MARCH 2021

THE HASSAYAMPA ALERT!

THE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION OF THE WICKENBURG CHAMBER OF COMMERCE





MISSION STATEMENT:

We are influencers, catalysts, and conveners; the trusted source for growing business, activating leaders and building community.

VALUE STATEMENT

Passion – We are proud to work here; we are committed to creating an optimistic and balanced culture through passion, enthusiasm and dedication.

Service – We exceed expectations by providing knowledgeable, thoughtful solutions, and leading by example.

Community – We better our community through leadership, encouraging compassionate relationships, and collectively working toward a common goal.

Together – We believe that through diversity, collaboration, and teamwork we create an inspired, open, and welcoming environment that leads to the greater good.

March Quarterly Luncheon

WHEN: Friday, March 12 at 12 noon WHERE: Wickenburg Ranch Event Hall

3430 Club Terrace Way **COST:** \$25 per person

Join our next quarterly membership luncheon at the Wickenburg Ranch Event Hall! Thank you to Wickenburg Ranch and Freeport McMoRan for sponsoring this luncheon. Hear from our great lineup of speakers:



Speakers include:

- Chris Haines, VT Partners: Wickenburg Ranch Report
- Simon Charter, Freeport McMoRan

Wickenburg Ranch staff will be offering a delicious served buffet lunch.

The buffet will include:

Main dish options: Garden salad (white balsamic vinaigrette & ranch dressing); Rosemary lemon grilled chicken with herb supreme sauce; Seared Tilapia with lemon beurre blanc sauce

Sides: Wild rice pilaf, mac n' cheese, green beans

Dessert: Assorted cookies

Registration is limited to 50 people and RSVP is required. You can RSVP and pay online by visiting <u>wickenburgchamber.com/quarterlyluncheon</u> or call the Chamber at 928-684-5479.





Highway 93 Widening Project Receives Funding

February 18, 2021: "Governor Doug Ducey today announced \$230 million in new transportation infrastructure investments that will enhance highway safety and meet the demand of new residents moving to Arizona." via <u>azgovernor.gov</u>



\$41 million has been allotted to the widening of Highway 93 north of Wickenburg. The Wickenburg Chamber is proud to be supportive of this project alongside the Town of Wickenburg, Arizona Department of Transportation Engineers, and the local business sector.

New Members

Please welcome and patronize the following members!

Red Bird Electric LLC, Jacob & Shaylee Nelson

30210 N 242nd Ave., Wittman, AZ 85361 **P:** (623) 755-6671

admin@redbirdelectric.com

redbirdelectric.com

Electrical Contractor Sponsor: Chamber Staff

Shadetree Marketing, Tony Rovida

1640 N Peach Dr., Wickenburg, AZ 85390

P: (909) 821-9664 tonyrovida@gmail.com Graphic Artist

Sponsor: Chamber Staff

Brown's Amusement Inc., Dan & Sherry Brown

550 W. Baseline Road ste. 102-353, Mesa, AZ 85210

P: (602) 524-1483

eventarizona@aol.com brownsamusements.com

Attractions/Adventures

Sponsor: Chamber Staff

Assured Document Destruction, Alex Cordier

930 S. 67th Avenue, Phoenix, Arizona 85043

P: 623-377-7657

Secure Document Shredding

shreddingphx.com

Sponsor: Chamber Staff



Membership Reinvestments

A. H. Construction, Adelante Healthcare Inc., PHI Air Medical, Anita's Cocina, Arby's, Arizona Horse Company, Avanti Senior Living, Brinkman Electric LLC, Brooks Air Conditioning, Burger King #5182, Calvary Baptist Church of Wickenburg, Century 21 Arizona West - Laura Coughanour, Combined Benefits, Coronado Glen Apartments, Desert Cypress Mobile Home & RV Park, Desert Gold Condominiums, Desert Oasis RV Park, doTerra Essential Oils, Edward F. Kirk D.D.S P.C., European Kitchen LLC, Friends of Music Committee Inc., GFWC Hassayampa Women's Club, Hickman's Family Farms, Jess Lee Photography, L & M Construction, Los Caballeros Spa, Nichols West, Robbie's Grooming Saloon, Send Out Cards Independent Distributor Debbie Blunt, Standing Stones Retreat Center, Town Square Publications, UMB Bank, West Plaza Laundry LLC, Westpark Inc., Young Living Essential Oils Distributor

Associate Members

Carolyn McDonald, Jim & Barbara D. McArthur

Tip of the Stetson Members helping your Chamber!

The Wickenburg Chamber of Commerce appreciates the contributions by our members to keep the Chamber a growing and dynamic organization. Referrals are vital to our success!



Thank you to those who referred a new member to the Chamber last month. The Chamber recognizes their thoughtfulness and dedication to advancing this organization for the better by taking small steps to make a big difference.

Chamber Activities			
FEBRUARY		YTD	
New Members	3	7	
Mixer Attendance	35	35	
Telephone Calls	1,241	2,234	
Office Visitors	611	803	
Mail Inquiries	65	229	
Chamber Website*	1,812	2,950	
Tourism Website*	9,821	16,908	
Chamber (FB)**	21,000	42,000	
Tourism (FB)**	7,439	9,169	
Gold Rush (FB)**	1,247	1,708	
Bluegrass (FB)**	323	827	
Weddings (FB)**	18	20	
Film Comm. (FB)**	14	91	
Takeout & Delivery (FB)**	151	364	
Twitter**	462	921	
Chamber Instagram***	31	63	
Tourism Instagram***	29	70	

^{*}Website views







^{**}Reach: The number of people who saw any of our posts at least once (metric is estimated by Facebook & Twitter).

^{***}Followers gained over the last month

RIBBON CUTTINGS



Robert Morgan, Financial Consultant

4360 Stage Stop Way, Wickenburg, AZ (949) 981-0213 robertmmorgan7@gmail.com Financial Consulting



WHEN: Tuesday, March 9, 2021, 10:00am

Join the Yavapai College Small Business Development Center (SBDC) for their upcoming webinar, focusing on how to use Instagram

Stories, Paid Promotions, and Analytics.

Register for this webinar on the Yavapai College Small Business Development Center



Facebook page facebook.com/YCSBDC.

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Wickenburg Breast Cancer Network, Rudee Lange

(623) 341-5977
wbcn2018@gmail.com
wickenburgbootsbreastcancer.org
Nonprofit Organization

Cross-Chamber Speed Networking Event

WHEN: Tuesday, March 9, 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Join us for a night of virtual speed networking!

During a time when shaking hands and cocktail chatter is not the healthiest option, we have found a way to help you and your company.

The best part is the new contacts you will make from around the valley of the sun. This event will be a fun collaboration with the Buckeye Valley Chamber. Glendale

MEMBER NETWORKING OPPORTUNITY

Chamber, Greater Phoenix Equality Chamber, and Wickenburg Chamber with several rounds of one-on-one interaction with another business.

Find the event and register online on our **Upcoming Events** calendar at <u>wickenburgchamber.com</u>!



Business After Hours 2021 Mixer Schedule

APR - Flying E Ranch

MAY - Vulture City Ghost Town

JUN - To Be Confirmed

JUL - Desert Caballeros Western Museum

AUG - To Be Confirmed

SEP - Kay El Bar Ranch

OCT - Wickenburg Computers & Shipping

NOV - Twisted Dogwood Home Emporium

DEC - To Be Confirmed

If you're interested in hosting a mixer, contact Sheila Goode at events@wickenburgchamber.com.

Mark your calendars for the 2021 Business After Hours mixers! We will be following guidelines to keep attendance at 50 people, including staff. This means that **attendance is very limited and RSVP IS REQUIRED.** Cost is \$20 per person, and each attendee will receive 5 raffle tickets and 3 drink tickets with admission. For more information, call (928) 684-5479 or email events@wickenburgchamber.com.

Spring Fling Sidewalk & Indoor Sales WHEN: April 9 & 10, 2021

It's almost that time of year again! Spring Fling is a community-wide opportunity to offer special sales and invite locals and visitors alike to #ShopWickenburg. This also gives our businesses



a chance to introduce their spring and summer merchandise.

Get creative! Retail members may offer special sales, member restaurants may offer dinner deals, hospitality members may offer special package deals... Be sure to mark your calendars and brainstorm ideas.

Current list of businesses who will be participating:

Ranch Dressing - the Museum Store, Creations in Thread, NRS, Kwikprint (Friday), Serape Bleu, Rusty Rooster, Old Livery Mercantile

To participate in Spring Fling, please contact events@wickenburgchamber.com or 928-684-5479 so we can include you in our upcoming Spring Fling promotion.

Secured Document Shredding

WHEN: Friday, April 23, 8:00am to 11:00am

Join us for our next secured document shredding event

with member Assured Document Destruction in April!



Assured Document
Destruction will set up their

mobile truck in the Chamber parking lot to take care of all your document shredding needs.

Chamber member pricing: \$5 for first bankers box, \$8 each box after

Non-member pricing: \$10 per bankers box

Share Your Success Stories!

Want to be a featured chamber member in an upcoming
Hassayampa Alert newsletter? Tell
us what you are doing, and you
could be in our next issue. Contact us today at
928-684-5479 or graphics@wickenburgchamber.com.



March

- 1-5 Wickenburg Hiring Event @ Wickenburg Public Library 9:00am
- Farmer's Market @ Flying E Ranch 3:00pm to 6:00pm
- First Friday: Wickenburg Beer Fest @Community Center 5:30pm
- 7 Friends of Music: Richard Palalay & Friends @ Community Center, 2:00pm
- 9 Cross-Chamber Speed Networking Virtual Event @ 5:30pm
- 12 Quarterly Luncheon @ Wickenburg Ranch Event Hall 12 noon
- 15 Town Council Meeting 5:30pm
- 17 St. Patrick's Day; Business After Hours Mixer @ Century 21 5:30pm
- 28 Cowgirl Up! @ DCWM, First Weekend
- APR 2 First Friday: Corn Hole Tournament & Concert @ Coffinger Park 5:30pm

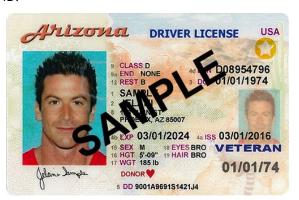
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Find more upcoming events online at wickenburgchamber.com/upcoming-events.

Travel ID Deadline: October 2021

"Effective October 1, 2021, only the Arizona Travel ID (driver license or ID card), a U.S. passport and other federally approved identification will be accepted at TSA airport security checkpoints for domestic travel."

Be sure to get your identification cards updated before October 1, 2021. Visit <u>azmvdnow.gov</u> to gather the correct documents and make an appointment to apply for your Travel ID.



Town of Wickenburg Seeks Henry Award Nominees

"The Town of Wickenburg is seeking nominations for the 'Henry Award.' The Henry Award was developed to honor an individual, group, or organization that has significantly enhanced the quality of life for Wickenburg's citizens.

This award recognizes meritorious service or actions that resulted in a positive outcome/impact for either a broad base of Wickenburg's residents or a limited group with special needs.

Nominations may be submitted via email to abrown@wickenburgaz.org. Nomination forms are available on the Town of Wickenburg's website at wickenburgaz.org/civicalerts. Please include the nominee's name and phone number.

All nominations must be received by March 25, 2021. A group of the Town Council will evaluate the nominations and the award will be presented at the Town Council meeting. The recipient will receive a bronze miniature of the bust of Henry Wickenburg created by artist Clyde Ross Morgan. For more information, please contact the Town Clerk at abrown@wickenburgaz.org or 928-684-5451 ext. 1517."



Wickenburg Saddle Club 2021 Raffle

Help support the Wickenburg Saddle Club through their 2021 raffle! All proceeds support the Wickenburg Junior Saddle Club.

Prizes:

1st Place - \$500; 2nd Place - \$300; 3rd Place - \$200.

Tickets are \$10 each and will be drawn at the Saddle Club's annual horse sale on April 17, 2021 at the Ray Bybee Arena.

Contact Carri Stubblefield for questions (602-214-6657) or email wickenburgsaddleclub13@hotmail.com.



WCH COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution

"Wickenburg Community Hospital is excited to begin offering public vaccine clinics on behalf of the Arizona Department of Health Services. The organization is grateful for the opportunity to assist in the distribution process in our rural community.

The first public clinic will be held on March 3rd, 2021 with multiple to follow well into early summer. These will continue to be scheduled as the need deems it necessary."

A list of those who are eligible to receive the vaccine is available on the hospital's website.

Registration is also required to receive the vaccine. To learn more about these upcoming clinics, visit wickhosp.com/coronavirus-news.





March Business of the Month

PHI Air Medical #17

Travis Thames (RN), Jason Bickford (Paramedic), Chuck Moore (Pilot), Matt Peterson (Paramedic), Kim Auer (RN, Base Supervisor)

Emergency Services





















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