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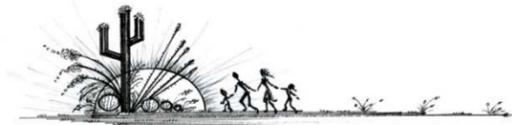


DIETZ NEIGHBORHOOD

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DIETZ
1421 S KOLB RD
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Dated Material



Fall 2015

Annual Fall Meeting
Dietz
Neighborhood Association
6:30 pm Social Time
7:00 pm Meeting Begins
Thursday, October 22, 2015
At Dietz Elementary School
7575 E. Palma, Near Prudence and Palma
Cafeteria Room
Please bring a can of food for the Tucson Food Bank
Hope to see you all there!

2016 WINTER MEETING – JAN. 21st
2016 SPRING MEETING – APR. 21st
Same location & times

2015 Officers Dietz Neighborhood Assoc.

President: Georgia Brousseau, 296-5021
First Vice President: Linda Howell, 885-7948
Second Vice President: Alex Montoya, 331-6345
Secretary: Lucy Arnett, 298-2976
Treasurer: Diane Tooroian, 886-4063

Like us on Face Book at: Dietz Neighborhood Association

Consider joining our association

Dietz is a great neighborhood. There are many amenities close by, including businesses, churches, health & schools. The city provides this once a year newsletter for our neighborhood. If you send us your email address & name we can send you more frequent news. See our Dietz Application on back page to join. It is only \$5 per person each year.

Tax Time – 2015

ARIZONA PUBLIC SCHOOL TAX CREDIT
Did you know you can donate taxes you owe to the state of Arizona directly to the school of your choice? You get every penny back when you file your state return either as a reduction in your tax bill or added to your refund. Married couples filing jointly can contribute up to \$400, and individuals can contribute up to \$200. Both of our neighborhood schools will benefit from our donation to them.

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From the President Hello Neighbors

Georgia Brousseau

Do you seek fortune & glory? Then don't run for office in the Dietz Neighborhood Association this October. We don't have that. But what we do have is the opportunity to meet and work with some of the best neighbors you will ever know. Many close friendships have developed over the last decade between neighbors who met while working on projects to make their community better. It is time for new people to have a chance to serve and to bring fresh, new ideas to support the generations who live here. People with families who can make their community better for their children are needed. If you don't want to accept an office, how about coming to the meeting and joining with those who also care. We bring interesting speakers on a variety of topics, and keep you up to date on crime issues and schools as well. Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting on Thursday, Oct. 22, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.

School News

Dietz K-8 School

Our goal here at Dietz K-8 (Kindergarten to 8th grade) is to create a culture and climate that supports a holistic educational experience. We are an OMA Gold school and integrate the Fine Arts into our core instruction. The administration at Dietz K-8 supports the development of youth athletics programs for the purpose of enhancing the academic curriculum and building community. Curriculum highlights include: K-5 Self Contained Instruction, GATE-Advanced Learning Experiences-Computer Technology, 6th-8th Grade Middle School Instruction, and On-site Special Education Resource Staff.

Palo Verde High Magnet School

In the 2013-2014 school year, the school earned a "A" rating according to the Arizona Department of Education. There are ten departments within the school: Athletics, English/ELD, Fine Arts, Modern Language, Science, Career & Technical Education/JTED, Exceptional Education, Math, Physical Health, Social Studies. The school also has many clubs such as Art, Auto, Band, Engineer, Robotics, Sports Medicine, Yearbook, & 9 Athletic Teams, to name just a few. Go to their web site (listed below) to learn more about all the programs this school offers.

Consider volunteering at our schools

Please contact these schools if you or your organization are interested in being involved or volunteering in any way.

Dietz School website

<http://edweb.tusd1.org/Dietz>

phone: 731-4000

Julie Wanat (School Family Liaison)

Tiffany McKee (Principal).

Palo Verde High School website

<http://edweb.tusd1.org/paloverde>

phone: 584-7400

Charlene Gutierrez (Community Rep.)

Eric Brock (Principal)

2015 - Active Membership Application

PO Box 18626, Tucson, AZ 85731-8961

Email: gcb1@netscape.net

(\$5 per person, per calendar year – Jan/Dec)

Name _____

Address _____

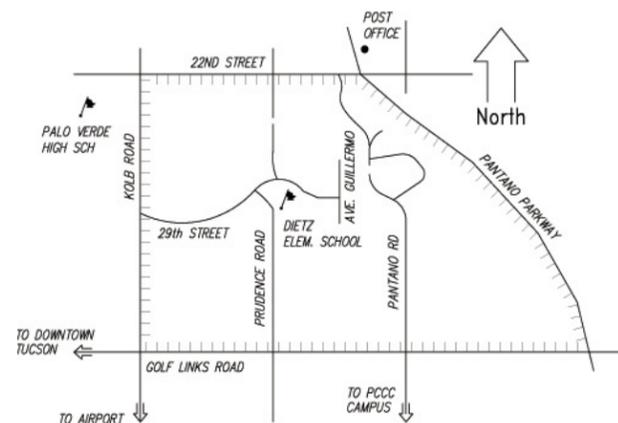
Date _____

Email address _____

Occupation _____ Retired [YES] [NO]

Children [YES] [NO] School _____

CAN YOU VOLUNTEER FOR COMMITTEES, NEWSLETTER, MAILING, PHONE CALLS, CLEANUPS OR OTHER AREAS?



Dietz Neighborhood Association

WHO YA GONNA CALL?

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS & INTERNET SITES:

Tucson Police East Side Substation – 791-5700 <https://www.tucsonaz.gov/police/operations-division-east>
Crime Tip Hotline – 837-7588 and 88-CRIME 882-7463, <http://www.88crime.org>
(Property Violations) 791-5843, <https://www.tucsonaz.gov/pdsd/code-enforcement>
Community Food Bank, 622-0525, <http://communityfoodbank.com>
Graffiti, 792-2489 <http://www.tucsonaz.gov/graffiti>
Potholes, 791-3154 or email report to TDOTSR@tucsonaz.gov
Environmental Services (Trash), 791-3171, <https://www.tucsonaz.gov/environmental-services>
(Junk cars reporting), <https://www.tucsonaz.gov/police/junk-vehicle-reporting>
Pima County Animal Control (Loose – Vicious Dogs), 724-5900,
http://webcms.pima.gov/community/animal_care/reporting_complaints/
Power outage HOTLINE (street lights) 623-3451, <https://www.tep.com>
Pima Council on Aging, **PCOA HELPLINE:** 790-7262, <http://www.pcoa.org/>
Dietz Elementary School, 731-4000, <http://edweb.tusd.k12.az.us/dietz/>
Palo Verde High School, 584-7400, <http://edweb.tusd.k12.az.us/paloverde>
Mosquito & Cockroach Hotline, 243-7999, http://webcms.pima.gov/health/food-safety/vector_control/
Pima County Health Dept., 724-7770, <http://webcms.pima.gov/health/>

Mark Your Calenders

2015

Oct 12th, Columbus Day

Oct 12-16, Fall school break

Oct 22nd, Annual Neighborhood Meeting & Election of officers

Oct 31st, Halloween

Nov 3rd, Vote in General Elections

Nov 11th, Veteran's Day

Nov 21st, El Tour de Tucson

Nov 27th, Thanksgiving

Nov 26-27, School Thanksgiving Break

Dec 11-3, 4th Ave Street Fair

Dec 21 to Jan 1, School Winter Break

Dec. 25th, Christmas

2016

Jan 1st, New Years Day 2016

Jan 21st, Winter Neighborhood Meeting

Jan 30 to Feb 14, Gem & Mineral Show

Jan 18th, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Feb 15th, Presidents' Day

Jan 15-27, Soccer Shootout

Feb 25, Tucson Rodeo Parade

Feb 25-26, School Rodeo Vacation

Mar 12-13, Festival of Books at UA

Mar 21-25, School Spring Break

Mar 22nd, Presidential Preference Election

Mar 27th, Easter

May 30th, Memorial Day

Apr 1-3, 4th Ave Street Fair

Apr 21st, Spring Neighborhood Meeting

May 8th, Mother's Day

May 25th, Last Day School & Graduation

June 19th, Father's Day

July 4th, Fourth of July

Aug 30th, Primary Election

August 2016 – Ward 4 Back to School Bash - To be announced

August & October 2016, Summer & Winter Neighborhood Meeting

To be announced

Household Hazardous Waste & Old Prescription RX - DISPOSAL

Hazardous waste should not be disposed of in the regular trash. On the first Saturday of each month you can take this waste to the Eastside Service Center at 7575 E. Speedway (turn north on Prudence at Speedway). Do not bring medications or syringes or sharps.

Don't flush your old prescriptions or throw them in trash as that is a bad health hazard. You can take them to the Eastside Rincon Police Sub Station, 9670 E. Golf Links (east of Harrison on south side Golf Links). Call 791-5700 for details. They will not take liquids, patches or needles.

Your VOTE counts

At our October 2015 Dietz meeting we will be nominating & voting for Officers: President, Second Vice President and Treasurer to fill the 2016-2017 terms, beginning in January 2016.

Locally we will be voting November 3rd for: City of Tucson Mayor and Council Persons in Wards 1, 2 & 4.

There also are seven Pima County Bond Proposals: Numbers 425-Road Improvements, 426-Economic Development, 427-Tourism, 428-Parks & Recreation, 429-Public Health, 430-Conservation, and 431-Flood Control. There are four Propositions on the ballot: Numbers 201-Traffic Cameras, 403-Mayor voting rights, 404-Civil Service Rights Dept. Directors, 405-Mayor & Council Pay Increase

If you care about our community VOTE!

Voter Registration The deadline to register for the Nov. 3rd election is Midnight, Oct. 5th. There is a registration form that can be found at web site: www.azcanelections.gov/voters/election - the form can be mailed or hand delivered to the Pima County Recorder's office at 240 N. Stone. The Recorder's mailing address is PO Box 3145, Tuc., AZ 85702-3145. The Recorder's phone number is 724-4350.

Ward Four

Our Ward 4 Office is located at 8123 E. Poinciana near Lincoln Park & the East PCC Campus just East of Pantano Road. If you ever need to find out what is happening in Ward 4 or need to voice your concerns the phone number is 791-3199. For the newsletter go to www.tucsonaz.gov/ward4

Are your Vaccines up to date?

Flu season is around the corner. Besides the Flu vaccine there are other vaccinations that people of all ages need, such as pneumonia, shingles, polio, whopping cough & measles, to name a few. Besides your regular doctor or urgent care center you can call the Pima Co. Health Dept. at 724-7770 for information.

TUSD Clothing Bank

Tucson Unified School District has a clothing bank. Any TUSD student that needs clothes can go there for free items. The next time you are giving clothing away, please give to the TUSD Clothing Bank. (Toddler to adult sizes as well as new under-wear is needed). They are located at Duffy Family & Community Center, 655 N. Magnolia Ave. near 5th and Rosemont. Call 232-7058 to make an appointment.

Community Food Bank

The food bank provides emergency food assistance to people in need, kid's programs, urban gardens, community kitchens as well as culinary training. Every dollar donated equals four meals. You can even claim a charitable Arizona tax credit (\$200 for single persons, \$400 if filing jointly, even if you don't itemize). They are located at 3003 S. Country Club and the phone number is 622-0525.

Emergency Supply Kits

The Girl Scout motto is "Always Be Prepared". You never know when the power will go out or

some disaster might happen. FEMA recommends having a three day emergency supply. Following is a small list of items to have in a **basic emergency kit**. Water, food, can opener, battery radio, flashlight, batteries, first aid kit, whistle, dust mask, moist towlettes & wrench or pliers. **Additional items** you may want to include are prescriptions, over the counter meds, Infant formula & diapers, pet food & water, documents in waterproof case, cash, first aid book, sleeping bag or blanket, clothing, under-wear, jacket, sturdy shoes, chlorine bleach & eye dropper, fire extinguisher, matches in waterproof case, feminine supplies, paper & plastic plates, cups & utensils, paper towels, toilet paper, plastic bags, paper & pencil, books, games & activities.

Neighborhood Cleanups

In January and March we were able to take advantage of the **FREE** trash roll-offs provided by the City of Tucson. All neighborhood associations can take advantage of this free program all year long. By the time you get this newsletter we'll have had another cleanup weekend. If you would like to have one on your street please call an officer & let us know so we can help arrange the application.

Median Weeds, Litter, Graffiti & Crime

For years we have relied on volunteers to help pull weeds, trim trees and pick up litter on the medians along Prudence & 29th Streets. With the monsoon rains & fast growing weeds every little bit you can do really helps to keep our neighborhood attractive. Another important thing you can do is keep an eye out for **graffiti**. If you see it, please call and report it at 792-2489. If you see **pot holes** we need you to report them at 791-3154. If you notice suspicious activity it could be a **crime** in progress. Do not hesitate to call 9-1-1. It's better to be safe than sorry. We need to be the eyes for the city & police.