th, March 26th, April 23rd, September 24th and October 22nd

KEY FEATURES of the PERSONAL ID KIT:

- The PERSONAL ID KIT includes contact information, digital fingerprints, photos & video interviews
- The EZ Child Computer System digitally scans all 10 fingerprints in a matter of seconds
- The EZ Child Computer creates Child, Adult and Senior ID reports along with two laminated ID Cards & CD-R
- The Child/ Adult/Senior CD contains photos, fingerprint images, videos and age-appropriate crime prevention information
- The Medical ID captures vital prescription drug information and phone numbers for doctors
- NO DATA BASE! ALL FILES ARE PERMANENTLY
 DELETED AND FORMS SHREDDED AFTER EACH
 INDIVIDUAL SESSION SO THAT ONLY THE
 PARENTS, INDIVIDUALS, OR CAREGIVERS HAVE
 THE PERSONAL INFORMATION

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BLACK MOUNTAIN POLICE PRECINCT COMMUNITY ACTION OFFICER SQUAD:



21 Area North (Beats 212, 213 & 214)
(W 83rd Ave to E Scottsdale Rd. & S SR101 to N Mingus Rd.)
& Liquor Licenses
CA Officer Tim Mitten #5279 at 602-495-5238 or
tim.mitten@phoenix.gov



21 Area South (Beat 211)
(W I-17 to E 7th St. & S SR101 to N Dynamite Blvd.)
CA Officer Jennifer Zak #9170 at 602-495-5274
jennifer.zak@phoenix.gov



22 Area North (Beats 223 & 224)

(W I-17 to E 7th/16th Sts. & S Bell Rd. to N SR101)

CA Officer Tom Owsley #8047at 602-495-5192 or thomas.owsley@phoenix.gov



22 Area South (Beats 221 & 222)
(W I-17 to E 7th/16th Sts. & S T-Bird/Cactus Rd. to N Bell Rd.)
CA Officer Tony Cuciti #6907at 602-495-5481 or
anthony.cuciti@phoenix.gov



23 Area North (Beats 233 & 234)
(W 7th/16th Sts. to E SR51 & S Bell Rd. to N SR101)
CA Officer Tim Tewers #8698 at 602-495-5213
tim.tewers@phoenix.gov



23 Area South (Beats 231 & 232)
(W 7th/16th Sts. to E SR51 & S Cactus Rd. to N Bell Rd.)
CA Officer Kelsey Commisso #9595 at 602-495-5227 or kelsey.commisso@phoenix.gov



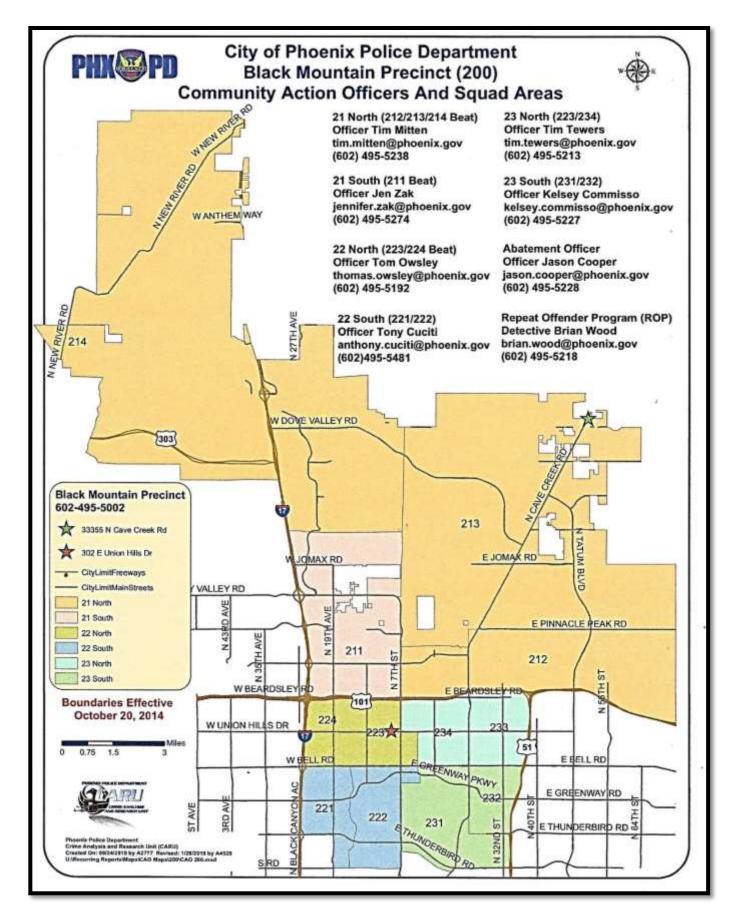
Abatement Officer Jason Cooper #7200 602-495-5228 or jason.cooper@phoenix.gov



Black Mountain Precinct CAO Sgt. Rachel Warren 602-769-5571 or rachel.warren@phoenix.gov



Black Mountain Precinct Community Programs Lt. Bryan Knueppel 602-495-5032 or bryan.knueppel@phoenix.gov



CITYWIDE PHOENIX NEIGHBORHOOD PATROL





Detective Brian Kornegay

Check Your Junk and Spam Folders

At the last meeting several people told me they did not get the reminder email. Later one of the people that did not get the email told me she found it in her email program's "junk" folder. I copy my own email address on these email blasts to make sure they go out correctly, I found mine in the "spam" folder. To fix my email issue once I found the email was incorrectly sent to spam I selected the "this is not spam" option and have gotten the other emails sent from Samaritan.

Now this might not be helpful for those who are not getting these emails currently since they won't get this to read it but if you stop getting these messages in the future or if you hear of another PNP member who has stopped getting them, have them check their junk and spam folders. Each email program has different ways to prevent email from being mistakenly sent to junk or spam. We are not experts on every possible email program in use, so the end user will need to determine what needs to be done with their chosen program, if often includes steps like, adding the sender to the safe sender list, adding the sender to a contacts list or simply checking the this is not junk/spam button.

User Names

When new PNP members are added to the Samaritan program we assign them a User Name that consists of the initials of PNP, a zero and end in the person's PNP badge number. We do this for several reasons. First it makes the PNP members easy to find in the Samaritan program which is used by all other volunteer programs in the city of Phoenix. Second it verifies the person has gone through the PNP class and was assigned a badge number and it prevents us from entering a duplicate record.

Recently a good number of records were no longer in the PNP record area of the program, we were able to find the mis-assigned records because of the User Name beginning with PNP and re-assign them back to the PNP area.

Resetting Your Password

If you forget your password, the easiest way to reset it is <u>not</u> clicking the "Forgot Your Password?" link below the login area. Instead send an email to either PNP.Coordinator@phoenix.gov or brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov reque sting your password be reset.

Reporting your PNP hours (Logs)

Please double check you have all your hours entered. Don't worry if they are late, they still count. Please try to have this done monthly if possible. Thanks!

On Line Reporting for PNP at volunteer@phoenix.gov

PNP BADGES: If you need to get a new badge, send a message to brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov.

Brian Kornegay #5132, Detective, Phoenix Police Department Community Relations Bureau, Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol, Criminal Nuisance Abatement, & Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design Coordinator.

602-256-4303 Desk / 602-534-2346 Fax <u>Brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov</u>

"Policing with a Purpose"

NEXT CITYWIDE
PNP COORDINATOR'S MEETING
Tuesday, Nov. 19th 6-8 pm

All PNP Members are invited to attend.

at Mountain View Precinct 2075 E. Maryland

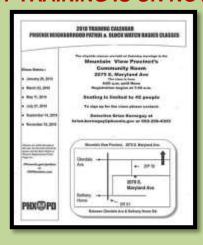
Block Watch and Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol TRAINING

Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol / Block Watch 4 hour Training

- > Helps neighbors to be better eyes and ears for the Phoenix Police Department.
- ➤ Know when to call 911 or Crime Stop 602 262 6151
- >Understand the process of why the operator asks the questions and what information to be prepared with.
- > Be an observer without being confrontational.

The Citywide Training Classes for Block Watch and Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol are held throughout the year on various Saturday mornings from 7:30 am to noon at the Mt. View Precinct Community Room 2075 E. Maryland Avenue (between Glendale Ave. & Bethany Home Rd. just east of SR 51). Seating is limited, email Det. Brian Kornegay at brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov to R.S.V.P.

NEXT TRAINING IS ON NOV. 16th



PNP PATROL OPPORTUNITY!

Next First Friday's Art Walk PNP Patrol FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1st - 7:30 PM to 10:00 PM

PNP Member Rick Sain is coordinating this event please make sure you let him know if you plan on working it. Also make sure he has your cell phone number, so he has a way to contact you if there are any last-minute changes. We meet at 7:30 pm and start our patrol at 8:00 pm, and we get done around 0.45 1.000 pm.

We have a new meeting place the address is 1202 N. 3rd St. next to the Phoenix Center for the Arts. It is a big parking lot, but it fills up fast. **PLEASE LET RICK KNOW IF YOU CAN MAKE IT.** This way he can try and block off some parking spots for PNP Members.

If you have questions about this event or to sign up contact Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or on his cell phone at 602-799-0143. If you have trouble finding the location that night call Rick's cell phone.

This is a walking patrol...
PLEASE CALL IF YOU CAN MAKE IT! Contact:
Rick Sain at <u>ussyorktown25@hotmail.com</u> or
at 602-799-0143

If you have a PNP/BW Pro Comm radio please bring it as there will be few extras on hand to pass out.

These group patrols are a great way to get patrol training and practice with the portable radios or for the newer PNP members to get some patrol time with experienced members.

PUEBLO GRANDE INDIAN MARKET

It is that time again to sign up for the Pueblo Grande Indian Market. The dates are December $14^{\rm th}$ & $15^{\rm th}.$ Please call or e-mail me for patrol shift availability between 8 am and 4 pm each day.

Rick Sain at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143



District 1 Community Breakfast with Councilwoman Thelda Williams 602-262-7444 council.district1@phoenix.gov

Next Breakfast will be on Friday, November 22nd at 7:30 am See you at the Double Tree Hotel Phoenix North at Metrocenter.

Snapshot of the October 25th Breakfast:

-Guest speaker Water Services Deputy Director Darlene Helm, provided insightful knowledge regarding the Drought Pipeline Project and just how critical it is to ensure supplying water to all our residents. The infrastructure improvements are to provide water supply to our current residents and to serve our customers and build resiliency into our water system. The Water Services Department needs to build the infrastructure to move local water supplies north, currently the northern portion of our city is dependent on the Colorado River.

-Farwell and best wishes were sent to Commander Tom Van Dorn on his new endeavor with The Maricopa County Attorney's Office.

ABOUT THE CENSUS – ICOUNT 2020

As mandated by the U.S. Constitution, America gets just one chance each decade to count its population. The U.S. Census counts every resident in the United States. It is mandated by Article I, Section 2 of the Constitution and takes place every 10 years. The data collected by the decennial census determine the number of seats each state has in the U.S. House of Representatives (a process called apportionment) and is also used to distribute billions in federal funds to local communities.

The next Census in 2020 will require counting an increasingly diverse and growing population of around 330 million people in more than 140 million housing units. To get an accurate count, the Census Bureau must build an accurate address list of every housing unit, maximize self-response to the census, and efficiently follow up with those who do not respond.

Why a Census? The information the Census collects helps determine how more than \$675 billion of federal funding is distributed to states and communities each year. In Phoenix, an accurate 2020 Census count represents \$533/per person totaling an approximate amount of \$866 million/a year. This funding helps to provide vital resources, programs and services such as housing, transportation, education, public safety, and so much more.

History of the Census Thomas Jefferson led the first census in 1790. It had six questions: name of head of family and the number of persons in each household in five categories. For more information please visit https://www.phoenix.gov/governmentrelations/2020-census.

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

are live on Cox Cable Channel 11 and streamed live on www.phoenix.gov and facebook.com/cityofphoenix .

Past City Council meetings are posted to YouTube at http://www.youtube.com/cityofphoenixaz



DISTRICT 2 NEWS

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Twitter: Jim_Waring Facebook: facebook.com/waringjim



District 3 Councilwoman Debra Stark 602-262-7441 council.district.3@phoenix.gov

NOVEMBER DISTRICT 3 COMMUNITY COFFEE CHAT

Tuesday, Nov. 12 from 8 – 9:30 a.m. at Little Miss BBQ in Sunnyslope (8901 N. 7th St).

Our guest speaker will be Spencer Self, Neighborhood Services Department Director. He will talk about the 2020-25 Consolidated Plan and why we need YOUR input. The Consolidated Plan is a planning document, required every five years from HUD. It defines local priorities related to housing and homelessness; community and economic development; infrastructure and enhancement; and public services and facilities.

RSVP: <u>council.district.3@phoenix.gov</u> More info on the Consolidated Plan: phoenix.gov/yourvoice



DON'T GIVE TO INDIVIDUALS GIVE TO SHELTERS

To end panhandling, we have to end directly giving to people panhandling. Phoenix is full of compassionate and charitable citizens. They want to help those in need. However, giving money to people panhandling doesn't fix problems. In order to truly help those in need, stop giving money to panhandlers and instead support organizations and services that provide long-lasting care. – Central Arizona Shelter Services – Andre House – Salvation Army – St. Joseph The Worker – UMOM New Day Centers – The Phoenix Rescue Mission – St. Mary's Food Bank For more organizations and information that can provide housing, or other services, please visit the Homeless Shelter Directory at: https://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/cgi-bin/id/city.cgi?city=Phoenix&state=AZ

OCTOBER 9, 2019 BMCA GENERAL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

With 70 in attendance!



Charley and Goldie





COUNCIL DISTRICT Updates:



District 1 Council Aide Shereen and District 3 Council Aide Adam were introduced. There were no City Council updates. They are here to help you with your questions.



FAREWELL AND BEST WISHES TO CMDR. TOM VAN DORN





ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM PHX PD!

The Black Mountain Community Alliance gave Cmdr. Tom a Certificate of Appreciation and a beautiful hand-crafted glass sculpture of Black Mountain with the Thin Blue Line by Monte Fremouw.

Black Mountain Precinct Updates by Cmdr. Tom Van Dorn



Cmdr. Tom Van Dorn announced he is retiring from the Phoenix Police Department. His last day with the City is November 1, 2019. Current Lt's. will take a Commander test for the vacancy. If the position hasn't been filled prior to his

leaving Lt. Bryan Knueppel will be the acting Commander until the new Commander is selected. Cmdr. Van Dorn has been invited by the newly-appointed Maricopa County Attorney Allister Adel to join her transition team. The group has been tasked by County Attorney to develop high-level strategic priorities to guide her as she creates a meaningful and measurable vision of the county attorney's office. His new title will be County Attorney Special Assistant First Responder Liaison. He will be the liaison to all seventeen agencies in Maricopa County between them and County Attorney Adel. He reminded everyone he has a dual degree, other being in law. He wanted to thank everyone for our support and being a partner.

The Police Department couldn't do their jobs if it wasn't for community and business partnerships. Cmdr. Van Dorn did a quick precinct update. He talked about the homicide in the Deer Valley Park in the early hours this morning. He reports thanks to our officers and the Neighborhood Enforcement Team (NET) from Black Mountain Precinct there are no outstanding suspects, everybody has been arrested less than a twelve-hour period. This was possible with the cooperation from the community and the cooperation from others that were involved.

G.A.I.N. Event is coming up. Getting Arizona Involved in Neighborhoods (GAIN) event will be October 19th. This is a day for Arizona to join forces and promote awareness, safety and neighborhood unity and it showcases the importance of police, fire and first responder community partnerships and citizen involvement in our fight for a safer Arizona.



Cmdr. didn't have anything else about the precinct so he took questions and asked the patrol officers in training from Black Mountain Police Precinct to introduce themselves.

Cmdr. Tom wanted to thank everyone in the Black Mountain Precinct.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

-Before the break-out session Sgt. Warren wanted to announce Phoenix Police and Dispatchers for the Women's Health and Fitness Expo at the Phoenix Regional Police Academy located at 10001 S 15th Ave on Saturday November 9, 2019 from 9am-12pm. Come out and join us.

-Jerry Ketelhut spoke about Daring Adventures. Daring Adventures in partnership with the City of Phoenix and Village Meadows Concerned Citizens Block Watch invites you to the "YOU Can! Fest 2020"! The event will be held at Telephone Pioneers of America Park, 1946 W Morningside Drive, the first barrier free park built in the nation in 1988. This event is to bring awareness of everyone's ability to recreate, the beautiful accessible park, and other resources/services that are available for ALL ABILITIES in the city of Phoenix and surrounding areas. We are here to show you that with services and support, you can do anything that you set your mind to. Come out to "You Can! Fest" on February 1, 2020, 10am-2pm. It's free and bring the whole family and friends.

BREAK OUT SESSION

to meet with Area 21, 22 & 23 CAOs



Area 21 met with CAO Tim Mitten



Area 22 met with CAO Tom Owsley



Area 23 met with CAO Tim Tewers

PRESENTATION:

CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM

with Detectives Eddie Saldivar & Ella Geiger

Candice introduced Detective E Geiger. The Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) is an innovative first-responder model of police-based crisis intervention with community, health care and advocacy partnerships.



Our Mission is to provide law enforcement-based crisis intervention by assisting individuals with a mental illness, and improve the safety of patrol officers, consumers, family members, and citizens within the City of Phoenix.

The Phoenix Police Department has several hundred CIT trained officers working as 1st responders. In addition, there are two full-time CIT squads who collaborate with behavioral health partners to connect members of the community to the proper crisis services.

If you or someone else is in immediate danger, including a person in crisis or who is suicidal, please dial 911. For any crisis situation where a police officer is not needed, you can contact the Crisis Response Network at 602-222-9444. He answered questions from the audience.





OCTOBER 12, 2019

BMCA AT THE MOON VALLEY G.A.I.N. EVENT PICTURE HIGHLIGHTS



CAO Sgt. Rachel Warren in the Dunk Tank



CAO Jen Zak, Sienna & Saige Sutton



Saige, CAO Jen Zak, Monte, CAO Tom Owsley, Sienna, Candice and Laura

OCTOBER 19, 2019

BMCA / DVPNBWO / MVGBW / DVCC G.A.I.N. EVENT PICTURE HIGHLIGHTS



Candice, Monte, Laura, Saige, Goldie, Jena, Tom, Linda and Gerry worked our booths at the G.A.I.N. Event.

BMCA provided Halloween Bags, Coloring Books & Crayons and Crime Prevention & Safety information.



The DVPNBWO & MVGBW provided Toys, Candy and Crime Prevention & Safety Items to over 300 in attendance!



The Lollipop Tree



CAO Tom Owsley



Dinosaur Attack!!!



John from Phoenix Children's Hospital gave out over 25 Bike Helmets!





The DVCC sold Hot Dogs, Chips and Cotton Candy!



Walgreens did Flu Shots and the Fire Department gave away free Smoke Alarms!





The DVPNBWO provided five huge Inflatables and the Carnival Games!



The Pumpkin Patch!



The Phoenix Police "COPSICLE VAN" brought goodies for all!



Linda Santana-Wiebers, Officer Hugo Lopez and Officer Chris Abril



Phoenix Police Chief Jeri Williams handed out "Copsicles!"



Saige and Chief Jeri



CAO Tom Owsley and Monte



Tom Argiro and Det. Brian Kornegay



Council Aide Shereen and Councilwoman Thelda Williams



CAO Sgt. Rachel Warren, Monika Pollack and CAO Tony Cuciti



CAO Tom Owsley, CAO Tony Cuciti, Asst. Chief Gabe Lopez, Candice Fremouw and CAO Sgt. Rachel Warren



A.J. Marsden and Candice



PBWAB Vicki Jaquez and Jennifer Rouse



Det. Brian Kornegay, NSD's Mari Herrera-Daniels, Tom Argiro & Jena Ingram

OCTOBER 24, 2019 COFFEE TALK WITH TOM

PICTURE HIGHLIGHTS

at CCV with 72 in attendance!



Cmdr. Tom Van Dorn at his last Coffee Talk with Tom



The awesome CCV Kitchen Crew



Lt. Bryan Knueppel and Dist. 2 Vice Mayor Jim Waring



Thank you Jena for taking the pictures!



Phoenix North PNP Group









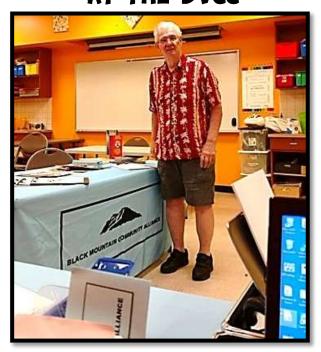
Teresa and Scott from Anthem Neighborhood Watch





CAO Tony Cuciti and Charley

OCTOBER 24, 2019 ID KIT EVENT AT THE DVCC



Monte Fremouw

BMCA Chair Candice Fremouw, BMCA Vice-Chair Goldie Cohen and BMCA Tech Monte Fremouw manned the ID KIT Event at the DVCC.

The most patriotic sunset I've ever seen.

NORTH PHOENIX PARK RANGERS!



Ranger R. Patton, Ranger A. Gonzales and Ranger F. Olson, Urban Supervisor 602-665-2297

For information call the North Mountain Preserve Park Ranger Office at 602-262-7901



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WHERE WE POST INFORMATION AND LIVE VIDEO OF MEETING PRESENTATIONS AND BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COFFEE WITH COPS!

CRIME TIPS:

IT PAYS TO BE CAREFUL AND TAKE PRECAUTIONS WHEN USING PUBLIC WI-FI

Wi-Fi is everywhere today, with cafes, libraries and even laundromats offering access to free Wi-Fi networks. And a lot of us take advantage of this, with an AARP survey showing that about 4 in 10 U.S. adults use free Wi-Fi at least once a month. And while it's a great modern convenience, it does come with risk.

Many public networks lack strong security protections, which makes it easy for tech-savvy scammers to break into them and take advantage of unwary users — many of whom are doing a lot more than just looking up restaurants or checking the weather. That doesn't mean that you should never use public Wi-Fi, but it pays to be careful and follow some basic precautions.

HOW IT WORKS:

- One way scammers try to get your data in a place with public Wi-Fi is by setting up an "evil twin" network. This Wi-Fi network has a similar name to the one you are expecting to use, and the scammers hope that you will mistakenly connect to it. Once you do, the scammer can access all of what you access within it. Typing in a password? The scammer can grab that. Shopping online? The scammer can nab your credit card details.
- Another ploy scammers use is a "man in the middle" attack. In this setup, the scammer sits between you and the Wi-Fi access point to try to intercept your data. As with the evil twin scheme, the goal is to steal passwords, credit card information or anything else of value.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:

If a public Wi-Fi network does not require a password, it probably isn't secure.

If you are prompted to enter a credit card to access the public Wi-Fi network, be wary. This could be a scammer trying to get you to enter your credit card information to steal it.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO:

Avoid using public Wi-Fi to conduct online banking or make purchases. Also, avoid checking email or social media where your passwords or data can be exposed. Stick to browsing news, sports, weather or traffic.

If you access public Wi-Fi more than occasionally, look into installing a Virtual Private Network, or VPN, which will help protect your data.

Make sure your device is set so that it does not automatically connect to available public Wi-Fi access points.

If you have been victimized by a scammer on public Wi-Fi, call the AARP Fraud Watch Network Helpline at 1-877-908-3360 for guidance and support. For more information on the Helpline, visit aarp.org/fraudhelpline.

FREEZING YOUR CREDIT CAN FREEZE OUT WOULD BE SCAMMERS

Guarding your identity and credit doesn't have to be expensive. In fact, one of the most effective ways you can help protect yourself is with a free credit freeze.

A credit freeze safeguards your credit and is the most effective way to protect against identity fraud. With a credit freeze, an identity thief is unable to obtain credit in your name, thereby greatly minimizing the potential damage that identity theft can cause.

HOW IT WORKS:

Fraudsters can use information gathered from data breaches to establish credit in another person's name, posing significant

financial liability on the unsuspecting consumer and negatively affecting the consumer's credit rating. With a freeze in place, no one can open a line of credit in your name.

A credit freeze restricts access to your credit file, so you will need to lift the freeze before applying for new credit, and then refreeze it. (These steps are free.)

You can freeze your credit by phone, online or by mail with all three credit bureaus: Experian, Transunion and Equifax.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:

In most states, credit freezes remain in place indefinitely, and are only lifted when you ask for it to be. But in a few states, they expire after seven years.

A credit freeze does NOT affect your credit score.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:

If you are not planning to request a credit line anytime soon (say for a car purchase, mortgage or credit card), set up credit freezes today to protect against identity fraud.

Parents should also consider freezing their children's credit. With a Social Security number and a clean credit history, identity thieves can apply for credit cards, loans, utility service or even government benefits in your child's name — or attach any name and date of birth to create a false identity under that Social Security number.

If you believe you may have fallen victim to fraud, call the AARP Fraud Watch Network Helpline at 1-877-908-3360 for guidance and support.

When it comes to fraud, vigilance is our number one weapon. You have the power to protect yourself and your loved ones from scams. Please share this alert with friends and family and visit the <u>Fraud Watch Network</u> for more information.







Big jump in Litter Hotline reports with new contact options in place

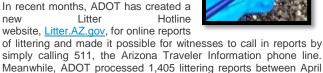
Many more Arizonans helping 'Keep Arizona Grand'

PHOENIX - Litter Hotline reports are up significantly since the

Arizona Department of Transportation began offering even more convenient ways for citizens to reach out when they see motorists trashing state highways.

In recent months, ADOT has created a Litter website, Litter.AZ.gov, for online reports

processed in the same period of 2018.



and September of this year, a two-thirds increase from the 839

"State highways make an important first impression on those visiting this beautiful state that is home to the Grand Canyon, one of the natural wonders of the world," said Mary Currie, who manages ADOT's Adopt a Highway programs. "This dramatic increase in litter reports is a strong sign that Arizonans want to help Keep Arizona Grand."Based on Litter Hotline reports, including the license plate number and vehicle's make, ADOT sends the registered owner a letter noting that littering is illegal, is costly to clean up as well as unsightly, and can result in a \$500 fine. The letter includes a small litter bag suitable for use in a vehicle.

ADOT spends more than \$4 million a year removing trash along state highways.

Complementing the efforts of those making Litter Hotline reports, ADOT's nearly 10,000 Adopt a Highway volunteers last year cleaned up tons of litter - nearly 13,000 bags in all - along about 1,700 of state highways, saving the agency around \$500,000 that can be put to other uses.

To learn more about ADOT Adopt a Highway programs, including the Litter Hotline, please visit azdot.gov/AdoptaHighway.

ADOT's I-17 wrong-way alert system wins national safety honor

National Roadway Safety Award recognizes system being tested in Phoenix

PHOENIX - The Arizona Department Transportation has received a 2019 National Roadway



Safety Award for the wrong-way vehicle alert system being tested on Interstate 17 in Phoenix.

ADOT's project is one of seven nationally to receive the awards, in which the Federal Highway Administration and Roadway Safety Foundation recognize roadway safety achievements that move the United States toward a goal of zero deaths and serious injuries on the nation's roadways.

"This award acknowledges a key part of Arizona's aggressive, coordinated response to reduce the risk of serious crashes caused by wrong-way drivers and make our roads safer," Governor Doug Ducey said. "In addition to innovative engineering that's leading the nation, we've increased penalties for those who drive the wrong way while impaired and invested in having more state troopers patrolling during nighttime hours, when wrong-way driving occurs most. We have more work to do, and improving safety for all our road users will continue to be a priority."

This first-in-the-nation, \$4 million system installed along 15 miles of I-17 uses thermal cameras to detect and track wrong-way vehicles while also immediately alerting ADOT and the Arizona Department of Public Safety. This can save state troopers valuable time in responding to incidents rather than waiting for 911 calls from other motorists, while also allowing ADOT to quickly alert other drivers via overhead message boards.

Since ADOT installed it in early 2018, the I-17 system has detected more than 90 wrong-way drivers, nearly all of whom turned around

The system's 90 thermal cameras are positioned to detect wrongway vehicles entering off-ramps or traveling along I-17. A detection also triggers an internally illuminated wrong-way sign with flashing red lights aimed at getting the attention of wrong-way drivers.

ADOT is completing an evaluation of the I-17 system to determine which elements should be used on other freeways, including the Loop 202 South Mountain Freeway.

more information the award. please visit RoadwaySafety.org.

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1-855-562-2020

Your local recruiter is Chris Ensign 602-920-2289



Maricopa County Attorney Allister Adel Announces Transition Team

PHOENIX— Newly-appointed Maricopa County Attorney Allister Adel announced members of her transition team. The group has been tasked by County Attorney Adel to develop high-level strategic priorities to guide her as she creates a meaningful and measurable vision for the county attorney's office.

"I have worked with numerous organizations throughout my career to identify and implement improvements and efficiencies. I have found there are always areas for improvement and growth," stated County Attorney Adel. "It is my expectation that this team will work collaboratively with employees and stakeholders to develop meaningful recommendations that are grounded in evidence-based practices and focused on process improvements and efficiencies."

Transition Team Members:

- · Artie Eaves, Senior Owner and Director, Sanders and Parks
- · Andrew Pacheco, Partner, Ryan Rapp and Underwood
- · John Phelps, Retired CEO, State Bar of Arizona
- The Honorable Maria Verdin (Retired Judge), Policy Advisor, Marcy's Law
- · Sintra Hoffman, President & CEO, WestMarc
- · Candice Copple, Chief of Staff, The Honorable Mesa Mayor Giles
- Benjamin Taylor, Partner, Taylor and Gomez
- Jennifer Liewer, Exec. Director of Community Relations, Tempe Union High School District
- David Rodriguez, Chief Deputy County Attorney, Pinal County Attorney's Office
- Brett Hunt, Executive Director, ASU Public Service Academy
- The Honorable Walt Blackman, Legislative District 6, Arizona House of Representatives
- Tom Van Dorn, Commander, Phoenix Police Department
- Angela Creedon, Associate Vice President of University Affairs, Arizona State University

The full press conference is available to watch here- $\underline{\text{https://youtu.be/rBqzsc-ltM8}}$

Learn More About Criminal Justice at the MCAO Citizens Academy

If you've ever wondered what it's like to be a prosecutor, or how a criminal case gets to trial, our Citizens Academy is for you. Applications are now being accepted for fall sessions.

The Citizens Academy takes you behind the scenes to show you how a case progresses from the initial investigation through final sentencing. You'll sit in on courtroom proceedings, take a tour of the jail, and learn about trial exhibits, cold case investigations and more.

Classes last one full day, and upcoming dates are listed below. Classes fill up fast, so apply early.

For more information and to register, visit: MaricopaCountyAttorney.org/Academy

UPCOMING DATE November 13, 2019

Looking For A Guest Speaker?

Did you know that MCAO has a **Speakers Bureau** that provides knowledgeable speakers to discuss a wide range of criminal justice issues to students, civic organizations, business groups and parents at no cost? Our experienced Deputy County Attorneys, paralegals and staff members will volunteer their time to provide informative sessions on topics that include: Personal Safety, Domestic Violence, Frauds & Scams, Bullying, Identity Theft, Criminal Justice Careers, Neighborhood Safety, Internet Safety, Substance Abuse Prevention, Victims' Rights and more.

To request a speaker, visit our website and fill out the Speakers Bureau Presentation Request Form located in our Community section. For more information contact us at 602-506-3411 or at MaricopaCountyAttorney.org/Speaker

BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT Block Watch / PNP LISTINGS

(List your Block Watch / PNP, Meeting Dates and Events HERE! Send your info to the Black Mountain Community Alliance at info@bmcainfo.com

LIST YOUR BLOCK WATCH AND INFO HERE...

ANTHEM NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH for info call 623-533-2226 or e-mail Chairman Teresa Pierson at anwchairman@gmail.com www.OnlineAtAnthem.com

ARROYO GRANDE-ANTHEM BLOCK WATCH for info e-mail loydnygaard@gmail.com

BELCANTO BLOCK WATCH gloriapink12@gmail.com

CACTUS SWEETWATER BLOCK WATCH Coleen Hager chagercpa@cox.net , or essmott@cox.net

CAREFREE MANOR BLOCK WATCH for info e-mail carefreepnp@gmail.com

CINNABAR BLOCK WATCH for info call 623-869-8118 or e-mail budpamdeb@yahoo.com

DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK WATCH ORGANIZATION / PNP (DVPNBWO) Meetings are held at the Deer Valley Park Community Center on the 2nd Wednesday of each month (except July, August & November) with the BMCA at 6:30 pm. 623-533-0847 / dvpnbwo@aol.com www.dvpnbwo.com

HILLCREST EAST BLOCK WATCH spring11@cox.net

INVERNESS COMMUNITY WATCH PARTNERSHIP imcw85023@gmail.com

JOHN JACOBS BLOCK WATCH Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 6:30 – 7:30 pm at the John Jacobs Elementary School cafeteria located at 14421 N. 23rd Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85023. For contact info call or e-mail Dee at 602-380-1854 or giddeeup37@cox.net

MINI MOON II BLOCK WATCH (in Moon Valley along Interlacken)
Primary Contact: Myra Ridder myraridder@cox.net President/Chair: Ron Gundlach mon@azfab.com Contact us for meeting info.

MOON VALLEY BLOCK WATCH For info contact: Blanche Lukes at 602-993-6736 or moonvalleybw@cox.net

MOON VALLEY GARDENS NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK WATCH meetings are on the 3rd Thursday of February, May, September and November. The other months they are with the BMCA Meetings. We usually meet at Moon Mountain Elementary School at 7pm. mvge@cox.net Candice 602-402-7914

MONTE CRISTO BLOCK WATCH LECADDSERVICES@Yahoo.com

NORTHTOWN COMMUNITY BLOCK WATCH / PNP UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS call Nora at 602-689-9696

PALM LAKES VILLAGE BLOCK WATCH Meetings held on the first Fridays at 1:00 pm at the Club House at 16415 N. 33rd Way. Arthur Welch, Coordinator. fp6891@cox.net

RIDGE RUNNERS II PNP GROUP Mike Haddad 317-471-9687

SEVEN PALMS BLOCK WATCH / PNP Meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 6:30pm in the Clubhouse. Call 602-471-5861 or e-mail sevenpalmsblockwatchpn@yahoo.com for info.

VILLAGE MEADOWS BLOCK WATCH for info call Debbie Delwiche 602-942-7550 or e-mail mrs427ford@aol.com

City of Phoenix

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES DEPARTMENT

General Information 602-534-4444



Neighborhood Specialists for the Black Mountain Precinct

Dist. 1: ALMA LARA 602-495-0118 alma.lara@phoenix.gov

Dist. 2: E. MARI HERRERA-DANIELS 602-261-8587

e.mari.herrera-daniels@phoenix.gov

Dist. 3: KRISTA ROY 602-495-0380

krista.roy@phoenix.gov

BLIGHT AND ZONING LAWS

STRUCTURES: The maintenance of a home is the responsibility of the property owner. Any wood, siding, shingles, roof covering, railings, fences, walls, ceilings, porches, doors, windows, screens and other exterior parts of any structure on the property must be maintained in weather tight, sound condition and in good repair. The property owner is responsible for making sure there are no doors or windows left open and not secure to the outside. FOR HELP call the Preservation Division of the Neighborhood Services Dept. at 602-495-0700 to see if you qualify for a free Grant!

OUTDOOR STORAGE: All outside storage that can be seen from the street should be inside sheds or cabinets. Items should not be set in car ports in view of the street. Please use enclosed areas or backyards.

JUNK, TRASH & DEBRIS: Junk, trash and debris cannot be left in the yard or car port and must be properly disposed of. This includes junk auto parts, appliances, furniture, building and/or landscaping material, trash such as discarded papers, cardboard, plastics, etc. including tree trimmings and fallen limbs or any other items that appear to have been discarded. The only exception is during the Bulk Trash Collection weeks four times a year.

PARKING: Parking is only permitted for passenger cars and motorcycles on residential streets, on driveways or in garages. A driveway or parking area must be constructed with an approved dust free parking surface. The stone must be 1/4 -3/4 in size with a permanent border holding it in. 1/4 minus size stone is not allowed for parking. There are limits to the amount of front yard area that can be used for parking. Only 35% of the front yard may be converted to driveway or dust free parking.

GRASS AND WEEDS: Grass and weeds must not be allowed to grow over 6 inches high due to fire hazard, allowing the weeds to go to seed and spreading throughout the neighborhood and insect infestation.

ELIMINATE GRAFFITI: Keeping the neighborhood graffiti free is something we can all do. If there is graffiti on your property, please remove it as soon as possible. The Graffiti Busters Program provides paint, supplies and training to assist groups with eliminating graffiti. The City will also remove the graffiti from private property with written permission from the property owner. Call 602-495-7014.



Neighborhood College is a one-of-a-kind collaboration of workshops and hands-on learning experiences brought to you by multiple city departments. The intent of the program is to provide each participant with knowledge about the city's programs, services and resources; the tools to access those resources; and the skills and ideas with which to build positive, sustainable communities. Everyone is welcome! Regardless of whether you're a seasoned community leader or a new resident just looking to get to know your new home better, Neighborhood College is flexible enough to meet the needs of all Phoenix residents! We hope to see you at one of our many free workshops – and encourage your neighbors to do the same. To sign up, call us at 602-534-4444. Online registration: We've partnered with the Parks and Recreation Department to use their online enrollment process. You will be taken to "Parks and Recreation Online" where you will need to sign up for a free account. This is a one-time process that will only take a few moments. You will then be able to use the site in the future to sign up for any additional workshops.

NOVEMBER 2019 not listed yet...

WHEN YOU CALL 911 - KNOW THE 10 W'S

"Call if you can. Text if you can't." was the key message rolled out during a press conference on April 2nd as text to 9-1-1 service capability becomes available for the first time in the greater Phoenix region. If you are in imminent danger and unable to talk to a 9-1-1 operator, you now have the ability to text to 9-1-1. The service goes live following months of collaboration between numerous public agencies and advocates for the disability community.

- What is your location? GIVE EXACT LOCATION
- What happened? WHAT TYPE OF CRIME?
- When did this happen?

These questions will determine if it is a priority call. Give as much of this necessary information as you can.

- Was anyone hurt?
- Weapons are there weapons involved?
- What manner did they leave or arrive foot, vehicle, bicycle...?
- Who did it? -Suspect description
- Where did the suspect go? What direction
- What did the suspect obtain? type and amount
- Who is calling? Give your name location and

phone number (You can remain anonymous. If you do give your name, the info is redacted from the public record access.)

BMCA RESOURCE LIST

FOR THE COMPLETE ARTICLES ON THESE RESOURCES THAT WERE PREVIOUSLY IN OUR BULLETINS, PLEASE LOOK FOR THEM ON OUR WEBSITE

www.bmcainfo.com

ARIZONA ANGEL INITIATIVE

Help with substance abuse

www.substanceabuse.az.gov/angelinitiative

ARIZONA 211 Get connected/Get answers JUST DIAL 211 or 877-211-8661 www.211arizona.org

BOLOCOP

Register for Crime Alerts www.bolocop.com

BLIGHT BUSTERS

Join the Blight Buster Program! www.phoenix.gov/nsd/programs/blight

CARING CIRCLES

Volunteer to help neighbors in need www.aaaphx.org

FAMILY SERVICES CENTERS

Social services for low-income households www.phoenix.gov/humanservices/programs/emergency

FOLLOW POLICE CALLS ONLINE

See what's going on in your neighborhood www.radioreference.com

HEADS UP!

TO KEEP PHOENIX ROADS SAFE! www.phoenix.gov/HeadsUp

HOMELESS SHELTER DIRECTORY

https://www.homelessshelterdirectory.org/cgibin/id/city.cgi?city=Phoenix&state=AZ

IDENTITY THEFT / FEDERAL TRADE COMM.

Recovery and information www.ldentityTheft.gov

KEEP KIDS ALIVE DRIVE 25

Post signs and stickers to slow traffic www.KeepKidsAliveDrive25.org

MY COMMUNITY MAP

Neighborhood map and information

https://phoenix.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=13428321a9f84e95a634be1beabfe96

NEIGHBORHOOD CRIME STATS

www.communitycrimemap.com
or check out: www.spotcrime.com

PHOENIX C.A.R.E.S.

Help the homeless!

PHX At Your Service.

PHOENIX CITY CAM

View the city in all directions PHXCityCam

REVERSE 911

Community Emergency Notification System https://maricoparegion911.onthealert.com/Terms/l ndex/?ReturnUrl=%2f

SENIOR LOCK BOXES

In partnership with Phoenix Fire www.lockbox.shopkidde.com

SEX OFFENDER NOTIFICATION

In and around your neighborhood

www.azdps.gov/services/public/sex-offender www.offenderwatch.com www.missingkids.org www.nsopw.gov

VIRTUAL BLOCK WATCH

Sign up now!

Police Virtual Block Watch www.phoenix.gov

WRIC WASHINGTON

FAMILY RESOURCE INFORMATION CENTER

www.wesdschools.org/wric

AN INVITATION TO ALL BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE MEMBERS and ASSOCIATES TO TOUR THE CITY OF PHOENIX LABORATORY SERVICES BUREAU

Every Tuesday and Thursday at 10 am and 1 pm, we hold tours of our building at 621 W. Washington Street for those who are interested in Science, Biology, Crime Scene, Evidence Processing, etc., or what it is we actually do. It has become a very sought after event for many citizens of Phoenix and visitors to our state. I want to go a step further and extend an invitation to other stakeholders throughout the City of Phoenix, community groups and organizations, but most importantly your organizations – Black Mountain Community Alliance and the East Black Mountain Partnership.

I feel it is very important for not only our citizens to understand what it is we do behind our walls. This will give you all a great opportunity to understand what happens on the back side of the crime we hear about daily and helps you all understand the need for our services to the community.

I am opening our doors to you and would love to have as many of your organization attend a short tour of our building at your convenience and pleasure.

Lt. Steven W. Roser #5331 Laboratory Services Bureau Monday – Friday 0800-1600 hours 602-534-8749

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BMCA AND BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COMMUNITY BUSINESS PARTNERSHIPS

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO STARBUCKS

AT 19TH AVENUE & THUNDERBIRD FOR DONATING COFFEE AT OUR MONTHLY BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETINGS!



THANK YOU TO DEER VALLEY II SELF STORAGE FOR SUPPORTING THE BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE!



THANK YOU TO THE NORTH PHOENIX CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



TOM ARGIRO, PRESIDENT





BLOCK WATCH IMPROVES THE QUALITY OF LIFE WITHIN NEIGHBORHOODS

Block Watches come in all sizes. They can be a few houses in a cul-de-sac to a whole square mile neighborhood. They help to develop a "sense of community" and strengthen and sustain neighborhoods by bringing residents/neighbors together with a common interest.

Every Block Watch starts with one person and their concern for the safety and well-being of themselves and their families. Their motivation may be to meet or get to know their neighbors to protect the children, to keep property values up by eliminating blight and graffiti, to stop speeding on the streets by installing speed humps to protect the children, to have peace of mind by discouraging barking dogs and loud parties, and to be safe from crimes like burglary, theft and assault.

We all want to live in a safe and secure environment. Our homes should be safe havens. By rights there should be several layers of protection from the national level to our own neighborhoods. National and state governments provide control of our borders; state and city governments provide police and fire protection, education, and other resources, community member groups provide Phoenix Neighborhood Patrollers and the posting of PNP signs on neighborhood streets; Block Watch provides neighbors watching out for neighbors; and we provide our own home security alarms, lighting and burglary prevention measures.

INFO OF THE MONTH

Share a tip, recipe, info or some humor, e-mail it to info@bmcainfo.com

NEW 2020 BLOCK WATCH GRANT INFORMATION

The 2020 Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program (NBWGP) application process will open Friday, November 1, 2019. The deadline to submit completed applications is Thursday, December 5, 2019, by 4:00 p.m. Arizona local time. The NBWGP program provides an opportunity to enhance the safety and quality of life in the City of Phoenix through empowerment of community groups. NBWGP funds offer neighborhood groups the resources to create new and innovative programs and activities designed to prevent and reduce crime in their community.

Detailed information regarding the 2020 NBWBP grant application process is available online.

https://www.phoenix.gov/police/neighborhood-resources/block-watch-grants

NBWGP staff will provide training on how to submit a 2020 Neighborhood Block Watch Grant Program application. The training will cover registration in the Grants Management System (GMS), creating a new application, entering budgets, uploading documentation, printing reports, and application submission. Staff will also cover eligibility criteria and will be available to answer questions.

Dates and times for staff hosted training workshops are as follows:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2019 at
Deer Valley Community Center
2001 W Wahalla Ln
Phoenix, AZ 85027
First session at 10:00 a.m. and Second session at 6:00 p.m

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2019 at Devonshire Senior Center 2802 E Devonshire Ave Phoenix, AZ 85016 First session at 10:00 a.m. and Second session at 6:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2019 at South Mountain Community College Library 7050 South 24th Street Phoenix, AZ 85042 First session at 10:00 a.m. and Second session at 6:00 p.m.

Wireless internet connections will be available. Please bring your laptop if you would like to access the Grants Management System during the presentation and a USB with your uploaded documents if you want assistance to attach them to your application.

If you would like to attend a training session, please respond to this email or contact NBWGP staff at 602-262-6131. Space is limited, so please register as soon as possible.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

24 - HOUR HOTLINES

FOR LOCAL SHELTER CALL: 602-263-8900 OR 1-800-799-7739

Autumn House, Chrysalis, DeColores, Faith House, My Sister's Place, New Life Shelter, Sojourner Center

NATIONAL HOTLINE: 1-800-799-SAFE (7233) LEGAL ADVOCACY HOTLINE: 602-279-2900 OLDER ADULTS: 602-264-HELP (4357)

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE & ELECTRONICS COLLECTION

NOVEMBER 15th & 16th from 7 am – Noon at Deer Valley Park, Pool Parking Lot

www.Phoenix.gov/PublicWorks

MEETING and EVENT CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 2019

Friday, NOV. 1st PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL e-mail Rick Sain at <u>ussyorktown25@hotmail.com</u> or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!.

Wednesday, NOV. 6th BMCA BOARD MEETING 6:30 pm - at the Deer Valley Community Center, Board Room

Thursday, NOV. 7th NBWGP Oversight Committee Meeting 6:00 pm Adams St. Training Room, 304 W. Adams St.

<u>Wednesday, NOV. 13th BMCA GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP</u> 6:30 pm - at the Thunderbird High School Thunderdome RSVP <u>info@bmcainfo.com</u> or 480-467-7399

<u>Saturday, NOV. 16th CITYWIDE BW / PNP TRAINING</u> 7:30 am – Noon at Mt. View Precinct, 2075 E. Maryland Ave. RSVP <u>brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov</u>

Tuesday, NOV. 19th PNP COORDINATOR'S MEETING 6:00 pm at the Mountain View Precinct, 2075 E. Maryland

Thursday, NOV. 21st BLK MTN COFFEE WITH COPS 8:00 am at Deer Valley Airport Restaurant, 702 W. Deer Valley Rd.

<u>Tuesday, NOV. 26th PHX BW ADVISORY BOARD MEETING</u> 6:30-8:30 pm Hosted by South Mountain Precinct at South Mtn. Community Library, 7050 S. 24th Street Presentation: Crime Stop / 911 with Janis Lair, PD Comm Bureau

<u>Friday, NOV. 22nd DISTRICT 1 COMMUNITY BREAKFAST</u> with Councilwoman Thelda Williams

7:30 am at the Double Tree, Metro Center

NO NOV. BMCA BW/BLK MTN PNP MTG. – Fall / Winter Break
NO NOV. CPCA MEETING – Fall / Winter Break
NO NOV. PERSONAL I.D. KITS by BMCA – Fall / Winter Break

DECEMBER 2019

Wednesday, DEC. 4th CPCA HOLIDAY PARTY POTLUCK
A-F bring a Main Dish, G-M bring a Side Dish, N-Z bring a Dessert
6:30 pm at College of America, 9801 N. Metro Pkwy E.

Thursday, DEC. 5th at 4 pm BLOCK WATCH GRANTS DEADLINE!

Friday, DEC. 6th PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL e-mail Rick Sain at <u>ussyorktown25@hotmail.com</u> or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!

Wednesday, DEC. 11th BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT HOLIDAY PARTY / POTLUCK

If your name begins with:

A – I please bring a Main Dish J – R please bring a Side/Salad S – Z please bring a Dessert

...and don't forget a wrapped gift for the White Elephant Dice Gift Exchange!

And new unwrapped toys for the Harvest Compassion Toy Drive!

6:00 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center, 2001 W. Wahalla

Saturday/Sunday, DEC. 14th & 15th INDIAN MARKET PNP Patrol 8 am–4 pm each day to patrol e-mail Rick Sain

at ussyorktown25@hotmail.com or at 602-799-0143

NO DEC. NBWGP Oversight Committee Meeting — Winter Break
NO DEC. PNP COORDINATOR'S MEETING — Fall / Winter Break
NO DEC. PBWAB MEETING — Fall / Winter Break
NO DEC. COFFEE WITH COPS — Fall / Winter Break
NO DEC. PERSONAL I.D. KITS by BMCA — Fall / Winter Break
NO DISTRICT ONE BREAKFAST — Fall / Winer Break

JANUARY 2020

BMCA BOARD MEETING Date TBD

6:30 pm - at the Deer Valley Community Center, Board Room

Thursday, JAN. 2nd NBWGP Oversight Committee Meeting 6:00 pm Adams St. Training Room, 304 W. Adams St.

e-mail Rick Sain at <u>ussyorktown25@hotmail.com</u> or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!

Wednesday, JAN. 8th BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT MEETING 6:30 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center, 2001 W. Wahalla

Tuesday, JAN. 21th PNP COORDINATOR'S MEETING 6:00 pm at the Mountain View Precinct, 2075 E. Maryland

Wednesday, JAN. 22nd CPCA BW / CP PNP MEETING
6:00 pm - 8:30 pm at College of America, 9801 N. Metro Pkwy E. Presentation: Sgt. Anthony Hurtabo on PROPERTY CRIMES

Thursday, JAN. 23rd BLK MTN COFFEE WITH COPS 8:30 am at TBD

Thursday, JAN. 23rd PERSONAL I.D. KITS by BMCA 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center

Tuesday, JAN. 28th PHX BW ADVISORY BOARD MEETING 6:30-8:30 pm

Friday, JAN. 31st DISTRICT 1 COMMUNITY BREAKFAST with Councilwoman Thelda Williams 7:30 am at the Radisson

FEBRUARY 2020

<u>Wednesday, FEB. 5th BMCA BOARD MEETING</u> 6:30 pm - at the Deer Valley Community Center, Board Room

Thursday, FEB. 6th NBWGP Oversight Committee Meeting 6:00 pm Adams St. Training Room, 304 W. Adams St.

Friday, FEB. 7th PNP FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK PATROL e-mail Rick Sain at <u>ussyorktown25@hotmail.com</u> or at 602-799-0143 Good training for PNP Members!

Wednesday, FEB. 12th BMCA / BLK MTN PRECINCT MEETING 6:30 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center, 2001 W. Wahalla

Tuesday, FEB. 18th PNP COORDINATOR'S MEETING 6:00 pm at the Mountain View Precinct, 2075 E. Maryland

Tuesday, FEB. 25th PHX BW ADVISORY BOARD MEETING 6:30-8:30 pm

Wednesday, FEB. 26th CPCA BW / CP PNP MEETING 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm at College of America, 9801 N. Metro Pkwy E. Presentation: TBD

Thursday, FEB. 27TH BLK MTN COFFEE WITH COPS 8:30 am at TBD

Thursday, FEB. 27th PERSONAL I.D. KITS by BMCA 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center

Friday, FEB. 28th DISTRICT 1 COMMUNITY BREAKFAST with Councilwoman Thelda Williams 7:30 am at the Radisson

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

IMPORTANT NUI	MBERS
EMERGENCY Police/Fire	911
Police CRIME STOP	602-262-6151
Police General Information	602-262-7626
Black Mountain Police Precinct	602-495-5002
Mayor Kate Gallego	602-262-7111
D1 Councilwoman Thelda Williams	602-262-7444
D 2 Councilman Jim Waring	602-262-7445
D 3 Councilwoman Deb Stark	602-262-7441
Abandoned Shopping Cart	602-CRT-PKUP
Abandoned Vehicle off street	602-534-4444
Abandoned Vehicle on street	602-262-6151
Alcoholics Anonymous	602-264-1341
AZ Humane Society 8am-6pm	602-997-7585
Barking Dogs	602-262-6466
City Bus Service	602-253-5000
City Elections	602-262-6837
City of Phoenix General Info	602-262-6011
Complaints on Mosquitoes	602-506-6616
Construction Noise	602-262-6538
Construction Permits	602-262-7884
Dead Animal Pickup	602-262-6791
Dial-A-Ride	602-253-5300
Gang Hotline	602-534-4264
Garbage Collection	602-262-7251
General Investigations	602-262-6141
GRAFFITI Busters Hotline	602-534-4444
Graffiti Cell Phone Hotline	602 #4663
Graffiti Reward Hotline	602-262-7327
Green Swimming Pools	602-506-6616
Illegal Dumping	602-262-7251
Impounded Property	602-262-8371
Liquor Complaints	602-438-6625
Loud Party Information	602-262-7821
Loud Party Reporting	602-262-6151
Narcotics Anonymous	480-897-4636
Narcotic Complaints	602-275-5886
Neighborhood Enforcement	602-534-4444
Parking Complaints	602-262-6151
Parks Dept. after hours	602-534-9440
Poison Control	602-253-3334
Prostitution (Vice) Hotline	602-426-1231
Rabies/Animal Control	602-506-7387
	S / 480-948-6377
Spay Neuter Hotline	602-265-7729
Speeding/Traffic Hotline	602-534-7733
Street Light Maintenance	602-495-5125
Street Repairs	602-262-6441
Traffic Signal malfunction	602-262-6021
Traffic Signs damage	602-262-4659
Transient Enforcement	602-534-4444
Underage Drinking Hotline	1-877-NOT-LEGL
Water Dept. after hours	602-261-8000
Zoning Violations If you suspect a vehicle is stolen, check the I	602-534-4444
www.thoftaz.azag.gov	ioense piate number at

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BLACK MOUNTAIN PNP PATROLERS:

REMINDER!

ONLINE REPORTING OF PNP HOURS

volunteer@phoenix.gov

PNP online Patrol Log entry

To get a username and password email

Brian.kornegay@phoenix.gov

The following information:

Your name PNP Badge number Assigned precinct Preferred Email address



For questions call 602-256-4303

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