

# SPECIAL EVENT

## "A Night of Remembrance"

Honoring the

12th Anniversary of September 11

Wednesday, September 11, 2013

Casa Grande Peart Park, 350 E 6th Street

Event begins at 6:30pm

Candlelight Ceremony at 6:45pm

DONATIONS  
OF SMALL TRAVEL  
SIZE HEALTH CARE  
ITEMS WILL BE  
COLLECTED AT P & R  
OFFICES OR AT  
THE EVENT

Pay tribute to local Fire & Police Personnel

Support our troops and honor those who gave their lives for our freedom

## Open Invitation to all!

Hosted by the Casa Grande Youth Commission

## Doggie Dive-In



### Admission

\$2.00 per dog

humans are free!

We will have contests, prizes  
and vendors for all of your  
precious pets.

*\*Proof of immunizations  
required to enter.*

Questions?? Call Shayla Gunn at (520) 421-8677

Bring your darling doggy to the Palm Island Family Aquatics Park

to soak in the pool or soak up some sun at the 6th Annual

Doggie Dive-In. The event takes place on Saturday,

September 14, 2013 from 2:00 -4:00 p.m.

# SPECIAL EVENT

## PARTY IN THE PARK

**FREE EVENT**

6:00 - 8:00 p.m. @ Peart Park

Friday, September 20

Friday, October 18



Power Drive



Rhythm Edition

### Information:

(520) 421-8760

[www.casagrandeaz.us/rec](http://www.casagrandeaz.us/rec)

## Santa Calls & Letters Program

Casa Grande Parks & Recreation will once again sponsor the Santa Calls and Letters from Santa programs beginning November 1, 2013. Casa Grande children ages 4-8 can receive a telephone call from Santa Claus or Mrs. Claus or a letter from Santa. Calls from the North Pole will take place on Saturday, December 14 between the hours of 9:00 and 10:00 a.m. Letters from Santa will be mailed starting the week of Monday, December 9. To include your child, pick up a flyer at the Parks & Recreation Office or download it at [www.casagrandeaz.us/rec](http://www.casagrandeaz.us/rec). Fill it out and return the information no later than Monday, December 2.

# SPECIAL EVENT

The City of Casa Grande  
Parks and Recreation  
Presents

Get Up  
&  
Get Out

## 6th Annual Day of Playtopia

- Hop Scotch
- Lawn Checkers
- Frisbee Golf
- Parachute
- Obstacle Course
- Horseshoes
- Red Light, Green Light
- Archery
- Bubble Play
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Pickelball

Friday, September 20,  
2013

Carr-McNatt Park  
Brown Ave & McMurray  
6 pm - 8 pm

Interested in  
hosting a play booth?

Contact: Chad Price  
At (520) 421-8677



# SPECIAL EVENT

**Saturday, Sept. 21 at  
Paul Mason Sports  
Complex**

**Performance begins at 7:00 p.m.**

**Gates open at 6:30 p.m.**

*For more information 602.381.0184 [balletaz.org](http://balletaz.org)*

*Ballet*  
UNDER THE STARS  
*A Free Evening of Ballet*



Jessica Phillips, Serenade, Choreography George Balanchine, ©George Balanchine Trust, photo by Rosalie O'Connor



## 2013 Electric Light Parade Entry Form

**Deadline Friday, October 4, 2013**

**Parade scheduled  
Saturday, December 7, 2013 5:45 p.m.**

### REQUIREMENTS

- Each entrant is required to provide a coordinator and two (2) Parade Marshals to walk with their float throughout the ENTIRE parade route and must attend a mandatory meeting.
- **NO EQUESTRIAN OR ATV ENTRIES ARE ALLOWED, SORRY.**
- **PLEASE NO LIVE SANTAS!** We will have only one live Santa and he will arrive with the Fire Department.
- **NO showcase advertising boards allowed.**

**Need more details?**

Contact Caryl Chase at (520) 421-8677, ext. 4500 or  
Chad Price at (520) 421-8677, ext. 4530.

### IMPORTANT STEPS

1. Entry deadline is **Friday, October 4, 2013.**
2. After the October 4th deadline, approximately six weeks before the event, all parade coordinators will receive an informational packet by mail confirming their entry, rules, map, etc.
3. The Parade Coordinator and driver of float will attend (1) one mandatory pre-parade meeting scheduled  
**6 - 7 PM on either Tuesday, November 5  
or Thursday, November 7.**
4. A "Float Description Form" (in mailed packet) to be submitted by **Wednesday, November 13.**

# SPECIAL EVENT

# VIVA GRANDE



**CELEBRATE...GRANDE STYLE!**

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**

**5:00 - 9:00 P.M.**

**PAUL MASON SPORTSPLEX**



## AY, CHIHUAHUA! FASHION SHOW

*Free*

- Cutest, Most Original, Viva Grande Theme
- Limited to 15 Chihuahua's per category
- Prizes awarded for 1st - 3rd Place (per category)
- Chihuahua Goodie Bag

Registration Deadline: Monday, Aug. 19

**DISPLAY & JUDGING:**  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.



## LOS NIÑOS FUN ZONE & PINATA BUSTING

### PINATA BUSTING TIMES:

- 5:15 - 6:00 p.m. • 7:15 - 8:00 p.m.
- 6:15 - 7:00 p.m. • 8:15 - 9:00 p.m.

### ACTIVITIES:

- Viva Grande Loteria
- Crafts & Games
- Mural Painting
- Inflatable's
- Trackless Train



## LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

### FEATURING:

- Ballet Folklorico Quetzalli-AZ
- Mariachi Passion
- Santa Cruz Valley High School Mariachi
- Miele Entertainment
- Kaliente Cumbia All-Stars

## SALSA CHALLENGE

*\$15.00 per entry*

- Hot, Mild, Most Unusual, People's Choice
- Limited to 20 competitors \$ 2.00 sampling kit
- \$ 250.00 for People's Choice Winner



Registration Deadline: Monday, Aug. 19

**PUBLIC TASTING:**  
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

## HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

*\$20.00 per team*

- Limited to 16 Teams (doubles)
- Double Elimination
- \$ 100.00 for Tournament Winner



Registration Deadline: Monday, Aug. 19

## JALAPENO EATING CONTEST

*Free*

- Waiver Required
- \$ 50.00 Cash Prize



**CONTEST:**  
7:15 - 7:30 p.m.

Registration Deadline: Monday, Aug. 19

Sponsored by:



**GET INVOLVED:**

(520) 421 - 8760  
www.casagrandeaz.us/rec

# SPECIAL EVENT

## Keep Casa Grande Beautiful

### FALL CITYWIDE CLEANUP

All city residents, businesses, churches, and schools are invited to Adopt-a-Street or Park within the City of Casa Grande. These groups are invited to come out and help cleanup their adopted area on Saturday, October 19, 2013. For more information about adopting a park or street or to reserve vests and trash bags, call (520) 421-8677 or visit [www.casagrandeaz.us](http://www.casagrandeaz.us).

**Saturday  
October 19  
8:00-11:00 a.m.**



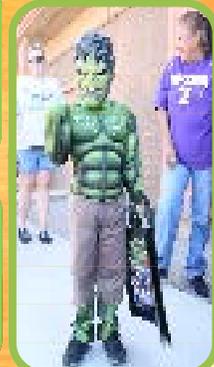
**WEDNESDAY, OCT. 23  
10:00 - 11:00 A.M.  
DOROTHY POWELL  
SENIOR CENTER**

**BRING YOUR LITTLE ONES FOR A  
HOWLIN' GOOD TIME!  
CARS WILL BE LINING UP IN THE SENIOR  
CENTER PARKING LOT WITH TRUNKS  
FULL OF GOODIES! CHILDREN ARE  
INVITED TO GO FROM TRUNK TO TRUNK  
TO COLLECT THEIR TREATS!**

**CALLING ALL...  
GHOULS, GOBLINS, AND GHOSTS...**

**TRUNK HOSTS WANTED!  
CANDY DONATIONS WANTED!**

**INFORMATION:  
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# SPECIAL EVENT



City of Casa Grande Community Services Department  
Present



## 40th ANNUAL



# HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL



### FREE Carnival Games!!!



**Thursday October 31, 2013**

**Carr McNatt Park**

**6:00 - 9:00 pm**



### FREE Candy!!!

**6:00 pm - Carnival Begins:**

**Carnival Games**

**FREE Candy**

**Halloween Crafts**

**Music**



**7:30 pm - Contests Begin:**

**20 Costume Contest Categories**

**4 Pumpkin Carving Contest**

**Best Decorated Booth**

**Best Costumed Booth Operator**

**Most Creative Booth**



Questions? Contact the Parks & Recreation Office

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# SPECIAL EVENT

## 22nd Annual Desert Grande **Duathlon / Triathlon** Saturday, November 2 • 7:30 a.m. Central Arizona College

### ***Desert Grande Duathlon/Triathlon***

The 22nd Annual Desert Grande Duathlon/Triathlon is scheduled for Saturday, November 2 beginning at 7:30 a.m. The Duathlon consists of a 1.5 mile run, a 10.3 mile bike and a 3.0 mile run. The Triathlon consists of a 400m swim, a 10.3 mile bike and a 3.0 mile run. All participants will receive a shirt and refreshments will be provided. This event will be held at Central Arizona College.

When: Saturday, November 2

Time: 7:30 a.m.

Duathlon Fee: \$40/individual, \$60/team

Triathlon Fee: \$50/individual, \$75/team

# LUMINARIES



**\$4** /kit

Once again, the Recreation Department will help light up the community this holiday season by making luminary kits available. The kits include one dozen votive candles and one dozen white paper sacks. This popular southwest tradition creates a warm and lovely effect along sidewalks and pathways. The kits can be purchased at the Parks & Recreation Office (404 E. Florence Blvd.) beginning Monday, December 2, during normal business hours, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. The fee is \$4 per kit. Get your kits early, first come - first served.

19th Annual

# Electric Light Parade

Saturday, December 7, 2013



Entry  
Deadline  
October 4



## Christmas on Main Street

- Christmas activities, games and face painting at the Winter Wonderland area
- Shops, Restaurants, Food Booths
- Tree Lighting Ceremony
- Musical Entertainment
- Ice Skating Arena
- Visit with Santa

Activities begin at Noon, Parade at 5:45 pm

