MARICOPA COUNTY TEEN LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

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2014 MCLE PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Maricopa County Human Services and Maricopa County Human Resources have joined together to provide you with the opportunity to learn more about your local government, community, and environment. By collaborating with many county departments, you will have the opportunity to get an up-close and personal look into all that the county does!

The Maricopa County Leadership Experience (MCLE) is a no-charge, self-directed, self-paced experience with activities, workshops and volunteer opportunities. Participants must be between the ages of 12-17 years old and reside in Maricopa County. Participants are responsible for their own transportation to and from selected activities.

Please pick and choose activities you would like to do and the dates that work best for you.
Following the end of the program, August 1st, you will receive recognition from the Maricopa County Board of Supervisors along with a certificate of participation. * **Please note that some activities have age restrictions.**

In order to complete the program, each participant must:

1. Select and attend one orientation to receive the materials for the program. You will be signing up for an account to manage your participation in the various activities at the Maricopa County Library District website, www.mcldaz.org/summer. When you create your account, you will select **MCLE** as your primary library. After you complete each activity you will be given a code to enter into the library tracking system and you will receive a "badge" for that activity. You will also use this website to track your summer reading participation.
2. Complete a minimum of 2 activities in each of the 3 sections (government, community and environment) featured in this packet.
3. Provide a minimum of 10 hours of volunteer services. This packet contains a variety of volunteer opportunities.
4. Participate in the Summer Reading Program offered by the Maricopa County Library District. You must read age-appropriate books. The program runs May 29 to July 26 though you may start any time.

The 2014 MCLE Program is made available through the time and energy of the following Maricopa County Government agencies and/or programs:

HSD Human Services Department Maricopa County

Maricopa Workforce Connections

Maricopa County Department of Public Health

Maricopa County Sheriff

Maricopa County Stadium District

Chase Field Home of the Diamondbacks

Maricopa County Parks and Recreation

Maricopa County EZ2BGRN Waste Resources and Recycling Department

rethink waste Maricopa County Solid Waste Management

Clean Air Make More

Flood Control District of Maricopa County

Maricopa County Animal Care and Control

Maricopa County Elections Department

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Maricopa County Human Resources

Maricopa County Library District www.mcldaz.org 602.652.3000 READ·EXPLORE·DISCOVER

MCDOT Maricopa County Transportation Right Road Right Time Right Cost

Planning & Development Department Home One Stop Shop for all Your Permitting needs.

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Maricopa County Board of Supervisors

www.maricopa.gov/BOS

Do you see yourself as a future leader in Maricopa County? Are you interested in getting more information about serving your government or ways to ensure your government is doing its best job to serve you, your family and friends? Or are you just curious about what elected officials and Maricopa County executives do? If you answered yes to any of these questions, here is your chance to learn from the highest levels of County leadership. You will be provided information about County government and how the Board of Supervisors functions from the Clerk of the Board. You will have a personal meeting with a Maricopa County Supervisor and the Maricopa County Manager in order to learn more about them as well as give them a chance to learn more about you.

Meet and Greet with a Maricopa County Board Supervisor

Learn how county government is run.

Dates/Times: Wed, July 16th, 9a.m.-noon

Length: 3 hours

Location: 301 W. Jefferson, 10th Floor, Phoenix, AZ 85003

Contact: Kelli doddk@mail.maricopa.gov

Judicial Branch of Arizona, Maricopa County Superior Court

www.superiorcourt.maricopa.gov/SuperiorCourt/JuvenileCourt/Index.asp

Juvenile Probation Department

Teen Court – Attend a session of Teen Court

By attending a session of Teen Court, participants can learn about the juvenile justice system, Restorative Justice, and the kinds of consequences used in Juvenile Court. As part of this experience, participants will participate in real Teen Court hearings. Available roles include: Juror, Bailiff; Clerk, Presenting Case Attorney and Victim Advocate.

Dates/Times: Will vary, contact Melissa or Cheryl for information

Locations &: Contacts: Juvenile Court Center/Durango, 3131 West Durango, Phoenix, AZ 85009 Melissa melohm@juvenile.maricopa.gov or 602-506-4279

Juvenile Court Centers/Southeast, 1810 South Lewis, Mesa, AZ 85210

Cheryl chesta@juvenile.maricopa.gov or 602-506-2339

Maricopa County Elections Department

recorder.maricopa.gov

Elections Operations Center

Visit the Elections Operations Center to see how it works. Get first-hand experience on how elections are set up. Students will have an opportunity to view Logic and Accuracy testing, receive an explanation and demonstration of our early balloting processing, vote our famous names ballot, tour our receiving and distribution center, and receive an overview of working at a polling place. Participants 16 years and older may work for pay at a local polling site.

Date/Time: June 12th , 2 p.m. to 4p.m.

Length: 2 hours

Location: 510 South 3rd Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85003

Contact: Yvonne yreed@risc.maricopa.gov

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Maricopa County Sheriff's Office

www.mcso.org

Deputy Ride-along

Are you interested in a career in law enforcement? Have you ever wanted to see what a work day looks like for a Deputy Sheriff? Here is your chance to go on a ride along; ***you must be 15-17 years old and come into the District Office at 13063 W. Bell Rd. Surprise, AZ. and fill out a ride-along card (Waiver of Liability form) that will need to be signed by a parent or guardian***, you will be contacted after this is completed with a date and time of your ride-along ***(do not call unless you have a question or need to sign up).***

Date: Must be individually scheduled (see above for instructions)
Length: Will vary
Location: Surprise or Northwest area of Maricopa County
Contact: Luanne Blair at 602-876-1602 *(phone calls only)* or for the Southwest area (District 2) call 602-876-1865
Call with questions only after completing a ride-along card.

NOTES: Participants under 18 years of age must have the Waiver of Liability Form completed and signed by their parent or guardian, prior to participation. Participants under 16 years of age may participate, if accompanied by a parent or responsible adult. Persons **under 14** years of age can **NOT** participate in this program. Clothing needs to be appropriate jeans are ok but they have to be clean, no holes and pants at the waist line. No writing on t-shirts. Sensible shoes NO FLIP FLOPS.

Sheriff's Training Division & Special Response Team/Animal Crimes &M.A.S.H. Unit

www.mcso.org

Participate in a Maricopa County Sheriff's Jail Special Response Team classroom presentation. Then get a chance to see a live tactics demonstration within a mock jail facility. Participate in a Sheriff's Animal Crimes Unit & MCSO Animal Safe Haven (MASH) Unit presentation. Then get a chance to see the animals that reside in the MASH unit, up close and personal.

Dates/Times: Friday June 13th and June 27th, possible dates in July based on response
Length: 3 hours
Location: 2627 S. 35th Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85009
Contact: Patti Thoemke by email thoemkep@mail.maricopa.gov

NOTES: Preregistration required

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Office of Enterprise Technology(OET)

http://www.maricopa.gov/technology/default.aspx

IT Leadership Roundtable Meeting

Are you interested in a career in Information Technology(IT)? Here is your chance to see how Maricopa County departments collaborate on IT initiatives and develop innovative strategies to promote excellence in local government.

Date: June 25th and July 23rd, 11:00 a.m.-noon
Length: 1 hour
Location: OET Tombstone Conference Room
301 S. 4th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85003
Contact: Jennifer_oehlerkingj@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-5934 or Neena scorsen@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-5504
NOTES: Business attire only, as this is a professional environment.
NOTES: Preregistration required

Business Integration Team Meeting

This meeting will focus on collaborating on technology services that support business innovation for the county departments served by OET and other county partners.
Date: June 12th,10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. and June 24th, 11:00 a.m.-noon
Length: 2 hours
Location: OET Jerome Conference Room
301 S. 4th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85003
Contact: Jennifer_oehlerkingj@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-5934 or Neena scorsen@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-5504
NOTES: Business attire only, as this is a professional environment.
NOTES: Preregistration required

OET Management Team Meeting

The purpose of this meeting is to advance the mission of OET and promote excellence within the department. The County Chief Information Officer gathers the management team to share and guide strategic and operational issues.
Date: June 11th,1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m. and July 9th, 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.
Length: 2 hours
Location: OET Tombstone Conference Room
301 S. 4th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85003
Contact: Jennifer_oehlerkingj@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-5934 or Neena scorsen@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-5504
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Maricopa County Treasurer's Office

http://treasurer.maricopa.gov/

Overview of the County Treasurer's Responsibilities. Director Charles "Hos" Hoskins will give an overview of the Treasurer's office history and their role in serving Maricopa County citizens and tax districts. Chris Cook with Treasurer's office IT will share the role of IT in the Treasurer's office and how technology and the Treasurer's website contribute to the success of the department.

Date/Time: July 29th, 9 a.m-11 a.m.
Location: 301. W. Jefferson Suite 100, Phoenix, AZ 85003
Contact: Mary kanoonm@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Business attire only as this is a professional environment. Preregistration required

Maricopa County Human Services Department

www.hsd.maricopa.gov

Workforce Development Division/Maricopa Workforce Connections
http://www.maricopaworkforceconnection.com

Maricopa Workforce Connections Youth Council

Attend a public meeting of the MWC Youth Council. The Youth Council plans and oversees the local area comprehensive youth system under Maricopa Workforce Connections. This includes setting policy direction in creating employment opportunities and career pathways for eligible youth ages 14-21 years.

Dates/Times: TBD, *these are public meetings.*
Length: 1.5 hours
Location: Maricopa County Security Building, 234 North Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Kelli **doddk**@mail.maricopa.gov or 480-644-2223
NOTES: Preregistration required

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Maricopa County Assistant County Manager's office

MCLE MASS Design Thinking Workshop
Are you interested in working to make MCLE a "ROCK STAR" program for youth in Maricopa County. Then this is the workshop for you! Come meet with other youth and Maricopa County staff to brainstorm ideas to help Maricopa County make the MCLE experience even better by building capacity and enhancing marketing to reach and meet the expectation of today's teens.
Dates/Times: Wednesday, July 30th from 9 a.m.-noon
Length: 3 hours
Location: County Admin Building, on the 2nd floor in Test Rooms A & B
Contact: Karen kstew@mail.maricopa.gov/602-372-1868 or Donna mchenryd001@mail.maricopa.gov/602-372-2471
NOTES: Preregistration required

The Women Leaders of Maricopa County
Come learn from County Leaders and positive women why they chose their careers. Gain insight form some of their life lessons and challenges, and how they enjoy and manage their County responsibilities.
Dates/Times: July 23rd from 9 a.m.– 11 a.m.
Length: 2 hours
Location: County Admin Building, on the 2nd floor in Test Rooms A & B
Contact: Donna mchenryd001@mail.maricopa.gov/602-372-2471
NOTES: Preregistration required

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Maricopa County Human Resources Employment Services Division

http://www.maricopa.gov/human_resources/

Introduction to Maricopa County Employment Opportunities

Informational session focusing on locating and applying for employment opportunities with Maricopa County via the online application system. You will gain an understanding of the variety of departments under the County umbrella as well as the large number of employees and the broad spectrum of positions. You will also be shown how to create an application profile, locate, apply and check the status of application submissions online. Recruiters will explain how to interpret a job posting including understanding minimum and preferred qualifications. Tips will be provided regarding completing applications and responding to the supplemental questions. Time permitting you may review job postings and take turns interviewing one another and documenting each other's responses. Recruiters will role play a mock interview with the same job postings to provide examples of some of the dos and don'ts of interviewing.

Dates/Times: June 26th, 9 a.m.-11 a.m. and July 17th, 1 p.m.-3 p.m.
Location: 301 W. Jefferson, Suite 200, Phoenix, AZ 85003
Contact: Nichole Nichole.patrick@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required—**602-506-6071 Appropriate for teens 15-17**

Maricopa County Human Resources Employee Development Division

http://www.maricopa.gov/human_resources/

Effective Team Building

This training provides an environment that will be conducive for exploring and sharing the various dimensions of effective team building. Participants will learn the skills necessary to build an effective team.

Date/Time: July 10th, 9 a.m.– 11:30am
Location: 222 N. Central Ave., Floor 1A, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Nichole Nichole.patrick@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required—**602-506-6071**
Appropriate for teens 15-17

Diversity 3—Generations: M.E.E.T. for Respect in the Workplace (DIV105C)

For the first time in history, we are working in an environment which encompasses four distinct generations. Because of these four distinct groups, there can or may be a lack of understanding related to the working-styles of the various generations. This course is designed to assist employees with identifying and understanding generational effects in the workplace and how to positively bridge the "generation" gap among our co-workers. The course will explore the diversities and perceptions among multi-generational groups. It will also assist with a plan of action for not only acceptance but an appreciation and respect for those whose work ethics and principles may be different from our own.

Date/Time: July 10th, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Location: 222 N. Central Ave., Floor 1A, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Nichole Nichole.patrick@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required—**602-506-6071**
Appropriate for teens 15-17

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Maricopa County Human Resources Employee Development Division

Drop by Drop: Managing Micro-Inequities
Who said you shouldn't sweat the small stuff? What if those small things undermined morale and reduced productivity? Drop by drop demonstrates how the small slights, subtle discriminations and tiny injustices can add up to big problems in your workplace! These negative gestures are called "micro-inequities" and they occur in the workplace everyday. These small communications or disrespect, prejudice and inequality aren't overt, but they can be incredibly destructive. A poison in the workplace that isn't delivered in a bucket, but takes it's toll drop by drop.
Dates/Times: June 11th, 1 p.m.-3 p.m.
Location: 222 North Central Avenue, Floor 1A, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Nichole Nichole.patrick@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required—**602-506-6071**
Appropriate for teens 15-17

Real Colors
Real COLORS is a fast, fun, interactive format where participants can learn how to quickly identify their own temperament or "color" and that of others. Using this powerful knowledge, they can develop more effective communication skills and build better relationships, in and out of the workplace.
Date/Time: June 10th, 8:30a.m– 12:30 p.m.
Location: 222 N. Central Ave., Floor 1A, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Contact: Nichole Nichole.patrick@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required—**602-506-6071**
Appropriate for teens 15-17

Maricopa County Office of Management & Budget

http://www.maricopa.gov/budget/

Show Me The Money!
In this session, learn how the County distributes budget dollars. Government budgeting is very different than budgeting for a private corporation. Gain insights into the best ways to secure resources for programs the County offers.
Topics covered: public budgeting, Managing for Results, data-based decision making
Notes: This is a business environment, so appropriate attire is required. Nice shirt or blouse with slacks or jeans not faded and with no holes. Pants must be worn at the waist. No shorts, t-shirts or flip-flops.
Date/Time: June 24-26 1 p.m.-4 p.m.
Length: 3 hours
Location: Security Center Training Facility
222 North Central Avenue, Floor 1A, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Angie flicka@mail.maricopa.gov or
Kimberly bonhamk@mail.maricopa.gov

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Maricopa County Planning & Development Department

www.maricopa.gov/planning

Are you interested in a career in public service? Are you interested in construction or engineering? Maybe you would like to be an inspector or plans examiner? Are you interested in urban or rural planning? Do you like working with people? The Planning and Development Department has many career opportunities for you to explore.

Customer Service Division

Spend the day with the Customer Service team and watch how building projects are begun, what types of plans are required and what types of issues are dealt with at our Intake Counter. Help our team route plans to the six agencies of the One Stop Shop-the group of agencies involved in approving building projects in unincorporated Maricopa County. This is a pre-requisite for the options outlined below.

Opportunities Based on Interest:

This is a great opportunity to discover what aspect of the development services industry interests you! Depending on your interest, you might want to set up an individual session with a plans examiner, an appointment to go on a ride-a-long with a drainage or building inspector, work alongside one of the planners, or attend a public meeting. If you are interested in alternative energy, you may want to hear about all the solar projects going on right here in Maricopa County, or you might want to volunteer to work a day in the Distribution Center.

Notes: This is a business environment, so appropriate attire is required. Nice shirt or blouse with slacks or jeans not faded and with no holes. Pants must be worn at the waist. No shorts, t-shirts or flip-flops. Participants must be at least 16 years of age and have the *Waiver of Liability* Form completed and signed by their parent or guardian.

Date/Time: Will vary depending on interests of participants. The day with Customer Service will be set up with no more than three participants at one time - dates to be determined.
Length: 3 to 4 hours
Location: 501 N. 44th Street, Phoenix, 85008
Contact: **Helen** HelenBoswell@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-8713
Victoria Victoriadrummond@mail.maricopa.gov

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Maricopa County Department of Transportation

http://www.mcdot.maricopa.gov/

Come learn how Maricopa County Department of Transportation works. You will have the opportunity to tour the various Department of Transportation operations as well as observe staff in the various areas including Roadway Operations, Engineering, Planning, Traffic Operations, IT, Leadership, Project Management and Construction.

Dates/time: To be determined
Duration: 2-4 hours
Location: Various
Contact: **Marissa** marissapino@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-4622 or **Anna Marie** annamarieramirez@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-8394
NOTES: Participants need to wear closed toe shoes and long pants. Hard hats and safety vests will be provided.

Maricopa County Facilities Management

http://www.maricopa.gov/fmd/

The mission of the Facilities Management Department is to provide fiscally responsible facilities and facility-related services to the citizens and employees of Maricopa County so they can enjoy an efficient and safe environment. The vision of the Facilities Management Department is to convert capital funds into exceptional facility solutions and provide responsive facility services to every customer, every time, in a collaborative, efficient, and innovative manner while being fiscally prudent.
As a MCLE participant you will be able to participate in a presentation on planning and project managing of Maricopa County Facilities.
Dates/time: To be determined
Location: 401 W. Jefferson St.
Phoenix, AZ 85003
(SW corner of Jefferson & 4th Ave)
Contact: **Denise** denisegoss@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-5914

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Maricopa County Equipment Services

Interested in automotive technology? Come learn how Maricopa County takes care of their fleet of vehicles both big and small. You will also learn about large fleet operations and management.
Dates/time: To be determined
Duration: 2
Age Limit: 15-17
Location: 3325 W. Durango St.
Phoenix, AZ 85340
Contact: Robert robertpetersel@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-4868 or Chris chrisbroughton@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-8441
NOTES: Participants need to wear closed toe shoes and long pants.

Maricopa County Department of Emergency Management
http://www.maricopa.gov/emerg_mgt/default.aspx

Have you ever wondered what would happen in an emergency? Who would be the first to respond? What would they do?
The Maricopa County Department of Emergency Management coordinates response and recovery activities through implementation of emergency response plans during and after emergencies. Implementation requires the support and assistance of many other county departments, local jurisdictions, the private sector and volunteer agencies.
Vision & Mission

As a MCLE participant you will be able to participate in a exercise/training in the Emergency Operations Center(EOC)
Dates/time: To be determined
Duration: 1.5 hours
Location: 5630 East McDowell Rd
Phoenix, AZ 85008
Contact: Sara saralatin@mail.maricopa.gov/602-273-1411 or Marcos coriam@mail.maricopa.gov/602-273-1411

As a MCLE participant you will be able to participate in Radio Checks to the state, cities, and towns.
Dates/time: To be determined
Duration: 1 hour
Location: 5630 East McDowell Rd
Phoenix, AZ 85008
Contact: Sara saralatin@mail.maricopa.gov/602-273-1411 or Marcos coriam@mail.maricopa.gov/602-273-1411

As a MCLE participant you will be able to participate in GIS duties(map building, map printing etc)

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Maricopa County Human Services Department

www.hsd.maricopa.gov

Workforce Development Division
Job training and resume preparation
Learn skills to help in your future job search.
Dates/Times: June 24th 9:00 am (West Valley Career Center) or **July 19th**, 9:00 am (East Valley Career Center)
Length: 3 hours
Locations*:* MWC Gilbert Career Center
735 N. Gilbert Rd Suite 134, Gilbert, AZ 85234, or
MWC West Valley Career Center
1840 N. 95th Ave., Suite 160, Phoenix, AZ 85037
Contact: Kelli doddk@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required

Maricopa County Human Services Department

www.hsd.maricopa.gov

Education Division/Head Start Zero-Five Program
Making Food and Movement Work For You
Healthy eating and exercise is an important part of maintaining a healthy lifestyle. Come and learn how to aim for a healthy weight and how the new MyPlate system can work for you.
Please wear clothes and shoes that you can exercise in.
Dates/Times: June 20th 1:30 pm (Gilbert Career Center) or
July 18th, 10:00 am (West Valley Career Center)
Length: 1.5 hours
Location: MWC Gilbert Career Center
735 N. Gilbert Rd Suite 134, Gilbert, AZ 85234, or
MWC West Valley Career Center
1840 N. 95th Ave., Suite 160, Phoenix, AZ 85037
Contact: Maureen masonm002@mail.maricopa.gov or 480-464-9669, Ext. 225
NOTES: Preregistration required

Maricopa County Department of Public Health

http://www.maricopa.gov/publichealth/

Streets of Success
Come learn healthy ways to respond to conflict situations. You will participate in activities that will teach you ways to identify how you react and respond to conflict and how to effectively resolve conflicts.
Dates/Times: Tuesday, July 8th, 4pm-6pm
Duration: 2 hours
Location: Maryvale Community Center—Arts and Crafts Room
4420 N. 51st Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85031
Contact: Daniel danielvalladee@mail.maricopa.gov
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Maricopa County Animal Care and Control Department

www.maricopa.gov/pets

Maricopa County
Animal Care and Control

Dog Bite Prevention and Responsible Pet Ownership
Learn how to recognize dog body language and what to do with that information in order to stay safe. Discuss what responsible pet ownership includes.

Dates/Times: June 19th, 10a.m-noon or June 28th, 1:00 p.m.-3 p.m.
Length: 2 hours
Location*:* 2500 South 27th Avenue, Phoenix AZ 85009
Contact: Samantha spinelles@mail.maricopa.gov

Homeless Pets, Pet Adoptions and Volunteering
Learn how the many pets that end up in our shelters. Find out how we get them home or into new homes. Learn about the many roles that volunteers play at MCACC!

Dates/Times: June 18th and July 10th, 10 a.m.-noon and July 12th 1p.m.-3p.m.
Length: 2 hours
Location*:* 2500 South 27th Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85009
Contact: Samantha spinelles@mail.maricopa.gov

Maricopa County Library District

www.mcldaz.org

Maricopa County
LIBRARY DISTRICT
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Library Programs
Attend an on-site library program activity in order to connect with other teens and experience how the library serves the community.

Dates/Times: Ongoing/Vary
Length: 1 hour

Location: Refer to the Library's Calendar of Events at http://www.mcldaz.org

Contact: Caris carisomalley@mcldaz.org

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Maricopa County Stadium District

www.maricopa.gov/StadiumDistrict/

Stadium and District Office Tours

The Stadium District will reveal how County government plays a role in special event facilities. Teens will be exposed to the areas in which Maricopa County and the Stadium District are connected with the Arizona Diamondbacks and Chase Field. Tour the Stadium District offices and Chase Field from a unique perspective.

Times: All tours held at 9:30 a.m. –11:30 a.m.

Dates:

Tuesday, June 3	Thursday, July 17
Thursday, June 12	Thursday, July 24
Thursday, June 26	Tuesday, July 29

Length: 2 hours

Location*:* *Stadium District Offices at Chase Field*
401 East. Jefferson Street, Phoenix, AZ 85004

Contact: Shelley kellers@mail.maricopa.gov

NOTES: Preregistration required. Comfortable shoes and clothing in good taste only.
*****Experience limited to 10 participants per date.

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2014 MCLE EXPERIENCES: ENVIRONMENT

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Maricopa County Parks and Recreation Department

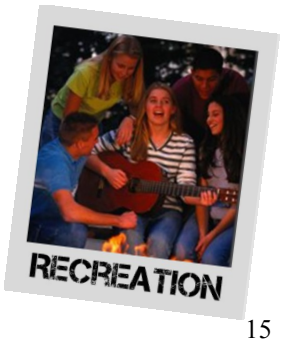
http://www.maricopa.gov/parks

Maricopa County
Parks and Recreation

Know and Go Scorpion Hunt - Lake Pleasant
Lake Pleasant Regional Park
This is a fun activity for the family. Wear close toed shoes, bring your water, flashlight and if you have it a blacklight flashlight. You may also borrow a blacklight flashlight from the Ranger or buy one from the Visitor Center. Don't worry Mom, it is a "No Touch" hunt, and we stay on the trail. Come learn about scorpions and get a close look at these creepy critters. Hunt ends by 9PM.
Date: 6/1/2014
Time: 7:30 PM - 9:00 PM
Location: Lake Pleasant Regional Park Visitor Center 623-780-9857
Directions: Take Hwy 74 to Castle Hot Springs Rd.(MP19), turn right into park, follow signs to visitor center.
Peoria, AZ
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

Explore the Shoreline Walk - Lake Pleasant
Lake Pleasant Regional Park
Walk above the shoreline of Lake Pleasant. This hike is fairly easy with some rocky trails but with little elevation gain. This hike starts from the visitor center and is a very scenic way to see the lake.
Date: 6/6/2014
Time: 8:00 AM - 9:30 AM
Duration: 1.5 hours, 2 miles
Location: Lake Pleasant Regional Park - follow visitor center signs once inside park.
Address: Take Hwy 74 to MP19, turn north on Castle Hot Springs Rd. and then the first right into the park.
Peoria, AZ
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

All About Rattlesnakes - San Tan
San Tan Mountain Regional Park
How dangerous are rattlesnakes? What should you do if you encounter one? How do they survive and thrive in our desert? If you would like to know the answers to these questions, or any questions you may have about rattlesnakes, then this one-hour presentation is for you! Bring a "Brown-Bag It" lunch inside the comfort of the visitor center, as Ranger Tish shares some amazing facts about these fascinating reptiles. Meet at the San Tan Visitor Center.
Date: 6/6/2014
Time: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Location: Visitor Center 6533 West Phillips Road
Queen Creek, AZ 85142
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov



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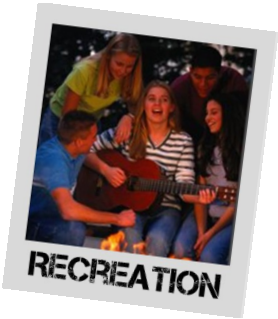
Moonlight Hike - Spur Cross
Spur Cross Ranch Conservation Area
June 12 Thursday 8:00 pm Moonlight Hike (moderate) The Conservation Area is a different experience when seen softly illuminated by the silver moon. While we will attempt to minimize the use of flashlights, bring one in case you need it.
Date: 6/12/2014
Time: 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM
Location: 44000 N. Spur Cross Road
Cave Creek, AZ 85331
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

"Monsoon Madness!" - Cave Creek Regional Park
Cave Creek Regional Park
Monsoons in Arizona? What are they? What causes them? How can we prepare for and stay safe during monsoons? Come learn all about monsoons and the effects they can have on our environment. Presented by Paul Catanzariti, Community Outreach Coordinator for our County Stormwater Quality Program. Meet in the Nature Center. *Please Note: GPS and other mapping services may provide incorrect directions. To get to the park from Carefree Highway turn North on 32nd Street and follow to park. 32nd St. becomes CAVE CREEK PARKWAY.
Date: 6/13/2014
Time: 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM
Location:37900 N. Cave Creek Parkway - 32nd St. / North from Carefree Highway
Cave Creek, AZ 85331
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

Full Moon Hike - Usery Park
Usery Mountain Regional Park
Join us for this 2-mile hike under the glowing light of June's "Full Strawberry Moon." This is a great opportunity to experience sights and sounds of the desert at night! Bring your sense of adventure for this interpretive hike with our park ranger, Ranger B. Please bring a flashlight, water, and closed-toe shoes. No pets, please.
Location: Staging Area.
Date: 6/13/2014
Time: 8:00 PM
Location: 3939 N. Usery Pass Rd.
Mesa, AZ 85207
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov



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Archery 101 - Usery Park
Usery Mountain Regional Park
Interested in archery? Curious about how to shoot a bow? Come to Usery Park and find out! You will discover how fun archery really is! Participants will experience a fun and safe introduction to recreational and international-style target archery. Equipment will be provided. This class is open to anyone ages 8 and up. Minors must be accompanied by an adult. Please bring water, hats, and closed-toe shoes. Meet at the Archery Range. 8:30-10am. No registration – just show up and have some fun!
Date: 6/14/2014
Time: 8:30 AM
Location: 3939 N. Usery Pass Rd.
Mesa, AZ 85207
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

Animal Flashlight Walk - Usery Park
Usery Mountain Regional Park
We are the nocturnal animals of the desert and we like to hide. Help Ranger B find us if you can! If you would like to learn about us and enjoy a night walk in the desert, then join Ranger B as he takes you on this exciting 1-mile/1-hour walk along the Merkle Trail. The Merkle Trail offers universal access and the hard-smooth surface of this trail will accommodate wheelchairs and strollers. Please bring water, a flashlight, and closed-toe shoes. No pets, please. Location: Area 6. Join our "All About Packrats" program inside our Nature Center at 6pm, and our snake feeding at 7pm at no extra cost!
Date: 6/20/2014 and 7/1/2014
Time: 7:30 PM
Location: 3939 N. Usery Pass Rd.
Mesa, AZ 8520
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

Wilderness Survival Series #1
Cave Creek Regional Park
Part 1 of our 3 part series is "Planning & Gear". The wilderness does not tolerate the unprepared. So find out what it's going to take to make it out there. Meet in the Nature Center. Remember, fail to plan, plan to fail. This program will be followed by parts 2 & 3 of the series. **Date**: 6/21/2014
Time: 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM
Location: Nature Center
37900 N. Cave Creek PARKWAY - 32nd St. north from Carefree Highway Please Note: GPS and other mapping services may provide incorrect directions. To get to the park from Carefree Highway turn North on 32nd Street and follow to park. 32nd St. becomes CAVE CREEK PARKWAY.
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

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Summer Solstice Sunset Walk - Spur Cross
Spur Cross Ranch Conservation Area
June 21 Saturday 6:00 pm Summer Solstice Sunset Walk (easy)
Come with us on this longest day of the year for a casual stroll along the Metate Trail and watch the sun set over the hills of the conservation area. Late afternoon is a prime time to watch for wildlife and take pictures so bring some binoculars and/or a camera.
Date: 6/21/2014
Time: 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM Duration: 2 hours
Location: 44000 N. Spur Cross Road
Cave Creek, AZ 85331
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

Movie Night in the Park: "Untamed Americas: Deserts" - Usery Park
Usery Mountain Regional Park
When it comes to desert animals, the truth is often stranger than fiction! How about a mouse that howls? A lizard that uses chemical weapons? Penguins in the desert? Moths with sonar-jamming technology? This new Nat Geo movie will highlight the strange and spectacular animals that call the desert "home." Feel free to bring snacks and drinks with you (no glass bottles), otherwise, concessions are available. Location: Nature Center.
Date: 6/27/2014
Time: 7:00 PM
Location:3939 N. Usery Pass Rd.
Mesa, AZ 85207
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

All About Bees - Usery Park
Usery Mountain Regional Park
How important are bees to humans? How can we bee safe around them? How do bees survive and thrive in our desert? If you would like to know the answers to these questions, or any questions you may have about bees, then this one-hour presentation is for you! Bring your sandwich to the "Brown-Bag It" series inside our Nature Center as Ranger B shares some amazing facts about these buzzing busybodies. Location: Nature Center. Watch us feed our snakes after the program at 7pm. Then join our "Animal Flashlight Walk" at 7:30pm at no extra cost!
Date: 7/1/2014
Time: 6:00 PM
Location: 3939 N. Usery Pass Rd.
Mesa, AZ 85207
Contact: Kim richardk@mail.maricopa.gov

MARICOPA COUNTY TEEN LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

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Maricopa County Parks and Recreation Department

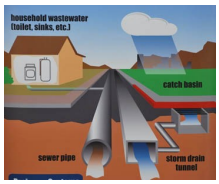
Have you ever wondered what all the Parks and Recreation Department is responsible for? Get an inside look at the Parks and Recreation Department and meet with a Park Ranger!
Dates/Time: June 19th and July 2nd, 10a.m.-noon
Location: 2500 S. 27th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85009
Contact: Kelli **doddk@mail.maricopa.gov**
NOTES: Sessions will be offered and are subject to change according to availability.

Maricopa County Environmental Services

http://www.maricopa.gov/EnvSvc/

Quality and Compliance
Come see first hand how Maricopa County Environmental Services is working with our community to ensure a safe and healthy environment for everyone.
Duration: 1 hour

Interested in learning about caring for your environment?
Come learn about storm water pollution prevention.
Duration: 1 hour



Ever wonder who oversees the restaurants that you eat in?
Come ride along with an Environmental Health Specialist to see how they ensure the food we eat is safe for consumption.
Duration: 3 hours

Come participate in a hands-on learning demonstration about how the Environmental Services works to ensure a safe environment.
Duration: 1 hour

Dates/Times: To be determined
Location*:* call for specific locations
Contact: Ken kconklin@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-0002 or David dmorales@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-3408
NOTES: Preregistration required. To ensure we have a seat available for you, please RSVP to attend.

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Maricopa County Environmental Services

http://www.maricopa.gov/EnvSvc/

Vector Control

Vector Control staff investigate citizen complaints dealing with mosquitoes, flies and non-native rodents. We also enforce and ensure compliance of the Maricopa County Environmental Health Code.

Vector Control inspectors identify routine breeding sites and apply the appropriate treatments. They also perform surveillance activities in their "districts" to identify new or potential breeding sites. We also work in conjunction with State officials in monitoring and testing of mosquito samples that are collected on a monthly basis and tested for arboviruses.

The Vector Control office also provides mosquito eating fish (Gambusia) free to the public, for use in ponds, stock tanks, or any permanent waters a homeowner may have. We also try to educate individuals and citizen groups on mosquito reducing techniques they can use around their home or property to eliminate mosquito breeding. We do this through the use of pamphlets, neighborhood meetings and presentations.

As a MCLE participant, you will have the opportunity to observe vector field surveillance activities
Dates/Times: To be determined
Duration: 3-4 hours
Location*:* call for specific locations
Age limit: 15-17
Contact: John jtownsen@mail.maricopa.gov/602-448-4116 or David dguerrieri@mail.maricopa.gov/602-526-6181
NOTES: Preregistration required. To ensure we have a seat available for you, please RSVP to attend.

As a MCLE participant, you will have the opportunity to observe vector complaint activities in the field alongside a Vector Control Inspector.
Dates/Times: To be determined
Duration: 1 hour
Location*:* call for specific locations
Age limit: 15-17
Contact: John jtownsen@mail.maricopa.gov/602-448-4116 or David dguerrieri@mail.maricopa.gov/602-526-6181

As a MCLE participant you will have the opportunity to observe mosquito identification and lap prep of specimens, as well as observe PCR testing procedures.
Dates/Times: To be determined
Duration: 2-3 hours
Location*:* call for specific locations
Age limit: 15-17
Contact: John jtownsen@mail.maricopa.gov/602-448-4116 or David guerrieri@mail.maricopa.gov/602-526-6181

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Maricopa County Air Quality Department

www.maricopa.gov/AQ

CLEAN AIR MAKE MORE

Air Monitoring Program

Do you know how much air you breathe in a day? And, what is in the air we breathe? The Maricopa County Air Quality Department regulates businesses and educates residents on air pollution prevention and control.

Join us for an interactive demonstration on how we monitor the air quality in Maricopa County. Talk to an inspector about how he/she conducts and inspection at a gas station, dry cleaner, power plant or construction site. We'll let you play in the dirt to learn how we tell the difference between our natural desert dust and man-made particulate pollution. After attending our hour-long session you will have the tools and awareness to become a Clean Air Champion and help us maintain the blue skies with healthy, clean air.

Dates/Times: To be determined
Length: 1 hour
Location*:* 2145 South 11th Avenue, Suite 170, Phoenix, AZ 85007
Contact: **Bob** BobHuhn@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-6713 or **Lucette** lucetteramirez@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-7396
NOTES: Preregistration required. To ensure we have a seat available for you, please RSVP to attend.

Maricopa County Waste Resources & Recycling

www.swm.maricopa.gov

Transfer Station Tour

Participants will learn what County Waste Disposal & Recycling Centers do to help the environment, what materials are accepted, and the progression of the stations over the past 4 years. A tour of the entire Recycling Center will be provided with explanations of how it runs and what each designated location in the center is for. The problem of illegal dumping and benefits from recycling will be highlighted.

Dates/Times: Will vary contact Stephen for dates and time.
Length: Approximately 45 minutes
Location*:* *Any of our six Recycling Centers in Maricopa County. Cave Creek, New River, Morristown, Aguila, Hassayampa, and Rainbow Valley.*
Contact: **Stephen** StephenHall@mail.maricopa.gov or 602-506-3027
Notes: *Clothing needs to be appropriate jeans are ok but they have to be clean, no holes and pants at the waist line. Sensible shoes NO FLIP FLOPS.*

2014 MCLE EXPERIENCES: ENVIRONMENT

Flood Control District of Maricopa County

www.fcd.maricopa.gov

ALERT Center and Tall Pot Tree Nursery
Come and participate in hands-on learning activities at the Flood Control District! We will learn why the District's ALERT Center is so popular and why news stations love to broadcast their weather updates from this location when it's raining. We will also learn about the District's Tall Pot Tree Nursery. Participants will be able to paint a tall pot, plant seeds and then donate their tree to their school once it is ready to be planted!
Dates/Times: July 8th, 9 a.m.-noon
Length: 3 hours
Location*:* 2801 West Durango Street, Phoenix, AZ 85009
Contact: **Aisha** aishaalexander@mail.maricopa.gov
NOTES: Preregistration required. Please RSVP to attend so we have a tall pot ready for you to paint! Please wear clothes that are acceptable to paint in (pants, t-shirts) and closed-toe shoes.

2014 MCLE VOLUNTEERISM

Maricopa County Animal Care and Control Department

www.maricopa.gov/pets

County Shelter Volunteer

Spend time helping animals at County shelters. Activities may include: dog walking/ socializing, cat socializing, or administrative assistance and more.

Times: 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.
Length: Minimum of 4 hour
Dates/Locations*:*

June 6th, June 13th, June 20th, June 27th, July 11th, July 18th, and July 25th
East Valley Animal Care Center
2630 W. Rio Salado Parkway, Mesa, AZ 85201

West Valley Animal Care Center
2500 S. 27th Ave., Phoenix, AZ 85009

Contact: Samantha sspinelle@mail.maricopa.gov

NOTES: Dog Bite Prevention/Responsible Pet Ownership and **Homeless Pets**, **Adoptions/Volunteer classes** also available; see the "Community" section of this booklet for information.

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2014 MCLE VOLUNTEERISM

Maricopa County Environmental Services
http://www.maricopa.gov/EnvSvc/

Quality and Compliance

Come assist Green Government Committee with Adopt-a-Station cleanup.
Duration: 1/2 hour
Dates/Times: To be determined
Location*:* call for specific locations
Contact: **Ken** kconklin@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-0002 or **David** dmorales@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-3408
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As a MCLE volunteer, you will get the opportunity to ride with field inspectors who investigate vector complaints and collect vector specimens for testing.
You will also have an opportunity to observe lab staff as they sort and identify mosquito species and prep samples for PCR testing for West Nile Virus.
Duration: 3-4 hours
Dates/Times: varies
Age limit: 15-17
Location*:* call for specific locations
Contact: **John** jtownsen@mail.maricopa.gov/602-448-4116 or **David** dguerrieri@mail.maricopa.gov/602-526-6181
NOTES: Preregistration required. To ensure we have a seat available for you, please RSVP to attend.

2014 MCLE VOLUNTEERISM

Maricopa County Equipment Services

Interested in a career in automotive technology? This is your chance to see first hand what Maricopa County Equipment Services staff do on a daily basis.

MCLE participants will have an opportunity to assist Equipment Services staff with Inventory Control.
Interested in automotive technology? MCLE participants will also have the opportunity to observe Equipment Services staff in conducting basic automotive technology and inspections.
Dates/time: To be determined
Duration: 2
Age Limit: 15-17
Location: 3325 W. Durango St.
Phoenix, AZ 85340
Contact: **Robert** robertpetersel@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-4868 or **Chris** chrisbroughton@mail.maricopa.gov/602-506-8441
NOTES: Participants need to wear closed toe shoes and long pants.

2014 MCLE VOLUNTEERISM

Maricopa County Human Services Department

www.hsd.maricopa.gov

Workforce Development Division/Maricopa Workforce Connections
http://www.maricopaworkforceconnection.com
Career Center Volunteer
Volunteer your time and skills at one of the Career Centers below. You could help out in the computer lab, reception area, assistive technology, and the Youth Center. You will learn how the County helps the Community find employment, become job ready, utilize the computer lab for job search, how the assistive technology lab works for those that have a disability, etc.
Dates/Times: Weekdays between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.
Length: Minimum of 1 hour
Locations & Contact*:*

MWC West Valley Career Center
1840 N. 95th Ave., Ste. 160, Phoenix, AZ 85037
Kelli doddk@mail.maricopa.gov

MWC East Valley Career Center/Gilbert
735 N. Gilbert Rd. Ste. 134, Gilbert, AZ 85234
Keri marchk@mail.maricopa.gov
PH 602-372-9762, TTY 602-372-9762

NOTES: Business casual attire requested.

Education Division/Head Start Zero-Five Program
Educational Office Volunteerism
You will be helping to empower families with young children, and learning job skills. Data entry, general office work, physical activities such as moving and/or storing classroom furniture, community outreach and assist with recruitment of program participants, and/or answering phones. We have many, many needs in our program. If someone is interested in helping and has a particular talent or ability that they'd like to utilize—please feel free to talk to us to determine if we can find a need that matches.
Dates/Times: Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Length: 1 to 8 hours daily, according to volunteers availability and desire. Generally 1 to 5 hours.
Location: 2150 South Country Club Drive Suite 7, Mesa, 85210 or
234 North Central Avenue, 3rd Floor, Phoenix, AZ 85004
Contact: Call 480-464-9669 ext. 295 to schedule a volunteer shift.

2014 LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

Maricopa County Library District

www.mcldaz.org

Summer Reading Program

www.mcldaz.org/summer

The Summer Reading Program is self-paced and can be started at any time throughout the summer as long as activities are completed by the July 26th deadline. Programs are set up by age categories/reading levels; details are on the County Library District Website at the link above. Register and record reading progress online.

Dates/Times: Will vary based on participant schedules
Length: Based on category and time spent
Location*:* Your local County library

Contact: Caris carisomalley@mcldaz.org

NOTES: Program progress is tracked online.

Maricopa County Library Districts Summer Reading Program is for all ages. Its a fantastic way to involve family members in your 2014 summer experience!

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