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Single \$4
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ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIPS

Single \$48 per year
 Family \$96 per year

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The COPMEA office is scheduled to move the end of June to the following location:

Calvin C. Goode Building
251 West Washington Street
Phoenix Arizona 85003
Second Floor Mezzanine

(The former badging office)

Please call first 602-262-6857

Please send your personal e-mail address to the COPMEA office. COPMEA recently changed e-mail systems and lost all

COPMEA members' e-mail addresses.

Send your e-mail address to:

copmea@copmea.com



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

Washington Activity Center
 2240 West Citrus Way
 Phoenix, Arizona 85015
 5:30 p.m.

05/17/2016

09/20/2016

10/18/2016

11/15/2016

12/20/2016



Saturday, June 11, 2016 3:00pm – 9:00pm

Members \$14. Non-members \$29. Last day of sale June 4th

Unlimited use of Water Park Attractions

Waikiki Beach Wave Pool • Bora Bora Bay • Otter Slides

Kilauea Cove Slides • Captain Cook’s Landing • Cyclone & Tsunami Slides The Black Hole • Hurricane Slides • Tornado Twisters • White Serpentine Slide

All-You-Can-Eat Picnic:

- **Grilled Hamburgers, • Hot Dogs, • Pulled Chicken • Baked Beans**
- **Potato Chips Potato Salad • Cookies • Unlimited Soft Drinks**

Served from 5:30pm – 7:30pm

For Further Information and Tickets Contact: Phone: 602-262-6858

Big surf waterpark, 1500 N. McClintock Dr./Hayden Rd • Tempe, AZ 85281 • (480) 994-2297

No alcohol, food, glass containers, or outside beverages are allowed into the Waterpark.

Only approved swimwear will be allowed on the waterslides.

No jean cut-offs or shorts with rivets or zippers will be permitted.

Life jackets can be provided free of charge.



**Attention City of Phoenix Retirees and
Customer Service-Oriented Volunteers**

The city of Phoenix is seeking friendly, energetic, customer-service oriented volunteers looking to participate in the downtown Phoenix scene. In October, the city of Phoenix introduced its City Hall Connectors, a helpful group of volunteers who are committed to assisting visitors to City Hall. City Hall Connectors are stationed at the first floor Phoenix City Hall information desk facing Washington Street and are the welcoming faces as visitors enter the building. City Hall Connectors connect Phoenix residents and visitors to all the services the city has to offer! Eligible volunteers will receive training, free parking during their assigned shifts and a chance to meet other friendly volunteers and city employees. This volunteer opportunity requires committing to a minimum of two shifts per month, with an option for a three- or six-hour shift. The City Hall information desk will be open Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. and closed during major holidays. So if you, or someone you know who is 18 years of age and above, is interested in being a volunteer City Hall Connector, please direct them to volunteer.phoenix.gov, click on “Hot Opportunities” and scroll down for City hall Connectors!



**Put Your Deposits Now for
GARMENT DISTRICT TRIP**

Friday, November 11 through
Sunday, November 13, 2016

LUXE Hotel

\$280 per Member (Per Person)

Double Occupancy

\$300 Per Member Single

Occupancy

\$560 per Non-Members & Guests

(Per Person)



**ENSENADA MEXICO CRUISE ON
THE INSPIRATION CRUISE SHIP**

SEPT 26-30 2016

Call Valley West Travel for details
and to make deposits and payments
(623) 266-6022

Trip must be paid in full by July 13,
2016. No refunds after this date.
Cabins are limited.

Transportation to Long Beach is not
included in this package.

Don't forget:

to celebrate the
women in your
life on Mother's
Day, May 8, 2016

San Francisco in 2017

August 24 through August 28, 2017

To include: hotel, coach transportation
to and from airport and hotel, Ruther-
ford hill winery tour , tasting & lunch.



*Happy
Mother's Day*

Social Mixer at Macayo's

4001 N. Central Ave.

Friday, August 19, 2016

5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Appetizers

Cash Bar

Music and Dancing

RSVP at the COPMEA Office to

Receive a Free Wristband and

3 Free Drink Tickets



This is an exclusive members-only event for adults 21 years of age or older, and space is limited to the first 100 members so you must RSVP at the COPMEA Office right away.

**COPMEA now sells "Old School"
City Bird™ Caps.**

Member Price:

\$16 each or 2 for \$30

Non-member Price:

\$20

CASH ONLY



COPMEA hosted a fun-filled event on March 5, 2016 at **Castles N' Coasters** and **442** COPMEA members attended. The amusement park was semi-exclusive for COPMEA from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and was mixed with the public afterward. Members enjoyed an all-you-can-eat picnic lunch, unlimited soft drinks, unlimited rides, and one round of golf. Take a look at some of the memories made and captured in these photos:



DISNEYLAND® Resort

Admission Media

Ordering Period: March 9, 2016 – December 31, 2016

Valid for Arrivals: March 9, 2016 – December 31, 2016

The following types of Tickets, and their Net Rates offered to COPMEA by Disney pursuant to this Agreement are as follows. **PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.**

Disneyland® Resort 1-Park Per Day Tickets

Duration	Ticket Type	Net Price	
		Ages 10 & Up	Ages 3 - 9
2 Days	1 Park Per Day	\$185.25	\$173.85
3 Days	1 Park Per Day	\$229.50	\$218.70
4 Days	1 Park Per Day	\$252.00	\$238.50
5 Days	1 Park Per Day	\$265.50	\$252.00

Disneyland® Resort Park Hopper® Tickets

Duration	Ticket Type	Net Price	
		Ages 10 & Up	Ages 3 - 9
2 Days	Park Hopper®	\$223.25	\$211.85
3 Days	Park Hopper®	\$265.50	\$254.70
4 Days	Park Hopper®	\$288.00	\$274.50
5 Days	Park Hopper®	\$301.50	\$288.50

Disneyland 60

Diamond Celebration

60 Delightful Years of Disney Magic

Experience it all with a multi-day ticket.



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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 Talking Stick Resort Arena 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>Harkins</u> \$6.50	<u>SeaWorld</u>
Harkins Special Engagement \$7.50	Adults/Children One Day Ticket \$60.00
AMC Gold \$8.00	1 Day Ticket w/All Day Meal Bracelet \$77.40 (reg. gate price Adult:\$89.00, Child: \$83)
<u>Enchanted Island at Encanto Park</u>	<u>Aquatica Water Park Season Pass</u> \$38.00
Unlimited Rides (reg. \$14.25) \$8.00	<u>Universal Studios</u>
<u>Castles and Coasters</u>	(must pay by credit/debit card)
Adult/Child \$24.00	All Tickets Adult/Child
Unlimited Rides & 1 Round of Golf (reg. \$30)	Single Day Ticket: Depends on Date Visiting
<u>Arizona Science Center</u>	Front of Line Tickets (reg. \$149) \$129.00
General Admission \$7.00	All Year Pass (reg. \$104) \$99.00
<u>Phoenix Zoo</u>	Black out dates apply
Adult (Reg. \$20) \$15.00	<u>Six Flags Magic Mountain</u>
Child 3-12 (reg. \$14) \$10.00	(must pay by credit/debit card + \$8.99 fee)
<u>Wildlife World Zoo & Aquarium</u>	All Tickets Adult/Child \$44.99
Adults (reg. \$29) \$22.00	<u>Hurricane Harbor</u>
Child 3-12 (reg. \$14.25) \$10.00	All Tickets Adult/Child (reg. \$37.99) \$25.99
<u>Out of Africa</u> (reg. \$29.95/\$14.95)	<u>San Diego Zoo or Safari Park</u>
Adults \$24.95	Adults (reg. \$50) \$42.50
Child 3-12 \$10.95	Child 3-11 (reg. \$40) \$34.00
<u>Desert Botanical Gardens</u>	<u>Legoland</u> (2 Day Ticket for Legoland Only)
Adults \$20.00	Adult \$75.00
Child 3-12 \$5.50	Child 3-12 \$69.00
Student \$12.00	(reg. \$78 Adult/\$68 Child)
<u>Arizona Sea Life Aquarium, AZ Mills</u> \$9.00	<u>Legoland, Water Park & Sea Life Aquarium</u>
Reg. Adult \$18.50 and Child \$10.50	<u>Resort Hopper Ticket</u>
<u>Butterfly Wonderland, Scottsdale</u>	Adult (buy 1 day 2nd day free) \$75.00
Adults 12+ (reg. \$19.95) \$16.95	Child Adult (buy 1 day 2nd day free) \$69.00
Child 3-11 (reg. \$10.95) \$8.95	<u>Knott's Berry Farm</u>
Children 2 years & under free (reg. \$16.95 for student, seniors, military)	(must pay by credit/debit card + \$8.99 fee)
<u>Golfland/Sunsplash</u> (reg. \$28.99) \$18.00	Adult (reg. \$57) \$36.00
<u>Wet and Wild</u> \$29.00	Child 3-12, Jr. Sr. (reg. \$28.99) \$33.00
(Debit/credit card w/\$5 fee)	<u>Knott's Soak City</u>
(reg. Adult 38.99/Child \$29.99)	(must pay by credit/debit card + \$5.99 fee)
<u>Big Surf</u> (reg. \$26.95) \$14.00	Adult (reg. \$59) \$25.00
<u>See's Candies Certificate</u> (reg. \$17.50) \$15.20	Child 3-12 (reg. \$28.99) \$23.00
<u>Honey Baked Ham Cert</u> (worth \$40) \$34.00	(Save \$30)



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Las Vegas, 2 Nights Hotel with Air, \$189 pp

San Diego, 2 Nights + SeaWorld, \$199 pp

Disneyland, 2 Nights + 2 Day Hopper Pass, \$341 pp

Honolulu, Hawaii, 5 Nights, Hotel/Air, \$799 pp

Knott's Berry Farm Packages, Hotel, Tickets & More

Grand Canyon Train Package

Polar Express Christmas Train Pkg.

Note: certain restrictions may apply to all vacations.

Group Vacations

Baja Cruise, Sept. 26, 2016, \$335 pp

Mexican Baja, 4 Nights, Oct.17, 2016, \$298

Exotic Caribbean Cruise,
7 Nights, Oct. 1, 2016, \$669pp

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COPMEA CLASSIFIEDS

For Sale:

Custom Made **Pool Table** \$1,100. Price is negotiable.

E-mail at ladybug197346@msn.com or call at 602 882-1349

Verizon Gold **iPhone**, 5S 16gb, has Ghost Armor Screen Cover, comes with 3 feminine phone covers, 4 chargers & 2 cables. \$125. Call or text 602-316-8229

All COPMEA members can advertise in the Municipal for free. Send your advertisement information to copmea@copmea.com

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15% OFF

TO ALL COPMEA MEMBERS WHEN YOU PRESENT YOUR COPMEA CARD

This discount will work at all 5 of locations

www.majerles.com.

Valid at all five locations:

Downtown Phoenix, Chandler Fashion Center Mall, in Goodyear at McDowell & Dysart, "Old Town" Scottsdale and newest location in Flagstaff on Route '66'.



Phoenix Hispanic Network

The Phoenix Hispanic Network (PHN) works to support and foster the professional careers of City of Phoenix employees. The Employee Network Group revitalized itself at its Kick-Off Event last September and is working hard to provide educational and professional opportunities to its members. Since its September event, PHN has held a meet and greet and began its Professional Development Brown Bag series in November. PHN is developing a mentoring program and hopes to launch it next calendar year.

If you interested in becoming a member of PHN or would like more information, please visit their website at www.phoenixhispanicnetwork.org. Should you have any questions or concerns, feel free to send a message to phx.hispanic.network@phoenix.gov and a PHN will respond to your inquiry.

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Welcome

New
COPMEA

April 2016

- Monica Cordova, Associate
- Raymond Kearns, Associate
- Nazario Sanchez, Public Works
- Wayne Cook, ITS
- Yesenia Sapore, Neighborhood Services
- Patrick Bazan, Aviation
- Marcela Coronado, Municipal Court
- Daniel Chavez, Water
- Jose C. Rojas, Street Transportation
- Benjamin Martinez, City Clerk
- Yasmeen DeSantiago, Parks & Recreation
- Lisa Acosta, Neighborhood Services



LAS VEGAS 2016
OCTOBER 14, 15 AND 16, 2016

MEMBERS \$175 DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

MEMBERS \$200 SINGLE OCCUPANCY

NON-MEMBERS \$350 DOUBLE/SINGLE OCCUPANCY PER PERSON)

DEPARTING ON FRIDAY MORNING OCTOBER 14 FROM METRO TRANSIT CENTER (IN FRONT OF TRANSIT SECURITY OFFICE)

BUS LOADING AT 8:00 AM DEPARTING AT 8:30 AM FIRM

MOVIES, 50/50 DRAWING, MUSIC, AND BUS LOAD OF FUN!

GROUP LUNCH AT "EL PALACIO" KINGMAN. AZ

2 NIGHT STAY AT: TREASURE ISLAND HOTEL & CASINO

3300 SOUTH LAS VEGAS BLVD, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

2 HOUR STOP IN LAUGHLIN, NV RETURNING TO PHOENIX, AZ

RETURNING SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16, METRO CENTER TRANSIT CENTER APPROX 6:00 /6:30 PM

\$50.00 NON- REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT REQUIRED

FULL PAYMENT DUE BY SEPTEMBER 2, 2016



COPMEA NOW ACCEPTS CREDIT AND DEBIT CARDS FOR YOUR PURCHASES

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AS A VALUED MEMBER OF COPMEA, YOU WILL NOT BE CHARGED A PROCESSING FEE

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

copmea@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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You can purchase your certificates at the COPMEA office for \$8 but are worth \$10 for a **20% savings** when you use them



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- ⇒ 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
- ⇒ **Send your e-mail address to:**
copmea@copmea.com

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

\$4 single monthly membership dues
\$8 family monthly membership dues
Monthly payroll deductions for fulltime and temporary city employees. Employees may also do payroll deductions to pay for a family member's membership.
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

