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PALO VERDE PARK POST

Celebrate Our History at a Neighborhood Fundraiser

LECTURE AND GUIDED HOME TOUR:
Saturday, April 5 | 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



PRESENTS

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You might see additional traffic and visitors on our street during these hours. Thank you for your understanding as we raise funds for neighborhood projects and events! Tickets at 32auctions.com/midcentury

The Palo Verde Park Neighborhood Association was founded in 2018 by east-central neighbors seeking to build a stronger community through civic engagement, collaboration and connection.



More Details on the Home History Tour and Lecture

What: Join us for a lecture on the factors that shaped how Tucson developed and some of the architectural features that are unique to ranch style homes.

We'll also hear a presentation from **David Leighton**, who writes the popular *Street Smarts* column for the Arizona Daily Star, before visiting four homes that are reflective of the design.

Why: To inspire pride in the neighborhood about what makes our homes unique.

When: Saturday, April 5. Registration opens at 9:30 a.m., with the lecture starting promptly at 10 a.m.

Where: Fountain of Life Church, 700 S Kolb Road. You will get a wristband and addresses to visit after the discussion.

How: Tickets are \$10 each and will help support future neighborhood events and investments. Visit [32auctions/midcentury](https://32auctions.com/midcentury) to get your ticket today and come celebrate our neighborhood!



City Officials Provide Updates on Road Paving, Park Construction



Roads:

The city will start paving several areas within the neighborhood in April.

The colored areas on the map will wait for improvements: Blue areas must first get updated Tucson Water lines. The area in green is waiting on Southwest Gas line updates. The area in pink was determined to have better pavement quality and will be included in a later round.

Park:

City officials said they're trying to move construction up to bring an updated, shaded playground into the existing phase for better efficiencies. Funding does not exist at this time for a shaded, lit basketball court. The pool should open on schedule, with construction wrapping up this summer.

Bake Sale a Success in Purchasing Flagpole for Veterans Bridge



Thanks to our bakers and our nibblers for supporting the fundraiser for our new flagpole at the labyrinth area east of the park by the Veterans Bridge.

The city's Parks Department has agreed to install it, so more to come!

Tucson Audubon Clears Invasive Plants from Labyrinth Area

Storm to shade efforts continue at the labyrinth, where new trees and a small natural dirt walking path will be in the works soon! Shout out to Tucson Audubon for helping to mitigate buffelgrass and bermuda overgrowth.

