Musterling In Day 2010

CO-OP VILLAGE, DISTRICT 7 - On the weekend of September 11 community members celebrated in remembrance of those who have served and those we have lost in the military at the 145th Annual Musterling In Celebration at the District Seven Pee Posh Park. In true regard, the theme of the celebration was “Looking Back, While Moving Forward.”

The festivities kicked off with a 5K Fun Run/Walk at 5:30 in the morning which was followed by a decorous flag raising by the District 7 Pee Posh Veterans. The parade started shortly after at 9:00am from 79th Avenue and Baseline to 83rd Avenue with District 7 esteemed veteran Ernie Bread serving as the Grand Marshall. District 7 Veterans then posted the colors with Lt. Governor Joe Manuel and District 7 Councilwoman Martha Miller giving the welcome address.

Throughout the day attendees were seen playing in the softball, volleyball, and basketball tournaments as well as visiting the vendor booths from enterprises and artisans. Children were seen eating snow cones, playing in the inflatable obstacle courses, and splashing water on each other to keep cool. Lunch was provided by Francisco Catering.

A mix of traditional and contemporary entertainment was provided by Bob Villa, Pee Posh Bird Dancers, Eagle Heart Band, Smoke Stack Lightning, Tyrone Duwyenie & the Ledge Band. “Friends” capped off the entertainment performing their Chicken Scratch hits from 7pm - Midnight.

District Seven’s Recreation Committee would like to thank all those who assisted in making this year’s celebration a success: Lieutenant Governor, Joseph Manuel, D7 Councilwoman, Martha Miller, all visiting royalty, D7 Staff, Tribal Recreation, Parade Support Staff, Pee Posh Veterans Association, 5th Generation Pima Basket Dancers, Pee Posh Bird Dancers, D6 Head Start Dancers, D7 Youth Bird Dancers, El Ballet Folklorico Del Camino Real, Boys & Girls Club - Komatke Branch, GRIC Gaming Enterprises, GRIC Fire Department, GRIC Police Department, GRIC Emergency Medical Services, GRIC Department of Public Works, GRIC Department of Transportation, GRIC Health Resource Department, ALL VOLUNTEERS, ALL PARADE ENTRIES, and ALL VENDORS. Thank you to all our Armed Forces!
In our southern part of Arizona you have heard of the Apache raids during the civil war, the regular army was withdrawn to fight the War in the east, with the withdrawal of troops, the Apache Indians resumed raiding surrounding ranches, mine sites, isolated settlements and travelers, with the raids coming more frequent a request was sent to congress for $250,000 for supplies to send volunteer rangers into war against the Apaches. The request was turned down; the Territorial Government proceeded on its own.

Five companies of Arizona volunteers were Mustered into service, in the year September 2nd, 1865. The Troops consisted of the Mexican, Pima, and Maricopa. Their 11 officers were mainly Anglo Americans.

Two companies were formed; Company B led by Maricopa Chief Juan Chavaria, with 94 volunteers. The volunteers were ill equipped being barefooted and never paid the $100 bonus promise when enlisted. After months of hardship pursuing Apaches, the war came to an end and the Arizona Volunteers were given One Reward -- A THANK YOU from the Third Legislature in the 1866 for a job well done. Many years of remembrance have spent celebrating this historical event.

For many years my father the late Luke Percharo has celebrated this day in honor of his, great grandfather Juan Chavaria, there was months of preparation. They formed a committee for each person to be responsible for events, since his passing, the community has done a great job in continuing the celebration. A proclamation was signed by Governors of the state proclaiming this could be served as the first National Guard. Proclamations are on display.


2010 MUSTERING IN 5K RACE RESULTS
SEPTEMBER 11, 2010

OVERALL
13-17 YRS Time Age Tribe
Female: Angelica Nuvamsa 48:18 14 Pima
18-54 YRS Time Age Tribe
Male: Waylon Pahona 22:06 31 Hopi/Gila River
Female: Janice Zahne 23:47 30 Hopi/Tewa
54+ Time Age Tribe
Male: Gary Johnson, Sr. 31:04 63 Pima
Female: Doreen Atkinson 34:24 60 Navajo/Hopi

2010 MUSTERING IN WINNERS
13-17 yrs -- Female Time Age Tribe
1st: Angelica Nuvamsa 41:18 14 Pima
18-24 yrs -- Male Time Age Tribe
1st: Bryce Antone 23:55 19 Tohono O’odham
2nd: Malaya Antone 32:06 18 Tohono O’odham
3rd: Mikaela Thinn 34:12 24 Navajo
25-29 yrs -- Female Time Age Tribe
1st: Christina Floyd 39:23 29
2nd: Brianna Antone 47:55 29 Gila River
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35-39 yrs -- Male Time Age Tribe
1st: Rod Marrietta 23:47 38 Gila River
35-39 yrs -- Female Time Age Tribe
1st: Veronica Begaye 35:33 26 Dine Nation
40-44 yrs -- Male Time Age Tribe
1st: Marvin Klahn 32:50 49 Navajo
45-49 yrs -- Female Time Age Tribe
1st: Pam Thompson 31:32 45 Gila River
2nd: Virginia Slim 33:57 46 Navajo/Pima
50-54 yrs -- Female Time Age Tribe
1st: Cynthia Yazzie 41:28 54 Gila River
2nd: Pam Vega 44:34 50 Gila River
3rd: Esther Klahn 58:41 50 Navajo
55-59 yrs - Female Time Age Tribe
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2010 MUSTERING IN SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT RESULTS

1st place: Shur Dark
2nd Place: War Party
3rd Place: Trail Riders

Bak-2-Sku Dance
Friday September 24, 2010
7-11PM
Boys & Girls Club Gym
Drug & Alcohol Free Event
Gang Attire Not Tolerated

Boys & Girls Clubs of the East Valley
District Three Recreation
Contact April Crawford 512-330-1811 www.smilazine.org www.facebook.com/clubza
2010 FALL SESSION
DISTRICT 7 RECREATION CLASSES
[ September 27th through November 19th ]

YOUTH/TEENS

INTRODUCTION TO SPORTS   FRIDAYS   4:00PM—4:45PM
Ages: 3—4 years old & Parent max: 8 participants
This parent/child class is a fun way to introduce kids to sports!
Participants will learn the basics of sports such T-Ball, Basketball,
Soccer, and Volleyball while learning social skills in a group setting.

KID ZONE AFTER-SCHOOL   4:00PM—6:00PM
Ages: 5—9 years old Tuesdays max: 10 participants
Ages: 10—12 years old Thursdays max: 10 participants
Sign up early for the Kid Zone because this after-school program fills up fast! Activities include homework help, tournaments, field trips,
sports, crafts, and more!

TEEN CHALLENGE   WEDNESDAYS   4:00PM—6:00PM
Ages: 13—17 years old max: 10 participants
Young adults work together to create a teen program made by teens.
Key components include but aren’t limited to: Events, Trips, Fundraising,
Education, Community, & Volunteering. Core Values that are required are
Respect, Understanding, Involvement, and Integrity.

Sign up early! Deadline to submit paperwork is Friday, September 24th at
5:00pm. Past participants (summer) may start registering for fall classes on
September 15, 2010. New participants may register now. Come into District 7
Service Center or call Anna Nichols, Rec. Coordinator at (520) 610-0797

ADULTS

ON THE MOVE, CARDIO CLASSES
Waylon Pahona Jr., GR Health Care  (520) 550-6000 ext.6714
D7 Pee Posh Park Tuesdays 6:30pm—7:15pm
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Get fit with Waylon Pahona’s Cardio Class! This 40 minute workout
includes upper body, lower body, and core exercises. Please wear
comfortable clothes and tennis shoes to each workout.

MORNING WALK
Devin Pablo, Public Health Education  (520) 550-8000 ext.229
D7 Pee Posh Park Tuesdays 8:00am—10:00am
Put on your walking shoes and stroll over to the park for a morning
walk. This is a good, healthy way to wake up, start your day and see
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Football Schedule

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Pee Wee at SEV Trojans -- 2pm
All American away at Casa Grande -- 2pm

OCTOBER 2 - SATURDAY
Mighty Mite BYE - NO GAME
Pee Wee away at Gilbert -- 5pm
All American away at Coolidge Trojans -- 5pm

OCTOBER 9 - SATURDAY
Mighty Mite home vs. Laveen Stampede -- 10am
Pee Wee home vs. Gilbert Dawgs -- 12pm
All American home vs. Maricopa Vipers -- 2pm

OCTOBER 16 - SATURDAY
Mighty Mite away Phoenix Black -- time TBA
Pee Wee away at Mesa Outlaws -- 11am
All American away at Apache Junction Mud Dogs -- 6pm

OCTOBER 23 - SATURDAY
Mighty Mite at Cave Creek Coyotes -- time TBA
Pee Wee -- TBA
All American Home vs. Gilbert Cougars time -- 12:00pm

OCTOBER 30 - SATURDAY
Mighty Mites -- TBA
Pee Wee -- TBA
All American (home) vs. Coolidge Trojans -- time TBA

2010 Volleyball Explosion
‘Let The Rivalry Begin’
Friday, October 1st  5:30pm
Skyline Gila River D-5

All Native American veterans and their families are invited to attend the first annual
O’ODHAM VETERANS CELEBRATION
Saturday - September 25, 2010

For more information contact: Barry at ablack11@yahoo.com

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**Events Calendar**

- **09/24**  
  BAK-2-SKU DANCE at Sacaton Boys & Girls Club; 7:00pm-11:00pm, Drug & Alcohol Free Event. Gang Attire Not Tolerated. 520-562-3891

- **09/24-25** Firebird International Raceway Job Fair at Firebird International Raceway. Join us for our first annual Gila River Indian Community job fair. We are looking for customer friendly, outgoing, team oriented, committed, and well organized people. Pre register with TERO Office at the Executive Kf’. 09/24/10 from 3pm-6pm. 09/25/10 from 9am-12pm.

- **09/25**  
  6TH ANNUAL GRIC OUTREACH CONFERENCE at Sacaton Middle School. Conference goals are to: Give Community members more knowledge of the opportunities and resources available to them. Provide an awareness of the consequences and value of choice; Plant a seed of education and knowledge as being vital to self-reliance; and Maintain a positive interactive relationship and mutual support between Community members, the schools, the Tribal Education Department, and all tribal entities. 7am - 5pm. (520) 562-3662.

- **09/25**  
  O’ODHAM VETERANS CELEBRATION at Komatke Boys & Girls Club; Blessing 5:30AM, Registration and Celebration 8:00AM, Opening Ceremony 9:00AM

- **09/25**  
  DISTRICT 4 FAMILY NATIVE 5K RUN/WALK: TRAILS OF HEALTH & HOPE at District 4 Park. Registration begins at 5:30am and race starts at 6am.

- **09/25**  
  CLAY WALKER at Wild Horse Pass Hotel & Casino for an evening with country star Clay Walker! Doors: 7pm, Show: 8pm. Tickets: $93.00, $58.00, $43.00, $33.00. Tickets are $10 OFF with an active Players Club card, a GRIC enrollment card or for Gila River Casinos Team Members. 1-800-WIN-GILA.

- **09/25**  
  12TH ANNUAL UHS-KEHK RECOGNITION DAY CO-ED FAST PITCH SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT. All nighter starting at 4pm. 8 team limit. $100 entry fee. (520) 215-2110.

- **09/26**  
  SINBAD arrives for one performance only at Wild Horse Pass Hotel & Casino! Doors: 7:00pm, Show: 8:00pm. Tickets: $58.00, $48.00, $38.00, $28.00. Tickets are $10 OFF with an active Player’s Club card, a GRIC enrollment card or for Gila River Casinos Team Members. 1-800-WIN-GILA.

- **10/09**  
  28TH ANNUAL NARD PARADE at Central Phoenix 9am. Be a part of the rich Native heritage as tribes and organizations from all over the southwest showcase their traditional music, dance, and costumes along the parade route. The NARD Pow Wow will immediately follow the parade at the Central High School softball field.

**District Meetings**

- **Location of the Meetings are the Local District Service Center**
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**Upcoming Events**

- **BAK-2-SKU DANCE** at Sacaton Boys & Girls Club; 7:00pm-11:00pm, Drug & Alcohol Free Event. Gang Attire Not Tolerated. 520-562-3891

- **Friday October 22 [Test & Tune]** - $5.00

- **Sat-Sun October 23-24** - Ranges from $13 to $17

- **November 4 - Lucas Oil Drag Boat World Finals**

- **November 19-20 - PINKS All Out**

**The Southwest Indigenous Women’s Coalition Presents...**

**Sacred We Are... Stop the Violence Music Fest 2010**

**October 22 & 23**

**Wild Horse Pass Hotel & Casino**

*featuring...*

- Firecat of Discord
- FT/Wes Studi
- Star Nayea
- Gary Farmer & theTroublemakers
- Jay Begaye
- Blackfire
- Radmilla Cody

**Info:**

(928) 797-1179