

ARIZONA CENTENNIAL ACTIVITIES & EVENTS

PRESENTED BY THE SEDONA HERITAGE MUSEUM, 2012

All events at the Museum unless otherwise noted.

January - December: AZ Centennial exhibit: "Life in Oak Creek Canyon in 1912", artifacts from 1912, collection from U.S. Presidential election of 1912, and special additions throughout the year, i.e., City of Sedona's centennial quilt, Arizona Women's Heritage Trail exhibit.

****First Saturday every month, "Arizona History & Hi-Jinx" w/Michael Peach, cowboy poetry, historic narrative, stories of Arizona history & the road to statehood, tongue-in-cheek fun. \$6.**

January: AZ Centennial Poster Contest. Entry form in Sedona Red Rock News late January. Prizes & display after February 3, co-sponsor: Sedona Red Rock News.

February 8, 9 am = Living History, "Arizona Statehood, All the Bells & Whistles", Jim Turner, co-sponsor AZ Humanities Council, refreshments, free.

February 11 & 12, 2 pm = ******"Arizona Constitutional Convention-You Are There" Radio Theater style presentation, with humor & drama. Original show about the debates for the new state. Re-enactors, refreshments, souvenirs and fun. \$7.

February 12, 9-noon = ******"Centennial Splatter Dab Breakfast", honoring descendants of families that were living in AZ in 1912 and descendants of Oak Creek Canyon/Sedona pioneer families. Breakfast, entertainment, pioneer Introductions, poster contest winners announced. \$3.



Breakfast
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February 14, 1:50 pm = ******Centennial Community "Bell-Ringing" celebration of statehood. LOCATION: Wayside Chapel, SR89A, Uptown. Program, refreshments, free. Commemorative bells for sale or bring your own.

February, date & time TBA = Dedication of new entry monument at the Schuerman Red Rock Cemetery & Yavapai Co. Centennial historic plaque. Program, refreshments, free.

March 3, 10:30 am = St Patrick Parade special floats + descendants of the Thompson family are Parade Grand Marshalls. Post-parade, attend a 'meet & greet' event honoring Jim Thompson's descendants-Oak Creek Canyon's first permanent Anglo settler & first Irishman. Parade runs on Jordan Rd, Thompson family event at the festival on Jordan Rd. Free.

March 3, 2 pm = "A Conversation with Governor Hunt". Don Shields brings Arizona's first Governor, George W.P. Hunt, to life in this re-enactment style presentation. Refreshments. \$TBA.

****Designated "Official Arizona Centennial Event" by the State of Arizona.**

April 28, 9-3 pm = ******"Sedona Historic Home & Site Tour". Tour 12 historic properties from homesteads to 20th century modern. Refreshments, souvenir book. \$25 self-guided, \$35 guided coach. Limited tix. Co-sponsors: AZ State Historic Preservation Office, City of Sedona.



More info: "Museum Roundup" sent via email/sign up now at sedonamuseum@esedona.net, or 928-282-7038.