

El Dia de San Juan Fiesta



--A Historic and Cultural Celebration--

Estimados Amigos:

Tucson will celebrate the 12TH Annual “*El Día de San Juan Fiesta*”, Wednesday, June 24, 2009 from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. The Fiesta celebrates a beautiful and traditional procession, and a cultural blessing in the ambience of barrio life at the birthplace of Tucson. This event promotes the culture and history of the people of the Sonoran desert and their traditions.

The El Dia de San Juan Committee (Comité de San Juan) cordially invite you to join us as a member of the planning committee. Meetings are held every Wednesday 6 p.m. at the Ward 1 City Council office located on the corner of Alameda and Grande Ave. These meetings will be held every Wednesday until the day of the event. Please come and be part of this exciting group!

This is the only event that celebrates with the famous ‘**Charreadas**’ (Mexican Rodeos) and the ‘**Escaramuzas**’ (young women performing on horseback). There will also be entertainment consisting of bands, groups, folkloric dancers and mariachis participating live on stage. This year, a “Kick Off” Gran Baile fundraiser is planned at the El Casino Ballroom on Saturday, June 13th. Come and help us plan for it!

We look forward to your assistance and participation. Please call me with any questions at 520-791-0925 or call Rosa Julia Nenninger at 520-573-7138.

Sincerely,

Lillian López-Grant

Chairperson

El Dia de San Juan Committee