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## **PALO VERDE PARK POST**

The official newsletter of the Palo Verde Park Neighborhood Association



# **EVENTS Counting blessings....**

...Coming Nov. 2, 8 - 11 a.m.

Wellness in the Park. We'll start with a fun run around the park and bite-sized classes follow!

...Coming Dec. 2, 10- 11 a.m.

Holiday Cookie Swap! Nothing says the winter season like generosity and carbohydrates. Bring some cookies to share and go home with samples and reciples!

Plus our annual holiday decorating contests are back!

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### A word from the president

Tis the time of year when witches goblins, gremlins, princesses and pirates come from all corners in search of treats.

There's something delightful about costumes, cool weather, orange-and-purple color schemes and maybe even goosebumps from things that go bump in the night.

October is a month of mystery.

And some of our neighbors have beautiful, elaborate or spooky displays worth seeing. If time allows, take a drive around the neighborhood and let us know whose home is



worth
celebrating and
admiring.
Thanks for
staying young at
heart. See you
in November.



## Many rakes & pickers, cleaner park





# 2nd Annual WELLNESS IN THE PARK!

SAT. NOV. 2, 2019 | 8:00-11:00 AM 425 S. MANN AVE TUCSON, ARIZONA



Fun run, 8 a.m. Qi Gong, 9, 930, 10, 1030 Tai chi, 9, 930, 10, 1030 Yoga, 9, 930, 10, 1030 Meditation, 9, 930 Zumba, 10, 1030

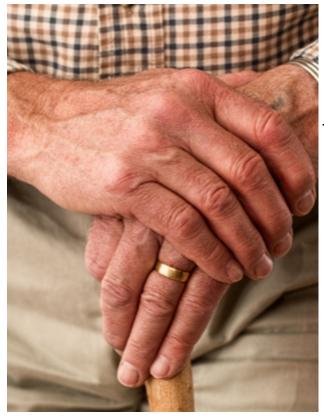
# MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR OUR FIRST ANNUAL HOME TOUR!



April 5, 2020 Noon - 4 p.m.

Tickets \$20; available at 11:45 a.m. at the Palo Verde Park pool, 425 S. Mann Ave.

## Be aware of scams targeting the elderly



Check out the senior toolkit at the Arizona Attorney General's Office:

https://www.azag.gov

As much as we'd like to think otherwise, there are scammers out there who prey on others for their own advantage.

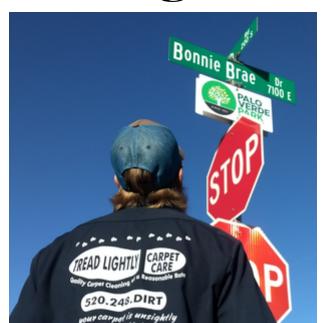
We have been seeing too many of these warnings from government officials and even from neighbors on Nextdoor.

Some of our elders come from a generation when you could shake on a deal and your word was gold - so they may be more susceptible than those who came of age in an era of identify theft and malicious phishing.

Keep an eye out for unusual activity in the neighborhood and if you have an elder neighbor, let them know when you hear about the latest scams.

They are often targeted because they have a nest egg, because they may have memory issues or because they may be too ashamed to report being scammed. Thanks for taking care of each other.

# Sign drive continues



The Palo Verde Park Neighborhood Council voted to purchase another round of 8 signs in August.

That means we've still got about 15 perimeter streets without a formal introduction.

Check out our Go Fund Me page. Any amount is welcome and gets us closer to our goal!

## A note of thanks to our sponsors

Applause to Tread Lightly Carpet Care! Owner Matt Russell, a Palo Verde Park Neighborhood resident, was our first sign sponsor!

Arizona Beer House has been a stalwart friend.

Little Anthony's donated ice cream for our social!

Stewart Title & Trust of Tucson, Inc. has also been a good friend, as has Community Medical Services.

Other event and sign sponsors include:

Andy and Diane Weiss

Vonnie Baldwin

Jeremy and Rachael Blackketter
Mike Southworth and Giuliano De Santis
Mike and Toni Krause

Mia Ford

Norma and Dave Coffman
Rhonda Bodfield and Fred Araiza

**Chri**stine Cerda

**B**rett Lange

Connie Sadler-N<mark>elson</mark>

And everyone who contributed to our Go Fund Me page!

## **And to our Zombie sponsors**

A special thanks to the following sponsors who helped support our inaugural Zombie Walk event:

- Brian and Kelly's for donating 100 mini pumpkins for the decorating table
- Tread Lightly and Arizona Beer House for providing water to attendees
- Bookmans' for their trunk or treat support (as well as generous neighbors who trunked: Becky and Bill Plowden; Tassea Carrillo and Giuiiano De Santis
- City of Tucson Parks and Recreation for their assistance, along with the Ward 2 Council office