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COPMEA

Children's Holiday Party
at

CASTLES N' COASTERS

9445 N. Metro Parkway East

Saturday, December 6, 2014
9am – 1pm Exclusive
1pm – Close Mix-in with Public

COST

Adults & Children \$10

Children 4 and Under Free

Deadline to purchase is 11/25/14

All You Can Eat

Hamburgers Hot Dogs

Potato Salad Baked Beans Chips

Unlimited Soft Drinks

11am – 2pm Splashdown Area

COPMEA Members Only Event

No guest tickets will be sold

Present COPMEA card when purchasing tickets and
at the event

Tickets will be sold at the COPMEA office only

No tickets will be sold at the event

MEMBERSHIP

Join COPMEA for membership meetings to socialize, enjoy refreshments, free BINGO, and your chance to win a door prize.

Location:

Washington Activity Center
2240 West Citrus Way
Phoenix, Arizona 85015-1900

MEETINGS

Dates:

11/18/2014
12/16/2014

Time:

5:30 p.m.

IN MEMORIUM

Lucille Dawa
July 20, 2014

Paul Serna
August 11, 2014

Jack Blaha
August 23, 2014

Mary Bigalke
September 9, 2014

A.T. Edens Jr.
September 23, 2014

Valley West Travel

November 2014 Vacations

- Las Vegas, 2 Nights Hotel with Air, \$189 pp
- San Diego, 2 Nights + SeaWorld, \$199 pp
- Disneyland, 2 Nights + 2 Day Hopper Pass, \$299 pp
- Honolulu, Hawaii, 6 Nights, Hotel/Air, \$799 pp
- Grand Canyon Railway and Polar Express with Santa Packages
(please call for details)
- Knott's Berry Farm Packages, Hotel, Tickets and More
(please call for details)

Please note that certain restrictions may apply to all vacations.

Group Vacations

- Exotic Eastern Caribbean Cruise, 6 Nights, Dec.14, 2014, \$604 pp
- Exotic Western Caribbean Cruise, 6 Nights, March 8, 2015, \$579 pp
- Alaska/Canada Cruise, 7 Nights, June 2015, \$942 pp
- Washington, D.C., 7 nights, 6 Tours, May 7, 2015, \$1275pp
- Mexican Riviera, 7 Nights, October 3, 2015, \$654 pp

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VITA Volunteers

The city's Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) Campaign is seeking individuals who will become Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Volunteers. VITA volunteers help low-income working individuals and families by preparing their taxes and claiming the federal Earned Income Tax Credit.

Volunteers are needed for the upcoming season. The Internal Revenue Service (IRS), in partnership with the city of Phoenix, will be conducting free training sessions from November to January at locations around the city.

Last year, volunteers helped prepare thousands of returns resulting in millions of dollars to Phoenix Residents. One hour of your time may be worth more than \$1,800 to a working family!

For more information, call 602-534-0543, email to eitc@phoenix.gov or visit phoenix.gov/eitc.

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10% OFF FOR COPMEA MEMBERS!!

COPMEA CLASSIFIEDS

Greenwood Memory Lawn Cemetery Burial Plot - 2300 West Van Buren Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85009
Double depth burial plot for sale in historic section. \$3,800. Will pay title transfer fee. Call or text Brandi 623-363-2521

Greenwood Memory Lawn Cemetery Burial Plot - 2300 West Van Buren Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85009
\$2,000. The plot is currently in the Veteran's section however can be moved any where in the cemetery. The minimum rate for a plot is \$2,595 and goes up to \$4,295. The veteran section starts at \$2,395. Please call Christina Perez at 623-225-6074 if you are interested. We will pay the title transfer fee. Cash or money order only.

Sony 57" Color Rear Projection TV for sale. Runs great and has a very good picture \$185. Good TV for a Rec Room. Call Don or Roxann at 623 434-6535.


HOUSE FOR RENT

Historic Encanto Area
1822 N. 17th Avenue, Phoenix, 85007
2 bedroom/ 1 bath
Energy efficient AC/ central heat pump
Remodeled/ ceiling fans
Refrigerator/Stove/Dishwasher
Carport/Large Covered patio in back

Fenced backyard/ Security lighting
Pets Okay
\$ 800 monthly rent
\$ 800 security deposit
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90 MIN. MASSAGE	\$75	\$55
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3-60 MIN. MASSAGES	\$150	\$120
6-60 MIN. MASSAGES	\$300	\$240
3-90 MIN. MASSAGES	\$195	\$165
6-90 MIN. MASSAGES	\$350	\$295

TRAVEL FEE OF \$10 FOR FIRST 15 MILES
ADDITIONAL \$5 FOR EVERY 15 MILES THEREAFTER

CALL TODAY TO SCHEDULE YOUR APPOINTMENT!
602-736-0963

COPMEA HAS DISCOUNTS - CHECK THEM OUT

The COPMEA Office has discounts available for MEMBERS ONLY and for many local and out of state amusement parks, plays, professional athletic games, and U.S. Airways Center events. All ticket prices are subject to change without notice. Trips outside of the U.S. require a passport.

LOCAL DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE	SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TICKETS
<u>Movie Theatres</u>	<u>SeaWorld Single Day</u> \$64.00
Harkins \$6.50	Year Pass Adult/Child \$73.00 (reg. \$73 Adult/Child)
Harkins Special Engagement \$7.50	<u>Aquatica Water Park Splash Season Pass</u>
AMC Gold \$8.00	Call COPMEA for updates on prices
<u>Enchanted Island at Encanto Park</u>	<u>Universal Studios</u>
Unlimited Rides (reg. \$14.25) \$7.00	(must pay by credit/debit card)
<u>Castles and Coasters</u>	All Tickets Adult/Child
Adult/Child (5 Hour Ticket Limit) \$22.50	3-Day Pass (reg. \$80) \$79.00
Unlimited Rides And Golf (reg. \$30)	Annual Pass (reg. \$99) \$84.00
<u>Arizona Science Center</u>	Front of Line Tickets \$149.00
General Admission \$7.00	<u>Six Flags Magic Mountain</u>
<u>Phoenix Zoo</u>	(must pay by credit/debit card + \$8.99 fee)
Adult (Reg. \$20) \$15.00	All Tickets Adult/Child \$37.99
Child 3-12 (reg. \$14) \$10.00	(reg. \$67.99 Adult/\$39.99 Child)
<u>Wildlife World Zoo & Aquarium</u>	<u>Hurricane Harbor</u>
Adults (reg. \$29) \$22.00	All Tickets Adult/Child (reg. \$37.99) \$24.00
Child 3-12 (reg. \$14.25) \$10.00	<u>San Diego Zoo or Safari Park</u>
<u>Out of Africa</u> (reg. \$29.95/\$14.95)	Adults (reg. \$44) \$39.00
Adults \$24.95	Child 3-11 (reg. \$34) \$30.50
Child 3-12 \$10.95	<u>Legoland</u> (2 Day Ticket)
<u>Desert Botanical Gardens</u>	Adult \$68.00
Adults \$20.00	Child 3-12 \$63.00
Child 3-12 \$5.50	(reg. \$78 Adult/\$68 Child)
Student \$12.00	<u>Legoland and Sea Life Aquarium Resort</u>
<u>Arizona Sea Life Aquarium, AZ Mills</u> \$9.00	2-Day Hopper Ticket
Reg. Adult \$18.50 and Child \$10.50	Adults \$73.00
<u>Butterfly Wonderland, Scottsdale</u>	Child 3-12 \$68.00
Adults 12+ (reg. \$18.95) \$15.95	(reg. \$97 Adult/\$87 Child)
Child 3-11 (reg. \$9.95) \$7.95	<u>Knott's Berry Farm</u>
Children 2 years & under free	(must pay by credit/debit card + \$5.99 fee)
(reg. \$16.95 for student, seniors, military)	Adult (reg. \$57) \$32.00
<u>Golfland/Sunsplash</u> (reg. \$28.99) \$20.00	Child 3-12 (reg. \$28.99) \$26.00
<u>Wet and Wild</u> \$29.00	<u>Knott's Soak City</u>
(cash, check, debit, credit w/\$5 fee)	(must pay by credit/debit card + \$5.99 fee)
(reg. Adult 38.99/Child \$29.99)	Adult (reg. \$57) \$23.00
<u>Big Surf</u> (reg. \$26.95) \$18.00	Child 3-12 (reg. \$28.99) \$21.00
<u>See's Candies Certificate</u> (reg. \$17.50) \$15.20	(Save \$30)
<u>Honey Baked Ham Cert</u> (worth \$40) \$34.00	

Disneyland

Tickets can only be purchased by credit cards with the member's name imprinted on card

Age:	Member:	Gate:	Effective May 28, 2014
Children (3 - 9)	\$156.75	\$165.00	2-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Adult	\$169.10	\$178.00	2-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$193.80	\$204.00	2-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Adult	\$206.15	\$217.00	2-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$193.50	\$215.00	3-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Adult	\$203.40	\$226.00	3-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$228.60	\$254.00	3-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Adult	\$238.50	\$265.00	3-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$211.50	\$235.00	4-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Adult	\$225.00	\$250.00	4-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$246.60	\$274.00	4-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Adult	\$260.10	\$289.00	4-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$225.00	\$250.00	5-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Adult	\$239.40	\$266.00	5-Day (1-Park/1-Day) Ticket
Children (3-9)	\$260.10	\$289.00	5-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Adult	\$274.50	\$305.00	5-Day Park Hopper Ticket
Deluxe	\$493.00	\$519.00	Annual Passport (3 & Over)
Premium	\$664.05	\$699.00	Annual Passport (3 & Over)
Children (3-9)	\$255.60	\$284.00	SoCal City Pass Ticket
Adult	\$295.20	\$328.00	Valid: 1/1/2014 - 1/1/2015

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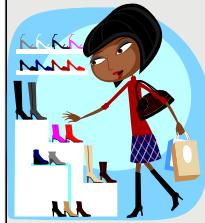
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SPECIAL NOTES

Be sure to present your COPMEA membership card at the COPMEA office and at COPMEA events

If you are receiving more than one COPMEA Municipal per residence, please call the COPMEA Office at 602-262-6857 to eliminate duplication

If you want to go **“green”** and do not want the COPMEA Municipal sent to your residence, please call the COPMEA Office to discontinue the mailing

Members are encouraged to send in personal e-mail addresses for inclusion in the electronic mailing list to communications@copmea.com. The COPMEA Office sends out Municipals, fliers, membership meeting information, updates on upcoming events, special engagements, and discounts. Your personal information is always kept confidential and is never released for marketing or any other purposes



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- ⇒ Transactions are cash or check
- ⇒ Disneyland, Knott's Berry, Six Flags, and Universal require purchase by credit/debit card
- ⇒ Knott's Berry charges a processing fee of \$5.99
- ⇒ Six Flags charges a processing fee of \$8.99
- ⇒ No charge for Disneyland or Universal.
- ⇒ \$50 fee charged for all returned checks
- ⇒ Have your COPMEA cards ready when making purchases
- ⇒ Tickets for monthly events are restricted to your membership
- ⇒ Take your old membership card to the COPMEA Office for replacement if your social security number appears on the card
- ⇒ Report any membership and address changes to the COPMEA Office

CITY OF PHOENIX EMPLOYEE MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP

\$4 single monthly membership dues
\$8 family monthly membership dues
Monthly payroll deductions for fulltime and temporary city employees.

ASSOCIATE ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

\$48 single annual membership dues
\$96 family annual membership dues
Non-city employees and city of Phoenix retirees may join COPMEA. Dues are paid in full for the year at the time of joining then annually thereafter. Another option is monthly payroll deductions from a city of Phoenix employee family member.

Membership rules:

- ⇒ You must be a member to purchase tickets or participate in COPMEA functions
- ⇒ Tickets and event passes purchased by COPMEA members are for the sole use of the card holder
- ⇒ Tickets and event passes cannot be purchased for anyone outside of the COPMEA membership
- ⇒ You must present your COPMEA Card and a valid ID at the time of purchase

