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What is Heart & Soul, and what does it do?

“Community Heart and Soul reconnects people with what they love most about their town. Then the process translates personal and emotional connections into a blueprint for future community decisions.”

As they like to say: “Heart and Soul is a barn-raising approach to community planning and development designed to increase participation and empower residents.”

Much was learned and enthusiasm reigned as members of both

the Clifton and Duncan Town Councils joined the Greenlee County Board of Supervisors during a special study session on Wednesday March 29 to look more closely at this community building opportunity.

“We were so impressed after we first sat in on an Orton Family Foundation presentation at the NADO conference that we attended a second session as well,” said Chairman of the Board David Gomez.

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Building community economic development

By Ákos Kovach

More often than not, the best way to build consensus is from the ground up.

In the world of economic development showing up, being at the table means a lot. But what about the homebound? What about the disaffected, or those who feel they have been left behind in the process of community building?

The prospect of change is simply intimidating. Pushing, pulling and prodding folks to exit their comfort zone is like going to a dentist for a tooth extraction

and saying ‘no anesthetic doc’. But very few people actually say that, more often they feel disenfranchised. Attending public meetings, in government buildings is a turn off to many. Which is another reason why the Orton Family Foundation Heart and Soul Community Building action steps are so appealing.

By engaging literally everyone the addition of new voices, fresh input and engagement helps develop a

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Reading Nook News

Genealogy Connect

By Karen Soohy

Attention Genealogy researchers: there are two resources you need to use at your local public libraries for your research. First, there is FREE access to Ancestry.com on any public library computer. You can find lots of information in many different areas on Ancestry.

There is also another database you may want to check out called Genealogy Connect. This resource can be used from any home computer through the Greenlee County Library website. All you need is a library card number to use it.

When you go to the Greenlee County Library website (<http://www.greenleelibraries.org>) and click the State Wide Database link on the left side, you will be able to find the Genealogy Connect button. This site contains more than 1,500 reference works from Genealogy.com that were formerly available on in print or on CD.

The first place to look if you are a beginning researcher is a set of research guides called "Genealogy at a Glance". There are lots of books in this collection that will show you how to define your goals and conduct research.

Once you know what you want to research, the volumes available are broken into the following categories: Colonial and Revolutionary; Immigration; Royal and Noble; Native American; and New England. You can also search more specific subjects such as Atlantic State, Caribbean Islands, Colonists, Emigration, Ethnic Groups, Humor, Midwestern United States, Religions, Southern United States, Southwestern United States, as well as many others.

This site can also be translated into over 30 foreign languages. Take a look and see if you can find any information on your family history.

If you are legally blind or have difficulty reading, there is a program available through the AZ State Library System called the AZ Braille and Talking Book Library.

Genealogy Quote: "If you want to understand today, you have to search yesterday." ~~ Pearl S. Buck, Author

Clifton Council Corner

Mayor Felix Callicotte

The "Clifton Council Corner" is a place designed to keep the people in the Town of Clifton informed and up to date on current affairs. We will address concerns in the community; discuss future projects, and present ideas for improvement. We are continually looking for ways to help the Town of Clifton run more efficiently and this column will hopefully help you become involved. We appreciate your responses to this column and are pleased by the many who have commented on their thoughts and issues. We cannot resolve an issue if we are unaware of it. We are continually looking for ways to help the Town of Clifton run more efficiently and this column will hopefully help you become involved.

Summer Safety Tips

As we are all aware the first weeks of March in Clifton were a true spring, however, the beginning of the summer heat will soon arrive in Clifton.

Summer heat can be dangerous, even deadly, if you do not take the proper precautions. Everyone should follow the following basic heat safety tips in order to avoid the dangers of heat exposure.

- NEVER leave children or pets unattended in a car.
- Be a good neighbor; check on elderly and people with disabilities in our community who may need assistance keeping cool.
- Stay indoors in air conditioning as much as possible.
- If you do go outside, stay in the shade.
- Avoid exertion during the hottest part of the day.
- Wear sunscreen outside along with loose-fitting, light-colored clothes that cover as much skin as possible.
- Take cool showers or baths.
- Drink water regularly even if you are not thirsty. Limit alcohol and sweet drinks intake which speed dehydration and make sure to leave plenty of water for your pets.

Summer Fire Hazards

The recent spring rains that turned the hillsides

[Click here to read more](#)

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The process really appealed to us as one that sounded like a great fit for Greenlee County.”

According to David Leckey, the Executive Director for the Orton Family Foundation, “the strength of a community lies in the hands and hearts of the people who live there.” Leckey spoke effusively during his presentation, held over the internet on a platform called Blue Jean, similar to Skype but with more features. For example when Leckey located in Vermont, was suddenly muted Caitlyn Davison, located in Maine, was able to pick right up and keep the information flowing.

The audience learned “whether they discuss places, traditions, or attitudes these are the things that matter. They draw people to a place and make them care about where they live.”

Supervisors like approach

Supervisor Ron Campbell liked the “community level on up approach”, “I think it’s important to have the community share with us what they hope for and want to see grow in our area” said Campbell. Supervisor Lunt agreed, “I didn’t want to interrupt the presentation, but I wanted to say it sure seemed to me that these folks have found a formula that works in a rural setting.”

After little over an hour, and numerous comments from the attendees the Community Heart & Soul cultivated a lot of support. Nearly everyone wanted to learn more, do more and start the journey of the ‘next steps’.

To learn more about Heart and Soul visit their website: <http://www.orton.org>

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permanent shift towards participatory decision making. This sort of ‘buy-in’ is invaluable.

Each and every economic developer follows a strategy to engage the public and build consensus, but plan that works in one community may not work at all in the next. These are the times when we must search for new ways, or old ways revisited, to develop new leaders and to help train skills that will result in a

Letter to the Editor

Economic development insights

As part of the recent launch of our brand-new website, we created a section we like to call SimonCRE Insights. This is where we share news and views about our company and the industry we love. I wanted to take a moment to highlight a couple new features that you can look forward to!

In March, we introduced two new series. First, the [SimonCRE TI Series](#). These posts will feature interviews with our tenants in which we will discuss topics such as plans for growth, advice, and industry challenges.

Last month we sat down with Bush’s Chicken franchisee Tony Cain to discuss expansion in Arizona, plans for the future, and what makes their brand so unique.

Our second series is known as [SimonSays](#). We created this series as a way to share valuable

more cohesive approach to community building an important step in any economic development plan.

One reason why Greenlee County and the Towns of Clifton and Duncan are taking a closer look at the key principals of Heart & Soul is due to their insistence on involving everyone. The next step is focusing on what matters to the members of the community, and finally don’t look for a quick fix. Community building is a marathon, not a 40 yards dash.

insights from our CEO, Joshua Simon.

Joshua shares his unique perspective on everything from growing a company to professional road blocks to finding balance. In the latest installment Joshua covers four elements he applies to his life to help him achieve his goals.

We hope you enjoy these exciting new additions. We look forward to sharing our insights with you and hearing your feedback!

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Editor’s note: Greenlee County worked with SimonCRE, and Josh Simon, to bring Dollar General to Clifton.

SIMON SAYS



Budget would eliminate ED programs

To the editor:

The (FY) 2018 budget has been released, America First: A Budget Blueprint to Make America Great Again. The blueprint recommends \$1.1 trillion in federal investment, with a \$54 billion increase in military spending offset by cuts to domestic programs.

But it includes eliminating various economic development programs. Key budget provision impacting members of the National Association of Development Organization (Greenlee County is a member) include:

- Elimination of the U.S. Economic Development Administration
- Elimination of all federal-state regional commissions: Appalachian Regional Commission, Delta Regional Authority, Denali Commission, and Northern Border Regional Commission
- Elimination of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program and HOME Investment Partnerships Program
- Elimination of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Water and Wastewater loan and grant program and discretionary activities of the Rural Business and Cooperative Service
- Elimination of the Federal Emergency Management Agency's state and local grant funding unauthorized by Congress including the Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program
- Decrease in federal support for the Department of Labor's job training and employment service formula grants
- Elimination of the U.S. De-

partment of Transportation's Essential Air Service Program and TIGER discretionary grant program

- Elimination of the U.S. Department of Treasury's Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFI) Fund
- A 31% cut in the budget of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, with over 50 programs cut (full list not made available)

About the blueprint

The budget blueprint is not a full budget request, nor is it a mandate. Congress is charged with crafting the annual appropriations bills that fund federal agencies and will be holding hearings on oversight and spending in the coming weeks as they begin to craft their FY2018 appropriations bills.

At NADO, we are committed to advancing legislation and spending packages which continue investment in regional economies.

We believe the cuts included in President Trump's budget blueprint would negatively impact communities throughout the country.

We will be working with other stakeholder groups to communicate the importance of these programs in supporting locally driven community and economic development and will continue our outreach to House and Senate Appropriations Committee staff and members of Congress to advocate for these programs.

Next steps

Looking forward at the next steps in the budget and appropri-

ations process, here is a timeline of expected action:

Beginning now: House and Senate Appropriations Subcommittees hold oversight hearings.

April 28: Current continuing resolution (CR) for FY2017 expires. Congress must by this date pass another CR or an omnibus spending package for the remainder of the fiscal year.

May: Administration's full FY2018 budget proposal is expected.

May: Congress begins consideration of FY2018 spending bill in the House and Senate Appropriations Committees.

October 1: FY2018 begins.

How you can help

Here is how you can help: Call your congressional office to voice your concerns regarding the budget request and how local communities would be affected by the proposed cuts. Be prepared to offer specific examples of EDA, CDBG, regional commission, and other federal investment successes in supporting your region's economic development.

NADO will continue to work with partners and stakeholders to influence policy making and spending decisions on behalf of NADO members. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

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Letter from the Editor

Don't wait; take action

There are times when standing on the sidelines is not a solution.

When funding mechanisms (such as CDBG and EDA) that truly make a difference in rural communities are jeopardized the time to speak up, the time to take action is at hand.

Normally we focus on bright spots, good news, grant funding and the like, and while we will

continue to share good news, we are obligated to make certain you know about federal funding challenges that would be harmful to rural cities, towns and counties. We invite you to read the warnings from both NACo and NADO on page 4 and below.

Your phone call to our Arizona delegation, and your urging to have your family and friends

in other states to do the same can turn the tide.

This is not a party issue. This is about the reality of programs that really work, funding sources that create jobs and spread economic development into areas not always easily accessible – mainly rural America. Do your part.

Thank you, Ákos

Letter to the Editor

Reach out to your representatives

Recently the Washington Post released an article about consideration of \$6 billion in cuts to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) FY 2018 budget, including the elimination of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) and HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) programs. CDBG and HOME are two vital housing, infrastructure and economic development programs that provide flexible funding to states and localities, including counties.

NACo (the National Association of Counties) along with the U.S. Conference of Mayors and National League of Cities released a joint press statement to express concerns about the HUD FY 2018 budget eliminating CDBG and also to request a meeting with HUD Secretary Ben Carson to discuss before any proposal is sent to Congress.

HUD has not confirmed the CDBG and HOME program eliminations, rather HUD spokesman Jereon Brown stated that the budget document “is still a work in

progress.” Therefore, it is important that you have information on CDBG and HOME funded housing, community and infrastructure projects in your county, and also begin calculating the impact on your county if these programs were eliminated.

I spoke with House appropriations committee staff and confirmed that even if the new budget does not request funding for CDBG or HOME, the House and Senate Transportation, Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Committees could still include funding for FY 2018. Historically, CDBG has garnered strong bipartisan support from congressional members.

Please begin reaching out to your congressional members to express concerns about the possible elimination of the CDBG and HOME programs; send them information on projects in your district and ask them to oppose elimination of both these vital community, infrastructure and economic development programs.

Currently, CDBG is funded at \$3 billion and HOME at \$950 million in the FY 2017 Continuing Resolution (P.L. 114-254) until April 28, 2017.

Thank you in advance for your assistance!

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Poetry workshop

A community workshop and open mic with poets Logan Phillips and Roanna Shebala will be held Thursday, April 13, from 5:30 - 9 p.m. at the

Gila Community College San Carlos Campus, Tonto Street and Mesa Drive in San Carlos.

Join the poets for an all-ages interactive workshop with participants of Poets on the Rez at the San Carlos Campus of Gila Community College.

Asbestos, waste seminar

The Environmental Information Association Arizona Chapter, in alliance with the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality and The Asbestos Institute will be presenting a free seminar on asbestos and solid waste in Safford April 20.

Learn the basics from EIA board members, ADEQ inspectors and instructors from The Asbestos Institute.

It will be held from 8-3:30 at Safford Public Works / Mesa Yard Conference Room, 405 W. Discovery Park Blvd. Breakfast and lunch are included.

Please register on-line at www.eia-az.org or by calling 602-864-6564

Webinar on data use

Join the NADO Research Foundation and the Indiana Business Research Center (IBRC) on Tuesday, April 4 from 2 - 3:15 p.m. ET for a free webinar that will take a closer look at the Innovation Index 2.0, a new web index from StatsAmerica funded with support from the US Economic Development Administration.

The Innovation Index 2.0 is a free web resource that can give economic development practitioners and regional leaders the ability to assess their region's economic strengths and challenges and also provide valuable data that can be utilized when writing a Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy (CEDs) or other regional economic development plans.

The Innovation Index 2.0 expands on a previous index by adding more than 50 new measures. Data are shown at the county level and can be aggregated to a regional level based on the user's needs.

Data and analysis can inform stakeholders' collective action toward a common vision and can guide complex decision-making at the regional level by identifying a region's capabilities, shortfalls, and potential.

A nationwide mapping widget allows the user to see every county or region in a heat map style - even allowing the user to select a county or region as the "comparison point" against which all other counties are then measured. The user can compare a county or region side-by-side with other, similar geographic units and capture the data in a spreadsheet or pdf. The index values and ranks can be downloaded by county, MSA, and Economic Development District.

The webinar will feature a demonstration of the Innovation Index 2.0 by IBRC staff and include time for questions and answers.

[Click here to register.](#)

Webinar on ED, planning

An upcoming NADO Research Foundation webinar will provide information for regional planning and economic development professionals.

April 21, 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. Access vs. Isolation: Preserving Rail Connectivity.

[To register, click here.](#)

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Javelina Chase returns for 4th year

The Javelina Chase is gearing up to be another weekend of family fun and excitement.

This year it will feature activities for all Greenlee County residents, beginning on Friday, May 5th at the Duncan High School cafeteria with a pasta dinner from 5-8 p.m..

The cost is \$7/plate and benefits the Duncan Little League. Come out and meet some of the riders who will be competing on Saturday and Sunday and enjoy a good meal at the same time.

Saturday events

On Saturday, May 6th "The Chase" will begin with road races and fun Fondo rides of 25, 50 and 72-miles, and it is also the host of the Arizona State Road Race Championships for Masters and Juniors! Come out to cheer the competitors on.

Additionally, we're looking to attract a new group of mountain bike riders for our new event: the Ghost Mine Rumble. It consists of a 20 and 60-mile course on the backroads around Greenlee, Grant and Hidalgo counties.

All of these events start at the Greenlee County Fairgrounds. Due to bike and foot traffic on Fairgrounds Road, we are requesting that spectators enter via the back road, near the baseball fields.

We will again feature a Bicycle Rodeo for kids age 3 to 13, organized by the Duncan Wildkat PTA. In addition to a lot of fun, there will be a bicycle maintenance clinic, bicycle safety instruction, loaner bikes for kids who don't have their own, and a

limited number of safety helmets given away free.

Families will have the additional option of participating in a 5K run while the cyclists are out on the courses.

After all of the riders have returned, head to Centennial Park for a Cinco de Mayo fiesta hosted by the Town of Duncan. There will be games for kids, entertainment and good eats!

Sunday events

Sunday, May 7th, will feature the criterium, a closed-course race. This fast-paced racing will take place starting on the Old Virden Road, and continues to the Virden Road and a small section of Highway 75.

Traffic will be restricted so please make alternate plans for coming to Duncan that day.

As in the past, it's still a benefit ride for scholarships for a Duncan High School student and a Morenci High School student.

The Javelina Chase relies heavily on local support. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact us on the Javelina Chase Volunteers Facebook page or email: javchaseaz@gmail.com

Anyone interested in becoming a sponsor, there is a link on our webpage or email us at the above address and we will gladly accept your financial support. The deadline to be included on the back of our tee shirt is April 15, 2017.

We look forward to an exciting and fun-filled weekend and hope you become a part of it!



SEACAP assistance programs schedules

The Southeastern Arizona Community Action Program has assistance programs available throughout Greenlee County.

The Duncan utility assistance program will be available April 11, May 9 and June 13, from 10 a.m. each day at Duncan Heights.

For rental appointment, call 800-293-1144, starting at 8 a.m. on April 26, May 31 and June 29.

For weatherization applications call 800-293-1144 Monday through Friday from 8-5.

Assistance in Clifton

In Clifton, for utility assistance follow these steps:

1) Applications can be picked up at the Clifton office at 100 Coronado St. (If no one is in the office, go to step 2.)

2) You can call 928-428-4653 or 1-800-293-1144, to request a mail-in application for utilities. For all other services, request information about how or where can you apply services.

3) For rent assistance, you call for appointment on April 27, May 31 and June 29, starting at 8 a.m. Call the number in step 2. (Appointments are given out only via phone.)

Utility assistance

For utility assistance in either Duncan or Clifton, you must bring the following:

*proof of income for the last 30 days for all household members, if zero income requires proof of how you have been meeting your expenses in the past 60 days;

*social security cards for all household members;

*picture id for applicant;

*proof of citizenship for applicant (birth certificate);

*utility bill/deposit statement or propane statement must be dated within last 30 days with applicant's name, address and utility co. representative's signature;

*DES printout, including: AFBH, state (if applicable);

*child support documentation (if applicable);

(This information is subject to change depending the case situation.)

If you have questions, please call SEACAP, 283

W. 5th St., Safford, at (928) 428-2872.

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Arizona@Work opening

Arizona@Work for Southeastern Arizona will host a ribbon cutting and open house at its new location for the community to learn more about the no-cost jobseeker and employer services offered by the organization.

The event will be Friday, April 14, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The new location is 558 N. Coronado Blvd. in Clifton (next to the Kempton Chevrolet Service Center.)

Please call 928-439-4623 with any questions.

Let's Paint the Town Blue!!!

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month
Graham/Greenlee Child Abuse Prevention Council is having a Contest!!!

Paint Your Business Windows Or Decorate Your Door

Promoting Positive Interactions With Children!

Leave it up for the month of April and on April 29th, at the Dump The Drug Event we will announce the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place Winners and present them with their prize!

To Sign up for the contest contact Christy or Julie 928-428-7231

Upcoming activities

4/1 6-9 p.m., Polly Rosenbaum Dinner, Blue Door Sanctuary, 112 Park Avenue, Clifton

4/5 (also 4/19) 8-11 a.m., Greenlee County Board of Supervisors, Courthouse Annex.

4/5 (and every Wednesday through April 19) 10-11 a.m., Mt. Graham Safe House, domestic violence info classes, St. Philip & James, A Frame Church, Morenci.

4/10 5 and 7:30 p.m., County softball field in Morenci, Culpepper & Merriweather Circus. (See announcement on page 4 for details.)

4/10 6-8 p.m., Family (Easter) Bingo, Morenci Club.

4/13 5:30-9 p.m., Gila Community College, San Carlos Campus, Community Workshop and Open Mic with Poets on the Rez with Logan Phillips and Roanna Shebala. (928) 475-5981.

4/14 7:45 p.m. sharp, Flashlight Eggs-Stravaganza, for kids 2-12, at Sumitomo Park and Veterans Memorial Ball Fields. Free.

4/15 Spring Rampage. See back page for details.

4/29 8 a.m. signup, Mt. Graham Safe House benefit golf tournament, Greenlee County Country Club, entry fee of \$50 per person includes lunch. Contact Frank Ogas to sign up at (928) 215-0145.

5/5-7 Javelina Chase, 4 p.m. Friday, packet pick-up for the riders at the DHS cafeteria.

See Morenci School District calendar at [its website](http://morenci.k12.az.us/2016-2017%20Calendar.pdf).
<http://morenci.k12.az.us/2016-2017%20Calendar.pdf>

Veteran's session Mar. 31

Veteran's Business Outreach Center (VBOC) and Eastern Arizona College Small Business Development Center will present **VBOC on the Road**.

VBOC on the Road is designed to provide general information to Veteran Entrepreneurs about the ReBoot program that will be scheduled locally at a later date in 2017.

It will be held Friday, March 31, 2017, from 9-11 a.m. at the EAC Wayne M. McGrath High Tech Center, Room #124, in Thatcher. It is free.

These two hour informational sessions are conducted in collaboration with the local Small Business Development Centers (SBDCs) in your respective communities as well as the local Chambers of Commerce and Economic Development Organizations.

The ReBoot seminars are provided under the umbrella of the Small Business Administration (SBA) in an effort to stimulate more small business start-ups by exposing entrepreneurs to the resources that are available.

[Click here to register.](#)

Marisa has a story to tell

Editor's note: Marisa has been nominated as Woman of the Year by the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society in southern Arizona.

My name is Marisa Borjon, and I have a story to tell. It was my great fortune to be born and raised in rural Arizona. My family is and has always been my safety net; they love me, support me and have stuck by me throughout my battle with cancer.

When I was 18 I graduated from Morenci High School and also accumulated a full year of credits from Eastern Arizona College. I moved to Tucson, AZ to attend the University of Arizona. A week before mid-terms I was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL), I was also 6 months pregnant. Although my daughter, Aleece, was born prematurely she is now 9 years old, the light of my life and is a happy and healthy child.

During that chapter of my battle I underwent radiation treatments, chemotherapy, and thanks to a bone marrow donation from my brother Jaime Borjon, I experienced a second chance through a successful bone marrow transplant.

As anyone who has been around a patient going through these treatments I was very sick but felt compelled to volunteer, to raise awareness and money for the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life walk event. My amazingly supportive family helped me continue my college education by driving me back and forth from appointments and to and from classes. It was quite the voyage.

But after 8 months of being in remission, bloodwork revealed a relapse, my cancer came back. This time my doctors and I fought back with an aggressive round of chemo and a second bone marrow transplant. Side effects from all the medications sent streaming into to my system to save me also took a heavy toll on me physically, biologically, emotionally and financially.

Treatments caused hair loss twice, my bones began to deteriorate, there was excessive weight loss, and at one point I was seeing seven medical specialists at the same time. This was a more than just a struggle for my life; it was also a challenge that

affected my family. There were financial considerations, personal issues, motherhood and scheduling time commitments as we drove back and forth to Tucson numerous times each every month for treatments and doctor visits.

Despite my battle with cancer I continued to volunteer and attend college classes. I graduated from Eastern Arizona College (EAC) with two associate's degrees in May of 2012 receiving my diploma using the aid of crutches due to the deterioration of my hips.

When I finally began to feel better I was even more determined to help others with cancer so I began making public speeches in support of awareness and by volunteering for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society's Light the Night walk event in Tucson. I am now the Volunteer Coordinator for Light the Night overseeing 200 volunteers at this important annual activity.

In 2015 I graduated with a Bachelor's degree from Arizona State University through EAC's partnership with ASU and held a summer internship at the Freeport-McMoRan Inc. mine in Morenci. I was honored to receive the "2015 Volunteer of the Year Award" from the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society and the next year received the "Logistics Committee Award."

In February of this year I was privileged to be nominated to the 1st annual Woman of the Year of Southern Arizona and Tucson award. I will soon embark on a ten week fundraising campaign, every dollar I raise will count as 1 vote towards the title of 2017's Woman of the Year. This next journey begins on April 3rd and ends on June 17th.

Today I am happy, healthy, seeking full time employment, and most importantly living life with my daughter Aleece and fiancé Eric Dahlgren. I am more than grateful to have had the support from my family, friends and community throughout this past decade. I pledge to continue to assist others with cancer and do my best to raise money for cancer research that will one day find a cure.

You can learn more about her campaign on her Facebook page at [marisaborjon2017WOTY](https://www.facebook.com/marisaborjon2017WOTY).



Greenlee County Spring Rampage April 15, 2017

9:00 am -10:00 am	Town of Duncan Car Show Registration	Front of Exhibit Bldg.
9:00 am	Duncan Schools Mud Volleyball Registration	Mud pit area
9:00 am	Pride Society Easter Egg Hunt	Centennial Park Town of Duncan
9:30 am	Vendors open	Bldg. and outside
10:00 am - 3:00 pm	Town of Duncan Car Show Judging & Public Viewing	Front of Exhibit Bldg.
10:30 am	Decorated Egg Contest Entry Time Bring your best decorated egg to be judged!	Exhibit Bldg.
11:00 am	Duncan Schools Mud Volleyball Tourney	Mud pit area
11:00 am	Music	Under the Ramada
12:00 pm-5:00 pm	Kids Zone -FREE with Gate Admission- Bounce houses & slides, Extreme obstacle Course, Bungee Trampoline	No Parking Area
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm	BINGO for all ages provided by Victory Fellowship No Money required to play- Prize awards	Exhibit Bldg.
3:00 pm- 4:00 pm	Athletic Booster Club Horse Shoe Tournament Entry \$20 per team—Prize\$100.00 added money	Horse Shoe Pits
5:00 pm	Walk in Entry for Bull Riding	Crows Nest Arena
6:00 pm	Bull Riding Performance by Buck'Em Rodeo \$1,000.00 added money and Trophy Buckle to top Rider	Arena/Grandstands
8:00 -11:00 pm	Live Dance by Cross Roads	Ramada

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