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## **Magnificent Seven Events**

### **Calendar**

Check out what's happening! The Magnificent Seven Plus 1 Calendar seeks to include community events from Cochise, Graham, Apache, and Greenlee in Arizona, plus Catron, Grant, Luna, and Hidalgo Counties in New Mexico. From community gatherings to outdoor adventures, there's always something exciting on the calendar. December's events below are included on our Community Calendar. Click and you will be able to see events in several convenient formats. You'll also be able to print and share the calendar or add events to your personal online calendar.

[View Full Calendar](#)

. For inclusion in next month's newsletter, send events to [visitgreenlee@gmail.com](mailto:visitgreenlee@gmail.com). Please send complete info: name of event, where and when it will be held, brief description (or send a PDF of your flyer), contact information giving readers need more details, AND sponsoring organization if there is one.

[Submit Your Event](#)

## **So Much to See and Do~!**

By Akos Kovach

I look forward each month to sharing good news, clearly there is plenty of the opposite available, but here in the Discover Greenlee Monthly newsletter we focus on the positive end of the spectrum.

For example: COATS FOR KIDS! - The Greenlee County Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with Copper Cloud, is proud to help keep our community's kids warm this winter! They are currently registering children in Greenlee County (Morenci, Clifton, Duncan and everywhere in between) from toddler through teen who may need a warm coat for the upcoming winter season. Registration Deadline: October 9th, 2026. [See the flyer.](#)

The Chamber is also hosting their famous Christmas Bazaar. [See the flyer.](#)

Another fun event is the return of last years' Clifton Fall Fiesta. It was such a fan and vendor favorite the Town of Clifton is bringing it back, once again at Riverside Park with all its amenities, access and availability. Mark your calendars and save Saturday Nov 21<sup>st</sup>. It will be a blast! Co-sponsors include Greenlee Tourism Association, Clifton Social Club, American Legion Clifton Post 28, and several other organizations. [See flyers.](#)

Then, on December 5th, the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Festival of Lights Parade, and Festival of Lights Street Fair themed Pearls and Tinsel, in homage to its being the 30<sup>th</sup> annual Chase Creek Street vendor and entertainment event. The Clifton Social Club is leading the charge, as they have for the past 3 years. The parade is sponsored by the Town of Clifton.

Once again, various organizations' are stepping up to support this important community activity. Food, live music, engaging speakers, games for kids, food trucks, local food booths and craft/merch vendors – it's all here!

In closing, please take a look at the [Facebook page](#) for the famous Clifton Hill Climb returning April 16-17-18, 2027. A new twist has been added by the sanctioning organization, the Arizona Chapter of the Sports Car Club of America! Please come visit Greenlee County, you will be glad you did!

Looking forward to seeing you,  
Akos Kovach, Chair, Greenlee Tourism Association



ARIZONA

## Cochise County



### Rex Allen Days Rodeo - 75th Anniversary

**October 3–4 | Slack 9:00 AM daily / Performance 2:00 PM; Kids Rodeo after Saturday performance**

Willcox, AZ

75th anniversary rodeo: bronc riding, bareback, bull riding, calf roping, breakaway, barrel racing, team roping, trick riders, SW Arizona Sisters Drill Team, Earnest Browning Saddle Bronc Challenge. Vendors, beer booth, FFA concessions. Admission: General \$15, Military/Seniors/First Responders (valid ID) \$12, ages 6-12 \$12, under 6 free. Entries open Sept 23 7AM, close Sept 25 9PM, enter online at GCPRA.net.



### Boots & Beats Music Fest (Rex Allen Days)

**October 2–3 | Fri 6:00 PM (Dos Cabezas Coffee Co) / Sat (Keiller Park, tickets at gate \$20)**

Fri: Dos Cabezas Coffee Co, 308 S Haskell Ave, Willcox / Sat: Keiller Park, 500 N Bisbee Ave, Willcox

Two-night music festival during Rex Allen Days week. Friday headliner Britnee Kellogg plus Jacob Ryan Gustafson and CommonCelestials at Dos Cabezas Coffee Co (free). Saturday at Keiller Park: CommonCelestials, Jacob Ryan Gustafson, and Ben Barry, \$20 at the gate. Britnee Kellogg also headlines a ribbon-cutting/meet & greet at the new Allsup's (1151 Virginia Ave, Willcox) Friday 11:30 AM-12:30 PM.



## W.A.S.A. Cars for Kids Car Show

**Saturday, October 3 | Registration 8:30-10:00 AM / Awards 2:00 PM**

Sprinkler World, 510 N Bisbee Ave, Willcox

Car show open to all makes and models, Top 20 Overall trophies, \$25/vehicle registration. Food & vendor booths, carnival, 50/50 drawing. Held during Rex Allen Days. All proceeds benefit Willcox Against Substance Abuse (W.A.S.A.).



## Butterfield Stage Days - 40th Anniversary

**Saturday, October 10 | Parade 9:00 AM through town; main event 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM**

San Pedro Golf Course, 926 Madison Street, Benson

40th anniversary celebration: parade through town, live music, craft vendors, kids activities. Live music: Dust Off 10 AM-12 PM, Permafrost 1-4 PM, Triple Shot 5-7 PM. Free Kid's Zone activities.

## Graham County



## Graham County Fair & Carnival (Frazier Shows)

**October 8–11 | Thu 6-11 PM, Fri-Sat 1-11 PM, Sun 1-5 PM (closing times tentative)**

Graham County Fairgrounds, Safford

Annual county fair with Frazier Shows carnival. Wristband specials vary by day (\$15-\$30); buy online at FrazierShows.com to save \$3. See flyer for daily wristband windows.

## Greenlee County



## Trunk-N-Treat & Car Show

**Saturday, October 31 | Car Show Roll-In 1-3 PM, Show 3-6 PM | Live Music (The Bard) 2-6 PM**

Greenlee County Fairgrounds, 1248 Fairgrounds Rd, Duncan

Trunk-N-Treat with car show, live music, food vendors, family fun activities, and a haunted house. Candy provided by Freeport-McMoRan. Car show categories include Lowrider, Hot Rod, Classic, Truck, Diesel, Import, and Pedal Car, with trophies, plaques, and cash awards for 1st place. Registration: \$30 cars/trucks, \$20 pedal cars/bikes.

## American Red Cross Blood Drive - Duncan Community

**Friday, October 30 | 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM**

Duncan United Methodist Church Parish Hall, 128 Main St, Duncan

Give blood, help save lives. Sponsor code: DUNCANCOMM. Donors who give Oct 19-Nov 22 get a \$10 Amazon gift card by email plus 200 bonus Donor Rewards points.



**NEW MEXICO**

## Grant County



## Silver City Community Film Festival

**October 1–4 | See [silvercityfilmfest.org](https://silvercityfilmfest.org) for block schedule**

The Silco Theater, 311 N. Bullard St., Silver City

Four days of independent film celebrating the Southwest Borderlands - documentaries, narrative shorts, animation, and student films, plus panels and after-parties around town. Festival passes and individual block tickets available online.

## Southern Auction Fest Car Show

**Saturday, October 3 | Set up 8-11 AM | Show 11 AM - 4 PM**

Gough Park, Silver City

Car Club Nuevo Mexico car show with categories including 40s/50s/60s, Lowrider, Lowrider Custom, Lowrider Truck, Hot Rod, Muscle Car, Custom Car/Truck, Euro/JDM, 4x4, and more, plus cornhole. Entry fee \$25.

## Looking Ahead: November & December



## Rodeo Community Association Craft Fair

**Saturday, November 14 | 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM**

Craft fair hosted by the Rodeo Community Association. Vendors wanted, \$20/table, tables and chairs supplied.



## The Hearth Holiday Faire & Flea Market

**Saturday, November 14 | Market hours 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM (vendor setup 7:00-8:45 AM, takedown by 4:00 PM)**

Holiday-themed craft and flea market - artists, makers, vintage/flea market sellers, crafts, gifts, community vendors. Outdoor spaces (10'x12') \$30, indoor spaces (10'x10') \$50. Vendor application and payment due Nov 6.



## Clifton Fall Fiesta

**Saturday, November 21 | See Town of Clifton for public event hours**

Fall food festival with food vendors, entertainment (Color Guard, Mariachi music, DJ Tudi), kids activities and s'mores, local artist/merchant vendor booths with awards for participation. Hosted by the Town of Clifton.



## Greenlee Jr Rodeo Series Awards Dinner

**Friday, November 20 | See event posting for time**

Year-end awards dinner for the Greenlee Jr Rodeo Series (GJRS).



## Holly Jolly Christmas Bazaar

**Saturday, November 7 | 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM**

Vendors wanted - shop local, crafts, support small, food & art, food trucks encouraged.

## Pearls & Tinsel - 30th Annual Festival of Lights



**Saturday, December 5 | Festivities begin 12:00 PM; parade lights up at 6:30 PM**

30th annual Festival of Lights with a lighted parade through Clifton. Hosted by the Clifton Social Club, sponsored by the Greenlee County Chamber of Commerce, Greenlee County Tourism Council, and Town of Clifton.

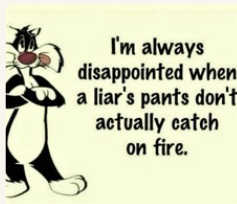
### Community Corner: The Greenlee Community Bridge



A new proposal from Kalen Reyes is inviting organizations across the county – schools, churches, healthcare, first responders, nonprofits, and volunteers – to connect through a "Community Bridge": regular listening sessions, a shared resource directory, and stronger referral pathways, so families can find the right help faster.

This is intentionally just the start of a conversation. An announcement for the first listening session is coming soon, with a Zoom option to join. – Akos

### Community Corner: Addressing the Rise and Fall of the Frisco



We will not dwell on all the false rumors and outright lies posted online recently. To what end? Scare people? Cause a disturbance? Whatever the motivation, those of us who care about transparency and facts are offended by all the fuss generated by these anonymous people who post lies. Reminds me of the old days when we chided 'liar, liar, pants on fire'.

NOAA sent out two email blasts warning nearby residents of a Flood Warning, which gave some pranksters the notion they should post blatant lies about imminent flooding, the flood gates closing, etc. The fact is the river did rise to well above normal levels but not to any evacuations or flooding, we were very fortunate.

All this to share that we will always strive to bring you accurate information, news, facts and photo's – count on us, on our social media platforms and our website. [www.visitgreenleecounty.com](http://www.visitgreenleecounty.com) – Thank you, Akos Kovach, Chair, Greenlee Tourism Association

## Ongoing & Recurring Events

### ARIZONA

#### Greenlee County



### Weekly Pool Tournaments

**Wed-Sat 7:07 PM**

Clifton Hotel Bar

Wed 9-ball, Thu Doubles Blind Draw, Fri 8-ball Winner Takes All, Sat 8-ball Tournament, recurring weekly

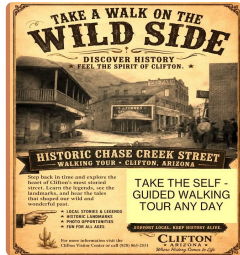


## Third Saturday on Chase Creek Street

Starting 5:00 PM

Chase Creek Street, Clifton

Recurring 3rd Saturday monthly



## Historic Chase Creek Street Walking Tour

Self-guided, any time

Chase Creek Street, Clifton

Self-guided historic walking tour of Clifton's Chase Creek Street district - evergreen, available year-round

## Cochise County



## Live Music at Landmark Cafe

Fri & Sat 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

400 W Fry Blvd, Sierra Vista

Recurring weekly live music



## NEW MEXICO

### Hidalgo County



## Lordsburg Swap Meet

Every First Saturday | 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM (setup at 7:30 AM)

Empty parking lot by the Lordsburg-Hidalgo County Chamber of Commerce

Bring your produce, crafts, yard sale items, and food sales (food permit required) – open for anyone wanting to sell anything. You are responsible for your own trash and items. Info: 575-542-9864 or 575-489-3752.



## Quemado Farmers Market

Every Saturday | 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

3545 Hwy 80, Quemado, NM In front of Andy's LLC. For volunteer information, contact Shannyn Gump at quemadofarmersmarket@gmail.com or call 575 654-6312.



*New!*

## **From Tom Green | Gila Valley Arts Council**

Hola,

I just wanted to share with you a few photos for this week's school residency with Jacome Flamenco.

Many of you were at the evening performance and for me personally it was very special as in my youth I was able to spend 10 weeks in Salamanca, Spain attending classes at the University of Salamanca for my Bachelors Degree in Spanish Education from NAU during the summer of 1977, just 2 years after Francisco Franco had died freeing up the country from his iron fisted dictatorial reign. I came home to Arizona with a much deeper appreciation for all things Spanish: bullfighting, paella, cathedrals and of course the artistry of Flamenco guitar and dance.

Here is a link to a post I created today on our Facebook page with a couple of photos and a short video of just the beginning of the Jacome's dance workshop at Safford High School.

Thank you all for attending and your extra support for what we attempt to accomplish for our school kids.

<https://www.facebook.com/share/v/19X6GzPXKZ/>

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Call to action



### Explore Greenlee County's Trails: 128 Miles of Arizona Wilderness Await

Greenlee County is one of Arizona's best-kept hiking secrets, with Trailmonger mapping 128 named trails covering 643 miles across the county. Hikers can choose from short strolls under a mile to serious treks like the Eagle National Recreation Trail, a 23.3-mile route with nearly 8,000 feet of elevation gain. The county also offers 4 mountain biking trails, 12 trailheads, 68 campsites, 13 waterfalls, and 5 boat launches — plenty to explore around Alma, Alpine, and Clifton. Whether you're after a quick nature walk or a full-day adventure, Trailmonger's detailed maps and offline access make planning your next Greenlee County outing easy.

[Visit Trailmonger.com](https://www.trailmonger.com)

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Businesses in Greenlee and surrounding counties can have their own store in the MarketPlace!

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THERE'S MORE GREAT  
INFO BELOW!



## Veterans Crisis Line

If you or someone you know is a veteran in crisis, dial 988 then press 0. Help is available to talk, listen, or reach out. Courtesy of the American Legion



## Southeastern Arizona Community Action Program (SEACAP)

Serving Graham & Greenlee County residents with support services. 283 West 5th Street, Safford, AZ. Toll-free: 1-800-293-1144. Phone: (928) 428-4653. Hours: Monday–Thursday, 7:00 AM–6:00 PM

## Job Board

Now hiring  
start Immediately  
part-time custodian  
also looking  
for a part-time bartender

Looking for a great place  
to work? Find it here!

**CONTACT FINANCE OFFICER  
CHRIS DALTON  
928-533-7571**



### Who's Hiring

#### ARIZONA

##### Greenlee County

###### Greenlee County Government

Health Department – Certified Nursing Assistant and Prevention Specialist. Fair Worker (Seasonal), Fairgrounds. Part-Time Administrative Assistant – Assessor's Office.

Apply: [greenlee.az.gov/jobs](https://greenlee.az.gov/jobs) | Sheriff's Office (Jail Officer I – open continuous, Jail Control Room Operator): [greenlee.az.gov/gcso-jobs](https://greenlee.az.gov/gcso-jobs)

##### American Legion (Clifton)

Now hiring: part-time custodian (start immediately) and part-time bartender. Contact Finance Officer Chris Dalton, 928-533-7571.

##### Freeport-McMoRan – Morenci Mine

One of the region's largest employers, with over 50 openings right now across engineering, operations, maintenance, finance, IT, and retail. Housing allowance available for on-site employees. Search "Morenci" at [jobs.fcx.com](https://jobs.fcx.com)

##### Graham County

###### Graham County Government

Adult/Juvenile Probation Officer (\$54,178), Justice Court Clerk (\$41,549), Legal Assistant (\$41,549), Special Agent/Diversion Officer (\$56,964), Detention Officer FT & PT (\$47,182 / \$22.68 hr), On-Call Juvenile Detention Officer (\$22.68/hr).

Apply: [graham.az.gov/Jobs.aspx](http://graham.az.gov/Jobs.aspx) | Questions: HR Director Cindy Norris-Blake, 928-428-8979

## Cochise County

Current openings post to the county's careers portal ([JobAps/governmentjobs.com](http://JobAps/governmentjobs.com)) – titles turn over often, so check the listing directly: [governmentjobs.com/careers/cochise](http://governmentjobs.com/careers/cochise)

## Apache County

Current openings post directly to the county's job board – check often, positions fill quickly: [apachecountyaz.gov/job-postings](http://apachecountyaz.gov/job-postings)

## NEW MEXICO

## Hidalgo County

### Hidalgo County Government

Sheriff's Office – 1 full-time Certified Deputy. County Manager's Office – full-time EMT (Basic, Intermediate, or Paramedic). Dispatch Center – full-time temporary Dispatcher (path to permanent). County pays 85% of health, dental, and vision insurance.

Applications: Hidalgo County Manager's Office, 305 Pyramid St, Lordsburg, or email [Miriam.Jacquez@hidalgocounty.org](mailto:Miriam.Jacquez@hidalgocounty.org), 575-542-9428.

## Grant, Catron & Luna Counties

Grant County posts current openings on its own portal – check regularly: [grantcountynm.gov/Jobs.aspx](http://grantcountynm.gov/Jobs.aspx). Catron & Luna Counties: no centralized online postings found this month – contact each county clerk's office directly for current openings.

[Visit Greenlee County Jobs Page](#)

[Visit Greenlee County Sheriff Department Page](#)

## WHERE TO EAT

Basha's Deli - Morenci  
Big Tex BBQ Express, in Morenci  
Morenci Lanes - Morenci  
Miner's Diner - Morenci  
Michelle's Bar & Grill - Morenci  
Morenci Motel Restaurant - Morenci  
R & R Pizza - Morenci  
Dina's Karinderya - Clifton  
El Corralito - Clifton  
The Little Frisco - Clifton  
Los Mendoza - Clifton  
Clifton Hotel & Bar - Clifton  
Zuly's Sonoran-style Mexican-Clifton

Gi'mees Grab N Go-Duncan  
Humble Pie - Duncan  
Ranch House Restaurant - Duncan  
River's Roadside - Duncan  
Rusty Sombrero - Duncan

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