



How it all began:

Arizona Guides Association formed August 11, 1987 as a
non-profit organization.

Founding Members:

Peter Baguley, President

Sigrid Egan, First Vice President

Lois Godward, Second Vice President

Ingrid Fitzpatrick (Sander), Director of Membership

Sabine Roush, Secretary

Jaqueline Gelbricht, Recording Secretary

Mayo Wesley

Sept. 1, 1982

Arizona seminar set

By Dorothy Goebel
The Phoenix Gazette

How to sell what they don't own — and still legally get paid for it — is the goal of Avis Culbert and Janis Hertzberg, partners in Accent Arizona Advisors, a business specializing in guided tours of the state.

For eight years, the two friends have been conducting tours of Arizona from the Grand Canyon to the Mexican border and everything in between. They've explained the flora and fauna, even down to the rattlesnakes and cactus and how the ancient Indians used the various species in their diets.

Now demand for certified guides has increased to such a degree that the pair will conduct a series of seminars to interest and train men and women as tour directors in Arizona.

There will be nine hours of classroom instruction and 37 hours of field training. Lectures will be at 9109 N. Central and field trips will originate at resorts around the Valley.

Dates and activities will include:

■ Sept. 5, 7 to 10 p.m., 9109 N. Central for orientation;

■ Sept. 10, 11:30 a.m., Phoenix Hyatt Regency, Valley of the Sun tour;

■ Sept. 12, 11:30 a.m. Camelback Inn, plus Carefree and Cave Creek tour;

■ Sept. 15, 7 to 10 p.m., historian Marshall Trimble will be guest speaker;

■ Sept. 17, 12:30 p.m. Sheraton Scottsdale Hotel for Scottsdale shopping areas;

■ Sept. 19, 11:30, Heritage Square for various city tours;

■ Sept. 22, 7 to 10 p.m., 9109 N. Central, Arizona geology, flora and fauna;

■ Sept. 24, 12:30 p.m. Arizona Billmore, city tour;

■ Sept. 26, 7:30 a.m. Crescent Hotel, Sedona tour.

Cost for the seminar is \$350, which includes all printed materials, admissions and the motor coach used for field trips.

Culbert, a longtime Scottsdale resident and the first queen of Scottsdale's Parada del Sol, has been active in the Phoenix Art Museum, Phoenix Zoo, and has been conducting educational tours for many years. Hertzberg became a tour guide after she and her husband went on an Arizona tour.

Additional information on the seminar is available by calling or writing Accent Arizona Advisors, 9109 N. Central, Phoenix 85020, 943-8694.



Mike Rynearson, *The Phoenix Gazette*

Avis Culbert (left) and Jan Hertzberg will hold an Arizona seminar

Avis Culbert and Janis Hertzberg, two long time tour guides in AZ, banned together in the late 1980's to create a company called Accent Arizona Advisors. Through their company, they trained tour guides with their Tour Director Seminar, enlightened corporate guests with their "Tour Talks" and coordinated very successful convention programs. Many of the AGA's workforce were trained by Janis and Avis.



WHO ARE WE?

The Arizona Guides Association (A.G.A.) is an organization dedicated to promoting high standards of integrity, proficiency, and knowledge through continuing education and certification (proficiency testing) of its members.

The Association is endorsed by the Arizona
Office of Tourism



A GUIDE'S VIEW OF ARIZONA

**During the 1990's the AGA held Educational Programs
for the Arizona guides:**

**A Workshop & Trade Show for Tourism Professionals with seminars,
networking and tours to specific points of interest. (1994)**

A Workshop & Trade Show for New Destination Attractions (1995)

**A Program on the Water Theme Projects in Metropolitan Phoenix
(1998)**

1994 and 1995 A GUIDE'S VIEW



Guides enjoying educational lecture. Jana Powell & Marcia Fischer in foreground. 1994 Workshops led by tourism professionals.



Ollie the Trolley offered transportation from Radisson Resort & Brett's Barn in West World. Roberta Reichel, Laura Vandegrift & Rick Wetzel, Scottsdale Tourism Coordinator led tours to El Pedregal, the proposed Heard Museum N. Campus and then into yet undeveloped areas of N. Scottsdale.



Trade Show table Judy Belcher, Chairperson & Jeannie West + 2 other guides. 1995 Trade Show had 30 trade booths & 90 attendees

1998 OVERVIEW OF WATER THEME PROJECTS IN METROPOLITAN AREA



*Roger Lidman, Dir.
Pueblo Grande
Museum*

Rio Salado Concept Plan

Section A: 100 year flood, 10 year flood, recreational lands, Red Mountain Freeway, total channel width, view looking east.

Section C: retail shops, 100 year flood, 10 year flood, Red Mountain Freeway, total channel width, view looking east.

A GUIDE'S VIEW 1998
Oasis in the Desert—
An Overview of Water
Theme Projects in the
Metropolitan Area

Tuesday, December 15, 1998
7:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Pueblo Grande Museum
4619 East Washington Street
Phoenix, Arizona 85034-1909

Sponsored by:
Arizona Guides Association
Scottsdale Convention & Visitors Bureau
Scottsdale Tourism Development Program

Day's Schedule ~ Tuesday, December 15, 1998

7:30 a.m.
Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.
Roger Lidman
Director, Pueblo Grande Museum
"The Early Canals and Hohokam Culture"

8:45 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.
Walt Kinsler
Landscape Architect II
Parks, Recreation & Library for Phoenix
"The Plans and Status of the City of
Phoenix Rio Salado Habitat Restoration"

9:15 a.m.
Board bus for trip to Tempe

9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Rio Salado Project, a 220 acre mixed-use project along the banks of a man-made lake now under construction will be discussed by City of Tempe officials

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Board bus for trip to Scottsdale
(Box lunch distributed on bus)

11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Developers of The Scottsdale Waterfront and The Canals at Scottsdale will present their plans for a water-theme cultural district along the Arizona Canal in Downtown Scottsdale

12:45 p.m.
Board bus for return to Pueblo Grande Museum

REGISTRATION FEE - \$12
(Includes program, box lunch and transportation)

REGISTER NOW! - SPACE IS LIMITED
Registration deadline - December 7, 1998

Questions?
Call Shirley Underwood,
Scottsdale Chamber of Commerce, 949-6280



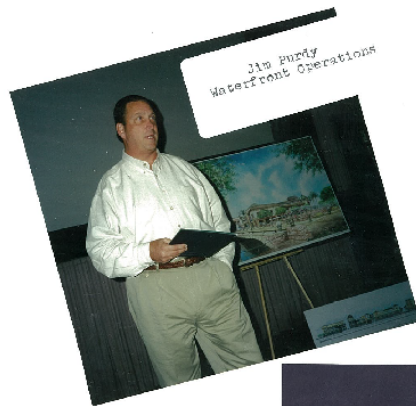
Laura Vandegrift
AGA
Guides View Chairperson



Walter Kinsler

MAKING THE DESERT AN OASIS

***In the 1990's this was all a dream
turned into reality.***



*the
waterfront*



***WHAT IS NEW &
DEVELOPING NOW
IN 2023, 2024 AND BEYOND
THAT THE AGA SHOULD
KNOW ABOUT?***

***PROGRAMS LIKE THESE HELP
EDUCATE, KEEP US INFORMED
AND MAKE US BETTER
AMBASSADORS PROMOTING AZ
TO THE TOURISTS WE SERVE.***

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF TOURIST GUIDE ASSOCS



The AGA was a founding member of this national organization started in 1998. Called “***NFTGA***” ***SEE OUR STAR ON THE LOGO.*** Initially suggested by Liz Schnackel and Marilyn Ransom, Laura Vandegrift, Betsy Todd and Sue Ellen Knorr actively participated in the organizational meetings and biennial conventions held in various member cities with educational seminars, guided tours, networking and social activities. The ***NFTGA*** then became a member of the ***WORLD FEDERATION OF TOURIST GUIDE ASSOCS*** with opportunities to network with guides around the world. ***NFTGA HAS GROWN TO 23 MEMBER GUIDE ASSOCIATIONS!!***

SEE THE BIG PICTURE

TRAVELING EXPANDS OUR CONSCIOUSNESS AND OUR GUIDING ABILITIES

AGA representatives, Laura Vandegrift, Betsy Todd and Sue Ellen Knorr traveled to major cities across the US including Washington DC, Chicago, San Antonio, and Boston meeting other city guides while learning new guiding techniques and presentation skills.

Delegates from Guide Associations
Across the USA Attended the First National
Association Formation Meeting in Washington, DC



Washington, DC, November 13 – 15, 1998

Seated l to r: Jean Feilmoser, San Francisco; Marta Cooper, New York; Beverly Livingston, Chicago; Anita Kirkpatrick and Riet Anderson, Savannah; Standing l to r: Carolyn Hennessey, San Antonio; Tricia Murphy, Gettysburg; Vicky Schwartz, DC; Bobbie Gattuso, New Orleans; Bernie Timble, DC; Jenifer Robertson, Chicago; Ginny Moser and Jane North, DC; Courtney Ashley, Chicago; Laura Vandegrift, Arizona. Absent from photo: Vivian Portner, DC.



'TURNING YOUR TOUR INTO AN EXPERIENCE'

San Antonio Tour Guides Janice Barton and Chita Harris "transport" their workshop audience aboard a make-believe touring coach.

NFTGA ACTIVITIES ACROSS THE USA

Social events included riding on a fire engine in San Francisco, a Creole cooking class in New Orleans, city tours and fine dining experiences!!



Chicago, July 8 - 11, 1999



Barbara Foos, (Denver), Julie Ross (Boston), and Linda Cochran (Denver) don New Orleans School of Cooking aprons and taste a special New Orleans drink before heading to kitchen duty.



Delegates enjoyed a brief city highlights tour aboard a vintage fire engine while en route to an early morning meeting. From left: Beverly Livingston, Marta Cooper, Carolyn Hennessee, Barbara Foos, Sharon Knibbe, Bobbie Gattuso, Vivian Portner, Lynn Wolken, Esther Banike Vicky Buck, Betsy Todd, Laura Vandegrift

1990 Executive Board and Committee Chairs

(AGA Newsletter - Nov. 1991)

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

It is not the function of AGA to set, regulate, or monitor wages paid to guides in the State of Arizona.

The object of the Arizona Guides Association is to promote high standards of integrity and knowledge and growth of professional tour and volunteer guides through continuing education.



ARIZONA GUIDES ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(From Board Meeting Minutes - August 1990)

President	-----	Avis Culbert
Vice-President	-----	Lois Godward
Recording Secretary	-----	LaVerne Jacobs
Treasurer	-----	Deanna Frost
Corresponding Secretary	-----	Gabriele Laudenschlager

Membership/Certification	-----	Lois Godward
Education	-----	Jan Hertzberg/Judy Belsher
Program	-----	Melissa Vaughn
Newsletter	-----	Jane Polgar



The April 28, 1992 meeting of the Board was held at Avis Culbert's home. Outgoing President, Avis Culbert and the following 1991-92 board members were present. L-R Seba Pfingston, Education Committee...Betsy Todd, Treasurer...Diane Silverman, Vice President/President Elect and Gabriele Laudenschlager, Corresponding Secretary

Board Meeting May 26, 1999

Group Photo:

Top Row: Liz Schnackle, Janice Dunnahoo, Leslie Ullstrup, Laura Vandergrift, Terri Brown, Marilyn Ransom, Betsy Todd

Lower Row:

Sharon Waldie, Barbara Hermansen, Ann Belanger, Marcia Fisher, Lois Godward

Judy Gogolin, Barbara Hermansen, Marcia Carter, Laura Vandergrift, Sharon Waldie, Liz Schnackle.



BOARD MEETINGS
May 26 - Sharon Waldie's
Luncheon Meeting with
outgoing/ incoming committee
chairs and board members.
Remember to bring your records!



In-Coming President
LAURA VANDEGRIFT



Education

Two programs per year, one in the Fall and the other in the Spring, usually an overnight.

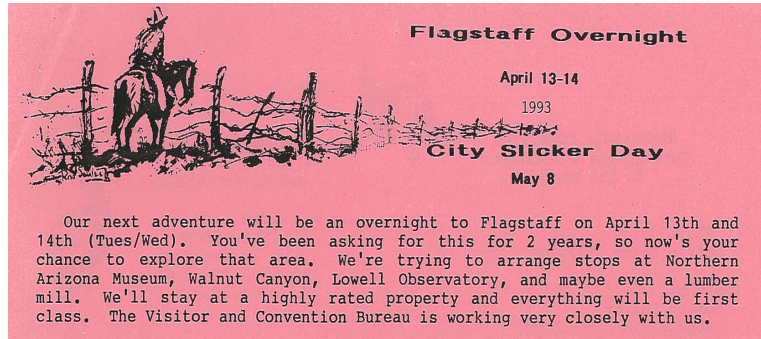
Past programs

Flagstaff Overnight April 13-14, 1993

*Riordan Mansion, Museum of
Northern Arizona, Lowell
Observatory*

EDUCATION COMMITTEE Flagstaff Overnight

On April 13th, 24 of us will be leaving for a two day exploration of the Flagstaff area. Our trip will be highlighted by visits to Walnut Canyon, the Museum of Northern Arizona, the Riordan Mansion, Lowell Observatory and the Orme School. We're all excited about spending some time together in our beautiful northland, learning some new things and refreshing our memories about others. At the May meeting we'll let you know how it was.



Cochise County Multi-day Tour November 28 to December 1, 1994

Janice Dunnahoo



Lunch at Nellie
Cashman's
Tombstone

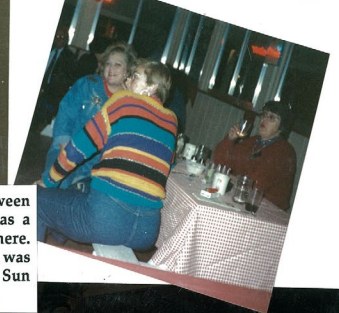
Enjoying box lunches
from Nellie Cashman's
Tombstone, Arizona
November 29, 1994



Queen Mine Tour

Cochise County Tour 1994

Brewery Gulch, Benson, AZ



Dinner that evening was held at the Iron Horse Ranch located between Tombstone and Sierra Vista. It is a working cattle ranch that has a reputation for making people feel at home in an old west atmosphere. Connie and Linda Chance certainly made us feel welcome. The food was super and the entertainment was great. After the show, we headed to Sun Canyon Inn in Sierra Vista where we spent the night.



Dinner at Iron Horse Ranch

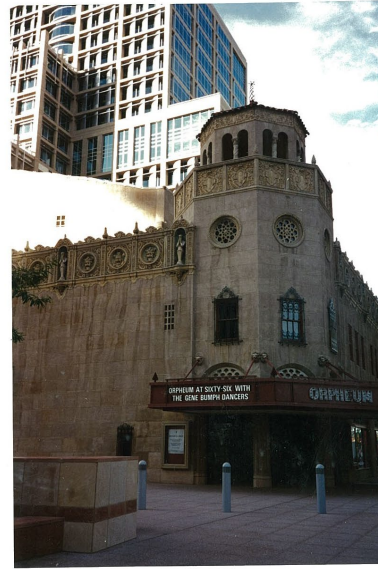
Cochise County Tour 1994



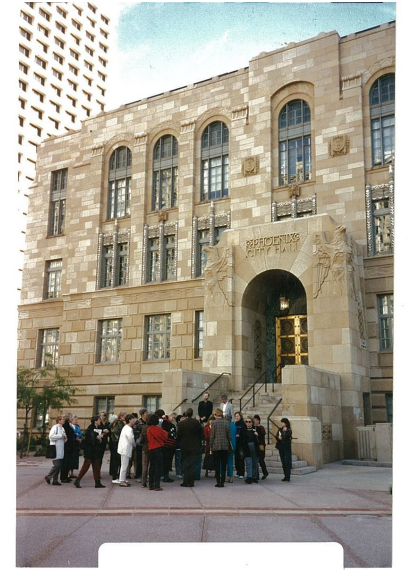
*Karen's Wine Country Café,
Iron Horse Ranch, Colossal Cave*



January 1995 Day Tour New & Old of DT PHX



Detail of Door
Undergoing Restoration at
Orpheum Theater



Historic City/County Building



A tall Saguaro cactus with two arms stands prominently in the center of a desert landscape. The cactus is green with distinct vertical ribs. The ground is dry and sandy, covered with sparse, low-lying desert shrubs. The sky is a clear, pale blue. The text is overlaid on the image in a white, sans-serif font.

1994 Orme Ranch Day Trip

1995 San Carlos Indian Reservation and Greer

1996 Tucson Sabino Canyon

1997 Wickenburg and Ft. McDowell Hike

December 8 & 9 1998 Tubac/Tucson Winter Trip

- *Shopping In Tubac*
- *Titan Missile Museum*
- *Kitt Peak Observatory*
- *Copper Mining Museum*
- *Tumacacori, AZ*



COMING ATTRACTIONS.

Tubac - Tucson December 8 - 9, 1998

Please note: The dates for this trip have changed since our last newsletter. This trip will provide really great shopping as well as stops at places we pass by (and talk about) and never see.

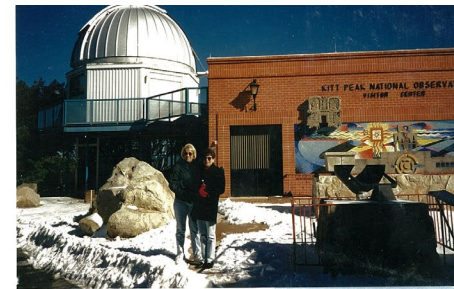
- **Shopping in Tubac**, Arizona's oldest European settlement, and internationally known artists colony where ruins from the late 1600's are preserved.
- **Visit Titan Missile Museum**, a National Historic Landmark, and the World's only actual TITAN II ICBM exhibited in its underground silo!
- **Kitt Peak Observatory** - The Nation's Window to the Universe high atop the Quinlan Mountains, nearly 7,000 feet high, with the largest collection of optical telescopes on earth, including the largest solar telescope.
- **Visit a Copper Mining Museum** and learn how copper is extracted.
- **More....more....more....surprises and fun!**

An overnight at Tubac Golf Resort, 5 meals, transportation, and admission to all museums for a mere \$145. This is one of the best deals we've been able to put together!!

Please enclose the registration form **TODAY** with your deposit check made payable to ARIZONA GUIDES ASSOCIATION.

December 8 & 9, 1998

Kitt Peak Observatory

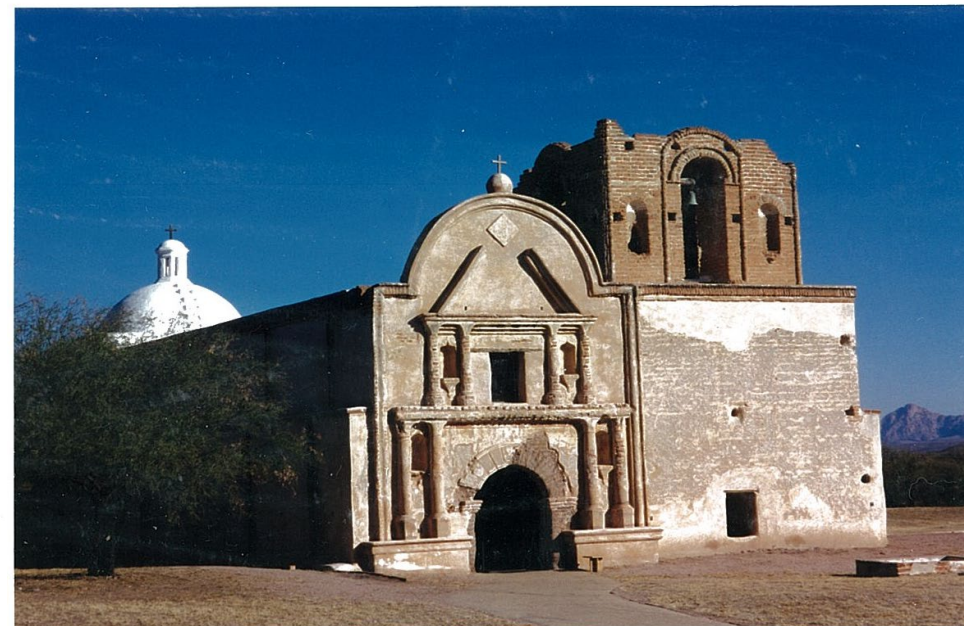


ROB WM. VUGTEVEEN
Director
Asarco Mineral Discovery Center



Copper Mining Museum

Titan Missile Museum

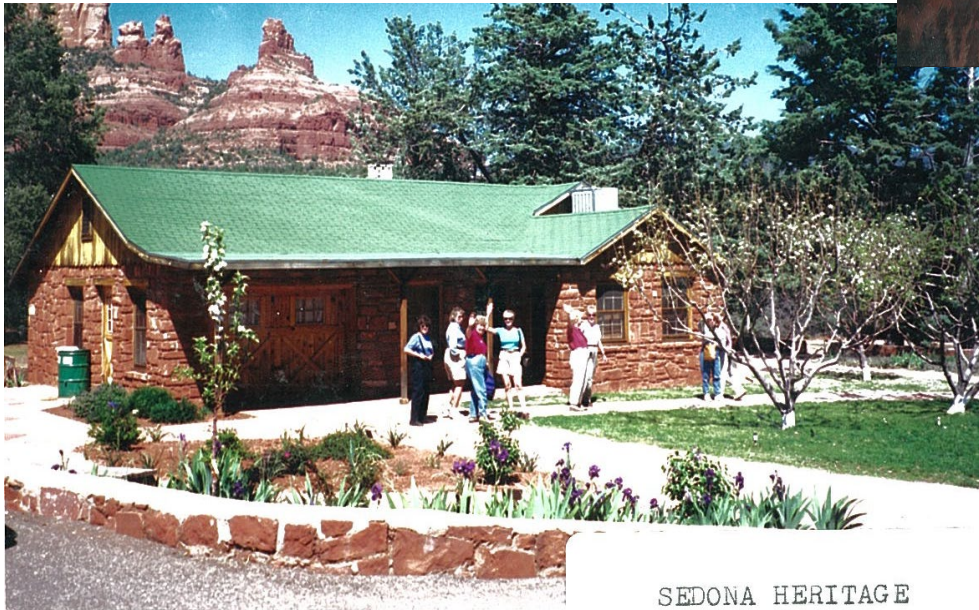


December 8 & 9, 1998

Tumacacori, AZ

Sedona Tour

April 17, 2000



SEDONA HERITAGE
MUSEUM



LESLIE & ROBERT SHIELDS
(Shields & Yarnell)



April 11, 2001

Dugans Dairy Farm Tour



Jeannie West Milking a cow.



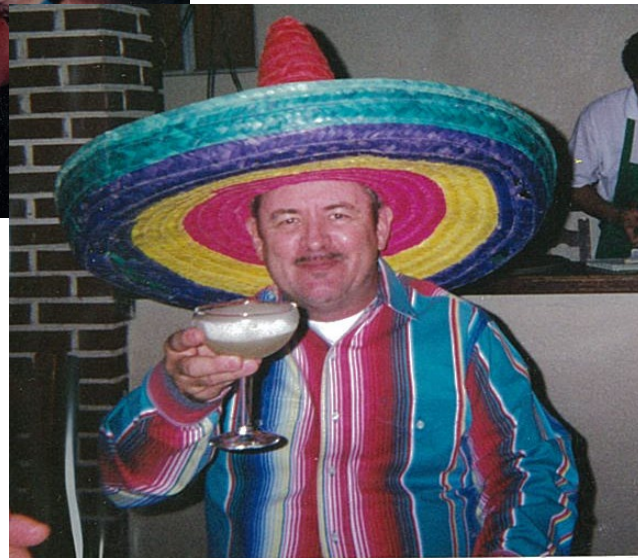


AGA Getaway to
ROCKY POINT
October 17- 18 2001



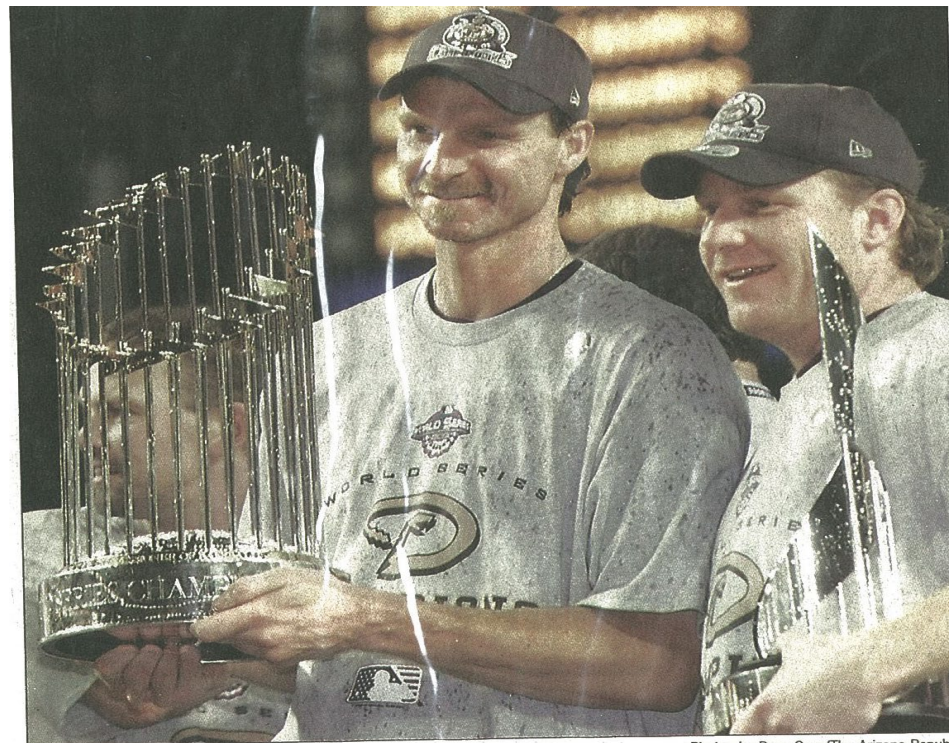
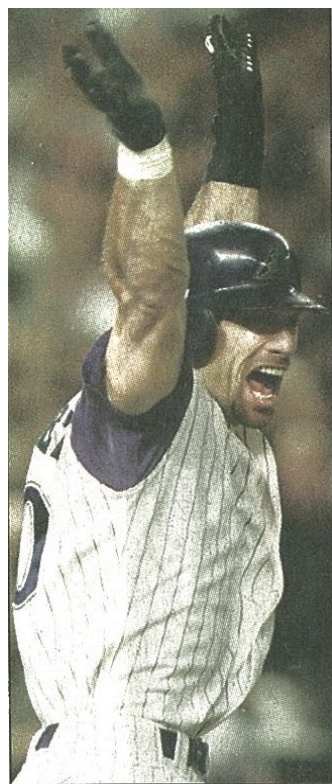
October 17-18, 2001

Rocky Point, Mexico



CHAMPIONS

The Arizona Diamondbacks' 2001 Dream Season



Photos by Dave Cruz/The Arizona Republic

Pitchers Randy Johnson (left) and Curt Schilling bask in the glory of the Diamondbacks' world championship, and in their sharing of Series Most Valuable Player honors.



Tour with the Guides!
AGA Winter Educational
& Social Tour to Flagstaff
December 9-10, 2003



- Riordan Mansion
- Beaver Street Brewery
- Lowell Observatory
- Downtown Flagstaff Walking Tour
- Walnut Canyon
- Dinner at Black Barts



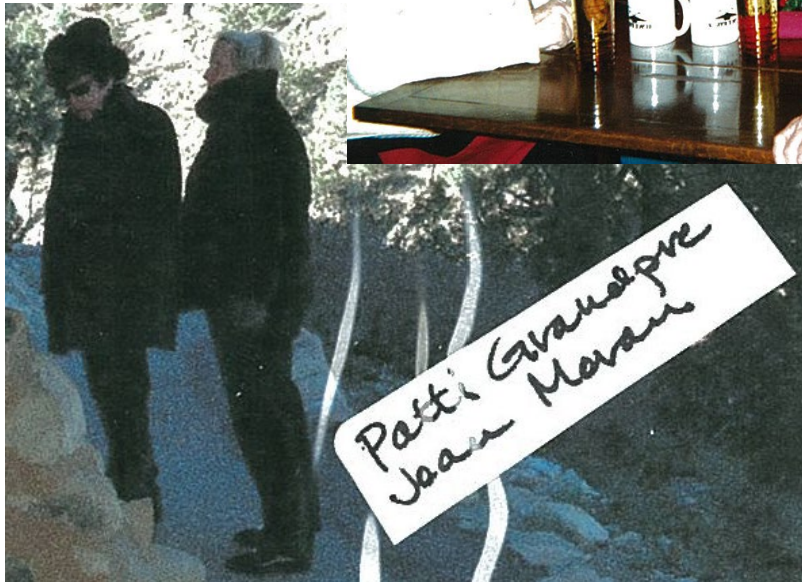
AGA Winter Educational

December 9-10, 2003



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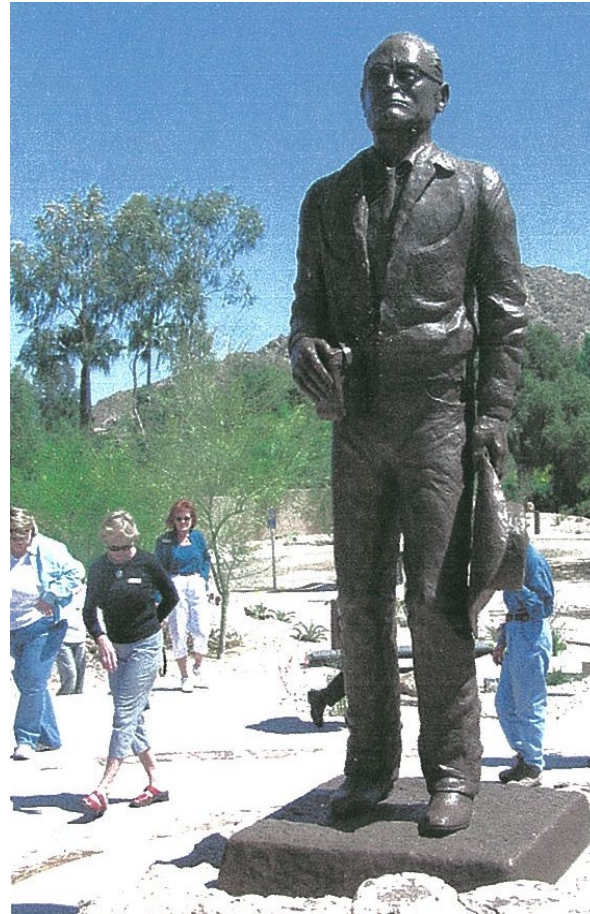
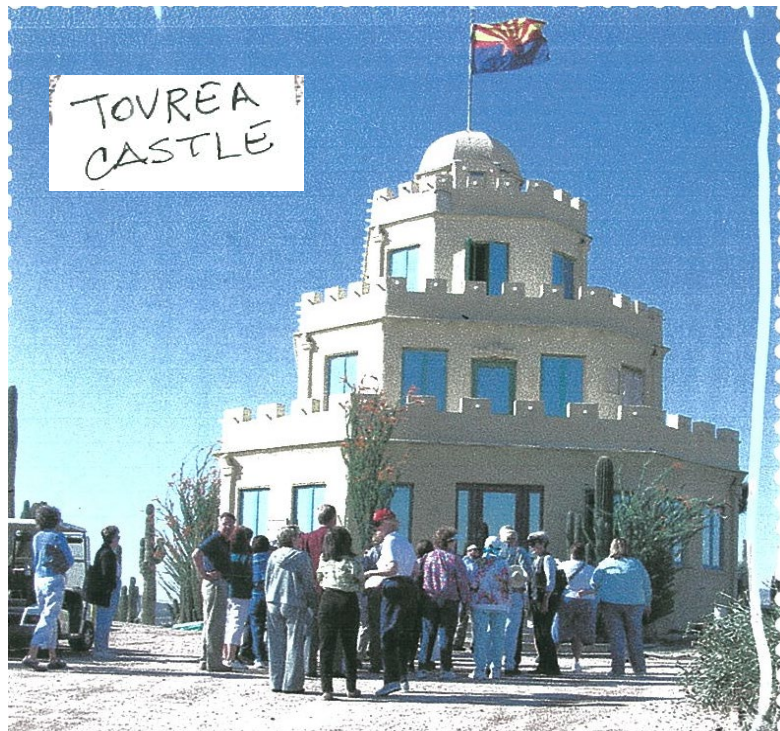


Patti Givanelle
Joan Morgan

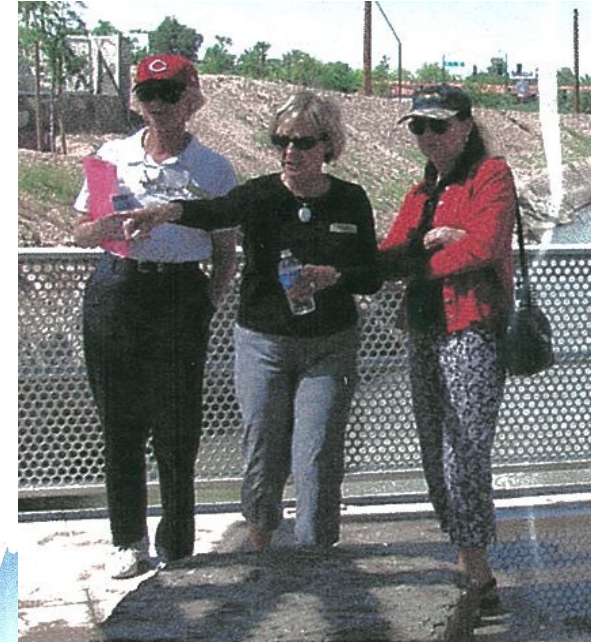


AGA Spring 2004

Education Trip



BARRY GOLDWATER
MEMORIAL PARK

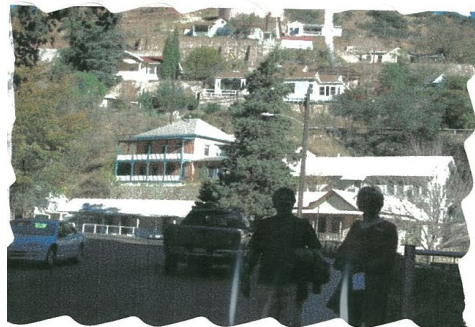
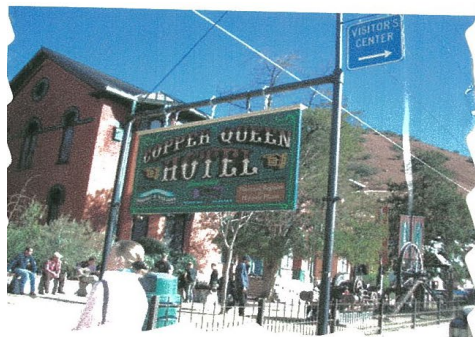


ARIZONA FALLS
BETSY-LESLIE-DOTTY

2005

Bisbee and Beyond...

Fall Education Trip



**HAPPY HOUR (ON THE HAUNTED 3RD FLOOR)
AND DINNER AT THE **COPPER QUEEN** IN BISBEE**



Bisbee and Beyond...

GLOBE-trotting with the

Mark your calendar **NOW** for **April 19, 20**
Join the **AGA** on another great educational day
the Superior, Miami, Globe area.

7:30 a.m. departure from PCA parking lot, return by 6:00 p

Highlights Include:

- Comfortable ride on a full size motorcoach
- Continental breakfast on board
- The new Radisson Hotel at Ft. McDowell
- Spectacular scenery traveling North on Highway
- Tonto National Monument with a Park Ranger
- Expanded visitor center at Roosevelt Lake/Da
- Besh Ba Gowah Archaeological Park with guid
- Box Lunch with a beverage
- World's Smallest Museum
- Tour of the Historic Picket Post House, the C
- the Rock, built by Boyce Thompson
- Boyce Thompson Arboretum
- Queen Creek Olive Mill - tour and tasting
- Parking coupon for PCA
- Commentary and Packet of information
- FUN and FELLOWSHIP !!!

\$40

Questions: Call: Jeannie Parrish 623 780 1966
Marcia Fisher 480 998 2472
Leslie Ullstrup 602 996 6732



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YUMA



Yuma Education Tour November 2007

- Pauline with Burro – Oatman
- Grand Canyon Caverns Hotel Room
- Kingman Visitors Center



April 2011





Leslie Ullstrup in Angel's Barber Chair
in Seligman.

April 2011 Spring Trip



May 15, 2014 Spring Trip

- ❖ *Winslow, AZ*
- ❖ *Rock Art Ranch*
- ❖ *Chevelon Canyon Petroglyphs*
- ❖ *Canyon DeChelly*



December 2014 Education Tour



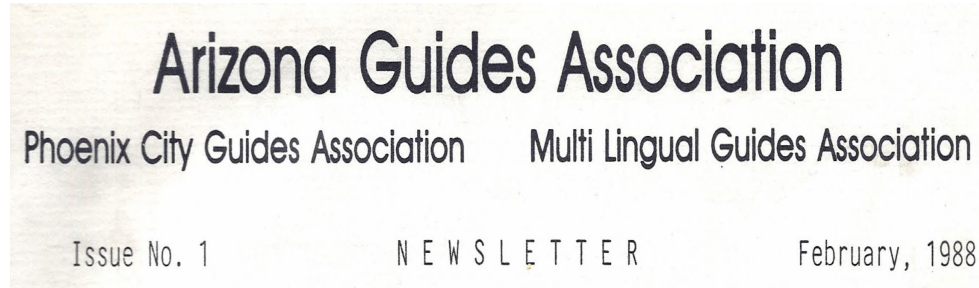
March
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Tour



May 2023 Tucson Spring Education Tour



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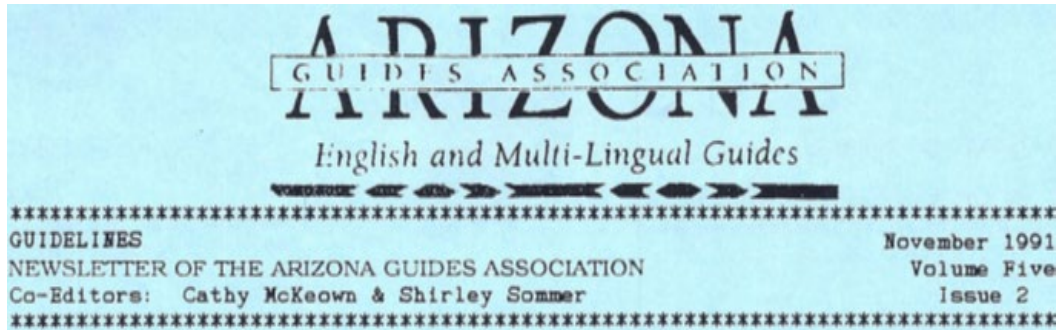
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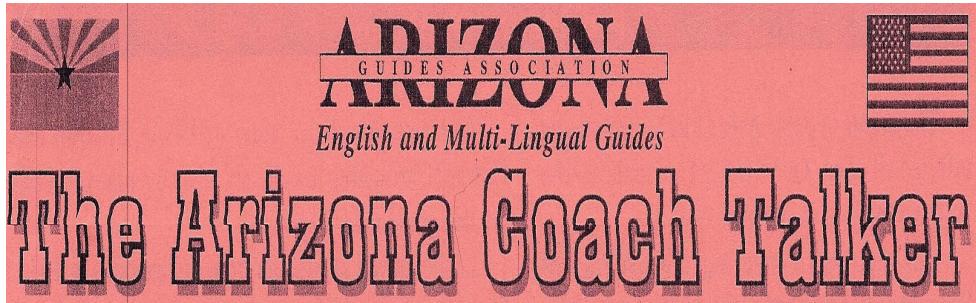
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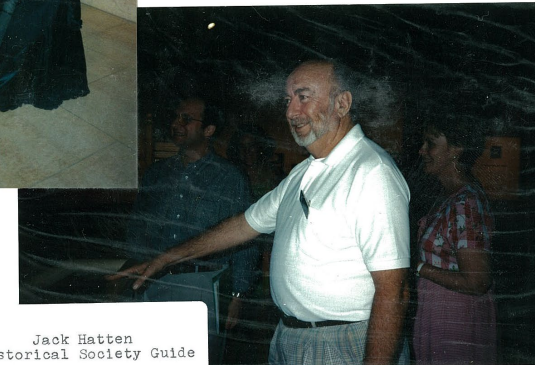


Pearl and Opal have a monthly column in *The Arizona*, a local Mesa newspaper, about news of the West, both current and historical. Their specialty is the lifestyles and clothing of Victorian and Edwardian women during these earlier times. In a current news article entitled *Health Related Matters*, they advised, "the thin person should avoid pickles, acid fruits and should eat sparingly of green vegetables".

Pearl and Opal are wholly in character, always delightful and will amuse and inform as they tell us about the sacrifices they make for fashion and beauty, and life in the late 1800's.



ARIZONA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
1300 North College - Tempe
Monday, September 14, 1998



Jack Hatten
Historical Society Guide

January Meeting January 11, 1998 Pueblo Grande Museum



January Meeting

PUEBLO GRANDE MUSEUM
Monday, January 11, 1998

6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Program:
"Calendar Stick, Maze Seal & More..."
Royce Manuel, Pima/Maricopa Tribe

Royce Manuel, our January Guest Speaker, has been the keeper of the Calendar Stick for the Salt River people, making marks that refer to community events. In fact, he keeps two sticks, one resides in the Pueblo Grande Museum, and he updates it regularly from the stick he keeps at home. Each tiny pictograph on the stick marks an event that is important to the tribal community - passage of ordinances in 1981 and 1986, the museum opening in 1987, the conclusion of Pima Freeway negotiations in 1990, and the opening of a casino. The pictograph of their casino is money, of course! In the past, elders used the stick to remind members of the community of their history by remembering what each picture means. Royce is backing that up with a written record, so future generations won't have to remember everything.

The Great Seal - the Man in the Maze story has so many parts. "It is like a giant puzzle," Royce says, with each story contributing more to the understanding. He is going to share what he's been taught, and says what we read is often not the main focus of the story. In fact, he says that some of the stories were changed when written because of the way white people were referred to - political correctness even then! When asked if he would tell us the real story, Royce hesitated, then replied, "It depends on how much I'm surrounded!"

Royce began his historical research about ten years ago when he was a mental health counselor. He found two old books written around the 1900's describing many O'odam ways. The descriptions correlated with memories of his own Grandmother's practices, and Royce found more understanding of his heritage. Royce is a firefighter, an Emergency Medical Technician, a historian, and an instructor. He has worked as a Life Guard, coached kids in Little League, taught tribal children their heritage, and is in charge of the cadet program for the Salt River Fire Department. He is also an excellent public speaker with lots of stories and has the answers (politically correct or not) for all our questions!



The Pima are descendants of the Hohokam (Hoo-ho-gam), people who farmed the Salt River Valley and created an elaborate canal irrigation system centuries ago. The Maricopa originally lived along the lower Gila and Colorado Rivers and migrated toward Pima villages in the early 1800's.

Created by Executive Order June 14, 1879 the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community has dedicated its resources to finding its way successfully through the maze of urban pressures. Respectful of the land, the Community maintains 19,000 of its acres as natural preserve.

The Community is located in the Phoenix Metropolitan area adjacent to the cities of Mesa, Tempe, Scottsdale, and Fountain Hills.

The Community is comprised of two Indian tribes:

1. The Pima Tribe - "Akimel Au-Aithm" (River People), the Pima are very well known for their basketweaving.
2. The Maricopa Tribe, "Xalychidom Pipash" (People who live towards the water) who are known for their pottery work.

Both tribes speak different languages but share the same cultural values.



PARTY TIME

COME JOIN

THE ARIZONA GUIDES ASSOCIATION

ON MAY 3, 1999

FOR OUR

YEAR-END TROPICAL PATIO PARTY

AT

THE TOVREA MANSION

4633 E. VAN BUREN

PHOENIX, AZ 85008

TIME: 6:00 PM

DRESS: CASUAL OR TROPICAL

**WE WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO TOUR THE
HOMESTEAD MANSION, GROUNDS, AND RYAN'S EXPRESS
MOTORCOACHES.**



November 6, 2000 AGA Meeting

Phoenix Central Library

President
Betsy Todd



BETSY TODD -PRESIDENT AGA
HEAR YE, HEAR YE!!



President Betsy
Todd
&
Programs
Committee Chair
Sue Ellen Knorr

September 10, 2001 AGA Meeting

Pueblo Grande Museum



President
Marcia Carter





September Meeting Notice

Monday, September 10, 2001
Pueblo Grande Museum
4619 E. Washington St.


6:00 P. M. Registration and Meet the DMC's Tour Museum
7:00 P. M. Program featuring Ed Davis,
8:00 P. M. Business Meeting

The September Meeting of the Arizona Guides Association is a special opportunity for our associate members and the regular members to become acquainted. Our featured speaker is Ed Davis who mines the Four Peaks amethyst mine and also offers "hands-on" mining tours in Wickenburg. Ed's enthusiasm for his work is highly contagious and you are guaranteed a most entertaining and informative evening. We hope you will join us for this special season "kick-off" event.



Sharon Waldie





English and Multi-Lingual Guides


The Arizona Coach Talker

15, Issue 4 March, 2002


Newsletter of the Arizona Guides Association


March Meeting Notice

Monday, March 4, 2002
 Webster Auditorium
 Desert Botanical Garden
 1201 N. Galvin Parkway, Phoenix



6:00 P.M. Registration & Refreshments
 6:45 P.M. Tour of the new garden facilities and "Big Bug" sculptures
 7:30 P.M. Elaine McGinn, chairman of special exhibits will talk about the new and unusual butterfly exhibit.
 8:00 P.M. Business Meeting

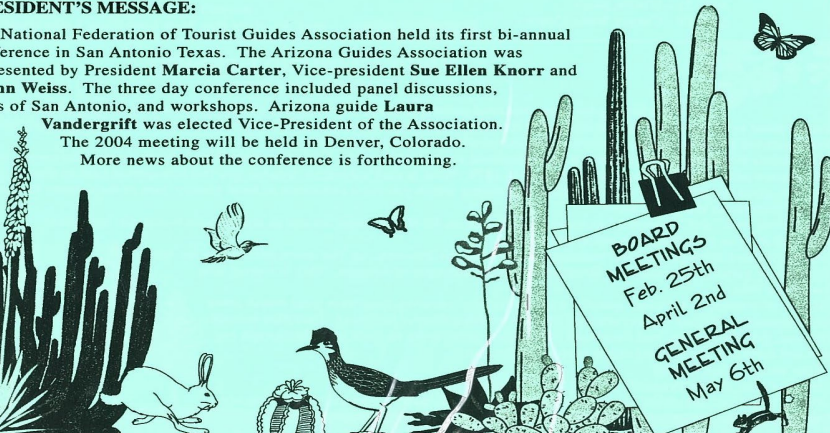




R.S.V.P. to hospitality chairman JANA POWELL
 480-998-7082 by Wed., Feb. 27, 2002

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

The National Federation of Tourist Guides Association held its first bi-annual conference in San Antonio Texas. The Arizona Guides Association was represented by President Marcia Carter, Vice-president Sue Ellen Knorr and Brenn Weiss. The three day conference included panel discussions, tours of San Antonio, and workshops. Arizona guide Laura Vandergrift was elected Vice-President of the Association. The 2004 meeting will be held in Denver, Colorado. More news about the conference is forthcoming.



March 4, 2002
 AGA Meeting
 Desert Botanical Garden





Official AGA Dine-Around!

MONDAY, MAY 5, 2003

**Scottsdale Athletic Club
8225 E. Indian Bend Road, Scottsdale**

Call today and make your reservation for the AGA Annual Dinner/Election Meeting. As the 2003 season is winding down the May meeting is a great opportunity to visit with your guide friends with out holding a sign or hiding in a corner. You can even have a drink!

6:15 P.M. Registration and Election of Officers
6:30 P.M. Cash bar open
7:00 P.M. Plated dinner
8:00 P.M. Election results & brief meeting

RSVP by APRIL 29 to
Mary Lacy – 480-816-3595 or
Rebecca Ellison – 480-837-6183



June 2003 Board Meeting



REBECCA ELLISON
LAURA VANDEGRIFT



HOWARD CHRISTENSEN
LESLIE ULLSTRUP



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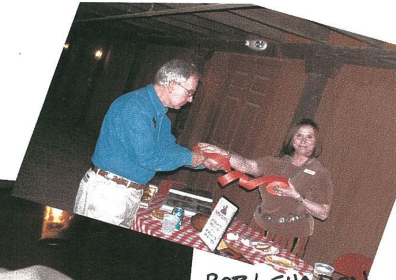
Sept 12

Fall Meet & Greet at Rawhide

PETER
PARDO



ED & MARY
LACY



BOB & SHARON
WALDIE

FALL 'MEET N' GREET'
MONDAY, SEPT. 12
AT RAWHIDE !!

MARCIA
KATHRYN
BETSY



RANDY
GOGOLIN

BILL
LAUDENSCHLAGER



JOANNE INGLES

JOAN DAY

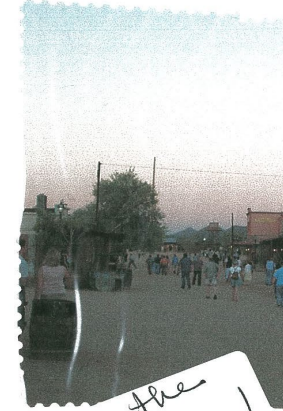


MARCIA
FISHER

MARSHALL
TRIMBLE

BETSY TODD

"ADIOS" from the
AGA to the
"original" RAWHIDE!



September 9, 2013
Meet & Greet Meeting
Boulder House

Sharon Waldie - Docent



just
having
fun

And Learning some...

Marshall
Trimble
&
Betsy
Todd



Dear Dee,
I don't know if you can squeeze this into the AGA history album, but this photo was taken Sept 5, 2002 just after I had completed my presidency in June of 2001. Marshall Trimble, one of our Honorary Members of the Arizona Guide Association was a speaker at my husband's high school reunion in Prescott. Everyone loves to hear our official state historian tell stories of early Arizona!

Betsy



Hi Dee
Here is photo I mentioned taken with Palo Soleri on April 2. He is 88 years old now. This was taken at the CoSanti Foundation.
Betsy

oh, the good old days!

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4-27	"			1:00	6:00	5 hrs			
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5-3	7am Tech IBM 12:30-4PM					3 1/2 hrs + 1 hr. 4 1/2 hrs			
5-5	IBM meeting at Keigey looking for 10-4					6 hrs. + parking fee			
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PRESCOTT TOUR
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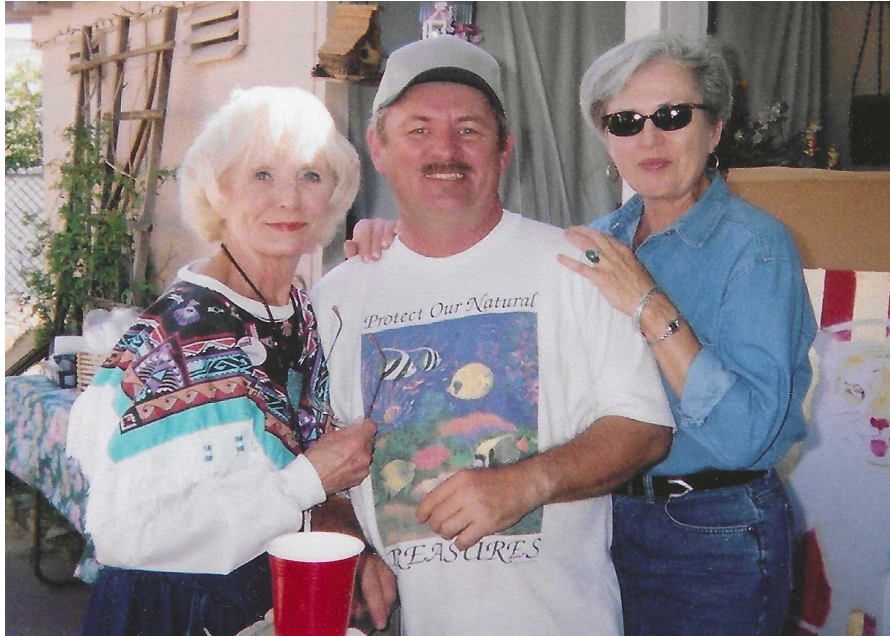




May 2008
Betsy Todd,
Sharon Waldie,
Leslie Ullstrup



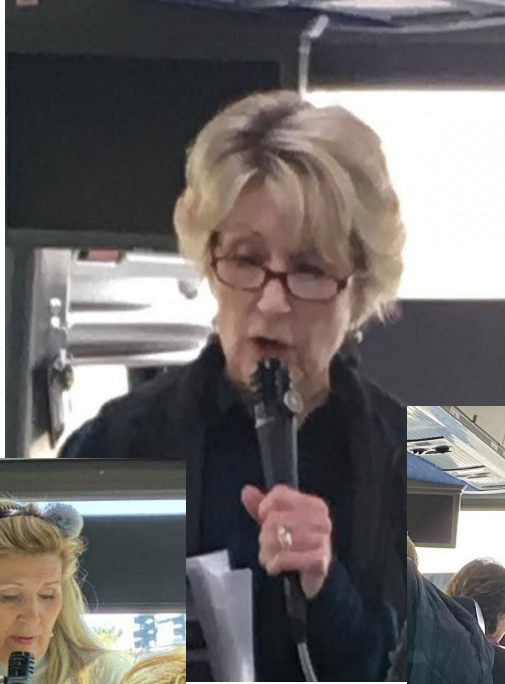




Barbara Hermanson, Howard Christiansen, CS McFadden



Those with microphones:

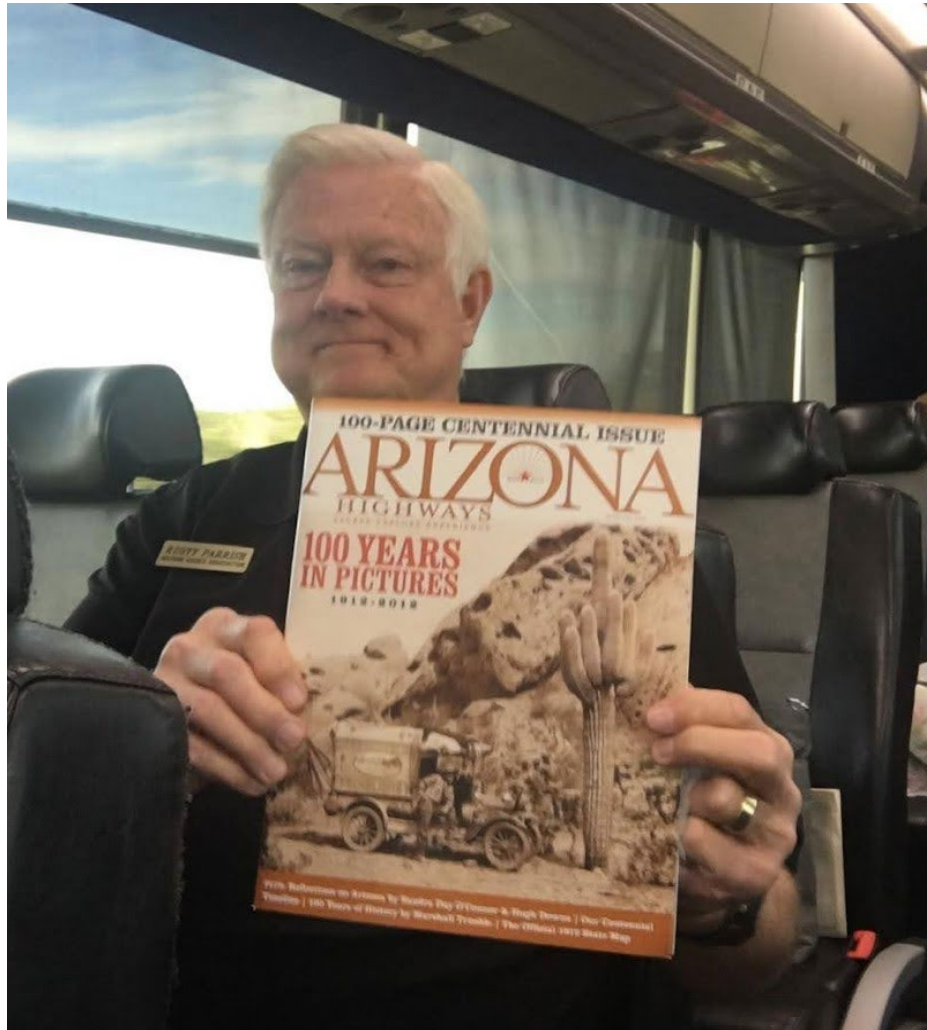




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GRAND CANYON DAY - 6 Bus Move
Shari Davis, Karen MonBarren, Joanne
Walsh, Betsy Todd, Enid Bailey, Laura
taking picture









Cheryl Shultz and Betsy Todd









Grand Canyon West Education Tour



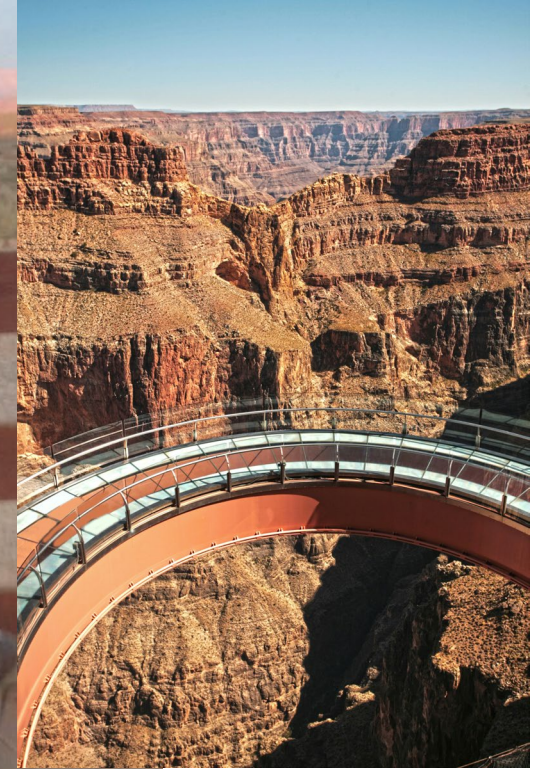
July 2013 AOA Kayaking Trip







Grand Canyon West Education Overnight Tour



The Skywalk
at
Eagle Point
— Grand Canyon West



We Remember



September 11, 2001



Our friends and fellow guides no longer with us:

- Janis Hertzberg
- Helen Lawson
- Marcia Fisher

Barbara Hermanson



Penny Seemiller

Ingrid Sander

Originating Member



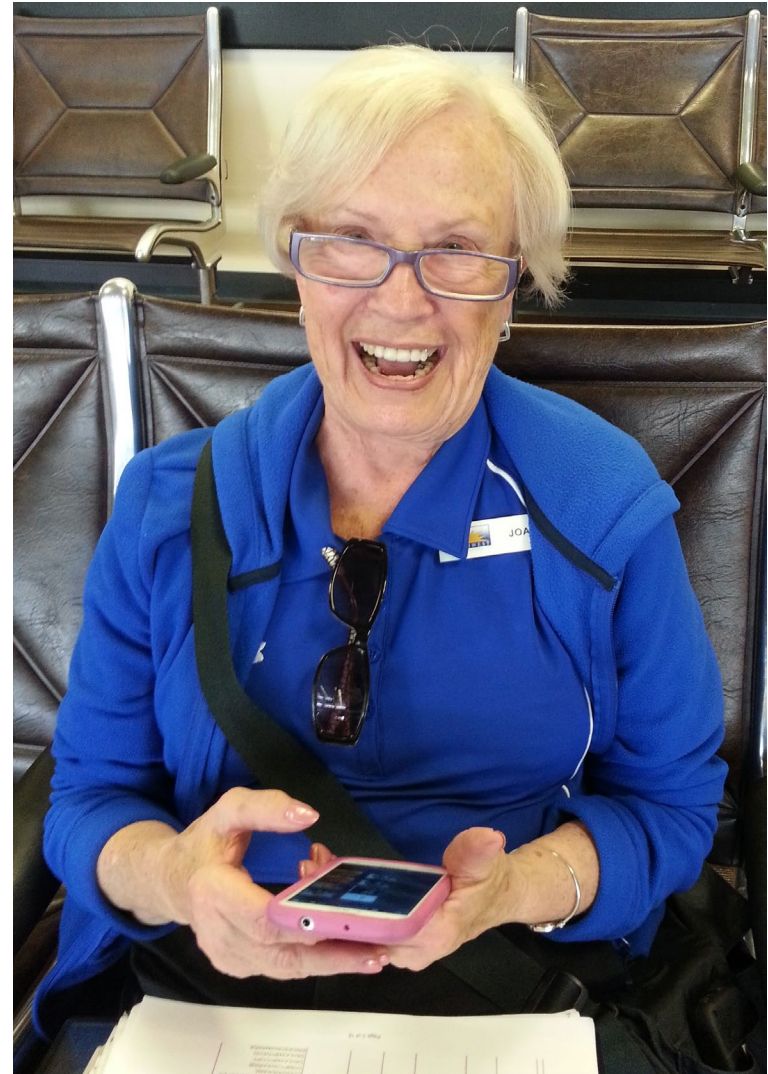
Howard Christensen



Dotty Helgeson



Joan Moran



Joan Day



Tom Tucker



Celebrating a life well lived

DORIS
"DEE" HUNT

DECEMBER 1, 1937 - NOVEMBER 21, 2022

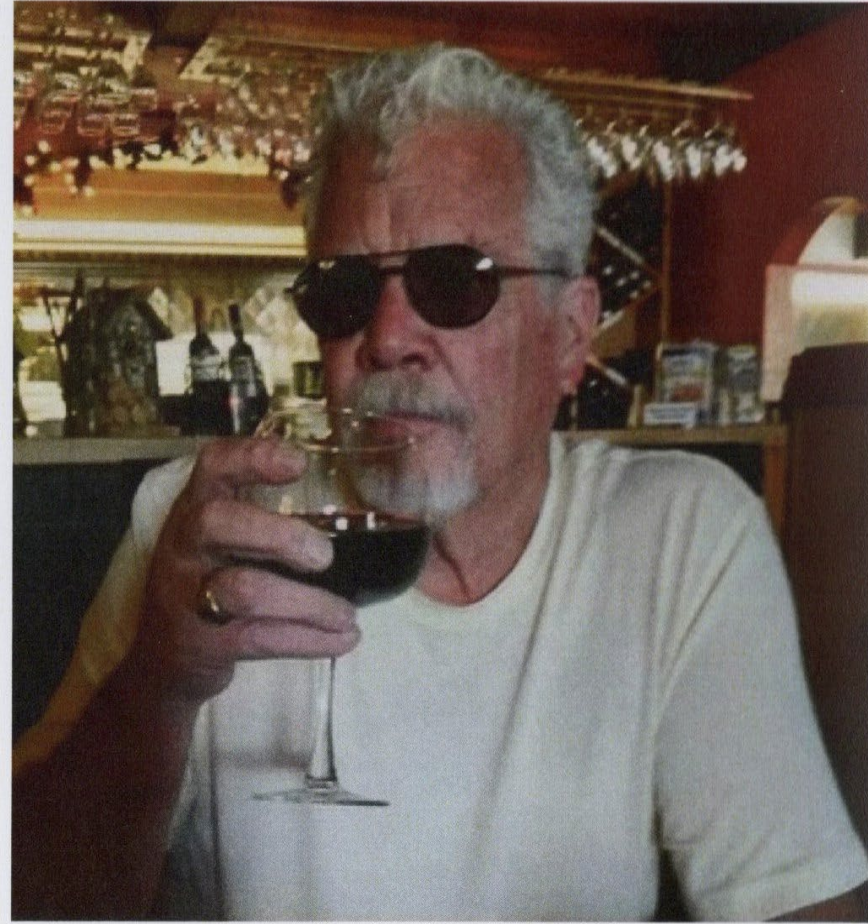
Dee Hunt



Peter Perez



"BIG GENE TERHEGGEN"



To all the Associate Members
over the years...



Thank you for your Support...

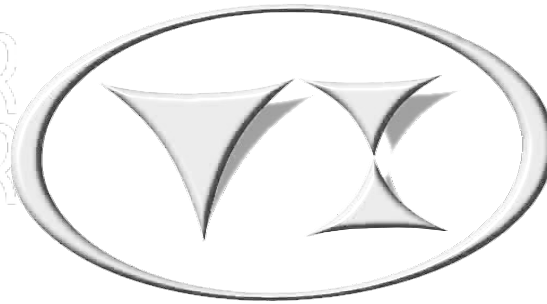


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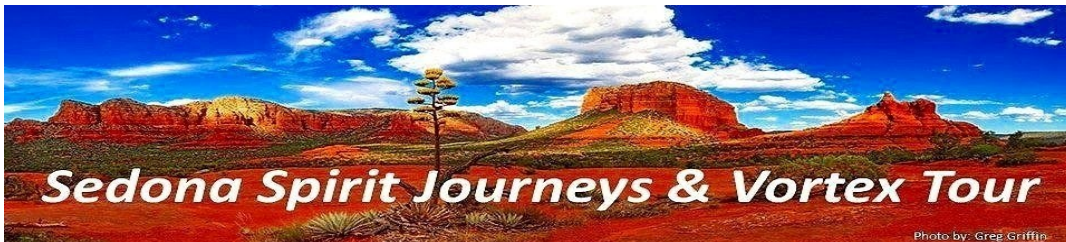
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See you all for the
2023 – 2024 season!!

Have a great summer!
