



DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD

BLOCK WATCH ORGANIZATION NEWS

"The world is a dangerous place to live, not because of the people who are evil, but because of the people who do nothing about them." Albert Einstein

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The DVPNBWO encompasses the square mile neighborhood from Union Hills Dr. to Beardsley / SR101 and I-17 to 19th Avenue around Deer Valley Park.

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THE DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK WATCH COMMUNITY MEETINGS & EVENTS

PARTNER WITH THE
BLACK MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY ALLIANCE

NEXT MEETINGS / EVENTS
at the DEER VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER!

BW MEETING - WEDNESDAY, SEP. 13th, 2023 6:30 pm

BW MEETING - WEDNESDAY, OCT. 11th, 2023 6:30 pm

No November Block Watch Meeting

MOVIE IN THE PARK will be back in the Fall
For informaion call 602-495-3734



Join us at the BW Meetings and talk to our Community Action Officers, hear Precinct Updates, and see Crime Prevention Presentations.

For more information, go to our website:
www.dvpnbwo.com

JOIN THE PHOENIX NEIGHBORHOOD PATROL!

OUR DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD NEEDS YOUR INVOLVEMENT!!!

If you like to walk, bike, or drive around the park or neighborhood, you can patrol!

Join the Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol, sign up or get more information, call Laura Robins at 623-533-0847.

"It's a great way to get involved in your neighborhood and take pride in your area," said Kornegay, who coordinates the program. Phoenix police are working on streamlining training to allow more residents to participate. The 2023 Block Watch Basics and Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol Training Classes continue online at this time. Next classes are:

Sept. 20 & 21 and Nov. 15 & 16
Both days are from 5:00 – 7:00 pm

e-mail Det. Brian Kornegay at PNP.Coordinator@phoenix.gov
or call 602-256-4303 for information.



MARK YOUR CALENDAR For THE UPCOMING

Deer Valley Community
Center's

FALL-O-WEEN FESTIVAL

AND

DVPNBWO / BMCA

G.A.I.N. EVENT!!! 5-8 pm SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2023

Crafts, Pumpkin Patch, Carnival Games, Food Trucks, Inflatables, Prizes & Give-a-ways, Phoenix Children's Hospital FREE Bike Helmets, Music, Haybale Maze, Haunted House and a Costume Contest!!



CONGRATULATIONS!

to the Winner of the FALL 2023
"Best Looking Home in the Neighborhood!"



2030 W. Mc RAE WAY

NOMINATE THE NEXT GREAT LOOKING HOME IN OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

Is there a home on your block that is exceptionally well cared for and meticulously maintained? Then honor your neighbor by nominating them! E-mail dvpnbwo@aol.com or call 623-533-0847 to nominate the next best looking home in our neighborhood. The address with the most nominations will win! The WINTER 2023-24 winner will be published in the WINTER Dec/Jan/Feb 2023-24 Newsletter.



Black Mountain

Precinct News

33355 N. Cave Creek Rd., Cave
Creek, AZ 85331

Precinct 602.495.5002

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES

Good day Black Mountain Community Members. We would like to talk about the importance of mental health. For some of us our lives are not utopian where we live stress free and free from sorrow, pain, heartache, and loss. Mental health issues can develop for various reasons, either through genetics or traumatic events. Regardless of the cause, there are numerous resources that are available to whomever may need help.

Sometimes we can feel helpless when someone we know is having a mental health crisis. City of Phoenix is partnered with several locally owned mental health facilities throughout the valley. A list is provided at the end of this article for your convenience, they are there to not only help you with a crisis but can walk you through steps helping or getting assistance with a loved one. They are trained in aiding in behavioral health issues, addiction, crisis, and much more.

The Phoenix Police Department has implemented its own contribution to handling situations with individuals experiencing mental health issues and who may be in crisis.

The Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) has developed partnerships with several community resources in the valley and are a vital resource to providing care to those who are experiencing an issue and following up with those who may have long standing issues. Additionally, there are several Patrol Officers who have taken the Crisis Intervention training course and can respond to initial calls for assistance and can reach out to the necessary resources.

When these situations occur, they can be confusing and can cause anxiety when people are searching for answers. Here are a few resources that you may find helpful during a difficult time for yourself and or a loved one. Take care of each other.

RESOURCES:

Connections AZ Urgent Psychiatric Care
1201 S 7th Ave, Phoenix Arizona
602-416-7600

Recovery Innovations
11361 N 99th Ave, Peoria, Arizona
602-650-1212

CRISIS Line 800-631-1314
Suicide Hotline- 800-273-8255
www.suicidepreventiononline.org

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www.suicidepreventiononline.org
Cityofphoenix.gov

More information- www.mercymaricopa.org

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



**Wear BLUE on
the 6th day of each month to show support of
PHOENIX POLICE OFFICERS! WE'VE GOT YOUR
SIX!**

***We can all show it on the same day. No need to
gather at one place, we will be everywhere for all
Officers to see!***

<https://www.phoenix.gov/police/oisinfo>

Phoenix Police Department Officer-Involved Shootings Information

**The information on this page is intended to inform and educate
the public about the use of deadly force, specifically Officer-
Involved Shootings (OIS), and related topics from Phoenix
Police.**

www.phoenix.gov

PPD RESPONSE TO RESISTANCE DASHBOARD
<https://stories.opengov.com/phoenixaz/published/6EtqLY5qQ>



MAY 10, 2023

DVPNBWO, BMCA & BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

with 51 in attendance at the DVCC

Meeting called to order at 6:37 pm



DVCC:



Noreena gave an update on After Dark in the Park on June 24th from 6 – 9 pm which will have a 15-minute Fireworks show, live entertainment called Power Drive, along with 12 inflatables, food trucks, etc. Pickle Ball will not take place during the summer programs but will be back in August.

Black Mountain Precinct Updates



Lt. Ben Sywarungsymun talked about the crime suppression efforts in the Palomino area. There were multiple arrests and drugs confiscated. The encampment on 25th Street and Greenway has been dispersed. The April traffic impact program on 19th Avenue from SR101 to Cactus had many violations with a top speed of 71 mph. Dinner with a Cop is on Thursday, May 25th at Barro's Pizza on 7th Street. Lt. Ben will be participating in the 275-mile Tour De Force Bike Ride in September to raise money for the financial support for the families of officers killed in the line of duty.

BREAK OUT SESSION



Area 22 met with CAO Tim Tewers

PRESENTATION: The scheduled speaker is unable to attend tonight but will be here next month.

BLOCK WATCH & PNP GROUPS: Candice asked if any BW & PNP Groups present would like to talk about their neighborhoods. Several groups talked about the concerns they are having, such as traffic. Call 602-534-SPEED. Also, graffiti and urban camping in the washes. Candice also talked about the pending sale of the 252-acre site of Turf Paradise and the tentative re-zoning to industrial. The grandstand building will stay with off-track betting. Greg Freeman, who chairs the Bell Road Business Alliance, spoke about the Ocotillo Apartments. There will be 125 studios and 25 one-bedroom apartments. The company already has 7 other properties in Phoenix. There is one at 17th Avenue and Missouri. They are waiting for the final zoning vote in June.

JUNE 14, 2023

DVPNBWO, BMCA & BLACK MOUNTAIN PRECINCT COMMUNITY MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

with 62 in attendance at the DVCC

Meeting called to order at 6:39 pm



CITY COUNCIL:

District 1 Councilwoman Ann O'Brien reported that the Community Court has been voted on and funded for 2.4 million. Longer Yellow Light Timing helps with red light running and is under investigation to implement. After a year the Drone Program has shown itself to be a very valuable resource. The 2023 Block Watch Grants were voted on and funded.

DVCC:



Noreena gave an update on After Dark in the Park on June 24th from 6 – 9 pm which will have a 15-minute Fireworks show at 8:45 pm, live entertainment from Power Drive, along with 12 inflatables, 10 food trucks, etc.

Black Mountain Precinct Updates

Cmdr. Darren Viner announced his retirement from the Phoenix Police Dept. effective June 30th. Cmdr. Matt Siekmann will be the new Black Mountain Precinct Commander. Precinct updates included Operation Summer Shield at the beginning of June with over 600 arrests. There has also been several arrests and drugs confiscated in the Palomino neighborhood. Crime Stats overall have been down in the Precinct. He also discussed the Use of Force policy changes that are being considered.

BREAK OUT SESSION



Area 22 met with CAO Jon McQuillan

PRESENTATION: MARICOPA COUNTY RESOURCES with Jacqueline Edwards, Director of Human Services



Great presentation on the multiple programs available that include mortgage and rental assistance, home repair, early child education/care, senior assistance, job preparation, funeral assistance, Ride Choice, domestic violence assistance, legal assistance, and help for citizens who are homeless or about to be unhoused. Call 211 to be directed to the appropriate county, city, or state resource programs. The American Rescue Plan federal funds of 5 to 7.5 million goes a long way towards funding many of the programs.

JUNE 24, 2023

AFTER DARK IN THE PARK HIGHLIGHTS

6 – 9 pm in Deer Valley Park



Tena, Debbie, and Kathie



Goldie, Candice & Monte



Laura



Bubbles, Glow Jewelry, Safety Items, Toys, and Candy!



Nina



Water Inflatables and Slides



Bounce Houses



Main Stage with *Power Drive* for great entertainment



PD and Copsicles! Thank you, Det. Chris Abril!



PD Bike Patrol



Thousands in attendance!



Goldie and Candice



Debbie and Linda



GREAT FIREWORKS SHOW!!! Laura's grandson, Jack



**Message from
Councilwoman Ann O'Brien**

602-262-7444 council.district.1@phoenix.gov

A safer Phoenix. That is my commitment to you! While I ran for office, I talked a lot about my family's past and present relationship with Public Safety. My father is a retired Phoenix Firefighter, my sister is a Phoenix Crime Lab Technician, my brother-in-law is a Phoenix Police Detective. I wanted to get elected to serve on Council to fight for our neighborhoods and our communities. Shortly after being elected to Council, I was appointed the Chair of the Public Safety and Justice Subcommittee where I have led productive discussions and action on police recruitment and other initiatives we can investigate to increase our safety and quality of life.

This week marks two years since I was sworn in and started serving. While serving, I championed drone technologies for our officers; secured a contract to provide overnight security patrols of our parks; partnered with private corporations like QT to secure their properties; supported the \$15 million in increased funding for our Community Assistance Program under our Fire Department to respond to folks experiencing a mental health crisis with trained professionals, freeing our officers for important calls; fought the reallocation of our Community Action Officers when it was suggested we move them to different assignment positions; advocated for our regions to be included in the 27th Avenue Crime Prevention Plan, and then again in the 19th Avenue Crime Prevention Plan; defeated an attempt by some members of our Council to defund our Police Department; worked directly with the federal government to change federal regulations to ban camping along the SRP canal; donated directly from our office's budget much needed utility bikes to our officers to help aid in parks and neighborhood patrols; and enthusiastically voted to increase our officers' salary to make them the highest paid law enforcement agency in the entire state. Together, we have accomplished a lot in the name of a safer Phoenix.


And folks, I'm just getting started.

Right now, I'm in the process of finalizing my homeless plan document that I am excited to share with you all. In this document, I will define the problem and provide statistical information for how we got to where we are today and the solutions I propose to get us back to safe neighborhoods and a high quality of life for all individuals. Going into my next two years, homelessness will be a top priority for my office.

Additionally, we will continue to advocate for our public safety folks and work to incorporate more technology for our police department and our fire department. I look forward to holding robust conversations about real time crime centers and red-light enforcement to help crack down on our crime rates and protect our dangerous intersections.

From Day 1, I wanted to ensure a safer Phoenix. While we've had some successes over these last 24 months together on Council, there is still so much to do. Just as I committed to you before, I am committing to you again. A Safer Phoenix! That's what we're working towards.

All my best, **Ann** Councilwoman, District 1



Water Conservation

Did you know that the typical household uses 70% of its water outside? Phoenix's landscape watering guides can help you conserve water, and proper watering will also keep your landscape plants healthy and beautiful throughout the year.

- Water grass no more than twice per week and trees no more than once per week year round. Text "WHENTOWATER" to 33222 for monthly watering guides.
- Learn more at phoenix.gov/watercloud

Water Leaks

Use your water bill as a leak-detection tool. If you notice an unexpected increase in water use or cost, you may have a leak. A small leak can waste a lot of water and significantly increase the cost of your water bill. When looking for leaks, always check indoors and outdoors.

- Learn more at phoenix.gov/bewatersmart



PHOENIX PUBLIC LIBRARY
Juniper Branch Phoenix Public Library
 1825 W. Union Hills Dr.
phoenixpubliclibrary.org

Cassandra Hamilton, Asst. Branch Mgr. Adult Services Librarian
 Phoenix Public Library Juniper Branch 602-534-2348

Please check the Calendar at phoenixpubliclibrary.org for additional program details.

SEPTEMBER, OCTOBER, AND NOVEMBER PROGRAMS

Storytime space is limited, tickets are available 30 minutes before programs.

Children

- Babytime –Tuesdays, 10:30 am--through November 2023
- Toddler time—Wednesdays, 9:30 am—through November 2023
- Tools for School—Wednesdays 10:30 am—through November 2023
- Music & Movement—Thursdays 9:30 am and 10:30 am—through November 2023
- Family Storytime—Saturdays, 10:30 am—Through November 2023
- Imagination Lab—Thursdays, 4:00 pm –Start in September through November 2023

Teens

- Rock the Tabletop: D&D and Beyond—Tuesdays, 3:30 pm
Through December 2023

Adults

- Juniper Book Discussion Group—Wednesday, September 13, and October 11, and November 8, and December 13, 1:30 – 3:00 pm
- Gaming Around—Wednesday, September 20, and October 18, 3:00 – 5:00 pm
- Plants, Animals, and Nature of the Sonoran Desert—Saturday, September 9, 1:00 pm
- Crafternoon—Saturday, September 16, October 21, November 18, and December 16, 1:00 – 4:00 pm
- Medicinal Plants of the Sonoran Desert—Saturday, September 23, 1:00 pm
- Medicare—Wednesday, October 11, and Wednesday, December 13, 4:30 -5:30 pm
- Author Visit—Karen Schaler: Christmas Karen--Saturday, October 14, 2:00 – 3:00 pm

The Amazing Library Card



Know someone who needs a Phoenix Public Library card? Help them get one!

A Phoenix Public Library card is an all-access pass to complimentary resources to promote learning and literacy at every age.

Access a wide spectrum of informative and entertaining films, listen to music, check out physical and virtual materials, or learn a language with the help of Phoenix Public Library's eResources.

[Learn how to get every member of your family their very own Phoenix Public Library card.](#)

2023 CRIMES

REPORTED IN OUR DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD

www.spotcrime.com

NEIGHBORHOOD HOMES (722)

2/13	sex crime	18600 block N. 22 nd Lane
4/7	sex assault	1900 block W. Utopia Road
4/30	theft	2200 block W. Behrend Drive
5/21	theft	19200 block N. 20 th Drive
5/24	theft	2100 block W. Kerry Lane
6/10	car theft	2200 block W. Wescott Drive
6/27	arson	19400 block N. 21 st Drive
6/27	assault	2100 block W. Wescott Drive
7/19	drug arrest	19900 block N. 23 rd Avenue
7/24	theft	19600 block N. 23 rd Avenue

APARTMENTS / CONDOS IN OUR SQUARE MILE NEIGHBORHOOD

ELEMENT APARTMENTS, 19900 block N. 23rd Avenue

JAN: 2 Thefts
FEB: 6 Thefts
MAR. 1 Burglary
APR. 1 Arrest
MAY 1 Burglary, 1 Theft
JUNE 1 Burglary
JULY 1 Burglary, 2 Thefts
AUG 3 Thefts

WICKERTREE APARTMENTS, 20000 block N. 23rd Avenue

JAN:
FEB.
MAR. 1 Theft
APR. 1 Burglary, 2 Theft
MAY 2 Thefts
JUNE 2 Thefts
JULY

CINNABAR CONDOS, 2000 block W. Union Hills Drive

JAN:
FEB.
MAR. 2 Thefts
APR. 1 Assault, 1 Theft
MAY 1 Assault
JUNE 1 Theft
JULY 1 Assault, 5 Thefts

COMMERCIAL / BUSINESSES / DEER VALLEY PARK

1/12	burglary	2500 block W. Utopia Road
2/10	burg from car	19900 block N. 19 th Avenue
3/1	drug arrest	2400 block W. Union Hills Drive
3/19	car theft	2300 block W. Utopia Road
3/25	theft	19600 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)
4/7	assault	1900 block W. Utopia Road (DVP)
4/11	drug arrest	19400 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)
4/19	theft	19600 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)
4/25	theft	1900 block W. Union Hills Drive
4/26	burglary	2500 block W. Utopia Road
5/1	robbery	19600 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)
5/6	car theft	2500 block W. Union Hills Drive
5/26	drug arrest	19600 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)
6/11	assault	2500 block W. Union Hills Drive
6/11	robbery	19600 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)
6/17	burglary	2500 block W. Utopia Road
6/18	burglary	1900 block W. Union Hills Drive
7/16	theft	19900 block N. 19 th Avenue
7/16	theft	2500 block W. Utopia Road
8/3	drug arrest	19960 block N. 19 th Avenue (DVP)

Please attend our upcoming **DVPNBWO IN PERSON MEETINGS** to continue to support our effort to reduce crime in our neighborhood and park! This is a terrific **CRIME PREVENTION** resource for information and education on how to make our neighborhood and park safer and more secure! Consider joining our Phoenix Neighborhood Patrol Group! **WE NEED YOU!!!**

We need your help by attending our **IN-PERSON MEETINGS** to continue to receive Block Watch Grants which fund this newsletter and our Crime Prevention Project! Please check the www.dvpnbwo.com for meeting info.

If you are a victim of a crime or suspicious activity, we would appreciate you contacting us at 623-533-0847 or DVPNBWO@aol.com so we can send out CRIME ALERTS to our e-mail list and make the neighborhood aware of the current crime trends. THANKS!

CRIME TIPS

NAVIGATING THE GIFT CARD MINEFIELD

Gift cards have become a standard part of the modern shopping experience. But inside that colorful card kiosk could be a minefield. Here's what you need to know before purchasing one.

Gift card sales rose from \$130 billion in 2015 to \$173 billion in 2021, and while they are popular with consumers, they are also popular with criminals because they can be purchased anonymously and redeemed remotely.

There are two typical scams involving gift cards: someone buys a gift card only to later find that it has no balance on it; and someone is instructed to purchase gift cards and share the numbers as a form of payment.

ZERO-BALANCE GIFT CARDS

Criminals have several ways of draining gift card balances. In fact, a 2022 AARP survey found that one in four adults said they had given or received a gift card that turned out to have no value on it.

To combat these scams:

Purchase cards online directly from the business that issues them. Cards on store racks can be tampered with.

Carefully examine cards at a physical store for signs of tampering. It's safer to buy from places that keep gift cards behind the counter or near the checkout where watchful eyes may discourage criminals.

Register your card with the retailer if that option is offered. This makes it easier to track and quickly report any issues.

GIFT CARD PAYMENT SCAMS

Gift cards as a form of payment in scams has been a popular tactic for the last five or so years. According to data from the Federal Trade Commission, reports of this fraud are down 25% in 2022 compared to the prior year. However, reported losses were roughly the same, suggesting that per-card losses were higher in 2022.

Here's what you should know:

If you are confronted by someone directing you to buy gift cards to pay for something or send money, it is a scam—full stop.

Disengage immediately and report it to the Federal Trade Commission at reportfraud.ftc.gov. The reports are used to identify trends and build cases against criminals.

If you have lost money to this act of fraud, report it to your local police and insist they take your report. Some police lack awareness that scams are a crime and resist taking a report. Be persistent—it may help you recoup losses if the criminals are brought to justice down the road.

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 [Fraud Watch Network](http://Fraud_Watch_Network) for more information.

FRAUD CONTINUES METEORIC RISE

The numbers are in, and they aren't good. The Federal Trade Commission has issued its [data book on fraud reports for 2022](https://www.ftc.gov/press-release/2022-08/data-book-fraud-reports-2022). U.S. consumers reported \$9 billion in fraud losses, compared to \$6.1 billion the year prior. Because fraud often goes unreported, this report only shows the tip of the iceberg. Even so, it provides important insights into certain threats everyone should be aware of.

INVESTMENT SCAMS ON THE RISE

Reported losses from investment scams increased from \$1.8 billion in 2021 to a total of \$3.9 billion, with median losses reported at \$5,000.

Cryptocurrency played a big role in investment scams, with reported losses at \$1.4 billion.

74% of adults who reported experiencing an investment scam reported losses; this is significantly higher than losses from other fraud types.

IMPOSTOR SCAMS STILL ON TOP

Once again, impostor scams were the top category of fraud in 2022, with reported losses exceeding \$2.7 billion.

The top reported contact method was email (76,000), but not far behind was a phone call (70,000).

Fraud perpetrated by impersonating businesses topped government impostor reports in 2022.

CRIMINALS KNOW NO BOUNDS

More than anything, the report shows that no one is immune to fraud.

Adults under the age of 30 made up 43% of all fraud reports.

Older adults reported losing the most money, however. For victims in their 70s, the average loss was \$1,000, and for those over age 80, the average was \$1,674.

Criminals stole money no matter how they contacted their targets. Social media-based scams netted a reported \$1.2 billion, more than any other contact method. However, those who reported losing money to phone scams lost more, with an average loss of \$1,400.

NATURAL DISASTER SEASON IS HERE AND SO ARE SCAMMERS

Whether it's tornadoes or floods, wildfires or hurricanes, it seems like it's always natural disaster season—which means it's always a good time for scammers to try and rip people off. Following extreme weather events, dubious contractors and outright scammers descend on affected communities, offering quick, cheap fixes. While some reputable contractors solicit door-to-door, many knockers are running scams. Here's how to be sure you avoid the damage to your wallet these criminals can cause.

How It Works

Someone claiming to be a contractor arrives on your doorstep and explains he's just finished a job fixing storm damage on a neighbor's property.

Since he's here already, he'll say he can handle your needed repairs at a steep discount.

He'll more than likely ask for payment upfront or try to convince you to sign over payment from your insurance company.

What You Should Know

Shady contractors and outright scammers flood (no pun intended) areas hit by extreme weather events in search of "work" that they may or may not even attempt to do.

Many will specifically target older homeowners who they perceive as more trusting, more likely to have savings and—they think—may be experiencing cognitive decline.

What You Should Do

As convenient and as compelling as it may seem, avoid reactively agreeing to repair work at your doorstep; rather, proactively seek out contractors that you can research.

Get written estimates and compare bids from multiple contractors before starting any work.

Ask contractors for references—and check them.

Pay no more than a third of the total cost prior to the work beginning—and then only when materials arrive.

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questions answered. We are happy to
meet you!

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schedule a tour now.



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18052 N. Black Canyon Hwy, Phoenix, AZ - 602.547.7920

AROUND THE BLOCK...

Share info, recipes, humor, and household tips!
e-mail DVPNBWO@aol.com

HEAT-RELATED ILLNESSES

WHAT TO LOOK FOR	WHAT TO DO
HEAT STROKE	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">High body temperature (103°F or higher)Hot, red, dry, or damp skinFast, strong pulseHeadacheDizzinessNauseaConfusionLosing consciousness (passing out)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Call 911 right away—heat stroke is a medical emergencyMove the person to a cooler placeHelp lower the person's temperature with cool cloths or a cool bathDo not give the person anything to drink
HEAT EXHAUSTION	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Heavy sweatingCold, pale, and clammy skinFast, weak pulseNausea or vomitingMuscle crampsTiredness or weaknessDizzinessHeadacheFainting (passing out)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Move to a cool placeLoosen your clothesPut cool, wet cloths on your body or take a cool bathSlip water <p>Get medical help right away if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">You are throwing upYour symptoms get worseYour symptoms last longer than 1 hour
HEAT CRAMPS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Heavy sweating during intense exerciseMuscle pain or spasms	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Stop physical activity and move to a cool placeDrink water or a sports drinkWait for cramps to go away before you do any more physical activity <p>Get medical help right away if:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Cramps last longer than 1 hourYou're on a low-sodium dietYou have heart problems
SUNBURN	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Painful, red, and warm skinBlisters on the skin	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Stay out of the sun until your sunburn healsPut cool cloths on sunburned areas or take a cool bathPut moisturizing lotion on sunburned areasDo not break blisters
HEAT RASH	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Red clusters of small blisters that look like pimples on the skin (usually on the neck, chest, groin, or in elbow creases)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Stay in a cool, dry placeKeep the rash dryUse powder (like baby powder) to soothe the rash



It's ok
to say **NO** to
panhandlers

Give instead to
agencies that help
those in need
phoenix.gov/phxcare

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 – UOMOM 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>

www.givesmartaz.org



ARIZONA FREEWAY CAMERA & ROAD CONDITIONS

The Arizona Department of Transportation offers the 511 Traveler Information Service. It's simple; by just dialing 511, you can get information on closures, delays, public transit services, major airports, tourism, weather and more. You no longer need to remember those long phone numbers. All this information is available by dialing 3 digits, 511.

Resources

The Arizona Department of Transportation offers the following online resources which will provide you with real-time Arizona freeway conditions and camera images, brought to you by az511.com (link is external):

- [Arizona Freeway Camera Locations](#) (link is external)
- [Current Arizona Freeway Traffic Conditions](#) (link is external)
- [Current Arizona Traffic Restrictions and Closures](#) (link is external)

Related Links

- [Driver License & Vehicle Registration Online Services](#) (link is external)
- [Arizona Department of Transportation](#)

988

People experiencing a mental health crisis have a new way to reach out for help in the U.S. They can simply call or text the numbers 9-8-8. Modeled after 911, the new three-digit **988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline** is designed to be a memorable and quick number that connects people who are suicidal or in any other mental health crisis to a trained mental health professional.

"If you are willing to turn to someone in your moment of crisis, 988 will be there," said Xavier Becerra, the secretary of the federal Department of Health and Human Services, at a recent press briefing. "988 won't be a busy signal, and 988 won't put you on hold. You will get help."

The primary goal of the new number is to make it easier for people to call for help. Lawmakers and mental health advocates also see this launch as an opportunity to transform the mental health care system and make care easily accessible everywhere in the United States. The Biden administration has invested more than \$400 million in beefing up crisis centers and other mental health services to support the 988 system.

The **CRISIS LINE** is available 24/7/365 to anyone experiencing a mental health crisis.
In an emergency, always call 911.

CENTRAL ARIZONA CRISIS LINE 602.222.9444 TOLL FREE: 800.631.1314 TTY/TDD: 800.327.9254	WARM LINE (Peer-to-Peer) 602.347.1100 CrisisNetwork.org
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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)

GREAT ANIMAL CHARITIES TO DONATE TO:

ANIMAL CRUELTY TASK FORCE: Need cases of water, 5 lb. bags of dog/cat food, bowls, towels, collars and leashes. Bring items to our DVPNBWO / BMCA Meetings on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the DVCC or drop them off anytime at the Black Mountain Precinct at 33355 North Cave Creek Road, Phoenix AZ, 85331.

ARIZONA PAWS & CLAWS www.azpawsandclaws.com

CHAMPIONS OF PHOENIX POLICE K9s

info@coppk9s.org P.O.Box 22039, Phoenix, AZ 85028

Teri Rogo 602-228-2594 or Lisa Futo 602-524-5226

FETCH FOUNDATION: Do your First Responders have the tools to save ALL of your family members? Their best chance of survival is in the FIDO BAG! Please DONATE! 602-617-2656

www.thefetchfoundation.com

M.A.I.N. What We Do - M.A.I.N. - Medical Animals In Need, Dog

Rescue in Phoenix Arizona Kelly Ferreira 480-245-9203 President /

Medical Animals In Need www.medicalanimalsinneed.com Together we save lives!

MINI MIGHTY MUTTS

For more information, contact Angie Crouse at 480-304-5654 or info@minimightymutts.com Also check out our website at www.minimightymutts.com Mini Mighty Mutts is a 501(c) 3 organization. We rescue the underdog!

DEER VALLEY PARK COMMUNITY CENTER NEWS



MOVIES IN THE PARK

are on First Fridays from 6 - 9 pm
in Deer Valley Park!

MOVIES WILL BE BACK IN THE FALL!

For more information, contact Deer Valley Community Center

DIRECTOR Noreena M. Ortega Office: 602.495.3734

Email: noreena.ortega@phoenix.gov

When there's trouble in our parks, who ya gonna call? OUR 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

Whether you are in Congressional District 1 (Dave Schweikert) or District 8 (Debbie Lesko), here are some services offered.

Website links:

<https://lesko.house.gov/>

<https://schweikert.house.gov/>

- [Service Academy Applications](#)
- [Flags](#)
- [Internships](#)
- [Veterans](#)



BLOCK WATCH IMPROVES THE QUALITY OF LIFE WITHIN OUR DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD!

Block Watches come in all sizes. They can be a few houses in a cul-de-sac to a whole square mile neighborhood organization. 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 a safe haven. By rights there should be several "Layers of Protection" around our homes starting with National and State Governments controlling our Borders, then State and City Police Departments with local precincts and City Governments that provide education and resources, then Community Member Groups providing Phoenix Neighborhood Patrollers and PNP signs posted on neighborhood streets and then a Block Watch on our own street with neighbors watching out for neighbors and then our own home security alarms and lighting from burglary prevention education.

If you are interested in starting up a Block Watch on your street please contact our Black Mountain Police Precinct Community Action Officers are Tim Tewers #8698 at 602-495-5213 or 480-506-6454 tim.tewers@phoenix.gov and Jon McQuillan #8926 at 602-495-5238 or 602-904-9985 jon.mcquillan@phoenix.gov

Come to the Black Mountain Community Alliance Meeting on the second Wednesday of each month (except July, August & November) at 6:30 pm at the Deer Valley Community Center where we hold our Deer Valley Park Neighborhood Block Watch Organization Meetings and meet with our Community Action Officer!

Meetings have been on ZOOM. Check the website for updates at www.dvpnbwo.com

HELP STOP CRIME IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD BY STARTING A BLOCK WATCH GROUP ON YOUR STREET TODAY!

Distribute this announcement to invite people to the Block Watch Meeting:

You're Invited to an Important Meeting!

If you are as interested as I am about maintaining and improving the quality of life on our street and in our neighborhood, please attend an important meeting to be held:

DAY _____ DATE _____ TIME _____

LOCATION _____

A representative of the Phoenix Police Department will be there to discuss a way we can impact and improve our community. It is called BLOCK WATCH, and we will be informed how to combine our efforts to make our homes and our neighborhood a safer place to live.

Please Plan to Attend and RSVP to:

NAME _____

PHONE _____



Our Deer Valley Park Neighborhood Block Watch Organization will be installing more of these new metal Block Watch Signs on light poles in our neighborhood. If you would like one on your street within our neighborhood, please e-mail dvpnbwo@aol.com on the location.

We can also deliver a paper Block Watch Sign for your window to deter crime. Please e-mail us at dvpnbwo@aol.com if you would like one!

dvpnbwo@aol.com

**City of Phoenix
NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

Our Neighborhood Specialist is **E. MARI HERRERA-DANIELS**
602-261-8587 e.mari.herrera-daniels@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 causing 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.



ARIZONA 211

GET CONNECTED. GET ANSWERS.

Community Information and Referral Services

HUMAN SERVICES – HEALTH NEEDS – EMERGENCY FOOD – CRISIS COUNSELING – RENTAL ASSISTANCE – MENTAL HEALTH – LEGAL ASSISTANCE – FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE – DISABILITY RESOURCES – SUPPORT GROUPS – COMMUNITY AND GOVERNMENT SERVICES – VOLUNTEERING & DONATING – UTILITY ASSISTANCE

OR

ANY OTHER SOLUTIONS YOU MAY NEED!

JUST DIAL 211 or 877-211-8661

www.211arizona.org

SEX OFFENDER

NOTIFICATION INFORMATION IN AND AROUND YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Sex Offender information can be accessed all of the time at

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

WHEN YOU CALL 911 KNOW THE 10 W'S

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.)

SIGN UP FOR REVERSE 911 *IN CASE OF EMERGENCY*

Getting an emergency message out to those living near a catastrophe can be difficult. In Arizona, there is a reverse 911 system.

The Community Emergency Notification System helps those managing a disaster send a message to potential victims, alerting them to stay away and stay safe.

The Community Emergency Notification System is a robo-voice message alert going straight to your phone.

The system automatically dials the landlines in the area of the active scene, but with landline phones nearly extinct, you must register your cell phone if you want to get the message.

[\[Click here to register your phone\]](#)

<https://maricoparegion911.onthealert.com/Terms/Index/?ReturnUrl=%2f>

The system will be able to send text messages out and not only to those who are registered but also to anyone who is near a cell tower where the situation is ongoing.

VISIBLE HOUSE NUMBERS

Please take a moment to step out in front of your home and look for your address. Seriously, if you were an emergency responder is your address visible? Have bushes grown and now obscure or is there an RV parked in such a way that the house numbers are not easily seen? DO NOT rely on the painted curb because a parked vehicle can cover it up. If you have an alley, please take the time to be sure your address is visible on your fence also. Also, make sure the address numbers are visible after dark! Solar LED Spotlights work great!

DVPNBWO GRAFFITI WATCH



Our neighborhood needs help! If you would like to join our Graffiti Team to paint over the graffiti as soon as it shows up around the neighborhood, please e-mail dvpnbwo@aol.com. When you see it in and around our neighborhood, please call Laura Robins at 623-533-0847. THANKS!

IMPORTANT INFO ABOUT NEXTDOOR!

The Police can only post information and events, they cannot see any posts by you or your neighbors unless the posts are directly responding to the Police post. When you or your neighbors talk about suspicious activity, burglaries, etc. on the neighborhood list, the police cannot see it. So, you need to call the information in to CRIME STOP 602-262-6151 or to be anonymous, call SILENT WITNESS 480-WITNESS.



Website: www.IdentityTheft.gov

Recovering from identity theft is easier with a plan. If someone has stolen your identity, or you've gotten a notice about a data breach, visit the FTC's new site at IdentityTheft.gov for help. IdentityTheft.gov is the federal government's one-stop resource to help you report and recover from identity theft. It's also available in Spanish at RobodelIdentidad.gov.

If you visit the website for the Federal Trade Commission www.ftc.gov and go to Publications (type publications in the search bar) you should be able to locate approximately 187 different FREE publications on all types of different topics. This may be a good resource for community information without the burden of paying for printing.

You can also get on the DO NOT CALL REGISTRY!

The Do Not Call Registry accepts registrations from both cell phones and land lines. To register by telephone, call 1-888-382-1222 (TTY: 1-866-290-4236). You must call from the phone number that you want to register. To register online (donotcall.gov), you will have to respond to a confirmation email.

CALL OUR BUSINESS PARTNER, CHERYL WATSON, FOR ALL OF YOUR DEER VALLEY PARK NEIGHBORHOOD REAL ESTATE NEEDS!



Call for Smoke Alarm Services. Smoke Alarm Medic specializes in Smoke Alarm / Smoke Detector installation, Smoke Alarm / Smoke Detector battery changes, Carbon Monoxide Alarm / Carbon Monoxide Detector installation and residential Fire Extinguisher installation & dryer vent cleaning.

We also offer a premier Home Watch service for part time residents or people on extended leave from their property.

Did you know that three of every house fire deaths resulted from fires in homes with no smoke alarms or no working smoke alarms per NFPA? Don't let you or your family be part of this statistic. Call us for all you fire alarm and fire safety needs! We are a Firefighter owned and operated company!

(623) 221-8434 <https://smokealarmmedic.com>

DVPNBWO NEIGHBORHOOD RESIDENT'S

PROFESSION LISTINGS

Neighbors, please add your profession, name, and phone number to our FREE list! Call 623-533-0847 or e-mail us at DVPNBWO@aol.com

AC REPAIR: (Heating & Cooling)
Marc Hakes 602-518-7272

ACOUSTIC REMOVAL & DRYWALL REPAIR:
Scott Runyan 602-620-3140

AMWAY DISTRIBUTORS:
Paul & Elaine Hendricks 623-582-8560

BALLROOM/LATIN DANCE INSTRUCTION:
Robert Blair 480-422-6840

BOBCAT SERVICES:
Travis Belich 602-330-2055

CARPET/FLOOR INSTALLER:
James Eshelman 623-516-0110

CHILDCARE:
Dena Braden 623-533-5227
Sarah Stiegmann 602-495-5121

CHIROPRACTOR:
Dara Salzano 386-547-9832

COMPUTER SERVICES:
Richard M. Ellis (Rick) 623-229-4180 or 623-879-6373
www.richardmellis.com

CONCRETE/MASON:
Pauli Vakameilalo 602-573-0290

CPR / HEALTH CARE PROVIDER INSTRUCTOR
Katee Parton (American Heart Association) 623-251-0555

DOG POOP PICK-UP SERVICE:
Branden Trask 515-368-3828
Roxanne Mercer www.roxannesdogwalking.com
petsitter64632@aol.com

Kevin Harcy 602-795-7440

DoTERRA:
Lupe Vakameilalo 623-580-0555

EGGS (chicken) LOCAL & FRESH:
Anastacia ecoliciousmama@gmail.com

ESSENTIAL OILS - YOUNG LIVING
Jaime Bailey 623-313-6636

FINANCIAL ADVISOR
Carolyn Berenger www.edwardjones.com/carolyn-berenger 623-516-7755

GARAGE DOORS:
Joe Batters - A-Superior Garage Door Service 602-390-5663

GARAGE HAULING & TRASH REMOVAL:
Kevin Harcey 602-795-7440

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Sabree Garcia sabreegarcia@yahoo.com 480-290-9622

HANDYMAN/REMODELER:
Brian Szyzkowski 623-205-3364
Matt Bradfeldt – BRADFELDT CONSTRUCTION 480-227-8145

HOME IMPROVEMENTS:
Art Erb 602-677-3272

HOME THEATRE – Audio/Video
David Karbginsky 602-672-6933

HOME WATCH & PROPERTY CARETAKERS
Suzanne Gallego www.housesit4me.com 602-789-1001

HOUSE CLEANING:
Vanessa 602-478-3484
Terri Martinez wecleananymess@outlook.com
or spottedpixie@gmail.com 602-975-8622

HOUSE PAINTING:
Jeremy Lewis 602-275-4911
(also sign painting and murals)
Tony Jado 623-329-3451
Troy Eastman 623-582-3586

HOUSE PAINTER and DRYWALL REPAIR:
Scott Johns 623-780-8407

INSULATION & DRYWALL:
Barbara Allen www.sundancedrywall.com 602-252-1213

LANDSCAPERS:
Carlos Mendoza 480-544-9956
Christian Miller 602-708-6020
Lenny McTheeney 623-313-2430
Ryan Stroup Azeathworx@gmail.com 623-738-9449

LAWN CLEAN UP/YARD MAINTENANCE
J.S. Avila Lawn Services 623-580-4245 or 602-309-0902
Moses Meandez 602-423-1661

MAKE-UP ARTIST – Bridal/Photography/Special Events
Sarah House 480-560-1164

MARY KAY:
Helen McTheeney 623-521-6866

MASSAGE THERAPIST
Brian DaCunha 561-261-7856

MECHANIC (Auto)
Glenn Gaines 602-446-8023

MECHANIC (Motorcycle/ATV/Watercraft):
Jerry Sites 602-882-5703

MEDICAL SUPPLIES-Pulmonary/Cardiac \$47 Oximeter
Joy Eaves 602-512-9000
877-470-9977

MOBILE NOTARY:
Sabree Garcia sabreegarcia@yahoo.com 480-290-9622

MORTGAGES/RE-FINANCE:
Anthony Anderson 602-214-2144

MUSIC LESSONS Flute/Band:
Reuben Lane silverflute45@aol.com 623-582-8332

NATURAL BODY WRAPS: IT WORKS!
Saje Giovando (natural supplements & skin care) 928-699-7751

PAINTING:
Matt Bradfeldt 480-227-8145

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David Thompson custompnet@gmail.com 480-646-4975

PERSONAL TRAINER:
Jenna Delaney jennatrainsva@gmail.com 602-622-2083

PET SITTING & DOG WALKING
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Roxanne Mercer www.roxannesdogwalking.com
petsitter64632@aol.com 623-533-6710

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Cummins Photography
David & Jolene Cummins www.cumminsphoto.com 602-369-5084
Rica Christine Photography ricachristinephoto@gmail.com 623-582-0414

PLUMBER:
Joe Stone 602-860-1734

PLUMBING & DRAIN:
Art & Julie Erb www.integrityplumbinganddrain.com 480-688-2788

POOL SERVICE & REPAIR:
Hazen Luadtke – Clear Advantage Pool Care 623-703-1026

PRIVATE INVESTIGATION:
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(Background Checks, Violence Prevention, Advocacy Services)

RAPID RETIREMENT STRATEGIST:
Pamela Beebe 623-999-4275

REALTOR (Century 21 Desert Estates Realty)
Lori Carpenter lori.carpenter@century21.com 480-310-0093

RESIDENTIAL BROKERAGE (Coldwell Banker)
Cheryl Watson cheryl.watson@azmoves.com 602-791-2554
www.cherylwatson.cbintouch.com

SECURITY SYSTEMS AMD MONITORING:
Kenneth Strickbine (\$19.99 per month) 602-723-3503

SIGN PAINTING FOR BUSINESSES:
Jeremy Lewis 602-275-4911

STONE/COUNTER WORK:
Juan 602-885-5624

TUTORING: CHEMISTRY – All levels High School/College
Rosy Muftikian lovingchemistry@outlook.com 623-512-9155

TUTORING & PRACTICE OF ENGLISH
Lisa Kopp lisa_kopp2003@yahoo.com 480-524-4306

TUTORING: READING & MATH for children 3 – 10 yrs.
Deborah Sudduth debteach8@aol.com 602-290-3406

WALLPAPER INSTALLATION OR REMOVAL:
Scott Johns 623-780-8407

WEBSITES DESIGNED
Lisa Kopp lisa_kopp2003@yahoo.com 480-524-4306

WINDOW CLEANING:
American Pride 623-760-3235

WRITING, EDITING, RESEARCH, GENEALOGY
Sandra House www.s_house61@yahoo.com 602-743-6628

YOUTH JOB LISTINGS

Enterprising Neighborhood Youth, please call or e-mail us and add your name to this FREE list!

BABYSITTING, PET SITTING, HOUSE SITTING & CLEANING
Tayler Godard 623-271-8645 or 623-262-6780

WANT ADS

This is a great place to list (for free) needs such as carpooling to work or schools, work needed, etc. Be sure to call or e-mail us!

WANTED: Neighbors (elderly or infirm) who need help with yard clean up. Call 623-533-0847 or email dvpnbwo@aol.com

DVPNBWO PNP MEMBERS

Laura Robins 623-533-0847
Bud & Debbie Pameticky 623-869-8118

WE APPRECIATE THE SUPPORT FOR OUR CRIME PREVENTION & SAFETY PROJECTS FROM OUR COMMUNITY BUSINESS PARTNERS!

NEIGHBORS: "Tell them you saw them in the DVPNBWO NEWSLETTER!"

BUSINESSES: If you are interested in partnering with the DVPNBWO, please call Laura Robins at 623-533-0847.

DISCLAIMER:

Acceptance of listings or articles in this Newsletter does not constitute an endorsement by the DVPNBWO

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

EMERGENCY Police/Fire	911
Police CRIME STOP	602-262-6151
Police General Information	602-262-7626
Mayor Kate Gallego	602-262-7111
Black Mountain Police Precinct	602-495-5002
Councilwoman Ann O'Brien	602-262-7444
Abandoned Shopping Cart	602-CRT-PKUP
Abandoned Vehicle off street	602-534-4444
Abandoned Vehicle on street	602-262-6151
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
Humane Society 8am-6pm	602-997-7585
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
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
Report Green Swimming Pools	602-506-0700
SILENT WITNESS 480-WITNESS /	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
Underage Drinking Hotline	1-877-NOT-LEGL
Water Dept. after hours	602-261-8000
Zoning Violations	602-534-4444

If you suspect a vehicle is stolen, check the license plate number at www.theftaz.azag.gov



BE THE FIRST ON YOUR BLOCK TO GET THE NEWS!

GET ON THE DVPNBWO E-MAIL LIST !

E-mail dvpnbwo@aol.com and request to be put on the e-mail list to receive CRIME ALERTS, reminders for the Deer Valley Park Neighborhood Community Meetings, early copies of this neighborhood newsletter IN COLOR and timely information about Lost Pets, Neighborhood Events and Concerns.

A REMINDER: PLEASE REMEMBER ON COLLECTION DAYS TO PUT YOUR GARBAGE AND RECYCLE CANS IN THE STREET WITH THE WHEELS AGAINST THE CURB AND NOT ON THE SIDEWALK WHERE OUR KIDS RIDE THEIR BIKES, ETC.

BULK TRASH PICKUP

The new date for our neighborhood (Area 12) to start putting out bulk trash will be on Saturday, SEPTEMBER 9th. Pick up begins on Monday, SEPTEMBER 18th.

Remember, there is a **ONE WEEK RULE**, so don't put the trash out too early. Bulk trash consists mainly of materials that cannot be placed in your green/black garbage container or recycled in your blue Phoenix Recycles container.

Unacceptable Materials

Our Bulk Trash crews will not pick up the following:

- More than 20 cubic yards per residence, or a pile the size of a SUV
- Loose debris and litter
- Loose grass, leaves, weeds, twigs and hedge clippings
- Household hazardous waste (HHW), such as antifreeze, pool chemicals, oil, batteries, and paint
- Community piles
- Materials placed in the Bagster bags
- Materials such as bricks, concrete, dirt, rocks, asphalt and roofing shingles/tiles
- Construction materials in excess of 25 pounds or over four feet long
- Metal or car parts in excess of 20 pounds or over four feet long
- Tires, any shape or size
- Glass such as windows, shower doors, patio doors, mirrors, fluorescent tubes, etc.
- Tree trunks or stumps larger than 12" in diameter
- Appliances that use refrigerants such as freezers, refrigerators, and air conditioners

(Remember that the trash needs to be 5 feet away from any object, behind the curb, and no larger than a pile 10 feet long, 9 feet wide and 6 feet high. If the pile runs up into your driveway expect to clean the area above the sidewalk yourself.)

Check out our website: www.dvpnbwo.com

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