



Glendale Community Band Brings Music to Downtown Glendale Summer Evenings



Glendale's favorite summer tradition is back beginning June 7 in downtown Glendale. The eight-week concert series takes place each Thursday at 8 p.m. through July 26, in the E. Lowell Rogers Amphitheater in Murphy Park, located at 58th and Glenn Drives.

before moving to Murphy Park when the amphitheater was built. Music lovers of all ages will be entertained by approximately 100 musicians with their inspiring renditions of marches, polkas, movie medleys and other tunes.

These free concerts are the perfect night out for the entire family! Bring lawn chairs or blankets for seating. Snacks and refreshments will be available for purchase at the concerts, which run through July 26. The series will feature a special Patriotic performance on Thursday, July 5 in celebration of Independence Day, as well as other themes each week. INFO: 623-930-2299 or www.glendaleaz.com/events

The Glendale Summer Band is the longest-running community band in Arizona. The ages of the volunteer band members span several generations. Formed in 1966, the band originally played at O'Neil Park,



Six Simple Ways to "Fight the Bite" this Mosquito Season

1) Properly maintain your pool. 2) Report green pools to Maricopa County at 602-506-6616. 3) Eliminate standing water in birdbaths, buckets and plant containers. 4) Fix leaky hose bibs and irrigation leaks. 5) Clean your gutters. 6) Report stagnant water to Glendale Code Compliance at 623-930-3610. INFO: www.glendaleaz.com/environmentalresources/publichealth.cfm#WestNile

Only Rain Down the Storm Drain!



During a storm, rainwater flows on the ground and picks up pollutants along the way. This polluted storm water travels to the nearest retention basin, wash or river. Help keep our storm water clean by properly disposing of household chemicals, trash and yard and pet waste into a trash bin, not the street. INFO: www.glendaleaz.com/environmentalresources/stormwater.cfm

Check Out Glendale's Mini Water Parks!

Glendale has two aquatics centers and a splash pad open during the summer. Aquatic Center admission* for Glendale residents is only \$2.50 for ages 3-17, \$5 for ages 18-54, \$3 for ages 55+ and free for ages 2 and under. Splash pad admission is free. INFO: 623-930-2820 or 623-930-4600

Rose Lane Aquatics Center*

5003 W. Marlette Ave.

(Just off 51st Ave., south of Maryland Ave.)

A large aquatics playground with spray features, splash pad, giant slide and a large pool with diving board. Open through August 4.

Open: Tues - Fri: 1-5 p.m. | Sat & Sun: 1-6 p.m.

Foothills Recreation & Aquatics Center

5600 W. Union Hills Drive

Two giant slides, aquatics playground with spray features, lazy river, two diving boards and six lap lanes. Open through August 4.

Open: Mon - Thurs 1-5 p.m. | Fri: 1-7 p.m.
Sat: Noon-5 p.m. | Sun: 11:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Splash Pad at Heroes Park

83rd Ave. & Berridge Lane

(east of 83rd Ave., north of Bethany Home Rd.)

FREE and open every day through August 12 from 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. Open weekends only from August 18 through September 3, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.

***Rose Lane reduced fee pilot program this summer! Tuesday - Thursday admission will be \$1.50 for all ages at Rose Lane location only.**

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A Message from Councilmember Jamie Aldama

It is with great pleasure to announce that I am working with city council and city staff to make our schools safer by implementing a School Resource Officer program in Glendale schools. I am very proud of our Glendale Police Department and want you to know that I am very supportive of the SRO Program and have been working diligently through our budget process to

ensure funding for additional SRO's is made available. Safety of our children is a top priority of mine and my office. I also currently serve as a Glendale Elementary School Board Member alongside being Councilmember and know firsthand the importance of protecting our children, teachers, staff and community.

-Councilmember Jamie Aldama

Glendale Dial-A-Ride Available to all Glendale Residents

Glendale Dial-A-Ride is a low cost, convenient curb-to-curb transit service providing service throughout the City of Glendale. The service is available to everyone, and all vehicles are wheelchair accessible. Same day service is available Monday – Friday, and Saturday, Sunday, and Holiday service is available with advance reservations. ADA paratransit service is also available for eligible residents, based on fixed route schedules. For more information, please call the number listed below.

*Fares listed are for one-way rides:

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| • Seniors (65 and older) | \$2 | *Groups of 4 or more paying passengers: | |
| • Riders with Disabilities | \$2 | | |
| • Junior (age 6 - 13) | \$2 | | |
| • Regular (age 14 – 64) | \$5 | • Seniors, Disabled, & Junior | \$1 |
| • Children (age 5 & under) | Free | • Regular | \$3 |
| | | *Exact fare is required. | |
| | | INFO: 623-930-3500 or glendaleaz.com/transit | |

Backyard Stargazing for Everyone July 9

Glendale Main Library,
5959 W. Brown St., Auditorium

Free and fun for the entire family! Join Tony La Conte inside for a short lecture and discussion. Then, after dark, weather permitting, telescopes will be in placed in front of the library for viewing the night sky. Join us on Monday, July 9 from 7 – 9 p.m. INFO: 623-979-1393

Writer in Residence: The Path to Publication July 14

Foothills Branch Library,
19055 N. 57th Ave.,
Hummingbird Room

So how does a story go from an idea to a published book? What happens at each stage of the process and what can you do to be sure things move smoothly along the way? Join author Joe Nassise on Saturday, July 14 from 1 – 2:30 p.m. as he walks us through the publication process from writing a query to seeing your book on bookstore shelves. We'll talk about queries and proposals, agents and editors, executive committees and more! Registration is required. *This program is supported by the Arizona State Library, Archives and Public Records, a division of the Secretary of State, with federal funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.* INFO: 623-930-3556



Christmas in July Shopping Event July 14

The weather may be frightful this summer, but shopping in Downtown Glendale during Christmas in July will be delightful! Celebrate the joy of the season early on Saturday, July 14 from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. and enjoy a fun-filled day of holiday crafts, sweet treats, pictures with Santa and exclusive deals in Historic Downtown Glendale. Participants will find great gift ideas throughout Old Towne and Catlin Court. INFO: 623-937-4754 or visitglendale.com

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