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## Westwood High Senior Nyese Jones Signs Letter of Intent with SMCC

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On Monday, April 25, in front of a room full of her family, friends, coaches, teammates and supporters, Westwood High School senior Nyese Jones signed her letter of intent to continue her basketball career on the collegiate level at South Mountain Community College.

Jones has been on the Lady Warriors varsity basketball team since she was a freshman and leaves some big shoes to fill. As she leaves Westwood, she is the all-time program leader in points, assists and steals, and she scored more than 1,000 points in her high school basketball career.

Before signing her letter of intent, Jones was recognized by her parents and coaches for her hard work and dedication to the game.

"To see Ny going from a little scrawny ... kid who was always following Day (her sister Daycee Achin) and some of the older girls around to [growing] and being unbelievably selfless this year set an example for a lot of the girls in this program." said Westwood High School basketball coach Ron Campton. "But more than anything, it's just been ... great to see everyone come together around someone who is unbelievably special and talented."

Westwood High School girls assistant basketball coach Casey Sanderson expressed his gratitude to Jones and her older sister Day-



cee Achin for their impact on the team and bringing the love of basketball back into his life.

"[W]atching Ny grow up as a player made the game fun again," said Sanderson. "I fell in love with the game again. ... [I]t has to do with the support from the parents ...[and the] great coaches we had. It became a big

bond; it was a family thing and I wouldn't give it up for anything in the world.'

Jones's parents, JJ Jones and Sarah Achin, thanked everyone for their support of their daughter. Achin explained that Jones struggled with the decision to play college ball out of state, but everything fell into place.

"We're excited for her. She doesn't know how much light she brings to that court,"

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### Council Enacts Ordinances to Implement Special Domestic Violence Criminal Jurisdiction

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With the 2022 Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Reauthorization Act being signed into law, tribal governments will soon be able to take action on the language within the legislation.

Tribes can start exercising the language relating to special tribal criminal jurisdiction on October 1, but due to the complex nature and swift reauthorization of the act, changes will not be automatic for all tribal governments.

In the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community, what comes next after the reauthorization will be discussed in Council and district meetings throughout the summer.

There are, however, ordinances that went into effect on May 1 that allow SRPMIC courts to prosecute non-Native offenders for crimes of domestic violence and order-of-protection violations, if it can be proven that the defendant has adequate ties to the Community. This includes changes to the Community's jurisdictional statement when it comes to those crimes and violations, and it also includes the addition of a new jury pool.

The jury pool for these cases

will include eligible enrolled members of the Community and Community government employees. In the future, the Community may add additional non-Indian residents as part of the jury pool.

"I think that, from a policy perspective, being able to hold offenders responsible in the community where they commit those crimes, rather than having to depend on an outside agency, the U.S. Attorney's Office, is an important consideration to make."

> -Community Prosecutor Alane Breland

These changes are all that have gone into effect, because that is all that the current law

allows. Council enacted these ordi-

nances on February 23 to implement Special Domestic Violence jurisdiction (SDVCJ) pursuant to

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#### **Coming Summer 2023: Banner Sports Medicine Center in Salt River Business Corridor**



Banner Sports Medicine breaks ground on their new facility in the SRPMIC Pima Corridor.

#### BY TASHA SILVERHORN

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On Wednesday, April 27, a groundbreaking ceremony was held for the new threestory, 80,000-square-foot Banner Health sports medicine center. The one-stop destination for sports medicine services and specialists will be located along Loop 101 northwest of TopGolf in the Pima Corridor.

The \$54 million full-service facility will be available to everyone from seasoned sports professionals to up-and-coming youth athletes. Services will include orthopedic surgery, imaging, physical therapy, primary care sports medicine, concussion treatment, strength and conditioning, sports nutrition

works with Arizona's professional sports teams, including the Phoenix Suns, Arizona Diamondbacks, Phoenix Mercury, Phoenix Coyotes and Tucson Roadrunners, as well as University of Arizona sports and teams from 33 Arizona high schools.

"This sports medicine center ... is expanding our presence in the Northeast Valley. The center will give us the ability to reach a diverse population of people who participate in sports, not only in Arizona but across the country. There is also a significant philanthropic component that is connected with this project that will ensure young people across the state can fulfill their athletic aspirations," said Quentin P. Smith Jr., chairman of the Banner

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and more. Banner Health already



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#### **Westwood High Senior Nyese Jones Signs** Letter of Intent with SMCC



is to just shoot the dang ball!"

JJ Jones said he always knew Nyese was going to be something special. He recalled how ... he would push her to play harder and how she convinced him to start a club team, Natives with Talent (NWT), for her and her friends to play

"It's been a ride, and it's gone by so quick. I remember her watching varsity basketball players and just wishing she could play, and from that moment on I knew she was going to go places," said JJ Jones. "It just makes me proud, and I tell her every day."

South Mountain women's basketball head coach Byron Jackson and assistant coach Meisha Fox look forward to Jones bringing her aggressiveness and leadership to the team.

We're absolutely excited to have Nyese [on the team]; she definitely fits into what we want. She just loves the game," said Fox. "She loves playing, and you can see it on the floor. She

great teammate: she really wants her team to win. She just checks all the boxes ... and I am happy

Campton.

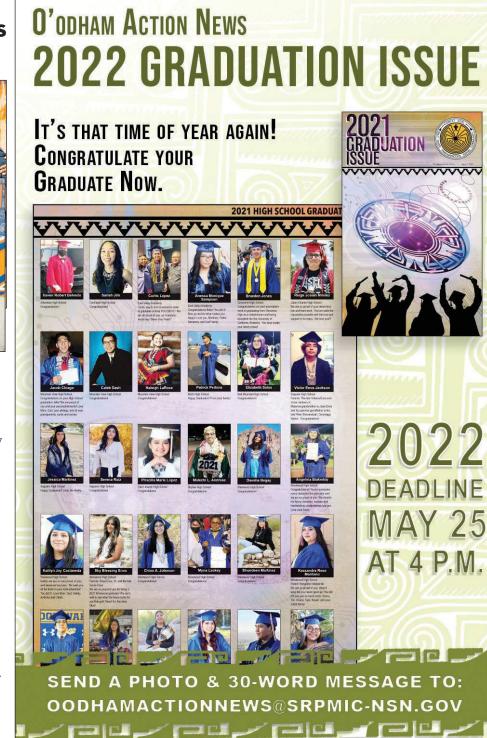
School Basketball Coach Ron

Jones thanked everyone for being there to support her and said she considers them all to be her family.

to have her at South Mountain."

"I really appreciate each and every one of you because you all push me to be myself. And to all my coaches-Ron, Casey, my Dad, my uncle—you guys really mean a lot to me. I look up to each and every one of you guys," said Jones. "I do this for my passion— I love the game and I hope I make everyone proud as I continue to play basketball."

For information on the South Mountain women's basketball team, visit https://athletics.southmountaincc.edu/ sports/wbkb/index.



## GIS Team New Interactive Website Helps SRPMIC Department **Improve Communications**

BY TASHA SILVERHORN tasha.silverhorn2@srpmic-nsn.gov

In March, the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community's Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Team gave a presentation at the Council District C meeting to inform Community members about an interactive website and mobile app they have been working on and to share information about their past and future projects.

What is GIS, you ask? Engineering and Construction Services Division Manager Rueben Malin explains that GIS is a mapping tool to collect. manage and analyze data to visualize spatial patterns. Recently, the GIS team worked on the question of where is the best location to build the next SRPMIC fire station to maximize coverage and uphold the standard of a four-minute (or less) drive time for an emergency.

"We answer the questions of where and how; for example, finding the best location for the next fire station based on specific criteria, such as where the Community has land and what type of structures are in that area," said Malin. "We maintained a structure layer (map or dataset) of all types of government, commercial, residential and storage [structure sites], but in this project we just looked at residential, commercial and government. We did an analysis, trying to get the best location for a future station."

Through interdepartmental data sharing, the GIS Team can complete analysis and answer specific questions important for Community planning and activities—for example, how many



Pictured is an example of the Azimuth site, this special purpose Map is showing emergency services and the boundary of the Community. Photo Courtesy of the GIS Team

enrolled residents over age 18 are impacted by the closure of the Beeline Highway due to the Ironman triathlon

"This information helps us figure out who will be affected by the Ironman and its road blockages," said Malin. "By pinpointing the locations of homes and residents affected, the Community can help accommodate these residents during these closures."

#### **Introducing Azimuth**

Through its interactive website and mobile app, called Azimuth, the GIS Team has created a one-stop shop for tribal employees to get assistance in matters such as finding new locations for police and fire substations, viewing parcels of allotted and tribal lands, easements and proposed easements,

street names and more. All this data and information helps improve communication between SRPMIC departments and divisions.

'The access to the [web]site is behind the SRPMIC firewall, so only government employees have access to it, and permissions are based on job duties," said Malin. "We have multiple levels of security. We want to emphasize that [the website] contains information approved by the data owner and shared [with] tribal employees based on their job function, and it does not contain personal information. Protecting members' personal information is a high priority to the GIS Team and the tribal government. The GIS Team promotes and maintains security measures per Tribal Policy 1-8a, Confidentiality. We're following this policy to protect the data to

make sure we are sharing [information appropriately].'

Malin provided a quick demo of Azimuth. As he opened up the site, there was a disclaimer that the employee has to agree to in order to continue to use the information on the site. Then they can enter the SRPMIC General Purpose Mapping Application site. The site also includes aerial photos of the Community that go back to the 1930s, showing the growth of the Community over the years.

#### Notable Projects

The GIS Team has used GIS data to improve Community addressing, such as clearing up issues of two homes using the same address and the public safety problem that causes for the police and fire departments. They also work with Google on updating Native language street names and providing 911 dispatch with specific data so they can more easily locate residents. They have provided assistance to Public Works with setting up its asset management software, called Lucity, a program to keep track of capital assets like road equipment, manage work orders and schedule preventive maintenance. These are just a few projects that the GIS Team has worked on as they continue to provide information services to help the SRPMIC government work more efficiently and better serve the Community.

If you would like to know more about the GIS Team, call Engineering and Construction Services at (480) 362-7900 or email gis@srpmic-nsn.gov.

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## Coming Summer 2023: Banner Sports Medicine Center in Salt River Business Corridor

Health Board of Directors. "This project is an important collaboration of partners dedicated to helping individuals reach their fullest athletic potential by having access to state-of-the-art facilities. [It] is particularly special to us because it is being built on the sacred land that is home to the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community. The building design will specifically reflect the tribe's rich culture. We are particularly grateful to the SRPMIC for giving us the opportunity to use this land in such a meaningful way."

The state-of-the-art facility is coupled with physician education and research with the University of Arizona to train residents, fellows and medical students, explained Evan Lederman, M.D., chief of sports medicine with Banner Health.

"One of the unique features will be the biomechanics lab, where motioncapture technology will allow us to do real-time analysis of athletic performance," said Lederman. "This includes baseball with pitching and batting, and we will have a golf simulator that is unlike anything you have seen in a golf shop. We will also have the ability to do motion analysis on court sports, such as basketball and volleyball, and running sports on a state-of-the-art biomechanics treadmill. Not only will this technology give our sports professionals valuable information to help [them] enhance their performance or return from injury, it will also help us conduct novel research to help our athletes in the future."

SRPMIC Assistant Community



SRPMIC ACM Dorian Dalton welcomes Banner Sports Medicine to the Community.

Manager Dorian Dalton welcomed the guests to the Community at the ground-breaking. He explained that over the past several years the business corridor has flourished with construction of new hospitality and healthcare operations.

"The extensive services that this facility will provide will make a great contribution in the sports and wellness industries and strengthen the diversity of offerings available here in the Community," said Dalton. "I would like to thank each and every one of you for coming out to celebrate our growth as a Community, and more importantly to show Banner sports medicine teams the support that they have from all of us as they begin their journey here. To each of you who has lent your time and services to this project so far, congratulations and thank you. We wish you all continued success."



You are invited to attend the Grand Opening of the River People Health Center.

McDowell Road & Country Club Drive May 14, 2022 at 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Tours will take place every 15 minutes beginning at 10:30 a.m. and will be limited to 10 people per tour.

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- The Low Income Household Water Assistance Program is a federal grant that offers water assistance to the enrolled members of the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community and residents who live within with SRPMIC boundaries
- Additional funding may be available to applicants that are senior citizens (55+), disabled and have children under 5 years old in the household.
- Service is available to all enrolled members within Maricopa County that meet qualifications

### THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE NEEDED TO APPLY:

- Arizona State ID/DL for all adults in household.
   Social Security Cards for all members in
- household including children.
- Birth certificates for children in home.Annual income for all adults in household.
- · Copy of current water bill in applicant's name.

If you have received or plan to apply for any other assistance from city CAP offices. You will not be eligible for services.

Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community HHS
Center Intake Center
Appointments are required and
no walk-ins at this time.

Please contact our program for further information at: (480) 362-7350

### **Adventures in Food Inspection**

BY NAOMI EVANISHYN
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SRPMIC Health & Human Services

The Environmental Health Program (EHP) is a branch of the Public Health Division under SRPMIC Health & Human Services Department. The EHP was developed in 1996 to create a program similar to services provided by the Indian Health Service. With the Community's development and growing food operations, the EHP has grown to a staff of three: Christopher Henke, program manager; Naomi Evanishyn, environmental health specialist; and Anthony Phillips, environmental health technician.

There are approximately 200 permitted food establishments in the Community. The EHP inspects all these food facilities bi-annually. Before an establishment opens, it must submit plans for the proposed business and, if necessary, submit formal plans to the SRPMIC Community Development Department for review.

After approval from the various tribal departments, the EHP conducts a final construction inspection. After receiving the authorization to operate, the business must apply for a food permit and pay the necessary fees.

Conducting regular food inspections is essential to the health and well-being of the general public. This type of work requires training and certification to be administered appropriately. In this and future articles, the EHP hopes to make readers more familiar with our services and will provide examples of how we conduct food inspections.

Here's what happens during a typi-



Round House Cafe General Manager Dan Barolli and Environmental Health Specialist Naomi Evanishyn meet prior to the Round House Cafe inspection.

cal restaurant inspection.

Before arriving at the restaurant, I make sure to have all my necessary supplies. Here is a list of the items I bring: notepad, pen, disposable gloves, work ID badge, comfortable non-skid shoes, hair tie, digital thermometer, alcohol wipes (for the thermometer), flashlight, test paper for measuring sanitizers, inspection sheets, and a fanny pack to carry the supplies. Often we will review the previous inspection reports to verify that any previous citations were corrected.

Upon arrival at an establishment, we ask to see the manager or person in

charge. A discussion about the routine inspection and request for all employee food handler cards is customary. It is up to the person in charge if they would like to accompany the inspector on the survey walk-through.

Each inspector has their own unique method of conducting the assessments; for me, my next stop is checking the hand sink. A dry hand sink is not a good sign, because it means kitchen staff have not been washing their hands. Not having soap or disposable paper towels nearby also tells me a lot! Some kitchens are large enough that they may have multiple hand sinks, so one must keep that in mind when doing the check.

Next, we visit the dock or delivery areas at the back of the kitchen. Food and supply delivery areas require inspection to ensure that perishables are not kept outside for long periods and items are stored correctly. This will also give me the opportunity to check the dumpster and mop sink for cleanliness and any signs of pests, such as rodents or insects. If there are no critical issues observed, it is time to begin the indoor inspection.

Stay tuned! The adventures of the Environmental Health Department will continue ...

## **SRFD** Fire Prevention Tips

BY TASHA SILVERHORN
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As we head toward summer and the weather begins to get hotter, Salt River Fire Department Fire Marshal Dustin Zamboni shares some summer safety tips to protect your family, pets and home.

After the record-breaking rainy season last year, there is an abundance of weeds and grass growing in yards around the Community. This is a huge factor in causing large fires, explained Zamboni. Dried-out weeds and grass can ignite easily.

"I do all the fire investigations, and I have seen how fires were started with a piece of broken glass reflecting the sunlight and igniting a fire in the weeds," said Zamboni. "Another case was when a bottle of water sitting in someone's car started a fire. The sun pierced through the car window and through the water bottle and caught the back seat on fire."

Grass and weeds may seem like a little thing, but they are large contributing factors in how fires get started. Zamboni and the SRFD recommend that all Community residents have a 30- to 100-foot clearance zone free of weeds and debris around their homes and property.

"We understand that some members are physically limited; in that special case, call me at the fire department and I will come out and help," Zamboni offered. "Engineering and Construction Services has the Senior Home Repair and Replacement Program (SHRRP), which can help as well." While limited assistance is available, homeowners should understand that the SRFD is not a landscaping company.



In Zone 1 keep up to 30 feet of your home clear of any vegetation or other items that could catch fire, Zone 2 extends from 30 feet to 100 feet out from your home to your property line; keep your lawn mowed, remove fallen leaves, twigs, bark and small branches to help prevent the spread of a brush fire.

Another tip: Make sure all the smoke detectors in your home are working.

Most fatal fires happen in the middle of the night, and smoke detectors will help warn you and your family in time to escape a fire.

munity pools," said Zamboni. "You might not think that swimming the canal is a big deal, but there is algae that grows on the floors of the canal that can cause you to slip, fall and he your head, and the water can easily

Again, the SRFD is happy to offer some assistance. "We have several smoke detectors at the fire station. If you call my office, we can set up a time and date to get those installed if any Community members need them," said Zamboni. "The smoke detectors are battery operated and last for 10 years."

The last tip that Zamboni wanted to share is about water safety. With the weather getting hotter, it is important to watch your children around water and also avoid swimming in the canals.

"We recommend you go to the Com-

munity pools," said Zamboni. "You might not think that swimming the canal is a big deal, but there is algae that grows on the floors of the canal that can cause you to slip, fall and hit your head, and the water can easily overcome you." The canal water itself is polluted, he added. "There are also chemicals in the water used for agricultural purposes, and swallowing that could be problematic." Also, to prevent bacteria-caused illness, never swim in unclean water, including small lakes or ponds, if you have an open sore or a recent cut or scrape anywhere on your skin.

For more safety tips or to obtain smoke detectors, call Dustin Zamboni at the Salt River Fire Department at (480) 362-7290.

## Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program

You may be eligible for utility assistance through the LIHEAP grant!

#### What is LIHEAP?

- LIHEAP is a federal grant that offers energy assistance to the residents of SRPMIC. Assistance is available to enrolled and non-enrolled community members. However, the applicant must reside within the boundaries of SRPMIC.
- \* Additional funding may be available to applicants that are senior citizens (55+), disabled, and children under 6 years old in the household.
- Under the LIHEAP grant appliances, (water heater, range or refrigerator) are available under the crisis assistance.
- \* Limit one per household and on a first come first serve basis.

#### How to qualify:

To qualify for the LIHEAP program, the applicant's annual income must fall at or below 150% of the federal program guidelines.

For information or to schedule an appointment, contact DHHS Prevention and Intervention Services Central Intake Center (480) 362-7350

#### Applicant Requirements:

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- State driver's license or identification card (state/tribal) for all adults in household.
- Social security cards and/or birth corticates for all members in household including children.
   Annual income verification for all household mem-
- bers 18 years of age or older. (per-capita, lease payouts, employment paystubs, social security, unemployment insurance, disability, self-employment income, etc.)
- \* A copy of most current utility bill in the applicant's name.

## Salt River Fire Department: Recruitment Program Update

BY TASHA SILVERHORN
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Last summer, the Salt River Fire Department was awarded a federal SAFER grant (Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response) to improve staffing levels within the organization. The grant consisted of \$2.5 million to cover additional person-

nel. This gave SRFD the opportunity to develop a recruitment program to help Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community members and other Native Americans learn the skills and navigate the process for becoming a firefighter.

Chief Tsosie Wood and two firefighters, Jayce Johnson and Aaron Morales, put the program together to recruit Community members so they can fill empty positions in the department. The recruitment program started in August 2021. Participants learn the material covered on the written exam, undergo physical training for the Candidate Physical Ability Test and prepare for the oral board interview.

The program started with 21 Community members and nine from other Native communities, such as Gila River, the Navajo Nation, the White

Mountain Apache, and Sac and Fox. In the first group of recruits, 19 individuals ended up tak-

ing the written exam.

Ten Community
members passed,
and the nine who
did not will be
offered employment through
the Underfill
Program,
explained Fire
Chief Daryl
Dash.
Out of those

recruits, nine Community members
passed both the physical
and written tests and started
at the Fire Academy on March 2.

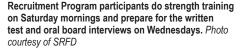
"This is the largest Communitymember hiring that has ever been done in the history of the [Salt River] fire department. The last large group of Community members hired was back in 1983, when they hired six Community members," said Dash. "It's been a real success for us in regards to having this grant and funding to hire more Community members. We are focusing on hiring six more under the Underfill Program."

The SRFD will begin another round of recruiting soon. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the SRFD, watch the SRPMIC Facebook page at www.facebook.com/SRPMIC for any new information, or call the SRFD at (480) 362-7290.



Zeke Mendoza and Christina Wood spend their Saturdays training for the physical test in the SRFD Recruitment Program. Photo courtesy of SRFD







Ben Scabby learns new techniques used by fire fighters. Photo courtesy of SRFD

## **Building the Future of Housing**

**GROUNDBREAKING EVENTS** 

May 9<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am

PALS (Social Services Young Adult Program)

14 new 2 bedroom/2 bathroom units Location: NE Corner of Alma School & Osborn

May **14**<sup>th</sup> 8:30 am

**Mesquite Trails Rentals** 

18 new 2 bedroom/2 bathroom units Location: 118th Pl & Minnezona Ave (Near Camelback & Mesa Dr)

May **17**<sup>th</sup> 8:30 am

Transitional Housing & Temporary Housing

31 single and double tiny living units
Location: NE Corner of Two Waters north parking lot (north side of Osborn)

**Light refreshments will be served at each event.** For more information, please contact CDD at 480-362-7600 or look for announcements on the SRPMIC Facebook page and website.







**2022 SRPMIC ELECTION** 

# NOMINATION MEETING FOR CANDIDATES OF PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

The purpose of the meeting is to nominate candidates for the SRPMIC Primary/General Election.

Thursday, June 2, 2022 / 6 p.m.

at the SRPMIC Community Building (1880 N. Longmore) Rd., Scottsdale, AZ 85256)

### MEETING WILL START PROMPTLY AT 6:00 P.M.

Only SRPMIC enrolled members will be able to nominate candidates.

### QUALIFICATIONS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

(SRPMIC Constitution, Article IV, Section 2)

- Be an enrolled member of the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community.
- 2. Has physically resided in the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community for at least one (1) year immediately preceding the election date.
- 3. Is at least twenty-five (25) years of age.

#### <u>Meeting Procedures due to Covid-19</u> <u>Precautions:</u>

The Phase the Community will be in on this date will dictate the Covid-19 Precautions that will be used.



#### SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY

## 2022 PRIMARY ELECTION Tuesday, July 26, 2022

Polls Open: 6:00am - 6:00pm

The following Council terms will be expiring, therefore a Primary Election will be held.

- Martin Harvier President
- Ricardo Leonard Vice-President
- Cheryl Doka, Diane Enos, Thomas Largo District I (SR) Council Members
- Michael Dallas, Sr. District II (Lehi) Council Member

For a Safe Voting Experience for All, COVID-19 Precautions will be followed. Masks will be required in and around the voting area.

#### **POLLING SITES:**

District I (Salt River) voters vote at the SALT RIVER COMMUNITY BUILDING. (Polls open from 6am-6pm) District II (Lehi) voters vote at the LEHI COMMUNITY BUILDING. (Polls open from 6am-6pm)

#### Who is a Voter?

You are able to vote in SRPMIC elections if you are: 1) an enrolled member of the Community, 2) 18 years or older on the day of the election, and 3) a resident of the relevant electoral district for at least one (1) year; or if you are a non-resident, declared a home district. Persons who are in jail or prison on the date of election, or have been declared to be mentally incompetent are not eligible to vote.

#### WHAT DISTRICT DO I VOTE IN?

Members who live West of North Mesa Drive are considered to be a District I (Salt River) voter and should vote at Salt River Community Building. Members who live East of Mesa Drive are considered to be a District II (Lehi) voter and should vote at Lehi Community Building. Non-resident voters must fill out a form to declare their "home district" for voting purposes, and they should contact the Community Development Department ("CDD") to obtain the form for declaring a home district.

#### **A SRPMIC TRIBAL ID IS REQUIRED TO VOTE:**

Community members must show a (picture) tribal ID card at the polls before they will be given a ballot. Contact the Office of Membership Services at (480) 362-7618 if you need a new tribal ID card. The Community membership rolls determine voter eligibility and the district in which you vote in, so please make sure that your name, tribal ID number, and address are up-to-date with the Office of Membership Services in CDD.

#### **ABSENTEE BALLOTS:**

To minimize the risk of contracting Covid-19, it is HIGHLY recommended that you vote via absentee ballot via mail or drop off.

To request an absentee ballot contact Erica Harvier or Ardell Moore at (480) 362-7466, 362-7465 or 362-7400 or by email at <a href="mailto:Erica.harvier@srpmic-nsn.gov">Erica.harvier@srpmic-nsn.gov</a> or <a href="mailto:ardell.moore@srpmic-nsn.gov">ardell.moore@srpmic-nsn.gov</a>.

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absentee ballot.	
If you live on OR off the Community and would like to receive and	
mail in your ballot.	
Home Voting - Deadline for Elderly, or Disabled or in the	Thursday, July 21, 2022
Hospital and within a 25 mile radius.	
If you cannot come to the polls and would like to home vote.	

QUESTIONS? Contact SRPMIC Administration at (480)362-7466 or 362-7465 or 362-7400.



See pages 15 & 17 for more election information.



2022 Primary and General Election Info

## NOMINATION MEETINGS FOR COUNCIL MEMBERS

District I – Salt River
Thursday, June 23, 2022 / 6:00pm
SALT RIVER COMMUNITY BUILDING

District II – Lehi
Thursday, June 23, 2022 / 6:00pm
LEHI COMMUNITY BUILDING

#### \*\*\* Meetings are held simultaneously at each district \*\*\*

The purpose of the meetings is to nominate Council Member candidates.

3 District I (SR) Council Members / 1 District II (Lehi) Council Member

#### **Important Note**

Please make sure you are nominated in the district you are registered in. Persons that nominate candidates must be an enrolled member and eligible voter of SRPMIC and must be either a resident of the particular district or their home district must be the same as the district in which the candidate is nominated to represent. (SRPMIC Code of Ordinances, Ch 3, Section 3-5(b)(3).

#### Qualifications for Council Members (SRPMIC Constitution, Article IV, Section 3):

- Be an enrolled member of Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community.
- Has physically resided in the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community for at least one (1) year and in the district as provided in Article V, Section 1 for at least six (6) months immediately preceding the election date.
- Is at least twenty five (25) years of age.

#### Meeting Procedures due to Covid-19 Precautions:

- The Phase the Community will be in on this date will dictate the Covid-19 precautions that will be used.
- Nomination results will be posted immediately via internet and social media.

Questions can be directed to the Council Secretary office at (480) 362-7466. SRPMIC Administration, 10005 E. Osborn Road, Scottsdale, Arizona 85256

Office: 480.362.7400 / Fax: 480.362.5856 / www.srpmic-nsn.gov

### **SRFD Paramedic Joan Wood Is First Female SRPMIC Member to Become Captain**

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Photo courtesy of Joan

Longtime Salt River Pima-Maricopa **Indian Community Fire Department** employee Joan Wood has been promoted to the position of fire captain, making her the first female SRPMIC member to hold the title. Wood follows in the footsteps of Salt River Fire Department Battalion Chief Melanie Lake to move up in the ranks and take on a SRFD Captain Joan Wood. higher role in the department.

> Wood started her career with the SRFD in 1999, attending the Mesa Fire Academy and graduating as an EMT

to work for the Community. Throughout the years she took steps to improve her skills as a firefighter/EMT. She went to school to become a paramedic in 2008, and shortly afterward she attended nursing school through the Paramedic to RN Bridge Program. This gave her the ability to do more in the medical field to help her patients.

"Being a paramedic just seemed like a natural progression. When you are an EMT, you are restricted to the basics of what you can do," said Wood about why she chose to become a paramedic and took on nursing school. "I wanted to help our patients in a more advanced capacity.'

Although she is now a captain, Wood will continue her duties as a paramedic. As captain she will take on an added supervisory role as the first line supervisor, right above fire

"I will be supervising Station 291," said Wood. "The battalion chief oversees all four stations; I will be reporting to the battalion chief."

Over the years Wood also worked on becoming a engineer to be able to drive the fire truck.

She said she looks forward to working with a good solid crew that works well together.

"We could be in a difficult situation, but when you have the right crew and the right people who have the right mindset, it makes things easier because things run smoother," said Wood. "Giving good customer service is rewarding, keeping



Retired SRFD Deputy Chief Kevin Makil, retired Fire Fighter/EMT Odie Toney, Fire Captain Joan Wood and Fire Captain Ray Martinez at the SRFD Awards Luncheon in 2016. Photo courtesy of Joan Wood

everyone safe and doing what we love to do."

Currently there are only four women in the ranks of the SRFD, Wood explained.

"It's always a plus to have a woman on the job, because you don't know what you will be running into," said Wood. In some circumstances with a female patient, "It might be 'woman thing,' and they might be more comfortable with you helping them [rather than a man]. And women have that motherly instinct that comes into play sometimes."

Wood encourages all those who are seeking a career in fire services, female or male, to take all the opportunities they are given and just go for it.

"I love this job and mentoring and teaching the new firefighters that are coming on," said Wood. "I look forward to being a good role model, giving the best customer service to the Community, and being a good employee and supervisor."





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## Nutrition Services at River People Health Center Welcomes Those Seeking Healthy Habits

BY TASHA SILVERHORN
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One of the services offered at the new River People Health Center helps Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community members, employees and other enrolled affiliated tribal members gain knowledge about eating well as part of a healthy lifestyle.

The Nutrition Services department started serving diabetes patients with one-on-one appointments in April. It welcomes any patient who wants to lose weight or has a medical condition that might benefit from a more healthy diet. Services are offered not only to individuals, but to families and parents who want to learn how to serve healthy meals to their children.

Currently, the two registered dietitians at Nutrition Services, Katherine "Kat" Latour and Elizabeth "Libby" Boudreau, are booked two weeks out.

"It's keeping us on our toes," said Latour. "The Community is so determined to learn about healthy nutrition. It's exciting."

Since its opening, Nutrition Services started an eight-week course called Thriving with Diabetes, which has 12 participants. The course reviews medications, healthy eating, exercise and the special healthcare needs of diabetes. Latour and Boudreau are gearing up to start a class called Basics on a Budget, a six-week cooking course that teaches basic cooking skills and how to safely prepare food, plan meals, create a grocery list and stay within a budget.

They also have started doing recipe tastings out of the Nutrition Services



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snap peas,

Teaching Kitchen at the RPHC. The recipes will be used for the Basics on a Budget course that will be held this summer.

"We found a bunch of recipes and

"We found a bunch of recipes and tweaked them to make them more nutritious and less expensive," said Latour. "We are letting the public taste them to make sure they like them. The course is set to start in late July or early August, but we will provide the course with the Journey to Recovery Program before offering it to the public."

Latour and Boudreau say their goal for Nutrition Services is to improve the health of the people they work with, and the Community as a whole, through classes and other interventions that support good nutrition.

"I would like to see [the SRPMIC]

not be the Community with the highest rate of diabetes per capita in the world, so if we can be a part of changing that, it would be awesome," Latour said. If you would like to know more about

Nutrition Services, call (480) 362-3355. You also can email RPHCnutritionservices@srpmic-nsn.gov to schedule a appointment, or stop by and meet Latour and Boudreau for 15-minute walk-in appointments.

#### **Meet Kat and Libby**



Katherine "Kat"
Latour, R.D., grew
up in Mississippi and
received her bachelor
of science degree
at Mississippi State
University. She is
currently halfway
through earning her

master's from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Prior to working at the River People Health Center, she had her own virtual private practice during COVID-19 in which she would meet with people online, host online cooking classes, and work on marketing and community engagement.

Latour's walk-in appointment hours are Mondays and Tuesdays, 2 to 4 p.m.



Elizabeth "Libby"
Boudreau graduated
from Duke University
in North Carolina and
earned her master's
at the University of
North Carolina at
Chapel Hill. When
she moved to Ari-

County WIC Program and then moved on to work for the Fresenius Kidney Care dialysis center here in Salt River.

zona, she began working at the Maricopa

Boudreau's walk-in appointments are Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9 to 11 a.m.

## IMPORTANT ELECTION & VOTER REGISTRATION DATES

STATE OF ARIZONA Election Deadlines



## PRIMARY ELECTION August 2

July 5—Deadline to register to vote July 6—Early voting begins/ballots mailed July 22—Deadline to request ballot by

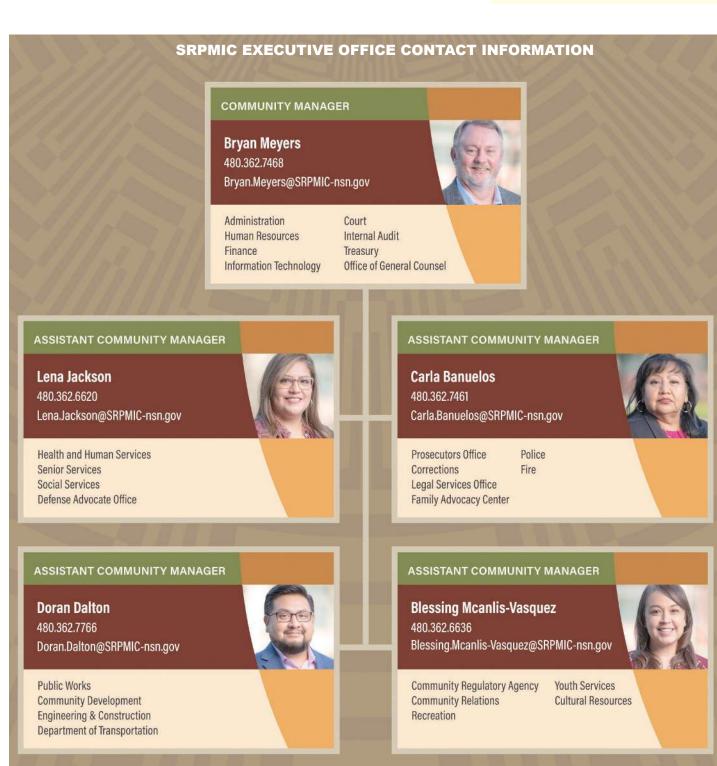
## GENERAL ELECTION November 8

October 11—Deadline to register to vote

October 12—Early voting begins/ballots mailed

October 28—Deadline to request a ballot by mail

For for information contact Angela Willeford, Office of Congressional & Legislative Affairs (480) 362-6654.



#### **Interim Principal at ALA Sets Example for Work-Life Balance**

BY CHRIS PICCIUOLO O'odham Action News chris.picciuolo@srpmic-nsn.gov

Barb Wilkinson, interim principal at the Accelerated Learning Academy (ALA) on the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community, is showing her adult students and coworkers that you can thrive while balancing being a new parent and having to work.

The previous principal at ALA resigned in March, and Wilkinson was asked to fill the position in the interimjust a few months after giving birth to her daughter Clementine, who was born in November of last year.

"I am a first-time mom. I was a little terrified about coming back to work. When you're on maternity leave, it's great because you can keep the focus entirely on your baby. And when you've never been a mom before, you just never know the challenges that you're going to have to deal with," said Wilkinson.

"However, the great thing about maternity leave is, it gave me the time to get a handle on things and to help me build the confidence in myself. Then it was like, 'Okay, I can go back to work, and I can still manage being a mom.' And of course, the Community policy of being able to [bring her daughter to work] is invaluable. In terms of being with her every day, it does require some flexibility, but it's nice for ALA students and other staff to see that you still can get the work done with a baby around."

Wilkinson joked that having her baby on the job is almost like having a therapy dog, because the baby brings a positive energy to the workplace.

There is a plan in the works to bring



Barb Wilkinson with her baby Clementine. Photo

back the Eagle's Nest to the ALA, which, before COVID-19, was a daycare classroom at the high school specifically for young parents who wanted to bring their little ones to school so they could still attend. This was helpful to student-parents who were looking for ways to continue their education while raising a child.

"The great thing is the schools are always doing their best to accommodate the students," said Wilkinson. "We do have a few students currently attending the ALA who are parents, so they have little ones at home."

The Eagle's Nest is in the brainstorming phase, with the goal of staffing up and getting the room ready to go in the next school year or two.

Wilkinson has been in education for 15 years, and 13 of those have been in the Community. She previously taught at Salt River High School, then worked on the education side of Human Resources. After that she served as the dean of students at the ALA, and for the last six years she has worked at Salt River Elementary School as the assistant principal.

### Legacy Village of Salt River Opens in **Community**



Legacy Village employees, partners and Discover Salt River representatives pose for a ribbon-cutting at the Legacy Village opening ceremony.'

BY CHRIS PICCIUOLO

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Legacy Village of Salt River, a luxury senior living facility, is officially open for business after waiting for over a year due to the pandemic.

On April 28, Legacy Village held a ribbon-cutting ceremony in their center courtyard in front of staff, community partners and residents to mark the occasion.

"We are so honored and proud to have our building here in the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community," said Matt Wittwer, regional director of operations at Legacy Retirement Communities. "What wonderful partners we have with SRPMIC. We look forward to

a long and lasting relationship, as we're a part of their community. We're grateful that we have been welcomed and for all of the support they have given to

Legacy Village specializes in senior living, assisted living and memory care It aims to distinguish itself from other senior living facilities by embracing a "Personal Touch Culture" guided by three core values: thrift, continuous improvement and personalization.

The facility has nine floor plans that range from a 318-square-foot studio apartment to a 1,266-square-foot twobedroom apartment.

Legacy Village is located at 8170 N. 90th St. in Scottsdale.



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#### Marriott International and Wish for Wheels Donate Bikes and Helmets

#### to Community Kids



Dellarae Johnson, 3, tries out her new bike at the Marriott International and Wish for Wheels bike and helmet giveaway event. Pictured with her father Jae Johnson.

#### BY CHRIS PICCIUOLO

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Marriott International and Wish for Wheels, a nonprofit organization based in Denver, teamed up to purchase and assemble 50 Huffy brand bikes and helmets to give away to children in the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community.

The bikes and helmets were on display in a long row during a regional Marriott International engineering team community service event on April 26 near the Courtyard by Marriott Scotts-

dale Salt River. Excited children jumped at the chance to try out their new rides.

"The bike is fun and blue like Sonic the Hedgehog," said 5-year-old Zaybin Johnson, who was able to ride a bike and take it home.

Any remaining bikes not picked up during the event were transported back to Social Services to be given to other kids in the Community.

"This is one of the best ways to give to the kids. It's a mode of transportation, it represents freedom, and it's good exercise, so to give to the SRPMIC in this way, I'm just really proud of our team to

be able to do this on behalf of Marriott," said Rob Bahl, global vice president, engineering and facilities, at Marriott International.

SRPMIC Social Services Director Steve Hudson said this is an excellent partnership between Marriott International and the Community.

"I want to thank Marriott International for thinking of the SRPMIC children for this year's service event. I saw a lot of happy children and families at the event," said Hudson.

Right: Amadore Lewis, 7, gets help learning the functions of his new bike. The Marriott International engineering team was on hand to put the bikes together as a part of their community service event.





Bikes all lined up in a row at the bike donation event put together by Marriott International and Wish

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#### Agenda

- 1 Scope of the problem in our Community.
- 2 What is addiction?
- 3 Discussing barriers to recovery.
- 4 Information on available services.
- **5** Determining next steps.
- 6 What does the future look like?

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## Talking Stick Entertainment District: **Get To Know Your Neighbor!**

## Tawna Silversmith Guest Experience Specialist Courtyard Marriott Scottsdale Salt River

Are you an SRPMIC Member?

### Has your role changed since you started?

I started in the summer of 2021, my role has not changed but the way I feel about hospitality has, I now have a deeper appreciation and respect for people who work in the hospitality field.

#### What do you do there?

I work as a front desk agent making sure the guests come into a friendly accommodating environment and try to make sure they have the best experience possible with their stay. I also communicate with all other departments within the hotel internally and externally to help function properly.

#### What is a typical day like?

I usually work AM shifts starting my workday at 6am; I gather all special request and arrivals for that day, I review all groups or conference meetings coming in. I constantly communicate with our housekeeping to make sure they have all the necessary information. Checkouts and check-ins and mostly try to make things go as smoothly as possible and everyone is happy

## What is your favorite thing about working in your role at Courtyard or Residence Inn?

I love the satisfaction and acknowl-



edgment of a guest that had a great experience with us. I LOVE telling our guest about all the wonderful things to do in our area and how different our Courtyard is different from all the other Courtyards around the Phoenix area, as we were the first Courtyard built on tribal land; guests are amazed and some have no idea.

### What do you like about working within the SRPMIC?

I love absolutely everything! I am very proud of our accomplishments as a community and the amount of growth we have achieved so far. I love how several businesses located on tribal land have some sort of art or history representing our community as a whole and our history. I am very honored and proud to represent Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community.

## What is your favorite place to visit within the Talking Stick Entertainment District?

My favorite place to visit is a good relaxing Movie at Roadhouse Cinema and anywhere at the Arizona Boardwalk.

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### HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY TO ALL THE WONDERFUL MOTHERS, GRANDMOTHERS, AUNTS, SISTERS



To the most amazing, loving and kind mama. Thank you for all the love you give.

Christian and Isaiah

Momma,

Thank you for always being there for me & PJ. Wishing you a very special Happy Mother's Day. Love you so much!

Ronni



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God Bless you, Grandma Rose. Happy Mother's Day!

To our Momma, thank you for all you do for us and always loving us.



Love always, Bud, Allie, Precious, Rose, Jessie, Thomas and Leon.



To my greatest BFF, teacher, role model and cheapest therapist I can ask for! You're the best mom I can ever imagine. Love you.

Mom,

Your daughter, Kimberlee Silversmith Happy Mother's Day to our rock! Thank you for being the best Nana and loving us all unconditionally! We love you Mommy Dearest!





Happy Mother's Day, Momma Mary!!

Thank you for being the greatest and most fabulous caring mom anyone can have in the world!

-Dunie

Mom, I love you a lot and I hope that you have a good and special day. Love always, your family. Happy Mother's Day.





Happy Mother's Day to my wife Tammy, who I love a lot. You have always stood by side through everything. Thank you for our daughter.

-Tony Gutierrez



Mother's Day, Sandra Jones! Words can't describe just how important you are. I'm very blessed that

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you are my mother and my friend. Love you, Mom.

Love, your daughter, Cheryl Lewis-Jones



To my strong, hard-working, devoted mother, Kim Manuel. Thank you for everything you do for us. We love and appreciate you. Happy Mother's Day. From Marcy, Travis, Aubree, Jodeci, Jacob, Mason, Jazper, and Aurora.

Marcy, my love, you are the most beautiful and loving wife to have in my life, and you are a caring mother to be blessed with beautiful children. Happy Mother's Day.

Love, Travis, Jazper and Aurora.





Happy Mother's Day to the best Mom, Grandma & Great Grama Robin Enos. We're beyond

blessed for everything you do for us "even when we are good or bad!!"

Love you lots Grammy. Milani & Fam



Happy Mother's Day, Mysty Yelena Hayes. Milani is very lucky and fortunate to have you as her mommy. Love you with all her heart. Milani Jaylene To Mama Dinosaur,

Thank you for always being there for us. We all love you Mom.

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To my loving grandmother: I wish you knew just how special you are to me. You have helped shape me into the woman and mother I am today.



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From Anna



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Love, your favorite, Niccole



Happy Mother's Day to the best mother anyone could ask for. Mom, thank you for all you have done for us. Love you!

## Community Artist's Artwork Gets Rededication at Hayden House

BY CHRIS PICCIUOLO
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After more than a year of restoration, the historic Hayden House in Tempe has reopened and is now home to the offices of the Downtown Tempe Authority.

The Hayden House, originally built in 1873, is the oldest continuously occupied building in Maricopa County and served as Monti's La Casa Vieja restaurant beginning in the 1950s until it closed in 2014. The adobe structure now has been restored to its 1924 appearance.

On April 10, the City of Tempe hosted an official dedication of the gate artwork at the Hayden House, which was created by Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community artist Jacob Butler last year.

The name of the artwork is "Akimel Gahiobs" ("river crossing" in O'odham). The steel panels on the wall are an homage to the hard bottom Onk Akimel (Salt River) crossing point located north of the Hayden House property.

Tempe pioneer Charles Hayden ferried passengers and goods across the river at this point and leveraged the flow of the then-undammed waterway to power his flour mill.

The artwork's panel images mirror the landscape of the surrounding area with key features depicted, such as Oidbad Do'ag (Tempe Butte), the Hayden House and the akimel gahiobs. The piece celebrates and honors the significance of the akimel gahiobs area as a commerce and travel route utilized by the O'odham, their ancestors and other Indigenous peoples of the Southwest.

"I was fortunate enough to be asked to fulfill the artwork that represented the connection. This piece [the gate artwork] is just metal on the ground. What really matters is the plaque that honors and acknowledges the tie that we have to this land. Today, that's what I think this is all about. The acknowledgement," said Butler at the dedication. "Land acknowledgements are awesome. When they first came out, I celebrated them myself. But a land acknowledgement without the backing of action is just words, and so through this plaque [the City of Tempe] is taking that step to honor the land acknowledgement they state in their activities. This was an idea that came from [the former City of Tempe historic preservation officer John Southard] and deputy community development director-special projects Alex Smith, in coordination with the Four Southern Tribes and specifically Shane Anton. It was something that they wanted to do when they were doing the mitigation of this building to honor the ancestral ties we have to this land. They found very distinct archaeological resources here that they haven't found anywhere else."

Notable speakers and attendees at the dedication included SRPMIC Vice-President Ricardo Leonard, Vice-President of the Tohono O'odham Nation Wavalene Saunders, Salt River Royalty and Basket Dancers, SRPMIC Tribal Preservation Officer Shane Anton, City of Tempe Councilmember Doreen Garlid, and Tempe Mayor Corey Woods.

"I want to remind everyone that we are here today to celebrate two very important things. First of all, to dedicate the new artwork by Mr. Butler. We had



Left to right: Jacob Butler, Miss Salt River Sistine Lewis, Jr. Miss Salt River Riana Cisneros, Tempe Mayor Corey Woods and SRPMIC Vice-President Ricardo Leonard stand in front of the "Akimel Gahiobs" gate artwork created by Butler. Photo courtesy of Elisa Briones

an opportunity to meet a few months ago when he first unveiled this, and we really wanted to make sure that we did a larger ceremony celebrating the work he's done, not just here for this one art piece, but for the City of Tempe for so many years," said Woods. "He's been a very important part of the culture and the history of the city, and we want to make sure that we properly acknowledge him today with this ceremony."

SRPMIC member Leland Thomas began the ceremony by singing a special traditional song for the occasion.

"On my way here, I was trying to figure out what I wanted to sing. I think I needed to see what his artwork was in order to give me that insight. The song I'm going to sing has to do with the kickball. I think it gives a perspective to Jacob; he's always moving and always going," said Thomas. "And what pushes him and what I see in his artwork is always the people of our past because that drives him. This song says, 'As I'm running toward this mountain, I hear the voices and the echoes of the people,' and it's the people cheering him on. This runner, he's running towards the end and they're giving him more encouragement and that push. I always see that in Jacob's work; his connection to his past gives him his push to continue to do what he needs to do."

## **Senior Services Welcomed Back Seniors on April 18**

SUBMITTED BY LAURA TOUSSAINT Content & Social Media Specialist, PR & Media SRPMIC Senior Services

On Monday, April 18, Senior Services welcomed back nearly 100 seniors and adults with physical and adaptive needs for onsite dining at the Salt River Senior and Lehi Community Centers. All staff were on hand, including Senior Services Director Melvin Deer and Assistant Director Alice Manuel, to greet their special guests for breakfast and lunch.

"It was a bitter-sweet morning. I was happy to see familiar smiles and hear laughter from the dining hall again, but I was also missing those who did not return," said Melvin Deer. "With that said, I'm excited to make new memories in the coming months and looking forward to good times."

In addition to the full breakfast and lunch menu, Food & Nutrition created special treats which were displayed at each location on a welcome-back table along with goody baskets. While many seniors drove themselves, several were shuttled via Transportation which resumed services April 11.

The welcome-back fun included a raffle for 20 Easter baskets, each with a golden egg that corresponded to certain prizes. There was also a grand prize drawing for two packages of two Viva Selena tickets at Casino Arizona and \$75 gift card that can be used at any of the casino restaurants.

"It was so good to see so many familiar faces that we've missed over the past two years. It's been so long," said Alice Manuel. "We are glad to be taking this step in resuming our services as the community moves to Phase 4 and look forward to rolling out new activities and programs that enrich the lives of those we serve."

Social workers will resume in-person meeting with their clients with consideration to their comfort level. Meetings can still be conducted virtually for clients who wish to social distance.



Senior Services staff Jaden Castro, Juline Goodwin and Jamie Garcia were on hand to greet Veronica Morgan and Delphine Salazar as they arrived for breakfast. Photo courtesy of Senior Services



Victor Wiki was excited to find a prize-winning golden egg in his welcome basket. Photo courtesy of Senior

## Welcome Back!



Geronimo Martinez got in on the welcome-back checking his basket for golden eggs. *Photo courtesy of Senior Services* 



Rebecca Leonard searches for a golden egg in her welcome-back basket. Photo courtesy of Senior Services

# Inspired by O'odham and Piipaash Cultures

Designed Inside and Out for Physical, Mental, Emotional, and Spiritual Healing

The architectural team listened to the Community when it began this project. The result is a campus that evokes the symbols, building elements, and construction techniques of ancestral dwellings and shade structures. Here are three examples but you'll find many more when you visit.





The columns in the front entrance are skewed to recall the mesquite poles of traditional ramadas.



Graphic images of traditional baskets and pottery designs are applied to glass doors to provide privacy, wayfinding, and promote healing.

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#### **River People Health Center**

Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community | Health and Human Services 10901 E. McDowell Rd., Scottsdale, AZ 85256 480-278-RPHC (7742) | F: 480-362-6777 | www.rphc.org



#### SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY

**2022 ELECTION - IMPORTANT DATES** 

For a Safe Voting Experience for All, COVID-19 Precautions will be followed.

\*Masks will be required in and around the voting area.\*

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PRIMARY DATES	MEETING & DEADLINES	NOTES
Thursday, June 2, 2022	Nomination Meeting for President and Vice-President.  Depending on the phase, this meeting may or may not be limited to Nominators and Nominees.	Nomination meeting will be held at Salt River Community Building at 6:00pm sharp. Names of those nominated will be posted ASAP via internet and social media.
Monday, June 6, 2022	President and Vice-President Nominees must accept or decline the nomination no later than 5:00pm.	Within 2 business days after the nomination meeting. Contact Council Secretary at (480)362-7466 to receive an accept/decline form.
Wednesday, June 8, 2022	Election Board Certification Meeting to Certify President and Vice-President Nominees.	Depending on the phase we are in this may be a virtual or inperson meeting. More information to come.
Thursday, June 23, 2022	Nomination Meetings for Council Members at each district.  District I (SR) Meeting-Held at Salt River Community Building.  District II (Lehi) Meeting – Held at Lehi Community Building	Candidates will be nominated at their respective district.  Nomination results will be posted ASAP via internet and social media.
Monday, June 27, 2022	Council Member Nominees must accept or decline their nomination no later than 5:00 pm.	Within 2 business days after the nomination meeting. Contact Council Secretary at (480)362-7466 to receive an accept/decline form.
Monday, June 29, 2022	Election Board Certification Meeting to Certify Council Member Nominees.	Depending on the phase we are in this may be a virtual or in- person meeting. More information to come.
ADVANCEMENT TO GENERAL ELECTION	President: Top 2 vote getters will move on to the General Election.  Vice-President: Top 2 vote getters will move on to the General  Election  (3) District 1 (SR) Council Members: Top 5 vote getters will move on to the General Election  (1) District II (Lehi) Council Member – Top 2 vote getters will move on to the General Election.	Per SRPMIC Code of Ordinances, Section 3-6(a)(2)(b), there will not be a primary election if the number of certified candidates running for office meet or are under the amount listed in subsection (a) of this section.  **Certified candidates will be on the General Election ballot.
Wednesday, July 13, 2022	Deadline for Non-Resident and Resident Voters to request an absentee ballot.  Non-Residents and Resident Voters may request an absentee ballot if away from the Community or unable to come to the polls on election day.	Make request by phone, email, or fax by deadline by contacting the Council Secretary at (480)362-7466.
Thursday, July 21, 2022	Deadline to make request for Home Voting.  If you meet the criteria for home voting (disabled or bedridden and within a 25 mile radius) and would like to receive a ballot and vote at home.	Contact Council Secretary to make this request at (480)362-7466. (2) Election Board Members will deliver the ballot and do the home voting process at your location.
Tuesday, July 26 <sup>th</sup>	SRPMIC PRIMARY ELECTION DAY  POLLS OPEN: 6:00am – 6:00pm  After polls close the Election Board will prepare results and count absentee ballots for Council certification.	Last Tuesday in July.  The final tally and election results will be presented for Council certification.
Thursday,	Primary Candidates that are not advancing to the General	Per Section 3-5 (b)(4)(e) of the SRPMIC Code of Ordinances.

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GENERAL DATES	MEETING & DEADLINES	NOTES
ASAP after the Primary Election	Notice to all SRPMIC voters of which candidates will be in the general election.	General Election information will be mailed out and posted.
Wednesday, August 24, 2022	Deadline for Non-Resident and Resident Voters to request an absentee ballot.  Non-Residents and Resident Voters may request an absentee ballot if away from the Community or unable to come to the polls on election day.	Make request by phone, email, or fax by deadline by contacting the Council Secretary at (480)362-7466.
Thursday Sept 1, 2022	Deadline to make request for Home Voting.  If you meet the criteria for home voting (disabled or bedridden and within a 25 mile radius) and would like to receive a ballot and vote at home.	Contact Council Secretary to make this request at (480)362-7466. (2) Election Board Members will deliver the ballot and do the home voting process at your location.
Tuesday September 6 <sup>th</sup>	SRPMIC GENERAL ELECTION DAY  POLLS OPEN: 6:00am – 6:00pm  After polls close the Election Board will prepare results and count absentee ballots for Council certification.	First Tuesday in September.  The final tally and election results will be presented for Council certification.
Friday, September 11	Deadline for General Election Candidates  MUST take down ALL their campaign signs.	Per Section 3-5 (b)(4)(e) of the SRPMIC Code of Ordinances.

Election MUST take down ALL their campaign signs.

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#### Council Enacts Ordinances to Implement Special Domestic Violence Criminal Jurisdiction

the VAWA Reauthorization of 2013.

The changes that may come in the future would be anything that expands tribal jurisdiction according to VAWA 2022, which would be the new subsections that allow the Community to prosecute child violence, sex trafficking, sexual assault and more.

"What's important for the Community to know is that for years and years, people have been coming to my office for help with these cases. Their husbands, significant others or children's fathers were abusing them or their children, and they were coming to us for help and we weren't able to give them any because we didn't have criminal jurisdiction," said SRPMIC Community Prosecutor Alane Breland.

"We could help them seek orders of protection or get financial help if they wanted to move, but in terms of real, concrete, black-and-white assistance from law enforcement from our office, we weren't able to help. We had to rely solely on the federal system

"Council has now passed laws that allow us to now help those domestic violence victims, and should Council decide to go further under VAWA 2022, it would further enable us here in the Community to hold people responsible who commit other very dangerous crimes against vulnerable victims, whether they be children, vulnerable adults or intimate partners," Breland continued. "I think that, from a policy perspective, being able to hold offenders responsible in the community where they commit those crimes, rather than having to depend on an outside agency, the U.S. Attorney's Office, is an important consideration to make."

## SRPMIC 12 Percent Committee Presents Funds to Arizona Autism Research & Resource Center

BY CHRIS PICCIUOLO O'odham Action News chris.picciuolo@srpmic-nsn.gov

On April 14, the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community's 12 Percent Gaming Grant Committee presented a check for \$12,000 to the Southwest Autism Research & Resource Center (SARRC) during SARRC's community breakfast at the Arizona Biltmore Resort's Frank Lloyd Wright Ballroom.

SARRC is a nonprofit that conducts research, provides evidence-based practices, disseminates effective training and builds inclusive communities for individuals with autism and their families. SARRC is one of the only autism organizations in the world that provides a lifetime of services for individuals and their families while conducting cutting-edge research.

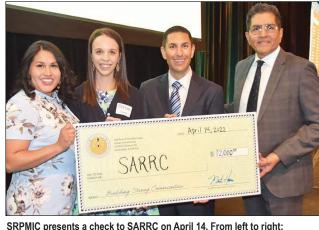
Gaming in Arizona is governed by the Arizona Tribal-State Gaming Compacts between the state and all 22 federally recognized Arizona tribes.

Under Arizona's gaming compact, tribes with casinos contribute 12% of their gaming revenue each year to the state, and to cities, towns and counties. Contributions are determined on a sliding scale based on the amount of gaming revenue realized each year.

The remaining 88% of the tribe's total annual contribution goes to the Arizona Benefits Fund on a quarterly basis and provides funding for the Arizona Department of Gaming and its Division of Problem Gambling. The remaining funds are directed toward instructional improvement for schools, trauma and emergency care, tourism, and wildlife conservation, as detailed in the Tribal Contributions Distribution Flow Chart.

"Part of that revenue share is controlled by each individual tribe to recognize and partner with nonprofit organizations," said Gary Bohnee, special assistant for Congressional and Legislative Affairs with the SRP-MIC Office of Legislative Affairs.

"[Every year], the committee makes decisions and selections on organizations that are worthy and deserving of community funding. It's a requirement of the compact and it gives the opportunity for tribes to look



Intergovernmental Relations PR Manager Angela Willeford, SARRC Corporate and Foundation Relations Manager Lauren Smith, SARRC President and CEO Daniel Openden, Special Assistant to Legislative Affairs Gary Bohnee.

at organizations that it would like to see funded."

The Community's committee policy focuses on areas such as education, cultural resources, economic development, veterans and a number of other categories

The framework of the policy in place outlines several areas that the committee and the Community ultimately will consider, and SARRC's mission aligns with that framework.

"Former SRPMIC President Delbert Ray Sr. once said that the Community is helping people that it will never meet. That's the goal, to reach out and meet needs in the Community. A lot of people who are served by these organizations, we'll never be able to meet them. It's putting money to good use. Autism is prevalent in the community at large, and so the [SRP-MIC] can help with the efforts and the mission of the organization," said Bohnee.



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## **Community Development Department Updates**

#### The Conscientious Trimmer

BY VICKI OLMSTEAD

Community Development Department Environmental Protection & Natural Resources

It's that time of year again. Springtime! Warmth is in the air, birds are singing, and plants are growing. With the birds singing comes nesting season. Nesting season is when birds pair up, build a nest and raise their young. For most of the birds, that occupy the



Community, nesting season is between the beginning of February until the end of September. Birds will nest in trees, shrubs, cactus, and even on the ground. They will use landscaped or natural growth to make their homes and raise their young. Nests can be all sorts of shapes and sizes. They can be ball shaped, cup shaped, or flat. They can be tiny, no larger than a quarter for

hummingbirds, or massive, a foot or two across for hawks and owls.

Springtime also marks the start of a lot of yard work. As the season moves forward, trimming trees back can be a necessity in preparing for monsoon season. When doing springtime yard work, trimming and pruning trees and shrubs, try to remember the birds. They share your love of those trees and shrubs. Before you cut, take a quick break and check the branches for nests, don't cut branches that have nests on them, and try to makes sure any cut branches won't hit a nest as it falls. Checking for nests and avoiding them gives the birds that call the trees and shrubs "home", time to raise their families.

For more information on bird nests and bird activity, contact Vicki Olmstead via e-mail at Victoria. Olmstead@srpmic-nsn.gov.

#### WOLF Teens Help Give the Pollinator Gardens New Life

BY SARAHNA COOPER

Community Development Department
Environmental Protection & Natural Resources Division

During the week of Earth Day, Way of Life Facility's (WOLF) Youth Services Teens volunteered to help plant pollinator-friendly plants within the pollinator gardens at the Community's demonstration treatment wetlands. One group of students planted at the Cottonwood Wetland located in the Salt River District, while the other planted at the Lehi Wetland located in the Lehi District. The students learned about the Wetlands, how to properly plant, and about pollinators and the plants they enjoy.

Over time, the pollinator gardens will provide habitat for pollinators such as the many variety of bees, butterflies, moths, beetles, flies, hummingbirds, and bat species. Through the years, the U.S. has seen great declines in pollinator species, putting many of them at risk for extinction. Declines are due to habitat loss and climate change, resulting from human impacts. The



creation of these pollinator gardens provides an opportunity for these species to thrive. Pollinators do their job by pollinating the plants that provide us humans the many foods we enjoy.

For the past several years, Community Development Department's Environmental Protection and Natural Resources Division (CDD-EPNR) has received plants from the Scottsdale Community College (SCC) greenhouse. Through varying seasons, SCC grows a variety of native plants that CDD-EPNR uses to promote environmental conservation and for restoration projects within the Community. CDD-EPNR and SCC will continue to partner to bring plant diversity and habitat for pollinators and wildlife species to our beautiful Community.

#### **Corridor News**

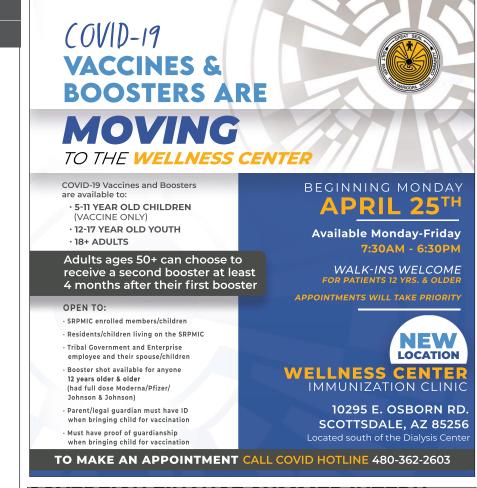
- \* Now open: Legacy Village at Salt River 4/28, see article on page 9
- \* Coming soon: Pokitrition/Rewind Ice Cream
- \* Groundbreaking: Banner Sports Medicine, see article on cover
- \* Courtyard and Residence Inn at Salt River/Scottsdale celebrates 10 years!

#### SRPMIC EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JOB TITLE	CLOSING DATE
Instrumentation and Controls Technician	5/22/22
Development Supervisor (IT)	5/18/22
Heavy Equipment Mechanic	5/18/22
Child Support Specialist	5/14/22
Youth Care Worker (Overnight)	5/14/22
Customer Service Assistant (Discover Salt River)	5/11/22
Central Plant Operator	5/10/22
Nurse Practitioner - Family Practice	5/10/22
Addiction Recovery Advocate	5/10/22
Nurse Practitioner (Pediactrics)	5/10/22
Bailiff/Process Server	5/10/22
Nurse Practitioner - Pediatrics	5/10/22
Mail Room Clerk	5/10/22
Senior Court Clerk	5/10/22
Youth Development Specialist I	5/10/22
Fire Engineer	5/9/22
Police Officer (Lateral)	5/8/22
Police Officer (Recuit)	5/8/22
Accountant	Continuous
Accounts Payable Clerk II	Continuous
Accounts Payable Clerk III	Continuous
Behavioral Health Counselor	Continuous
Civil Engineer - Water Resources	Continuous
Desktop Specialist	Continuous
Desktop Specialist II	Continuous
Early Childhood Education Teacher Aide (Ext Day)	Continuous
Grant and Contract Compliance Officer	Continuous
IT Project Manager II	Continuous
Lead Custodian (EDU)	Continuous
Licensed Practical Nurse (Community Health)	Continuous
Lifeguard	Continuous
School Teacher – Gifted	Continuous
Senior Accountant	Continuous
Senior Desktop Specialist	Continuous
Social Media Specialist	Continuous
Substitute Teacher	Continuous
Youth Development Specialist (Group Homes)	Continuous

For more information contact the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community
- Human Resources Department

Address: 10005 E Osborn Road Scottsdale, Arizona, 85256 Phone : (480) 362-7935 Website: http://www.srpmic-nsn.gov/employment/



#### SOVEREIGN FINANCE SUMMER INTERN-SHIP PROGRAM

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### NON-LEASE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY LIST

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Pursuant to SRO-503-2019, the Finance Department is required to publish a periodic list of individuals for which the Community has unclaimed property. Please note, due to the nature of the property, lease property is handled differently than non-lease property. Please see below for detailed

Below is the most recent list of NON-LEASE property:

SRPMIC Unclaimed Non-Lease Property List as of 3/16/2022 (see link below) https://www.srpmic-nsn.gov/government/finance/#FinanceUnclaimedProperty.

To claim unclaimed property (lease and/or non-lease), begin by completing this form and following the directions therein:

Claim for Unclaimed Property (see link below):

https://www.srpmic-nsn.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/FIN-2021-UnclaimedPropertyClaimForm. <u>pdf</u>

For further questions, please contact the Community Unclaimed Property Division at (480) 362-7225. Or visit https://www.srpmic-nsn.gov/government/finance/ #FinanceUnclaimedProperty

COMPANY		PROPERTY ID	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	PROPERTY
Bright Ideas Child	oaro	070925B	COOPER COOPS	Navah	057943N
Ditech Financial L		050486D	COOPS CORREA III	Charles Jerry Ronald M	031026C 012585R
Entech	ICAMIT and	033470E	DALLAS	Leonard Neal	054798L
State Of Arizona		004791S	DAVIS	Lloyd D	022614L
Target Stores And	rew Carlos 37	048441T	DINA	Alberta E	026466A
Winnebago Tribe		0WI	DOCKERTY	Randy Nephi	020400A 071493R
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CVS Caremark		040626C	EASCHIEF WHIT		0157041
Guz Bruen Law G	roup	065991G	ENAS	Delfina K	053478D
Indian Health Serv	/ice	0557961	ENOS	Darice Daniel	077286D
Internal Revenue	Service	01	ENOS	Denby R	011795D
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LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	PROPERTY ID	ENOS	Nicolas B	070020D 089637N
ACOSTA	Deja F	072729D	ENOS	Preston E	044093P
AGUILAR-PAUTA	Andrea M	018379A	ESCHIEF		
ALVARADO	Antonia	76418A	FAVELA	Myra J Irene J	033028M 096718I
ANDERSON	Brandon L	087485B	FLORES	Neva C	067215N
ANDREAS	Rowena J	080993R	FLORES	Nicholette	007213N 006912N
ANDREWS	Dominecia	049686D	FRANCISCO III	Martinez Christopher	
ANDREWS	Janet F	040250J	FRANCISCO JR	Domingo Rev	017113W 032897D
ANDREWS	Mary M	074978M	FRANCO	Consuelo	000 000
ANTONE	Carolyn Leota	070153C	FREDERICK	Ramon Andres	061950R
ANTONE	Claudette Michelle	068463C	FUENTES	Mary	52745M
ANTONE	Eveninghawk	079319E	FULWILDER	Tyler Joseph	016473T
ANTONE	Michael Ee'kum Ha'h	nak 033420M	GARCIA	Aaron Alexander	071885A
ANTONE	Phillip Aston	0PH	GARCIA GARCIA JR	Ramon Charles	07 1665A 071469R
ANTONE	Ruth V	065272R	GORMAN	Anissa	60119A
BACA	Sierra Monique	077892S	GREEN	Everett	0EV
BANASHLEY	Phyllis E	062778P	HARDY	Samuel	
BAPTISTO	Pauline C	068795P	HARRISON		036099S
BENDER	Paul	064365P		Lloyd T	015189L
BOSTON	Nataniel Jay	031945N	HAYES	Ivan A	0852921
BROWN	Corrida M	029256C	HENDRIX	Joseph Jordan	088297J
BROWN	Janice G	078287J	HERNANDEZ	Carlos Raul Luis Robert	026738C
BROWN	Marlene Nelma	013524M	HERNANDEZ		045146L
BROWN	Thomas J	012357T	HILL	Jasmine L	032939J
BURKE	Lewis Dean	097782L		Kathleen Monique	054822K
BURKE	Linda E	032951L	HILL SR HONEYCUTT	Estate Of Adrian R	075434E
BURNS	Gary	074957G		Angela Leona	076497A
BURTON	Edwin D	000748E	HOOD	Maurice T	054270M
BUTCHER	Kevin W	095286K	HOSKIE	Kelsey Amber	037799K
BUTLER	Ricky	76528R	HOWARD	Ashley M	052493A
CAMACHO	Estate Of Patricia	056119E	HOWARD	Leatrice Nadine	084466L
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CHIAGO	Bennett Leroy	065734B	JOHNSON	Briah	058068B
CHIAGO	Emmett	098750E	JOHNSON	Lauretta F	040711L
CHIAGO	Mary E	042644M	JOHNSON	Seneca	074274S

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JUAN	Jordan	008002J
JUAN	Margo Doris	077218M
JUDGE	Janice	064849J
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KAUAKAHI	Lorinda	068476L
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KELLY	Daniel A	015678D
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KING	Germaine D	012995G
KING	Kristian P	037069K
KING SR LANDIS	Delbert Floyd Michael John	056255D 018481M
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LEWIS	Kirk	076942K
LEWIS	Marc T	094630M
LEWIS JR	David Frank	085157D
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LOPEZ	Loren	002285L
LOPEZ JR	David	077561D
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MANUEL	Cassandra	046574C
MANUEL	Charline	039677C
MANUEL	Christopher Jaron	041045C
MANUEL	Gloria Teresa	036357G
MANUEL	Patricia Elaine	025108P
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MARTINEZ	Rayleen	76416R
MARTINEZ JR	Hector Lorenzo	051457H
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MONTIEL-GARCI	A Yocoyani Deandre	072502Y
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MORATAYA	Maria M	002470M
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OCHOA	Rhea Ann	070056R
OLMEDO	Gaetano Armando	010074G
OSIFE	Serena Sky	069109S
OSIFE JR	Dushane Lloyd	056691D
OSTLER	Zane Douglas	094446Z
PACHECO	April Faith	053879A
PARCHCORN	Christina R	085814C
PATRICK PEMBER	Beldon J	057714B 091014J
PERKINS	Joseph R Tranety	048012T
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PUGGIE	Grace	094218G
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RAMIREZ	Ryan Alexander	071305R
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	Emmaleigh	76424E
ROMO	Frank	076374F
ROY	Rousseau A	013028R
	Marissa Celeste	012122M
SALSTROM	Jennifer June	032847J
SAMPSON	Tammy L	034878T
SAMPSON III	Willard Gordon	035480W
SANCHEZ-CHIAG	O Jeanie Lee	079022J
SANTO	Rosie	013476R
SAWYER SCABBY	Daja Rose	074201D
SCABBY	Adrienne Ida R	069223A 095243I
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SCHURZ	Royal A	042237R
SCOTT	Cheryl J	068392C
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SELESTEWA		044603B
	Luke M	026847L
SHAW	Louise A	013188L
SHAW	So;Am Judum Josiah	050997S
SIMONS	Jenifer R	032664J
SMITH	Eliza	60068E
SMITH	Kristen C	068426K
SMITH	Michael James	054932M
SMITH	Phoebe A	039043P
	Loretta Marie	092370L
STACEY	Ernie G	010713E
STANLEY	Roberta G	089642R
STRONG	Danielle	063307D
TARIN TAYLOR	Abraham Santiago Delores	056666A 082195D
THOMAS	James Peter	038834J
	Laverne G	056781L
	Leigh	52755L
	Melvin	079036M
VALENZUELA	Lucille E	056415L
VALENZUELA	Raquel M	096775R
VALERIO	Ana	094564A
VASQUEZ	Kyle	012575K
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VELASQUEZ VEST	Purcelliano J Edmund Devin	098023P 089580E
VEST	Theodore S	029163T
VICTORIAN	Anita F	032417A
VILLEGAS	Emillio Guadalupe	049210E
VUYK	Samantha	60029S
WASHINGTON	Freida M	031892F
WASHINGTON	Leon	081910L
WATERS	Dale K	065080D
WATEUMA	Bert	006180B
WATSON	Delano	055211D
WELLINGTON	Joseph Joshua	040515J
WESLEY	Caroline S	037564C
WHITE	Gabriel S	073226G
WHITE	Razmei L	068474R
WILLEFORD WILSON	Jacob Myles Margot J	096372J 066928M
WYRICK	Charles Edward	038983C
YOYETEWA	Cassandra M	062559C
ZEPEDA	George R	064308G
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**PROPERTY ID** 

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LAST NAME

**ROBERTS** 

**ROBINSON** 

FIRST NAME

Mervin Lee

Christopher

#### ART & MAX'S LANDSCAPING

CHIAGO

CLARK II

Free estimates mowing, service, sprinkler, repair, trimming tree clean up, maintenance. Jay (480) 66

Tatum Ann

Brendan M

art&maxlandscaping@gmail.com

#### A'S FAMILY LANDSCAPING

Lawn Maintenance, Shrub/Tree Trimming and Debris/Trash Removal. FREE ESTIMATES. Lawrence Azule, (480) 467-8449

#### AIR CONDITIONING AND HEATING-RMG MECHANICAL

Comm. member own business. One job done right the first time! We service all makes and models. License #ROC310871 Bonded & Insured. Rebecca Gonzales, (480) 334-1257/

(480) 823-2802 Rmgmechanical@gmail.com

#### AU-AUTHUM KI, INC.

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Commercial construction Margaret Rodriguez, (480) 250-7566

#### **BOXING BEARS PHOTOGRAPHY**

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Boxing Bears Photography is a photography business based in Scottsdale, Arizona. We specialize in portrait photography and photohoot Cody Wood, (480) 272-4035 boxingbearsphotography.com cody@boxingbearsphotography.com

#### DALIA'S LANDSCAPING

Yard maintenance / tree trimming, sprinkler repairs and service. Sherry Harris, (480) 580-0501/ (480) 868-5452 daliaresendiz0815@icloud.com

DALLAS PROFESSIONAL PAINTING

### Commercial Painting Company,

Licensed, Bonded, Insured, ROC#250102 David Dallas, (623) 337-4070 david@dallaspropainting.com

#### **ERNIE'S CATERING**

Food catering for all your needs Ernie Lopez (chef and owner) (480) 907-8945 erniescateringbusiness@yahoo.com

#### MOQUINO'S BODY & PAINT LLC Auto Body Work and Paint LLC:

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Comm. member 15 percent discount. Pete Moquino, (480) 236-3033

#### LB's HAIR SALON

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Lawaun Gregory

For all your hair needs, 30 plus year experiences specializing in trending haircuts, color, highlighting, perms, blow dry's, also manicure, pedicure and facial waxing

Linda Baptisto, (602) 525-9142 hairbylindab@yahoo.com

#### NATIVE CREATIVE APPAREL, LLC Native American themed clothing for

babies, kids and adults. Design your own custom shirts Isaac Lopez, (480) 410-8685 / (562) 761-9341 nativecreativeapparel@gmail.com

#### NATURES DEFENSE

Do it yourself pest control. All organic, non-toxic, chemical free. Safe/effective against roaches, scorpions, fleas/ticks, beetles, bed bugs and more! JB Cortez, (480) 453-9371

**SALT RIVER BUSINESS LISTINGS** saltriverjb@gmail.com

#### NATIVE GROUND COFFEE

Winter Wood, (480) 522-8393 www.nativegroundcoffee.com

#### PIMA AWARDS PROMOTIONAL PRODUCTS, INC

Promotional products, silkscreened and embroidered apparel, custom made awards and printing services. 15610 N 35th Ave Ste #7 Phoenix, AZ 85053 www.pimaawards.com Ron Lee, (623) 271-8311

#### PIMARA CONSTRUCTION

Civil & structural engineering. Virginia Loring, (480) 251-6849 vlpimara@cox.net

#### PIIPASH SHELL

4001. N. Pima Rd., Scottsdale, AZ Michael Smith- Owner Piipash LLC (480) 947-6400 (store) piipash@hotmail.com

#### RED MOUNTAIN ENGINEERING, LLC Full service civil engineering, surveying and consulting firm.

A Native American coffee company from Patrick D. Dallas, (480) 237-2708

#### **REZHAWK TOWING &** RECOVERY, LLC

Please call for appointment Lock out available Eric Schurz, (480) 735-9730 rezhawktowingandrecovery@yahoo.com

#### SALT RIVER HOSPITALITY

Food service, bar, janitorial equipment and supplies. J.B. Cortez, (480) 453-9371 srh@srpmic.com

#### 7 STARS OF ARIZONA, LLC

Concrete & Masonry construction, General contraction ROC#26357. Angela Willeford, (602) 889-7290 angelawilleford@sevenstarscompany. com

#### STAYSHONS CHEVRON

Community Member owned business since 1994. Boyd Chiago, (480) 990-2004

#### THE MAIN INGREDIENT

Kitchen supplies, open to the public. J.B. Cortez, (480) 453-9371 themainingredientaz@gmail.com

May 5, 2022

#### VMK ENTERPRISES, INC

Janitorial supplies Sheryl@vmkenterprises.com

If we CANNOT contact you by phone or email, your business will be removed from the listing, O'odham Action News at (480) 362-7750 to have your business put back on the listing.

#### May 2022 - District Meetings

MEETING DATE/TIME **CM Enos** 

District A Mon., May 9, 2022 6 p.m.

**CM Antone** District B Sat. May 21, 2022 9 a.m.

CM Doka District C Sat., May 14, 2022 9 a.m.

CM Grev District D Thurs., May 5, 2022

**CM Largo** District E Mon., May 23, 2022

CM Scabby / CM Lehi District Tues., May 17, 2022 6 p.m.

• Homesite Designee & Beneficiary Presentation

- Drug Symposium Info
- CM Comments
- Salt River Materials Group
- **CM Comments**
- Election Board Updates
- Housing Survey Results
- **Emergency Management** Overview
- CM Comments
- **Election Board Updates**
- SRPD Crime Stats for Dist. D
- Get Out the Vote
- CM Comments
- SRFD Recruitment
- SRPD Community Policing

Agenda TBD

SRPMIC Council Chambers 10091 E. Osborn Road Scottsdale, AZ / 85256

**Education Board Room** 4836 N. Center Street Scottsdale, AZ 85256

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WOLF ROOM #56

11725 E. Indian School Road Scottsdale, AZ 85256

Lehi Community Building 1231 E. Oak Street Mesa, AZ 85203

#### May Council Meetings

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS: May 11, 18, 25 REGULAR SESSIONS: May 11, 18, 25 WORK SESSIONS: May 5, 12, 19, 26

Council may enter Executive Session as necessary.

Wednesdays at 3 p.m. Wednesdays at 5 p.m. Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Questions can be directed to the Council Secretaries Office at (480) 362-7469

TO CONTACT THE COUNCIL MEMBERS: Erica Harvier at (480) 362-7466 -Elyse Lewis at (480) 362-7464

TO CONTACT PRESIDENT HARVIER OR VICE PRESIDENT LEONARD: -Ardell Moore at (480) 362-7465

Community Members can view the public Council Meetings at: www.srpmic-nsn.gov/government/council/councilmeetings/

#### PUBLIC WORKS NOTICE

SRPMIC Council has approved the nightly closures of the Salt River and Lehi Cemeteries due to continued vandalism.

The Salt River and Lehi Cemeteries will be closed from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m.

If you have any questions, please contact

Memorial Services at (480) 278-7050

#### **CHURCH LISTING**

#### **LEHI CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

1452 E. Oak St Mesa, AZ 85203 Mailing Address: PO Box 4628 Mesa, AZ 85211 Pastor Merrill Jones (480) 234-6091

#### **SERVICES**

-Visit us on Facebook Live and in person. Search for Lehi Church of the Nazarene

-Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. -Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. -Sunday Night Service, 6:30 p.m. -Wed. Bible Study at church, 6:30

-SOAR Group 2nd & 4th Friday every month at the church 7 p.m. -Monday night Prayer Meeting,

-Singspiration, last Sunday of the month at 6 p.m.

#### **FERGUSON MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH**

1512 E. McDowell Rd. (Lehi) Mesa, AZ 85203 Pastor Neil Price (480) 278-0750

#### **SERVICES** Worship Service, 10 a.m.

- Thurs. Bible Study Service, 7 p.m. Sunday service 10 a.m. now available through the Zoom app call church for Zoom ID.

#### **LEHI PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

1342 E. Oak Mesa, AZ 85203 Pastor Annette Lewis annette.f.lewis@gmail.com (480) 404-3284 **SERVICES** -Sunday Services 10 a.m

 Communion First Sunday of every month 10 a.m. Birthday Sunday Potluck- Last Sunday of the Month, after services

-Youth Devotion/Music (bring your instruments!) last 2 Saturdays of the month at 4 p.m.

#### THE CHURCH OF JESUS **CHRIST PAPAGO WARD**

2056 N. Extension Rd. Scottsdale AZ, 85256 (480) 947-1084

#### **SERVICES**

Sunday service begins at 10 a.m.

#### **PIMA CHRISTIAN**

**FELLOWSHIP** 12207 E. Indian School Rd. Scottsdale, AZ 85256 Pastor Marty Thomas (480) 874-3016/ Home: (480) 990-7450

#### **SERVICES**

- Lord's Supper very first Sunday of the month (potluck after)

#### SALT RIVER ASSEMBLY OF GOD

10657 E. Virginia Ave. Scottsdale, AZ 85256 (480) 947-5278 Rev. Jim Lopez

#### **SERVICES**

- Sunday Morning Prayer 10 a.m. - Worship 11 a.m.
- Evening Worship 6 p.m.
- Thursday Evening Worship 6 p.m.

#### SALT RIVER CHURCH OF **CHRIST**

430 N. Dobson Rd. Mesa, AZ 85201 (720) 626-2171 SaltRiverChurchofChrist.com

#### **SERVICES** - Bible Class 9:30 a.m. -10:30 a.m.

- Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.-
- 11:30 a.m. Sunday Bible Class 6 p.m.
- Bible Study Wednesdays 7 p.m.
- Provides transportation services for Community members call phone

#### SALT RIVER PRESBYTERIAN **CHURCH** Salt River Presbyterian Church

P.O. Box 10125 Scottsdale, AZ 85271 E: SaltRiverPresbyterian@gmail.

Visit us on Facebook astor Charlotte Fatard **SERVICES** 

-Sunday Service, 1 p.m. -Communion first Sunday of the

#### ST. FRANCIS CATHOLIC **MISSION**

3090 N. Longmore, Scottsdale, AZ (602) 292-4466 (cell) Administrator: Deacon Jim Trant Parish President: Cindy Thomas Father Peter McConnell and Father Antony Tinker

#### -Sunday Mass 12 p.m.

-Holy Hours 1 p.m.

#### Please call the Church ahead of time to confirm information. Information was correct at the time of print, however, services may have changed since then.



### **PUBLIC WORKS** NOTICE

Due to continuing truck issues, the City of Phoenix has kindly loaned the Community a residential trash truck. Please be aware the truck will be assisting in servicing the Community's residential containers for the next couple of weeks. Thank you for understanding.



If any questions, please contact the Public Works Department at 480-362-5600 or email PWCustomerService@srpmic-nsn.gov

#### **ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE**



#### Career **Exploration** Camp

for SRPMIC **High School Students** 

#### PROGRAM DATES June 6-9, 2022 | 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

In-Person at Scottsdale Community Colleges' Indigenous Cultural Center

Spend four fun days at SCC learning about potential career paths through hands-on activities, including: Administration of Justice, Computer Information Systems and Business

#### **Program Summary:**

- Hear from special guest speakers
- SCC campus tour, interact with faculty and experts in each field and Interact with SRP-MIC Cultural Resources Department
- Snacks and lunch will be provided each day
- Receive \$500 Participant Award for attending all four days
- Cool SCC swag
- **Program Eligibility:** Enrolled SRPMIC Member
- Enrolled/registered in High School
- Sophomore, Junior or Senior for the 2022 school year

#### ACCEPTING FIRST **30 PARTICIPANTS!**

APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE: Monday, May 2nd -Friday, May 13th

Office Hours Monday - Friday 8 am - 5 pm

WHERE: SRP-MIC's Community Employment Office Two Waters Building B, First Floor

#### FOR QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL:

Seneca Peters Career Services Coordinator 480-362-6642

In collaboration with:



SCOTTSDALE COMMUNITY COLLEGE



i the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability or age in its programs or activities. For Title IX/504 concerns, call the following I information, as well as a listing of all coordinators within the Maricopa College system, visit www.maricopa.edu/non-discrimination



#### MEMORIAL SERVICES **Wake and Funeral Services**

#### As part of our continuing efforts to help prevent the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) throughout the Community, the following restrictions are in place

for all funeral services and planning

- Memorial Services and Cemeteries office open regular hours: 8:00AM-5:00PM Monday—Friday
- Family may meet staff in office or cemetery

#### FULL WAKE AND FUNERAL ARE PROVIDED AT FACILITIES

· Overnights in the facilities will be allowed

- One (1) wake or funeral service per day at each facility: Memorial Hall and Xalychidom Piipaash Nyvaash
  - If a family chooses to keep loved one at the facility overnight, family allowed to stay with loved one
  - Families will be responsible for overseeing and running the kitchen during services to include the serving of food and removing personal items and leftover food after services. Day labor may not be available
  - Nursery and family room will be open
- Memorial Services will create and post funeral announcements, if requested by family
- Wakes and/or overnight services are allowed at the homes
- Facilities will be available to hold family meetings
- Masks will be required, and if you are sick please stay home Families can have services at churches, if they receive permission from churches
- CEMETERY SERVICES PROVIDED DURING
  - Tent, tables, and chairs provided
     If family wishes to dig grave, tools available Handwashing station, hand sanitizer, and port-a-john available
- Staff will assist with burial Casket cart or table for urn
- · No requirement for mask or social distancing at cemetery

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Please call Memorial Services at 480-278-7050 for any questions

#### JUVENILE COURT JURISDICTION

SALT RIVER PIMA MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY COURT

10040 E. OSBORN RD.

SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85256 CONTACT: (480) 362-6315

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ALL JUVENILE COURT CASES REPORT TO COURTROOM #3 ON THE 1ST FLOOR.

#### FAILURE TO APPEAR EITHER IN PERSON OR TELEPHONICALLY CAN AFFECT YOUR RIGHTS

Antone, Jordan James - Permanency Disposition/Exceptional Care Hearings: J-21-0089/0090Court Date: May 9, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Betancourt, Eva - Review Hearing Case: J-18-0092 Court Date: June 9, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Boone Sr., Isaac - Initial Guardianship Hearing Case: J-22-0009/0010/0011/0012/0013 Court Date: May 16, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Burke, Brandee Lyn - Default Judgment Hearing Case: J-21-0063 Court Date: May 5, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Carlos, Andrew James - Disposition Hearing Case: J-21-0133 Court Date: May 11, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Curtis, Lila Star – Review/ Permanency Hearings Case: J-200100/0101/J-21-0031 Court Date: June 1, 2022 at 10 a.m. Daniel, Robert - Evidentiary Paternity

Hearing Case: J-21-0129 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 11 a.m. Galeana, Uriel - Review Hearing

Case: J-18-0092 Court Date: June 9, 2022 at 10 a.m.

JImerson, Felicia Kim - Evidentiary

Paternity Hearing Case: J-21-0129 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 11 a.m. Lewis, Steven Michael - Order to

Show Cause Hearing Case: C-21-0112 Court Date: May 16, 2022 at 9:30 a.m.

Lopez, Alejandra Gail - Review Hearing Case: J-21-0053 Court Date: June 8, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Manuel, Ezekiel Ruben - Evidentiary Guardianship Hearing Case: J-22-0050 Court Date: May 11, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Pablo, Anthony Scott - Evidentiary Termination of Parental-Child Relationship Trial Case: J-21-0122/0123/0124 Court Date: May 9, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Pacheco, Carlos Frank -Review Hearing Case: J-17-0156/0157/J-18-0185 Court Date: May 23, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Rhodes, Lakota Felix - Review Hearing Case: J-18-0209 Court Date: June 23, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Spex, Deven Arlees - Exceptional Care/Permanency Hearing Case: J-11-0186 Court Date: May 24, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Stepp, Annlynn Mae – Evidentiary Termination of Parental-Child Relationship Case: J-22-0039 Court Date: June 7, 2022, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Sundust, Tamera Tilda - Evidentiary Termination of Parental-Child Relationship Case: J-22-0043 Court Date: May 19, 2022 at 10 a.m. Unknown Father
Minors: Jane Doe 03/XX/2006

John Doe 01/XX/2007 John Doe 01/XX/2011

John Doe 10/XX/2016 Jane Doe 12/XX/2019

Initial Guardianship Hearing Case: J-22-0009/0010/0011/0012/0013 Court Date: May 16, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Toney, Zakirah Char - Permanency Disposition/Exceptional Care Hearings: J-21-0089/0090 Court Date: May 9, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Wilson, Marina Jean - Review Hearing Case: J-11-0175/0176 Court Date: June 7, 2022 at 11 a.m.

## CIVIL COURT JURISDICTION

SALT RIVER PIMA MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY COURT

ADDRESS:

10040 E. OSBORN RD. SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85256

CONTACT: (480) 362-6315

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ALL CIVIL COURT CASES REPORT TO COURTROOM #1/ #2 ON THE 1ST FLOOR.

FAILURE TO APPEAR EITHER IN PERSON OR TELEPHONICALLY CAN AFFECT YOUR RIGHTS Andrade, Pamela Marie – Review/ OTSC Case: C-16-0094 Court Date: May 26, 2022 at 9:30 a.m.

**LEGAL NOTICES** 

Andreas, Giselle Reann/Reina, Nicholas - Default Judgment Hearing Case: C-21-0151 Court Date: May 10, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Andreas, Keisha Ann - Evidentiary Guardianship Hearing Case: CF-22-0043 Court Date: May 23, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Andreas, Keisha Ann - Initial Guardianship Hearing Case: CF-22-0031 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Andrews, Ariel Sky - Initial Paternity Hearing Case: CF-22-0051 Court Date: May 26, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Beiarano, Pauline Blaine - Child

Support Hearing Case: CFCS-21-0013 Court Date: July 14, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Bejarano, Pauline Blaine - Status Hearing Case: C-22-0036 Court Date: May 10, 2022 at 10:30 a.m.

Burke, Celeana - Initial

Guardianship Hearing Case: CF-22-0066 Court Date: May 25, 2022 at 9 a.m. Carlos, Alyssa - Evidentiary

Guardianship Hearing Case: CF-22-0039 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 9 a.m. Charlie, Paul - Restraining Order

Hearing Case: R-22-0039 Court Date: May 23, 2022 at 9:30 a.m. Correa, Tevin Brandon - Evidentiary

Guardianship Hearing Case: CF-22-0039 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 9 a.m. Cruz, Juan - Order to Show Cause

Hearing Case: CF-19-0131 Court Date: May 11, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. Ellison, Joseph Paul - ICWA Transfer Hearing Case: J-22-0062 Court Date: June 6, 2022 at

9:00 a.m. Parent(s)/guardian(s)/

custodian(s) are hereby admonished that failure to attend a hearing after receiving notice of hearing may result in a finding that you waived your legal right to be present and the hearing may proceed without you. If the hearing goes forward, the Court could make findings and enter permanent orders by motion.

Enos, Joseph Terrance - Child Support Modification Hearing Case: CFCS-20-0016 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Flores-Rodriguez, Theresa Marie
- Civil Complaint Hearing Case:
C-22-0063 Court Date: May 31,

2022 at 9 a.m.

French, Tracy Serina/John Doe French - Civil Complaint Hearing Case: C-22-0057 Court Date: May 17, 2022 at 9 a.m.

French, Tracy Serina/John Doe French - Civil Complaint Hearing Case: C-22-0056 Court Date: May 17, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Jackson, Shannon Christy - Child

Support Modification Hearing Case: CFCS-15-0055 Court Date: May 18, 2022 at 10 a.m. Jones, David - Annual Review

Hearing Case: CF-19-0117 Court Date: June 6, 2022 at 10 a.m. Lewis. Steven Michael - Order to

Show Cause Hearing Case: C-21-0112 Court Date: May 16, 2022 at 9:30 a.m.
Loring, Renae Giselle - Order to

Show Cause Hearing Case: C-21-0042 Court Date: May 10, 2022 at 9:30 a.m. Molina. Diana Naomi - Probate

Hearing Case: P-22-0021 Court

Date: June 2, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Montiel-Jaime, Carmen Elena
Sialik Heosig - Petition for Name
Change Case: CF-21-0130 Court
Date: June 8, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Pacheco, Aisha Lynn - Child Support Modification Hearing Case: CFCS-18-0018 Court Date: May 24, 2022 at 11 a.m.

Pedro, Melody Ann - ICWA Transfer Hearing Case: J-22-0062 Court Date: June 6, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. Parent(s)/guardian(s)/custodian(s) are hereby admonished that failure to attend a hearing after receiving notice of hearing may result in a finding that you waived your legal right to be present and the hearing may proceed without you. If the hearing goes forward, the Court could make findings and enter permanent orders by motion.

Rivera Sr., Samuel Leon - Annual Guardianship Review Case: CF-21-0049 Court Date: May 26, 2022 at 9 a.m.

Ray, Julia Anna – Review/OTSC Case: CF-13-0079 Court Date: May 23, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Saunders Sr., Matthew David -Annual Review Hearing Case: CF-19-0116 Court Date: June 6, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Thompson, Franzia Kaye - Annual Guardianship Review Case: CF-21-0049 Court Date: May 26, 2022 at 9 a.m. Unknown, Father - Annual Review

Unknown, Father - Annual Review Hearing Case: CF-19-0115-Minor: John Doe 10/25/2012-Mother: Lacey Burns Court Date: June 6, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Enos, Joseph Terrance - Child Support Modification Hearing Case: CFCS-20-0016 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 10 a.m.

Vest, Melanie Denise - Petition for Name Change Case: CF-22-0035 Court Date: May 12, 2022 at 10:30 a.m.

#### **DEFAULT NOTICES**

#### JOANNA ALVAREZ SUMMONS J-18-0116

R.G. JR., DOB: 2/10/2004

TO: Joanna Alvarez

A Child Support Petition has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or guardian of the child(ren) named above. In the Petition, it requests that the Court determine child support and enter judgment against you.

Within 30 calendar days after receiving this Summons and the Child Support Petition, you must file an answer with Court and serve a copy of it upon the Petitioner. If you refuse to attend the hearing or to defend by filing an answer, the Court shall proceed to hold a hearing on the basis of the Petitioner's evidence. As a result of the hearing, the Court may enter a default order of child support obligating you to pay child support until the child(ren) reach(es) the age of majority or longer.

NOTICE, Violation of this Order is Subject to Proceedings for Contempt of Court Pursuant to Salt River Community Code Section 6-42. The Court May Find the Parent, Guardian or Custodian in Contempt for Failure to Appear at a Court Hearing or For Failure to Follow Court Orders.

CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### **BRYON ANTONE**

## NOTICE OF JUDGMENT AND ORDER OF PATERNITY, CUSTODY AND CHILD SUPPORT:

Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Community Court, State of Arizona, Maricopa County original jurisdiction court case number CF-21-0134; CF-21-0135; CFCS-21-0045

Notice of Judgment and Order of Paternity, Custody and Child Support is hereby ORDERED AND ADJUDGED and is hereby ENTERED on the 31st day of March, 2022. It is further, ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that Respondent Byron Antone is the natural father of S.M. DOB: 0/26/2019. Donna Martinez is granted sole legal custody. Byrone Antone shall pay child support in the amount of \$566.89 to Petitioner, Donna Martinez. Payment shall be made to Petitioner within thirty (30) days of this Order. Petitioner is granted a judgment of back support in the amount of \$17,057.37 against the Respondent. The Order of support presumptively terminates on May 30, 2037. This order is final for purposes of appeal.

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#### ISAAC BOONE SR. SUMMONS

J-21-0009/010/0011/0012/0013 SUMMONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN

S.R.P.M.I.C §§10-114 thru 10-126

Jane Doe 8/XX/2006 John Doe 1/XX/2007

John Doe 1/XX/2011

John Doe 10/XX/2016 Jane Doe 12/XX/2019

TO: Isaac Boone Sr.

A Petition for Appointment of Guardian of Minor has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or legal guardian of the child(ren) named above. The Petition includes a request for the Court to appoint proposed person(s) as guardian(s) for the child(ren) named above.

Within 30 calendar days after receiving this Summons and the Petition for Appointment of Guardian of Minor, you must file a written response. If you fail to attend the hearing or to defend by filing a written response, the Court may enter a default guardianship order appointing the proposed person(s) as legal guardian(s) and take any other action that is authorized by law.

THEREFORE YOU ARE ORDERED to APPEAR for an Initial Guardianship Hearing before the Salt River Juvenile Court on May 16, 2022, at 10:00 A.M., in Court Room #3.

NOTICE: Violation of this Order is Subject to Proceedings for Contempt of Court Pursuant to Salt River Community Code Section 6-42. The Court May Find the Parent, Guardian or Custodian in Contempt for Failure to Appear at a Court Hearing or For Failure to Follow Court Orders.

CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### BRANDEE BURKE DEFAULT NOTICE J-21-0063

I.T.M.O.: S.B. (D.O.B.: 7/XX/2012)
To: Brandee Burke, RESPONDENT

A Compleiet / Detition has been

 A Complaint / Petition has been filed against you in this Court and your immediate attention to this fact is urgent if you do not want judgment entered against you.

The Court record reflects that you have failed to respond to defend by filing an answer, motion to dismiss, request for extension of time or other responsive pleading and you have failed to attend hearings at the Court called for this matter.

 If you do not defend against this suit within Thirty (30) days from the date the Process Server hands you this or you are served with it otherwise as permitted under the Community Code, the Court may enter default judgment against you.

 A default judgment may have serious, adverse, and irreversible consequences against you.

5. If you want to defend against the claim and avoid default judgment entered against you, you must file a written answer, motion to dismiss or other responsive pleading within thirty (30) days from when you are served with this Notice. The Court will not extend time for your response and you must make your response in writing, no oral responses will be accepted.

6. If you do nothing, the Court may give Judgment for what the Complaint demands. (Section 5-16.1, Judgment by Default) Brandee Burke shall be ordered to make child support payments of \$556.33 per month from her quarterly Per Capita payment for a total amount of \$1,668.99 until the Minor turns eighteen (18) years

CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### JOHN DOE SUMMONS J-21-0135

In the Matter of Appointment of Guardian

S.R.P.M.I.C §§10-114 thru 10-126 A.B. (D.O.B.: 1/27/2018

TO: John Doe or a Person to Whom It May Concern

A Petition for Appointment of Guardian of

Minor has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or legal guardian of the child(ren) named above. The Petition includes a request for the Court to appoint proposed person(s) as guardian(s) for the child(ren) named above. Your rights may be affected.

Within 30 calendar days after receiving this Summons and the Petition for Appointment of Guardian of Minor, you must file a written response. If you fail to attend the hearing or to defend by filing a written response, the Court may enter a default guardianship order appointing the proposed person(s) as legal guardian(s) and take any other action that is authorized by law.

THEREFORE YOU ARE ORDERED to

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APPEAR for an Initial Guardianship Hearing before the Honorable Judge Darmody, Salt River Juvenile Court on May 16, 2022, at 11:00 A.M., in Court Room #3.

courthouse at least fifteen (15) minutes prior to any proceeding.

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for Failure to Appear at a Court Hearing or

14-0004, effective August 4, 2014, legal

counsel, parties, and their respective

Pursuant to Administrative Order No.

witnesses shall be present in the

For Failure to Follow Court Orders.

CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMAMARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### MARISA FRANCISCO SUMMONS J-22-0071

Summons for Appointment of Guardian

S.R.P.M.I.C §§10-114 thru 10-126

C.M.L.-F. (D.O.B.: 2/8/2020) TO: Marisa Francisco

A Petition for Appointment of Guardian of Minor has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or legal guardian of the child(ren) named above. The Petition includes a request for the Court to appoint proposed person(s) as guardian(s) for the child(ren) named above. Your rights may be affected. You may obtain a copy of the petition by calling (480) 362-6315.

Within 30 calendar days after receiving this Summons and the Petition for Appointment of Guardian of Minor, you must file a written response. If you fail to attend the hearing or to defend by filing a written response, the Court may enter a default guardianship order appointing the proposed person(s) as legal guardian(s) and take any other action that is authorized by law.

THEREFORE YOU ARE ORDERED to APPEAR for an Initial Guardianship Hearing before the Honorable Judge Achin, Salt River Juvenile Court on June 21, 2022, at 11:00 A.M., in Court Room #3. Pursuant to Administrative Order No.

14-0004, effective August 4, 2014, legal counsel, parties, and their respective witnesses shall be present in the courthouse at least fifteen (15) minutes prior to any proceeding.

NOTICE: Violation of this Order is Subject

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CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### JESSICA KAVOKA SUMMONS J-22-0070

In the Matter of: Termination of the

Parental Rights of:

G.B. aka G.S.

TO: Jessica Kovaka

A Petition to Terminate Parental Rights has been filed on April 18, 2022 in this Court against you, which alleges grounds for the termination of your parental rights of the above captioned child(ren). You may obtain a copy of the Petition by calling (480) 362-6315. A hearing has been set to determine whether the petitioner has proven that

allegation(s) support a legal basis for

termination of parental rights.

THEREFORE YOU ARE ORDERED to APPEAR for an Initial Hearing for Termination of Parental Rights before the Honorable Judge Achin, the Salt River Juvenile Court on Tuesday, June 21, 2022,

Pursuant to Administrative Order No. 14-0004, effective August 4, 2014, legal counsel, parties, and their respective witnesses shall be present in the courthouse at least fifteen (15) minutes prior to any proceeding.

at 10:00 am, in Court Room #3

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#### **ROBI LEWIS** SUMMONS

J-22-0071 Summons for Appointment of Guardian

S.R.P.M.I.C §§10-114 thru 10-126

C.M.L.-F. (D.O.B.: 2/8/2020)

TO: Robi Lewis

A Petition for Appointment of Guardian of Minor has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or legal guardian of the child(ren) named above. The Petition includes a request for the Court to appoint proposed person(s) as guardian(s) for the child(ren) named above. Your rights may be affected. You may obtain a copy of the petition by calling (480) 362-6315.

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CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### **ROSEMARY LEWIS** SUMMONS CHILD SUPPORT J-22-0035/0036

In the Matter of: (E.E.C. D.O.B.: 8/XX/2017); E.C. (D.O.B.: 2/XX/2019)

TO: Rosemary Lewis

A Child Support Petition has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or guardian of the child(ren) named above. In the Petition, it requests that the Court determine child support and

enter judgment against you. You may obtain a copy of the petition by calling (480) 362-6315.

Within 30 calendar days after receiving this Summons and the Child Support Petition, you must file an answer with Court and serve a copy of it upon the Petitioner. If you refuse to attend the hearing or to defend by filing an answer, the Court shall proceed to hold a hearing on the basis of the Petitioner's evidence. As a result of the hearing, the Court may enter a default order of child support obligating you to pay child support until the child(ren) reach(es) the age of majority or longer.

Pursuant to Administrative Order No. 14-0004, effective August 4, 2014, legal counsel, parties, and their respective witnesses shall be present in the courthouse at least fifteen (15) minutes prior to any proceeding.

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CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### LEWIS, STEVEN MICHAEL TO: STEVEN MICHAEL LEWIS, 631 E. OAK ST. MESA, AZ 85203

YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED to appear before the above-entitled court on the 16th day of May, 2022 at 9:30 AM, in Court Room #2, and show cause why you should not be held in contempt for Failure to pay the Default Judgment in the amount of \$8,441.13 as Ordered on September 9, 2021 and failure to appear at an Order to Show Cause hearing on February 8, 2022.

FAILURE TO APPEAR will result in a Bench Warrant issued for your arrest for Contempt of Court from (§6-41) of the Code or

ORDERED this 14th day of February, 2022.

JUDGE ANTHONY LITTLE - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY TRIBAL COURT

#### I.T.M.O. RENAE GISELLE LORING C-21-0042

TO: Renae Giselle Loring,

11434 E Camelback Rd Scottsdale, AZ

YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED to appear before the above-entitled court on the 10th

**DEFAULT NOTICES** 

day of May, 2022 at 9:30 AM, in Court Room #2, and show cause why you should not be held in contempt for For Failure to Obey a Court Order.

FAILURE TO APPEAR will result in a Bench Warrant issued for your arrest for Contempt of Court from (§6-41) of the Code or Ordinances. You are entitled to subpoena witnesses on your behalf and to be represented by counsel.

ORDERED this 28th day of March, 2022.

JUDGE ANTHONY LITTLE - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY TRIBAL COURT

#### **JULIA ANNA RAY** I.T.M.O.: D.A.K. JR. (D.O.B.: 2/13/2005) CF-13-0079

TO: Julia Anna Ray

YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED to appear before the above-entitled court on the 23rd day of May, 2022 at 10 AM, in Court Room #2, and show cause why you should not be held in contempt for Failure to appear for Review/OTSC Hearings on February 9, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. after being duly served.

FAILURE TO APPEAR will result in a Bench Warrant issued for your arrest for Contempt of Court from (§6-41) of the Code or Ordinances. You are entitled to subpoena witnesses on your behalf and to be represented by counsel.

ORDERED this 21st day of March, 2022.

JUDGE ANTHONY LITTLE - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA INDIAN COMMUNITY TRIBAL COURT

#### JOSE SALAZAR JR. **SUMMONS** J-22-0070

In the Matter of: Termination of the

Parental Rights of: G.B. aka G.S.

TO: Jose Salazar Jr.

A Petition to Terminate Parental Rights has been filed on April 18, 2022 in this Court against you, which alleges grounds for the termination of your parental rights of the above captioned child(ren). You may obtain a copy of the Petition by calling (480) 362-6315. A hearing has been set to determine whether the petitioner has proven that allegation(s) support a legal basis for termination of parental rights.

THEREFORE YOU ARE ORDERED to APPEAR for an Initial Hearing for Termination of Parental Rights before the Honorable Judge Achin, the Salt River

Juvenile Court on Tuesday, June 21, 2022, at 10:00 am, in Court Room #3

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CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### BLAINE SANTO, SR. SUMMONS CHILD SUPPORT J-14-0016/--17

In the Matter of: B.S. Jr. (D.O.B.: 6/12/2012); N.S. (D.O.B.: 1/31/2011)

TO: Blaine Santo, Sr., respondent father

A Child Support Petition has been filed in this Court in which it is represented that you are a parent or guardian of the child(ren) named above. In the Petition, it requests that the Court determine child support and enter judgment against you. You may obtain a copy of the Petition by calling (480) 362-6315.

Within 30 calendar days after receiving this Summons and the Child Support Petition, you must file an answer with Court and serve a copy of it upon the Petitioner. If you refuse to attend the hearing or to defend by filing an answer, the Court shall proceed to hold a hearing on the basis of the Petitioner's evidence. As a result of the hearing, the Court may enter a default order of child support obligating you to pay child support until the child(ren) reach(es) the age of majority or longer.

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CLERK OF COURT - SALT RIVER PIMA-MARICOPA COMMUNITY COURT

#### **UNKNOWN FATHER SUMMONS**

J-21-0009/010/0011/0012/0013

Summons for Appointment of Guardian S.R.P.M.I.C §§10-114 thru 10-126

Jane Doe 8/XX/2006

John Doe 1/XX/2007

John Doe 1/XX/2011

John Doe 10/XX/2016

Jane Doe 12/XX/2019

TO: Unknown father

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#### **1st Quarter 2022 ELIGIBILITY DEADLINE** June 30, 2022

Must be eighteen (18) years old, enrolled, and living to be eligible for the

#### July 2022 Per Capita Payment.

#### Deadlines for CHANGES

#### **DIRECT DEPOSIT START-UPS AND**

CHANGES: Tuesday, July 12 at 5 p.m. This deadline is for new start-ups for direct deposit or changes to existing information. All forms **MUST** be submitted with a "VOIDED" check or statement from the bank with the Routing and Account Numbers. Forms received by this date will be effective for the July 2022 payout. Forms received after this date will not be effective until the October 2022 payout.

#### **DISCONTINUE DIRECT DEPOSITS:**

Tuesday, July 12 at 5 p.m.. This deadline is to discontinue an existing direct deposit. \*\*Failing to notify the Per Capita department when an account is closed may delay your Per Capita payment.

PER CAPITA ELIGIBILITY: Tuesday, July 19 at 5 p.m. This deadline is for submitting the Adult SRP-MIC Member's Per Capita Information Certificate. Forms received by

this date will be effective for the July 2022 payout. Forms received after this date will not be processed until the first week of July 2022.

#### TAX WITHHOLDING CHANGES: Tuesday. July 19 at 5 p.m. This deadline is for

making changes to "Additional" tax withholding percentage or amount.

Tax forms are available on the Finance Per Capita Intranet Site and can also be requested by e-mailing FINPERCAP1@ srpmic-nsn.gov.

If you have any questions regarding: Tribal ID, Per Capita Eligibility & Change Forms call Membership Services at (480) 362-7600

Tax Withholding & Direct Deposits call Finance-Per Capita at (480) 362-7710

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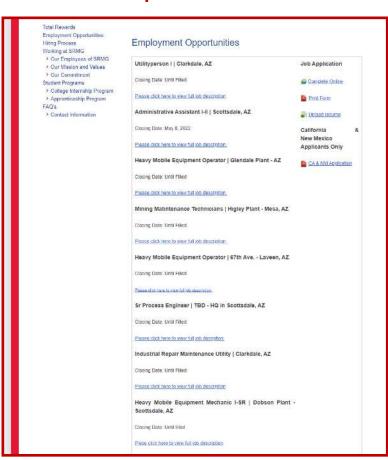
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## **Calendar of Events**

#### MAY

- 5 CM GREY DISTRICT D, 6 p.m., at the SRPMIC Council Chambers, 10091 E. Osborn Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85256 Topics: Election Board Updates, SRPD Crime Stats for Dist. D, Get Out the Vote and CM Comments. For more information contact the Council Secretary Office at (480) 362-7469. See ad on page 21.
- 7 SRPMIC HEALING & MEMORIAL TRIBUTE, 5:30 p.m. at the Salt River Field, 1839 N. Longmore Rd., Scottsdale, Az. The SRPMIC will host a Healing & Memorial Tribute, a reflection in remembrance of all our Community members whose lives were lost during the pandemic. Program: 5:30 p.m., Serving of Meal. // 7 p.m. PROGRAM \*
  Opening Prayer \* Opening Remarks \* Introduction \* Memorial Tribute \* Candle Lighting \* Moment of Silence \* Speakers \* Musical Numbers \* Healing Message \* O'odham Social. See ad on page 4.
- 9 CM ENOS DISTRICT A, 6 p.m., at the SRPMIC Council Chambers, 10091 E. Osborn Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85256 Topics: Homesite Designee & Beneficiary Presentation, Drug Symposium Info and CM Comments. For more information contact the Council Secretary Office at (480) 362-7469. See ad on page 21.

- NESS MONTH #breakthestigma. SRPMIC Webinar: Recognizing your stress and ways to cope." at 2:30-3 p.m. (Each participant will receive a promo gift related to self-care.) For more information please call or email: Melanie Nosie, LMSW (480) 362-6678, melanie. nosie@srpmic-nsn.gov OR Vurlene Notsinneh-Bowekaty, B.S. (480) 362-2706, vurlene.notsinneh-bowekaty@srpmic-nsn.gov
- 9 HOUSING GROUNDBREAKING EVENT, PALS (Social Services Young Adult Program), 9 a.m., NE Corner of Alma School and Osborn. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, contact CDD at (480) 362-7600. See ad on page 7.
- 14 RIVER PEOPLE HEALTH
  CENTER, GRAND OPENING, 10
  a.m. 1 p.m. Tours will take place
  every 15 minutes beginning at 10:30
  a.m. and will be limited to 10 people
  per tour. RSVP at RPHC\_RSVP@
  SRPMIC-nsn.gov or call (480) 3623630. See ad on page 4.
- 14 CM DOKA DISTRICT C, 9 a.m., at the at the SRPMIC Council Chambers, 10091 E. Osborn Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85256 Topics: Election Board Updates, Housing Survey Results, Emergency Management Overview and CM Comments. For more information contact the Council Secretary Office at (480) 362-7469. See ad on page 21.
- 14 HOUSING GROUNDBREAKING MESQUITE TRAILS RENTALS,

8:30 a.m., 118th PI & Minnezona Ave. (near Camelback & Mesa Dr.). Light refreshments will be served. For more information, contact CDD at (480) 362-7600. See ad on page 7.

**16 MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS** 

- MONTH #breakthestigma. SRP-MIC Raise Awareness! Wear Lime Green Day, Send a Selfie and receive a self-care care promo gift! at 2:30-3 p.m. For more information please call or email: Melanie Nosie, LMSW 480-362-6678, melanie.nosie@srpmic-nsn.gov OR Vurlene Notsinneh-Bowekaty, B.S. 480-362-2706, vurlene.notsinneh-bowekaty@srpmic-nsn.gov
- 17 CM SCABBY / CM DALLAS, LEHI DISTRICT, 6 p.m., at the Lehi Community Building, 1231 E. Oak Street, Mesa, AZ 85203. Topics: TBA. For more information contact the Council Secretary Office at (480) 362-7469. See ad on page 21.
- 17 HOUSING GROUNDBREAKING
  EVENT, TRANSITIONAL HOUSING
  & TEMPORARY HOUSING, 8:30
  a.m., NE Corner of Two Waters north
  parking lot. Light refreshments will be
  served. For more information, contact
  CDD at (480) 362-7600. See ad on
  page 7.
- 21 CM ANTONE DISTRICT B, 9 a.m. at the Education Board Room, 4836 N. Center Street, Scottsdale, Az. Topics: Salt River Materials Group and CM Comments. For more information contact the Council Secretary Office at (480) 362-7469.

See ad on page 21.

- 23 CM LARGO DISTRICT E, 6 p.m. at the WOLF ROOM #56, 11725 E. Indian School Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85256 Topics: SRFD Recruitment and SRPD Community Policing. For more information contact the Council Secretary Office at (480) 362-7469. See ad on page 21.
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  MONTH #breakthestigma. SRPMIC Webinar: "It's okay not to be
  okay." Understanding Anxiety.
  (Each participant will be entered
  into a drawing.)at 2:30-3 p.m. .
  For more information please call or
  email: Melanie Nosie, LMSW (480)
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- 30 SRPMIC MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY, 7 a.m. at the Salt River Cemetery. More details will be released soon. LET US NEVER FORGET.

#### JUNE

2-4 NOT ONE MORE,A SUBSTANCE
ABUSE SYMPOSIUM sponsored
by SRPMIC, 7:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. at
the Talking Stick Resort Ballroom.
Meals provided. Daily program
starts at 8 a.m. Agenda:1. Scope
of the problem in our Community.

- 2. What is addiction? 3. Discussing barriers to recovery. 4. Information on available services. 5. Determining next steps. 6. What does the future look like? Register at www. srpmic-nsn.gov/community/symposium-2022/ See ad on page 12.
- 6-9 CAREER EXPLORATION CAMP for SRPMIC High School Students, 9 a.m. 1 p.m.in person at the Scottsdale Community Colleges Indigenous Cultural Center. Spend four fund days at SCC learning about potential career paths through hands-on activities, including: Administration of Justice, Computer Information Systems and Business. See ad on page 21.
- 15-18 Community Recreational Services ADAPTIVE RECREATION FAMILY CAMP OUT. Experience different activities as a family each day. June 15: Pizza & Paint Night, June 16: Movie Night, June 17, Games Night & Bingo, June 18, Splash and Blast Party. Register at: https://sugeni.us/d4fc. Registration opens May 4 and closes June 3. Adaptive Recreation Program is for registered participants with a documented disability. For more information contact Tammy Thomas at (480) 362-7964 or tammy.thomas@ srpmic-nsn.gov.

#### 9 MENTAL HEALTH AWARE-