



*“A VISION FOR THE FUTURE”*

### #ILOVEPHX

Tell us what your neighborhood is planning to do for Graffiti Free Phoenix. NSD and its partners need the community’s help to spread the word about Graffiti Free Phoenix.

Please use the hashtag #GraffitiFreePHX and #iLovePHX on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. Share your favorite photos of you and your friends removing graffiti during the month of February.

Don’t forget to tweet us at @CityofPhoenixAZ or @PHXNeighborhood

These ideas are easy to do and this Graffiti Free Phoenix effort can continue beyond the month of February.



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### JOIN #ILOVEPHX. CAMPAIGN

The city’s Neighborhood Services Department, the Anti-Graffiti Task Force, Phoenix Police, along with other city departments, are promoting February as “Graffiti Free Phoenix” month. Individuals, neighborhood and corporate organizations are encouraged to join the city to help make Phoenix graffiti free.

Here’s how you can make a difference:

- Report graffiti in your community by calling 602-534-4444, extension 1, email [blight@phoenix.gov](mailto:blight@phoenix.gov) (be sure to include the address if you know it) or click on “report it” on [phoenix.gov](http://phoenix.gov) and complete the online blight reporting form.
- Download the free smartphone app (MyPhxAz); use it to report graffiti and other blight violations.
- Report graffiti vandals by calling the Graffiti Hotline at 602-262-7327 and you may receive up to a \$250 reward
- Volunteer to remove graffiti by hosting a community cleanup.
- Keep your own property free of graffiti.
- Sign up to take a free Neighborhood College workshop and learn how to use a paint sprayer or pressure washer to remove graffiti.

Free paint and supplies will be provided to any group organizing a community cleanup to wipe out graffiti.

For more information or to request graffiti-removal supplies, visit [phoenix.gov/nsd](http://phoenix.gov/nsd) or call 602-534-4444.



Chris Hallett, Neighborhood Services Director, Councilman Michael Nowakowski, Erynn Crowley, Neighborhood Revitalization Deputy Director and members of the Anti-Graffiti Task Force show their love for a graffiti free Phoenix!



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602-262-7492



602-534-4816



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# NEWS



## FEBRUARY'S LUCKY 7 RECIPIENTS



### 1. Best Activity for the Family – 63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Laveen BBQ, Corona Ranch 7611 S. 29<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Laveen AZ. 85339



Come out and enjoy the best BBQ in Phoenix! This event is geared towards the whole family. Vendor booths, an art league event, kid's activities, a book sale as well as an indoor stage and an outside stage with live music will be featured. The Laveen BBQ starts at 11:00 a.m. Sunday, February 8, 2015.

### 2. Best Food & Drink – Crescent Ballroom, 308 North 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85003



The \$5 dollar bean burrito is so tasty and the price is just right, especially paired with some chips! To drink their strawberry Jolly Rancher drink entices your senses its sweet with just a hint sweet and sour.

For more information, call 602-716-2222 or visit <http://www.crescentphx.com>

### 3. Best Downtown Activity – The Gallery at City Hall, 200 W. Washington Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Phoenix, AZ 85003



The gallery located on the main floor at City Hall is continuing its celebration of Arizona's Centennial and the achievements by the Phoenix Arts and Culture Commission. This gallery has been in operation since May, 2012. The works displayed come from the city's Municipal Art Collection. Admission is free and open to the public.

For more information visit, <https://www.phoenix.gov/arts/the-gallery-@-city-hall>.

### 4. Best Arts & Culture Event – Phoenix Chinese Week, Margaret Hance Park, Phoenix AZ 85004



Chinese Week features a large variety of events ranging from a volleyball tournament, a table tennis open, a Koi Fish show, Taipei Dragon Boat Display, children's pavilion, food pavilions, a Mahjong booth as well as a Taiji tournament. The event begins Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>.

For more information, visit [http://www.phoenixchineseweek.org/2015-festival/events\\_schedule/](http://www.phoenixchineseweek.org/2015-festival/events_schedule/).

### 5. Best Place for a First Date – The Compass Grill, 122 North 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Phoenix, AZ 85004



This restaurant provides not only delicious elegant food but it is the 360 degree view that truly makes the experience. This is the only revolving roof top restaurant in Phoenix and has been in operation for over 30 years. The menu is seasonal and is developed around ingredients that are found locally; ensuring that the dining experience is memorable.

For more information, visit <http://phoenix.hyatt.com/en/hotel/dining/CompassArizonaGrill.html>.

### 6. Best Kept Secret – Desert West Lake, 6602 W. Encanto Blvd., Phoenix, AZ 85035



This lake provides a place for residents to catch Catfish, Trout, Bass, Sunfish and White Amur. The lake is 5 acres and it is 15 feet deep. The park amenities also include a playground, sports fields, and community center.

For more information, visit [http://www.azgfd.gov/h\\_f/urban\\_lake\\_desert\\_west.shtml](http://www.azgfd.gov/h_f/urban_lake_desert_west.shtml)

### 7. Best Neighborhood Spot – Kay's Kafe, 3401 S. 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85009



This neighborhood spot is a great place to grab breakfast and lunch! The staff is warm and welcoming and the food is always tasty! Soups, hot and cold sandwiches, salads, burgers and dessert are all featured on the menu and the price is affordable. For more information: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Kays-Kafe/180630547902>

Thank you to everyone who submitted nominations.  
For information on how to nominate visit [www.phoenix.gov/district7/lucky-7](http://www.phoenix.gov/district7/lucky-7)



# NEWS

## CITY OF PHOENIX HONORS DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard is now official in Phoenix! The ceremonial sign has been unveiled on the corner of 24th Street and Broadway Road. This would not have been possible without the widespread community support and determination. It has been a pleasure working alongside Councilwoman Gallego, City Staff and the MLK Advisory Committee and the Roosevelt School District in making this dream a reality.

This is an exciting announcement for Phoenix and the state as we make this historic move to recognize such a great civil rights leader. The first ceremonial was placed at the intersection of 24<sup>th</sup> Street & Broadway Road on January 15, 2015 with the remainder of signage to be installed by early spring.







## Business Highlight

Breadfruit & Rum Bar  
 108 E. Pierce Street  
 Phoenix, Arizona 85004  
 602-267-1266  
[www.thebreadfruit.com](http://www.thebreadfruit.com)

Breadfruit Rum Bar is an award winning modern Jamaican cuisine restaurant. It provides an elegantly casual and tropical aura to infuse the culture into an experience. Some of their most recognized dishes are prepared with jet-fresh seafood like the escovitch fish and festival dish. Breadfruit's famous drinks are a variety of rum cocktails with a collection of over 108 rums to choose from. It is an experience that lures you in each step of the way.

### **UPDATE: FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION FLIGHT PATH & PROCEDURAL CHANGES**

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) new flight path and procedural changes have negatively impacted many neighborhoods in the Phoenix area since its adoption on September 18, 2014.

I requested the implementation of noise monitoring equipment in the newly affected areas to allow us to compare the noise levels from what they were prior to these changes.

The City of Phoenix Aviation Department hosted several meetings throughout the affected areas to provide an opportunity for the community members to discuss their concerns and solicit input on locations the City consultant can place temporary noise monitors. We will be collecting the data beginning this month with the results communicated to us late March. There were hundreds of residents at each of the meetings to voice their opinion on this important subject.

I want to thank all the residents who attended in meetings. I will continue to provide you with updates on this important issue that's so important to our communities. I will continue to advocate for our neighborhoods and quality of life for all.



The City of Phoenix is seeking input from residents on priorities for city transportation improvements. Your feedback is key to determining the future of Phoenix Transportation.

Please let us know your priorities by completing a survey, <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/talktransportation>.



# NEWS

## **PHOENIX 2020** *“A Clear Vision for the Future”*

Every month you can catch our show Phoenix 2020 “A Clear Vision for the Future” on Cox Cable Channel 11 or catch us on [www.youtube.com/cityofphoenixaz](http://www.youtube.com/cityofphoenixaz).

In this episode of “Phoenix 2020,” Councilman Michael Nowakowski highlights all of the great things that happened in District 7 in 2014. He also introduces his District 7 staff and gives you sneak peak of his priorities for District 7 this year.

Lastly, we bring you January’s Lucky 7! Check out what people are voting for the best things to do in District 7!

Don’t forget to watch this and more episodes on [www.youtube.com/cityofphoenixaz](http://www.youtube.com/cityofphoenixaz).



## **Send Your Nominations Now for March Lucky 7!**

### **ONLINE FORM:**

<https://www.phoenix.gov/formssite/Forms/emdist7lucky7.aspx>

**EMAIL:** [council.district.7@phoenix.gov](mailto:council.district.7@phoenix.gov)

### **MAIL:**

FORM CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM OUR WEBSITE AT:  
[WWW.PHOENIX.GOV/DISTRICT7](http://WWW.PHOENIX.GOV/DISTRICT7)

PHOENIX CITY HALL  
ATT: DISTRICT 7  
200 W. WASHINGTON ST. 11<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR  
PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85003

## ***Certification Workshops Set for Small Business Owners***

Small business owners in Maricopa County are invited to participate in two free workshops and learn more about the city of Phoenix business certification programs and how they can provide opportunities for small business economic growth.

The workshops will be from 2 – 4 p.m. at the Calvin C. Goode Municipal Building, 251 W. Washington St., 10th floor, Thursday, Feb. 12, and Wednesday, March 18 (in Spanish).

The city's Equal Opportunity Department offers free quarterly educational workshops to help business owners complete the application process for certification with the city as a disadvantaged or small business enterprise. The workshops offer in-depth information about the requirements, process and benefits of becoming certified. Seating is limited for these presentations. To reserve a space, call the Equal Opportunity Department at 602-262-6790/voice or 602-534-1557/TTY, or email [business.relations.eod@phoenix.gov](mailto:business.relations.eod@phoenix.gov). Follow us on Twitter @phxequalopprty.



FEBRUARY 2015

# EVENTS

THE PARSONS CENTER  
FOR PEDIATRIC DENTISTRY  
AT MURPHY



The Parsons Center for Pediatric Dentistry at Murphy Education and Health Center is offering dental care for FREE. They will be providing no-cost, on-site preventative and restorative quality dental care to children only. No appointment is necessary. They will also have activities for the children like, man made snow for kids to play in, various carnival-like events and attractions.

**Saturday February 7th  
10am- 3pm**

**The Parsons Center for Pediatric Dentistry at Murphy  
3140 W. Buckeye Rd.  
Phoenix, AZ 85009  
602-353-5435 office**



**February 7, 2015  
9:00 AM**

**Pendergast Hope Center  
10550 W. Mariposa**

The Phoenix Fire Dept. Baby Shots Immunization Program provides FREE vaccinations to children who are eligible.

For more information, please call  
602-534-2229.

## District 7 "Movie In The Park"

Friday, March 20, 2015  
Margaret Hance Park  
3rd Street & Moreland

Featuring: TBD  
6:30 p.m.



For more information please call, 602-262-7492.



## Hands-on Paint Sprayer Training

During this two-hour workshop, attendees will watch a video on how to safely operate a paint sprayer and receive hands-on instruction. Once attendees are comfortable with the equipment, they will remove graffiti at a nearby location. Upon completion, participants will be able to use a paint sprayer free of charge for community clean-ups. Come learn how to make "Graffiti Free Phoenix".

**8 to 10 a.m.**

**Saturday, March 14,  
NSD West Facility, 3325 W. Flower St.  
Phoenix, Arizona 85017**